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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1972

Hospital District Receives State Approval For \$1.5 Million Loan



SUPERIOR . . . These are the boys and girls who won a superior rating at the Muleshoe Music Festival held Saturday in Muleshoe. These piano students will present a recital Friday night, February 11, at 8 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School auditorium. From left to right are Brenda St. Clair,

Jana Oyler, Becky Milner, Kelly St. Clair, Robbie Nesom, Mike Hunt, Kelly Gregory, Mark Mimms, Janell Garrett, Susan Crittenden, Rob Hedgecoke, Becky Turner, Scott Baker, Linda Shafer, Sally Lunsford, Keva Roming and Curtis Wheeler. Those not pictured are Jeanne Haydon, Kyle Kelley, Shery Clayton, Phyllis Ray and Marilyn Black.

Loan Is Subject To HEW Final Approval Piano Recital Will Be Presented Friday

In the Muleshoe Piano Festival auditions held Saturday under the auspices of the Muleshoe Music Teachers Association, 22 pupils were rated superior out of 101 entrants. These 22 pupils will be presented in the Muleshoe Piano Recital Friday night at 8 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School Auditorium. The MMTA urges the public to attend this recital and to hear some of the young pianists in this area perform. All festival awards will be presented at the recital. Superior winners will receive medals and all who played in the auditions will receive ribbons. Ronald Bennett, prominent piano teacher from Odessa served as adjudicator for the festival auditions held here Saturday at the First United Methodist Church. Mrs. Jimmy Craft, teacher at Springlake and Olton, served as festival chairman, along with a committee made up of Mrs. Jimmy Milner and Mrs. Sam Damron. Other teachers entering pupils in the festival were Mrs. W.T. Watson, Mrs. Sam McKinstry, Mrs. Elbert Hamilton, Mrs. A.M. Bradley and Mrs. Louis Catugno of Lubbock. Those pupils making superior and will be presented in the recital Friday night are Jeanne Haydon, Kyle Kelley, Scott Baker, Becky Turner, Shery Clayton. Cont. on Page 3, col. 1

A \$1.5 million federal loan has been tentatively approved for the Bailey County Hospital District to build a \$1.9 million, 50-bed hospital and purchase equipment by the Texas Board of Health. John Scott of the State Board of Health informed the Journal that the Bailey County Hospital District Board had received State Board of Health approval on a \$1,587,500 loan subject to the approval of the U.S. Public Health Service of HEW, who will make a feasibility study. The board also approved a \$1 million Hill-Burton loan approval by the Texas Board of Health for loans totaling \$24,322,120. The loan hinges on approval by the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare who will study architectural plans and the feasibility of hospital operation and repayment of the loan before final approval is given. The money is through Hill-Burton loan funds available to hospital districts for construction and equipment. The \$1.5 million will aid in construction to replace a "nonconforming hospital". An official of the State Board of Health clarified this by explaining that generally it refers to very old structures that do not meet modern-day building and space requisites. The board also approved a \$1 million Hill-Burton loan approval to modernize four floors at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. Marshall Cook, hospital administrator at West Plains Memorial Hospital, which is operated by a non-profit corporation, said he was pleased about the approval. He also added that with the time lapse for final approval and then actual construction would place a new hospital opening "about three years away." Dr. Charles Lewis, president of the hospital district board, said the grant was amended last year to obtain a loan. Architects for the facility are Winger & Sharpe of Wichita Falls. The proposed hospital is similar to a Seymour hospital. Cont. on Page 3, col. 1

around muleshoe with the journal staff

Republican County Chairman, Clarence E. Mason has filed for County Chairman. Phillip Garrett has filed for Precinct Chairman of Precinct 2. Vic Benedict has filed for Precinct 3. Lester Howard has filed for Precinct Chairman of Precinct 4 and John W. Thompson has filed for Constable of Precinct 2.

Bailey County Democratic Chairman Harvey Bass has announced that the following men have filed for county offices: William A. (Bill) Russell, Jr., for Constable, Precinct One; and Wendall Young, Constable, Precinct Three.

Miss Dana Damron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Damron, will be singing in the Texas Tech Choir this week as they appear in Ft. Worth at the Texas Music Educators Association Annual Meeting. The Tech Choir, directed by Gene Kenney, is to present the program at Cont. on Page 3, col. 4

Candidates File For County Offices - Filing Fees Set

In an order by Secretary of State Bob Bullock, primary filing fees and other nominating requirements have been established to be effective for the 1972 Republican and Democratic primary elections. These fees or an alternative nominating petition are mandatory.

The schedule of fees for either a full term or an unexpired term for the various offices is as follows:

All statewide offices, \$400; United States Representative, \$300; State Senator, \$150; State Representative, \$100; Member, State Board of Education, \$50; Chief Justice or Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, \$100; District Judge or Judge of any other court having status of district office, \$100; District Attorney or Criminal District Attorney, \$100; All county offices, except county surveyor or inspector of hides and animals, \$100; County Surveyor or inspector of hides and animals, \$50; and Justice of the Peace or Constable for counties above 200,000 population, \$50; and for counties under 200,000 population, \$25.

In lieu of payment of a filing fee, a candidate may file a nominating petition which must be signed by the qualified voters eligible to vote for the office for which the candidate is running as follows:

For statewide offices, 2,500 signatures; for district precinct, or other political subdivisions, equal in number to at least 2% of the entire vote cast for that party's candidate for governor in the last preceding general election in the territory. In no event shall the number of signatures required be less than 25 or more than 300.

No person shall sign more than one nominating petition for the same office. Signing two petitions makes both signatures void.

The nominating petitions must be submitted to the appropriate official by the first Monday in March.

No deposit shall be required Cont. on Page 3, col. 2

Frona MBP Plant Workers On Strike

The Friona Division of Missouri Beef Packers Inc. has stated that it will resume operations February 9, 1972 at 8 a.m. despite the strike called by the Amalgamated Meat Cutters Union. Negotiation between the company and the union has been in progress since late November 1971. The last meeting was February 7, 1972. At that time, the union stated that the last proposal of Missouri Beef Packers Inc. was not acceptable and a strike would be called. Pickets appeared at the Friona plant on the morning of February 8, 1972. The MBP Friona plant has operated without a contract since December 15, 1971 and Howard McLean, plant manager, has stated that he expects the plant to continue its operation at approximately the normal level. Work is available beginning at 8 a.m. February 9, 1972 for employees in all divisions who wish to return and the employment office is interviewing for new employees. The next meeting has been set for February 28, 1972.

Mullettes Beat Tulia 50-59

The Muleshoe High School Varsity girls beat Tulia Tuesday night 50-59 in the girls last game of the season. This win put the girls second in district play. Jeannie Putman was high scorer with 33 points. She also had three rebounds and two fouls. Judy Winn made 17 points, had seven turnovers, three rebounds, three fouls and one steal. Rejana Hardaway had nine points, two fouls, nine rebounds, one turnover and one steal. Traci Cowan had one steal. Janis St. Clair, guard, had three fouls and two rebounds. Tani Murrah had four fouls, eight rebounds, four turnovers and one steal. Belinda Throckmorton had one steal. Cont. on Page 3, col. 3

Crawford To Head Easter Seal Campaign

Jimmie Crawford will head the 1972 Easter Seal Appeal in Bailey County, it was announced by Rodney D. Hargrave, Dallas, President of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. Residents of Bailey County will receive the annual Easter Seal Appeal letters in the mail beginning February 28. The Easter Seal Appeal, conducted yearly to provide disabled persons and their families treatment and services, will continue through Easter Sunday, April 2. Crawford is one of 223 men and women throughout Texas who are serving in this capacity. The cost of the statewide Easter Seal program is over one million dollars, financed mainly by the Easter Seal Appeal. Almost 90 percent of all funds raised by the Easter Seal Appeal remain in Texas to support the growing needs of the disabled in the State. Clarence Christian.

Youth B-Ball Seeks Coaches

Applications for Youth Basketball coaches for the coming season are now being taken by the Muleshoe Jaycees. This year, there will be six teams. The first practice will be held February 17 with the first game to be played February 25. The program is scheduled to last eight weeks. To apply for a coaching position or for further information, contact Clarence Christian.



HOMECOMING KING AND QUEEN . . . James Turnbow, named Homecoming King, is shown presenting the traditional bouquet of red roses to the new Homecoming Queen, Judy Winn. The Muleshoe High School King and Queen were named during half time of the Canyon-Muleshoe game played here Tuesday night. The Mules won the game 73-67.

Murder Trial Underway Here

The re-trial of Willie J. Heager, 17, charged with murder with malice in the fatal shooting of Nathaniel Williams, 31, here on the morning of February 15, 1971, is underway at presstime in the Bailey County District Courtroom. District Judge Pat Boone, Jr. is hearing the case. Heager's first trial in September ended in a deadlocked jury. Scheduled for Thursday is the murder trial of Elias Aviles, 20, who has been held in the Bailey County Jail on charges of murder with malice in connection with the shooting death of Jose Antero Villarreal, 20, of Cont. on Page 3, col. 6

Youth Basketball Physicals Scheduled

Sunday, February 13, at 2 p.m. at the Mary DeShazo gym is the time and place set for fifth and sixth grade boys from Muleshoe and Lazbuddie schools who were not 12 years of age before September 1, 1971, to join Youth Basketball. Applications will be accepted at this time and the application must be signed by the parent. Charles L. Purnmill, M.D., Homer Algood, M.D., and Marshall Cook will help with the physical examinations. Physical exams will be given at this time and the exams are required before the players can participate. There will not be a charge for the exam at this time. Youth Basketball will not re-reschedule a time for physical exams. Physical exams not taken at this time will be on an individual basis and will be subject to a charge by the doctor. The players who participated in Youth Football during the past season will not be required to undergo a physical exam to join basketball. Also at this meeting, a new football yearbook will be on sale for \$2.00 each. The football players, coaches, managers and snapshots of some of the games are featured in the yearbook. Individual and group pictures of the players, coaches and managers are shown in the yearbook. There were six teams of basketball players last season with 74 boys participating. The trustees of Youth Basketball are expecting another good year with a greater number of players participating. Game jerseys and game trunks will be furnished by Youth Basketball. Each player will furnish his shoes, practice jersey and trunks. The first practice will be Thursday February 16. Cont. on Page 3, col. 2

Water Inc. Slates Membership Meeting

Prospects for future water for West Texas and Eastern New Mexico will be the central theme of the Fifth Annual Water, Inc., Membership Meeting, slated at Plainview Feb. 19. Guest speakers will include U.S. Rep. George Mahon and Don Maughan, director, United States Water Resources Council. More than 300 persons are expected for the daylong meeting to be conducted at the National Guard Armory. On Friday, Feb. 18, the Texas Cont. on page 3, col. 1

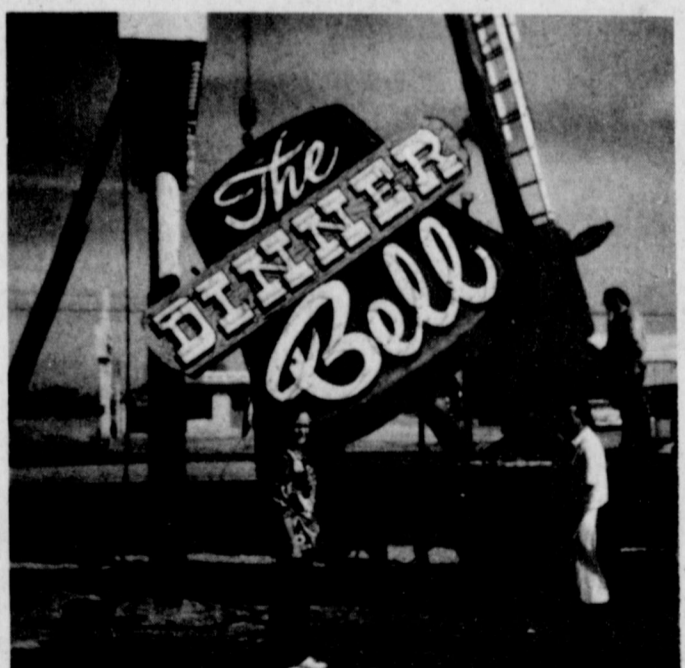
Saturday Is Deadline For Ping Pong Tournament

Saturday, February 12, is the last day to enter the Muleshoe Ping Pong Tournament being sponsored by the Muleshoe Demolays. The singles division has been divided into two groups: Junior, 14 years old and under, and the Adult division, over 15 years of age. The entry fee for singles will be \$2 per person. There will be only one division for doubles with the entry fee being \$3 per couple. Trophies will be given to the first place winners in the two divisions of singles competition and to the winners in doubles. Ribbons will be presented to the runners-up. The Tournament will be held February 17, 18 and 19 in the Fellowship Hall of the First Cont. on Page 3, col. 3



Kelly Gregory Wins Composer Contest Friday

The winners of the "Texas Composer Contest", sponsored by the Muleshoe Music Teacher's Association, have been announced. Winning first place was Miss Kelly Gregory, daughter of Mrs. Ruby Gregory. She is the piano pupil of Mrs. Sam Damron and is a sixth grader in school. By winning the contest, she will get to play the composition "In the Piney Woods", by Texas composer Hazel Cobb, at the convention of the Texas Music Teachers Association to be held this year in Lubbock. Cont. on page 3, col. 2



NEW SIGN FOR DINNERBELL . . . A new 35 foot sign has been erected at the Dinner Bell Cafe located on American Blvd. The owners, Joe and Rena Carroll will be celebrating their 12th anniversary of business in Muleshoe on February 12. The Carrolls bought the Dinner Bell from Jay and Ruby Mills and took over its operation on February 18, 1960. There was a fire at the Dinner Bell April 23, 1960 and it was closed for remodeling until June 9, 1960. They moved the location of the restaurant in April 1971 to its present location.



MRS. TOMMY OWEN JONES, Bonnie Bernice Vernon

Vernon, Jones Vows Pledged In Hill Chapel At WTSU

Miss Bonnie Bernice Vernon and Tommy Owen Jones were united in marriage in a ceremony at the Hill Chapel on the campus of West Texas State University in Canyon on Friday, February 4, at 8 p.m. The double ring vows were read by Rev. J. Frank Peery.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Vernon of Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. C. Owen Jones of Muleshoe. The ceremony was performed by candlelight before an altar decorated with two candelabra adorned with white satin bows.

Musical selections, including "The Wedding Song," "The Lord's Prayer," and "We've Only Just Begun," were presented by Eddie Martin of Spearman, organist, and Miss Amy Howard of Amarillo soloist.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Sammy K. Sudbury of Amarillo. She wore a blue formal length gown featuring an empire waist and long sleeves. She wore a blue picture hat and carried a bouquet of blue and white carnations.

Harvey Caughey of Amarillo served as best man. The usher was Patrick McCracken of Amarillo.

The bride wore a formal gown of cotton lace over bridal taffeta, designed with a closely fitted neckline and Victorian puff sleeves tapering to long fitted sleeves. The neckline was accented by a self-lace florence. The easy skirt fell to a scalloped hemline. She wore a wide



MRS. RONNIE WOLFE

Delta Kappa Gamma Has Salad Luncheon

The sixth purpose of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society is "to stimulate the personal and professional growth of members and to encourage their participation in appropriate programs of action." This program helped to implement this purpose.

Twenty-five members from Bailey and Lamb counties were present. Muleshoe members attending were: Mrs. Joe Costen, president; Mrs. Clifton Finley, hospitality chairman; Mrs. E.W. Johnson, treasurer; Mrs. Jack Obenhaus; Mrs. Eric Smith, professional affairs chairman, and Mrs. Wilson Witherspoon, parliamentarian.

The serving table was covered with a red velvet cloth, edged with red ball fringe. A centerpiece of red roses in a white and gold urn vase adorned the table. White cake, decorated with red roses and hearts, was served by Miss Ricki Stockard. Mrs. Imogene Tiller served the punch.

Corsages for the honoree and her mother-in-law were made of kitchen accessories. She was assisted in opening the gifts by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mabel Wolfe.

Hostess gifts were a set of teflon cookware and a set of outglass goblets.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. James Warren, Mrs. R. C. Wilson, Mrs. Elson Davis, Mrs. George Washington, Mrs. Donald Prather, Mrs. Imogene Tiller, Mrs. O. G. Killingsworth and Mrs. Raleigh Mason.

Special guests attending the shower were Mrs. Pudd Wise, aunt of the honoree of Sudan and Mrs. Charles Lyons, Miami, and Mrs. D. B. Jame-

Mrs. Ronnie Wolfe Honored With Wedding Shower

Mrs. Ronnie Wolfe was honored with a wedding shower on February 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. James Warren. Guests were registered by Mrs. Warren.

Lubbock High School where she plans to continue her studies.

Wolfe attended Muleshoe High School and has recently returned from 11 months in Viet Nam. After a six weeks leave, he will be stationed at Ft. Lewis, Washington.

Couple Married In Single Ring Ceremony

Miss Dorothy Barela and Santos Hernandez were married in a single ring ceremony at 8 p.m. on Monday, February 7. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Larry Henry in the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Paula Hernandez, 610 West Second, Muleshoe.

A reception at the home followed the ceremony. Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Paula Hernandez, Mrs. Joe Hernandez and Mrs. Felix Marquez. The bride wore a beige dress for a wedding trip to Clovis, N.M. The couple will be at home in Lubbock.

The bride is a senior at Portales, N.M., High School. The groom attended Muleshoe Schools.

Out-of-town guests attending the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hernandez, Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Felix Marquez, Amarillo; Miss Josie Fuentes, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gonzales, Earth and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barela and family, Farwell.



MR. AND MRS. SANTOS HERNANDEZ

To keep vegetables and fruits fresh longer, line refrigerator food crispers with two layers of paper towels. The towels will absorb moisture, thus keeping the vegetables and fruits crisper.

School Secretaries Attend Workshop

The Muleshoe School secretaries attended an educational workshop, Saturday, February 5, at Brownfield High School, Roy Hartman, superintendent of Hereford Schools, spoke on "The Secretary's Role and Relation to Administration" and Dr. Delwin Webb, superintendent of Abernathy Public Schools, spoke on "Human Relations and Office Psychology" during the morning session.

After the luncheon and style show during the noon hour, Ray Lanier, Director of Fiscal and Contract Services at the Education Service Center Region XVII, discussed Teacher Retirement and the Benefits of

Belonging to TSTA.

Mrs. Virginia Allison, Director of Robert Spence School of Beauty, gave the "Seven Keys to Charm," and Mrs. Frances Wilson, secretary for Ed Irons, superintendent of Lubbock, moderated the job alike sessions "Whose Telephone Do You Answer?"

Approximately 125 area secretaries attended this workshop. Those attending from Muleshoe were Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards, secretary for Neal Dillman, superintendent; Mrs. Beth Skipworth, Muleshoe Business Office; Mrs. Bette Cowan, secretary for Curriculum Director; Mrs. Betty Murray, High School Secretary; Mrs. Janie Hughes, Secretary for Junior High and Mrs. Mary Janice Brantley, secretary for Mary DeShazo Elementary School.

Third Concert Scheduled By Lubbock Symphony

Jeffrey Siegel, a pianist "who makes music", will appear as guest artist with the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra on Monday evening, February 21, when Director William A. Harrod opens the third concert in the 1971-72 season. Nationally, Mr. Siegel has won five of the most important piano competitions including the Stillman Kelly Scholarship sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs, the Rudolph Ganz and Artist's Advisory Council Awards, the Roeder Prize for outstanding graduate and the Fulbright Scholarship for study in London at Juilliard. He was chosen one of the outstanding

young artists of 1969 by Musical America Magazine.

On the international level, the Chicagoan has garnered awards at the Montreal International Competition and the Busoni Competition of Italy. He has been a prize winner in the coveted Leventritt Competition and was top American prize winner in the Queen Elizabeth Competition in Brussels.

Tickets for the 8:15 performance may be purchased at the Symphony Office, 1411 Avenue O. Prices are \$5, \$4.50, \$3.50, \$2, and \$1. For further information, call the Symphony Office, 762-4707. All tickets go on sale at the Municipal Auditorium Sunday, February 20, from 1 to 5 p.m. The box office will be open on Monday, February 21 from 9 a.m. until concert time.

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Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Hal Tibbets

Mrs. Hal Tibbets, the former Carol Camp, was honored at a bridal shower Saturday afternoon, February 5th, in the home of Mrs. D.O. Burelsmith. In the receiving line with Mrs. Tibbets were her mother, Mrs. Bernis Camp, Mrs. Willard Tibbets, mother of the groom and Mrs. Weldon McClintock, Lubbock, maternal grandmother of the groom.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Woody Keith, Odessa, sister of the bride, Mrs. Susan Camp Kizer, and Miss Patti Camp, both of Canyon and sisters of the bride, served refreshments from the serving table which was laid with a white, lace-bordered cloth. Crystal and silver appointments were used. The red, white and blue centerpiece, flanked by red tapers in silver candlesticks was presented to the bride after the occasion.

The hostess gift was cookware.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. L.G. Taylor, Mrs. Charles Glover, Mrs. H.A. Douglas, Mrs. Harmon Elliot, Mrs.

Beta Sigma Phi Hears Program On Music

Alpha Zeta Pi, chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met February 1 in the home of Mrs. C.J. Feagley.

The Valentine Ball was discussed and it was announced that the coronation for the Sweetheart will be at 9:30 p.m. on February 12 at the Country Club.

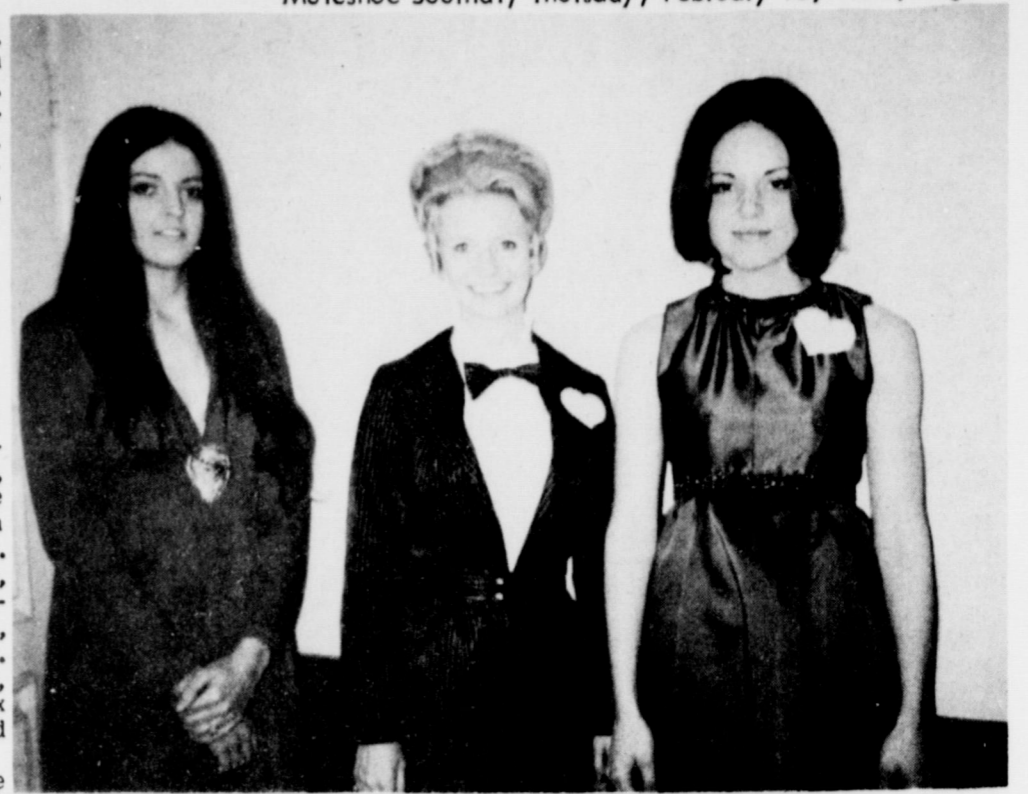
Preparations for the special education class Valentine party at Richland Hills were made.

Mrs. Doyce Turner presented a program on "Absolute Music" and Mrs. Curtis Walker presented the second part of the program on "Music Into Drama and Dance."

J.W. Roberts, Mrs. Jess Winn, Mrs. Howard Watson, Mrs. Sam Hopper, Mrs. Larry Jones, Mrs. Bobby Nickels, Mrs. W.F. Bartley, Mrs. Robert Hunt, Mrs. Don Seales, Mrs. Gerald Prater, Mrs. P.H. Coomer, Mrs. Lloyd Haire and Mrs. D.O. Burelsmith.

Hostesses, Mrs. C.J. Feagley and Mrs. Marcia Henry, served Banana Splits to the following members: Mrs. John Agee, Mrs. Don Barnes, Mrs. Tom Jinks, Mrs. Don Rempe, Mrs. Doyce Turner, Mrs. Benjie Splawn, Mrs. Dick Johnson, Mrs. Jerry Don Glover, Mrs. Delbert Barry, Mrs. Joel Young, Mrs. Curtis Walker, Mrs. Max King, Mrs. Joe King and Mrs. Eric Smith.

The next meeting will be February 15 in the home of Mrs. John Agee.



ESA RUSHEES . . . Pictured from left are Mrs. Joe Pat Riley, Mrs. Larry Stallings and Mrs. Benny Bruns, spring rushees of the Epsilon Chi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha.

ESA Sweetheart Crowned At Valentine Ball

Epsilon Chi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha held a Valentine Sweetheart Ball on Saturday night, February 5 at the Muleshoe Country Club. Mrs. Dick Chitwood was chosen Valentine Sweetheart. She was presented an engraved silver plaque and a long-stemmed red rose by ESA Beauty Queen, Mrs. Gary Smith.

The Sweetheart Ball also starts the beginning of spring rush for the sorority. New rushees are Mrs. Joe Pat Riley, Mrs. Larry Stallings and Mrs. Benny Bruns.

Chances on a large box of Valentine candy were sold at the door. The winner was John Blackwell.

Decorations of red, white and pink hearts were used throughout the room. Cupids and valentines decorated the walls. Streamers hung from the ceiling.

Tables were decorated with candy hearts and nut cups, Chips and dips and champagne punch were served for refreshments.

Several ESA members and

husbands attended the ball along with several in-active guests.

WEEKLY RECIPE

Sarah Anne Sheridan

Seafood prepared by any method goes over big at our house.

Sea Food Southern

- 3/4 c small scallops
- 2 eggs
- 2 c cooked rice
- 3/4 c boiled shrimp
- 2 T diced onion
- 2 T fat
- 1/4 c tomato catsup
- 1/2 t celery salt
- 1 t curry powder

Combine liquid from scallops with slightly beaten eggs. Add rice, scallops and shrimp. Brown onion slightly in fat and add catsup, celery salt and curry powder. Stir into rice mixture. Place in buttered shallow baking dish. Bake in an oven 350 degrees for 30 minutes.

*Serves 6.



MARCH OF DIMES . . . The Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority and Future Homemakers of America staged the Annual March of Dimes Drive from 4 to 6 p.m. Monday afternoon. Pictured in the back row, from left, are Dagmar Poteet, Judy Dearing, Lawren Hall, Robbie Nesbitt and Lydia McGee. In the front row, from left, are Mrs. Jerry Harrison, chairman of the drive, Donna Burris, Vicky Griffin, Rosa Linda Garcia, Adelaide Aquirre and Mrs. Lucian Armand.



MRS. HAL TIBBETS



VALENTINE SWEETHEART . . . Mrs. Dick Chitwood, right, was crowned Sweetheart of Epsilon Sigma Alpha at the Valentine Ball Saturday night. ESA Beauty Queen, Mrs. Gary Smith, presented Mrs. Chitwood an engraved silver plaque and a long-stemmed red rose.

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LUCKY WINNER . . . John Blackwell was the winner of a large box of Valentine candy at the ESA Valentine Ball Saturday night.

Take Advantage Of Specials

COLLEGE STATION--"Do you take advantage of the advertised food specials? You can save money on your food budget this way," said Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Mrs. Clyatt said to check meat counters this week for good beef values on chuck roasts and steaks, round steaks, stew meat, ground beef and beef liver.

"Most markets will feature one or more cuts at special prices so look over the offerings carefully before making your choices," she advised.

This week's values also include hams, ham portions, end-cut loin roasts and chops and shoulder steaks. Fryer chickens are an excellent meat choice, she noted.

"Two eggs supply satisfactory protein in lieu of meat. Buying and serving more eggs could result in a savings worthy of your consideration," Mrs. Clyatt said. "Grade A large eggs offer the best combination of quality and economy for your money."

"In general, the best values on the vegetable counter will be green cabbage, split peas, potatoes, bulk turnips, carrots, bell peppers, dry yellow onions and rutabagas."



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Investment Tax Credit Restored

COLLEGE STATION--Investment tax credit is back. Farmers, ranchers and businessmen can claim a seven percent investment tax credit on their 1971 tax returns for qualifying property. Such property must have been ordered and acquired after March 31, 1971, or acquired after August 15, regardless of when ordered, explains Dr. James I. Mallett, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Investment credit also applies to property where construction or reconstruction was begun after March 31 or was completed after August 15, regardless of when begun. If construction was begun before April 1, only costs attributed to the period after August 15 apply, explains Mallett.

Investment credit must be taken the year the property is placed in service and cannot exceed your tax liability, says the economist. If the tax liability is greater than \$25,000,

the limit is \$25,000 plus one half of the tax liability in excess of \$25,000. Unused credits can be carried back three years and then forward seven years.

The amount of investment credit on each asset depends on its useful life. This must be the same for computing both investment credit and depreciation. One-third of the investment qualifies for tax credit if the useful life is three years but less than five; two-thirds,

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to say a big "thank-you", for your prayers, flowers, cards and telephone calls we received while Claud was confined in the West Plains Hospital and Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, where Claud underwent surgery. He is now recuperating nicely at home, here in Muleshoe. May God's blessing be with you always. Mr. and Mrs. Claud Coffman
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if five years but less than seven; and 100 percent, if seven years or more. There is a \$50,000 limitation on investments in used property eligible for credit.

Properly qualifying for investment tax credit must be depreciable, points out Mallett. It includes tangible personal business property such as machinery, office equipment, trucks, autos and, for the first time, livestock (except horses), elevators and escalators. Tangible real property tied closely to production is also included, such as fences, silos, grain bins, hay barns and fuel storage tanks. Buildings not used strictly for storage do not qualify.

Tax laws prevent the creation of artificial credits by disposing of raised or non-recapture depreciable livestock and then acquiring substantially similar livestock. The cost of substantially identical livestock acquired within one year beginning six months before the original livestock was sold is reduced by the sale value.

The business percentage of property used for both business and personal purposes is also

Services Held Wednesday For W.E. Stewart

William Edgar Stewart, 74, died at 1:30 a.m. Tuesday, February 8, in West Plains Memorial Hospital after a short illness.

He had been a resident of Muleshoe since 1947, moving from Arlington. He was a trucker.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, February 9 at 10:30 a.m. in Singleton-Ellis Chapel of the Chimes. Rev. V.L. Huggins, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church, officiated.

Stewart was born October 7, 1897 in Longview, Texas.

eligible for investment credit, adds Mallett.

Foreign-made equipment is not eligible for tax credit unless it was ordered between April 1 and August 15 last year. This

includes all property completed outside the United States and property completed in this country if less than 50 percent of the cost is attributable to value added inside the U.S.

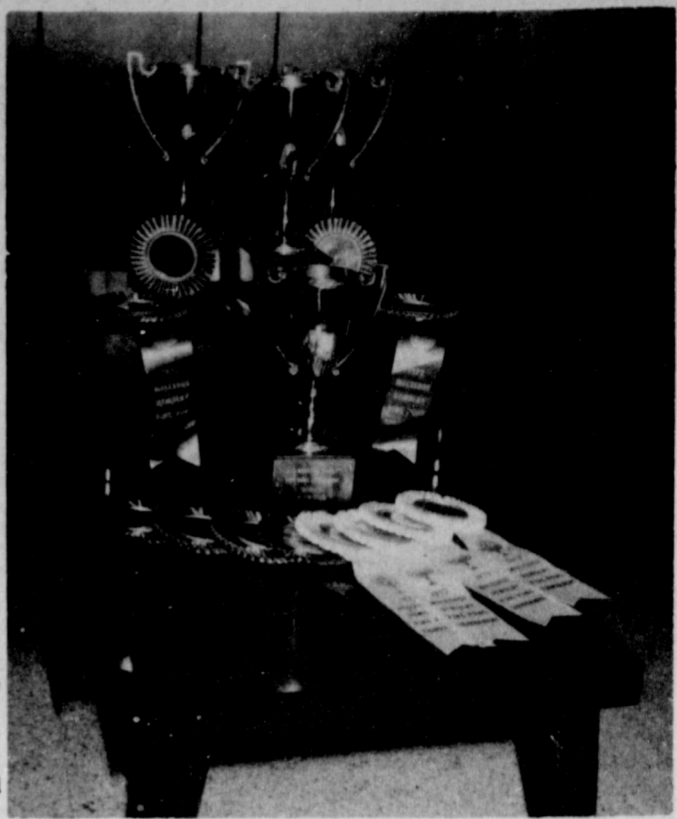
The economist explains that if investment credit property is disposed earlier than its estimated life, the credit must be recomputed. Any credit for which the actual holding period does not qualify must be paid back.

Sudan News

Mrs. Wayne Doty

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Black and James attended the reception held Sunday at the VFW Post in Littlefield where awards were presented to Lamb County students who participated in the recent VFW sponsored "Voice of Democracy" contest. James participated in this contest and finished among the top of the group.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Maxwell during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn



PING PONG TOURNEY TROPHIES . . . These are the trophies and ribbons that will be awarded to winners in the Muleshoe Ping Pong Tournament sponsored by the DeMolays. Trophies will be given to the first place winner in each division of the singles competition and to the winners in the doubles division. Ribbons will be presented to the runners up. Saturday, February 12, is the last day to enter the tourney that will be held February 17, 18 and 19 at the First Methodist Church.

Drum and family of Royce City, husband is on a ship. He is with the U. S. Navy.

Local students at Texas Tech named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester were Don Harper and Freddie Maxwell in the Department of Agriculture; and Louise Williamson, Home Economics. Named to the dean's list at Abilene Christian College were Sharon Wilson and Rex Boyles with both qualifying for scholarships. Debbie Fields was named to the dean's honor list at South Plains College.

Mrs. Ed Bellar has returned home from a visit in Granberry with her father who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ashford of Muleshoe were Sunday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace. Also visiting were his sister, Mrs. Alberta Beddo and Judy of Lubbock.

Local people hospitalized at the South Plains Hospital at Amherst are Mrs. Maggie Morris, H. O. Carson, Waymon Gordon, Mrs. Letha Gordon and Mrs. Aubrey White.

Mrs. Otis Markham suffered bruises in a fall recently at her home.

Mrs. Glen Testerman and children returned home over the weekend following a three week visit with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Drum and family of Royce City.

Mrs. Tommy Cate has returned to Fort Worth to be with her father, H. O. Cherry, who is ill.

Mrs. Danny Beauchamp and son, Sean, arrived here Saturday after spending two weeks with her parents in Annapolis, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fox of Albuquerque, N.M. and Howard Fox of San Jon, N.M. were here Sunday to attend the funeral of their uncle, Lonnie Fox. They also visited relatives.

Mrs. John Milam, who has been ill for the past two weeks and confined to her home, is reported to be improved.

Major and Mrs. Robert King and family of Monterey, Calif. are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Potter, for a few days before going to La Paz, Bolivia, where he will be stationed for approximately two years.

Mrs. Bill Adams is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morgan, for several months while her

Mrs. Hazel May was in Houston recently where she underwent a check up. She returned home over the weekend.

Funeral services for Mrs. Liddle Palena Ramsey, 91, were held Thursday, Jan. 27, at First Baptist Church. She was the mother of Mrs. E.W. Parmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nix have returned from Miami, Fla., where they spent about a week.



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Jimmy Dean Sausage Regular or Hot	2 Lb. Bag \$1.77	Round Steak Full Cut	USDA Choice Beef Valu-Trimmed Lb. \$1.19
Franks All Meat Farmer Jones	12 Oz. Pkg. 59¢	Sirloin Steak USDA Choice Beef, Valu-Trimmed Lb.	\$1.24
Bologna All Meat Farmer Jones	12 Oz. Pkg. 59¢	Chuck Steak USDA Choice Beef, Valu-Trimmed Lb.	89¢
Family Pack Pork Chops	9-12 Chops Quarterloin Lb. 79¢	Lean Boston Butts Pork Roast	Lb. 79¢
		Center Breakfast Slices Ham Slices	Lb. \$1.19

Bananas
 Golden Ripe
 Lb.
10¢
GRAPEFRUIT Texas 5 Lb. Bag 49¢
GREEN CABBAGE Fresh Green Heads Lb. 10¢

- Avocados Buttery Ripe Each 39¢
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