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FIRST BABY BORN THIS YEAR—Christopher Lynn Cantrell became the first baby born in Bailey County in 1986 when he was born to Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cantrell on Monday, January 6 at 4:41 a.m. He and his parents received a number of gifts from local businesses. Christopher Lynn is the third child for Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cantrell.

Area Schools Reflect 'Steady' Enrollment

Cantrells Have First Baby Here In '86

Christopher Lynn Cantrell is the first baby born in Bailey County in 1986, and came into the world at 4:41 a.m. on Monday, January 6.

He was born at West Plains Medical Center to Randy and Laura Cantrell of Muleshoe.

Christopher Lynn has a sister, Jennifer, age three; and a brother, Anthony, two years of age.

His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Bula and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Cantrell of Muleshoe; and great grandfathers, Charles Martin, Littlefield and Claude Cantrell of Earth.

He received gifts from several local merchants, including, a box of Newborn Pampers from ServAll Thriftway; free 8x10 portrait of the baby from Photography by Lonnie; Star Coupe Walker from C.R. Anthony's and a Shampoo and Set for the new mother from Main Street Beauty Salon.

Also a diaper set from Perry's; a case of baby food from Muleshoe IGA Supermarket; plant of the parent's choice from Decorators Nursery and Floral; free meal for the new parents from Chick-n-Dock; a year subscription to the Muleshoe Journal and Bailey County Journal from Muleshoe Publishing Co.; one day room service at no charge from West Plains Medical Center; two boxes of Newborn Pampers and 3-8 oz. Gerber baby bottles from Pay-n-Save; and a \$50 Savings Bond from First Bank.

Congratulations to Christopher Lynn Cantrell and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cantrell.

Recently, a major daily newspaper predicted the 'demise' of small rural communities near the metropolis, saying that most would not be able to survive the current farming crises.

Part of their prediction was due to a survey made of several small schools, and a total drop in school enrollment.

This week, the Muleshoe Journal has conducted their own survey of some seven schools in this area, including the Muleshoe Independent School District to see just how drastically the enrollment in the schools located in almost a total agricultural environment are faring.

Two schools have shown an increase in students for the past year, while the others have dropped in enrollment, although the decrease is small in all but one school.

Muleshoe appears to be the most fortunate in keeping (and increasing) enrollment. Last year, 1,652 students were enrolled in the four Muleshoe schools, a figure that increased by some 72 students to the current enrollment of 1,724.

Another school to show an increase, though small, was Lazbuddie, who had 268 students last year, and increased by six students to their current enrollment of 274 students.

The school showing the largest decrease in students is the Littlefield Independent School District. Last year, they had 1,639 students, and had decreased by 64 students to their current enrollment, which is 1,575 students.

Morton has lost only six students during the past year. They had 710 students enrolled last year at this time, and show an enrollment of 704 students at this time.

In the southwestern part of Bailey County, Three Way School is down approximately three students, with 130 students enrolled, compared to around 133 at this time last year.

Earth-Sprinklake Independent School District has lost only two students during the past year. They have 566 students enrolled right now, as compared to the 568 at this time a year ago.

Tom Jarboe, superintendent of the Friona Independent School District, said, "We're alive and well. We have 1,296 students now, and had 1,301 at this time a year ago."

"However, with this loss of

just five students, we feel real fortunate to be holding our own."

A spokeswoman for the Bovina Independent School District declined giving the information about enrollment.

Another comparison used by the city newspaper was a decline in the number of grocery stores. Again, this just doesn't hold true in Muleshoe.

For a number of years, Muleshoe has had three supermarkets, and continues of have the three supermarkets. Monday, one of the supermarkets, Pay-n-Save, started a major renovation program, which would not have been undertaken if the grocers were in 'financial trouble.'

Also, in recent months, a third convenience store opened in Muleshoe, and is located in a key position at the 'Crossroads,' Town and Country Food Stores, Inc., who already had one store in west Muleshoe, decided to place a second store in the city.

Allsup's is located between

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Hutto Gives Rotary Talk

On Scuba Diving

Terry Hutto had the program for the Muleshoe Rotary at noon on Tuesday. He showed slides and talked about a three day scuba-diving trip he made to Chozmel, Mexico last September.

According to Hutto, the group went scuba-diving two times a day, and his slides were of underwater fish. He explained that the group flew from Lubbock to Dallas/Ft. Worth, and from there straight to Chozmel.

He expects to return to the same location again this year, but did state that 'it isn't advisable to drink the water there.'

Guests at the Rotary meeting included W.G. Harlan, Monty Dent, John Young and Larry Morris.

Rotary President Paul Wilbanks said January 22 is the deadline for applying for the Rotary group study exchange for a student or other young man to go abroad.

Qualifications for the Rotary Exchange trip may be obtained from President Wilbanks.

Whitt Asks Re-Election To Commissioner Post

Roy Whitt, a resident of Bailey County since January, 1951, and currently serving his first term as Commissioner for Bailey County Precinct Two, has announced he is seeking re-election as commissioner, subject to the Democratic Primary in May.

Whitt said he is seeking a second term as commissioner, and has enjoyed working with the public during this first term and serving the people. "I have learned a lot," he commented.

"We have gotten along in these trying times without raising taxes, and the county is on a sound, economic basis."

"During the past year, we have paid off the indebtedness of the Law Enforcement Center, and the Bailey County Coliseum will be paid off in 1989. Those two were all of the county's bonded indebtedness."

According to the county commissioner, the decision to sell the ambulances to Westworld Community Healthcare, Inc., to be used at the hospital was a decision that was determined to be in the best interest of the people of the county.

"I back the hospital," said Whitt, "and plan to stay with them, and would encourage people to use the hospital at home. As far as I can see, they can stay here without having to travel out of town, and have the gas, food, and lodging costs they would have by having to stay out of town while someone in their family is in the hospital."

My family and I plan to continue to use West Plains Medical Center."

Whitt said the commissioners have endeavored to keep the county roads in as good shape as humanly possible, and continue to be mindful of the community's needs.

"I am trying to serve the county in a well-balanced, economical and conservative manner," he continued.

When Whitt moved to Bailey County in January, 1951, it was to farm in the West Camp area. He farmed until February, 1954, when he became a junior

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Franchise Taxes Returned To Governing Area Entities

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Friday checks totaling \$1.1 million were sent in a special allocation of the state franchise tax on banks to 245 cities, school districts and other special districts.

Bullock said the special allocation reflected final adjustments of the new tax as it involved some 1,976 banks and 2,119 local taxing jurisdictions.

The first allocation from the

new tax on banks was made in August, and checks totaling \$61.6 million were sent to 1,996 local taxing units.

Most of the taxing units -- 1,715 -- were unaffected by the special allocation. Of the remaining jurisdictions affected, money was shifted from some taxing units and reallocated to others.

The Legislature in 1984 brought banks under the franchise tax for the first time and allocated receipts from the tax to cities, counties, school districts and other local taxing units where the banks are located.

Banks are taxed at the same rate as other Texas corporations. Previously, bank stocks were subject to local property taxes. The Legislature exempted the stocks from property taxes, substituting the new bank franchise tax. Collections are prorated among local taxing units based on their tax returns.

Bailey County received a check in the amount of \$6,456.85; the city received a check in the amount of \$10,513.83 and the Muleshoe Independent School District's check was for \$16,307.18.

Morton's Independent School District received \$7,219.99; the

City of Morton got a check for \$3,209.06 and Cochran County received \$2,159.72.

The City of Littlefield received \$8,052.98 and the Littlefield Independent School District got a check for \$15,927.49.

In Parmer County, the City of Friona received \$8,671.51; the Friona Independent School District received \$9,487.65 while Parmer County got a check in the amount of \$5,086.88.

Local Library Has IRS Info For Public Use

The Internal Revenue Service has furnished the Muleshoe Area Public Library with a variety of materials to help taxpayers prepare their federal income tax forms, Anne Camp, librarian, said.

"One useful aid is audio cassettes," she added, "containing simple, line-by-line instructions for preparing federal forms 1040EZ, 1040A and Schedule One; 1040 and Schedules A, B, and W. Video tapes may be available for those who have access to video cassette

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Shotgun Claims Life Of Tammy McCutchen

A lifetime native of Muleshoe, Tammy McCutchen, 18, of the Lazbuddie community, was killed, apparently instantly by a shotgun wound somewhere around noon Sunday at her farm home one mile west of Lazbuddie.

Justice of the Peace Albert Smith of Farwell pronounced her dead at 1 p.m. from one blast with a .12 gauge shotgun, and said the shooting was apparently 'accidental' although



TAMMY MCCUTCHEN

the JP said an investigation into the fatal shooting was continuing by Parmer County sheriff's officers. Officers said her husband, John, stumbled and dropped the gun, causing it to fire.

Tammy, the former Tammy Nowell, was born April 15, 1967 in San Antonio and moved to Muleshoe with her parents as a child. She graduated from Muleshoe High School in 1985 and was married to John Phillip McCutchen on July 27, 1985 in Muleshoe.

She was a florist at Muleshoe Floral at the time of her death, and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Muleshoe.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe with Rev. Barry Bradley, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Bailey County Memorial Park under direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Her survivors include her husband, John; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Nowell, Muleshoe; grandparents, Mrs. Kathleen Nowell, Ft. Towson, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Pearson of Muleshoe; one sister, Tanya Nowell of Muleshoe and one brother, Larry Nowell of San Antonio.



A 'Sweetheart Festival' will be held in the Bailey County Civic Center on Saturday, February 1, from 7-11 p.m. The sweetheart coronation will take place at 10 p.m. with candidates representing the art, band and speech departments of both junior high and high school.

Any interested individuals, civic groups or other organizations are asked to reserve booth space at the festival by contacting Sherry Barrett, 946-3647 or Carolyn Willoughby, 272-5446.

Melba Irvin, publicity chairman, commented, "The festival is family entertainment with games, food and lots of fun."

Richland Hills Baptist Church Youth will sponsor skating on Friday, January 10 at the Bailey County Civic Center.

Skating will be \$1 per skater and from 7-9 p.m. Refreshments will be available.

The Muleshoe Squares will start lessons for beginning square dancers on Thursday, January 16, at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

A spokesperson said everyone who is interested is asked to come out and learn to square dance. James Pettus of Portales will be teaching the lessons.

For more information, call 272-3321, 925-6421 or 945-3622.

Muleshoe Muleskinners held their first meeting of 1986 on New Year's Day and planned activities for the upcoming months.

On Saturday, January 11, the Muleskinners will be decorating the Civic Center for the Muleshoe CofC banquet. Different types of wagons, buggies, homemade items and antiques will be on display.

"We want to remind everyone that you do not have to own mules to be a member of the Muleskinners," said Donna Thompson, publicity. "Please come to one of the meetings and join the fun."

Congratulations

1st Baby of '86



Mrs. Randy Cantrell and Christopher Lynn



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Muleshoe Man's Father Dies At Lubbock

Funeral services for Collier E. Flowers, 88, of Lubbock were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7 in the Broadway Church of Christ Chapel with Horace Coffman and John White officiating.

Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home. Flowers died at 7 p.m.

Christene Ivy Services Held At Lazbuddie

Funeral services for Christine Ivy, 66, of Ruidoso, N.M. were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Jan. 6 in the Lazbuddie Church of Christ with Denton Thompson of Clovis, Calif. and David Alessandro, minister of the Muleshoe Church of Christ, officiating.

Interment was in the Lazbuddie Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe. Mrs. Ivy died at 10:30 p.m. Friday in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

She was born on June 27, 1919, in Maude, Okla. and moved to Ruidoso three years ago from Lazbuddie. She was a housewife and a member of the Lazbuddie Church of Christ. She married D.B. Ivy on Aug. 30, 1936, in Clovis, N.M.

Survivors include her husband, D.B.; two sons, Robt. H. "Beanie" Ivy of Ruidoso, N.M. and Duward "Shorty" Ivy of Lazbuddie; a daughter, Mrs. Christie Whitt of Muleshoe; two sisters, Mrs. Della Daniel and Mrs. Irene Thorn, both of Lazbuddie; two brothers, John Gammon of Wilcox, Ariz. and J.W. Gammon of Lazbuddie; and nine grandchildren.

The family suggest memorials to the American Cancer Society.

Sunday at his residence following a lengthy illness.

Born June 14, 1897, he was a retired farmer. He moved to Lubbock in 1943, moving from Anton where he had resided 13 years.

Survivors include his wife, Vera Flowers of Lubbock; a son, Charles Flowers of Muleshoe; and a grandchild.

Marie Engram Services Held Here Wednesday

Memorial services for Marie L. Engram, 69, were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8 in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes with Elder Glen Williams, Primitive Baptist Minister, of Muleshoe officiating.

The body was cremated under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. Ms. Engram died at 10:20 p.m. Saturday in Central Plains Hospital at Plainview.

She was born on Feb. 12, 1916, at Texico, N.M. and moved to Bailey County in 1942 from Texico.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Velma Warner of Fallbrook, Calif. and Mrs. Jessie Wade of Sweet Home, Oregon.

Bertha Miller Services Held At Morton

Services for Bertha Miller, 97, of Lubbock were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Jan. 6 in the First Missionary Baptist Church of Morton with the Rev. W.L. West, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Morton. Mrs. Miller died at 5 p.m. Friday in Brentwood Manor at Lubbock.

She was born June 13, 1888, in Shelby County, Tx. and had been a resident of Lubbock for 12 years moving from Morton. She moved to Choctaw County in 1926. She married Walter Lee Miller on July 5, 1905, in Shelby County. He died in 1952. She was a housewife and a member of the First Missionary Baptist Church of Morton since 1926. She was a charter

member of Morton Order of the Eastern Star and Chapter Mother. She taught Sunday School classes for many years at the Morton Missionary Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Burnist Miller of Yakima, Wash., and Ermon Miller of Temple; three daughters, Mrs. Annie Faye Watson of Pampa, Mrs. Vertie Mullinax of Morton, and Mrs. Era Willis of Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Vera Marshall of Morton, a brother, Burtis Wedgeworth of Carthage; 14 grandchildren; 31 great grandchildren; and 12 great great grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

BAD BUSINESS

An annual business survey by Frost & Sullivan tracking the political climate around the world shows sharply increased risks in some countries that the United States strongly supports. "Much more risky" countries in 1986 are: Egypt, Jamaica, The Philippines, Saudi Arabia, South Africa and South Korea.

Troy G. Lance Services Held At Littlefield

Services for Troy G. Lance, 67, of Littlefield were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8 in the Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Larry Williams, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Fairlawn Cemetery in Amherst under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home of Littlefield. Lance died Monday in Littlefield Medical Center following a brief illness.

Lance was born in Manitow, Okla. He was a custom harvester and a veteran of World War II. He lived in Amherst and Littlefield 17 years. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Athenia of Littlefield; two sons, Michael of Midland and T.G. of Amherst; two daughters, Melisha Bass of Amherst and Velencia Rust of Junction; two brothers, LaVerne of Amherst and O.B. of Richmond, Calif.; four sisters, Lee Halman of Clearlake Oaks, Calif., Kathryn Allred of Bothell, Wash., and

Melva Dean Mote of Amherst; 10 grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.

West Plains Hospital Report

PATIENTS IN WEST PLAINS MEDICAL CENTER, INC. January 6 - Margrette Graves, Ernest Kerr, Penny Osborn, Roger Buhrman, Velma Davis, Tommy Gutierrez, Rick Wilcox, Mayra Regura, Krystal Paez, Norma Cantrell and Baby Boy, all of Muleshoe, Carl Snyder, Friona, Adam and Lumbrebra and Matthew Lumbrebra, Bovina

In Fashion

A car coat comes in lightweight fleece with bright buffalo checks. The full coat is roomier than the classic polo coat and fits comfortably over a cow-neck sweater. Some wool coats in solids, plaids and checks are water-repellent.

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Father Patrick Maher
Northeast of City in
Morrison Addition

First United Methodist Church

5th and Ave. D.
Jose M. Fernandez, Pastor

First Baptist Church

220 West Ave. E.
Berry Bradley, Pastor

Emmanuel Baptist Church

Iglesia Bautista Emmanuel
107 East Third
Isaias Cardenas, Pastor

Muleshoe Baptist Church

8th and Ave. G.
Bob Dodd, Pastor

Primera Iglesia Bautista

223 E. Ave. E.
Roy Martinez, Pastor

Longview Baptist Church

Phone 965-3413
B.C. Stonecipher, Pastor

Progress Baptist Church

Progress, Texas
Paul Bringham, Pastor

Progress Second Baptist Church

1st and 3rd Sunday
Clifford Slay, Pastor

Richland Hills Baptist Church

17th and West Ave. D.
Brock Sanders, Pastor

United Pentacostal Lighthouse Church

207 East Ave. G.
Rev. J.A. Torres

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Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
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507 S. Main
Sunday - 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening - 7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Services
J.L. Soto, Pastor

St. Matthew Baptist Church

Corner of West Boston & West Birch
M.S. Brown, Pastor

Primitive Baptist Church

621 S. First
Elder George Johnson, Pastor

Primitive Baptist Church

Corner of Ithaca St. and Fir Ave.
Elder Glen Williams, Pastor

Trinity Baptist Church

314 E. Ave. B
Rev. V.L. 'Buster' Huggins

Calvary Baptist Church

1733 W. Ave. C
Rev. Darrel Martin

Muleshoe Church Of Christ

Clovis Hwy.
David Alessandro, Pastor

Church Of Christ 16th & Ave. D

Sunday - 10:30 a.m.
Evening - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday - 8:00 p.m.

Circle Back Baptist Church

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Ron Linebarger, Pastor

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Church Services 10:30 a.m.
Rev. Mac Bearss, Pastor

New Covenant Church

Plainview Hwy.
Sunday - 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.
Jimmy Lowe, Pastor

Church Of The Nazarene

9th and Ave. G
Glen Michael, Pastor

Jehovah Witness

Friona Hwy.
Boyd Lowery, Pastor

The Community Church

Morton Hwy.
H.D. Hunter, Pastor

El Divino Salvador Methodist Church

5th and Ave. D.
Jose M. Fernandez, Pastor



CHRISTINE IVY

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Creative Living

with Sheryl Borden

Information on the new Singer knitting machine and a new product called Gosling Tapes will be presented on "Creative Living" on January 14 and 18. Beverly Seyfert is the owner of The Sewing Center in Arkansas City, Kansas and she will demonstrate the knitting machine made by Singer. The machine does an excellent job with knitting, and the possibilities are endless as to its use. Ms. Seyfert will also show how to make a knitted jacket and the

instructions will be available to viewers.

Barbara Miller is the store manager for Quality Thrift Fabrics in Clovis and she will show a new product called Gosling Tapes, which are polyester tapes from Europe used to make decorative curtain and drapery headings. The tapes are suitable for use with all fabrics and can be machine washed and dried or dry cleaned. Ms. Miller will show how these tapes can be used for shirring, smocking, pleating and folding, as well as used in other projects.

On January 16, Laura Varney, founder of Clothing Design Concepts, Inc. in Manhattan, Kansas will discuss customized computerized patterns for all sizes and shapes. Each pattern is custom made to the person's own personal measurements, and is adaptable for other fashion details, such as pockets, variations on bodice designs and fly front pants. The segment will specifically cover the customized pants patterns, which is their most popular pattern, since so many people have trouble fitting pants.

Elizabeth Wunderlick, Southwest Meat Packers Assn. from Dallas, Texas will discuss having a participating pizza party on a shoestring budget. She will prepare two different recipes for pizza and share some interesting serving suggestions.

"Creative Living" is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden. The show airs on KENW-TV, Channel 3 in Portales on Tuesday and Thursday at 12 noon and at 2:00 pm on Saturday. (All times are Mountain Standard).

Viewers can request copies of printed materials offered on the show by calling on KENW-TV's toll-free telephone lines. In New Mexico, the number is 1-800-432-2361, out-of-state: 1-800-545-2359, and Portales and Roosevelt County: 562-2112.

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STUDENTS HEAR FROM KOREAN BATTALION--First graders from the eight classes at Dillman Elementary sent Christmas cards to a Battalion in Korea and in return they received a picture of the Battalion, a Korean News Paper, Korean money and Christmas cards. Students pictured (not in order) include: Megan Harlan, Leslie Powell, Kristen Nichols, Gabriela Barrera, Cari Favor, Raquel Posadas, Justin St. Clair and Stephanie Guerrero.

Help With Debt Problems

Effective year-round management of spending and credit use can keep consumers from being overloaded with debt. Yet some people find themselves in financial trouble from uncontrolled credit spending over the holidays.

If you're facing a financial crisis from credit spending, there are services, such as the Consumer Credit Counseling Service, which can help you work out a plan for getting out of debt, says family economics expert Dr. Marjorie Smith.

As part of these services, a counselor studies your financial situation and makes suggestions.

KEEP ATTIC VENTS OPEN THIS WINTER -- During the winter, moisture produced inside the house tends to migrate to the outside. Part of this moisture passes through the roof and into the attic area. "By placing plastic over roof vents, the homeowner is shutting off ventilation so that the condensation of moisture can occur in the attic space," says Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service housing specialist Dr. Susan Quiring. Once this moisture has condensed in the attic, it will settle in the insulation, reducing its effectiveness and adding to your energy bills, she cautions.

Nursing Home

News

by Joy Stancell

Mr. Crim came to visit Mrs. Laney this week.

The Salvation Army brought a large sack of nice gifts for each of the residents for Christmas.

Edith Goucher was visited by her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Simmons, Thursday morning.

Curtis Shelborne came Friday afternoon to sing and have a Devotional with the residents.

Monday afternoon Laverne James came to play Bingo with the residents.

Sunday afternoon members of the Progress Baptist Church came to sing Gospel songs to the residents. The children put on a Christmas Play.

What a nice surprise to find the table in the employee lounge adorned with a pretty Christmas table cloth and the table overloaded with all kinds

of goodies, fruit baskets, Texas Trash, cakes and candy of all kinds. There really is a Santal. Thank you so much dear friends.

Lois Ethridge, Mr. Swanner, Deli and Maria had a real nice time playing Skip-Bo Christmas Eve Day.

The M.E. Hickman family opened their gifts Christmas Day, in the Nursing Home Day Room.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Jan. 9-15
THURSDAY, JAN. 9
Muleshoe Square Dance Club 8 p.m.
Friendship Club 2:30 p.m.
Hobby Club 2 p.m.
TOPS Club 6:30 p.m.
FRIDAY, JAN. 10
Kiwanis Club 6:30 p.m.
TUESDAY, JAN. 14
Jennyslippers 7:30 p.m.
WMU 2:30 p.m.
Athletic Boosters 7:30 p.m.
Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m.
Rotary Club 12 (noon)
Young Homemakers 7 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 15
Lion's Club 12 (noon)
Dusty Prairie Extension Club 2:30 p.m.

Scholarship

Pageant Saunches For 1986 Royalty

Contestants from this area are urged to participate in 1986 Little Miss/Mr. preliminary pageants. Age divisions are: 0-2 Baby Miss/Mr., 3-5 Tiny Miss, 3-7 Little Mr., 6-8 Little Miss, 9-11 Young Miss, 12-15 Jr. Miss and 15- Miss.

This will be the most exciting event of the year for young people of all ages. Contestants will be competing for Little Miss/Mr. county titles. This will be a fun day filled with parties, fun and healthy American competition. All contestants will compete in formal wear, sportswear and close up judges appraisal. A winner, four alternates and 10 finalists are chosen in each age division.

Winners will receive a title, crown, banner and trophy as well as an opportunity to collect preliminary cash scholarships. Winners will advance to the next level of competition where they will compete for prizes including large scholarships. Some of the prizes awarded in 1985 were four, five and six foot trophies, round crowns, velvet robes, personalized satin banners, diamond jewelry, sportswear, radios, cameras, watches and more fabulous prizes are planned for 1986.

Local contestants may receive additional information and a free official entry form by sending a long, self addressed, stamped envelope to America's Scholarship Pageants, Inc., Entry Information, Dept. P-186, Box 140065, Nashville, TN 37214 or call (615) 874-4191 anytime between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday-Friday.

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Journal Files

60 Years Ago

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50 Years Ago

1936
JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE
Ladies silk dresses \$3.88 to \$7.95; ladies wash dresses and smocks, fast color 88 cents to \$1.59; ladies house shoes 49 cents pair; ladies dress oxfords and pumps, all leather \$1.59; mens overalls, 8 ounce and 22 weight, sanforized shrunk, Big Smith 99 cents; Wichita \$1.19; Dickies 99 cents, and Crown \$1.29; grey chambray work shirts 43 cents; childrens cotton sweaters 59 cents; mens corduroy pants \$2.19; mens all leather shoes \$1.59; mens dress oxfords, wing tip \$1.69; and mens canvas gloves 7 cents pair.

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30 Years Ago

1956
Mr. and Mrs. Preston Cargile and daughter, Cassandra, have moved to Ft. Worth where he will be employed and they will make their home.
Wayne Bristow returned to Plainview where he is a student at Wayland College, after spending the holidays here with relatives.

20 Years Ago

1966

POSTAL HIKE OKAYED BY U.S. APPEALS COURT
The Postal Service has put into effect new rates raising the cost of mailing a first class letter from 10 to 13 cents after a federal appeals court on Monday stayed a lower court ruled and allowed the rate hike.
The higher rates took effect across the nation at 12:01 a.m. local time Wednesday. The new rates will apply to all classes of domestic mail.

10 Years Ago

1976
IN MULESHOE
Gordon Murrah will leave Muleshoe enroute to Washington Sunday for a few days of orientation before flying to New York. He will leave New York Jan. 13 to go to South America where he will be engaged in farming exchange work for six weeks. Murrah is sponsored by the Texas Sesame Corporation in Muleshoe. He will be going with five others from the area.

Journal Society Policy

A processing charge of \$3 is made when a photo accompanies any wedding, engagement, or anniversary with the exception of anniversary of 50 years or more.
Five dollars will be charged for any shower picture taken by the Journal and \$3 charged for any shower picture accompanying a story. Pictures may be picked up after the article appears in the paper.
Wedding, engagement, and anniversary stories must be in the Journal office by Monday noon for the Thursday paper, and by Thursday noon for the Sunday paper.
After that time, stories will be run on a space available basis. Any wedding more than two weeks old, when received, will be edited and only the basic information will be included.
Shower pictures will not be taken without a 24 hour notice and copy must be in the office by 5 p.m. Monday for the Thursday paper and 5 p.m. Thursday, for the Sunday paper.

New Arrivals



Maeghan Ashley Winn

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Winn of Lubbock are the proud parents of a daughter born at 3:22 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31 in the Methodist Hospital.
The young lady weighed eight pounds and was 21 1/4 inches long, and has been named Maeghan Ashley. She is the first child for the couple.
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jess Winn of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lemon of Ropesville.
Great grandparents are J.E. Lewallen of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Lemon of Slaton and C. Pate of Lubbock.

Amber Nicole Haney

Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Haney welcomed their first child on December 30, 1985, when Amber Nicole was born at 11:19 p.m. at South Plains Hospital in Amherst.
She weighed six pounds, nine ounces and was 20 1/4 inches long.
Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Haney, Bovina and Virginia Lambert, San Angelo; great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lambert, Muleshoe and Ruth Terrell, Muleshoe; a great-great grandmother is Myrtle Sullivan, also of Muleshoe.

Jennifer Diane Harper

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harper are the proud parents of a daughter, Jennifer Diane, who was born Sunday, Dec. 29 at 10 a.m. at the South Plains Hospital in Amherst.
Jennifer Diane weighed six pounds nine ounces and was 20 inches long.
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gore and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Harper, all of Sudan and great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gore and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harper, all of Sudan and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sager of Littlefield.

Macie Lynae Lance

Mr. and Mrs. Bo Lance are the proud parents of a daughter, Macie Lynae, who was born Thursday, Dec. 26, 1985, in the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock at 11:19 a.m.
Macie Lynae weighed eight pounds and four ounces and was 21 inches long. She has a sister, Danya. Four years of age.
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Gillitt of Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lance of Sudan.
Great grandparents are Mrs. Lorene Gillitt of Baird and Mrs. Irma Ingram of Coppras Cove; Mrs. Mae Baker and Mrs. Beryl Lance both of Sudan.

Sudan News by Evelyn Ritchie

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rigsby were in San Antonio during part of the holidays to visit her parents.

Holiday visitors with Valda Bishop were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bishop and children of Pottsboro and Lisa of Lubbock. Lisa and Valda had Christmas dinner with their

mother and grandmother, Mrs. Katie Turner.
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Meyer and girls of Houston arrived last week to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drake.
Mrs. Carroll Gillitt of Baird returned to her home Tuesday following several days here with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bo Lance and Danya and new infant daughter Macie Lynae.
Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. James Gore were their daughters, Shelley of College Station and Tammy of Angelo State University at San Angelo.

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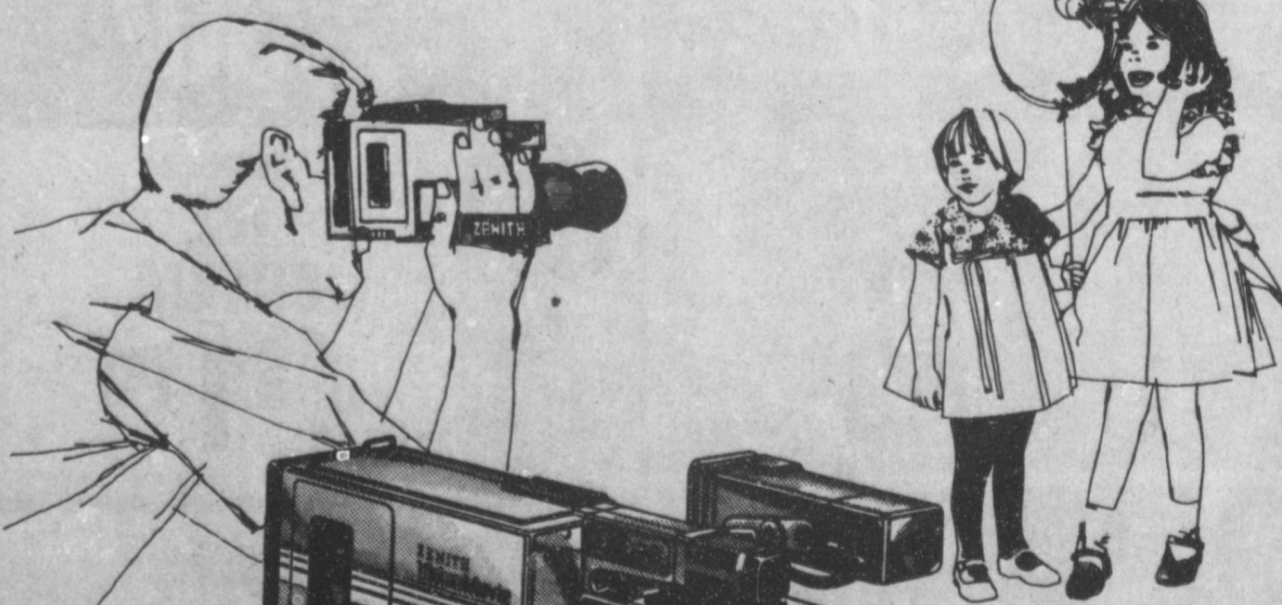
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Whitt...

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partner with A.J. Lenderson in the local John Deere dealership. He purchased Lenderson's interest 10 years later. After 25 years in the implement business, he sold his interest and became the local Chevrolet dealer for three years.

Currently, Whitt serves as county commissioner, and as a local realtor, although he says his first obligation is to the county as commissioner. He considers himself on call at any time to take care of county business, he added.

He and his wife, Jo, are the parents of three children, Rusty, who farms near Muleshoe, Beth, who is a law enforcement officer on the campus of West Texas State University, Canyon and Jan Kuehler, who resides with her husband at Plano. Jan

is a special education teacher with the Plano School District.

He is a 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason and he and his wife are members of the Methodist Church.

Whitt concluded, "I earnestly solicit your support and your vote of confidence in the May Primary."

Schools...

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the two Town and Country Food Stores.

Within the past month, another restaurant has been located in Muleshoe, and another local restaurant reopened following remodeling and enlarging of their facility.

All in all, if the economy is declining, it is not readily apparent in Muleshoe, who continues to enjoy a slow, but steady, growth pattern.

Letters To The Editor

To Whom it may concern:

On Dec. 28, 1985 my husband and I were driving through your city on our way to Portales, N.M. to attend the funeral of my mother in law. She had an accident in her home & passed away Christmas day-aside from the fact we were in shock, from her untimely death, our car stalled in your city-With only minutes to spare, my husband

IRS...

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players." The Muleshoe Area Public Library also has IRS Publication 1194, a four-volume set of the IRS' most requested publications and Publication 1132, which contains over 90 reproducible tax forms that can be easily photocopied for a small fee.

In addition, Publication 910, the handy "Taxpayer's Guide to IRS Information, Assistance and Publications," is available at the library. This publication contains useful year-round tips on how to obtain tax information.

As an added service, several of the most needed forms and publications are available in braille and distributed through the Regional Libraries for Blind and Physically Handicapped.

While Mrs. Camp said librarians are not tax experts, they will be able to direct the public to these many helpful tax aids.

walked to the closest service station to ask for assistance, they informed him they couldn't help him, he found a pay phone & called the sheriff's dept. explained the situation, was informed they didn't fool with things like that! One more call to the police dept. resulted in the same answer. He walked into a auto parts store & related his story once again. A very kind lady by the name of Eddie Wood handed us the keys to her car and said take my car. With tears in my eyes I thanked her and we drove away. We were 10

Dear Editor:

The Community Banquet sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is scheduled for January 11, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. in the Civic Center.

This year we are striving to create a "community" feeling and celebrate the sesquicentennial in style. Every aspect of the banquet will be handled with the Muleshoe community in mind.

Join with us in making this a very special year indeed. Invite the people you know to attend.

As a business please purchase tickets to give to your employees or valued customers. Tickets, in advance, are \$10 each and are on sale now at the Chamber office.

As a valued member of the Chamber, help us begin the new year in Muleshoe Texas with a great celebration.

Sincerely,
Toni Eagle
Chamber Manager

minutes late, but did get there-After the funeral we came back, and to our surprise, we found that Mr. A.V. Wood had repaired our car, and did not charge us for his labor. We will never forget our visit to Muleshoe, Tex. The spirit of Christmas is still alive; in some people!

Yours Truly,
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By Homer Box

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The family finally settled in Hogwallow (later renamed Bugwallow) and Grandmother Swine (a Box until she caught a Swine) still writes about the family.

Her last letter mentioned cousin Absalom. He was an unwanted child. He's now eighteen, and already wanted in nine states.

Grandpa Box wanted him to be a politician, but he wouldn't listen. Grandpa Box said he could have campaigned with the slogan: You can fool some of the people all the time, all the people some of the time, and after that someone else will fool them.

As I say, he wouldn't listen. Actually, his hearing was bad. He hadn't heard anything much for two years. Then he took some of Dr. Blossom's spirits and the very next morning he heard from the Internal Revenue Service!

Traffic is getting bad on Main Street. Grandpa Box says there was a collision the other day when two motorists went after the same pedestrian. She was driving our old Willis, and didn't have the pick-up to keep up with the other two cars.

Three-Way News by Mrs. H. W. Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Toombs and Bulah Toombs spent Christmas Day in Muleshoe with the Gary Toombs family.

Mrs. Minnie Dupler spent Wednesday in Sundown with her grandson, the Chuck Duplers.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Flowers and children from Missouri spent the past week with the Adolph Wittners.

Christmas dinner at the Jack Lane home was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hatcher from Clovis, and the Delam family from Goodland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendie Williams and family from Lubbock and the Carter Williams family from Muleshoe spent the past week end with their parents, the Conrad Williams.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dupler from Cash, Oklahoma and Mrs. Minnie Dupler were dinner guests in the Bill Dupler home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lane spent Christmas day in the Emil Macha home in Littlefield.

Mrs. Bill Dupler spent part of the week in Lubbock with her mother Marie Sowder who is a patient in Community Hospital.

Mrs. Jim Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Weslie Pool spent Saturday in Lubbock visiting W.T. Simpson who is a patient in Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. H.W. Garvin and Mrs. Bulah Toombs were dinner guests in the S.G. Long home Wednesday.

D.V. Terrell was a dinner guest in the Rayford Masten home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nelson from Seminole spent the weekend in the Robert Kindle home.

Three Way Baptist church is

having a Bible study this week with supper at the church after services Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sowder returned home Saturday after spending the holidays in Little Rock, Arkansas with her mother.

Rev. and Mrs. John Cockrell and family and Mr. Allen Burkhalter from Amarillo were dinner guests in the Adolph Wittner home Sunday.

Visiting the Bill Dupler home Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dupler from Cash, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dupler from Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Gib Dupler from San Antonio, Clifford Dupler from Lufkin and Mrs. Minnie Dupler from Maple.

Mrs. H.W. Garvin was a dinner guest in the home of her brother Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson Sunday.

The Three Way basketball teams played in the Sundown tournament the past weekend losing all games.

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ABOUT YOUR HOME
By April Rhodes

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Mock Election Claims Imagination Of Classes

The senior civics students of Muleshoe High School under the direction of their teacher, Jean Allison, conducted a mock election and political rally during the week before Christmas. Each of the five civic classes presented a separate political race, and the students acted as themselves, as no actual candidates were running in this off-year. Period one conducted the race for the Governor of Texas, period two the Presidential and Vice Presidential race, period four the United States Senatorial race, period six the Texas Senate, 31st Senatorial District race, and period seven the United States Representative, 19th Congressional District race.

Period one candidates chosen by classmates to run for the Governor of Texas were Loy Triana, democrat, Caice Hendrix, republican, and Joe Ambriz, independent. The candidates then chose campaign chairmen, Adena Lindt, democrat, Ben Allison, republican, and Susan Lunsford, independent. The campaign chairmen conducted the campaign for the candidates, as well as making the introduction speeches at the mock political rally. This included getting workers to make posters, handing out political material, etc. The students spent the week preparing for the mock political rally which was held in each class all day Wednesday, December 18, by contacting as many prospective voters as possible. Channel 6 videotaped the proceedings of each class presentation, and these were played on Channel 6 Wednesday night beginning at 6:30 p.m. Many generous merchants of Muleshoe sponsored this presentation which allowed everyone who was interested to observe the candidates before voting on Thursday, December 19.

Karen Wooten acted as mistress of ceremonies of the period one political rally. Jay Stovall gave the invocation, and Joe Bob Newman led the salute to the flag, as well as acting as bodyguard and election judge. The mistress of ceremonies gave the welcome and introduced the candidates and campaign chairmen. Keynote speakers were Laurey Grant for the democrats, Julie Sanders for the republicans, and Casey Wilson for the independents. Making campaign speeches for the candidates were Carolyn Hodges for the republicans, Gig Pierce for the independents, and Lee Copley for the democrats. At a press conference with Diana Martinez acting as press moderator, the candidates were asked questions about current situations which the Governor of Texas might encounter. Other members of the press included Jeff Vinson, David Vela, Jay Stovall, Nina Sandoval, Ralph Salazar, and Maria Sanchez. Campaign chairmen, Adena Lindt, Ben Allison and Susan Lunsford then introduced the candidates for Governor Loy Triana, Caice Hendrix, and Joe Ambriz who presented their political platforms.

An explanation about the voting procedure and the importance of voting was given by Sylvia Flores, followed by closing remarks by the mistress of ceremonies, Karen Wooten. She also introduced campaign workers, Rosie Lopez for the democrats, Nina Sandoval for the republicans, and Sylvia Flores for the independents.

Through the day at Muleshoe High School, each civic class presented a different mock political rally but under a similar format. Period two conducted the Presidential and Vice Presidential race with the following class members being elected by classmates:

Independent Party:
Michael Precure,
Presidential candidate
Leslie Langfett,
Vice Presidential candidate
Jamie Torres,
Campaign chairman
Democratic Party:
Mike Holt,

For President
Ronnie Logsdon,
Vice President
Meischelle Logsdon,
Campaign chairman
Republican Party:
Jarrod Embry,
For President
Wade King,
For Vice President
Jim Ward,
Campaign chairman

Brett King welcomed all to the presentation and acted as master of ceremonies. The invocation was given by Mike Harris and the salute to the flag was led by Zaena Robertson. Keynote speakers were Scott Calvert for the Independent Party, Becky Acosta for the Democrat Party, and Mike Harris for the Republican Party. Campaign speeches were given by republican representative, Donney Burris, independent Connie Lott, and democratic representative Zaena Robertson.

The press conference under the direction of press moderator, Kristy Landers, was lively as the following press members placed the presidential and vice presidential candidates "on the spot": Brian Houston (ABC), Jimmy Sides (CBS), Tracy Stovall (NBC), Sammy Wilson (WTBS), Michael Lopez (N.Y. Times), Sean Shipman (Time), and Phillip Espinoza (Newsweek). The importance of voting and closing remarks were given by the master of ceremonies, Brett King.

Period four conducted the race for the United States Senate with the following candidates selected by classmates:

Sergio Leal - Democrat
Russell Young - Campaign chairman
Sherri Stoval - Republican
Stacy Smith - Campaign chairperson
Ricky Rasco - Independent
Jose Sanchez - Campaign chairman

Keynote speakers were Wes Foster for the democrats, Jayna Harris for republicans, and Kenneth Maxwell for the independents. Campaign speakers included Penny Ford, democratic representative, Lupe Rejino, republican, and Wes Hanks for the independents. The press moderator was Noemi Acosta and press members included Wes Foster (KAY), Heather Merritt (CNN), David Shields (NBC), Beatriz Garcia (BAD), Manuela Valdez (CBS), and Rueben Lopez (ABC).

An explanation about voting and the importance of voting was given by Twila Downing and the mistress of ceremonies, Jessie Holmes, introduced campaign workers, as well as earlier giving the welcome and introduction of candidates and campaign chairmen. Noemi Acosta gave the invocation and Becky Castorena led the salute to the flag. Campaign workers were Penny Ford, Amanda Rejino, Becky Castorena, and Twila Downing for the democrats; David Shields, Tommy Recio, and Rosemary Silva for the republicans; David Hernandez, Wes Hanks and Kenneth Maxwell for the independents. Bodyguards were Joe Acevedo and Marvin Ward.

Sixth period civic class conducted the race for the Texas Senate, 31st senatorial district. Candidates and campaign chairmen selected were:

Andy Copley - Democrat
Andrea DeLeon - Campaign chairperson
Fabian Martinez - Republican
Yolanda Garcia - Campaign chairperson

The invocation was given by Juanita Garcia, and the salute to the flag was led by David Navejar. Kathy Mudford, mistress of ceremonies gave the welcome and introduced the candidates and campaign chairpersons. Keynote speakers were Sylvia Posadas for the republicans and Steven Ethridge for the democrats. Campaign speeches were given by Ramon Solis and Paul Martinez for the democrats; Prescilla Sandoval and LaDawn Fowler for the republicans. The press moderator Juanita Garcia conducted the



JUSTINE HANES

press conference with the following press members questioning the candidates: David Navejar (ABC), Rudy Pena (CBS), and Leonor Daniel (CNN). Introduction of the candidates was given by campaign chairpersons Yolanda Garcia and Andrea DeLeon followed by the candidates Andy Copley and Fabian Martinez giving their platforms.

An explanation of the voting and importance of voting was presented by Rudy Pena and closing remarks by the mistress of ceremonies, Kathy Mudford. Kathy gave special thanks to Channel 6 and the merchants who sponsored the videotape of the mock political rallies.

Period seven civics students conducted the United States Representative, 19th Congressional District race with the following candidates and campaign chairmen:

Deborah Nieman - Republican
Courtney Brown - Campaign chairperson
Zanna Huchaby - Democrat
Steve Griswold - Campaign chairman

Mary Helen Orozco gave the invocation and Michele Perez led the salute to the flag. The mistress of ceremonies, Leah Irvin, welcomed guests to the presentation and introduced the candidates and campaign chairmen. Keynote speakers were Carolyn Durben for the democrats and Mary Faulkner for the republicans. Campaign speakers were Penny Bastardo speaking for Missy Gabbert due to illness for the republicans, and Isidoro Trevino for the democrats.

The press moderator, Rodrigo Muyschondt, introduced the following press members: Michele Perez (ABC), Brandon Cox (CBS), Penny Bastardo (CNN), Mary Helen Orozco (Amarillo Daily News), and Adrian Perez (Lubbock Avalanche Journal). Candidates were introduced by campaign chairpersons Steve Griswold and Michele Perez speaking for Courtney Brown. Candidates Zanna Huchaby and Deborah Nieman then presented their platforms. The value of voting and an explanation of voting was noted by Adrian Perez followed by closing remarks by mistress of ceremonies, Leah Irvin.

On Thursday morning, December 19, following the week of intense campaigning, all of the students and teachers of Muleshoe High School voted for the candidates of their choice and the following were elected:
Governor of Texas ----- Loy Triana, Democrat
President and Vice President of U.S. ----- Mike Holt and Ronnie Logsdon, Democrat
United States Senator ----- Sergio Leal, Democrat
Texas Senator, 31st Senatorial District ----- Andy Copley, Democrat
United States Representative, 19th Congressional District ----- Deborah Nieman, Republican

Happy

Birthday

January 2 - Loy Triana
January 5 - Roxanne Richards
January 6 - Leah Bell, Tonya Copley
January 8 - Jeremy Coombs

December Honor Students Chosen

The faculty of MHS has once again chosen the Honor Students of the Month for the month of December. These students are chosen based on their academic achievements, attitude, and participation in activities.

Honor Student for the senior class is Wade King. Wade is the son of Joe and Melba King. He has lived in Muleshoe all of his life. Included in the courses in which Wade is presently



WADE KING



DANA BROWN



JODIE FARRIS

enrolled are Honors English IV and Computer Programming I. He is active in FFA, FTA, tennis, football, and enjoys showing his livestock. Garfield shows to be Wade's favorite cartoon character because, "He's a bad cat." On the other hand, Mike Holt shows to be his least favorite character at this time because he recently lost the Mock Election to him. Following graduation, Wade is looking forward to attending the University of Texas to study computer programming.

Jana Brown was chosen as the honor student for the junior class. She is the daughter of James and Dianne Brown. Jana participates in basketball, FTA, and SCAC. Her hobbies are snow and water skiing, tennis, and cutting hair. Jana's ideas on how to improve MHS are to "have more pride, and most of all, to have more school spirit and enthusiasm." She related her most embarrassing moment of when she was trying to act real cool in front of some guys at Texas Tech, and she fell down a flight of stairs. Jana's plans for the future are to go to Texas Tech and receive her master's degree in elementary education (and hope she is not

recognized by those same guys.)

Honor student for the freshman class is Justine Hanes. She is the daughter of Frank and Dorothy Hanes. Justine is presently enrolled in Honors American history and Spanish I at MHS, along with standard academic subjects. She actively participates in basketball, theatre, Student Council, and FCA. If she could change one thing about school, Justine would, "change the lunch period to a longer period, so we could have a longer lunch." (Many students at MHS would probably go along with that idea!) As for her future plans, Justine wants to go to stewardess school and become an airline stewardess.

Jodie Ferris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ferris, was chosen honor student for the sophomore class. Jodie is in Honors World History, honors biology, honors algebra II and Spanish II. She enjoys riding and training horses as a hobby. Jodie shares her idea of a change in school by stating the desire to have a choir. Her ideal cartoon character is a "choir-singing" Scooby Doo. After graduating, Jodie plans to attend college.

Veterinarian Talks About Community

The Student-Community Action Club met Monday, December 16, 8:00 p.m., in the home of Kristy Landers. The president, Loy Triana, introduced Dr. Jerry Gleason who talked to the club members about elements which contribute to make a good community. He emphasized that it is the people who "keep plugging" that are valuable to a community. He stated that the ones who never give up eventually they get the job done. He commended SCAC members by noting that had it not been for this group some of Muleshoe's valuable heritage would have been lost forever. He related how a good sports program also helps a community, and he told about some of his work with the Muleshoe Booster Club.

At the conclusion of his speech, Dr. Gleason was informed by the president that he had been chosen as Citizen-of-the-Month for December by the Student-Community Action Club members. The treasurer, Stacy Smith presented Dr. Gleason a red boutonniere and Loy Triana, president, gave him a congratulatory card signed by the club members. During the presentation, the president noted how much Dr. Gleason's work with the Booster Club had meant to the athletic program at Muleshoe High School. He stated that it is the enthusiasm of members like Dr. Gleason which helped keep the morale of the boys up, especially during trying times.

During the short business meeting, the fund-raising committee gave a report on plans for a talent show planned for March 8. Members then showed the toy they had brought to be given to "toys for tots," and each member told of a favorite toy which they had received.

The meeting was adjourned and delicious Christmas refreshments were served to members present: Loy Triana, Debbie Isaac, Laurey Grant, Stacy Smith, Brett King, Lance King, Leah Bell, Sergio Leal, Karen Wooten, Kristy Landers, Sherri Stovall, guest, Dr. Jerry Gleason and sponsors, John Gulley and Jean Allison.

Calendar Of Events

January 10 - Floydada Varsity Boys and Girls, JV Boys
January 11 - Friona Speech Tournament
January 14 - Idalou There
January 15 - Semester Tests
January 16 - Semester Tests, End of First Semester
January 17 - Teacher Inservice, Bailey County Stock Show
January 18 - Student Council District Convention, Floydada Speech Tournament
January 21 - Friona Here
January 22 - Report Cards Go Home!!!!

WHO KNOWS

1. When was the first national election held?
2. Name the first man to set foot on the moon.
3. Define "modus vivendi."
4. The phrase "So help me God!" was added to the presidential oath by which U.S. president?

Answers to Who Knows
1. January 7, 1789.
2. Neil A. Armstrong.
3. Latin phrase meaning "way of living."
4. George Washington, in 1789, when he took the oath of office for the first time.



SCAC Citizen Of The Month For December, Dr. Jerry Gleason