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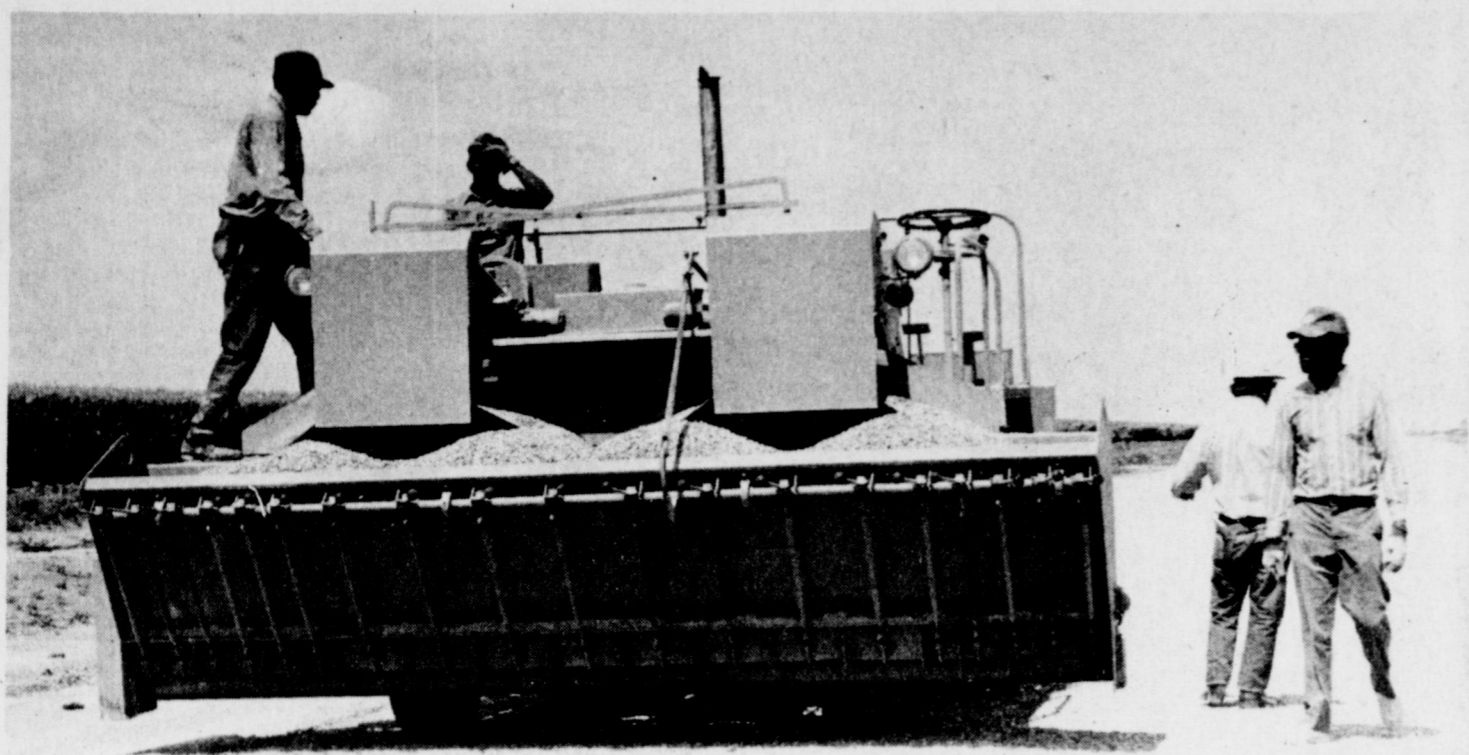
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FINAL STAGES The seven and one half miles on the Kukawate road, farm to market road 1760, is nearing completion as equipment shown above spreads gravel on the second course of surface treatment. Contractors anticipate finishing the road itself by the end of this week. The improve-

ment, constructed by Boswell Crafton Inc. of Lubbock, cost \$364,618.85 and should make Muleshoe implement houses, machine shops and other facilities more readily available to people of the Portales area.

NEW SCHOOL BOARD POLICY

Hours, Hair, Course Changes

School board members Monday night approved a change in the starting and ending times of Muleshoe students' school day, changed a part of the school dress policy for boys' hair styles, and approved course changes in both junior and senior high

schools. New teachers were approved for contract, and contracts for administration and school personnel approved.

Present were board members Lewis Wayne Shaffer, Charles G. Lewis, Ernest Ramm, David Stoval, Carl Bambert, and Supt. Neal Dillman.

School will begin at 8:30 a.m. instead of 8:45 a.m., and dismissed at 3:15 p.m., at both junior and senior high schools. Buses will leave high school at 3:30 p.m., while DeShazo El-

ementary and Richland Hills will dismiss at 3:30 p.m., with buses to arrive at these schools. Detailed schedules will be released at a later date, Supt. Dillman stated.

Of interest to young men is one change in the school dress policy: "Boys' haircuts: trimmed on sides so that hair does not completely cover the ear. The bottom of the ear must be showing. "Last year's rule read "hair should not touch or overlap the ears." The remainder of the dress policy re-

mains the same.

Senior High School course additions will be two quarters of business management; one

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Two Players Selected For All-Star Team

Two Muleshoe players were named to the Senior Babe Ruth All Star team Tuesday. They are Gary White and Don Long.

The state tournament will be held July 17 to 20 in Lubbock, when Almo (Amherst, Littlefield, Muleshoe and Olton) meets Northside, San Antonio, at 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 17. The winner of Wednesday's game will play Graham, who drew a by, at 8:30 p.m. Thursday. The loser of the Muleshoe San Antonio game Wednesday will play Lubbock-South Plains at 6 p.m. Thursday, July 11.

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United Methodist Church Holds Dedication Sunday

The congregation of the First United Methodist Church will dedicate the Fellowship Hall and Educational Building this Sunday afternoon, July 14, at 3:00 p.m. Bishop Alsie H. Carleton, Resident Bishop of the Northwest Texas and New Mexico Episcopal Area, and Rev. Carlton Thomson, Plainview

District Superintendent, will lead the service.

As an expression of humble gratitude to the God for the blessings of so bounteous a harvest last fall, the congregation began an effort in December to raise \$45,000.00 to retire the final indebtedness on the plant by January 20, 1974, some \$46,000.00 was raised and the final payment made.

Many special activities are planned for the day. Two former pastors will participate in the morning worship at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Waid Griffin, now of Lubbock, will lead the Pas-

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Twin Fires Gut Berry Storage

The contents of a wood and metal storehouse at the Al-len Berry home, 914 South First, were burned and charred by two fires within one hour on Sunday, at 7:04 p.m. and 8 p.m. Cause was undetermined on Tuesday.

Allen Berry said that "There was nothing inside to ignite." Winter and camping gear, approximately \$2,000 electrical testing equipment, tools, personal storage items, such as a large tent and his old lantern collection were destroyed.

Police List Accidents

Police reports say three accidents have occurred since Saturday. In the Saturday morning two-car, truck accident two men were hospitalized and now released. Jearrell Burge, released Monday morning, from West Plains Hospital, suffered injuries to lower back. The local man is stationed at Fort Hood, Fred Johnson was admitted to an Amherst hospital Saturday afternoon.

Johnson turning left onto Seventh Street was struck from behind by the Burge car; the force of impact by the Burge car striking Johnson made Johnson's car strike the left part of a Mimms Meat Company, Houston, truck traveling east. Johnson's car turned a-

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around
muleshoe
with the journal staff

Lonnie Merriott recently attended the Texas Employment Commission convention in Albuquerque, N.M. He was accompanied by his sons, Gary and Micky. They traveled to Creed, Colo. following the convention for a few days fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Splawn and Michael and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Splawn met in Delhart and traveled to Raton, N.M. for the past weekend.

Lawren and Perry Hall were in the Kerrville area Friday until Monday return. Lawren attended a houseparty of a Camp Waldemar friend, while Perry visited friends at Rio Vista and San Antonio.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Holmes have been their son and daughter-in-law from Norfolk, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Holmes. They are in the process of moving here. They have four children, Bryce, Joy, Jackie and Jesse.

Sunday, July 7, Buster McDaniel, a brother to Mrs. J.W. Holmes arrived here from Greenville. Also here were Mc Daniels' daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer and their children of Irving. They were on their way to Colorado to go fishing but will return soon to spend more time with their family.

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INTO THE TROUGH These potatoes are being conveyed from a truck to a washing trough at Barrett Produce as the 1974 potatoes harvest gets underway.

Potatoe Harvest Is Big Business In Muleshoe Area

The first load of 1974 Muleshoe potatoes arrived Monday at T.J. Powers Company's Vegetable processing plant, west on Clovis highway, from the Doyce Turner-A.R. McGuire farms. Turners russetts were excellent grade one quality, plant manager/firm partner Pat Powers of Dallas said.

Barrett Produce, east of town is in production also, processing the new crop of potatoes.

At the height of the season, which will last several months, ten to 12 truck loads or 40,000 pounds of potatoes will be processed daily, Powers stated. Norgold Russett and Red La-Soda varieties are grown by

local farmers contracting with Powers' firm.

There is good movement shipping out by truck from Muleshoe, with local potatoes sold all over the eastern and southern part of the country, he stated. Powers employs 35 to 40 persons at the plant.

Local farmers have contracted 540 acres of potatoes to Powers firm. In addition there will be 250 acres of onions contracted locally. The onions, independently grown carrots and cabbages grown here will be packed and handled at Powers' Hereford plant. The company's other processing plants are located in Carrizo Springs and Dallas.

County Authorizes Tax Equalization

National TV To Feature Muleshoe

Tommy Black, manager of the local chamber of commerce and agriculture, told the Journal the Muleshoe's Fourth of July Championship Pitching Contest and Pony Express race will appear in a television special fea-

ture on national television within four months.

Glenn King filmed the series of both events for Texas A&M University, who will produce the special. Arrangements were coordinated by the chamber, Black said.

Black said that the July Fourth Celebration this year was a tremendous success.

"Each phase of the Celebration requires help and cooperation from someone . . . it can't be done by one or two people. The Chamber office coordinated the activities and, with the help of individuals and organizations as well, the day proved to be enjoyable for all," Black said.

"Our thanks to everyone who worked in some capacity that day. Your personal contribution to the Fourth is appreciated," Black stated.

Bike-A-Thon For Cancer

The Bailey County Cancer Society is sponsoring a "Bike-A-Thon" to kick off the drive for memberships and contributions to the local Cancer Fund. The "Bike-A-Thon" will be

held on Saturday, July 27th, from 12:00 noon to dark, West Avenue D will be roped off from 8th street to 17th street so that the riders can compete without danger from traffic. The Bike-A-Thon for cancer is open to adults and young

people alike. Anyone who can ride a bicycle or tricycle is eligible to compete. Each entrant must have at least one sponsor who is willing to pay 25¢ for each mile he or she rides, and entrants are encouraged to get several sponsors if possible. This is not a race, or endurance contest. Entrants can ride at any pace they wish,

stopping for rest and refreshments as often as they wish. Volunteers will be needed to help conduct the Bike-A-Thon for cancer. Anyone who will help is asked to contact the county crusade chairman, Pat Benett, at 272-3640.

Streaker At Crossroads

As City Patrolman David Wisian patrolled the downtown area near the crossroads of American Blvd. and First Streets at 11:33 p.m. Sunday night, a "streaker" ran beside the patrol car. With assistance from a passing motorist, and after several requests from the patrolman, the nude young man stopped and entered the patrol car, police say.

The dash, reportedly from the Muleshoe State Bank parking lot, across the street to the First Street Conoco station, then down First Street, was observed by some 25 to 30 young people on the bank parking lot, the officer commented.

The minor was charged for engaging in "disorderly conduct" and fined \$195 and court costs by Justice of the Peace Morris Nowlin.

A man telephoned the emergency police dispatch number Sunday morning at 9:13 a.m., wanting the dispatcher "to send someone to help him." One of

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Rodeo, Barbeque Set For Earth

The 30th Annual Amateur Earth Rodeo will be kicked off with a parade at 5:00 p.m. Thursday July 11. A free barbeque will be held at the Rodeo grounds following the parade, with the purchase of a ticket to the rodeo performance.

Performances will start at 9:00 p.m. each night of the three night rodeo. Special attraction this year will be the Businessmen's Calf Roping, a Calf Scramble for 14 and under youngsters will also be held and new rodeo queen crowned.

Trophy buckles for first place winners in each event will be awarded. Events offered and the entrance fee for them are: Calf roping, \$25; Bareback Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Girl's Barrel Race, Bull Riding, \$20 each and Team Roping, \$24. Junior Roping, age 16 and under, will also be offered.

Rodeo Stock will be furnished by L.D. Ward of Trinidad, Colorado.

\$1,342 For Program Raised By Jaycees

The Muleshoe Jaycees met Monday for their noon general membership meeting with the President Charles Moraw, presiding. Invocation was given by Gene McGuire, Pledge of Allegiance was led by Larry Gorney and the Jaycee Creed was led by Max King.

Joe Mata, chairman of the Muleshoe-Stegall Opportunity Plan, stated Monday that approximately \$1,342 was donated to the program which helps Muleshoe students to further

Hereford Firm Voted To Conduct Survey

The Bailey County Commissioners Court, in regular session Monday July 8, voted unanimously to employ the firm of J.W. McMorries, Sr. of Hereford to proceed with the equalization of ad valorem tax val-

ues on the taxable property of Bailey County. Included in the equalization work will be both real estate and personal property values. "This is a highly important, but somewhat delicate undertaking, and the Court hopes for the understanding, patience, and cooperation of the people," county Judge Glenn Williams said Tuesday.

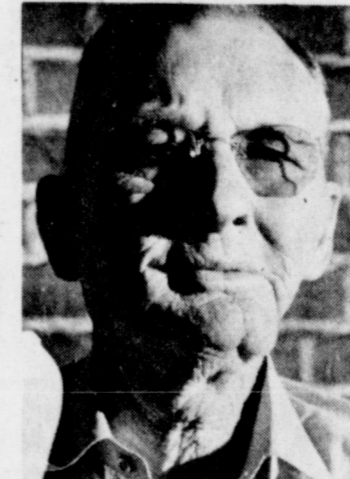
County Area Receives Rain

As Muleshoe and area residents hopefully watched the skies Sunday and Monday trying to see wetstuff fall from the heavens they were disappointed. J.W. Crim north of Muleshoe predicted March 22 "thunder, lightning and big clouds with nothing happening" and this weeks weather has been an example of his prophecy come true. Muleshoe received only scattered sprinkles.

Surrounding areas were luckier. The Leldon Phillips, 12 miles west of Muleshoe, reported one inch. The Harold Allison, eight miles east, received .02. And the Wildlife Refuge, 20 miles south, reported .23.

Other areas that received just a sprinkle were Needmore, northwest of Lubbock, northeast of town and west of Clay's Corner.

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D. O. SMITH

"This should not be thought of as a tax RAISE, but rather, EQUILAZATION. It is a honest effort to equally distribute the tax load, so that no taxpayer is forced to pay higher taxes than his neighbor. Surely in the final analysis, no taxpayer wants more than a fair deal," he continued.

Bailey County tax values have

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D.O. Smith Services Set Thursday

Services for D.O. Smith, a Bailey county resident since 1920, will be Thursday, July 11, at 4 p.m. in the Singleton-Ellis Chapel of the Chimes, The Reverend Murrell Johns of the Progress Baptist Church will officiate. Burial will be at Muleshoe Cemetery under the direction of Singleton Ellis Funeral Home.

Smith, 81, died at 5:20 a.m. July 9 in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview.

Born January 3, 1893 in Lewisville, Smith moved to this county in 1920. He married Iva White March 13, 1940, in Roswell, N.M. Smith was a retired farmer.

Survivors included the wife Iva; five sons, John and D.L. of Muleshoe, Richard of San Diego, Calif., Bob of Santa Barbara, Calif., and Stanley of Carlsbad, N.M., 18 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

held Thursday, July 4, 1974 at the Muleshoe Airport. Approximately 230 people enjoyed the breakfast of pancakes and sausage.

The membership booth held at various locations throughout the 4th of July was reported on by Curtis Walker. Several prospective members were encouraged to join the Jaycees.

Dick Kelton reported on the Ruidosa Retreat to be held

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WASHING THEM OFF T.J. Power Company of Muleshoe has started receiving potatoes Monday and shown above is one of the first loads being washed prior to their being graded and shipped.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

NEW STORE HOURS!!!
7 A.M.-12 P.M. DAILY SUNDAY 9 A.M.-10 P.M.

We reserve the right to limit quantities. None sold to dealers. Prices good thru July 13 1974.

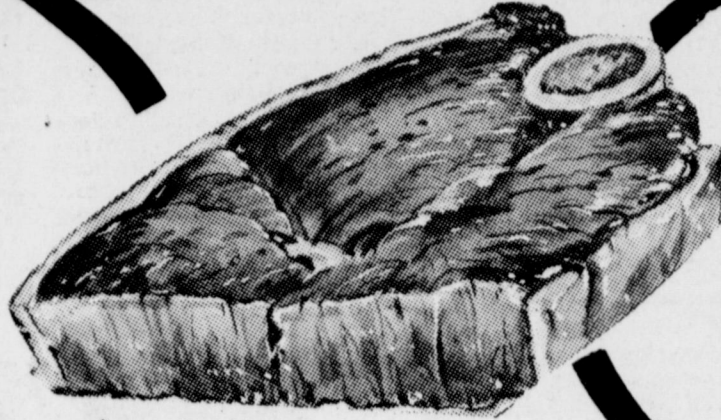


Piggly Wiggly Welcomes Federal Food Stamp Customers

- USDA Inspected, Fryer Drumsticks or Fryer Thighs Lb. **79c**
- USDA Inspected, Grade A, Baking Chickens Lb. **69c**
- Ralston Purina Game Hens 20-oz. **1.29**
- USDA Inspected Fryer Wings Lb. **39c**

Farmer Jones, No. 1 Quality, 2-Lb. \$1.55
Sliced Bacon Lb. **96c**

USDA Choice Superb Trim
Round Steak
\$1.19
 Lb.



USDA Choice Valu-Trim
Rib Steak
\$1.19
 Lb.

- All Meat Rath's Franks 12 oz. **89c**
- USDA Choice, Superb Valu Trim, Boneless Strip Steak Lb. **2.49**
- USDA Choice, Superb Valu Trim Chuck Steak Center Cut Lb. **1.09**
- USDA Choice, Superb Valu Trim Swiss Steak Arm Cut Lb. **1.29**

- Crisp Cucumbers Lb. **39c**
- Creamy Ripe Avocados Ea. Lb. **39c**
- Delicious Cherry Tomatoes Ea. **69c**

- Fresh Yellow Onions Lb. **15c**
- Fresh Bell Pepper Lb. **59c**
- Fresh Crisp Carrots Lb. **25c**



Sliced, Smoked
Picnics
59c
 Lb.

USDA Choice Boneless
Chuck Roast
\$1.29
 Lb.

Fresh
Plums
39c
 Lb.

Juicy
Nectarines
49c
 Lb.

USDA Inspected, Split with Ribs
Fryer Breasts Lb. **79c**

USDA Choice Boneless
Rump Roast Lb. **\$1.49**

Romaine
Lettuce Ea. **33c**

Crispy-Fresh Produce from Piggly Wiggly

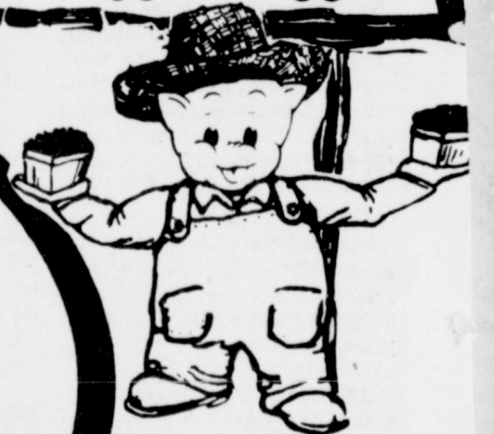
- Farmer Jones, 4-6 Lbs. Boneless Ham Halves Lb. **1.79**
- Farmer Jones, Boneless Nugget Hams Lb. **1.89**
- Decker Cervelat Lb. **98c**
- Armour's Smoked Sausage Lb. **1.29**
- Delicious Hot Links Lb. **98c**

Farmer Jones
Juicy Franks 12-oz. **79c**

All Purpose
Gladiola Flour
69c
 5 Lb. Bag



Ripe
Peaches
39c
 Lb.



- Honey Dew Melons Lb. **29c**
- Sweet Pineapple Ea. **89c**
- Fresh Red Cabbage Lb. **25c**

Vegetable or Vegetarian Vegetable
Campbell's Soup
6 \$1
 10 3/4-oz. Can

- Borden's Instant Potatoes 16-oz. Box **59c**
- Piggly Wiggly Tomato Soup 10 3/4-oz. Can **14c**
- All Flavors Jello Gelatin 3-oz. Box **15c**

Piggly Wiggly Sweetmilk or
Buttermilk Biscuits
9c
 10-Ct. Can

Beauty Aids



Colgate
Dental Cream
69c
 5-oz. Tube Lb.

- Tame Balsam & Body, Instant Conditioner 8-oz. Btl. **83c**
- Mouthwash & Gargle Lavis 14-oz. Btl. **\$1.09**
- Pond's Cold Cream 6.1-oz. Jar **99c**

Great Hair Care Discovery
Alberto Balsam 8-oz. Btl. **89c**

Fresh Dairy



Quarters
Parkay Oleo
39c
 Lb. Ctn.

- Pillsbury, Butter Tasting 1868 Biscuits 10-Ct. Can **43c**
- Piggly Wiggly Cinnamon Rolls 10-Ct. Can **33c**
- Soft in Tub Churngold Oleo 16-oz. Tub **57c**

Piggly Wiggly
Buttermilk 1/2-Gal. Ctn. **69c**

Frozen Foods



Minute Maid, 100% Florida, Frozen
Orange Juice
29c
 6-oz. Can

- Rich's, Frozen Coffee Rich 16-oz. Ctn. **33c**
- Sara Lee, Frozen Brownies 13-oz. Pkg. **1.07**
- Mrs. Smith's, Frozen Boston Cream Pie 20-oz. Pkg. **89c**

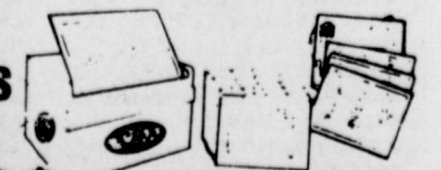
Morton, 4 Varieties, Frozen
Economy Dinners 11-oz. Pkg. **39c**

Fresh
Salad Tomatoes **39c**

Joan or Arc
Golden Corn
4 88c
 17-oz. Cans

- Piggly Wiggly, No Deposit Bottles Assorted Drinks 28-oz. Btl. **27c**
- Strained Heinz Baby Food 4 1/2-oz. Jar **13c**

The Complete Family
Recipe Card Collection
 This Week
Get Series 14 & 15
 Each **39c**



Equalization...

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 not been equalized in nearly thirty years. During this time changing conditions, changes in property, and changes in values, have made the old values obsolete. The court is simply making an effort to correct this situation, the judge commented.

"McMorries lives in Herford and has had many years experience in this type of work experience in this type of work. He is not only a professional man, but is a farmer also. His firm is staffed with finely trained personnel that are capable of doing a good job. Being local, they speak layman's language, and have the common touch. So they will be pleasant to work with. McMorries will be here personally to supervise the work, and to work himself. The people of Bailey County will be treated fairly, with the courtesy and respect they deserve. The contract stipulates that any employee of the equalization firm who conducts himself in an improper manner will be immediately removed," Judge Williams said.

Public and private meetings will be held throughout the County to discuss this matter with the tax-payers so they will understand what the situation is at this time, the reasons for equalization, and the procedures. All questions will be answered, and, as nearly as is humanly possible, all actions will be justified. Nothing will be kept from the public. There will be no secrets, the commissioner said.

Each piece of real estate will be personally inspected and classified according to guidelines and schedules mutually agreed to by the commissioners court, McMorries, and the Tax Assessor. Commercial personal property will be worked by McMorries, and rural personal property by personnel of the tax office.

All real estate will be worked by McMorries as will public utilities, railroads, etc. A reasonable conservative market value will be fixed for each piece of property. Each property owner will be given opportunity for a personal conference, and will be allowed to compare his value with that of other properties. Values will be arrived at by consideration of comparable sales, location, condition, capitalization value, and all other factors that contribute to what is known as "market value".

Final values will be approved by the commissioners court, sitting as an equalization board. Then a uniform per-centage will be applied to all values, so that each tax-payer will pay equally according to the market value of his property. This is as the law directs, and as

is should be, the judge said.

"The court sincerely hopes that no tax-payer will become alarmed or disturbed but rather, be assured that no one is going to be hurt, or mistreated. Some values will of course be raised, and, by the same token, some will be lowered, but all will be treated fairly," he continued.

Total contract price for this work is \$40,300.00, which amount is to be paid by December 1, 1975. It is believed that the end product will justify the cost and work involved, and that finally the public will be well pleased. The City of Muleshoe, and the local schools will be invited to participate on a reasonable basis if they so desire, the commissioners court decreed.

Work will begin soon, but in the meantime any questions may be discussed with any member of the commissioner's, ber of the commissioner's, court, or with the Tax Assessor.

Scabies...

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 The scabies infestation was found on June 27 a local feed lot, Sorenson explained, by the federal and state livestock inspectors.

Scabies, the agricultural official said, is caused by small mites that puncture the skin of cattle and feed on body fluids released from the wounds, which after being rubbed by the animal, turn into scabs.

A part of Castro County is also under a scabies quarantine, while part of Curry County, New Mexico, has just been removed from quarantine.

Police...

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 round in a 90 degree angle, then toward the street. Truck driver was Marilyn Winslet, Houston Robert Ottwell was occupant in the Burge auto. Full fuel tank ruptured, spilling some 50 pounds of diesel fuel onto the highway. Charges were filed for one, no driver's license; one, following to close.

Minor damages were sustained Monday in a collision between John Allen Mills, 538 W. Avenue B, and Bernardino L. Cardenas, Route 2, on American boulevard as Mills turned westbound and made a left turn onto 18th Street. Minor damages sustained, with a ticket issued for failure to give right away, J.R. Carpenter, investigating officer.

Sunday, July 6, a minor accident occurred on Avenue D and Third Street, involving Cassie Preoure and Lena Grace Hawkins, David Wisin, investigating officer.

Police reports list four arrested for drunkenness and fined \$27.50 each offense for each person.

Two were charged for no drivers license, with a \$27.50 fine each.

At 10:58 Monday night three young men were charged with swimming in the nude at the city swimming pool, David Wisin, investigating officer.

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 Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Freeman and children, Torie, Tamie and Marty visited recently with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Freeman and LaQueta of Ruidoso. Also visiting in Ruidoso was Mrs. Ronnie Garner and children of Muleshoe. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Freeman and family then travel to Muleshoe to visit her family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Spud Thomas. They will return to their home in Bothell, Washington by way of Ruidoso for another visit with family.

At Rotary Tuesday, Tommy Black, Chamber of Commerce manager presented a rundown of July 4th and expressed his appreciation to all civic clubs and ladies organizations that helped make it so successful. He pointed out that the large increase of teen-age participation in events was very satisfying. Kenneth Henry had the program which consisted of Bob Stovall and Pesky Winn giving reports on the District Assembly held in Canyon. Guests were Guy Walden and Rocky Gafford. The scheduled program next week will be presented by Burt Sinclair of the Lubbock Police Department.

Don Cihak and Sam Damon won first in the men's doubles at July 12-13 annual Olt Tennis tournament. There were six other entries from Muleshoe, Damon said.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riels are their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Adkins, Lesley, Melissa and Mandy of Arlington, Texas and Mrs. Pat Duncker, Heather and Kimberly of Denver, Indiana. They all plan to leave for their homes Friday.

In the Old Settlers Reunion writeup which was in the Sunday, July 7 paper, it should have read that Mrs. Rudolf Moraw was chairman of the refreshment committee with Mrs. Fred Beene as co-chairman. Mrs. Rudolf Moraw also made the ceramic mules which were given as prizes.

Mrs. W.E. Meyers of Rt. 2 is in Methodist Hospital at Lubbock, Room 300

School...

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 quarter business law; three quarters, drama; and one quarter "free enterprise".

New courses in junior high will be an elective Spanish course for eighth graders and delimiting the Home and Family Living course.

The personal local sick leave policy for teachers was reduced from five days per year to three days per year by the board. This is over and above the State Sick Leave Policy and was made after a review of the number of days used last year for personal leave.

Six new teachers were approved for employment:

Miss Mary E. Davis, Girls' Health and P.E., High School; a graduate of Abernathy High School, holds BS degree from Texas Tech University, taught two years at Wheeler L.S.D., Wheeler.

Mrs. Shirley Williams, E.M.R., Special Education at Mary DeShazo Elementary; graduate of Slaton High School, holds a BS degree from Texas Tech University. She is married and has one child. She has four years experience and taught at Idalou last year.

Miss Paula Kay Norris - Homemaking, Senior High School; a graduate of Lubbock High School, holds a BS degree from Texas Tech University. She did her practice teaching in Muleshoe Homemaking Department last year.

Rodney Dale Murphy, high school teacher and assistant coach; a graduate of Bovina High School and holds a BS degree from West Texas State University.

David E. Murphy, Choir Director for both junior and senior high schools, is a graduate of Pampa High School and holds a bachelor of Music Education from Texas Tech University. He taught in Odessa Junior High last year.

Mrs. Jessie R. Pierce, Spanish and English, Senior High School; a graduate of Alamogordo, N.M. and holds a BA degree from Eastern New Mexico University. She has had one year teaching experience at Lordsburg, N.M.

Contracts were approved for the following administration and school personnel:

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Rainfall...

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 Tuesday night parts of Muleshoe received a shower while around Muleshoe received little. The Richland Hills and Harvey additions were reported as getting at least one-inch while the Lenau addition received only a light shower. The Country Club addition also got a nice shower.

Jaycees...

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 by the Jaycees August 16, 17 and 18th. A speaker for this annual event has not been announced at this time.

Several members from the Jaycees are planning now to attend the Summer Board - F.O.Y.T. to be held July 26, 27 and 28th, at McAllen, Texas.

Ted Barnhill reported on H.E.L.P. 1974 in which a 1974 Ford LTD to be given away August 24, 1974. With each \$10.00 donation, a person will receive a chance on the new car donated by Muleshoe Motor Co. Tickets can be purchased from and Jaycee and its sole purpose is to help the hospital.

Charles Moraw announced that the Claude Blitz to be held July 20 at Claude, Texas is to help recruit new members to keep the Claude Jaycees from losing their chapter.

Three new chapters are in the making and the Muleshoe Jaycees are trying to help extend new chapters to Earth, Littlefield and Morton. These extensions are vital to each of these towns as well as the Jaycees. Jeff Smith, Bill Russell and Bob Addison all reported on these extensions.

Ted Barnhill and Charles Moraw recently visited the Clovis Jaycees and in return, the Clovis Jaycees will be visiting here in the future.

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 Other towns with all star members include Sudan, Dan Noles, Richard Tamplin, Mark Hanna, Carrol Legg; Morton, Rail Mason and Billy Joyce; Olton, Vic Hawthorn and Alan Carson, Littlefield, Kenny Owens, Kelly Pratt, Bill Turner and Len Ritchie; Amherst, Richard Holly and Jimmy Parish; and Dimmitt, Kyle Broderson and Alan Carson.

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 toral Prayer, and the Rev. J.B. Lawler, now of Perryton, will bring the message. Letters have been received from the Rev. Frank Perry and Clarence Stephens, expressing their best wishes for the day, and regrets they will be unable to attend.

A covered-dish dinner will be served in the Fellowship Hall at 12:30 p.m. The service of dedication will be held in the Fellowship Hall at 3:00 p.m. Bishop Carleton will bring the message and lead the act of dedication.

The congregation extends an invitation to anyone who may desire to share any, or all of these services. A time of visitation, and fellowship will follow the act of dedication, at which light refreshments will be served.

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The board heard and studied the current financial report in which they heard the collection report that 95.69 percent of current taxes have been collected are \$651,387.51, over \$28,522

higher than 1972 taxes.

Gulf Oil Corporation was accepted by bid for gasoline for pupil transportation for 1974-75 year, at 27.10 cents per gallon.

Borden Incorporated's bid at 9.75 cents per one half pint of milk for lunchroom use was lowest bid and accepted.

Board members discussed and studied the rising costs of the lunchroom program and prices of meals, but no action was taken.

Approval was given to the low bid of \$3,000 from Lawery and Sons Paint Contractors, to paint Mary DeShazo Elementary School Cafeteria and Gymnasium. Lydick Roofing Company was given the low bid to make spot repairs on the roofs at Richland Hills and the Junior and senior high schools, for \$5,950.

The next regular meeting of the M.I.D.S. will be August 12 at 8:30 p.m., with special budget hearing meetings to be held August 19, 8:30 p.m. and August 29, 7 p.m.

CONGRESSMAN
Bob Price
 18th Congressional District

AMARILLO - Congressman Bob Price, addressing the Western Division annual membership meeting and banquet of Associated Milk Producers at the Villa Inn Convention Center here tonight, stressed the good job the agriculture sector is doing in the face of economic difficulties.

With U.S. and world population growing rapidly, Price told the producers they play a major role in answering the question of how well shall the people be fed, and that this important role for agriculture will help producers deal with economic difficulties.

"The economic fact of life is that you will be encouraged to achieve production goals only if you can expect a reasonable profit from your efforts," the senior House Agriculture Committee member said.

In outlining economic challenges facing the industry, Price recognized that some \$430 million worth of dairy imports this fiscal year "have depressed domestic dairy markets and many dairymen are having difficulties in meeting this competition."

But Price noted that the dairy situation was unique with agricultural exports generally exceeding imports more than two to one.

The Texas rancher-Congressman also stressed that the whole agriculture sector is caught in a squeeze between rising costs and consumer resentment of retail prices.

"One of the most important factors in keeping agricultural production up, and in a condition where it can act to meet the large future demands for food production, is to encourage increased consumption now," Price said.

In the long run, the Congressman contended that increased farm production "will not only help us to meet our own population demands, but also those of the world," Price said. "Higher production will help to fight inflation."

"Farm people have been leading the way in the inflation fight, and the country owes them a debt of gratitude and understanding. The farmer, the cattlemans, the dairyman -- we are all in the front line of the fight against inflation and we are taking some hard blows now."

"But the agriculture sector is going all out to produce more and we are doing it even though machinery is hard to get, even though fertilizer, fuel and other costs are higher; and I think by and large, producers are doing a terrific job," Price concluded.

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MISS VICKI COPLEY

Bridal Shower Fetes Miss Vicki Copley

A bridal shower honoring Miss Vicki Copley, bride-elect of Bobby Welch of Leveland, was held Monday, July 8, in the Fellowship hall of the First Methodist Church.

Special guests were Mrs. J. R. Copley, mother of the honoree and Mrs. Gene Welch, mother of the prospective groom. The honoree and mothers were presented pink carnation corsages.

The table was covered with a white lace cloth and centered with a pink floral pyramid arrangement. Thumb print cookies and banana punch was served by the hostesses from silver and crystal appointments.

Miss Rama Copley, sister of the honoree, registered guests. Hostess gifts were a set of stainless steel flatware and a cutlery set.

Hostesses were Rowena

Watson, Dean Sprayberry, Mrs. R.B. Seaton, Mrs. Jack Kemp, Mrs. James Kemp, Mrs. George Watley, Mrs. Clayton Myers, Mrs. John Crim, Mrs. James Roy Jones, Mrs. W.T. Watson, Mrs. Bobby Burris, Mrs. H. F. Vanderver, Mrs. H. D. Hunter and Mrs. Boyd Magby.

NEW ARRIVALS



Roseanne Martinez

Mr. and Mrs. David Martinez of Lovington, N.M., are the proud parents of a new baby girl born July 6, 1974 at 12:58 a.m. in the West Plains Memorial Hospital of Muleshoe. The baby weighed six pounds and 15 ounces and was named Roseanne Martinez.

She is the couple's first child.

Adgar Ortiz

Mr. and Mrs. Leopoldo Ortiz of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy born July 7, 1974 at 9:35 p.m. in the West Plains Memorial Hospital of Muleshoe. The baby weighed seven pounds and six ounces and was named Adgar Ortiz.

He is the couple's first child.

'Tis by our quarrels that we spoil our prayers.
-Cotton Mather.

Market Report

chuck roasts and steaks, ground beef and round steaks and roasts.

"Good pork buys are picnics, ham portions, shoulder roasts and steaks and end-cut loin roasts and chops.

"Supplies of sweet cherries, apricots, peaches, seedless grapes, plums and nectarines have increased but these will take a little time to go into the economy class," Mrs. Clyatt reported.

Prices of cantaloupe and watermelon are slightly lower as the supplies increase now.

"Most economical vegetable choices include cabbage, carrots, radishes, green onions, tomatoes, dry yellow onions, and locally grown mustard, collard and turnip greens.

CONSUMER WATCHWORD: To preserve egg quality during hot weather, hurry eggs home from the store and refrigerate immediately.

West Plains Hospital Hospital Briefs

ADMISSIONS: Jearrell Burge, Mrs. Gene Davis, Mrs. Bill Hall, Mrs. Leopoldo Ortiz, E.A. Glenn and Mrs. John R. Harris.

DISMISSALS: Viola Layne, Jearrell Burge, Mrs. David Martinez and baby girl, Mrs. Joe Peugh and Joe A. Pena.

Recycling Clothes

COLLEGE STATION--- Recycling old clothes for new life, fit and fashion is as in today as recycling paper, glass and metal, Mrs. Becky Culp notes.

Concern over fabrics shortages and energy conservation--as well as clothing costs--can take credit for this trend, the clothing specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, explained.

whether it's simply a button change, shorter hem, new applique or complete garment renovation, recycling offers consumers a rewarding, creative experience.

Most families have closets full of clothes they no longer wear regularly. This stems larger, more varied wardrobes and strong synthetic fibers and blends--which mean clothes don't wear out as quickly.

With a little time and imagination, these items turn into wearable fashions, Mrs. Culp pointed out.

Before recycling a garment, she advised considering the following. --Is the fabric worth using? Is it stained or worn out? Can an adequate portion be used? Will the fabric successfully combine with others?

--Do you possess necessary sewing skills to make the garment wearable again--without it looking homemade or like changes were tacked on?

--Are compatible trim and notions available?

After asking these questions it may be wiser to either purchase or sew a completely new item.



AUGUST WEDDING PLANNED Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowell, of Hobbs, New Mexico, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Connie, to Donnie Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.I. (Spud) Thomas of Muleshoe. The couple plans to be married at the First United Methodist Church of Canyon, Texas on August 31. Miss Crow is a senior at West Texas State, majoring in nursing and is vice president of Chi Omega Social Sorority. Thomas is a senior at West Texas State, and is currently employed by Randall County Sheriff Department.

Glorieta Sight Of Music Conference

Two musical premieres, a concert recital and the congregational singing of the "Messiah" will highlight the upcoming Music Leadership Conference at Glorieta Baptist Conference Center here, July 13-19.

The week-long conference will begin Saturday night with the singing of the "Messiah," directed by Robert Burton from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Tex.

"Conference participants should bring a copy of the "Messiah," preferably the G. Schirmer edition," said William J. Reynolds, secretary of the church music department, Southern Baptist Sunday School Tenn. "However, copies will be on sale at the conference center for persons who don't have the music."

"Jonah's Tale of a Whale," a children's musical by Robert and Jeanne Graham, will be premiered Sunday night by a choir from the First Baptist Church of Garland, Tex., under the directions of Harrell Slack, minister of music. Kurt Kaiser, composer-arranger and vice-president of Word, Inc., music publishers in Waco, Tex., will be featured in concert Monday evening.

During the worship service Tuesday evening, a special tribute will be paid to the late B. B. McKinney, one of the foremost Southern Baptist hymn writers who was killed in an automobile accident in 1952.

"Common Cup," a new youth drama by Ed Seabough and Bill Cates, both well-known composers of drama-musicals, will be premiered Wednesday night.

Thursday night a major oratorio entitled, "What Is Man," will be presented by the conference oratorio choirs composed from persons attending the conference. James Woodward, dean of the college of fine arts at Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, will conduct the oratorio.

Kaiser will be the guest clinician for the conference, while Gene Garrison, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Oklahoma City, Okla., will be the worship leader.

Leadership conferences for all age groups will be held each morning from 8:30-9:30.

The afternoon sessions will be reserved for special-interest conferences. These will include "Music in the Bible," "Song Leading," "Beginning and Advanced Vocalist," "Contemporary Worship," "Beginning and Advanced Guitar," "Contemporary Rhythms," and "Music in Evangelism."

Glorieta Baptist Conference Center is owned and operated by the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board.

A Study In English "I want to be procrastinated at the next corner," said the passenger to the bus conductor.

"You want to be what?" demanded the conductor. "Don't lose your temper. I had to look in the dictionary myself before I found out that 'procrastinate' means 'put off'."

**** A man holding public office can hardly expect to please those who want special privileges and extra favors.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Griffiths and Mr. and Mrs. Horce T. Edwards would like you to represent to share in the joy of their children Marian and Mark on their wedding day Saturday, the twentieth of July Nineteen hundred and seventy-four at seven-thirty in the evening First United Methodist Church 628 West Jefferson Kerrville, Texas

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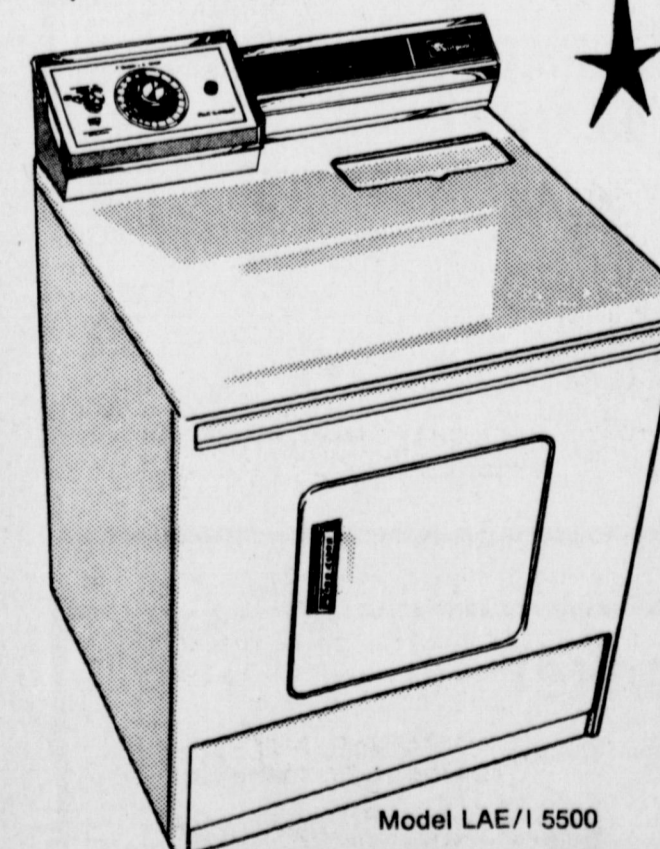
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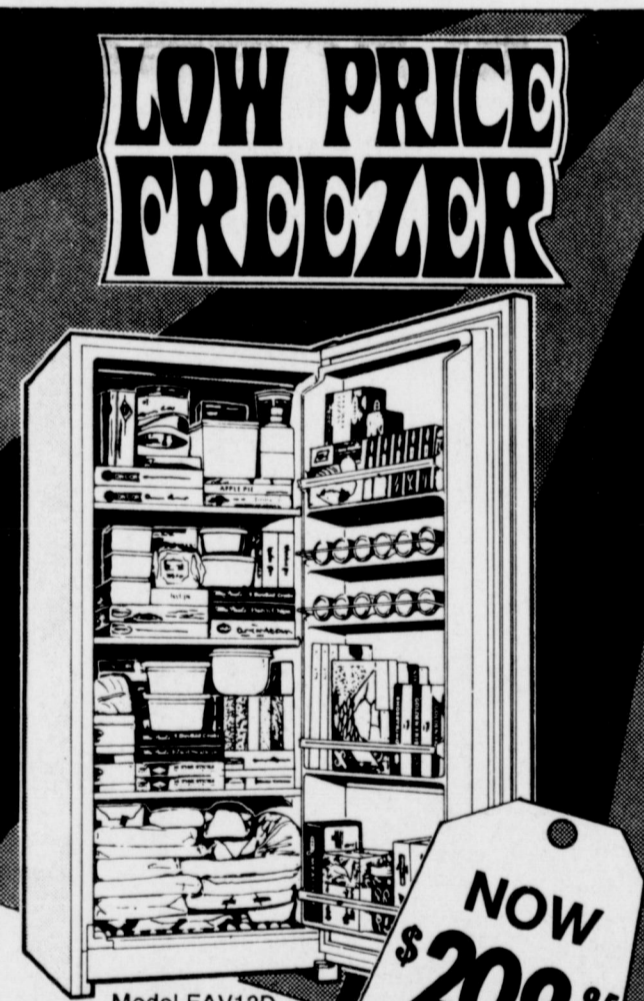
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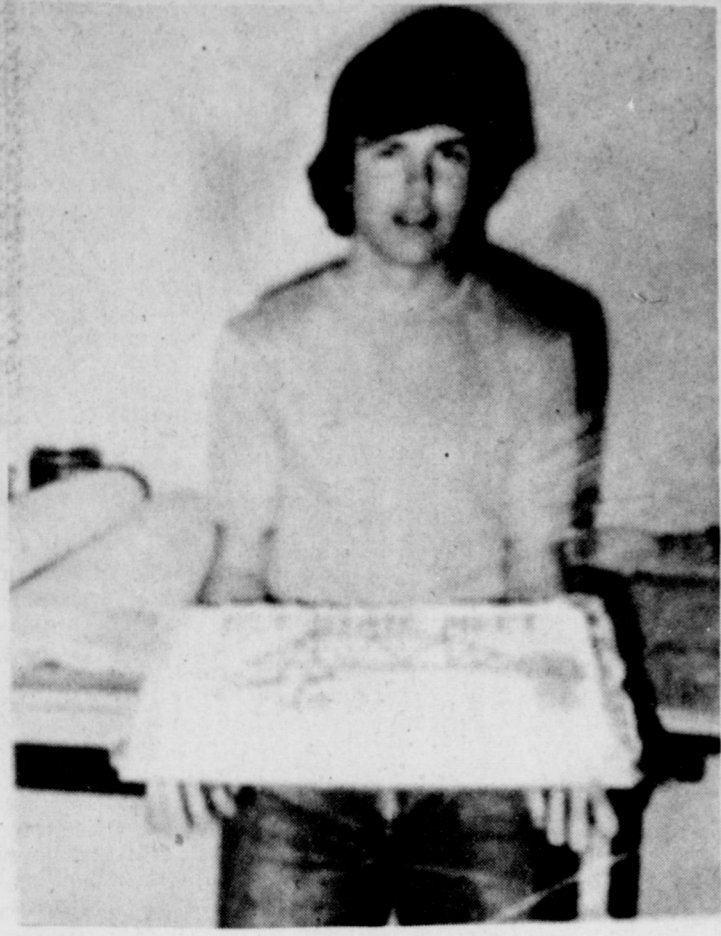


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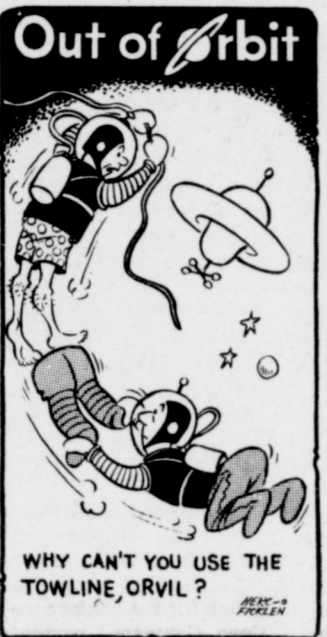
Dan Bray, a senior at Coronado High School, and grandson of Mrs. J.W. Crim, detailed a truss for S.O. #75453, the Music and Student Center at Texas Tech. With this truss detail he won First Place at District in February of this year.

In San Antonio on May 2-4 State Meet of Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA) was held. In state competition with this truss detail, Bray recieved a superior rating giving him the Blue Ribbon and First Place.

On May 8 the Engineering Department of Lubbock Engineering has a small celebration in honor of Bray. The cake served had the design of a truss on it.

Bray is the grandson of Mrs. J.W. Crim and the Late Clyde Bray; nephew of Mrs. Horce

McAdams, Keith Bray and the late Clyde A. Bray Jr. and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bray of Lubbock.



A man who sticks to his principles is stubborn; the man who doesn't is a hypocrite. What's your answer?

Accent on Health

A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health

What happens when you're recovering from an illness and are not sick enough to stay in a hospital and yet not quite well enough to completely care for yourself?

If you're lucky, you live in an area served by a Home Health Agency and can receive the needed services in the friendly confines of your own home, says the State Health Department.

Skilled and specialized care is given daily to thousands of Texans through one of the 45 Home Health Agencies in the state. The individual agencies may be small, from a minimum of two or three employees to more than a hundred, but they add up to a network of home care services covering a large segment of the state's population. Most of the patients are elderly.

What exactly does a Home Health Agency do? Take the case of a man who suffered a stroke and was totally bedridden, could not talk and didn't recognize family members. The choices for his family were these: extended, expensive hospitalization; a nursing home, which also is expensive; or, home care with skilled health personnel from a Home Health Agency.

The patient was brought home. Acting under a physician's written orders (necessary in all cases), the patient was placed under the care of a nurse, physical therapist and speech therapist and soon was able to walk with a quad-cane, talk to a limited extent, recognize relatives and friends and was able to remember.

In another instance, a woman in her early seventies underwent surgery for cancer of the lower intestine and had a colostomy performed. Her children were married and lived elsewhere and her husband was older and partially blind. Through a Home Health Agency in her small town, she was able to receive visits at home from nurses and home health aides who taught her how to care for herself while she regained her strength.

What happens if you live in an area not served by an agency? It's possible that one nearby may be able to extend services through a branch office or sub-unit of an existing

agency. In some cities and counties, the local health department operates such an agency.

Can a Home Health Agency be formed in your community? Definitely yes, says the State Health Department. Information may be obtained from Dr. T.E. Dodd, director of Home Health Services Division, 1100 West 49th St., Austin, 78756.

What must a Home Health Agency have for certification? The requirements are many, says Dr. Dodd, but they basically are these: Each agency must have a physician or registered nurse as director and have an advisory committee. It must be a non-profit organization, or a public organization like the health department, and must offer skilled nursing plus one additional therapeutic service such as physical therapy.

The Home Health Services Division will work with a fledgling agency in getting started and send out a consultant to assist in filling out the required forms. When the paper work is completed, notice is sent to the Certification and Consultation Division and an inspection of the facility is requested. If approved, a recommendation is made with Social Security that the agency be certified.

Since Home Health Agencies are non-profit organizations, payment to them is for services rendered. Medicare payments come through a third party, of fiscal intermediary. This can be an insurance company or Social Security. The intermediary, based on the orders from a doctor, will determine the length of the related home care needed in each case. Progress reports are made by the nurse-director and given to the physician on the case, allowing the doctor to keep abreast of progress. Often a patient advances more rapidly than the schedule originally proposed.

Home Health Agencies are providing a great service to the homebound in Texas, says the State Health Department.

Finances certainly are a part of the contribution. Rising costs of hospitalization greatly increase the financial strain on anyone unfortunate to have an

illness demanding hospitalization. It is much less expensive the Home Health Agency way. And, the shortage of hospital beds makes it mandatory that patients be released as soon as it is medically practical.

Another point arrived at over the years is this, says a State Health Department spokesman: Patients able to go home to continue their rehabilitation are much happier and seem to respond more quickly.

Open House To Be Held At Girlstown

Girlstown, U.S.A. will hold an Open House on July 13, 1974, to celebrate its 25th Anniversary at the Whiteface Campus.

A program to recognize former residents, staff and board members will begin at 3:00 P.M. and a Bar-B-Que shortly after the program. The Littlefield Volunteer Fire Department will do the Bar-B-Queing again this year.

Everyone is invited to visit Girlstown's Whiteface Campus, located nine miles South of the town of Whiteface on Farm Road



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN--The mobile home industry, with its low-cost alternative to conventional homebuying, exercises a growing appeal for many Texas families. As evidence, there are approximately 100,000 mobile homes in our State now, and sales are increasing by 25,000 units each year.

Recently, we organized a new Labor Division within the Attorney General's Office which will have responsibility for enforcing consumer laws related to mobile homes, as well as labor-related statutes. This division represents the Texas Department of Labor and Standards, the agency with regulatory power over mobile homes in the state.

Our Labor Division attorneys just settled the first case arising out of the 400 complaints they have received regarding mobile homes. They have found that many dissatisfactions arise not only from misunderstandings about mobile home construction, but about terms of the sales contract, regulations regarding the mobile home, moving the home, locating the home, and mobile home park restrictions.

Some mobile home complaints could be prevented if consumers took time to investigate all these things before buying their mobile home. Any sales contract should include a description of the mobile home furnishings, appliances, and any other items to be included in the purchase. Mobile home purchasers should understand the contract and the method of financing and are urged to sign the "placement certificate" only after the mobile home is delivered and set up. One area of concern is "tie-down" of mobile homes, since, in 1973, the Legislature amended the Mobile Home Standards Act to require these re-

straints to prevent mobile homes from being blown or knocked over. Under the new law, all mobile homes purchased after March 20, 1974, must have approved tie-down systems if they are less than 300 feet from another structure. Mobile homes in coastal counties must meet more stringent requirements for tie-downs because of the danger of hurricanes and resulting high winds.

The Labor Division warns that some persons are selling tie-down systems that do not meet standards. It is important to get all claims about such systems in writing, to check with the Performance Certification Board of the Texas Department of Labor and Standards to make sure such claims are valid, and not to pay a fee for installation of the system until it passes inspection.

Mobile home purchasers should keep in mind that local zoning ordinances may determine where within a city they can locate their home. If a purchaser plans to buy a city lot for his mobile home, it is absolutely necessary to check on this in advance.

To move a mobile home over Texas roads, the home must be registered with the Texas Highway Department through a county tax collector. A fee is charged based on the weight of the mobile home. Moving a home out of state will require checking with each state's highway department, since each state may have different regulations.

If a mobile home is to be located in a mobile home park, there is the possibility of special park rules as to how the home may be used. It is important to understand exactly what will be provided for the monthly rental or lease fee, and what other charges, if any, can be expected--and to get it all in writing.

Some parks have special requirements about children and pets, overnight guest, parties, curfews, additional storage, repairmen, deliveries, mailboxes, garbage pick-up, and other things. Knowing about them in advance can prevent problems later.

If you have questions about mobile homes, contact the Department of Labor and Standards, the Attorney General's Labor Division, or your local Better Business Bureau.

LOUISA'S LETTER

Dear Louisa,
Why do some women think they have to dominate the conversation all of the time? I belong to a club and we have one member who never lets another person finish a sentence. If someone asks another person for a recipe, this dumbbell pitches in and gives the answer although it is usually wrong. If someone asks someone else about a sick relative Mrs. D. answers the question or starts telling about someone else who is sick or some ailment she is suffering from.

She gives us all the details about her children and grand children--about the parties they attend, the reports they bring home from school, who they like and then she brings out the pictures taken at Christmas and

insists that everyone has a look see.

She is such a pain but not one of us in the club has the nerve to tell her to be quiet and let us have a conversation instead of a monologue.

What can we do about such a person and not be rude? D.B.--N.Y.

Answer:
From what you write she is being very rude. It is certainly impolite to interrupt others when they are talking and to monopolize all occasions with personal family happenings is inexcusable.

Why not show this letter to your friend?
Louisa.

Address letters: Louisa, Box 532, Orangeburg, S.C. 29115

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Bula News

By Mrs. John Blackman

Danny Quisenberry, ministerial student at Wayland college will be the speaker Sunday morning at the Bula Baptist church.

Thursday July 5, Rev. Eddie Riley and wife, Karen, and small son Chris will accompany Oralia and Ida Davila, Elora Peacock and Chris DeSautell of Dallas. Friday they will spend most of the day at six o'clock, Friday evening they will go to the Texas stadium for the opening of Texas Youth Evangelism Conference. Saturday they will go to the Dallas Convention Center for the rest of the conference, and return home after dismissal Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Latham spent Sunday at Lake Thomas visiting with her mother Mrs. Lilly Flowers and sister Mr. and Mrs. John Eaker.

Billy Tiller, 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Tiller observed his birthday Monday June 24, by having his cousin Kenny Carrell of Bovina come and spend the night with him. The boys along with a friend Donald Black drove to Littlefield where they enjoyed a swimming party in the afternoon.

Members of the Methodist church enjoyed a feast of sandwiches and home made ice cream and cookies Sunday at noon after morning services. Following their feast they went to the auditorium for a song feast. Every one enjoyed the day together.

A large crowd was in attendance Wednesday evening for a gospel singing at the Church of Christ. Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Blake and children Cindy, Dayton and Beckey from Flint, Michigan. We always enjoy having Blake to be present and lead singing. Following the singing everyone went to the church parsonage and enjoyed a feast of home made ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Canada from Hedley, were guests Sunday morning at the Bula Church of Christ and visited with the J.C. Withrows in the afternoon.

Several young people from the Baptist church attended the Llanos Altos Youth Rally Monday evening held at the Spade Baptist church, they were Douglas and Dennis McCain, Janice Tiller, Janice Cannon, Cliff De-

Sautell and Rev. and Mrs. Edie Riley and son Chris.

Jerry Teaff, free lance artist, will begin an art class in the Bula school lunchroom. First class will be Tuesday July 16. Classes will be a three hour class 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. There will be five classes. If desire further information call Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard accompanied by their daughter Mrs. Ray Karrison and daughter Dusty of Olton drove to McLean hospital from High Plains Baptist in Amarillo. Mrs. Peabody is recuperating from a car accident she was involved in about five weeks ago, she has both legs broken and one arm along with a number of face lacerations, her husband lived only two days after the accident. She is slowly showing improvement and was happy to get back to her home town of McLean. They drove to Clarendon late in the afternoon and had a visit at the Clarendon Rest home with another sister, Mrs. Blanche Smith. The night was

spent with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Teaff spent the past week at Cloud Croft, N.M. studying art lessons under Ramon Froman.

Mrs. Pearl Walden, a patient in the Methodist hospital for two weeks was able to return home Saturday. Her daughter Mrs. Perry Lynch from California is with her. Another daughter Mrs. Marie Aaron from Carlsbad came Tuesday to spend a few days with them.

Several from the Church of Christ drove to Lubbock Sunday evening for the graduation exercises for the preacher and missionary students graduating from the Sunset School of preaching, there were approximately 86 graduates. Jack Walker, who has been preaching for the Church of Christ, Bula was among the graduates. Brother K.C. Moser, instructor at LCC, was the speaker for the class. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bryan, Mr. and Mrs.

Nolan Harlan, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Rowland and Mr. and Mrs. John Hubbard. Afterwards they enjoyed play, coffee and cakes at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitaker.

Wednesday July 17 there will be a district meeting of the Women's Cotton Promotion Association in Lubbock. This will be held at the Reddy Room of Southwestern Public Service, in Montrey Shopping Center. The meeting will be from 10:30 to 12:00. At 2:00 p.m. a tour will start off the Textile Research Department at Texas Tech.

Visitors Sunday morning at the Church of Christ were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shields and children Kendon and Patrice from Lelia Lake. They were spending the weekend with her mother and brother Mrs. Lorla Jones and son Wendell.


Pat Carter of Lovington came Monday for a visit with her mother Mrs. Nettie Blackman at the West Plains Nursing home in Muleshoe. Wednesday she and Mrs. Blackman drove to Clarendon for a visit of two days with the Roy Blackmans and other relatives.

Mrs. Ken Gray and her mother Mrs. Ester Blevins from Lubbock visited with another daughter of Mrs. Blevins Mr. and Mrs. John McCormack and children.

Special things to remember are, awards will be presented to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. Players entering doubles will have until 5:00 Monday to determine their partners. A division must have at least three players before it will be played. A player may play in a higher bracket, but not in a lower bracket. (Note: High School Graduates thru 25 may not play in the adult bracket). A player is limited to a maximum of three events. The four point no-ad scoring system will be used in all matches. The nine point tiebreaker will be used in all matches. Entry fees should be sent in with your entries. A roving foot fault judge will be used—probably the tournament director. Racket throwing, cursing, and other unsportsmanship conduct will not be tolerated—conduct warnings and/or penalties will be used if necessary.

Mrs. Cecil Jones drove to Fort Worth Saturday returning home Wednesday, her two grandsons Kelly and Brit Alexander came home with her to spend a few weeks.

The Sandhills Philosopher



Editor's note: The Sandhill Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm tries to come to the rescue of the big cities this week, we think.

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Dear editor:
 The mayors of the major big cities in the U.S., according to an article I read in a newspaper yesterday, are asking the Federal government for 18 billion dollars to help pay for mass transit systems.
 Their argument is that automobiles are choking the cities, that modern subways and other mass transit systems are needed if cities are going to continue to function, and that the cost of building and operating the systems is too great for any city to bear.
 Now at first thought you might ask, why should somebody living on a place like this Johnson grass farm out here have to help pay for a big city's subway system? If Boston or New York or Los Angeles people for example haven't got the ability to operate their cities, let them close them down.
 Then I got to thinking further. You shut down the big cities and what's going to happen? The people will spread out and ruin the countryside. It's bad enough with all the bottles and beer cans we have to contend with, but you add people too and the countryside is gone.
 Up to now, by some crafty propaganda, we country people have managed to keep most of the advantages were, and if of the population cooped up in big cities where everybody thought all the advantages were, and if it takes an extra tax on this Johnson grass farm to keep them from catching on and breaking out, I'm willing to pay it.
 Furthermore, if us country people are on our toes we'll start a campaign to keep cities from spreading out. Look at nearly any big city and you'll see rows and rows of houses about three feet apart going up on the outskirts and extending further and further out in the country. Those houses ought to be stacked on top of each other back inside the city limits. I'm not interested in paying for a subway system that goes all over creation.
 By the way, a developer came by here the other day asking if I'd be interested in selling my farm. Said it'd make a good sub-division. I'm waiting to see what his offer is.
 Yours faithfully,
 J.A.

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LUBBOCK - - Potato production is moving into last stages before harvest across the High Plains and producers would do

News Of Our Servicemen

Johnny Mabry

BIG SPRING, Tex.--U.S. Air Force Captain Johnny D. Mabry, son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Mabry, 1704 W. 10th, Friona, Tex., has been awarded the Air Training Command Master Instructor rating at Webb AFB, Tex.

Captain Mabry was accorded the honor in recognition of outstanding service as an instructor pilot at Webb.

The captain graduated in 1962 from Lazbuddie (Tex.) High School and received his B.A. DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY IN 1969 from Texas Tech University.

He was commissioned in 1970 upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex.

His wife, Carole, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oris Higgins, Walsh, Colo.

Billie Griffin

CLOVIS, N.M.--U.S. Air Force Sergeant Billie A. Griffin Jr., son of Mrs. J.T. Lambert of Bovina, Tex., has graduated with honors from the Tactical Air Command's Noncommissioned Officer Leadership School at Cannon AFB, N.M.

The sergeant, who was trained in military management and supervision, is an aircraft mechanic at Cannon.

Sergeant Griffin, a 1971 graduate of McCallum High School, Austin, Tex., attended Eastern New Mexico University.

His father, Bill A. Griffin, lives in Austin. The sergeant's wife, Janee, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Russell of Bovina.

How many good books do you read these days?

well to take proper steps in closing out their crop, advises an area vegetable specialist.

Different varieties of potatoes demand different husbandry practices, says Dr. Roland Roberts of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Tubers maturity, irrigation, vine killing and soil nitrogen level at harvest time all influence quality of the various types of potatoes grown in West Texas.

"These factors are important to the consumer," Roberts explains, "because they determine the potato's baking and frying quality, skin development and uniformity of size and shape."

He says that growers are working overtime during final production stages to put a high-quality potato on the consumer dining table, but change in the weather during the latter days before harvest could reduce that quality.

Roberts reports that early potatoes grown on the area's sandy loam soils appear to have a nice finish and good skin development. Continuing dry weather, he says, would enable growers to control soil moisture near harvest and produce more mature potatoes.

"The red varieties, Norland and Red La Soda, are usually harvested before the plant tops are fully mature," he explains. "The immature tubers of these varieties skin excessively if they are dug too soon after the tops are killed. On the other hand, if reds are left in the soil for more than seven to ten days after the water is cut and the vines killed, they tend to lose their bright red color and gloss as a consequence of exposure to high soil temperature."

Early strains of Norgold-Russet mature rapidly during the hot days of early summer, the specialist says. Norgolds can tolerate being left in the soil a little longer than the reds after the tops are killed. When left too long, the tubers that set near the soil surface tend to develop greening and bitterness if light reaches them. They also become more susceptible to injury from white grubs and wireworms, Roberts warns. It is unwise to leave them in the soil beyond ten to fourteen days after tops are killed.

A common situation with all

varieties is that tubers are dug before the skin is firmly set, he adds. The skinning that results does not hurt the internal quality of the tuber, but the buyer is left with an unfavorable impression. The best indicator of plant maturity is gradual yellowing of the lower leaves and thickening of the tuber skin.

"For best skin development it is desirable to keep the soil as cool as possible right up to harvest," he advises. "Optimum temperature for development of netting or russetting is 75 to 80 degrees. Higher soil temperatures, excessive soil nitrogen, excessive potash and low soil moisture inhibit russetting of the skin."

Roberts recommends applying the last irrigation as close to harvest as possible to keep the soil cool. Those producers with clay soils must wait longer from last irrigation to harvest.

The specialist explains that potato vines are usually killed with mechanical beaters or chemical desiccants to facilitate

harvest of early crops. Growers who kill the vines mechanically, he says, should take care to set the flails or blades so that they clear the soil surface. Otherwise, tubers near the surface will be uncovered and bruised.

"Chemical vine killing is becoming more popular because tubers suffer less mechanical damage, more acres per day can be killed and the tubers run through the combine easier," Roberts says. "The chemicals should not be applied during the hottest part of the day, but rather early in the morning or late in the evening."

"The freshly dug West Texas potato is a welcomed relief for the consumer who has been faced with the rapidly declining quality of winter stored potatoes," he concludes. "West Texas growers have had one of the toughest seasons on record and the fine quality of new potatoes now being harvested is living testimony to their skillful attention to the demanding requirements of this crop."



Officials of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., High Plains producer organization with headquarters in Lubbock, are joining county office managers of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service in urging all farmers to measure and certify crop acreages before the July 15 deadline.

"Those who don't sign up for the program stand to lose 20 percent of their allotted acreage, one-third of their farm's established yield, and all chance of being eligible for disaster payments, price deficiency payments or price support loans. It's as simple as that," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald A. Johnson.

The cotton section of the Agriculture and Consumer Protection Act of 1973, which became effective this year, offers far less benefits to participating farmers than did the previous

program. And county ASCS personnel across the High Plains fear that some farmers may fail to recognize the importance of "signing up" this year.

The concern stems from an abnormally slow sign-up pace this year. Walter Wells, Lubbock County ASCS Office Manager, reported on June 28 that only about one-fourth of Lubbock county farmers had signed to participate in the 1974 program. In previous years the percentage signed up two weeks before the July 15 deadline has been from 50 to 65 percent, he says.

This year's program authorizes disaster payments of about 12.7¢ per pound times the farm's established yield if planting is prevented by drought or if crops are lost to hail or other adverse weather. And the same payment may be made on the difference between a farmer's actual harvest and the established yield from allotted acres if production on the farm falls below two-thirds of what the ASCS determines would be a "normal" yield. Also, should the national average market price for U.S. cotton fall below 38¢ per pound, there is provision for a price deficiency payment to make up the difference.

"But whether or not any payments or other benefits are involved in 1974," Johnson concludes, "it is still important that every farmer sign up to participate in the program as a means to preserve allotments and yields for the remaining three years of program."

An analysis of the worldwide situation by the supply-demand division of Cotton Incorporated, national producer research and market development organization, yields some encouraging conclusions, notes Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

And it goes on to say "After examining the forest rather than the trees, the conclusion that the U.S. will increase its share of exports to a growing world cotton market is inescapable."



AUSTIN, Tex.—Constitutional Convention delegates approved a new approach to state revenue raising and sent delegates' hopes rising for a painless tax source.

The Convention authorized the legislature to levy a petroleum products manufacturing tax that will not (like three-fourths of gasoline taxes) go into highway building.

Sen. D. Roy Harrington of Port Arthur already is preparing for introduction next year a bill to impose a two cents per gallon gasoline tax at the refinery level.

At the same time, Harrington will propose reduction of the gasoline tax at the pump from five to three cents a gallon if the new constitution is approved.

Since 75 per cent of Texas-refined gasoline is sold out of state, proponents of the tax claim the two cent levy would raise \$686 million in additional revenue without increasing the burden on Texans.

Although such a tax probably could be levied now, most of the money would go to highways instead of general revenue.

The convention went into its windup stages this week. Delegates began voting on the entire revision package, including proposed separate submissions of five alternative propositions.

When and if a two-thirds majority is mustered, the document and the "side issues" will go to the voters in the November general election.

HEATLY CUT OFF—The Constitutional Convention Compensation Committee served notice it didn't intend to allow Rep. W.S. (Bill) Healy of Paducah to charter airplanes at state expense.

Convention officers said they won't approve any more such charges.

However, Healy indicated he won't take that without a fight. He produced an attorney general's ruling saying renting of aircraft by state employees on official trips is authorized, and called on officials to consider his bills legal.

Healy blamed his troubles

on a "personal vendetta" against him by Convention President Price Daniel Jr. and Executive Director Jim Ray — which Daniel promptly denied.

A check of House records showed Healy, as of May 31, ranked 24th among state representative-convention delegates in total spending since last January.

NEAR RECORD PAID—Oil companies paid a non-record \$24.6 million in bonus payments for oil and gas leases on Texas public lands at the third largest oil and gas lease sale in history.

Bids were received for more than 336,037 acres and brought the permanent school fund to more than \$1,074,743,900.

Texas will receive a substantially higher royalty for oil and gas produced from the state lands under new terms in effect for the sale. All royalties will be at least one-fifth. The state may also take its royalty "in kind" — which assures top prices for the state's portion of oil and gas and ability to sell the resources in areas where they are needed.

Three bids exceeded \$1 million. One was for \$9 million by Transocean Oil Incorporated of Houston — for 25 tracts, most of them in the Gulf of Mexico.

TEXANS PLEDGE \$508,000—Texas Democrats committed themselves to a record total of \$508,000 during the June 29-30 party fund-raising telethon.

Two-thirds of the take — enough to pay off debts and last a few months into the future — will be retained by the state party after deductions for overhead of the telethon.

More than 1,000 volunteers manned 350 telephones in 16 Texas cities during the fund-raising extravaganza which brought in \$7 million in pledges to the national party.

More than 3,000 pledges were received in Texas.

LIQUOR AGENTS CLEARED—An investigation by Atty. Gen. John Hill's staff found no evidence of mileage expense account

padding by Dallas district office Alcoholic Beverage Commission inspectors.

Hill did recommend better record keeping procedures in the office to "remove suspicions and concerns."

He found irregularities in the manner in which the records are maintained and said that inspection tickets were in "a state of disarray."

AG OPINIONS—States and subdivisions are required to include equal employment opportunity clauses in federally-assisted construction contracts exceeding \$10,000, Attorney General Hill held.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

• County Commissioners may expend county funds for service pins to reward county employees, and pins may include a replica of an unofficial county seal.

• An act extending workmen's compensation benefits to employees of political subdivisions is constitutional and applies to housing authorities. A Texas Municipal League and Texas Association of School Boards plan for self-insurance would not be subject to State Board of Insurance regulation.

APPOINTMENTS—Governor Briscoe appointed Natt Burke Holman of Houston to the Texas Water Rights Commission, effective July 15.

Larry Combest is Sen. John Tower's Austin office aide for agricultural matters.

Robert Hardesty of Austin will serve as a member-at-large to the 1974 delegate assembly of National Urban League which will meet in San Francisco July 31.

COURTS SPEAK—Attorney General Hill is seeking to file with the U.S. Supreme Court a complaint that New Mexico is failing to deliver adequate waters on the Pecos River to Texas as required by the Pecos River Compact.

Appeal of two Bay City boys from a 10 year sentence for statutory rape of a 15-year-old girl was turned down again by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

A Harris County district judge ordered Atlantic Richfield Co. to pay \$50,000 in penalties in a Pasadena water pollution case.

SHORT SNORTS

The American Party has petitioned for a place on the November general election ballot and promised an active campaign.

New oil and gas well completions are running ahead of 1973.

The chairman of the House elections committee, Rep. Ed Harris of Galveston, called on Secretary of State Mark White Jr. to purge unqualified persons from voter registration lists.

Texas Department of Agriculture has inaugurated a program to honor farmers and ranchers whose families have lived on and worked the same land for a century.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission heard conflicting arguments as to whether it should halt or increase shell dredging operations in San Antonio Bay.

To Rent Or Buy More Farmland?

COLLEGE STATION -- Buying more land is not always the best investment a farmer can make, according to an agricultural economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Instead, renting or leasing additional acres may be the answer to expanding production," says Dr. Wayne Hayenga.

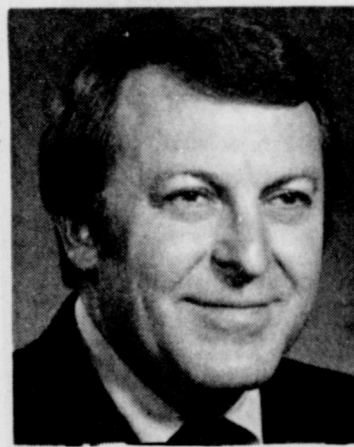
Texas farm land prices increased about 9.5 per cent a year from 1966 to 1972. Thus, many investors besides farmers have been attracted to land as a hedge against inflation.

"The inflation hedge is not the only factor for farmers to consider," notes Hayenga. "The farmer is usually interested in controlling more land to increase the size of his business and to generate more income. Higher grain prices and easy credit have induced farmers to buy more land."

Since competition for land has bid up prices well above the land's ability to show agricultural profit, a farmer may be better off to rent the land from a non-farm investor. This way, he can still use his scarce capital for other inputs which may improve the current rate of return.

"If a farmer is in a strong capital situation with an ample cash flow, land ownership can be highly desirable," notes the Texas A&M University System specialist. "However, younger or less-established farmers should be very thorough and realistic with their planning before deciding to make a land purchase."

"Agricultural census figures show that average full-owner farmers," Hayenga points out, "This seems to indicate that renting land for expansion is a good economic alternative, allowing larger farm businesses and more efficient production."



BOB HOLT

Former Resident Runs For State Treasurer

Bob Holt, 41, Republican nominee for State Treasurer, is a prominent Panhandle banker, successful businessman and civic leader.

A native of Alpine, he attended public schools in Muleshoe through the eighth grade, and graduated from Amherst High School in 1951. Holt attended college at Texas Tech University, graduating in 1955 with a BBA degree.

Following graduation, he served for two years in the United States Army Finance Corp. After military service, Holt entered the public accounting profession with a prominent Amarillo firm where he was associated until 1961. He entered the banking field in Amarillo in 1961 as auditor of North State Bank, and served successively as vice president and cashier until 1968.

Holt became active in the oil and gas business in Amarillo in 1968, and two years later reentered the banking field as purchaser of control of Western National Bank and became its president and chairman of the Amarillo Symphony League. They are parents of three children, Sally Anne, 18, Nancy, 16, and John, 13.

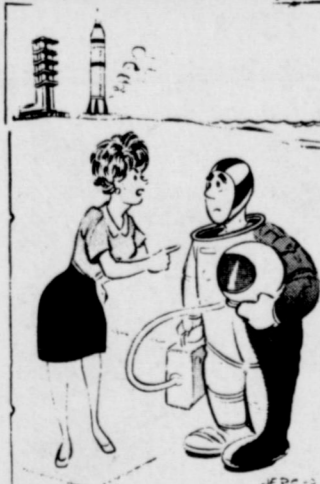
the board. He sold his interest in the bank in 1973, but remained a director, and since has become an organizer and vice president of J.W. Palmer & Associates, a commercial data processing firm in Amarillo.

He is past president of the Amarillo Clearing House Association, and is active in a host of community organizations. He is currently president of Goodwill Industries of Amarillo, vice president of the Amarillo Symphony, and treasurer of the Greater Southwest Music Festival.

He also is a member of the Lay Advisory Board of Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University, a board member of the Texas Methodist Foundation, and a charter member and treasurer of St. Stephens Methodist Church in Amarillo.

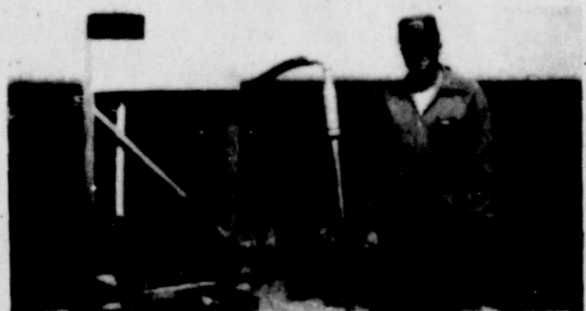
Holt is married to the former Sally Birdsong, president

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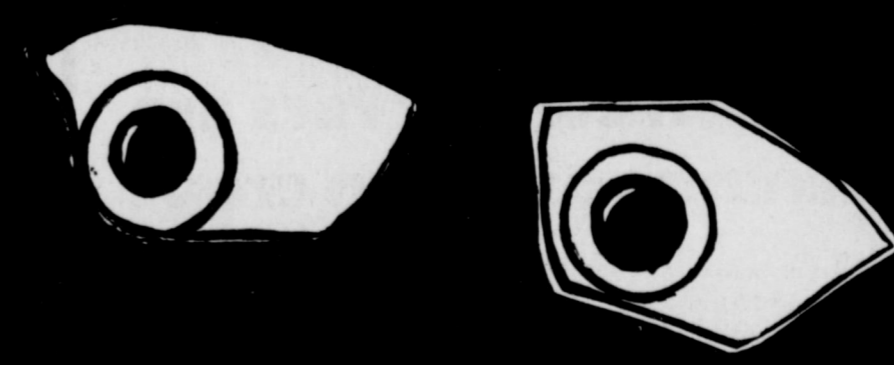
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Texas AMPI Protest Anti-trust Suit

Associated Milk Producers, Inc. (AMPI) is not violating the Texas Anti-trust Laws according to George L. Mehren, General Manager. The accusations of illegal activity contained in the suit filed by the Texas Attorney General relate to activity which allegedly took place several years ago under management which is basically different from the management now operating AMPI.

The only current activity challenged in the case is that governed by regulations issued by the U.S.D.A. relating to the marketing of milk. Everything being done by AMPI is proper and fair. The United States Congress has assigned this jurisdiction exclusively to the U.S.D.A. and we are surprised that the Texas suit would seek to interfere with U.S.D.A. regulations, especially since the Texas Anti-trust Law and Texas Cooperative Marketing Law would appear not to authorize a suit covering such activity.

AMPI recently has been thought of as a large organization. In reality the cooperative is no more than the individual dairy farm families who are its members. There are 2,300 individual dairy farm families in Texas who are members of AMPI. AMPI is a non-profit cooperative of family farmers. Every cent of its earnings goes to those farmers. Every penny of cost comes out of the pockets of those farmers. The suit will be a terrible financial drain on them and their families.

George L. Mehren, General Manager of Associated Milk

Producers, Inc. made the following statement today regarding the suit filed by the Attorney General of Texas against Associated Milk Producers, Inc. filed on June 24, 1974 by the State of Texas. Its language is inflammatory and its terms are so general as to be all-encompassing. I cannot speak of allegations relevant to purported acts prior to January 1972 because until then I had neither knowledge of or authority over the activities of this cooperative. I can and do speak unequivocally of actions by AMPI after January 1972. None of the accusations made by the Attorney General of Texas is true. All and everyone of his accusations are flatly false insofar as they may relate to actions by AMPI during my tenure as General Manager. We shall defend on behalf of the dairy farmers who in fact are AMPI. That defense, especially in the prevailing climate, will be costly. Yet there is no option against unwarranted attack except full defense. Our defense is simple truth. Simple truth will assure that justice is done.

There are 2,300 Texas dairy farmers who are members of AMPI. This suit is an attack against them. These are decent and honest men and women who work together lawfully and properly because working alone they could not contribute to the economy of Texas as in fact they do. It is unfortunate that the Attorney General of Texas is trying to punish these honest and decent citizens of Texas."

These individuals contribute to the economic well-being of the state of Texas and the communities of which they are a part. They vote and they pay taxes. They are citizens of Texas and they should not be accused or penalized lightly without substantial justification.

AMPI is not a middle man. Actually, AMPI is a cooperative organized and owned by individual dairy farmer members for the purpose of providing orderly marketing for their milk and other services that they could not accomplish of obtain as individuals or as small groups of dairy farmers.

Although AMPI on behalf of the 2,300 Texas dairy farmers who are members pleads not guilty to violating the Texas Anti-trust Laws, we realize that these allegations will be difficult and costly to defend under the present political atmosphere, but we do not feel that in simple justice there is any alternative to a full defense against this unwarranted attack.

Enochs News

By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

W.L. Key of Amherst came Sunday for a visit with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key.

Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Snitker attended her family reunion the 4th of July at the Community Center in Floydada. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ike Shults of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shults and three children of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Foster and two grandsons from Vernon, Mrs. Audna Shults of Chillicothe, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shults and their two daughters of Sundown, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Levell and three children of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. George Baker and daughter of Burk Burnett, Mrs. Almo Patten and son of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Curtis Snitker and three children of Hart, James Snitker of Enochs, Mrs. Cathy Gilbert, Mrs. Stanley Snitker and two daughters of Amarillo, Roger and Russel Peck and girl friend of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hardon and daughter of Levelland, and friends from Amarillo.

Mrs. Ray Seagler met her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Lane at Seminole, Sunday afternoon, to pick up her granddaughter, Jennifer Lane for her to spend the week with her.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.O. Smith recently were her sister, Mrs. Lee Axx and her niece and husband Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newton from Portland, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Millsap and granddaughters Lovetta Jo and Carol Sue Black visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Davis at Levelland Thursday. They have spent two weeks with their grandparents.

Fishing at the White River Lake the 4th of July was Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Nichols and sons, Richard and Mike.

Shonnye and Cindy Snitker of Amarillo, are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Snitker.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton had their children home for the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. David McDaniel from Austin, Mrs. Mark Derrington of Lubbock and Susan and Robert of the home. Also a friend, Gary Phillips, of Lubbock was a guest Sunday.

Those going to hear the Galleans, a gospel singing group, sing at the west side of the football field in Muleshoe Thursday from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. were Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Peterson, Mrs. Alma Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key, Mrs. Harold Abney and son and Carl Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry and granddaughter, Marviline West to visit a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jackson.

Keith Coats of Hobbs, N.M., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Coats.

Visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Shaw and baby of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. David McDaniel of Austin, Mrs. Mark Derrington of Lubbock, Gary Phillips of Lubbock, Mrs. James Crocker and sons, of Tucumcari, N.M., Mrs. Buane Bryant and children, Rickey, and his girl friend, Mary Issacs, Sharon and Sandra of Clayton, N.M., Brent and Marthan George of Lubbock, Shonnye and Cindy Snitker of Amarillo, and Jennifer Lane of Midland.

Mrs. James Crocker and sons of Tucumcari, N.M. spent the 4th of July holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw.

Gary Nichols and his mother Mrs. L.E. Nichols visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dean Nichols, at Idalou Tuesday afternoon.

Last Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. H.B. King, Chad and Brad Harrison and Matt Jonas, went to Palo Duro Canyon to see the "Texas".

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.R. Newman Monday afternoon was Carl Cunningham of Steagall.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bryant and Sharon and Rickey and Mary Isacs of Clayton, N.M. came Saturday for their daughter, Sandra who has spent six weeks, with her grandparents, the W.M. Bryants, they returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sharpe of Odessa are the proud parents of a baby son. They named him Lee Roy Sharpe. He weighed six pounds and nine ounces and was 18 inches long. This is the first child of the couple. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jake Henderson of Enochs and Lee Roy Sharpe.

Mrs. Jake Henderson underwent major surgery at Fort Stockton last week she is staying with a son Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Henderson at Fort Stockton at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. E.N. McCall had their children home, Mr. and Mrs. Robert George, Brent and Marthan, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Rowden, Chris, Kim and Kerry all of Lubbock to spend Wednesday till Saturday to celebrate the 4th of July.

Mrs. Harold Abney and son, of Channing spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Johnson sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. Flatt of Portales, N.M. last week and they have moved to Enochs.

The Baptist women met at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday with Mrs. Junior Austin in charge and giving the program in the Royal Service "Missions in Leisure". Mrs. J.W. Layton gave the call to prayer and Mrs. Harold Layton offered the prayer for the missionaries, there were 14 present; Mrs. L.E. Nichols, Mrs. Junior Austin, Mrs. E.N.

McCall, Mrs. Harold Layton, Mrs. J.O. Dane, Mrs. Chester Petree, Mrs. Dale Nichols, Mrs. J.E. Layton, Mrs. J.B. Vanlandingham, Mrs. J.D. Bayless, Mrs. Charlie Shaw and Mrs. H.B. King.

Gary Freeman who has spent three years in Germany and six months at Fort Still will get his discharge from the service Friday. He and his wife and baby will make their home in Muleshoe.



FIRST DOLLAR OF PROFIT . . . The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce Manager, Tommy Black, presents a "First Dollar of Profit" certificate to Charles Riddle of the Tae Kwon Do Karate Institute. The Chamber wishes to extend its best wishes to this business serving in the Muleshoe area.

The Sandhills Philosopher

Editor's note: The Sandhill Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm claims he has noticed something about the economy others have overlooked. Because economists are too busy trying to decide whether or not we're in a recession-- as I figure it, economists are two lengths behind doctors; doctors can recognize when a man has a bad cold, they just can't cure it, whereas economists not only can't cure a recession, they can't even agree on whether we've got one-- at any rate because they're so busy they're so busy they've overlooked a couple of vital things about the economy.

I noticed them just yesterday. They are: interest rates are now equal to the inflation rate.

That's right. Inflation is now pegged at 12 per cent a year and big city bank interest rates are now at 12 per cent.

I don't know how the economists missed this, but I have been figuring, if the two keep abreast of each other for a few more years, they will of course reach 100 per cent.

All right, say you need to borrow \$1,000. You borrow it at one window and then if you're smart you'll race to another window and pay it back before the interest eats you up.

That takes care of 100 per cent interest rates, but about how to handle inflation, I'm not very clear. The trouble is, not everybody believes in it.

You take a rancher. He goes into a cafe and the waitress tells him coffee has gone up to 20 cents. But when he takes some steers to market and says they're worth 40 cents a pound, nobody believes him.

When one part of the population believes in inflation and another part doesn't, you've got a complex situation on your hands.

It seems to me the rate of inflation ought to be set by Congress and it ought to be made to apply to everybody. How long could the game of football last with one end of the ball inflated and the other end flat?

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

New Songbook Published Here

A religious songbook containing songs written by various people in the area has recently been republished. It was originally published in 1925 and is entitled "Harp of Ages".

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bass of Muleshoe bought the copy right to the book from the W.A. Whitens of Louisiana. The original copy contained 191 songs and the Bass' added to this to make a total of 416 songs now contained in the book.

The publisher is Harp of Ages Inc. here in Muleshoe with Harvey Bass as president. The printer is Stamps-Baxter Music Co. of Dallas.

Some of the area people who have songs contained in the book are Jack Young and Wayland Ethridge; Dorene Collins, daughter of Morris Nowlin, of the Lazbuddie area, she was assisted by her father who wrote the music; Morris Nowlin also wrote a song and Mrs. J.F. Pips has a song contained in the book.

Bass reported that the book is being sent all over the country as orders come in. If anyone would like to have one of these books they may buy one at the Harvey Bass Appliance Store for \$1.85 plus tax report. He also reported that the "Crusaders" a local gospel singing group will be singing at the store Saturday night, July 13 from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. and Bass said they would probably sing some songs from this book.

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The way things are now, almost any girl with a good job can get married.
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New Mexico's Soaring Championship

Residents within a 150 mile radius of Hobbs, N.M. may have an opportunity to assist in New Mexico's first U.S. Standard Class Soaring Championship, according to Jack Gomez, contest manager.

If any of the gliders participating in the July 14-25 competition in Hobbs are downed for any of a number of reasons and someone sees them a helping hand may take the form of giving the pilot directions to the nearest phone, telling him just where he is, helping him set his glider upright, a cold drink, or minor mechanical assistance.

Turn points for the contest will be Floydada, Snyder, Midland, Wink, Littlefield, Post, Lamesa, Andrews, Morton, Sea, graves and Brownfield in Texas, turn points in New Mexico are Whites City, Artesia, Portales, Jal, Crossroads and Hobbs.

The event will be held at Hobbs Industrial-Air Park on the Hobbs-Lovington Highway, near New Mexico Junior College and Llano Estacado Medical Center.

Visitors are welcome to the contest to view the planes prior to takeoff and to witness the launching each day about 11 a.m. For those who are unable to see the launch, landings will be between 3 and 5 p.m.

Words of Wisdom
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Application forms may be picked up from Mr. Long at the bus garage, or at the school business office.
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TO: Andy Lee Geeslin

GREETING:
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Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 8th day of November, 1972. The file number or said suit being No. 3530. The names of the parties in said suit are:
Martha Geeslin as Plaintiff, and Andy Lee Geeslin as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Divorce.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved, issued this the 3rd day of July A.D., 1974. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Muleshoe Texas, this the 3rd day of July A.D., 1974.
Nelda Merriott Clerk
District Court Bailey County, Texas
28t-4tp

BIBLE VERSE

"I am he that liveth, and was dead; behold I am Alive for evermore . . . and have the keys of hell and death."

1. Who made the above statement?
2. To whom was he speaking?

Answers To Bible Verse

1. Jesus Christ.
2. To John the Apostle in a vision.

Services Held For Librado Alaniz

Services for Librado Alaniz, 66 years old, was Monday at 3:00 in the Catholic Church with Father Fin Schwartz officiating. Burial was in the Muleshoe Cemetery under the direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

Alaniz died Thursday, July 4 at 8:45 p.m. in the West Plains Memorial Hospital of Muleshoe. He was born July 21, 1907 in Yorktown, Texas and was a Bailey County resident for four years after moving here from Floydada, Texas.
Survivors include his wife Sevastina of Muleshoe; one daughter, Mary Lou Alaniz of Muleshoe; one sister, Mrs. Tules Flores of Mathis, Texas; two brothers, Porfinio of Florida and Antonio of Mathis, Texas.

Three Way News
By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Tyson and children from Levelland spent the 4th with his parents the

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George Tysons. Also Mrs. D. A. Williams from Enoch spent the day with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin from Maple, Mr. and Mrs. John Flinn and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Flinn all from Phoenix Arizona and S/Sgt. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox and children from Clovis spent Wednesday night and Thursday with the James Gillentine family in Lubbock.

Mrs. Jack Furgeson and Debbie went with the Jim Greens to Dallas the past weekend and went to Six Flags.

Sgt. and Mrs. Andy Vinson from Clovis spent Sunday with her parents the Dutch Powells.

Glenn Fowler from Lubbock spent the past week with his grandparents the D.S. Fowlers.

The youth from the Church of Christ in Maple spent the past week at summer camp in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Garvins spent Sunday with their daughter, the Kenneth Fox family, in Clovis N.M.

The Troy Tyson family and Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson visited the H.W. Garvin home Thurs-

day evening.

O.A. Warren is a medical patient in Cochran Memorial hospital in Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. D.S. Fowler visited the R.L. Reeves in Post Sunday afternoon. The Goodland community received eight-tenths of an inch of rain Thursday evening. The rest of the Three Way community is very dry.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fowler and son from Lubbock spent Friday night with the D.S. Fowlers and The Ray Fowlers from Lubbock spent Saturday with the D.S. Fowlers.


Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wheeler from Comanche and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Churchwell spent the 4th with their parents the Joe Wheelers.

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One of the great installations we have in our State is Fort Hood at Killeen, Texas--one of the largest Army Establishments in the United States, maybe the largest United States Army installation. I'm not certain on that.

We are fortunate to have with us today Lt. Gen. Allen Burdett who is the commanding officer at Fort Hood, who's technical title, I believe, is Commander of the 3rd Corps. We would like to ask him some questions about Fort Hood and what they do there. I think it would be of interest to all Texans.

General Burdett, welcome. You tell us a little bit about your installation at Fort Hood--just what you have there and what your missions are?

General Burdett: Sir, we have at Fort Hood more Army troops than any other post in the United States--strongly running now about 40,000 active military. Our total supporting population, counting the dependents and civilians who work on the post, is around 114,000. We have a pretty sizeable payroll each month counting all the military-civilian pay, civilian contracts, and so on, and we expend in the Central Texas area approximately \$34 million.

As far as the training is concerned, our emphasis is on readiness--to have our people ready to go, deploy wherever they might be required. We have, as you know, the only two division post in the United States Army, both the 1st Cavalry Division and the 2nd Ar-

mor Division. The 13th Support Brigade provides the backup, and there are many other corps units which also assist. It's a tremendously challenging operation. Personally, I'd rather serve there than any place else in the United States of America.

Senator Tower: Will you tell us a little about the two divisions--what they are specifically designed and trained and equipped to do?

General Burdett: The 2nd Armor Division, as indicated by its title, is an armor division. It has four tank battalions and four mechanized infantry battalions and the supporting arms--artillery, signals and so forth. They would be oriented toward a mid-intensity war--Europe, Middle East or any place they might be needed.

Senator Tower: May I say at this point that the 1st Cav., of course, is one of our elite units, if not the most elite unit in the United States Army. Certainly the members of that division think so. They've performed in an outstanding way in Viet Nam. Can you tell us a little bit about the old 1st Cav. and the new 1st Cav.?

General Burdett: Of course, the old 1st Cav., as you well know, started out with horses back in 1921, fought tremendously well in World War II, in Korea, and, as you mentioned, in Viet Nam. I happened to be with the advance party of the 1st Cav. when deployed in Viet Nam in 1965. At that time, Viet Nam-wise, it was an air mobile division--triple capability. That has been tested; it has been a very productive test. It has been decided that we need an additional armor division in the fort structure. So by next summer, the summer of '75, we would expect to see the 1st Cavalry Division reorganized about the same as the 2nd Armor Division is now. This reorganization involves people, numbers and so on,

as a result of the reorganization because we will have a separate air cavalry combat brigade, the only one of its kind in the United States Army, there at Fort Hood. We might expect an increase in post population of perhaps as many as 6,000 over what we had last summer.

Senator Tower: So you still will have the air capability, that higher mobile capability, that distinguished the operation of the 1st Cav.?

General Burdett: Yes, very

definitely. Senator Tower: Thank you very much, General Burdett, the commanding officer at Fort Hood, Commander of the 3rd Corps of the United States Army. He has been our guest today on our weekly report.

Sign Of Age

Hardening of the heart ages people more quickly than hardening of the arteries.

-Citizen, Prichard, Ala.

Sudan News

By

Mrs. Wayne Doty

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Read during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Don Read and girls of Aztec, N.M.

Dr. and Mrs. E.N. Nichols of Lubbock visited Sunday with

his mother, Mrs. J.S. Smith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson were in Olton during the weekend to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lewis and family.

Mrs. Lynn Drum and Children of Caddo Mills visited recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Maxwell and other relatives.

Richard and Donita Wells of Houston visited last week with

their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wells who took them to Lubbock Sunday to meet their father, Robert Wells of Amarillo and returned home with him.

Recent company for the M.Q. Shaws were her two sisters Mrs. Annie Floyd and son Harold and Mrs. Opal Allred from Mundy. Also two of their sons Mr. and Mrs. Zack Shaw and children from Glendale, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shaw and children from Las Vegas, Nevada. Also a daughter Mr.

and Mrs. Orville Glenn of Mesa, Ariz.

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16 oz. Bottle- 8 Bottle Carton
COCA COLA
89¢

4 3/4 oz. Jar Gerbers Strained
BABY FOOD
10¢

Glovers Chuck Wagon Thick Slices
BACON
\$1.89
2 LB. PKG.

Owens Country Style-Hot or Mild
SAUSAGE
2 LB. BAG.....\$1.89
1 LB. BAG.....95¢

Swifts Premium Protein Beef
Ranch Steak...98¢

Swifts Premium Protein Beef
RIB STEAK..\$1.09

Armour Golden Star-USA-GRADE A
100% Butter Basted-7 to 12 lb. Average-
TURKEY
69¢
LB.

Canned-Decker Fully Cooked "Ready To Eat"
HAMS
\$3.99
3 LB. CAN

1 lb. box
Sunshine Krispy
CRACKERS
49¢

25 lb. bag Indian Girl
FLOUR
\$3.39

Canned Goods SAVINGS SALE

1 lb/ Box Nabisco
RITZ CRACKERS.....59¢
Kimbies (30 Count Daytime)
DIAPERS.....\$1.79
Charmin (4 Roll Pkg.)
BATHROOM TISSUE.....65¢
48oz. Jar Atkins Sliced Hamburger
DILL PICKLES.....99¢
1/2 Gal. Ctn. Cloverlake
BUTTERMILK.....69¢
#300 Can Kim
DOG FOOD.....3/39¢
5 oz. Can. Armour Star
VIENNA SAUSAGE.....39¢
#303 Can White House
APPLE SAUCE.....35¢
32 oz. Bottle Ocean Spray
CRANAPPLE JUICE.....69¢
#303 Can White Swan Golden
WHOLE KERNAL CORN.....4/\$1
46 oz. Can Big Tex
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE.....45¢
#300 Can Libby's Pitted Family
RIPE OLIVES.....49¢
Giant Size Box
COLD POWER.....89¢
16 oz. Can Magic
PRE-WASH.....89¢
50 oz. Box Electra Sol Automatic
DISHWASHING SOAP.....99¢
20 oz. Can Windex
GLASS CLEANER.....69¢
16 oz. Pkg. Nabisco
FIG NEWTON CAKES.....69¢

Glovers Chuck Wagon Skinless 12 oz. pkg.
FRANKS.....59¢
El Jacalito Corn- 40 Count pkg.
TORTILLAS.....49¢

FROZEN FOODS
10 oz. Pkg. Hold Country
ASPARAGUS SPEARS.....79¢
2 1/2 Lb. Box Keith's
BREADED SHRIMP.....\$6.99
20 oz. Pkg. Wespac
CHOPPED BROCCOLI.....49¢
Keith (24 Count Pkg.) Frozen
DINNER ROLLS.....39¢

1/2 Gal. Carton
Cloverlake (Asst. Flavors)
MELLORINE
49¢

California Tree Ripe
PEACHES
39¢
LB.

California Crisp Green
CELERY
19¢

California Fresh
Artichokes.....29¢
EACH

California Fresh
Egg Plants.....19¢
LB.

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Cotton, Wheat Outlook . . . Screwworms Moving . . . Pond Control Talked . . . Many Frozen Desserts

OUTLOOK FOR agriculture in Texas is not as rosy as it was in 1973. The wheat crop--already harvested--is about a third less than it was last year, and the cotton crop is not expected to be as good. The reason is the weather, mainly drouth in the Low and High Plains, but also some floods and hail in the Lubbock area. According to "Howell's Cotton Letter," printed in Lubbock, a survey of ginners shows they expect this crop to yield about 1,502,000 bales on the High Plains, which is about 52 per cent of the 1973 crop. USDA had predicted that 14,500,000 acres would be planted to cotton in the United States, compared to 12,400,000 in 1973; but Natural Fibers Economic Research at the University of Texas said that was high and that cotton acreage in Texas is lower in 1974 than it was in 1973. "At the present time a severe moisture condition exists on the Texas Plains, where nearly 80 per cent of the Texas cotton was produced in 1973-74." On the other hand, the cotton crop in the Blacklands is three to four weeks ahead of last year and growing conditions are reported ideal with little insect infestation yet.

SCREWORMS have been found recently in Comanche, Somervell, San Saba, Hill, and Parker County, according to Dr. M.E. Meadows who runs the screwworm eradication program at the plant in Mission. This is the farthest north the pests have been reported this year. Gulf Coast ticks are on the increase, and July, August, and September are their most active months. That may contribute to the spread of screwworms unless cattlemen are especially careful of their herds. They should check cattle as often as possible, and if there is an infestation, samples should be taken and sent to the laboratory at Mission. The Screwworm Eradication Program releases sterile flies in the area of known infestations.

MORE CONTROL of farm ponds is in the talking and studying stage at present, and may be something farmers and ranchers want to watch. The Water Resource Conservation and Development Task Force is studying recommendations of the Professional Engineers Society. Purpose of the recommendation is to save water which would be lost to seepage, evaporation, and transpiration from unnecessary tanks. A task force report asks that unregulated ponds be limited to 10-acre feet with less than two acres of surface area. The plan asks the Water Rights Commission to issue permits, or control, all ponds larger than 10-acre feet.

FROZEN DESSERTS in Texas last year totalled 61,511,000 gallons, and in that amount was 31,632,000 gallons of ice cream. The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service says that there were 7,996,000 gallons of ice milk produced in Texas in 1973, 2,875,000 gallons of milk sherbet, 18,813,000 gallons of mellorine. The Reporting Service said that manufactured dairy products used 24 per cent of the Texas milk production last year, or the whole milk equivalent of 771,658,000 pounds. That included 3,805,000 pounds of butter, 19,323,000 pounds of cottage cheese curd, 24,502,000 pounds of creamed cottage cheese and 5,349,000 pounds of partially cream cottage cheese (less than four per cent milkfat).

COMMERCIAL vegetable growers in the Rio Grande Valley are getting land ready for fall vegetables, as the harvest of spring crops is nearly over. There are some okra and tomatoes still available in the Valley, and a few honeydews and bell peppers are still being harvested in that section.