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Banks Show Increase In Deposits, Loans

around Muleshoe

Doris Scoggin, Counselor, has been named Educator of the Week this week at Watson Junior High. Principals awards went to Viviana Ruiz, sixth grade; Jose Gallegos, seventh grade; and Crystal Sharp, eighth grade.

The Muleshoe Squares will have a Halloween Costumes Dance at 8 p.m. Thursday, October 31 at the American Legion Hall.

The J.V. Mules will play in Littlefield at 5:30 p.m. today, Thursday.

The Beta Beta Psi Sorority of Earth regretfully announces the cancellation of their Craft Bazaar which was to be held November 2 at the Springlake Earth school cafeteria.

Funeral services are pending for Ida Ruth Holt, 79, of Muleshoe. They are under direction of Ellis Funeral Home. She died Tuesday at 7:44 p.m. at the Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

The Bailey County Commissioners Court will meet in regular session in the Bailey County Courthouse, today, Thursday, October 31.

The meeting will begin at 10 a.m. and continue until all business is concluded, with the following items on the agenda:

1. Approve the minutes of the previous meeting.
2. Review, approve and order payment of County bills.
3. Consider changing payroll to bimonthly with checks being issued on the 10th and 25th of every month.
4. Discuss coverage of volunteer clerical workers under workers' compensation.
5. Ted Simmons with the Texas Association of Counties to discuss safety program for the County.
6. Discuss appointments to the Child Welfare Board.
7. Authorize the County Judge to advertise for bids on a

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Lazbuddie Longhorns Deafeat

Three Way Eagles 62-12

The Three Way Eagles became the Lazbuddie Longhorns latest victim in high school football Friday night, when they fought a hard battle at Three Way. The Longhorns defeated the Eagles 62-12.

Matt Cosbey threw a 40 yard pass to Mario Zamora to put Lazbuddie on the scoreboard first. The extra point failed.

Adding more points to their score, Terry Darling scored on a 15 yard pass from Zamora. Luis Gonzales kicked the extra point.

If the two touchdowns weren't enough, Leland Brockman scored on a 65 yard pass from Zamora. The kick failed.

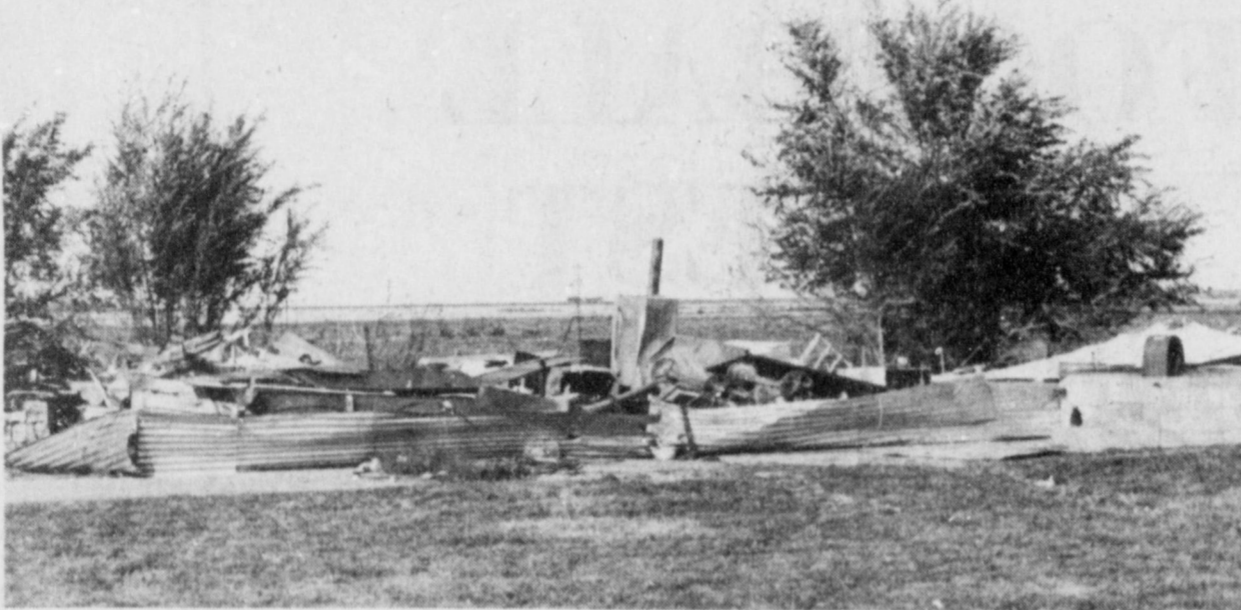
Not to be outdone, Carlos Pena caught a 40 yard pass from Efrain Guillen, putting Three Way on the scoreboard. The extra point was no good.

Lazbuddie's Kirk Jesko scored with a 47 yard run. The extra point failed.

Larry Robertson of the Three Way Eagles scored on a 43 yard pass from Guillen. The kick failed.

Jesko came back with a 38 yard run, adding more points to Lazbuddie's score. Gonzales kicked the extra point.

Jesko added still more scores



IT WAS A HOME---The Matt Meeks used to live in this trailer house, setting between these trees, that is until Sunday afternoon's storm. A tornado was said to have struck this trailer house, located in Northwest Bailey County, as well as a sprinkler system. The area also received 1 to 1 1/2 inches of rain. (Journal Photo)

Board Tables Revision Of MISD Voting Districts

Following the Public Hearing on the revisions of Board of Trustee voting districts, a discussion was held by the board members. The board decided to table the issue until the next board meeting. Cindy Purdy,

Junior Class To Sponsor Dinner

The Junior Class will sponsor a pre-game dinner on Friday, November 1 in the Muleshoe High School cafeteria.

Turkey and dressing and all of the trimmings will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. Carry outs and deliveries are available and deliveries are available by calling 272-4360 or 272-5072.

Tickets will be \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children.

Everyone is encouraged to go out and eat with the Junior Class prior to attending the Muleshoe and Littlefield football game.

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to the scoreboard with a nine yard run into the endzone. The kick failed.

Adding more scores for Lazbuddie, Monty Foster caught a 12 yard pass from Paul Williams. Gonzales kicked the extra point.

The final score of the game was a 50 yard punt return by Jesko.

The game ended in the third quarter with the Longhorns on top 62-12.

Jennyslippers To Sponsor Spook House

The Muleshoe Jennyslippers will be sponsoring a Halloween Night Spook House in the old Western Auto Building.

Magic Pumpkin Land will be available for the little kids from 6:30 to 9 p.m. and admission is \$1.00.

The Haunted House for the Brave will be open for the older kids from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. and admission is also \$1.00.

This Spook House promises to be a fun filled night for boys and girls looking for a good time and fun.

board president, stated that everyone was welcome to go by and get information and attend the next board meeting. The next board meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 11 in the Administration Building.

Mrs. Purdy called the regular meeting to order. Following the invocation, visitors and school officials were recognized. The room was filled with visitors.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

In the open forum/audience participation, a group of parents were present and asked the question, "Why can't the children wear costumes to school and why not have Parties." Mrs. Purdy explained that this was not a school board policy. Bill Moore, superintendent, stated that it was his decision and he would be glad to meet with them another time and explain his decision.

The 1991-92 budget was amended.

Superintendent Moore reported on the TEA Compliance Monitoring visit. "I felt very good about the meeting," Moore said. "They were complimentary of the staff. The vocational team said that this report was the best they had written in years. They were complimentary of the children, their hard work and excitement. They were also complimentary of Jean Richardson (Moore's secretary) for her records," Moore continued. "We will get their final report in 30-45 days and we have 15 days to reply."

The next item of business was tax collection report. It was reported that 94.95 percent of the taxes had been collected. The records show there is still \$302,702.64 in unpaid taxes.

Bank and fund balances were reviewed and the board approved the payment of current bills.

Supt. Moore gave a report on the Partnership Program. He stated that two campus' and one alternate will be chosen by the Service Centers. The schools chosen will be notified January 3, 1992, with a public announcement being made in January. The program will begin on Feb. 3, 1992, and be in full repute next September. "I feel we have a good shot at it," Moore continued. "It is kind of like a Readers Digest sweepstakes we are in round two."

"A Supreme Court hearing on CED's has been scheduled for November 19," Moore contin-

ued. "I talked with TASB and I feel like they do. If they throw it out, I don't know what we will do."

Moore also reported that TASB will do a complete review of the school's manual in June.

Supt. Moore also asked the board members for the names they wanted to submit for the "Citizens Committee" being formed at the present time. "I'd like to meet with the committee on Nov. 12 to discuss various topics of the school district."

Buck Johnson, assistant superintendent of instruction stated that nomination forms had been circulated for a new award that has been instituted. "We hope to recognize the first award winner at the next board meeting," Johnson said.

Supt. Moore stated that they had met with Bailey County Appraisal District and were pleased with the outcome.

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Moonlight Madness

Sales Begins

Friday Night

Friday, Nov. 1 from 9 p.m. to midnight is the first of the Merchant's Moonlight Madness Sales in Muleshoe. Bargains will abound and the businesses plan special treats and events for their customers, according to Carolyn Johnson, Chamber of Commerce manager. In addition, you'll see store owners and employees dressed in fashionable nightwear!

The sale on November 1 is the first of five consecutive sales to be held between now and Christmas. Get in the "Christmas Spirit" early by shopping at these unique Moonlight Sales in Muleshoe.

In addition to November 1, other sale dates are: Friday, November 15, Friday, November 29, Saturday, December 7 and Saturday, December 21.

A total of 12 businesses will be participating in this year's sales, and include:

Wilson Appliance, Fry and Cox, Lookin' Good, Joe's Boot Shop, Perry's, Ben Franklin, Anthony's, A&M Farm and Ranch Supply, Poyner's, Muleshoe Motors, Connie's Place and Main Street Beauty Shop.

Don't miss the first sale this Friday, November 1 from 9 p.m. to midnight," said Mrs. Johnson. "You won't believe the low prices and you'll love the madness."

Reports from six area banks, made public each three months showed that both deposits and loans were up during the past year.

Total deposits at the six banks checked in this area indicate total deposits totaling \$243,902,551 up by some \$9,631,551 over the \$234,271,000 shown on deposit at the same time in 1990.

An increase of \$12,338,119 is also shown in loans at the same six banks. According to reports loans were \$131,140,119 at the closing out of September 1991, as compared to \$118,802,000 for this same period in 1990.

The two Muleshoe banks, Muleshoe State and First Bank of Muleshoe combined with First Bank of Bovina, show deposits of \$75,171,000. A decrease of \$3,143,000 from last year's total of \$78,314,000 for the same period.

Loans at the two banks at the closing of September this year totaled \$48,900,000 reflecting an increase of \$1,427,000 over \$47,473,000 for this same period in 1990.

Deposits at Muleshoe State Bank showed a decrease of \$1,590,000. At the end of September 1991, deposits were \$29,783,000 as compared to \$31,373,000 for the same period in 1990.

Loans at the bank were also

Costume Contest Draws Large Crowd

The Downtown Halloween Costume Contest, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, was a big success with a total of 119 young people participating.

The contest got underway with a Parade of Costumes down Main Street and ending with the official judging on stage at Muleshoe State Bank parking lot. Judges for the event were: Kerry Moore, Drama Teacher at Muleshoe High School; Marie Lenau, a local artist; and Elaine Price, "Calvin The Cool Calico" from Waco, Texas.

Ribbons were awarded to first, second, and third place winners. In addition, first place winners in each division also received a \$100 Savings Bond compliments of Muleshoe State Bank, First Bank of Muleshoe, Mark Morton of State Farm Insurance and David Tipps of Farm Bureau Insurance.

Winners in each division and their costumes were:

Most Frightening: Jeffree Skipworth--Soldier, first place; Francisco Olivarez--Witch, second; and Jerrell Otwell--Pirate, third.

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down. At the end of September 1990, loans totaled \$21,027,000 up some \$812,000 from the 1991, total of \$20,215,000 for the same period.

First Bank of Muleshoe, combined with First Bank of Bovina, showed a decrease in deposits of \$1,553,000. At the end of September 1991, deposits totaled \$45,388,000 as compared to \$46,941,000 for the same period in 1990.

Loans at the two banks showed an increase of \$2,239,000. At the closing of September 1990, loans were \$26,446,000 as compared to \$28,685,000 at the end of September this year.

Deposits at First National Bank of Morton reflected an increase of \$1,978,222 from the 1990, figure of \$40,855,000. At the end of September 1991, deposits were \$42,833,222.

Loans at the bank showed an

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Alma Orozco Wins Weekly

Football Contest

With two teams tying and another game being disqualified due to a misprint in the contest, it should have made the football contest a little easier this week. Perhaps it did, one contestant missed only one game, taking first place. Alma Orozco won first place and 10 points. She had previously placed second, and has a total of 16 points.

Five other contestants missed four games, so the Journal Judges had to go to the tiebreakers. D. Wade Cargile was four points off, giving him second place and six points. Cargile also had a previous win, and now has a total of 16 points.

Another previous winner, Keith Hicks, came in second. Hicks also missed four games and was eight points off in the tiebreakers. Add this week's four points to the six points he had gives Hicks a total of 10 points.

Others missing four games included: Danny May, 11 points off; Ruth Malone, 14 points; and Richard Orozco, 30 points off.

Its still anyone's contest the top number of points anyone has is 16.

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First Freeze

Muleshoe recorded its first freeze for the season Tuesday morning, when the temperature unofficially reached a low of 23 degrees.



FIRST PLACE ---Saturday afternoon \$100 Savings Bonds was given to the first place winner of each category in the Halloween Contest, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Winners include: Jeffree Skipworth-Soldier; Jessica Bachicha, Aunt Jemima; Dustin Lewis-Elvis Presley's Ghost; and Christopher Bachicha-Dragon. (Journal Photo)

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 Muleshoe, Texas 79347
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 California vs. Southern California

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FOOTBALL CONTEST
Grand Prize: \$150⁰⁰
Weekly Prizes
 1st **\$10** 2nd **\$750** 3rd **\$500**
Weekly Winners
 1st. Alma Orozco
 2nd. D.Wade Cargile 3rd. Keith Hicks

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 111 W. Ave. B 272-4581
 Vanderbilt vs. Army

Contest Rules:
 1. IN EACH ADVERTISEMENT YOU WILL FIND A GAME LISTED. CIRCLE THE TEAM YOU THINK WILL WIN. The person's score that most closely matches the TIE BREAKER SCORE will be declared the winner. If several persons are still tied the prize money will be split.
 2. The contestant must be 12 years of age or older.
 3. Only one entry per person may be made for any one contest.
 4. Bring your entry by the *The Journal* office by 5:00 p.m. Friday, or if mailed, the entry must be postmarked no later than 5:00 p.m. Friday. Write "FOOTBALL CONTEST" on the mailed entry, and mail to P.O. Box 449, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.
 5. Circle the Winners and WRITE IN THE SCORE of the tiebreaker games. This score will be used to break weekly as well as determine the grand prize winner. Decision of *The Journal's* scoring judges will be final.
 6. Check the team you think will win; 10 points for first place, 6 points for second place and 4 points for third place.
 7. To count for the grand prize, entries must be on official blank printed in the paper.

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Sept. 6 BROWNFIELD H 8:00	Sept. 5 BROWNFIELD T 7:00	Sept. 5 BROWNFIELD T 5:00
Sept. 13 IDALOU T 8:00	Sept. 12 IDALOU H 6:00	Sept. 12 FRIONA T 5:30
Sept. 20 DENVER CITY** H 8:00	Sept. 19 DENVER CITY T 6:30	Sept. 19 DENVER CITY T 5:00
Sept. 27 COOPER T 8:00	Sept. 26 COOPER H 6:30	Sept. 26 COOPER H 5:00
Oct. 4 RIVER ROAD H 8:00	Oct. 3 RIVER ROAD T 6:30	Oct. 3 RIVER ROAD T 5:00
Oct. 11 DIMMITT* H 7:30	Oct. 10 DIMMITT* T 7:00	Oct. 10 DIMMITT* T 5:30
Oct. 18 TULIA* T 7:30	Oct. 17 TULIA* H 7:00	Oct. 17 TULIA* H 5:30
Oct. 25 FLOYDADA* T 7:30	Oct. 24 FLOYDADA* H 7:00	Oct. 24 FLOYDADA* H 5:30
Nov. 1 LITTLEFIELD* H 7:30	Oct. 31 LITTLEFIELD* T 7:00	Oct. 31 LITTLEFIELD* T 5:30
Nov. 8 FRIONA* T 7:30	Nov. 7 FRIONA* H 7:00	Nov. 7 FRIONA* H 5:30

* Homecoming
 ** District Games
 * Parents Night

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 Hereford - 806-364-7311
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Combination Motors And Salvage
 Gerry Pierce
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 Night: 806-272-5057
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 Springlake-Earth vs. Olton

Scoggin Ag Center, Inc.
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 Stanford vs. Oregon

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Congoleum Fabulous Floors Sale Save 20%
 Sale Ends November 9th
 Michigan State vs. Northwestern

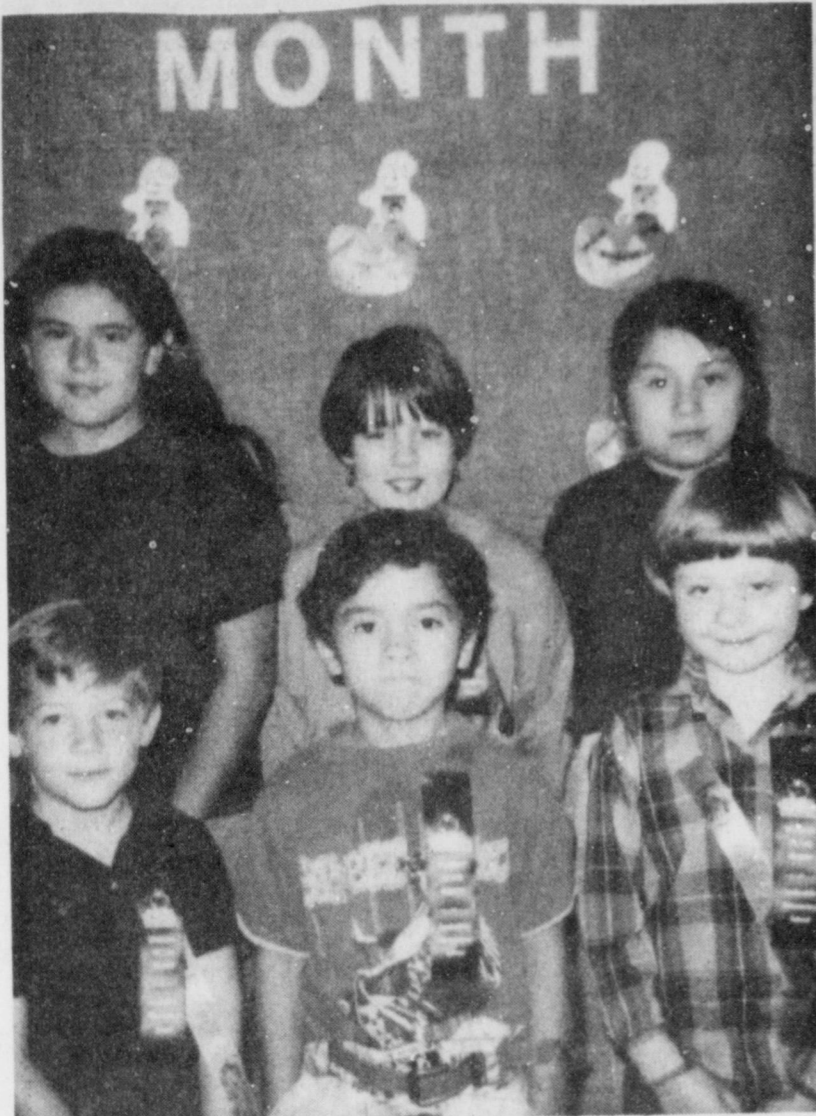
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TIEBREAKERS

Baylor vs. Arkansas
 Texas vs. Texas Tech



SELECTED STUDENTS OF THE MONTH--at Lazbuddie Elementary in October are left to right (front row): Kolby Wilkerson, kindergarten; Cristobal Franco, 1st grade; Candice Randolph, 2nd grade; (back row): Christina Martha, 5th grade; Sarah Jennings, 3rd grade; Veronica Mata, 4th grade.

(Guest Photo)

Baby Shower Honors

Isabelle Fried

A baby shower honoring Isabelle Fried was held Sunday, October 27 from 2 to 3 p.m. in the home of Lenda Trussell. Hostesses greeted and registered guests.

Server was Charlotte Field. The tablecloth was two baby quilts and the arrangement was a teddy bear in a basket with lotion, powder and other baby

things. Punch, cookies, nuts and mints were served.

Hostess gift was a car seat. Hostesses for the occasion were Lenda Trussell, Kerma McGuire, Charlotte Field, Jan Morris, Holly Hooten, Suzanne McCasland, Diane Brown, LaDonna Holmans and Ann Faver.



ISABELLE FRIED

Conservation Begins at Home

In today's world, we're all concerned about conserving our natural resources, especially energy and water. And there are ways to reduce our energy and water consumption and still get good results.

According to appliance experts from Whirlpool Corporation, dishwashers, clothes washers and food disposers all need a certain amount of water to work effectively. But we can all help in the global effort to save water by making sure these appliances don't use too much:

Dishwashers
• If you have a dishwasher, use it! Washing dishes by hand actually takes more water than using a dishwasher.

• Avoid pre-rinsing dishes. A recent survey commissioned by the Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers (AHAM) showed that 83 percent of consumers still rinse everything. But Whirlpool appliance experts say pre-rinsing isn't necessary with today's efficient dishwashers, and should be reserved only for cooked-on foods.

• Use the shortest wash/rinse cycle. If dishes are lightly soiled, don't waste water by using heavy or normal cycles.

• Load dishes carefully. To get the best cleaning results (and avoid rewashing), be sure the dishes aren't blocking the detergent dispenser or spray arms. Check to see that heavily soiled skillets and utensils are positioned face-down to get the full force of the spray arms.

• Wash only full loads. Accu-

mulate a full load of dishes from breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks for a single wash at the end of the day.

IN FASHION

The designer sweater will be the hit of the season with home knitters. They will have a one-of-a-kind sweater in simple stockenette stitch, that will be very attractive with exotic colors.

Most people are ready to spend someone else's money.

Too many geniuses make for inefficiency.

Football Highlights

Florida isn't quite ready to claim the Southeast Conference title, but the Gators are getting close. They have already disposed of two of their biggest challengers, Alabama and Tennessee, and they've also beaten Mississippi State and L.S.U. The only blemish on Florida's record came outside the conference, a 38-21 upset loss to Syracuse in September. Saturday, the Gators travel to Auburn to take on the first of two big tests, this one against the Tigers. In two weeks, it'll be Georgia. Auburn lost to Tennessee earlier, and it hosted Mississippi State last week. Florida has rolled up 115 points against conference opponents, and we think the Gators will be too difficult for Auburn to stop. Incidentally, last year Florida obliterated Auburn 48-7.

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DELIA BERMEA

Shower Honors Delia Bermea

A bridal shower honoring Delia Bermea was held Sunday, October 27 from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Muleshoe Catholic Center.

Guests for the occasion were greeted by Diana Bermea. Guests were registered by Dora Toscano and Ida Bermea.

Servers were Jessie, Vicky and Noemi Bermea.

The table cloth was of mauve satin and appointments were of silver and crystal. The table arrangement was pink, mauve and white flowers with three white candles in the center.

The honoree's corsage was of pink and white roses and carnations with baby's breath.

The hostess gifts were a microwave, a 3 piece wall mirror and various kitchen

utensils.

Special guests at the shower were Noemi Juana Bermea, mother of the bride-to-be from Lariat; Pabla Marrufo, future mother-in-law of the honoree from Dimmitt; Maria del Marrufo, sister of the groom and Socorro Melendez of Dimmitt.

Tuna and chicken sandwiches, chips, fruit cocktail punch, powder cookies, and cake were served.

Hostesses were Dolly Villarreal, Rosa Salinas, Ida and Jessie Bermea, Vicky Bermea, Dora Toscano, Ignacia Bermea, Diana and Maria Carillo, Maria Bermea, Betty Garza, Sylvia Toscano, Carla Vidaurri, Odilia Servin, Gracie Ortega, Carmen Romero and Lupita Fuentes.

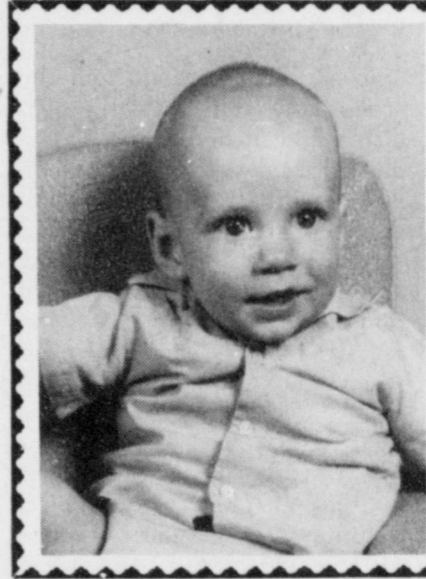
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30
Happy
Birthday
your Family
& Friends

THE BOB HARMON FORECAST

Sat., Nov. 2 - Major Colleges - Div. 1-A		Other Games - East	
Air Force	35	Alfred	23
Alabama	26	American International	28
Arizona	28	Bowling Green	24
Ball State	23	Clarion	24
Baylor	24	Colby	26
Brigham Young-Oct 31	27	East Stroudsburg	26
California	23	Franklin & Marshall	30
Central Michigan	21	Indiana U., PA	30
Clemson	34	Lycoming	37
Colorado	27	Mansfield	34
East Carolina	40	Moravian	27
Florida	31	New Haven	27
Florida State	49	Slippery Rock	23
Fresno State	24	Southern Connecticut	23
Georgia Tech	30	Susquehanna	28
Illinois	33	Trenton	26
Indiana	24	Ursinus	20
Kansas	31	Washington & Jefferson	27
Kentucky	28	Wisconsin	14
Miami, OH	26	Minnesota	9
Michigan	30	Oklahoma State	12
Michigan State	21	Cincinnati	20
Mississippi	27	Bowling Green	21
Missouri	24	Purdue	10
New Mexico State	23	Northwestern	17
North Carolina	22	L.S.U.	17
North Carolina State	24	Iowa State	15
Notre Dame	45	Fullerton State	13
Ohio State	22	Maryland	13
Oklahoma	31	South Carolina	16
Pacific	27	Notre Dame	6
Pittsburgh	23	Iowa	21
San Diego State	27	Kansas State	23
San Jose State	30	Long Beach State	20
Stanford	24	Boston College	21
SW Louisiana	28	Wyoming	21
Syracuse	33	Nevada-Las Vegas	7
T.C.U.	35	Oregon	13
Tennessee	28	Northern Illinois	21
Texas	28	Temple	13
Texas A & M	27	S.M.U.	13
Toledo	26	Memphis State	13
Tulsa	22	Texas Tech	12
U.C.L.A.	28	Rice	10
Utah	27	Kent State	13
Vanderbilt	27	South'n Mississippi	20
Virginia	38	Washington State	17
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TEACHING DRUG PREVENTION--Cool Calvin, second from left, poses with Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors (left to right) Jody Field, Ronda Scott and Patricia Del Toro. (Guest Photo)

Calvin the Cool Calico Makes Hit with Students

Dillman and DeShazo Elementary Schools were the sites of a special program on drug prevention presented Friday by Calvin The Cool Calico. Calvin, a drug prevention specialist with Region XII Education Service Center in Waco, Texas delighted his audience as he blended humor, dance and songs into the seriousness of his program.

The program was sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture and the Muleshoe Activities Committee.

"We want you to have fun today and participate with Cool Calvin," Robert Montgomery, President of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce told the students as he introduced Cool Calvin to them. "But," he added, "We also want you to listen and hear the important message he has for you. That message is DRUGS AND ALCOHOL ARE NO GOOD!"

Calvin encouraged the youngsters to be the very best they could be and he stressed to them the fact that it was usually their friends and relatives who would encourage them to try drugs and alcohol. "You need to recognize the 3 big lies that you will hear about drugs and alcohol use," Calvin told the young people. Those lies were: (1) Just one won't hurt you. (2) Drugs and alcohol make you feel so good, and (3) You can quit anytime you want to. After elaborating on each "lie", Calvin used the Song *Wipe Out* to involve the kids in a competition called *Wipe Out Drugs--Don't Believe the Lie!*

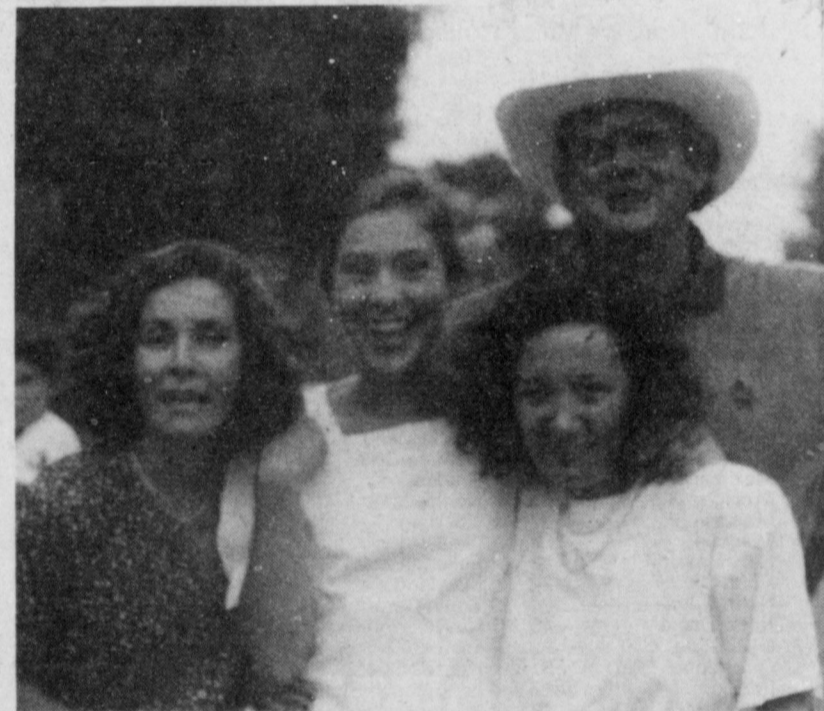
At the end of the program, the children were presented a red ribbon by the Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors. The ribbon carried the message, "HUGS, NOT DRUGS!"

"The Board of Directors for the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture wanted to plan

some positive activities for the youth of Muleshoe this Halloween," said Carolyn Johnson, Manager. "With Red Ribbon Week the week before Halloween--Cool Calvin's appearance was ideal!" she added.

In addition to conducting the school assemblies, Cool Calvin also made in-store visits Saturday in Muleshoe. Cool Calvin visited with a total of 130 young people in the stores and he had for each of them a comic book and a certificate of membership into the Cool Calvin Club. Some of the lucky children even received t-shirts from the cool cat.

Calvin the Cool Calico also led the Parade of Costumes Saturday and served as a judge at the Downtown Halloween Costume Contest where a total of 119 youngsters competed.



SENDING THANKS FROM SPAIN--Blanca Puyol, center, was a visitor in the Doyce Turner home this summer. Here she poses with a friend, at left, her mother, at right and her father and expresses thanks to Muleshoe for hosting her visit from Madrid. (Guest Photo)



CELEBRATING OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS--at the Muleshoe Area Healthcare Center are residents (left to right): Oneita Wagnon, October 27, 1911; D.B. Ivy, October 8, 1916; and Leonard McCormick, October 5, 1910. Not pictured is Norene Thomas, October 6, 1910. Party host for the occasion was the Needmore Community Club. Entertainment was by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shanks of the Needmore Club. Flowers were by Creations by Helen. (Journal Photo)

Creative Living

by: Sheryl Borden

Information on packaging food for shipping, making house-cleaning easier, and cooking with real vanilla will be the featured topics on "Creative Living" on Tuesday, November 5 at 12 noon and Saturday, November 9 at 2 p.m. (All times are Mountain). "Creative Living" airs on public broadcasting station, KENW-TV, from Eastern New Mexico University.

Connie Cahill, representative of M&M/Mars Chocolates, is going to demonstrate how to safely pack foods to ship to those living away from home. She will also talk about different types of containers that work well and explain what type of cushioning materials to use. Ms. Cahill is from Accomac, VA.

Lynn-Hack Gerhart, representative of QRB Industries, is going to demonstrate how to correct such household problems as removing wax buildup and how to avoid refinishing kitchen cabinets. She will also show how to remove dents and scratches in furniture and how to make a water ring on a piece

of furniture less noticeable. Ms. Hack-Gerhart is from Niles, MI.

Chef Blake Swihart is going to demonstrate several simple ways of using vanilla extract and vanilla beans--including an unusual but delicious butter sauce for chicken or fish.

On Tuesday, November 5 at 9:30 p.m. and on Thursday, November 7 at 12 noon "Creative Living" will present information on quick and easy pasta, the "Watchable Wildlife" program, and the importance of fiber in the diet.

Mari-Lou Callahan, home economist with Hershey Foods Corp., will share some new quick and easy pasta dishes that are very nutritious and delicious and not nearly as time consuming to prepare as some of the traditional pasta recipes. Ms. Callahan is from Hershey, PA.

Sara Vickerman, Regional Program Director for Defenders of Wildlife, in Portland, OR., will talk about a program called "Watchable Wildlife," and discuss the guides which she helped develop. She will also explain the goal of both the organization and the guides and tell how they relate to our environment.

A lot of worry can be wasted on other people.

How To Help A Friend In Grief

If you're like many Americans, you want to comfort a friend whose loved one has died, but you don't know what to write, what to say, or what to do. In that spirit, a reassuring, practical guide for finding the best way to respond to another's loss has recently been published.

The book, THE ART OF CONDOLENCE, by Leonard M. Zunin, M.D., and Hilary Stanton Zunin (HarperCollins \$19.95), discusses how to be most helpful at such difficult emotional times. After describing the emotions the grieving individual is likely to experience, the authors present guidelines for: composing a letter of condolence; special circumstances (sudden death, or the death of a spouse, parent, or child); how to be of service (from bringing gifts to assisting with funeral arrangements and legal matters); healing conversations; and spiritual concerns.

One point the book makes is if you have difficulty writing--you should think of what you want to say, not the "proper" way to say it. Ideally, a letter of condolence should be written as if you were speaking with the bereaved. Common mistakes in condoling are also discussed. The authors point out that one frequently heard statement, "Let me know if there is anything I can do," puts a burden on the bereaved who often desires help but finds it difficult to initiate a request. Instead, suggests the book, if you are sincere, offer to help in a specific way.

Those who have used the book say that whatever the situation, THE ART OF CONDOLENCE helps you to find and offer the most thoughtful expressions of sympathy and understanding.

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And for kids, often the primary germ-carriers in the family, handwashing is a habit they can practice on their own at a relatively young age.

"Usually by the age of 3, a child can wash and dry his or her hands independently," Haselberger notes.

Teaching children to wash their hands regularly is probably the best foundation for a good personal hygiene routine and a healthy lifestyle.

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ANNIE FLOYD

County Volunteer Wins Award

In award ceremonies at the convention of the Texas Affiliate of the American Heart Association, Bailey County volunteer Annie Floyd was given the Regional Volunteer of the Year Award. This award is given to recognize those who have given of their time to further the work of the American Heart Association. These volunteers help promote the programs and projects of the AHA.

Mrs. Floyd has served on the Bailey County Board for eleven years. During her time of service, she has served as president and has chaired several committees. She has helped with the development projects such as the radio day. She and her late husband, Auston, have been an active part of the board and helped to meet the need for volunteers. Mrs. Floyd has also helped with the annual cancer drive and presently serves on an advisory committee for the County Extension Service. She is an active member of the Primitive Baptist Church. She has four children, Tommy Floyd, Benny Floyd, Kay Griswold, and Connie Fulgham and several grandchildren.

The Bailey County Board of

AHA is fortunate to have volunteers like Annie Floyd who want to make a difference in the community.



Callie Ann Sterling

Samantha Rhiannon Sterling, age 3, wishes to announce the birth of her sister, Callie Ann. Callie was born Thursday, October 17 at 3:24 p.m. in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock. She weighed 7 lbs, 5 oz. and was 20 and a half inches long.

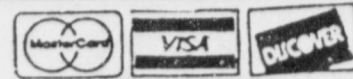
Samantha and Callie's parents are Bill and Susie Sterling of Lazbuddie. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Pierce of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Durham of Lubbock, and Mr. Eldon Sterling of Lubbock.

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HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF BONELESS
BOTTOM ROUND OR
RUMP ROAST
\$1.77
LB.

HVY GRAIN FED BEEF BOTTOM ROUND STEAK	LB.	\$1.89
HVY GRAIN FED BEEF EYE OF ROUND	STEAK OR ROAST LB.	\$2.49
SHURFINE WHOLE HOG, REG./HOT PORK SAUSAGE	2 LB. ROLL 1 LB. ROLL	\$1.69
SHURFINE QUALITY SLICED BACON	1 LB. PKG.	\$1.29
SHURFINE BOLOGNA/P&P/SALA MI LUNCHEON MEATS	6 OZ. PKG.	63¢
SHURFINE MEAT FRANKS	12 OZ. PKG.	79¢
SHURFINE JALAPENO/PIMENTO CHEESE SPREAD	7 1/2 OZ. PKG.	99¢
SHURFINE PIMENTO CHEESE SPREAD	14 OZ. PKG.	\$1.79
SHURFINE CHICKEN SALAD	7 1/2 OZ. PKG.	79¢
SHURFINE HAM SALAD	7 1/2 OZ. PKG.	99¢



SHURFINE FULLY COOKED BONELESS, 7-9 LBS. WHOLE

HAMS

\$2.29 LB. **HALF HAMS \$2.39** LB.



SHURFINE PUMPKIN
16 OZ. CAN

3 FOR **99¢**



SHURFINE WHITE BATH TISSUE
9 ROLL PKG.

\$1.79

SHURFINE CRUNCHY/SMOOTH
PEANUT BUTTER **\$1.79**
18 OZ. JAR

SHURFINE ASSTD. DEC.
PAPER TOWELS **2** 2 PLY-1 ROLL PKG. **99¢**

SHURFINE DRY W/GRY/CHUNK STYL
DOG FOOD **\$3.99**
25 LB. BAG

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SHURFINE BLACK PEPPER	4 OZ. CAN	\$1.19
SHURFINE GROUND CINNAMON	4.12 OZ. JAR	\$1.19
SHURFINE EXTRACT PURE VANILLA	4 OZ. BTL.	\$2.79
SHURFINE FACIAL TISSUE	250 CT. BOX	99¢
SHURFINE WHITE NAPKINS	140 CT. PKG.	79¢
SHURFINE BLUE LAUNDRY DETERGENT	42 OZ. BOX	99¢
SHURFINE ALL PURPOSE LAUNDRY DETERGENT	42 OZ. BOX	99¢

SHURFINE LIQUID H/D LAUNDRY DETERGENT	64 OZ. BTL.	\$2.99
SHURFINE CONC. FABRIC SOFTNER	64 OZ. BTL.	\$1.99
SHURFINE PLAIN/IODIZED SALT	26 OZ. CTN.	29¢
WESTERN FAMILY COFFEE FILTERS	2 100 CT.	89¢
SHURFINE QUICK OATS	18 OZ. BOX	89¢
SHURFINE SUGAR FROSTED FLAKES	20 OZ. BOX	\$2.19
SHURFINE CRISPY RICE	13 OZ. BOX	\$1.69
SHURFINE ASSTD. RTS FROSTING	16 OZ. CAN	99¢
SHURFINE COMPLETE PANCAKE MIX	32 OZ. BOX	\$1.19
SHURFINE REG./LITE WAFFLE SYRUP	24 OZ. SQZE. BTL.	\$1.19
SHURFINE HOT COCOA MIX	10 CT. BOX	99¢
SHURFINE ASSTD. FROSTED TOASTER PASTRIES	11 OZ. BOX	99¢
SHURFINE NAT./BUTR MICR. POPCORN	3 PK. CTN.	\$1.29
SHURFINE COFFEE CREAMER	22 OZ. JAR	\$1.49

SHURFINE REG./NAT. APPLESAUCE	25 OZ. JAR	89¢
SHURFINE REG./LITE HLV BART PEARS	16 OZ. CAN	79¢
SHURFINE APPLE CIDER OR APPLE JUICE	64 OZ. JUG	\$1.89
SHURFINE FANCY TOMATO JUICE	46 OZ. CAN	99¢
SHURFINE VEG. COCKTAIL JUICE	46 OZ. CAN	\$1.29
SHURFINE CUT ASPARAGUS SPEARS	15 OZ. CAN	99¢
SHURFINE SM. WHOLE/FANCY SLICED BEETS	2 16 OZ. CAN	89¢
SHURFINE FRCH SLD GRN BEAN/ SWEET PEAS FANCY	2 16-17 OZ. CANS	99¢
SHURFINE MIXED VEGETABLES TOMATOES WHOLE PEELED	2 16 OZ. CAN	99¢
SHURFINE WHITE/GOLDEN HOMINY	3 15 OZ. CAN	99¢
SHURFINE CHOC. COAT BRIDGE MIX	5.5 OZ.	\$1.19
SHURFINE CHOC. MALT MILK BALLS	5 OZ.	\$1.19
SHURFINE CHOC. STARS/ PEANUT CLUSTER	5 OZ.	\$1.19
SHURFINE CHOC. COVERED P.NUT/ RAISIN	5 5.5 OZ.	\$1.19

QUANTITIES IN TEXAS AND COLORADO

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OCT. 27-NOV. 2, 1991



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Banks

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increase of \$4,388,138. At the end of September 1990, loans totaled \$16,769,000 as compared to \$21,157,138 at the closing of September 1991.

Security State Bank in Farwell also showed an increase in deposits and loans. Deposits were \$52,338,000 at the end of September this year as compar-

ed to the 1990, deposits of \$46,000,000 reflecting an increase of \$6,338,000.

Loans also showed an increase of \$4,210 from \$9,200,000 at the closing of September 1990, to \$13,410,000 at the end of September 1991.

Deposits at Friona State Bank at the closing of September 1991, were \$65,492,613 as compared to \$60,331,000 at the end of September 1990 reflecting an increase of \$5,161,613.

Loans were also increased \$2,470,046 from \$39,375,000 at the end of September 1990 to \$41,845,046 at the closing of September 1991.

Deposits and loans at First National Bank in Sudan both showed a decrease at the end of September 1991 over the 1990's totals. Deposits were \$8,067,716 at the end of September this year as compared to \$8,771,000 at the closing of September 1990 reflecting a decrease of \$703,284.

At the closing of September 1991, loans were \$5,827,935 as compared to \$5,985,000 in 1990, reflecting a decrease of \$157,065 for this same period.

A representative of Earth First Bank, First Bank of Dimmitt and First Bank of

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Those having a total of 16 points include: Tom Burgess, R.G. Wilson, D. Wade Cargile, Alma Orozco and Richard Orozco.

Jimmie Carpenter, Keith Hicks and Barry Lewis, all have a total of 10 points. A number of others have from four to six points.

Keep those entries coming in even if you only have a second or third place win, or no points at all, you could still be the winner of the grand prize.

Costumes...

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In the Most Comical category Jessica Bachica--Aunt Jemima, first place; Tyler Black---3 Monkeys, See, Hear and Speak No Evil, second; and Trent Black---Captain Ship Wreck, third.

Fanciest: Dustin Lewis---Elvis Presley's Ghost, first; Jamie Carpenter---Princess, second; and Kinsee Estep---Futuristic Homecoming Queen, third.

Most Original: Christopher Bachica---Dragon, first; Tyler Black---3 Monkeys, See, Hear, and Speak No Evil, second; and Jessica Bachica---Aunt Jamima third place.

Seagraves explained to the Journal that since the merger of the Seagraves Bank, there could be no comparison of this year and 1990's loans and deposits. Deposits of the banks were \$88,975,471 and loans were \$63,644,643.

Report From Larry Combest

Congress was originally entrusted with making the laws of the land based on a very logical assumption. The framers of the Constitution reasoned that, as people subject to the laws they passed, Congress would not pass laws they would not want to live under themselves. That is still a valid concept, unfortunately Congress has swayed from the founders' intentions and blatantly exempted itself from coverage of the most basic freedoms and rights.

In 1933, the U.S. Congress, the legislative branch of the federal government which employs tens of thousands of workers, exempted itself from the Social Security Act. Congress has kept itself immune from laws passed by Congress to investigate violations of: The National Labor Relations Act, the Minimum Wage Act of 1938, the Age Discrimination Act of 1967, The Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972, Title 9 of the Higher Education Act Amendments, The Age Discrimination Act Amendments of 1975 and the Ethics in Government Act of 1978.

In the old office buildings of the House of Representatives, lead in the drinking water exceeds federal standards, but unlike any other place of business, the water flows unchecked by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The Architect of the Capitol employs carpenters and craftsmen who have three times the national average of on-the-job injuries, yet the Occupational Health and Safety Administration (OSHA)--the agency in charge of safety in the American workplace--has never fined the Office of the Architect. While American businesses struggled with complex Fair Labor Standards Act definitions of overtime and supervisory wage standards, Congress found the rules too burdensome and exempted almost all of its employees from overtime and minimum wage provisions.

Why the special treatment? The constitutional concept of Separation of Powers keeps the Legislative, Executive and Judicial branches of government from dictating to one another. Separation of Powers also protects the Legislative Branch of Congress from retaliation of agencies within the other branches of government that might wish to influence or obstruct the workings of the legislature. The Separation of Powers is a practical and necessary concept, yet Congress has separated itself from the laws it requires many businesses to abide under.

In a world of its own, exempt from the laws it makes, no wonder the U.S. Congress is sometimes referred to as "The Last Plantation." I believe that reputation must change. The "Congressional Accountability Act," which I am cosponsor of, requires Congress to abide by the rules and regulations imposed on others. The importance of Separation of Powers is preserved by requiring Congress to adopt these federal regulations for itself, and then allow violations to be heard in a federal courtroom. When the First Amendment of the U.S. constitution listed the institutions of religion, free speech and assembly as protected rights with the words, "Congress shall make no law..." it made Congress the protector, not the protected. Congress should live by the laws it makes.

Correct

Teacher: "Mary, what important event took place in 1732?"

Mary: "George Washington was born."

Teacher: "Correct Henry what happened in 1742?"

Henry: "George was 10 years old."

Lazbuddie Students Of Month

SEPTEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Susan Marie Alcalá is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe V. Alcalá. She is a senior attending Lazbuddie High School. She is a member of the National Honor Society, Future Homemakers of America, Student Council, and Band. She enjoys playing her clarinet, listening to music, drawing, and having fun with friends.

Stacey Barber is the 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barber. He is the captain of the Football team, participates in basketball and golf. He is the Senior class president, and is the president of the Student Council. He is also a member of the National Honor Society. He is active in UIL Literary and Academic events and the One-Act Play. He is a member of the Technology Students Association. After school Stacey plans to go to college and study in the field of communications.

JUNIOR HIGH SEPTEMBER STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Adolfo Mata is the son of Jose and Maria Mata. He participates in Academic UIL events, sports, and band. He enjoys weight lifting. His favorite subject is Math.

Dawn Weir is the daughter of Doyle and Debbie Weir. She enjoys playing basketball, running track, and cross country. She also enjoys raising and showing pigs. She has one brother, Dustin. Her favorite colors are pink, purple, and blue. Her favorite TV shows are *The Young Riders* and *The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air*. Her favorite college is Texas A&M University. After high school she plans to attend college and study to become a marine biologist or a veterinarian.

OCTOBER STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Gina Jarman is the sophomore daughter of Gene Paul and Coralynn Jarman. She is an honors student at L.H.S. She participates in Basketball, Golf, and Cross Country. In her spare

time she enjoys playing the piano, listening to music and hanging out with her friends.

It's an honor to be nominated for Student of the Month. I have many interests which occupy my time. I am a member of the Muleshoe Church of Christ and enjoy activities there. At school I maintain an "A" average and try to participate in all the activities I can. I am a captain on the football team, run cross-country, and I will play basketball and run track later on in the year. I am also involved in extemporaneous speaking, theatre, and other literary events. I am also a member of the National Honor Society and FFA. My plans for life after graduation are to attend either the University of Texas or the Naval Academy and study Aerospace Technology and Psychology. My career plans are to become an aviator in either the Navy or Marine Corps. I have enjoyed being a new student at Lazbuddie High School. I've met many new and interesting people since I've been here--and

I'm proud to be a Longhorn!

Submitted by Terry D. Darling

OCTOBER STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Kimberly Smith is the 13 year old daughter of Tim and Debbie Smith, and granddaughter of Betty Smith. She is attending the 8th grade in Lazbuddie Jr. High. Her hobbies include reading and baby-sitting. Her favorite color is purple.

Josh Warren is the son of Phil and Gwen Warren. He enjoys playing football, basketball, and also tennis. His favorite football team is the Dallas Cowboys. His hobbies include listening to music, collecting baseball and basketball cards and just messing around.

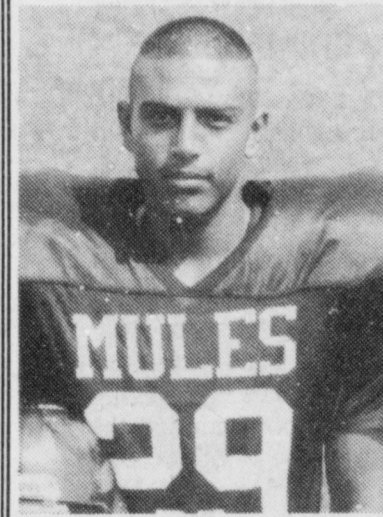
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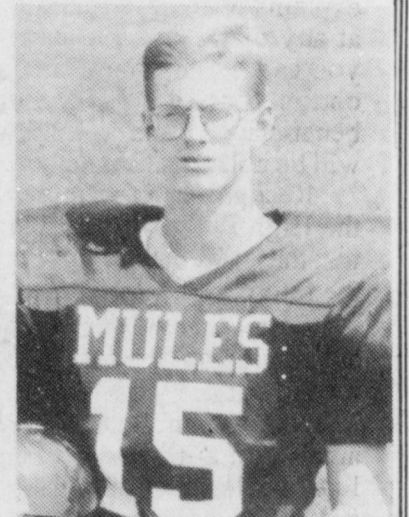
Following the business manager's report, the meeting was adjourned and the board members went into executive session.

Muleshoe High School

Players of the Week Muleshoe-Floydada game



29-Ramiro Alarcon



15-Brian Rasco

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new car for the Sheriff's Department.

8. Discuss taking bids on Lawn Care.

9. Write letter to Senator Montford concerning the highway located between FM Hwy 54 and FM Hwy 298 leading to Three Way School.

10. Approve the job description for the position of Maintenance Engineer.

11. Discuss hiring of Maintenance Engineer.

12. Approve soil conservation worksheets.

13. Discuss changing the date of the meeting scheduled for the last working day of November.



Scramble Golf Tournament at the Morton Country Club Saturday, November 2, 1991 10 a.m. - till

To sign-up, contact the Country Club at 266-5941 or Randy Debusk at 266-8830.

Sponsored by the Morton Volunteer Fire Department



We Would Like To Crow!

Brian Kirby Had Our First Bale For 1991!



FIRST BALE GINNED---The Bailey Gin Co. would like to congratulate Brian Kirby for bringing in the first bale of cotton for 1991. Brian farms 6 miles north of Maple. The bale weighed 550 lbs. with 860 lbs. of seed. Kirby planted Paymaster 145 and yielded a 51-32-37 grade cotton iwth 25.4 strength with a 24.9 turnout. Peanut Hawkins, Mgr. is shown, on the left, congratulating Brian Kirby for bringing in the gin's first bale for 1991. (Journal Photo)

Bailey Gin Co.

Peanut Hawkins, Mgr.





LUBBOCK, Friday, October 18, 1991

The 1991 High Plains Cotton Breeders' Tour held October 15-16 featured visits to eight High Plains cotton breeding research facilities. About 50 people attended the two-day event.

Participants were given an opportunity to look at the efforts of seven area seed companies trying to ready new varieties with improved yield and quality characteristics. The tour also included a stop at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station for a tour of Dr. John Gannaway's research plots.

Seed companies visited by the tour included: Custom Ag Service, Lorraine; Holland Cotton Seed Co., Big Spring; Dunn Seed Co., Seminole; Cargill Hybrid Seed Company, Aiken; Levelland Delinting Company, Levelland; Brownfield Seed and Delinting Co., Brownfield; and Seedco Corp., Lubbock.

Gannaway's research is aimed at improving the quality of cotton grown on the High Plains and to develop cotton varieties specifically suited to the growing conditions found here. Gannaway's research is funded by the Plains Cotton Improvement Committee (PCIC). Each of the seven breeding facilities visited by the tour are using material from Gannaway's project to develop new cotton varieties.

The PCIC was formed in 1983 by Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) and funds Gannaway's research through a 10-cent per bale assessment collected at area compresses.

"Producers on the High Plains are serious about improving the quality of the cotton they produce," explains Myrl D. Mitchell, PCIC Chairman. "Look at any of the area's cotton breeding programs and you can see a commitment to developing quality cotton for High Plains producers. The ultimate beneficiary of this research will be the producer who will be able to take advantage of the new varieties."

Recognizing the improvements being made on the High Plains several textile mills have indicated that they will be buying more cotton from the area in the future.

Lester Smith, of Cone Mills in Greensboro, NC, acknowledged the efforts of High Plains producers recently at the West Texas Flow/Marketing Meeting in Lubbock on October 17. Smith commended the area's commitment to developing new technology like the High Volume Instrument classing (HVI) system and the continuing effort to improve the quality of cotton through the Plains Cotton Improvement Program.

Smith explained that Cone Mills expects to purchase as much as 400,000 bales of High Plains cotton in 1991-92 as a direct result of these efforts. Approximately 225 individuals representing various business segments involved in moving cotton to market attended the meeting.

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Weather conditions over the past two weeks have allowed the High Plains crop to make significant progress according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG). Harvesting is beginning in several areas across the High Plains and first reports indicate quality factors are holding up well.

Reports from the Lubbock classing office show 3,123 bales of High Plains cotton have been classed through October 17. Strength is averaging 28.85 grams per tex (g/tex) with 38.4 percent of the bales recording a strength of 29.5 g/tex or better. Length measurements, in 32nds of an inch, have averaged 32.79. Micronaire has averaged 33.74, through October 17.

Reports from the USDA Classing office in Lamesa, TX, show strength averaging 27.59 g/tex. Only 1.7 percent of the cotton classed at Lamesa has fallen below the 24-25 g/tex base range included in this year's loan schedule. Length is averaging 33.8. Micronaire readings are averaging 38.13. The Lamesa office had classed 2,171 bales through October 17.

Grade distributions at the two offices show that of the 5,294 bales classed to date by the two offices: 14.7 percent have graded 31; 35 percent have graded 41; and 18.4 percent have graded 51.

Three Way News
by: Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Several men from the community went to Needmore for a Soil Conservation meeting and meal Thursday.

Kay Kindle went to visit her daughter and mother in Roswell, New Mexico Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Kindle went fishing for a few days at Lake Stanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dolle and Darla went to Woodrow Saturday for an Aunt's birthday party.

Jo Ann Tucker went with her parents to Ruidoso, New Mexico to the Cowboy Symposium.

George Tyson visited his daughter, the Tommy Durham's Wednesday.

Caton Tyson visited his uncle George Tyson Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bud Huff and Rev. Rodger Foot served cake and punch and sang to the residents of the nursing home at Morton Thursday.

Mrs. Adolph Wittner took her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jim Emerson to Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sowder attended a meeting of the trustees of the Southern Baptist Brotherhood at Floydada Thursday night.

Doris Huff and Paula Foley took Mrs. H. W. Garvin to Lubbock to see a doctor on Thursday.

Mrs. Inez Clark of Shallowater is staying for a couple of weeks at her daughter's home, the Ted Simpson's.

George Tyson went to Lubbock and stayed a few days with his daughter the Tommy Durham's.

Mary Kindle and Paula Foley took Mrs. H.W. Garvin to Lubbock Tuesday to see the doctor.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,
The five people who came to Muleshoe representing the Texas Prison System were very favorably impressed with the large crowd which attended the Public Meeting at the High School Auditorium in regard to locating a minimum/maximum security facility (prison) in Muleshoe. The positive support shown was great, and they were pleased.

Certainly 300 new jobs and a payroll of \$6 million created by having the facility in Muleshoe would be a tremendous boost to our economy.

Another important step in getting the facility for Muleshoe will be a big voter turnout on Tuesday, November 5 to vote FOR Constitutional Amendment No. 4 which provides the method of statewide funding for the additional security facilities which will be built somewhere in Texas. This election gives all voters an opportunity to go to their voting place and vote their preference. The results will certainly be read by the decision-making board of the prison system. If we have an overwhelming vote FOR Constitutional Amendment No. 4, it will be another "feather in our

cap!" and another PLUS for Muleshoe!

I recently had the opportunity to visit with a lady who works in the hospital in Snyder where a prison is now operating. She said that their hospital was operating in the red until the prison came. They contracted services to the prison and now their hospital operates in the black. She said that it saved their hospital and did wonders for the economy of Snyder. Snyder is now asking for another prison!

They say that it is very hard to get one the first time it is applied for-but I believe that MULESHOE can do it! We re-opened our hospital against greater odds-we can do this too!!

Sincerely,
Nelda Merriott
300 South 1st
Muleshoe, Texas 79347

Perfect Person
Know how to give without hesitation, how to lose without regret, and how to acquire without meanness.
-Grit.

Definition
Collective bargaining: A man discussing clothes with his wife and teen-age daughter.
-Changing Times.

Time Tested
If you want a job done, give it to a busy man. He'll have his secretary do it.
-News, Krealite, Ia.

Texas Bavarean Festival
Nov. 1, 2, & 3

The Texas Bavarian Festival comes alive with music, magic, comedy, drama, and dancing on Nov. 1, 2, & 3 at the Pasadena Fairgrounds.

Visitors are welcome to shop among the arts and craft booths, watch master craftsmen demonstrate their skills, test their strength at a variety of games, mingle among street characters, and take a ride atop a camel's back or lift the spirits in a hot air balloon.

A special attraction is Claude von Droppendorf, a comic fool, who has juggled his flaming torches and razor-sharp knives from Texas to Scotland with a command performance for President Bush. In addition, to Claude, there will be magic by "Dizzard the Wizzard", belly dancing by "Isis and the Star Dancers" more fabulous juggling with the Juggling Schlamazels, clogging and foot stomping Juba style by "Movin Melvin", and the creative blends of jazz and a rock back beat of Cletic Stone, one of the most original fold groups in Texas.

The exciting range of talent continues throughout the festival grounds with strolling musicians and zany German characters. The Society for Creative Anachronism will stage harrowing sword fights and a

professional escape artist will try to break his record as he masters his task before a captivated audience.

An assortment of German and American foods, cooked fresh daily, will offer the visitor a taste from new and olde worlds. Authentic costumes will be available for rent to enhance the feeling of a German setting.

Gates open on Friday, Nov. 1 at 4 p.m. Dance until midnight in the BierGarten with German, Polka & Country bands, both Friday and Saturday. On Friday night there will be an "open microphone" during intermission for any aspiring performer who dares to expose his talents before a fresh audience. On Saturday, the festival opens at 9:00 a.m. A costume contest will be held for all ages at 3:00 p.m. Sunday hours are from 10:00 am to dusk.

Admission is \$4.00 for adults, children 6-12 - \$2.00. Proceeds benefitting the Avondale House for Autistic Children.

The doctrine that all men are, in any sense, or have been, at any time, free and equal, is an utterly baseless fiction.
-T.H. Huxley.

The doctrine of equality seldom embraces those who are worse off than its exponents.
-R.A. Piddington.

Report Of Condition
First Bank
Member F.D.I.C.

Consolidated Report of Condition of First Bank of Muleshoe
of Muleshoe, Texas and Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, a member of the Federal Reserve System
at the close of business September 30th, 1991, published in accordance with a call made by the
Federal Reserve Bank of this District pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Reserve Act.

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK First Bank of Muleshoe (1386) PO Box 565 Muleshoe, Texas 79347	STATE BANK NO. 2720-02
CITY Muleshoe	FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11 13 22965
COUNTY BAILEY	ZIP CODE 79347
STATE Texas	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE 09/30/1991

		Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
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ASSETS					
1	Cash and balances due from depository institutions		2	630	1 a
	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin				
	b. Interest-bearing balances		NONE		1 b
2	Securities		14	126	2
3	Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs			11	700
	a. Federal funds sold				3 a
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell			NONE	3 b
4	Loans and lease financing receivables				
	a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	29	060		4 a
	b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses		3	75	4 b
	c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve		NONE		4 c
	d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c)			28	685
5	Assets held in trading accounts			1	171
6	Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)			9	10
7	Other real estate owned				65
8	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies				NONE
9	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding				NONE
10	Intangible assets				102
11	Other assets				1
12	a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)			50	742
	b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)			N/A	12 b
	c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 12 a and 12 b)			50	742
LIABILITIES					
13	Deposits: a. In domestic offices:			45	368
	(1) Noninterest-bearing	7	279		13 a (1)
	(2) Interest-bearing	38	109		13 a (2)
	b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs:				
	(1) Noninterest-bearing				NONE
	(2) Interest-bearing				NONE
14	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:				
	a. Federal funds purchased				NONE
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase				NONE
15	Demanded notes issued to the U.S. Treasury				NONE
16	Other borrowed money				NONE
17	Liabilities on acceptances, executed and outstanding				NONE
18	Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits				NONE
19	Other liabilities				423
20	Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)			45	811
21	Limited life preferred stock				NONE
22	FORBIDDEN CAPITAL				
23	Preferred stock (if any) of shares outstanding				NONE
24	Common stock (if any) of shares:				
	a. Authorized				50,000
	b. Outstanding				50,000
25	Surplus				500
26	a. Undivided profits and capital reserves				2,431
	b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities				NONE
27	Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments				NONE
28	a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)				4,931
	b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)				N/A
	c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28 a & 28 b)				4,931
29	Total liabilities, limited life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28 c)				50,742
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:					
1	a. Standby letters of credit: Total				277
	b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a. conveyed to others through participations				NONE

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.

Maxine Donaldson, Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Maxine Donaldson
Signature of officer authorized to sign report

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and is true and correct.

Director: *John Smith*
Director: *Paul Wilbanks*
Director: *Paul Wilbanks*

State of Texas County of Bailey
Signed, sealed and subscribed before me this 18th day of October, 1991
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of the bank
My commission expires 11-2-91

Signature Notary Public



The infant mortality rate in Texas continued to decline while the number of live births increased in 1990, reflecting advances both in health care for pregnant women and in medical technology for newborns.

Health officials warn, however, against "false security" about the state's or the nation's decreasing infant death rates. In the worldwide effort to reduce infant mortality, at least 23 other developed countries have achieved lower infant mortality rates than has the U.S.

According to the Texas Department of Health's (TDH) Bureau of Vital Statistics, there were 8.0 infant deaths per 1,000 live births in 1990, an all-time low for the state. The lowest previous rate in Texas was 9.0 deaths per 1,000 live births in 1989.

There were 316,257 live births in Texas during the year, a 2.9 percent increase over births in 1989.

TDH's Dr. Patti Patterson said that government programs offering health care, nutrition and guidance to pregnant women played an important role in decreasing the deaths of Texas' newborns. Dr. Patterson is the pediatric consultant for TDH's Associateship for Family Health Services.

She explained that changes last year in federal Medicaid eligibility rules allowed some

The nature of things continually tends to the destruction of equality.

-J.J. Rousseau.

expectant mothers who had been reliant on state programs, or not receiving prenatal care at all, to qualify for federally funded health care. "Medicaid paid for nearly one-third of the total deliveries in Texas last year, dramatically expanding the numbers of women in prenatal programs," Dr. Patterson said.

"Medicaid began paying for services to some women formerly on the roles of TDH's Maternal and Child Health program. Therefore, TDH was able to serve more women who could not qualify for Medicaid, yet desperately needed prenatal help. Jointly, federal and state programs helped more Texas women to deliver healthier babies in 1990," she said.

"Although, expanded prenatal care for pregnant women contributed to the lower infant mortality rate, dramatic advances in neonatal care account for much of the improvement," Dr. Patterson said. "One major medical advance is the widespread use of surfactant, a chemical which speeds respiratory development among premature babies with underdeveloped lungs."

She added that more sophisticated neonatal intensive care units also have improved newborns' ability to survive, "although such care (as much as \$2,500 per day) is extremely expensive."

Although not all states yet have reported their infant mortality rates for 1990, Texas usually ranks about 18th in order of lowest infant mortality rates.

With a national infant mortality rate of 9.1 per 1,000 live births, the U.S. ranks 24th among developed countries with the lowest infant mortality rates. Of some 4 million babies born in the U.S. each year, about 40,000 die before their first birthdays. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services estimates that perhaps 10,000 of those deaths are preventable.

The best way to make every one poor is to insist upon equality of wealth.

-Napoleon.

Texas Oil & Gas Report

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) NMSO, has collected \$1,091,493 from the sale of oil and gas leases on public and acquired land in New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas. The totals include bonus bids, administrative fees, and first-year rentals for these leases. The oral auction was held on October 16, 1991, at the High Mesa Inn, in Santa Fe, NM. BLM offered 163 parcels totaling 121,113.82 acres of which 80 tracts, totalling 26,810.92 acres, were leased. The breakdown of bonus bids by state are:

New Mexico--60 parcels sold for \$930,018 for 24,386.84 acres; Oklahoma--6 parcels sold for \$68,610 for 958.08 acres; and Texas--13 parcels sold for \$40,838 for 1,306.00 acres. Kansas-1 parcel sold for \$6,400 for 160.00 acres.

The highest per-acre bid was paid by Doug Schutz, Santa Fe, NM, who bid \$900 per acre for 40 acres. Total collected for the parcel, located in Eddy County, NM, is \$36,135. The highest bid per parcel was paid by Meridian Oil Inc., Midland, TX, who bid \$485 per acre for 280 acres. Total collected for the parcel located in Lea County, NM, is \$138,600.

The leases are awarded for a period of 5 years and so long thereafter, as there is production in paying quantities. The government receives 12-1/2 percent royalty on production on these leases. The parcels not receiving a bid are available for noncompetitive filings at the BLM's Public Room, 120 South Federal Place, Santa Fe, NM. The next oil and gas auction is scheduled for January 22, 1992, in Santa Fe, NM.

The defect of equality is that we only desire it with our superiors.

-Henry Becque.

STATE CAPITAL

 HIGHLIGHTS
 By Lyndell Williams
 TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - The problem with cutting costs in state government is that "there are a lot of people in the middle who have built careers on making sure the system isn't efficient," says State Comptroller John Sharp.

Sharp made this observation in a speech to Texas county judges and commissioners last week where he outlined his plan to replace paper food stamps with a credit card system.

Instead of presenting food stamps at the grocery check-out, a person would use an "electronic benefits transfer card."

The system would prevent certain types of fraud as well as eliminate enough paper to save thousands of trees, Sharp said.

Sharp thinks other savings would follow as the state reduced its 300 full-time fraud investigators plus the courier services which deliver stamps to local offices.

"But I got calls from every timer company, every printer, every courier service and half the fraud investigators," he complained.

Lottery Or Budget Cut

Meanwhile, Sharp warned voters that if they fail to approve the proposed state lottery on the Nov. 5 ballot, it will be necessary to cut \$462 million from the state budget.

The comptroller wants to begin an instant scratch-off game by July, which he predicts would generate \$462 million in 14 months.

Lewis Drops One Suit

Texas House Speaker Gib Lewis has dropped one of two legal maneuvers to get an Austin judge removed from his pending misdemeanor ethics case.

Lewis, D-Fort Worth, also dropped his lawsuit against Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle, who presented the case to a grand jury that indicted Lewis 11 months ago.

The action came a few days before state District Judge Bob Perkins is scheduled to decide whether the criminal cases against Lewis should be transferred to a lower county court.

Tim Evans, Lewis' Fort Worth attorney, said last week's filing will not affect that decision. It involves only a separate request, filed three weeks ago by Lewis' Austin attorneys, that sought to remove Perkins from the case if he refused to approve the transfer.

"Gib Lewis has no quarrel with the judge. His quarrel is with Mr. Earle's prosecution, and he looks forward to the day when it is exposed to the scrutiny of a neutral jury," Evans said.

Term Limit on Ballot?

Amid frustration and anger toward Congress, a bipartisan group announced a petition drive to place on the Texas ballot a measure limiting politicians' terms in office.

Texans for Term Limitations, headed by Republican Rob Mosbacher and Democrat Jim Calloway, said the group will attempt to collect enough signatures to place a non-binding referendum on the March primary ballots of both major political parties.

"We need fresh people, and they should not all be white male lawyers," Mosbacher said. "They should be women, blacks, small business people, school teachers, union people, artists, all kinds of people."

Defeat of No. 7 Urged

Lane Zively, president of the non-union Texas Public Employees Association, urged voters in the Nov. 5 election to reject Proposition 7 allowing teacher and employee pension funds to be invested in real estate.

The State Teachers Association, the state's largest teachers' group, has taken no position on Proposition 7, but its president, Ollie Besteiro, also urges the amendment's defeat.

The Teachers Retirement System has invested in real estate since 1983, has foreclosed and taken over management of 10 buildings, will foreclose soon on two more, and has lost \$156 million in market value on its real estate holdings.

Bonner to Head TDC

Gov. Ann Richards last week appointed Cathy Bonner to serve as director of the Texas Department of Commerce.

Bonner, 41, former small business owner involved in marketing,

construction and cable television businesses, had served as interim director since April.

"Cathy Bonner has successfully restored the credibility and accountability of the TDC," Richards said. "She will continue to provide the leadership needed to do what this agency was meant to do — bring jobs to Texans."

One day earlier, Gov. Richards appointed Vernon Faulconer of Tyler to the board that oversees the agency.

Faulconer, 52, an independent oil and gas producer, replaces Ernesto Ancira Jr. of San Antonio, who resigned from the board. The appointment, which expires Feb. 1, 1995, is subject to Texas Senate confirmation.

Other Highlights

■ The Texas League of Women Voters urged voters in the Nov. 5 election to reject Proposition 6 creating a state ethics commission, explaining it does not go far enough to clean up government.

■ In the Houston special election to succeed the late state Rep. Larry Evans, first-time candidate Garnet Coleman upset Jew Don Boney, 53 percent to 47 percent.

Scholarship Foundation Sets Deadline

High school students who are U. S. citizens and who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by December 14 from Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, P.O. Box 5002, Lake Forest, IL 60045-5002. To receive an application, students should send a note stating their name, address, city, state, zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation. All requests for applications will be fulfilled on or about January 15, 1992. One hundred winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extra-curricular activities and need for financial aid.

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-St. Augustine.

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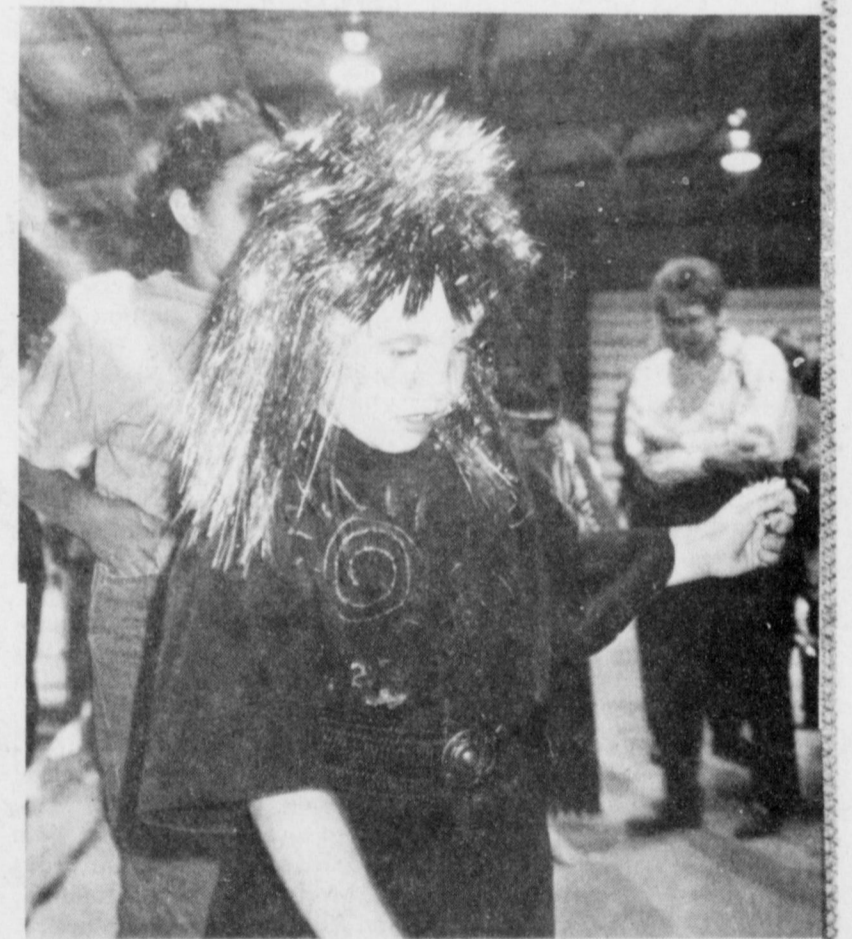
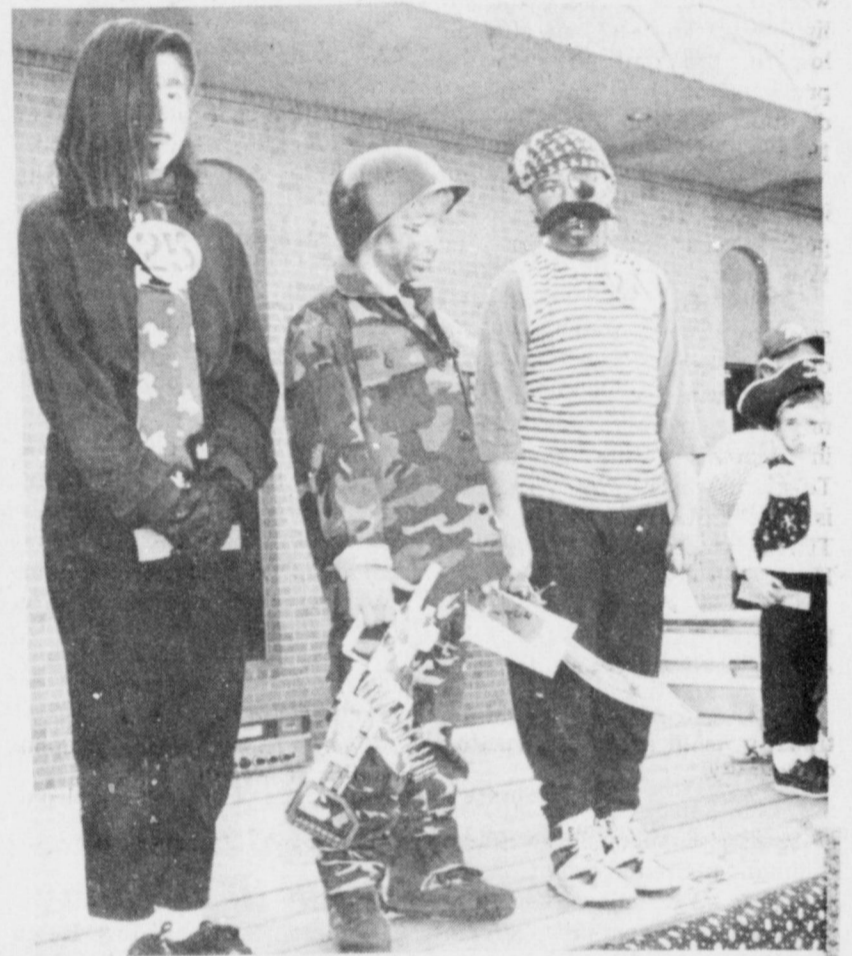
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Sales Tax Permit Fee

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"New businesses that are scheduled to open their doors on or after October 1 and have already paid the \$25 sales tax permit fee, will have their money refunded," State Comptroller John Sharp says. "The same applies to existing businesses that have already filed to have their sales tax permit renewed on or after October 1." The refunds coincide with the

announcement that the annual \$25 sales tax filing fee paid to the Comptroller's Office is abolished, effective October 1.

"Not only will the \$25 fee be abolished, but we're also going to issue a sales tax permit to a business for an indefinite period of time. As long as they are making sales and sending their taxes to the state, businesses won't be required to renew those permits every year, as they are now," Sharp said.

According to Mickey Moore, president of the Texas Association of Retailers, merchants are delighted to see the permit fee abolished. "They felt all along that it was inappropriate to ask them to pay a fee for the privilege of collecting sales tax for the state," Moore said.

"Since it was first enacted by the Legislature in 1987, the \$25 annual sales tax permit fee has generated more mail from angry business people than any issue handled by this agency in the last 20 years," Sharp said.

"Hundreds upon hundreds of business owners were mad that they had to pay a \$25 fee every year to collect taxes for the State of Texas. It didn't make any sense to me either, but that was the law—a law that needed changing," he said.

"While the fee generated substantial state revenue—estimated at \$12.6 million in 1992 and \$14 million in 1993—it also generated more animosity among Texas business people toward state government than you can place a dollar value on," Sharp said.

Also eliminated is the requirement that sales tax permits be renewed annually. Beginning October 1, the permits will only be cancelled if a taxpayer reports no sales or taxable purchases to the state for a year's time, or if the business does not file its sales tax returns and remit the taxes collected to the state.



New federal regulations will affect all of about 750 municipal solid waste landfills in Texas within the next 24 months. However, state health officials said that details of how the new Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) standards will be applied locally are not yet defined.

T.A. Outlaw, chief of the Texas Department of Health's (TDH) Bureau of Solid Waste Management, said that the regulations inevitably will increase the costs of landfill operation nationwide. "There is little doubt," he said, "the compliance with the new rules will mean higher costs to the taxpayers. Presently, we cannot estimate what those costs will be. But it is probable that operating costs of some municipal landfills, especially those in smaller towns, may force some cities to seek alternatives."

He said that some cities may choose to close smaller local landfills and consolidate their waste disposal in regional sites. "Until we (TDH) have studies the regulations and consulted with EPA, we can't predict the rules' full impact," Outlaw said. He said that EPA expects to publish the new regulations in the *Federal Register* "within two to three weeks."

In the meantime, Outlaw said, landfill operators and local officials, many of whom have

waited since 1988 for the new standards to be set, have been calling his office for guidance. "At this point, there are many specific questions that none of the states can answer. Although EPA Administrator William Reilly signed the regulations Sept. 11, it may be several months before all their implications to Texas are clear."

He said that EPA now is scheduling meetings with their own regional personnel and state agency officials. His staff will not be versed in details of the standards until "mid-to-late October."

Until then, we are referring inquiries about the regulations to the EPA Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response (202) 260-4377," he added.

Outlaw said that the regulations (Subtitle D, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act) are meant to ensure uniform compliance among land fill operations nationwide. "The requirements affect the location, design, operation, closure and monitoring of all municipal landfills. They will stress protective measures against groundwater contamination, methane, hazardous wastes, and protection of surrounding property. They also stipulate what kinds

In general, the regulations apply to all municipal landfills that accept waste 24 months after the new rules appear in the *Federal Register*.

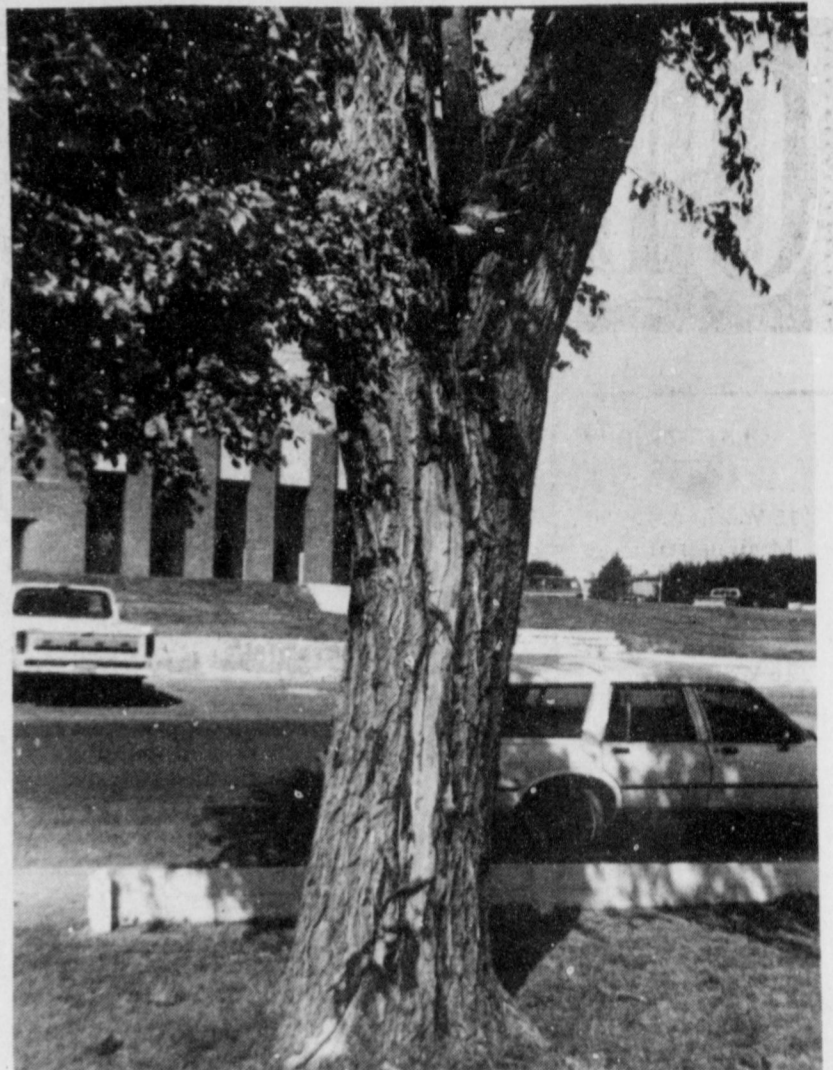
If a landfill stops accepting waste within 24 months of publication of the rules, its operator must comply with the new regulations for final closure of the site.

"Beyond these basics, we (TDH) can't yet advise callers about the EPA rules, although we soon should be able to know more," he said.

Takes An Expert

It takes a mighty good book-keeper to make a deficit look like a surplus.

-World, Tulsa, Okla.



SUNDAY AFTERNOON STORM—This tree in the yard of Mrs. B.C. Locke was struck by lightning Sunday afternoon about 4:30 to 4:45 p.m. Mrs. Locke told the Journal that the tree, which is about 10-15 feet from the house, was a ball of fire. It broke a window in the house and got her TV set. Mrs. Locke resides at 719 W. 3rd. (Journal Photo)

Top Ten Songs For The Week

1. *Keep It Between The Lines*/Ricky Van Shelton
2. *New Way To Light Up An Old Flame*/Joe Diffie
3. *Mirror, Mirror*/Diamond Rio
4. *Someday*/Alan Jackson
5. *Ball & Chain*/Paul Overstreet
6. *The Walk*/Sawyer Brown
7. *Anymore*/Travis Tritt
8. *Where Are You Now*/Clint Black
9. *I Thought It Was You*/Doug Stone
10. *Rodeo*/Garth Brooks

NOTES & NEWS

We'll all miss Tennessee Ernie Ford. A sad loss to Country Music. His hit song "Sixteen Tons" first appeared on the charts Nov. 2, 1955.

Other events in November include: Hank Williams elected to the Country Music Hall of Fame as its first member in 1961, Nov. 3...Johnny Horton died Nov. 5, 1960 in a car wreck in Central Texas.

We are currently organizing our Country Music Hall of Fame for Texas stars, anyone interested in this project please contact us.

We are looking for old records (78s), posters, pictures and information on Country Music in Texas in the 50s 60s.

Write to us for free membership & more information at P.O. Box 505, Salado, Tx. 76571.

Special Thank You to Floyd Tillman, a Great Texas Country Legend. We enjoyed hearing from you and your hit "Slippin' Around" remains a Country Classic, today...

City Police Report

OCTOBER 5

Complaint of Burglary of a Motor Vehicle, total value-\$515.00

Complaint of Sexual Assault, rape

OCTOBER 6

Arrested, a 26 yr. old male individual for Assault (Class B)-Family Violence

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Helen Pruitt Funeral Services To Be Held Today

Funeral services for Helen Irene Pruitt, 84, of Muleshoe will be held at 4 p.m. today in Richland Hills Baptist Church with the Rev. Gerald Pepper, pastor of Terrace Hills Baptist Church in Odessa and the Rev. Terry Taylor, pastor of Richland Hills Baptist Church, officiating.

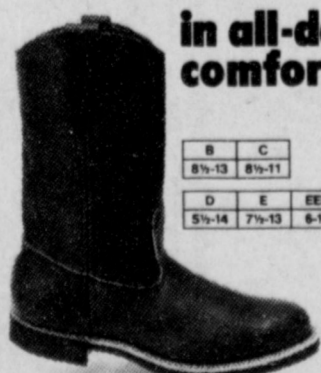
Burial will be in Muleshoe Memorial Park and will be directed by Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Pruitt died at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday in Muleshoe Area Health Care Center after a brief illness.

She was born in Bowie and moved from Reed, Okla., to Muleshoe in 1930. She married William Charlie Pruitt on April 12, 1925, in Mangum, Okla. He died in 1978. She was a homemaker and a member of the Muleshoe Senior Citizens and Richland Hills Baptist Church.

Survivors include seven sons, William Jr. of Jacksonville, Odessa and Jimmy Earl, both of Falmouth, Va., Jasper of Houston, Howard of Cretna, La., Carroll of Odessa and Jarrell of Muleshoe; two daughters, Mary Byford and Carolyn Gross, both of Odessa; a sister, Mae Pruitt of Morton; 31 grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren.

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CPM 453-2-13, CPM 453-5-9,
CPM 461-7-10, CPM 563-1-8,
CPM 637-1-7, CPM 721-1-11,
CPM 721-1-12, CPM 783-1-64,
CPM 806-2-17, CPM 806-1-9,
CPM 820-8-4, CPM 820-9-7,
CPM 880-4-18, CPM 881-7-4,
CPM 933-1-25, CPM 959-2-6,
CPM 968-1-3, CPM 968-2-3,
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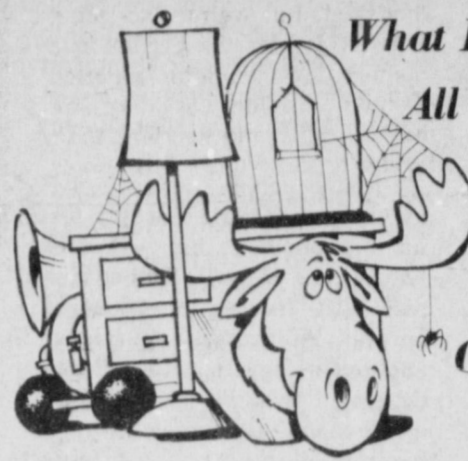
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pleasure, are some simple tips to
help parents prompt their children
to read for pleasure every day:

- Take children to the library. Let them find out about all the wonderful kinds of books available.

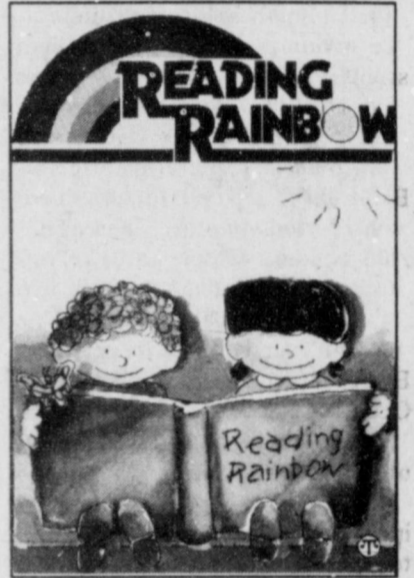
- Help children find reading materials—books, pamphlets, newspapers, magazines—on subjects about which they're curious and discuss these interests together.

- Surround children with books. Children who see their parents read at home and who live in a home full of reading materials, learn to respect the value of books and the written word.

- Help children identify and then look up their favorite TV shows. Encourage them to watch high quality children's TV shows to help stimulate their minds as well as entertain.

- Continue reading aloud on a regular basis to children, even those who have learned to read to themselves.

- Turn ordinary shopping trips into reading adventures. Read the information on product labels with your youngsters. Ask them to read out loud the brand names they rec-



A favorite public television program motivates children to read for pleasure.

ognize on the shelves.
•Encourage children to become aware of how print is used in their everyday environment—through signs, cereal boxes, toy instructions, etc.

Reading Rainbow offers a booklist with author, illustrator and publisher information on the more than 300 books featured in the series. This great family resource is available for \$2.50 by sending a check or money order to: Reading Rainbow Booklist, P.O. Box 80669, Lincoln, Nebraska 68501.

"Reading Rainbow" airs year-round, five days a week. Check local PBS program listings to find out exact air dates and times.

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PRICE REDUCED-IMMACULATE 3-2-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, newly remodeled kitchen, FP, sunken lv. area w/cathedral ceiling, ceiling fans, earhtone carpets, storage !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

3-3-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, Spklr. sys., storage-wkshp., fenced yd., much more!!!!!!!!!!

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3-3-1CP HOME, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, spacious lv. area, loads of closets & storage, cov. patio, fenced yd., 2 st. bldgs.!!!!!!

3-2-2 Brick, Heat pump, FP built-ins, fenced yd. Much More. \$30's!!!!

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NICE 3-2 Home, nicely remodeled, heat pump, built-ins, carpet, fenced yd., storage bldg. & more!!! \$20's!!!!

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3-2-1 Home, wall furnace, window evap. fenced yd. \$20's!!!!

Nice 3-1-1, heat pump, nice carpets, fenced yd. Much More. \$30's Price Reduced LENAUE ADD.

3-2-1 + 2CP HOME, storm windows & doors, built-ins, fans, MUCH MORE!!!!

3-1 Home, Corn. IN CONTRACT turn., fenced yd. \$20's

Nice 4-2-2 Carport Home, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, Cent. Vac., Office, Sewing area, fenced yd. \$30's

3-2-1 CP, heat pump, heated pool, fenced yd. storage bldg., \$30's!!!!!!!!!!

NICELY REMODELED 3-2-1 Brick, Cent. heat, built-ins, MUCH MORE. \$30's!!!!

JUST LISTED-3-1 1/2-1 Home, Cent. heat, evap. air, nice carpets, cov. patio, fenced yd. st. bldg!!!!!!

2-2-2 Brick, Cent., A&H, built-ins, FP, spklr. sys., fenced yd. Price Reduced!!!!

VERY NICE 3-2-2 Brick, 3,000+ sq. ft. of lv. area incl. nice finished basement, built-ins, geothermal A&H energy-eff., loads of closet & storage, on 7.86 acres, fence, stock tank, sideroll, & many more amenities, close to town

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3-2-2 carport Brick on 2 acres at edge of town, possible owner financing. \$40,000!!!!

NICE 3-2-1 Home on 1 acre close to town, Cent. Heat, Evap. Air, Nice Carpets, Remodeled. \$30's!!!!

NICE 3-2-2 Brick on 1 ac. tract on hwy. close to town, Cent. A&H, built-ins, fenced yd. & more!!! Make Offer.

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Just listed-2 bedroom, 1 bath, carport, large utility room and large storage attached. Carpet. Highland Addition. \$20,000.00. ***

2 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 car garage, fireplace, fenced yard, carpet, Lenau Addition \$15,000.00. ***

Spacious 2 bedroom, 2 bath with one car garage. Fireplace. Ready to move in. ***

New listing-2 bedroom, 1 bath, redone for qualified buyer. ***

3 bedroom, 2 bath, carport, spacious home outside city limits near city on highway. Lot is 85' X 402'. Metal building is 29' by 40'. Great setup for workshop. ***

FOR LEASE - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, carpet, spacious living area, fenced yard. Near high school. ***

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY
Ideal location on West American Blvd. 150' highway frontage. A great business opportunity. ***

Brick veneer restaurant 150 seating. Over 5000 sq. ft. with modern equipment. Ready for operation. Located on U.S. Highway 84 in Muleshoe. 7,000 sq. ft. paved parking. Excellent financing available for qualified buyer. ***

West American Boulevard 150' frontage. Priced to sell. ***

Commercial building 30'x52' located on 12th Street. Lot is 97' x 140' and paved. Come by for appointment to see. ***

LAND
150 acre irrigated farm with sprinkler on highway NW of Muleshoe. Allotted acres with good yields. Two wells. Corners are in CRP. Owner financed. ***

240 acres irrigated farm South of Lazbuddie with sprinkler. Excellent water. 98 acres in CRP. Three wells. Owner financed. ***



Texas 4-H Membership Up Another 10 Percent

Membership in 4-H, Texas' largest youth organization, has surged to nearly half a million this year.

Enrollment in the 4-H Youth and Development program increased from more than 402,400 to over 446,000—a 10 percent gain since September 1990. This follows a 30 percent jump from the previous year.

"The 1990 census figures indicate that Texas has a little more than 4 million young people, ages 5 to 19, who are eligible for 4-H," said Dr. Nelson Jacob, 4-H and youth development specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"The recent increase means that 4-H is reaching 11 percent-one out of every 10 youth in the state."

"When you add the 60,000 plus 4-H adult volunteers to the total 446,000 youth enrollment, we are impacting half a million people a year," said Dr. Lynne Thibodeaux, assistant director of the Extension 4-H and Youth Development program.

"I think several factors have contributed to this increase," she said. "People are recognizing that youth in general are in a crisis situation, and they're making more efforts to get their children involved in the local programs."

Grants from various donors also have made it possible to initiate new programs. Counties are piloting youth-at-risk and literacy programs while others are being replicated to reach new audiences in the state.

"Also, we have started the Texas 4-H Clover Kids program designed for children in kindergarten through second grade," she said. "So much of our entire body of knowledge as adults actually is gained from infancy to about 8 years of age. That's why this audience is so important."

Already, 13 percent of 4-H youth are Clover Kids, Jacob said, although the program has only been started in about 50 counties.

Young people enroll in 4-H by joining a community or school-based 4-H club, by participating in a short-term special-interest group or by enrolling in a 4-H school curriculum enrichment project.

"Many people perceive 4-H as being just agriculture or just home economics, but 4-H goes far beyond that," Thibodeaux said. "It focuses on blending current information in science and technology to help children develop life skills so that they can become productive, contributing members of this society."

Whether individuals participate in agriculture, aerospace or entomology projects, they learn to make decisions, set goals, cope with setbacks and improve communication and leadership, she said.

Statistics show that 4-H membership appeals to a wide range of youth—5-year-olds to teens, rural and urban and all ethnic groups, Jacob said. In Texas, minority enrollment has increased to almost 40 percent. More than half of the members live in cities and suburbs, a third live in towns, and 13 percent live in rural areas and on farms.

The Extension 4-H and Youth Development program is reaching a significant number of children in the state, and is doing that with partners from all walks of life, Thibodeaux said.

"We have donors and others who want to invest in youth," she said. "We work with many local people who are involved in all types of coalitions. They partner with 4-H to reach these young people with positive programs."

Methodist Hospital Child Care Accredited

The Methodist Hospital Child Care Center recently was re-accredited by the National Academy of Early Childhood Programs (NAEYC). In October 1988, the Child Care Center became one of the first day care programs in the United States to be accredited by the NAEYC. The academy recognizes early childhood programs which meet national standards of quality.

The academy's standards were developed over a three-year period with input from approximately 200 educators and administrators from around the country. The accreditation process was originated in 1985 by NAEYC, which is the nation's oldest and largest association of early childhood professionals.

To become accredited, the Child Care Center had to meet a variety of strict criteria including, providing activities appropriate for children ages birth to 13, having a well-qualified and trained staff, having an adequate staff-to-child ratio, meeting stringent health and safety standards and having opportunities for parental involvement.

The accreditation process takes place every three years and includes an on-site study of the program and a review by a three-member national commission.

Methodist Hospital has provided child care for its employees since August 10, 1987.

Money Talk

by Kay Bailey Hutchison

Editor's Note: Texas State Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison answers questions about personal finance and state government. These questions are compiled from timely issues of concern facing Texas and Texans. Answers, however, are not intended to replace the advice of reputable financial advisers or other professional counselors.

As State treasurer, I have made debt management a top priority of my administration. Proposition 8 on the Nov. 5 ballot is consistent with my debt management proposals.

With that in mind, I have formed a steering committee to promote and encourage passage of Proposition 8. The steering committee is co-chaired by myself and the four state lawmakers who sponsored the legislation to place Proposition 8 on the Nov. 5 ballot.

Proposition 8 would require that future state debt-authorizing measures include a statement regarding the purpose of debt, amount of debt created and source of repayment.

Under Proposition 8, there is no change in the constitutional requirements for state debt

authorization. The state constitution would continue to require a two-thirds majority vote in each house of the State Legislature and a majority vote of the people for all general obligation debt.

Proposition 8 has the support of leading state legislators, the League of Women Voters of Texas, the Texas AFL-CIO and many newspapers across the state.

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If you have a question, write Texas State Treasury, P.O. Box 12608, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

Guerrero Opposes Pipeline Rules

Burner tip customers may not be able to get enough natural gas during severe cold weather periods and independent gas producers could be driven out of business if a proposed rule is adopted by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), warned Railroad Commission Chairman Lena Guerrero.

In a letter to FERC Chairman Martin Allday, Guerrero said parts of the rule, dubbed "Mega-NOPR," would make natural gas a less reliable and less competitive fuel, reduce markets for independent producers, and subject local distribution companies to the unreliable and erratic price spikes of the spot market for gas supplies needed to serve customers during peak winter demand periods.

"I am concerned that the Commission (FERC) may be losing sight of the public service aspect of its regulatory responsibilities," Guerrero said in her letter. "A major responsibility of the Commission is to ensure that all customers are served at all times and especially during periods of extremely cold weather."

Guerrero said the proposed rule would let pipelines split and charge separately for services which have traditionally been bundled together. That creates several major problems for gas consumers and producers:

Eliminating the bundled service and the "no-notice" delivery provisions it contains would make natural gas a less reliable and less competitive fuel for meeting peak day demand. That could reduce existing markets for a fuel already struggling to compete in the energy marketplace.

If interstate pipelines were no longer required to offer bundle service to local distribution companies it would eliminate a very important market for independent natural gas producers. Today, when such producers sell gas to an interstate pipeline, they thereby secure access to a share of the pipeline's market.

Limited market access will

reduce independents' ability to attract capital for new wells and reserve development, driving them out of business. That's critical in Texas where independent producers have been leaders in discovering new gas fields.

Without bundled sales service from pipelines, local distribution companies would have to look elsewhere for a dependable source of fuel to serve peak demands. They may be driven to construct expensive facilities to deal with peak demand periods when many pipelines are already designed to perform the necessary peaking service.

Locksmith Provides Checklist To Improve Home Security

How secure is your home? Even if you think you know the answer to this question, certified master locksmith Larry Viaille recommends adding home security to your fall home improvement routine.

"People should check their locks and other security measures periodically to be sure everything is working correctly," said Larry Viaille, owner and operator of Lubbock Lock & Key, Inc. "Although this should ideally be done more than once a year, preparing for the fall and winter is traditionally a time when people check their homes for repairs."

According to Viaille, one particularly vulnerable area is the garage. Even the most security-conscious homeowner sometimes overlooks the door leading from the garage to the home.

"Often, homeowners are not as careful about securing the garage door because they assume that the locking mechanism on the overhead garage door is enough to keep intruders out," Viaille said.

In addition, Viaille suggests other areas which can be added to any home security checklist, including:

- Prune shrubs regularly. This eliminates a potential hiding place for intruders. Also, anyone trying to break into doors or windows will be seen from the street.
- Check the function of all locks. Do they feel loose? Do you have to jiggle the key to make it work? Is the key hard to turn? According to Viaille, these are all symptoms of a malfunctioning lock.
- Replace burned-out light bulbs in outdoor lighting. Thieves are often discouraged by brightly-lit areas.
- Keep the locks clean. Fall often brings high winds, which can blow dust and dirt into a lock. If your area is plagued by dust storms, using powdered lubricants instead of oil-based, which can attract dust, can eliminate clogged locks.

"Regular inspections are very important," Viaille noted. "Pre-

ventative maintenance is the key to avoiding future problems."

Viaille added that during October, Lubbock Lock & Key will be giving away free home security checklists as a part of Lock In Safety Month, a national crime awareness event sponsored by the Associated Locksmiths of America.

Senator Phil Gramm Reports

U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm is urging all Americans to "thank a veteran" on Veterans Day, Nov. 11, for the service that millions of vets have rendered to America.

"On Veterans Day, we honor the brave men and women who have answered the nation's call, who have gone all over the world to defend our freedom," Gramm said.

"I hope you will join me in remembering the 600,000 Americans who died for our freedom in this century and to join me in thanking the tens of millions who have served," he said.

"Like all of us, they had their individual lives which they left to stand up for America. They left their families, their schools, their jobs and sent far away and served with distinction. Many faced combat and they fought with courage and pride.

"From Operation Desert Storm to the Revolutionary War, millions of Americans put on the uniform of our nation and pledged their lives to the ideal that is America," Gramm notes.

The senator said that "all of us can remember and honor those who have served and all of us can commit ourselves to the highest ideals for which they fought by working to make America the greatest country in the world."

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