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THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1989

WPMC Struggles To Karep Doors Open

around Muleshoe

Tickets are available for the Junior-Senior Prom which will follow the annual Junior-Senior banquet at the Bailey County Civic Center Saturday night.

The tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at Ana's House of Beauty; Leal's; and from Dianne Nieman at the School Store.

Music will be provided by Sky High Productions.

Sul Ross State University at Alpine honored outstanding students during the annual Honors Convocation April 17.

Among those receiving awards were Leslie (Langfitt) Pearce, the daughter of Herb and Pat Langfitt, and a junior from Muleshoe. She received a First National Bank Scholarship.

Army Private Billy W. Pyle, grandson of Ruth E. Lackey, at the U. S. Army Training Center, Fort Dix, N.J.

His wife, Tracy, is the daughter of Walter W. Lackey of Muleshoe.

He is a 1981 graduate of Springlake-Earth High School,

Polly Dawn Harrison of Muleshoe is among 352 candidates who will complete graduation requirements from Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, on

Twenty-seven ENMU students will receive associate degrees with 265 students receiving bachelor's degrees and 60 receiving master's degrees.

Harrison will receive a bachelor of science degree, "honors," with a major in biology.

SCHOOL BOARD

A fair representation of voters went to the polls Saturday to cast their ballot for two MISD School Board members.

A total of 625 votes were cast during the election, with six candidates seeking one of the two

seats available. Max King, with 391 votes and Edwin Cox; with 258 votes, were

declared the winners. Incumbent Julie Cage received 194; Terry Hutto, 167; Danny Noble, 159 and Gary Hugg, 33.

CITY COUNCIL

Ninety-seven votes were cast in the city election Saturday, with A. V. Wood being re-elected and Troy Stegemoeller was also elected.

Both candidates were uncontested for their seat, as outgoing Council member Tommy Gunstream declined to seek reelection.

Muleshoe City Council.



COUNTY EXTENSION CELEBRATES 75th BIRTHDAY WITH PROCLAMATION -- Monday morning, just as open house for the Bailey County Extension Office got underway, the Bailey County Commissioners Court Proclaimed the day an official day of celebration in Bailey County, to commemorate the national 75th birthday of County Extension Agencies. Pictured from left, standing, are Spencer Tanksley, Bailey County Agent-Ag; Don Seales, R. L. Scott, Joey Kindle and Rudolph Moraw, all Bailey County Commissioners and Kandy McWhorter, Bailey County Extension Agent-Home. Seated from left are Annie Floyd, representing the Extension Home Council; Bailey County Judge Jim Watson; and Lyndon Huckaby, representing the 4-H Youth Council. (Journal Photo)

Muleshoe, has completed a wheeled-vehicle mechanic course WPMC Administrator, Board Give List Of Hospital Needs

Compiled By: West Plains Medical Center Administrator and Staff

The financial condition of West Plains Medical Center is serious to say the least, it will probably take three years, perhaps longer to stabilize the financial condition of the hospital.

Without an immediate infusion of substantial cash, the hospital will be lost to its creditors in bankruptcy. There are many things that must be done in order to bring the hospital back to a healthy, full operational status. Some of these things are:

1. First - definitely first - the election of the Hospital District must pass favorably.

2. Second - The hospital must secure full Medicare Certification

order of business for the

Muleshoe City Council was to

certify the results of the city

council election held last Satur-

day, then administer the oath of

A total of 97 votes were cast in

the election that saw A. V. Wood

being re-elected to Place Two

and Troy Stegemoelier elected as

councilman, Place One. Mayor

Darrell Turner administered the

Paul Rinehert, a representa-

(Journal Photo)

office to the two councilmen

City Council Discusses

9-1-1 Emergency Service

Tuesday morning, the first tive of GTE, attended the

GTE service.

this time."

very soon. Each day the hospital is unable to properly serve the citizens of Bailey and Parmer counties area, and the hospital is unable to maximize its financial hospital's Emergency Room staffing waiver also expires May 31, 1989.)

3. Third - Affiliations with other hospitals and consideration of Group Purchasing Programs should be examined. Every effort must be made to reduce operating costs - purchasing costs.

Fourth - A strategic plan should be developed that identifies and markets new in-patient, out-patient, wellness, and homecare services of interest to the. citizens of the hospital's service area. Services that all who live in the area will utilize. Services that

meeting checking for problems

the city may be aware of with

Rinehart, "although we have no

major Construction ongoing at

He was assured by the council

Also attending the meeting

was Muleshoe City Police Chief

Wayne Holmes, who is chairman

of the local 9-1-1 Emergency

Chief Holmes said the 9-1-1

telephone committee.

that they had no knowledge of

current problems with GTE

are easily accessible to all citizens.

5. Fifth - Selective physician recruiting in concert with members of the medical staff must return on daily expenses. (The occur immediately. Surgery and QB-GYN services are needed.

6. Sixth - The Nursing Home should be re-conditioned inside and out. Painting, lighting, drapes and flooring should all be considered. A comprehensive needs assessment and expansion program may be necessary.

With the above six points of reference in mind, it is a pleasure to provide a summary synopsis review in the following areas:

CONDITION REPORT

PHYSICAL PLANT (A SYNOPSIS) The West Plains Medical Center Maintenance Department

has been seriously neglected over the past three-four years. When one adds the fact that the hospital remained closed for one year, the condition of the hospital is in a mechanically poor state.

Some of the problems facing the present administration are: 1. Re-organization of the main-

tenance department. 2. Sparse to inadequate inventory of tools necessary to do the

"We are trying to maintain or improve current service," said work at hand. (Hand-tools, elec-Cont. Page 6, Col. 4

Muleshoe Man Shot Saturday; Sent To Lubbock

Late Saturday afternoon, foliowing a day of harsh words and bickering, a shooting broke loose on South First Street in Muleshoe and a local man, Humberto Melendoz (Pedro) Mendoza suffered gunshot wounds.

According to police reports, Mendoza was taken to West Plains Medical Center in a private vehicle about the time local officers were notified that a shooting had taken place.

Nurses at the hospital notified the Muleshoe City Police Department that they had a gunshot victim at the hospital.

Following emergency treatment at WPMC, the victim was taken to Lubbock General Hospital by the Flight For Life helicopter for further treatment.

Reckless conduct was filed against a local 27-year-old man following the shooting.

Mendoza was reported to have been shot in the right hand and left abdomen. Two other shots were fired, but no one else was injured in the shooting, according to the officer's reports.

Next 120 Days 'Critical' For Future Of Hospital

Monday night of the Temporary Board of Directors of the proposed Muleshoe Area Hospital District and the current West Plains Medical Center Board, it all boiled down to "trying to keep the doors of the hospital and nursing home open until the Muleshoe Area Hospital District election, which is scheduled on June 20."

The MAHD Board had asked for the joint meeting with the WPMC Board to learn the current condition of the physical plant at the hospital and nursing home, and the financial condition of the hospital.

The Muleshoe City Council chamber was crowded with people during the meeting, most of them concerned directly with the hospital and/or nursing

John Chisholm, administrator at WPMC, asked several of his staff to report on different phases of the hospital and nursing home.

James Pollock, maintenance supervisor, reported on the physical condition of the hospital and nursing home facility, citing a lack of tools and working capital to make necessary repairs, and saying that some of the repairs will have to be extensive and expensive.

Pollock said air conditioning is expected to be turned on in

It was emphasized over and over that the MAXI-MUM tax that can be paid by a resident of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District will be 25 cents per \$100 valuation.

For instance, if your city taxes are now \$800, the Hospital District will cost you less than \$400 per year. It will be approximately one third of your school tax if you live in the county.

"The Muleshoe Area Hospital District can tax up to 25 cents per \$100, but that does not mean taxes will be that high," according to the MAHD Board.

couple of days.' With the temperatures reaching into the upper 90's already, the air

During a joint meeting on conditioning had to be repaired, and will face other repairs.

Chisholm talked about one of what he considers the most important areas -- personnel staffing, and what will be necessary to be done to qualify. for Medicare certification.

Kay Swint, director of nurses at West Plains Medical Center said she is having trouble Cont. Page 6, Col. 1

Brandon Wilson

First In State In Two Events

Friday and Saturday twined out to be 'very productive' for Muleshoe High School senior Brandon Wilson.

After spending four years in the Speech and Drama department at MHS, Wilson went into Persuasive Speaking and Extemporaneous Speaking as a junior.

Starting out this fall, more than 600 students in Texas were potential state finalists in the two events. The final 12 students went to Austin last weekend for the state contest.

Brandon got by the preliminaries on Friday and went into semi-finals on Saturday.

When he was named to the finals on Saturday, and went on to capture a first place in Lincoln-Douglas Debate and first place in the state in Persuasive Speaking.

He did not learn until the awards ceremonies at 4 p.m. on Saturday afternoon that he was the state winner in both events.

His winning subject in Lincoln-Douglas Debate was "Americans Have Over Emphasized Convenience at the Expense of the Natural Environment."

He won first place in Persuasive Speaking with "Has Exxon Acted Responsibly in Their Efforts to Clean Up Spilled Oil In Prince William Sound?" Brandon's answer was "No."

The son of Barry and Sondra Wilson, Brandon plans to attend Texas Tech University in the fall and major in Business Economics. Then, he plans to go on to law school and become a corporate attorney.



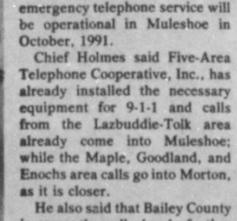
council members received their oath of office at the Muleshoe City

Hall, Shown from left, are Councilman A. V. Wood, who was

re-elected Saturday; Muleshoe Mayor Darrell Turner, who

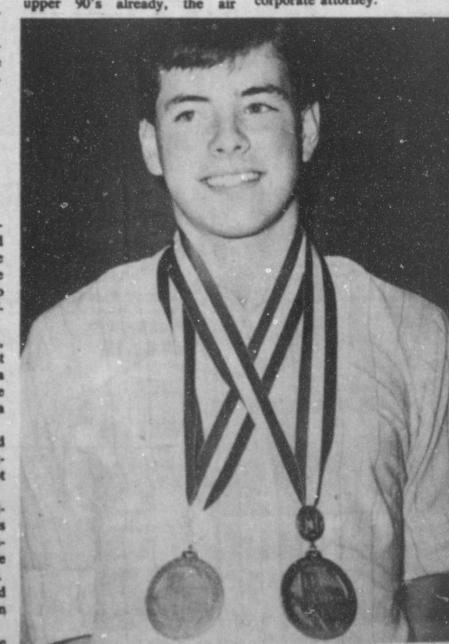
administered the oaths and Troy Stegemoeller, newly elected to the

NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS SWORN IN-Tuesday morning, two city



is currently well ahead of other rural counties in instituting the 9-1-1 service, mandated by the Texas Legislature during a session two years ago. At that time, it was decided to have the 9-1-1 service statewide, with counties and cities facing a five-year time period to have the service operational.

City Manager Dave Marr told the council about a seminar on Cont. Page 6, Col. 3



WINS TWO STATE MEDALS -- Brandon Wilson, a senior at Muleshoe High School, is shown with the two first place medals he won in state competition last weekend. He won first in Lincoln-Douglas Debate and first in Persuasive Speaking. He is the son of Barry and Sondra Wilson. (Journal Photo)

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HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

ANDREWS, TEXAS LELDON MASTERS. LOVINGTON, K.M. CARMEN ALVAREZ TULIA, TEXAS MARY ORTIZ HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

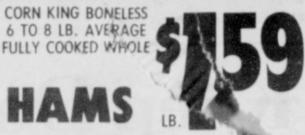
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150	168	18,985	1,460	730
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5.5	1,923	1,659	128	64
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TOTALS	47,734	1 IN 67	1 IN 5	1 IN 3

(PSTAKES: There will be one (1) drawing for the \$10,000 Grand Prize. Closing date for to Grand Prize Drawing will be series (7) days offer gome termination. The odds of wish-ig the sweepstrakes will vary depending upon the number of qualified entries submitted. AME PRIZES: \$171,715 TOTAL GAME PRIZES \$196,115 NO PURCHASE NECESSARY HAMS

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Bredford Homemaker Wins \$3,000 Beef Cook-Off

'This is probably more money than I've ever had at any one time," declared Kathy Rypkema of Bedford as she was presented the \$3000 top prize at the Texas Beef Cook-Off. Her winning recipe of Cajun Sunshine Beef Salad used a flavorful combination of seasonings with a "Little bit of cajun." The attractivelyserved salad consisted primarily of a spiced rice topped with thin strips of cajun-seasoned top sirloin and positioned on a bed of lettuce outlined with thin rings of red, yellow, and green pepper

Second place in the 12th annual state contest sponsored by Texas CattleWomen was Beverly Sebstian of Fort Worth with Honeycomb Hot Sirloin, an entree using spices that included chili powder, black pepper, fajita seasoning, honey and dark brown sugar. Sebastian received \$2000

Anita Wright of Tyler placed third and was awarded \$1000 cash for her Zesty Meatbalis With Asparagus Spears, a very colorful red and green presenta-

tion using a traditional idea in a new form with the meat balls being topped with chopped tomatoes and surrounded by asparagus spears.

A former medical-surgical and psychiatric nurse, Kathy Rypkema (rip'ku-muh) is presently a full-time homemaker with three children who enjoys needlework, gardening, writing poetry, has a special love of antiques and contributes many volunteer hours towards Special Olympics.

Having entered her first cooking contest several years ago, Kathy has been "hooked" ever since. Last year's participation in the National Beef Cook-Off in Jackson, Mississippi as representative of the Microwave's South Region was her first competition on the national level. Having an idea of what the National contest is seeking, she "created this year's entry to reflect the trend toward lighter, healthier eating, and used colors and flavors representative of Southern cooking." Having successfully accomplished this goal has provided her with not only a cash prize but another expense-paid trip to the national event, this time to Portland,

Ten finalists were selected from 345 entries to receive the expense-paid trips to Prude Ranch where each finalist prepared his/her recipe for a panel of five judges.

Contestants were "entertained" with a ride in a covered wagon to an old-fashioned outdoor cook-out, tours of Old Fort Davis and the Big Bend, and an opportunity to view the stars from McDonald Observatory.

The 1990 Texas Beef Cook-Off will be held at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo in February. Deadline for entries will be January 15 and should be sent to Mrs. Peggy Jobes, 6423 Oil Field Road, Sugar Land, Texas 77479-4603.

FIRST PLACE WINNER **CAJUN SUNSHINE** BEEF SALAD

By Kathy Rypkema, Bedford Preparation time: 12 minutes Cooking time: 15 minutes 11/2 pounds beef top sirloin, 1-inch thick

1 teaspoon cajun blackened beef seasoning (in specialty section of grocery store)

3 tablespoons olive oil, divided

2 large cloves garlic, divided 4 or 5 thin strips fresh lemon over medium heat. Add 1 gartic

1/4 cup each chopped green, red, and yellow bell pepper

2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice 2 tablespoons fresh minced parsley 1/4 teaspoon crushed red

pepper (or to taste) 3 cups cooked, converted rice

salt leaf lettuce

6 each green, red, and yellow bell pepper rings, sliced 1/4-inch thick

parsley sprigs (optional) Dressing:

1/2 cup dairy sour cream (may substitute yogurt) 1/2 teaspoon freshly grated

lemon peel 1/8 teaspoon crushed red pepper

1 tablespoon minced fresh parsley

Trim beef well and rub cajun seasoning on both sides. In large skillet heat 1 tablespoon olive oil

clove, sliced, and strips of lemon peel. Saute for about 1 minute until garlic begins to brown. Remove garlic and lemon with slotted spoon and discard. Sear beef in remaining hot oil on both sides until browned. Reduce heat to low and continue pan-frying until beef is cooked but still pink in center (3-5 minutes per side). Remove beef to plate and wipe pan with paper towel to remove any residue. Add remaining 2 tablespoons oil to pan over low heat. Mince remaining garlic clove, and add to oil along with chopped bell peppers. Saute 2 minutes. Add lemon juice, parsley, crushed red pepper, cooked rice, and desired salt. Continue sauteeing 2-3 minutes more, stirring until warmed through.

Line 6 salad plates with leaf lettuce. Overlap 1 each green. red, and yellow pepper ring on lettuce. Top with rice mixture, dividing evenly among plates. Slice beef thinly on diagonal and mound in center of rice. In small mixing bowl combine dressing ingredients and place dollop in center of beef strips. Garnish with additional parsley sprigs and serve warm or cold. Makes 6 servings.

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> Thanks Again Max King

















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Texas Special Olympics

Sports Network To Carry

Home Sports Entertainment broadcasting the event. (HSE), the southwest's regional portion of the Texas Special Olympics 1989 Summer Games

as part of its sponsorship of Special Olympics.

HSE will tape throughout the three-day event, May 24-26, to compile a two-hour glimpse of the games and its more than 4,000 athletes. The program will then air on HSE May 31 at 7 p.m., Central Daylight Time. with replays scheduled for later

"Because of its many events and athletes, we're having to take a different approach to our coverage of Special Olymlpics than we might a baseball or basketball game," says Greg Lucas, associate sports director for HSE and one of the announcers during the program. "Basically, we intend to show a representative sampling of the events and the games, and not necessarily just the winners," he added. "The participation, the drive of these athletes, and the heart of the operation is what we're after."

For the first time in 15 years, the Summer Games will be held on the campus of Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, Texas. It will also mark the first time that HSE will be

"We're excited about the cable sports network, has an- games," said Jay Finegold, HSE nounced that it will carry a vice president/marketing. "These are outstanding athletes in a true sporting event that will be a welcome addition to our programming."

Denis Poulos, executive director of Texas Special Olympics, said the organization's relationship with HSE will open up new avenues for individuals with mental retardation. "HSE's coverage will create a new public awareness for our program," he said. "At the same time, it will enable us to expand our outreach program and tap into others who might benefit from Special Olympics."

Lucas will be joined during the broadcast by HSE announcer Alvin Jackson, and a representative with Special Olympics. Bill Worrell, HSE's Houston sports director, and Norm Hitzges, the network's D/FW sports director, will also provide pre-recorded special features throughout. Mike Anastassiou, senior producer out of HSE's Houston office, will produce the program.

HSE, with headquarters in the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex and Houston, provides coverage of various regional sporting events, highlighted by broadcasts of Texas Rangers, Houston Astros, Dallas Mavericks, Houston Rockets, and San Antonio Spurs games, and Southwest Conference college events. The network is available on numerous cable systems throughout Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, New Mexico, and Arkansas.

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Bridal Shower Honors

Couple At Hereford

A couples shower honoring Bryan Peeler and Lauren Monti was held Sunday, April 30 at the Cowgirl Hall of Fame and Western Heritage Center in Hereford. The honorees plan to exchange muptials June 3 in

Shower guest were invited to register by Melanie Peeler, sister of the prospective groom, and

Shelly Berry Named National

Award Winner

Shelly Berry has been named a United States National Award winner according to an announcement made by the United States Achievement Academy.

A Muleshoe High School student, Shelly was nominated for this prestigious honor by Linda Marr, Counselor at MHS.

"This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain" said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy. "Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America history. Certainly United States Achievement Academy award winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication and achievement."

"The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors and other school sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy.

Shelly's name will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook published nationally.

She is the daughter of Jerry and Sharon Berry. Her grandparents are Essie Dalrymole of Muleshoe and Margaret Berry of Ventura, California.

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honorees and Buddy and Alva Lee Peeler, parents of the prospective groom.

Cookies, fruits, coffee and punch were served by Joyce Allred and Delores Foster from a table covered with an ivory linen cloth accented with wide embroidery edging. Further enhancing the table were crystal and silver appointments and a silk arrangement of mauve carnations and babys breath and

Serving as host couples were: Boyd and Delores Foster, Raymond and Hanna Hill, Lynton and Joyce Allred, Homer and June Rudd, Walda and Carolyn Baxter, Eldon and June Owens, Joe and Ida Schumacher, John and Rose Marie Robinson, Joe and Marcella Saliz, Bob and Nancy Jasserand, Jerry and Karen Payne, Wendel and Merle Clark, Wister and Leta Clevenger, Clint and Margaret Formby, Charlie and Margaret Bell, and Gene and Velta King.

The prospective groom is the



SHELLY BERRY

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Purses

son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Peeler of Hereford and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Shofner and Mr. and Mrs. J.V.

Peeler, all of Muleshoe. The bride elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manti of



BRYAN PEELER, LAUREN MONTI

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MAY 11-17

THURSDAY TOPS CLUB 6:30 p.m. FRIENDSHIP CLUB 2:30 p.m. **ODDFELLOWS LODGE** 7:30 p.m. **HOBBY CLUB** 2 p.m.

> FRIDAY KIWANIS CLUB 6:30 a.m. SENIOR PROM

SATURDAY ALCOHOLIC ANONYMOUS 10:30 a.m.

MONDAY SWCD DISTRICT BOARD MEETING # A.M. MOONLIGHT EXTENSION

> CLUB 7:30 p.m. PTA 7 p.m.

TUESDAY REBEKAH LODGE 7:30 p.m. ROTARY CLUB 12 noon TRIANGLE CB CLUB 8 p.m. CITY COUNCIL 8 a.m. ALPHA ZETA PI 7:30 p.m.

> 7:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY FIRE DRILL

XI OMICRON XI

7:30 p.m:

ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

LIONS CLUB 12 noon **DUSTY PRAIRIE EXTENSION CLUB**

2:30 p.m.



VICA WINNER AT ENMU--Eric Allison of Muleshoe, placed third and received a bronze medal for his cabinetry entry in the New Mexico state competition sponsored by the Vocational Industrial Clubs of America, held recently in Albuquerque. Allison is a student in the Building Trades Construction program at Eastern New Mexico University, Clovis. This was the first year that he had entered the

Walking down the aisle in style

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PHARMACY STUDENTS RECOGNIZED -- Outstanding pharmacy students at Southwestern Oklahoma State University were recognized with awards and scholarships at the annual pharmacy spring banquet held recently on the SWOSU campus at Weatherford. Receiving awards during the School of Pharmacy's 50th anniversary celebration weekend were (Front from left): Mary Elise Terrell, Dekalb, Gertrude S. Keller Memorial Scholarship; Sheryn Gay Brady, Lubbock, OPHA Auxiliary Award; Jna Kay Cornelius, Amarillo, the Upjohn Company Achievement Award; Sherri Michele Herring, Amarillo, School of Pharmacy Achievement Award; Maria Diann Bryant, Euless, School of Pharmacy Achievement Award; and Bess Elder, Dimmitt, School of Pharmacy Achievement Award. Back Row-Jerry Dean Smith, Minneola, Kan., Myland Company Award; Dyron Howell, Clarendon, Eli Lilly & Company Achievement Award; and the Facts and Comparison Excellence Award in Clinical Communications; Eddie K. Wong. San Angelo, Smith-Kline Award; Sidney 'Mike' O'Grady, Muleshoe, Lemon Company Student Award; Alan Gene Morgan, Jacksonville, Ala., McKesson Inc. Scholarship; and Michael Johnson, Amarillo, School of Pharmacy Achievement Award. (Guest Photo)

Local O.E.S. Chapter To Sell Seasonings

Carractures and a contracture of the contracture of Muleshoe Chapter No. 792 O.E.S. held their monthly meeting on May 3 at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Lodge Hall in Muleshoe. The meeting opened in regular form with 16 members present.

Petitions were read for Ray and Betty Ruthardt. An investigating committee was appointed by Lavonne Hinkson, Worthy

The treasurer's report was given by Wayne Williams, treasurer.

Under unfinished business, the members are reminded to pay their dues for the next year. The dues need to be paid before installation in June. Louise Williams, secretary, has the new dues cards.

Everyone was reminded to continue studying their parts in the funeral service.

It was reported that the flavorings and pepper are in and are now for sale at the meetings or at Williams Bro. Office Supply. Flavors available include vanilla, lemon and almond.

Bills were read and allowed to be paid. Thank-you cards were read from Margaret Collins and the Muleshoe Masonic Lodge. Invitations were received from

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ship night May 13 and their open installation June 10. Earth Chapter will have their last meeting before consolidation with Olton in the near future and they plan to eat out, dutch treat, at Panchita's Restaurant at 6:30

It was also reported that the skating sponsored in April showed a profit of \$65.00.

Nine members from Muleshoe traveled to Earth in April to their April meeting.

Barbara Lust told about Muleshoe's friendship night. It was a Hawaiian luau, and it was reported that a wonderful salad supper was enjoyed by everyone. Jonessa Jennings of Lazbuddie provided the entertainment after the meal. She sang several gospal songs and a Hawaiian Wedding Song. There were 38

members and visitors present. announced. It will be at 7 p.m. on June 6. The meeting will follow

The chapter voted to donate a gift of \$25.00 to Crime Stoppers in Muleshoe. The chapter agreed it is a worth while project and should be supported by the Dimmitt Chapter to their friendcommunity.

Muleshoe Chapter was glad to have Ruth McCarty with them for their meeting. She had been in the hospital and home sick not long before the meeting. It was reported that Ruby Edwards is in the Clovis hospital again. Sheree Montgomery visited Ms. Edwards on Monday and reported that she is not doing well at this

Clara Lou Jones reminded the members they should try and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ladd. He spends a lot of time at the nursing home with her and needs our support and visits.

It was also reported that Margaret Collins has had surgery and is back home. Billy Mathis, a duel member with Muleshoe, had a severe stroke and is in the hospital.

A program for Mother's Day A practice for installation was was presented by Barbara Lust and she read a poem called "It Takes a Mother"

Eulaine Phillips read a poem for Memorial Day called "A Memorial Day Prayer."

A memorial ceremony was presented by all the officers, under direction of Lavonne Hinkson. It was done in remembrance of the members of Muleshoe Chapter and Grand Chapter who had died during the year. Those remembered were: Ika Bell Wilkerson, died Oct. 1988; Phyllis Beavers Smith, died Nov. 1988; From Grand Chapter: Paul Stoneman P.G.P., died Nov. 1988; Thurman Perry P.G.P., died Nov. 1988; Mable Stark P.G.M., died Dec. 1988; and Thelma Pennington Grand Ada died Jan. 1989.

Frank Hinkson, W.P. read the bulletin highlights, then the chapter was closed.

Refreshments were served by

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Journal Files

60 Years Ago

ENGINEERS HERE LAST WEEK SURVEYING TOWN FOR SEWER SYSTEM

The engineering firm of Montgomery and Ward have men here this week surveying the town for the purpose of furnishing an estimate on the cost of a sewer system. It is necessary that the sewer system be layered in the town before the work of paving the streets can begin, and as soon as it is known what the cost of the system will be the improvement plan, recently approved by the citizens of Muleshoe will be taken up. It is understood that utilities company is asking for a franchise for the sewer system.

50 Years Ago

PAVING OF FIVE CITY **BLOCKS PROPOSED**

That the city of Muleshoe is contiemplating improving and extending improvement of principal business streets here, was the information imparted last Friday noon to business men at the Chamber of Commerce

Tentative plans are to resurface the two blocks of pavement on Main Street, also lay a pavement 30 feet wide on at least two and possibaly three cross business streets adjoining Main Street, property owners to furnish expense of curb building. Cross street paving will connect with paving on State Highway Number 214.

40 Years Ago

NEW PHONE SYSTEM ANNOUNCED

Plans for a dial telephone system at Muleshoe were announced today by G.D. Shelley. District Manager for Southwestern Associated Telephone Com-

Shelley stated that studies were now being made of

equipment and cost of a dial system for Muleshoe and that as soon as they are completed he will go before the City Council to explain operation of the system and present rates that will be necessary for dial telephone service. After the City Council has approved plans and rates for dial service, the telephone company will make a canvis of suscribers to determine wheather they want dial service and are willing to pay the rates necessary Shelley said that if 70 percent approved of the new type service and rates, final plans would be made.

In discussing plans for the dial system, Shelley said that it would be of the switch type, which would be expanded to serve several thousand telephones. It was also stated that a building would be constructed to house the dial equipment.

More than 300 telephones have been added in the last three

years, or almost as many as were in service on January 1, 1945. This has been possible only by major additions to the cable and wire system, together with additional switchboard equipment in the telephone office.

30 Years Ago

LOCAL BANKS PAY

THREE PERCENT ON SAVINGS Muleshoe Banks have advanced the rate of interest paid on savings to three percent, compounded semi-annually. Officers of both the Muleshoe State Bank and of the First National Bank announced the increased interest rate Monday of this .

This increase was made effective in many of the banks of

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WPMC Struggles

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recruiting RN's because the nurses currently receive no benefits. She said they are hoping to have commitments from enough RN's to help qualify for Medicare, but said benefits for nurses must be assured.

She was asked by MAHD member, Bob Finney that if the situation changes, and the hospital district is approved, would recruiting become easier. Ms. Swint said if the hospital district is approved, and the hospital is stabilized, recruiting will become easier.

Chisholm commented, "Newspaper headlines are doing more to get people interested in the hospital than all the ads we can run."

He said there would be no extension for the emergency room waiver, so something must be done for the Medicare waiver which was the first one issued in the state of Texas. Under the Medicare waiver, Medicare patients could be observed for 23 hours, although not admitted to the hospital as a patient.

Dr. Bruce Purdy told the MAHD Board, "The medical staff would like Medicare as soon as possible. We realize the increased financial load that would accompany Medicare certification, but we must find a way for the increased staff and plant changes required."

Muleshoe Nursing Home Administrator Rachel Snider talked about upcoming changes in nursing home procedures.

Currently, the nursing home has three levels of pay, but will be changing to 11-different levels of care, with graduating charges for each level.

She said that currently, the nursing home is full. It has 47 people, and a waiting list for residents. She also said the nursing home is licensed for 57 beds, but because some of the patients have contracted for private rooms, the nursing home is full at 47 residents.

She also said currently, 60 percent of the residents are Medicaid and 40 percent are private pay.

Ms. Snider explained changes in the Texas laws that will be affecting all nursing homes, and extra expenses that will be involved with extra personnel to be hired.

She also talked about inspectors and what they will find wrong at the Muleshoe Nursing Home. There are no major difficulties, but smaller problems that inspectors say will "take away from the quality of life for the residents."

Unlike hospitals, it was explained that nursing homes can be assessed penalties in the form of fines, which have to be paid. Coy Noles, a CPA from Lubbock talked about the financial condition of the hospital. He said that according to the records provided by the bookkeeping staff at WPMC, the hospital is pretty much in range with operating losses of other hospitals he works with. "I have seen worse," he commented.

He said the most critical area at this time was to get necessary upkeep done, and try to take care of some old debts was of major

He said the \$25,000-\$30,000 operating losses at the hospital right now could be substantially cut down. And, at best, according to Noles, it will take 4-5 years to 'get over the hump,' and everything paid off, such as old

Noles also said that if the hospital is used by local and area residents, it could be in the 'black' by as little as three years.

The CPA said one additional patient a day can make a big difference in losses and that two additional patients per day can make a \$25,000-\$30,000 difference in hospital income in only

"I would urge you, as a board," Noles told the Temporary Board of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District, "to demand monthly financial statements; review them closely. And, ask questions!!"

Finney then asked about the hospital operating for another 50 days as it currently operates, and received a 'very doubtful' ans-

Kay Swint said the hospital could handle as high as 8-9 patients per day as easily as they are handling the same approximately three patients at this time. This would involve very little extra expense for the hospital's operation, she said.

Dr. Purdy discussed the method of payment for Medicare, but emphasized, "we've got to figure out how to service all our patients."

Dr. Purdy also briefly explained the difference in Medicare payments to urban and rural hospitals, and how much it takes away from rural hospitals.

The WPMC administrator told the MAHD board about reorganization being underway in the billing and insurance offices at the hospital and the new methods of collecting overdue accounts.

"Most everything is beginning to move into place," he said. "We will be trying to do things financially for the next two months. We believe good things will be coming for West Plains Medical Center," added Chis-

Buck Campbell, president of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board, said "This will be a pretty tough deal, any way you

look at it, for a few years. A hospital district will only give us a foothold."

The doctors believe that once a hospital district is approved, it will be easy to recruit new doctors to Muleshoe. He said that eight years ago, there were more than five doctors, and a surgeon. Adding additional doctors, and a surgeon, would increase the patient load in WPMC, adding, he already has three inquiries from doctors, including a respected surgeon, about moving to Muleshoe.

Also, the transfer of many patients to Lubbock would cease, as they could be adequately cared for in Muleshoe.

Both Dr. Purdy and Kay Swint said the operating room and O.B. are well-equipped, and the nurses have a lot of good, modern equipment. It is not the medical part that needs updated, said Dr. Purdy, but the physical plant itself.

The CPA reminded that should the hospital close again, there will be a loss of jobs, property devaluation, loss of more businesses, and the medical dollars that could be staying in Muleshoe will be spent out of town.

Both boards will be working toward finding both temporary and permanent solutions to the hospital situation while Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture and a nucleus committee, headed up by the Muleshoe Activities Committee work in the election campaign.

City...

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the Safe Water Drinking Act, scheduled to be held in Lubbock on May 19. He encouraged council members to attend the seminar, if possible, as the new Act will affect Muleshoe.

The city manager also briefly discussed the Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board meetings held last Thursday night, and again on Monday night.

Marr said current physical plant and financial conditions of the hospital were discussed with the Temporary Board of Directors for the Muleshoe Area Hospital District.

He said the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture had agreed to spearhead the upcoming June 20 election campaign to form the hospital district in portions of both Bailey County and Parmer County.

The city manager said the current West Plains Medical Center Board will be trying to keep the hospital open until after the election while the Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board will be trying to find solutions for the hospital's problems.

Farm Bureau Will Send Trio To Seminar

The Texas Farm Bureau's 27th annual Citizenship Seminar for junior and senior high school students will be June 12-16 on the campus of Angelo State University in San Angelo.

Planning to attend from Bailey County are Kristyl Albertson, daughter of Twile Albertson; Heidi Bohler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bohler; and Raymond Martinez, grandson of Concha Estrada.

They were chosen to represent Bailey County because of their leadership ability, scholastic achievement and character, said Ronald Scott, Bailey County Farm Bureau president.

The seminar, which runs for three full days, is designed to give these selected high school students a better understanding of the various forms of government and their responsibilities as citizens.

Comparisons of the different kinds of economic systems are outlined in lectures, films, and discussions presented by leading authorities in government, history and economics.

> Life's Little Lesson: The more money you get the more money you spend.

Rotary Enjoys Tech Head Football Coach Spike Dikes As Speaker

Brad Poynor introduced one of the most humorous speakers as guest speaker at Rotary Tuesday who has been around in quite

In town for Red Raider Day at the Muleshoe Country Club, Spike Dikes, head football coach at Texas Tech University agreed to be the Rotary speaker before he went to the Country Club for golf and a dinner.

The speaker, who said he grew up some 40 miles from Muleshoe, talked about a "dream." He said it was the life-long dream of all boys who grew up in West Texas and played football in West Texas, to someday be representing Texas Tech Univer-

"It is a great university," said Dikes, "and is unique, as it is rather isolated and a regional university. It's a real pleasure to represent Tech."

He assured an overflow crowd at Rotary that "we've been good before and will get good again." He said it has been a bad 4-5 years for Tech, but they would

make the 'long haul' back to the Using examples from students he has coached, Coach Dikes talked about how they overcame

sible" to become winners in life. "What It Takes To Be The Best, "could best summarize his

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what was considered "impos-

talk, which was presented all the manual labor is. way through in typical "Spike Dikes Humor."

He spoke about an athlete named "Joe" who came from the wrong side of the tracks, with every strike against him, who wanted to become a doctor. Against all odds, he is now an orthopedic surgeon in Arizona.

Another example used by the coach was of a small hardware businessman in Arkansas. He you," he concluded. said that 25 years ago, the man had a 'dream,' and today, Sam Walton, the owner of all the Walmart and Sam's Stores, is the wealthiest man in the U.S. -- all because he had a 'dream.'

In giving the 'A,' 'B,' and 'C's,' of winning, Coach Dikes listed the first as "ambition," and gave several samples of what ambition can do.

This was followed by 'Believe' -- in yourself and what you can do. "They who believe they can -- can do what he believes he can accomplish," according to the

He said the youth of American today have not all gone to 'pot,' and we have a lot of really great

'Commitment' was the third, however, Coach Dikes said it actually begins with a 'W' -- for

"You're not ever going to get to the top until you learn what

He also said, anytime you can get enough people together to make a commitment, this group of people can do anything.

He concluded by saying he appreciates what the people in Muleshoe have done for the Texas Tech athletic program, and what the people of Muleshoe are continuing to do.

"We need you -- and we want

At the beginning of the meeting, congratulations were given Rotarians Max King and Ed Cox for winning a position on the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees, and a thank you to Julie Cage for serving on the school board for two terms.

J. D. Cage gave a brief report on the conference last weekend in Amarillo, and thanked Randy Field, Max King and Curtis Shelburne for taking part in the conference.

Bill Liles announced he had tickets available for the Tuesday night Athletic Banquet and Jerry Hicks was winner of the Polio Plus drawing.

Guests at the meeting included Noe Anzaldua, Julie Cage, Frank Ellis, Mark Williams, Sam Whalin, Eric McElroy, Todd Bessire, Ken Box, Wade Littlefield and Brad Long, Student of the

Hospital Needs

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The Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act, Public Law 100-203, Section 4201-4214, amending Sections 1819 and 1919 of the Social Security Act has created the Nurse Aide Registry and Training Program. The initial requirements under this law are effective January 1, 1989. This is a 180 hours course which must be coordinated by a Registered Nurse with one year teaching experience.

Due to these significant changes taking place, we are looking at the need to increase our resident staff ratio by two LVN's and one part time RN to coordinate the Nurse Aide Training Program. MULESHOE NURSING HOME

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REPORT

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quarter is usually the best

quarter of a hospital's year,

therefore, it is anticipated that

the average monthly operating

loss will be in the range of

\$30,000-\$40,000 per month. For a

\$350,000 annual operating loss in

addition to any capital improve-

One must recognize that the

hospital has been operating over

the last year and one half with

only limited infusion of cash.

Therefore, we must receive an

infusion of cash to fund prior

operating losses, and much

needed capitol, equipment, and

For small rural hospitals to

work in this day and time, we

must have the following ingre-

dients at work; an active

compatible board, physicians

willing to cooperate with the

hospital, sound administration,

improvement items.

ments needed.

clave system are all in need of CONDITION REPORT 8. Repairs to the roof and parking lot areas are due and Thanks to all the community

necessary immediately. 9. Central clock system throughout the hospital is in need

of repair. 10. The hospital's emergency generator system is in need of repair.

12. Many items of medical equipment and furniture have reached it's useful life expectancy and must be repaired or replaced. (Mattresses, furniture, blood banking equipment, laboratory scientific equipment, radio, paging and communication equipment.)

In summary, it will take over a full year of planning and assessment, and acquisition of those items needed to bring the hospital into contemporary, state of the art condition.

WPMC PERSONNEL STAFFING REPORT

Presently West Plains Medical Center employees 44 employees in the hospital and 53 employees in the nursing home for a grand total of 97 employees overall.

In order to meed Medicare nursing staff requirements and care for an increasing number of patients, five RN's, three LVN's, three ward clerks and three nurses aides will need to be added to the staff.

We will also need to add to our staff, a part time lab tech, a full time physical therapist, and a full time pharmacist.

In summary, over the next six months, we will need to hire a total of 20 new employees, of which 13 of these will be Medical Professional Licensed personnel. CONDITION REPORT

MULESHOE **NURSING HOME** Staffing For Nurses and Nurses Aides

As a result of several significant changes taking place in the Medicaid Nursing Home Program, Muleshoe Nursing Home will be required to hire an additional two Licensed Vocational Nurses. The new requirement will provide the Nursing Home a LVN on duty 24 hours a

and a taxing district to compensate for the shortfall in reimbursement from the governmental agencies. (Medicare - Medi-

It appears that most of the pieces for effective operations of West Plains Medical Center are moving into place. Additionally, some relief for rural hospitals and nursing homes from the state and federal agencies are in the developmental stages now and in the near future appear brighter than the last three years have

In Nursing Home Care, mixed programs are predicted to produce added revenue income.

In Hospitals, Medicare-Medicaid enhancement programs in rural areas are presently being reviewed at the grass roots level by the taxpayers and legislatures. Every citizen and organization needs to assess their own area's healthcare needs for the immediate future, and do it now.

maintain the hospital. We are Mule Varsity putting these repairs off if we Baseball Season Winding Down

Baseball is still ongoing at Muleshoe High School.

On April 28, the Mules fell to lighting in resident rooms, floor Seminole, 8-17. In the game, the team had four

traffic areas, overall plumbing is hits, eight runs, six strike outs, in need of renovation, and and nine base on balls in their 21 window curtains are in need of times at bat.

The next day, April 29, the A complete needs-assessment Varsity Mules came back to is warranted with consideration defeat the Portales JV, 10-8. of expanding the physical plant

In 23 times at the plate, the and adding additional nursing Mules had nine hits, 10 runs; home beds to meet the needs four strike outs and 14 base on associated with the Muleshoe

Benny Parker started the pitching and was relieved by Larry Gonzales, who completed five and two-thirds innings.

Canyon romped all over the West Plains Medical Center Mules on May 2, with a final score of 16-0. The Mules were at bat 16 times, but managed only two hits, four strike outs and four

Washington Notes

Inflation Fears Eased Wholesale prices rose a

moderate 0.4 percent in March, the government said in a report that buoyed spirits on Wall Street, where fears of spiraling inflation had risen in tandem with earlier steep price increases.

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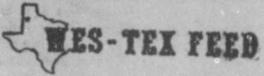
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Tailwater Cases 'Up' Says Water District

High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 officials have noted an increase in tailwater reports during the 1989 pre-plant irrigation season. However, these additional reports do not signal a return to the groundwater waste that occurred in previous years, according to Ken Carver, assistant manager.

Drier than normal soil conditions over the area have caused more farmers to apply a pre-plant irrigation this year than in the previous three years. The amount of tailwater escaping from the fields has increased accordingly.

"Tailwater waste causes depletion of the Ogallala Aquifer without deriving beneficial use from the pumped water. Irrigators must also pay pumping costs for the runoff without realizing benefits from that cost. The waste affects all of us," says Carver. He adds that tailwater can also erode topsoil, damage

neighboring crops, and create safety hazards by filling roadway ditches and culverts.

Carver reminds irrigators that tailwater waste is not only costly in terms of water and energy, but it is also against the law.

State law and High Plains Water District rules strictly prohibit tailwater waste. Water District rules define tailwater waste as "Wilfully or negligently causing, suffering, or permitting underground water produced for irrigation or agricultural purposes to escape into any river, creek, or other natural water course, depression, or lake, reservoir, drain, or into any sewer, street, highway, road, road ditch, or upon the land of any person other than the owner of such well, or upon public

District field personnel document tailwater occurrences with photographs and written memorandums. In most cases, the

District is able to work with landowners and operators to reduce or eliminate tailwater waste. However, in some cases, habitual violation of tailwater laws results in court-ordered injunctions against both the landowner and the operator. Continued tailwater waste is then considered "contempt of court" and can carry a maximum fine of \$500 and/or jail sentence of six months per occurrence.

Carver notes that most irrigators are cooperative in correcting tailwater problems when informed of the benefits of tailwater prevention.

"Overall, the farmers realize that they need to conserve their water and prevent waste. Even though an increasing number of tailwater problems are being addressed this year, the trend is toward better water conservation by the farmers," he says.

Carver cites several water conservation techniques that irrigators may incorporate into their management plans to reduce and/or eliminate tailwa-

Tailwater return systems may be installed in an excavated pit, or a modified playa lake, to store runoff water. With a lake pump in place, irrigators can transport the reclaimed water from the pit for re-use in the field. This helps lower the cost of pumping groundwater and also reduces the dependence upon groundwater.

Surge irrigation can also reduce or eliminate tailwater by utilizing a series of timed irrigation cycles to quickly send water down the furrow. When the water reaches the furrow end, the surge cycle time is cut back to prevent tailwater runoff. Surge irrigation can increase furrow irrigation application efficiencies from 10 to 40 percent.

Another irrigation method that is being widely adopted across the Water District is the center pivot sprinkler. By adjusting the pivot's traveling speed, the volume of water can be matched to the soil's infiltration rate in order to reduce runoff.

Center pivots modified with droplines reduce evaporation losses and increase water application efficiency ratings. Modified dropline center pivot systems demonstrate about an 80 percent water application efficiency rating, while LEPA, or low energy precision application, systems can achieve up to a 98 percent water application efficiency rating when used with furrow dikes.

"There are many physical methods available to help control or prevent tailwater waste, but the individual operator is usually the key to whether or not water is wasted. Careful management of irrigation water normally provides the best results for eliminating tailwater waste," he says.

"The High Plains Water District commends the many area farmers who are doing an excellent job of managing their water, and we want them to know our District staff is always available to assist the farmer in utilizing his water wisely," he

For more information on controlling tailwater, contact the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, TX 79405 or call (806) 762-0181.

New Legal Service Helps The Elderly

Often, the people who need a lawyer the most can least afford one. A new service, the Legal Hotline for Older Texars, is now being offered to any Texan 60 years of age or older.

"We want this to be a first resort for older Texans when they have problems or questions about legal matters," said Randall Chapman, director of Texas Legal Services Center. "Our primary aim is to provide older Texans, especially those on low, fixed-income, with free or lowcost legal services."

Hotline attorneys determine if callers have a legal problem, give free legal information and advice over the phone, and provide brief services such as calling a third party or writing a letter to resolve a legal problem. Problems that cannot be resolved by the Hotline will be referred to legal aid organizations for low-income clients, or local attorneys in private practice who agree to charge reduced fees.

Hotline services are free. People requiring follow-up services may be referred to a local attorney.

"Licensed attorneys will help resolve such caller's problems with Social Security, health care, consumer problems and elder abuse," Chapman said. "Our service will place a lot of emphasis on public benefits and health care. I believe our primary clients, elderly on low, fixedincomes, are in dire need of these particular services."

O. P. 'Bob' Bobbitt, executive director of the Texas Department on Aging, believes the Hotline will enhance the efforts of his department in providing legal services to the elderly. "This hotline will be a very useful resource to the elderly, especially the homebound and those who may be institutionalized. We are presently enhancing our efforts in the area of benefits counseling and legal services are certainly an integral part of it," he said.

The Legal Hotline for Older Texans is primarily supported by a grant from the American Association of Retired Persons, with additional in-kind support from the State Bar of Texas and the Texas Department on Aging.

The Legal Hotline for Older Texans toll-free statewide number is 1-800-444-9114. Austin residents may call 477-3950.

The hours of operation are 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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Butcher: Here you are, Ma'am. Shall I wrap it up? Woman: No, I just wanted to see what 15 pounds looked like. That's how much I lost on my diet.



ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

By Christian Sims 1. Who is Tim Belcher? 2. Who is president of the International Football League?

3. Who owns the Dallas Cowboys?

4. What teams will comprise the IFL? 5. Who is Jeff Malone?

The Answers:

1. Los Angeles Dodger pitcher. 2. Tex Schramm.

3. Jerry Jones of Arkan-4. Five or six from the U.S. and five or six from Europe.

5. Basketball pro of the Washington Bullets.

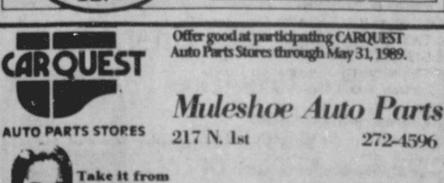
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NOTICE OF ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF BAILEY

To the Resident, Qualified Electors of Bailey County, Texas: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the territory of the proposed Muleshoe Area Hospital District located in Bailey County on June 20, 1989, in accordance with an order adopted by the temporary directors of said District which is a part of this notice for all purposes and reads as follows:

AN ORDER by the Temporary Directors of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District calling a creation and tax election to be held within the proposed District boundaries in Bailey County, Texas, making provision for the conduct of the election and ordering other matters incident and related to the holding of such election.

WHEREAS, H.B. 1467 (the 'Act''), relating to the creation of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District (the "District") was passed by the 71st Texas Legislature on April 18, 1989;

WHEREAS, the Act provides that the Muleshoe Area Hospital District (the "District") may be created and a tax may be authorized only if the creation and the tax are approved by a majority of the registered voters of the territory of the proposed district located in Bailey County or by a majority of the registered voters of the territory of the proposed district located in Parmer County voting at separate elections in the respective counties; and

WHEREAS, the Act provides that a majority of the temporary directors of the District may order the separate creation elections to be held; and

WHEREAS, a majority of the temporary directors of the District agree to and hereby do order an election in Bailey County, Texas to determine whether or not the District shall be created and a tax authorized in accordance with the provisions of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Act provides that the provisions of Section 41.001(a) of V.T.C.A., Election Code, as amended, do not apply to an election ordered under the Act; therefore,

BE IT ORDERED, ADJUD-GED AND DECREED BY THE TEMPORARY DIRECTORS OF THE MULESHOE AREA HOS-PITAL DISTRICT:

SECTION 1: An election shall be held on the 20th day of June, 1989, in the territory of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District located in Bailey County, Texas, which date is not less than forty-five (45) nor more than sixty (60) days from the date of the adoption hereof for the purpose of submitting the measure set forth below:

'SHALL the Muleshoe Area Hospital District be created in the territory of said District located in Bailey County, Texas, and shall an ad valorem be levied annually for hospital purposes at a rate not to exceed 25 cents on each \$100 valuation of all taxable property in the District?"

SECTION 2: Paper ballots shall be used in this election and for absentee voting in accordance with the provisions of V.T.C.A., Election Code, as amended.

The ballots shall be prepared in accordance with the applicable provisions of V.T,C.A., Election Code, as amended, so the voters may cast their ballots either "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid measure which shall appear on the ballot in substantially the following form:

"THE CREATION OF THE MULESHOE AREA HOSPITAL DISTRICT AND THE LEVY OF ANNUAL TAXES FOR HOSPIT-AL PURPOSES AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED 25 CENTS ON EACH \$100 VALUATION OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT"

SECTION 3: The territory of the District located in Bailey County, Texas constitutes a single election precinct for this election and the polling place designated for such election precinct and the persons hereby appointed to serve as Presiding Judge and Alternate Presiding Judge for such polling place are shown in Exhibit "A", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as a part

hereof for all purposes. Each Presiding Judge shall abril de 1989; y

appoint not less than one (1) nor more than four (4) qualified clerks to serve and assist in holding said election; provided that if the Presiding Judge herein appointed actually serves, the Alternate Presiding Judge shall be one of the clerks.

On election day, the polls shall be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00

Absentee voting for the election ordered hereunder shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of V.T.C.A., Election Code, as amended. The absentee voting clerk and the official mailing address for the absentee voting clerk hereby appointed to serve in such capacity for the election to be held in the territory of the District located in Bailey County are shown on Exhibit "A". For the period absentee voting for said election is permitted by law, the absentee voting clerk shall keep said office or offices open for absentee voting at least eight hours each weekday for the absentee voting period that is not a legal state holiday, such hours to be from 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on such weekdays.

SECTION 4: All resident qualified electors of Bailey County, Texas, shall be permitted to vote at the election ordered hereunder and held in the territory of the District located in said County, and on the day of the election, such electors shall vote at the polling place designated for the Bailey County Election Precinct. The election ordered hereby shall be held and conducted in accordance with V.T.C.A. Election Code, as amended, and the Act; and as may be required by law, all election materials and proceedings shall be printed in both English and Spanish.

SECTION 5: A substantial copy of this Order shall serve as proper notice of the election ordered hereby. Said notice, including a Spanish translation thereof, shall be published once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the proposed District, the first of said publications to appear in said newspaper at least thirty-five (35) days prior to the date set for the election.

PASSED AND APPROVED. this the 4th day of May, 1989.

MULESHOE AREA HOSPITAL DISTRICT By: Tim 'Buck' Campbell

President

Attest: Robert Finney Secretary

EXHIBIT "A" Muleshoe Area Hospital District Bailey County, Texas **Election Precinct** Information Polling Place: Muleshoe High School Cafeteria, Muleshoe, Tex-

Presiding Judge: Margrethe

Alternate Presiding Judge: Hazel Gilbreath Absentee Voting Clerk and

official mailing address: County Clerk, Bailey County **Bailey County Courthouse** 300 S. 1st Street P.O. Box 735

AVISO DE ELECCION EL ESTADO DE TEXAS CONDADO DE BAILEY

Muleshoe, Texas 79347

A todo Votante, Residente y Calificado del Condado de Bailey, Texas:

AVISO de que se llevara a cabo una elección en el territorio del propuesto Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe situado en el Condado de Bailey el 20 de junio de 1989, de acuerdo con una orden aceptada por los directores provisionales de dicho Distrito que es parte de este aviso para todo objeto practico y se lee como sigue:

UNA ORDEN por los Directores Privisionales del Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe demandando una elección para crear y gravar impuesto a tener lugar dentro de los límites del propuesto Distrito en el Condado de Bailey, Texas, estipulando medidas para el dirigir de la elección y otros asuntos incidentes y pertinentes al llevar a cabo

de dicha elección. VISTO QUE, H.B. 1467 (El "Acta"), refiriéndose a la creación del Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe (el "Distrito") fue aprobada por la Legislatura 71 de Texas el 18 de

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VISTO OUE, el Acta estipula que el Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe (el "Distrito") pueda ser creado y se pueda autorizar un impuesto solo si la creación y el impuesto son aprobados por la mayoria de los votantes registrados del territorio del propuesto distrito situado en el Condado de Bailey o por la mayoria de los votantes registrados del territorio del propuesto Distrito situado en el Condado de Parmer votando en elecciones separadas en los condados respectivos; y

VISTO QUE, el Acta estipula que la mayoria de los directores provisionales del Distrito estan de acuerdo que y por este medio demandan una elección en el Condado de Bailey, Texas, para determinar si el Distrito será creado y un umpuesto será autorizado de acuerdo con las estipulaciones del Acta; y

VISTO QUE, el Acta estipula que las estipulaciones de la Sección 41.00(a) de V.T.C.A., Código para Elecciones, como enmendado, no se aplica a la elección demandada bajo el Acta; por consiguiente.

ES ORDENADO, DECLAR-ADO Y MANDADO POR LOS DIRECTORES PROVISIONALES DEL DISTRITO DE AREA DE HOSPITAL DE MULESHOE:

SECCION 1: Se llevará a cabo una elección el dia 20 de junio de 1989, en el territorio del Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe situado en el Condado de Bailey, Texas, cuya fecha no sea menos que cuarenta y cinco (45) ni más que sesenta (60) días al partir de la fecha de aprobación de esto con el fin de presentar la medida explicada más adelante:

¿"DEBERA el Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe ser creado en el territorio de dicho Distrito situado en el Condado de Bailey, Texas, y deberá ser gravado un ad valorem al ano para utilidades de hospital al porcentaje no sobrepasando 25 centavos a cada \$100 de avaluación de toda propiedad imponible en el Distrito?"

SECCION 2: Se emplearan balotas de papel en esta elección para los votos en ausencia de acuerdo con las estipulaciones de V.T.C.A., Codigo para Elecciones, como enmendado.

Se preparan las balotas de acuerdo con las estipulaciones aplicables de V.T.C.A., Código para Elecciones, como enmendado, para que los votantes puedan votar "en favor" o "en contra" a la antedicha medida que aparecera en la balota substancialmente de la forma siguiente: LA CREACION DEL DISTRI-

TO DE AREA DE HOSPIT-AL DE MULESHOE Y EL GRAVAMEN DE IMPUES-TO ANUAL PARA UTILI-DAD DE HOSPITAL AL PORCENTAJE NO SOBRE-PASANDO 25 CENTAVOS A CADA \$100 DE AVALUA -CION DE TODA PROPIE-DAD IMPONIBLE EN EL DISTRITO"

SECCION 3: El territorio del Distrito situado en el Condado de Bailey, Texas, constituye de un recinto electoral singular para esta elección y el lugar para votar nombrado para dicho recinto electoral y las personas por este medio nombradas a servir como Juez Acutante y Juez Actuante Suplente de dicho lugar para votar están incluidos en la Exhibición "A" que se anade a esto y se incorpora aquí dentro por referencia a esto para todo objeto práctico.

Cada Juez Actuante nombrara no menos que un (1) ni mas que cuatro (4) escribientes calificados para servir y ayudar en el llevar a cabo de dicha elección; con tal que si el Juez Actuate aquí dentro nombrado desempena su cargo, el Juez Actuate Suplente será uno de los escribientes.

El día de elección, los lugares para votar estaran abiertos dosde las 7:00 de la manana hasta las 7:00 de la noche.

Se llevara a cabo el votar en ausencia para la elección demandada conforme a la presente de acuerdo con las estipulaciones de V.T.C.A., Codigo para Elecciones, como enmendado. Se incluye in la Exhibicion "A" al escribiente para los votos en ausencia y la direccion oficial de correo del escribiente para votos en ausencia por este medio nombrados a desempenar tal cargo para la elección a tener lugar en el territorio del Distrito situado

en el Condado de Bailey. Durante el período de votos en ausencia para dicha elección, permitido por ley, el escribiente para votos en ausencia tendra dicha oficina u oficinas abiertas para los votos en ausencia por lo menos ocho horas cada da de semana durante el período para votos en ausencia con tal que no sea feriado legal del estado, dichas horas a ser desde las 8:00 de la mañana hasta las 5:00 de la tarde durante dichos días de semana. SECCION 4: A todo votante

residente y calificado del Condado de Bailey, Texas, sae le permitira votar en la elección ordenada conforme a la presente y a tener lugar en el territorio del Distrito situado en dicho Condado, y el día de elección dichos votantes darán su voto en el lugar para votar nombrado para el Recinto Electoral del Condado de Bailey La elección demandada aquí dentro tendrá lugar y se llevara acabo de acuerdo con V.T.C.A., Codigo para Elecciones, como enmendado, y el Acta; y como pueda ser requerido por ley, todo materjal procedimiento de elección sera impreso tanto en ingles como en español.

SECCION 5: Una copia fidedigna de esta Orden servira como aviso adecuado de la eleccion demandada aquí dentro. Se esto una vez a la semana por dos semanas consecutivas en un periódico de amplia circulación en el propeusto Distrito, la primera de dichas publicaciones a aparecer endicho periodico a lo menos treinta y cinco (35) dias antes de la fecha establecida para la elección.

ACEPTADA Y APROBADA, este día 4 de MAYO, de 1989. DISTRITO DE AREA DE HOSPITAL DE MULESHOE Por: Tim 'Buck' Campbell Presidente

Atestigua: Robert Finney Secretaria

Exhibicion "A" Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe, Condado de Bailey Informacion de Recinto

Electoral de Texas Lugar para Votar: Cafeteria de la Escuela Secundaria Muleshoe Muleshoe, Texas Juez Actuate: Margrethe Taylor Juez Actuante Suplente: Hazel Gilbreath Escribiente de Votos en Ausencia y direccion por correo: County Clerk, Bailey County **Bailey County Courthouse** 300 S. 1st Street P. O. Box 735 Muleshoe, Texas 79347

NOTICE OF ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF PARMER

To the Resident, Qualified Electors of Parmer County, Texas:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the territory of the proposed Muleshoe Area Hospital District located in Parmer County on June 20, 1989, in accordance with an order adopted by the temporary directors of said District which is a part of this notice for all purposes

and reads as follows: AN ORDER by the Temporary Directors of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District calling a creation and tax election to be held within the proposed District boundaries in Parmer County, Texas, making provision for the conduct of the election and ordering other matters incident and related to the holding of such election.

WHEREAS, H.B. 1467 (the 'Act"), relating to the creation of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District (the "District"), was passed by the 71st Texas Legislature on April 18, 1989; and

WHEREAS, the Act provides that the Muleshoe Area Hospital District (the "District") may be created and a tax may be authorized only if the creation and the tax are approved by a majority of the registered voters of the territory of the proposed district located in Parmer County or by a majority of the registered voters of the territory of the proposed district located in Bailey County voting at separate elections in the respective coun-

WHEREAS, the Act provides that a majority of the temporary directors of the District may

tions to be held; and

WHEREAS, a majority of the temporary directors of the District agree to and hereby do order an election in Parmer County, Texas to determine whether or not the District shall be created and a tax authorized in accordance with the provisions of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Act provides that the provisions of Section 41.001(a) of V.T.C.A., Election Code, as amended, do not apply to an election ordered under the Act; therefore,

BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDG-ED AND DECREED BY THE TEMPORARY DIRECTORS OF THE MULESHOE AREA HOS PITAL DISTRICT:

SECTION 1: An election shall be held on the 20th day of June, 1989, in the territory of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District located in Parmer County, Texas, which date is not less than forty-five (45) nor more than sixty (60) days from the date of the adoption hereof for the purpose of submitting the measure set forth below:

"SHALL the Muleshoe Area Hospital District be created in the territory of said District located in Parmer County, Texas and shall an ad valorem be levied annually for hospital purposes at a rate not to exceed 25 cents on each \$100 valuation of all taxable property in the District?"

SECTION 2: Paper ballots shall be used in this election and for absentee voting in accordance with the provisions of V.T.C.A, Election Code, as amended.

The ballots shall be prepared in accordance with the applicable provisions of V.T.C.A., Election Code, as amended, so the voters may cast their ballots either "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid measure which shall appear on the ballot in substantially the following form:

"THE CREATION OF THE MULESHOE AREA HOSPITAL DISTRICT AND THE LEVY OF ANNUAL TAXES FOR HOSPIT-AL PURPOSES AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED 25 CENTS ON EACH \$100 VALUATION OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT."

SECTION 3: The territory of the District located in Parmer County, Texas constitutes a single election precinct for this election and the polling place designated for such election precinct and the persons hereby appointed to serve as Presiding Judge and Alternate Presiding Judge for such polling place are shown in Exhibit "A" which is attached bereto and incorporated herein by reference as a part

hereof for all purposes. Each Presiding Judge shall appoint not less than one (1) nor more than four (4) qualified clerks to serve and assist in holding said election; provided that if the Presiding Judge herein appointed actually serves, the Alternate Presiding Judge shall be one of the clerks.

On election day, the polls shall be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Absentee voting for the election ordered hereunder shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of V.T.C.A., Election Code, as amended. The absentee voting clerk, the deputy absentee voting clerks and the official mailing address for the absentee voting clerk hereby appointed to serve in such capacity for the election to be held in the territory of the District located in Parmer County are shown on Exhibit "A". For the period absentee voting for said election is permitted by law, the absentee voting clerk shall keep said office or offices open for absentee voting at least eight hours each weekday for the absentee voting period that is not a legal state holiday, such hours to be from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. on such weekdays. SECTION 4: All resident

qualified electors of Parmer County, Texas, shall be permitted to vote at the election ordered hereunder and held in the territory of the District located in said County, and on the day of the election, such electors shall vote at the polling place designated for the Parmer County Election Precinct. The election ordered hereby shall be held and conducted in accordance with V.T.C.A., Election Code, as amended, and the Act; and as may be required by law, all order the separate creation elec- election materials and proceed-

ings shall be printed in both English and Spanish.

SECCION 5: A substantial copy of this Order shall serve as proper notice of the election ordered hereby. Said notice, including a Spanish translation thereof, shall be published once a week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the proposed District, the first of said publications to appear in said newspaper at. least thirty-five (35) days prior to the date set for the election.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 4th day of May, 1989. MULESHOE AREA HOSPITAL DISTRICT

> By: Tim 'Buck' Campbell President

Attest: Robert Finney Secretary

EXHIBIT "A" Muleshoe Area Hospital District Parmer County, Texas

Election Precinct Information Polling Place: Lazbuddie High School Auditorium Lazbuddie, Texas Presiding Judge: Billie Powell Alternate Presiding Judge: Sandra Gregory Absentee Voting Clerk and official mailing address: Susie Sterling Superintendent's Office Lazbuddie Independent School District FM 1172 Lazbuddie, Texas 79053

Deputy absentee voting clerks: Kim Puckett Ray Orozco AVISO DE ELECCION

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS

CONDADO DE PARMER A todo Votante, Residente y Calificado del Condado de Parmer, Texas:

AVISO de que se llevará a cabo una elección en el territorio del propuesto Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe situado en el Condado de Parmer el 20 de junio de 1989, de acuerdo con una orden aceptada por los directores provisionales de dicho Distrito que es parte de este

aviso para todo objeto practico y se lee como sigue: UNA ORDEN por los Directores Provisionales del Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe demandando una elección para crear y gravar impuesto a tener lugar dentro de los límites del propuesto Distrito en el Condado de Parmer, Texas, estipulando medidas para el dirigir de la elección y otros asuntos incidentes y pertinentes al llevar a

cabo de dicha elección. VISTO QUE, H.B. 1467 (EI 'Acta''), refiriéndose a la creación del Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe (el "Distrito") fue aprobada por la Legislatura 71 de Texas el 18 de abril de 1989; y

VISTO QUE, el Acta estipula que el Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe (el "Distrito) pueda ser creado y se pueda autorizar un impuesto solo si la creación y el impuesto son aprobados por la mayoría de los votantes registrados del territorio del propuesto distrito situado en el Condado de Bailey o por la mayoria de los votantes registrados del territorio del propuesto Distrito situado en el Condado de Parmer votando en elecciones separadas en los condados respectivos; y

VISTO QUE, el Acta estipula que la mayoría de los directores provisionales del Distrito estan de acuerdo que y por este medio demandan una elección en el Condado de Parmer, Texas, para determinar si el Distrito será creado y un umpuesto será autorizado de acuerdo con las estipulaciones del Acta; y

VISTO QUE, el Acta estipula que las estipulaciones de la Seccion 41.00(a) de V.T.C.A., congo para Elecciones, como enmendado, no se aplica a la elección demandada bajo el Acta; por consiguiente,

ES ORDENADO, DECLARA-DO Y MANDADO POR LOS DIRECTORES PROVISIONALES DEL DISTRITO DE AREA DE HOSPITAL DE MULESHOE:

SECCION 1: Se llevará a cabo una elección el día 20 de junio de 1989, en el territorio del Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe situado en el Condado de Parmer, Texas, cuya fecha no sea menos que cuarenta y cinco (45) Cont. Page 10, Col. 1

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ni más que sesenta (60) dias al menos treinta y cinco (35) días partir de la techa de aprobación de esto con el fin de presentar la medida explicada más adelante:

¿"DEBERA el Distrito de Area este día 4 de MAYO, de 1989. de Hospital de Muleshoe ser creado en el territorio de dicho HOSPITAL DE MULESHOE Distrito situado en el Condado de Parmer, Texas, y debara ser gravado un ad valorem al ano para utilidades de hospital al porcentaje no sobrepasando 25 centavos a cada \$100 de avaluación de toda propiedad imponible en el Distrito?"

SECCION 2: Se emplearan balotas de papel en esta elección para los votos en ausencia de acuerdo con las estipulaciones de V.T.C.A. Código para Elecciones, como enmendado.

Se preparan las baiotas de acuerdo con las estipulaciones aplicables de V.T.C.A., Código para Elecciones, como enmendado, para que los votantes puedan votar "en favor" o "en contra" a la antedicha medida que aparecera en la balota substancialmente de la forma siguiente:

LA CREACION DEL DISTRI-TO DE AREA DE HOSPIT-AL DE MULESHOE Y EL GRAVAMEN DE IMPUES-TO ANUAL PARA UTILI-DAD DE HOSPITAL AL PORCENTAJE NO SOBRE-PASANDO 25 CENTAVOS A CADA \$100 DE AVALUA-CION DE TODA PROPIE-DAD IMPONIBLE EN EL DISTRITO"

SECCION 3: El territorio del Distrito situado en el Condado de Parmer, Texas, constituye de un recinto electoral singular para esta elección y el lugar para votar nombrado para dicho recinto electoral y las personas por este medio nombradas a servir como Juez Acutante y Juez Actuante Suplente de dicho lugar para votar están incluidos en la Exhibición "A" que se anade a esto y se incorpora aquí dentro por referencia a esto para todo objeto práctico.

Cada Juez Actuante nombrara no menos que un (1) ni más que cuatro (4) escribientes calificados para servir y ayudar en el llevar a cabo de dicha elección, con tal que si el Juez Actuate aquí dentro nombrado desempeña su cargo, el Juez Actuate Suplente será uno de los escribientes.

El día de elección, los lugares para votar estarán abiertos desde las 7:00 de la mañana hasta las 7:00 de la noche.

Se llevara a cabo el votar en ausencia para la elección demandada conforme a la presente de acuerdo con las estipulaciones de V.T.C.A., Codigo para Elecciones, como enmendado. Se incluye in la Exhibicion "A" al escribiente para los votos en ausencia y la dirección oficial de correo del escribiente para votos en ausencia por este medio nombrados a desempenar tal cargo para la elección a tener lugar en el territorio del Distrito situado en el Condado de Parmer. Durante el período de voios en ausencia para dicha elección permitido por ley, el escribiente para votos en ausencia tendrá dicha oficina u oficinas abiertas para los votos en ausencia por lo menos ocho horas cada día de semana durante el período para votos en ausencia con tal que no sea feriado legal del estado, dichas horas a ser desde las 8:00 de la manana hasta las 4:00 de la tarde durante dichos dias de semana.

SECCION 4: A todo votante residente y calificado del Condado de Parmer, Texas, se la permitira votar en la elección ordenada conforme a la presente y a tener lugar en el territorio del Distrito situado en dicho Conda-do, y el día elección dichos votantes darán su voto en el lugar para votar nombrado para el Recinto Electoral del Condado de Parmer. La elección demandada aqui dentro tendra lugar y se llevará acabo de acuerdo con V.T.C.A., Código para Elecciones, como enmendado, y el Acta; y como pueda ser requerido por ley, todo material y procedimiento de elección será impreso tanto en inglés como en español.

SECCION 5: Una copia fidedigna de esta Orden servira como aviso adecuado de la eleccion demandada aqui dentro. Se publicara dicho Aviso, incluyendo una traducción al español de periódoco de amplia circulación en el propuesto Distrito, la prmiera de dichas publicaciones a aparecer en dicho periódico a lo antes de la fechas establecida para la elección.

ACEPTADA Y APROBADA, DISTRITO DE AREA DE

Por: Tim 'Buck' Campbell Presidente

Atestigua: Robert Finney Secretaria

Exhibicion "A" Distrito de Area de Hospital de Muleshoe, Condado de Parmer Informacion de Recinto

Electoral de Texas

Lugar para Votar: Paraninfo de la Escuela Secundaria Lazbuddie Lazbuddie, Texas Juez Actuate: Billie Powell Juez Actuante Suplente: Sandra Gregory Escribiente de Votos en Auscencia y direccion por correo: Susie Sterling Oficina del Superintendente Distrito Escolar Independiente de Lazbuddie FM 1172

Lazbuddie, Texas 79053

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GTE Adding Code

Some New Water Wells May Violate Water Laws "It is important for people to into the underlying Triassic For- least 10 feet in height placed in Ogaliala Formation drains into know that their water well driller mation, or redbed, must be

may not legally complete a single water well in both the Ogallala Formation and the Triassic Formation," says Ken Carver, assistant manager of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 in Lubbock.

The reason for this restriction is that water will drain continuously from the upper formation into the lower formation, eventually depleting the upper formation.

Carver cited a recent Randall County domestic water well completed to pump from both geological formations as the reason for the District-wide reminder.

"In the past, some well drillers tried to get the 'best of both worlds' by perforating the casing opposite both formations. The Water District considers any well which allows groundwater from the Ogallala Formation to move into the Triassic Formation to be wasteful.

In 1965, the District's Board of Directors adopted a rule setting tion forth procedures designed to correct this type of water waste," he says.

According to Rule 16(A) of the High Plains Water District, uny water well or test hole drilled through the Ogailala Formation

completed so that groundwater from the Ogallala Formation will not be able to move into the formation beneath it.

If a well is drilled to produce water from the Triassic Formation, the casing must be set through the Ogallala Formation and into the Triassic a minimum of 10 feet. The area between the wall of the well and the casing must be cemented to the surface. The well may then be drilled through the surface casing to the water sands in the Triassic

If the portion of the well penetrating the Triassic Formation is abandoned, the drillers must follow one of the procedures discussed in Rule 16(A):

* If no casing has been placed in the well below the top of the Triassic Formation, the hole will be filled with dirt, rock, mud or similar material to a level no less than 50 feet below the base of the Ogallala Formation and sufficient cement added to fill the hole to the base of the Ogallala Forma-

* If the casing has been set through the Triassic Formation with perforations located below the Ogallala Formation, all such perforations located below the Ogallala Formation, all such perforations shall be closed with cement and a cement plug at

the casing below the base of the Ogallala and above the highest perforation in the Triassic.

* If blank casing (no perforations) has been set into the Triassic, then either (a) cement shall be pumped below the shoe of such casing in sufficient volume to fill the annulus of such casing and the wall of the hole up to the base of the Ogallala Formation, or (b) the casing shall be removed from the well and the hole shall be filled with dirt, rock, mud or similar material to a level no less than 50 feet below the base of the Ogallala Formation and sufficient cement added to fill the hole to the base of the

Ogallala Formation. "In the thin saturated thickness areas of the Ogallala Aquifer, some people may think that drilling deep and combining the water from the Ogallala and Triassic Formations will provide more water to pump. However, when the well is not being pumped, groundwater from the

the lower formation and is lost. This just compounds the problem of depletion of the Ogallala Formation," says Carver.

He adds that proper completion of a well -- either in the Ogallala or the Triassic Formations - will better serve the individual, the public and the

Additional information regarding proper well development in the Ogallala or Triassic Formations may be obtained by contacting the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Avenue Q. Lubbock, Texas 79405 or by calling (806) 762-0181.

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NEWS VIEWS

Pat Schroeder, member of the House Armed Services Committee (D-Col): "I hear the pain of many members whose bases will be closed in their districts."

George Bush, President: "The (budget) agreement does not complete the whole deficit reduction job...By a long shot, but the job can be tackled only in manageable steps."

Frank Lautenberg, Senator (D-N.J.), on toxic waste: "The numbers are staggering. The figures provide clear evidence that stronger emission controls are needed for industry."

Henry Waxman, Congressman (D-Calif), on national health insurance: "It will require new tax revenues. I wouldn't want to try to fool anyone into thinking that we're going to be able to do all of these things without more money."

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For North Texas Mathematically it had to calls daily. The electronic switches are controlled by computers which have been programmed with area code and number information. To successfully implement the new area code, all telephone company switching

happen: the seemingly endless supply of telephone numbers available for customers in north and northeast Texas is nearing depletion, according to John D. Wallace of GTE. He says continuing growth in these regions is causing a shortage of available 214 area code numbers, with a projected depletion in late also be necessary to redefine the

new 903 code.

"We are doing our best to see for our customers," said E. L. president.

area code service area are and northeast Texas." announcing the planned change at this time so that customers who may be affected can make plans well in advance of the November 4, 1990 change, whether it be simply notifying friends and relatives of the new area code or in displaying it on their stationery and in advertising.

GTE and other telephone companies will be making extra efforts to ensure the changeover is as painless as possible for customers.

After November 4, 1990, customers served by the new 903 code will continue to receive their long distance calls for six months -- even if the caller mistakenly uses the 214 area code when

"We'll be promoting the change through out GTE telephone directories, bill inserts, news releases, advertisements and customer handouts. And we're sure our customers will start early, too. But despite our best efforts, it will take time for all customers to become aware of the area code change. The six month grace period will give callers an opportunity to begin building new dialing habits. In the meantime, those who haven't gotten the word or who forgot about the change will be able to complete their calls," Langley

No changes in local dialing requirements or seven-digit local numbers are planned for customers in either the 214 or 903 calling areas as a result of the

The area code change will have far-reaching impact. Telephone switching offices throughout the nation route millions of telephone

equipment must be reprogrammed to recognize the new 903 area code. Software changes will 214 service area.

accommodated through the addi- customers who own sophisticated tion of a new "903" area code, equipment designed to route effective November 4, 1990. long distance calling through the Dallas and 27 surrounding cities fastest and most economical will remain within the 214 area routes will also be required to code boundary. Some 200 cities make modifications to accommooutside the Dallas metropolitan date the new area code. In such area -- and currently within the cases, it may be necessary to 214 area -- will be assigned the contact the appropriate vendor, added Langley.

"This is a necessary change that this change results in as which is required due to simple little inconvenience as possible mathematics," Langley said. "Within the 214 area code, all 'Buddy' Langley, GTE Southwest available numbers are being depleted. We must take the According to Langley, tele- necessary steps to accommodate phone companies serving the 214 the continuing growth of north

Money Talk

By Charles B. Carlson. CFA Dow Theory Forecasts, Inc. Is inflation here to stay,

or only making a cameo appearance?

Some recent news indicates inflation may have returned in full force. Indeed two consecutive months of annualized producer price hikes of 12% are alarming enough.

When you throw in oil prices that have been moving higher, wages that appear to be showing an upward bias after years of moderate growth, and the likelihood of a higher minimum wage, the prospects for sharply higher inflation certainly are present.

We're not the only ones who notice these events, as evident by the Federal Reserve Board's tight money policy in recent weeks. The Fed has been boosting rates sharply in hopes of squelching inflation. Too tight a policy could lead to reces-

Rising interest rates from a tight money policy are usually bad for the market. Rising inflation wouldn't be a plus. A nowin situation, one might

However, never forget it's the market that will have the last word; it's still too early to be ringing the death knell for stocks.



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and, on the 26th day of

April, 1989, I filed a

Notice of Estray in the

Estray Book of Bailey

I have made a dili-

gent search of the

register of recorded

brands in Bailey Coun-

ty. Texas, for the

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but the search did not

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WITNESS my hand

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Date 04-25-89

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"(1) The term 'publication' shall mean any proclamation, notice, citation, advertisement, or other matter required or authorized by law to be printed in a newspaper or newspapers by any institution, board, commission, department, officer, agent, representative, or employee of the state or of any subdivision or department of the state, or of any county, political subdivision, or district of whatever nature within the state, whether to be paid for out of public funds or charged as costs

"(2) The term 'newspaper' shall mean any newspaper devoting not less than twentyfive per cent (25%) of its total column lineage to the carrying of items of general interest, published not less frequently than once each week, entered as second-class postal matter in the county where published, and having been published regularly and continuously for not less than twelve (12) months prior to the making of any publication mentioned in this Act, except that any weekly newspaper shall be allowed to omit two (2) publication issues in twelve (12) months and still retain its status as a newspaper eligible to make any publication mentioned in this

"(3) The term 'political subdivision' shall include cities, towns, and villages, but this definition shall not be exclusive.

"(4) The term 'district' shall include school districts of every kind, road districts, drainage districts, irrigation districts, levee improvement districts, conservation and reclamation districts, and improvement districts of every kind, but this definition shall not

"(d) The term 'shall' whenever used in this Act shall be construed as indicating mandatory provisions in this Act.

"(6) The officer, employee, agency, or persons charged with the duty of inserting any publication in a newspaper or newspayers shall select the newspaper or newspapers in which such publication is to be inserted."

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found along the way. GEMINI-May 21 to June 20-Younger family members become easier to manage. Just when you feel you have reached the breaking point, the situation improves.

CANCER-June 21 to July 22-A telephone call brings news concerning a close friend. Be noncommittal when answering questions about someone's personal life. You will be quoted.

LEO-July 23 to Aug. 22-Plan a surprise for loved ones who will be coming to see you within the next few weeks. Take them to an inexpensive, yet charming place they will long re-

member. VIRGO-Aug. 23 to Sept. 22-This is your week to shine. Someone will make a request which you would at first take in jest. Be solemn in your answer. You will be placed in a posi-

tion of trust. LIBRA-Sept. 23 to Oct. 22-Someone underestimates your ability. Pay no heed. Go quietly about your business. Your performance tells the tale. This week could be financially profitable.

SCORPIO-Oct. 23 to Nov. 22-If you are considering marriage this could be a good time for firming up your plans. Marrieds should have a frank talk about future plans.

SAGITTARIUS-Nov. 23 to Dec. 21-Think twice before you feel or express superiority to anyone. Snobbish remarks are not only out of place, but you can make enemies by asking personal questions.

CAPRICORN-Dec. 22 to Jan. 19—You can conquer selfishness by showing concern for the younger people in your life. You will feel great when you do things to help or please them.

AQUARIUS-Jan. 20 to Feb. 18-How long since you've read a book? Do so this week. Duty calls in your work. Keep at it until the demands are met.

PISCES-Feb. 19 to March 20-A week when it will be best not to talk too much. Think before you speak! Do not worry about matters that are beyond your control.

ARIES-March 21 to April 20-Although delay makes you irritable, the results from it prove to be in your favor. You realize financial gain. A trip you are planning for summer will be great fun with much adventure.



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Better Now

State Comptroller Bob Bullock says that an expanding economy will make an extra \$210 million available for the 1990-1991 state budget.

Bullock added the \$210 million in new tax revenue in a revised revenue estimate he sent to the Legislature on Thursday. Earlier this year, Bullock had already upped his original estimate by \$150 million to reflect improved sales tax revenue.

"This additional \$210 million is directly attributable to the Texas economy," Bullock said. "Our economy is no longer just recovering, it is expanding."

The latest infusion of new tax money into the estimate brings to \$3.8 billion the total increase in funds available for the 1990-1991 budget compared to the current 1988-1989 budget.

Besides the projected new tax money, the increased available revenue comes from several bookkeeping transactions adopted by the Legislature, legislative actions on tax issues involving the franchise tax, and guarantees against legal challenges.

Among the state's major tax sources, significant increases were forecast in sales and natural gas taxes. Improvements were also seen in the franchise tax and in federal money for MHMR facilities.

But projected motor vehicle sales taxes were lowered in the revised estimates because interest rates have caused a slowdown in new car sales.

A significant increase in the hotel/motel tax was also projected because of increasing occupancy levels and the rebounding state economy.

Bookkeeping transfers and repairs to the state's franchise tax law will capture more than \$1.5 billion, Bullock said. A reduction in reserves for pending legal challenges adds another \$415 million to the estimate because the potential for tax refunds has diminished.

EPA: Volume of toxic waste "startling."

Bush widens ban of semi-auto gun imports.

Edith Wilt Funeral Services Held Wednesday

Graveside services for Edith Wilt. 72, of The Colony were held at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 10 in the Muleshoe Cemetery with the Rev. Dale Berry, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. Mrs. Wilt died at 11:05 a.m. Sunday in Trinity Medical Center in Carrol-

Born Oct. 20, 1916, in Mariow, Okla., she moved to The Colony three years ago from Coleman, where she moved in 1986, from Coleman. She moved to Coleman in 1981 from Muleshoe. She served as Bailey County Treasurer from January 1955 until Nov. 1981. She was a member of the

Muleshoe First Baptist Church. She married Ralph McHenry Wilt on Oct. 24, 1935, in Clovis, N.M. He died Aug. 5, 1953.

Survivors include two sons, Eddie Wilt of Lubbock and Todd Wilt of The Colony; a brother, Charles D. Julian of Grand Prarie and seven grandchildren.

U.I.L. One-Act Play

Watson Junior High School's U.I.L. One-Act play "The Arkansaw Bear" by Aurand Harris won the district competition this past weekend at Friona. This was the first year for Muleshoe to compete in the one-act play division.

The cast and crew did an excellent job, and the students and parents need to be commended for their support and dedication for such a fine effort by all.

Several cast members obtained special recognition for their specific roles in the play. Mason Conklin was named Best Actor for his role as the "The Great Dancing Bear." Jeanne Cox was

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role of "Tisha", and Paula g Ruthardt obtained a place on the Honorable Mention cast for the "Mime."

Cast and crew included the following: Tisha, Jeanne Cox; Star Bright, Stacie Langfitt; Mime, Paula Ruthardt; Dancing Bear, Mason Conklin; Ringmaster, Shanna Hardwick; Little Bear, Brooke Sinclair; Voices: Mother, Amanda Ashford; Aunt Ellen, Summer Wiley; Announcer, Shawn Wheeler; Sound: named to the All Star cast for the Scott Miramontes and Eric McElroy; Lights: Chris Domin-

guez, Mark Hicks and Clay Grant; Stage Crew: Lenny Pineda and Ricky Estrada; Props: Kelli Caldwell; Director: Dean Black.

The play especially appreciates the Muleshoe High School Speech Department and Kerry Moore for their contributions and support. Also, the play thanks Diana Harrison and the parents who accompanied the play to Friona.

Many area businesses and a citizens such as The Yellow Rose, Lambert Cleaners, and Eric McElroy contributed items to play.

Thank You

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Also thanks to those who sent flowers, cards, calls, gifts and prayers.

Anita Boyd

