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# Friday Is Deadline For Show Entries

## County Spelling Bee Set March 20

### Contestants To Enter From Three Schools

The annual Bailey County Spelling Bee will be held Thursday, March 20, at 2:30 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School auditorium. The Bee is sponsored by the Muleshoe and Bailey County Journals. Boys and girls from Muleshoe, Bula and Three Way schools will be competing this year.

Spelling bees will be held in the competing schools to determine the contestants for the county Bee.

Winners of the local bee will compete in the Regional Spelling Bee in Lubbock which is sponsored by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

The Bailey County champion will win \$25 in cash and a plaque. Second place winner will receive \$15 and third place winner will receive \$10.

Last year's winner was Kristin Corkery, a sixth grader at Three Way School.

### Self Help Housing Workshop Set

There will be a Self Help Housing Workshop held in Muleshoe sponsored by the Rural Housing Alliance on Wednesday and Thursday, February 19 and 20, at Viviendas Cuauhtemoc, Inc. 111 West Avenue D, Muleshoe.

The agenda will include discussion of the following topics: recruitment of participant families; preparation of loan packages; education of self help families; responsibilities of self help families; and organization of construction activities.

A more detailed agenda will be available in advance of the workshop.

This is an opportunity to learn how self help housing actually works and how it benefits individual families and the community.

### Local SWPS Employees Honored Here

Three Muleshoe employees of the southern Division of the Southwestern Public Service Company were honored February 6 at a Safety Breakfast.

Awards were presented by Lloyd Davis, Division Superintendent, to the employees for working without a lost-time accident in 1974.

Jeff Peeler, Manager, was presented a Presidential Citation for notable achievement in accident prevention as a supervisor for successfully completing the year without injury to any personnel under his supervision.

Fred Clements received a Safety Decal for 25 years without an accident.

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### City Council Has Meeting

Muleshoe City Council met Tuesday morning, 8:30 a.m., in the Muleshoe City Hall.

The council amended a contract dated in November of 1974 covering the sale of \$265,000 City of Muleshoe Certificates of Obligations.

The council also endorsed and approved a personnel policy manual.

### West Texas Vegetable Industry To Convene In Hereford Feb. 14

LUBBOCK - "The 1975 Annual Conference of the West Texas Vegetable Growers and Shippers Council promises to be a winner," says Dr. Roland Roberts, area vegetable specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "Registration begins Friday, February 14 at 9:00 a.m., at the Bull Barn in Hereford."

Roberts states that the program will offer valuable information to vegetable growers, shippers, wholesalers and retailers throughout West Texas.

The conference theme, DECISIONS! DECISIONS! DECISIONS! reflects the many crucial decisions facing vegetable industry people today. Practically all phases of this major industry will be represented. Top level experts are featured in vegetable marketing, merchandising, business management, and production.

According to Dr. Roberts, this conference is a joint educational effort of the West Texas Vegetable Growers and Shippers Council and The Panhandle Economic Program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, with scientists and educators from Texas A&M

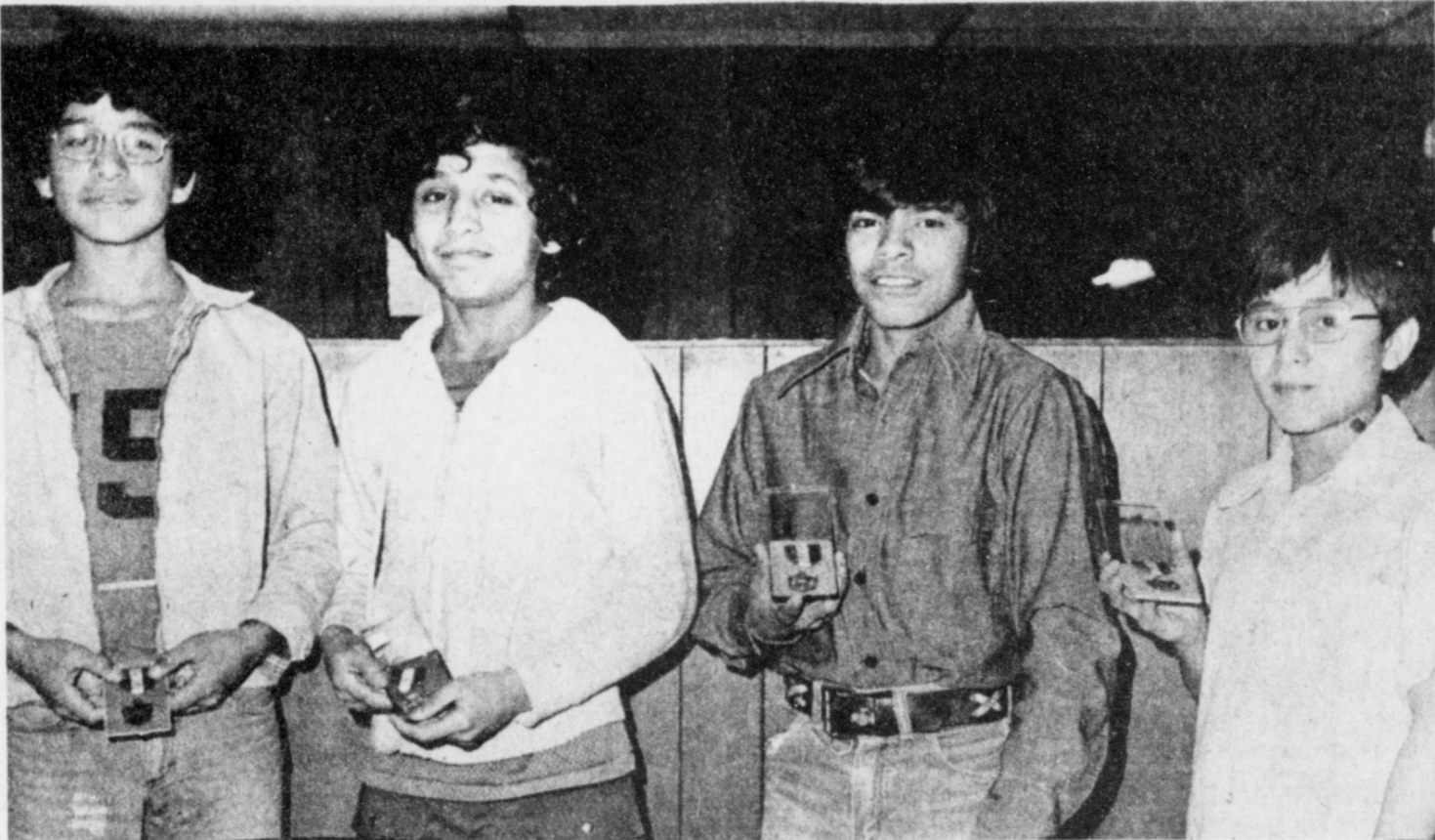
University, Texas Tech University, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and USDA making key contributions.

Keynoting the conference will be Kenneth Hurst, director of field services for the United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Association in Washington, D.C.

"Ken Hurst is no stranger to Texas," adds Roberts who notes that Hurst has worked with many retail and wholesale vegetable marketing firms in conducting produce merchandising schools. "Ken imparts skills that enable produce handlers to get fresh produce to market in prime condition and to prepare fresh vegetable displays in the most attractive manner for quality-conscious shoppers."

In addition, growers will see how their industry leaders are working with ecology-minded groups and lawmakers to prepare an equitable and effective pesticide law for Texas, and they will study potential effects of the forthcoming regulations.

A roundup of reports from vegetable researchers will include speakers who conduct major vegetable research projects on the plains. Roberts stresses



WIN MEDALS AT TOURNAMENT . . . Five Muleshoe boys competed in the three day West Texas AAU Junior Olympic Boxing Tournament at Amarillo last weekend. Ten towns were represented and well over 100 boys competed in the tournament. Pictured left to right are Alvaro Ontiveros who won a bronze medal in the 100 pound division, Reynaldo Rojas who won a gold medal in the 90 pound division and will represent the West Texas area at Beaumont in June, Mike Rodriguez who won a silver medal in the 90 pound division, and Ruben Reyna who won a bronze medal in the 75 pound division. Not pictured is George Acosta who won a silver medal in the 75 pound division.

## Self Help Housing Project Underway

Viviendas Cuauhtemoc, Inc. has received word that its house plans, cost estimates and projections for a self help housing program have been favorably reviewed by the national office of the Farmers Home Administration. The Bailey County Farmers Home Administration is now authorized to accept loan applications from families who wish to become homeowners through the self help method.

Interested families should apply first to Viviendas Cuauhtemoc, Inc., which is a non-profit housing corporation. The agency will prepare the necessary application forms, the house plans, the cost estimates and the dwelling specifications. This information will then be submitted to the Farmers Home Administration which will make the final decision regarding each loan. Construction can begin when a group of families have received loan approval.

The group will work under the supervision of a trained construction director employed by the agency. Although a small portion of the job will be subcontracted, the families will do most of the work themselves during their free time. In this way, it is possible to significantly reduce the cost of the house.

The following is a brief summary of the most important facts:

The house will be stucco with either three bedrooms, 1062 square feet, or four bedrooms, 1232 square feet. They can be located in the East Side Addition (East Sixth Street), Muleshoe Park Addition (West Ninth Street, West Avenue J) or Lenau Addition (East Dallas, East Chicago).

The loan source will be the Farmers Home Administration and loan amounts will be \$14,000 to \$15,000. Loan terms include no downpayment and monthly payments for 33 years. The interest rate and payment size depend on the family income and changes every two years. Monthly payments will range between \$40 and \$115 and property taxes and fire insurance will cost an additional \$300 per year.

To qualify, persons must be employed in farm-related work, their annual income between \$4,000 and \$8,000, and the willingness to help build the houses.

## Easter Seal Appeal Begins Here Feb. 24

The 1975 Easter Seal Appeal will officially open in Bailey County on Monday, February 24 according to Jimmie Crawford, who serves as Easter Seal Representative for the county. Easter Seal Appeal letters will arrive at homes in the county between February 15 and March 15.

The Easter Seal Representative is the person to contact to request services from the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. These services include physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing programs and special information services to help solve the many problems faced by the families of handicapped children and adults.

Last year 20,152 handicapped people received help from the Texas Easter Seal Society. With the costs of providing professional care rising, more money than ever will be needed to assist more disabled Texans and remain ahead of inflation.

Funds help support professional treatment centers in Texas, where services are provided to those crippled children and adults who cannot provide for themselves and who do not qualify for help from any other source.

"The people of Texas have always responded generously to helping the handicapped, and I feel certain they will make it possible to increase Easter Seal services to crippled Texans throughout the coming year," Crawford said.

## GI Home Loans Drop From 9% to 8.5%

The maximum interest rate on Veterans Administration GI home loans was dropped from 9 percent to 8.5 percent effective January 21, 1975, it was announced by Richard L. Roubesh, Administrator of Veterans Affairs.

Roubesh, who established the lower VA rate after consultation with the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, noted that the reduction was the second since last November 24 when the maximum interest rate was 9.5 percent. The new 8.5 percent rate will also apply to FHA home loans, he added.

The 8.5 percent rate is the lowest since April 1974 when the rate was increased from 8.25 to 8.5 percent. The rate was increased to 9 percent last July, then to 9.5 percent last August, and then was cut to 9 percent effective November 25, 1974.

The half-percent decrease would mean as much as \$9.90 per month savings to the typical veteran home buyer, and over the 30 year life of a \$27,500 VA loan, the total saving could be as much as \$3,535.

The VA Administrator said the VA home loan market was

## Junior Stock Show Set February 21

The last day to enter the annual Bailey County Junior Livestock Show will be this coming Friday, February 14. Entry fees of \$1.00 per head will be due on that day.

The Barrow and Lamb Show will be held Friday, February 21, at the bus barn at Muleshoe High School. Animals are to arrive at the show place by 7 p.m. on Thursday, February 20.

The judge this year will be David McCormick of Tosomingo Oklahoma where he is a teacher in the Junior College.

Rules state that any boy or girl who is a member of the 4-H, F.F.A. or F.H.A. whose projects are supervised by the County Extension Agent or Vocational Agriculture Teachers of Bailey County and attend school in Bailey County, is eligible to show in the Bailey County Junior Livestock Show. An exhibitor must be nine years of age by the day of the show.

## School Board Agenda

The Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet February 10 at 7:30 p.m. for their regular meeting.

The board will hear the current financial report and consider the approval of a request by Muleshoe State Bank to release \$20,000 in pledged securities that are maturing.

The approval of the football schedule and price of admission for the season of 1975 will also be considered.

A report will be heard on the Average Membership data requested by University Interscholastic League and on A.D.A. for the first semester and current enrollment report. The board will also consider the policy for the quarter system.

The board will review the official calendar for the school board election, appoint election judge and assistant, determine the place for absentee voting.

## Royce Turner Files For School Board

Royce L. Turner has filed for a position on the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees.

This year the terms of Lewis Wayne Shafer, Ernest Ramm and Aubrey Heathington will be expiring.

The last date to file for the board election will be March 5, 1975.

## Red Cross Nursing Course Scheduled

Mrs. Robin Taylor, Bailey County Home Demonstration Agent, announces that there will be a Red Cross nursing course on pre-natal care to be offered in Muleshoe.

The course for leaders will be held on Tuesday, February 25, at the Spanish Baptist Mission in Muleshoe at 7 p.m. Mrs. Glenn Woody, the nurse consultant for the Texas Division of the Nation Red Cross, will be the instructor.

A 12 hour course will be offered later to expectant mothers. The course is intended to help parents become secure and independent in making decisions that concern themselves or their new baby; to give information about prenatal care, childbirth, and infant care if this information is not available in the group; to look at all sides of a question and thus help parents look at later questions or problems; and to help reduce some of the concerns and anxieties that most new parents experience.

Other subjects will include before the baby comes; the baby is born; food for the pregnant and nursing mother; breast feeding; the baby's supplies and needs; the baby's bath; and the baby's first year.

If you are a young, expectant mother, contact Mrs. Taylor at 111 West Avenue D.

## Brooks Family Singing At Church Here

The Brooks Family Gospel Singers are presenting the gospel of Jesus Christ in song at the Church of the Nazarene, located at West Ninth Street and Avenue C in Muleshoe this Saturday and Sunday, February 8 and 9.

The family is composed of the parents, Bruce and Rose and children ages 11 through 16.

Services were held at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and will be held at 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. Sunday. Mrs. J. D. Roedler is the pastor of the church.

## Gleason Steer Sold To Dairy Queen

A 1,085 pound steer owned by Jay Lance Gleason, Muleshoe, which was shown at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, was purchased by I.B. Chapman II, president, Dairy Queen of West Texas. Chapman paid \$434 at auction for the steer in the blue ribbon sale.

James Utley is senior vice president of Dairy Queen.



SELF HELP HOUSING OFFICIALS . . . Pictured above are officials of the Self Help Housing program in Bailey County. Applications for loans can be obtained at Viviendas Cuauhtemoc, Inc. at 111 West Avenue D and loan applications will be made to the Farmers Home Administration. Pictured standing left to right are Joe Vallarreal, member of the board; Joe Valdez, executive director of Viviendas Cuauhtemoc; Alfonso Poada, Vice President of the Housing Project and seated is John Clinton Kennedy, Bailey County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration.

## Clayton Will Speak At Water Meeting

Rep. Bill Clayton, speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, will address the luncheon session of the Eighth Annual Water, Inc., Membership Meeting in Amarillo February 15. The annual get-together gets underway at 9:00 a.m. in the Sunburst Room, Quality Inn, I-40 East.

Clayton, a Springlake farmer who formerly served as executive director of Water, Inc.,

has become known as "Mr. Water" in the Texas Legislature. During his 12 years of service in the lower house, he has either authored or co-authored every piece of major water legislation that has been passed. By far the most exciting of this legislation was the water law recodification bill passed in 1973.

Other platform speakers at the area water promotion organization's annual meeting include U.S. Rep. Jack Hightower; State Senators Max Sherman of Amarillo and Kent Hance of Lubbock; Gen. James Rose, director of planning coordination,

Office of the Governor; and Harry Burleigh, executive director, Texas Water Development Board.

Other activities in connection with the membership meeting include two meetings of the board of directors, one on Friday and the other immediately following the membership meeting. The latter is the board's

## Vegetable...

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Robert reports that U.S.D.A. Vegetable Marketing Specialist David Fitz will be on hand to conduct a grower election for a new representative to the National Potato Board at this meeting. The Board is charged with conducting a multimillion dollar nationwide program of market research, development, promotion and consumer education for potatoes. All funds for the program are given voluntarily by growers. Texas is a strong supporter of the Potato Board.

In all, fifteen speakers will be on hand to address the most important issues facing the West Texas vegetable industry today. "The Hereford Vegetable Conference is a top priority activity for everyone involved in the production, marketing and merchandising of fresh vegetables and processing crops," declares Roberts, who reasons that current economic conditions and the fast moving pace of the vegetable industry necessitate a close examination of the facts by all persons concerned.

annual session at which officers and members of the executive committee are named.

## Housing...

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Interested persons may apply by contacting Sue Kenney, Vivendas Cuauhtemoc, Inc., 111 West Avenue D, Muleshoe or phone 272-4770. Through the self help method, a family can obtain real savings interest charges. The family can obtain a well built, modest home of which they can be proud. It is difficult to contribute labor to the project while also maintaining a job and a family. However, for many families, the effort will prove worthwhile.

## Loans...

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greatly expanded under legislation approved by the President December 31, 1974, when more than four million veterans whose GI home loans have been paid in full and the home disposed of became potentially eligible for new loans guaranteed by VA.

The legislation also increased the maximum VA loan guarantee amount from \$12,500 to \$17,500, authorized loans for the purchase of mobile home lots, increased the amount of mobile home loans and broadened the possibilities for guaranteed loans on one-family condominiums.

New research station is orbited by Soviet.

## Sudan Fire Department

### Need Equipment

Fire Department in Need of Additional Equipment

Due to the number of city and especially county fires, additional equipment is needed by the Sudan Vol. Fire Dept. The purchase of a one ton van, which is used for carrying additional fire fighting equipment such as bunker coats, boots, gloves, helmets, recesitator, Scott air packs and bottles, electric generator, suction fan, pry bars, first-aid equipment, and other miscellaneous equipment is needed so that the Sudan Vol Fire Dept. can give better fire service.

At present, the department uses a 1963 Ford Falcon panel wagon, which is over crowded and will not haul all the equipment needed for fire service. The panel wagon will not exceed the speed of 50 mph when making a fire call. The reason for this is that it is over weighted with the equipment that it presently has to haul.

A water tank truck is also needed by the department. The shortage of water in the rural area makes the department have a handicap in giving good fire service to people in the rural area.

The fire dept. is unable at this time to purchase the one ton van or the water tank truck. The Sudan Vol. Fire Dept. feels that the City of Sudan should not be held responsible for purchasing this equipment, because they will probably have to purchase a new pumper fire truck in the near future.

The Sudan Vol. Fire Dept. is asking for contributions from residents in the city limits as well as, rural residents surrounding the Sudan area. Anyone interested in helping the

Sudan Vol. Fire Dept. purchase this much needed equipment can send their contributions to the

## John Deere Customers See Plant

Approximately 95 John Deere customers and dealers from the Muleshoe area recently visited the Deere & Company Administrative Center in Moline, Illinois, as well as Deere factories in that area and in Iowa. The purpose of the trip was to acquaint the customers and dealers with new John Deere farm equipment and show them how it is manufactured.

The visitors also met with Company executives and saw slide and film presentations on new Deere products.

The Muleshoe group was one of many scheduled to visit the Deere headquarters and factories between mid-November and mid-March. Altogether, the Company expects between 12,000 and 15,000 farmer-dealer visitors.

## Red Cross...

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home mother, please call the home demonstration office at 272-3913 for more details. Expectant fathers are also welcome to attend.

## SWPS.....

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Ray Campbell received a Safety Decal for 14 years without personal injury.

Sudan Vol. Fire Dept., Box 491; Sudan, Texas 79371, or The First Nation Bank, Box 278; Sudan, Texas 79371.

## Muleshoe...

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## Stock Show...

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imals that have been through a premium auction sale and show in the county show.

Each exhibitor may enter three hogs which may be barrows, gilts or any combination of the same and may enter three sheep which may be ewes, wethers or any combination of the same.

Lambs must weigh 75 to 120 pounds at show day and must be carrying milk teeth on show day. There will be no regulations on shearing. Classes for sheep will be Fine Wool, Fine Wool Crosses, Medium Wool and Southdowns.

Barrows will show by breeds when eight or more of a breed arrive at the show. Breeds of seven or under will show grouped together as one breed. Barrows may be purebred or crossbred with all crosses grouped as a breed of hogs.

Barrows must weigh between 175 and 250 pounds, if not, they will not be allowed to show. Only one reweigh will be given for light and heavy barrows. Breeds of barrows will be equally divided into weight divisions.

Gilts may be purebred or crossbred and must be farrowed after July 15, 1974 and weigh at least 170 pounds on arrival at the show. Crossbreds will be grouped as a breed and gilt classes will show by breed. Clipping ears, tails and underlines will be permitted but purebred gilts must meet breed requirements for registration and all gilts must have 12 nipples. The judge will disqualify completely clipped gilts.

training includes flower arrangements for parties, hospital and other occasions, funeral work, wedding decorations, bouquets, corsages, salesmanship and shop management.

Miss Throckmorton also studied the latest flower stylings new accessory materials and the most efficient methods of providing a first quality florist service to customers.

Larry Dale Vinson is one of the 103 college students who has been chosen to serve the Baptist Student Union summer mission program this summer.

Vinson, a student at the University of Texas, will serve at Camp Copass. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Vinson of Route 3, Box 20 Muleshoe.

Students from 34 college universities and specialized schools will work in mission areas across Texas and the United States, as well as a number of overseas posts.

They are sponsored by the 2-million-member Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Mr and Mrs. J K Adan just returned from a month visit in London, England where they visited their son, J Adams. Their daughter Joy Adams, who teaches English Texas A. & M. University also went with them. The son is a student at the University of London where he is studying for his Ph. D. Architecture. While in London they went sightseeing, saw the Shakespear plays, drove around the country side plus many other things. Mrs. Adan reported that the weather was beautiful and they had a wonderful time.

## School...

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announce the polling place and time and set the pay scale for clerks.

A board member will be selected to had out diplomas at the high school commencement on Friday, May 23, at 7:30 p.m.

The re-employment of profession personnel, administrators, counselors, head coaches music directors and speech director will be considered.

The library circulation report will be heard, the maintenance projects reviewed and the criticisms of school personnel will be discussed.

## Steer...

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president of the firm. Margie Hawkins is local manager and Jim Thomas is area supervisor of restaurants in Muleshoe, Dalhart, Perryton, Clarendon and the restaurant under construction at Florida.

Chapman Dairy Queen Companies, the world's largest privately owned operation of Dairy Queen restaurants, purchased more steers than any other buyer at the 1975 Stock Show.

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MRS. JOHN HASANDRAS

## XI Omicron Xi Has Meeting

The Xi Omicron Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its first February meeting Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Don Barnes with Mrs. David Hamblen serving as co-hostess. The program was presented followed by the business meeting. Mrs. Tom Jinks introduced Mrs. Neal Dillman who reviewed the book "Stranger in Angel Town" by Mary Lester. The book was an account of the first year of teaching of a young lady in a small town in Colorado, and the members enjoyed the delightfully refreshing book review.

The president, Marcia Henry, presided over the business meeting. Xi Omicron Xi voted to contribute to the Beta Sigma Phi Endowment Fund, Loan Fund, and Exemplar Fund, state and national projects of the sorority.

The members were reminded that the Amarillo Area Beta Sigma Phi Convention will be held in Amarillo on March 1 and 2.

The members will entertain the children in Mrs. Tom Jink's room at Richland Hills with a Valentine Party on February 14. Also, on February 14 is the Annual Beta Sigma Phi Valentine Ball co-sponsored by Alpha Zeta Pi and Xi Omicron Xi Chapters of Beta Sigma Phi. This year's Ball will be held from 8:00 to 12:00 in the Catholic Center. Valentine Sweethearts will be crowned.

The hostesses served delicious refreshments to Mrs. Marcia Henry, Mrs. Tom Jinks, Mrs. Joe King, Mrs. Max King, Mrs. Paul Poyner, Mrs. Charles Pummill, Mrs. Don Rempe, Mrs. Eric Smith, Mrs. Curtis Walker, and Mrs. Neal Dillman, guest speaker.

**QUADRAPLEGIC TYPES**  
PHOENIX, ARIZ. -- Dan Irick, after visiting his cousin, Jim Guthrie, a 31-year-old victim of a muscular disease, has developed an electronic typing system that enables Guthrie to type by blowing into a tube.



Traci Dawn Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Albert Smith of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby girl born February 5 at 8:55 a.m. in the West Plains Memorial Hospital of Muleshoe. The

baby weighed seven pounds and seven and one-half ounces and was named Traci Dawn Smith. She is the couple's first child.

# Miss Pitts, Hasandras Exchange Vows

Miss Lina Gay Pitts became the bride of John Hasandras, Saturday, February 1 in the First United Methodist Church. Rev. C.B. Melton officiated the double ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Pitts of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Hasandras of Phoenix, Arizona are parents of the couple.

## The Importance Of Fathers

COLLEGE STATION -- It's not always easy for a father to be content during the first year of a baby's life in a supporting role to his wife and child, Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist pointed out this week.

"Although fathers are familiar figures to an infant, a real father-child relationship doesn't begin until the second year," the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, specialist said.

"Many fathers want to be actively involved in childrearing. They want to parent, rather than be a mother-substitute, nursemaid or provider of physical needs. They seek personal response from the child.

"Often it's frustrating to new fathers when the very young child looks to his mother for feeding, bedtime and emotional comfort and to the father for play and acrobatic sessions," the specialist noted.

In the normal course of development for the first year, a child is almost totally dependent upon the mother. During the second year of his life, the child has matured enough and has skills to add a second important personal relationship to his social group--his father.

"When new fathers fail to understand a child's normal growth patterns and the importance of fathers during the second year, conflict may be ahead. Love, hate, anger, jealousy and even rivalry may be rooted in the first few months of life. It is the relationship to both parents that helps children develop to their maximum potential."

An altar of mixed spring flowers; iris, stock, fujie mums, daisies, tulips, gladiolas, miniature roses and baby's breath was enhanced by spiral candelabra, areca palm trees and another candelabra. The pew markers were made of the same flowers as the altar bouquet.

Presenting organ selections was Miss Lynette Pitts. Soloists, John Gulley and Jane Branscum sang "Wedding Song", "Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi" and "Kahl Gibran".

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father. She wore a formal length gown of white satin organza fashioned with an open bateau neckline, long sheer bishop sleeves with lace cuffs. The bodice was an overlay of knottingham lace accented with bands of scalloped venise lace with softly gathered a-lined skirt. The chapel length train flowed from the back waistline, connecting the train to the Juliet cap of matching lace accented with three tiers of lace edged illusion. The bride carried a bouquet of "Snow Song", a natural look cascade of minuet roses, stephanotes, baby's breath, yellow daisies and white iris. Her orchid accented with seed pearls. The greenery used in the bouquet was leather leaf and English Ivy.

To keep in the bridal traditions, something borrowed, the bride wore a necklace of praying hands which belonged to Miss Mary Jane Crane; something old was her mother's shoes; something new was her wedding attire and something blue was her garter.

Miss Mary Jane Crane of Austin, Texas was maid of honor. She wore a dress of vintage wine accented at the neck of her dress. The curvilinear design was "Sweet 'n Lovely", of miniature gigi carnations, stephanotes, baby's breath and leather leaf on pale pink satin. From the round neck of the cape, the dress fell into an a-line floor length skirt.

Bestman was George Hasandras of Portland, Oregon. Ring bearer was Alan Pitts of Pittsburg, Texas. Ushers were Gary Hooten of Muleshoe, Texas; James Pitts of Kerrville, Texas; John Pitts of Kerrville, Texas; and Aubrey Pitts of Earth, Texas.

The reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church. The bride's antique table was covered with an antique crocheted cloth. The traditional cake had a nosegay of the bride's chosen flowers on top. Also, entwined throughout and around the cake were the same flowers and greenery and a silver candelabra with white candles and silver appointments were used. The centerpiece was an arrangement of daisies, gigi carnation, heather tulips, wax flowers, baby's breath and blue and white iris.

The groom's table was covered with an acruce cut work cloth and featured an arrangement of pears, limes and today grapes accented in English ivy around a bayberry candle. Silver appointments were also used.

The bride is a graduate of Texas Tech University in Home Economics and the groom is a graduate of Arizona State University, where he has completed his BA and MA work in Geographic Education.

The rehearsal dinner was given by the groom's parents at the XIT Steak House Friday, January 31.

## West Plains Hospital Hospital Briefs

ADMITTANCE:  
February 3: Bobby Redwine,  
February 4: Mrs. J. M. Hefner.  
February 5: Lupe Morales

and Mrs. Linda Kay Griswold  
February 6: Ysenia Trevin  
and Cecil Davis.  
DISMISSAL:  
February 4: Bobby Redwin,  
Beverly Heathington, Mrs. Lupe  
Martinez and daughter and Joseph  
Luis Madrid.  
February 5: Gene Morri  
February 6: Mrs. Joe Smith  
and daughter.

## Enochs Couple Are United

Linda Kay Hamilton of Amarillo became the bride of Sidney Wayne Key of Sudan, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Key of Enochs, Saturday, February 1. The ceremony was performed in the home of the officiated clergyman, Rev. H.Q. Huff, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester P  
tree sang "The Old Rugg  
Cross". Mrs. Bobby Ada  
accompanied herself on t  
piano as she sang "Amazing  
Love".  
At the reception, M  
Linda Adams served punch.  
Louie Key served the cal  
Guests attending were M  
and Mrs. Chester Petres, M  
Perry Fort, Mr. and Mrs.  
D. Key, Kevin Key, Mr. and  
Bobby Adams and Linda, J  
and Mrs. H.Q. Huff, Jr. Ja  
and Marcus and Bonnie I.

## Bible Study

The Goodland Bible Study met in the home of Mrs. Chloe Klutts Tuesday, February 4.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. W.T. Simpson and the minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Chloe Klutts.

They studied the First, Second, and Third Chapters of Samuel.

Members present were Mrs. W.C. McCelvey, Mrs. Tommy Galt, Mrs. Freddie Parkman, Mrs. W.T. Simpson, Mrs. Bobby Kindel, Mrs. L.W. Chapman and Mrs. Chloe Klutts.

## Hobby Club Has Meeting

The Muleshoe Hobby Club Thursday, February 6 at Muleshoe State Bank Community Room with Mrs. LeVina Pas hostess. Hostess gift drawn by Mrs. Charlie Phipps.

Members present were M Opal Robinson brought br-windmill; Mrs. Mable Caldwell egg vases, bead baskets; M LeVina Pitts, beaded basket; Mrs. Zula Carlyle; Mrs. Al Barbour, collection of thimble; Mrs. Ola Pesch, Mrs. Mar Oswald, Mrs. C. E. Brismock pillow, seed plaque; Mrs. Charlie Phipps. New member present were Mrs. Barba Burton, coat hanger, Mrs. Ver Dement; Mrs. S.M. Ethridge toss ball; Mrs. Jeannetta H kill, swan powder box, Mr. Bernice Amerson. Visitor present were Mrs. A.O. Sel from Houston, Mrs. May Adkins, and Mrs. Mae Lloyd.

Their next meeting will be February 20 with Mrs. Zula Carlyle as hostess.

## Progress 4-H Discusses Stock Shows

The Progress 4-H Club held a meeting Tuesday, January 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the Bailey County Electric building.

The meeting was called to order by President, Curtis Carpenter. The secretary treasurer report was given by Jo Ronda Rhodes.

The floor was opened for nominations for the offices of treasurer and recreation. Tommy Wheeler was elected treasurer and Pam Davenport was elected recreation officer for the term.

Spencer Tanksley spoke on the coming stock shows. He explained what the judges would look for in an animal. He passed out papers on steers and hogs for the different parts of the animals to be listed and explained the parts of an animal.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given by Melinda Presley and the 4-H Pledge was given by Lavon Rhodes. There was no further business so the meeting was adjourned.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Starla Black, Curtis Carpenter, Marvin Davenport, Michael Davenport, Pam Davenport, Kim Farmer, Dondi Gage, Kevin Grant, Steven Grizwold, Greg Harrison, Shelly Henderson, Curtis Hunt, Kenna Hunt, Lori Hunt, Danny Jones, Missy Jones, Benny Pena, Melinda Presley.

## Muleshoe OES Has Meeting

Mrs. J.H. Clay, Worthy Matron and Wyley Bullock, Worthy Patron, presided at the Called meeting of Muleshoe Chapter No. 792, Order of the Eastern Star, Monday evening, February 3, in Masonic Hall. The Advisory Board for Muleshoe Assembly #161, Order of the Rainbow for Girls was approved.

Mrs. Debbie Rudd Uphoff will serve as Mother Advisor. Others serving are: Mrs. Nelda Hunt, Mrs. Jack Hysinger, Lee Dunbar; James Jennings; Murrell Brown; Mrs. Glenn Lust; Mrs. Bennie Sue Free; Mrs. Fred Payne; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Epping and Mr. and Mrs. Curby Brantley.

An invitation was received from Keystone Chapter No. 27, Clovis, New Mexico, to the Official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Hope McClure and the Worthy Grand Patron, John Maynor, of the Grand Jurisdiction of New Mexico, Order of the Eastern Star, February 15 in Masonic Hall. Initiation will be held at 4:00 p.m. a dinner at 6:00 p.m. (2.50 per plate) and the meeting at 7:30 p.m. (Clovis time).

## Progress 4-H Studies Leather Crafts

The members of Progress 4-H that were interested in leather crafts have been meeting for the past three weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henderson every Monday from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. Kenny Henderson is the leader and instructor of the group.

At the first meeting the belts were all measured and the names were stamped on. The second meeting the members chose the patterns they wanted on their belts and began tooling. This past week most of the tooling was finished and they are ready to begin putting the final coats on them. The students taking leather crafts are Starla Black, Marvin Davenport, Jr., Michael Davenport, Pam Davenport, Dandi Gage, Larry Nowell, Melinda Presley, Johnnie Puckett, L-Nett Newman, Wesley Rasco and Jay Pierson.

## PTA Will Meet On Monday

PTA will meet Monday, February 10, at 3:45 p.m. in the Mary DeShazo Cafeteria. The fourth grade students will present the program. All parents are urged to attend.

## Reminder

Bailey County Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Robin Taylor, reports that she needs the evaluation sheets from the "You Can Do It" television series on home repair. Even if only one lesson was seen, she still needs these sheets. Either bring them by the Home Demonstration office in the court-house or mail them to the office.

## WELCOME TO MULESHOE



MR. RANDALL BARRINGER

We would like to welcome to Muleshoe, Mr. Randall Barringer who is a native of Albuquerque, New Mexico. He attended Ozark Bible College in Joplin, Missouri, before moving to Dimmitt, Texas where he was with Big T Pump Company. He came to Muleshoe from Dimmitt and now is employed at C.R. Anthony in Muleshoe. He enjoys roller skating, ice skating, pool and horseback riding. He is a member of the First Christian Church in Dimmitt.

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## Beta Sigma Phi Discusses Valentine Ball

Members of Alpha Zeta Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held their regular meeting at the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room Tuesday, February 4. Mrs. Garry Shipman and Mrs. Gene Howard were hostesses for the occasion.

The meeting was opened with the opening ritual then a business meeting followed. Mrs. Reagan Cox, president, announced the Beta Sigma Phi area convention is to be held March 1 and 2 in Amarillo. The executive board announced that Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs would replace Mrs. Gene Howard as co-chairman on social committee.

The Valentine Ball will be from 8:00 p.m. to 12 p.m. Friday, February 14 at the Catholic Center.

### Monthly Queen

**TOPS Name**

TOPS Chapter Number 94 met Thursday, February 6 at 6:00 p.m. in the meeting room of Bailey County Electric with 26 members weighing in.

Weekly queen was Arora Mata and second runner-up was Mrs. J. O. Parker. Monthly queen was Mrs. Glen Stroud. First runner-up was Mrs. Claude Don Holmes and second runner-up was Mrs. Joe Baker.

Mrs. J. O. Parker volunteered to organize and combine a scrapbook of all their scrapbooks. She reported that combining the scrapbook was coming along.

The can-can winner had gained so, she did not receive the contents in the can-can jar. Mrs. J. M. Hefner, Mrs. J. B. Spurgeon and Mrs. Joe Baker were ill and could not attend the meeting. They had one renewal, who was Mrs. Iris Angley.

Mrs. Bobby Newman gave an inspirational talk. She also announced she had a recipe on low calorie mayonnaise and anyone that would like the recipe contact her.

### UMW Has Meeting

The United Methodist Women met Wednesday, February 5 in the Chapel of the church with 25 members present.

The Joyce Hill Circle was in charge of the program. Mrs. Carter Williams began the program with a prayer request. During the program Mrs. Reagan Cox presented the Bible as a guide for living. She presented this in a most unique way by using selected scriptures. To round out the program the group participated in open discussion.

Mrs. Oscar Allison, President of the United Methodist Women presided during the business meeting. It was announced that they will have an evening meeting March 7. Mrs. T.L. Kent will be in charge of the World Day of Prayer program.

lic Center, The ' Raiders' from Lubbock will play for the dance. Mrs. Danny Noble, chairman of Service Committee asked for volunteers for the Valentine Party for Miss Mary Helen Gutierrez first grade pupils.

After the meeting was adjourned the executive committee led the members in games of Sentence Cube and Tripoli. Hostesses served refreshments to Mrs. Kearny Scoggin, Mrs. Bill Russell, Mrs. Monty Dollar, Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs, Mrs. Danny Noble, Mrs. Bob Finney, Mrs. Skip Magby, Mrs. Hilbert Wisan, Mrs. Paul Wilbanks, Mrs. Ken Box, Mrs. Louis Cardinal, Mrs. Dick Chitwood, Mrs. Clifford Black, Mrs. Mike Miller, Mrs. John Agee, Mrs. Garry Shipman and Mrs. Gene Howard.

### Rebekah Lodge Initiates Five Members

The Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge, Number 114 met in regular session Tuesday, February 4 with 31 members answering roll call.

Winnie Loranse, Noble Grand presided over the meeting. The members initiated five new members. These new members are Mildred Neely, Dodie Atkinson, Opal Talley, Agness Williams and Clyde Parish.

After the initiation there were several talks made by the new members and other members. They discussed the advanced

meeting of the South Plains association will be held at the Brownfield Lodge Hall February 22 at 7:30 p.m.

They also discussed that the District Deputy President, Lena Hawkins will hold a joint school of instruction for District Number 8 at the Morton Lodge Hall, February 13 at 7:30 p.m.

After the meeting the members had a salad supper and social hour and then the meeting was adjourned.

### Progress Circle Has Meeting

Progress Circle met in the home of Johnny Westbrook Monday, February 3 at 2:00 p.m.

Vice-President, Mrs. Byron Gwyn opened the meeting with eight members present. Prayer Circle was given by Mrs. H.H. Snow, February 17 at 2:00 p.m.

Chambiess, Mrs. R.L. Roubinek, Mrs. Elbert Davis and Mrs. Gordon Murrain.

Their next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. H.H. Snow, February 17 at 2:00 p.m.

### Best Of Press

**And Doubt**  
Worry can be defined as a circle of inefficient thought whirling around a pivot of fear.

-Eagle, Wichita, Ia.

**Candid Comment**  
You never realize how levelheaded a man is until he starts to lose his hair.

-Wall Street.

**Defined**  
Fishing - An uninhabited body of water surrounded by liars in old clothes.

-The Leader.

### Fashion

Maternity clothes have made a great change during the past ten years. Time was when women stayed out of public as much as possible and wore left overs from larger members of the family -- but no longer is this true.

New styles are attractive and made so that they can be used up to the time the baby is expected. Colors, prints and a variety of styles can be seen in the maternity departments or shops.

### YL 4-H Meeting

The YL 4-H Club had their monthly meeting, Monday, February 3.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Kelly Head. David Head led the Pledge of Allegiance and Monte Vandiver led the 4-H pledge and motto.

Spencer Tanksley gave a program on different kinds of animals.

Those members present were Paul Harbin, Kelly Head, Staci Vandiver, Brenda Flowers, David Head, Tyrri Vandiver, Monte Vandiver and Monon Bazan.



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### Muleshoe OES Attends OES School

The annual Eastern Star School, for District 2, Section 3, was held February 4 in Masonic Hall, Hereford, under the supervision of Mrs. Patricia Neinst, Dallas, Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Dorothy Vernon, Monahans, Grand Examiner, Mrs. Joyce Fields, Denver City, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 2, and Mrs. Norma Coffey, Hereford, Deputy Grand Matron, District 2, Section 3.

197 members registered from 15 area Chapters. 122 Certificates of Proficiency were issued. Muleshoe Chapter hosted the coffee hour at 8:00 a.m.

Mrs. J.H. Clay, Worthy Matron of Muleshoe Chapter and Mrs. Derrell Nowell, Associ-

ate Matron, participated in the drills, and Mrs. Clay held the office of Chaplain in the Day Session and the Star Point of Esther for the Evening. Mrs. Clay and Wiley Bullock, Worthy Patron of Muleshoe Chapter, participated in the drill for 100 percent Chapters in the Welfare Program.

Mrs. Wayne Williams assisted on the Registration Committee. Mrs. Nowell assisted on the Invitation Committee, and Mary Farley and Elbert Nowell assisted in the Examining Room.

Others attending, from Muleshoe Chapter were Mrs. Wiley Bullock, a member of Happy Highways Committee; Wayne Williams, Brilliance Committee; Mrs. Elbert Nowell;

Mrs. Bob Phillips and Mrs. Glenn Lust.

The Muleshoe members received "A" Certificates, and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Bullock and Wayne Williams were presented and introduced with other Grand Officers, at the Fraternal Visit of the Worthy Grand Matron, Tuesday evening.

A very special guest was Mrs. Marth Marie Whitfield, Supreme Service and Supreme Inspector, in Texas, of the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls. She was given a standing ovation, for her service to this organization.

Wiley Bullock, gave the Invocation at the 'Woodlands' luncheon, served at the Hereford Country Club.

The 'Happy Ways' Banquet was served in the Fellowship Hall of the beautiful, new, First Christian Church.

Invitations were issued by Floydada, Friona, Canyon, Happy, Plainview and Hereford, for the School in 1976.

Hostess Chapters were: Floydada #31; Tulia #33; Plainview #37; Lemond, at Hale Center, #38; Hereford #312; Lockney #437; Happy #562; Muleshoe #792; Dismitt #819; Olton #847; Earth #870; Silvertown #900; Friona #990; Canyon City #105 and Petersburg #1001.

### Friendship Club Has Meeting

The Friendship Club met Thursday, February 6 in the home of Mary Young. Mrs. W. E. Young was co-hostess. There were 17 members and three guests present.

Dinner was served, and then the President, Mrs. Jewell Griffith presided over the meeting. Mrs. Scott Swafford gave the devotional "God's Creation", with her main topic on Eve.

Those attending were Mrs. Rufus Gilbreath, Mrs. Joe Costen, Pam Young, Mrs. Scott Swafford, Blanche Johnson, Patty Griffith, Jeneatte Hukill, Catharine Cole, Sue Smith, Mrs. Charlie King, Jewell Griffith, Mrs. W.T. Andrews, Viola Lane, Mrs. Wilson Witherpoon, Rob Damron, Mrs. Blonde Ray, Mary Young and Mrs. W.E. Young.

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# Editorial

A headline in the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal this week caught our eye: "Local High Schools Celebrate Death of Unpopular System"

The death of the demerit discipline system in Lubbock schools has been replaced by a scheduled type of conference, parent-

principal conferences, or suspension. The once-widespread demerits, are other practices, were more than 40 years old and out-of-date.

We're after better self-discipline, giving more responsibility to the student, Supt. Ed

Irons said. Too many hazy, questionable situations -- like the "talking about indefinite suspensions after 25 tardies-demerit" -- were among inequities done away with. The new disciplinary code will clarify more realistic

rules and additionally bring the parents into situation much earlier. The new system has nothing to do with a Jan. 21 U. S. Supreme Court ruling that students being suspended must be afforded due process, administrators said. They said that they already were compiling with the orders, the orders, including the giving notice that suspension was imminent and affording the student and/or his parents a chance to defend him in a hearing, even if

it were very informal. The five Lubbock high school principals are credited by Supt. Irons with coming up with the new system, which promises to be harder on problem students and easier on most others.

This is an age of change and conflicting value systems. It is vital that our local school systems reflect both the "tried and true" values of the past as well as reflect by action and leadership, an objective, honest, and understanding of the times. The times are now when youth are preparing for tomorrow when they will try to make this world a better place in which to live. The same challenge of each new generation, but now with problems of increasing scope adding to responsibility. Obtaining an education to learn now as much as you can so you can keep learning the rest of your life--is foremost. Education cannot be had without discipline and rules. Yet as Lubbock principals demonstrated with the demerit systems' death the more equitable, fair and open up-dated approach can pave the way for better educating our youth.

For school boards, administrators, teachers, students and parents--the challenges exist as solutions for a better tomorrow.

### GETS JET CONTRACT

The Pentagon reports that it has chosen the General Dynamics Corporation's YF16 jet as the Air Force's new supersonic air combat fighter.

### ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. Who was A.P.'s Woman Athlete of the Year?
2. Name A.P.'s Male Athlete for 1974.
3. Who won the Dean Martin-Tucson Open golf tournament?
4. Who captured the opening stock car Western 500 race?
5. Name the winner of the AFC-NFC Pro Bowl.

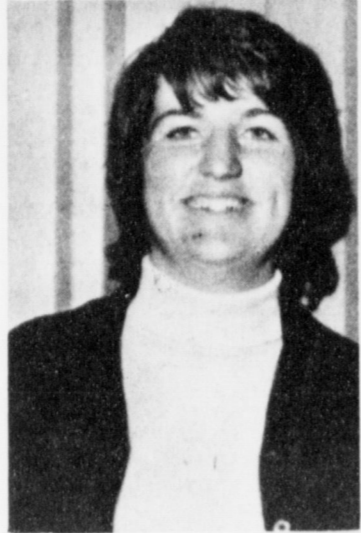
### Answers To Sports Quiz

1. Chris Evert.
2. Muhammad Ali.
3. Johnny Miller.
4. Bobby Allison.
5. NFC 17, AFC 10.



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 Jell-o Salad  
 English Peas  
 Hot Rolls  
 Butter - Jelly  
 1/2 Pt. Milk  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 Meat Balls and Spaghetti  
 Green Beans  
 Carrot Sticks  
 Apple Crisp  
 Cornbread - Butter  
 1/2 Pt. Milk  
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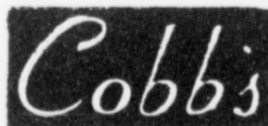
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**On Wall Street**  
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**FAREWELL TO RUSSIAN TRADE**  
A few short months ago the U.S. was joyfully anticipating a huge amount of trade with the Russians, selling them everything from eating utensils to

steam shovels. Orders on the books were in billions of dollars and a U.S. trade fair was scheduled to open in Moscow this spring.  
The Russians withdrew from the trade pact when it became apparent that the U.S. would not back down from the demand that the Russians agree to a quota system on Russian Jews who wanted to immigrate to Israel. The Russians felt that whether Russian Jews were permitted to immigrate to Israel, how often and in what numbers was strictly a Russian problem and not the concern of the U.S.

Consequently, when U.S. politicians demanded a quota system be included in the trade agreement, the Russians pulled out.  
Several major raw material ventures, such as Kaiser Aluminum's Siberian aluminum deal and El Paso Natural Gas's massive natural gas project seem doomed because financing has been withdrawn by the U.S. Export-Import Bank since the Russians cancelled the trade agreement. Also destined to fade away are the efforts to sell the Russians wide-bodied

jets and all equipment sales of more than \$50 million.  
There is, of course, more than one way of doing business with the Russians. U.S. companies with large overseas operations can work deals with the Russians using foreign loans arranged through a foreign subsidiary, such as German or French. U.S. companies can also work out licensing agreements with Japanese or German companies and work major deals with the Russians that way. The Russians are going out of their way to suggest that they can always do business with European and Japanese companies.

**Needmore Community Club Has Meeting**

The Needmore Community Club met Wednesday, February 5 at 2:00 p.m. in the Community building with eleven members and one new member present.  
Bertha Been, the outgoing president introduced the new member, Sylvia Warren. Roll call and minutes were read. The outgoing secretary-treasurer, Virginia Barrett gave the financial report.  
The meeting was turned over

to the new president, Wanda Kittrell and the new secretary-treasurer, Leota McMakin. Mrs. Kittrell presided over the old business. They paid the bills they owed and discussed appointing new committees for the new year. Mrs. Savannah Killough was elected to check on getting a new door for their community building.  
The next meeting will be held February 19 with Bertha Been as hostess.


**NEWS VIEWS**

Henry A. Kissinger, Secretary of State, on peace in the Middle East:  
"We are still hopeful that progress can be made and we believe it will be made."  
James B. Gregory, National Highway Traffic Safety Administrator, on teen-age drunken driving:  
"I don't know whether you'd call it surprising, alarming or frightening."

**Larry Torres Qualifies For Nationals**

Larry Torres, a freshman at Odessa College, has qualified for the National Forensics Tournament to be held in Sacramento, California April 12 through 19.  
Larry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe DeLeon of 307 East Dallas Street in Muleshoe, Texas. He is a 1974 Honor Graduate of Muleshoe High School, and a former member of the local forensics team, under the direction of Kerry Moore.  
Larry is one of two Odessa College Debaters to have recently qualified for the National Tournament, the other is Mona Lyman of Odessa. The debate topic will be: 'Resolve that the powers of the Presidency should be significantly curtailed.' Besides debating, Larry will also compete in three other events, extemporaneous speaking, communication analysis, and impromptu speaking. The National Tournament will be attended by students from colleges and universities in all fifty states.

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**Bids Awarded On U.S. 84 Sealcoating**

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A contract was awarded to W.D. Turner Construction Company and High Plains Pavers,

Inc. of Lubbock. Low bid was \$998,464.35.  
The project, which will require an estimated 75 working days, will be under Highway Department Engineer William M. Pope of Lubbock.

The contract is for seal coating 112.3 miles of highway. In Bailey County, 8.291 miles from East Sixth Street in Muleshoe to the Lamb County line will be sealcoated.

**Art Association To Have Meeting**

The Muleshoe Art Association will be presenting a show of area work which will be for rental to businesses and to individuals. The rental will be \$15.00 for one year which can go toward the purchase price of the painting.  
Proceeds from the rental will go toward the July 4 Art Show and the Hospital Action Fund. After February 11, the paintings can be seen in the base-

ment of the Muleshoe Public Library.  
The Muleshoe Art Association is also presenting Joyce McMillen from Portales, New Mexico, Tuesday, February 11 at 2:00 p.m. in the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room. Her program will be Drawing portraits from the Anatomy Approach or how to draw portrait without erasing fifteen times.

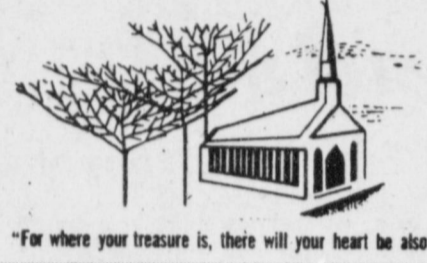
**Ernest Ramm Wins Award For Production**

Special recognition for his ability as a sorghum grower has been given to Ernest H. Ramm of Muleshoe by The Producers of Funk's G-Hybrids.  
His documented irrigation yield of 6137.9 pounds per acre was made with Funk's G-522. The yield was entered in Funk's-G Project: 25 national high-yield sorghum growing program. Announcement of the award was made by Monsanto Company of Farwell.

Project: 25 was designed to challenge growers to increase sorghum yields for greater productivity and profit. Yield results and the agronomic practices used to achieve them are then shared with sorghum growers everywhere.  
Ramm's yield of 6137.9 pounds per acre was produced on 59.2 acres. He planted the Project: 25 sorghum on May 10 in 40-inch rows at the rate of 7 pounds per acre. His fertility program consisted of 104 pounds of nitrogen and 32 pounds of phosphate per acre. He used a herbicide and insecticide.  
The Funk's G-522 was harvested on November 14 and 15 at 14.2 percent moisture.  
To qualify for Project: 25, participants harvest a minimum of 25 acres on one parcel of land, and submit harvest

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11:  
7:30 p.m.: OES Masonic Hall.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12:  
7:30 p.m.: DeMolays, Masonic Hall.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13:  
6:00 p.m.: TOPS Bailey Co. Electric Meeting Room.  
5:30 p.m.: Weight Watchers, First Presbyterian Church.

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## Alcoholism Project Served 147 Clients

In the first quarterly report to the Texas Commission on Alcoholism, the South Plains Alcoholism Counseling Services

Project served 147 clients, according to Joe Meador, Coordinator/Counselor of the 14-county area project. The first quarterly report was for the months of October, November, and December.

Besides counseling the alcohol abusers and the families as well as alcoholics, counselors have initiated three Mexican-American Alcoholism Study Sessions and one Black Alco-

Goal for South Plains Alcoholism Counseling Services Project is to reach 300 alcohol abusers and alcoholics and their families in Bailey, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, King, Lamb, Lynn, Motley, Terry, and Yoakum Counties.

holism Study Session. The counselors also have initiated two DWI classes for county probates in Garza and Crosby Counties.



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# STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex. — Gov. Dolph Briscoe gave the Legislature a new set of figures to ponder — his \$11.6 billion (all funds) version of the 1976-77 state budget.

Actually, the Briscoe budget calls for \$3 billion in general revenue outlays over which the Legislature has direct control. In effect, this is \$294 million less than Legislative Budget Board's earlier recommendation which forms the basis for Senate Finance and House Appropriations Committee hearings.

Briscoe handed his document to lawmakers with his standard warning: that he will not approve an appropriations bill that requires new or increased taxes.

While the Governor's executive budget document is \$1.1 billion below estimated general revenue income, it does not include the funds he has promised for public school finance equalization and for emergency measures he has recommended.

His school finance plan, his budget aide estimates, will require another \$600 million to \$650 million. Emergency school spending and increases in state employees' pay and retirement benefits for state workers and school teachers will absorb about \$280 million more.

When you add it all up, by Briscoe's own calculation, only about \$60 million of a once-fat surplus would be left over if the executive budget is implemented. Cranking a sizable school finance plan adjustment into the LBB budget would leave no surplus at all.

Texas Research League renewed its warning that a major tax bill in 1977 is "almost a certainty" considering the course of budget recommendations to date.

CLAIMS ACCEPTED  
Texas Employment Commission began taking claims for extended unemployment benefits February 1.

Those eligible to file are unemployed persons who have filed initial claims for benefits within a year before January 26 and have exhausted their benefit eligibility under old regulations. Payments will be made at the same rate as for regular unemployment insurance, but the total extended benefits will equal only 50 per cent of regular benefits. A new federal program may pay extended benefits in the same amount as regular extended state benefits.

The extended benefits are available only so long as the rate of unemployment remains at levels specified by law.

Claimants who file for extended benefits on or before February 19 may file claims backdated to include January 26 if they meet usual requirements for unemployment insurance. Claims may be filed at the nearest Texas Employment Commission office.

UNITIZATION BACK  
One of the explosive issues of the 1973 Legislature — oil field unitization — is back for another round.

Thirty-three representatives introduced it in the House in a "majority-consent" form.

The bill would allow owners of an oil field to join in a common production system to improve operational efficiency, make better use of the secondary recovery techniques and recover more oil from the ground.

Rep. David Finney of Fort Worth, the lead sponsor, claimed the legislation and full application of advanced technology could add at least two billion barrels of oil to reserves in Texas fields, and that an additional seven billion barrels may be recoverable by 1985.

Under present law all working interests and royalty

owners in a field must agree to unitize production. Under the bill 75 per cent of producers and royalty owners could require unitization.

AG OPINIONS  
The Legislature can limit the amount of funds that the State Board of Education can set aside out of the Available School Fund for use in providing free textbooks for public school students, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:  
• The Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation can allocate unex-

perded balances as state grants-in-aid to community centers for mental health and retardation services.  
• Counties can accept a vendor's lien note as partial payment for county school land and sell the notes at not less than current fair market value.  
• A lawyer's correspondence addressed to a grand jury in behalf of a client is not prohibited as long as it contains no threat.

• Alcoholic Beverage Commission is not supposed to reveal the home addresses of liquor licensees.  
• Employees of a licensed structural pest control specialist do not have to pay a license fee themselves.  
• A county clerk is neither obligated nor permitted to accept a court-ordered waiver of the furnishing of the information concerning age, identification of the applicant or identification of the parent required on marriage license applications.  
• Mental patients and the retarded doing institution-maintaining labor are not state employees for fringe

benefit purposes.

COURTS SPEAK  
An electrical worker's total disability was caused by a knife cut on the finger, the State Supreme Court held.

Conviction for murder without malice precludes a later conviction in a new trial for murder with malice, the Court of Criminal Appeals ruled in an Austin County case.

The Supreme Court found a defense contractor operating Lone Star Army Ammunition Plant, Texarkana, is not liable for sales taxes on purchases going into ordnance for the U.S. Army.

PAY RAISE SIGNED  
One hundred and twenty-five thousand state employees got a \$93 million pay raise February 1.

Governor Briscoe signed pay bills into law after they made two trips through the Legislature to cure questions as to constitutionality.

Most state employees in the low-to-medium pay bracket will receive a 13 per cent raise, and most of those in the middle-to-highest classification will get nine per cent. Additional raises are promised after September 1, start of the new fiscal period.

APPOINTMENTS  
Governor Briscoe named Henry X. Salzberger of Dallas to the State Commission for the Blind.

Other recent appointments included Dr. William Curry Holden of Lubbock, Dr. William W. Newcomb Jr. of Austin and Dr. Denver Fred Wendorf of Dallas to the Antiquities Committee; Robert

J. Pesek and Paul A. Najvar, both of Hallettsville, to the Lavaca County Flood Control District No. 3 board of directors.

SHORT SNORTS  
A Senate committee ap-

proved a partial ban on smoking in public places. Charles G. Furnell resigned as executive assistant to the governor to return to private law practice in Dallas. Texas attracted a near-record low in new industries

during December—only 16. Gerald Ford, President: "I would rather walk a thousand miles for peace than take a single step toward war."

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