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SPRINGTIME . . . Miss Jana Bruns, daughter of Mrs. Betty Bruns, of Muleshoe, is looking forward to more warm spring days like this one. She can always sit under the cool shade of peach blossoms, on

a warm spring day. Miss Bruns, is a Senior and Head Cheerleader

# Construction On New Water Tank

Muleshoe has gained a new water storage tank. The steel for the tank construction has arrived. The construction men were to begin arriving on March 25. The contractor of Universal Tank and Iron Works, Inc. anticipates that erection will take six weeks.

This job was let in December of 1974. A condition of the contract being that the project would be completed in 660 days. The tank will hold a capacity of half a million gallons. This tank is similar in appearance to the tank on U.S. 84, in Littlefield. The contract price is \$251,900 and the color of the tank will be white when it is completed.

"It will greatly improve water volume and pressure over the city and it will be especially noticeable over the western portions of town," states City Manager, Dave Marr.

### LittleLeague Officers Elected

Muleshoe Little League held its first meeting of the year Tuesday night, at the XIT Steak House. Officers were elected as follows: President, Eugene Howard; Vice President, Roger Williams; Secretary-Treasurer, Jo Ella Flowers; and Player's Agent, Nonnie Howard.

The tenative schedule for the 1976 season was approved as follws: First workday at the park will be Saturday, April 3. All volunteers are urged to attend. Registration of players begins the weeks of April 12 - 16. Player tryouts start Saturday, April 17, at 1:00 p.m., at cont. on Page 3, col. 1

The Byrds have lived in the To Meet Monday

The Bailey County Commissioners Court will meet in Special Called Session, on Monday, March 29, at 10:00 a.m., at their regular meeting place in the courthouse, in Muleshoe, with the following items being on the Agenda.

First of all they will approve cont. on Page 3, col. 3

# Heart Association **Appoints Committee**

The Bailey County Unit of the American Heart Association met at the Corral Restaurant at noon, March 1, 1976. The following board members attending were Dean Spraberry, Dr. Gary Albertson, Tommy Black, Ben Yeager, Elizabeth Black, J.W. Coppedge, R.A. Bradley, M.D. Gunstream, Wilma Magby, Joyce White, director also attended.

Dean Sprayberry, president, presided at the meeting and appointed a nominating committee consisting of Elizabeth Watson, chairman; M.D. Gunstream, Paul Wilbanks, and Dr.

Gary Albertson. This committee will meet on April 8, 1976, to select a state of officers, board of directors, six delegates to the Division Annual Assembly, in Lubbock, May 20, and two delegates to the Texas Affiliate Assembly, in Houston, June 19.

The president reminded all of the committees that all of their reports for this year have to be in by April 15, to receive credit

for the year. The campaign report was made showing a total fund raising, to date, of \$5,559.02 on March 22,

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All the tanks in this area will serve the entire city. The city has ground storage tanks at different locations in town. There is one 110,000 gallon concrete storage tank located at West ninth and Ave. B. cont. on Page 3, col. 3

## Bob Byrd Selected As New Director

Bob Byrd, of Muleshoe, was recently appointed to the Board of Directors of the Five Area Telephone Cooperative. He was selected to fill the un-expired term of Elton Gulley. Gulley resigned when he moved away from the area earlier this year.

Byrd will serve out the oneyear term of Gulley's as director of District #1. The office will be up for election at the membership's annual meeting in 1977. could be nominate to represent this district; and, if elected. would be eligible to serve two consecutive three-year terms.

#### Cont. on Page 3, Col. 5. Commissioners Tuesday night, March 23, in the,

# To Be Held Fine Arts Boosters Dinner

Theater will be held April 10, 1976 in the High School Lunch-

consists of Fried chicken, potato salad, green beans, Jello salad, Hot rolls, tea, coffee and ice

Fine arts students at the Royce Clay Church of Christ office, Art Craft Printing, Williams Office Supply and the Radio Station.

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NEW TANK . . . Muleshoe has begun building on a new storage tank, which will furnish the whole area with water. According to the By-Laws, Byrd Cub ScoutPack 620 Held Derby Race A \$20 donation will be given

Cub Scout Pack 620 held their annual Pine Wood Derby Race, Mary DeShazo cafeteria. The cars were built from a kit that contained a piece of wood, wheels and nails for axles. The boys design their own cars, but their fathers helped build them.

# ArtsBoosters Dinner Play

The meal will be served from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. and the play is from 8:30 to 9:15 p.m. Tickets will cost \$3.50 each. The menu for the evening

Tickets can be bought from

Muleshoe High School's Drama Department is presenting "Reynard the Fox" with the following drama students participating: Amy Clark, Lavavne Lloyd, Lashelle Lewis, Lisa Redwine, Larry Mills, Martin Nowfrom the sponsoring institution, The Lion's Club. The Pack 620 trophy winners were Shannon Dillard, Scott Stroud, Jimmy Holmes, Ricky Rasco and Loy

Metal winners were Best All-Around, Kevin Harris; Second Best All-Around, Shannon Dillard; Most Original, Jimmy Holmes; Best Body Design and Shape, Ray Vinson and Best Paint Job, Jay Applegate. Each boy received a ribbon and a plaque for entering.

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# Weather Modification Opposed By 120 Counties

Mrs. Gramling Speaks To Muleshoe Jaycees

The Muleshoe Jaycees met at noon Monday at the American Legion building. Guests were greeted by President, Butch Duncan following the invocation given by Mack Hodges. Johnny St. Clair introduced guests, Mrs. Wanda Gramling, head of the local H.E.C.E. program, at Muleshoe High School and Keith Turner, of Town and Country Auto.

J.R. Carpenter gave a report on the Jaycee Beard Growing Contest. Monte Dollar reported that the second youth basketball game was played Friday, March 19 and will continue on Friday, March 26.

Gene McGuire reported that a group of Jaycees went to Sudan on March 18 to help prospective Jaycees to organize a club at Sudan. Several young men signed up in hopes of organizing



Mrs. David Beckett and Amie spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster, of Channing.

Mrs. Buck Wood entered Methodist Hospital Tuesday, March 23 for minor surgery. She was released on Thursday, March 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams left Friday morning to visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Watson, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, where Annette is Assistant Manager of Burkhardt's Office Supply. Her husband is a Mechanical Engineer for Dresser Engineering. They will return Sunday night.

Cub Scout Pack 620 began selling candy officially, Wednesday, March 24. They are selling cans of candy for two dollars and bars for fifty cents. Jan Pierce is in charge of the candy sale from the Ranchhouse Motel. The candy is furnished cont. on Page 3, col. 2

A pre-election campaign party was held at 7:30 p.m., Monday night, at the American Legion building. Several Jaycees and their wives had refreshments of hot dogs and good-natured "po-Cont. on Page 3, Col. 4.

### Voting Sticker Deadlines Set

March 31 is the deadline for buying vehicle license plate stickers and for registering to vote in the May 1 Primary. The stickers are to be on your plates by April 1.

Voters who have changed counties, voting precincts, new voters not registered and those who will be 18 by May 1, should show changes of address or make applications, in the tax assessor's office by March 31, if they plan to vote in the May 1 Primary.

The stickers that are affixed to the present plates is the beginning of a new era. Current tags will be used for five years and every year.

Voting for both city and school board elections the deadline is March 30, at 5:00 p.m. For the city, they will vote at city hall and for the school board, they vote at the county clerk's office, in the courthouse.

### Spelling Bee Winners

The winners of the Muleshoe Junior High Spelling Bee were first, Mike Northcutt, eighth grade; second, Keva Roming, seventh grade; third, Brad Poynor, seventh grade; fourth, Tim Sain, sixth grade; and fifth was Cindy Hamblen, seventh grade, These were the five finalists out

of thirteen entering. The next contest will be held in the Muleshoe High School auditorium at 1:30 p.m., March 31. The judges for the spelldown are John Milford, Pat Shafer and Ernest Kerr.

Those students entering were Julius Briscoe, Michelle Agee, Clifford Watson, Raul Lozano, Ruben Fabela, Eugene Porras, and Stacey Campbell. Everyone will receive a white ribbon for

# No Permits Issued Until Elections Held

Within 60 days the Texas Water Development Board will rule on permit applications by two companies seeking to modify weather over the South Plains.

Palmer County, as a Commissioners Court protested Weather modification permits to be issued to two companies, Atmospherics, Inc. and Plains Weather Improvement Assn.,

The protest was in the form that no permits would be issued until the counties were permitted to hold elections to that effect. This protest caused the setting of two hearings; one in Plainview and one in Littlefield. In both hearings, the commissioners courts found out that in the last legislative session the voting rights for weather modification has been taken from the

# Police Report

enforcement center are now investigating vandalism and reported theft at the Ed Little farm, on March 10.

On March 11, the XIT Drive-In was knocked out.

Copley's Fina Station reported both outside doors kicked open on the night of March 14. On Saturday, March 15, it was recorded that Muleshoe Motor Company had two tires and one

wheel stolen. Burglary was the scene at the Dennis Williams home on March 15. Everything was taken

out of their china closet. An FM "Realistic" converter was stolen from Gordon Wilson Appliance, on March 16. Mary Espedio reported a tape player and tapes stolen from her car. Other damages described to

her car included a tail light broken, gas cap missing and the Cont. on Page 3, Col. 4.

### Weather Report

Turbulent weather, gusty winds and blowing dust hit much of West Texas, Friday. The Muleshoe Journal received a weather report from someone south of town, that visibility was cut to 100 yards, with light rain citizens of the state of Texas. These two hearings, in Plainview and Littlefield caused a third hearing, called an Adjudicative hearing of the Texas Water and Development Board. The results being a ruling within the next 60 days as to whether the permits will be issued.

"We have the 25 counties of the Panhandle of Judges and Commissioners Association to go on record as to oppose any permits given, unless the counties are taxing enity, not less than a county, to be able to hold an election," quotes Parmer County Commissioner, Jimmy Briggs.

"However, Parmer County introduced a resolution to the West Texas Judges and Commissioners Association which consists of 120 counties, to go on record as opposing the permits until the voting rights of the

county citizens are restored. "The Parmer County and Bailey County Commissioners Court cont. on Page 3, col. 2



JIMMY BRIGGS

### Jimmy Briggs Is Appointed

Jimmy Briggs of Parmer County, Precinct 4, of Lazbuddie has been appointed to the legislative committee of the Panhandle of Judges and Commissioners Association. This committee consists of seven members, which will be working on bills, that effect the High Plains counties and citizens. Land use, school financing and any other bill or bills either pro or con, which effects the citizens of the high

# Lions Club Presents Cadets As Guests

Connolly, of New York City and Jim Meyer, of St. Paul, Minn. were special guests at the Muleshoe Lion's Club held Wednesday, March 24, at their regular meeting. All three cadets are from the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs,

Larry Shafer, of Muleshoe; Ed

Connolly and Meyer are visiting with Larry Shafer in his home during their spring break. "The boys were amazed and fascinated with the open country

Crim's 54 Year Of

# Weather Predictions

On March 22, at sunrise, "Indian John", otherwise known as J.W. Crim, of Muleshoe, told the anxiously awaiting crowd, that this year would be a fair year. He said he put down posts and then built wire around it as near east and west and north and south as he could get it for accuracy. Then he built his fire in a teepee shape. The wire helps Crim determine the direction of the wind more than anything else. As soon as he can tell which direction the wind is coming from, he can tell you what kind of weather is expected. The fair weather was decided on by the light and

smoothness of the wind right due north.

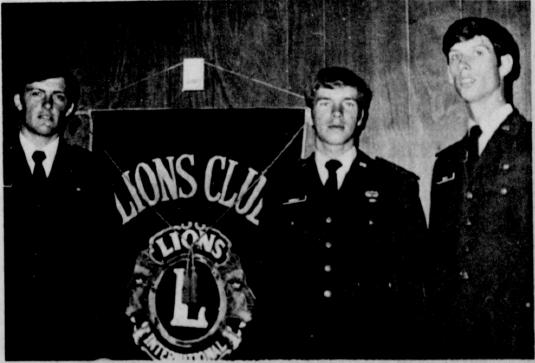
This was Crim's 54th year in weather predictions. "We'll have a little dry spell then maybe a little wet spell," Crim said as he looked intently upon the smoke drifting from the fire. Crim conducted his first ceremony in 1922 so he is a legend in weather-forcasting from this area. Since he made the ceremony public in 1952, he has drawn lot of attention. Crim was taught the technique from his father who worked on the railroad and every year on March

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of West Texas," stated Jim Shafer, member of the Lion's Club.

This is the first time Connolly had been in the state of Texas. Jim has spent two weeks at the Reece Air Force Base, at Lubbock, two years ago. All three boys are second classmen and will become first classmen in June. They will graduate from the academy in June, of 1977. The program at the Muleshoe Lion's Club was presented by Mrs. L.C. McClain, public education chairman of the American

Cancer Society, for Castro County. It was a very informative presentation. She urged all Americans to have an annual examination by their doctor, and to keep in mind all the seven warning signs of cancer. Cont. on Page 3, Col. 5.



CADETS . . . The Lions Club had three cadets from the air force academy in Colorado Springs, Colorado attend their meeting. L to r are Larry Shafer, Ed Connally and Jim Meyer.

# Lions Sponsor Camp For Crippled Children Club Business Phone 3468.

Applications for a summer vacation full of fun for handicapped children in the Muleshoe area are now being accepted by members of the Mule-shoe Lions Club.

League...

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De Shazo School playground. Player draft will be held following tryouts. All players who are 10, 11 or 12 and who did not play in the Majors last season should come to tryouts and bring their

Practice will be held from April 19 through April 30. The season will open Monday, May 3, with opening day ceremonies and an introduction of players and coaches.

Little League Baseball is open to all boys and girls who attend Muleshoe or Lazbuddie schools. They have to be at least eight years old, but under 13 years old. on August 1, 1976.

### Crim ...

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22 they would notice several smoke fires set by the Indians in the area. They never would discuss the activities, so one day Crim's father asked a sheepherder in the area and he told Crim that the significance of the fire and what they were trying to accomplish.

Crim came to this area in 1922 and worked a section of land which his father had purchased near Clay's Corner. He built a house on the old home place in 1923. He holds his annual prediction here.

Crim is now 76, retired from farming in 1967 and has moved to Muleshoe. Every year Crim makes his trip to the old homeplace to prepare for the annual ceremony held at dawn on March 22.

There were between forty and fifty attending. People come from Canyon, Lubbock, Amarillo, Bovina, Friona, Farwell, and

Bailey County Journal Established March 31, 1963 Published by Muleshoe Publisheing Co., Inc. Every Sunday at 31 304 W. Second, Box 449 TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION This unique Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville will open its first two-weeks session Sunday, June 6, 1976. Four sessions will be held this summer for youngsters from seven through sixteen years of

The camp is free to eligible blind, deaf, mute or crippled children. All requests for summer camp are handled locally by

### Weather...

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have very strong convictions about the voting rights on this issue and all other issues should be restored," stated Briggs.

The quarrell is basically between dryland farmers and the farmers with irrigated property. The dryland farmers expect weather modification to reduce rainfall, while the other camp voluntarily contributes funds to fight crop destroying hail.

After the two companies restated their case, Thursday afternoon, the protesters called eight witnesses, all area farmers. They almost all said they had seen weather modification planes breaking up good clouds, that otherwise, left alone would produce rain.

There were 488 registered commissioners and judges attending the West Texas Commissioners and Judges Association held in San Angelo, March 17, 18 and 19.

# Boosters...

cont. from page 1 lin, Bill Durham, Johnny Dean, Ricky King, David Smith, Vivian Briscoe, Janet Hopper, Connie Harmon, Brad Baker, Ernie

Vela and Tracy Buhrman. The District Interscholastic League competition will be held in Clarington, April 3.

# Muleshoe···

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by Kathryn Beich Company. Money collected from the candy sales will be used by the scouts, so everyone is urged to buy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kerr of Muleshoe attended the Annual Federal Land Bank stock-

Larry Hausmann of Muleshoe, was elected to the Texas Lutheran College Development Board,

WELCOME TO

MULESHOE

Rosa Robinson

We would like to welcome to Muleshoe, Rosa Robinson

Rosa is originally from Portales New Mexico. She is

the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Rogers of Muleshoe.

Rosa and Joleta are Baptists and attend the Trinity

The Robinson's reside at Route I Box B4, Muleshoe.

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She Has moved to Muleshoe from Fort Worth, Texas.

Rosa is now employed at the C.R. Anthony Co. in

and her 13 year old daughter, Joleta.

Baptist. Rosa enjoys crafts, and sewing.

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Muleshoe.

For more detailed information about the Camp, you are urged to contact Owen Jones of the Muleshoe Lions Club at Lions Club Business Phone 3562, Re-

In the past 23 years, Lions have sent over 16,000 youngsters to the Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville.

### Meeting...

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the purchase of acreage for a caliche pit in Precinct No. 2. Then next on the agenda is to consider the office situation for the State Health Nurse and staff. There is also a request for a traffic light in the Village of Enochs. A joint use agreement between Bailey County and the City of Muleshoe for the operation of the radio tower and base station was discussed. At the close of the meeting a request for medical and welfare assistance along with other minor items, will be heard.

The meeting will continue until 5:00 p.m. or until all business is transacted. The public is urged to attend and to be heard.

### Scouts ...

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Those cub scouts receiving Bobcat Badges were the newest members: Bett King, Mark Moton, Loy Triana, Wade King, Scott Calvert and Shawn Gist. Judges for the race were Jim Shafer, Owen Jones, Larry Shafer and Roland McCormick.

### Tank...

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Another one is a 150,000 gallon steel ground storage tank located north of the Lenau addition and south of the airport, on highway 214.

South of town one mile is the one million gallon concrete, ground storage tank which was built in 1969. About six months ago, this tank cracked and a section had to be replaced. The are now putting a liner in it to seal the cracks that might cause

it to leak. The city also has two elevated storage tanks. There is one located at the east side park, between east fifth and sixth street. This tank holds 200,000

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The oldest elevated tank in the city holds 50,000 gallons and is located downtown. This tank was built in 1926.



IGNITED WELL . . . Unit 15 took a call at 1:07, Thursday afternoon March 25. There was a diesel well ignited, 1/4 mile north of Riverside Chemical, out at Dick Chitwood's place. His hired hand was reported to have gotten the well turned off, about 1:20. Chitwood could not be reached, so the firemen contacted his sister.

ground in H.E.C.E.".

when needed.

Lions ...

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Mrs. Gramling closed by

thanking the Jaycees and all the

local service clubs for their

support of the H.E.C.E. stu-

dents, in their money-making

projects. Mrs. Gramling said

that the H.E.C.E. girls were

willing to assist service clubs

and other local organizations

The election of officers for next

year was discussed by the club,

and recommendations from the

nominating committee were

presented. Election of Officers

will be held next week, March

Guests attending were Mrs. Frank Ellis, Mrs. Robert Hoot-

en, Mrs. L.C. McClain, Mrs.

Francine Wenmohs, Keith

Brock, two grandsons of Dee

Clements, Mrs. Owen Jones,

Bill DuBois, Larry Shafer, Ed

West Camp community since 1946. They have two sons,

David and Ronald, who are both

married, have families, and live

in Farwell. Mr. and Mrs. Byrd

are members of West Camp

U.S. automakers note

January sales jump.

Connally and Jim Meyer.

Byrd...

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Baptist Church.

# Speaks...

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Mrs. Gramling gave an informative talk on the history of the Home Economics Cooperative Education Program (H.E.C.E.) in Muleshoe. She stated that she had taught 23 years in the Muleshoe Public Schools with several years as home economics instructor. The H.E.C.E. program stated five years ago, with four girls and has grown to 36 girls this year. "These girls receive on the job training in various home economics related skills, while at the same time putting away part of their earnings, to save for college, or other future needs. Many of these students are able to get jobs at college," Mrs. Gramling

### Heart...

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with the total tunds showing \$5,694.02. They are still short their goal of \$6,000.00. Contributions can be accepted at the First National Bank or by members of the County association. The board approved the purchase of resusianne and films through donations designated

said, "because of their back-

for this use. The nominating committee will also set up a date for the local

# Report...

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sides of the car was kicked in. There was a breakin at the Ranchhouse Cafe on March 17. A window was broken and the jukebox was broken into. Some candy, cigarettes, and a little money was taken out of the machines.

Recent arrests logged on the police docket were one DWI, one assault, three drunk, one contributing to a minor, two thefts and four no D.L. aliens.

Why is it that whispering a story seems to add authenticity to it?

-Christian Science.

# You can

Bill Loyd, President Muleshoe State Bank

An individual who wants to provide for his own re tirement, and can qualify, can do so by setting up an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) at the bank. When retirement years ar rive, there are some ground rules on withdrawals.

For example, if withdrawals are made by the depositor before 591/2 years of age, there is a penalty on the withdrawn amount -- and income taxes will have to be

On the other hand, after age 591/2 withdrawals may be made in a lump sum, or in monthly, quarterly or yearly installments. It's a good idea to review the distribution, or withdrawal system, at age 701/2, because at that point it might be worthwhile to withdraw the remainder in a lump sum, when income taxes on the amount probably would be negligible.

There is another tax benefit for an IRA plan: If an individual retires and receives a lump sum settlement from his employer, this amount is immediately subject to taxation. However, if the amount

less voluntary contributions is deposited within 60 days to an IRA, tax can be avoided until withdrawals are begun

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# Summer Camp For Diabetic Children

Applications for summer camping fun for diabetic children in the Muleshoe area are now being sought by members of the Muleshoe Lions Club.

The Texas Lions League, which has operated a crippled children's camp at Kerrville for 23 years, has expanded its Texas Lions Camp for Diabetic Children and is offering two camping sessions at two different locations for its 1976 program. A two-week session at Camp Manison near Friendswood for Diabetic children from six

through sixteen, from June 7

through June 18, limited to 150

A two-week session, from Monday, August 2 through Friday, August 13, at Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children, Kerrville, Texas for 150 diabetic children from six through sixteen years of age.

about the various Lions Camp Programs, you are urged to contact Owen Jones of the Muleshoe Lions Club at 3562 or

Bailey County Goal Reported According to Mrs. Dean Spra-

eligible campers.

For more detailed information

berry, Chairman of the Bailey County Savings Bonds Committee, the 1976 Savings Bond goal for the county is \$80,000. January sales of Series E and H United Sates Savings Bonds totaled \$5,067 for six percent of the sales goal.

The 1976 sales goal for Texas is \$272.4 million. During the month sales were \$24,118,300 compared to January 1975 sales

"I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day."

- 1. Who is the author of the above statement of
- faith? 2. To whom was he writ-
- 3. What was Timothy's
- occupation? 4. Where may this statement be found?

#### Answers To Bible Verse

1. Paul, the Apostle. 2. Timothy.

3. Timothy was a young preacher and companion of Paul on some

of his missionary tours. 4. A part of II Timothy

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# CPSC Launches Poison Prevention Program

dreds of volunteers nationwide will be going door-to-door asking consumers questions related to child-resistant packaging of prescription drugs as the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission launches its first Consumer Deputy Program on Poison Prevention Packaging for Prescription Drugs.

proximately 300 students, consumer and community organization members, and state and local government workers. trined by staff from the Commission's 13 Area Officers will canvass their communities to determine the packaging practices of local pharmacies relative to prescription drugs and childresistant closures.

Coincidentally, National Poison Prevention Week will be observed March 21 through the

The Poison Prevention Packaging Act of 1970, administered by the Commission, provides that those household products, including prescription drugs, which are found to be hazardous or potentially hazardous may be required to be packaged in

the majority of children under five years of age cannot open. In the case of a regulated prescription drug, a non-complying package is available only upon request of the customer or the prescribing physician.

Data currently being collected by the Commission from several poison control centers throughout the country indicate that the

ingestion of oral prescription drugs by children less than five years of age continues. Many of these ingestions involve drugs dispensed in vials without safety closures which were purchased after the effective date, April 16, 1974, of the oral prescription drug regulation. It is not clear whether these containers represent non-compliance on the part

of the pharmacist or were

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CARROTS

CABBAGE

requested by persons with children less than five years of age. According to a CPSC spokeperson, the use of consumer deputies to survey consumers directly should net the Commission a greater understanding of fetail pharmaceutical practices than would be possible through an extensive field enforcement program of retail outlets.

The information collected by the deputies will provide a sample of the marketplace in addition to alerting the Commission to the names and num-

**PRODUCTS** 

ber of pharmacies which may not be complying with the Poison Prevention Packaging Act. The ananymity of consumers contacted by the deputies will be preserved.

This is the seventh Consumer Deputy program the Commission has sponsored since it began operation in May 1973. Previous consumer deputy programs involved toys, furniture polishes, oven and drain cleaners, children's sleepwear and decorative Christmas lights. Consumers seeking additional information about child-resistant closures should call the Commission's toll-free hotline at 800/638-2666; Maryland resi-

dents only 800/492-2937.

# Texas Industrial Week Celebrates 25 Anniversary

Communities throughout the state will honor Texas business and industry April 1 - 7 during the 25 anniversary of Texas Industrial Week.

Activities, sponsored by local chapters of the Texas Association of Business (TAB), include plant tours, open houses, radio and television panel shows, presentations before schools and service clubs, and other events highlighting the involvement of business and industry in community affairs.

This year's observance follows the recent announcement that Texas has the best business climate in the United States and that the state leads the nation in the number of manufacturing jobs wons.

The Department of Labor noted that Texas gained 150,000 manufacturing jobs during a recent eight-year study representing a 22.8 percent increase in manufacturing employment. Each 100 manufacturing jobs supports 68 additional nonindustrial jobs and adds over \$1 million per year of personal income to a community. Bill Gray, TAB president, not-

ed that the significance of Texas' tremendous gain in manufacturing employment becomes clear when compared to the national average gain during this period of 10,000 manufacturing jobs per state.

"The lack of corporate and personal income taxes coupled with favorable labor laws are keys to Texas' manufacturing growth," he said. "We are fortunate in Texas to have a legislature that understands that a good business climate

means more jobs and a higher standard of living for all. Texas Industrial Week helps to point out the importance of these economic contributions.'

Sponsored by TAB, Texas Industrial Week was established in 1951 by a concurrent resolution of the Texas Legislature. Governor Dolph Briscoe, in proclaiming this year's observance, noted that the state's economy continues to remain sound with the location of 192 major new industries and the expansion of 287 existing ones within the last year.

"This growth did not just happen but is the result of individuals and organizations across the state working to maintain our favorable business climate," he said. "Texas Industrial Week provides an opportunity to demonstrate our appreciation of these contributions and to encourage business and industry to continue to help improve the economic conditions of our state's citizens. I urge all citizens to give due recognition to business and industry in Texas and to demonstrate our support for the free enterprise system.'

The great men and the doctors understand not the Word of God, but it is revealed to the humble and to children. -Martin Luther.

Hua expected to adhere to party policy.

House Demos push public jobs measure.



LINE

M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute

# How the Cancer Quack Remains in Business

diet, cobwebs saturated with patient is experiencing a arsenic, assorted unproven period of improvement bedrugs and a bizarre zinc- cause he knows that the lined pine box that absorbs chronic nature of the disease "orgone energy" are a few will soon bring about a of the many tools cancer worsening condition, thus disquacks have employed to crediting the treatment. While treat cancer patients search- the patient is progressively ing for a "miracle cure."

cancer quack's trap," ex- more time and the patient plains Dr. Emil J Freireich, more faith. head of M. D. Anderson's Department of Developmental Therapeutics. For the last nine years he also has served on the American Cancer Society's Committee for Unproven Remedies.

"The first thing to remember," he explains, "is that all diseases, without exception, are remittent to a certain extent." That is, while the disease does progressively worsen without proper treatment, there are alternating periods where the patient improves and then de-

Because cancer quacks most often prescribe harmless but noneffective treatments, the success of the treatments depends solely on the disease's fluctuating symp-

For example, if treatment is given when the patient is worsening, odds are that the natural course of the disease will reflect a brief period of improvement. Thus, the quack's treatment appears 100 percent successful even though it played no role in the improvement.

If the patient stays the same, then the treatment once again was successful. It only needs to be increased to enhance its success.

If the patient's condition worsens, adds Dr. Freireich, the quack usually points out that the cancer obviously was incurable and no treatment would have worked.

Thus, using the alternating cycles that are characteristic of cancer, the quack can manipulate his treatment to appear completely effective or justified every time.

The quack, explains Dr. Freireich, is careful never to

A special "Grape Cure" apply a treatment when his getting worse during the "Unless you understand cycles of improvement, the the nature of cancer itself, quack merely explains that it is easy to fall into the the treatment only needs

> It is also important to remember, says Dr. Freireich, that a fraction of cancer patients, no matter how acute their disease, will never die of their cancer for reasons no one can explain. The patients, along with persons the quack treats who never had cancer to begin with, add to the quack's conviction that his treatments are effective.

> "The real problem with cancer quackery," notes Dr. Freireich, "is that it exploits people at the time of their greatest weakness when their only real resource is the health professional.

The person who seeks a miracle cure denies himself the proper early treatment that is vitally important for ultimate control of cancer.

"People must have an alternative to being desperate and hopeless," explains Dr. Freireich Today that hope is being

provided by thousands of research scientists and clinicians throughout the world who daily are developing a better understanding of cancer and its treatments. Becruse of their efforts physicians are now more than ever prepared to provide the best care available for the cancer

Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or write: Cancer Intermation Service, The University of Texas, M. D. in lerson Hospital & Tumor institute, Texas Medical Center, Houston



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Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson Rozell

# Fashion Show To Be Held In Lubbnock

The District Women's Cotton Promotion Association, is sponsoring a showing of Ciba Geigy's collection of authentic reproductions of cotton fashions. worn by the wives of early american presidents, which be-

gins its nationwide tour. They have been selected to have the premier showing of this collec-

Scheduled to be held Monday, April 5, at 1:00 p.m., the affair will take place in the garden of

the South Park Inn, Lubbock. A buffet lunch will be available at the Inn. There will be no admission charged for the fa-

shion show. The public is urged

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ing Gaynell Williams and Johnny Nelson Rozell, was solemnized at the Trinity Baptist Church on Saturday, March 20. Rev. David Evetts, performed the double-ring wedding ceremony at 7:30 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Williams, of Muleshoe. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Rozell, of Morton.

Escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a formal length gown of bridal satin, fashioned with a square ruffle and trimmed in sheer yoke. An overlay of silk organza, adorned the bodice. The long sleeves of silk organza ended in lace ruffles at the wrist. A wide, self fabric ruffle emphasized the skirt at the hem-line. The gown was enhanced by a wide-brimmed hat of lace braid. The bride carried a nosegay bouquet of pale yellow and blue daisies, with sprays of baby's breath. A fern tree featuring doves holding blue ribbons, extending

Gayla Redwine, attended the bride as maid of honor. She was attired in a floor length gown of pale blue, reflecting the brides chosen colors of blue and white. Her gown featured a square neckline and short, full sleeves. She wore a pale blue wide-brimmed hat of lace braid and carred a long stemmed pale blue spider

to candlelabrums decorated the

Filling the duties as best man, was Larry Turney, of Morton. Serving as ushers and candlelighters were Johnny Melvin Williams and Randall Williams,

brothers of the bride. Music selections were performed by Karen Rozell, of Lubbock, sister of the groom. She accompanied soloist Debbie Evetts, as she sang "We've Only Just Begun" and ended the ceremony with "The Lord's Prayer".

Deanna Smith registered the guests.

The ceremony was followed by a reception held in the Fellow-

ship Hall of the church. The brides table, was laid with a white lace cloth over blue. A four tiered wedding cake, baked

Ward, was featured on the table. The top layer of two doves Hold Annual surrounded by blue roses, was poised over miniatures of the bride and groom. The guests were served cake, white punch,

Dillard and Teri Duben. Rice bags were distributed by the brides neice, Jackie Jean Williams.

mints and nuts by Debbie

After a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home at 301 E. Fillmore in Morton, where the groom is employed at KRAN Radio Station.

Special guests attending the wedding were the brides sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Smitty Aylesworth, of Arling-

#### Area Club Plans Easter Project

Members of the Progressive Homes Club met Wednesday, March 24, in the home of Norene Thomas. There were five members attending. The roll call was answered with helpful hints and poems. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A new project for Easter was discussed by the members. The group has made plans to take hams and cakes to the boy's ranch for Easter dinner. Roxie Hoover drew the hostess gift, the meeting was then

adjourned. The club will hold its next meeting April 28, in the home of Lucille Harper.

Those attending were Vera Engleking, Lucille Harper, Roxie Hoover, Wenona Gibson and Norene Thomas.

# Progress 4-H's Met Tuesday

The Progress 4-H club held their monthly meeting Tuesday, March 23, with Curtis Carpenter, president, president. Jo

Ronda Rhodes called the roll. Karla Shafer gave the 4-H pledge, with Twila Downing leading the Pledge of Allegiance and Nancy Ramm giving the 4-H

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Jo Ronda Rhodes. Several reports were given. Treasurers report, Tommy Wheeler, photography project, Karla Shafer, San Antonio Livestock Show, Greg Harrison, Houston Livestock Show, Curtis Carpenter, Pee-Wee leathercraft group and Sharla Farmer reported on their trip to the

Brownwood 4-H Center. A talk on "Share the Fund", a district contest being held and the Rainbow - DeMolay banquet was given by Betty Carpenter. Ronnie and Rhonda Spies gave the program on the "Hit's of the 50's. The meeting was then

adjourned. Members attending were: Sheila, Curtis and Tori Hunt; Delia and Darin Shaw; Jo Ronda, Lavon and Dusty Rhodes; Kristie and Scotty Spies; Mike, Kristi and Kacy Henry; Sharon and Curtis Carpenter; Curtis and Tommy Wheeler; Twila Downing; Jeff Hyde; Michael and Marvin Davenport; Sharla, Casey and Kim Farmer; Nancy, Alta and Clayton Ramm; Keva Roming, Karla Shafer; Clifford Watson; Kenny Henderson; Greg Harrison and his guest Curby Brantley.

### Enoch's H.D. Club Held Meeting

The Enoch's Home Demonstration club met Tuesday, March 23, in the home of their president, Dorothy Nichols, who presided over the meeting.

Each of the members present read a line of the THDA creed. Rose Nichols gave the THDA prayer. Reading the minutes was Winnie Byars and leading the group in a song was Dorothy Nichols.

Winnie Byars called the roll and was answered by each member telling of a problem they have in fitting pants. Mrs. Robin Taylor, Bailey

County Extension agent, presented a program on the problems of fitting pants. The members wee shown slides on some

of the problem points. She displayed a pattern she had adjusted to fit her figure and then modeled some pants she had made by it. Some of the members modeled pants they had problems on and received tips on adjusting them to fit properly. The Spring District II meeting

will be held April 8, at Littlefield. There will be three workshops. Garza County will sponsor one on safety, Terry County Blood Bank and Lubbock County Cultural Arts will sponsor the other two. Mrs. Wilma Petree is the delegate and Mrs. Winnie Byars the alternate from the Enoch's H.D. Club.

Attending the meeting were: Mrs. Wilma Petree, Mrs. Winnie Byars, Mrs. Zelma Fred, Mrs. Lillian Fort, Mrs. Elnita Key, Mrs. Rose Nichols, Mrs. Ada Ling, Mrs. Robin Taylor, and Mrs. Dorothy Nichols. There were three guests, Mrs. John Blackman, Mrs. J.D. Bayless and Mrs. Sidney Key

# by a friend of the family, Ruby Young Homem akers D.O. on Emergency First-Aid".

#### Mini-Activity Day

Saturday, March 20, 1976 the Muleshoe Young Homemakers held their annual Mini-Activity Day, at the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room.

Registration began at 10:00 a.m., with fourteen Muleshoe Y.H.T. members attending. Three out-of-town guests registered Mrs. John Hall of Needmore, Jan Smith and Nell Ingle, of Sudan.

President Betty Bush gave the invocation and Jean Richardson welcomed the members and guests. Mistress of Ceremonies, Margaret Copley, started the day by presenting Mildred Howell, who spoke on flower arranging and fresh flowers.

Margaret Venice of Hemphill Wells, Lubbock, presented the next program on new spring fashions. She answered questions on fashion from the mantailored look to the feminine

The meeting was adjourned for lunch, each member brought a favorite dish from home to be served for the noon meal.

Following lunch Gordon H. Green, Attorney, presented a program on "The Importance of a Will", he then answered questions pertaining to the sub-

Winners of the door prizes were announced. The prizes were donated by these Muleshoe merchants: Cobb's, St. Clair's, Poynor's White Store, Harvey Bass, and Higginboth-

Presenting the last program of the day was Dr. Gary Albertson,

He explained how to handle any first-aid emergency, and then

answered questions asked by the members and guests. Mrs. Carroll Kelton, stated she appreciated the speakers giving their time and the Muleshoe merchants donating the prizes. Members present were: Mrs.

Randall Copley, Mrs. Brian

Noble, Mrs. Mike Richardson, Mrs. Wayne Copley, Mrs. Ran-dy Bush, Mrs. Carroll Kelton, Mrs. Michael Bean, Mrs. Sandy Noble, Mrs. Gary Elliott, Mrs. Raymond Davenport, Mrs. Tony Poteet, Mrs. Johnnie Estep, Mrs. Dennis Bush and Mrs. Terry Kemp. Out of town guests, Mrs. John Hall, Needmore, Jan Smith and Nell Ingle,



ACTIVITY DAY . . . The Muleshoe Young Homemakers met March 20, at the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room, for their annual Mini-Activity Day. Registering guests are, Mrs. Randal Copley and Mrs. Sandy Noble. Mrs. Terry Kemp is standing.

Salted Saying "I met a fellow who doesn't think that I am his equal, but I am. He's a

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JUNE WEDDING PLANNED . . . Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Webb of Muleshoe, wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tammy Beth Webb, to Donnie Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson of Plainview. The prospective groom, is employed at Scott Tractor Co. in Plainview and is a 1974 graduate of Mulehoe High School. The bride-to-be, is a senior at Muleshoe high school and is currently employed at Gibson's. The couple will exchange vows June 17, at the Richland Hills Baptist



Lori Shalyn

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Black of Muleshoe, are the proud par-ents of a baby girl, born March 19, 1976, at Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview. She weighed six pounds, six ounces and was named Lori Shalyn. She is the couple's first child. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Black of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Pierce of Abilene.

Shane Lee

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alec Schuster, on March 22 at 10:55 a.m. at West Plains Memorial Hospital, was a baby daughter. The proud parents named her Shane Lee, she weighed seven pounds, seven ounces. The baby daughter is the Schuster's first

#### James Chadwick

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny King are the proud parents of a new baby son, James Chadwick, born Monday, March 15 at 8:07 a.m. at Littlefield Hospital. The infant weighed eight pounds, three ounces and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom King Jr., Sudan, and Mr. and Mrs. James Adair, Littlefield. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Adair. Olton; Mrs. Ethel Weathersby, Plainview; Mrs. Frances White, Dallas and Doctor and Mrs. Tom King Sr., Vernon. The baby's great-grandmother, Mrs. Frances White of Dallas, has been visiting here for the past several weeks with her grandson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny King. She will remain for a few more days to help out with her new great-grandson, James Chadwick King.

#### Jennifer Kay

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Coker, of Plattsburg, New York, are the proud parents of a new baby girl born Wednesday, March 24, 1976. The baby weighed five pounds and two ounces and was named Jennifer

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V.T. Tanner, of

#### Nursing Home News by Myrtle Guinn

A birthday party honoring five people was held Thursday after-

Mrs. Clara Weaver entered the nursing home on Tuesday of last week. Her husband and their son and daughter, Mrs. Billy Henson of Midland, are visiting her. She will leave for home on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lambert is visiting her mother, Mrs. Stevens, and helps her with lunch on Sunday

Mrs. Hardin's daughters, Mrs. Inez Sanders of Morton, and Mrs. Gladys Phillips of Needmore, and their families, came for her at noon Sunday for a dinner in honor of her 90th birthday. Her two daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, were all there. Approximately 30 people helped her celebrate with a dinner and birthday cake. She said she enjoyed it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Largent of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and their daughter and infant son, came Saturday to see her mother and father, Dr. and Mrs. McDaniels. They went home on

Mr. and Mrs. Brock, were moved into a room on the east hall on Wednesday.

Mrs. Lottie Orteg entered the nursing home on Tuesday morning. She is in room 91, with Mrs. Mamie Miller.

Mr. Weaver of Lazbuddie visits his wife, Mrs. Weaver each

Larry Seales visited Mrs. Guinn on Sunday. We enjoyed a nice visit with him.

Mrs. Ethel Veagin of Post, visited her mother, Mrs. Hardin, on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Laura Burdine of Lubbock and Mrs. Willis Welch of Dallas, came on Wednesday morning, bringing several new dresses for their mother, Mrs.

#### Chaney. She immediately put the red one on to wear, because she liked it best. Her daughters spent the day.

Mrs. Holland, visited Mrs. Annie Brown on Tuesday after-

I read the following paragraph in the "Readers Digest", perhaps you didn't read it or might like to read it again, it is so true and sincere. "Resolve to be tender with the young, compassionate with the aged, sympathetic with the striving, and tolerant with the weak and wrong. Sometime in life you will have been all of these." quoted by Bob Goddard. If we could all practice more patience, tolerance and sympathetic feeling toward our fellow man, this would be a happier place and we too would be happier and more sincere in our daily lives.

#### West Plains Hospital Hospital Briefs

**ADMISSIONS** 

March 24, 1976 - Roberto Quintana, Royce Garth, Clyde McMahan and Lewana Lee. March 25, 1976 - Shirley Lewis, Mrs. Joe Whitend, Oscar Saenz, and Mrs. Clyde Holt.

DISMISSALS March 24, 1976 - Mrs. Fred Trujillo, Clyde McMahan and Leota Rogers.

March 26, 1976 - Mrs. Randy

Gant, and Mrs. Ralph Torees.

March 25, 1976 - Edward Longoria, Millie Gable, Mrs. Alec Schuster and daughter, Opal Talley and Henry Tuggle. March 26, 1976 - Royce Gant, Lavisia Kinsey, Eloise Rojas, Mrs. Robert Shugart.

#### Three-Way Seniors

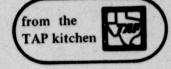
Present Play The Three-Way Senior class will present a one-act play called "The Trysting Place," in the Three-Way cafetorium, Thursday, April 1, at 8:00 p.m.

Admissions are one dollar for adults and fifty cents for students. The superintendent, Jim Jackson, and Mrs. Tommie Lewis are their sponsors.

#### PTA Sponsors Eye Clinic

The Muleshoe P.T.A., is sponsoring an Amblyopia (lazy eye) Clinic, to be held Wednesday, March 31, from 9:30 a.m. till 11:00 a.m., at the Muleshoe State Bank. Parents of preschool children, are urged to attend and bring their children to be tested at no charge. Early detection of this disease

can be successfully treated, if gone undected it can cause irreparable damage.



**SOUR CREAM POUND CAKE** 

1 cup butter, softened 3 cups sugar 6 egg yolks, beaten 3 cups all-purpose flour Pinch of salt 1 (8 oz.) carton commercial

sour cream ¼ tsp. soda 6 egg whites tsp. vanilla extract 1 tsp. almond extract

Beat egg whites until stiff; then set aside. Using same beaters, cream butter and sugar. Add egg yolks. Combine flour and salt; sift three times. Combine sour cream and soda. Add flour and sour cream alternately to creamed mixture. Fold in beaten egg whites. Then add vanilla and almond extracts. Spoon batter into a greased and lightly floured 10-inch tube pan or Bundt pan. Bake at 300 degrees for 1-1/2 hours. When cool, sprinkle lightly with powdered sugar, if desired. Yield: one 10-inch cake.

For additional dairy recipes write Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

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WEDDING PLANNED FOR JUNE . . . Tootie Middlebrooks, of

Muleshoe announces the engagement and approaching marriage of

his daughter, Linda Gayle, to James Stephen Holcomb, son of Mr.

and Mrs. James A. Holcomb, of Pampa. The prospective bride

attends Texas Tech University and will graduate in May, with a

Bachelor of Music degree. The prospective groom is a senior

Mechanical Engineer Technology major at Texas Tech. The couple

plan a June fifth wedding at First Methodist Church in Muleshoe.

"Should I marry a girl

"That's the only kind

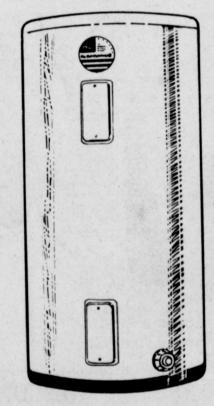
who can take a joke?"

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## On Wall Street By Bob Hill

Lentz, Newton & Co. ............

The Panama Canal Company is under a Congressional mandate to run its operations on a break-even or better basis. In other words, not to lose money. In the years since its construction, the Canal Company has been abel to do that with ease. But now inflation, plus a world slowdown in shipping has put the Panama Canal in the red and may keep it there for several

The reopened Suez Canal has diverted traffic from the Panama Canal. Despite a 20 percent increae in the toll charge, the Panama Canal lost over \$8 million in 1975. It may lose \$12 million in 1976. So, the government-owned Panama Canal Company will have to increase the toll charge again since wage

What maintains one vice would bring up two chiland salary costs are locked. In fact, the company failed in an effort to put 2,200 skilled workers (out of a total work force of 15,000) on the Canal Zone wage base which is lower than the U.S. wage base.

Shipping companies, unhappy with the toll charge increase in 1975 and the prospect of another in 1976 are threatening to sail around Cape Horn instead of using the Canal. Suprisingly, the shipping companies estimate that this would increase a voyage from U.S. Gulf ports to Australia by only 11/2 days compared to the length of the voyage using the Canal. That means an additional \$30,000 to \$40,000 in shipping costs. The current toll set-up, based strictly on the size of the ship going

Children, we think of affectionally, as divided pieces of our own bod-

through the Canal is about \$12,700 for the typical containership. Increasing the toll charge to \$20,000 or more would narrow the advantage of using the Canal, instead of going the long way around.

The Canal also wants to base the toll charge on below-deck shipping space and especially on-deck shipping space used by containerships and not currently included in the computation of tolls. Containership companies argue that this makes it too expensive to use the canal. The House Appropriations Subcommittee will hold hearings soon on the financing arrangements for the canal. Any decision to increase tolls requires President





#### The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill Attorney General

AUSTIN-Every day thousands of Texas consumers receive flyers and mailers proclaiming a "special sale" on one or many items. Newspapers are full of "spring specials" on everything from lawn and garden equipment to Easter dresses.

And many of these sales are advertised something like this: "Buy one for \$10, get the second one for half price," or "normally sells for \$59.99, our sale price now \$39.99."

These are price comparison advertisements, our Consumer Protection attorneys say, and they are a widely used and effective means of promoting

In price comparison advertising, current prices for goods or services offered for sale to consumers are compared with previous prices, with future prices, or with other stated values. This is to show price reductions, cost savings, or sales, and is a common form of advertising.

Price comparisons that accurately reflect current market value help consumers by providing information useful in making buying decisions. But price comparisons based on inflated or arbitrary prices can be misleading, and our lawyers say, could constitute violations of the Deceptive Trade Prac-

tices-Consumer Protection Act, which prohibits "false or misleading statements of fact concerning the reasons for, existence of, or amount of price reductions.

They say that while most businessmen use price comparisons to advertise legitimate cost reductions, there are a few unscrupulous merchants who treat both consumers and their competitors unfairly by misusing price comparison advertising.

For example, they may raise the price of an attractive item, then later offer "an incredible price reduction on our most popular line of power tools." Our lawyers say it's misleading and illegal if the seller raised his price on an item a short period before a sale, since the previous price must have been in effect for a reasonable period of time, and must have been sold regularly at that price before the sale.

Consumers should also read sale literature carefully. Phrases such as "made to sell for \$29," or "compare at \$7.99" can be meaningless. They may not mean the merchandise ac-

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tually sold at that price, or that the merchant even tried to sell it at that price. Yet they give the impression that the purchaser will be getting a real

Other phrases such as "reduced from manufacturer's suggested retail price" can also

#### Letters To The Editor

Editor's note: The following is reprinted from a recent issue of the Thomas Tribune in Oklahoma submitted to the Journal by a local reader. Dear Editor:

As a small tówn businessman I have some questions I'd like to ask of Thomas residents and surrounding areas. Fact is, it is a matter of economic survival to me as well as millions of other "Little people" who own small stores in small towns.

Who do you ask for credit when things are tight?

Who do you ask to take ads for your organization, school papers, year books, programs, etc.? Who do you ask for contributions for your community, church and other activities? Who do you call on after hours

when you need a special item? Who do you ask to put up your posters for special events? Who pays the largest amount of taxes to help educate your children and pay wages to those

institutions and other local public service offices? It's your local, hometown small businessman. After all, he's your friend and neighbor who is anxious to serve you even after

the sale. But when you want to make a purchase, how often do you shop out of town in the larger cities thinking you might save a few cents without giving your local merchant a chance or even comparing his prices?

In most cases you will find our prices, quality of merchandise and services are better. But we can't survive forever on a faithful few or just operating a convenience business.

Think about it! It's becoming more and more difficult for the small town independent businessman to survive. When we go, you'll miss us.

A Thomas [Okla.]

be misleading if a manufacturer customarily lists an unrealistically high "suggested price" so retailers can offer what seems to be a good buy.

And offering merchandise at "factory price," "dealer cost," or "wholesale" can be deceptive if the merchant's definition of "dealer cost" means what an item cost a dealer, plus his overhead, advertising costs, sales commissions, and other expenses.

If you have a consumer complaint about deceptive or misleading advertising, get in touch with our Consumer Protection Division, your county or district attorney, or your local Better Business Bureau.

Children need models more than they need critics -Joseph Joubert.

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# The Journals



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Sunday, March 28, 1976

Kyle Kimbrough, D'Anne

Clark, Wade Wilson, Joie Car-

penter, Keith Hawkins, Morgan

Pena, Billy Donaldson, Jo Rom-

ing, Ray Chavez, Susan Critten-

The pageant began with infor-

mal wear competition to put the

audience and contestants in a

relaxed mood. At that time Mr.

Moore, introduced all the con-

Following the informal compe-

tition, an interlude of five

minutes featured the beautiful

piano music of Judy Precure.

After the interlude, the formal

wear competition began. All of

the contestants were indeed

The entire audience voted on

the contestants as each member

had been given a ballot. The

audience was urged to vote for

Ballots were tabulated Monday

afternoon by pageant chairman

Tracy Buhrman. Miss D'Anne

Clark and Kent Lowry were

declared the winners with first

runners-up Morgan Pena and

Larry Parker. Second runners-

up were Patti Poynor and Kyle

The winners will be awarded

plaques at the Awards Assem-

bly in May, and their pictures

will appear in the 1975-76

Muleshoe High School would

like to thank Tracy Buhrman for

the pageant and all of the

speech and drama students who

helped to make the pageant a

March 27. The livestock team

will be judging at West Texas

State University April 3. Both

teams will then go on to the

We would like to wish these

Happy

Birthday

We wish a happy birthday to

those people whose birthdays

Tech contest April 10.

students the best of luck.

Kimbrough.

Muletrain annual.

two men and two women.

very polished and attractive.

den, and Mark Harmon.

testants to the audience.

Awarded In May

D'Anne Clark and Kent Lowry

shoe High School Speech and

Drama Department's Annual

Beauty Pateant held Monday,

March 22, in the MHS auditori-

um. Kerry Moore, director of

speech and drama, was the

The contestants in the pageant

were Regina Burden, Nicky

Bamert, Alice Lopez, Carey

Sudduth, Sheryl Stovall, Curtis

Carpenter, Teresa Hamilton,

Kent Lowry, Benetta Roming,

Danny Wilson, Paula Pepper,

Tracy Buhrman, Glenda Rasco,

Gary Gunter, Debbie Dillard,

Brent Maddox, Patt Poynor,

Cheerleaders

Try Outs Set

Varsity and J.V. cheerleader

try outs have been scheduled for

April 7. All Sophomore and

Junior girls wishing to try out

can obtain a permission slip

There will be a meeting held

Wednesday, March 31, with all

girls trying out. If any girl has

any questions about trying out

she should go ahead and fill out

a permission slip and come to

the meeting and all questions

Becoming a Cheerleader is a

very exciting experience for

involved with her school. Cheer-

leading is a lot of work for each

member of the squad; but in the end, they will all agree that it

from Mrs. Jennings.

will be answered.

emcee for the gala event.

# Miss Clark, Kent Lowry Win Speech, Drama Pageant \*\*\* Freshman's Track Plaques Will Be Plaques Will Be

# OffToAGoodStart

The Freshmen Track program is off to a good Start. There are twenty-five boys participating in the track program for 1976. The members are Charles Williams, Danny Boone, Jeep Shanks, Brent Burrows, Keith Hawkins, Dave Poynor, Jerry Wheat, Johnny Densman, Terry Shafer,

### Girls Attend Hereford Meet loach Rodney Murphy. Hereford Meet In two meets, the first year

Friday, March 19, the M.H.S. girls track team traveled to Hereford to compete in a track meet there. With several AAAA schools also at the meet, this was the toughest competition that the Mulettes have faced all year in track. Although the team finished in tenth place with 15 points, they gained good exper-

Sherrell Stovall came in a close second in the 220 yard dash with a time of 27.85. She also finished fifth in the 100 yard dash in 11.8 seconds. Tanya Burton took fourth in the shot put with a throw of 31' 51/2". Evelyn Grace finished sixth in the 440 yard dash with a time of

The team was idle this week while they prepare for the Amarillo relays to be held this weekend.

# Muleshoe School Lunch

March 29 - April 2 - 1976 MONDAY

Chicken Fried Steaks Cream Potatoes Pork and Beans Hot Rolls

TUESDAY Hamburgers

Lettuce and Tomato Salad Pickles and Onions **Tater Tots** Buns Cobbler

WEDNESDAY Green Enchilada Casserole Pinto Beans Cornbread

Fruit Jello THURSDAY Hot Dogs - Chili Sauce Veg. Beef Soup Crackers Conevs

Cake Fruit FRIDAY

Lettuce and Tomato Salad Cheese Sticks Fruit Cup Rolled Wheat Muffins

But Once a Year The American Cancer Society's educational and fundraising Crusade comes only once a year, but the fight to control cancer never stops. Give gener-ously this April so ACS lifesaving programs can continue



PATTY PENA

Terry Pinkston, Dennis Patterson, Mark Harmon, Lary Hooten, Mark Fritts, Steve Turner, Wayne Ware, George Villareal, David Dominguez, David Cavazos, Abel Ontiveroz, Armando Acosta, Robert Posados, David White, Sammy Martinez, and Ignacio Agundis. Coaches for the Freshmen include Coach David Lynn, Coach Randy Crook, Coach Chuck Stout, and

Mules have fared well. Traveling to Littlefield, the Mules collected 33 points with good efforts by Charles Williams as he won the 440 dash with a time of 56.8. George Villareal placed third in the 880 run. The mile relay picked up a third place

The next week in Hereford 24 points were scored and times were improved in all events. March 27 the Muleshoe traveled to Portales for the Portales Invitational.

The Coaches want to congratulate all these Athletes who have shown they are willing to gain success by hard work.

Melody Mauldin, Tammy Hall.

Maurice Royal, Jana Jones.

Rose FHA members; and Deb-

bie Hall, Remela Walker, Sheryl

McCamish, and Tony Bevers-

dorf, Rose Bud Members, ac-

companied Mrs. Eva Dean Ste-

phens, Homemaking teacher, to

Amarillo on Friday, March 19

and 20, to attend the Area I

MONDAY, MARCH 29: All

girls meet in Auditorium - fifth

period - Prepresentative from

Hemphill-Wells for Spring Sty-

TUESDAY, MARCH 30: Stu-

dent Council Elections - 10:00 -

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31:

Seventh grade tests - High

THURSDAY, APRIL 1: April

FRIDAY, APRIL 2: Varsity

Girl's Track Meet - Amarillo

Muleshoe Invitational Golf

SATURDAY, APRIL 3: Varsity

Girl's Track Meet - Amarillo

FFA Judging Contest - Can-

District 1-AAA One Act Plays -

Clarendon College - Muleshoe

Seventh, eighth, ninth grade

Tennis Tournament - Mule-

shoe - participating: Friona, Littlefield. Muleshoe.

Miss Pena

Best Of MHS

Patty Pena has been chosen

the best of MHS this week.

Patty is the 16 year old daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pena

and is a Junior at MHS. Patty's

activities include Band Drum

Major, Stage Band, Student

Council Reporter, FTA, Track

and Junior Class Vice-Presi-

Her comments on the band

were, "Being in the Mighty M

Band, and T.C. and Company

(stage band) has been one of the

highlights of my high school

years. I owe Tony Clines a

special thanks for his patience in

working with me, and for mak-

ing band such a worthwhile

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Patty

for being selected to the All-Star

Band at Texas Tech Stage Band

Festival and being selected the

organization.'

Best of MHS!!!

Schedule - 11:00 - Rehearsal

4:40 - Performance.

boys track - Clovis.

Chosen

Bailey County Spelling Bee.

School Cafeteria.

Relays.

Calendar

Of Events



D'ANNE CLARK

Friday, March 19, four HECE

members left for the Area FHA

Meeting which was held in

Amarillo. Tonya James ran for

the Area-third vice-president.

Connie Griffin was the area

voting delegate. Sherrell Rasco

and Tammy Webb sang in the

Friday afternoon the girls en-

joyed looking around the hotel

Rose And Rosebud The session was "America the Beautiful" with Brian Hall,

Area Meeting Held agriculture ambassador from Texas Tech University, as the speaker.

Royal and Jana Jones sang in

the Senior Choir, The Sharon

Singers. Remela Walker and

Debbie Hall sang in the Jr.

Choir, the Irma Dee Singers.

Other girls participated in the

On Saturday, March 20, Jolin-

da Hawkins, Cindy Hall, Annie

Kervin, Sherri Edwards, Anita

Davis, Beatrice Edmondson and

Dana Holmes accompanied

Mrs. Dorine Harbin, Homemak-

The Bicentennial program fea-

tured patriotic musical selec-

tions, flag ceremonies, and the

main speaker, Brian Hall from

Texas Tech University, who

challenged youth to make the

nation better by beginning with

"self"! New officers for the

coming year were installed. The

group returned home about 6:00

p.m. on Saturday.

Student

Council

Elections

Student Council elections will

be held Tuesday, March 30.

Speeches for election will be

held in the auditorium that

morning from 10:00 to 11:00.

Deadline for candidates for of-

and Rennee Douglas re trying

for the office of Treasurer. The

office of Chaplain candidates

are Nancy Ramm and Kin

**TONYA JAMES** 

fices was Friday, March 26.

Briscoe.

ing Teacher to the meeting.

House of Delegates Meeting.



and resting. At six o'clue,

Sherrell Rasco and Tammy

Webb practiced for the choir.

The delegate meeting was held

at 8:00 p.m., followed by elec-

After the meeting, everyone

enjoyed swimming; and a birth-

day party was held for Mrs.

Gramling. Saturday, Sherrell

and Tammy had choir practice

at 7:30 a.m. The first general

session convened at 9:00 a.m.

agriculture ambassador from

For March 29

Rose and Rosebud Future

Homemaker members will spon-

sor a spring style show-program

on Monday, March 29, during

fifth period in the auditorium.

The program is done with slides

and narrations by Hemphill-

Wells Company Fashion Coordi-

nator of Lubbock. All girls in

high school are invited, and

there is no charge for the

Tuesday, March 30, there will

be an officer's meeting at 4 p.m.

in the Homemaking depart-

ment. Members are now work-

ing on spring decorations for the

Nursing Home and are planning

a vocational party for April 1 in

the High School Gym.

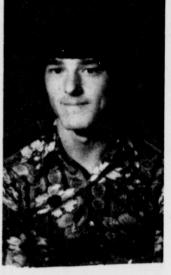
tion of officers.

HECE Girls Went

To A marillo Meeting



**MORGAN PENA** 





PATTI POYNOR



KYLE KIMBROUGH

#### The second and final general VICA Competition session was at 2:00 p.m. Saturday. The members returned FashionShow At Wayland College

auto mechanics students attended the annual area VICA competition at Wayland Baptist College. Charles Shain, auto mechanics teacher and VICA advi-

sor, accompanied the VICA members.

Bobby Smith, Mark Hartline. and Keith Seales competed in auto mechanic speed skill competing against 98 other boys, most second year students. This was Muleshoe's first time to enter for several years; and although the boys won no

awards, they gained knowledge At the end of this happy life, the man with the most money will find it means very little.

and confidence to do better next

Ronald Armstrong competed in job interviews. Armstrong is looking forward to next year and hopes to place in the top five. The Gym at Wayland was filled

with group and individual displays in auto mechanics, auto bodies, machinists, woodwork. building trades, cosmetology and many more projects. Muleshoe had no entry this year, but Shain expects to have a display next year.

ATTENTION ALL STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS There will be a student counc neeting every tuesday mornng at 8:00 a.m. in Room 14. All members need to be

#### FFA Judging Teams Compete At Tech The Muleshoe FFA Chapter Henderson's Dairy Saturday,

held their regular monthly meeting Monday, March 22. The Meeting was called to order by President, Johnny Ramage. The main item of business was preparation for the up-coming banquet. The guest speaker at the banquet will be Brian Hall, former state vice-president and place kicker for Texas Tech. Entertainment will be provided

by the FFA talent team. Other details will be announced later. The Muleshoe FFA also had two judging teams in Sweetwater last weekend. Those participating on livestock judging were David Head, Darrell Rasco, Robby Young, Joe Don Prather, and Robert Martin. Those on the Dairy judging team were Kyle Kimbrough, Dee Buckner,

and Jimmy Wedel.

are from March 28 to April 3. March 28 - Tammy Hicks; March 31 - DeWaine Mullins, Seryl Stovall, Lisa Mason, Lena Kemp and Roland Perez; April 1 Dan McVicker and Vickie Williams; April 2 - Kent Lowry; April 3 - Dora Cassanova and Debbie Hall. Also we would like Keith Rempe, Rickey Grogan to wish a happy birthday to all the faculty who have birthdays The Dairy team judged at from March 28 to April 3.

Frank G. Zarb, Federal Energy Administrator: "If we have not lost our ability as a nation to be

ON ENERGY The House Commerce Committee approved an energy conservation bill that would allow gasoline rationing, require auto fuel efficiency and force down domestic oil

# Friona Tournament Won By Muleshoe

An interesting race to watch for the office of President will be between Laura Beene and Tom Pepper. Running for Vice-President is Curtis Carpenter. The Secretary office candidate is Dani Dunham. Running for the office of Reporter is Patti Poynor. Two candidates running for the office of Parliamentarian are Clayton Ramm and Charles consecutive years. Donita Dale, Edwin Watson,

Results are as follows: Lashelle Lewis and Royce Clay, first in debate; John Dean and David Smith, third in debate; Brent Burrows and Mark Harmon, first in debate; Morgan Pena, first in poetry interpretation; Bill Durham, first in prose reading; Christine Vela, third in prose reading; Martin Nowling, first in informative speaking; Connie Harmon, second in in-

# Hero Of

Tonya James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie James, has been chosen HERO of the week. Tonya is employed at St. Clair's Department Store. Tonya was recently voted vice-president of the HERO chapter. Tonya also ran for the area third vice-president at the area meeting last Gonzales, third in informative speaking; Lary Hooten, second in informative speaking; Earnie Vela, third in informative speaking; Mike O'Grady, first in persuasive speaking; and Dave Poynor, third in persuasive speaking.

In nine invitational tournaments, Muleshoe's speech team won seven sweepstake championships. For the seventh consecutive year, Muleshoe High's Speech Squad has won the title

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# Muleshoe High's Speech Conformative speaking; Mary Anne ing AAA Speech Contest Team.

test Team concluded the 1975-76 invitational speech tournament season this past weekend at the Friona Speech Tournament. Muleshoe's squad compiled a total of 386 points for the Sweepstakes Championship as compared to 176 points to runner-up Hereford. Muleshoe High has now won the Friona Speech Tournament for ten

# The Week

# By HECE

The HECE girls will honor this week for tickets.

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# FBI Uniform Crime Reports Increased

United States in 1975 was nine percent higher than in 1974, Attorney General Edward H. Levi announced today. This compares with a national increase of 18 percent in 1974 over 1973, Levi said.

calendar 1975 were contained in the FBI's Uniform Crime Reports, released today by FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley.

'While the percent increase in reported serious crime in the crime remain much too high," Levi said. "All segments of the criminal justic system must continue to improve their efforts to reduce crime.

Director Kelley said the crime



figures were based on the Crime Index, which is composed of the offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny-theft, and motor vehicle theft. The information was furnished by city, county, and state law

enforcement agencies. Kelley said the violent crimes of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault increased five percent as a group. Aggravated assault and robbery each rose five percent and forcible rape increased one percent. Reported offenses of

murder decreased one percent. Property crimes, consisting of burglary, larceny-theft, and motor vehicle theft, rose nine percent. Larceny-theft was up

The Sandhills

Philosopher

seven percent and two percent, respectively.

tered a nine percent rise.

12 percent, while burglary and motor vehicle theft were up

Major cities with populations in excess of 100,000 experienced an eight percent increase in the volume of Crime Index offenses. Suburban law enforcement agencies had a 10 percent increase, while rural areas regis-

Geographically, Crime Index offenses reported to law enforcement authorities increased 11 percent in the Southern States and 10 percent in the Northeastern States. The rise in the North Central States was eight percent, and the Western States had an increase of six

Kelley said that in 1973, the volume of reported offenses increased six percent over 1972.

be held one week ahead of any other state's primary, regard-

less of when that happens. Thus

if say Idaho wanted to try to be

first and set its primary in

December, New Hampshire's

would be held perhaps in November. If enough states enter-

ed into the joke, this could go on

until New Hampshire was hold-

ing its primary four years before

the next Presidential election,

meaning of course that candi-

dates would have to announce

four years in advance. This

might prove to be an advantage

to the voters, because where's

the candidate who could stand

four years of being investigated

by the newspapers? The ideal situation for some candidates

would be to announce only one

week before the election. How

much could you find out about

By the way, I heard a politician

say once more the other day

when he was asked a question

he didn't want to answer: "I'll

cross that bridge when I come to it." I have observed however

them in that short a time?

by the newspapers?



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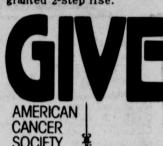
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Editor's note: The Sandhill

Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm seems puzzled about

all the Presidential primaries.

He may not be alone.

In the first place, they're supposed to be selecting delegates to the two national nominating conventions, but in at least one state it's just a popularity contest, with no delegates actually going to the candidates. In lots of other states about half the delegates selected are uncommitted; they can go to the convention and vote for just anybody, a choice they sometimes have.

Or take New Hampshire, whose primary is held in January, the first in the country. Although the state hasn't got as much population as a lot of cities, its Presidential primary attracts nation-wide attention, some people say nation-wide significance, because it's the first one held. New Hampshire is so proud of the honor that it has a law saying its primary will

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that when politicians do come to that bridge, most of them veer and go downstream hunting for a place they can cross without being noticed. Yours faithfully.

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My sincere thanks to all who were so nice during my recent stay in West Plains and Methodist Hospitals. For the prayers, visits, cards and beautiful flowers. May God bless each of you. Homer O. Long 12s-1tp

# Clovis Family YMCA News

The annual YMCA Free Learn to Swim Classes for youth and adults are scheduled for the week of Monday, June 21 through Saturday, June 26,

Youth classes will begin at 9 a.m. and will be completed at 12 noon. These classes are for youth six through 17 years of age. Older youngsters will be scheduled in the 9:00 and 9:45 a.m. classes. The 10:30 and 11:15 classes will be for younger swimmers. Swimmers who successfully complete their specific class will receive a recognition card.

Classes for non-swimming adults are set for 7 p.m. nightly for the free learn-to-swim week. Non-swimmers desiring to enroll in the classes must pre-register at the YMCA office. For information dial the YMCA office, 762-3198.

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PRODUCTION UP

The Federal Reserve Board has reported that the output of the nation's factories, mines and utilities increased in June for the first time in nine months.

Tax Crack A charming little recipe for a dessert called income-tax pudding: Take a good deal of dough, you'll knead it. -Dublin Opinion.



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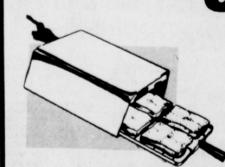
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AUSTIN - Three major statewide judicial races on the May 1 Democratic primary ballot are attracting widespread interest among attorneys, although the general public remains largely unaware.

Resignation of veteran Judge W.A. Morrison from the court of Criminal Appeals effective March 31 created the third contest. The filing deadline will be reopened to permit candidates to get their names on the ballot. Gov. Dolph Briscoe has authority to fill the

vacancy until the November general election. In the other judicial races, Fourth Court of Civil Appeals Chief Justice Charles W. Barrow, 54, of San Antonio and Houston

seat being vacated. Barrow outpolled Yarbrough 10,086 to 1,741 in a sampling of lawyer opinion through the State Bar. Yarbrough said that was the "greatest compliment" he could receive.

attorney Donald B. Yar-

brough, 34, are contesting

for a Texas Supreme Court

Court of Criminal Appe-

als Judge Truman Roberts, 58, seeking his second term, is opposed by Dallas District Judge Jerome Chamberlain, 53.

Roberts topped Chamberlain in the Bar poll 8,894 to 2,751. Chamberlain has been criticizing Roberts' opinions as over-technical. Roberts says he follows the law strictly.

#### Allowable Set

For the 49th straight month, the Railroad Commission set the statewide oil allowable at 100 per

Exceptions include the East Texas Field (86 per

Buyers asked more than 3.9 million barrels a day, a slight decrease of 2,174 from March.

The commission acted after oil company executives lambasted federal energy policies at length during a day-long hearing.

#### **Toll Rises**

The 1975 traffic death toll in Texas rose 13 per cent, according to the Department of Public Safety. At that, the number of deaths were 263 below the

all-time-record year, 1973. Voluntary compliance with the 55 miles per hour speed limit is not as good as it should be, but traffic continues to move slower than under the old 70 mph limit, according to DPS Director Wilson E. Speir.

The death toll last year was 3,429, compared to 2,945 in 1974 and 3,692 in 1973.

Unemployment Up

creased by more than 7,000 during January, Texas **Employment Commission** reported.

TEC said 305,500 were seeking work, compared with 298,200 in December. The jobless rate went up

from 5.6 per cent to 5.8 per cent of the labor force. The total number employed dropped from 5,042,900 in December to 4,976,400 in

#### Courts Speak

Texas Supreme Court agreed to hear arguments in a former Texas Tech football player's suit claiming the school should be liable for his knee injury since trainers didn't tape the knee

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**Muleshoe** 

held suspension of a Fort Worth dentist for publishing a booklet supporting nutritional supplements as

a cancer cure. Supreme Court justices upheld an order the Dallas Civil Service Board must consider charges against police officers in a beating and shooting death.

A divided Court of Criminal Appeals reversed a life sentence burglary conviction of an Abilene man, noting the lumber shed he was accused of entering was not an enclosed structure.

A San Antonio man sentenced to 15 years for manslaughter in the death of a two-year-old stepdaughter lost his appeal.

The Court of Criminal Appeals ordered a new trial for a Hidalgo County man convicted of violating probation terms due to an illegal search for weapons.

Another new trial was ordered in a Jefferson County case of probation revocation involving injection of a prescription drug.

Hearing Aids

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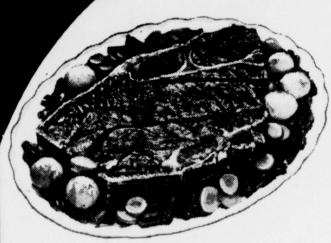
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