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around muleshoe

Volunteer Plus will be selling an assortment of cards (year around) wrapping paper, notes and napkins at the HealthCare Center Thursday, December 9 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Since another organization is selling Christmas Cards, there will be no seasonal cards.

Beatrice Garcia, a TA has been named Educator of the Week at Watson Junior High.

Principles Awards went to T.J. Hutto, sixth grade; Veronica Mendoza, seventh grade; and David Vaughn, eighth grade.

The Fine Arts Boosters have announced the Annual Christmas Band Concert to be held Thursday, December 9 at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Three bands will be performing, the Cadet Band, the Intermediate Band, and the Mighty "M" Band.

The high school band will go to Regional try-outs on Saturday, December 11.

At press time funeral services for Gordon Murrah, 75, a longtime resident of Bailey County, were pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Murrah died at 4:55 p.m. Friday in Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

According to information released Cont. Page 8, Col. 1

Little Dribblers Sign-Up Date Set

Boys and girls eight and nine years of age may sign-up for Little Dribblers Wednesday, December 8 between 4:30 and 6 p.m. and 8 to 9 p.m. in the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room.

Boys and girls in the third to sixth grade will sign-up between 8 and 9 p.m. on Thursday in the community room of Muleshoe State Bank.

Cost is \$15.00. For more information call 272-5330 day time and 272-3796 at night.

night, the seventh grade boys from

Watson Junior High defeated

Floydada 44 to 23 on their home

Scoring by quarters were: First

Quarter: Muleshoe 16, Floydada 5;

Second Quarter: Muleshoe 9,

Floydada 3; Third Quarter:

Muleshoe 14, Floydada 6; and

Fourth Quarter: Muleshoe 5,

Cleavinger 12; Manuel Compolla

7: Jacoby Jennings 6; Mason

Sinclair 4; Carlton Lewis 4; Matt

McClanahan 4; Aaron Faver 3;

Individual scores were: Dustin

Floydada 8.

Seventh Grade Boys

Win Over Floydada

In basketball action Monday Michael Harris 2; and Josh Pyle 2.

December 6.



ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS BRING IN THE LONGEST TAIL FEATHER --- Lisa Clayton, Curtis Hunt, Gary Don Gartin and Jackie Wayne Burris show off a wall plaque which will be given to some lucky pheasant hunter. During the hunting season (December 11-25) the hunter which takes in the longest tail feather to Joe's Boot Shop will receive the wall plaque. To enter the contest, you must purchase a \$1.00 ticket. All proceeds will go to the EMS Equipment Fund. On December 18 a drawing will be held for a \$400 gift certificate from Joe's Boot Shop. The tail feather contest and the drawing is being sponsored by Joe's and the EMS.

(Journal Photo)

Rural Carrier Associate Examination Scheduled

The Lubbock office of the U.S. Postal Service has announced the Rural Carrier Associate examination will be open to the general public beginning December 13, through 17, for the Littlefield Area Elgibility Register.

Offices included in the Littlefield AER are Abernathy, Amherst, Anton, Farwell, Levelland, Littlefield, Morton, Muleshoe, Shallowater, and Sudan.

Interested persons may apply at the Lubbock Personnel Office, 1515 Avenue G,; the Amarillo Personnel Office, 2301 Ross Street; or at one of the offices served by the register during the

The team has a season record of,

"We played pretty good after

two wins and no losses. They will.

play Littlefield at Littlefield on

being off for Thanksgiving," said

Coach Donaldson. "We shot 80

percent from the floor the first

quarter and 55 percent the third

quarter. We were proud of them for

their shot selection, but I feel like

the thing that won the game for us

was sound defense. We work pretty

hard on defense and expect it to win

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week of the open announcement. No applications will be accepted before or after these dates.

A minimum score of 70 points (exclusive of Veteran Preference) on the examination places the applicant's name on a list of eligibles for two years. Names are placed on the hiring list according to the score on the examination.

Veteran preference is granted for employment in the Postal Service. Those with a 10-point or greater compensable service-connected disability are placed on top of the hiring list, in the order of their scores. Other eligibles are listed below this group in rank order.

The general minimum age requirement for positions in the Postal Service is 18 at the time of appointment or a high school graduate.

All applicants must be citizens of or owe allegiance to the United granted permanent resident alien status in the United States. Verification is required.

Fural carriers are required to accept, collect and deliver all classes of mail up to 70 pounds as well as sell stamp supplies and money orders. The rural carriers may have irregular hours.

Salary ranges from \$22,780 to \$32,725. Rural Carrier Associates are paid at the rate of \$10.95 per

Rural carriers must generally provide and maintain their own vehicle, but are given an equipment maintenance allowance.

All applicants will be required to take a written examination. The examination and completion of forms will require approximately two hours and 15 minutes.

Applicants must be drug free, have a valid state drivers license and a safe driving record.

Erosion Problems Must Be Corrected

According to the 1985 and 1990 Farm Bill's major water erosion problems on cropland must be corrected prior to December 1994 to comply with the conservation compliance provisions of the Farm Bill. If these erosion problems are not corrected by December 1994, the farms in question will be ineligible for any USDA benefits. Conservation Reserve Program payments are also tied to these provisions.

One way to correct major water erosion problems is by constructing a terrace. Erosion control and moisture conservation are two big advantages of terraces. By building a terrace, the land is using the water what normally runs off in the form of silt. This water is stored in the soil profile for crop use.

Terraces can be planted to grass or wheat and used as windstrips. Parallel terraces of today are not as big as the old contour broad base terraces built years ago. Today's terraces have steeper side slopes and have about a seven row base width. These terraces are widely space in row multiples that fit todays equipment. Diversion terraces work well on steeper slopes where outside water is corrected with a diversion terrace in most cases. A basin terrace is larger than a diversion terrace and is constructed where a parallel system is not feasible. Cost share is available through the Great Plains Conservation Program (GPCP) and Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP).

For more information on terraces or any other method of erosion control, contact Warren A. Givens, Technician for the Soil

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GED Test To Be Given

The General Education Development (GED) Test will be given in Muleshoe on Friday, December 10, and Saturday December 11, at Muleshoe High School.

Individuals interested in testing for a certificate of high school equivalency will need to be present at both sessions to take the required five (5) tests.

The following requirements apply to interested persons:

1. Must be a Texas resident 2. Individuals that are 17 years old must meet strict requirements. Any interested 17 year old should contact Muleshoe High School prior to the testing.

3. Must be officially withdrawn from school and must not have received a high school diploma from any accredited high school in the United States.

Testing will begin at 5:30 p.m. on Friday and continue at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday.

Further information concerning registration may be obtained by calling Linda Marr, GED Test Administrator, at Muleshoe High School, 272-3020 or 272-7571.

Serve Double Capacity While On Jury Duty

The Bailey County Child Welfare normal Board is encouraging those individuals who are called to serve on a jury to opt to donate their jury fees to the Bailey County Child Welfare Board.

This innovative approach to fund raising would assist in meeting the need for county dollars to pay for clothing, eyeglasses, transportation, lodging, and other expenses for the children in foster care in Bailey County.

Children's Protective Services is appointed at times to serve as managing conservator of an abused or neglected child, and the county of the child's residence assumes responsibility for his or her care. Fortunately, state and federal dollars pay for the cost of most children's board whether in a foster home or other child care institutions. The state also provides Medicaid insurance to meet most medical needs of these children. What is left uncovered however, are the other expenses associated with raising children. Namely: school supplies, recreational fees, adequate clothing, Christmas gifts, medications not covered by Medicaid, eyeglasses, and other items that mean so much in assisting to make their lives

The voluntary donation of juror fees could supplement county dollars and greatly assist in providing a satisfactory standard of living for children already experiencing the trauma of abuse or neglect and separation from their biological families.

The local child welfare board is composed of eight volunteers, who are appointed by the county commissioners to serve as the liaison between the county, the Department of Human Services and the community at large. The board enthusiastically serves because of their strong belief in their mission of assisting children damaged by abuse and neglect.

This approach to raising funds to help needy children has been implemented in several Texas counties with great success. In Rains county, 39 out of 59 jurors donated their pay and in so doing raised \$239 the first week. Jefferson county has had great success with this amount also. Although the pay seems meager to a prospective juror, the money quickly adds up.

The board also welcomes donations or memorials at any time, and is grateful to the Cont. Page 8, Col. 1

Lazbuddie Pheasant Hunt Begins Saturday

The Lazbuddie Volunteer Fire Department's 1993 Pheasant Hunt will open Saturday, December 11 and will run through Sunday, December 26. The fire department encourages everyone to participate in the Pheasant Hunt.

"We believe the pheasant crop to be average to above average in numbers this year," said Nicky Nickels, fire chief. "Area farmers have reported seeing a good many birds as they harvest their crops. The fire department will limit the number of hunters on our hunting preserve to 150 on opening weekend. You may hold your reservation with one third down payment," Nickels continued.

Hunting permits are \$75.00 for the full season, December 11-26, and will drop to \$50.00 on Monday, December 13, and \$25.00 on Monday, December 20.

Each hunter purchasing a permit Cont. Page 8, Col. 1

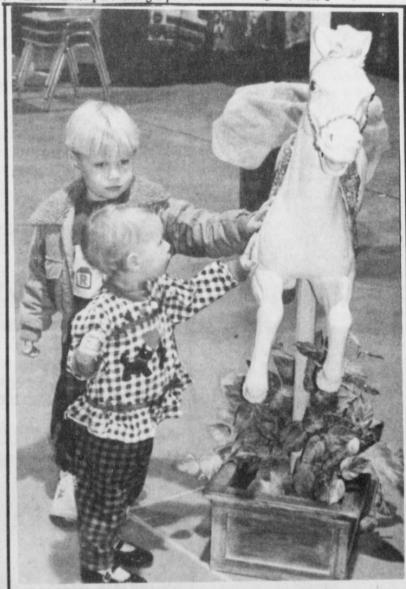
will be given a map of all the land within the shooting preserve.

A Texas Hunting License will be required before purchasing a permit. Lazbuddie does not have a business which sells hunting license, so be sure to have your license before opening morning.

The limit is two cocks a day and a total of four in possession. The feet must remain attached till the final destination is reached.

Hunting permits may be purchased at Treider Electric at the Intersection of FM 145 and FM 1172 or Glenn Lust, three miles west and one fourth mile south of Lazbuddie.

The fire department will be serving coffee, cinnamon rolls, and doughnuts, free of charge to those purchasing permits on opening morning from 6-8 a.m. at the



SHOPPING FOR CHRISTMAS --- Four year old Stephen Low, and two year old Michelle Low are checking out a horse they would like for Santa to put under their Christmas tree. They were helping their grandmother shop at the annual Moonlight Extension Club Christmas Bazaar. (Journal Photo)



PRESENTS ROTARY PROGRAM --- Tommy Gunstream, right, introduced Phil Kent at the Rotary Club meeting Tuesday. Kent showed (Journal Photo) slides on a recent trip to Greece.

Avoid Accidents By Hunting Safely

in the midst of its heaviest hunting pressure of the year now through the end of the holidays, a prime time for hunting accidents to occur by careless hunters.

Most hunting accidents can be avoided by following the rules of shooting safely and by successfully completing the hunter education course, which is mandatory for those born on or after Sept. 2,

There are several rules to follow while hunting. One of the most often violated rules is not keeping the muzzle pointed in a safe direction at all times. Another common violation is having a loaded firearm in or around vehicles or camp. Hunters also need to be sure of their target before pulling the trigger.

"If you can't identify it, why are you shooting at it?" asks Terry Erwin, recreation coordinator at the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. "Everything you see and hear in the woods should be considered a human until there's absolutely no doubt. Bird hunters should stick to their 'safe zone-offire" and know where their companions are at all times."

Here are some other general tips to remember.

*always point the muzzle in a safe direction, NEVER in someone's direction.

*make sure the firearm is unloaded every time you pick it up. *unload and put firearms in their

case when traveling, separating them from ammunition.

*do not load the firearm until you're in the field and actually hunting; when through hunting, always unload firearm before returning to vehicle or camp.

*use a hauling line to raise and lower unloaded firearms into and out of tower blinds and tree stands. *keep your finger outside the trigger guard until you're ready to

*know where your companions are at all times; never swing a gun towards them outside of your safe zone of fire.

shoot.

*control your emotions by thinking safety first at all times. *avoid alcohol and drugs before or during a hunt.

Texas Dept. of Transportation

Keep your holiday safe---don't wreck your life. December is Drunk and Drugged

Driving Prevention Month. Every year, the holiday season ends in tragedy for some, tragedy that is avoidable.

Last December, 90 people were killed on Texas roads in alcoholrelated crashes. This year, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) wants that number to drop by at least 5 percent.

"Of course, we'd like to see that number be a zero," said Gary Trietsch, director of TxDOT's Traffic Operations Division. "But every year, people who don't normally drink are going to parties and drinking more alcohol than they're accustomed to. Unintentionally, they become impaired drivers--and that's when they endanger themselves and others."

The safety message for TxDOT's December campaign is, "Texans Don't Let Friends Drive Drunk." The message encourages others to be responsible for themselves and others.

"If you are going to drink, know how to get home safely, by designating a sober driver, catching a cab, or calling a relative or friend to drive you home," said Trietsch. "Don't let your friends drive home if they've been drinking. They may not appreciate your intervening at the time, but they'll live to thank you the next day.'

In the United States, traffic crashes are the greatest single cause of death for people ages 6-33. Impaired drivers are responsible for half of these accidents.

After a decade of the combined efforts of TxDOT, the news media and many other organizations and volunteers, Texas has had a 32 percent decrease in the number of people who die in alcohol-related

crashes during December. "The holiday season is a time of giving thanks for all the good things--family, friends and health," said Trietsch. "A crash caused by someone under the influence of alcohol or drugs destroys that celebration. Our message to all of Texas is, 'Enjoy the season and don't wreck your life."

Five of six hunting fatalities during the 1992 season occurred because the person had a loaded firearm in or near a vehicle and it went off. The sixth occurred while

two people were poaching. Many more accidents may be avoided by wearing hunter orange clothing, Erwin said. Hunter orange is required in 40 states. In Texas, hunters on wildlife management areas and other public hunting lands must wear at least 400 square inches of hunting orange while hunting, including a minimum of 144 square inches on both chest and back, plus an orange cap or hat. National Forest lands require all hunters and those accompanying them to wear a minimum of 144 square inches on both chest and

"We recommend that people wear daylight florescent orange for the safety factor," Erwin said. "I recommend wearing it at all times while in the field. If it's not on, it's

back plus a cap or hat.

not doing you a bit of good." If you're absolutely against wearing hunter orange while hunting, at least wear it to and from the stand, said Steve Hall, TPWD education director. "Hunter orange will allow your companion to see you if you get out of position or stray from your hunting plan. Non-hunters also should wear orange if moving about on public lands or in the field during general hunting seasons."

"Hunting is fun, but safe, responsible hunting is even more fun, and it makes good sense," Erwin said. "Hunting is a relatively safe sport, but one accident is too many.

Many Texas hunters have waited to take the mandatory hunter education course and now are panicking because hunting season is here and they haven't taken the course. Also, any big game or upland game bird hunters headed out of state should check to see if they need hunter education certification.

Every Texas hunter born on or after Sept. 2, 1971, must successfully complete a hunter education training course. If you were born on or after Sept. 1, 1971, and you are:

*17 years old or older-you must. successfully complete a hunter education course.

*12-16 years old-you must successfully complete a hunter education course or be accompanied by a licensed hunter 17 or older. *under 12 years old-you must be accompanied by a licensed hunter 17 or older.

The program is reciprocal with all other states and Canadian provinces. The minimum 10 hour

course, which must be scheduled over a minimum of two days, focuses primarily on hunting safety, responsibility, ethics, game laws and a number of other topics. The course costs \$5. Certification is not required to purchase a license but the person must carry certification while hunting.

For more information on hunter education, or to check the requirements for other states, call 1-800-253-4536 or (512) 389-4999.

Three Way News

by Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Three Way played Adrian here with Three Way boys winning and Three Way girls losing.

Mrs. Scott Austin and son from Lubbock spent Saturday with her parents and sister the Bill Dolle family. Mrs. Austin's son is spending a few days with his grandparents.

Robin Kindle from Lamesa and Stacy Kindle from Roswell, N.M. spent the weekend with their parents the Bobby Kindles.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Masten from Seymore visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kindle Friday. The Mastens lived at Maple several years.

All of the Kindle families had Thanksgiving in the Robert Kindles Sunday.

The grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Huff spent the past week with their grandparents. Mrs. Huff took the children back to Lubbock

The farmers are about finished with the harvest. Crops turned out well. Advance to the Rear

She (admiring boy friend's decorations)--I understand you won this one when you stepped forward to volunteer for a dangerous mission.

B.F .-- Not exactly. You see, the captain asked for volunteers, and everyone else stepped back.

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The Better Business Bureau Report

Honest! Craig Shergold is alive and well

Your Better Business Bureau has recently heard that the chain letter to help Craig Shergold make the Guiness Book of World Records is making the rounds again here in the South Plains. Although this appeal to help Craig collect the most business cards is a touching one, it is outdated and is now presenting problems for the boy's family as well as the charity that started it, CHILDREN'S WISH FOUN-DATION of Atlanta, Georgia.

In 1989, Craig Shergold was diagnosed as having a brain tumor and given little chance of survival. It was his wish to make the Guiness Book of World Records as the individual who received the most get-well cards. His case was brought to the attention of Children's Wish Foundation, a nonprofit organization which tries to fulfill requests of terminally ill children.

The Foundation publicized Craig's request, and as a result, his goal was surpassed. At last count, Craig had received more than 33 million cards from well-wishers. In April, 1990, the Foundation informed the BBB/Atlanta that the campaign had concluded and requested that NO more be sent. Craig underwent surgery in March 1991 resulting in the successful removal of a brain tumor and he is now in good health.

The BBB/South Plains encourages businesses and consumers to check on the authenticity of any charitable appeal before making a decision to give. Call the BBB at 763-0459. In the case of Craig Shergold, save yourselves some time and postage. It's time to break the chain!

Back Next Year Too "Hey you! What's the idea of hunting with last year's license?'

"Oh, I'm only shooting at the birds I missed last

Texas Travel Industry Grew From 1991-1992

The Texas travel and tourism industry grew by an estimated \$800 million from 1991 to 1992, according to information listed in Texas Travel Facts, a quick reference guide to statistics and current travel trends in Texas. Texas Travel Facts is distributed by the Texas Department of Commerce Tourism Division.

In the 1992 calendar year, total travel expenditures in Texas were \$21.4 billion, an increase from \$20.6 billion in 1991, and represents a 5.9 percent gain over the previous year. Of the \$21.4 billion expenditures during 1992, \$18.8 billion came from domestic visitor spending, and international visitor spending amounted to \$2.6 billion.

Texas was second in the nation, among states, for domestic travel in 1992, with approximately 151 million visitors, an increase of 12 million visitors from 1991.

Another indicator of Texas travel activity is the number of inquiries for Texas travel information. During fiscal year 1992, (September 1-August 31) there were 991,870 inquiries for Texas travel

information, which is a 7.6 percent increase over the previous year's total of 921,513 inquiries.

Coupled with the increase in overall expenditures was a one percent increase in employment in the Texas travel industry. An estimated 405,900 persons were employed during 1992, versus 402,100 for 1991, according to figures listed in the guide.

Domestic pleasure travel is far and away the largest component of travel in Texas, accounting for 73 percent of all travel activity in the state. Business travel accounted for 27 percent of all travel in the state during 1992, according to

information listed in Texas Travel Facts.

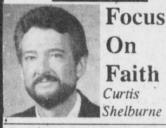
Texas Travel Facts is compiled from information provided by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, DK Shifflet & Associates, the U.S. Travel and Tourism Administration, and the U.S. Travel Data Center.

To obtain a copy of Texas Travel facts, contact Minnie Donaldson, 512/320-9535.

Two Fathers

"We could well have done without that one."

Oppressed by debts, crushed by the weighty and seemingly impossible chore of putting food into four hungry mouths, the bitter father looked at his distraught wife as he made this sad pronouncement. Tragic words



these, but the tragedy was immeasurably heightened by the fact that "that one," a spindly, wispy, sobbing four-year-old girl, was listening behind the door.

They were just words, those careless syllables which had leapt unbidden from her daddy's mouth, but their tones reverberated in her little head and brought her small world crashing down. Her father never spoke the same words again, but, in the months and years that followed, those words, often unrecognized consciously even by her, played over and over again in one of us to love. her mind.

I thought of this haunting

example of a father's despair and disdain (though I don't remember now where I first heard it) as I was pondering one of Jesus' most touching portrayals of his Father's

How much does God love his children? Just as much as the shepherd in the parable of the lost sheep, a shepherd who owns one hundred sheep. Ninety-nine of these sheep, each of whom the shepherd could lovingly call by name, are safe, but one is lost.

What does the shepherd do? He searches with all his might for that one lost sheep, and when it is found he shouts for joy and calls for his friends to share in his happiness.

Such, Jesus says, is the love of God for his lost children.

"Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance" (Luke 15:7).

We could well have done without that one."

That's a statement no one will ever hear from the lips of his heavenly Father. As someone has said, God loves each one of his children just as if there were only

Curtis Shelburne is the minister of the 16th and Ave. D. Church of Christ in Muleshoe.



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Turkey's Gone, Bring On Christmas

by Lyndal Waldrop **TPWD News Editor**

Now that Thanksgiving has come and gone, Christmas stuff may officially begin. Being one filled with the Christmas spirit, I appreciate good holiday music. I also enjoy the outdoors.

Tis the season for a new version of an old Christmas jingle. This one is called the 12 Days of Christmas-the Outdoor Version. (You have to provide your own harmony.)

"On the first day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, a bobwhite in a mesquite.'

"On the second day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, two mourning doves (in season of course), and a bobwhite in a mesquite.

"On the third day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, three cock pheasants (in possession) two mourning doves, and a bobwhite in a mesquite."

"On the fourth day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, four mallard drakes (not in one day), three cock pheasants, two a mesquite."

"On the fifth day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, five golden retrievers (you have to say retrievers pretty fast or the song won't work), four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves, and a bobwhite in a mesquite."

"On the sixth day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, six Canada geese (among a few hunters), five golden retrievers, four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves and a bobwhite in a mesquite.

"On the seventh day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, seven sandhill cranes (between at least three hunters), six Canada geese, five golden retrievers, four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves and a bobwhite in a mesquite.'

'On the eighth day of Christmas, (this is a long song, isn't it?) my bird dog gave to me eight bird dogs nursing, seven sandhill cranes, six Canada geese, five golden mourning doves and a bobwhite in retrievers, four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves and a bobwhite in a mesquite."

"On the Ninth day of Christmas my bird dog gave to me, nine wives waiting (usually not to welcome us home), eight bird dogs nursing, seven sandhill cranes, six Canada geese, five golden retrievers, four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves and a bobwhite in a mesquite."

"On the tenth day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, a 10-point whitetail (with two huge drop tines and a massive spread), nine wives waiting, eight bird dogs nursing, seven sandhill cranes, six Canada geese, five golden retrievers, four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves and bobwhite in a mesquite." On the eleventh day of Christmas, my bird dog gave to me, 11 game wardens chasing (I have my license here somewhere), a 10 point whitetail, nine wives waiting, eight bird dogs nursing, seven sandhill cranes, six Canada geese, five golden retrievers, four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves and a bobwhite in a mesquite.

"On the twelfth day of Christmas my bird dog gave to me, a new 12 gauge shotgun (with all the shooting going on in this song, the other one's worn out), 11 game wardens chasing, a 10-point whitetail, nine wives waiting, eight

In 1945, with Europe and Japan

bird dogs nursing, seven sandhill cranes, six Canada geese, five golden retrievers, four mallard drakes, three cock pheasants, two mourning doves, and a bobwhite in a mesquite.

Well, that's it. I don't think Garth Brooks has anything to

worry about, but if there were any more days of Christmas, I'd have to buy more shells. Jingle bells, shotgun shells...

Muleshoe Community Toy Project

Muleshoe Community Toy Project Applications Are Now Being Accepted For Needy Families In The Community. This Project Is To Help Families With **Financial Hard Ship That Otherwise**

Would Not Be Able To Celebrate Christmas. Applications Will Be Accepted Until Dec. 10, 1993. All Applications Are Subject To Review For Acceptance Or **Denial. The Number Of Applications** Accepted Will Be Limited To Those With **Severe Need Due To Limited Resources** Available. Donations Are Welcome.

Mail Application To: Toy Project P.O. Box 222 Muleshoe, TX 79347

Name-----Address-----Phone No.----Name Of Children Boys Age---------Girls Age-----

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Referred By-----Telephone #-----

El Muleshoe Community Toy Project Esta solicitando aplicaciones para familias necesitadas en nuestra comunidad. Este projecto es para ayudar s familias con problemas financieros que no podran celebrar la Navidad. Aplicacones seran aceptados hasta el 10 de December 1993. Todas los aplicaciones seran revisados

para aceptar o rechazar. El numero de aplicociones aceptadas seran limitadas solamente para familias mas necesetatodas

con recursos limitados. Aceptamos donaciones. **Envie Sus Aplicacion A: Toy Project** Box 222 Muleshoe, Tx 79347

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"Past Time Favorites"

Schaefer Video Home Services (SVHS) is proud to announce the release of an exciting new video series, "Past Time Favorites," an interesting and entertaining collection of 17 tapes covering each of the pivotal years from 1950 through 1967. A portion of proceeds from the sales of this series will be used to support the education and information services of the Missing Children...HELP Center, a Division of the National Child Safety Council.

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A Happier Home For The Holidays

Children look forward to the holidays with a sense of eager anticipation. Their shining faces remind us that there is indeed something magic about this time of year. Families seem to draw just a little closer, and we're all a bit more inclined to count our blessings. In keeping with this holiday spirit, I'd like to remind you that children desperately need and deserve the love and support of both parents--not just during the holidays, but all year round.

If you're a parent who has fallen behind in your court-ordered child support payments, or are the father of a child for whom paternity has never been legally established, make an early New Year's resolution to do something about it. My staff is ready to help you. It is the single most important thing that you'll ever do for your child, or for yourself. The rewards will last long after the holiday decorations have been put away and the new toys forgotten. I must also remind you that failure to pay child support is a crime and the worst offenders may be put in jail.

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WTAMU To Host Variety Of Holiday Happenings

Santa has begun to pack his bag of goodies for his famed world-wide tour, and that bag includes many exciting holiday happenings and several special appearances, on the campus of West Texas A&M University.

The University's holiday season kicked off at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec 1 with the annual Carol of Lights on the lawn west of the Jack B. Kelley Student Center. The evening, sponsored by the Residence Hall Association, included caroling with the WTAMU choral program and lighting of the campus for the holiday season. The event culminated with cookies and hot cocoa sponsored by the WTAMU Foundation in the Second Floor Foyer of Old Main and featured a special seasonal guest for those who wished to bring their wish

Friday, Dec. 3 featured a couple of events for holiday revelers. The Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum once again hosted their Victorian Christmas Open House at the museum. The open house featured an elaborately decorated Victorian Christmas tree, an antique sleigh with a visitor from

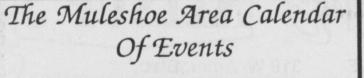
the north Pole and the traditional "coming alive" of Pioneer Town, all decked out for the Christmas

After enjoying the holiday splendor at the museum, holiday sojourners made their way across campus to Mary Moody Northern Recital Hall to enjoy the annual Christmas concert performed by the

A highlight of the University's holiday celebration took place December 4. Noble lords and ladies donned their 16th century (or 20th century if you preferred) holiday finery to begin the 11th annual Madrigal Dinner, sponsored by the Office of Student Activities and the Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities. The gathering began with the traditional wassail bowl in the Main Dining Hall. The great holiday feast began with guests enjoying the renaissance sounds of the madrigal singers and the Matilda Guame Early Music Concert.

Lunch goers in the JBKSC on Thursday, Dec. 9 will be treated to the "Sounds of Christmas" performed by the Randall High School show choir "Bravo!" The Munch 'n' More program will begin at 12:20 p.m. in the Commons Area.

For many WTAMU students, nothing in Santa's bag could be more inviting than the event that



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1993 Attend the church of your choice

Guadalupana Society, Catholic Church

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1993

Cub Scouts, pack 620, boy scout ground Girl Scouts, girl scout hut, 3:30 Muleshoe Heritage Foundation, Old Depot Muleshoe 4-H

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1993

Beta Sigma Phi-Alpha Zeta Phi, 7:30 p.m. Beta Sigma Phi- XI OMICRON XI, 7:30 p.m. AA, Muleshoe Counseling Center, 8:00 p.m. Eastern Star, Masonic Lodge, 8:00 p.m. Muleshoe Athletic Boosters, H.S. Cafeteria, 7:30 p.m. Rebekah Lodge, Lodge Hall, 7:30 p.m. Rotary Club, Civic Center, noon Lazbuddie Young Homemakers

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1993

Lion's Club, noon, Civic Center Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Dept., City Fire Station Little Dribblers sign up, Muleshoe State Bank, Meeting Room, 4:30-6 p.m. and 8-9 p.m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1993

American Cancer Society, Noon Dialogue, 3:00-4:00 Muleshoe Hobby Club, Senior Citizen Complex, 2:00 p.m. Muleshoe Mule Skinners, Fire Dept., 7:30 p.m. Oddfellows, Lodge Hall, 7:30 p.m. Tops Club, Amer. Blvd. Church of Christ, 5:30 p.m. Muleshoe Square Dance, Legion Hall Little Dribblers sign up, Muleshoe State Bank Meeting Room, 3-6 p.m.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1993

Muleshoe Road Riders Daisy Girl Scouts, Girl Scout Hut, 3:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1993

Lion's Club Pheasant Hunt Breakfast, Civic Center

IF YOU WISH TO ADD TO OR CHANGE ANYTHING ON THE MULESHOE CALENDAR, PLEASE CONTACT, ANNETTE AT THE JOURNAL-272-4536

University choirs and orchestra.

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Wedding, engagement and anniversary stories must be in the Journal office by Monday noon for the Thursday paper and by Thursday noon for the Sunday paper.

After that time, stories will be run on a space available basis. Any wedding more than two weeks old, when received, will be edited and only the basic information will be included.

Shower pictures will not be taken without a 24 hour notice and copy must be in the office by 5:00 p.m. Monday for the Thursday paper and 5:00 p.m. Thursday for the Sunday paper.

A charge of \$4.00 will be assessed when a picture accompanies a baby announcement, and \$5.00 when taken by the Journal staff.



WORLD AIDS DAY-Wednesday, December 1, 1993 was designated as World Aids Awareness Day. People across the country and around the world were wearing red ribbons as part of a global effort to increase awareness about this deadly virus. In recognition of this day, students from the Texas Migrant Council are shown hanging (Journal photo) red ribbons on a tree in front of the Bailey County Courthouse.

SPC Slates Bluegrass Fair Winter commencement ceremonies

will take place Friday, Dec. 17.

will be conducted at 7 p.m. in the

Amarillo Civic Center's Cal Farley

Coliseum. The ceremonies add a

special touch of holiday cheer to

the University's Christmas

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Elementary

South Plains College's semiannual Bluegrass Fair is scheduled

The festivities will include open house of SPC's commercial music facilities, jam sessions, workshops on banjo, fiddle, mandolin and guitar and an evening bluegrass concert. All events are free.

The instrumental workshop agenda includes instruction on banjo by Alan Munde at 1 p.m., mandolin by Dawn Watson at 2 p.m., fiddle by Ed Marsh at 3 p.m., and guitar by Joe Carr at 4 p.m.

The 7 p.m. concert in the SPC Tom T. Hall Studio will feature performances by seven student ensembles, including The Levelland Mountaineers, Bucket o Notes, Powder Creek, Reda's Favorite, You're Soaking In It, Red and The Find ways to help your Imperials and Twisted Frets.

The concert gives our students a chance to pull together everything they have been working on during the semester and to provide entertainment for our supportive bluegrass community," said Dawn Watson, an instructor of bluegrass music at SPC.



Michael Ulysses Martinez

Fabian and Yolanda Martinez of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy, Michael Ulysses, born November 21, 1993 at 6:27 a.m., weighing in at 7 pounds and 5 ounces.

Michael has a sister, Alyssa

Grandparents are Lucio and Delfina Torres of Muleshoe and Hector and Rosavelia Martinez of San Lorenzo, Mexico,

Great-grandparents are Maria Lopez of California and Ines Padron and Manuela Guerrero of San Lorenzo, Mexico.



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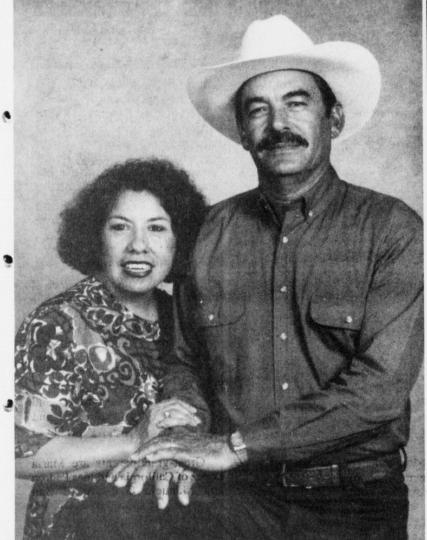
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COLLECTOR-Nadine Hawkins has been collecting bells for about fifteen years. Her daughter, La Donna, got her started collecting, as she was a collector herself. Nadine, on occasion, would add to La Donna's collection, finally deciding to start a collection of her own. On display at the Muleshoe Area Public Library, Nadine shows off only a portion of her collection. She says in all, she probably has over 200 bells. The bells will be on display at the Library through the month of December. Nadine and husband Wesley, Muleshoe residents, have three daughters and 8 grandchildren.



ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED-Heriberto and Lupe Mendoza of Muleshoe, TX celebrated their 25th Anniversary last Saturday, December 4, 1993 at 3:00 Mass at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. Wedding vows were renewed by Msgr. Timothy Schwertner. An anniversary dance was held at La Mulita, hosted by friends and family members. The couple was married in Guadalupe Cathederal in Juarez Chihuahua, Mexico. They have three children, Ana, Gabriel, and Jerry and daughter-in-law Elena Mendoza, and one grandchild, John Marcus Mendoza. Heriberto and Lupe have lived in Muleshoe all their married lives, where their children have been raised, all attending and graduating from Muleshoe Schools. Lupe is employed by Farmers Home Administration while Heriberto works for Bailey County Precinct #1.

were open for officers and closed for

tonight. Elections will be next

Tuesday evening Dec. 7th. There

are so many ill or some that have

passed away our prayers are with

you. Counting our new member,

we had seventeen present tonight.

Rebekah News

Tuesday evening, Nov. 30 was well attended and we had pot luck which everyone enjoyed.

Our N.G. Mary Ann Ramirez opened lodge with regular business and lodge was soon put at ease and turned over to the Initiation team as our new member Arlene Bryant was in waiting. The team did very well and we welcome her and all the members who were ill or couldn't come for some reason, we hope to see you soon to get acquainted.

I didn't feel so good June our secretary was ill and Terie Snell filled in for her. Our main subject was our first nominations for officers. There were eleven present. Tonight Nov. 30-Nominations

Tops News

Tops Chapter No. 34 met at the Muleshoe Church of Christ on Thursday, December 2, 1993 at 6:00 p.m. Co-leader Linda White called the meeting to order. The Tops pledge was recited and the fellowship song was sung. Mrs.

White led the group in a prayer. Betty Jo Davis, weight recorder, called the roll with 13 members answering with the amount they had lost or gained. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Linda White, co-secretary, and were approved as read. Ruth Clements, treasurer, gave the treasurer's report. Alene Bryant was named best loser for the week. Runners up are Ernestine Steinbock, first runner up, and Loretta Lloyd, second

Monthly best losers are Ro... Sain, best loser; Lucille Harp, first runner up, and Marian Wilson,

second runner up. The meeting was adjourned with the singing of the good night song.

Lazbuddie Elementary **December Students Of The Month**



The students of the month for December have been elected at Lazbuddie Elementary School. These students have exhibited outstanding qualities of character, leadership, and citizenship. It is with great pride that we announce these students of the month: Kindergarten-Roper Smith, son of Robert and Cheryl Smith; First grade-Marli Johnson, daughter of Roger and Debbie Johnson; Second grade-Shonnah Black, daughter of Ricky and Sarah Black; Third grade-Tobin Redwine, son of Bobby and Debra Redwine; Fourth grade-Steven Juarez, son of Gabriel Juarez; Fifth grade-Tray Thorn, son of Garvin and Janette Thorn. Each student was presented with a ribbon and congratulated on their efforts.

Lazbuddie Students of the Month

High School

Brett Thomas is the 17 year old son of Randy and Terry Thomas. His date of birth is April 27. Brett's favorite foods include steak and water. All music appeals to Brett. "Last of the Mohicans" ranks as number one movie choice. "Home Improvement" presides as top television show. Government reigns as academic achievement. Hobbies and pasttimes selected are basketball and football. Blue is his color preference. George Strait comprises his choice as top vocalist. Deerslayer represents Brett's literary pleasure.

Rachelle Rice is the 16 year old daughter of Doug and Linda Rice. Her birthdate is October 28th. Top song choice selected is "That was a River, this is the Ocean" by Collin Rave. Food and drink selection includes Dr. Pepper and Mexican food. The Cutting Edge presides as her top movie choice. English rates the academic area of specialization in school. Piano, tennis, reading, and rollerblading serve as priority pasttimes. Hunter

green becomes her special color. Q Pioneers comprises her choice as literary selection.

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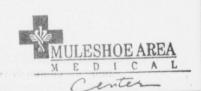
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Muleshoe Area Medical Center Memorials

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A Simple Christmas

- The First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe invites you to an Evening in Rejoycing in Christmas for all Ages.
- Performances by: Adult Choir; Youth Choir; Handbell Choir; Childrens Choirs; Various featured Soloists.
- No Admission Charge.
- Nursury Provided.
- Sunday, The Twelfth of December, at Seven O'Clock in The Evening.
- First United Wethodist Church Sanctuary

Basketball...

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games for us." The eighth grade boys were defeated 29 to 24 in their game

with Floydada on the 29th. Scores by quarters were: First Quarter: Muleshoe 4, Floydada 12; Second Quarter: Muleshoe 6, Floydada 4; Third Quarter: Muleshoe 8, Floydada 5: and Fourth Quarter, Muleshoe 6, Floydada 8.

Those scoring for Muleshoe were: Rodney Alanis, 6; Douglas

Pheasant...

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Lazbuddie school cafeteria.

"Past Pheasant Hunts have enabled us to purchase two quick response trucks, a larger tanker, and an additional building at Clay's Corner," Lust said. "This income also plays a vital role in our daily operating expenses."

For more information contact Treider Electric at 806-965-2191; Fire Chief Nicky Nickels at 806-965-2175; or Assistant Fire Chief Glenn Lust at 806-965-2828.

Erosion ...

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Serve...

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generous, consistent donations of the C&H Equipment Co. who are faithful supporters of their efforts to improve the quality of life of the needy children.

Present board members would welcome contact from those interested in this project. They include: Alice Arguello, Nancy Barrier, Debbie Conner, Gayla Gear, Helen Grigsby, Steven Hatfield, Eileen Morton, and Liz Tipps.

Muleshoe...

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to the Journal Friday morning, the time and place for the band concert has been changed.

The new time and place is December 14 at Watson Junior High Gym.

There will be an important meeting of the American Association of University Women Monday, December 6 at 7 p.m. at the old Depot in the Muleshoe Heritage Complex.

The Volunteer Plus organization is still taking donations to the Christmas Card Project. This is an annual event with all proceeds going to make life a little more enjoyable for the residents of Muleshoe HealthCare Center.

Field, 6; Layne Kemp, 4; Cyrus Norman, 4; Robert Gardner, 2; and Justin Lee, 2.

The team has a one - one record for the year. Their next game will be with Littlefield at Littlefield on December 6.

"We had our chances to win the game," said Coach Welch. "We were 4 for 12 from the free throw line and that turned out to be the difference in the game."

Muleshoe City Police Report

Issuance of Bad Checks led the list of Arrests made over the past two weeks. Sixteen people were arrested on the Issuance Of Bad Checks charge.

One was arrested on a Warrant for Probation Violation, two cases of DWI, one Public Intoxication, two Shoplifting, one Violation of Probation and two on FTA Warrants.

Complaints logged over the past two weeks included: one Criminal, one Broken Windows, Attempted Assault, one Graffiti On Wall, one Phone Harassment, one Attempted Theft of a Tire, one Juvenile Detained for Fighting, one Burglary, and Someone Broke Into

Small Doesn't Mean Necessarily Week

How such a small insect with nothing more than a fleeting life span can cause so much damage to a crop, is a question sorghum growers have been asking themselves for the past 20 years.

The sorghum midge is one insect that has crossed the economic threshold, able to cause a level of injury that creates a direct economic loss to the sorghum grower.

Research being done at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in Lubbock has been targeting ways of controlling the midge.

Following mating, the female midge begins her wrath upon the sorghum crop. The female immediately begins to look for receptive florets to lay her eggs. Sorghum is only receptive when it is flowering, or during anthesis.

Once an egg is deposited and hatched, an immature larvae begins to develop. It will take between 14 and 20 days to fully mature.

The growing larvae feeds on the developing sorghum kernel and eventually causes aborted kernel development, said Dr. Gary Peterson. Peterson is an associate professor of grain sorghum with the Experiment Station at

The most common method of controlling the midge involves the use of insecticides. It is also the most expensive.

Peterson said a field having midge will have to be sprayed three to four times and each of these applications costs the producer not only time, but also money.

Another method of control is uniform planting. Peterson said this is somewhat effective because it doesn't allow a midge population to build up.

Peterson's goal is to develop midge resistant hybrids and therefore greatly reduce the need for

"The problem with midge resistant hybrids is that resistant sources are so difficult to work with," said Peterson.

He said that the inheritance of resistance is quantitative and therefore controlled by many genes. Thus obtaining midge resistance requires resistance in both the male and female plants.

Other problems include developing females with good yield potential and seed set under midge infestation, said Peterson.

Peterson has been investigating midge resistance for the past 11 years and the Texas Grain Sorghum Board has been supporting the

The holiday season is upon us

and for most, this is a special time

of closeness to spend with family

and friends. A time to be thankful

for what we have. A time for

celebration. Of course, this is not

true of everyone's situation.

Especially when it comes to the

needy, elderly and disabled. All too

often this part of our community

spends Christmas alone, with very

little celebration. Yet, there are

some individuals who are trying to

make this holiday season brighter

for some of these people in our

services caseworker for the aged

and disabled, and Polly Otwell, a

volunteer for CCAD services, are

Debbie White, a community

community.

program for the last three and a half

Research is conducted in three primary locations across the state. Besides Peterson's base in Lubbock, research devoted to the problem is conducted in College Station and Corpus Christi.

"In many cases, it's a matter of taking two steps forward and one step back," says Peterson. "You have to have all of the other things in a hybrid in addition to midge resistance.

Although midge live for only a few short hours, they manage to cause a lifetime of damage.

Rotary Club **Hears Program** On Greece

David Tipps, president, called the regular Rotary Club meeting to order at noon Tuesday at the Bailey County Civic Center.

Sam Harlan gave the opening prayer and Randy Field led the pledge to the flag.

Accompanied by Curtis Shelburne, on the piano, Terry Hutto led the group in singing "Vive le Rotary", and "Smile Sing-A-Song."

Tommy Gunstream introduced Phil Kent, who gave a program and showed slides on a trip to Greece he and his wife and Mr. and Mrs.

Gene McGuirre took last summer. Jay Feagley was the winner of the Polio Plus drawing.

for 25 needy, elderly and disabled

clients of the Texas Department of

The sacks will contain personal

care and household items and will

be delivered shortly before

Christmas. However, in order to

make these sacks possible,

donations will be needed from the

lotion, shampoo, bath soap, dish

soap, dish rags, powdered cleansers,

deodorant, band aids, light bulbs,

toothpaste, toothbrushes, fruit and

For more information on how

you can spread this season's

holiday celebration to others,

Items needed include: hand

Human Services.

Muleshoe community.

hard candy.

CCAD Makes Christmas

Sacks For Elderly

Enochs News by Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Disabled Veterans

Benefits Increase

Affairs (VA) has announced that

disabled veterans will receive a 2.6

percent increase in their

The cost-of-living allowance was

included in legislation signed by

President Clinton on Veterans Day,

Nov. 11. Veterans will begin

receiving the higher payments in

Almost 2.2 million veterans are

affected by the increase. Their

monthly payments will now range

from \$87 for a single veteran with

a 10 percent disability rating to

\$1,774 for a single veteran with a

340,000 survivors of veterans or

service members who died from

Veterans whose service-connected

disabilities are rated 30 percent or

higher may receive additional

allowances for dependents, based on

the number of dependents and

Also affected are more than

100 percent disability rating.

service-connected causes.

extent of disability.

The Department of Veterans

To Receive

compensation payments.

their January 1994 checks.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Adams during Thanksgiving were their grandchildren, Tanner and Kelly Logsdon of Lubbock. Debbie and Glen Green and Matthew of Lubbock. Tannan had to have her tonsils taken out, she is staying with her grandparents while she is getting well enough to go back to school.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin for Thanksgiving holidays were her mother, Mrs. Olive Cox of Muleshoe, a son and wife, Cary and Karen Austin and son, Sam of Lubbock and his dad Jack Austin.

Nelda Sandefer of Midland stopped in to visit Rose Nichols Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key were dinner guests in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard Monday in Littlefield.

Area Host Families Needed For Teens

Foreign high school students will be arriving soon in the Muleshoe area for homestays, and the sponsoring organization urgently needs a few more local host families for their upcoming second semester programs.

According to Pacific Intercultural Exchange (P.I.E.) Executive Director, John Doty, the students are all between the ages of 15 and 18 years, have their own spending money, are fully insured and are anxious to share their cultural experiences with their new American families. P.I.E. currently has programs to match almost every family's needs, ranging in length from a semester to a full academic year, where the students attend local high schools.

P.I.E. representatives match students with host families by finding common interests and lifestyles through an informal inhome meeting. Prospective host families are able to review student match". As there are no "typical" host families, P.I.E. can fit a student into just about any situation, whether it be a single parent, a childless couple, a retired

couple or a large family. Families who host for P.I.E. are also eligible to claim a \$50.00 per month charitable contribution deduction on their itemized tax

returns for each month they host a sponsored student.

For the upcoming programs, P.I.E. has students from Spain, Germany, Poland, Russia, Italy, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Paraguay, Australia, New Zealand, France and many other countries. P.I.E. is a non-profit educational organization that has sponsored more than 18,000 students from 18 countries since its founding in 1975. P.I.E. is designated by the United States Information agency and is listed by the Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSIET), certifying that the organization complies with the standards set forth in CSIET's Standards for International Educational Travel

Muleshoe area families interested in learning more about student exchange or arranging for a meeting may call P.I.E., toll-free, at 1-800-631-1818. The agency also has applications and select the "perfect" travel/study program opportunities available for American high school students as well as possibilities for community volunteers to assist and work with area host families, students and schools.

> Empty heads appreciate empty honors and there are plenty of both these days.

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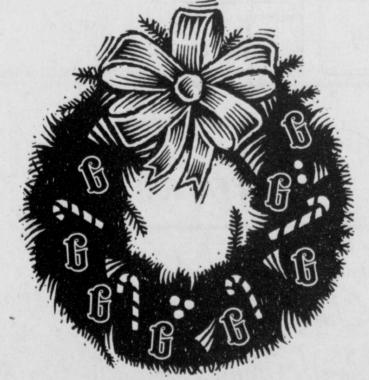
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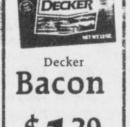








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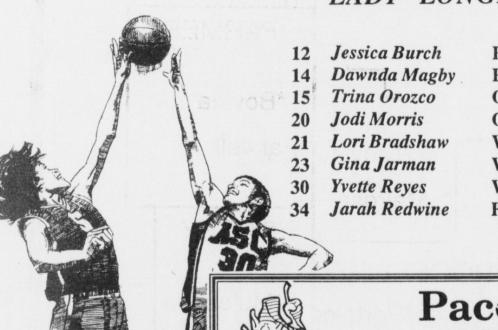


(Back row, left to right) Yvette Reyes, Gina Jarman, Jessica Burch, Lori Bradshaw, Coach Warren, (Front row left to right) Jarah Redwine, Dawnda Magby, Trina Orozco, and Jodi Morris.



(Top to bottom) Juan Reyes, Josh Warren, Jody Copp, Chris Cozbey, Tony Gonzales, Bobby Weaver, Brett Thomas, Cody Clark, Chad Nickels, Matt Elliot and Coach Grahn.

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34	Jarah Redwine	F/G	5'6" Sr.

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10	Matt Elliott	G/F	5'11"	Jr.
11	Juan Reyes	G	5'8"	Fresh
12	Brett Thomas	G/F	6'1"	Sr.
13	Jody Copp	G	5'11"	Sr.
21	Josh Warren	G/F	5'10"	Soph.
22	Chad Nickels	C	6'2"	Sr.
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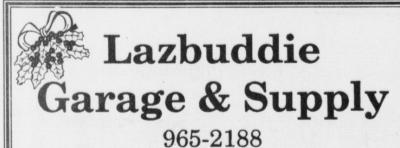
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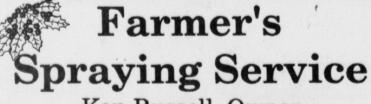
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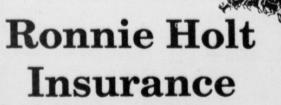


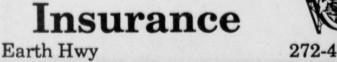
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Ken Russell, Owner 965-2524





High School Basketball Schedule

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DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	/ TIME
Dec. 7	Vega	Here	4:00
Dec. 9-11	Whitharral	There	TBA
	Tourney		
Dec. 14	Farwell	There	4:00
Dec. 16-18	Meadow	There	TBA
	Tourney		
Dec. 20	Hart	Here	4:00
Dec. 21	Adrian	Here	5:00
Dec. 28-30	Lazbuddie	Here	TBA
	Tourney		
Dec. 31	Sundown	Here	5:00
Jan. 4	Farwell	Here	4:00
Jan. 6-8	Lazbuddie JV	Here	TBA
	Tourney		
Jan. 7	Hart	There	6:30
Jan. 11	Whitharral	Here	4:00
Jan. 14	Sundown	There	4:00
Jan. 18	Spade	There	4:00
Jan. 21	Whitharral	There	4:00
Jan. 25	Nazareth*	There	4:00
Jan. 28	Cotton Center*	Here	6:30
Feb. 1	Happy*	There	4:00
Feb. 4	Nazareth*	Here	4:00
Feb. 8	Cotton Center*	There	6:30
Feb. 11	Нарру*	Here	4:00

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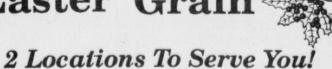
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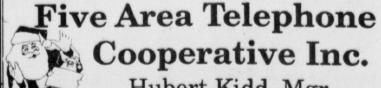
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Phil Brockman, Mgr. 965-2330

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Easter, Tx. Lazbuddie, Tx. 276-5255 965-2817



Hubert Kidd, Mgr.

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Lazbuddie Menu

Dec. 6-10, 1993

MONDAY **BREAKFAST** Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk

LUNCH Frito Pie, Pea Salad, Fried Okra, Chocolate Chip Bars, Milk TUESDAY

BREAKFAST French Toast, Juice, Milk LUNCH

Spaghetti, Salad, Corn, Bread, Pudding, Milk WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST Biscuits and Gravy, Sausage, Juice,

LUNCH Pork Chop Patty, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Mixed Vegetables, Hot

Rolls, Cake, Milk THURSDAY **BREAKFAST** Breakfast Pizza, Juice, Milk

LUNCH Corn Dogs, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Jello, Milk FRIDAY

Cinnamon Rolls, Juice, Milk LUNCH Hamburgers, Lettuce and Pickles, French Fries, Cookies, Milk

BREAKFAST

SALAD BAR SERVED DAILY

Muleshoe Menu

Dec. 6-10, 1993

DILLMAN & DESHAZO

MONDAY **BREAKFAST** Peanut Butter Toast, Mixed Fruit,

LUNCH Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Sweet Peas, Dinner Roll,

TUESDAY **BREAKFAST** Breakfast Burrito, Chilled Juice, Milk

LUNCH Crispy Corn Dog, Hot Stew, Bartlet Pears, Homemade Cinnamon Roll, Milk

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST Homemade Cinnamon Roll, Chilled Fruit, Milk

LUNCH Hot Ham & Cheese, Vegetable Dippers, Green Beans, Peanut Butter Cookie, Milk

THURSDAY **BREAKFAST** Scrambled Eggs , Chilled Juice,

LUNCH Enchiladas, Mexican Frijoles, Spanish Rice, Chilled Fruit, Combread, Milk

FRIDAY **BREAKFAST** Berry Muffins, Chilled Peaches,

LUNCH Sausage Pizza, Tator Tots, Fresh Apple, Milk

> JR. HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

MONDAY BREAKFAST Texas Cheese Toast, Mixed Fruit, Milk

LUNCH Ham & Cheese or Footlong Hotdog, Scalloped Potatoes, Sweet Grapes, Milk

TUESDAY **BREAKFAST** Waffles, Chilled Juice, Milk

LUNCH Steak Fingers or Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Dinner Roll, Milk WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST Biscuits and Gravy or Butter and Jelly, Chilled Fruit, Milk LUNCH

Lasagne or Spaghetti, Buttered Corn, Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Milk THURSDAY

BREAKFAST Scrambled Eggs & Toast, Chilled Juice, Milk

LUNCH Chef Salad with Crackers, or Calzone, Zesty Potatoes, Green Peas, Milk

FRIDAY BREAKFAST Peanut Butter Toast, Mixed Fruit,

LUNCH Fafitas or Beef Enchiladas, Ranch Style Beans, Tossed Salad, Spanish Rice, Cinnamon Crispies, Milk

> Money is rather expensive when it gets scarce.

Three Way Menu

Dec. 6-10, 1993

MONDAY **BREAKFAST** Two Pancakes, Juice, Milk LUNCH Taco's, Salad, Corn, Milk, Fruit Cocktail

TUESDAY **BREAKFAST** Biscuit, Gravy, Juice, Milk LUNCH Chicken Strips W/Gravy, Creamed

Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Milk, Applesauce

WEDNESDAY **BREAKFAST** Cream of Wheat, Juice, Toast,

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LUNCH Fajitas, Salad, Refried Beans, Tortillas, Milk, Cake THURSDAY **BREAKFAST** Cinnamon Rolls, Juice, Milk

LUNCH

Hamburgers, Fries, Milk, Peaches FRIDAY **BREAKFAST** Waffles, Sausage, Juice, Milk LUNCH Pizza, Salad, Milk, Pears

Only aim to do your duty, and mankind will give you credit where you fail.

-Thomas Jefferson.

We ought to use the best means we can to be well informed of our duty.

-Thomas Reed.

Legal Matters

by Attorney General Dan Morales

If You're Behind In Your Payments

It is in your best interest, as well as your child's, for you to pay your delinquent child support voluntarily. If your payments are made through the OAG, call your nearest regional Child Support office for help. We cannot reduce the amount of your accrued courtordered child support, but we can work with you to establish a reasonable plan for paying off your arrears. Unemployment and illness do not excuse or reduce the amount of child support owed, but my staff will certainly take those factors

into consideration (as will most judges) if you are making a good faith effort to meet your obligation. Again, by seeking to settle your delinquency voluntarily, you may

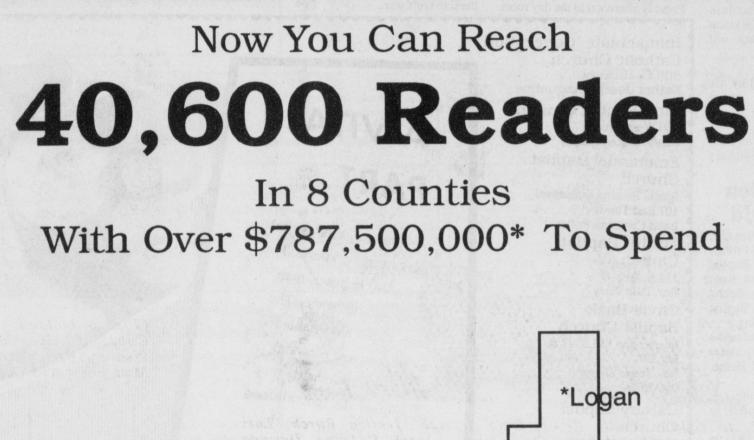
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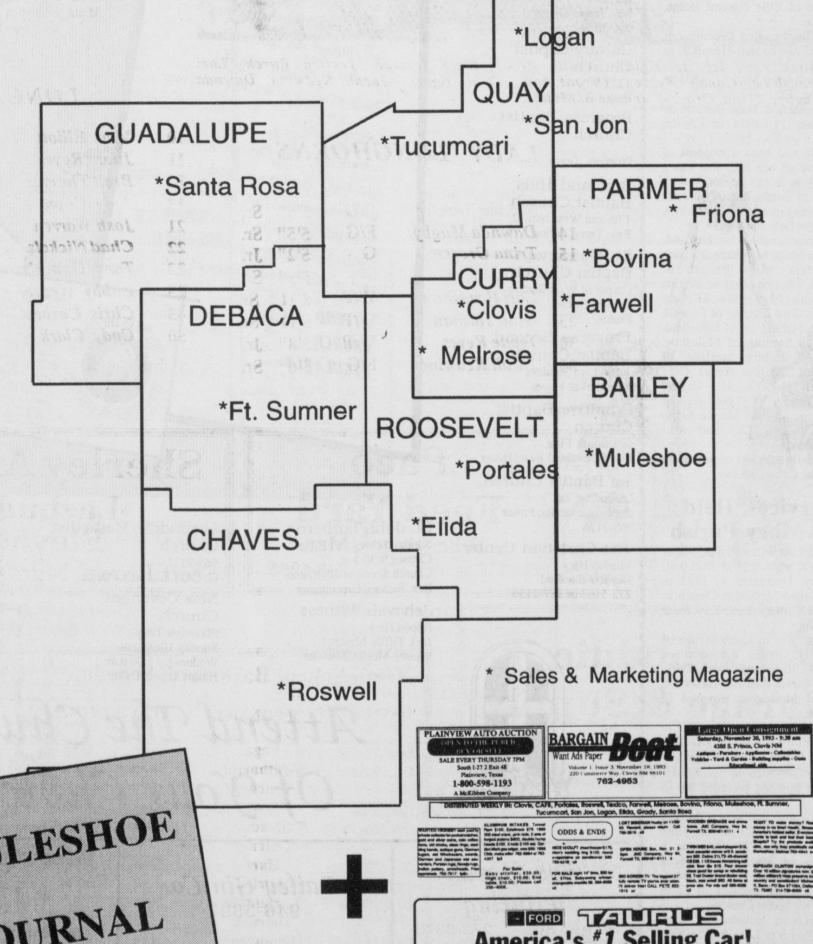
We're here to help. If you have any questions, or if you need assistance with a child support matter, call the OAG Child Support Enforcement Division at 1-800-252-3515.

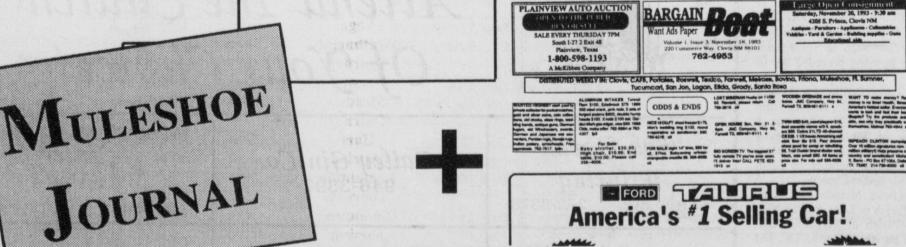
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Nursing Home News

by Joy Stancell

Happy December birthdays to Ruby Stickney Dec. 2, 1911; Bill Tarter, Dec. 11, 1908; and Fred Mapes, Dec. 22, 1908.

The residents monthly birthday party will be Thursday, Dec. 16th at 3:30 p.m. We invite you to come and join the celebration.

Our annual Christmas party has been set for Monday, Dec. 20th at 4:00 p.m. Music, Santa, gifts and food and last but not least, families.

Thursday, Dec. 8th greeting card sale in the Health Care Center. Come one and all!

Recent visitors of Nannie Blackman were Barbara Blackman and her friends from her old community.

Nettie Bratcher was visited by her granddaughter and great granddaughter Wed, evening.

Terri Smith and children from the Lazbuddie Young Homemakers

Janette Burden Services Held

Services for Janette Burden, 59, of Muleshoe, TX were held Friday, Dec. 3, 1993 at Trinity Baptist Church in Muleshoe, with Rev. Dale Berry, pastor, and Rev. Bobby Alexander, pastor of First Baptist Church, Lazbuddie, officiating.

Burial was in Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery, under direction of Ellis Funeral Home, Muleshoe.

Mrs. Burden died December 1, 1993 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

She was born May 31, 1934 in Muleshoe, TX. She married Dale Burden on

November 11, 1954 in Clovis, NM.

Janette had been a resident of Muleshoe all her life. She was a secretary at Texas Sesame, and a member of Trinity Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by a

son, Roger Dale Burden. Survivors include her husband, Dale Burden of Muleshoe, TX; one son, Mark Allen Burden of Midland, TX; one daughter, Regina Beth Smith of Lazbuddie, TX; four brothers, Gene Sterling of Farwell, TX, E.J. Sterling, Jr. of Littlefield, TX, Ellis Sterling of Muleshoe, TX, and Bobby Sterling of Amarillo, TX; four sisters, Odie Sitzes of Tyler, TX, Betty Casteel of McKinney, TX, Hazel Ball of Mulehsoe, TX, and Margie Kemp of Muleshoe, TX; and four grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to American Cancer Society.

Services Held For Mary Parish

Services for Mary Parish, 90, of Earth, TX were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, December 4, 1993 at Earth United Methodist Church in Earth, TX., with Rev. Kay Reed officiating.

Burial was in Earth Memorial Cemetery, under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home, Earth. Mrs. Parish died November 30, 1993 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

She was born June 30, 1903 in Palo Pinto County, TX. She married Clyde Dayton Parish on January 24, 1926 in Springlake, TX. her husband preceded her in

Mrs. Parish had been a resident of Earth since 1923, moving from Valley View, TX. She was a member of Muleshoe Rebecca Lodge, the Earth Senior Citizens, and a Charter member of Earth

United Methodist Church. Survivors include four sons, James Parish of Long Prairie, MN, Robert Parish of Magnolia, OH, Melvin Parish of Earth, TX, and Keith Parish of Muleshoe, TX; two daughters, Lanelle Kennemer of Buffalo Lake, TX and Bobbette Tiney of Lubbock, TX; one sister, Mildred Kendrick of Earth, TX; 13 grandchildren and 21 greatgrandchildren.

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brought Clara Weaver, D.B. Ivy, and Bill Tarter loaves of home anade bread Wed. evening.

We hope that you will join us in helping to make this the best Christmas ever for our residents.

Many of our residents went out to be with their families or enjoyed their families visiting with them during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Wednesday morning Buster Kittrell hosted coffee and spudnut time. Wanda Kittrell assisted with our candle holders and candle show.

Tuesday afternoon Laverne James Olive Cox, Lynda Low, Claudine Embry and Beth Watson were busy in the beauty shop shampooing and setting the ladies' hair.

Irene Splawn hosted a 93 birthday party for her mom, Mamie Askew, Tuesday afternoon in the day room.

Cake and punch were served to the residents, special guest Clifton Finley, staff, and visitors. Mamie received gifts, cards and the happy birthday song.

Sunday morning Debra McIntire had the Bible Study.

Sunday afternoon the Progress Baptist Church came for church services and visitation.

Our thanks to the Jennyslippers for helping decorate for Christmas and to Lona Embry for organizing the storage areas. Thank you very

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Shanks came Wed. afternoon for our sing-a-long.

Don Riegle, senator (D-Mich): "There are some hard truths here the Pentagon is reluctant to face," speaking of chemical agent damage to U.S. servicemen in the Persian Gulf war.

Patients In Muleshoe Area Medical Center

NOVEMBER 26, 1993 Trey Nickels, Leopolda Barrera, Olene Watts, Leontina Padilla, Cecilia Torres

NOVEMBER 27, 1993 Leopolda Barrera, Olene Watts, Leontina Padilla

NOVEMBER 28, 1993 Raymond Robertson, Olene Watts, Carlene Stroud, Leontina Padilla NOVEMBER 29, 1993

Raymond Robertson, Roxie Hoover, Carlene Stroud, Melissa Williams

NOVEMBER 30, 1993 Ryan Scott, Diana Pacheco, Bobbie Johnson, Velma Fried, Roxie Hoover, Jimmy Noble, Melissa Williams, Robert Hayes, baby girl

DECEMBER 1, 1993 Ana Gardea, Ryan Scott, Michelle Martinez, Bobbie Johnson, Velma Fried, Armando Flores, Roxie Hoover, Gilbert Recio, Robert Hayes, William Daniell

DECEMBER 2, 1993 Ana Gardea, Ryan Scott, Michelle Martinez, Bobbie Johnson, Velma Fried, Armando Flores, Roxie Hoover, Gilbert Recio, Robert Hayes, W.M. Daniell



Harry Reid, congressman (D-

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Roy Martinez, Pastor

"Iglesia Pentecostal

Pastor: Wenceslado Trevino

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Sam Billingsley, Minister

Muleshoe Church

Gary Montgomery, Minister

16th & Ave. D

Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Evening 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ

Curtis Shelburne, Minister

Lazbuddie Church

Minister, Keith Courmier

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Morning Services 10:20 a.m.

Evening Services 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday Night 7:00 p.m.

First Assembly

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

Methodist Church

El Divino Salvador

Methodist Church

Rev. Libney Peneda, Pastor

Evening Services 6:30 p.m.

Worship 11:00 & 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.

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Fm 298 Rev. Jessie Shaver 946-3676

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Baptist Church Corner of West Boston & West Birch Progress Second

Baptist Church 1st and 3rd Sundays Rev. Arthur Hayes

Church 621 South First Elder Cleveland Bass, Pastor 1st Baptist Church Lazbuddie, Tx..

Bobby Alexander, Pastor

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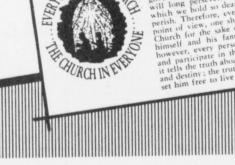
Warren Meeks, Minister

Jack Tiffin, Minister

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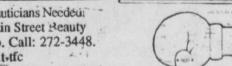
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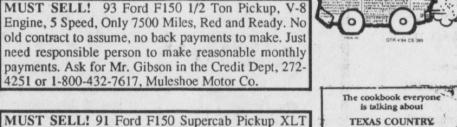
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Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of David L. Harper Area Engineer, Littlefield, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation. Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas. at the expense of the bidder.

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3-2-1 on 1 acre, Cent. Heat, Evap. Air, Remodeled, \$30's!! HR-6

3-1-2 Home on 1 1/2 acres storm cellar &

storage bldg...\$20's!!!! HR-8 ESTABLISHED BUISNESS, 40+yrs., lot. bldg., furniture, fixtures, & inventory.

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VISIONS OF SUGAR PLUMS DANCE---at the Moonlight Extension Club Annual Christmas Bazaar.

(Journal Photo)

elimination of \$1.6 billion five-

year funding to develop a new

rocket motor for the space shuttle.

Congressman Combest supports

reducing the rate of spending to two

percent, with the exception of

Medicare, Social Security, Head

Start, military and veteran's

benefits, civil service retirement

and interest on the national debt.

By holding spending to two

percent, the deficit would be reduced

by \$136 billion in five years and in

seven years there would be \$351

The deficit (the amount the federal

government overspends each budget

year) is currently \$255 billion. The

debt that has accumulated from

deficit spending is currently \$4.3

trillion. In the 1993 budget year,

the interest on that debt was \$213

Eating

As we have seen in

recent weeks, many

Americans have been

attracted in recent years

to ancient Chinese

methods of healing,

treatment and proper

Many who try every

new theory have looked

into Chinese traditions:

We have mentioned

some foods the Chinese

believe help certain

body organs. They additionally believe cel-

ery acts on the stomach

and liver, carrots on the

lungs and spicen, egg

kidneys, etc.

winter foods.

plant on the spleen and

certain foods are best

eaten at different times

of the year. Next week:

The real art of living

includes the art of loaf-

They also believe

Healthy

billion in savings.

News From Congressman Larry Combest

U.S. Representative Larry Combest (R-Texas) insists that Congress provide the meaningful cuts in spending that he and his constituents continue to demand. Instead of voting for what Combest referred to as the continued "smoke and mirrors" of the proposed plans, the congressman supports an cross the board spending freeze. However, the majority in control of Congress would not allow consideration of an overall spending freeze. The congressman noted that the package of spending cuts was promised by President Clinton in exchange for passage of the largest tax increase in history, but the spending reductions are far less than expected. Combest added that the Senate will not have time to act on any spending reductions because they have adjourned until January.

"In an effort to wind up this session of Congress and go home saying that they voted on issues of real concern to their constituents, Congress has once again failed to come up with meaningful action,"said Combest. "This bag of so-called budget cuts is full of inconsistencies and false numbers. I have always told the people of my district that the most honest and workable way to lower government spending is a freeze across the board. I will continue to support

will actually be used to pay for new spending. The proposed packages also inflate the savings by counting projects already cut from the budget, such as the honey, wool and mohair subsidies.

Combest was specific about eliminating spending such as the \$13 billion foreign aid budget as well as \$331 million dollar AMTRAK subsidies, the \$170 million dollar budget for the National Endowments for the Arts and eliminating \$48 million for the National Endowment for Democracy, to name just a few. Combest also supported the

Staying Healthy During The Christmas Holidays

Holidays do not have to be hazardous for those who have recently adopted healthier lifestyles.

New habits of eating foods lower in fat and exercising regularly can help you survive the temptations of holiday parties and the stresses of holiday preparations, said Dr. John Foreyt, director of the DeBakey Heart Center's Nutrition Research Clinic.

"Renewing your commitment to eating less fat and planning ahead for holiday detours can keep you on the track of a healthier lifestyle," Foreyt said.

A behavioral psychologist and professor at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Foreyt offers these tips for maintaining healthy habits during the holidays.

•Remember that many "party" foods are high in fat. Survey the refreshments and exercise your right to choose those lower in fat.

 Look ahead on your calendar. Acknowledge that you may consume more fat and total calories at a party or holiday meal than in your usual daily meals. Reduce the fat content of your meals on the days before the party to compensate.

·Do not skip meals. Eat a light, healthy snack or supper before going to an evening party. If you do not feel hungry, fat-laden foods will not be as appealing.

·Limit alcohol consumption. Try alternating an alcoholic beverage with a glass of water. While alcohol is not high in fat, it can make you feel hungry and create cravings for foods you would not ordinarily eat.

·Use your knowledge of healthy eating and food preparation to make family holiday treats healthier. Substitute low-fat ingredients when you can and cook without adding

•Stick to your exercise routine. As holiday preparations and celebrations crowd calendars, taking time for daily exercise can be difficult. Try to combine exercise with holiday activities by walking the mall when you shop or taking the children on a walk around the neighborhood to view decorations.

"Empowering yourself to maintain a lifestyle by sticking to an exercise routine and continuing

that concept. Combest pointed out that instead of cutting the deficit, any savings

low-fat eating habits is all most people need to survive the holidays without sabotaging a healthy lifestyle," Foreyt said.

The DeBakey Heart Center is a joint program of Baylor College of Medicine and The Methodist Hospital supporting cardiovascular research, treatment and education.

Enochs News

by Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Eric and Kim Silhan visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Silhan at Morton and her mother, Mrs. Barbara Epperson at the home of Kims grandmother, Mrs. Faye Nunn, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Darlene Jones of Shallowater visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanley the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley had Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter and husband Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Myrna Turney had all of her children, Dennis and family, Carolyn Newton and family, Sharon Drennan and family, and Kenneth and son all home for Thanksgiving evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Kay Abney and daughter of Lockney came Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Margie Peterson. They went to Ropesville Friday and spent the night and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Abney.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud attended the wedding of a grandson Phillip Belleneu and Rebecca Shue at the Carlisle Baptist Church at Lubbock at 7 p.m. Saturday, November 20, 1993. The reception was at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gay's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Turney visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trueman Nix during the holidays. Their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Locke and baby, Cheesea of Canyon, spent the holidays with her parents, the Dennis Turneys.

Mrs. Mutt and JoAnn Autry drove to Plainview Friday and spent the night with her son and family.

The grain harvest is over for this year. If the weather will stay pretty the farmers will soon be through pulling cotton.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud were their children and grandchildren, Doris Truell of Bledsoe, Sandra Dickey and son, Shane, and his girlfriend, Sandy of Lubbock. Carolyn Kirby and family of Three Way, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lewis and family of Littlefield, and Lill Pollard o Enochs.

Mrs. Paula Grant and children o Amarillo came Wednesday and spent Thanksgiving with her parents, the children Ashley and Chandler stayed till Sunday.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr and Mrs. Bill Sunday were friend from Littlefield, W.H. and Rache Berry. Mrs. Doris Huff of Thre Way and a grandson, Chad Huff I certify that the statements made by MANAGER OR OWNER MANAGER OR OWNER MANAGER OR OWNER from Lubbock visited with them

TDA Inspected Christmas Trees For Pine Beetles

The Texas Department of Agriculture has again conducted random inspections of live and cut Christmas trees at retail and wholesale outlets throughout the state, Commissioner Rick Perry said. The inspections are aimed at protecting Texas Christmas trees, tree nurseries and the state's timber industry from the pine shoot beetle, which could cause severe economic losses if allowed to enter the state.

"We have a growing Christmas tree industry that contributes about \$17 million to the state's economy," Perry said. "We must protect the nursery and forestry industries from outside pests, and we want to assure consumers they are getting quality products."

Wreaths, logs and other ornamental foliage and timber products will also be inspected. The destructive beetle, which has wrecked economic havoc in parts of the Northeast, was discovered in July 1992 on an Ohio Christmas tree farm. It has since been located in Illinois, Michigan, New York, and Pennsylvania.

To prevent the spread of the beetle, the U.S. Department of Agriculture issued a federal quarantine on Nov. 13, 1992 that forbids the interstate shipment from these six states of trees or foliage unless they have been inspected and certified pest-free by federal or state

inspectors. TDA adopted this

federal quarantine on July 9. Under the Pine Shoot Beetle Quarantine, Perry said TDA inspectors will issue stop sale orders on trees and other regulated products from the six infested Northeastern States unless the items have been certified pest-free. Timber products from infested areas are considered pest-free if they have been fumigated and have federal or state certificates attesting to the treatment. If the beetle is found, TDA may also require products to either be returned to their point of origin or destroyed.

The beetle primarily attacks Scotch Pine but also infests white pine and has been detected on fir, larch and other pine species worldwide. Adult beetles feed on pine shoots, killing the shoots, stunting growth, causing deformities, reducing size and occasionally resulting in the loss of the tree or product. It is a major economic pest in much of Europe, Asia and North America. USDA has estimated potential losses nationwide over the next 30 years at \$861 million.

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