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In The Constitutional Amendments, printed in the Sunday's edition of the Bailey County Journal under Section 1, it should have read, Not later than December 31, 1993 (not December 21, 1993) the commissioner of education will adopt a plan for the consolidation of school districts, to be effective with the 1994-95 school year. The plan shall meet the following requirements.

2.) Should have read, Each district with less than 1600 students in average daily attendance that contains less than 300 square miles shall be consolidated one or more districts to create a single contiguous district that has at least 2,000 students.

The Jennyslippers will sponsor skating tomorrow night, Friday, April 16 at the Bailey County Coliseum from 7 to 9 p. m. Admission will be \$1 per skater.

Missing something!!!! Kevin Smith, manager of the Bailey County Civic Center reported that a number of items have been left at the coliseum over the past few

These items may be picked up at the Civic Center or you may call 272-4051.

The civic center is open each day from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:30 to 4:30.

American Host families are being sought for high school students from Western and Eastern Europe, Asia, South America, and Australia for the 1993-94 school year in a program sponsored by the American Intercultural Student exchange

These exceptional students, ages 15 through 18, will arrive in the United States in August, 1993, attend a local high school, and return to their home countries in June of 1994. The students, all fluent in English, have been screened by the local representatives in their home countries, and have their own medical insurance and

spending money. Host families participating in this program may deduct \$50 per month for income tax purposes.

For further details call 1-800-SIBLING.

The Twenty-Third Annual Exhibitation Slaton Art Show sponsored by the Women's Division of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce will be held May 15 at Slaton's Texas Avenue Opery House-Community Cont. Page 6, Col. 1,



RED RAIDER DAY IN MULESHOE ---- Spike Dykes and Joe Sowder are getting ready to Tee-Off, while Spikes was in Muleshoe for Red Raider Day at the Muleshoe Country Club Tuesday. Dykes is head coach at Texas Tech University.

#### TWC Water Rules Shift **Toward Conservation**

The Texas Water Commission has adopted new water conservation regulations designed to reduce per capita municipal water use by 10 percent over the next five years and by 15 percent by the year 2020.

"These new rules make Texas a national leader in water conservation," said TWC Chairman John Hall. "They will save Texans

Water conservation is quickly gaining acceptance as the best way of extending the limited water resources of Texas. The growing scarcity of water resources requires a shift in planning from water development to water management.

Expanding water resources with reservoir construction is about three times more expensive than water obtained through observation methods. The new rules could save an estimated one billion dollars by preventing the need for six additional reservoirs in Texas over the next 50 years.

The current per capita municipal water use in Texas is about 175 gallons per day. Achievement of the TWC conservation goal would lower that one to 158 gallons by 1998. That would save 400,000 acre-feet per year, or roughly the annual amount used by the City of Dallas Water Utilities System.

There are multiple benefits from water conservation. In addition to extending available water supplies, conservation can also help extend water and wastewater utility capacity, reduce energy sumption, and reduce sources of water pollution.

The rules were developed over a two-year period. There was an extended public comment period last year, and in January additional comments were received at a public hearing. In all, twenty different groups from the private and public sectors suggested changes, some of which were incorporated in the new

While previous regulations dating back to 1985 require municipal water users to submit conservation plans, the new rules establish specific minimum requirements, including:

Goals for per capita water use, Public education programs, Drought management plans, A universal metering program, Leak detection and repair programs, Rate structures that discourage excessive water use, Coordinated reservoir management within common water-sheds, and Enforcement programs.

The new rules are expected to be published in the Texas Register next week. They will take effeçt twenty days after publication.

#### Early Voting

Early voting for the Special May Election began Monday morning and will continue until April 27.

You may Vote Early at the following locations.

CITY COUNCIL-Districts 3 and only: City Hall 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. SCHOOL BOARD- Districts 2,3 and 5 only: School

Administration Building, 514 West

Avenue G, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. MULESHOE AREA **HOSPITAL BOARD-Districts 2** and 4 only, School Administration Building and the Lazbuddie School. Voting hours for Muleshoe voters will be the same as School Board

On May 1, the polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

## **Bailey County Water Level Shows Decline**

Bailey County ground water represents a decrease of 16,850 acrelevels declined an average of 0.32 of a foot in 1992, in the measured wells of the network of 80 privately-owned wells maintained by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 in its 351.050 acre service area within the county. This decline

feet of water from storage in the Ogallala Aquifer last year in the portion of Bailey County within the Water District boundaries.

Ground water levels within the Water District's Bailey County service area declined 0.31 of a foot during the 10-year period from

## Coach Spike Dykes Speaks To Rotarians

Sam Harlen gave the prayer and Bruce Purdy led the Rotarians in the pledge at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club Tuesday noon. Following a meal served by Jackie Denim and assistant Lori Hall, guests Spike Dykes, Randy Adair, Debbie Hutto, Dr. Dale Drennan, Boris Wattis, and Jeff Styles were introduced. Terry Hutto led the group in singing Vive le Rotary and the Battle Hymn of the Republic.

Bruce Purdy, in charge of the program, turned it over to Max King, who introduced guest speaker, Spike Dykes, Texas Tech University coach.

Coach Dykes gave a self-esteem program on the way to achieving goals, and feeling good about He told several yourself. interesting stories about experiences he has been subjected to, one being a trip to Montgomery, Ala. to coach the blue and grey game. It being Christmas day with nothing to do, the team, along with Coach Dykes and his wife, visited the Children's Hospital for the Blind. He said everyone should have the opportunity to experience that sort of trip, and told Rotarians to "don't ever fail to appreciate what you've got". Dykes went on to say that we all need dreams, and the secret to success are the "ABC's" (ambition, believe,

#### Christian Center Church To Hold Conference

The Christian Center Church will hold a Holy Gost and Fire conference on April 18 through 21. Special guest speaker will

be Harry Gray of Portales, N.M., an inspirational and motivation speaker.

Featured music will be by the Anchor Brothers Band from Sudan. Services will be held at 6 p.m. on Sunday and 7 p.m. Monday

through Wednesday. According to Ray Don Stanford, everyone is welcome and if you need more information you may call 227-2136.

commitment). He expressed the importance of team effort in anything we do, after all, the way you spell team is 'TEAM' representing 'Together Everybody Achieves More"! A person shouldn't start out setting their long term goals so high that it seems impossible to reach. They should take one step at a time, one day at a time, one short term goal at a time, tackling each hurdle until the long-term goal is achieved.

The Lady Raiders were discussed, and again Coach Dykes emphasized that, even though this year the team had a super star, their success couldn't have been achieved without the team effort that was presented.

#### Third Annual Car Show April 23-24

If you like antique cars, or model car contest, the Bailey County Coliseum is the place you want to be on Friday and Saturday, April 23 and 23. The Lions Club will sponsor their Annual Car Show and Model Car Contest.

In addition to the Car Show, there will be an Arts and Crafts Show in the Green Room of the Coliseum. Persons interested in setting up a booth should contact Lonnie Adrian, chairman.

Activities will begin at 7 p.m. Friday with a Poker Run, for all exhibitors.

Major activities for the general public will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 24 when the cars will be on display for all to see. "We are expecting between 75 and 90 entries this year," said Lonnie Adrian, chairperson. "The show is open to all special interest cars, motorcycles and trucks."

Admission to the Car Show will be \$3.00 for Adults; \$1.50, Children 6-12 Years; and Children under the age of six will be admitted free.

For more information or entry packet you may call (806) 272-3487 or 272-5531 or write Muleshoe Lions Club: 218 West 2nd. Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

1983 to 1993, A decline of 0.53 of a foot was recorded during the fiveyear period fro 1988 to 1993.

Ground water levels in the Ogallala Aquilfer within the 6.4 million acre Water District service area had an average rise of 0.14 of a foot from January 1992 to January 1993. This is a net increase of about 135,103 acre-feet of ground water in storage in the Ogallala Aquifer within the Water District

A zero average annual change in ground water levels was recorded for the first time in the Water District's history in 1985. Depthto-water measurements revealed an average ground water level rise of 0.50 of a foot in 1986; an average rise of 0.90 of a foot in 1987; an average decline of 0.51 of a foot in 1988; an average decline of one foot in 1989; an average decline of 1.06 feet in 1990 and an average decline of 0.73 of a foot in 1991.

A network of 1,076 privatelyowned observation water wells is used to determine the annual change in the quantity of water in storage in the Ogallala Aquifer within the High Plains Water District. The depth-to-water measurements are take in January and February of each year in order to allow water levels to stabilize from the pumping during the previous growing season.

By comparing the current depthto-water measurements with those taken the previous year, Water District Technical Division staff members can determine what changes have occurred in the ground water levels.

Of the 15 counties or portions of counties making up the High Plains Water District, eight recorded average rises in depth-towater levels in 1992. These Cont. Page 6, Col. 4

#### Lazbuddie Pre-K Round Up Set April 23

Pre-K and Kindergarten Roundup will be held Friday, April 23 at the Lazbuddie Elementary School Library from 9 to 11:30 a.m. To be eligible for Pre-K, a child must be four on or before September 1, 1993. He/she must qualify for free or reduced lunches and must lack English Language Skills. To be eligible for Kindergarten, a child must be five on or before September 1, 1993. Parents must furnish the following at the time of registration, State Birth Certificate, Immunization Records and Childs Social Security

Your child will visit their classroom, take a short bus ride, and then will be given refreshments



NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE MONTH--- Mayor Robert Montgomery signed a proclamation designating April as Child Abuse Month in Muleshoe. Shown along with the mayor (From Left) Scott Turner, Liz Tipps and Connie Kenmore. (Journal Photo)



TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK---Governor Ann Richards recently signed a proclamation for recognition of the unsung heros. Included in the "Unsung Heros" are the members of the Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Department. Sunday afternoon the police, ambulance crew and the firemen responded to a report of a one vehicle roll-over. Even though their services were not needed, the firemen were on hand ready for work. (Journal Photo)

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Once every decade, for the past 200 years, people moving from one part of the country to the other are counted and represented within areas designated as congressional districts. The number of congressmen allotted each state in the 435-member U.S. House of Representatives is based on population proportions. For instance, more people are now in Texas compared with other states in the northeast. As a result, Texas gained three additional seats in the House to become one of the largest delegations with 30 Members of Congress who represent the Lone Star State in Washington, D.C.

The shift counted by the U.S. Census Bureau already tells us who the richest, largest and most heavily-populated congressional districts are in the nation. Comparisons have only recently been completed.

Our 19th Congressional District of Texas now covers 20 counties that run from the top of the Panhandle through the South Plains and into the Permian Basin: 400 miles in length. The boundaries of each congressional district within a state must be redrawn so that it holds the same number of people. In Texas, that number was 566,217 people. The 19th District covers one of the largest geographic areas by ranking 31st among 435 congressional districts, but we are also one of the least densly-populated, ranking 405th because of the ratio of people to wide-open West Texas spaces.

Across the nation in congressional districts, household incomes average \$30,715. In Texas, the household incomes vary from \$17,866 in the Rio Grande • Valley up to \$45,232 in the more affluent areas of Dallas. households in our congressional district average \$27,267--ranking 13th of 30 Texas congressional districts. Our 19th District also ranks about midway among the list of household incomes in congressional districts nationwide. The richest is New Jersey's Essex County at \$57,219; • the poorest households are found in the congressional district of Shreveport, Louisiana making \$14,515 on average each year.

sometimes questionably drawn, they starkly illustrate the diversity of the American people. From the richest to the poorest households, income may vary by more than \$42,000. However, each congressional district has roughly equal populations representing approximately 600,000 constituents. Every Member of congress has an equal vote on legislation -- an equal vote representing the equal voice of every adult and child. The House of Representatives has always been known as "The Peoples' House" for

Our form of representative government has endured since the Constitution of the United States was signed in 1787. For more than two centuries the size and wealth of our nation has grown beyond what the original signers could have predicted. Yet, the protection of our rights to equal representation prevailed. The more we have changed, the more our nation's Constitution has remained the

Please Repeat

A totalitarian state is one where everything is compulsory that is not forbidden.

-Pourquoi-Pas, Paris.



NOBLE GRADUATES --- Private First Class Johnny M. Noble, a 1992 graduate of Muleshoe High School, officially earned the title, "United States Marine", on April 2 in graduation ceremonies at Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego, Calif. Pfc Noble scored the highest score in his platoon and series on his physical fitness test and was honored during the ceremonies as the most Physically Fit Marine in Platoon 3107. PFC Noble will serve six years in the Marine Corps performing duties in computer and business administration. PFC Noble is the son of Danny and Cynthia Noble.

#### Patients In Muleshoe Area Medical Center

APRIL 9, 1993 Manuela Rejino, Samantha Tosh, Willa Billingsley, Jerrell Otwell, Francisco Fuentes, Mabel Tharp, Juana Saenz, Ruby Clark, Mike Riley, Olivia Trevino, James Lambert, Janet Wagnon.

APRIL 10, 1993 Juan Moron, Janetta Hukill, Manuela Rejino, Samantha Tosh, Chelsee Nichols, Willa Billingsley, Jerrell Otwell, Ernest Nowell, Nathan Perez, Olena Atchinson, Virgil Pruitt, Ronnie Davis, Rafael Franco, James Lambert, Janet

APRIL 11, 1993 Janetta Hukill, Manuela Rejino, Samantha Tosh, Chelsee Nichols, Willa Billingsley, Jerrell Otwell, Ernest Nowell, Nathan Perez, Olena Atchinson, Roma Davis, Virgil Pruitt, Ronnie Gail Barrett, Rafael Franco, James Lambert, Janet Wagnon

APRIL 12, 1993 Janetta Hukill, Manuela Rejino,

Samantha Flores, Chelsee Nichols, Willa Billingsley, Jerrell Otwell, Ernest Nowell, Nathan Perez. Olena Perez, Olena Atchinson, Roma Davis, Virgil Pruitt, Ronnie Gail Barrett, Rafael Franco, James Lambert, Janet Wagnon.

Life is half spent before we know what it is.

-George Herbert.



No Secret The difference between a curve and bulge is years.

-Times, Marshalltown, Ia.

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#### RED RAIDER DAY - Ken Box putts a few before tee off time at the Although these congressional Muleshoe Golf Course. A big crowd was on hand for the day's district lines are often arbitrary and 71st • ANNIVERSARY Sa



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Famous People Players

#### Eye Corrections Essential For Some Children

A lifetime of potential vision and learning problems can be avoided if parents will simply look their children squarely in the eyes according to a pediatric ophthalmologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

An eye disorder characterized by misaligned eyes, called strabismus, affects about four percent of all children and can lead to a variety of vision problems.

"Many newborns take several months before they can focus their eves and use them together," said Dr. Jane Edmond, an assistant professor of ophthalmology at Baylor. "occassional crossed eyes are not considered a problem in the newborn until about six months of

Parents should watch to see how infants and toddlers focus on objects. Squinting or not recognizing objects at a distance may signal near-sightedness. Crossed eyes could mean farsightedness. Both should be checked by an ophthamologist.

A Little Like Magic, hosted by

Ann Margaret. This heart warming

Emmy winner, produced and

directed by Peter Rosen, offers

glimpses of the Famous People

company shows how the grit and

determination of the group's

founder, Diane Dupuy, and the

perseverance of the performers have

produced this first-rate theatrical

Famous People Players has been

fortunate enough to have had the

support of many leaders of the

entertainment industry. In 1979,

Miss Ann Murray donated \$10,000

to the company when she won the

Grammy Award for her song, You

Needed Me. Tony Bennett and Hall

Linden have performed benefit

concerts with all the proceeds going

to the company. At these fund-

raising dinner-concerts, as at the

company's gala opening at the

Royal Alexandra Theatre in

Toronto in 1983, the Famous

People Players carried on a long

tradition of publicly acknowledging

major corporate and individual

sponsors with an awards

presentation. Paul Newman

donated \$30,000 to the company

with profits from the sale of

Plans for the company include

Newman's own Foods in Canada.

The half-hour visit with the

Players both on stage and off.

"School age children may begin to fall behind other children in school because they do not realize their vision is poor," said Dr.

Using a series of tests, an ophthalmologist can assess vision, examine eye alignment and determine what sort of correction is needed. The type of correction could be glasses, or if strabismus is present, surgery may be required.

"Evaluation for treatment of strabismus is a complicated process because there are six muscles which move the eye," said Edmond.

Depending on the amount of direction of deviation from the position, ophthalmologist will make small cuts in the eye tissue and reposition the muscle or muscles necessary to align the eyes properly.

The procedure is done under general anesthesia, and many children resume their normal activities the next day.

It is important to treat strabismus as early as possible because as the eye develops it can become more difficult to correct.

## Creative Living

"Naplique," new personal products and kids' magazine will be the featured topics on "Creative Living" on Tuesday, April 20 at 12:00 and Saturday, April 24 at 2 p.m. (all times are Mountain). "Creative Living" airs on public broadcasting station, KENW-TV from Eastern New Mexico

University in Portales, NM. Peggy Caldwell, Director of Creative Development with Delta Technical Costing will demonstrate a new technique called "Naplique" which uses paper napkins to create appliques for fabric. Caldwell is from Huffman, TX.

Vicki Galiano, Home Appliance Product Specialist with Sanyo Fisher USA Corp. from Chatsworth, CA, will introduce some of the new personal care products on the market.

Tommi Lewis, editor of Disney Adventures, a new magazine designed for boys and girls between the ages of 7-14, will explain what is involved in assembling such a

8 ounces macaroni shells

1 (7 oz.) can tuna, drained

1/2 cup oil

2 cloves garlic

Information on a technique called magazine. Lewis is from Burbank,

On Tuesday, April 20 at 9:30 p.m. and on Thursday, April 22 at 12:00 "Creative Living" will present some party recipes, discuss uses for Pumpkins and talk about skin care problems and solutions.

Barbara Rose, Home Economist and Marketing Representative with California Olive Industry, will share three unique party recipes. Rose is from Fresno, CA.

Charlotte Hill, Extension Home Economist for Chaves Co., will tell how to choose a pumpkin, cut and process the meat and then show how to use it to make pies, cakes, and breads. Hill lives in Roswell.

Representing Nivea Products, Cindy Piccoli will talk about cleansing tips for acne problems and tell how to give a facial to someone with special skin problems. She is from New York

"Creative Living" is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden. The show is carried on more than 100 PBS stations in the United States, Canada, Guam and Puerto Rico and is distributed by Pacific Mountain Network, Denver, CO. Viewers can request copies of materials offered on the show by sending one 29 cent stamp for each handout requested. Send the stamps, along with your name, address and booklets requested to:

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Sea Shell Salad

1/2 bunch broccoli 24, 1985, CBS aired a half-hour feature on Famous People Players,

4 anchovies (optional) 2 tablespoons lemon juice

1 cup pitted ripe olives, whole or halved

1 red or green pepper, cut into strips 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Peel broccoli stems; slice diagonally 1/2 inch thick. Steam stems and florets until crisp-tender. Drain; cool under cold water. Cook shells in boiling water until barely tender; drain. Break egg into blender; slowly add oil while blender is running. Add anchovies, garlic, and lemon juice; blend until smooth. Toss with warm shells and remaining ingredients. Serve at room temperature in lettuce lined bowl. Makes 4-6 servings.

#### Olive Cheese Balls

4 tablespoons butter, room temperature 1/2 # sharp Cheddar cheese, shredded Dash cayenne pepper 45-50 whole pitted olives

1 cup flour 1/4 teaspoon salt 1 to 3 teaspoons water

In food processor mixing bowl, cream butter and cheese. Blend in flour, salt and red pepper. If necessary, add water to make a workable dough. (Dough should not be too "wet") Dry olives with paper towels. Mold a small amount of dough around each olive to cover completely. Place balls on ungreased baking sheets. Bake at 400 degrees F. 15 minutes, until golden brown. Makes 45-50.

1963-30 Years Ago When the people around Muleshoe speak of school and the teachers, thoughts turn to Mrs. John Watson who has been here since 1941. That year, Mrs. Watson then Miss Elizabeth Bailey, taught 3rd grade. she later changed to junior high,

1973-20 Years Ago A special capping ceremony was held on March 15 for approximately 17 nursing students at South Plains College in the student center auditorium. Among

special event were Lenora Mallous of Muleshoe and Diana Williams of

1983-10 Years Ago Recently the Texas Municipal League released a list giving amounts that area cities in Texas

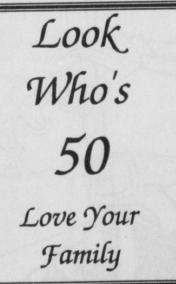
Are you aware of a blind or visually impaired child from birth to age 22? If so, do you know that such people with disabilities can benefit from educational programs provided by your local school district? Call your director of special education in your school district.

would receive upon passage of a bill, now pending before the state legislature, to establish a statefunded program to help repair local city streets.



where she has taught ever since.

those receiving caps during the





## REMINDER TWO BIG DAYS

SPRING CONSIGNMENT AUCTION FRI. - April 16 & SAT. - April 17th, 1993 TIME: 9:00 A.M. Both Days LOCATION: 3 Miles N.E. of Portales, NM at THE BILL JOHNSTON AUCTIONEERS LOT On Hwy. 70

ignments, One Item or Complete Set Up Bring It On In!! (EQUIPMENT LIST SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE) CONSIGNMENTS MUST BE IN BY APRIL 15, 1993

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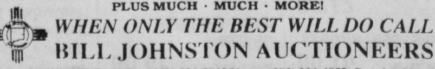
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#### Hereford Community Concert Upcoming Season Famous People Players as the

Subscriptions are being taken for the 1993-94 Hereford Community Concert series. There are three concerts being featured this year which are costing much more than any other concert season in the history of the Association. However, the cost to the public is remaining the same as in the past. That is \$15 for the season for adults, \$7.50 for students, and \$40 for a family membership. This also includes reciprocal membership to Plainview, Pampa, Dumas, and Borger, besides the three Hereford concerts. There are usually a number of different concerts at the other towns.

The drive for taking these subscriptions will be over April 25th. If you are interested in buying season tickets, please contact one of these local persons: Elaine Damron 272-4641; Myrt Feagley 272-4869; Marilyn Young 272-4808; Becky Conklin 925-6413; or Coralyn Jarmon 965-

The Hungarian Virtuosi Orchestra was founded in 1988 by graduates of the world-famous Liszt Ferenc Academy of Music. As a result of their highly successful debut concert in Hungary, the ensemble received invitations for debut concert tours in Austria, France, and Italy. Hungarian Television showed the orchestra in a monthly music program and their first record was released by Hungaroton in 1989. The orchestra makes its debut North American tour in the 1993-94 season, with Israeli pianist Ory Shihor as guest soloist.

The artistic director of the orchestra is Miklos Szenthelyi, a violinist whose international career has taken him throughout Europe, and to Japan, Brazil, Austria, Canada and the United States. He has been a teacher at the Liszt Ferenc Academy of Music since 1973 and released ten recordings, eight of which appeared on the Hungaroton label and two which were released on the Capriccio label. In 1986, he was awarded the coveted Liszt Prize by the government of Hungary.

internationally popular theatre company based in Toronto, Ontario. Founded in 1974 by Artistic Director Diane Lynn Dupuy, C.M., this group of talented young Canadian performers has dazzled audiences throughout Canada, Bermuda, The People's Republic of China, and the United States. In New York City, the company played a five-week engagement at the fabulous Radio City Music Hall and on October 26, 1986, made its Broadway debut at the Lyceum Theatre, the oldest, most historic and glamorous theatre on the Great White Way. Specializing in the "black light" technique, life-size fluorescent puppets and props are manipulated under the illumination of ultraviolet light. Famous People Players has been acclaimed for its contributions to theatre arts and to the entertainment industry.

Famous People Players' original repertoire consisted of life-size celebrity puppets with the central puppet being Liberace. The dream of the company was that one day Liberace himself would see them and take a personal interest in their work. In 1975, the dream came true. Liberace saw Famous People Players perform and then headlined them for three return engagements at the Las Vegas Hilton. Since that time, the company's repertoire has expanded to include feature current stars and a selection of

continued touring of the United length performances choreographed States and Canada and the opening to Carnival of the Animals, of a building to house Famous Scheherazade, Les Patineurs, That's People Players. This building will Entertainment, the Superman have a rehearsal space, storage, theme, the James Bond theme and prop department, workshop, Star Wars, as well as other episodic administrative offices, the moments from short stories and understudy School and a Doll and popular folk tales, performances by Toy Hospital. music composed especially for the company by the Canadian Is there a deaf or hearing composer Victor Davies. Famous impaired child in your People Players has been the topic neighborhood who is not in of several television documentaries school? Do you know that and specials, including a CBS twoschool programs can serve hour movie of the week entitled these children from birth to Special People based on the age 22? Call the director of founding years of the company; it special education in your stars many of the company's own school district. performers as themselves. On July featuring



For More Information Call (505) 482-3363 or 1-800-748-2459



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED-Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rodgers of Lubbock announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristin, to Jeff Hagins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wimberely of Levelland, and the late H.P. Hagins. They will marry August 21, 1993 at Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Lubbock. The bride-elect attended Lubbock Christian University and Texas Tech University. She is employed by West Texas Renal Lab of Lubbock. The future bridegroom graduated from Muleshoe High School in 1985 and South Plains College in 1988. He is currently employed as a computer programmer at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.

#### Homemakers Highlight Leadership At District Meeting

Texas Extension Homemakers Meeting which was held on April 1 in Plainview, forty-seven homemakers graduated from Family Community Leadership, a program sponsored jointly by the Texas Homemakers Extension Association and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Graduates from Bailey County include: Billie Downing and County Extension Agent, Kandy McWhorter.

The Family Community Leadership (FLC) program is an educational program jointly sponsored by lithe li Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Extension Homemakers Association. FLC is designed to increase the leadership capabilities

During the annual District II and involvement of women (and others) in the public policy decision-making process. It is based on teaching materials and leadership development concepts developed through a grant from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation by six western state Cooperative Extension Services and Extension Homemakers Associations.

> Some topics included in the program were Motivate Yourself ad Others, Stress Management, Can You Lead? Leading Groups, Listening and Lobbying, Make Your World a Better Place, Conflict Management.

For more information concerning FLC or Texas Extension Homemakers Association call your county Extension office at 272-

#### Poems Wanted For New Contest And Anthology

Poems are now being accepted for entry in Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum's new "Distinguished Poet Awards" poetry contest. Cash prizes totaling \$1,000 will be awarded, including a \$500 grand prize. The contest is free to enter.

Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines of less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes May 31, 1993, but poets are encouraged to send their work as soon as possible. Poems entered in the contest also will be considered for publication in the Winter 1994 edition of Treasured Poems Of America, a hardcover anthology to be published in December 1993. Anthology purchase may be required to ensure publication, but is not required to enter or win the contest. Prize winners will be notified by July 31, 1993.

"Our contest is especially for new and unpublished poets and offers a public forum that enables them to share their work," says Jerome P. Welch, Publisher. "We look for originality of ideas and welcome poetry of all styles and themes. Many of our contest winners are new poets with new

Poem should be sent to Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum, Inc., Dept. EM, 203 Diamond St., Sisterville, WV 26175.

#### Parenting **Pointers**

from your friends at De Shazo

If you don't have time to read aloud at night, consider reading at breakfast. This is a "Breakfast real Champions.

From 101 Ways Parents Can Help Students Achieve

Do you know of a child age 3 through 21 who does not learn easily and is not in school? Call the special education director in your school district.



LOCAL FIREMEN TO PARTICIPATE AT CONVENTION-Members of the Muleshoe Fire Department prepare for the games to be performed at the Annual Panhandle Firemen and Fire Marshall's Association Convention to be held at Amarillo May 15 and 16. Members are Brent Hall, Gary Clark, Benny Parker, Tony Scolley, Charles Lorance, Johnnie Miller, Jo Parker, Mickey Tosh, and (unavailable for photo) Gary Howard, Ric Peterson, Gerald Ambries, Shane Kirk, John McCuchen.

#### Local Firemen To Participate In Convention Games

For the last four weeks. Muleshoe Firemen have been getting ready for the annual Panhandle Firemen and Fire Marshall's Association Convention in Amarillo, where they will participate in the game's May 15

The six man pump team is where six men lay 100 feet of 2 1/2 hose off of a pump truck and pump water. Sounds easy, but it's not. The six man team consists of: Tony Scolley-nozzle; Brent Hall-2 1/2 connecter; Benny Parkerhydrant; Gary Clark-2 1/2 connecter; Mickey Tosh-team captain; John McCutchen-sideman hardsuction and Shane Kirk-hydrant hardsuction. Charles Lorance and Jo Parker are training and safety officers.

The Three Man Hose Lay and Water Polo are not set to a single team as of yet, but the Ladies' Auxiliary will participate in this game with Sondra Scolley, Lisa Hall, Brenda Clark, and Cacie McKutchen.

The tug of war team will be Gary Howard-team captain; Benny Parker-team captain, Gary Clarkpuller; Brent Hall-puller, and Gerald Ambries-anchor.

Since Jack Dunham is second vice president this year, the Muleshoe Fire Department will be well represented as an active department of the P.F.F.M.A. (Panhandle Firemen's and Fire Marshall's Association). Tony Sculley was nominated as fireman of the year and Chris Hall, son of

running for mascot. The annual Fireman's Ball tickets are on sale and set for April 17, plus many of the firemen are selling candy bars for a dollar a bar.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Hall, will be

These activities are to help fund this and the Muleshoe Fire Department needs your help. Mickey Tosh

See You At The Dance!

The children of Texas come in all sizes, shapes, colors and abilities. They do not all learn the same way, but they ALL do learn. If you know of a child from 3 through age 21 who is not in school, please call your local school districts director of special education.

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#### Extension Homemakers Meet In Plainview

One hundred forty-one members of District II of the Texas Extension Homemakers Association met in Plainview on April 1, for their annual meeting. TEHA District Director, Sylvia Steen, of Hale County presided throughout the day.

Homemakers from Bailey County who attended were Fern Davis, Erald Gross, Lavonne Hinkson, Eulaine Phillips, County EH Vice-Chairman; and Clara Lou Jones, Council Chairman; Eulaine Phillips and Fern Davis. Kandy McWhorter, Bailey County Extension Agent, and Billie Downing also attended.

Educational programs included a brief announcement of the new tollfree number, 1-800-886-4351, sponsored by CONTACT Lubbock, Inc. This hotline is a helpline to troubled teens and adults, and is available 24 hours a day. Residents of the surrounding counties are urged to take advantage of this service.

"Teamwork", a program from FLC was presented by Swisher County Homemakers and Extension Agent, Linda Fogerson. Jueanita Pool and Vivian Curtis of Floyd County demonstrated the fine art of making panarama Easter

Other highlights of the meeting included greetings from Hale County by Judge Bill Hollars and musical entertainment by Briscoe County Judge, Jimmy Burson, and Pan Landis of Swisher County.

State Board Members, Joan Frost, State Treasurer, and Amy Adrian, Young Family Issues Committee Chairman, shared information from the state level.

Nancy Cruse, Swisher County homemaker, was honored as the first District Extension Homemaker of the Year. Mrs. Cruse has served the organization in a variety of leadership roles for the past seven years and was presented a silver serving platter.

Recipient of the 4-H Scholarship was Chad Jones of Lubbock County and Nancy Cruse received the adult scholarship.

During the business session, Joan Frost was endorsed as the district candidate for the state office of Second Vice-President. Plans for the 1994 State Conference to be held in Lubbock were discussed. The 1993 State Conference will be held in September in Waco.

Each county brought items for a large Cultural Arts Exhibit which were judged and a final BEST OF SHOW award given.

Hosting the annual meeting were Briscoe, Floyd, Hale and Swisher

James Mooney, president, Cable TV Asso.:

'It appears that these rules will make it very difficult for us to satisfy the expectations of our subscribers," commenting on FCC





#### Community Of Muleshoe And Neighboring Areas

gratulating Agriculture, was a huge success, and we, of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture wish to express our sincere appreciation and thank you to all in the area that worked so hard to make it so, and to those of you that purchased tickets, and attended. It really was a great banquet, and even though we did not show a profit, we certainly showed, what a great community, we live in.

I am submitting the statement for all to see that even though we lost by a very small margin, and we did show a small loss in revenue, we certainly showed our enthusiasm, was a huge success. INCOME:

Ticket \$3,446.00

\$3,446.00 **Total Income** Number of tickets sold ......338 Number of tickets turned in at banquet......33

Number of Meals at Head Table.....

Total number of tickets to be paid to caterer.....340 **EXPENSES:** 

Reception-Napkins, Plates,

#### Muleshoe...

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Paul Milosevich from Lubbock will be the juror.

Entry fee is \$4 per entry, no limit. Proceeds go to the Women's Division of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund. Entries will be received at the Texas Avenue Opery House in Slaton on May 14 from 4 to 7 p.m. and on Saturday morning May 15 from 8 to 10 a.m.

For further information you may contact the Slaton Chamber of Commerce at 828-6238, or Carla Kitten at 828-3373, or Katie Culwell at 828-3337. Entry forms are available in advance by contacting the Chamber office.

Registration for the first summer term at South Plains College will be May 27, according to Bobby James, dean of admissions.

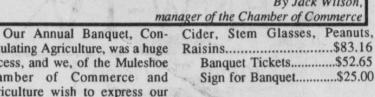
Students can sign up for classes from 1-7 p.m. in the Student

Late registration is scheduled for 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. and 5:30 to

6:30 p.m. June 1. Classes begin June 1

registration ends June 2. Courses offered include those in accounting, accounting associate, agriculture, petroleum technology, psychology, speech communication, government, math, law enforcement and others.

In addition to the regular fiveweek term, 10-week courses will be offered in auto collision repair technology, automotive service technology, diesel service technology and wedding technology. Classes run June 1-Aug. 12.



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Urged To Call 1-800 Helpline

"This is Contact, May I help you?" These are the words any person in the West Texas calling area can expect to hear 24 hours a day, 365 days a year by dialing: 1-800-886-4351.

Residents of Muleshoe are encouraged to call Contact Helpline when the need arises. The good news is you may reach this telephone helpline free of charge by calling Contact's new long distance

In times of emotional stress, crisis, depression, or just plain loneliness residents can now have another human being to listen and talk with.

All Contact listeners have completed 53 hours of intensive training and signed a pledge of strict confidentiality and anonymity.

Contact is a Christian based ministry of listening presence. Trained volunteers integrate their faith response with the principles of crisis intervention, active listening, problem solving, and psycho-therapy.

Contact can also help locate information and referral resources in

Teenagers who are 15 and in the tenth grade may also participate in Contact's program. Teen graduates are certified to work on Teenline answering calls daily from 6 to 10 p.m. often, teens prefer to talk to another teen about personal problems or concerns. Teenline has received more than 10,000 calls since opening its lines in 1985. Teenline can be reached by calling the same "800" number listed above and simply ask for the teen

Contact Lubbock Hotline is operated by Christians dedicated to "Being" there for others. Your concerns will be taken seriously in a non judgmental manner.

Listeners are skilled in crisis intervention and problem solving. Contact is available to you any time of the day or night. When and if you need someone to talk to Contact is there for you.



JUST IN TIME FOR EASTER --- Rae Logan shows off her brightly colored tulips that bloomed out just in time for the Easter holidays.

#### Chamber Corner News

Once each month, the Chamber of Commerce of the South Plains, sends out a circular, informing all members of the most important information. I will in turn, convey some of this information to the Muleshoe Community.

**CREDIT CARD FRAUD** 

consumers are reporting that they are being asked to provide credit card expiration dates, instead of actual credit card account numbers, when responding to POSTCARD SWEEPSTAKE PROMOTIONS. The U.S. Secret Service told the

The Editor

March 31, 1993

**Bailey County Journal** Attn. Evelene Harris PO Box 449 Muleshoe, TX 79347-0449

Dear Evelene:

Thank you for your recent coverage of our Unclaimed Money Fund outreach program.

By helping us get our message out, you have provided an invaluable service to the citizens of your community. Without your assistance, many of the people for whom we are holding money or property may never have been reunited with what is rightfully

We are committed to this effort and always appreciate it when we get extra help. Please do not hesitate to contact me or my Director of Communications, Nick Boinis, at (512) 463-5976, if there is anything we can do for you in the

Sincerely Kay Bailey Hutchison

#### (Journal Photo) Alliance Against Fraud in

By Jack Wilson, CofC. Manager

Telemarketing (AAFT) that the promoters have acquired credit card account lists and use the expiration date information to double check whether the account number they have in hand matches the one currently being used by the victim. Consumers are getting the word

about disclosing credit account numbers, but see nothing wrong with disclosing the expiration dates. Promoters claim disclosure of expiration dates is authorization of charges to the account. AAFT now warns consumers not to disclose credit card expiration dates when responding to offers. We are now warning callers not to verify or give expiration dates of credit cards to UNKNOWN phone solicitors.

#### Water ...

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counties were Armstrong, Cochran, Crosby, Floyd, Hale, Hockley, Lubbock and Lynn.

Bailey, Castro, Deaf Smith, Lamb, Parmer, Potter and Randall Counties showed average declines depth-to-water the measurements.

Definition

Wizard: A man who can describe--without gestures--an accordion, a spiral staircase, or a

-Tribune Chicago.



#### Governor Proclaims Telecommunicators Week

The State of Texas has officially extended recognition to telecommunicators throughout the state that have the task of being 9-1-1 call takers/handlers.

Governor Ann Richards signed a proclamation for recognition of these unsung heros.

"In local celebration of Telecommunicators Week, communications personnel at the Muleshoe Police Department is well deserved of recognition for a great job performed in handling 9-1-1 calls in emergency situations throughout Bailey County," said Ella O'Neal, Emergency Communications System Manager. "The South Plains Regional 9-1-1 Emergency Communications staff extends appreciation and recognition to those dedicated telecommunicators responsible for protecting the life and property of others.

Thousands of dedicated telecommunicators daily serve the citizens of the United States and Canada by answering their telephone calls for police, fire, and emergency medical services and by dispatching the appropriate assistance as quickly as possible.

The critical functions performed by professional telecommunicators also include those related to forestry

and conservation operations, highway safety and maintenance activities, and many other operations performed by federal, state, and local governmental

Telecommunicators are the link between the public seeking help and those who will provide this help. Often working long hours under extremely stressful conditions, they are the state's unsung heros, responsible for protecting life and property while often not receiving the credit they

The people of Texas should be encouraged to honor telecommunicators in Texas and to recognize the crucial role they play in our state.

Therefore, I, Ann W. Richards, Governor of Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of April 11 through April 17, 1993 as: Telecommunicators Week in Texas and urge the appropriate recognition thereof.

Quarrels would not last long if the fault was only on one side.

-La Rochefoucauld

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#### PRELIMINARY NOTICE

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has received an application for financial assistance from the Housing Authority of the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

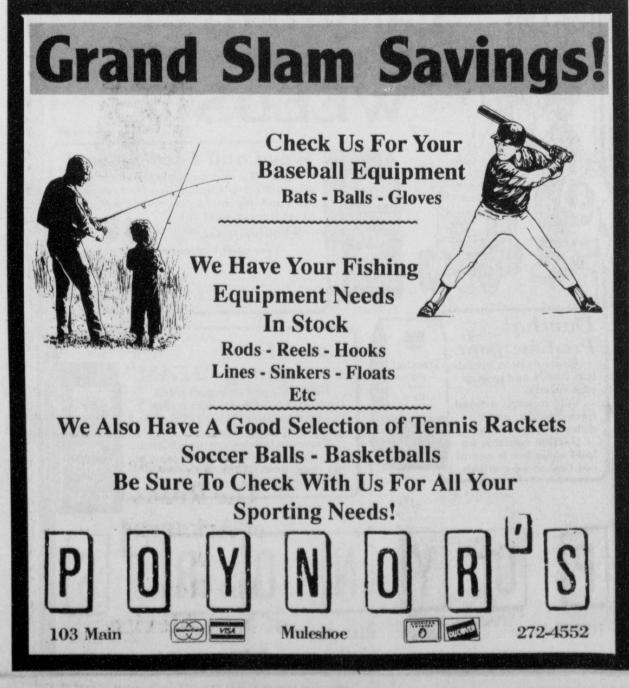
The specific element of this proposed action, is to construct 16 additional multi-family housing units, and enlarge the existing Senior Citizen Community Room servicing the existing multi-family complex located at 901 West Ave. K. Muleshoe, Texas. Portions of the existing project are located within the floodplain as designated on the flood insurance rate maps. FmHA has assessed the potential environmental impacts of this proposed action, and has determined that the proposed construction will not result in an adverse impact to the natural functions and uses of floodplains within the affected area.

No other federal agencies are participating in the project.

Any person interested in commenting on this application or the proposals feasibility and alternatives to it, may do so by providing written comments to FmHA within 30 days following the date of this publication to:

Walter M. Head **Assistant District Director Farmers Home Administration** 4412 74th Street Suite E102 Lubbock, Texas 79424

The application and proposal are available for review at the Farmers Home Administration District Office, 4412 74th Street, Suite E102, Lubbock, Texas 79424



#### Teel Bivins Reports

We've all experienced the frustration at being called at dinner to find out if we want to change long-distance companies before dessert.Or whether we were suddenly over come in the middle of meat loaf by the urge to arrange for a family portrait.

You never know when you answer the phone who's waiting on the other end. It could be some nut with an obscene message or someone else who gets his kicks harassing people. You're pretty much a sitting duck each time you answer the phone.

#### Ross Perot To Visit Lubbock

United We Stand America announced today that Ross Perot will speak in Lubbock at 7 p.m. CST on April 15, 1993 at the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium. Admission is free.

Perot, the founder of United We Stand America, will speak about government reform, Congress and economic issues. Bill Walker, the Texas chairman of UWSA said, "Perot is looking forward to visiting West Texas to thank the volunteers for their support during

the campaign." Sharon Holman, national pokesperson for UWSA said, Perot has traveled every weekend since February 12 to thank volunteers and talk about the advantages of membership in United We Stand America. He has held rallies in Maine, Florida, California, New Mexico, Colorado, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, Virginia, Washington State, Oregon, Utah, Montana and

"There is a tremendous amount of interest in what he has to say-especially with young people," Holman said. "College students today know how difficult it is to find a job when they get out of school. We must do everything possible to pass along the American Dream to them."

For further information contact: Sharon Holman 214/450-8803 or Gary Bennett 806/794-3368 (Local media contact)

That's why I sponsored in the Senate a bill that would legalize Caller ID services in Texas. In case you've never heard of Caller ID, it's a service that, with the help of a device attached to your phone, allows you to see the name and number of the person calling. If you don't recognize the number and don't want to be disturbed, you don't answer the phone. You can also pick out those calls from people you want to talk to.

I like to compare this service to a peephole on a front door. You have the right to see who's standing on your porch before you open the door--just as you have the right to know who's on the line before you answer your phone.

As the Senate considered this bill, I was approached by groups with privacy concerns. They said a wife a battered-woman's shelter should be able to call home and

#### Services For Willa Billingsley To Be Held Thursday

Services for Willa Billingsley, 97 of Farwell, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Thursday, April 15, 1993 at Muleshoe Memorial Park, with Rev. Jimmy McGuire officiating.

Burial will be in Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of

Mrs. Billingsley died April 13, 1993 at Farwell Convalescent

She was born April 12, 1986 in Golden, TX, and married Earl Billingsley, November 30, 1913 in Estellene, TX. He died in 1973.

She moved to Parmer County, Oklahoma Lane Area in 1928 from Estellene, TX in Hall County. She was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by two sons,

Billy in 1968 and Leon in 1986. Survivors include one son, Howard H. Billingsley of Texico, NM; fourteen grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and three greatgreat grandchildren; two halfsisters: Inetha Combest of Tulia, TX and Velma Thomas of Dumas,

The family suggests memorials to your favorite charity.

check on things without tipping off her husband to her where abouts. Others said police officers and doctors require confidentiality at times. And then there are people who want to call a business without worrying about return calls with sales pitches.

They wanted me to include a provision in my bill allowing percall blocking and per-line blocking. If you want to make a call and don't want your name and number displayed on the other end, you punch "\*67." This is per-call blocking. It blocks your identity from showing up on the other party's Caller ID device. But it's only good for that call. Per-line blocking allows you to automatically conceal your identity on any call from your line.

Since politics is the art of compromise, I agreed to include per-call and per-line blocking options in my bill. Consequently,

#### Services For Phelps Murrell Held Monday

Services for Phelps Murrell, 72, of Earth were held Monday, April 12, 1993 at the Earth Methodist Church in Earth, with Rev. Bobby Broyles officiating.

Burial was in Earth Memorial Cemetery, under the direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home in

Murrell died at 5:00 p.m. on April 9, 1993 at Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

He was born in Bryan, TX moved to Earth in 1924, and married Lucille Price Murrell in Clovis, NM on November 28,

He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army, and he was a farmer-rancher.

He was a member of Earth First Baptist Church and Earth Senior Citizens.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Linda Jones of El Paso, TX; three sisters Gladys Carlile, June Bolinger and Bonnie Murrell, all of Bakersfield, CA; and three brothers, T.V. (Red) Murrell of Muleshoe, John L. Murrell of Earth, TX., and Larry Murrell of Olton, TX; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Memorials are suggested to Earth Memorial Cemetery of Earth.

HE ROADS

the Caller ID bill easily passed the Senate and is awaiting action in the House of Representatives.

But now I'm receiving inquiries from people asking, "don't per-line and per-call blocking essentially render Caller ID useless?" After all, wouldn't most obscene phone callers have enough sense to "block" their name and number before calling you? Maybe or maybe not. But the answer is that other services will be available to protect yourself from people like that or anyone else you don't want to talk to. They can be used in conjunction with Caller ID, which was never meant to solve all problems alone.

For example, your phone can be programmed to reject any calls from a blocked phone. If a caller doesn't want to identify himself to you, your phone won't accept the call. You can block the blocker.

Or if an unwelcome call gets through and you want to prevent further intrusions, you can block the last number you received from calling you again. You don't even have to know the person's number. Or you can pick out specific numbers, and block them from future calls.

#### Mozelle Alsup Sparks Services Held Wednesday

Services for Mozelle Alsup Sparks, 80, of Mansfield, TX were held Wednesday, April 7, 1993 at 2:00 p.m. in Emerald Hills Chapel in Kennedale, TX.

Burial was in Emerald Hills Memorial Park, under the direction of Emerald Hills Funeral Home.

Sparks died on April 5, 1993 in Ft. Worth, TX. She was born in Coppell, TX,

previously residing in Lovington,

She was in the banking-insurance

Survivors include her husband, Raynes B. Sparks of Mansfield, TX; one son, John Raynes Sparks of Levelland, TX; one daughter, Jane Anderson of Mansfield, TX; two brothers, James L. Alsup of Portales, NM and Charles Alsup of El Paso, TX; and four grandchildren.

Technology is amazing, isn't it? These services will be available by next year from most local

telephone companies.



#### Liberating America's Schools

The 1983 report, "A Nation at Risk," warned Americans of a rising tide of mediocrity in our public schools. The decade since then has seen many attempts at reform but none that overhauled our failing educational system. Today, a growing number of citizens are rallying behind one response that does: School Choice, which empowers parents to select those schools best suited to their children's needs schools given the freedom to innovate and the responsibility to perform.

Clarence E. Page, Pulitzer Prizewinning syndicated columnist for the Chicago Tribune, examines this controversial grassroots movement and the debate surrounding it in Liberating America's Schools. Says Page, "Choice advocates say they want to encourage competition among schools — public and private, not to tear the public schools down, but to shake them up and, ultimately, make them better or force them out of business.'

The program profiles successful choice programs in Minnesota, New York City, and Milwaukee. Interviews with parents, teachers, students, administrators, activists, and scholars provide personal perspectives on the movement's grassroots origins and reallife accomplishments.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin's private school voucher program offers an alternative to dysfunctional public schools and challenges them to improve. State-funded vouchers (currently \$2,745 per student) are provided to about 1,000 low-income families whose children move from the public school system into participating inner-city private schools.

One state trying new ideas is Minnesota, where students and their families may choose among various types of public schools and alternative programs. Up to 100,000 students enroll yearly, and over 10,000 former drop-outs have re-enrolled since the choice programs started. Options include statewide Open Enrollment, which lets students apply to districts outside their own; Area Learning Centers, which provide varied services for at-risk students; Contract Schools, run by nonprofit agencies like the Urban League under contract to local districts; and the Post-Secondary Option program, which lets juniors and seniors finish high school at colleges and universities.

Another idea being tried in Minnesota is the Charter School, where many regulations are waived and public funding is tied directly to student performance. Chartered jointly by local school districts and the state board of education, these non-profit, public entities embody the strategy of using market-type competition to improve the public schools. As Joe Nathan, director of the Center for School Change of the University of Minnesota explains, "The key idea of charter schools is to test the notion: will schools improve, will students learn more, if the continued existence of the school depends on what happens to students." The charter school concept is being adopted or proposed in other states, including California, Tennessee, Michigan, Florida, and

Liberating America's Schools airs Sunday, April 18th at 4:00 p.m. and Tuesday, April 20th at 10:00 p.m.

Easten New Mexico University, Portales, New Mexico

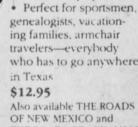
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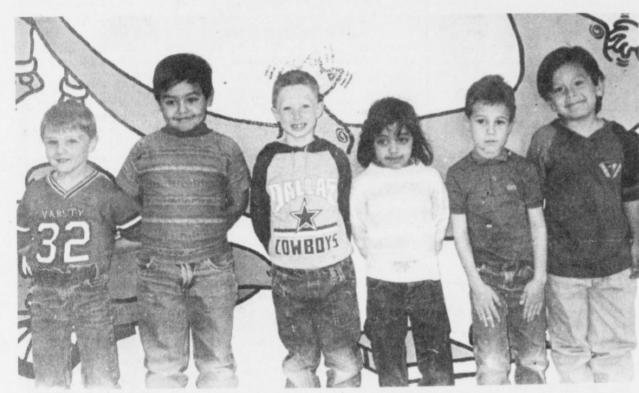
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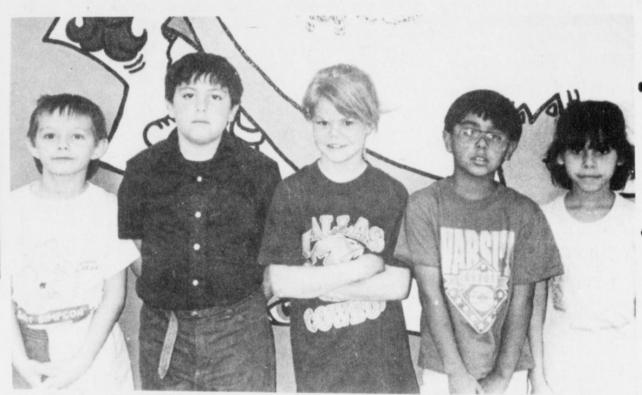
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## Dillman Elementary Students Of The Week



DILLMAN STUDENTS OF THE WEEK-Students of the week at Dillman Elementary for the week of March 15-19 are Kindergarten- Speech: Francisco Vidand, Music-Bradley Henry, P.E.: Jennifer Heradio, Library: Joel Owen, Ch. Lab: Isaac Fernandez, and Computer Lab: Paul Carrion.



DILLMAN STUDENTS OF THE WEEK-Students of the week at Dillman Elementary for the week of March March 1-5 are Second Grade-Speech: Krystal De Aquiro, Music: Shawna Kitchens, P.E.: Michaelk Tosh, Library: Alberto Davila, Ch. Lab: Luis Sanchez, and Computer Lab: Jenny Hall.



DILLMAN STUDENTS OF THE WEEK-Students of the week at Dillman Elementary for the week of March 29-April 2 are Second-Music: Libby Leal, P.E.: Martin Tofolla, Library: Sterling Howard, Ch. Lab: Michael Garcia, Computer Lab: Christine Villa, and Speech: Elisar Cisneros.



DILLMAN STUDENTS OF THE WEEK-Students of the week at Dillman Elementary for the week of March 22-26 are First Grade-Music: Megan Wills, P.E.: Stephanie Rubio, Library: Cimarron McClure, Ch. Lab: Staci Bond, Computer Lab: Maricela Gallegos, and Speech: Brandon Maddox.



DILLMAN STUDENTS OF THE WEEK-Students of the week for the week of March 8-12 are Pre-K and Early Childhood afternoon class: Beily Mann-Computer; Brook Bottelman-P.E.; and Justin Villegos-Speech.



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK-Dillman Students Of The Week for the week of March 8-12 are Early Childhood and Pre-K students Crystal Williams: Music; Mali Ruiz: Library; and Janice Pacheco: Ch. Lab (unavailable for photo).



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welcome Clinton sup-U.S. welcomes Rus-

drop in Bosnia. Experts call for hear-

sian assistance with air

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A Big Question

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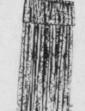
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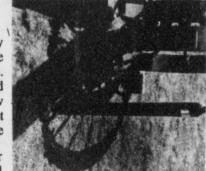
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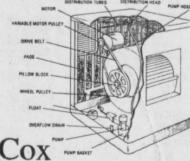
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