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## Weather

	HIGH	LOW
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Thursday, April 3, 1975

# City, School Elections Set Saturday

## Ten Candidates Seek Posts In Election

# Snow Slips Into Panhandle Over Weekend

## Accumulations Vary From 2-6 Inches

Although spring is official here, Old Man Winter is still around. Snow, piling up to four to six inches in some places, fell over the area Saturday.

Citizens awoke to a blanket of white Saturday morning, and snow continued to fall most of the morning. By noon Saturday the snow was beginning to thaw

and the sun was trying to shine. Travelers warnings were issued for the Panhandle Friday night and early Saturday morning.

Wheat farmers welcomed the snow's moisture, but the local fruit trees suffered due to the hard freeze.

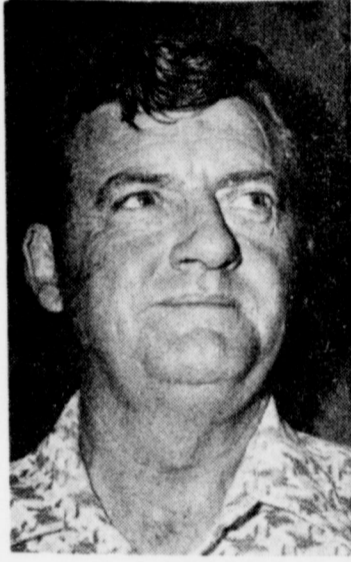
With the sun shining brightly Sunday and Monday, the accumulated snow did not last long.

A new front was expected to barrel through the Panhandle Wednesday bringing more of that white stuff to portions of the Texas Panhandle.

## Lazbuddie School Board Election Set

April 5 is the date for the Lazbuddie School Board Election. Voting will take place from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. Saturday in the foyer of the Lazbuddie School Auditorium.

Candidates for the two places up for election are Keith Menefee, Claude (Greg) Gregory, Max Steinbock, Reaford Wenner, Alfred Hicks, Bill Brantley and Jim Roy Daniel.



JIM SHAFER



DR. JERRY GLEASON



LEWIS WAYNE SHAFER



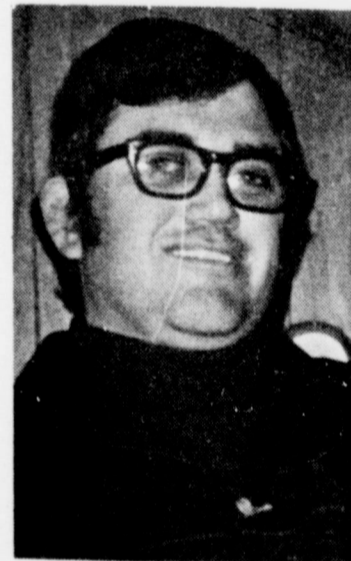
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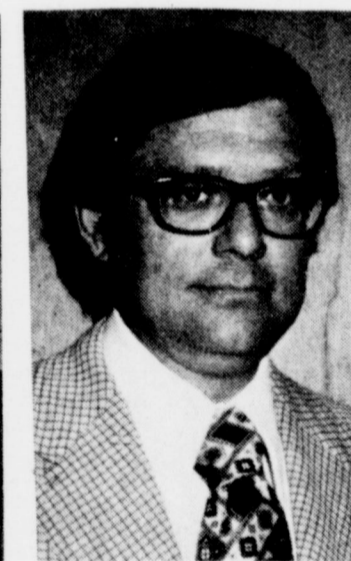
FLOYD GAFFORD



MAX KING



TERRY FIELD



CLARENCE CHRISTIAN

## Little League Plans '75 Baseball Season

Plans are now being made for the Muleshoe Little League's 1975 season. The sign-up of new players will be held on Tuesday, April 8, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Mary DeShazo School lunch room. Boys and girls who will be at least nine years old but not yet 13 years old on August 1, 1975, will be eligible to play little league baseball this year. Players who will become eligible to play for the first time this year should attend the sign-up meeting with at least one parent.

Also boys and girls who have moved into the community since last season should enroll at this time if they wish to play in the little league program. Players who are already enrolled and are still eligible to play will not need to re-enroll. Try-outs for players who are eligible to be drafted into the major league will be held on Saturday, April 12, at 1:00 p.m., on the playing field across from the DeShazo School. Those

players who are at least ten years of age and have played at least one full season in the minor leagues are eligible to be drafted by the major league teams, and should attend this try-out. The draft will be held immediately following the try-out.

Plans call for the Muleshoe little league to begin team workouts on Monday, April 21, and the first games of the season will be played on Monday, May 5. Persons wishing additional information should contact Eugene Howard at 272-4037.

## Heart Fund Drive Totals Over \$5246

The 1975 Heart Fund Drive conducted in Bailey County during February, plus memorials for the year, totaled \$5246.72.

The generous response of the residents of the county reflects their increased awareness of the serious nature of the heart and blood vessel disease problem. It also demonstrates the public's strong conviction that the Heart Association's programs of research, educational and community service are the major effective ways to combat and eventually to control and nation's major cause of death.

The Bailey County Unit of the Heart Association expresses their thanks to all the volunteer workers and all residents of the county who helped make the Fund Drive a success.

## Absentee Voting Ends

Absentee voting in the School Board Election Tuesday, April 1, during absentee voting, only 21 ballots were cast.

## Mother-Baby Course To Begin Tuesday

The Mother-Baby care course will begin in Muleshoe on Tuesday, April 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the Muleshoe Area Goodwill Center. Women who have not signed up for this valuable training need to do so as soon as possible.

The course will last six weeks with two hours of instruction at each session. Along with the lesson, students will get practical experience in bathing a baby, preparation of food, and will learn how and when to feed a baby to prevent intestinal disturbance. Learning to recognize symptoms of communicable di-

# City Council Passes Water Resolution

The Muleshoe City Council met in regular session Tuesday, April 1, at 8:30 a.m. in the council chambers at city hall. Present for the meeting were councilmen Max King, A.V. Wood and Kenneth Henry. King presided over the meeting in the absence of Mayor Alex Williams.

The Council approved an ordinance amending the Uniform Plumbing Code for the City of Muleshoe which involves connections for the city.

A resolution authorizing continuation of the city's participation in SPAG Regional Law Enforcement Network Program was passed.

A resolution superseding Resolution No. 346A by the City Council of the City of Muleshoe setting a limit of 75,000 gallons of water per month as a minimum for City employees, elected officials and firemen was passed.

A discussion on recommendations concerning interpretation of water rates in situations where more than one unit shares a meter, was tabled for further investigation of the situation. The street sweeper policy was discussed and it was decided that the sweeper could be made available to businessmen here to sweep their parking lots for a set fee.

Formalization of agreements with the Texas Highway Department concerning school zone on U.S. 84 at the Fourth Street crossing was discussed and the council passed an ordinance providing for the approval of the agreement. They also adopted a resolution authorizing Mayor Williams to execute the agreement, but an ordinance fixing the maximum rate of speed for motor vehicles; allowing for school speed zone with flashing beacon; providing for penalty; and declaring an emergency; was tabled until

more research could be done on the project.

The council then opened bids for a new patrol car for the Muleshoe Police Department. Three bids were submitted. The first from Town and Country Auto was for a 1974 Pontiac Catalina for a difference after trade-in of \$3803.57. The second bid was from Muleshoe Motor Co. and was on a 1975 Ford LTD for a difference of \$3844.5. The final bid was from Crow Chevrolet on a 1975 Impala and the difference was \$3799. The low bid from Crow Chevrolet was accepted after a discussion on the three cars.

The Community Development Act was then discussed, but no action taken at the meeting. Bud Bowie, an engineer with McMorries Associates gave a water system improvements report to the council.

He stated that two water wells have been drilled and the foundations poured. The 12 inch water line was finished the first part of the week. He said that everything is on order at this time and it will probably be two weeks before it can be installed.

It was reported that the north well is to be developed at 250 gallons of water per minute and the south well will be developed at 400 gallons of water per minute. The difference in the two wells is due to the formation in that particular spot.

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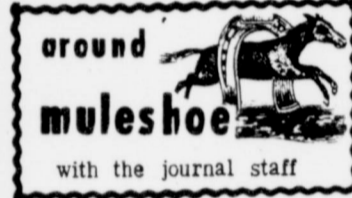
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Mrs. Johnnie St. Clair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pat Wagon was credited with a minimum of 2.3 times as many grade points as hours of credit. Her name was placed on the semester's Special Honor Roll.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Krebs spent Easter Sunday in the home of Ralph Krebs of Lubbock. Other family members attending the family get-together were Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Krebs of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Francille Krebs of Midland. Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Krebs returned to Muleshoe with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Krebs and spent Sunday night before returning to Tulsa, Oklahoma on Monday.

Some 2,000 Southern Methodist University students are being recognized for their academic achievements during the past semester, including Perry B. Hall of Muleshoe.

Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Hall, who live at 1812 W. Ave. H., are receiving official notification from the University this week that he has achieved SMU's annual "Honor Roll" of scholars with high grade averages.

## New Pastor Assumes Duties At Church

Rev. J.E. Meeks, former pastor of Baptist Temple Church, Big Spring, Texas, will assume duties as pastor of First Baptist Church, Muleshoe on April 6.

Rev. Meeks and his wife, Catherine, have three children, a daughter, Gail (Mrs. Michaw Lackey), a son, Rickey (married), and a son, Jeffrey (11 years old) of the home.

Until 1957, Rev. Meeks and his father were in the farming and ranching business in Merkel, Texas, where he was born July 3, 1928. After being ordained to preach at the age of

28, Rev. Meeks entered Hardin-Simmons University. In 1961 he received his B.A. degree from Hardin-Simmons and entered Southwestern Seminary where he received both his B.D. and M.D. degrees.

A cordial invitation is extended by the members to everyone to come to the First Baptist Church to hear their new pastor. A get-acquainted reception for the Meeks family will be held in Fellowship Hall immediately following the evening worship service, Sunday, April 6.



REV. J.E. MEES



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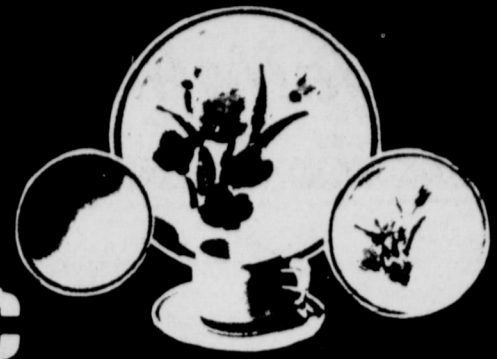
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All Flavors, Frozen **Patio Dinners** 11-oz. Pkg. **49¢**

All Varieties, Frozen **Fox Pizza** 13 1/2-oz. **69¢**

For Great Relief **Alka-Seltzer Plus** 36-Ct. Pkg. **\$1 39**

Your Choice, 11-oz. Lotion or 7-oz. Tube, Shampoo **Head & Shoulders** Ea. **\$1 99**

Regular or Mint **Crest Toothpaste** 7-oz. Tube **89¢**

STORE HOURS  
8-10 DAILY  
9-9 SUNDAY



**Superb Valu-Trim Sirloin Steak**  
**\$1 09**  
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**Superb Valu-Trim Rib Steak**  
**\$1 09**  
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Superb Valu-Trim, Boneless **Round Steak** Lb. **\$1 29**  
Superb Valu-Trim, Boneless **Top Round Steak** Lb. **\$1 49**

Superb Valu-Trim, Bone In **Rump Roast** Lb. **98¢**

Superb Valu-Trim **Cubed Steak** Lb. **\$1 69**  
Boneless **Stew Meat** Lb. **\$1 29**

Farmer Jones **Boneless Ham** Lb. **\$1 29**

Superb Valu-Trim, Cubed **Bottom Round Steak** Lb. **\$1 49**  
Superb Valu-Trim **Sirloin Tip Steak** Lb. **\$1 59**

Superb Valu-Trim, Blade Cut **Chuck Steak** Lb. **89¢**

Lean And Meaty **Short Ribs** Lb. **49¢**  
Fresh **Pork Spare Ribs** Lb. **\$1 19**

Superb Valu-Trim **Boneless Chuck Roast** Lb. **\$1 19**



**The Picnic Snack Golden Bananas**  
**17¢**  
Lb.

California Sweet **Strawberries** Pint Bskt. **79¢**  
Eye-Opener **Grapefruit** 5-Lb. Bag **99¢**

Juicy, Meaty **Cantaloupe** Lb. **25¢**

Tropical Treat **Sweet Pineapple** Ea. **99¢**  
Make An Apple Pie **Apples** 3-Lb. Bag **89¢**

Standard In Salad **Hearty Cabbage** Lb. **9¢**

Medium **White Mushrooms** Lb. **99¢**  
Great With Hollandaise Sauce **Fresh Broccoli** Lb. **39¢**

Rich In Vitamin A **Crisp Carrots** Lb. Cello Bag **35¢**

For A Hearty Meal, Russet **Potatoes** 10 Lb. Bag **69¢**

A Great Stuffer CHEIF CHOICE **Bell Pepper** Lb. **68¢**  
Smother With Bacon And Onions **Green Beans** Lb. **59¢**  
Stuff With Cheese And Bread Crumbs

**Tomatoes** Cello Cr. **39¢**



All Vegetable Shortening **Crisco**  
**\$1 59**  
3-Lb. Can Limit One (1) With \$7.50 or more purchase



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5-Lb. Bag Limit One (1) With \$7.50 or more purchase

Piggly Wiggly **Paper Towels** 2 145-Ct. 1 Ply Rolls **79¢**

Dish Detergent **Ivory Liquid** 22-oz. Btl. **49¢**

Tomato-Rich **Heinz Ketchup** Qt. Btl. **65¢**

CHEIF CHOICE **French Fry Potatoes** 2-Lb. Bag **39¢**

<p><b>\$1 00 Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 3-Lb. Can Coffee <b>Maxwell House</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>15¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 40-oz. Box Biscuit <b>Bisquick Mix</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>30¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 3-oz. Jar Piggly Wiggly <b>Instant Tea</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>30¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 12-oz. Can Very Dry <b>Dial Deodorant</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>20¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 16-oz. Pkg. Leo's Pimento <b>Cheese Spread</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>15¢ Off</b> the purchase price of two (2) Heads <b>Fresh Lettuce</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>
<p><b>50¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 33-oz. Handy Can Canister Pack Sugar Sweetened <b>Kool-Aid</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>15¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 15-oz. Pkg. Creme Sandwich <b>Nabisco Oreo's</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>20¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 16-oz. Box <b>Trix Cereal</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>10¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 30-Ct. Btl. <b>Anacin Tablets</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>15¢ Off</b> the purchase price of one (1) 18-oz. Potato or <b>Macaroni Salad</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>	<p><b>15¢ Off</b> the purchase price of three (3) or More <b>Creamy Avocados</b> Coupon Expires April 5, 1975</p>



# STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

**AUSTIN**—Constitutional revision, widely regarded as an almost impossible task for the legislature this year, may be moving along faster than any of the session's "big three" items.

Revision panels of the House and Senate voted out proposals almost identical to the document which failed by three votes in the 1974 Constitutional Convention. Education finance reform and utilities regulation have not moved so far so fast.

Senators brought up the plan Tuesday (April 1) for floor consideration on an article-by-

article basis. The House is expected to follow the same procedure.

A two-thirds vote will be necessary on each article before it can be submitted to the voters for approval or rejection in a state-wide election next November.

None of the controversial "separate submission" items like right-to-work—which split and doomed the 1974 convention—are included in the present resolutions.

Apparently, if article-by-article revision fails, the legislature will offer a plan for a new citizens' convention to try its hand at revision next year.

## PRIMARY ADVANCES

Drive for a Texas presidential preference primary gathered momentum in spite of some stubborn opposition from political convention-oriented liberals and George Wallace supporters.

The Senate State Affairs Committee gave its approval to a revised and improved version of the House-passed primary bill, and quick Senate passage was anticipated.

The measure still calls for a vote in May on presidential candidates who decide to enter the Texas primary. Seventy-five per cent of the state's presidential nominating delegates will be named on a senatorial (or congressional) district basis. Another 25 per cent will be selected in state party conventions in accord with the percentage of the vote various candidates received in the primary.

An objectionable feature of the House bill which would have required candidates to file slates of delegates in all 31 senatorial districts to get on the ballot at all was removed. Liberal provisions also were made for uncommitted delegates to run individually or as a slate.

## SPEED LIMIT SAME

Legislators finally agreed on, and the governor signed, legislation extending the 55 miles per hour speed limit to comply with federal policies and save \$303

million a year in federal highway aid.

A threatened deadlock was quickly broken in the face of threats of heavy loss of federal funds. The present 55 mph law would have expired April 1.

## COURTS SPEAK

Texas Court of Criminal Appeals held a cashier in an El Paso bookstore could not be convicted for sale of an obscene magazine after being declared innocent in sale of an alleged obscene film in the same transaction.

Texas Supreme Court turned down a Panola County man's contention that he was defrauded of royalties when producers drilling on his property did not tell him or the Railroad Commission of an oil strike in the Burnett Sand of Travis Peak reservoir.

The high court upheld a Waco Court of Civil Appeals ruling that a Hamilton County property owner was entitled to \$7,500 damages from a company which allowed turkey feathers to cover his land and runoff water to pollute his wells and troughs.

## AG OPINIONS

Campaign contributions made after an election are defensible under the penal code, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

Poll watchers cannot be paid from labor union dues.

A school, under the open records act, should make public names and addresses of students' parents and guardians on request.

Prisoners in federal correctional institutions may demonstrate Texas residence for college tuition purposes if they intend to remain in the state after release.

County commissioners may create new justice of the peace precincts from existing precincts and appoint the j.p. to fill a vacancy.

Adopted and illegitimate children may not be excluded from the free State Infant Immunization Program.

Rural fire prevention districts may provide emergency ambulance services.

State employees are not prohibited from testifying before legislative committees.

## APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED

Gov. Dolph Briscoe appointed Abe M. Katz of Corpus Christi to the Finance Commission of Texas Building and Loan Section.

Among other appointees of the governor announced recently were T. Gilbert Sharpe of Brownsville, as 138th district judge; John A. Mehos of Galveston, to the Gulf States Marine Commission (reappointment).

Walter V. Duncan (reappointment) of Richardson and Russell M. Irving of Beaumont to the Credit Union Commission; and

Milton C. Dalchau of Llano, John W. Hancock Sr. of El Campo, Sam K. Seymour Jr. of Columbus and Jake Strahan of Burnet (reappointees) to the Lower Colorado River Authority.

## SHORT SNORTS

The Senate cleared the way for an environmental study of Texas bays and estuaries.

An April 14 hearing has been scheduled on a House resolution to rescind Texas ratification of the controversial Equal Rights Amendment.

Gov. Briscoe signed into law legislation allowing real estate loan interest, including so-called front-end "points," to be spread over the life of a loan.

A bill to allow public school teachers to conduct periods of silent prayer or meditation passed the House by a big margin.

Five new applications to sell more than \$3.2 million in securities have been filed with the State Securities Board in the last two weeks.

A 13-member Texas Livestock and Dairy Industry Task Force will push for a federal meat import agreement to ease economic declines.

## Brief, Very Brief

Mile-deep hole in ocean floor is planned.

U.S. Steel's earnings climb by 144.7 per cent.

Ford willing to revise economic program.

British pound falls to 10-month low.

## Election...

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tion to Place 4 on the City Council.

A graduate of Muleshoe High School, Field graduated from West Texas State University in 1972. He moved back to Muleshoe two years ago and is partner-manager of Harmon-Field Insurance Agency in Muleshoe. He and his wife, Charlotte, have one daughter, Jodi, and attend the Church of Christ.

Field stated that the main reason he decided to run for election was so he could "participate in the city government and serve the community the best way I can."

Max King, a Muleshoe resident all of his life, is running unopposed for re-election on the Council. A graduate of Muleshoe High School, King also graduated from Texas Tech in 1965 and is employed at King Grain Co.

King and his wife, Pat, have four children. He has served on the city council for three years and is presently serving as President of the West Plains Memorial Hospital Board.

King stated, "I have tried to serve to the best of my ability the past three years and will do so again if elected. Inflation has affected the city like it has everybody and remains an enemy to our city operations. But despite this, progress has been made in our city by improved utilities, highways and services."

"The next three years will be difficult, but I feel we can still provide the citizens the services they want and need on a sound financial basis."

Clarence Christian is seeking another term on the Muleshoe City Council in this election.

He has served on the council for three years and has been Mayor pro-tem for the past two years.

A graduate of Texas A&I University, Christian has a B. S. degree in Agronomy.

Christian is married and the father of four children. He is an agronomist and is in business for himself as an Agriculture Consultant.

"My initial interest in running for City Council three years ago was due to my personal interest in Muleshoe and its future."

"During this period we have expanded, improved and initiated several programs. I feel the most significant of these are the mosquito control programs and the water improvement projects."

"I have enjoyed working on these projects and I would appreciate the opportunity to continue working for a better Muleshoe."

Citizens are urged to turn out and vote in these elections Saturday.

# Farm-facts

A Weekly Report Of Agri Business News

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John C. White, Commissioner

## Planting Season Advances . . . A Million Here, A Million There . . . April 9 Wheat Forecast . . . Sheep, Lamb Feeding Lowest Since 1966

Planting of major crops throughout the state is about on schedule or ahead of this time a year ago. Cotton planting for the state is now nearing the 10 per cent completion mark. Sorghum planting is more than a fourth completed. Some fields were damaged to some extent by recent freezing weather in the south central part of the state.

About one-third of the corn acreage in the state has been planted. Peanut seeding is underway in South Texas. Wheat is making excellent growth on the High and Low Plains. Livestock movement off wheat and oat fields to feedlots has peaked. Livestock condition generally is fair to poor, as grazing becomes short in many areas. Heavy culling is underway in the north and eastern areas of the state and death losses continue to run above normal.

One of the few crops which is behind schedule in planting is rice. Less than five per cent of the crop has been planted in the state. Vegetable crops are making good progress. Cabbage, carrot and onion plants are being harvested in the San Antonio-Winter Garden area as well as the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Peaches are blooming in most areas of the state and pecan trees are budding in north central Texas. Citrus harvest is about completed.

**WHERE ARE THOSE ONE MILLION** acres that won't be planted to cotton in Texas this year going? Apparently, they will go into sorghum. The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes that cotton acres are expected to be down one million acres this year from last year, and that sorghum acres are to be up one million acres from last year. Cotton acres this year are expected to total 4.3 million acres compared to 5.3 million acres in 1974. Sorghum acres are expected to total 8.5 million acres compared to 7.5 million acres in 1974.

Wheat acres in the state are set at 6.5 million acres compared to 5.6 a year ago.

**APRIL 9** will be the date for a special winter wheat forecast for Texas only. The report is to be issued to give producers more information about prospects for the wheat crop.

**SHEEP AND LAMB** feeding in Texas is now at the lowest levels since 1966. Texas sheep and lambs on feed as of March 1 totaled 170,000 head. This is down 29 per cent from a year ago and is 17 per cent below Jan. 1. Even more significant, it is the lowest since 1966 when the total was 172,000.

Drylot operators with 2,000 head capacity or more had 62,000 head of the 170,000 sheep and lambs on feed. Sheep and lambs on feed are those intended for slaughter being fed a ration of grain or other concentrates or on succulent pastures and expected within the next three months to produce a carcass that will grade good or better.

Sheep and lambs placed on feed during January and February totaled 114,000 compared with only 30,000 head during the same months in 1974. Marketings of fed sheep and lambs during this period, at 148,000 head, were 18 per cent below the same period a year ago.

**EARLY LAMB CROP** in Texas this year totaled 770,000 head which is an increase of five per cent from last year's crop. The Jan. 1 inventory of ewes one year old and older was down 10 per cent.

The early lamb crop in three states—California, Kansas and Texas—was down two per cent from a year ago.

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**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED . . .** Mr. and Mrs. Warren J. Meeks of Muleshoe announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Regina Gail to Richard Allen Ferrill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Ferrill of Britton, Michigan. Miss Meeks is a 1972 graduate of Springlake - Earth High School. The prospective groom is a graduate of Dundee High School in Dundee Michigan. He is employed by Mighty Distributing System of West Texas. Wedding vows will be exchanged May 17 at 4:00 p.m. in a garden ceremony at the home of Mrs. Esther Meeks in Sudan.

**West Plains Hospital  
Hospital Briefs**

**ADMITTANCE:**  
March 28: Kevin Peterson,  
March 29: Matilda Olivas,  
Dorothy Hernandez and Scott Morris.  
March 30: Mrs. Paul Poynor.  
March 31: Juan Gutierrez,  
Melvin Lee and Mrs. Ray Ter-  
rill.

**DISMISAL:**  
March 28: Domingo Vasquez  
and Thomas Flores.  
March 29: Joe Villarreal.  
March 31: Mrs. Elmo Pruitt.

**STOPS RENOVATION**  
LONDON -- Buckingham Palace has announced that Queen Elizabeth has abandoned a \$600,000 project to modernize Sandringham House, the mansion on her privately owned estate in Norfolk due to economic difficulties.

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**Junior-Senior  
Mothers Meet**

The Junior and Senior mothers met Monday, March 24 in the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room at 4 p.m.

The mothers discussed the prom which will be held May 17 after the Junior-Senior Banquet at the American Legion Hall. Each family will be charged \$10.00 for their child or children to attend the Prom. If a junior or senior brings a guest they will be charged \$2.50 extra.

The mothers then voted on committees and chairmen. Mrs. Lewis Dale is Chairman, Mrs. Jimmy Carpenter and Mrs. Lewis Wayne Shafer are co-chairmen for the prom.

Those on the finance committee are Mrs. Gene Hamilton, chairman, Mrs. Marsha Henry, Mrs. Bill Jim St.Clair, Mrs. Frank Ellis, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. T.R. White, Mrs. James Crane, Mrs. Don Rempe, Mrs. J.A. Nickels, Mrs. Charles Stewart and Mrs. Manuel Balderas.

Those on invitation committee are Mrs. Eugene Black, chairman; Mrs. Roy Wrinkle, Mrs. Keith Bray, Mrs. Charlie Smith and Mrs. Harold Allison.

Those on decorating committee are Mrs. Clene Blair, chairman; Mrs. David Stovall, co-chairman; Mrs. Roy Wrinkle, Mrs. Odell Rasco, Mrs. Roy Whitt, Mrs. Hershell Parker, Mrs. Dale Burden, Mrs. Jack Dunham, Mrs. Kenneth Hanks, Mrs. Jake Saylor, Mrs. Eugene Burham, Mrs. H. D. Ramage, Mrs. Bill Hunt, Mrs. Jim O'Grady, Mrs. Lupe Castorena, Mrs. Maria Orozco, Mrs. Joe Dan Jones and Mrs. Ernest Ramm.

Those on refreshment committee are Mrs. Jack Young,

chairman; Mrs. Sam Hopper, co-chairman; Mrs. Earnest Martin, Mrs. E.A. Bass, Jr., Mrs. Eugene Reeder, Mrs. Morris Killough, Mrs. W.B. Kittrell and Mrs. James Crane.

Those on publicity committee are Mrs. Manuel Balderas, chairman and Mrs. Norman Head, co-chairman.

Those on band committee are Mrs. Earnest Martin, chairman; Mrs. Jimmy Carpenter, co-chairman and Mrs. Lewis Dale.

Those on photography committee are Mrs. Earnest Ramm and Mrs. Neil Dillman.

Those on clean-up committee are Mrs. Vinnie Purcell, chairman and Mrs. Elmer Davis, co-chairman and all sponsors.

Mrs. Tom Jinks is in charge of the guest register.

Contact Mrs. Lewis Dale 946-3360 for information or those desiring to help that were not able to attend the meeting.

**Rodeo Club  
Participates In  
Farwell Rodeo**

The Muleshoe Rodeo Club rode in the Farwell Rodeo this past weekend.

Those winning were Bull Riding, Sherman Presley placed first and received a buckle and six points. Calf Roping, Sherman Presley placed first and received a buckle and six points and Dan Ellis placed sixth and received one point. Ribbon Roping, Jimmy Henderson placed second and received a buckle and five points and Dan Ellis placed fifth and received two points. Team Roping, Dan Ellis and Eddy Mardis placed first and each received a buckle and six points.

Sherman Presley was All Around Cowboy and received a saddle. The Muleshoe Rodeo Club was the high point team.

Others participating were Joe Pate, David Crow, Wayland Barker, Sharla Farmer, Kelly Mixon and Danny Lance. The Muleshoe Rodeo Club will be riding in the Claude Rodeo this next weekend.

**RECIPE**

By Sarah Anne Sheridan

What shall we have for dinner is a question which disturbs many women who are concerned with feeding the family. Try serving a main dish meal, plus a fresh, crisp salad and a fruit dessert.

**Chicken Creole Casserole**

- 1 3 lb. chicken cut in serving pieces.
- 1/4 c flour
- 1 t salt
- 1/2 t pepper
- 2 t fat
- 1/2 c chopped onions
- 1/2 c canned tomatoes
- 2 sprigs parsley chopped
- 1 bay leaf
- 1 clove garlic chopped fine
- 1/2 t thyme
- 1 c condensed canned consomme
- 5 peeled potatoes

Dip pieces of chicken in flour which has been mixed with salt and pepper. Brown lightly in hot fat. Arrange in a greased 3 quart casserole. Cook onion in remaining fat until golden brown. Add to chicken. Add tomatoes, parsley, bay leaf, garlic, thyme, and consomme. Cover, bake in an oven 350 degrees until tender from 1 1/2 to 2 hours. Add potatoes last 35 minutes of cooking.

**Shower Policy**

Shower pictures will be made by the Society reporter of the honoree at the shower only if prior arrangements are made at least 24 hours in advance. At the time the picture is taken, a designated shower hostess is requested to have a list available of hostesses, table decorations special and out of town guests, servers, registrar and all other information pertinent to the story. Only one bridal shower picture will be taken of each bride-elect. No two pictures of one person will be published in the same paper.

Engagement - Shower - Wedding pictures must be at least two weeks apart and in consecutive order. Shower pictures may not be used with story if engagement announcement and wedding are not at least two weeks apart.

Next  
Next to runaway prices, a shower bath in a strange hotel is the hardest thing to regulate.

-Tribune, Winnipeg.  
Buckley asks monitoring of Soviet pact.



**HIGH POINT TEAM . . .** Pictured above bottom left to right are Jimmy Henderson, Sherman Presley, Joe Pate and David Crow and front left to right Gary Herring, Wayland Barker

**Bula News  
By Mrs. John Blackman**

A very successful revival closed Sunday evening at the Baptist Church. Good crowds were in attendance. A dinner was served Sunday at noon in the fellowship hall of the church, by the ladies of the church. Brother Don Olive was the e-

vangelist and Brother Eddie Turner, song leader, both were from Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Jackson of Littlefield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Latham.

Several of the Boy Scouts from Bula area along with their leaders attended the district Boy Scouts Camp out, in Levelland, at the National Guard Armory the past weekend. Scouts were Danny Hogue, Jeff Kester, Dennis Quiram, Steve Pollard, Jammie Cox, Dale Demel, David Morrison, and scout masters J.L. Cox and Mr. Jacops.

Bula men placed second in the outsiders volleyball tournament held Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Three Way School.

Mrs. V.C. Weaver has been a patient in the Amherst Hospital, having been admitted with a throat infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Tiller and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sowder spent part of the past week attending the State Independent Ginners convention, held in San Antonio.

WMU met Tuesday at 2:30, this being bible study day. The scripture was taken from 11 and 12 Chapters of Acts, with Mrs. Williams in charge of the lesson. Mrs. Richardson read

the prayer calender, and also the scripture reading, with Mrs. Williams offering the prayer for the missionaries and opening prayer.

Attending were Mrs. C.A. Williams, Mrs. Rowena Richardson, Mrs. E.O. Batties, Mrs. P.R. Pierce, Miss Vina Tugman and Mrs. J.R. Teaff.

Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Martin and daughter, Beverley of Lubbock, were dinner guests Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Cannon.

RAs along with Rev. and Mrs. Eddie Riley and small son, Chris, were in Tyler Thursday until late Saturday night, where they attended the State RA Congress. Four boys from the Bula Baptist Church are entrants in the state track meet. RAs going were Louis Peacock, Bernie Davila, Donald Black, Freddie and Gary White.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Walden of Littlefield were dinner guests Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Walden.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard spent the weekend visiting with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bogard and children, Brad and Shell at Charlie, Okla.

**Local Man  
Receives  
Praises**

A report by LaWayne Batteas, patrolman for the Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1, brought favorable remarks from the directors Monday night at the board's January meeting. Batteas' comments centered around the improvement of docks, removal of items causing pollution and daily inspections of the canal.

He listed the number of arrests for violations at the lake during the past several months. Directors lauded Batteas for his "diligence and interest" in his work.

LaWayne "Bo" Batteas graduated recently from Law Enforcement Officers School. The school, held in Abilene, is sponsored by Texas A&M.

Bo, a 1961 graduate of Three Way High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Batteas of Goodland. He is married to the former Patsy Fort, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Fort, formerly of Star Rt, Sudan.

Bo and Patsy make their home at Lake Brownwood with their three children, Diann, Janet and Donald.

and Eddy Mardis. Not pictured are Dan Ellis and Danny Lance. These boys are members of the Muleshoe Rodeo Club which is now the high point team. They rode in the Farwell Rodeo this past weekend.

**Texas FHA Week To  
Be Held April 6-12**

The Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America will observe FHA-HEROWEEK, April 6 through 12. The theme of the week is "Reach Out and Touch." In Texas there are 72,000 members in 2,050 chapters who will celebrate the week with activities which show the concern these young people feel for others. The young men and women who are members of today's Future Homemakers of America chapters are interested in projects which expand their knowledge and skills in all aspects of home and family living and in home economics occupational areas.

Nationwide in membership and effort, Future Homemakers of America is cosponsored by the U.S. Office of Education through the Division of Vocational and Technical Education and the American Home Economics Association. National Headquarters are located in Washington, D.C. State Headquarters are located at the Texas Education Agency, Austin, Texas. Mrs. Elizabeth F. Smith is the State Director of Home-making Education and Mrs. Betty Romans is the State Advisor of the Texas Association.

High school homemaking teachers, and members of the state home economics education staff serve as advisors to chapter, state and national youth officers, giving guidance and coun-

selling to the program.

The annual state meeting of the Texas Association will be April 17-18 in the Convention Center, San Antonio. More than 5,000 members and advisors are expected to attend.

The theme of the meeting is "Pass It On - Reach Out and Touch." Activities are planned to provide delegates further information and ideas for planning worthwhile chapter programs. The program is planned and carried out by State and Area officers of the organization.

Keynote speaker for the meeting will be Dr. William Purkey, popular speaker and author from the University of Florida. Dr. Purkey's talk "Pass It On - Dial Direct" will treat personal responsibility and ability in a world that sometimes forgets the person.

Other highlights of the meeting include a talk by well-known humorist and salesman of the good life, Jerry Clower. Non-members who have contributed their time and effort to the organization will be awarded honorary membership. Scholarships will be awarded to outstanding members of the organization and there will be a breakfast honoring members who have gained significant achievement. Installation of eleven newly elected officers will climax the meeting.

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## Mr., Mrs. Dalton Honored At 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Dalton were honored at their 50th Wedding Anniversary Sunday, March 30.

### TOPS Installs Officers

TOPS Chapter Number 34 met Thursday, March 27 at 6 p.m. in the meeting room of the Bailey County Electric with 21 members weighing in.

The club installed the new officers for the coming year. Scales of Services was the theme for the installation. Mrs. J.V. Peller installed the following officers: Mrs. Bobby Newman, president; Mrs. J.J. McDonald, vice president; Mrs. Owen Jones, secretary; Mrs. Don Martin, treasurer; Mrs. Ronnie Garner, weight recorder and Mrs. J. O. Parker, assistant weight recorder.

The club reported that Mrs. J.D. Spurgeon, Mrs. H.D. DeLoach, and Mrs. Roy Clark were ill and excused from the meeting.

Mrs. H.M. Hefner received the money in the can-can box.

The club reported on the contest which Group H won and received all the gifts. Members in Group H were Mrs. Buria Vinson and Clara Crain, team captains; Cecelia Lopez, Mrs. Glenn Stroud and Alice Angley.

Mrs. Claude Don Holmes, chairman, Mrs. J.O. Parker, and Mrs. Ronnie Garner submitted a new contest to the club. The contest involves a quilt and the person whose name is

on the most blocks will receive the quilt.

Their next meeting will be Thursday, April 3 in the meeting room of the Bailey County Electric. Fruit night will be held and each member is to bring their fruit basket. Also, the club will have an anniversary party.

Hosting the occasion were their children, Mrs. B.A. Dickenson of Plainview; Alvin R. Dalton of Fort Worth; Mrs. Jim Dwayne Burkhead and Mrs. Buddy Lane both of Albuquerque, N.M.

The table was covered with a white over gold table cloth crocheted by their oldest daughter. The centerpiece was yellow and spider mums.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Dickenson and Rodney of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin R. Dalton and Mrs. Sherie Frazier of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burkhead, Gayetta, Tamara, Cynthia, Kimberley, and Michael of Albuquerque, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lane, Bridget and Brian of Albuquerque; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Maharg of Albuquerque; Mrs. Harry Gaines and Harold of Clovis, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Upfold and Rob of Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Paine Dalton of Plainview, Frank Eades and family of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Varner McWilliams and Mr. and Mrs. Layton McWilliams of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Painter and Mrs. T.R. Dykes of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickenson of Olton; and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bynum and daughters of Friona.

B.A. Dalton married Martha Clarice Harlin March 30, 1925 in Headley, Texas. They moved to Muleshoe in August of 1949 where he opened the Western Auto Store.



### Return Of The Wedge To Shoe Styles

COLLEGE STATION -- Shoe styles are changing this spring. One of the most popular looks this season is the wedge, shown in wood veneer, veneer, canvas, leather and natural fiber such as straw, according to Claudia Mitzel, consumer education-clothing and textiles specialist.

"Flats are also returning to the fashion scene. This style features a 1/2 inch heel and is especially appropriate for young fashions.

"Another trend in spring styles will be fewer platform shoes. Although heel heights are staying around three to four inches, the platform under the ball of the foot has dropped out and left only the shoe sole," the specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, said this week.

Today's styles are more dainty and less chunky. And one reason the higher heel will be popular is that it works well with the longer skirt lengths, the specialist explained.

"Although the higher heel is attractive, the woman on her feet all day may not find it as comfortable as the platform shoe. The foot is at a much greater angle and this causes the calf muscle to contract and tire more easily than when the foot is flat," Miss Mitzel pointed out.

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DANITA THROCKMORTON DEMONSTRATES THE CARE OF TERRARIUMS . . . Danita Throckmorton demonstrated the care of terrariums to the YL 4-H Club Monday, March 24.

### YL 4-H Club Has Meeting

The YL 4-H Club met Monday, March 24 in the YL Methodist Church. Kelley Head called the meeting to order. Cora Patterson led the Pledge to the Flag and Tyrri Vandiver led the members in the 4-H motto and pledge. Roll call and minutes were read by Monti Vandiver.

The members reported that Rhonda Mills and Staci Vandiver entered the County Food Show and both won blue ribbons. Rhonda was an alternate in the Breads and Desserts. Staci represented the Bailey County in the side dish division at District Food Show held in Lubbock. She received a red ribbon. Both girls are

in the junior division. Paul Harbin and Kelley Head are leaders for the leather project. Mrs. Tom Flowers will be the leader for the girls arts

and crafts. Mrs. Bill Harmon will be leader for crocheting and Mrs. Marlin Mills will be the leader for the boys arts and crafts.

Those present were Kelley Head, Monti Vandiver, Ben Harmon, Brenda Flowers, Beth Harmon, Cora Patterson and Tyrri Vandiver.

### Three Way News By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Three Way school is out this week for spring break.

Mrs. Carry Huff and Mrs. Joyce Roberts from Dallas spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Beadie Powell.

Jimmy Gillentine and Sue White from Lubbock spent Thursday visiting Jimmy's grandparents, the H.W. Garvin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dupler are visiting in Houston with their son, the Tommy Dupler's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tarlton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Clark and children from Lubbock visited their parents, the Pete Tarlton's Sunday.

The Three Way FHA girls honored their mothers, grandmothers and secret grandmothers with a banquet Tuesday night in the school Home-Ec room. Everyone enjoyed it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Welch were in Lubbock Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Gene Long from Silvertown and her son, Maynard

Long from California visited in the S.G. Long home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Dupler and son from Monahan spent the weekend with their parents, the Jay Boyeses' and Leon Dupler's.

Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Garvin were dinner guests in Clovis, Sunday with their daughter, the Kenneth Fox family.

Mr. and Mrs. T.D. Davis family and the Tommy Terrell family spent the past weekend at Lake Brownwood attending a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Williams and boys from Eoachs visited her parents, the George Tyson's Sunday afternoon.

### Fashion

Long dresses for day or evening seem to be very much in the picture for the coming season. The practical girl will choose a simple garment that can be dressed up for occasions or worn without colorful accessories for casual wear.

Printed shirts with solid color pants or skirts are smart. A jacket with this combination may also be a solid of harmonizing shade.

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## THDA, District 2 To Have Meeting

Texas Home Demonstration Association, District Two is comprised of Home Demonstration Clubs in the following Counties: Bailey, Briscoe, Cochran, Dawson, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Hale, Hockley, Howard, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Mitchell, Scurry, Swisher, Terry, and Yoakum. Two Counties in the District, Borden and Crosbyton do not have active Clubs at this time.

THDA was originally formed to help the farm women learn canning, sewing, etc. Now THDA Clubs have been formed not only in the farm areas but also in the towns, cities and urban areas with interests ranging from the smallest of indoor gardens to cooking, canning, freezing, sewing, tailoring, hobbies to Civic Affairs.

Anyone interested in being a part of these activities and may more be invited to call the County Extension Agent for information. Membership is not limited or restricted in any way.

Tuesday, April 8, 1975, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., the Texas Home Demonstration Association, District Two, will hold their Spring Meeting in Lubbock, Lubbock County, Trinity Church, 7002 Canton at Loop 289.

The program will be: 9:00 to 9:55 a.m., Registration and Refreshments; 10:00 to 11:30 a.m., General Assembly with speakers John Davidson - Chamber of Commerce, Arch Lamb County Commissioner, Lucille Witten-District Two Director, Helen Meeks Lubbock City THDA and others, 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., \$2.75 Luncheon catered by 4-H of Lubbock County. Proceeds to go as part of their commitment to the 4-H Camp at Brownwood, Tx. Entertainment furnished by a Home Demonstration Club of Plainview. 1:15 to 2:30 p.m., Workshops-Howard County; Cultural Arts and Recreation, Briscoe County-Safety and Hockley County-Family Life, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., General Assembly.

For more information concerning this program please contact your County Agent.

### MARRIED ABOARD PLANE

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. - Janet McNutt and Dave E. Roberts, wanting their marriage to be unusual, were married in a private aircraft as it flew over the Albuquerque area. District Court Judge William F. Riordan performed the ceremony.

### LOUISA'S LETTER



Dear Louisa,  
I'm having a big problem with my 13 year old daughter. She's a very attractive girl, also very matured for her age, she could pass for an eighteen year old girl. The big problem is this, I can't keep the older boys away from our door and my daughter thinks I should let her date at this age, she thinks it's being "mean" to her because I won't agree to her dating this young and she's causing me quite a bit of heart ache.

Do you have any ideas on what I can do about this situation?

Worried--Va.

Answer:  
Thirteen is a trying age for mothers and daughters or rather I should say, for parents and children.

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# Farmers Union Banquet Will Feature Secretary

Texas Farmers Union President Jay Naman of Waco said today that Texas farmers have little to celebrate in what the

Congress has come up with as an emergency farm package. "The meager improvements to the farm bill approved by the

House and the Senate Agriculture committee make a mockery out of the celebration of National Agriculture Day earlier this week. Instead of gratefully rewarding farm people for their productivity and efficiency, Congress has seen fit to kick farmers in the teeth with its farm programs recommendations," Naman said.

The farm organization president condemned the Department of Agriculture's role in discouraging a better farm bill. USDA warned that the original bill approved by the House Agriculture Committee would cost the government \$882 million.

"The Department of Agriculture, under the worst Secretary of Agriculture in our history, used scare-tactics by quoting exorbitant cost figures to convince Congress to reduce benefits under the new farm program. It was pure demagogery for USDA to say that the reduction of the support price on cotton from 40 cents to 38 cents and the target from 48 cents to 45 cents would cut \$300 million from the cost to government. This dire prediction could only occur if there was a total market disaster breaking every cotton farmer in the country," Naman said.

Farmers are "turned off" by the argument in Congress that the farm bill is the "best that can be passed," according to the state farm leader. He predicted that President Ford would probably veto it because it is too good, "when he should be vetoing it because its not good enough," according to Naman.

"As farmers in some areas of the state are approaching the planting season, they are becoming increasingly aware of their costs. If they take seriously USDA's crop projections for next year and look at the recent decline in prices on feed



FIFTH GRADE PICTURE MEMORY . . . The fifth grade winners of the UIL Picture Memory Contest are left to right, Shelly Davis, first; Cara Bass, second; Monty Hysinger, fourth; and Sondra Parker, fifth. Not pictured is Staci Vandiver, third.

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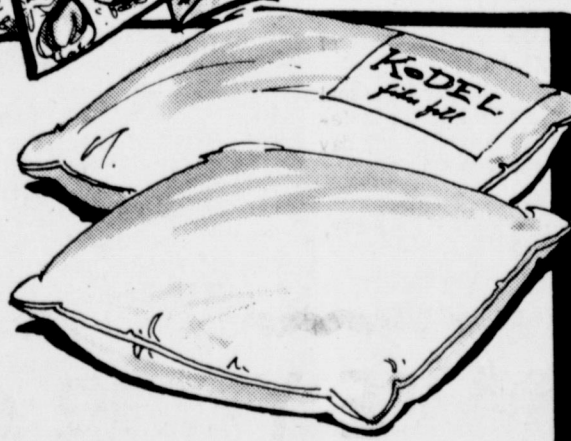
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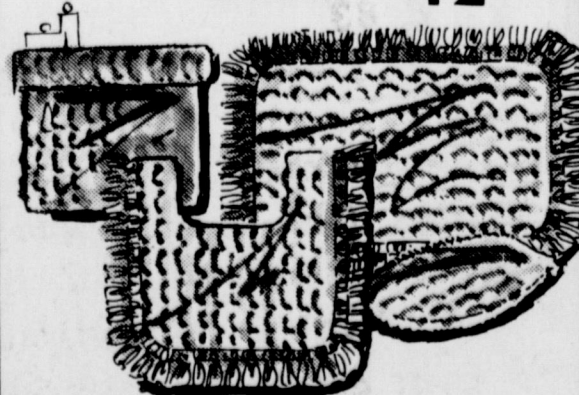
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COLLEGE STATION -- After April 14 consumer will begin to see "a new face" on beef cuts in their favorite supermarket.

That's when new grade standards by the U.S. Department of Agriculture go into effect. Of course, the grades will only appear on meat graded by USDA graders, which is a voluntary service that meat packers must request.

The new grades are designed to keep meat quality at a high level and may help lower consumer costs.

"The major change in the grade standards is that all beef carcasses that are officially graded will be identified for both quality and yield," point out Woodrow Bailey and Dr. Frank Orts, meat specialists for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"These two value grades will give a better determination as to the true worth of the carcass."

Another change, according to the specialists, will be that the conformation or shape of the carcass will no longer be a factor in determining the qual-

ity grade since it is not related to eating quality of meat. However, conformation is indirectly used in yield grade determination.

With the new standards, beef carcasses up to 30 months of age will have the same minimum marblingfat flecks among the lean meat requirements in Prime, Choice and Standard grades as now required for the youngest carcasses classified as "beef."

"This will mean more lean carcasses in these three grades since animals will probably be put through a shorter finishing period in feedlots. In turn, feeding costs should be reduced," believe Bailey and Orts.

Furthermore, a "new" Good grade has been established that allows for slightly more marbling in the younger animals up to 18 months of age. "This beef in the Good grade will be more uniform in quality," explain the Texas A&M University System specialists.

Younger beef animals up to 15 months of age with traces of marbling will longer be graded Good but will go to the Standard grade.

"All in all, the new grading system should be advantageous to consumers," contend the specialists. "Meat quality standards are not being lowered, as many people seem to think. While keeping quality at a high level, the new grades will hopefully bring more lean meat to the supermarket and help consumers reduce meat costs per serving."

## Services Held Monday For Mrs. Emanuel

Maggie M. Emanuel, 82, died Sunday morning, March 30, at 8:40 a.m. in West Plains Memorial Hospital.

A Muleshoe resident for three and a half years, she moved here from Littlefield where she had lived since 1942.

She was born January 19, 1893 in Vashti, Texas. She was a member of the First Baptist Church at Littlefield. Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday in Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes with Rev. V.L. Huggins of the Trinity Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in Littlefield Memorial Park under the direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home with Rev. A.J. Kennemer, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Littlefield, officiating.

Pallbearers were Ed Northcutt, Kip Brock, Melvin Seymore, Don Dillard, Truman Cotton and Bill Thompson.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Ernest Brock of Muleshoe; one son, Ollen Emanuel of El Reno, Oklahoma; one sister, Mrs. Eil Northcutt of Muleshoe; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Raymond Edwards of Littlefield; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be made to the Muleshoe Nursing Home Auxiliary.

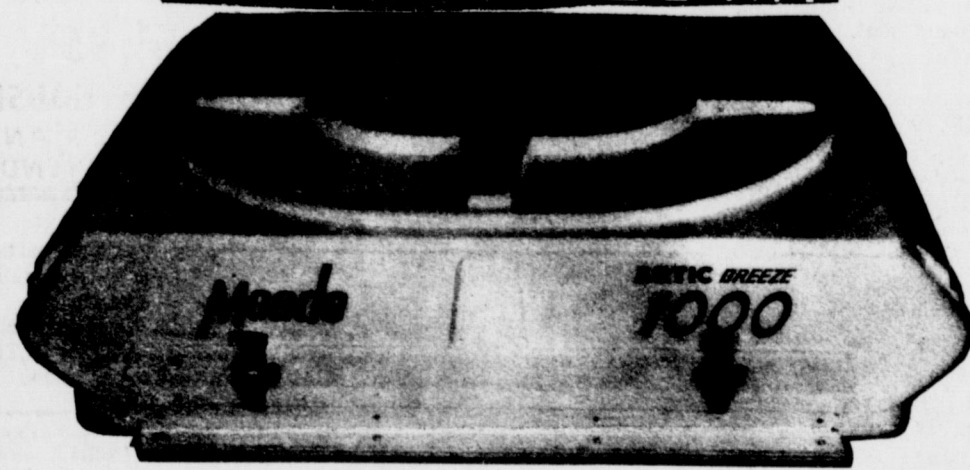


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## Plains Swine Markets Example Of Constructive Organization

**LUBBOCK --** An agricultural economist here holds high praises for an innovative swine marketing concept being employed on the South Plains.

Marvin Sartin, area specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service says the establishment of this swine marketing organization in the past year is constructive action and builds good relationships with the public. This is, he said, in contrast to recent destructive action like calf slaughters and drowning of baby chicks that gave the agricultural industry a black eye.

"Destructive protests may temporarily shift some whimsical public sentiment in favor of agriculture," says Sartin, "but alienates many people and resolves nothing."

The Extension Service economist says that swine producers have historically been plagued with wildly gyrating hog price levels, like other types of producers. West Texas hogmen faced an additional problem as several old Texas hog slaughter plants closed. They faced declining market alternatives and were not receiving what they considered "fair prices" for their products.

## Public Notice

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
 TO: Filimon Rodriguez  
 Greeting:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 28th day of April, A.D., 1975, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Bailey County, at the Court House in Muleshoe, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 24 day of January, 1975.

The file number of said suit being No. 3783.  
 The names of the parties in said suit are:

Isabel Rodriguez as Plaintiff, and Filimon Rodriguez 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.  
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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Muleshoe, Texas, this 12th day of March A.D., 1975.  
 Nelda Merriott, Clerk  
 District Court Bailey County, Texas  
 12t-4tp

their products in protest, swine producers decided to do something about their plight by or-

ganizing slaughter hog markets in Lubbock and Amarillo. "That one is a producer-



The gross injustices to High Plains farmers that resulted in 1974 from U.S. Department of Agriculture regulations on substitution of crops under the disaster provisions of the farm law "cannot occur in 1975."

The quote is from a letter written to Congressman George Mahon of Lubbock by Victor A. Seneschal, USDA's Assistant Deputy Administrator of Farm Programs. The letter, a copy of which was sent to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, was accompanied by a revised set of program regulations.

According to PCG President Don Marble of South Plains, "Unless changed, these new regulations will give producers far more protection under the farm act's disaster program in 1975."

Mahon, Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, an active proponent of regulation changes, has worked closely with Marble, PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson and others to secure the program improvements confirmed by Seneschal.

The disaster clause of the 1973 farm law, inserted largely at the insistence of PCG, provides for a producer payment if a farm's total production of a crop falls below two-thirds of the farm's normal yield of that crop. For cotton, the payment rate in 1974 was 12.67 cents per pound, two-thirds of the 38-cent "target price" as specified by law.

In 1974, USDA decreed that whenever crop substitution occurred between two crops, total actual production of both crops would be combined to determine eligibility for disaster payment. Under this ruling, many producers who overplanted their feed grain, wheat or cotton allotments and underplanted one or both the others were denied payment even after suffering total or near total loss of one or more crops. Normal or above normal production of one program crop was used to offset disastrous yields on other crops, making farms where this occurred ineligible for payment on failed acreage.

PCG, enlisting support from the Producer Steering Committee of the National Cotton Council, Lubbock's Grain Sorghum Producers Association and others, loudly protested the inequities fostered by these rules at a meeting with USDA officials, including Seneschal, in Washington December 10 and 11 of last year.

Seneschal's letter to Chairman Mahon stated, "Eligibility for disaster payments will be determined separately for each program crop (cotton, wheat, feed grain)," and went on to say "Substitution rules for 1975 can only be to the farmer's advantage."

Other improvements in disaster program regulations also were spelled out by the USDA official. "If one program crop is overplanted and another is underplanted, the disaster coverage of the overplanted crop is increased to the smaller of the overplanted or the other program crop allotment underplanting." Under some circumstances this would mean disaster payments on an acreage greater than the farm allotment, PCG officials noted.

And, unlike 1974 rules, Seneschal said "For 1975, producers will not be charged for planting another crop on wheat or feed grain acreage which subsequently fails," and "Settlement in such cases will be based on the approved production, if any, on the failed wheat or feed grain acreage."

Another major complaint registered by PCG members in 1974 was against the use of Federal Crop Insurance Corporation personnel, many of whom were unfamiliar with area crops and conditions, as appraisers to inspect weather-damaged crops. This too appears to have been corrected. Seneschal's letter said "In 1975 appraisal and loss adjustment work will be handled totally by ASCS personnel except on farms covered by FCIC contract. Losses on FCIC insured farms will be adjusted by FCIC personnel as in 1974."

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owned cooperative and the other is affiliated with Farm Bureau is not important," Sartin believes. "The important thing is that hogmen worked together to form market outlets that they didn't have -- positive actions."

He adds that the two markets appear to be successful even though they have been in operation only a short time.

"They were expected to be successful. They were conceived in a constructive vein and serve a positive function. No pressure is exerted on any packer to force prices higher. No withholding actions are planned. Higher prices come as a result of providing the purchaser with additional services that make him willing to pay more."

These swine markets, he explains, accumulate quantities of 400 to 800 head at one location where they are graded by a U SDA trained grader. Then, packers are contacted, and offered opportunities to bid.

"Gathering a quantity of animals of known quality and offering them to those needing hogs has, thus far, proved successful in increasing the average price received by area producers," Sartin says.

Through these market organizations, the individual who delivers only a few hogs gets the same price as the individual who brings a truckload. Because the organizations gather and sell many more hogs than even the largest individual producer, they also benefit large producers. This benefit is smaller for each head sold, but because the bigger operations sell large numbers, a dollar or so per head adds up over the year, the economist figures.

They serve their producers by providing a means of marketing hogs and receiving more for them. The organizations serve the packers by providing services (gather quantity and grading) for which they are willing to pay. Everyone benefits.

"The organization of these markets has the potential to provide lasting benefits to the swine industry in the area," he says. "The actions were constructive because a sound marketing system was built, and they were positive because the results aided producers and packers."

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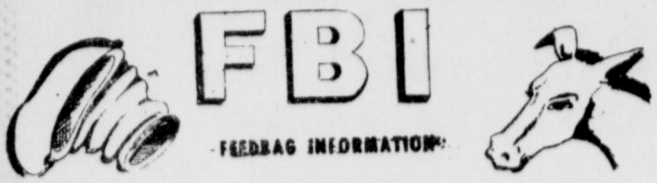
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At Muleshoe Junior High



Driver's Education Starts

All students, who are eligible to take driver's education, are now enrolling. To be eligible a student has to be 15 years of age before April 25, 1975. Each student will pay a due of \$30.00. The classes will start on April 21 - May 15 from 3:30 to 5:30. The driving session will be during this next summer.

The Future

There are many things I would like to take into the future. I would like to take cowboys, rodeos, education, technology, religion, love, democracy, boys, hot rod cars, baseball, football, basketball, and more cowboys. Since I can only choose three things, I'll choose the ones that are most important to me. The most important thing in my life is religion. Without God, just think what the world

would come to. We would all be sinners. Then when judgment day comes, we would have to live with Satan. I don't want to go there, so I think we really need God. Next, I would take some cowboys. I mean, where would we be without the opposite sex? What would the world come to? Anyway, cowboys are interesting. The cowboy's way of life, the way he talks, and his sport, riding in rodeos, thrill me. After choosing cowboys as something to take into the fu-

ture, I would like to take hot rod cars because they thrill me, or baseball because I love it, but, I must take something really, really useful to the world - an education. Education must be one of the most important things to take. Without education we would be a big bunch of "dummies." Anyway, I couldn't picture any of us writing on walls with pictures, cooking in a pit of red hot rocks, or running after buffalo with a spear. by Treena Bass

Regional Science Fair Held Recently

The regional science fair was held on March 21 and 22 in Lubbock. Students from 20 counties went to exhibit their projects. The projects were placed in either the elementary, Junior, and senior division according

to their grades. Each student was responsible for taking their exhibits to the Field House Friday between the hours of 2 a.m. and 5 p.m. The exhibits were judged on the following basis: (1) creative ability, (2) scientific thought, (3) thoroughness, (4) skill, (5) clarity. An awards assembly was held at 11 a.m. in the Christian Col-

lege Field House on Saturday, March 22. Each exhibitor was presented at least one award. The following people won awards from Muleshoe: for the sixth grade Sally Lunsford won a third award, Richard Orasco also won a third award, Kelly Harrison and Curtis Hunt both won Honorable Mention, Clifford Watson won a third award and Benny Pena also won a third award. In the seventh grade Mark Northcutt won a first place pin, Mike Northcutt won four certificates from different associations he also won a third place pin. Tommy Wheeler got a second place pin, Pam Young and Sharla Henry both won Honorable Mention. In the eighth grade only two Honorable Mentions were given to Brenda Parker and Brad Huckabee.

Registration

The Muleshoe Junior High School students registered for their Freshman year on Tuesday, March 25, 1975 from 7:30 to 9:00 in the High School cafeteria. The students picked up the schedule of classes, filled out an information form for the High School, and filled out the classes on the class sheet for all four years that they will be in High School. Some various teachers helped the students choose their subjects. On Tuesday, April 1, 1975 the students that were not able to make it that night, were registered in the Muleshoe Junior High School.

Seventh Grade Goes To Plainview

The eighth grade track team traveled to Plainview Saturday, March 22, for their third meet of the year. They placed sixth out of ten teams and placed in the events as follows: Jeep Shanks, Pablo Gonzales, Leo Garcia, and George Villareal finished sixth in the 440 yard relay with a time of 50.8 seconds. Pablo Gonzales placed third with a time of 59.1 in the 440 yard dash. George Villareal jumped 16 feet - 4 inches and finished third in the broadjump. He also came in first in the 660 yard run with a time of one minute 35 seconds and David Cavazos finished third with a time of one minute 37.4 seconds. In the 880 yard run, Robert Rodriguez placed third with a time of two minutes 18.4 seconds and Mark Harmon finished fifth with a time of two minutes 22.2 seconds.

Muleshoe Goes To Hereford Track Meet

On March 8, 1975, the seventh and eighth grade went to the Hereford Track Meet. The teams competing were Laplata from Hereford, Stanton from Hereford also, and Canyon. The weather was freezing cold and was hard to run and compete. The seventh grade 4:40 relay team, Jimmy Villa, Ruben Orozco, John Carrion and Jim Norman, came in second place. Their 8:80 relay team, Jimmy Villa, Ruben Orozco, James Atwood and Jim Norman, came in first. They didn't give trophies or ribbons. The meet was just for the competition. In the 70 yard Intermediate Hurdles, Zeke Pecina came in second place. They didn't have pole vaulting or broadjump. Alvaro Ontiveroz came in second in the 8:80 yard run. The track meet was finally over and everybody was hurrying on the bus because of the weather.

The Perfect Tomorrow

Lavayne Lloyd The perfect tomorrow will be when everyone is full of peace and there are no killings or wars. The cities will be like greenhouses, a huge ventilated clear dome over it. No pollution of any kind will exist and things will be reasonably quiet. The only noises made will be children playing and laughing. There will be office buildings and farms much like today, but, technology will be so far advanced that new sources of power will be used. The country ground will be fertile and crops will grow in 1/2 the time it takes today. There will be all kinds of jobs: from running the central government to cleaning the domes around the large city. Everywhere you look, there will be green grass, flowers, and trees, no matter what the climate. The peoples' leisure time will be spent playing newly invented games and just enjoying the scenery. The future people will have to work to make their dreams come true. Life will certainly be worth living, but the purpose of living will change. People will live one day at a time instead of making life a rat race as it is now. The perfect tomorrow will be one where the air, land, and water is perfectly clear and where people get along with each other.

Plainview Track Meet

On March 22, the seventh grade traveled to Plainview to attend a track meet. The weather was nice and there was plenty of good competition that day. James Atwood won first in the 4:40 dash with a time of 59.6 seconds. Arthur Rojas won first in the 6:60 yard run with a time of one minute 48.3 seconds. Later on in the finals the wind started to blow a little bit and the sand began to stir up; but the track team was still able to do pretty good. The relay teams couldn't get it together and didn't even make it to the finals. It Still Goes Economy is just a way of spending money without getting any fun out of it. -Reporter, Kanawha, Ia.

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