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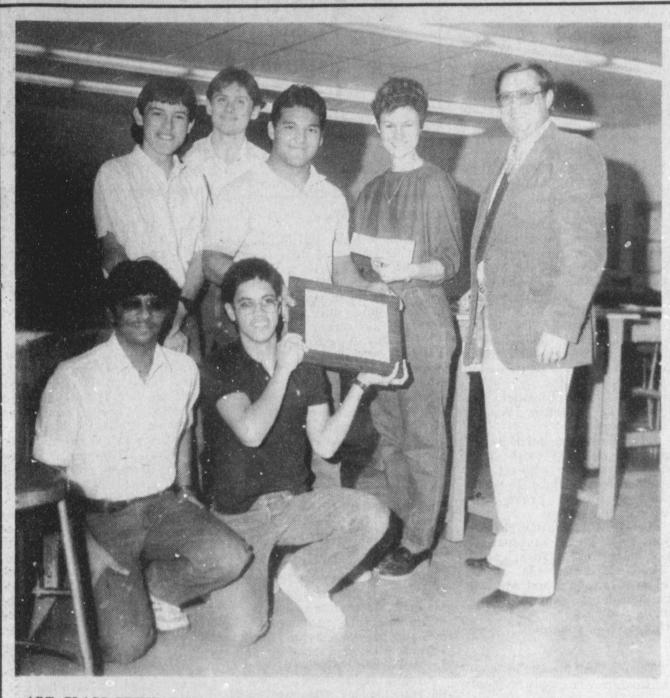


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ART CLASS PRESENTED CHECK--Monday afternoon, the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture presented a check and plaque to members of an Art Class at Muleshoe High School for painting the backdrop used during the recent CofC banquet. Pictured from left, standing, are Alex Bachicha, Johnny Bevers and Armando Del Toro, students; Hellen Adrian, art instructor and Ron Montgomery, CofC president; kneeling from left are Jitendra Patel and Rudy Flores, students.

Forty-Nine Bailey County Youth Enter Stock Show

Some thirty 4-H members from Bailey County, along with 19 FFA members from Mule-



around muleshoe

The Muleshoe AAU will be meeting at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at the Hungry Mule on Sunday. All parents of girls up to 18

years of age, or those interested in a summer basketball program are urged to attend.

For additional information, contact Deborah Noble at 272-4711.

H. John Fuller, superintendent, said there will be a special meeting of the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees on Thursday, today, at 7 p.m. at the school administration office.

Following recognition of visitfors and school officials, the board will go into executive session, and consider appropriate action following the executive session.

Morris, Eddy Muleshoe Activities Committee chairman, announces that the next MAC Buck drawing will be Saturday, at 2 p.m. in the 200 block of Main Street.

This month, the drawing will be for \$100, \$50 and \$25 in MAC Bucks, and there will be no merchant drawing preceding the MAC Bucks drawing this

Morris said the MAC is busy planning activities for the Fourth of July.

If your club, organization or business has any activities planned that would coordinate with these plans, contact Eddy Morris, at 272-3351.

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture will host a reception on Sunday, February 8, 3-4 p.m. at the Hungry Mule Steakhouse.

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shoe High School will be joining 4-H and FFA members from throughout the state for show ring competition at the Houston Livestock Show, to be held February 21 through March 8.

These young exhibitors compete in the junior show, where 1987 entries are expected to exceed 15,000. These junior show entries combine with open show and horse show entries to make the Houston Show the world's largest livestock show.

Junior exhibitors will be representing more than 800 Texas

South Plains Track Coach **Rotary Guest**

If his intention was not "leave them laughing" he fell short of his goal. Nonetheless. James Morris, head track coach at South Plains, Levelland, did in fact, leave members and guests at the Muleshoe Rotary Club in laughter Tuesday at

Introduced by Dr. Robert Lepard, a former student when Morris was a high school track coach at Brownfield, Morris 'zeroed' in on the dentist almost immediately after the introduc-

For the past five years, Morris has been head track coach at SPC and spoke highly of the local students involved in studies at the Levelland college.

The speaker told Rotarians about the year Robert Lepard was named state champion from Brownfield in the 800 meter and told of several events that took place while he was coaching Lepard, and others, at Brown-

field. He explained the sports programs at Levelland, and said South Plains College is a member of the Western Junior College Athletic Conference, which encompasses 10 schools. Only four of the junior colleges are involved in sports, however, Con't Page 4, Col. 6

while open show exhibitors arrive from all over the world.

Exhibitors entering from the Bailey County 4-H include:

Todd Bessire, Scott Bickel, B. J. Brown, Brandon Brown, Tonya Copley, Andy Crawford, Angela Crawford, Coleen Dodd, Michael Duncan, Mike Dunham, Amy Harrison and Lori Hodges.

Also, Suzy Hodges, Holly Huckaby, Brittany Kirby, Kourt-ney Magby, Ross Parish, Angel Pearson, Brenna Roberson, Colin Tanksley, Brooke Sinclair, Scotty Spies, Courtney Tanksley, Jamie Wheeler, Jodie Wheeler, Scott Wheeler, Wade Wheeler, Chris Young and Greg

Muleshoe High School FFA members are:

Jesus Afondis, Brent Black, Lisa Black, Monty Black, Shawn Branscum, Dalyn Bratcher, Col-Con't Page 4, Col. 3

IGA Grocery Closes Door On Saturday

Saturday, one of the oldest businesses in Muleshoe closed its doors. At this time, the owners of the Muleshoe IGA food store are removing perishables from the store and are taking them to their Morton store.

Tony Steinle, Co-owner of the store, said it was no longer feasible to keep the grocery store open in Mule-

In the early 40's the original store opened on Main Street in Mulcshoe, and Thurman White moved to Muleshoe in 1945 to manage the store. He purchased the store in 1959. and it was moved to one other location before needing more

White then constructed the present location at the corner of Main Street and Avenue D before selling it in 1983 to the current owners from Morton.

New Immigration Law -Far-Reaching Effect

Lazbuddie FFA Exhibits Swine, Lambs At Hereford

Several Hereford FFA students were in Hereford last weekend for their annual stock show, and brought home ribbons and awards for their show animals.

Included in the results are the following:

CHICKENS Clint Russell exhibited the Grand Champion pen of Chickens; he also had a third place pen and a sixth place pen. SWINE

Steve Bradshaw, Reserve Breed Champion Yorkshire and fifth place Jumbo Cross.

Lori Bradshaw, Seventh place Jumbo Cross and 12th place Jumbo Cross. Casey Bradshaw, 13th, Jumbo

Cross and 12th place heavyweight Yorkshire. David Seaton, First, lightweight Hampshire - Reserve

Breed Champ and sixth heavyweight Hampshire. Ginger Jesko, fourth, light-

weight Spot and eighth place medium weight Duroc. Lanse Ivy, 17th place light-

weight Cross. Jody Copp, 16th Jumbo

Sheldon Mason, 17th, lightweight Yorkshire. Shane Mason, 12th, light-

ight Hampshire. Shane, David and Thomas were called back into the show for Swine Showman-

LAMBS Holley Morris, fifth, light-Con't Page 4, Col. 3

County-Wide **History Book Meetings Set**

On Monday, February 9, Jesse White of the Taylor Publishing Co. will be conducting workshops on how to write your family history, will be answering questions and getting committees involved in writing the Bailey County History.

Jerry and Faye Beasley are inviting all residents of the West Camp community to meet at the West Camp Gin on Monday at 9 a.m., and said the coffee pot will be on.

They, along with friends and neighbors, including Nelda Hunt, J.W. Herrington, Louise Roark and Leona Harris said they hope you will be there to get information on writing your family story.

Everyone who has lived in the community since it was the western camp of XIT Ranch should be included in the book.

This will be followed at 1 p.m., when White will meet at the First Baptist Church of Progress with Gordon and Ada Murrah, Helen Redwine, Fern Davis, Velma Gwyn and Elzada

"There's more to Progress history than Josh Blocker!!" said Mrs. Gulley. She remembers when there were 200 people living in Progress -- it included a school, post office, store, blacksmith, and Velma Gwyn taught school there.

In the late afternoon, at 3:30 p.m. White will be at the Mulesline Library to help anyone with writing their family story, and to answer any questions.

The history book committee reminds -- the history will not be complete without jour story -- and volunteers are still

Richard A. Edwards Extension Economist-Marketing Texas Agricultural Extension

> Texas A&M University College Station, Texas

The Immigration Control and Legalization Amendments Act of 1986 was signed into law in December 1986 and is now in effect. The legislative swiftness has not been matched by the system as many specific regulations and government forms have not yet been issued.

Following is a list of the provisions which will affect agricultural employees.

-The law makes it illegal to knowingly hire, recruit, or refer for a fee, any person not authorized to work in this country. It established stiff penalties for violators. It applies to all employers regardless of size or number of workers employed.

-The law requires employers to inspect documents and attest to the legal right to work of every person hired. It establishes penalties for employers who do not comply with this paperwork requirement even if no illegal aliens are employed. Again, no exceptions are granted.

-The law provides a mechanism that will allow most agricultural workers to attain legal status. If the workers can show they have worked 90 or more man-days in the production and harvesting of perishable agricultural commodities during the year beginning May 1, 1985, they can obtain temporary resident status and, after two years, become permanent residents. For those workers who worked 90 man-days in the same capacity described above in each of the three years ending May 1, 1984, 1985, and 1986, they may become residents after one year. The number allowed permanent status under the three-year consecutive years of work provision is limited to 350,000. Once either group has obtained permanent status, however, they have no obligation to continue to work in agriculture.

-Anyone who can show continual residence since January 1, 1982, can be granted temporary status for 18 months and may be granted permanent status after that period.

-During a four-year period from 1989-1993, the law allows admission of a limited number

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TEAMS Test To Be Given

H. John Fuller, superintendent of Muleshoe Schools, announces that the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) Tests will be given to students of Muleshoe ISD in grades 3, 5, 7 and 9 on February 10-12.

The TEAMS Tests have been instituted to measure basic skills in mathematics, reading and writing. This program was mandated by House Bill 72, passed by the Second Called Session of the 68th Texas Legislature in July

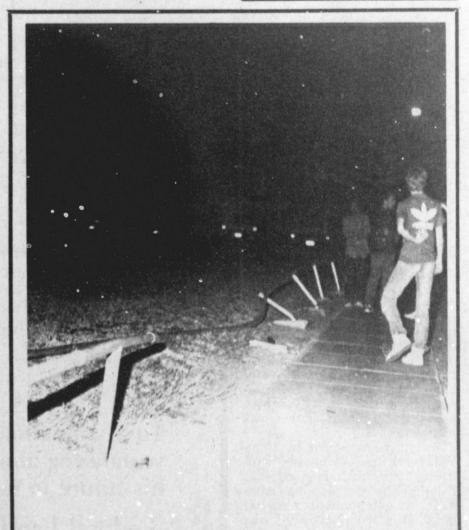
TEAMS testing is a relatively new concept that school officials now have to assist in program and staff evaluation, explained the superintendent. The results are being closely monitored by the Accreditation Division of the Texas Eduction Agency.

Fuller said that although student placement is not directly connected to the individual student results, the failure to master the TEAMS objective at any grade level indicates a need for remediation and/or special assist-

Fuller commented, "The Muleshoe School District is committed to provide quality instruction and strong remediation for students needing additional help in achieving mastery."

Exit level tests are administered twice a year, in October and May, and requires mastery before a diploma can be awarded by any accredited school

"Parents of students in these specific grades can really cooperate by encouraging students to be in attendance at school on these dates and to see that students get the proper rest before and during this testing period, "Fuller suggests.



OUT OF CONTROL -- Sunday night, a late model car driven by Jim Morales went out of control in the 600 block of West Third Street, knocking down a big part of the pipe fence on the east side of Watson Junior High School, before veering across a lawn, and coming to a stop in the 500 block of West Third. There were no injuries.

Plan To Attend The

Sweetheart Festival Saturday February 7



MR. AND MRS. GOLDMAN STROUD

The Goldman Stroud's Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, January 11, in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church at Enochs.

Seventy-five guest registered, and were served chocolate cake and coffee; mints, nuts and gold punch. Also served was a 50th wedding cake. Registering guests and serving were Marla Trull, Anna Belleviu, Charline Lewis and Mrs. Gwenn Sinclair.

The serving table was laid with a white cloth over gold, centered with a gold vase of white roses, along with other gold arrangements.

Mrs. Roxie Smith and E.G. Stroud were married January 6, 1937 at Clem Scott, Okla. where they made their home until they moved to Crosbyton. Then they

moved to the Bula/Enochs area where they have resided for the past 40 years. Stroud has been engaged in farming and as an employee of Bailey County.

The Stroud's eight children and their families were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Lillian, Pollard, Enochs; Orvan Stroud, Brownwood; Mrs. Doris Trull, Bledsoe; Mrs. Sandra Dickey, Woodrow; Mrs. Bonnie Belleviu, Lubbock; Glynn Stoud, Muleshoe; Gene Stroud, Dimmitt and Carolyn Kirby, Three

Mr. and Mrs. Stroud also have 20 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Guests were registered from Lubbock, Bledsoe, Muleshoe, Oklahoma, Shallowater, Morton, Needmore, Morton, Three Way and Enochs



Julia Shain Honored With

Bridal Shower

Julia Shain, bride-elect of Mike Diebold, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Betty Wagnon on Sunday afternoon, 3-4 p.m.

Greeting guests as they arrived were Mrs. Wagnon; the honoree; and her mother, Izetta Shain. The honoree was presented a corsage of white pom-poms, and her mother was a special guest.

Guests were served by Dana Wilkinson from a table laid with white linen, with lace edging. Highlighting the serving table were red geraniums in a crystal bowl, as a Valentine motif was carried out throughout the

Miniature muffins, a variety of breads, nuts, hot apple cider and coffee were served from crystal and silver appointments.

The hostesses for the shower presented the honoree with serving pieces to her chosen

Gorham stainless. Hostesses included Vivian White, Louise Agee, Anne Camp, Lucy Faye Smith, Johnana Wrinkle, Betty Wag-non, Claudine Embry, Marie Bradley, Jenean Gable, Wanda Baker and Marieta Wilkinson.

Creative Living by Sheryl Borden

"Creative Living" is pro-duced and hosted by Sheryl

Borden. The show airs on over

95 PBS stations in the United

States, Canada, Guam and

Puerto Rico, and is distributed

by Pacific Mountain Network, Denver, CO. Viewers can

request copies of printed

materials offered on the show by

calling on KENW-TV's toli-free

telephone lines. In New Mexico,

the number is 1-800-432-2361, out-of-state: 1-800-545-2359 and

Portales and Roosevelt County:

562-2112. Viewers are asked to

call between 8:00 am and 5:00

CAKE RECIPES FROM CALF

FRIES TO CAVIAR COOKBOOK

Turtle Cake

(Cake version of turle candy)

Combine and mix well.....1

German Chocolate Cake Mix, 1

stick margarine, softened, 11/2

cups water, 1/2 cup oil, 1/2 can

Pour one-half of the batter

into a greased and floured

13x9x2-inch baking dish. Bake in a preheated 350 degree oven

Melt and mix together... 1

pound bag caramels, ½ can Eagle Brand Milk

Sprinkle generously with chop-

ped pecans. Cover with remain-

ing cake batter. Bake 25 to 35 minutes longer. Frost with

TURTLE CAKE FROSTING

Melt in a small saucepan...1

stick margarine, 3 Tbsp. cocoa,

Remove from heat and add... 1

box powdered sugar, 1 tsp.

There's small revenge in words,

but words may be greatly revenged.

Spread over the baked layer.

Eagle Brand Milk

for 20 to 25 minutes.

Turtle Cake Frosting.

6 Tbsp. evaporated milk

Spread over cool cake.

—Benjamin Franklin.

pm, Monday through Friday.

Interesting information on garments available for rental and successful weight control tips will be presented on "Creative Living" on Tuesday, February 10 at 12 noon and repeated on Saturday, February 14 at 2:00 pm. on KENW-TV. (All times are Mountain).

Gloria Bailey is a fashion designer who only rents her garments -- they're not for sale. She designs pageant gowns for contestants in such pageant as Miss America, Miss Universe and even children's pageants, like the Cinderella pageant. Emily Franklin, Miss New Mexico 1986 will model some of Gloria's pageant gowns. Ms. Bailey's business is called Gloria's Fashions, and she's from Baton Rouge, LA.

Another guest will be Betty Wedman, spokesperson Uncle Ben's Rice. She will discuss some keys to successful weight control and has some very effective visuals to illustrate her points. Ms. Wedman is from Columbia, MO.

On Tuesday, February 10 at 9:30 pm Lauren Ryan, Public Relations Manager for Dow Consumer Products will demonstrate how to put the theory of batch cooking into practical use. Ms. Ryan will show how batch cooking in the microwave oven is one answer to the new "no time to dine" lifestyle. She is from Indianapolis, IN.

Leta Brazell, co-owner of The Quilt Works in Albuquerque, will demonstrate how to make the popular bloomin' vests and will show some pretty examples of finished garments. The interesting part is how to make the vests "bloom", and Leta will illustrate this technique.

Today's bath area includes more than the three basic fixtures and a light over the mirror. Ellen Cheever, representing the Maytag Kitchen Idea Center will discuss new bathroom design ideas and products. Ms. Cheever is from Sacramento, CA.

On Thursday, February 12 at 12 noon, "Creative Living" will feature a demonstrate on making cakes and information on clothing adaptations for the

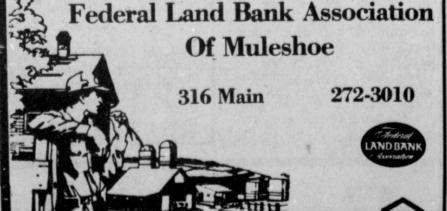
Sue Vaughan, co-author of alf Fries to Caviar cookbook will present some of her favorite cake recipes, and the exciting part of this demonstration is that each of the cakes is prepared from a cake mix. Ms. Vaughan says she 'doctors' them up and they don't even resemble a cake mix. This makes each one so easy to prepare, and it also cuts down on the preparation time. Sue is from Lamesa, TX.

The difficulties involved in purchasing suitable clothes, and the pain and effort involved in the process of dressing may cause an elderly person to lose interest in their appearance. Dr. Betty Campbell, Chairman of the Home Economics Department at Eastern New Mexico University in Portaies, NM will focus her discussion on readily available garments or patterns for easier dressing for elderly people. There's a great deal of research that indicates a person's feelings, their well being and positive state-of-mind are closely related to their appearance. So, it's particularly important that the elderly be encouraged to dress each day. The information Dr. Campbell will provide should make it easier to help elderly individuals develop an interest in maintaining an attractive appearance despite the problems of finding suitable styles and fabrics.

Like your dad and your grandfather, one thing you'll need is a dependable source of long-term credit. A source that sticks with you through good times and bad. . .doesn't panic and pull back when things get a little tough. For generations that source has always been the Federal Land Bank.

When long-term credit is the answer, stop by and see how the Land Bank can help you.

To a young man wondering about his future in farming



Sudan's Senior Citizens Discuss

The Sudan Area Service Citizens met Monday January 26 for their regular monthly meeting. Truman Parrish, president, presided over the short



Denise Kayla Day

Mr. and Mrs. David Day of Amarillo welcomed their second daughter at 11:14 a.m. on Sunday, February 1 in Amarillo. She has been named Kayla

Danielle, age three. Mrs. Day is the former Donna Lambert of Muleshoe.

Denise and has a sister,

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lambert of Muleshoe and Don Day of Canyon; and great-grandmother is Fay Lambert of Muleshoe.

Cory Clayton Puckett

Ronnie and Kim Puckett welcomed their third child, a son, on January 21, 1987 at 4:55 p.m. in the South Plains Hospital at Amherst. Their eight pound, three

ounce boy was named Cory Clayton. He has a brother, Justin age six; and a sister, Michelle, 22 months.

Grandparents include Wendell and Lavelle Clayton, Earth; Vernon Puckett Lazbuddie and Joann Puckett, Muleshoe.

Great-grandmothers are Joyce Puckett, Lindsay, Okla. and Nell Holman, Albuquerque, N.M.

read the minutes of the last meeting. Wayne Rogers gave the treasurer report.

The next blood pressure clinic Upcoming Activities will be on Wednesday February 4 from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. You do not have to be a senior citizen to have your blood pressure checked.

The exercise sessions have been expanded from two days to five days a week. On Monday and Wednesday the time is 3:30 until 4:14 p.m. and 3:30 until 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Come and join in the fun and again you don't have to be a senior citizen to participate in the exercise

The February meal will be enchalidas with all the trimmings on February 12th. The drawing for the handmake quilt will be on that date. One dollar donations will entitle you to one chance on the quilt.

Perfect Attendance

Mary DeShazo Perfect Attendance 1st Semester

Jackie Chapman, Jessica Franco, Kimberly Griswold. Laura Lira, Anna Pacheco, Dacia Stewart, Holly Donaldson, Veronica Franco, Jenny Gloria, Stephanie Perez, Crista Trussell, Rebecca Warren, Misty Davenport, Veronica Duran, Kristin Holmans, Jodi Martinez, Amy Pacheco Shane Schuster and Courtney Tanksley.

Also, Ricky Cisneros, Corev Dodd, Albert Garcia, Peter Lowen, Cyle Marr, Gabirel Mendoza, Michael Orozco, Wayne Palmer, Frank Perez, Koy Wilhite, Bryan Field, Jimmy Guana, Joshua Lindt, Carlos Torres, Robert Toscano, Americo Aguirre, Simon Chavez, Salome Cisneros, Casey Estep, Ricky Estrada, Chad Freeman, Mark Garcia, Jose Lozano, Chad Montgomery, Rogelio Pacheco, Chetan Patel, Craig Smyer and Andy Wilson.

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Stone, Wiseman Wed In Bryson Candlelight Service

The groom's maternal grand-

mother, Fannie Mae Boulting-

house of Arlington and the

bride's maternal grandparents,

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Stone of

Cisco, Texas were among the

of Abilene Christian University

with a degree in music. They

will make their home in Campbell, Calif. where he is

employed by Campbell Christian

by the groom's parents at the "Alley Cafe" in Graham,

Texas. At the dinner, a quilt

was presented to the couple.

Each lock was made by a friend

or relative and expressed a

wish, memorable event, quote

or saying and was a surprise to

A wedding day brunch was hosted by Mrs. Pat Jurek, aunt

Texas. Personal gifts were

presented to the bride at this

Golden Gleams

keeps his own wounds green. -Francis Bacon.

sooner than revenge.

-Cwen.

A man that studieth revenge

Neglect will kill an injury

the couple.

Rehearsal dinner was hosted

Mrs. Wiseman is a graduate

out of town guests attending.

Marsha Jo Stone and Barry Wade Wiseman were married on a candlelight service at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 27, 1986 at the Bryson Church of Christ in Bryson.

The father of the bride, sames Pete Stone, conducted the ceremony and the father of the groom, Calvin Wiseman, gave the benediction. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Pete Stone of Bryson and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wiseman of Sudan.

A reception was held in the Bryson Senior Citizen's Center following the ceremony. The bride's table was laid with a lace and linen cloth. Silk fioral arrangements graves the table where the three tiered cake was served by Cindy Stone of Abilene and sister-in-law of the bride. Punch and Mexican wedding cookies were also of the bride of Port Lavaca, served from crystal appointments by Shannon Smith



ELIZABETH POSADOS

Elizabeth Posados AAUW 'Girl' For January, '87

Selected as the January Girl of the Month by the Muleshoe Branch of the American Association was Elizabeth Posados. She is a junior at Muleshoe High School, and her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Posados.

Selected on her participation in school, church, and community activities, she represents Muleshoe High School in a positive way.

Elizabeth is a member of the Mighty M Band, and recently she participated All-Region Band Concert held in Lubbock. She is Band Chaplain and is Flag Captain. She is also a member of the Jazz Band.

Miss Posados is a member of the Student Council and is an officer of the Junior class.

A member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Elizabeth is Secretary of the

Catholic Youth Organization. The members of AAUW are happy to recognize Elizabeth Posados as their January Girl of the Month.

Elderly May Be Lonely Or May Just Be Alone

confuse an elderly person's desire to be alone with loneli-

grandma has always enjoyed solitary pursuits, there's no reason to expect her to become more social now that grandpa has died," says gerontologist Dr. Judith Warren. 'The fact that she spends her time alone doing needlework or gardening may not necessarily mean she is lonely."

Family members should be aware of those things that can cause loneliness for the elderly, says the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economics specialist.

Risk factors include the loss of a spouse, sibling, child or friend; homebound status; a change in access to transportation; illness and disability; low income; and change in living arrangements.

But one or more of these risk factors may not result in loneliness for every elderly

So the specialist advises family members to also listen to elder relatives for time-oriented complaints, such as "I'm just putting in my time until I die." Expressions of abandonment, such as "Nobody cares about old people, they're just put on the shelf," are another sign of loneliness.

Further indicators that loneliness is a problem may include changes in behavior, such as increased irritability, withdraw-

Muleshoe Fire Department By: Larry Kasco

Fires For 1986 1986 was a busy year for Muleshoe Fire Dept. a total of 97 fires were reported. These reports were anything from auto fires to smoke scares. The most that was reported was grass fires. The following is a run down of fires for 1986: 27 Grass & Trash

17 Dwelling 14 Auto 10 Wrecks & Washdowns 9 Dumpsters J raise Alarms 4 Smoke Scares 3 Storm Watches

2 Tractor 2 Drill Practice 1 Ammona Leak 1 Fireplace 1 Grain Dryer

The total manhours for the 97 calls was 1391. The time of these fires start when the alarm is actived and stops when the equipment is ready for the next

This department not only fought fires, the men spent a total of 1775 menhours in different types of training schools. A lot of these hours were gained by attending not only inhouse training, but all over the STATE OF TEXAS. The people of Muleshoe & Bailey Co. should be very proud of the individuals that give up their personal time to serve the surrounding area.

Reporter Larry Rasco



Family and friends sometimes al, increased talkativeness, restlessness or an inability to concentrate.

She notes that psychosomatic symptoms or real health problems can also be linked to loneliness.

"When elders experience loneliness, it may be a chronic or a situational problem," the gerontologist says.

Warren explains that loneliness is often rooted in long-term problems with social relations that existed before the person became elderly, and may require professional counseling.

'Situational loneliness more common among the elderly and usually results from one

Lazbuddie Honor Roll

LAZBUDDIE HONOR ROLL SENIORS

Christine Flores, Cami Ivy, Dusty Jesko, Frances King, Shane Mason, Shonda Mitchell and Cathy Schacher.

JUNIORS Steve Bradshaw, Amy Daniel, Tim Lust and Tammie Vise. **SOPHOMORES**

Jim Allen, Brian Glover, Connie Gonzales, Ginger Jesko, Scott Miller and Danna Martinez. **FRESHMEN**

Diana Cozbey, Lanse Gerardo Mata, Kevin McGehee, Eddie Zamora and Sandra Martinez.

8th GRADE Audra Allen, Casey Bradshaw, Stacie Hodges, Elsa Mendoza, Jana Vise and Ella Wilkerson. 7th GRADE

Marsha Autry, Monty Foster, Filemon Guzman and Rolando Vargas.

6th GRADE Raquel Guzman, Erin Jones, Craig Russell and Veronica

A HONOR ROLL SENIOR

Traci Elliott **SOPHOMORES** Jonessa Jennings and Adrienne Willingham.

FRESHMEN Julie Harris, Mia Jennings and Diana Cozbey. 8th GRADE

Martie Mouser 7th GRADE Stacey Barber, Frank Gonzales and Holley Morris.

6th GRADE Leland Brockman and JoeLe Weaver.

of the risk factors," she adds.

To help elders through periods of situational loneliness and adaptation to life changes, there are a number of options including grief counseling and support groups such as the American Association and Retired Persons (AARP) Widow-to-Increased Widow program. social opportunities can be found through a senior center, eating lunch at a nutrition site, or a friendly visitor or telephone assurance program.

Other services, such as lowcost and handicap-assist transportation, a homemaker/home health aide for help with activities of daily living, nursing care or an emergency alert system may also help deal with problems that keep the elder isolated and lonely, says War-

Best of Press

Unvarnished Truth Too many people itch for what they want without scratching for it. Spotlight, San Diego, Cal.

In A Nutshell To make a long story short, there's nothing like having the boss

-Seagull, Ogden, Utah.

Retired school teacher donates funds for laser to Texas A&M University

COLLEGE STATION — A conversation five years ago made an impact on a retired schoolteacher who in turn made an impact on the veterinary facilities at Texas A&M University.

Mrs. Maurine Mullins, who resides near Weatherford, has presented \$50,000 to Texas A&M University toward the purchase of an advanced laser for veterinary eye surgery.

Texas A&M will have the nation's only veterinary school with exclusive access to such a device, said Dr. Dean Gage, associate dean of veterinary medicine. A similar instrument in North Carolina is shared by several institutions.

Mullins, who taught school in Fort Worth for nearly 40 years, has been supportive of Texas A&M veterinary programs in the past, explained Gage. Because of her support, five years ago she was invited to tour surgical facilities at the newly expanded small animal

In conversation during the tour, she asked Dr. Ned Ellett of Texas A&M about the possibility of a laser instrument for veterinary ophthalmology. She recalled that conversation as one of the reasons for her donation, said Cage.

Overdoing

Most people who hand out small talk seem to think it must be done in large quantities.

-- Eagle, Dothan, Ala.

Starting Feb. 8th Anthony's Will Be Closed On Sundays

This Will Give Our Employees

Time To Attend The Church Of

Their Choice, And To Spend Time With Their Families.

321 Main

Mon.-Sat. 9-6

SALUTE LEADERS OF TOMORROW

To Our

We Believe Our Youth Of Today Will Provide Effective Leadership Tomorrow!!



LEADER OF TOMORROW---Our Leader of Tomorrow for this week is Misty Sawyer. Misty is the twelve year old daughter of Lehman and Judy Jacobs. Misty attends Watson Jr. High School and lists swimming and running as her hobbies, she is also the manager of the basketball team. We are proud to recognize Misty as a "Leader of Tommorow."

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RIBBON CUTTING FOR THE LOLLIPOP TREE--Open for business Monday morning, and enjoying a ribbon cutting was The Lollipop Tree. Muleshoe Mayor Pro-Tem Paul Wilbanks did the ribbon cutting for the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture. Featuring custom-made boys' and girls' clothing and child to adult T-shirt and cap customizing, owners of the new business are Sharon and Billy Don Williams. The new store is located on West Avenue B, at the former location of Ann's T-Shirts.

Immigration Law
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of aliens to perform field work ment allowing the applicant to in fruits, vegetables and other perishable commodities if it is determined they are needed. Those admitted are obligated to do at least 90 man-days of such work for three consecutive years. They then can stay in the U.S. permanently but have no further obligation to work in

DOCUMENTATION OF WORK STATUS

Based on the law, it seems prudent for every employer to ask for documentation of legal status prior to employment. Any of the following listing of documents or combination of documents meets the criteria as proof of resident status as set forth in the law.

1. A U.S. passport. 2. Certificate of U.S. citi-

3. Certificate of natural-4. Resident alien card or

other alien registration card with photo and is evidence of authorization to work. 5. A current foreign pass-

port with a current endorse-

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Toni Eagle, CofC manager, said the reception is to honor all new members of the Chamber and to allow them a chance to get aquainted with the present members.

All Chamber members are urged to attend the reception and help welcome the nearly 100 new members.

Fine Arts Boosters will meet Monday, February 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the band hall at Muleshoe High School.

Parents of all fine arts students from both junior high and high school are encouraged to be present as the upcoming Dinner Theatre will be discuss-

A re-organizational meeting of Youth Basketball is scheduled for tomorrow, Friday, at 6 p.m. in the meeting room at Summit

This is not a sign-up. Parents and interested persons are encouraged to attend as the group re-organizes and gets ready for the coming year.

Youth from First United Methodist Church will be having a bake sale on Saturday, February 7, and again on

Saturday, February 14.

If you live in Muleshoe and would like for the youth to visit your house and show the items they are selling, call 272-5517 before 5 p.m. on Monday, through Friday, or 272-5901 after 5 p.m.

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work in the U.S. 6. Social Security card and driver's license or other identification card with photo, issued by the state.

7. U.S. birth certificate or birth certificate which establishes U.S. nationality at birth and a driver's license or other state issued identification card with

PENALTIES

If employer's knowingly hire unauthorized aliens, they can be fined between \$250 and \$2,000 for each such employee for a first offense. The second violation carries a fine of \$2,000 to \$5,000 per employee found in violation. After more than two previous citations, the fines range from \$3,000 to \$10,000 per offense. If, in the opinion of the attorney general, an employer is engaging in a pattern or practice of violations, he may face criminal charges which carry fines and/or jail

There is a period through March 1987 during which no citations will be issued. During the subsequent year through March 1988, a first offender will be cited, but no penalty will be assessed. Second and subsequent violations found during this year, however, will be penalized as outlined in the bill. After March 1987, all violations are subject to the full measure

of the bill. For seasonal agricultural employees (90 man-days in production and harvesting perishable commodities), penalty will be imposed for violation until the application period for the seasonal agricultural worker program has ended in October 1988.

The law also addresses workers employed through labor contractor. If the farmer knows the employees are not authorized to work in the U.S., the farmer is considered to be the one doing the hiring. Any sanctions imposed will against the farmer.

Employers who do not adhere to the documentation requirements may also be fined. The law mandates employers main-tain a record keeping system that verifies they have examined documents presented. Employers may photocopy the documentation. Those employers found in violation shall be fined between \$100 and \$1,000 for each individual for whom the violation occured.

SUMMARY

As the law now stands, it seems quite clear that if employers have any doubts regarding an applicant's residency status, they should ask for proper documentation. If applicants cannot provide any of these documents, they should not be hired. If they provide proper documentation, copies on file.

Hereford

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weight Fine Wool. Jody Copp, sixth, mediumweight, Fine Wool.

firsty Dawnda Magby, medium-weight Fine Wool. Ginger Jesko, third, mediumweight Fine Wool.

Holley Morris, ·seventh, medium-weight Fine Wool. Marsha Autry, first and sixth places, lightweight Cross. Scotty Mitchell, second, light-

weight Cross. Sheldon Mason, mediumweight Cross.

Jody Copp, third, lightweight Shane Mason, third, medium-

weight Hampshire. Scotty Mitchell, ninth, heavyweight Hampshire.

Ginger Jesko, 11th, heavyweight Hampshire. Marsha Autry, third, heavyweight Hampshire.

Shane Mason, 4th and 13th, Jumbo Hampshire. Dawnda Magby, first, lightweight Suffolk.

Scotty Mitchell, mediumweight Suffolk. Dawnda Magby, fifth, heavy-

weight Suffolk. Sheldon Mason, second, heavyweight Suffolk. Jody Copp, seventh, Jumbo

Suffolk. Sheldon Mason, sixth, Jumbo Suffolk.

David Seaton, heavyweight Southdown, Reserve Breed

Ginger Jesko, Sheldon Mason and Shane Mason were called back for showmanship and Shane won Reserve Championship in Showmanship.

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New CRP Sign-up Slated Monday

Several important dates are coming up for farmers and ranchers for the month of February, according to Danny Noble, county executive director of the ASC.

The following is his report for February:

FOURTH CRP SIGNUP The Secretary has announced a fourth Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) signup to begin February 9, 1987. This signup period offers the producer the opportunity to bid for a 1987

CRP contract only. FINAL SIGNUP All producers that wish to participate in the 1897 farm program MUST sign up their intentions by no later than March 30, 1987.

OVERALL LIMITATIONS

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Show

by Chancey, Mike Dunham, Jody Gibbins, John Killings-worth, Darryl McCamish, Robin Moore, Jason R. Newsom, Jeffrey Noble, Shawn Rejino, Dusty Rhodes, Troy Watson, Kasey Whatley and Shawn Wheeler.

"The basic purposes of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo are the development of youth and education. There is no better training program for teaching future leaders in agriculture than the hands-on work and responsibility a young person accepts when feeding, fitting and developing livestock for the shows," said Don Jobes, assistant general manager.

"Our junior show sets the stage for wholesome competition and provides instructors and adult leaders with the kind of teaching tools that traditionally influence young people to better themselves," he added.

The Food Security Act of 1985 has been amended to change the payment limitation. In addition to the \$50,000 Limitation per "person" there is an overall \$250,000 payment limitation per "person." This includes all payments for all purposes in 1987

PROTECTING CAB'S In order to protect your crop acreage bases, you must comply with the farm program (or) plant acreage to your base (or) have CU equal to your base. Remember!!!! A zero certification alone will not protect any

1986 CROP LOAN DEADLINE The final date for placing 1986 crops in the Loan are as follows: Wheat-March 31, 1987; Soybeans, Cotton, Corn and Grain Sorghum is May 31, 1987.

WOOL AND MOHAIR January 31, 1987 was the final date for filing your 1986 wool application for the wool incentive program.

INTEREST RATE The Loan interest rate for January is 5.875 percent.

FARM CHANGES Any changes in operators, owners, acreage, or mailing addresses should be reported to

Businesses are asked to be sure to decorate for Valentines Day! Toni Eagle, manager of

the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, said they are sponsoring a decorating contest, this time for businesses only.

Votes will be taken unitl 5 p.m. on Wednesday, February 11 and presentations will be made on Thursday, February 12. The business winner will receive a plaque to display in their particular business.

the ASC office to keep the records current.

OFFICE CLOSED The ASC office will be closed February 16, 1987, in observance of George Washington's Birthday.

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and they are Odessa Junior College; New Mexico Military Institute, New Mexico Junior College and South Plains College.

The colleges are involved in golf, tennis, basketball and track and field.

Twelve scholarships are available in each of the sports at the college, and these are full scholarships, where everything is provided except 'pocket money.

SPC also has several world class athletes, he commented, and are exceptionally academic, with all athletes maintaining a grade point average above 3.

Morris had available, booklets explaining the athletic program at SPC, and several copies are also available at The Journal.

In business action, President Bill Liles assured J.D. Cage of the Rotary's local support in his bid to be elected a district

governor. Lonnie Adrian and George Nieman reported on a drug and alcohol program available through Rotary International at a one-time cost of \$150, which will be radio spots and videos on "You Have A Right To Say No." The Rotary unanimously approved the purchase for local

Visitors included Johnny Woodall, Actkinson, Parker Robert Parker, Scott Campbell, Curtis Carpenter, Danette Bunch and Cleta Williams.



Roses are red and so are the Classifieds!

'Read", that is. Call our Classified ad takers now and place your Valentine's Day message of love to that someone special where she'll be sure to look! Everyone reads the Classifieds — and especially our Valentine's Day greetings columns on Valentine's Day! Go ahead — be a romantic!

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Down The HALLS Of MHS

The junior class has begun their annual sale of Valentine carnations. The carnations are sold in three colors: red for love, white for friendship, and pink for secret admirer. These flowers can be purchased from any member of the junior class for \$1.50 per carnation. They will be delivered on Friday, February 13.

Brent Black and Jeff Hicks attended a workshop at Texas Tech to learn how to sword fight for the one-act play which will be presented by the speech department.

How do the plants look close up, Glenda W.?

Rachelle Bonham and Joe Mendoza will be attending the 1987 DECA area Career Development Conference in Wichita Falls on Friday, February 6.

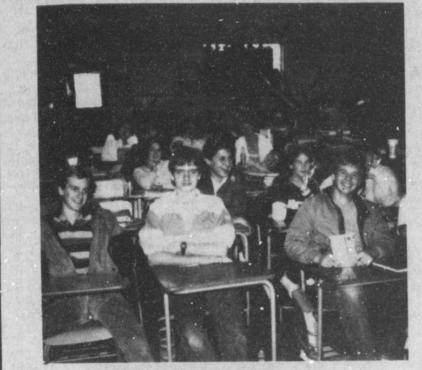
The annual staff can rest easily now that they met their yearbook deadline. Due to 'pushy'' sponsors, twenty extra, unneeded pages were turned in. The names of the sponsors will not be revealed; however, Mrs. Adrian and Mrs. Watson threw a party to make up for "someone's" mistake.

Speaking of annuals, if you I have not purchased yours, don't be left out when these "outrageous" yearbooks are delivered in late summer. Price of the books will be \$21.00 for nonpersonalized and \$23.10 for a yearbook with your name on it. See any member of the annual staff and buy your bock

In Fashion

Shops are showing early spring fashions. White is especially popular when coupled with colorful cotton-knit sweaters.

One attractive ribbedpleat, white skirt is topped with a print sweater set. The three-quarter length kimona-sleeve cardigan also features the same print.



Driver's Ed. Fall Class

'Bald Soprano' Play **Cast Performs For Texas Tech**

Upon request from Dr. J.E. Masters at Texas Tech, Mr. Kerry Moore directed a show to present at a judging workshop. Dr. Masters was teaching his students how to critique plays and certifing judges.

During the Fall Show put on by the drama department, local judges chose a show that would be performed at the workshop. The lucky winner was "Bald Soprano". It is an off-the-wall comedy about the family lives of people in London; the whole thing is completely nonsensical.

The "Bald Soprano" cast and crew are the following: Melissa Martel, Lance King, Dondee Stewart, Darren Albertson, Stewart, Darren Becky Vela, and James Zigenfuss and the crew is Paul Chamberlain, Greg Young, and Shannon Berry. These students left for Lubbock Friday after school with directors Kerry Moore and John Gulley.

Whenever they arrived at Texas Tech in Lubbock, the nervous jitters and swarming butterflies began. The stage was set, make up was applied, and costumes were donned. One hour before the actual performance, the cast was allowed to practice on the prodigous Tech stage. Then Mr. Moore gave his final advice, and the play

When the curtains were closed, the cast felt that they had done the show well. Of course, there was remorse for a couple of lost lines or akward actions, but the overall feeling was pride and relief.

Dr. Masters critiqued the show as well done with potential actors and actressess. He could not help but laugh at the absurd reactions and farsical plot. Everyone was encouraged and pleased with his positive

Annual Sweetheart Festival Will Be Highlighted By Coronation

Festival, The Sweetheart which is traditionally sponsored by the Fine Arts boosters, will be held on February 7. Events will begin at 7:00 P.M. and will end at 11:00 P.M. Highlight of the evening will be the crowning of the winners of the prince and princess contest for junior high and the king and queen for high school.

Twenty Students In Driver's Ed Class This Fall

There are twenty Muleshoe High School students currently in a driver education class. Drivers Education is much more than how to pass a state test, Driver's Education covers attitude, defensive driving, all weather driving, daily check on a vehicle, how to change a flat tire and many other items in everyday driving. Also such things as repair cost. There are some students and parents who stili do not understand that they must be in class everyday to get credit for the course. The fee for driver's ed is \$110.00. There will be another driver's ed class offered starting in April 1987. The Driver's Education vehicle will be furnished by Muleshoe Motor Company. The vehicle will be a Chrysler product with an automatic transmission.

A Mental Slip

"Did you have a nice walk, Phillis?"

"Oh, yes, Mummy. And we saw the funniest man!" "Really, dear? How was

"He was sitting on the sidewalk talking to a banana skin."

Each fine arts department has its own candidates. Students representing the drama department are Melissa Martell and Russell Brown. The art department's candidates are Bonnie Perez and Rudy Flores, and Glenda Willoughby and Richard Muyshondt have been chosen as band candidates. The crowning of the king and queen will take place at 10:00. Winners are chosen based on the amount of money raised by each department for their candidates. A variety of money-raising activities will be used.

Lois Washington Honored On Move To Junior High

Muleshoe High School has sadly lost one of its members, Mrs. Lois Washington. Mrs. Washington was a secretary at the high school for 7 years and before that, she was an aide to Mr. Graves for two years. Mrs. Washington is not completley away from the high school, because she is now secretary at the Jr. High. more to come

Mrs. Washington said she will miss all of the kids here at the high school, and she will 'always have a special place in her heart" for every one here. She says the job will be pretty much the same because she will still be in the school system.

She was honored with a luncheon given by the faculty. It was potluck and she was presented with a silver tray during the noon hour Friday.

We will all miss Mrs. Washington tremendously and we all hope she enjoys her new job. (ALSO, If anyone feels the urge to see her again, she is just across the street!)

Many booths will be set up by various groups at the festival, with the dual purpose of raising money while providing fun activities for everyone. The drama department will have a pool table, jail, marriage booth, and kissing booth. A dunking board and a balloon throw will be provided by the art department, and the band will offer a hayride, fortune telling booth, and a cupid booth. Other activities await the participants, and the evening offers a variety of activities for everyone from pre-school age to grandmas and grandpas. Come to the Civic Center Saturday, February 7, for an evening of fun!

From The Principle's Desk

Wayland Ethridge, principal at MHS, has released the honor roll for the first semester. This honor roll demonstrates the high level of excellence attained by high school students for the current school year. One hundred forty-three students, which reflect 38% of the enrollment, made the honor roll. This reflects 48% (36) seniors, 25% (22) juniors, 30% (28) sophomores, and 48% (57) freshmen. The outstanding percentage of honor roll students reflects not only academic excellence but a high level of student pride

Started Something

The wife, working a crossword puzzle, turned to her mate.

"What is a female sheep, dear?"

"Ewe," he replied without looking up-and the fight was on.

monowhender **Band Beats** It's Drum

The Mighty "M" traveled to Lubbock this past weekend to participate in the South Zone 3-A All-Region Band. The tryouts were held a little over a week before the concert was to be performed. Our band did extremely well, with 49 players, six of whom were first chair, and 11 alternates. Needless to say, Muleshoe dominated the band. This district has six bands which try for positions in the North Zone band which has around 100 members. Our six 1st chair players were: Michelle Finney, flute; Greg Garcia, baritone; Glenda Willoughby, horn; Scott Williams, trombone; Richard Muyshondt, trumpet, and Christie Mata, percussion.

Upon making the band, the various schools give out proper parts to the music that is to be played. The students are then asked to practice on their own or in band so that the rehearsals will not be as tedious. Friday evening the band practices for 2-21/2 hours with a guest conductor. They then resume practive again at 9 the next morning with a break for lunch. If needed, another rehearsa! is scheduled for the afternoon. Of course, the trip does not consist of just practice, there is a lot of free time for swimming, trips to the mall, and just relaxing.

Muleshoe High school and Jr. High bands left Friday afternoon. Upon arriving, the band had a couple of hours to swim and get ready to go to the mall. The next hour or so was spent wandering around the stores and eating. Then it was off to rehearsal. After finishing, the band went back to the motel for another hour of swimming and whatever. The motel was covered with kids and the trip was great!! There were around four or five other bands in the same

motel. This added to the fun because there were old friends from past competitions, and also new faces. Of course that many kids can create quite an interesting weekend.

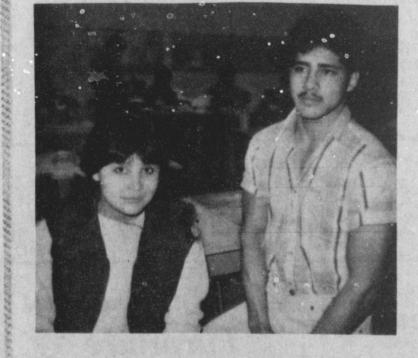
Saturday afternoon was spent in rehearsal so there was little time to do anything else except get ready for the concert. The Mighty "M" Band changed into uniform, warmed up, and performed along with the others in the band. The concert was awesome!!! The students had practiced hard and performed well after just a few hours of practice with the group. Of course as soon as their part was through, the band changed into street clothes, went to eat, and started on their way home.

The bus ride was calm and quiet as everyone crashed from lack of sleep the previous night. Congratulations to all those who tried out and represented Mule-

Varsity Girls Basketball

The varsity girls have now completed the first half of district play. They are tied for third along with Floydada and Littlefield. Friona took an undefeated first place and Dimmitt took second. The Friona Squaws had to capitalize on both offense and defense in order to defeat the Mulettes by a mere 10 points. The Mulettes played one of their most outstanding games against Friona.

Starting the second half of district play, the Mulettes took on the Floydada Whirlwinds on the Mulettes' home court. Captains of the Mulettes commented that they have had more spirit and integrity during the last couple of games. They added that the crowd has boosted their self confidence and they appreciate the support. If the Mulettes continue their success, a chance for the playoffs is not far ahead. GO GET 'EM. MULETTES!!!



Art Students: Petra Kodriguez - Printmaking; Eddie Garcia, - Jewelry



Art Students: Jeremy Martin - Drawing; Kevin Tye - Printmaking: Jodi Ferris, - Ink Drawing

9-MHS Art Students Win Special Honors

Our MHS Art Club entered their handiwork for the 1987 Scholastic Art Exhibit. At this show 6000 entries are judged byt only 300 are placed on exhibit. Then, on out of those 300, 100 are chosen to receive a gold key which is a very special honor. The artists of MHS not only did well, they did an excellent job!! Fifty-three percent of the art work we sent will be displayed at the art show. The exhibitions will be displayed from January 31 until February 10 at Western Plaza Mall in Amarillo. The winners and their entries are the following:

Jason Fuller - two ink drawings

Petra Rodriquez- silk screen Anna Soliz- ink drawing Jeremy Martinpencil

Jodie Ferris- ink drawing Estevan Sandoval- two ink Eddie Garcia- two jewelry

Two of our students received that special gold key. They were Kevin Tye's printmaking and Efren Rodriquez's printmaking. A group of the winners traveled to Amarillo on Saturday, January 31 to see their creations exhibited. Congratulations to everyone who participated. Keep up the GOOD work!!

Forgetful Dad A father who encourages his son to follow in his footsteps has probably forgotten a few.

Quote Magazine.



Art Students Anna Soliz - Ink Drawing, Efren Kodriguez - Printmaking, Jason Fuller - Printmaking



LEONA: PATTERSON

Retired Teacher, Leona Patterson, **Buried Monday**

Services for Leona S. Patterson, 79, were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes, with Rev. Barry Bradley, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment followed in Muleshoe Cemetery under direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Miss Patterson was pronounced dead at her home west of Muleshoe Saturday afternoon at 3:15 p.m. by Todd Ellis, Justice of the Peace.

Born October 6, 1907 in Sasakwa, Okla, she had been a resident of Bailey County since 1954, moving here from Sudan. A retired school teacher, she taught in Muleshoe Junior High School, 1954-1973.

Her survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Max (Geraldine) Caraway, Lubbock; Mrs. A.C. (Alene) Bryant, Muleshoe and Mrs. J.B. (Yvonne) Richardson, West Memphis, Ark.; and two brothers, Durward Patterson Burnet and Donald Patterson, Lubbock.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

Dunn Services Held Tuesday In Ellis Chapel

Private funeral services for Annie Dunn, 94, were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday, at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes with Rev. Rich Ketterling, pastor of Trinity Church of Clovis, N.M. officiating. Private interment services were at Bailey County Memorial Park under direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dunn died at 5 a.m. Saturday in Valley View Villa Nursing Home at Ft. Morgan, Colo. where whe had resided since 1984, moving there from Muleshoe.

Mrs. Dunn was born May 29, 1892 in Wichita Falls, and was a housewife. She was a member of the First Christian Church of Ft. Morgan. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Dunn, in 1965.

Mrs. Dunn's survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Bennie Wiedebush, Muleshoe; Mrs. J.R. Eagan, Lubbock; Mrs. Howard Weimer, Ft. Morgan, Colo. and Mrs. W.M. Ingle, Midland; two sisters, Mrs. Ed Jones, Holland, Tex. and Mrs. Pearl Northcutt, Lufkin; eight grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Former Sudan **Resident Dies** At Brownwood

Funeral services for James Monroe Brown, 67, of Brownwood, and brother of Louzell Serratt of Sudan, were held January 23 in the Chapel of the Davis-Morris Funeral Home in Brownwood. Dr. Delbert Serratt, Amarillo, officiated and burial followed in the Eastlawn Memorial Park Cemetery, Brownwood, under direction of Davis-Morris Funeral Home.

He was born in Primero, Colo. November 19, 1919, and died January 21, following an illness. He was a Baptist and a former Sudan resident, where he was a truck driver and service station attendant until 1962 when he moved to Brownwood. He owned and operated a grocery store/gas station there.

Other survivors include his wife, Lorene, a son, Charlie Brown, Austin; two daughters, Faye Gafford, Pearland and Darlene Harper, Denver City; a half-sister, Carolyn Matthews, Irvin; five step-sisters, a stepbrother and four grandchildren.

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STATE CAPITAL



By Lyndell Williams TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN-The honeymoon is over early for Gov. Bill Clements and the Legislature, and Speaker Gib Lewis observed the activity among lawmakers is as thick now as it usually is at the end of previous ses-

No one has it thicker than the prison system, except embattled Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower.

Prison directors have to keep the inmate population down

Remember Mattox?

with one hand while they help

lawmakers search for \$83 mil-

lion for emergency prison con-

given little chance to pass in a term as Attorney General.

Democrat-controlled Legisla-

doesn't think the Texas agri- to shift \$83 million from the culture community supports state contributions into the the change.

Hightower was elected to this like it. post after a failed attempt for Officials say the shift portunist who knew little tion of Teachers disagrees.

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Church

107 East Third

314 E. Ave. B.

Circle Back

1733 W. Ave. C.

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Progress, Texas

St. Matthew

West Birch

Baptist Church

M.S. Brown, Pastor

Progress Second

Baptist Church

1st and 3rd Sunday

Clifford Slay, Pastor

Richland Hills

Baptist Church

17th and West Ave. D.

David McAdams, Pastor

Corner of West Boston &

Bob Dodd, Pastor

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Rev. V.L."Buster" Huggins

Corner of Ithaca St. and

Elder Glen Williams, Pastor

Isaias Cardenas, Pastor

First Baptist Church

about farming. But since then, Hightower has proven to be a tireless promoter of Texas products and seeker of new All Hightower has to do is markets.

Hightower, a populist, is fight for his political life: the Republicans have Clements' often also viewed even by party blessing behind their legisla- cronies as a media showboat. tion to change firebrand Demo- What no one can figure out is crat Hightower's office from if the Republicans are really an elected to an appointed one. serious or just keeping High-

Hightower called it a "cheap, tower pinned down.
political shot," and said if If they're serious, they Clements wants a fight, "he's might well remember how such got one." Clements insisted the acts can come back to haunt act wasn't political or personal. with a sympathy backlash at the ballot box. Five years ago, the GOP redistricted Jim Mat-Privately, even some Demo- tox right out of his congrescratic officials grin while High- sional seat. He fought back and tower squirms, since the bill is now he's beginning his second

Prison Bail-Out

House Agriculture chairman One proposal to come up Harrison said he with the new prison money is Teachers Retirement System, Indeed, others say that when but one teachers' group doesn't

the Railroad Commission, some wouldn't hurt teacher retireregarded him as a political op- ment, but the Texas Federa-

Mattox Sues

Attorney Gen. Jim Mattox and Texas have joined with New York and California in a lawsuit against a company alleged to have an illegal pyramid sales scheme.

The company, United Sciences of America, Inc. sells nuritional products for treating myriad of diseases from AIDS to dandruff.

Mattox also filed suit to block a State Board of Insurarce action from taking effect, calling a 17.7 percent rate hike for workers compensation insurance "unconscionable."

Bullock Warning

Comptroller Bob Bullock warned lawmakers that Texas could lose as much as \$100 million in the next four years under a new federal court order affecting franchise tax

He said Mattox will appeal the district court ruling which limits reserve accounts in company surpluses for the purpose of franchise tax calculations.

For the present, Bullock is dropping the state's revenue estimates by more than \$100 million.

Legislation Filed

Rockwall Sen. Ted Lyon and Fort Worth Rep. Mike Millsap cofiled legislation to ban abortions beyond the point a fetus could live outside the mother's body, even with life support systems.

McAllen Rep. Juan Hinojosa's new bill will change the Open Meetings Act to tape record closed-door meetings so a judge can determine later if the session violated any laws.

Other Highlights

· New Texas Secretary of State Jack Rains of Houston was sworn in by Texas Supreme Court Justice Raul Gon-

• The original Goddess of Liberty will return to a special pedestal in the Capitol north

· A Clements' special panel unveiled 35 proposals to stimulate economic growth in Texas, including freeing about \$250 million in state trust funds for venture capitalists.

MHS Immaculate Conception **Honor Roll** Catholic Church Father Patrick Maher

HONOR ROLL THIRD SIX-WEEKS 1986-87

SENIORS Michael Angeley, Scott Bickel, Brent Black, Jana Brown, Shawn Bussey, Robin Evins, Pam Flores, Debbie Isasc, Casey King, Lance King, Susie Leal, Melissa Martel, Abby Martinez, Mark Mata, Greg Moton, Jitendra Patel, Norman Perez, Chantel Robison, Sandy Saldana, Jodie Wheeler, Glenda Willoughby and Greg Young.

JUNIORS Gant Barnhill, Amy Bean, Russell Brown, Brandon Carpenter, Armando Del Toro, Jodi Ferris, Johnny Garcia, Michael Garza, Jennifer Green, Sue Bryan Morris, Art Murillo, Richard Muyshondt, Elizabeth Posadas, Bryan Swint, Mark Underwood and James Ziegenfuss.

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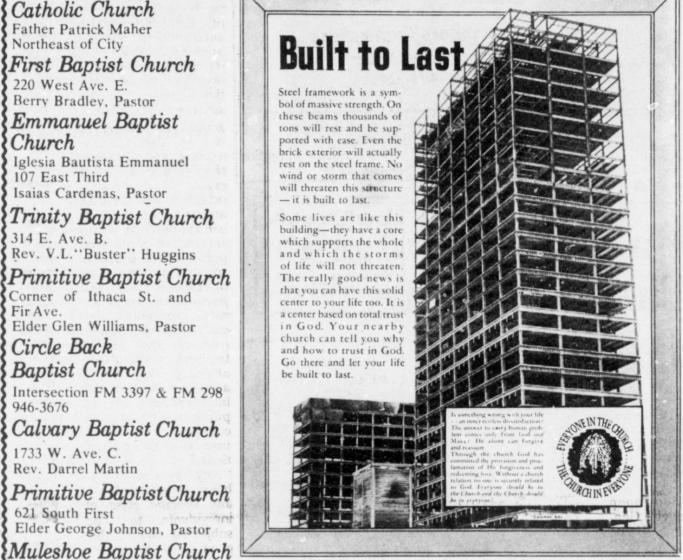
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1. During what war was the National Anthem writ-

2. Name the birthstone for February. 3. Define benison.

4. When and by whom was the phonograph patented? 5. Who said, "The hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rules the world"?

"Who Knows?" 1. The War of 1812. 2. Amethyst. 3. A blessing; benediction. 4. February 19, 1879, by Thomas A. Edison. 5. William Ross Wallace.

Answers to

Texas' Fuel Tax Is

Texas' temporary five-cent increase in gasoline tax on January 1 puts the state on a par with the rest of the country

Federal Highway Administra-"Fifteen cents a gallon is just getting up to the threshold of what is needed in the leading states, as far as taxation of motor fuel," said Tom Cooper, an economist with FHWA in Washington, D.C. "The range is wide among the 50 states, from seven cents to more than 18 cents. At 10 cents a gallon, Texas was one of the lowest in the country.

Published reports listing Texas as a high-gasoline-tax state differ from the highway department's official statistics, according to Bob Lanier, chairman of the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission.

"There are two major dis-crepancies," said Lanier. "In reports ranking Texas thirteenth highest, states having the same tax are grouped as one. For example, the five states taxing 16 cents per gallon are ranked in one place. Carrying this logic out, there are only 26 rankings. On this basis, it is true that Texas is thirteenth."

"But if the ranking allocates one position to each state, Texas ranks number 20 of 50 states and the District of Columbia," Lanier said. "Three other states are tied for that ranking.'

SANDHILLS PHILOSOF TER

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sandy Acres looks at the stock market this week, sort of.

Dear editor: One of the many things I don't know anything about is the stock market.

For instance, according to an article I read the other day. during the first 11 days of January "the most powerful rally in the history of Wall Street has left stockholders \$243.2 billion richer after a dramatic buying frenzy, "I don't understand this.

Say you own some stock in a company. And the stock goes up dramatically this week regardless of the fact the company is not paying any more dividends than it did last week. You're richer only if you sell. Just like the people who "made that \$242.2 billion the first 11 days of January" are richer only if they sell.

In other words, a stock is like a politician-worth only what somebody thinks, not what the real value is. It's not unheard-of to pay more for a congressman than he turns out to be worth.

Now say that the stock owners who saw their stocks gain \$242.2 billion in 11 days hold on to them, on the theory that the stock market will keep going up forever. Eventually, if the stock market does keep going up forever, they'd wind up richer on paper than the country is now in debt.

Now what if those stocks, like some politicians, turn around and go in the opposite direction?

Recently I've been reading the business section in the papers and I haven't found one stock market expert who says the market has yet reached its peak. They say that the Dow Jones Industrial average, whatever that is, having passes the 2100 mark, can easily go to 2200 or 2500 or maybe 3,000. No crash likely. Buy more stocks.

In other words, I'm not the only one who doesn't know anything reliable about the stock market.

Yours faithfully,

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And the second discrepancy confuses the issue even further, Lanier said. "Other computations have in highway user fees, according ignored the sales tax many to an economist with the states charge on gasoline," said Lanier. "In some states, this amounts to more than the direct

> gasoline tax.' Lanier said that an average of all state gasoline taxes must be considered to get the full

"If you average the latest figures from the Highway Users Federation and add any state sales taxes, the national gasoline tax average is 13.76 cents a gallon, compared to 15 cents in Texas," he said. "But our state maintains some 40,000 miles of farm-to-market roads that in many states are maintained by the counties. Since further tax increases occur throughout the year in other states, we expect our ranking to drop.

Cooper supports Lanier's prediction of further increases.

"The number of states taxing more than 15 cents a gallon is growing," he said.

But Lanier says the nickel increases enacted in 1986 has not resulted in an increase in highway funding for Texas.

"At 15 cents a gallon, our gasoline tax preserved the increase made in 1984," said Lanier. "And it removes us from the general revenue category by placing highway funding entirely on a user-fee basis."

Sudan Hornet Bzzz

BZZZ

The Hornets and Hornettes both defeated the Amherst Bulldogs, Friday, January 23.

There was no school Friday, January 23.

Saturday, January 24, the Math and Science UIL practice meet was held at Dunbar.

BZZZ Junior High All-Region Band concert was held in Dimmitt Saturday, January 23. Tanya Fisher, Sarah Davis, Suzanne Reid, Ambyr Donnell.

The junior high Hornets played Cotton Center Monday, January 26.

BZZZ

The JV and Varsity boys and girls basketball teams all defeated the Anton Bulldogs Tuesday, Janaury 27.

The Varsity boys and girls and the JV boys all played in Spade Friday, January 30. BZZZ

The Varsity boys and girls

Junior High and High School All-Region Band is in Lubbock Friday and Saturday, January 30 and 31.

The High School elections were held last week for superlatives. The outcome was chosen by the student hody as follows:

Most Beautiful, Kim Crowson; Most Handsome, Brent Kirkland; Most Likely To Suceed, John Harlan and Gina McKillip; Wittiest, Adam Torres and Joann Wooley; Most Dependable, Dean Johnson and Gina McKillip; Most Courteous, Eddie Salinas and Bonnie Newman; Friendliest, Chris Griggs and Bonnie Newman; Most Intellectual, John Harlan and Gina McKillip: Most Talented, Ronald Williams and Krista Kirkland; Mr. SHS, Brent Kirkland; Miss SHS, Joann Wooley; Best All Around, Brent Kirkland and Linda Wiseman, were selected by the faculty.

BZZZ

Junior High will play Petersburg here on Monday, February

The varsity boys and girls will play Cotton Center there on Tuesday, February 3. BZZZ

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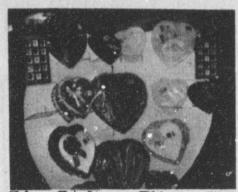


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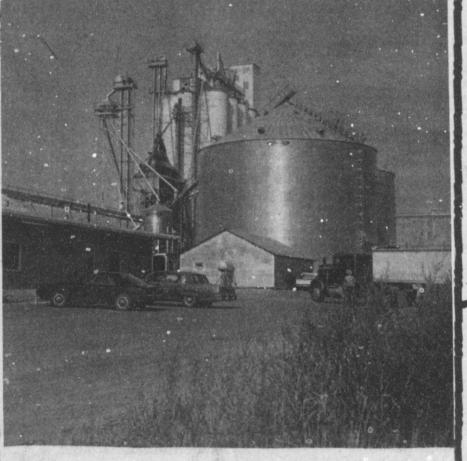


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