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New Legislation To Permit Haying, Grazing

Stiff Opposition Is Expected To Some Portions Of Bill

Clarifications have been made this week by the USDA in the 1986-crop programs, according to announcements made at mid-week.

USDA officials said they had not made it clear that the program yield applied to diversion as well as to deficiency payments. The same program yield will be used in calculating both the diversion and deficiency payments for 1986.

With some revisions to the farm act, now authorized is the compensation in the form of commodity certificates to producers whose 1986 farm program yield for a crop is reduced more than three percent below the payment yield.

Further clarification was also made in that haying and grazing will be permitted throughout the

year on any eligible acreage under the so-called 50-92 or under-plantings provision for all program crops.

With this provision, producers who plant at least 50 percent of their base acreage to a program crop to receive 92 percent of their deficiency payment for that commodity.

Another frequent question answered is that haying and grazing also will be allowed at state request on wheat and feed grain acreages under the conservation reserve, but it must include the five principal growing months.

Upland cotton acreage in the conservation reserve may be allowed for haying and grazing, on individual request by a state, but it must include a five month period in which haying and grazing is not allowed.

A supplemental appropriations bill proposes to limit annual rental payments to \$25,000 per farmer, allow only land planted to major crops in 1984 and 1985 to be entered into the reserve, and restrict per-acre payments to one-third of the value of the preceding year's production.

However, this proposed bill is Cont. Page 6, Col. 4

Spanish Assembly Of God Church

Hosting Revival

The Spanish Assembly of God Church is hosting a revival that started Wednesday, March 26. It will continue through Friday, March 28, and on Sunday, March 30.

Services are conducted each weeknight at 7:30 p.m. Sunday services will be at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the church located at 415 E. Ave. F. in Muleshoe.

Conducting the services is Fermin Del Toro from Venezuela. Special gospel singing groups are also performing each night.

Congregation members have extended a cordial invitation to all interested persons to attend any or all services during the special revival. "Come join us and receive a blessing from God," said the minister, Luis Campos.



EASTER BUNNY ARRIVES IN STYLE--What could be more 'proper and fitting' for Muleshoe and to commemorate the Texas Sesquicentennial Year, than for the Easter Bunny to arrive at the annual Jennyslipper Easter Egg Hunt in style--in a mule-drawn wagon. Wagonmaster who escorted the Easter Bunny and took loads of youngsters for rides is R.B. 'Mountain Man' Cunningham. The young people at the hunt appeared to be delighted with their wagon rides.

Youngsters Hunt For Easter Eggs

It was maybe the largest ever!! And, appeared to be a huge, bright vacuum cleaner sweeping across the New City Park on Saturday afternoon.

What was the occasion? It was the annual Easter Egg Hunt sponsored by the Jennyslippers. Several hundred children, along with their parents and others, turned out to enjoy the sight.

Children, ranging in age from barely toddlers through fifth graders, made quick work of finding the 5,000 Easter Eggs deposited in the park earlier by the Jennyslippers, who were assisting the Easter Bunny. They also collected on more than 100 prizes which had been donated by Muleshoe merchants and businesses.

Muleshoe's own Easter Bunny made an appearance -- and how more proper and fitting than showing up in a bright wagon drawn by matching white mules. R.B. 'Mountain Man' Cunningham chauffeured the Easter Bunny into the park, then took wagonloads of delighted youngsters for rides.

Some fifteen Jennyslippers were on hand to work with Donna Kirk, who was coordinator of the hunt. They were all wearing their bright red vests

and sporting the new 'Jenny-slipper' emblem on back of the vest.

The Jennyslippers expressed appreciation for the many prizes which were presented to the following youngsters:

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And, Desiree Garcia, Gabriel Almanza, Melissa Mata, Manuel Campoya, Melissa

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Holy Week Concluding On Friday

Services today, Thursday, and Friday will conclude the Holy Week services hosted by the Bailey County Ministerial Alliance.

Special church services have been conducted all week at the First United Methodist Church 12:05-12:55 p.m., including the special noon meal being served in the fellowship hall of the church.

Speaker for today, Thursday, is Brock Sanders of Richland Hills Baptist Church. Rev. Sanders will speak on "Easter," taking his message from various parts of the Bible. The noon meal is being served by the First Assembly of God Church.

Concluding the week's services is Rev. Ron Dysart from the First Assembly of God Church. His message will be from Matthew 27:17 and will be "Barrabas or Jesus?" The 16th and D Church of Christ will prepare and serve the noon meal.

Barry Moynihan from the First Baptist Church is leading the congregational singing all week. Child care is being provided, but parents are asked to please feed the children before bringing them to the nursery, or pick them up immediately following benediction and provide their meal.

Around Muleshoe

There was no 'formal' program for members of the Muleshoe Rotary Club Tuesday at noon, and several members presented classification talks.

Visitors included Bill Boling, Annette Bonds, and Danny Skaggs.

A report was given on the May 7th Swiss Exchange Study Group and an April 26th district assembly will be held in Plainview.

Calvary Baptist Church Youth Department will host youth skating at the Bailey County Coliseum tomorrow, Friday night, 7-9 p.m. Cost per skater is \$1 and refreshments will be available.

Proceeds will be used to help send church youth to summer camp.

Marine Lance Cpl. Esteban D. Mata, son of Luis and Aurora Mata, Muleshoe, has been selected as the Marine of the Quarter for First Marine Brigade, Kaneohe Bay, HI.

Mata was chosen from among all the Marines assigned to the command, and was cited for his outstanding performance of duty, proficiency, leadership, initiative and military bearing.

A 1984 graduate of Muleshoe High School, he joined the Marine Corps in May 1984.

The Primitive Baptist Church of Springlake will host a weekend church meeting Saturday and Sunday of this week. Services are scheduled for Saturday morning and again in the afternoon, and Sunday morning.

Guest ministers will be Elder Ramon Bunch from Lipan, and Elder Harold Horn from Waco.

Navy Airman Apprentice Marilyn Y. Lewis, whose former guardian is Terome Clemmons, of Muleshoe, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, Orlando, Fla.

During Lewis' eight-week training cycle, she studied general military subjects designed to prepare her for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

Her studies included seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in Physical Education and Hygiene.

A 1984 graduate of Muleshoe Cont. Page 6, Col. 3



IT CRASHED AND BURNED--Law enforcement officers, ambulance personnel and firefighters from Lazbuddie and Muleshoe were summoned early Tuesday morning to a location about one mile north of Clay's Corner where this large truck overturned and burned. It blocked both lanes for several hours while firefighters extinguished the burning tractor cab. The driver was transported to West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe where he is hospitalized 'under observation and doing fine,' said Trina Wilson, director of nurses.



PLANTING TREES AT HERITAGE FOUNDATION--Recently 190 seedling trees were presented to the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation to be planted for windbreaks at the Center located east of the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum. Last Saturday morning, under guidance of Scout Leaders and employees of Muleshoe Valley Soil and Water Conservation District, such as Jim Lutz, left center, assisted the Muleshoe Boy Scouts as they planted the trees. In the bucket in the foreground is a Russian olive tree waiting to go into the ground.

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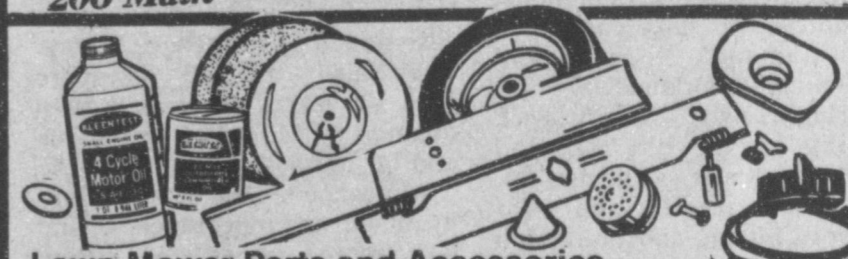
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Sudan News by Evelyn Ritchie

The Sudan Lions Club will be having a broom sale Saturday, March 22 at the Community Center.

There will be a work shop held Friday, April 4 at 3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens building in Sudan for compiling and preserving the history of Lamb Co. and especially Sudan.

A representative from Taylor Publishing Co. will be on hand to help in any way.

Everyone interested in contributing your knowledge on any kind of history pertaining to Sudan or to Lamb County is asked to be present that day. If you are interested in having anything about your family's background of having moved and lived in or near Sudan or Lamb County, please be there to help in this meeting.

The Searchers Sunday school class of the FBC held their social Thursday night with a salad supper in the home of Marge Cardwell with Patsy Kent as co-hostess. Winona Dudgeon brought the devotional.

Attending were Georgeann Rasco, Norma Phillips, Lynette Burns, Willie Mae Gregg, Charla Ann Williams and guests, Marge Nelson of Littlefield and Winona Dudgeon.

Mary and Rita Willford of Abernathy visited last weekend with her father, J.C. Wells and other family members including her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Summer have returned home from vacationing a few days in Red River, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Knox have returned from vacationing in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Nichols

have returned from vacationing at Zapata for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell were in Greenville during the weekend to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Cardwell. It was reported that Mr. Cardwell is not doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Don Dudgeon of Dimmitt visited during the weekend with his mother, Winona Dudgeon and brought the special music Sunday in the morning worship services at the FBC and Roy Don led the singing for the services.

Roy Graves was taken this week to the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo where he will be a few days.

George Collins was released from the Methodist Hospital

Sudan Hornet Bzzz

Buzz

The golf tournament was held in Farwell on Tuesday 18.

Buzz

The Church of Christ held a supper for the Seniors Thursday 20.

Buzz

Jr. High track meet was held here Friday 21.

Buzz

High School boys and girls track meet was held in Canyon Saturday 22.

Buzz

The FFA judging contest was held in Clarendon Saturday 22.

Buzz

One Act Play zone practice is here Monday 24.

Buzz

The One Act Play zone contest is here Tuesday 25.

Buzz

School is out for spring break Wednesday 26 at 2:00 o'clock and will begin at regular time Tuesday 1.

Buzz

A track meet will be held in Sundown Thursday 27.

recently and is now recuperating in a rest home in Levelland near some of his children.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harlin have returned home from McAllen where they flew last week to be with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones.

Mrs. Inocente Martinez was released from the hospital in Lubbock and is now recuperating at home.

SANDHILLS PHILOSOPHER

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sandy Acres has a question for big city reporters. Dear editor:

When something sensational happens in a small town, like a triple murder or the location of a toxic waste dump or the birth of a six-legged calf, big city reporters refer to the place as "a sleepy little town."

I have given some thought to the sleepiness of small towns and can't figure out what the big city reporters are talking about.

On the average, small town people get up earlier than big city people and fall asleep no faster than they when both are listening to campaign speeches on television.

Many big city people haven't found out yet, but there aren't any country hicks left. Everybody has a television set and small town people now have equal access to national and international confusion. You can get just as much dependable information from your barber in a small town as you can from one in a big city, at a lower cost.

Some of us listen to Dan Rather, some to Peter Jennings, some to Tom Brokaw, but regardless of which network we're tuned to we can't tell any more than a Congressman or a big city editor about what's going on in Nicaragua.

When it comes to really finding out what's going on in the world, people with television sets sometimes don't know any more than people whose picture tube has blown. This is not to say if they knew what's going on they'd be any better off. What went on today probably is not what'll go on tomorrow, although in many cases it's the same thing that's been going on for years. Television has a hard time handling this.

Have you ever considered what a tough time television would have had if it'd been around during the Hundred Years War? Trying to give a battle field report 365 days a year for a full century?

Big city reporters who refer to "sleepy little towns" probably have been getting up too late. Yours faithfully, J.A.

Easter, 1986

Easter, March 30, the principal ecclesiastical event of the year, gets its name from Eostre, a Teutonic goddess, whose festival was celebrated in spring. Her name was given to the Christian festival. It was she, according to legend, who opened the portals of Valhalla to receive the White God and Sun God, representing purity and light.

The Christian observance, this year on the 30th, is a symbol of the Resurrection, and intertwined with religious customs and observances, some dating back hundreds of years before the time of Jesus Christ.

The Easter egg became associated with Easter because eggs were forbidden to be eaten during Lent and on Easter Sunday they were traditionally served. The Easter egg, also

dates back to the Egyptians and Persians, and Greeks and Romans, who ate eggs annually in spring festivals.

It's appropriate that Easter comes in the spring, when the renewal of life is apparent. Sunrise services in our churches--an observance of recent origin in most churches--symbolize the Resurrection at sunrise. This practice is observed in practically

all churches today as a symbol of hope, inspiration and faith.

Smart

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Good Friday

For Christians, Good Friday (March 28) is an especially nostalgic day. It's the day Jesus was crucified. And whether one belongs to any church, it's therefore one of the major days of history.

Even for those who doubt miracles, the life of Jesus is greatly admired, and his teachings generally respected and admired. For those millions of faithful, Good Friday, or Holy Friday (which seems a better name for it), is a painful day of faithful observance.

It's followed by glorious Easter, of course, when Jesus, according to St. Matthew's gospel, rose from the grave.

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60 Years Ago

1926
TEXAS UTILITIES TO TURN LIGHTS ABOUT APRIL 20
 In conversation with the head lineman of the Texas Utilities Co., he stated "Tell the people of your paper that we expect to turn the electricity on in Muleshoe about April 20th." This is fine news, for the people have been wishing for this for some time.

50 Years Ago

1936
TEXACO SALOON ROBBED
 The White Elephant saloon, Texaco was robbed last Tuesday morning about six o'clock after the night watchman had made his last round and gone home. The safe, a small one, and contents, were taken about three miles out of town, toward Clovis and broken open, about \$300 being obtained. Several bottles of the best whiskey were also taken. Officers have no clue as to the identity of the robbers.

40 Years Ago

1946
 Irvin St. Clair was in El Paso

Melody Simpson

In This Week's

Senior Spotlight

Melody Simpson, 18 year old daughter of Larry and Estell Simpson, is featured this week in the Sudan Senior Spotlight. She was born in Muleshoe on November 18, 1967, and is now five feet eight inches tall with brown eyes and black hair. Melody comes from a large family with six sisters and three brothers.

She states that algebra is her favorite subject, while Mr. Gaston, Mrs. Laceywell and Coach Henley are her favorite teachers. Melody likes being a member of FTA, also. When asked to describe SHS she said, "It is a neat school". She intends to continue her education at South Plains College.

Melody likes to spend her free time reading or dancing, but if there is a football game going on, you will find her watching. November happens to be her favorite month, but summer is her favorite season.

The most important people in Melody's life are her dad, aunt, and boyfriend. Seafood tops her list of foods, and purple has the lead on colors. When Melody has time to listen to the radio, she likes to hear "Exotic City".

If there is time for TV, she watches "The Cosby Show". Melody states that she could never get tired of watching her favorite movie, An Officer and a Gentleman.

When she has a choice of movies to watch, she prefers one Arnold Schwarzenegger or Stockard Channing in it.

Melody says her goal in life is to be the best at everything she does. She attends Mt. Olive Baptist Church in Sudan.

on business last week and attended the fat stock show.

Installation of new furniture in the Muleshoe State Bank is now complete, giving the local banking rooms a very attractive and very modern appearance.

30 Years Ago

1956
MONKEY TAKES A WALK ON HI-LINE

Two men sitting around Maple last week began to wonder if they had had "one to many" when one them looked up and saw a monkey walking along the REA electric line. A pet monkey, belonging to Freddie Carter had gotten out of the cage, climbed a pole and walked the electric line to Maple.

The Carter's live a mile south of Maple.

20 Years Ago

1966
SCHOOL BOARD SETS SEGREGATION'S END FOR AUTUM

Muleshoe school board took steps this past week to mark complete desegregation of Muleshoe schools. An end of separated schools, will come Sept. 1 this year Superintendent Neal Dillman said after the U.S. Commission of Education had given his final blessing to the Muleshoe plan.

Negro pupils and teachers will integrate and the board moved this past week to assign the three Negro teachers to previously all-white staffs.

The report said, "Hilltop school will be closed at the end of the current school year and the three Negro faculty members will be absorbed into the desegregated schools."

10 Years Ago

1976
 A local department store advertised the following specials in the Journal this week: famous brand knit pants, values to \$14, \$5.76; 100 percent cotton denim jeans \$6.76; childrens sleep wear \$1.97; mens permanent press sports shirts, long and short sleeve, 3/\$6; and crushed velvet bedspreads, full or twin, \$15.76.

GOLDEN GLEAMS

Painting is silent poetry and poetry is painting with the gift of speech.

-Simonides.

With hue like that when some great painter dips

His pencil in the gloom of earthquake and eclipse.

-Shelley.

Hard features every bungler can command;

To draw true beauty shows a master's hand.

-Dryden.



MRS. DELIA CURTIS AND MINDY SHAE

Dieters' Dilemma: Eat Less Still Gain

It's only March, but thousands of dieters have already gained back the pounds they lost after making a New Year's resolution to shed excess weight.

According to Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX) nutrition and health education specialists, going on a low-calorie diet to drop a few pounds in a hurry may only compound the dieter's weight problem.

TAEX nutritionist Dr. Alice Hunt explains that between 20-50 percent of weight lost on very low-calorie diets can be water and lean muscle tissue, rather than fat.

"Muscle tissue burns 2 1/2 times the calories as fat tissue," Hunt says. "So as the percent of body fat increases, the metabolism slows down and burns fewer calories."

That's why a dieter can actually gain weight while eating less, she adds.

According to TAEX health education specialist Dr. Mary Ann Heussner, the combination of a balanced diet with moderately reduced calories and exercise to lose weight gradually is the most effective way to achieve a permanent weight loss.

Exercise burns calories, preserves the lean muscle tissue that already exists in the body, and builds more muscle tissue to further increase calorie burning, Heussner says.

"Many people avoid exercise because they think it requires special equipment, extra time or is too strenuous for them," the health specialist remarks. That may be true of some sports activities including running, tennis or aerobic dance.

However, she points out that brisk walking and even doing sit-down exercises at the office desk can help dieters if the exercise is done regularly.

Both specialists advise dieters to learn how to use the basic food groups to eat a well-

balanced diet and to develop an exercise program that fits their lifestyle.

The Extension Service has a 1986 "Fit For All Seasons" calendar available which can help dieters plan a sensible weight-loss diet and exercise program for the remainder of the year.

It can be ordered for \$2.00 by check or money order from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Reed McDonald, Rm. 101, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 778-2113.

County Extension offices will also have free publications on nutrition, meal planning and family fitness.

A kiss from my mother made me a painter.
 -Benjamin West.

Baby Shower Honors

Mrs. Curtis, Mindy Shae

Mrs. Delia Curtis and daughter, Mindy Shae, were honored with a baby shower Sunday, March 23 from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Kim Black.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Curtis, Donna Shaw and Sheila Black.

The serving table was covered with a white table cloth and accented with an arrangement in a potty chair with a ficus plant with a pacifier, rattle, and wash cloths tied among the plant. The honoree's corsage was pink carnations.

Assorted cake squares was served from silver and crystal appointments.

Special guests included: Donna Shaw, grandmother of Mindy Shae; Mrs. Virgie Shaw, great grandmother of Mindy Shae; and her great aunt, Mrs. Doyle Green.

The hostess gift was a car seat. Hostesses for the occasion included: Sheila Black, Lori Bruton, Lavon Hunt, Kay Lynn Brantley, Nelda Hunt, Tonya Pool, Jo Harmon, Faye Beasley, Sharon Agee, and Phyllis Angeley.

Fashions are not to be explained by the ordinary processes of the brain.

RECIPE

By Sarah Ann Sheridan

Planning an oven baked meal? Did you know that you can also bake your rice?

Baked Rice

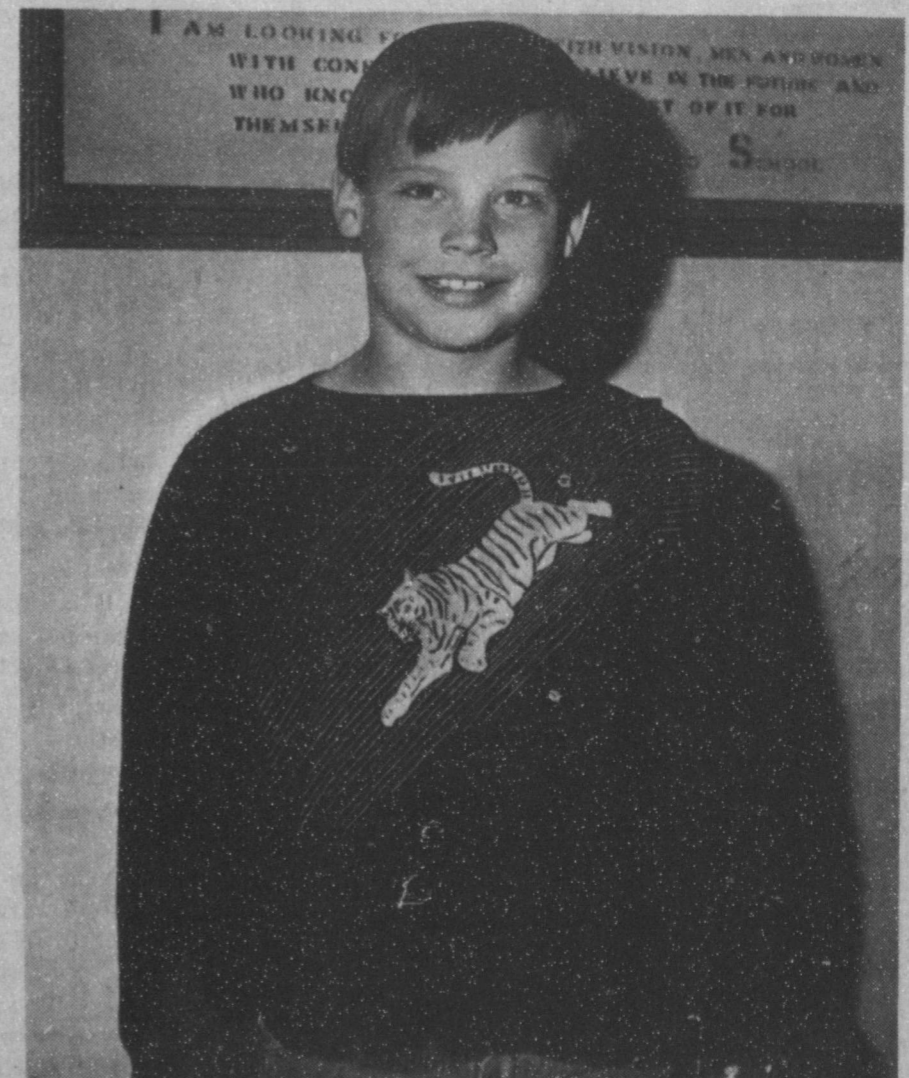
- 1 c rice (uncooked)
- 1/2 stick butter
- 2 minced onions
- 2 cans beef bouillon soup
- cheese and/or parsley

Saute onions in butter. Add uncooked rice. Add beef bouillon soup. Cook uncovered in 325 degree oven for 1 hour. Grated cheese or chopped parsley may be added to top. Delicious served with most any meat.

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EASTER BUNNY VISITS EGG HUNT--Andy Dominguez, 2 year old son of Julian and Connie Dominguez, is more interested in the Easter egg in his hand than the Easter Bunny.

Sizzling Jalapeno Sausages

Star In Cinco De Mayo Brunch

LOS ANGELES, California (March 20, 1986) -- on May 5th, 1862, the Mexican Army defeated invading French forces at the Battle of Puebla. And when Juan came marching home, there waiting for him was a sarape spread with superb Mexican dishes. Today, in commemoration of this event, a Mexican Cinco de Mayo meal, like the conquering Mexican army, is a worthy match for French or any cuisine.

On both sides of the Mexican border, Cinco de Mayo is celebrated by Hispanics and non-Hispanics alike, as if the battle had been fought and won yesterday. Throughout the day the holiday is observed with parades, re-enactments, dances, impassioned speeches and tables full of fiery, unforgettable food.

A Cinco de Mayo brunch featuring a smooth cheese fondue flavored with Ancho Chili Sauce and a platter of spicy sizzling Jalapeno Sausages is guaranteed to get party-goers into the spirit.

According to Jay Mainthia, Las Palmas Foods, whose Mexican sauces have been preferred by Hispanics for over 60 years, "The meal should start with a light New Mexico Fondue served with an assortment of crisp fresh vegetables or a basket of tortilla chips. To complete the easy-to-prepare brunch," says Mainthia, "top scrambled eggs with Las Palmas Chili Salsa and serve aside patties of pork and chicken sausages made with Diced Jalapeno Peppers. Heartier dishes may include a steaming casserole of Las Palmas Refried Beans with melted cheddar cheese and a basket of warmed tortillas or a sweet Mexican pan dulce."

Mainthia suggests finishing off the colorful buffet with a platter of fresh strawberries, pineapple slices, papaya quarters and a round of zesty orange Margaritas to toast the occasion.

NEW MEXICO FONDUE
1 small green pepper, diced
1 small onion, diced
1 tablespoon oil
1 (10-ounce) can LAS PALMAS

ANCHO CHILI SAUCE
1 pound processed American cheese, cut in chunks
Raw vegetable dippers
Tortilla chips
In 2-quart saucepan, saute green pepper and onion in oil about 2 minutes or until onion is soft. Stir in Ancho Chili Sauce and bring to simmer, stirring constantly. Add cheese, in 2 batches, stirring frequently after each addition, until cheese is completely melted. Transfer to chafing dish or fondue pot and serve with vegetables and tortilla chips for dipping. Serves 8.

For those who are not quite ready for the "macho" Jalapeno, the milder Anaheim chili peppers in Las Palmas Diced Green Chilies are a good substitute. Both complement the "perfect marriage" of chicken, pork, cilantro and garlic in the following recipe for Jalapeno Sausage.

JALAPENO SAUSAGE
2 cloves garlic, minced
1/4 cup LAS PALMAS Diced Jalapeno Peppers
2 tablespoons chopped cilantro or parsley
8 ounces ground pork
5 ounces ground pork fat back
10 ounces ground boneless, skinless chicken breast
1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon black pepper
Oil
LAS PALMAS Chili Salsa

In large bowl, combine garlic, Diced Jalapeno Peppers, cilantro, pork, pork fat, chicken, salt and pepper. Mix, using hands if needed, to blend thoroughly. Shape mixture into 12 patties. Fry in hot oil until browned on both sides. Serve with Las Palmas Chili Salsa, if desired. Serves 4-6.

For a free recipe booklet containing more quick and easy Mexican dishes, write: Jay Mainthia, Las Palmas Foods, 7030 E. Slauson Avenue, City of Commerce, CA 90040

Taxes: Something that other people should cheerfully pay to support our government.

Strengths, Adaptability Help Farm Families Survive

Current interest in the economic survival of Texas family farms has overshadowed an equally important issue -- the survival of the farm family.

That's the concern of Dorothy Taylor, a family life specialist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX).

According to the specialist, those families which are likely to survive as intact units have strong family relationships to fall back on, and the ability to face up to and adapt to their extremely difficult situation.

"By this time next year, some farm families will still be in business and others will have gone under financially," she says. "But the strain of either may result in divorce, rifts between relatives, stress-related illnesses and even suicide."

Taylor has worked with TAEX agricultural economists to present educational programs on "Managing for Survival" to farm and ranch families throughout the state.

These programs teach financially strapped farm families about debt restructuring and other business decisions as well as family communications and dealing with their stress to promote wellness.

She says a major adjustment for farm families is adapting to a reduced lifestyle. That may mean not having the cash to buy extra clothes for the teenagers, put the same type of food on the table, eat out, or travel long distances to shop at the city malls.

"Many financially troubled farm families are headed by couples in their thirties and forties," Taylor observes. "They often experience the added stress of realizing they cannot afford to send teenage children to college, nor is it likely that their children will be able to farm the family land in the future."

"These household heads may also be working land turned over to them by their now-retired parents, and facing the guilt of possibly losing a farm that has been in the family for generations."

The family relations specialist

says these families are also experiencing the stress of role changes.

"Although almost half of farm women now work off the farm, even more will take jobs to help support the family," Taylor explains.

If the farm wife, or her husband, does not want her to work away from the farm, it can create a strain. The farmer or rancher may also have to adjust to not having his wife as an important helper in the farm operation.

Some younger farmers and ranchers who planned to be in agriculture all their lives may find themselves having to adjust by retraining for different kinds of jobs they find less appealing and satisfying.

But Taylor says that close-knit farm families have many strengths that enable them to adapt and survive their financial crises as a functioning family unit.



It's almost impossible to thumb through a magazine or watch a television show without seeing an advertisement that features food. We may not like to think that food ads influence us, but they do. They can make us so psychologically hungry even when we're not physically hungry.

Notice that the relationship between the people in these ads and the food is made up. There will often be no logical reason to include the food. For example, does having fun with friends mean you must have a certain snack there?

The food ads that we find most tempting also tend to contain the least nutritional foods, like snacks and sweets. To combat the "hungries" brought on by advertisements, try some of these strategies:

- Try guessing at the sugar and fat content of the food in the ad, the calories per serving and its nutritional value.

- Make a mental note of the emotions being used to sell you the food. Are the advertisers suggesting that your family will love you if you serve a certain food, or that you will find fun and friendship at a fast food restaurant? Is the advertiser selling the food or the feeling?

- Look closely at the people in the ad. They are probably slim and good looking. Did they get that way eating the food being advertised?

- Ask yourself if you would really feel better or just momentarily gratified after eating this food. Advertising is a legitimate way to present and sell food products in a free market. But by reacting to advertising logically, you can gain an extra measure of control over your diet.



SHOWER HONOREE--Margie Torres, an employee of Muleshoe Publishing Co., was honored with a luncheon and shower at noon Monday. She is planning to be married April 19. Her fiance is Johnny Samaniego.

ABOUT YOUR HOME

By April Rhodes

Do you have a smoke or heat detector in your home? These detectors can save the lives of entire families. Smoke or heat activates the detector and the ear-piercing alarm gives added minutes to escape. Smoke and poisonous gases overcome and kill members of sleeping families.

American holly, evergreens, foundation shrubs and boxwoods can be pruned at this time.

Continue to wear a moisturizer under make-up and lip gloss to guard against chapped lips as winter cold and wind is still with us.

Liberal amounts of fresh fruit or fruit juices should be included in the diet of those living with tension or a good all-round vitamin tablet should be included in your daily diet.

Get an early start on spring planting by covering plants with a large plastic bag. Use a guard to keep bag away from plants and anchor securely.

Does your child's lunch get squashed in the paper bag? Place the bottom section of a gallon milk carton in the bottom of a paper sack.

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MARCH 27-APRIL 2

THURSDAY, MARCH 27
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HOBBY CLUB 2 p.m.
TOPS CLUB 6:30 p.m.
ODDFELLOWS 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 28
KIWANIS CLUB 6:30 p.m.
AARP 11:30 a.m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 1
ALPHA ZETA PI 7:30 p.m.
XI OMICRON XI 7:30 p.m.
EASTER STAR 8 p.m.
REBEKAH LODGE 7:30 p.m.
ROTARY CLUB 12 (noon) WMU 2 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2
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Cancer Society Will Conduct Food Nutrition Drive Here

Although there's no magic potion you can take to prevent cancer, the American Cancer Society has learned that certain foods may reduce your cancer risk.

The nutritional guidelines developed by the Society include adding more foods high in fiber and vitamins A and C to your diet, as well as cutting down on fats, alcohol, and salt-cured foods. The evidence upon which they formulated these guidelines was based on laboratory experiments and observation of human populations. For example, the high incidence of certain cancers in the United States -- breast, colorectal and uterine -- appear to be linked to some degree to high-fat diets. These cancers are rare in countries that rely primarily on high-fiber diets.

Residents of Bailey County will have a chance to learn more about diet and cancer during this year's Cancer Crusade, which begins in April. The educational efforts during April, which is Cancer Control Month, will focus on how you may reduce your risk of getting cancer by making a few modifications in your diet.

American Cancer Society volunteers will conduct a door-to-door distribution of a folder called "Eating to Live: What Food May Help You Reduce Your Cancer Risk?" to Bailey County residents. The folder includes the Society's dietary guidelines:

--Add more fresh vegetables to your plate: Dark green and deep yellow vegetables, as well

as the 'cruciferous' variety (broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, brussel sprouts, mustard greens and kale) appear to offer protection from colorectal, stomach and respiratory cancers.

--Increase your intake of vitamin A: Cancers of the lung, larynx and esophagus may be reduced by eating deep yellow and dark green fruits and vegetables, like peaches, apricots, squash, spinach and watercress. According to the American Cancer Society, don't use pills alone to get your vitamin A, as they are harmful in large doses.

--Add more vitamin C to your diet: Oranges, red and green peppers, strawberries, lemons and limes all help protect against cancer of the stomach and esophagus.

--Including fiber in your diet: Lots of foods have fiber -- fresh fruits and vegetables, bran cereals and whole-grain breads. Fiber keeps the digestive system healthy and may prevent colon cancer.

--Reduce your intake of fat: Your risk of breast, prostate, and colon cancer increases if you eat a high-fat diet. Choose low-fat milk, low-fat yogurt or cottage cheese and eat more poultry, fish and lean meats. Avoid fried foods.

--Cut down on salt-cured, smoked and nitrite-cured foods: Cancers of the stomach and esophagus are common in parts of the world where large quantities of conventionally smoked, salt-cured and nitrite-cured foods are consumed.

Don't have frequent servings of smoked bacon, ham or hot dogs, certain cold cuts and sausages.

--Go easy on alcohol. Heavy consumption of alcohol is linked to cancer of the liver, and heavy drinkers who smoke are at much greater risk for cancers of the mouth, throat, larynx and esophagus than non-smokers.

The American Cancer Society stresses that the most important thing people can do to avoid cancer is to stop smoking. Approximately 30 percent of all cancer is smoking-related, and smoking accounts for about 83 percent of all lung cancer cases. When it comes to protecting yourself against cancer, that's the best step you can take, they advise.

Further information about diet and cancer is available without charge from the local American Cancer Society office, 806/794-5808.

City Police Report

Criminal mischief and check charges led the list of investigations for the Muleshoe City Police Department during the past week.

Criminal mischief recorded at the MPD included two cars being 'egged' last weekend and one house being 'egged.' Other criminal mischief reported included a truck driver reporting two youths in the rear of a pickup throwing an object through the windshield of the truck, breaking the windshield.

Four persons were charged with issuance of worthless checks. Total involved included was \$386.52.

Three accidents were also checked during the past week, one at East G. and Third Street; South First and Avenue C and the 1100 Block of West American Blvd. No injuries were reported.

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High School, she joined the Navy in November 1985.

Mike Holt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Holt, was notified several days ago that he had been chosen to appear in "Who's Who Among American High School Students."

The letter said in part, "Congratulations. We are pleased to inform you that you have been recommended by the above named individual (Linda Marr, Counselor) to receive honorary award recognition and to have your biography published in the appropriate volume of Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1985-1986..."

"Who's Who is the largest, most widely respected publication in the nation recognizing upperclassmen exclusively who have demonstrated leadership in academics, athletics, school or community activities..."

"Since only 6% of all junior and senior class students are honored in Who's Who each year, you are to be commended for your achievements..."

Marine Pvt. Martin R. Pacheco, son of Pedro R. and Benigna R. Pacheco of Muleshoe, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego.

During the 11-week training cycle, Pacheco was taught the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

Pacheco is a 1985 graduate of Muleshoe High School.

Janie (Mrs. Rudolph) Moraw, who was taken by ambulance to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock last Friday afternoon, is reported to be out of intensive care following emergency surgery, and is in a private room.

Although she is slowly improving, her family said visits are being limited at this time.



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH--Brenda Parker Stevens, who was called back to Dr. Tom Bonds dental office from her honeymoon for an 'emergency,' was surprised to find she was the 'emergency.' Mrs. Stevens was presented the latest Employee of the Month certificate and traveling trophy by Charles Moraw, president of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

Haying, Grazing

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expected to receive stiff opposition from some House members, along with the Reagan administration.

If approved, the committee bill would also change the way the Federal Crop Insurance Corp. is funded by making it an appropriations subject to congressional approval. Committee members also encouraged the Farmers Home Administration to provide more operating loans to troubled farmers.

USDA sources said other portions of the bill could possibly doom the pending legislation. A total of about \$1 billion in supplemental appropriations for fiscal 1986 for other small federal programs, including some in agriculture, defense, transportation and education, are very contentious said the USDA officials.

Another area covered by the bill would be to require the secretary of agriculture to provide non-recourse price support loans "at such levels as will

reflect a fair return to the farm producer above the cost of production."

Some officials expect that provision to be struck by the House. Some House Republicans said President Reagan would veto any such measure as proposed.

Youths Ride 135 Miles In Bike-A-Thon

A total of 15 riders from Sudan ages three to 12 years participated in the 1986, Bike-A-Thon for St. Jude Children's Cancer Research Hospital with 135 miles having been ridden.

Ashley Wiseman, three year old daughter of Brent and Cindy Wiseman, rode a mile and collected \$25.00.

Jamie Gatewood rode 20 miles for the most miles rode and will receive a free airplane ride from Cardwell Flying Service. Jamie is the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Gatewood.

Placing second in miles was a three way tie between Kyla Morris, Muffin Davis and Jim Keeney with 13 miles each. They will also be eligible for a free plane ride.

Two participants, Randy Gregg and Joshua Keeney, each rode 12 miles and Misty Miller rode a total of 10 miles.

Others riding were: Alan Black and Toni Lowrance with 9 miles; Rebecca Capers 8, David Herera of Dimmitt and Anthony Brito 5; Jamie Wiseman and Corey Lowrance 3 each.

These riders may turn in money donated for St. Jude's on or before March 29 to Billye Doty, 304 Minyard in Sudan. Those collecting as much as \$25.00 will get to order a T-shirt. By collecting \$75.00 or more, a T-shirt and barrel tote will be ordered from St. Jude's, for the rider.

Tax Revenue Could Cut Food Stamps

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday warned that new rules of the federal food stamp program could cost Texas government \$150 million in lost sales tax revenue on candy and soft drinks.

Bullock said reauthorization of the federal program contained new provisions that forbid states from participating if they collect taxes on food-stamp purchases. "We don't tax meat and potatoes, but we do tax candy, soft drinks and diluted juices," Bullock said.

Bullock said the Legislature will have to look at an option of creating a two-tier system to exempt these products when they are purchased with food stamps or totally exempt taxes on candy, soft drinks and diluted juices.

He said the state has until September 30, 1987, to exempt the items or be forced out of the food stamp program.

"It's a real dilemma for the state and another financial headache that will face the Legislature when the session starts next January," Bullock added.

Bullock said that there are some 1.3 million persons in Texas eligible for federal food stamp assistance and that in 1986 an estimated \$714 million in food stamp payments will be made.

He concluded that unless Congress is willing to bend on the issue and make changes in the law before the deadline the state's food stamp eligibility will be threatened and another source of state tax revenue will be cut off at the knees.

Sheriffs Office Report

Activities have been very light around the Bailey County Sheriff's office during the past week.

Two persons were jailed on charges of driving while intoxicated. They were Guadalupe Campoya, 29 and Miguel Garcia, 64. They were released on \$750 bond each.

One female was jailed on charges of worthless check and forgery of a prescription.

Three persons were held in the Bailey County jail for extradition to other areas.

Easter...

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Jaramillo, Joey Hurtado, Leroy Rojas, Melissa Jaramillo, Leslie Radford, Jasper Divila, Samuel Villarreal, Lisa Gonzalez and Mark Garcia.

THIRD, FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADE
Tiffany Wilcox, Christine Villarreal, Mary Robles, Danny Rodriguez, Anthony, Handy, George Torres, Chris Paige, Christina Martinez, Freddie Esquibel, Jimmy Gauna, Anthony Rodriguez, Jared Clarkson, Christine Villarreal, Monica Chavez and Teri Martin.

And, Jesse Esquibel, Danny Rodriguez, Charles Villarreal, Alissa Wilson, Patricia Franco, Lucy Perez, Juan Jaime, Bobbi Hutchinson, Americo Aguirre, Robert Jaime, David Olivarez, Heath Eagle and Steve Sanchez. Also, Terrie Gutierrez, Geneva Perez, Lori Henderson, Becky Sanchez, Shannon Robertson, Lori Alfaro, Lucy Perez, Carlos Torres, Filemon Olivarez, Jared Clarkson, Susie Sanchez and Hector Arzola.

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Thursday, March 27, 1986

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MHS Special Education Students Tour Lubbock

The Special Education Students of Muleshoe High School toured in Lubbock, Tuesday, February 18, 1986. While there they went to the Ranching Heritage Center, the museum and the Moody Planetarium, which located at Texas Tech

Band Beats It's Drum

The Mighty "M" recently held a clinic with Mr. Phil Anthony, band director at Coronado High School in Lubbock. The clinic was interesting and fun but it was also one of hard work. The band was attentive and strove to improve the music as instructed by Mr. Anthony.

The band also held a clinic on Monday March 17 from 6-9 p.m. The clinician was Fred Hardin from Monterrey High School also in Lubbock. The band is planning on having another clinic with Jim Suddeth from Texas Tech.

Recently, the Jazz Band played for the faculty and students at MHS during the lunch hour. The band played well and seemed to enjoy performing. They were received very well by those who stayed to listen. Later that day, the Jazz Band visited Mary De Shazo Elementary to play for the Fifth grade class. Mr. Gibson very patiently described the band program to the future band members, and he showed them the various instruments used in the Jazz ensemble. The Jazz Band had an enjoyable day and practiced performing simultaneously.

The Mighty "M" will compete in U.I.L. and contest on April 9. The contest will be held at Tech. The Jazz Band will participate in the Tech Jazz Festival on April 19. We wish the best of luck to the two bands who are competing.

On Friday May 2, the Mighty "M" will travel to Amarillo to compete in the Greater Southwest Conference band contest. Both concert band and Jazz Band will compete.

The Dinner Theater will be held on March 25 at the high school. The Jazz Band will play from 6:30-8:00 p.m. during the style show in the high school cafeteria. The concert band will play also. They perform in the auditorium from 8:00-8:20 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend the Dinner Theater which will last from 6:30-9:15 p.m. Tuesday night March 25. The cost will be \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for students. The tickets are on sale now or can be purchased at the door.

University. They also toured the Lubbock Avalanche Journal and ate at the Burger King.

The twenty-two students and four adults first toured the Ranching Heritage Center. The different houses from different ages of the South Plains were viewed with great interest. The half-day-out was very interesting to the students because the students couldn't believe it possible for anyone to live in a house that primitive. The 6666 barn has been re-done, with a stage and seating for special programs. The students' picture was taken on the stage by the teacher, Mrs. Bleeker.

After leaving the Ranching Heritage Center, the students went to the Moody Planetarium. There they observed a program, "A Comet Called Halley." The program gave the history of comets observations and the history of comets observations and their orbits around the sun. The program told about the different comets and the sightings and how people of different ages viewed them with different superstitious beliefs.

For lunch the group went to Burger King. They not only ate but looked for Herb. Herb was not sighted but lunch was enjoyed by all.

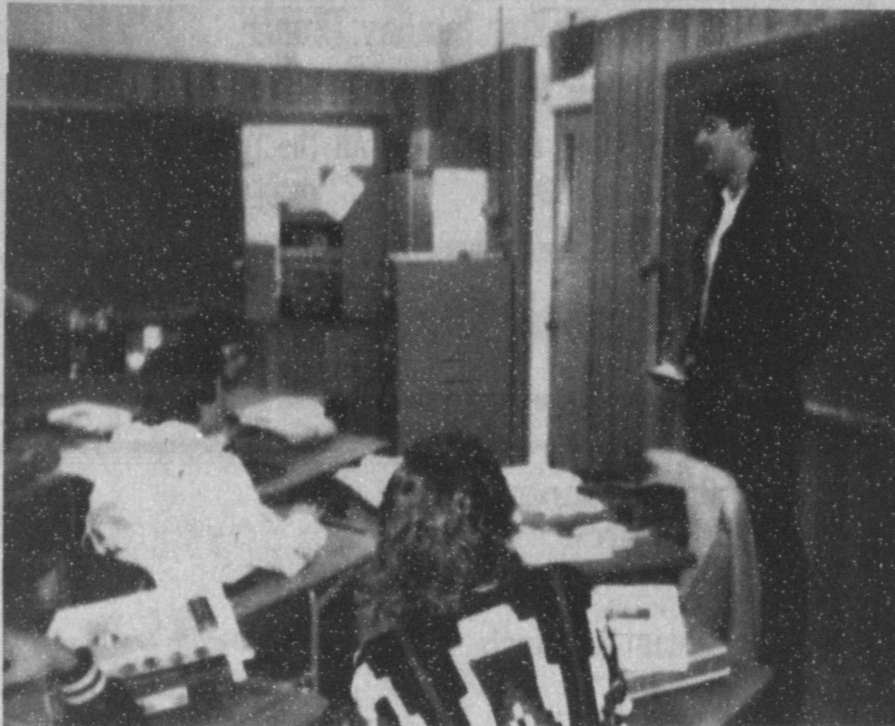
After lunch the group went to the Lubbock Avalanche Journal. Ms. Pollard, employee of the paper, led the tour. She pointed out the line-o-type machine, which is no longer used. Then she led them through the news room, where reporters write their stories on computers. They saw the folding room, the morgue, the press viewing room and other things. They were disappointed that the presses were not running.

The group returned to the museum to look at the different exhibits there. The students especially enjoyed the different stuffed animals of the plains.

The trip was enjoyed by everyone and everyone expressed the desire to go back sometime soon. Those attending were Mike Cavazos, Amy Cheshire, Jeannette DePalma, Julie DePalma, Gerald Denbow, Norma Franco, Leticia Garcia, Erbay Herrera, Jeardean Lewis, David Lindeman, Tommy Lucero, Leticia Navejar, Lupe Villegas, Shain Berry, Lisa Martinez, Richard Ring, Alice Garza, Melinda Reyna, Alberto Diaz, Paula Vela, Rudy Gonzalez, Gerald Ambriz and sponsors, Mrs. Franco, Mrs. Haynes, and Mrs. Bleeker and bus driver, Mr. Gonzalez.

Everything's pretty when 'tis new.

-John Clarke.



John Isaac Visits

High School G/T Program Is Underway

The gifted/talented program at Muleshoe High School has a total of 13 students currently involved. The program has begun a series of meetings which will last through the

second semester. The class is beginning a study of different ways of innovative, creative thinking.

In addition to class meetings, the program also includes field trips this semester. The first of the field trips was to Lubbock to see the Broadway touring company production of "42nd Street" on Saturday, March 8. According to those students who were able to attend, the experience of seeing a play done by the kind of professionals who regularly perform on Broadway was an exciting experience.

The gifted/talented program is designed to allow students with high aptitudes to explore areas of interest which are not usually included in the regular school curriculum, or to do advanced studies in regular academic subjects which interest them.

Mr. John Gulley, the sponsor of Muleshoe High's G/T program explained that it was agreed that students would not miss any particular class more than one time each six weeks period to attend G/T meetings. This was a major concern of G/T students when it was decided that the program would need to be a pull-out program.

VICA's Trip To Lubbock Is Cancelled

Muleshoe V.I.C.A. club was to have their district IV convention in Lubbock on February 7-8. Muleshoe Auto Mechanics had sixteen students projects to be taken to Lubbock, which exceeded over \$400.00 from Auto Mechanics savings. Also students were to show both business and leadership skills. Some students were to show this by job interviews, others in speech skills; in "on-the-job-training."

Nevertheless, the school canceled the trip to Lubbock. Now the students will not be able to advance to regional, nor state competitions.



WHO KNOWS

1. Who was elected President in 1920?
2. What does the word "lugubrious" mean?
3. What Indian tribe is identified only with Florida?
4. When did the U.S. have its first income tax?

- Answers to Who Knows
1. Warren G. Harding.
 2. Doleful, exaggerated.
 3. The Seminole.
 4. In 1861.

SCAC News

SCAC met March 13th in the home of the "honorable" Brett King. The meeting kicked off with Lov Triana calling order. Casey King led the group in prayer, and Sherri Stovall read the minutes. To hear a bit of sad news, Stacy Smith reported there was only \$139.65 in the treasury.

Three guests were honored at this meeting. The first of the three was Mrs. Nelda Merriot. She told the group about her job and duties at the courthouse. She also spoke on the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation and how it got started. It is reported that 2.2 acres of land is available to the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation for the settling of the Jane's Ranch House, which is to be moved sometime in the near future. The foundation contracted 5 house movers to move the Ranch House, and it will cost approximately \$25,000.00 to move it.

Mrs. Merriot complimented SCAC members on being progressive students. Although Mrs. Merriot sees Muleshoe as a growing town, she feels it needs some new industry which would bring more businesses and people to Muleshoe.

Brett King introduced Hazel Gilbreth as the next guest speaker. Mrs. Gilbreth moved to Muleshoe in 1922, and she remembered the days when all that Muleshoe consisted of was a bank and a general store. The front of the store was the post office, and a two-story hotel was located at Sears' present location. There were only two churches, the Methodist and the Baptist. Mrs. Gilbreth's first job was with R.L. Brown, where she made \$5.00 a week. Then she went to work at St. Clair's making \$8.00 a week.

The last of the honored guests is no other than the hard-working SCAC sponsor, Mrs. Jean Allison. Mrs. Allison was very astonished to find she had been chosen as citizen of the month of February. She was even more surprised the group had been able to keep it from her. Mrs. Allison's honor is a well-deserved one, she does so much for the SCAC committee and the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation.

The Muleshoe Heritage Foundation television auction will be May 24. A committee consisting of Kristy Landers, Sherri Stovall, Laury Grant, Stacy Smith, Casey King and Debbie Isaac was chosen to be in charge of entertainment for that day.

The group also discussed their next meeting to be held at Kristy Landers' house where the new SCAC members will be chosen.

Isaac, Campbell Speak To Students

John Isaac, a 1985 graduate of Muleshoe High School, shared some insights into college life with Gaylord Latham's classes at MHS on Friday, January 3. Isaac, a freshman at Rice University, talked with the students about college expectations and gave them some advice on preparation for college.

Isaac encouraged all high school students to try college, and he advised them to prepare for college by taking strong high school courses, learning to study well, and applying themselves to their academic work. He urged students to consider many financial options and not to allow a lack of funds to prevent them from making plans to attend college. He suggested that they fill out scholarship forms while in high school. Isaac attends Rice on a full athletic scholarship.

In describing college life, Isaac stated that it is important to realize that college teachers are more than just instructors in a college course, but that they are also interested in helping students learn to think on their own and accept responsibility for their own actions. When entering college, he advised students to learn to take good notes, to learn self-discipline, and to stay ahead with the assigned work and to avoid lagging behind. He stressed the importance of meeting people

and the other students. He offered a word of advice by stating, "After things get tough, stick it out and try your hardest to succeed."

Kristi Campbell, who also graduated from MHS in 1985, spoke to Latham's class on January 6. She reinforced many of John Isaac's suggestions concerning college life and added that high school grades are important and will help a student when he or she is applying for scholarships. She stressed the need of strong self-discipline in high school and advised students to think about their future now and make preparation for college.

In referring to college, Miss Campbell encouraged students to learn to budget their time, to remember their primary reason for attending college, and to establish correct priorities. She stated that college is new and different, and it is easy to get caught up in things that detract from studying. She further emphasized the need for a social life to counterbalance the academics and stated that sororities and/or fraternities are excellent places to meet new people. She feels that a dorm is a good place to live for the first year because dorm life helps a person to learn to get along with others.

Kristi encouraged students to take advantage of all resources for help when they get to college, and to recognize the fact that they can learn and understand college-level work. She stated that students need to learn to take notes and to feel free to go to a teacher for help when needed. Above all Miss Campbell stressed that students must remember their goals and work toward achieving those goals.

Poets' Corner Poems Written By MHS Students

An Unanswered Prayer
Since the day I was born
it has been an overshadowing
requisite

to be grateful to you.
Yet I have never so much as
seen your face.

Mother has continually told me
you love me with all of
your might.

I should love you simply
because you're
my father.
It has continually been justified
that

I am too young to comprehend
your love.
I only ignore these gestures.
Even a young man such as I can
see

such a great love could not
possibly be shown
from such a great distance.
Father, I understand the life
you led

on Earth.
You lived a life of tears and
sorrow
only to face torture in the
end.

I also know you granted the
world miracles
which could not have been
given by any man.
Why, then did you not live and
dwell

with the ones you love?
Is my Prayer the only sufficient
decipherment?
Bless un, Father.
AMEN

BY: Scott Williams
NEED
As each day goes by,
A child suffers and hungers.

One dies;
The other is still in pain
How I long to reach out
And help them all;
When I complain about
what's for supper,
I feel foolish

For I remember,
These children will have no
supper!
I feel more depressed when I
ask

For something we cannot
afford.
And yet all these children ask
for is

A piece of bread a day!
They ask for nothing more.
When I have everything I want,
I may never know it
Until I don't have it any
more.

by Paula Vela

Students See 'The Tempest' In Odessa

The Honors and Academics English IV classes and the theater art classes went to see Shakespeare's *The Tempest* in Odessa, March 7. English literary masterpieces are the basis of English IV curriculum and William Shakespeare is included in these masterpieces. The opportunity to see *The Tempest* provides a reinforcement of the literature read in class. The theater classes are using *The Tempest* for UIL One-Act play competition and this provides them with an insight into the play. The play was enacted in The Globe Theatre. This theater is a replica of the one Shakespeare built across the Thames from London in 1598.

Sixty students boarded school buses and left MHS at 5:00 a.m. They ate breakfast in Seminole and arrived at The Globe for the 10:00 a.m. production. The Stephen F. Austin University theater group presented the play. After the play, the group ate lunch at Furr's cafeteria. On the way to Muleshoe, a refreshment stop was made at the Dairy Queen in Denver City. A very tired group arrived at MHS at 6:15.

The group was accompanied by Johanna Wrinkle, English instructor, and Kerry Moore, speech instructor. Mrs. Esther Marie Dillman and John Gulley also went. Mrs. Wrinkle reports that this field trip provides a cultural experience for high school students as Shakespeare wrote his play to be seen. Mrs. Wrinkle further reports that the staff of The Globe was very complimentary of the group on their dress as well as their excellent behavior.

Makes Sense?

America is building smaller and faster cars and is also constructing new and more modern hospitals.

-Democrat, Davenport, Ia.



SCAC Honors Sponsor, Jean Allison

We Paid The Piper But They Don't Want To Let Us Dance

By Susan Connolly

The American consumer paid dearly for the bloated price of oil during the past decade. We suffered through soaring gasoline prices, houses cooler in the winter and warmer in the summer, delayed or cancelled vacation trips, higher electric bills, expensive petroleum-based plastics and even hours-long waits at the service station during the height of the oil embargo.

And now that prices for crude oil have tumbled and retail costs of petroleum products are falling, some of our representatives in Congress want to tack on an oil import fee so we won't get the benefit of lower prices.

That just isn't fair. We were stuck with paying the high prices and now we deserve the break of lower prices.

But a number of our senators and representatives don't see it that way. In their view, falling oil prices have created a vacuum, a vacuum they think screams to be filled by a tax. After all, they reason, we are used to the high prices by now and wouldn't notice the additional tax. On the other hand, if they do their job and cut government spending, someone might be unhappy with them and it might cost them a vote.

I don't feel we are foolish enough to fall for the "they'll never-notice-it" trick. I think the American people will make it very clear to Washington that they won't stand for an oil import tax -- or for an energy tax of any kind.

Of course, there are a number of reasons other than fairness that an energy tax is a bad idea.

A hike in the price of one energy source raises the price of all energy sources. After all, a natural gas distributor knows what heating oil costs and is sure to keep pace.

Higher energy prices would damage more than your and my pocketbooks. The resulting higher inflation would put upward pressure on interest rates and trigger wage increases which would result in still higher inflation. When we spend more on energy and energy-intensive products we have less left to spend for other things and the nation's overall economic welfare suffers.

Higher inflation would mean fewer new jobs which would mean higher welfare costs which would mean more government spending -- just when we are making a real effort to reduce the deficit.

Many of our exports would be

more expensive because of the increased costs of manufacturing and farming brought about by higher-priced energy and petroleum-based products. Exports would decline while imports would increase, further distorting the balance of payments and eliminating American jobs.

Our energy-exporting trading partners, especially Canada and Mexico, would very likely retaliate against U.S. exports, something our exporting industries do not need.

Anyway, an import fee on oil would fly in the face of our national commitment to open and free world trade. How can we argue for global fair trade and then slap on such a tax?

An energy tax could well undo the benefits which have come to the American economy with falling oil prices, such as lower interest rates and a soaring stock market.

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce's Forecasting Section has determined that a \$10 drop in the per-barrel price of oil would result in an 0.8 percent growth in the real gross national product, a 0.4 percent rise in civilian employment, a 1.1 percentage point drop in the rate of growth in consumer prices and a 30 basis point decline in the three-month treasury bill rate.

Is this the type of thing we want to reverse with an additional tax? I think not, and I think the vast majority of the American public would agree with me.

Even if the price of oil drops to a point where our level of imports becomes a national security problem, an oil import fee is not the answer. There are far better ways to avoid a dangerous dependence on imported petroleum.

But let's get back to the fairness issue.

The American consumer has had enough. Our conservation had a great deal to do with breaking OPEC's stranglehold on world oil prices. We deserve the benefits. And I think we'll make it clear to Congress that we had better get them.

(Susan Connolly is manager of energy and natural resources policy for the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.)

Montez Locke Former Muleshoe Resident Dies

Services for Montez O. Locke, 82, of Amarillo will be held at 1 p.m. today, Thursday, March 27 in the Wesley Methodist Church in Borger with the Rev. Larry Ramsey officiating.

Burial will be in Holt Cemetery at Spearman under the direction of Blackburn Shaw Martin Road Chapel. Mrs. Locke died Monday in Blevins Nursing Home.

She was born Sept. 6, 1903, in Alabama and had been a resident of Blevins Nursing Home for five years. She had previously lived in Borger and Muleshoe.

Survivors include a daughter, Emma Lee Douglass of Amarillo; three grandchildren; and eight great grandchildren.

ARE YOU SURE? BOSTON -- Reassuring evidence that AIDS is not spread through casual contact should encourage doctors to work harder at quelling hysteria and preventing discrimination against homosexuals and others who risk catching the disease, a health expert says.

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

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson were in Lubbock Monday on business and visited their daughter, the Tommy Durhams.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Masten returned home Wednesday after fishing at Lake Kemp. Their daughter, the Lamar Pollard family, from Whitherrell fished with the Mastens.

Mrs. S.G. Long went with several ladies from Enochs to Farwell Thursday to attend a church meeting.

Eugena Dupler spent part of the week in Monahans visiting her sister, the Bobby Sinclairs.

Mrs. Jack McCarty and children from Logan, N.M. are visiting her parents, the Joe Sowders.

Mrs. Adolph Wittner was in Plainview Sunday to attend a wedding shower honoring her daughter, Mrs. Bahter Vaughan.

Mrs. Jack Lane was in Lubbock Saturday to attend a baby shower for her niece, Mrs. Mack Leach.

The ladies from the Three Way Baptist Church was at the nursing home at Morton Thursday for a birthday party. The ladies going were Mrs. Jack Lane, Mrs. Bud Huff, Mrs. John Cockrell, Mrs. Lois Latimer, Mrs. Mery Chapman

and Mrs. Lesla Robinson.

The Three Way Baptist Church will have a sunrise Easter service at the church Sunday at 8 a.m. with breakfast after services.

Robin Kindle, a student at Angelo State University is spending the week with her parents, the Bobby Kindles.

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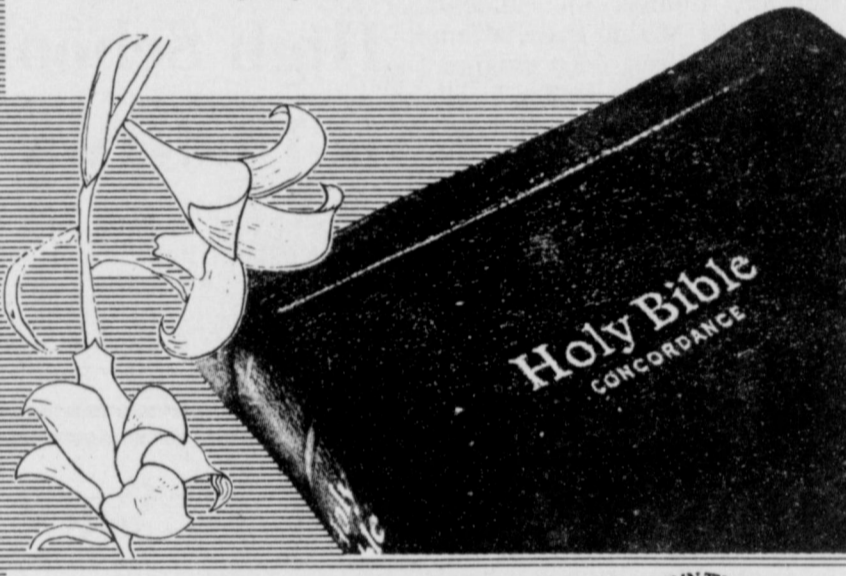
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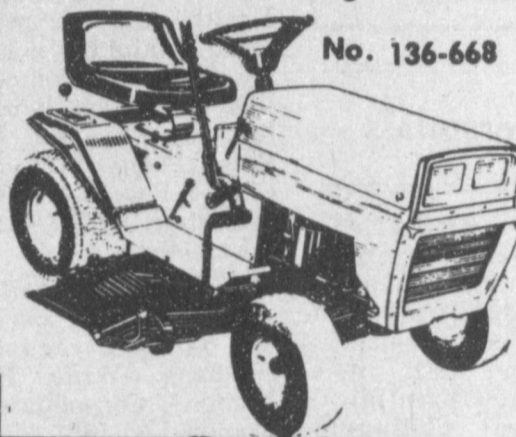


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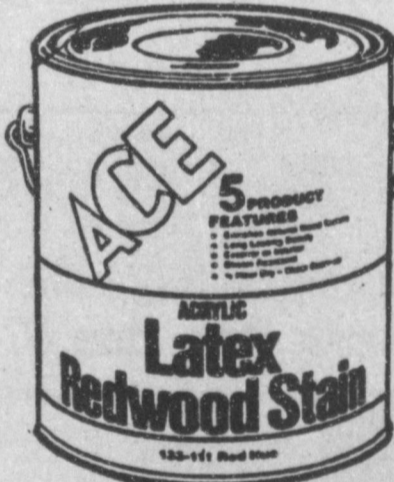


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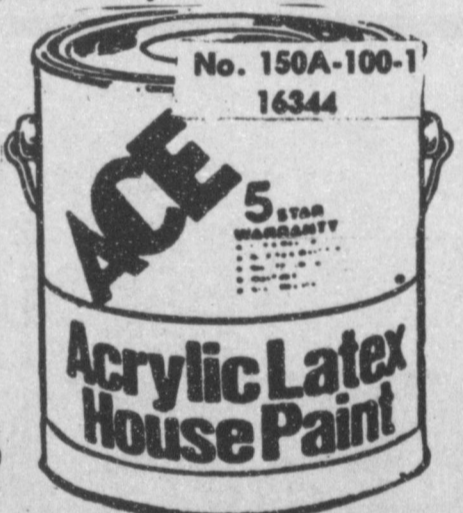


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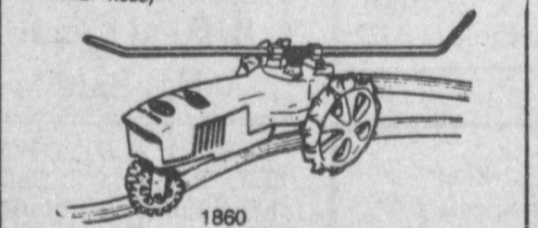
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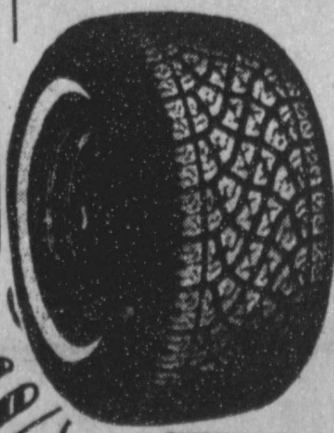
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