

**WEATHER**

January 4	50	21	.00
January 5	38	28	.00
January 6	67	24	.00
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# Muleshoe Journal

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## 37th Annual Community Banquet Scheduled

### AROUND MULESHOE

A reminder has been issued by the Bailey County Appraisal District as follows: "As of February 1, 1987, all 1986 taxes will become delinquent, and a seven percent penalty will be added."

Workshops for the upcoming Bailey County History Book has been scheduled for Monday, January 12 at 10:30 a.m., 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. in the workroom at the Muleshoe Public Library.

Jesse White of Taylor Publishing Co. will be in Muleshoe to conduct the editorial workshops.

Field representatives will meet on the same day at the library for workshops at 9 and 11 a.m. and 1:30 and 3:30 p.m.

The next History Book Committee meeting will be at 7 p.m. tonight, Thursday, at the Thurman White home on the Plainview highway.

Jennyslippers will be sponsoring youth skating at the Civic Center on Friday, January 9 from 7-9 p.m. A concession stand will be available.

The Jennyslippers ask, 'Did you get a new pair of skates for Christmas or for your birthday? Do you have a pair of skates just sitting in your closet?'

"If so, bring them to the Civic Center on February 22 and join in our annual 'Skate Swap.'" Someone must be looking for a pair of skates that particular size. Put a price on them and see if you can sell them.

"If you do not have any skates and would like a pair so you can join all the fun on Friday nights at the Civic Center, come out on February 22 and find you a pair that will fit. You will probably get a good deal."

Also, the Jennyslippers encourage youth to bring their parents, with their skates, so they can join in the skating fun.

### Nursing Home Administrator Rotary Speaker

Jim Swanner, administrator of the Muleshoe Nursing Home was guest speaker for the Muleshoe Rotary Club on Tuesday, and presented an update on activities of the local facility.

Swanner told the group a lot has happened since he became administrator of the nursing home, and a lot has happened since the first of December, when the West Plains Medical Center Board took over operation of the nursing home.

"Westworld was not approved by everyone," said Swanner, "but they spent some \$500,000 fixing it up real nice, a lot of it where it can't be seen. They installed a new fire system, new hot water system, new nurses call system, re-wired it as well as a lot of painting."

The administrator said the nursing homes in Texas are strictly regulated, with regular inspections by state and federal agencies. They are licensed by the state and are held responsible for their operations.

He also said some inspectors provide for private interviews between residents and inspectors. Muleshoe residents have reported to inspectors that Muleshoe Nursing Home "is like home," added Swanner.

According to the administrator, in order to become an administrator, a person must have a BA degree, with additional special hours of internship in order to pass a state examination to become a nursing home administrator.

He told Rotarians he became interested in nursing home management after visiting an employee who was confined to a nursing home and becoming appalled at the conditions that existed at that particular nursing home.



**MERCHANDISE WINNERS**--This group of happy people lined up in front of the trailer following the monthly MAC Buck drawing in downtown Muleshoe last Saturday afternoon, were all winners of merchandise or gift certificates presented by various Muleshoe merchants. On the trailer, from left are Terry Nickel, Bob Donaldson, Eddy Morris and Harvey Bass, all members of the Muleshoe Activities Committee, sponsor of the MAC Buck drawings.

## Annual Ag Conference Slated Next Monday

Most of the farmers and ranchers in this area are currently making plans to attend the Seventh Annual Irrigation and Agricultural Conference on Monday, January 12, at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m., with Lewis Wayne Shafer, director of both the Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Conservation District and the Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association, Inc., giving the welcome and purpose of the meeting.

He will be followed by Danny Noble, ASCS County Executive Director, who will briefly outline the 1987 Farm Program; with Jackie Smith, Extension Economist/Management with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service presenting "Computers-Farm Program and Tax Laws, then a coffee break will be held for 15 minutes.

At 10:15 a.m., Dr. Chuck Gilliland of Texas A&M University will discuss Real Estate

### Farm Budget And Planning Meetings Set

Bailey County Extension Agent Spencer Tanksley has announced a series of educational programs scheduled for the month of January.

First will be the Seventh Annual Irrigation and Ag Conference, scheduled for Monday, January 12, beginning at 9 a.m. at the Bailey County Civic Center.

On Tuesday, January 13, 20 and 27, Financial Management Workshops will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. on each of the nights at the Bailey County Civic Center.

Tanksley said Dr. Jackie Smith, Extension Economist from Lubbock will be in Muleshoe on each of the three Tuesday nights to direct and give the training for each of the workshops.

On Tuesday, January 13, the workshop will concern Budgets. To be discussed will be types of budgets; enterprises, cash flow; partial and whole farm; and will go into the uses of each and necessary records.

The second portion of the program will deal with Enterprise Budgets and will give a description, for crops and livestock, uses, examples, and process of development.

Tuesday, January 20, will include an Overview of the Planning Process, including En-

land Values and Outlook; and at 10:45 a.m., Dr. Pat Morrison, Entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will discuss Major Insects of Wheat and Corn and their Control.

Next will be Dr. Harold Kaufman, Plant Pathologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, who will discuss Wheat Rust and Its Control; and just before a lunch break, Robert Bruant, Golden Spread

### Community College Spring Registration Gets Underway

Registration started on Monday, January 5, and will conclude on Friday, January 9 for the South Plains College Division of Continuing Education Classes at the Muleshoe Community College Center.

You may register for the available classes in the curriculum office, Room 20, at Watson Junior High School 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. and classes get underway on Thursday, January 15. Books for the classes will be sold on the first night of class.

Tuition will cost \$68 for three hours; \$112 for six semester hours and \$157 for nine semester hours, all for in-state. Out-of-state tuition is \$292 for three semester hours; \$314 for six semester hours and \$335 for nine semester hours.

A minimum enrollment of 15 persons is required for a course to be held and those applying must be a high school graduate or pass the GED certificate. Persons without the GED may apply for probationary enrollment to the Dean of Continuing Education at South Plains College in Levelland.

To apply, you must complete the application for admission, and a social security number is required, along with other appropriate forms. Also, you must have an official transcript from high school or college. College transfer students must have transcripts of each college attended. All forms will be furnished.

Classes include Intermediate Algebra, to be held on Mondays, 6:30-9:30 p.m.; Introduction to Speech Communications, Tuesday, 6:30-9:30 p.m.; College Composition and Rhetoric, Thursday, 6:30-9:30 p.m.; and Masterpieces of Literature, with a prerequisite of English 131 and 132, Thursday, 6:30-9:00 p.m., with all the classes to be held at Muleshoe High School.

For further information contact

Electric Cooperative and Duane Lloyd, Bailey County Electric. Con't Page 6, Col. 6

### Adult Basic Class Resumes

Adult Basic Education Classes resumed on Tuesday, January 6. Classes are held each Tuesday and Thursday night from 7-9 p.m. in the Watson Junior High School.

Adult classes are for people who want to study to get their GED (High School Certification); those who want to learn English; those who want to learn more skills so that they can advance in their jobs.

Three teachers are available to give instructions.

## New Immigration Law Will Affect This Area

On November 6, President Ronald Reagan signed a new Immigration Reform and Control Act into law, a law that is being "implemented slowly and cautiously," according to the U.S. Border Patrol.

Highly controversial, a portion of the new law concerns employers who knowingly hire, recruit, or refer illegal aliens.

This particular portion of the law may have far-reaching effects, especially with the stiff penalties that 'may' be imposed, beginning 23 months from now, and is being closely watched, by many area ag-businessmen, especially. Until May 5, illegal aliens, or undocumented workers, may obtain the proper papers and may become legal U.S. residents through the amnesty portion of the law, which affects aliens who have resided continuously in the United States prior to January 1, 1982.

From May 5, employers will have an 18-month grace period, explained Sgt. Willie Morales of the U.S. Border Patrol regional office at Marfa.

Sgt. Morales said there will be a written citation for the first offense after May 5, and on second and continuing offenses, the penalties will be increased.

With the written notice, the violator is informed that he may request a hearing within 30 days. If no hearing is requested, said the Border Patrol officer, this will be followed by a 'cease and desist' order.

Affected, according to the Sergeant, will be those employers who are involved in hiring, recruiting or referring illegal

## CofC Plans Honors, Awards For Local And Area People

Saturday night, all the action in Muleshoe is expected to be at the Bailey County Coliseum, when the 37th annual Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture

### MAC Bucks Draw Crowd To Muleshoe

It may have been early January, and normally, quite cold, but bright, sunshiny weather brought out quite a crowd for the second MAC Buck drawing Saturday afternoon in downtown Muleshoe.

A few hundred people packed the area around the trailer at West C and Main St. for the drawing.

Ray Day was coordinator for the second monthly MAC Buck affair, and called out the names and numbers as they were drawn for the Muleshoe Activities Committee.

Berna Hurtado was winner of the \$50 gift certificate from Gordon Wilson Appliance followed by Jo Ella Flowers and LaDell Gowens, who each won \$50 gift certificates from Lookin' Good.

The four winners of \$25 gift certificates from Lindsey Jewelry included Jack Turner, Jo Ella Flowers, and Terry Allen Campbell, who won two certificates.

Helen Head was the winner of a \$10 gift certificate from Perry's; Helen Head walked off with a \$25 gift certificate from Muleshoe Floral and Buster Colson won the 10-speed bicycle from Harvey Bass Appliance (and rode it home.)

Renee Rudd won the \$25 in MAC Bucks; Mary Flores was the \$50 MAC Buck winner and Connie Chavez won the \$100 in MAC Bucks.

It took seven tries to give the \$100 away. If you held an orange ticket with one of the following numbers: 0186023, 1155391, 1189309 or 2137595 or a yellow ticket with 3324571, or 4300441, you missed out on winning \$100 because you were not there to claim your prize.

Community Banquet will be held, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

For the past two years, the banquet format has changed, and there will again be no formal speaker. Toni Eagle, manager of the CofC, explained that since the purpose of the banquet is to honor local businesses, and local persons, the focus of the banquet is toward that end.

This year, local businesses and professions have been encouraged to provide replicas of their businesses to decorate the tables at the banquet, and businesses have also been invited to set up display booths so they can "show off" what their particular business provides in merchandise or services to the community.

The Hungry Mule Steakhouse will be catering the banquet this year, and dinner music will be provided by Laura Leal.

Reydon Stanford, popular radio disc jockey and co-founder of the Anchor Brothers Band, will be master of ceremonies.

Tickets will be on sale up to the time of the banquet is held. Advance tickets may be purchased at the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Office at the Muleshoe City Hall at \$10 for adults and \$7 for students, a price unchanged for the past several years. At the door, tickets will be \$12 for adults and \$9 for students.

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## 4-H Members Will Conduct Fund Drive Here

Volunteers from the Muleshoe 4-H Club will join other volunteers across the country during January to March in their neighborhoods for the March of Dimes Mother's March Against Birth Defects.

January 6-12, has been designated as the dates for Muleshoe.

A 4-H spokesperson said, "Every year, more than 250,000 babies are born with birth defects in the United States. Only through the generosity of the American public can March of Dimes research continue.

"Funds are needed to continue programs of education and research into the causes and prevention of birth defects, the nation's number one infant and child health problem."

Members of the Muleshoe 4-H Club are asking all Muleshoe residents to help work toward their goal to fight birth defects--to give every baby their birthright.



**THEY WON THE MAC BUCKS**--Harvey Bass, rear, a member of the Muleshoe Activities Committee, poses with the winners of the MAC Bucks in last Saturday's drawing in downtown Muleshoe. Pictured from left, with their MAC Bucks are Connie Chavez, \$100; Mary Flores, \$50 and Renee Rudd, \$25. The next drawing will be Saturday, February 7.



**Horace Gardner Services Held At Morton**

Services for Horace T. Gardner, 78, of Morton, were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Morton at 11 a.m. Tuesday, with the Rev. Steve Thomas, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Al Jennings, pastor, First United Methodist Church, Morton. Interment followed at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock, under direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Morton.

He died at 5:15 p.m. Saturday in Lubbock Methodist Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Gardner was born April 29, 1908 in Coryell County, TX and moved to Cochran County in 1937 from Childress.

He was a retired farmer and was co-owner of Gardner-Ross Implement Co., Morton. He was married to Norma Lee

**Vernon Blackley Funeral Services Held Monday**

Funeral services for Vernon V. Blackley, 75, of Morton, were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church at Morton, with the Rev. Steve Thomas, pastor, and Rev. John McAnelly, minister of music from Shreveport, La., officiating. Interment was in Morton Memorial Cemetery under direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Morton.

A resident of Cochran County since 1943, Blackley died at 6:35 a.m. Saturday, January 3, in Lubbock Methodist Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born October 5, 1911 in Jones County, TX and was a resident of Anton before moving to Morton. He was a retired farmer. Blackley was a member of the First Baptist Church of Morton. He was married to Maurine Littlefield on October 18, 1931 at Walters, Okla.

His survivors include his wife, Maurine; four daughters, Mrs. Beverly Walthall, Hbbs, N. M.; Mrs. Nancy Ellis, Midland; Mrs. Judy Coleman, Morton and Mrs. Susan McAnelly, Shreveport; one brother, R. P. Blackley, Jr., Buffalo Gap, TX; two area granddaughters, Mrs. Rustie Wisian, Lubbock and Mrs. Stephanie Dickerson, Odessa; 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to the First Baptist Church, Morton.

**Smith Infant Graveside Services Set Today**

Graveside services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. today, Thursday, at Muleshoe Cemetery for Christopher Tanner Smith, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Smith. He died Monday at Lubbock General Hospital, shortly after birth.

Services were under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

His survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Smith, Muleshoe; grandparents, Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Muleshoe and Elmer Smith, Muleshoe; Mrs. Novella England, Aurora, Colo. and M. L. England, Comanche; great-grandmothers, Mrs. Berniece Holdeman and Mrs. Florence Smith, both of Muleshoe; and aunts and uncles, Ronnie and Wilma Smith, Albuquerque, N.M. and David and Opal Beck, Aurora, Colo.

**Monroe Phillips Local Womens' Brother Dies**

Funeral services for Monroe E. Phillips, 83, of Levelland were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 6 in the Parkview Baptist Church in Littlefield.

Interment was in Hart Cemetery under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home. Phillips died at 5:45 a.m. Sunday in St. Mary's Hospital at Lubbock, following a lengthy illness.

Born in Madill, Okla., Phillips moved to Lamb County in 1920. He moved to Littlefield in 1966 from Hart. He married Lillie Ewers on Sept. 8, 1928, in Olton. He was a foreman at Farmer's Grain Co. in Hart. He owned and operated K&K Recreation Center in Littlefield. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife, Lillie; a daughter, Stormy Levitt of Amarillo; three sons, Bill of Atlas, Okla.; Jerry of Dallas and Monte of Olton; a brother, J.C. of Galt, Calif.; four sisters, Janice Pollard of Bula, Hazel Cunningham of Bloomfield, N.M. and Fern Lamar and Martie Wilson, both of Muleshoe; 14 grandchildren; and 23 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Ora Gandy, Morton and Mrs. Ada Lee Jones, Hot Springs, Ark.; one brother, Elmer Gardner, Morton; two local grandchildren, Kenneth Gardner and Kayla Eggleston, both of Lubbock; and a great-grandchild, Kristin Gardner, Lubbock.

The family suggests memorials may be made to your favorite charity.

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- Progress Baptist Church**  
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- Richland Hills Baptist Church**  
 17th and West Ave. D.  
 David McAdams, Pastor
- St. Matthew Baptist Church**  
 Corner of West Boston & West Birch  
 M.S. Brown, Pastor
- Progress Second Baptist Church**  
 1st and 3rd Sunday  
 Clifford Slay, Pastor

**Elsie Pylant Funeral Services Set Today**

Funeral services for Elsie Lillian Pylant, 65, of Weslaco, will be conducted at 1:30 p.m. today, Thursday, in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes with Rev. Barry Bradley, pastor of First Baptist Church, Muleshoe, officiating. Interment will be in Bailey County Memorial Park under direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

She died at 9:03 p.m. Monday in Lubbock General Hospital

following a lengthy hospital stay.

She was born December 8, 1921 in Monte Vista, Colo. and married Gordon Pylant on December 1, 1942 in Tacoma, Wash. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

The Pylants had moved to Weslaco in 1977 from Muleshoe where they had resided since 1957.

Her survivors include her husband, Gordon; one son, Dick

Pylant, Muleshoe; two daughters, Sue Pylant, Lubbock and Mrs. Pam Holley, Gretna, La.; one sister, Mrs. Rick Riggenbach, Peoria, Ill.; one brother, Bob Bradshaw, San Antonio; and three grandchildren.

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 Hubby: "Don't hurry, dear. I have to shave again."

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Genesis, the first book in the bible means beginning. It tells of many of God's more major creations, and how He created all these things for the benefit of man. Attend church, study God's word and learn more of God's plan for man.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, you should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it lifts the truth about man's life, death, and destiny. The truth which alone will set him free to live in a Christ of God.

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- First United Methodist Church**  
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 Bill Kent, Pastor
- El Divino Salvador Methodist Church**  
 5th and Ave. D.  
 Jose M. Fernandez, Pastor
- St. John Luthern Sunday School & Bible**  
 Church services 10:30 a.m.  
 Rev. Mac Bearss, Pastor
- Templo Calvario**  
 507 South Main  
 Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
 Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.  
 Evangelistic Services  
 J.L. Soto, Pastor
- United Pentacostal Lighthouse Church**  
 207 East Ave. G.  
 Rev. J.A. Torres
- The Community Church**  
 Morton Hwy.  
 H.D. Hunter, Pastor
- Jehovah Witness**  
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 Boyd Lowery, Pastor
- New Covenant Church**  
 Plainview Hwy.  
 Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.  
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<b>West Tex Feed Yards</b> 272-7555	<b>American Valley Inc.</b> Hwy. 84 W. 272-4266	<b>Attend The Church Of Your Choice</b>



**Sudan News**  
by  
**Evelyn Ritchie**

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brotherton and girls were in Safford, Arizona during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Haselwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Kelly and boys of Canyon visited during

**SANDHILLS PHILOSOPHER**

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sandy Acres has discovered 1987 is here.

Dear editor:  
I was hanging a new 1987 calendar on the wall and got to thinking about an article I read the other day about time.

According to it, a university physicist has discovered a neutron star about 12,000 light years out in space that may be the most accurate clock in the universe. It rotates on its axis 642 times a second and provides a rate of rotation that is more accurate than the atomic clocks used to keep time on earth.

The professor considers this good news because the atomic clocks now in use aren't completely reliable. You set two of them at the same time and they'll begin to deviate from each other within two years.

Now I suppose some people are on such a tight schedule they need a clock that won't lose a fraction of a second in two years, but you can look in waiting rooms of airlines and doctors to know they aren't in that category. Neither are lawyers.

I guess that professor has been late for class because he's been gazing at stars more than he's been watching television. You can set your watch by television.

The exact split-second the evening network news comes on, I check my watch. If it's fast or slow, I set it to coincide with the start of the program, and I know my watch is in reliable range for the next 24 hours.

You may not be able to depend on the accuracy of what follows on the news program, but you know it'll start on time. This beats trying to set your watch by a star rotating 642 times a second.

Yours faithfully,  
J.A.

the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick West and grandmother, Mrs. Stella Chester of Littlefield.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ingle were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Jones of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Corley Baker and family of Sudan. Also her sisters, Mrs. Wallace Combest and Mrs. Ben Murphy and Wesley all of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian May of Ozona and Bernadette May of Dallas visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold May.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ray May were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Kenzil May and family of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Larry May and family of Gardendale and Mr. and Mrs. Raegan May of Chapel Hill, N.C.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams of Edinburg, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Newcomer of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Roby Lynn and girls of Mansfield, La. and Mr. and Mrs. Brad Bell of Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gordon, Jeff and Kay Lynn were in Olney during the Christmas holiday to visit her mother, Mrs. Vera Thomas.

Verna Beadle and Edith Williams shopped in Muleshoe on Tuesday. After shopping, they had lunch with Edith's granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Packett and then visited with their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Harper before returning home.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Williams were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ken

Williams of Hobbs, N.M., Jimmy Williams of Medicine Mound and Lynn Williams of Kirkland AFB Albuquerque, N.M. and Clay Lowe of Ruidoso, N.M. Mrs. Estelle Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ford and Jackelyn also joined them.

Holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. L.S. Fields were their children, Jim, Kit and LaRhonda, of Sudan; Debbie Bingham and Alyson of Lubbock and Gary Fields of Tarleton U. Stephenville. They recently had a Christmas get together in the home of Mrs. B.Y. Fields in Littlefield when joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Waylon Fields, Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray, Kyle and Michelle, Larry Ray, Amy and Neil all of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Van Ray and Andrea of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Milam Fields of Midway.

Christmas Day guests with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell were their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Herman Synatschk, Amanda and Amy of Anton, and Susan Nettles, Christa and Danielle of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy John Ford, Jason and Kevin of Lubbock visited during the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Ford and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ford and girls.

Sharon Roberts, Cindy and Britton visited friends and

relatives in Stephenville during part of the holidays.

Brandy Melson of Lazbuddie visited during Holidays and Christmas Day with her grandmother, Mrs. Francis Groom.

Bert and Becky Byerley of Dallas visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elray Rasco and Gayla and also Brad who was home for the holidays from Texas Tech. They were also in Ruidoso during the holidays at their cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Brown had returned home from Mexico where they were for a few days.

Ricky Gilreath of Austin visited recently with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gilreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty hosted a Christmas dinner in their home Thursday with family members attending, including Clayton Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chester, Curtis Chester, Mr. and Mrs. John Chester and Tara, Robert Wells of Chicago, Ill.; Kenneth Wells and Jeff of Sulphur Springs; Mary Williford, Rita and Rose of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Jordan Matt and Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patton and Donald Doty all of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Gore, Stephanie and Dennis of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. David Doty, Crystal, and Daniel and

Cody Jackson all of Littlefield and the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Chester spent Christmas Day in Tulia with her mother Mrs. Imogene Harris and other family members.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Terrell during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Richland Graham of Wisconsin and joining them from Sudan were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene

Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Edwards and boys and Mattie Sanders of Amarillo.

Kevin McAlpin and a friend visited during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.V. McAlpin.

Wanda Thompson of Lubbock visited recently with her mother Mrs. J.V. Hill and other family members.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pal Legg were all their children and grandchildren, including Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Muller and Austin of Amarillo.

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## Journal Files

### 60 Years Ago

1927  
NEWSPAPERS AND FARMERS  
NEAR MATES

There was never a time when so much was done to make the country newspaper interesting for the farmers. The country weekly and the small city daily carry editorials and family news of the town and neighborhood that interest the whole family on the farm.

Father and mother are interested in the market. The young people read ads of the new things in the stores and show windows. All are interested in entertainments, church and social news.

There is more interest than might be imagined in the home town paper.

### 50 Years Ago

1937  
BULA QUINT SLAPS STATE  
CALVES IN A SNAPPY GAME  
FRI.

The Bula boys, snappy basketball team, filled the basket to the tune of 29-21 against the West Texas State Teachers College Calves Friday night of last week at the Bula gym., with a large crowd present to witness the slaughter of these husky young human bovines.

The game was a thriller from start to stop, with West Texas mooning bipeds leading in the first half by a score of 13-11.

One of Bula's forwards struck the leather sphere into the goal circle net from every angle, seemingly unable to miss, and the Bula quintet was soon coaxing the calves along behind them with nipples on sucking bottles, keeping the lead until the game ended.

### 40 Years Ago

1947  
4-INCH SNOW INAUGURATES  
1947

Muleshoe received 4 inches of snow on the first day of the New Year, forecasting a better

year so far as moisture is concerned. The entire section was covered with snow, many roads being blocked to traffic. The fall deposited .36 inch of moisture according to the local weather recorder.

### 30 Years Ago

1957  
RECORD LOW RAIN  
REPORTED IN 1956  
The year 1956, a year of record breaking highs in crop yields and generally good business conditions, broke still another record by showing the lowest amount of total rainfall for any year within the 34 year period in which rainfall records have been kept in Muleshoe.

Only 8.32 inches of moisture was recorded here at the Muleshoe weather station to set an all time low since at least 1921. Lowest previous total annual rainfall was in 1954, when 10.16 inches fell. 1956, has another doubtful record in that it is the first year since at least 1921, when less than 10 inches of precipitation was recorded.

### 20 Years Ago

1967  
NELDA MERRIOTT OPENES  
DISTRICT CLERKS' OFFICE  
The division of the county and district clerk's offices created this year by population increase in the county, went into effect Jan. 1. However since it was New Year's Day and the following day also a holiday it was Tuesday before Nelda Merriott actually began her duties.

"I began work as a deputy in the county and district clerk's office in 1955, and have thoroughly enjoyed serving our county in that capacity and feel the experience will be invaluable to me as your clerk" Nelda said.

"Among the duties will be taking care of all District Civil and Criminal cases, receiving and delivering all child support payments, and receiving and disbursing restitution in Criminal cases, preparing election boxes for all elections, helping to obtain passports and summing juries.

### 10 Years Ago

1977  
AUDRA JEAN LEE IS MISS  
MULESHOE 1977  
Regardless how many beauty pageants may be held in Muleshoe this year, or how many beauty queens and princesses are named from throughout the county--Audra Jean Lee will remain the top "beauty prize" for the year in the entire county.

Having a mind of her own, she didn't arrive on New Year's Day, and in fact, waited until 11:10 a.m. on Friday, Jan. 7, but she is the undisputed "First Baby For 1977" in Muleshoe.

The dark haired 18 inch beauty made her appearance at West Plains Medical Center Friday weighing exactly six pounds. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee.



**A RAINBOW CHRISTMAS**--Third grade students in the Sudan school recently presented a Rainbow Christmas to the pre-kindergarten and kindergarted students. These students are in the classroom of Mrs. Chavez and Mrs. Garza. Also attending were elementary principal Laceywell and parents. Health Pierce was the narrator and characters included: Debra Conley, Jarmay Hall, Anita Martinez, Lillian Medina, Antinio Mota, Jose Ruiz, Michelle Ornella and Russel Peterson. The central thought of the play was "Being together with family, Is Christmas."



**Stephen Grant Pierce**  
Mr. and Mrs. Gig Pierce of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a son, Stephen Grant, who was born at 10:09 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 15, 1986, at Roosevelt General Hospital at Portales, N.M.

The young man weighed seven pounds and ten ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long. He is the first child for the couple.

Maternal grandparents are Weldon Stevenson of Dallas, and Sherry Stevenson of Lubbock. Paternal grandparents are Jan and Gerry Pierce of Muleshoe.



A single bat will eat more than 1,000 mosquitoes in one evening.

## Creative Living

by Sheryl Borden

Three interesting topics were presented on "Creative Living" on Tuesday, January 6 at 12 noon and will be repeated on Saturday, January 10 at 2:00 p.m. (All times are Mountain).

Furniture refinishing can be a difficult task, but Lynn Gerhart demonstrated a new product that can make this job much easier and more fun to do. Lynn represents a company called QRB (Quickly Restores Beauty), and she specifically discussed wood toners and stains. She lives in Boynton Beach, Florida and travels the country as a spokesperson for QRB, a product her father created.

Many ex-housewives who are members of the business world will tell you the transition wasn't easy. Starting up a new career takes a lot of confidence for any woman who hasn't worked in years. The show began with a segment on "re-entering the work force" -- a subject which, in the past decade, has involved over three million women between the ages of 35 and 54.

On Tuesday, January 6 at 9:30 pm, the show featured a demonstration on making ice cream. Even though it's cold outside, Jan Newquist, home economist and dietician for the Associated Milk Producers, Inc. believes we can enjoy this favorite dessert anytime of the year. Jan is from Albuquerque, NM and shared some of her favorite ice cream recipes, which are good ways to incorporate calcium into the diet. Freezer myths will be dispelled by Joy Schrage, spokesperson for the Whirlpool, Corp.

in Benton Harbor, MI. And, finally, Connie Moyers, Marketing Home Economist with Southwestern Public Service Co. in Clovis will share some egg-citing ideas -- the kids will especially like the "hairy egg-head" recipe she will share.

On Thursday, January 8 at 12 noon, "Creative Living" will feature results of a survey taken by the American Society of Interior Designers and an interesting interview with a lady who rents instead of sells her designer garments.

The American Society of Interior Designer recently conducted an extensive survey of it's membership and found out some interesting facts about what consumers wanted from their interior designer. Janet Schirn is the current president of A.S.I.D., and she will tell about the results of this survey. Janet is from New York.

The first guest is very talented lady who designs beautiful evening gowns for Miss America, Miss Universe and other pageant contestants. Gloria Bailey lives in Baton Rouge, LA and has a business called "Gloria's Fashions". The most interesting thing about

this very successful business is that she "renis" her garments instead of selling them. She will tell us about her "rental" business and how she designs these spectacular gowns.

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ODDFELLOWS LODGE 7:30 p.m.
HOBBY CLUB 2 p.m.
FRIDAY, JAN. 9 KIWANIS CLUB 6:30 a.m.
MONDAY, JAN. 12 COMMISSIONERS COURT 10 a.m.
SCHOOL BOARD 7 p.m.
TUESDAY, JAN. 13
REBEKAH LODGE 7:30 p.m.
ROTARY CLUB 12(noon)
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### Weaver Christmas Supper Held

Mr. and Mrs. Armando DeLeon and children, Brandi and Trent, of Littlefield hosted the Weaver Christmas supper last Tuesday in their home. Sandwiches, chips and dips and Christmas goodies were served. After the meal, gayly wrapped Christmas packages were exchanged from beneath the twinkling tree, which stood in the corner near the fireplace where the yule log was burning brightly.

Those attending were Dale and LaQuita Weaver, Charlie, Aleane, Chris and Shanae Bishop, all of Amherst; Nancy Foust of Littlefield; and Edith Williams of Sudan.

Nancy accompanied the children at the piano while they sang their favorite Christmas carols and for the closing, Chris recited the Christmas story "Twas The Night Before Christmas".

The DeLeon family was wished a Happy New Year, from all those present, on their upcoming trip to Lyford where they will be visiting their grandmother DeLeon.

### Muleshoe Squares

By Elizabeth Ann Tabor

Muleshoe Squares will meet January 15, for regular club dance night at 8:00 PM at the American Legion Hall in Muleshoe.

Square dance lessons will begin January 15th at 8:00 PM at the American Legion Hall in Muleshoe. Bring your partner and join us for an enjoyable evening. The January 15th and January 22nd lessons will be free and we hope that you will sign up for the set of lessons. Square dancers are a friendly and fun loving group and you are always welcome to visit. Don't miss this opportunity to learn square dancing.

Lessons are given once a year January thru May on Thursday night. One can learn to square dance with a positive attitude, determination on your part and weekly attendance. In a few short weeks you will be amazed at how much you have learned. Self satisfaction and an enjoyable evening are most rewarding. James Pettus will be the instructor. For further information contact Club President James and Shelly Turnbow.

### Robert Azua Featured In Senior Spotlight

Robert Azua, a senior at Sudan High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Azua, is featured in this week's Senior Spotlight at SPS.

Robert was born on January 3, 1969, in Littlefield. He has five brothers and two sisters.

He is a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Sudan. He has been involved in FFA for three years and Industrial Arts two years.

When he is not involved in school activities, he enjoys playing in summer league sports.

His goal in life is to finish high school and go to college. He hopes to attend college at TSTU in Sweetwater.

He commented that "SHS is a good school and I have enjoyed attending school here."

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"What grace is to the body good sense is to the mind." La Rochefoucauld



**WEDDING RECEPTION HONORS COUPLE**—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence (Mack) McMahan, formerly Lillie Barnhouse, were honored with a wedding reception Sunday afternoon at their home, hosted by the families of the couple. Guests called between the hours of 2:30 and 4 p.m. The serving table was covered with a white lace over a rose tablecloth and accented with an arrangement of dusty rose silk roses in a brass bowl and two brass candlesticks holding dusty rose tapers. A three tiered white wedding cake topped with a bride and groom and decorated in dusty rose completed the setting. Wedding cake, nuts, mints, punch and coffee were served from crystal appointments. The couple were presented white silk rose corsage and boutonniere, which were accented with dusty rose. The couple were married on Monday, Dec. 29, 1986, in the Muleshoe Church of Christ with family and close friends attending.

### Pecan Champions Picked In West Texas

Choctaw and Sioux pecan entries exhibited by Concho County Judge Charley Dankworth of Paint Rock topped some 335 entries to sweep the West Texas Regional Pecan Show in both Shelling and In-Shell divisions in San Angelo recently.

John Begnaud, Tom Green County Extension horticulturist in charge of show arrangements, said the In-Shell Champion, the Choctaw, ran 33.15 nuts per pound and had a meat-to-shell ratio of 60.08 percent kernel.

Taking Reserve Champion honors in the In-Shell division was a Kiowa entry exhibited by LeRoy Olsak of San Angelo, whose orchards are in Schleicher County. The pecans ran 40.17 nuts to the pound and

yielded 61.64 percent kernel. Dankworth's Sioux entry was judged Champion in the Shelling division with a respectable 51.08 nuts per pound and a kernel percentage of 59.4 percent.

R.A. White of Stanton won Reserve Champion honors with a Western entry that ran 50.29 nuts to the pound and shelled out 59.5 percent kernel.

Begnaud said that this year's show quality was quite good overall. He noted that winners in the regional show—which includes an area from El Paso to Amarillo, Sanderson to San Angelo—are eligible to compete at the State Pecan Show in Austin next July.

Dr. Sammy Helmers, Extension horticulturist based at El Paso, was overall show superintendent.

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### Jennifer Harper Honored On Birthday

Jennifer Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harper was honored Monday, Dec. 29 on her first birthday with a party held in the Harper home.

A "Walt Disney" theme was carried out.

Guests included her cousins, Tabitha, Tamara, Brittainy and Mindy Gore and Mark and Camron Nix, all of Sudan; and

her grandparents, Mrs. June Gore and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Harper; great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gore, also Shelley Gore of Texas A&M. Others attending were her aunts, Robin, Gwenna and Joan. Neil Kleman also attended.

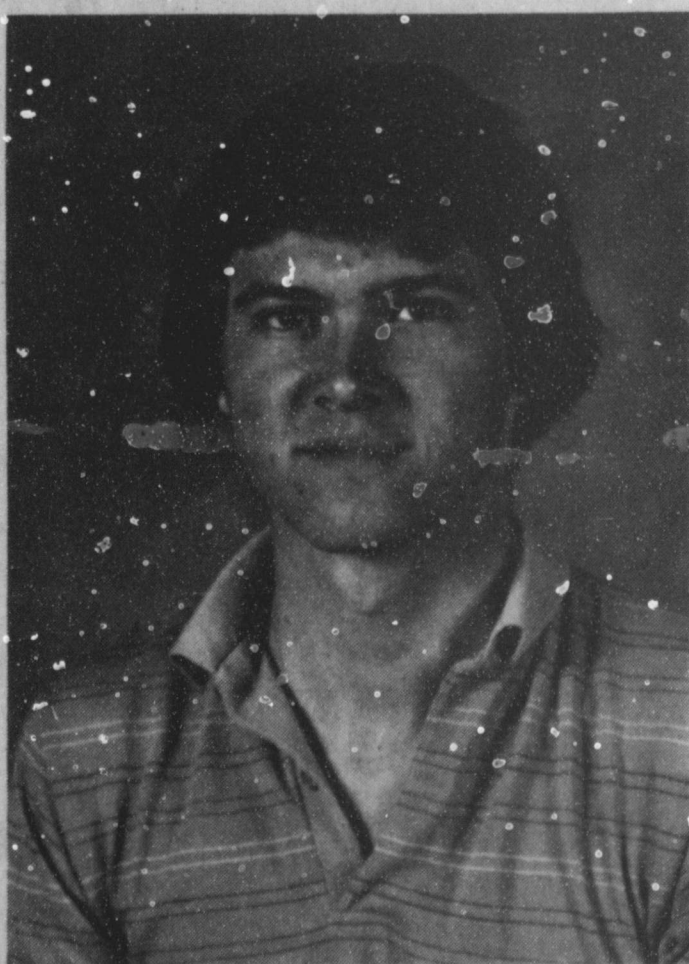


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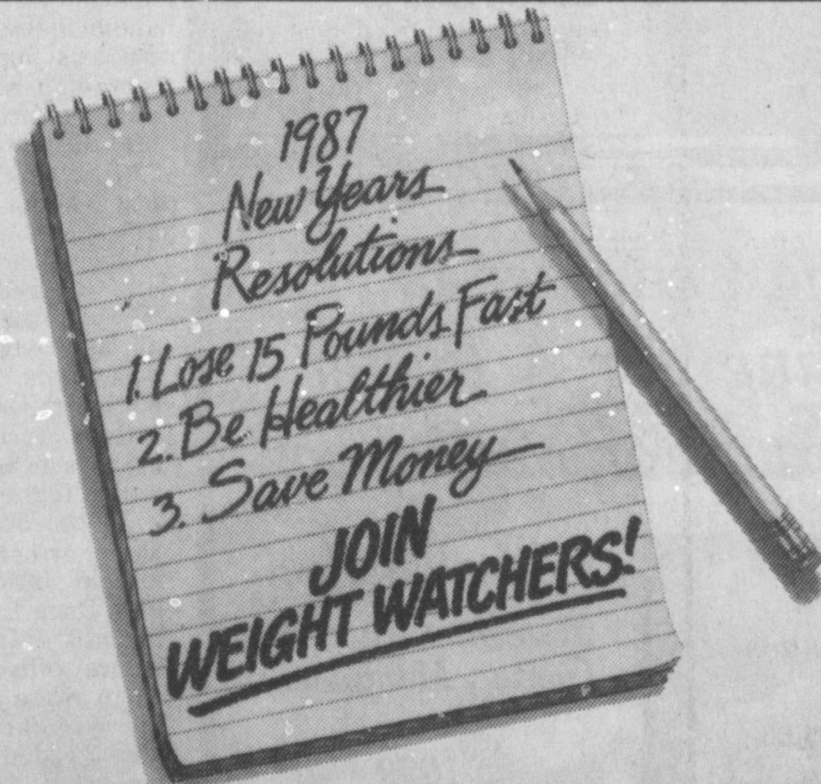
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**LEADER OF TOMORROW**—Our Leader of Tomorrow for this week is Brent Black. Brent is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Black and is an active member of the Senior Class of Muleshoe High School. He is also active in FFA, FTA and The National Honor Society. Upon graduation, Brent plans to attend Texas Tech and major in Finance. He is well respected by his peers as well as his teachers and we are proud to recognize this young man as a "Leader of Tomorrow."

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# ASC Report Includes Committee, Deadlines

To get 1987 started off right, Danny Noble, County Executive Director of the Bailey County ASC office, reminds everyone who the various county committee members include:

Members of the County Committee are Ben Roming, chairman; J.W. Herington, first alternate and Carl Bamert, second alternate; Terry Pollard, vice chairman; Johnny Furgeson Jr., first alternate and James Kindie, second alternate; and Jerry Sowder, regular member; Robert Claunch, first alternate and Jarrol Layton, second alternate.

For Community 'A', members are Carl Bamert, chairman; J.W. Herington, vice chairman; David Stovall, regular member; Eugene Shaw, first alternate and Tommy Haley, second alternate.

In Community 'B', members Furgeson, Jr. is chairman; James Kindie, vice chairman; W.T. Simpson, regular member; Dale Nichols, first alternate and Ronnie Barrett, second alternate.

Members in Community 'C' are Robert Claunch, chairman; Jimmy Cannon, vice chairman; Jarrol Layton, regular member; Jerry Damron, first alternate and Larry Clawson, second alternate.

### NEW ASCS OFFICE HOURS

Noble also commented, "Due to the extremely heavy workload and the backlog of work to be completed, the Bailey County ASCS office will be closed to the public from 8 a.m. to 12 noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week beginning January 5, 1987. The office staff will work behind closed doors during this time and will not conduct any business at the counter except on an emergency situation."

"We will also be able to accomplish much more if you hold your telephone calls to a minimum during this time."

frame. Several other county ASCS offices in this area will be observing these same closing hours," he concluded.

**1986 DISASTER PROGRAM**  
Also, Noble continued, "In our newsletter dated December 4, 1986, we stated that a producer must have suffered an overall loss of 50 percent of income in ALL program and non program crops in the county to be eligible for a disaster payment on nonprogram crops."

This requirement has changed. In order to be eligible for a disaster payment of non-program crops, the producer must have suffered a 50 percent loss of production and/or market value for that crop on all farms in which the producer has an interest in the county.

The disaster payment acreage for each non-program crop is the 1986 planted acreage not to exceed the 1985 planted acreage for that crop. The final date to apply and have all application forms signed is January 30, 1987.

### FINAL SIGN UP

All products that wish to participate in the 1987 farm program MUST sign up their intentions by no later than March 30, 1987.

### WOOL AND MOHAIR

January 31, 1987 is the final date for filing your 1986 wool application for the wool incentive program.

### OFFICE CLOSED

The ASC office will be closed January 19, 1987, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday.

### If Any

"Pa, what's a sinking fund?"  
"A place, my son, where they hide the profits from the stockholders."

# Farm Budget

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terprise budgets, break-even analysis; gross margin analysis; whole farm planning; cash flow budgeting; partial budgeting and evaluation.

Under financial statements on the 20th, are description, including balance sheet; income statement and cash flow and use of each in evaluation of financial position and/or financial progress.

The program on the 27th, is Whole Farm Planning - Example farm used; typical enterprise budgets; break-even analysis; a ply gross margin analysis to example; look at alternative whole farm plans; cash flow of alternative plans and partial budgeting.

On January 29, at 9:30 a.m., and in the Bailey County Civic Center, Dr. Wayne Hayenga, Farm Economist-Management Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will conduct an Estate Planning

meeting.

Dr. Hayenga's program will consist of all phases of farm estate planning relating to tax laws, gift tax legislation, how to separate farm "land" from the operating business and other farm assets, added Tanksley.

"Now that profits from farming and ranching are slimmer," said the county agent, "estate tax planning becomes more necessary because the profits are just not there in many operations to afford estate tax payments."

"Dr. Hayenga is an expert in the field of estate planning and this is a golden opportunity for you to receive first-hand information here in Muleshoe. This type of program will only come our way every five to 10 years."

For additional information on any of the programs call the Bailey County Extension office.

# Community Banquet

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Incoming CofC President, Ron Montgomery, will present remarks on the new year with the CofC and Mrs. Eagle has elected to present a talk -- and a challenge -- to all current members, and to new members of the Chamber.

"We have the banquet to honor the people of Muleshoe," said Mrs. Eagle, "so, we decided to keep the banquet strictly on a local level -- and all participants on a local level -- from catering the meal, to everything else, including dinner entertainment."

"This way, the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture can keep the banquet for the people we serve -- our local businesses, professions and citizens."

Several awards will be presented during the banquet, including Man of the Year; last year it was Gordon Wilson; Woman of the Year; last year it was Julie Cage; The Gary Hooten family was Farm Family of the Year; James Wedel was Conservation Farmer of the Year; Glen Williams was named Citizen Through the Years; Vanda Browning and Rhonda

# Law---

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violation will bring a fine of not less than \$200, nor more than \$2,000 for each unauthorized alien; the second offense will be not less than a \$2,000 fine, nor more than \$5,000 for each unauthorized alien and the third offense will be not less than a \$3,000 fine, nor more than \$10,000 for each unauthorized alien.

Sgt. Morales also said the new law requires all employers to verify the residency status of all new workers by examining documents, such as a U.S. passport, a U.S. birth certificate, a Social Security card, a driver's license, or other state-issued identification.

As the Border Patrol has the same arresting powers as any federal officers, such as the FBI, Drug Enforcement Agency, Federal Marshals and other federal officers, they are allowed to make both 'on-sight' and 'by warrant' arrests for violations, added the Border Patrolman.

Also, any violators from this area would appear in federal court, and that would mean before U.S. Court in Lubbock, with Federal Judge Barefoot Sanders presiding.

# Sheriffs Office Report

Since the first week of December, 1986, several persons made it into and out of the Bailey County jail, facing various charges as filed by city, county and state law enforcement officers.

No burglaries were reported in Bailey County during the holidays.

Leading the list of persons jailed were those who were charged with driving while intoxicated, including: Almando G. Garcia, 27, laid out fine; Adan G. Ovalle, 26, out on bond; Leah Rhea Bell, 17, out on bond; Boyd Magby, 55, no disposition shown in jail book and Carl Scott Harris, 17, out on bond.

Other arrests included two for theft; three for driving while license suspended; two for failure to appear in answer to traffic citations; one on a federal warrant; two for public intoxication; one for issuance of bad checks and one for revocation of probation.

# Rotary---

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Swanner said the Muleshoe Nursing Home was a very good nursing home, due to community support, and that individual volunteers have given a great deal of time, with the ladies auxiliary, particularly, donating time and equipment -- such as the furniture for the new dining room.

In figures, he cited that the Muleshoe Nursing Home has 36 employees, generating a \$300,000 per year payroll; 39 residents, with the eldest being 97 years of age; six residents age 90 or above; 16 residents in the 80-year bracket. He said the youngest resident is 54 years of age. One person has resided there 15 1/2 years, and another 11 years.

Terry Hutto was in charge of the program. Other visitors at the Rotary meeting were Charles Christian, Gene Harlan and Jay Cage.

Officer elections were held with Tommy Gunstream designated president; George Nieman, vice president; James Lee, secretary and Randy Field, treasurer. New directors elected were Mike Hahn, Ray Day, Sam Harlan and Terry Hutto.

Insiders tracking scandal effects United States stock market.

# Ag Meet---

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Cooperative Association with talk about Electricity - Past and Present.

A lunch break will be conducted 12:15-1 p.m. with Leon New, Agriculture Engineer, Texas Agricultural Extension Service the first speaker after lunch. He will be discussing Irrigation Management Guidelines for Profitable Yields; Jack Lyon, Dupont Chemical Company and Joe Kuesser, Monsanto Chemical Company will talk about Weed Control on Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) Land and winding up the day will be Monty Dollar, Area Agronomist for the Soil Conservation Service, who plans to discuss Conservation Compliance.

In another year of major changes for farmers and ranchers, each and every agricultural producer and agri-businessman is encouraged to attend the conference which will conclude around 2:30 p.m.

As in past years, the program is sponsored by Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association; Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Conservation District and Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Astronauts use shuttle escaped baskets in mock disaster drill.

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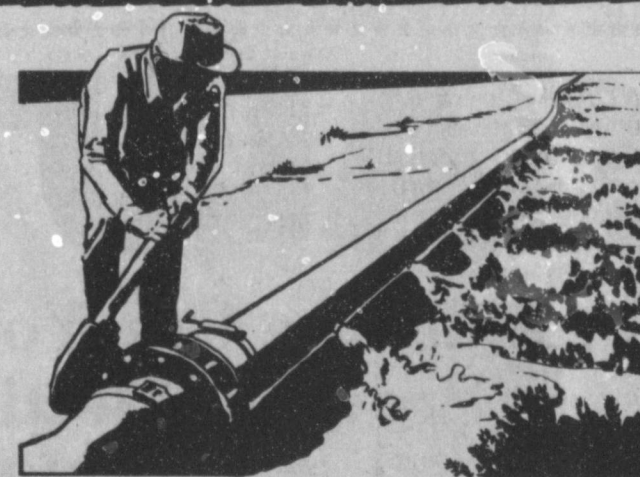


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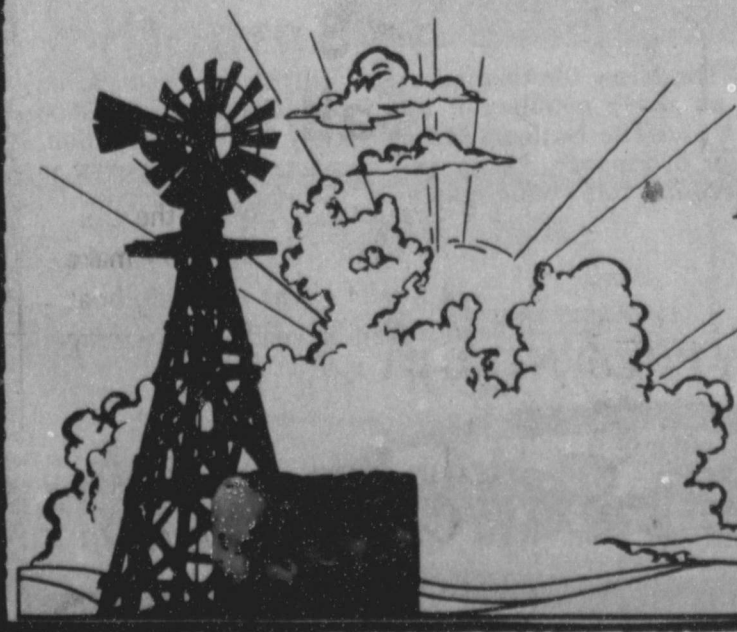
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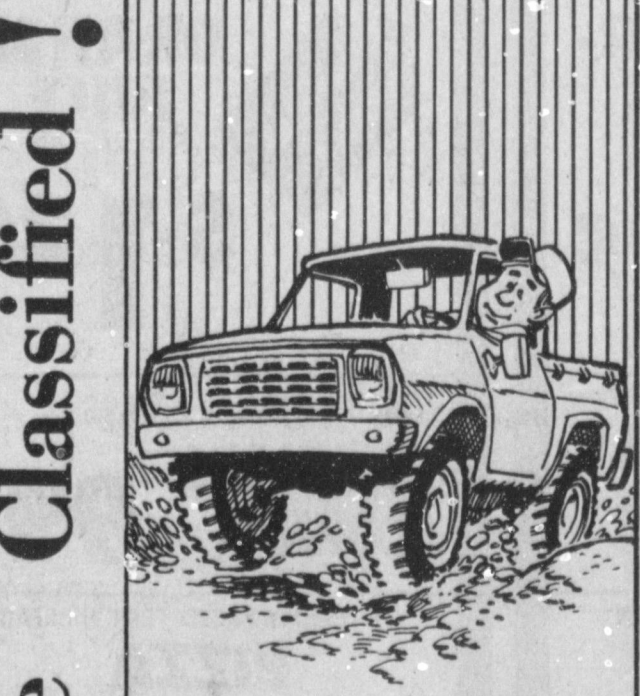
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Mrs. Goldman Stroud and daughter, Mrs. Craig Kirby and children spent Monday in Cooper to visit another daughter, Mrs. Sandra Dickey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Price had all of their children and grand children home for Christmas. Mrs. Wanda Wheeler of Granbury, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Price and family's, Mrs. Jaye Lynn Hall and children of Austin, Jana and Johnny Deadman, Jalisa Price of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Price and Gary of Morton and Jacque Price of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Autry spent Christmas with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Autry and family at Lazbuddie.

Cliff Cooper of Ft. Worth visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Davis Graves Tuesday.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Inez Sanders Friday was a sister-in-law Mrs. Nita Sanders of Lubbock. Christmas eve guests were grandsons Michael and Erick Wright of Lubbock and Erick's girlfriend.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Price and children flew to Rockport to visit Mrs. Prices parents and spent a few days.

Monroe Phillips of Littlefield, a brother of Mrs. Lloyd Pollard of Bula died Saturday. We express our sympathy to his family and other relatives.

Spending Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Adams was his children, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Green of Muleshoe, Mrs. Linda Logsdon and children of Lubbock. Visiting Mrs. Faye Jones Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Pteis from Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key visited in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard in Littlefield Saturday afternoon.

Other guests were the Howards, daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Glover and son, of Houston, a son Mr. and Mrs. Larry Howard, and children, Sara Beth and Mandy.

There are a lot of people sick with colds and the flu, J.C. Snitker is in the Littlefield Medical Center for tests and X-rays.

Mrs. Dean McBee had her children, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. McBee and family and Mr. and Mrs. Train Childres home for Christmas.

Mrs. Inez Sanders had her family, Joyce Beasley and family, Mrs. Peggy Hurley and family of Vernon, Ronald Beasley and family of Artesia, N.M. Also Bud Thomas and son Ted of Morton.



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