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Annual Ag Conference Slated Monday

First Time Entrant Wins **Bowl Contest**

You can call it 'beginner's luck' or you may call it 'just plain lucky,' but Peggie Hicks calls it an extra \$50 to spend.

Mrs. Hicks, entering her very first football contest "ever," won the final football contest for the 1988-89 football season, the annual Bowl Game Contest.

Mrs. Hicks was the only contestant to miss only two games in the annual contest, so was all alone with her victory.

She was very pleased that she could brag to Alfred and Keith Hicks, who have entered faithfully for a number of years. They have won several first, second or third place prizes in the weekly contests in the fall for the past few years.

Nearly sliding through to a victory was J. E. McVicker, another faithful contest entrant during the fall. He was the only one to miss just three games, and until toward the end of grading for the contest sheets, it was looking like he perhaps had it all wrapped up. But alas, on the third from the last entry, Mrs. Hicks' entry showed up, with her two wrong guesses.

Missing four games were C. O. LaRue Jr. of Amarillo, and formerly of Muleshoe; John A. Hayes, Muleshoe; and Debbie Weir and Marilyn Engelking, mother and daughter, and both from the Lazbuddie community.

Thanks again for your tremendous response to the 1988-89 football contest, and be ready to sharpen up your pencils -- and your wits -- this fall when it's time to start football again.



RECEIVING THE OATH OF OFFICE--From left, Linda Elder, county attorney; Jerry Hicks, sheriff; Gerry Pierce, constable and Rich Magby, constable; each received the oath of office for their particular office on Tuesday morning in the District courtroom at the Bailey County courthouse. Administering the oaths was Bailey County Judge Jim Watson.

Cancer Volunteer Talks About Free Equipment And Supplies

teer for the Bailey County each month. Chapter of the American Cancer Society, was guest speaker for the Muleshoe Rotary Club Tuesday at noon.

He presented a short film on special equipment and items available at no charge from the American Cancer Society.

The film stressed items such as dressings and drain supplies,

Jim Cope, who is pastor of the citing that one county in Florida Community Church, and volun- dispenses 4,000-5,000 dressings

are many ways to volunteer services to cancer victims. These include donating blood, time; driving patients to cancer centers and visiting and reading to the

Wind Break Tree Seedlings Available

By: Rodney Duus Soil Conservationist

The Blackwater Valley SWCD is again providing reasonably priced wind break tree seedlings. Wind break trees have many benefits: (1) they protect soil resources from wind erosion; (2) they help prevent wind damage to farmsteads; (3) they control snow deposits; (4) trees provide shelter for livestock, as well as improve an area for wildlife; and (5) trees also beautify the area around farmsteads, reduce excessive noise and help reduce

energy consumption. Seedling trees need supplemental watering during the first three years of growth. The SWCD also has drip irrigation systems for your wind break trees. These systems help insure a good survival rate as well as an increased growth rate. Drip systems are the most efficient way to water young trees. The drip system for your wind break trees will be designed by SCS

percent below retail.

Wind break tree seedlings need protection from both strong winds and rodents the first year. Closely spaced wooden shingles for wind protection and a fine mesh wire for rodent protection usually solve these problems. Wind breaks should be cleanly cultivated to reduce competition from weeds and to protect plantings from fire. To reduce wind erosion, a cover crop can be planted for winter protection.

technicians and priced at 20

Deadline for ordering trees is February 27, 1989. If you are interested in wind break trees should order early since there are limited quantities of some trees. For more information, contact the SCS at 272-5154 or come by the office at 105 East Ave. D in

hospitalized cancer patients.

Volunteers can also fix brown bag lunches for cancer patients According to the film, there facing all day waits at a clinic to be checked; help with exercise therapy; help cancer patients with recreation; baby sit; or sponsor Stop Smoking Clinics, such as the clinic scheduled for Muleshoe in the near future.

"We need people, a lot of people," said Cope. "The hours are long, and the pay is lousy."

He added, "This type of work is not right for everybody. It takes some very special people to volunteer to help with cancer patients.

"If you know someone with cancer who needs help, ask them to call me, Jim Cope, at 965-2356. I can help see that they get the help they need."

He also said that two motels in Lubbock now provide free overnight housing for cancer patients and their spouses. This same type service is also now available for cancer patients going to the M. D. Anderson Hospital.

He cited figures that cancer can be cured -- if it is detected soon enough. His figures showed that five million Americans are alive today with a history of cancer. They have been killed.

More figures show that cancer kills more children between the ages of 3-14 than any other

Another startling figure. Some 985,000 people will be diagnosed as having cancer this year. Of this number, 53,000 will be in Texas. Some 1,350 people die each day from cancer, but five out of ten people, or 395,000 will be alive five years from now.

Cope said do not wait until it's too late. He gave symptoms and said if these are present, check with your doctor to have peace of

Citing that a few things can cause cancer, he said, most lung cancer is from cigarettes. Most skin cancer is from overexposure to sunlight.

A very small number of cancers are related to a person's occupation.

Rotary President George Nieman said Kerry Moore will be bringing a student each month as a Rotary guest to become acquainted with Rotary. J. D. Cage was the winner of

the Polio Plus drawing.

Guests included Dr. Lawrence Ward, G. B. Shelburne Jr. and Rotaryann Judy Watson.

Farm Programs; Insect Information Scheduled

Bailey Co. Extension Agent Spencer Tanksley said the Ninth Annual Bailey County Winter Agricultural Conference will be held on Monday, January 9 at the Bailey County Coliseum.

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The program will begin at 9 a.m. Tanksley said the program has been planned to provide timely information on crop production for every farmer in the

"The conference will begin with registration and coffee at 8:15 a.m.," added the county agent. "It will conclude about 12 noon."

The program agenda includes the following speakers and program topics:

8:15-8:45-Registration and Coffee: 8:45-8:50-Purpose of Meeting; 8:50-9:15-1989 Farm Program Update with Danny Noble, ASCS, County Executive Director.

9:15-9:30-Conservation Compliance Program with Jim Lutz, SCS. District Conservationist; 9:30-9:45-FHA Farm Loan Program with Jay McKay, FHA. County Supervisor; 9:45-10:15-Label Restriction okn Ally and Gleam with Terry Brandt, Dupont Chemical Company; and

10:15-10:30, Coffee Break.

10:30-10:50-Right To Know Law & Mite Control in Corn with Dr. Pat Morrison, Entomologist, TAES; 10:50-11:05 - Russian Wheat Aphids with Mike Blanton, Entomologist, TAES; 11:05-11:30-Cotton Seed Quality - Pix Treatments with Dr. James Supak, Cotton Specialist, TAES; 11:30-11:50-Wheat Diseases with Dr. Harold Kaufman, Plant Pathologist, TAES; and 11:50-12:10-Corn Stalk Rots Disease with Dr. Allen Knutson, Entomologist, TAES.

According to the County Agent, this conference is cosponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Conservation District.

Texas Agricultural Extension Service programs are open to the public and serves people of all ages, regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national

"The conference committee hopes everyone will make plans to attend this informative event where the latest in ag ic . Itural programs will be discussed," concluded Tanksley.

Lubbock's 4th Cavalry Will Be In Parade

(The following story was invitation. written by former Muleshoe resident, Leon Watson, now of Lubbock, and provided to The Journal by Watson.)

One of the most unique historical units in the Southwestern United States has accepted an invitation to participate in the inaugural parade in Washington, D.C. on January 20, according to Ray Thomas, first sergeant of the regiment.

The invitation to participate in the parade commemorating the inauguration of President-elect George Bush, came through the efforts of Congressman Larry Combest, Texas Railroad Commissioner Kent Hance, and United States Senator Phil

Working with members of the Lubbock-based cavalry, Gramm, Combest and Hance contacted Mr. Bush's Inaugural Committee about the unit and secured the

"The 4th U. S. Cavalry Regiment Memorial is an educational organization which reenacts the South Plains history for the benefit of schools, community celebrations, and special events," Hance told the committee. "I believe this non-profit military reenactment organization will certainly enhance the day's activities."

Sergeant Thomas expressed the group's excitement when he said this was the biggest thing which has happened to the unit.

"We'll have 18 to 20 mounted troops in the parade," he said. "The major hurdle facing us is funding to get to Washington and back. We also need to know if anyone in the area has some dark colored horses, 14 to 15 hands, which they would loan us for this

parade." The 4th Cavalry was organized in 1985 for the purpose of Cont. Page 6, Col. 4

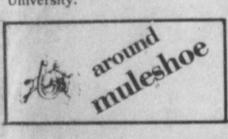


CANCER VOLUNTEER TALKES TO ROTARY--Wade Littlefield, left, in charge of the program Tuesday for the Rotary Club, introduced Jim Cope, right. Cope is the pastor of the Community Church and a volunteer for the Bailey County Chapter of the American Cancer Society. Cope spoke on the cancer program.

(Journal Photo)

State Climatologist **Keeps Weather Record**

Anyone interested in Texas weather data needs to make only one phone call or personal visit--to the Office of the State Climatologist at Texas A&M University.



Jim Cope, volunteer with the American Cancer Society, is looking for an ex-smoker to help him conduct a local Non-Smoking Clinic.

Cope said there are only two requirements. You need to be an ex-smoker for at least a year, and willing to spend one evening in

training in Lubbock. If you are interested in helping with this, call him at 965-2356.

Crime Line ALERT!

Bailey County Crime Line is offering a \$400 reward for information leading to the arrests of the suspects involved in the theft of a 1986 New Holland Hay Baler, Model No. 316, and red in color. This item was taken four miles west of Muleshoe on Highway 1760. The theft date is between December 16, 1988 and December 19, 1988.

Remember, you will remain completely anonymous.

For information about the theft of the 1986 New Holland Hay Baler, Model No. 316, red in color, you are asked to call Crime Line, 272-HELP.

Dr. John Griffiths serves in that position--and he has a wealth of Texas weather information to share with anyone who wants to listen or to pore over pages and pages of weather data.

It's all there--for Texas counties as well as specific locations in those counties, says Spencer Tanksley, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Weather data is useful in so many ways, particularly as it relates to agriculture in Bailey County, said Tanksley. It provides a historical perspective of what has happened and therefore gives some insight and predictability of what may happen in the future.

Farmers and ranchers rely heavily on weather information to plan certain operations, Tanksley said. The same holds true for builders and developers and those in public service sectors, such as utilities and health care. And, of course, the general public as well as numerous organizations and agencies are interested in weather data.

The Office of the State Climatologist has been linked to Texas A&M University since 1973 when federal budget cuts in the National Weather Service closed the office. The office is part of A&M's Department of Meterology, which boasts one of the largest meteorology faculties in the U.S.

Essentially, the office has three main functions:

-- Acts as a repository of available climatological data for Texas stations plus station histories, together with many special publications concerning Texas climate.

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Journal Files

60 Years Ago

1929 RUSH IS NOW ON FOR 1929 LICENSE TAGS AT COLLECTORS OFFICE

The rush for new car licenses began here last Monday. Only a small percent of the car owners in this county had obtained the new tags up to wednesday when 124 cars and 37 trucks had been registered. The number will probably be around 1,000 it is said at the Collectors office.

In some cases the job of registering is a tedious one, dlue to the owners failing to submit the correct numbers through carelessness. This causes much delay in the office as well as extra work.

50 Years Ago

1939

\$178,000 R.E.A. PROJECT GIVEN APPROVAL

That the Rural Electrification project in Bailey County has been approved by the Washington office is the gist of information contained in a letter received by Cecil H. Tate, attorney for the organization.

The letter gives authority for the organization officials to begin work of construction, executing notes and deeds of trust. The \$178,000 project, which extends into Lamb, Castro, Parmer and Cochran Counties has been let to the J.E. Morgan Construction

ess Blouses & Misc. Sweaters

Evan Picone Hose

Jones New York.

Corduroy Pants.

Co., Waco, and actual construction is expected to begin in the near future.

Those interested in the project who have not yet signed easements across their lands for the lines, please call at the project office in the court house and do so promptly.

40 Years Ago

1949

POSTAL RECIPTS AT RECORD HIGH

Muleshoe postoffice receipts for 1948 were highest in history of office, a report issued this week by A.J. Gardner, post-

master showed.

For the first time receipts passed the \$20,000 mark, totaling \$20,168.88 for 1948, an increase of \$961.63 net over the figure for 1947.

The only thing which marred the report was a decrease shown in the last quarter over the comparable period of 1947, of \$486.86.

30 Years Ago

1958 RAINFALL SET AT 20.95

Rainfall and moisture in Muleshoe at the weather station kept by R.J. Klump ammounted to an overall 20.95 inches during 1958, an increase of 1.68 inches over the annual moisture recorded during 1957.

September was the wettest month of the year with 4.18

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inches, followed by May, October and April.

However, each month showed some moisture, with December the dryest month with only .07 of an inch.

By months, here is how the moisture fell during the year just ended; Jan., 1.80; Feb. 1.80; March, 2.11; April, 1.46; May, 2.84; June 1., 72; July, 2.07; Aug., .98; Sept., 4.18; Oct., 2.13; Nov., .66; and Dec., .07.

20 Years Ago

1469

CLASSIFIED ADS
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garage. Rents for \$65 a month.

For Sale: 80 Acres--2½ mi. N.W. of Muleshoe \$550 Per Acre \$10,000 down, Bal. 20 Yr. 6 percent interest.

10 Years Ago

1979

COLD FRONT WHISTLES IN; DUMPS SNOW

Late Monday night, a cold front whistled through the area, and a brief heavy snow accompanied the storm.

After a brief respite cold weather which has clung to the area since the first of the year, the cold front quickly dropped temperatures to below 20 degrees.

Little snow was realized from the latest storm, and most streets had thawed and dried during the day Tuesday, while light snow remained in shady locations.

No moisture is expected for the remainder of the week until late Friday or Saturday, when the next cold front is expected to clam through the area.

Holiday Reunion Held Here

The family of Mrs. Selma Smith met for a holiday reunion on Sunday, Dec. 27 at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Those attending were J.L. and Lynn Redwine of Panhandle and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Redwine, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Watson, Erin and Reece, Mrs. Leasha Hobbs, Lanny Redwine and Shannon Haire of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Redwine of Hereford, Kip, Chad, and their granddaughter, Carley Lassiter and Vicki Mongold.

Marcia Henry of Wolfforth and Kacy and Kristi, Jason Scoggin, and Curley Mardis. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Henry, Blake and Haley of Lubbock, Mrs. Belinda Henry and Beau and Brad of Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Black and Landon and Andi Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Bruton, Mrs. Curtis Hunt, Cory and Coley.

Mrs. Billie Downing, Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Kirven and Trey from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Smith of Granite Shoals visited in the area with all of their children.

After The Holidays Feasting

So you overdid it on the holiday eating and now it's time to hop on the diet bandwagon.

To help you fulfill your New Year's vow to lose weight, the magazines will be filled with diet plans and the commercial weight loss programs will advertise heavily in January. The question is, how to choose.

You may not need a "special diet" at all, according to Dr. Mary Kinney Sweeten, a registed dietitian and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"People with an extra two to five pounds from overdoing it during the holidays can probably drop the weight just by cutting back on extra calories and getting on an exercise program, such as walking a mile or two each day," she said.

"Following the low-fat recipes

Wash Your Hands of Colds

It's said nothing will cure a cold. That's why it's a good idea to avoid catching one in the first place. Many health experts say the best way to reduce the risk of catching a cold—or spreading colds to others—is through frequent hand washing.



Clinical studies show the virus causing colds contaminates the hands of most sufferers. Hand washing or even rinsing the hands can help break the chain of infection.

Most people spend 15 seconds or less in handwashing. Not long enough —at least 30 seconds is recommended to flush germs away.

The maker of Liquid Dial, new germ-killing liquid hand soap, offers the following tips for proper washing of hands: Use soap and warm running water. Scrub hands vigorously for at least 30 seconds. Wash the backs of hands, wrists, between fingers and under fingernails. Rinse well and dry hands with clean paper or cloth towel.

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from a magazine diet plan may help some people do that. But if you're already 20 to 30 pounds overweight and have added even more over the holidays, it's time for a significant diet," said Sweetan.

Although a post-holiday fad diet may help in the short run, research indicates that 95 percent of the people who go on them regain the weight within a year, said the specialist.

Before choosing a diet book, class or plan in hopes that it will help you with significant and permanent weight loss, Sweeten suggests asking the following questions:

•What's the source of the diet? Is it a reliable health organization?

•How is the effectiveness of the diet documented? Be wary of testimonials by "successful" clients. Ask for figures on long-term maintenance as well.

Are sensational claims made for the diet? Does it make sense that you can "lose ten pounds overnight" or "eat all you want" and still lose weight?

•Is the program supervised by qualified personnel, such as a physician or a registered diettititan?

•Along with calorie reduction, does the diet include instruction in behavior and lifestyle modification to help that the weight loss?

•Is this a one-food diet or a liquid diet? In addition to being boring, these diets omit necessary nutrients and can be a danger to your health.

•Is the diet nutritionally balanced? It should include foods from the major food groups of meat, poultry and fish; fruits and vegetables; dairy products; and grains and cereals.

•What is the cost of the diet? If you have to buy special foods, devices, supplements or books will it be worth it?







Lazbuddie Young Homemakers Hold Family Christmas Party

The Lazbuddie Young Home- the program. makers held their regular monthly meeting on December 6. Mary Blinderman of Southwestern Public Service presented

Putting Dietary Recommendations Into Practice

Hosts of health organizations are making recommendations for healthier eating, but getting people to implement the recommendations can be difficult.

"The challenge is putting guidelines into practice," says Charles DiSogra, Dr. P.H., cancer control epidemiologist, California Public Health Foundation. The bottom line of dietary guidelines, DiSorga says, is to have the greatest impact in reducing fat intake and increasing fiber and fruit intake.

The American Cancer Society stresses the importance of early cancer detection and cancer prevention. In addressing the latter, it has established these dietary guidelines:

1) Avoid obesity

2) Cut down on total fat intake

3) Eat more high fiber foods

4) Include foods rich in vitamins A and C in your daily diet

5) Include cruciferous vegetables (cauliflower, cabbage, Brussels sprouts, broccoli, turnips, and rutabagas) in your

6) Eat moderately of saltcured, smoked and nitrite-cured

7) If you do drink, keep alcohol consumption moderate

To aid the consumer in implementing these guidelines the cancer society developed a collection of recipes that demonstrate how to cut down fat intake and increase consumption of high fiber foods, for example.

"In fact they may seem tough to do but they're not," DiSogra says. By following such dietary guidelines invididuals can enjoy multiple benefits he says. By incorporating these guidelines into their lifestyle a person can not only reduce his cancer risk buy he can also reduce his risk of heart disease.

DiSogra advocates selecting from a wide variety of foods-choosing more of some foods and less of others--to improve the diet and reduce cancer risk.

Among foods to choose more often are whole-grain products, fruits and vegetables, lowfat or skim dairy products, lower fat poultry, fish and meat. Foods to choose less often are bakery products such as quick breads. biscuits, croissants, pastries and cookies, nuts and seeds, fats and

Becoming familiar with such guidelines and making changes in the way you select and/or prepare foods can lead to a healthier lifestyle with reduced disease risk.

"We can cut the incidence of colon cancer in half if individuals will follow a diet low in fat and high in fiber," DiSogra says.

serts were served to sixteen

Mrs. Blinderman's program

featured holiday cooking and she

demonstrated many recipes out

man also showed the home-

makers a new Anniversary

Cookbook full of S.P.S. recipes collected over the last 25 years.

Business centered around the

successful book fair held by the

homemakers in November. Me-

Lazbuddie Scholarship Funds in

memory of O.F. Davis and Finis

Jennings. The Young Home-

makers also made plans to honor

their Senior Citizens with gifts

The meeting was adjourned

and refreshments were served

and plans made for the family

Christmas party. Pat Randolph

Copp, Lorinda Bodiford, Jana

St. Clair, Sarah Black, Mandi

Seaton, Gay Williams, JoAnn

McDonald, Reta Mimms, Pat

Randolph, Judy Steinbock and

The family Christmas party

Casseroles, salads, and de-

was held on Friday, Dec. 9 in the

Lazbuddie School Cafeteria.

Members present were: Lana

for Christmas.

won the door prize.

Debbie Roberts.

Everyone was surprised by a visit from Santa and the children received gifts. The homemakers exchanged secret pal gifts and it was reported that everyone had a good time.

Families attending were: the of S.P.S. Cookbook. Mrs. Binder-. Ricky Blacks', Carl Bodifords', Kirby Birchs', Rick Cops', Steve Gartins', Todd Gregorys', Donnie McDonalds', Skip Magbys', LynEldon Randolphs', Randy Roberts', Rick Seatons', Tommy St. Clairs', Terry Steinbocks', Edward Terrys', C.W. Williams'. morials were made to the and the Glenn Lusts'.

In Fashion

Jewelry designers are showing an exciting kaleidescope of colors for spring and summer '89. These new bolder colors and designs are for those who dare to be

A red and gold collar has matching drop earrings that give a classical look to navy and white costumes. A wristful of red bangles add to the new look.

Striking in appearance is a collar of triangle and circular shapes, with overlays of gold on porcelain white. Matching button earrings complete this set.



COUNTY COMMISSIONERS RECITE OATH--With Bailey County Judge Jim Watson, right, reciting the oath of office, Bailey County Commissioners Joey Kindle, Precinct Three, left; and R.L. Scott, Precinct One, center; repeated their oaths on Tuesday morning at the Bailey County courthouse

(Journal Photo)

Errors of opinion may be tolerated where reason is left free to combat it. Thomas Jefferson

There is no error so crooked, but it hath in it some lines of truth. -Martin F. Tupper.

Who says he does not err, errs in

John Norden.



2 packages (3-1/2 oz. each) chocolate pudding and pie filling mix (not instant)

2 cups milk

2 ounces unsweetened chocolate, melted 2 firm, large Dole Bananas, peeled, sliced

1 cup whipping cream, whipped

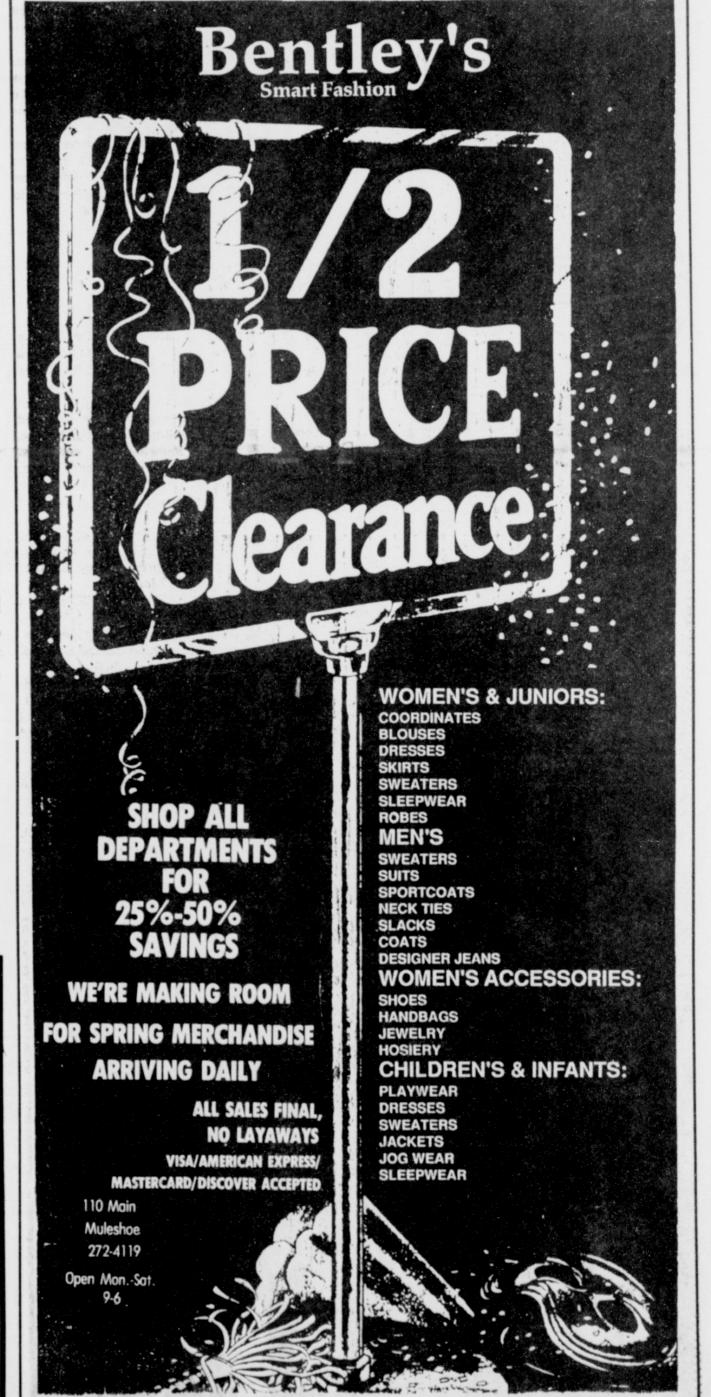
1/2 cup butter or margarine, melted

Chocolate Cookie Crust 2 cups chocolate wafer crumbs

Combine pudding mix with milk in a saucepan. Follow package directions for preparing pie filling. Stir in melted chocolate. Remove from heat. Cool. Alternately layer pudding and bananas. into prepared Chocolate Cookie Crust. Chill. Garnish with whipped cream and banana slices. Makes 1 (8 or 9-inch) pie.

CRUST: Combine chocolate wafer crumbs and melted butter. Blend well. Press evenly over bottom and sides of 8 or 9-inch pie

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HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN-Most observers agree Texas fared well under a plan announced last week by a Pentagon committee calling for the closure of 34 military installations in the

United States. Although the proposal calls for the cancellation of a planned Navy base in Galveston and the transfer of basic training programs from El Paso's Fort Bliss, Texas stands to gain 2,200 military and civilian personnel.

School Financing

The bad news is the Legislature must grapple with public school financing reform when it convenes next week, and reform usually is another word for tax hike.

The good news is that the Democrat-controlled budget writing panel and the Republican governor are not so far apart in their vision of spending.

That, plus a chance at resolving issues which can free up existing monies, indicates a tax hike may be sidestepped.

Gov. Bill Clements and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby may also be nearing agreement on a plan of incentive funding for school districts.

The idea is to reward with extra cash the school districts which show improved student performance, reduced dropouts, and successful drug and alcohol abuse programs.

Still to be worked out is how the cash will be awarded and how to make sure poor districts are not penalized under the plan.



SHERIFF'S OFFICE RENEWS OATH--From left, Deputy Sheriffs Richard Bonham, Jan Pierce and Steve Bearden all renew their vows to upkeep the laws of Bailey County, as Bailey County Judge Jim Watson administered the oath of office during ceremonies in the Bailey County District courtroom (Journal Photo) Tuesday morning.

Shortly before the holidays, Gov. Clements wrote lawmakers he agrees the starting point is the budget proposed by the Legislative Budget Board. That, in itself, should avoid a lot of budget bloodletting.

Scenario Going In

session is there is probably

enough budget surplus available to address school finance reform,

if lawmakers can perform yeo nan

to free \$1.5 billion reserved

for possible legal judgements, or

face the prospect of cutting \$1

billion from the budget for certain

and Speaker Gib Lewis, all ex-

pressed agreement with the budget

Extra Money, Bonds

The Big Three: Clements, Hobby

Basically, lawmakers must work

service early in the session.

programs over 1990-91.

attack plan.

The scenario going into the

The plan proposed \$1 billion in cuts over 1990-91, mainly in higher education, prison construction and programs for the poor and mentally ill.

Clements will send emergency legislation authorizing bonds for prison construction.

Extra money could be freed if lawmakers can resolve legal problems on tax issues that prompted the comptroller to reserve \$1.5 billion for possible lawsuit judge-

The possible judgements are tied to insurance premiums, utility and franchise tax issues.

Insurance Board Ripped

Meanwhile, the State Board of Insurance continues to draw criticism of mis-management and footdragging in cases involving unhealthy insurance companies.

Such criticism has already led to the resignation of one commissioner, and now critics say that taxpayers will soon be paying for the board's ineptness.

While they're in Austin for the 140-day session, lawmakers will no doubt want to take a close look at that troubled agency.

20 Troubled Companies

Surfacing as an issue are some 20 troubled insurance companies which the State Board of Insurance recently placed under official rehabilitation. It had 17 such cases in 1987.

Critics within the agency say delays by the agency, not trouble in the insurance industry, caused the rehabilitation umbrella to be unfolded.

What is at risk for taxpayers is

this: If any of these companies fail, as some critics predict, the cost of covering their policyholders will be paid from a guaranty fund underwritten by healthy insurance

companies. However, the cost to the healthy companies will be written off as tax deductions, meaning taxpayers may be asked to make up the loss to general revenue with higher taxes.

Volunteer Lawyers Wanted

The president of the State Bar of Texas is seeking more volunteers to represent indigent death row inmates who do not have lawyers. Some 70 law firms have responded

By law, the state only pays for trials and first appeals and many court-appointed lawyers drop their clients after the first appeal is lost.

Bar president Jim Sales wants volunteers to pick up those cases, but said he has gotten so many unsympathetic replies that he may start drafting volunteers or seek help from federal judges.

Weather ...

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-- Prepares special publications on the Texas climate, including "Climatography of Texas," a single sheet item covering various weather events; "Agroclimatic Atlas of Texas" and "Engineering Climatic Atlas of Texas," book-type series; and a special series on "100 Years of Texas Weather, 1880-1979," and "Climates of the 254 Texas Counties."

-- Answers questions from the public, industry, organizations and state agencies.

The Office of the State Climatologist is located in Room 1017 of the Oceanography and Meterology Building at Texas A&M, said Tanksley. The telephone number is 409-845-5044.

> Golden Gleams

Error is afways in haste. -Thomas Fuller.

To err is human, to forgive divine,
—Alexander Pope

Lubbock 4th Cavalry

Cont. from Page 1 living history."

Because the group is regis-

contributing to the education of the people of this area on the Indian Wars period of our history

(1869-1876).

"We are a reenactment group

that is dedicated specifically to

the period of time when Colonel

Ranald S. Mackenzie and his 4th

Cavalry actually operated in this

area," said Major Larry Golds-

ton, adjutant/executive officer of

the regiment. "All of our uni-

forms, equipment, weapons and

saddle gear are period replicas or

authentic antiques. We pride

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reenactment, displays and dis-

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artists and by the movies."

tered as a non-profit organization it relies on membership dues and tax-deductible donations of cash as well as horses and equipment. "We need horses," Major Goldston said. "There may be some people who have horses which they are not using. They might realize more out of their horses by donating them than they could by selling them; with the assurance that the mounts would be well cared for and would be providing a useful service. We will even come get them."

He also stated that the 4th cavalry will accept donations of wagons, horse drawn ambulances, weapons and saddle equipment. The donors will be given a receipt for their tax purposes.

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Marlett, commander of the regiment, said the 4th Cavalry has a place for everyone. "We realize that nothing worthwhile ever gets accomplished by limiting participation to a few," he said. "We welcome ail to come join and share in the thrill."

LTC Marlett said it is not

mandatory to own a horse, and a member will be advised by the board of standards the method of obtaining the correct items.

The 4th Cavalry is always seeking invitations from area citizens for parades, demonstrations or performances. All correspondence should be directed to Major Larry Goldston, Adjutant, 4th Cavalry Regiment (Memoriel), Box 64394, Lubbock, TX 79464, Phone 792-3390.

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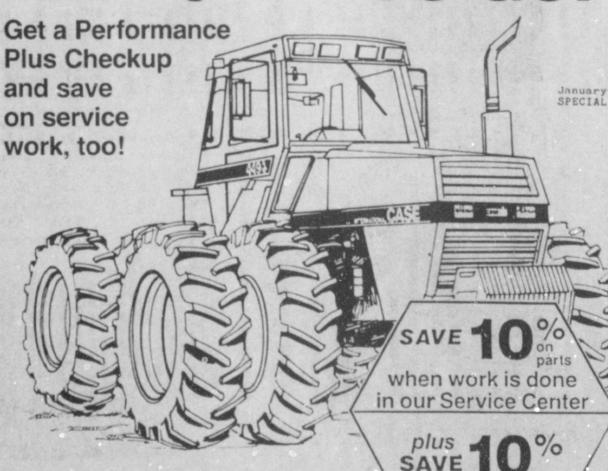
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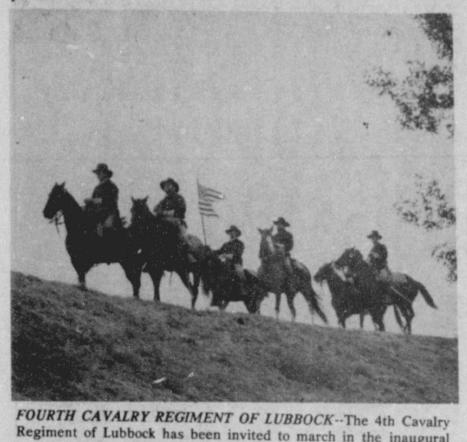
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topic in Houston February 16, 17 and 18 when the International Stockmen's School presents a Race Horse Industry Seminar.

A trade show and social will be held Thursday evening, February 16, at the AstroVillage Hotel. The Trade Show will include booths and exhibits by breed associations, race industry groups, breeding farms and product/service companies. Displays will also be offered by equine researchers in Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine Departments from Texas A&M University, Various video and live horse demonstrations are er of half million dollar winner, also planned for the evening.

on Friday, February 17, in producing successful race horsconcurrent sessions for both race es. Dr. Calvin Kobluk, DVM, 1

If it's January, it must be time

for new year's resolutions. Lose

weight. Balance the checkbook.

funeral.

resolution.

Visit your mother. Plan your

to family finance expert Nancy

Granovsky, that's not a morbid

happen to your family if you or

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Granovsky, a specialist with

the Texas Agri ult al Extension

Service at Toxas A&M University, said Janu. is an ideal

time to go through at she calls

"The purpose is simply to

a "financial contingency day."

review all aspects of your family

finances, update needed infor-

mation and set goals for the

"Its side benefits are helping

you get records organized for tax

purposes and having ready the

in case of a death, accident or

several items to consider on a

financial contingency agenda:

The specialist suggested

*Write out a net worth

statement. That means listing

the value of all your assets, and

listing all your debts. The

difference between the two is

*Plan your financial goals for

the next year. Those could

include such things as reducing

your debt load, saving a certain

amount in a college fund for the

children, or financing a new car.

coming year," she said.

major family crisis."

your net worth.

family's finance , " she said.

Plan your funeral? According

'Considering what would

New Year Resolution

Could Be On Finances

Race horses will be featured ers to the industry. A representative of the Texas Racing Commission will talk about the current status of racing in Texas. Ricky Knox, Executive Director of the Texas Horse Racing Association, will discuss the expected impact of racing on statewide growth and develop-

Trainers, breeders and owners will hear the latest information on exercise physiology research as it relates to training race horses from Dr. Don Topliff, Oklahoma State University and Dr. Gary Potter of Texas A&M University. Geneticist and breed-Passover, Dr. Nat Kieffer, will Presentations will be offered discuss breeding systems for horse professionals and newcom- University of Minnesota, will

*Establish a household budget

or revise last year's to reflect new

financial goals and/or changes in

the family's economic status. If

one spouse is going back to work,

going from part-time to full time

employment or retiring, for

example, it will have a great

impact on income and expenses.

have a will drawn up or to see

that existing wills are up-to-date.

Review how assets and property

will be handled in case of a

last instruction. This letter informs survivors of financial

matters needing immediate

attention and also describes what

funeral plans, if any, you have

come and expenses in case of a

death of a wage-earner. Make

out a tentative budget for

survivors and list all sources of

Granovsky said younger

income they can depend upon.

reluctant to go through this

process, although they may need

"Young famililes often have

higher debt loads, more depend-

ents and are less likely to have

substantial resources to carry

survivors through until they can

get back on their feet fin-

ancially," she said. "That makes

some planning all the more

Most families won't have to

put their contingency plans into

action, but going through the

process will help them get a grip

*Re-calculate survivor's in-

Prepare or review a letter of

•Check with your lawyer to

summarize the findings of an indepth study on race track breakdowns. And, Dr. Robert Lewis, DVM, of Elgin, Texas, will address the topic of stress related lameness and use of orthopedic surgery. Feeding the race horse will also be covered by Dr. Pete Gibbs, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Newcomers, potential owners and enthusiasts will get the chance to learn more about race horse terminology for Ken Campbell of the Texas Horse Racing Association. Jeff Hooper. Executive Director of the Texas Thoroughbred Breeder's Association in Austin, Texas, will discuss key factors to consider in reading a horse's pedigree and a sales catalog. Nationally recognized racing and breeding consultant, Ken Carson, who assisted with selections of the All-Time Thoroughbred money earner, Alysheba, will outline important points in the selection of yearlings. Dan Fick, the American Quarter Horse Association's Director of Racing, will present a video explaining a day at the races, and Dr. Jerry Rheudasil, DVM, who bred and raised the All-American Futurity winner, On A High, will explain those things that occur daily in the life of a race horse.

On Saturday, February 18, participants will take a farm tour to Shady Oak Race Horse Training and Conditioning Facility in Magnolia, Texas, Mr. Ted Kieffer, owner of the facility, will host the tour. Training programs will be demonstrated and participants will have the opportunity to evaluate yearlings being conditioned for upcoming sales.

A special feature, accompanying the Race Horse Industry Seminar will be a catered Bar-B-Que supper on Friday evening at the Horston Livestock Show and Rodeo Astro Hall followed by a Texas Horse Industry Showcase. This highly entertaining program will feature presentations by breed or performance associations depicting the versatility and national reputation of horses and horse people in Texas.

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4. Who is Reggie Lewis? 5. What teams met in the NCAA Division 1-AA football playoff game?

The Answers:

1. Jerry Burns. 2. College football coach at N.C. State. 3. Cincinnati 20, Wash-

ington 17. 4. Star of the Boston Celtics (pro basketball).

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"There's one thing you can do that will help you achieve all of these goals - regular aerobic exercise," says Diane DeMarco, executive director of The National Exercise For Life Institute.

The purpose of the institute is to collect and disseminate information on the value of regular aerobic exercise, so that more Americans will start and maintain a program of regular aerobic exer-

"Every year there are new 'wonder' diets that promise fast weight loss. Some of them do result in rapid loss, but much of it is water weight and even some muscle tissue. And the loss is often temporary, so that the next year you have to lose the same weight all over again," says DeMarco.

According to the "set point" theory advocated by Dr. William Bennett and Joel Gurin, authors of The Dieter's Dilemma, each indi-

vidual has a tendency for a particular body-fat percentage. This set point functions as a fat-monitoring process that tries to maintain the body-fat content it considers "normal.

It's easy to raise your set point by eating sweets and fats, but the only way to reduce that set point is by aerobic exercise.

If you attempt to reduce body fat only by lowering your calorie intake, you'll first lose water, then muscle and fat — in that order. You'll also feel sluggish and weak because you're burning muscle for

In fact, your body further fights to maintain its set point by lowering your metabolic rate and increasing your appetite. That makes it even tougher for you to lose that

However, aerobic exercise not only burns more calories during the time you're exercising, but it also increases your metabolic rate for up to 24 hours after you exer-

Aerobic exercises can also make you look slimmer than anaerobic exercises, such as weight lifting. That's because lift-

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As Jane Brody notes in her Good Food Book, regular exercise causes body fat to be replaced by lean muscle tissue. "Pound for pound, muscle tissue uses more calories to sustain itself than fat tissue does. The more muscle cissue you have and the less body fat, the more calories you can consume without gaining weight - or the faster you can lose weight without drastically reducing the amount of calories you consume. Furthermore, muscle tissue takes up less room than the same weight of body fat, so that even if you don't lose an ounce, you'll look thinner if you have good muscle tone and less fat," says Brody.

"Regular aerobic exercise will also give you more energy, which will help you accomplish many of your other new year's goals," says DeMarco.

Fitting Exercise Into Your Schedule

To maximize the benefits of aerobic exercise, it generally needs to be done about half an hour, three days a week. To build cardiovascular fitness, the exercise

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must elevate your heart rate to at least 60 percent of your maximum. heart rate (although the most desirable heart rate for exercising is between 70 and 85 percent of maximum).

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"Choose an activity that you enjoy, and that you know can be done on a regular basis," advises DeMarco. Because cross-country skiing is widely recognized as the most effective form of exercise in terms of toning the entire body

and achieving cardiovascular fitness, many people are using NordicTrack, the original cross-country ski exercise machine. "The standing, total body

skiing motion of NordicTrack is so efficient that you can tone your entire body - legs, arms, shoulders, midriff and buttocks - and achieve cardiovascular fitness, in just 20 minutes, three times a week." says Ed Pauls, inventor and founder of NordicTrack.

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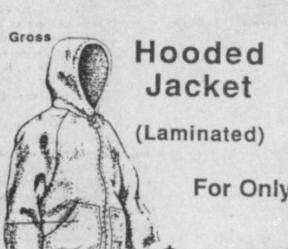
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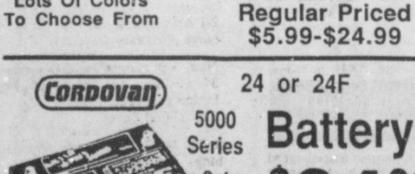
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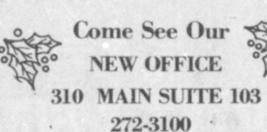
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Educating young America is essential to U.S. economic development

COLLEGE STATION - Economic development of the United States will be seriously damaged within two years if educators and the general public do not renew their commitment to the fundamental promise of American education - that everyone has a right to learn - says Dr. Dean Corrigan, Texas A&M University's dean of education.

We are a society with a shortage of youth and rapidly increasing senior citizen population," said Corrigan. "We've got to educate all of our children because we simply cannot afford to waste them, economically or otherwise," he said. "A growing number of young people are out of school and out of work with no skills to make a living," said

While the Department of Education sets the current dropout rate at over 30 percent, a number of studies by other agencies suggest this figure is low.

Texas dropout rate is a travesty. said Corrigan. "Fifty percent of Hispanic students and 40 percent of black students in Texas never finish high school." Eighty-five percent of Texas' prison inmates are dropouts, costing the state \$24,000 for each year of incarceration, he said.

"It would be less expensive to send them to Harvard," said Corrigan.

More important than the economic development argument, he said, is the humane argument. "The great vision of America is the belief that the whole country is improved when all of the children of all the people receive a quality education, not just the children of the rich and powerful," he said.

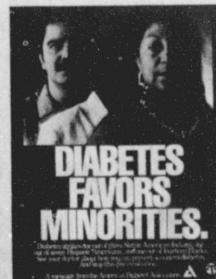
spotlight on health

Here's a surprising fact: the incidence of diabetes has doubled among white Americans in the last 20 years. However, this dangerous, chronic disease actually favors minority populations in the United States.

Non-insulin-dependent (type II) diabetes has grown even faster in minority populations. Among Americans of Spanish descent, the incidence is three times more than that of whites; Native Americans have the highest rate of diabetes of any population in the world; among Black Americans, diabetes is the third leading cause of death; and incidence is higher among Asian Americans.

An estimated 11 million Americans have diabetes, a disease in which the body doesn't produce or respond to insulin. The resulting high blood sugar can severely damage the heart, blood vessels, kidneys, eyes and nerves and left untreated can lead to death.

Minority groups may encounter special problems in receiving proper health care due to language barriers, lack of financial resources, or no insurance protection. Cultural barriers often stand in the way of nutrition and health education-key elements in treating diabetes. Fortunately, one organization works to help insure that minorities have equal opportunity to diabetes care and education.



The American Diabetes Association (ADA) is the nation's leading voluntary health organization supporting diabetes research and education. It serves the entire diabetes community through the efforts of thousands of volunteers from over 800 afffiliates and local chapters across the United States.

ADA's community-based chapters work with health clinics, churches, neighborhood groups and other organizations that work with minorities to make sure those groups get the help they need to treat diaetes. To learn more contact your local ADA chapter or call, toll-free: 1-800-ADA-DISC (in Virginia and raetro Washington, DC call 703-549-1500).

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