

## Weather

September 18	92	50
September 19	88	45
September 20	85	45
September 21	97	55
September 22	93	52
September 23	94	52
September 24	87	49
Rainfall to date:	14.51	

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## Rotary Hosts Airport Board Members, Film

Meeting with the Muleshoe Rotary Club Thursday at noon and Presenting a film on airports was Delbert Barry, president of the Airport for the City of Muleshoe. He was introduced by Alex Williams, who had the program for the day.

Williams congratulated Barry and the Airport Board for their work and accomplishments done in the attempt to obtain funds for updating the airport in Muleshoe.

Barry presented the film, "Airports Mean Business" and said 80 percent of funds for a new airport could be obtained from federal sources, and 50 percent more could be obtained from the state. He predicts that in the future, jets and large aircraft will have occasion to land in Muleshoe and cited the need for additional facilities.

Student guest this week was Stanley Wilson and other guests included Sam Damron, member of the airport board, Percy Hardy, John Ackinson and Bill Bowland.

Next week, the Rotary program will feature Col. Bobby Bagby of Reese A.F.B., Lubbock, who is a former POW. President John Blackwell urges all members to attend the meeting.

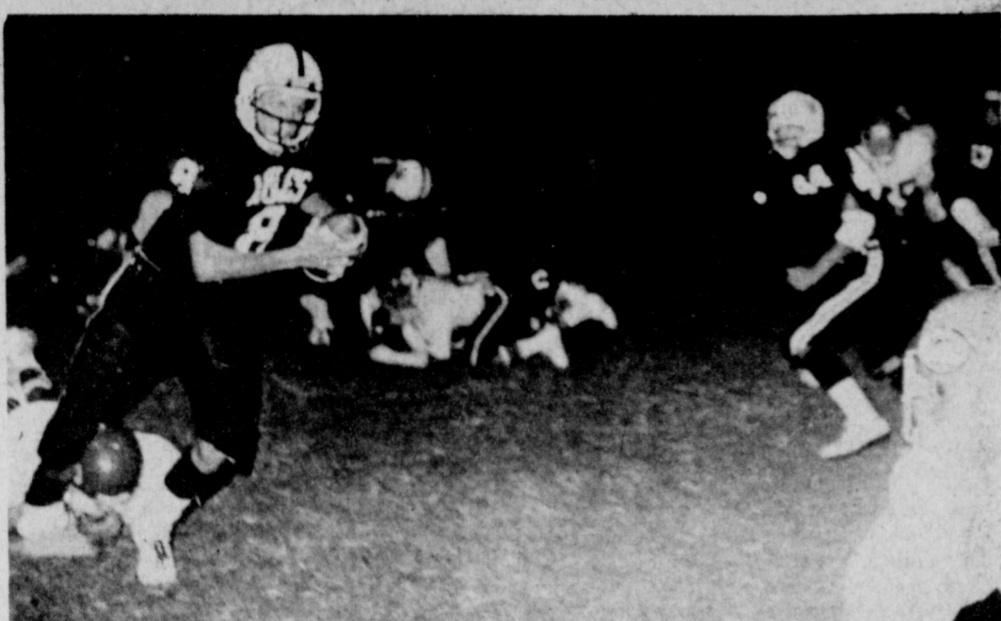
## '77 Cotton Storage Meeting Set

Field storage of cotton will be the featured topic of a public meeting scheduled at 9:45 a.m. on Wednesday, September 28, at the Lamb County Agricultural and Community Center in Littlefield.

"This educational program will feature discussions on techniques of molding and ricking cotton, economics of field storage, and preservation of quality in stored cotton," said Bailey County Agent Spencer Tanksley. "The meeting will be conducted by specialists with the Texas Extension Service.

"The large cotton crop in this area will prolong the ginning season, causing increased exposure of cotton to weathering losses unless field storage is used," he continued.

"I encourage each cotton producer to get aside a few minutes in your schedule and attend this event," he concluded, "it should be completed before noon."



QUARTERBACK WILSON AT WORK...Danny Wilson, No. 8, quarterback for the Muleshoe Mules, exhibits fierce concentration as rushes downfield during the Muleshoe-Levelland game. Key defensive action by the line helped Wilson, and the running backs rack up good yardage during the game that Muleshoe added to their winner's list, 14-13. Next week, Wilson will be quarterbacking the team against the Abernathy Antelopes in Muleshoe.

## Homemaker Aides At Special School

For many elderly people in rural areas of West Texas, the problems of personal care, nutrition and first aid are very real. Adequate facilities to deal with these problems are often lacking.

In an effort to help elderly people in West Texas Rural areas, the College of Home Economics at Texas Tech University is sponsoring a model project for homemaker service aide program to the elderly. It is entitled the South Plains Homemaker Service and is in cooperation with MBFA, formerly the Missionary Baptist Foundation of America.

## Arrest Of Duo Clears Thefts In 2 Counties

Parmer County Sheriff Charlie Lovelace said the arrest of two 17-year old Muleshoe residents has cleared the burglary of the C.W. Dale residence near Lazbuddie, along with other Parmer County and Bailey County thefts.

The sheriff from Farwell said approximately \$1500 in radio equipment which was taken from the C.W. Dale home, along with other radio items had been recovered.

The Muleshoe duo were arrested and charged last Saturday with the thefts.

Homemaker aides attending the sessions from Muleshoe and Bailey County and taking the special training included Lucille Nash, Bailey County coordinator, Alva Sparks, Winnie Wurst, Vivian Veach, Julia Patterson, Jewell Green, Willie Mae Walker, Bula Shelby and Mae Provence.

The total program will last 12 weeks, one session per week. The first two training sessions, "Standard First Aid Multi-Media Course," were conducted September 9 and 16 at the South Plains Electric Co-op, Lubbock.

John Keith, regional director of Green Thumb, a program that attempts to find employment for rural persons over 60, conducted the program. Keith is also a volunteer instructor for the Red Cross.

It provided 10 hours of instruction on how to control bleeding, treat poison, shock and burn victims, and how to treat broken bones.

Participants were required to pass a test to receive the first aid certificate.

The South Plains Homemaker Service provides in-home care services of meal preparation, personal care, home management, escort service, visitation and companionship for the elderly and disabled.

These services and various other types of care provided by

## Forum Slated On October 11 By Specialists

Bailey County's arthritis board met recently to make plans for the Arthritis Victory March, planned for the second week in October. Bob Burdridge, Plains Division representative from Lubbock was special guest.

It was announced that a forum will be presented October 11 at 8 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe. Presenting the forum will be a team from Texas Tech Medical School Rheumatologists, along with a physical therapist.

## Bailey County Farm Bureau Names Directors

Last Saturday night, approximately 150 persons attended the annual Bailey County Farm Bureau meeting and enjoyed a fish supper prepared by the directors of the local Farm Bureau.

New directors elected included Clarence Mason, Carrol Kelton, Phil Garrett, Eugene Shaw, Donald Cox, Alec Schuster, Lewis Dale and Aaron Kelton.

Speakers included Texas Farm Bureau President Carrol G. Chaloupka and S.M. True Jr., state director for District Two.

Other special guests included the citizenship students, Jerry Waltrip, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Waltrip and Jarrol Layton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Layton, both of Three Way High School and Brent Gunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter, from Muleshoe High School.

the service enable elderly and disabled persons to function in their own homes with limited assistance.

The service provides employment and paraprofessional training opportunities for mature, under employed homemakers.

Persons over 60 and those of disabled capacity are eligible to receive homemaker services, based on their ability to pay according to a sliding fee scale. Homemakers are available on an hourly or daily basis, according to the client's needs, in the community where they both live.

Counties in the program along with Bailey County are Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Terry and Yoakum.

Funding is provided through a two-year grant from the US Department of Health, Education and welfare. Administration on Aging to the College of Home Economics at Texas Tech. The project is in its second year.

The total training program involves 60 hours covering a variety of aspects about aging, including physiology and psychology of aging, personal care, first aid, nutrition, consumer education and home management skills and safety in the home.

Ten more training sessions are scheduled to be held through December 2. The next program provided by the South Plains Homemaker Service began in the physiology of aging, on September 23.

Anyone interested in receiving homemaker service or desiring

## Burglaries Cleared Up By Arrests

Several local burglaries were cleared up late last week with the arrest of two local juveniles, according to Muleshoe City Police Chief, Buddy Black.

He said items recovered from the burglaries included tools from Plains Auto Parts, and merchandise from Buddy's Shoes and Murray's Muleshoe Jewelry. Also cleared was the burglary of the school store. Chief Black said it is possible that several other burglaries will be cleared off in the near future as the investigation continues.

## Ruby Clark Is HIEFSS 1977 Top Member

Ruby Clark, of West Plains Medical Center was nominated as the Outstanding South Plains HIEFSS member for 1977 during South Plains HIEFSS first fall meeting on September 14.

The meeting was conducted at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock with 21 members and four guests, along with now advisor, Norma Wallis, R.D. Committee members were appointed during the meeting.

## MULES NOW 4-0

# Mules Keep Winning Ways By Eliminating Levelland

## Low Interest Loan Will Be Available

Disaster victims will be able to get long-term loans from the US Small Business Administration at greatly reduced rates.

"President Jimmy Carter's action, in signing HR 692, substantially benefits Americans who suffer loss or damage to their businesses or homes," District Director Philip J. O'Jibway said.

"Specifically, interest rates on physical disaster loans to homeowners is reduced to one percent on the first \$10,000, three percent on the next \$30,000 and

## Spaghetti To Be Served Before Game

Future Homemakers of America from Muleshoe High School and the Muleshoe Young Homemakers will co-sponsor a spaghetti supper Friday, September 30, prior to the Muleshoe-Abernathy game.

A spokesman said hearty servings of spaghetti, made with their own special meat sauce, French bread, tossed salad, peach cobbler and coffee and tea will be served at the high school cafeteria 5-8 p.m.

Tickets will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children under 6. Tickets can be purchased from any FHA or Young Homemaker anytime prior to the supper, or be purchased at the door.

## Dale Installed As Kiwanis President

During installation ceremonies Tuesday night, Gary Dale became the new president of the Muleshoe Kiwanis Club. Installation ceremonies were conducted by Howard Birdwell, Lt. Governor of District 33, Kiwanis, of Hereford.

Other officers installed included Raymond Schroeder, vice president; Allen Smyer, secretary; Tom Lobaugh, treasurer; and directors, Terry Bouchelle, Ronnie Shafer, Jerry Hicks, Ray Link, Robert Montgomery and Weldon Stevenson.

Birdwell boosted outgoing president Howard Watson as a candidate for Lt. Governor of District 33 when the spring elections are conducted and complimented the Muleshoe Kiwanis club as the Kiwanis Club with the best record of any club in the Texas Panhandle, including the Lubbock area.

Local and out of town special guests were introduced. Local guests included John Blackwell, president of Rotary; Monty Dollar, president of the Jaycees; Clea Williams, Muleshoe and Bailey County Journals and Tom Beal, Bailey County Sheriff's office.

Birdwell suggested the members work more toward youth related activities, including a key club for high school boys and Kiwanettes for high school girls. He said the members should continue to work toward the emphasis for the year, "Safeguard Against Crime."

Gail Bizzell and Jerry Hicks were Kiwanians of the Year for their work on the Kiwanis Fireworks projects; and Kiwanis Sweetheart Benita Roming received an award as a special member, as it was noted she had not missed one of the 6:30 a.m. regular meetings.

Outgoing president Howard Watson enumerated some of the projects during the past year that involved the local Kiwanis. Included were sponsoring a Girl

## Come From Behind To Win Here 14-13

They came -- they saw -- but they didn't conquer! Levelland came to Muleshoe Friday night prepared to break the steady string of wins amassed by the fired up Mules. But to no avail. Although Muleshoe trailed by 13-7 at halftime, and at one point earlier in the game, had trailed 10-0, the score tightened up to the Mules final score of 14-13 to end the game.

But, what happened in between? Action was fast, steady, and kept fans on their feet through much of the game. Levelland came into the game with a season record of 2-1 and disappointed Lobo fans saw that even at 2-2 by the end of the game.

Fullback Dean Northcutt, who saw limited action in the Muleshoe-Tulia game with an injured ankle, powered through the Lobo line time after time on his way to 194 yards for the game. He also added another touchdown to his total for the year with the winning TD in the game.

Muleshoe took the initial kickoff as the game started, but it was apparent the Lobos were prepared for a tough defense as the Mules failed to move the ball effectively. However, tough Mules held the Lobos and a back and forth contest took place.

A Mule fumble late in the first quarter set up Levelland's first score as Lobo Cheeta Childress booted a 25-yard field goal with 34 second showing on the scoreboard clock.

This was followed by a stunning run by Jim Faulkner who added an additional six points for Levelland on a 75-yard punt return. He barreled downfield on his twisting, turning run leaving stunned Mules along his

## 3-Way Slams Whitharral For Loop Win

Three Way's Eagles may play an entire football game one of these days. Again Friday night, the Eagles ran a score to 50-0 over the Whitharral team and the game was called in the third. The game was halted because a 45-point rule in six man football.

Three Way had a 20-0 first quarter edge and had widened that to 32-0 at halftime. In the final half, the Eagles coasted to the 50-0 victory.

Three Way had five touchdowns from Albert Rand, who had 236 yards rushing in the game. Louie Key had two touchdowns and Bill Hodnett added another touchdown.

During the game, Three Way rushed for 530 yards against the unlucky Whitharral team.

path. Adding the PAT was Childress with 9:38 on the clock to halftime.

A Northcutt pass reception in the end zone for the Mules was called back on a penalty, one of the many the Mules received during the first half and early in the second as they amassed 85 yards of penalty time.

This was followed by a 36 yard pass from quarterback Danny Wilson to Dickey Sudduth in the end zone to put the Mules on the scoreboard. George Villarreal added the PAT at 1:26 in the first half. The score stood at 10-7, but the Lobos came right back with another Childress field goal from the 24 with 16 seconds on the clock.

An inside kick by Levelland failed to land them any more points, and they went into the fieldhouse at halftime with all the scoring they would do in the game, and it was Levelland, 13-7.

Levelland received after the half and the see-saw contest was on again. Penalties were pro-

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## Happy Falls At Lazbuddie Homecoming

An unhappy Happy went home Friday night aware of the fact they were soundly beaten by the Lazbuddie Longhorns, as the 'Horns managed a 27-0 victory over the Cowboys.

The victory was especially sweet for Lazbuddie, as it was their homecoming, and earlier in the week, a gloomy football coach Dewayne Sexton was much concerned about several players ill with the flu.

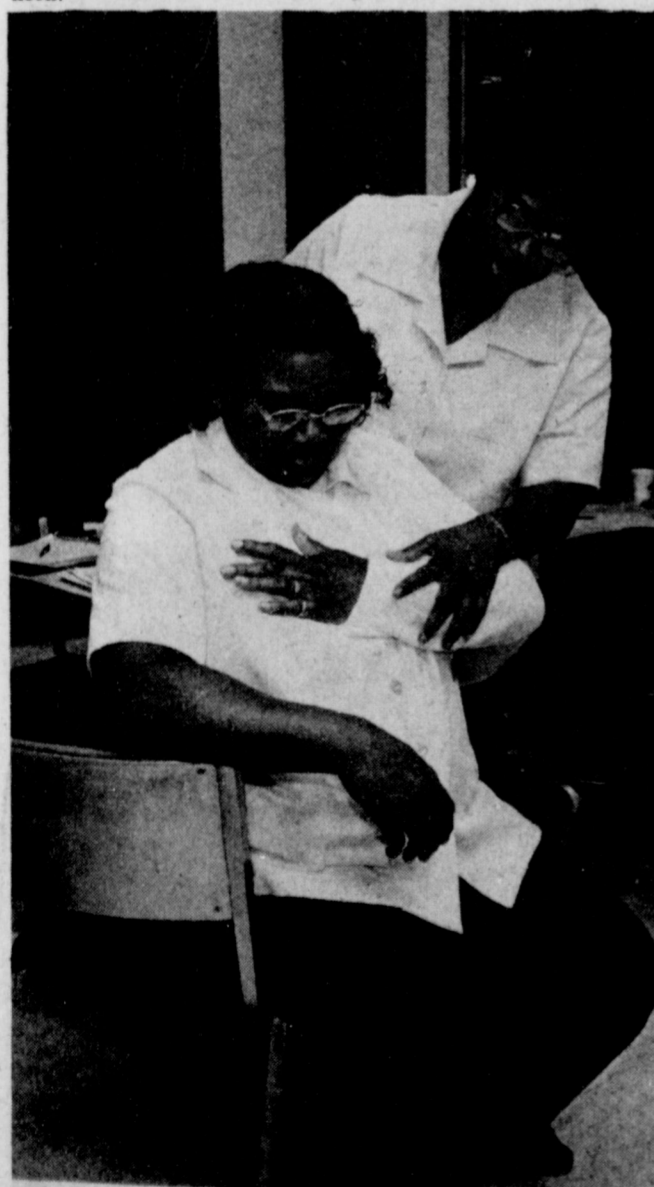
At halftime, homecoming queen Tammy Smith was crowned. Her escort was Rayburn Wenner. Other candidates for the honor were presented. They were Candy Moore and escort Charleson Steinbock and Judy Lust and escort, Mike Windham.

Widening their score to 3-1 for the year, halfback Russell Windham was the first to get on the scoreboard with a seven-yard run in the first quarter. Dennis Steinbock added the extra point.

Dennis' brother, Charleson, scored from the three in the second, but the PAT failed and in the third, quarterback Andy Rogers slammed over from the 15 and the 'Horns came back in the fourth with their final TD for the game. Rayburn Wenner intercepted a Cowboy pass on the 33 and ran it in to end scoring for the game.



KIWANIS OFFICERS INSTALLED...Taking over the reins during officer installation ceremonies for the Muleshoe Kiwanis Club Tuesday night are from left, back row, Allen Smyer, secretary; Raymond Schroeder, vice president and Tom Lobaugh, treasurer; from row, left, Howard Watson, outgoing president and Gary Dale, incoming president.



HOLD ON, I ALMOST HAVE IT...Willie Mae Walker, seated, pretends to have a broken arm as Bula Shelby practices making an arm sling. Both women, from Muleshoe, were participating in the first aid program sponsored by the College of Home Economics at Texas Tech University and the South Plains Homemaker Service.

## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams

AUSTIN—Gov. Dolph Briscoe now has two announced challengers in the Democratic primary governor's race.

Atty. Gen. John Hill made official his long-expected candidacy at news conferences in Austin, Houston, Dallas and San Antonio this week.

A few days earlier, former Gov. Preston Smith (1969-72) revealed his comeback effort in mailings to newspapers all over the state.

Both candidates predictably slammed Briscoe for not exerting stronger leadership and zeroed in on the fact that the incumbent will serve 10 years in office if re-elected.

They also pointed to steep increases in state government spending during the last six years.

Hill and Smith immediately began initial campaign swings through the state.

Briscoe continued to shrug off the attacks and predicted he will win a third term without a runoff.

"I view the future with great optimism," said Briscoe at a news conference. "My record speaks for itself. I am proud to run on it."

Meanwhile, U.S. Rep. Robert Krueger of New Braunfels and former Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie of El Paso focused statewide interest on the race to unseat U.S. Sen. John Tower. Christie is still not an announced

candidate, but a \$100-a-plate fund-raising dinner to bankroll start of his expected campaign is set here October 18.

### Federal, State Courts Speak

A federal court held 40 children of illegal aliens should be allowed to attend Tyler schools free. The Tyler school board voted to appeal the decision by U.S. District Judge William Wayne Justice that it could no longer charge the children of non-citizens \$1,000 tuition.

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals stayed the first scheduled execution by drug injection. Kenneth Granviel had been sentenced to die September 16 for murder of three women and two children. His attorneys challenge constitutionality of the injection law because it does not specify the lethal substance to be used.

A district court jury in San Antonio ordered Southwestern Bell Telephone Company to pay \$3 million for slandering two former executives in an internal investigation. The company is appealing.

### State Textbooks Approved

The State Textbooks Committee unanimously ordered publishers to eliminate the generic use of "he" from future schoolbooks.

The committee adopted 90 new books, after voting to strike the generalized masculine pronoun.

The State Board of Education will vote on final adoption of the \$31 million in new books here November 12.

### Porn Booming

A legislative committee studying child pornography was advised to recommend tough state laws to deal with the problem.

A Los Angeles author told the committee, producers, distributors and shippers of pornographic films and photographs of children should be prosecuted vigorously.

The writer described Los Angeles as main production point for the films and Houston as a leading distribution center. He said most of the child performers are runaways but "there is a higher degree of parental knowledge and participation than we would like to think about."

### Attorney General Opinions

A final DWI conviction automatically suspends a driver's license, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

Hill also said an audit report on purchase of wiretapping equipment in the Jefferson, Orange and Hardin county areas is available for public scrutiny.

In another opinion on the open records act, however, the attorney general concluded a University of Texas committee report on possible reduction in personnel at UT Permian Basin is not subject to required disclosure.

In other recent opinions, Hill found:

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**CALIFORNIA Carrots** 2 1 LB. PKGS. **39¢**  
**Red Delicious Apples** 4 LBS. **\$1**  
**SHURFINE Spinach** 15 OZ. CAN **29¢**

—Identity of persons who complain about child care standards violations at state-licensed day care centers is confidential.

—The Board of Pardons and Paroles can require a parole commissioner to accept a new duty station.

—Bidders' proposals for administration of a portion of Texas Medicaid submitted to the Department of Human Resources generally are exempt from public inspection as "trade secrets."

—A county can levy a road and bridge tax though it has no road bond indebtedness.

### Record Cotton Crop Seen

Largest Texas cotton crop in four years—about 4.5 million bales—is now being harvested.

Yield per acre has been set at 366 pounds, up a little over the 1976 average, but Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown said estimates dropped 200,000 bales since August 1, due mainly to lack of moisture for dryland cotton in the High Plains.

Cotton prices have dipped since the mid-March peak. World production is expected to increase 11 per cent over last year.

Main producing areas in Texas are expected to continue large harvests, Brown predicted. Southern Plains may produce over half the state total—2,485,000 bales. High Plains, in spite of dry conditions, should have a total of 800,000 bales, and the Lower Rio Grande Valley 425,000 bales.

Meanwhile, the All Farm Products Index dropped a full six points last month. Consumers, however, didn't benefit from the drop.

### Short Snorts

The seasonally-adjusted index of total construction in Texas during July hit the third highest level ever recorded.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Bill Clayton are "road show" participants in a series of area meetings to discuss local impact of legislation enacted this year—including highway finance and education bills.

Ray Hutchison stepped down as chairman of the Texas Republican Party while deciding whether he should run for governor.

The Conservative Union is helping form a committee to study feasibility of a constitutional amendment to limit taxation.

Dwayne Holman of Wharton, president of Young Democrats of America, has been named executive director of the Texas Democratic Party.

H. C. Pittman has notified the State Bar board of directors he will resign as executive director of the 28,500-member State Bar of Texas at the end of the year and re-enter private law practice in Austin.

Alvis Vandygriff succeeded W. Sale Lewis as Texas Savings and Loan Commissioner.

## Creamers Attend Cousin Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Creamer were in Lubbock Tuesday to attend the annual Davidson family reunion. Mrs. Creamer met one cousin she had never met and saw two cousins she had not seen since she was a child.

The buffet style luncheon and reunion was hosted in the home of Lillie Baugh, Noma Davidson and Lola May Young in Lubbock. Following the luncheon, the group looked at the family pictures and discussed their childhoods and adult lives.

Attending the reunion other than Mr. and Mrs. Creamer and the hostesses were Daisy Brandon, Waco; Andrew and Ruth Carroll, Paducah; Velma Barton, Mammie Scoggins and Merle Thomas, Leveland; Jack and Ann Davidson, and Thelma Wilson, all of Lubbock; Nita Franklin, Paducah; Willie Stratton, Lake Jackson; Jewell Hackney, Quanah and Orville and Willie Mae Davidson, Ruidoso, N.M.

The oldest person attending the reunion was Mammie Scoggins, at the age of 90, and the youngest was Troy Davidson at 54.

### Problem students

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — Two University of Texas educational psychologists are trying to uncover what factors lead to rowdy classroom behavior or dropouts from Texas secondary schools.

Drs. Melvin Sikes and Philip Powell hope to find out how problem students perceive the educational process and what experiences — from school, family and peers — tend to hold or not hold students in school.

Part of the study will use high school students to conduct interviews with other high schoolers to gain information adolescents might not reveal to adults.

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**SELECT SLICED YOUNG Beef Liver** LB. **59¢**

**T-Bone Steak** LB. **\$1.59**

**Sirloin Tip** BEEF BONELESS LB. **\$1.69**  
**LEAN Ground Beef** LB. **89¢**

**SHURFRESH SLICED Bologna** 1 LB. PKG. **99¢**

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**TASTE WRIGHT PORK Sausage** 2 LB. PKG. **\$1.59**

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**Pikes Peak Roast** BONELESS LB. **99¢**

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**FUMBLE!**...A loose football set up a score for both Muleshoe and Levelland during defensive competition in Muleshoe Friday night. At the left, Jeep Shanks, No. 40, prepares to leap on the loose football before Levelland can recover.

**Mules...**

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ing to be costly for the Mules in the third, and disappointed fans were on their feet much of the time as they vocally questioned calls by the referees. In the second, the Mules added their final points when a bad pass to the punter left the ball on the evelland 25 yard line, and the Mules quickly moved into position for Dean Northcutt to slam over the right side for another six points. With 9:45 on the scoreboard clock, Villarreal narrowed the game, to Muleshoe's advantage at 14-13. A Levelland fumble set up another Muleshoe touchdown, a 25-yard pass play, which was again called back on a penalty, as was a 20-yard pass which followed.

Lobo Childress' sure toe failed at 8:01 in the fourth when he missed a 37 yard field goal and again with three seconds on the scoreboard clock before the game ended when the desperate Lobos attempted a 51-yard field goal.

Seats for the Muleshoe games are becoming hard to get, and with the Mules slated to meet Abernathy here next Friday night, it is estimated that no seats will be available early in



Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shain are her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Carter of Leitchfield, Ky. They will return to their home in Kentucky next week.

Student Congress officers and representatives have been named at Odessa College for the 1977-78 school year in campus-wide elections.

Representing the occupational and technical division is Dave Smith, son of Mrs. Charles Smith and the late Charles Smith, of Muleshoe.

**Aides...**

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information about employment in Muleshoe can contact Lucille Nash, coordinator for Bailey County at 272-3647 or 246-3203 in Amherst.

**Loan...**

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Business Investment Act, include authorization for SBA to make regular business loans to small homebuilders, displayed business loans to business owners affected by construction projects of a state or local public entity, and by economic injury loans even though a natural disaster is not sufficient for a disaster declaration. It also grants SBA greater authority to determine whether a small business concern can perform a specific government contract.

Further information can be obtained from the Lubbock District Office of the Small Business Administration, 1205 Texas Avenue, Room 712, Lubbock, or by calling 806/762-7462.

**Library Advocates Newspaper Filming**

Although dozens of books and articles have appeared on the devastating hurricane that struck Galveston Island in September, 1900, no account can match the drama that is communicated to the reader of the Galveston News for the days after this event. Indeed, these newspaper accounts have been a major source of later chroniclers.

For less dramatic events in all of Texas' towns and cities, the contemporary newspaper account may be the only written information or may provide the data to flesh out the terse public records or self-serving statements of those involved.

Every year, however, more papers are lost. In one city, they may simply crumble because of long exposure to the parching effects of drought. In another, a flood may inundate the storage area. Elsewhere, the high cost of space may dictate disposing of old files.

Every time this happens, a part of Texas' past is lost. One answer to the problem is microfilming. Microfilm requires four percent of the space required by originals. Properly processed microfilm also halts the physical disintegration of the information since its life expectancy is measured in centuries rather than decades.

The United States Newspaper Project, administered by the Organization of American Historians under a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities, is attacking this problem on a national basis; in addition, stepped-up activity at the Library of Congress in the area of collecting, developing cataloging procedures for, and microfilming newspapers is solving many library problems in handling newspapers.

Texans from the fields of journalism, librarianship, and history are working to develop a statewide program to identify existing files of newspapers and determine which papers should be microfilmed. It is estimated that the bibliographic phase of the project will cost approximately \$50,000. When this is complete, the state can apply for matching funds for the much more expensive microfilming

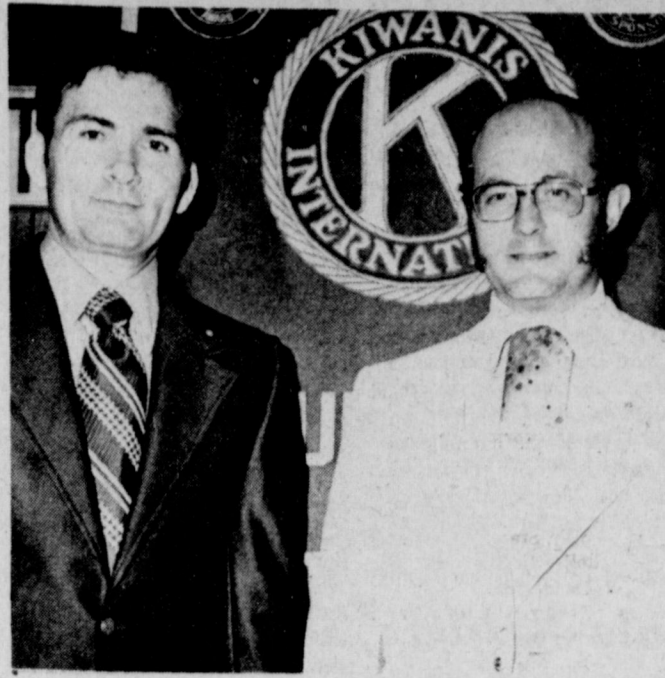
portion of the project. A group of 20 that met at the Texas State Library in February with Dr. Gale Peterson of the United States Newspaper Project formed itself into a committee and asked the Texas State Library to serve as umbrella for the project.

In recent years, newspapers themselves have made significant contributions toward making their files accessible by microfilming. The Dallas News has contributed further by microfilming the index originally prepared for staff use and making this available for purchase. With many of the largest newspapers available, what is needed is a major effort to insure that smaller papers are also preserved for future historians.

Libraries have collected newspapers, purchased commercially available microfilm, and carried out some microfilming projects. The largest collection is at the University of Texas at Austin, but others also have significant collections. In many cities the public library has collected and in some cases, microfilmed local newspapers. At Rosenberg Library in Galveston, this effort has extended to indexing newspapers in a card file.

"Newspapers play a unique role in portraying the era in which they are published," said Dr. Dorman H. Winfrey, director of the Texas State Library. "A ten year old who goes to his public library to see the paper published on the day he was born is being introduced to historical source material of the same kind that a distinguished scholar might use."

A single issue of a newspaper may provide evidence for a law suit, aid a genealogist in tracing the family history, assist a high school student to discover that low prices were matched by low salaries, and help a scholar understand an aspect of the topic he or she is studying. Although the intensive collection of data has not begun, information is especially being sought on collections of newspapers that are held by newspapers, not libraries.



**OUTSTANDING KIWANIANS...**Jerry Hicks, left, and Gail Bizzell were tabbed as Kiwanis Members of the Year, for their activities during the fireworks project for the Muleshoe Kiwanis Club during the past year.

**The Sandhills Philosopher**



Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sandy Creek reflects on check writing this week.

Dear editor: Have you noticed how the newspapers and television networks concentrate on about one story a week? One week it'll be the Panama Canal, the next maybe Andrew Young, the next the late Elvis Presley, and the last week it was check-writing.

Some people in Washington were outraged because Bert Lance had written a check for \$100,000 or so when on that very day he had only \$27,000 in his account. However, when a few days later the check had made its rounds and gotten back to his bank, it was good because in the mean time he'd deposited enough to cover it.

You see, if one man has \$5 in his bank account and another has \$1,000, and each writes a check for \$2.50, one check is just as good as the other. Rockefeller couldn't write a sounder one. It's when the first one writes a check for \$6 or the other for \$1,001, that trouble starts.

I said that all checks are presumed good until proven bad but that doesn't hold, not if the store you're giving a check to is

holding one of yours that bounced. The principle that turns the surest way on earth to get on a cash basis.

Some people may not know it, but one of the greatest threats to check writers on a tight budget is the prospect of completely computerized, electronic, instant banking, the kind where every financial transaction is done in split seconds.

Like it is now, with the Postal Service on his side, a man can mail a check to pay a bill, even if he doesn't have quite enough money in his account to cover it, and know that by the time it finally reaches the bank he'll have had another pay check deposited and his credit stays intact. People cuss the post office without realizing that sometimes it's on their side. They're going to be in trouble if the Postal Service ever improves, which it will just as soon as the Middle East problem is solved, or certainly by the time we solve the energy problem.

Yours faithfully, J.A.

**The Speaker Reports**



by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN---During the months between now and the convening of the 66th legislature in January of 1979, our House committees will be extremely active with a long list of study areas.

These interim studies are very important to the next legislative session because a good deal that is done in 1979 will stem directly from the work undertaken by these committees.

There are almost 150 separate studies already outlined for the various committees and if it becomes apparent there are other or additional studies needed during the next 16 months, appropriate committees will tackle these jobs.

Each of our 24 substantive and four procedural committees have a list of charges. Each month they will make reports to the Speaker's Office on their progress in each area. It will be the responsibility of each committee chairman to see that the work is fully carried out.

In addition to the studies, each committee also has the responsibility to review rules adopted by state agencies under their jurisdiction to see that these rules conform to legislative intent.

Committees are also directed to scrutinize appropriations and expenditures of those agencies over which they have jurisdiction.

The result of thorough study of problem areas and a keen eye on agency rules and expenses will result in a

more efficient and more responsive state government.

Some of the studies that will be made include:

- \*Cost of energy used for agricultural irrigation
- \*Construction and financing for deepwater port facilities
- \*Nonreturnable bottles
- \*Laws to aid the wine-grape industry
- \*Laws to counteract federal energy measures damaging to Texas
- \*Nuclear waste storage
- \*State deposit insurance for state banks
- \*College tuition
- \*Foreign trade zones in the state
- \*Rights of the handicapped
- \*Penalties for driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol
- \*Death penalty
- \*Refinery tax
- \*Administration of large school districts
- \*Urban blight
- \*1986 celebration of the State's first 150 years
- \*Presidential preference primaries
- \*And early graduation from public school.

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GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 8, 1977

**NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 18)**  
S.J.R. 18 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to provide for expanding the Court of Criminal Appeals from its current membership of five judges to nine judges and to permit the court to sit in panels of three judges.  
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment permitting denial of bail to a person charged with a felony offense who has been theretofore twice convicted of a felony offense, or charged with a felony offense committed while that person was admitted to bail on a prior felony indictment, or charged with a crime involving the use of a deadly weapon where there is evidence such person has been convicted of a prior felony offense; providing for a 60-day limit to that person's incarceration without trial; and providing for that person's right of appeal."

**NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)**  
S.J.R. 13 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide for an additional \$200 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund and to allow surviving widows of veterans to purchase tracts under certain circumstances.  
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to provide for an additional \$200 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund and to allow surviving widows of veterans to purchase tracts under certain circumstances."

**NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 3)**  
Under current Texas law a person charged with a felony offense who has previously been convicted of two felony offenses may be denied bail. S.J.R. 3 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution which would also result in the denial of bail, for a limited time and subject to appeal, to a person accused of committing a felony while on bail for a prior felony for which the person has been indicted, or accused of a felony involving the use of

**NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 49)**  
S.J.R. 49 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to permit the legislature to authorize state and national banks to exercise banking privileges by use of electronic devices or machines located at such places as may be provided by law and authorizes the sharing of such electronic devices or machines among banks on a reasonable, non-discriminatory basis.  
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to give the legislature the power to authorize state and national banks to exercise banking and discounting privileges by use of electronic devices or machines."

**NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 30)**  
S.J.R. 30 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution changing the name of the State Judicial Qualifications Commission to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct and making several changes in its powers and procedures. The most significant change would authorize the commission to suspend from office judges and justices under indictment.  
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment changing the name of the State Judicial Qualifications Commission to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct, and relating to the commission and the powers and proceedings of the commission, a master, and the supreme court, or court of civil appeals justices serving in place of the supreme court, for the suspension, censure, removal, or involuntary retirement of a justice, judge, or justice of the peace under certain circumstances."

**NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 19)**  
S.J.R. 19 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution authorizing the formation of associations authorized to collect certain refundable assessments from producers of poultry, livestock, and other raw agricultural or marine products and validating the 1967 law regarding the formation of such associations.  
The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

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## Miss Stephanie Bryant, Mark Stephens Wed

Exchanging wedding vows in an evening ceremony were Miss Stephanie Bryant of Muleshoe and Mark Stephens of Lubbock. The couple were married Saturday, September 10, in the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe. Richard Drachenberg, uncle of the groom, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bryant of Muleshoe. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne T. Stephens of Lubbock are the parents of the groom.

Two seven-branch candelabras on either side of the altar were flanked by bouquets of white, apricot and yellow fuchsia, gladiolas and carnations. At the front of the altar was a double kneeling bench. The couple lit a memory candle surrounded by plumosis fern, salal and soft green bows. The "Wedding Song" was sung by Danny Holt of Houston. He was accompanied by Mrs. David Saylor of Muleshoe.

The bride, escorted and given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of candlelight. The dress was trimmed with lace appliques on the sheer sleeves and on the bodice and on the edge of the full flowing skirt. The gown featured a Queen Anne neckline and an empire waist. A headpiece of lace and seed pearl trim carried a fingertip veil.

Serving as motrom of honor was Mrs. Derrell Matthews of Muleshoe, sister of the bride.

She wore a floor length dress of soft green with a high fitted bodice. The dress featured a front cowl neckline and short flared sleeves.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Bob Addison of Ft. Sumner, N.M., sister of the bride, Miss Martha Gully of Midland, and Miss Vicky Stephens, sister of the groom of Lubbock. They were all attired in floor length dresses with dropped shoulders and featuring an overdress of printed organdy.

Flower girls were Brenna Matthews and Tory Matthews, John McDermott and Bob Johnson of Lubbock served as candlelighters.

Serving as best man was Mike Christal of Lake Jackson, Tex. Groomsmen were Chem Burks, Steve Rogers and Wayne Wheeler, all of Lubbock. Ushers were Richard Lynn Drachenberg of Smyer, John McDermott of Odessa and Bob Johnson of

Lubbock. A reception was held following the ceremony in the First Baptist Church Fellowship hall. The bride's table was laid with a long lace trimmed cloth. A silver candelabra holding white tapers centered the table. A white three-tiered cake topped with a nosegay of yellow and white daisies and soft green ribbon was served from silver and crystal appointments. The base of the cake was a garland of green plumosis fern and baby's breath.

The groom's table was laid with an apricot embroidered cloth with an overlay of white. A silver candelabra with white tapers centered the table. The bride's bouquet and the bridesmaids' were placed on the table. A chocolate cake with white doves was served. Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Charles Moraw, Mrs. Sandy Noble, Mrs. Mike Christal, Cindy Stephens and Kathy Richards.

The couple will be making their home in Midland after a trip to Yellowstone National Park.

The bride is a graduate of Muleshoe High School and Texas Tech University. She holds a BS degree in chemical engineering with honors. She was president of Tau Beta Pi, an engineering fraternity. She is employed with Exxon Oil Company in Midland.

The groom is a graduate of Coronado High School in Lubbock, where he was a National Merit Scholar. He holds a BS degree in chemical engineering from Texas Tech University. He is now an engineer with Union Oil of California in Midland.

Special guests at the wedding were Mrs. E.J. Stephens of Lubbock, and Mrs. F.J. Drachenberg of Smyer, both grandmothers of the groom.

A wedding rehearsal dinner was given at the Muleshoe Country Club.



MRS. LULA KISTLER

## Lula Kistler Honored On 98 Birthday

Honored Tuesday, September 22, in her home with an open house was Mrs. Lula Kistler, a Bicentennial Pioneer Woman of Bailey County and Muleshoe. Mrs. Kistler was 98 years old.

Many friends of Mrs. Kistler called during the day to wish her a "Happy Birthday".

Among those visiting from out-of-town were John Kistler, her grandson, and wife Ann, and children Cecille, Tim, Sharon and Judy of Lubbock; Warlick and Bobby Thomas of Amarillo, grandson of Mrs. Kistler; Mrs. Walter Moeller, Jr. and son, Josh of Laguna Niguel, California, granddaughter of Mrs. Kistler; Mrs. Bula Hobbs of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. J.A. (Ethal) Arwine of Floydada, daughters of Mrs. Kistler. Also calling were granddaughters Vicky and Gary Calkin of Roseburg, Oregon, and Camille and Greg Carey of Ruidoso, N.M.

Money is the most contemptible of all man-made idols.

## Mrs. Richardson Bride Of J.E. Silhan

Wedding vows were solemnized in an evening ceremony for Gayle Ann Richardson and James Edward Silhan of Pep, Saturday, September 10, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Silhan of Morton, aunt and

uncle of the groom. Lena Gipsen, Justice of the Peace, performed a single ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S.D. Seagroves of Muleshoe. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Silhan of Seguin.

The couple stood beneath a huge bouquet of yellow and apricot floral arrangements. The "Wedding March" was played at the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her sons, Kenny and John. She wore a floor length gown of apricot floral print. She carried a nosegay of yellow carnations surrounded by baby's breath and tied with apricot ribbons.

Serving as maid of honor was Doris Silhan of Seguin, sister of the groom. Bridesmaid was Betty Silhan of Ruidoso, N.M., cousin of the groom. They wore floor length dresses of pastel

print. They each carried a long stemmed yellow carnation surrounded with baby's breath and tied with apricot ribbon.

Best man was Danny Schlottman of Pep. Groomsman was Jerry Silhan of Morton, cousin of the groom.

The couple will be making their home in Pep after a trip to Ruidoso, N.M.

The bride is a graduate of Muleshoe High School and Attended South Plains College. She is a graduate of Hendrick Memorial School of Nursing at Abilene. She is presently employed at Cook Memorial in Levelland.

The groom is a graduate of Pep High School and attended South Plains College. He is presently engaged in farming.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. C.E. Webb, Aubrey Collier of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. George Silhan, Doris J. Silhan of Seguin, Mr. and Mrs. Skip

Carlos Andrew Perez, Venezuelan President, visiting Washington: "It will be impossible to disrupt the unity of OPEC, no one has to fear it. It acts responsibly."

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## Progressive Homes Club Held Meeting

Progressive Homes Club met Wednesday, September 21, in the home of Mrs. C.R. Black. Mrs. C.D. Hoover, president, presided at the meeting. Roll call was answered with house hold hints, exchange of recipes and reading of poems.

Members will be making a donation to help with the purchase of the "jaws of Life". Hostess gift was drawn by Mrs. Vera Engelking. Refreshments were served by Mrs. C.R. Black to Mrs. M.J. Gibson, Mrs. W.F. Harper, Mrs. Vera Engelking, Mrs. C.D. Hoover, Mrs. R.L. Roubineck, Mrs. H.L. Stratton, Mrs. Troy Thomas and a visitor, Mrs. Alton Epting.

The next meeting scheduled will be October 19, in the home of Mrs. Vera Engelking.

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SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED...Honored with a birthday party Thursday, September 22, at Muleshoe Nursing Home were from left, Mrs. Martha Williams, 90 on September 10, Arthur Perkins, 73 on September 10, Mrs. Annie Brown, 79 on



September 2, and Mrs. Annie Nicholson, 100 on September 20. Refreshments were served by the Needmore Community Club. Corsages were furnished by Beaver's Flowerland. Entertainment was provided by Zed. Robinson.

### Dillman Speaks To Muleshoe PTA

The Muleshoe PTA met Monday, September 12, in the Mary DeShazo cafeteria. The meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance and the PTA prayer, led by President Mrs. Lindy Chancey.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. Gary Dale, secretary. Mrs. Rita Lane gave the treasurer's report of \$44.96 and read the proposed budget for 1977-78 school year. A letter was received from the Texas Parent-Teacher Congress announcing eight scholarships available through the Texas PTA to be granted to career teachers.

Mrs. John Harris, program chairman, introduced Neal Dillman, Superintendent of Muleshoe schools. He gave a report on the Financing and Budgeting involved in the Muleshoe school system. This year's budget equals \$2,382,660.00 with \$245,000 to go for the Title programs. He asked everyone to read and learn about the taxes of the school districts, an equalization process to equal school, city and county tax values is underway. The tax rate for 1977-78 was reduced 14 cents. Current costs per pupil is \$1,350 with \$1150 going to salaries.

Dillman reported that current legislation will affect educational systems through unemployment insurance, free breakfast, accountability and market values and agricultural values.

A recommendation was made to sponsor a Coronary, Pulmonary, Resuscitation course. This will be voted on at the next meeting.

The Muleshoe PTA officers and committee chairman were introduced. Milton Oyler, principal of Richland Hills introduced the teachers from his school. Bill Taylor, principal of Mary DeShazo, introduced his teachers.

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### ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. Who won the Southern 500 stock car race?
2. Name the winner of the LPGA Rail Muscular Dystrophy Golf Classic.
3. Who won the World Series of Golf?
4. Name the baseball player who surpassed Hank Aaron's home run record.

### Answers to Sports Quiz

1. David Pearson.
2. Hollis Stacy.
3. Lanny Wadkins.
4. Sadaharu Oh of the Yomiuri Giants.

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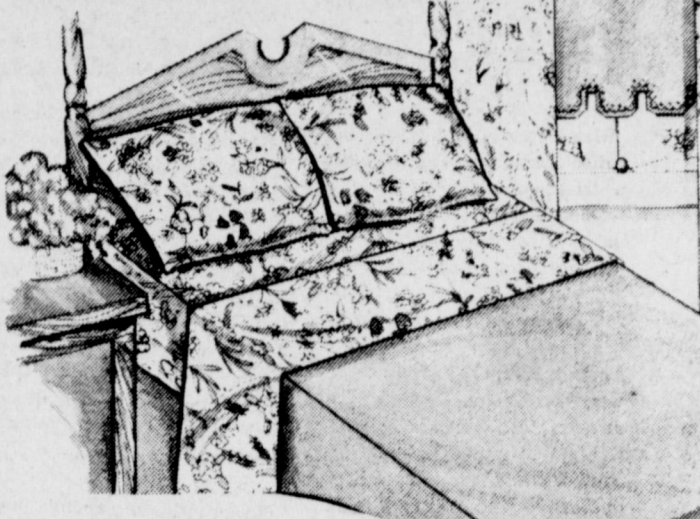
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### Clean Up Your Act For Safety

"How many times have you seen driving errors of other drivers that are contrary to courtesy or good practice, or even endangered your own safety?" asks Dr. Gary S. Nelson, a safety engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "When this happens to us, it is natural to feel frustrated and wish for some means to correct the discourtesy or injustice."

Some positive action can be taken, contends Nelson, of we learn from these incidents and apply the results to our own driving.

He offers an example for experience. "Recently, I was following a car when the driver slowed by coasting and then turned left without signalling his intentions. Without the clues of seeing brakelights or a turn-signal that would have indicated his intentions, I had to brake more suddenly than usual until the way was clear. While thinking derogatory thoughts about the 'other driver's' actions, I made a right turn. After completing the turn I noticed, with some embarrassment, that

while my thoughts were occupied with another driver's error, I had myself failed to signal my own intentions to turn."

We are quick to criticize other drivers for errors we make ourselves, points out Nelson, however, he suggests following the old saying, "We should wash our own hands before pointing out someone else's spots."

"When we see driving errors in others, we could turn a bad situation to our advantage," says Nelson, "by examining our own driving habits for similar errors." Then we should heed the proverb that says, "If you are annoyed by someone stepping on your heels from behind, do not yourself step on the heels of those in front of you."

"Each of us should take advantage of driving errors observed in others and clean up our own act—our own driving habits," suggests Nelson. "Courtesy and good practice can be contagious."

Jordan's King Hussein says U.S. key to peace.



KIWANIS DIRECTORS INSTALLED...New directors were installed during the annual Kiwanis Installation banquet last Tuesday night. They are, from left, back row, Jerry Hicks, Robert Montgomery and

Weldon Stevenson; front row, from left, Terry Bouchelle, Ray Lynd and Ronnie Shafer. Installing officer was Lt. Governor of District 33, Howard Birdwell of Hereford.

### Lubbock Job Fair Lists Over 800 Jobs

An additional 300 jobs have been listed in the last seven

days for the September 24 TEXAS FIRST Lubbock Job Matching Fair, bringing the total to more than 800.

"The enthusiasm by area employers has been tremendous," Bill Cooknell, chairman of the local industry committee of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, said. "We're amazed that so many new jobs have been listed over such a short period of time."

The new openings provide an even wider variety of available jobs for both skilled and unskilled Texans. Some examples are engineers, electronic technicians, welders, production workers, secretaries, stock clerks, psychologists, flame cutters, communications clerks, parts clerks, personnel assistants, clerk typists, RNs, LVNs' custodians, housekeepers, clothing clerks, machine operators and cashiers. For job seekers over 60, there are several openings for Foster Grandparents.

Twenty-six employers will be on hand at the Koko Palace, 50th and Ave. Q, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Applicants will have the opportunity to interview directly with the employer for any of the jobs available.

"By bringing the employee and employer together in one place at one time, the job seeker

may interview with every prospective employer in the area without having to travel from business to business," Jerry Heare, community development

director of the Texas Industrial Commission in Austin, explained. "The employer has the advantage of being able to fill all his employment needs in a relatively short period of time."

"Judging from the enthusiasm, it looks like we are in for another big success in Lubbock," Heare said. More than 2,000 people found employment as a result of the first four fairs held in Amarillo, Midland/Odessa, San Angelo and Wichita Falls. Amarillo has had more than 200 new families move into the area to begin their new jobs.

The Lubbock Fair is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, South Plains Chapter of the Texas Association of Business, TEC office and the south Plains Regional Planning Commission.

Five state agencies work with the local organizations in conducting the fairs. They are the TIC, TEC, Texas Department of Registration for the fair will take place at the door but job seekers will save time by pre-registering through the local Texas Employment Commission office.

Community Affairs, Texas Education Agency and the Office of the Governor.

#### Minority students

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — Students from minority groups are doing well in engineering studies at The University of Texas, says the director of the Equal Opportunity program in UT's College of Engineering.

John S. Robottom reports that 87 per cent of the minority students who have entered UT engineering programs "have either graduate or are still in school, a much higher percentage than the student body as a whole."

He notes that since engineering is demanding and has one of the highest dropout rates at the college level, "retention is the acid test." He estimates about 14 per cent of UT's freshman engineers this fall will be from minority groups.

Still An Optimist  
"Why won't you marry me?" he demanded. "There isn't anyone else, is there?"  
"Oh, Edgar," she sighed. "There must be!"

### Sudan News

By Evelyn Ritchie

Mr. and Mrs. Art Lynch, Vanessa and Jennifer vacationed at Blue Haven, N.M. during the Labor Day Weekend. Also vacationing at Blue Haven, N.M. during the Labor Day weekend were Mrs. and Mrs. James Withrow and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pudd Wiseman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Don Ham of Dalhart, formerly of Sudan.

Among those serving on jury duty in Littlefield last week were Timie Williamson, Lenore Morgan, Doris May, Evelyn Ritchie and Ricky Humphreys.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Chester ginned the first bale of cotton for 1977 this week at Farmers Co-op Gins Association of Sudan. Clyde Flowers is the manager. This was bought by Lance Cotton and Insurance and Farmers Co-op at \$1.00 per pound. (900 pounds of seed at \$150 per ton). This bale was ginned from 1,880 pounds of Qaw Paw cotton and netted 457 pounds.

Mrs. Olan Roark of Roark of Jewelry, Main Street recently returned from market in Dallas where she purchased many new items for her store. She is now in the process of remodeling the store and expects her new merchandise to arrive this week.

The Sudan Hornet J. Varsity tied the Anton Bulldogs Thursday night at Sudan. Freddy Freeman ran 37 yards. The top runner was Joey Bellar with a total of 76 yards. The total yards

was 79 yards. The Sudan Hornets Jr. Varsity will play Amherst at the next game.

The Epsilon Delta Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International met in Olton at the Olton State Bank on September 10. 34 members were present. Attending from Sudan were Maxine Nichols, Georgeanne Rasco, Loretta Reid, Mary Smith, Mary Tollett and La Delta Vernon.

Mrs. Muriel Crouch was in Grass Mountains, N.M. with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Goodyear of Arlington.

Billye Doty was honored with lunch at Deluxe Cafe Monday. She was presented a gift of appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chester, Mitch and John, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Chester and James Humphreys spent the holidays at Red River, N.M. Craig Doty accompanied them.

Visiting during the weekend with the G.C. Churchmans were their grandson, Larry Don Schueppe of Lubbock.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harlin recently were Joe Blackwell from Mesa, Ariz. and Sam Blackwell of Muleshoe. They were here to attend the funeral of J.W. Richards.

Grady McCrea of Del Rio also attended the funeral of J.W. Richards. Rev. Jimmy McGuire officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harlin and their grandson, Jodi of Earth were in Portales, N.M., Saturday to attend the fair and tractor pull.

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## Mule's Tale Staff Recognizes Junior Varsity

### Featured

### Defensive Mules Doing Good Job

The Muleshoe defensive team has done a superb job so far this year. They have only allowed their opposition to score 20 points in the first three games of the season. They have held where it was vitally necessary. Key defensive plays prevented Tula from scoring a second time. This proved to be a tight ballgame in which the defensive unit held and enabled the offense to score.

Charles Briscoe, Ernie Vela, Sam Whalin, Dave Poyner, Mark Harmon, David Dominguez, Terry Burton, Terry Shafer, Abel Ontiveroz, Dan McVicker, Martin Lopez, Mike Silguero, and Brent Maddox who was voted AA player of the week. We would like to congratulate this group of players on their outstanding performance.

When the offensive team is not performing to their best, which is very seldom, the defensive unit is trying their best to get the ball back for another try. Members of the defensive unit are: David White, Wade Wilson, Mark Washington, George Villareal, Curtis Carpenter, Brent Burrows, Keith Hawkins,

### Homecoming Plans Made By Students

The Student Council met Tuesday, September 13, in room 3. A committee has been appointed to take care of the Homecoming festivities.

Vice-President Keith Hawkins is in charge of a committee to see about repairing the damaged marquee in front of the school. Students wishing to become honorary members of Student Council can now sign up to do so.

The Student Council would also like to welcome Mrs. Pylant as their sponsor along with Coach Rodney Murphy for the 1977-78 school year.

### Library Opens With New Books, New Equipment

The High School library opened Monday, September 12. The library has a new physical arrangement because of a new audio visual center. This will make the audio visuals and equipment easier to use, both for students and teachers.

During the summer the library received many new books including ROOTS, A WHOLE NEW BALL GAME, TRINITY, BRIDGE TOO FAR, and many others. Because of the new books there have been new shelves added. Mrs. Esther Marie Dillman, the librarian, invites all of the students to get acquainted with the library.

### JV Mules On Winning Streak

The Junior Varsity Mules have excuted near flawless football in their first two games. They have won with considerable ease. They have worked very hard in workouts and they expect to continue their winning streak.

They have played two games so far this year, the first being against Portales. The Mules scored a convincing victory. They won this game 32 to zero. The second game was with Tula. They beat Tula by a score of 18 to six.

The Mules are expecting a tough game this week. They will be facing Hereford there in Thursday night.

### Muletrain, Mule's Tale Staff Busy

The Muleshoe High Journalism staff has been busy the first few weeks of school selling advertisements for the annual. The staff appreciates the merchants advertising in the Muletrain, and a list of advertisers will be published when ad sales are complete.

The co-editors for the annual this year are Stephanie Brantley and Dwayne Shafer. The editor of the Mule's Tale is Cherylee Bryant.

The members of the Muletrain-Mule's Tale staff are Mark Washington, Brad Baker, Danny Wilson, Billy Vinson, Jeep Shanks, Edwin Watson, Karen Stovall, Regina Burden, Benetta Roming, Shelly Splawn, Joronda Rhodes and Doug Cowan.



GO MULES GO ALL THE WAY!!!!!!!

The Student Council also met Tuesday, September 20. Vice-President Keith Hawkins reported that it would be better to buy a new marquee instead of repairing the old one.

The Student Council voted yes on approving constitutional amendments by the executive committee.

A skating party for the Student Council is planned for September 4 at Farwell.

### Class Of '78 Pictures To Be Made Soon

The Senior Class of '78 met in the cafeteria Monday, September 12. Brent Gunter opened the meeting and introduced Pat Shafer of Shafer Photo. Mrs. Shafer came to tell Seniors what to wear for their Senior portraits. She suggested dark solid clothes. Pat also said not to change hairstyle right before having a picture taken. September 30 is the last day Seniors will be able to receive a 40 per cent discount on pictures.

Brent also told the Seniors that their Chili Supper will be preceding the Littlefield game on October 14. Tickets will go on sale around October 1.

Officers for the Class of '78 are Brent Gunter, President, Mark Washington, Vice-President, Dwayne Shafer, Secretary-Treasurer, Stephanie Brantley, Reporter, and Martin Nowlin, Parliamentarian. The Senior sponsors are Mrs. Lucy Faye Smith, Mr. George Washington, Mrs. Lily Goodin, and Mr. Keith Taylor.

### FHA Girls Assist Hospital Auxiliary

Rose FHA members assisted the Hospital Auxiliary ladies and the Muleshoe Nursing Home to help Mrs. Nicholson celebrate her one hundredth birthday Sunday, September 18, by decorating the day room with crepe paper streamers, bows, and balloons. Mary Mata designed a picture of a birthday cake that was used as a stencil to make door decorations for each door in the Home. FHA member Julie Barnhill, assisted on Sunday by dressing as a clown to make the party especially festive.

On Monday, September 19, upper classmen feted the freshman girls with an initiation party at the park. Stunts, and get acquainted games were played. Later hamburgers, chips, punch and homemade ice cream were served to the group.

Members are now busily planning for the spaghetti supper to be served before the Abernathy-Muleshoe game September 30. Tickets will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children under six. All FHA girls and Muleshoe Young Homemakers will have tickets for sale.

### Calendar for The Week

- Monday, September 26- Fair Day School dismisses 2:15. FTA meeting 5th period-auditorium.
- Tuesday, September 27- Athletics Boosters.
- Thursday, September 29- Freshman Football-Canyon-There 5:00. Junior Varsity-Hereford-There 5:00. Junior Varsity-Hereford-There 7:30.
- Friday, September 30- Varsity Football Abernathy-Here 8:00.

### Lewis Is New FFA District Sentinel

Tuesday, September 20, Kirk Lewis, Dennis Patterson and Greg Harrison attended the District FFA meeting in Sudan. Kirk Lewis was elected Sentinel. This is a continuing tradition for the Muleshoe chapter. They have had a District officer from their club for the last several years. Also attending the convention were Gentry Lynn and Bill Bickel, advisors.

The chapter is presently preparing their entries for the Lubbock fair. Exhibits will be in fruits, vegetables, grains and a few livestock projects. For the last several years Muleshoe has dominated the crops division and they look for another good show this year. When you attend the fair, go by and see the exhibit.

### NHS Elect Officers

The members of the National Honor Society met Monday, September 19, to elect officers for 1977-78. Elected were Brad Baker, President; Jane Green, Vice-President; Stephanie Brantley, Secretary; Connie Harmon, Treasurer; Cherylee Bryant, Reporter; Kirk Lewis, Parliamentarian; Francis Brown, Chaplain; Dean Northcutt, Student Council Representative; and Rhonda King and Mark Washington, bulletin board chairmen. Lucy Faye Smith is NHS sponsor.

Plans were discussed for attending the Hayloft Dinner Theatre in the future. The third Wednesday of each month was chosen for the regular meeting. NHS will meet for dinner each month. The first dinner meeting will be held at Leal's on October 19.

### DECA Elect Officers By Secret Ballot

Monday, during fourth period, DECA met for their second meeting of the year. On the top of the agenda was the announcement of the officers for the 77-78 school year. These officers were elected by secret ballot. Officers are President-Jana Jones, Vice-President-Marvin Davenport, Secretary - Sheila Hunt, Treasurer-Vicky Gatewood, Reporter-Benetta Roming, Historian-Vicki Williams, Parliamentarian-Joe Ruthardt, and Student Council Representative-Mike Silguero.

Also discussed in the meeting was the "button making party," people to sell buttons and jackets before each home football game, parking lot personnel; and the Christmas Movie committee was chosen.

Debbie Miller, Tammie Williams, Vivian Briscoe and David Stevens volunteered to sell buttons and jackets. The people elected to pick out the movie are Vicki Williams, Beatrice Edmondson, Leon Phillips, Marvin Davenport and Annie Kirven. All officers met at the school at 7:30 that night. Mr. and Gist gave each officer literature on Leadership and Parliamentary Procedure. They also discussed

### Junior Class Officers Meet

The Junior class officers met Monday, September 19, and discussed the movie the Juniors sponsored Saturday, September 24. The name of the movie was "The Food of the Gods." It was held at the XIT beginning at 8:30 p.m. A concession stand served popcorn and cokes with Car Service. The proceeds went to the Junior Class. The Juniors express appreciation to Dr. and Mrs. Pummill for allowing the Juniors to have the movie. It was discussed to serve coffee, hot chocolate and cake or pies after our home games beginning after the first home game.

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Recognizing the Mules third win for the season, the Mule's tale is featuring Varsity Juniors and Sophomores.

Terry Shafer is the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shafer. He plays defensive end for the Mules. He is in all sports and is on the rifle team. He said "Our team this year is going where we want. We are going to win every game. We have the 'want to' that makes a winning team. It's not really how big you are, it's how tough and quick you are."

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a Junior and plays defensive back. His comments were: "I think the Mules have it this year. I believe the Mules are going to have on of the best seasons Muleshoe has ever had. I do believe Muleshoe can go 10-0 this season. We are going to do it. We have a good team. We're Number 1."

Lary Hooten is the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hooten. He is a Junior and plays Center for the Mules. His comments are "I think that our attitude is really good; and when district play comes around and it is 'get it time,' we are going to 'get it.'" Lary's other activities include Student Council, FTA and Basketball.

Mike Dale is the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Dale. He is a junior and plays guard. His comments are "We're going to go far this year because we work together as a team. We are very excited about playing this season. We have a better record this year than we have had in the past. I think we can win the district this year." Mike's other activities include FFA and FTA.

Steve Turner is a Junior tackle for the Mules. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Turner. He is also a member of Student Council, FFA, FTA, Art Club and RWMS track. His comments were "We have been doing really well this year, and with the way everyone has been working, you can expect to see us in the State Playoffs."

Zeke Pecina is the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hitlito Pecina. A sophomore running back for the Mules, participates in FTA, Athletics and Student Council. He says, "I really believe in this year. We have improved a lot, and I think we have something to be proud of. I really believe in our team and our character has taken us very far."

Sam Whalin is the 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whalin. He is a Sophomore and plays linebacker and blocking back for the Mules. He commented, "We have done extremely well this year and will continue doing well if everyone keeps working hard and keeps the same attitude."

Mike Northcutt is the 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Northcutt. He plays quarterback for the Mules. He is a class officer and is in athletics, FTA, and Art Club. He had this to say, "It's been a long time since Muleshoe has won, and this year is the year to change that! We pull for one another and believe in each other. We're going to be known as CH-AMPS!"

Terry Burton is the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Burton. He is a sophomore strong safety for the Mules. He participates in athletics and FTA. He commented, "This year is my first year to participate at the varsity level, and I'm really proud to be here. I am gaining valuable experience and it will help me a lot next year. I hope all of you will be out to support us because with the help of the fans and the cheerleaders we will win the district. Then everyone can go with us to state."

Ruben Orozco is the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Cuevas. Ruben plays fullback for the Mules.

### Muleshoe School Lunch

- MONDAY Milk Baked Ham English Peas Creamed Potatoes Hot Rolls Fruit
- TUESDAY Hamburgers Lettuce and Tomato Pickles and Onions Tater Tots Buns
- WEDNESDAY Milk Tamales Beans Spanish Rice Corn Bread Pudding
- THURSDAY Milk Corn Dogs Veg. Beef Soup Crackers Cinnamon Rolls
- FRIDAY Milk Turkey Dressing Gravy Green Beans Candied Yams Hot Rolls Fruit Salad

### Freshman Football

The Muleshoe Freshman football team lost their first game of the season to Tula, 30-14. The Mules only trailed 16-8 at one point, but a touchdown on the kickoff by Tula put the Hornets ahead to stay.

The Freshman game this week was against the Farwell JV at Farwell. The game score was not known at Mule's Tale deadline.

Brandt warns about growths of neo-Nazism.

### Seniors Hear Max Sherman

Dr. Max Sherman, President of West Texas State University and former State Senator, spoke to the Senior Class September 21. He explained the fundamentals of State government. Dr. Sherman was very impressive and he answered many questions asked by the Seniors. The Seniors extend a special thanks to Max Sherman for taking time to come to Muleshoe to speak to them.

### Coaches Comments

Head Coach Don Cumpston Comments: Winning the Tula game was extremely important for our team because we feel Tula has one of the best AA teams in our area. We felt our defense played outstanding throughout the game, and our offense produced an 83 yard drive in the fourth quarter to win the game. This win should give us a great deal of momentum that will carry through the season.

Statistics: Muleshoe had 10 first downs to Tula's nine. Muleshoe gained 208 total yards to Tula's 162. Tula had 150 yards rushing to the Mule's 108. Muleshoe racked up 100 yards passing to Tula's 12.

### Art Club Elect '77-'78 Officers

The Art Club met Monday, September 19, to elect the officers for this year.

The President is Mark Washington, Vice-President Curtis Carpenter, Treasurer Dani Dunham, Secretary Susan Crittenden, Reporter David White, and Parliamentarian Shae Penna.

The Student Council Representatives are Mark Northcutt and Beverly Biggerstaff.

### Happy Birthday

The Mule's Tale Staff would like to wish the following people a HAPPY BIRTHDAY:  
September 25-Robert King, Janie Gomez, Tyece Wagon.  
September 26-Marty Livingson.  
September 27-Kent Rempe.  
September 29-Benetta Roming.  
September 30-Lupe Pacheco, Tana Webb.  
October 1-Gary Cox, Betty Manzanares, Debbie Miller.

## Poisonous Range Plants Cause Livestock Problems

By Robert L. Haney  
TAES Science Writer

In case fickle markets, drought, diseases, insects and high production costs aren't enough, the livestockman can always worry about poisonous range plants.

There is plenty to fret about. On a national basis, direct losses of cattle and sheep amount to more than \$23 million yearly. But, that's looking at the problem in its simplest form. When such factors as lower reproduction, reduced weight gains and cost of managing infested ranges are considered, the losses in Texas alone are estimated at \$50 to \$100 million per year.

Dr. Joseph L. Schuster, range management researcher with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, says poisonous plants are one of the most significant problems on western and southwestern ranges. More than 1,000 species are known to be toxic to livestock in some way in the U.S. There are at least 80 troublesome kinds in Texas.

The problem wouldn't be as vexing if most or all poisonous plants behaved the same. Some of the bad plants are grazed only when livestock can find nothing else to eat. Others are relished by animals. Still others cause death directly, or strange behavior.

What it all amounts to is a sticky management problem, with overgrazing usually being the root cause, Schuster says. However, what's a stockman to do when his animals seek out such species as locoweed? The weed is not especially palatable, but there are times when it is succulent and livestock become addicted. The only remedy is to move the animals to a locoweed-free range.

Another species readily grazed is wild larkspur. Fortunately, most cattle can eat the plant in small amounts without apparent effect. Sheep are even less susceptible. Much depends on how much the larkspur is diluted or balanced with desirable range plants, which Schuster says goes back to proper grazing management.

Adding to the complexity is the fact that some poisonous plants react in different ways when ranges are sprayed with herbicides. Research has shown that phenox herbicides will boost larkspur tastiness and alkaloid content. On the other hand, the toxin in timber milkvetch decreases following treatment with 2,4,5-T or silvex.

Therefore, Schuster says, post treatment grazing is an important consideration in range treatment with herbicides.

And then there are the sneaky forages. Most of the year, they are palatable and nutritious. But under frosty or droughty conditions, they can be deadly with cyanide. The best known of these in Texas, the Experiment Station researcher said, are the grasses in the sorghum family. Johnsongrass is one.

Other forage species that can suddenly build their cyanide content are arrowgrass, catelaw and chokecherry.

Such species as snake-weed and prince's plume are selenium accumulators and cause livestock problems on high selenium soils. Bitterweed and shinnery oak can bring on poisoning soon after being eaten, but animals must graze jimmyweed and sneezeweed for a while before their cumulative effects show up.

"Careful grazing management, which enhances the better forage species, is cited most often as the surest and most economical means of preventing livestock losses," he said.

This is especially true, he added, when the poisonous species are annuals or weak perennials and don't usually hold dominant positions in a climax plant community. When good forage is adequate, animals normally vary their diets and seldom eat enough poisonous plants to cause problems.

*Editor's Note—Any questions regarding this column should be addressed to Science Writer, Dept. of Agricultural Communications, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843.*

### Lazbuddie News By Judy Lust

Jan Rogers, Bobby Mimms, and Janice Bradshaw traveled to Lubbock last week to attend a Ladies Day at the Lubbock south Side Church of Christ. A salad luncheon was included in the days activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Barnes of Lubbock visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barnes last weekend.

The Willing Workers Circle of the Lazbuddie Methodist church met in the home of Barbara Lust last Tuesday morning. Linda Elliott led the program on failure and sharing each other burdens. Several announcements and items of business were discussed. The next meeting will be Sept. 27.

Jeana Cole was in Roswell this past weekend visiting her father who is in the hospital.

Several ladies from the Lazbuddie Community attended the Women's Christian Fellowship meeting held at the Trinity Baptist Church in Muleshoe last Thursday night. Gary and Alba Wilcox were in charge of the music and Glenda Jennings was in charge of the program. Mrs. Janice Thompson of Friona gave her testimony which was a real inspiration to all present.

Skeet and Neil Bradshaw went to Lubbock to attend the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Bradshaw's brother. They also went to Slaton to take his mother, May Melugin to lunch in Lubbock.

### Lazbuddie School Menu

- MONDAY  
Weiners and Cheese  
Mixed Vegetables  
Blackeye Peas  
Butterscotch Pudding  
Cornbread  
Peanuts  
Milk
- TUESDAY  
Enchiladas  
Hot Sauce  
Pinto Beans  
Green Salad  
Cornbread  
Butter  
Sun-Up Cocktail  
Milk
- WEDNESDAY  
Salisbury Steak  
Gravy  
Cream Potatoes  
English Peas  
Hot Rolls  
Butter  
Milk  
Orange Juice
- THURSDAY  
Hamburgers or Sloppy Joes  
French Fries  
Lettuce  
Onions  
Pickles  
Fruit Salad  
Milk  
Orange Juice
- FRIDAY  
Fish  
Tarter Sauce  
Buttered Corn  
Spinach Leaf  
Yeast Biscuits  
Butter  
Jelly  
Milk  
Fruit Punch

### West Plains Medical Center Briefs

Herbert Clay had eye surgery in Amarillo last Monday.

Mrs. Lorain Gallman returned home last week after spending six weeks in Kenya, Africa with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Albertson, where they served as short-term

Maureen Jesko, Betty Bagley, Larry Acker, and Millie Bagley all celebrated their birthdays last week with a party at the Pete Jesko Home. Eighteen people from Amarillo, Hereford, Tulia, and Lazbuddie attended the party, which has become an annual event, and the affair was enjoyed by everyone present.

Reminder—The Junior Home Ec. Class will have Story Time this Friday.

September 20: Maria Elena Martinez and R.B. Fudge.  
September 21: Brett Pylant and Juanita Shannon.  
September 22: Richard Rodriguez, Brandon Wilson, Karen Lucas, Karl Lovelady, Virginia DeLeon and Gary Floyd.



### So you see fat?

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — It may not be scientific, but a University of Texas nutritionist suggests the old mirror test to determine if one is overweight:

"Take off all your clothes," says Dr. RoseAnn Shorey, "stand in front of the mirror, and if you see fat, you see fat."

Among her tips for weight reduction are changing eating habits, making sure diets are nutritionally adequate and increasing the level of exercise.

### Jason Neil Forque

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Forque of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy born September 15, at 4:22 p.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed seven pounds and eight ounces and was named Jason Neil Forque. He is the couple's first child.

Maternal Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fried of Muleshoe and Paternal Grandmother is Mrs. E.W. Forque of Pearland, Tex.

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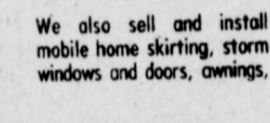
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## Welcome To Muleshoe



Gary and Shelly Oberg

We would like to welcome Mr. & Mrs. Gary Oberg to Muleshoe this week. Shelly & Gary come to us from Estancia, N.M. where Gary worked on a ranch. He now works for King Feed Lots, and Shelly works for the Muleshoe Publishing Co.. their hobbies include rodeo riding. Their church preference is Church of Christ. They have 2 poodles and 1 cowdog. They now reside at 708 W. Ave. H.

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**MULESHOE CO-OP GINS GETS COTTON...**Cotton season is beginning in the area. During the past week, Muleshoe Co-op Gin started their season by ginning a 505 pound bale for Sonny Shafer, who farms 14 miles southeast of Muleshoe on the A.J. Shafer farm. The bale produced 920 pounds of seed. Shown from left are Jessie

Ray, E.D. Watson, plant superintendent, Sonny Shafer, Jackie Proffitt, Gary Watson, ginner; Hector Flores, ginner; Earl Richards, Co-op gin manager. Seated, from left are Rinaldo Reynero, Arthur Hayes Jr. and Tomas Flores.

**Enochs News**  
By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Harold Dean Nichols, son of Mrs. Flo Nichols, underwent emergency surgery last Saturday night, September 10, at a hospital in Lubbock. He is improving nicely.

Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw took their grandson, Dany Shaw, home last Saturday. He had spent the week with them. His home is at Post. They also visited Mrs. J.D. Bayless at Highland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Peterson enjoyed their vacation in California visiting relatives.

The E.N. Mcall dinner guests Sunday were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert George, Brent and Martha of Lubbock. Also Bryan Rynderman of Lubbock and Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw.

Mrs. J.D. Bayless was dismissed from Highland Hospital Tuesday, September 13, after being a patient three weeks. She was very happy to be home. She is improving more each day.

Mrs. Cleo Hall of Phoenix,

Arizona, arrived Monday, September 12, to care for her mother, Mrs. J.D. Bayless. Another daughter, Mrs. Leland Finley of Odessa spent the first three weeks with her until she returned home Sunday, September 18.

The people of the Baptist Church had cottage prayer meetings the past week in different homes with a prayer breakfast at the Church Saturday morning. Their revival began Sunday, September 18 and will go through Sunday, September 25. The evangelist is Rev. J.L. Bass, pastor of the Friendship Baptist Church in Lamesa. Music Director is

Kenneth Carter of the First Baptist Church in Muleshoe. Services are at 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

The sunflower harvest has been in full swing. The cotton is opening fast.

Mrs. Kenneth Coats and Mrs. Ama Altman were in Clovis, N.M. and visited Mrs. Coats daughter, Mrs. Robert Jones and family Friday afternoon.

*Fashion*  
Sleeves this season are varied in style. One called the dragonfly sleeve is very wide at the wrist. Others may be short and puffed or long and gathered at the wrist.

**Maedelle Poynor Funeral Rites Held Saturday**



Maedell Poynor

Maedell Poynor of Portales died Thursday morning in the Roosevelt General Hospital. She was 68 years old.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Southside Church of Christ. Officiating will be Dr. Larry Bradshaw, assisted by Grover Ross and Leland Knight. Graveside services were at 4 p.m. in the Lubbock City Cemetery Saturday. Mrs. Poynor was buried at the side of her husband, R.W. Poynor.

She was born May 13, 1909, in Parker County, Texas. A member of the Brazos Street Church of Christ, she was a resident of Lubbock for 32 years before coming to Portales 9 years ago.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Margaret Ann Bloomer, Grapevine, Texas; and five sons, Bobby of Lubbock, Frank and Marlin of Portales, and Hanev and Paul of Muleshoe. There are 17 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren, and five sisters, Mrs. Pauline Morris and Mrs. Esta Lea Ashley of Mineral Wells, Texas; Mrs. Cleo Lewis, Shawnee, Oklahoma; Mrs. Para Lea Moore, Fort Worth; and Mrs. Modene Thomas, Crane, Texas.

Pallbearers will be Douglas, Brad, David and Terry Poynor, Steve and Scott Bloomer, Sam Cook and Gary Bender. Honorary bearers are T.A. Rogers, Herman Wheatley, Herb Smith, Kenneth Klusey, Coy Baker, and Ray Hill.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be sent to the Christian Children's Home in Portales.

An accent on the wearing of dresses rather than pants has been encouraged by designers for fall.

**All-Male Image of Farmer Doesn't Hold True Anymore**

In the past, most people thought of a typical Texas farmer as being determined, hard-working, persevering—and male.

But today, says Texas Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown, the push for greater rights and opportunities for women has vaulted them into prominent positions in many industries, including farming. From their previous roles as the unsung heroines of agriculture, women are taking increasingly active parts in owning, operating and managing farms throughout the state, according to census figures and U.S. Department of Labor statistics.

In fact, Brown states, the trend is part of a larger movement that has seen an ever-expanding percentage of all women working outside the home. Another factor is the new, more attractive image that agriculture has gained in the past few years, and the decrease of sheer, back-breaking labor needed to produce agricultural products.

But probably the largest factor leading to the involvement of women in operation of their

agricultural lands is inheritance. Each year more and more land is left to wives and daughters who feel a loyalty in keeping and working the land themselves. Some say that as much as 50 per cent of the land in Texas may be owned either directly or indirectly by women, although there are no clear statistics available. A good portion of this was probably gained through inheritance.

Since the establishment of the Family Land Heritage Program in 1974 by the Texas Department of Agriculture there have been over 438 women honored

who are owners of the Texas land on which they live. The basic requirement is that members of the family must have worked as much as 10 acres of the farm or ranch themselves continuously for 100 years or more.

One of the top goat ranchers in Texas is a friendly, personable woman, Joan Gardner, who owns and operates five ranches in Edwards, Sutton, and Kimble counties. It is said there that she is "as good a rancher as anyone who ever carried the Gardner name." Gardner, first vice-president of the American Angora Goat Breeders Association, is the first woman in 50 years and the second in history to

carry that title.

Another female Texan actively involved in the day-to-day operation of a farm is Lonne Kihn, who has land near Devine, Texas. Mrs. Kihn has lived on her land since 1937, when she and her husband were married. In 1972, after being widowed, she chose to give up a 15-year nursing career in order to keep the spread.

Women will become more visible in agriculture in the future. No only will they be owners through inheritance, but many more will also be buying their own lands. Obstacles to women in agriculture have crumbled even in high school - girls can now study vocational agriculture and join Future Farmers of America, once an all-male show.

There has been a 28-per-cent increase in women's enrollment in agricultural colleges nationally in the last five years, according to the National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges. At Texas A&M, 40 per cent of the freshman class in 1976 were women.

**Abstinence or Else**

"So you attribute your longevity to abstinence from alcohol?" inquired the inquiring reporter.

And the centenarian admitted "Yes, my wife would have killed me if I had touched a drop."

Low income Americans got food stamp bonus July 1.

**UT Austin campus gets large library**

AUSTIN, Texas (Sp.) — What's big and quiet and has more than nine miles of carpet and 70 miles of shelves?

The new Perry-Castaneda Library at the University of Texas. With 500,673 gross square feet of floor space and seats for almost 3,200 readers, it is believed to be the third largest academic library building in the nation. The new facility will be the major research library for two-thirds of the UT faculty and students.

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**Price Support Loans Can Pay For Shipping**

Tightness of grain storage space for sorghum is some areas of the country, particularly in wheat producing areas of Northwest Texas, has aroused substantial interest in the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) "County Plus" system of price support loans on sorghum, wheat, barley and rye.

Roland Smith, grain marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, explains the system.

"According to price support loan regulations, any of the four covered crops can be transhipped to a location closer to, and on line of transit to, export ports with CCC loaning the producer sufficient funds to offset transportation costs. In other words, the producer receives payment for entering his grain under loan at the rate applicable to his county. But if local elevators do not have sufficient space to store the grain, the producer is not penalized by being forced to ship the grain elsewhere for storage."

Smith gives the example. If a Texas sorghum producer desires to place his crop under loan but his local elevator has no space, he can arrange to have the sorghum transhipped to a terminal elevator in line of transit to the Gulf for export. He then can recover his cost of transportation plus the receiving and loadout charges at the local elevator from CCC. If the producer subsequently forfeits the grain to CCC, it is advantageously located for shipment to a Gulf port, and CCC does not have to bear shipping costs. If, on the other hand, the producer decides to repay the loan, he must also repay the additional amount for transshipment and handling which has become a part of his loan. However, the producer will then have grain closer to the export market, which should make his sorghum more valuable to potential buyers.

"Prior to this year, producers could only recover rail freight

charges," notes Smith. "But now a portion of the costs for some truck shipments might be recovered. It depends upon the situation."

Soybeans, corn and oats are not eligible for the "County Plus" loans, adds the Extension marketing specialist. Producer groups have worked to get these crops covered before harvest, but it appears there will be no change this year.

Producers interested in the details of this loan program should contact their local county ASCS offices for more information.

**Alpha Zeta Pi Model Meeting Held**

Alpha Zeta Pi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its model meeting for prospective members Tuesday evening, September 20, in the home of Mrs. Paul Wilbanks.

President Mrs. Tommy Merritt presided during the business meeting, calling on chapter officers and committee chairmen to explain their various responsibilities. Following the meeting, members and guests looked at scrapbooks, while they were served fruit pizzas, coffee, tea, and cokes.

Those present were Mrs.

Steve Black, Mrs. Dave Marr, Mrs. Mac Brown, Mrs. Dick Chitwood, Mrs. Alec Schuster, Mrs. Mark Gist, Mrs. Gordon Green, Mrs. Louis Cardinal, Mrs. Homer Allgood, Mrs. Clifford Black, Mrs. Terry Hill, Rick Hallford, Mrs. Skip Magby, Mrs. Gary Toombs, Mrs. Gary Renner, Mrs. Paul Wilbanks, Mrs. Tim Foster, Mrs. Tom Little, Mrs. Larry Hayden, Mrs. David Bray, Mrs. Bruce Purdy, Mrs. Ed Kramer, Mrs. Kirby Burch, Mrs. Benny Bruns, Mrs. Stan Black and Mrs. Gary Glover.

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# Junk Food Means Poor Nutrition

Many Texans on limited incomes are attempting to keep up with their affluent neighbors by buying junk foods. The result is poor nutrition, says the Texas Department of Health.

This problem and many more concerning nutrition will be discussed by international experts at the most comprehensive public health nutrition conference in Texas history September 19-22 at Austin's Sheraton Crest Inn.

The conference offers a unique chance for physicians, nutritionists, nurses and health practitioners to discuss nutrition as a key to better health throughout the life cycle. The conference is being sponsored by the Department of Health and the Texas Public Health Association.

"Two main goals will be emphasized," says Dr. P. Cliff

Price, Chief of the Bureau of Personal Health Services of the Department. "The first objective is to set the trend of the nutrition as a viable part of total health care planning for an individual. The second goal is to develop standards or policies, together with recommendations, for implementing nutritional services in all areas of public health."

One of the programs to be discussed at the conference will be the Supplemental Feeding Program for Women, Infants, and Children, simply called "WIC." For the past three years the Department of Health has operated the special nutrition project, under funding from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

"Lots of people on limited incomes really aren't aware of the right foods to eat. They

often try to compete with their neighbors who are better off financially by buying snack items. The long range goal of the WIC Program is to educate those on low incomes as to the wiser food choices that will keep them healthier," says Catherine E. Litteer, nutrition consultant with the TDH Maternal and Child Health Services, which administer the program.

The WIC Program serves a limited clientele. Eligible recipients may include pregnant women, infants under one year old, and children up to their fifth birthdays. Those within these categories who apply for WIC services get a health assessment by a nurse, doctor or nutritionist to see if they are "a nutritional risk." This means they may not be getting enough food, or the right kinds of food.

Those under the WIC program are not just given advice and counseling, but are given specific food items free. The foods can be picked up at cooperating retail grocery stores, or, in some areas, they can be delivered directly to the recipient's home.

"The food items have been

selected according to the nutrients available in them. The supplemental foods include milk products, cheese, eggs, iron fortified cereals, vitamin C enriched fruit and vegetable juices and iron-fortified infant formula," said Ms. Litteer.

The Texas WIC Program has an authorized caseload of 61,521 and provides assistance through 36 local agency projects operating in 63 Texas counties. The average stay on the program for participants is 18 - 22 months.

"Once a woman or child is approved in a clinic for the program, we ask them to return every six months. We want to check the progress they are making," says Ms. Litteer.

"The aim of the program is to have healthier infants, mothers and children, and the nutritional aspects of health are being emphasized. Trained nutritionists counsel with all participants. Lack of physical and mental attainments of nutritionally deprived youngsters has drawn the increasing attention of public health officials in the past few years," she said.

Special invitations to the Aus-

tin Conference have been extended to people representing agencies with nutrition programs.

"We feel that the time has come to develop cooperation and coordination between agencies in order to utilize personnel more effectively while working together to reach goals developed by the conference," says Dr. Price.

In line with this, representatives of local, state and federal agencies, together with a representative from the public, will organize into teams during the conference. The teams will lis-

ten to speakers, evaluate their presentation and then develop policies and guidelines for implementing nutritional care programs.

Proceedings of the conference will be published within 90 days of the conference containing abstracts of each presentation and recommendations and guidelines for nutritional care. The theme of the conference—"Nutrition Throughout the Life Cycle"—will be carried in speakers topics in such areas as pre-natal nutrition, pediatric nutrition, nutrition for adults, and nutritional needs of the aging population.

## Young Homemakers To Hold Spaghetti Supper

The Muleshoe Young Homemakers met Tuesday night, September 20, for a business meeting.

A spaghetti supper has been planned for Friday night, September 30, preceding the Abernathy-Muleshoe football game. The FHA department of Muleshoe High School will be assisting.

The Young Homemakers will be working with the FHA department on various projects throughout the year. Mrs. Mike Richardson presented a list of programs scheduled for the regular monthly meetings.

The next meeting of the Young Homemakers will be October 11, at 7:00 p.m. a program will

be given on the blood drive. The Young Homemakers will help to sponsor the blood drive in February. Pioneer Natural Gas will also present a program on "Quickie Meals" following the blood drive presentation.

Homemade ice cream and brownies were served by hostesses Mrs. Mike Richardson and Mrs. Mack Hodges to Mrs. Mitchell Autry, Mrs. Rod Springfield, Mrs. Lionel Lane, Mrs. Gilbert Dale, Mrs. Raymond Davenport, Mrs. Gary Elliott, Mrs. Brian Noble, Mrs. Tim Crozier, Mrs. Don Cumpston, Mrs. Oran Sain, Mrs. Johnny Estep, Mrs. Sandy Noble and Mrs. John Jones.

## Bula News

By Mrs. J. Blackman

Harvest time is beginning to get under way in the community, several are cutting feed and sunflowers. Cotton is really beginning to open.

Li. Col. and Mrs. Earl Livinghood Jr. from Barksdale Air Force Base in Louisiana, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Teaff. He is a nephew of Mr. Teaffs.

Mr. and Mrs. P.R. Pierce, accompanied by their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter and boys Jeff, Joey and Jeremy of Muleshoe, drove to Coahoma, Sunday for a Kerby family reunion, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Wallace. 40 relatives were in attendance. Honored guest at the reunion was an uncle of Mrs. Pierce, Hugh Kerby, 91 years of age and the only living member of the immediate Kerby family.

Oliver Simmons of Lubbock came out Monday to be with his parents while his father Mr. F.L. Simmons was having a bout in the Medical Arts hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Harlan and son John David, drove to Levelland Saturday to help their granddaughter, Meloni Marshall, celebrate her first birthday. Others with them were a great grandmother, Mrs. Agnes Weaver of Levelland and an uncle Tim Marshall of Lubbock.

Archie B. Teaff of Abernathy, was a Saturday guest in the Royce Teaff home.

Mrs. Minnie Luman of Muleshoe, visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ben Pierce. The ladies are sister-in-laws.

Mrs. Tom Bogard will be serving on the Bailey County Arthritis fund drive for the Bula community.

Mrs. John Hubbard left Monday for Grants, N.M. to be with her daughter and family, on hearing of the death of her son in laws father Mr. Oldfield, who made him home with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Oldfield and girls. She returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Walden of Earth spent Friday night with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Walden.

Mrs. P.R. Pierce had charge Tuesday afternoon when the WMU met for their weekly study. Lesson was taken from their Mission Study book, with lesson study on Old Testament characters, Abraham, Sarah and Moses. Mrs. Richardson read the prayer calendar, with Mrs. Pierce giving the opening prayer and prayer for the missionaries. Vina Tugman closed the meeting with prayer.

## Cotton Loans Approved For Export-Import

Texas cotton farmers stand to gain from a new decision by the Export-Import Bank of the United States, Congress man Bob Krueger said today.

Krueger joined the successful effort by members of the Texas delegation to have the eximbank reconsider its earlier decision not to extend \$75 million in loan to Japanese importers of U.S. cotton.

"I am pleased to be able to tell Texas farmers this good news," Krueger said "because increasing our agricultural exports is the only real solution to the cost-price squeeze our hard-working farmers find themselves in."

Krueger said increasing agricultural exports is also the key to the U. S. Balance of payments problem, created by rising prices of oil imported to the U.S. "We had been concerned that Japanese imports of U.S. cotton might drop off, because of weakening worldwide demand for cotton, and the tendency of international buyers look elsewhere, in a tight money market, for cotton imports," Krueger said.

"Because of current low cotton prices, Texas farmers need all the help they can get," Krueger said, "and this is a step in the right direction."

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  - Chips
  - Pork and Beans
  - Chocolate Pudding
  - Milk
- TUESDAY
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  - Green Beans
  - Rolls Butter
  - Honey
  - Milk
- WEDNESDAY
  - Chili Beans
  - Buttered Corn
  - Cornbread
  - Apple Cobbler
  - Milk
- THURSDAY
  - Roast Beef
  - Creamed Potatoes
  - Mixed Vegetables
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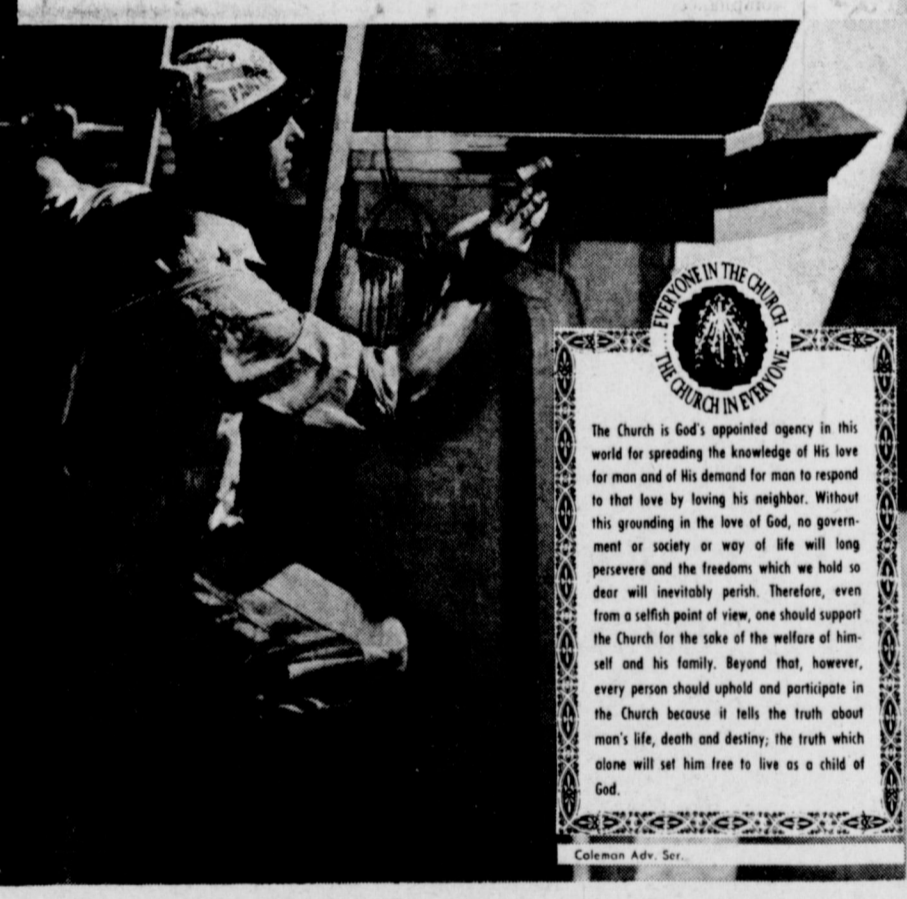
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## Crop Prices, Set-Aside To Affect '78 Plantings

Recent changes in relative prices for wheat, feedgrains and cotton and the newly announced wheat set-aside add new elements to producers' 1978 planting decisions.

"In making cropping decisions, producers should recognize the available alternatives under the new program, market price expectations, and relative production costs for their particular situations," contend Dr. Ronald Knutson and Roland Smith, economists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Under the new farm program (assuming final enactment), producers will be required to set-aside 20 percent of their wheat acreage if they are to have the advantage of the price support loan, target price and disaster payment provisions of the bill, point out the economists. The loan rate for wheat will be \$2.35 per bushel in 1978. The wheat target price will be \$3 per bushel if total U.S. production in 1978 is more than 1.8 billion bushels and \$3.05 if production is less. This year's production is estimated at 2.03 billion bushels.

Knutson and Smith list two options for a producer within the set-aside provisions. One choice is that he can set-aside 20 percent of his 1977 acreage; then he will be guaranteed a deficiency payment on his planted acreage based on the 13 or \$3.05 target price. For example, if a producer planted 500 acres of wheat in 1977 and 500 acres of cotton, he could reduce wheat plantings in 1978 to 400 acres, retain cotton at 500 acres and set-aside 100 acres.

A second option is that he can reduce his wheat planting by less than 20 percent or even increase plantings, but set aside 20 percent of his 1978 wheat acreage. Again, assuming that a producer planted 500 acres of wheat and 500 acres of cotton in 1977, he could plant 200 acres of cotton, 640 of wheat, and set-aside 160 acres of land in 1978. If this option is chosen, the producer is only assured of receiving a deficiency payment on 80 percent of his wheat acreage planted for harvest. Of course, the program is voluntary and a set-aside is not mandatory, but the loss of loan, target price and disaster payment provisions would result from non-compliance.

Which option should a producer choose in 1978?

"With the announced grain reserve program and the fact that the set-aside program is only expected to reduce wheat production about 10 percent, we anticipate that, with normal weather, market prices for wheat in 1978 could be at or below the loan level," note Knutson and Smith. "This may also be true for feedgrain prices much of the year. If the cotton crop materializes according to estimates, it will also likely be priced near the loan level-although more uncertainty exists in cotton than in either wheat or

feedgrains."

If a producer's production patterns in 1977 were reasonably in line with relative costs of production, a 20 percent set-aside on the basis of 1977 wheat acreage likely is the best strategy, believe the economists. If, however, a producer planted more cotton than normal in 1977, he may want to increase wheat acreage in 1978 back to normal levels based on the target prices of \$3 per bushel for wheat and \$2 cents per pound for cotton. The advantage here is that in 1979, the producer will be eligible for 100 percent participation based upon optimal cropping patterns. Winter wheat producers will have until next spring to declare their actual set-aside intentions for 1978.

"While a USDA set-aside determination is made independently each year, current conditions indicate cropping and set-aside decisions should be based upon the assumption that there will be set-aside requests for the next several years," contended Knutson and Smith. "With target prices based on U.S. average costs of production, wheat land normally should be planted to wheat, cotton land to cotton and sorghum to sorghum even if it means less price protection in 1978. If a feedgrain

set-aside is announced at the anticipated 10 percent level, the same reasoning likely will apply."

Detailed regulations for the set-aside program have not yet

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