



Around Muleshoe

No classes for MISD students Monday, Tuesday

Muleshoe Independent School District will not have classes on Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 13-14. Monday, Feb. 13 is a scheduled holiday for the district.

Tuesday, Feb. 14 will be a staff development day for teachers at MISD. Teachers will have a full day of intense training. Staff development activities are to help Muleshoe teachers and administrators keep up with new ideas and ways to help students learn.

School will resume on regular schedule Wednesday, Feb. 15.

Five Area Co-Op annual meeting set

The annual meeting of Five Area Telephone Cooperative has been set for Saturday, Feb. 11 at 10 a.m. at the Muleshoe High School Cafeteria. Registration will begin at 9 a.m. with the meeting at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served around noon.

Sign up for 1995 farm program now underway

Bailey County Consolidated Farm Services Agency (CFSA) is taking applications for 1995 farm program sign up through April 28.

Sign up will close on April 28, but farmers have to take action before then to be eligible for benefits. They have to have a minimal or catastrophic level of crop insurance.

Different crops have different deadlines for insurance purposes.

In Bailey County, the insurance deadline is March 15. Producers must purchase at least the catastrophic level (CAT) of insurance to qualify for farm program benefits, if



HUNDREDS ATTEND BAILEY COUNTY ELECTRIC CO-OP MEETING - About 227 people attended the Bailey County Electric Co-Op Annual Meeting last weekend in Morton. Pictured are attendants who lined up for a free dinner served by the co-op. In addition to a business meeting which was held, three officers were re-elected to the co-op board.

School Trustee Election set for May 6; two seats up for election

During a regular school board meeting on Monday night, the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees called for a Trustee Election, to be held Saturday, May 6. During the upcoming trustee election, two at-large

seats will be up for grabs.

School board members whose terms will expire in May and up for re-election are Max King and Ed Cox. The terms are each for three years.

Monday, Feb. 20 will be the first day a person may apply

for a place on the ballot. March 7 will be the first day for the early voting clerk to accept applications for early voting ballots to be voted by mail and March 22 at 5 p.m. is the deadline for people to file an application for a place on the

ballot.

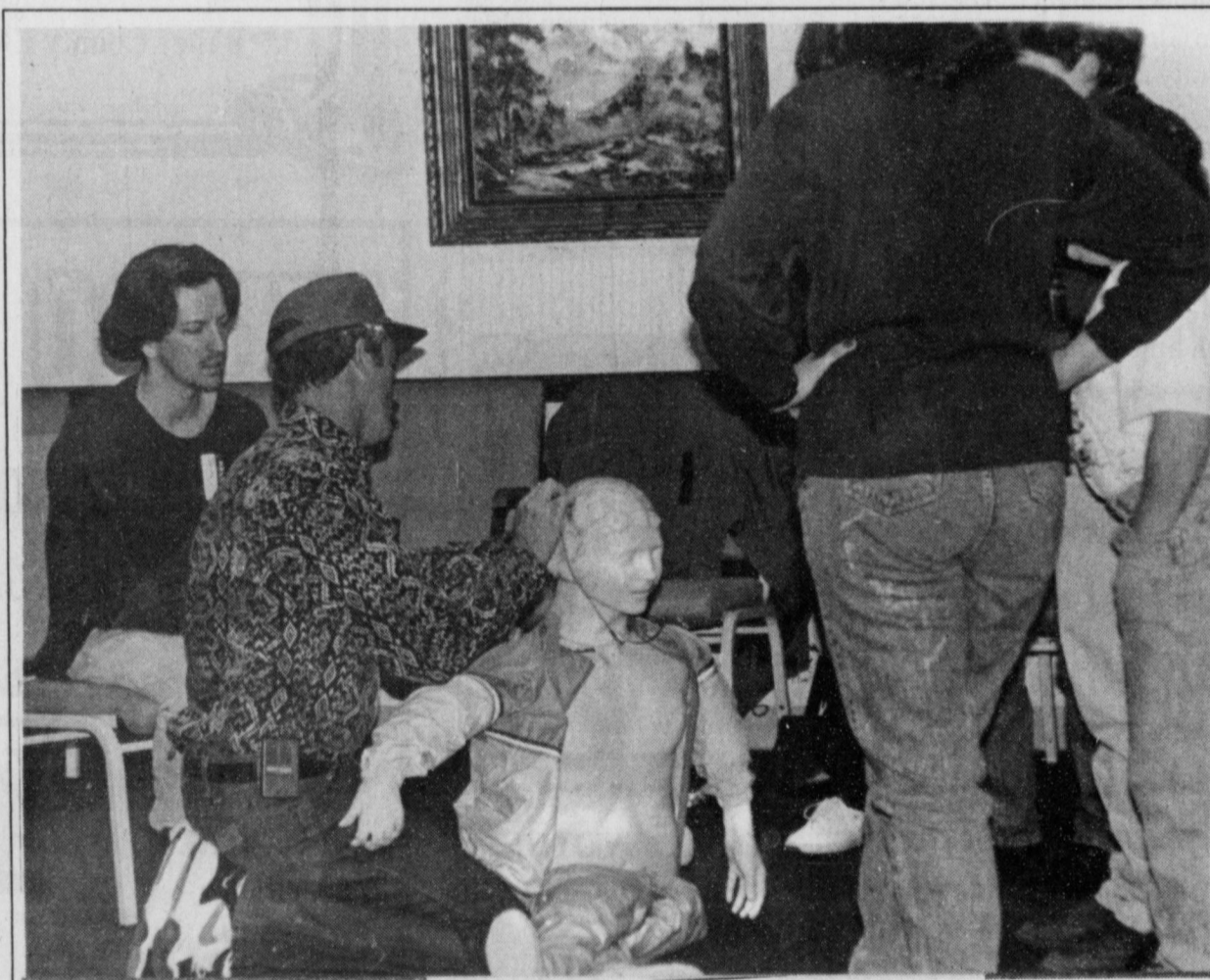
The polling place for the election will be at the Muleshoe High School Cafeteria.

The following officers for the election were appointed by the board of trustees Monday night: Doyle King, presiding

judge; Julian Dominguez, alternate presiding judge and Louvenia Garlington, clerk for said election.

Jean Richardson was appointed clerk for voting and deputy clerks appointed were Wanda Wiley and Dana Rasco.

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LEARNING TO SAVE LIVES - Doyle Weir and Jerry Thompson led a workshop during a CPR training held last weekend at Bailey County Coliseum. Approximately 37 people participated in the all-day event, given by eight instructors from Floydada, Lazbuddie, Muleshoe, Wolfforth and Levelland. A variety of workshops were offered.

Three Way school board to meet

The Three Way Independent School District will meet at 7 p.m. at the Administrative Office of the Three Way School on Thursday, Feb. 9.

They will also consider the principal's contract and discuss Texas Ethics Commission Reporting Forms for board members. The board will also

discuss ESC 17 board member positions and a school board training on Feb. 20. The board will hear a report on the 50th anniversary celebration.

Down memory lane - Remembering Muleshoe and the good 'ole days

By Holly Millsap

Yours truly had fun looking back through the *Journals* from the past, reading about people I have heard my father talk about, and people that I grew up with, many of whom have gone on to a better place.

1935

The ball teams from Muleshoe High School have received their "M" sweaters. Among those receiving sweaters were: Hazel (Nelson)

Gilbreath, Ruby (Sterling) Hart and Melzine (Rockey) Elliot.

1945

Bailey County went over its quota in selling War Bonds. The quota was \$235,000 and they actually sold \$262,500.

J.E. Layton was given a 4-H Silver Medal for his outstanding work in beef cattle production.

Bailey County ginned 24,390 bales of cotton in 1944. Showing at the local

movie theater was "Wing & A Prayer" with Don Ameche and "Stagecoach" with John Wayne.

hogs were \$14.00 CWT.

1955

Would you believe in 1955 a subscription to the

Looking back

In local markets cream sold for 48¢, eggs were 30¢ a doz., wheat \$1.45 a bushel and

Journal was \$2.50 a year? Among those chosen most handsome at MHS was Gor-

don Wilson. Among those chosen most beautiful were Billie Ann Pence and Ginger Gaede.

Leaving for the service from Muleshoe were Frank Cox, Jimmy Luman and DeWayne Burkhead.

Four boys from MHS FFA took their lambs to the Ft Worth Stock Show. They were Jim Welch, Stanley Wilson, Doyce Turner and Jimmy Laux.

MHS Band Boosters

voted to purchase new uniforms for the band. Norvil Howell is director. The new uniforms will have gray pants with a purple stripe, purple coats, plum hats with white visors. White shoes will complete the uniform.

The Muleshoe girls basketball team won district by defeating Tulia, 56-49.

The Senior Class of 55

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OFFICERS OF BAILEY COUNTY ELECTRIC CO-OP BOARD - Board members of the Bailey County Electric Co-Op board are: (Left) Jerry Nichols, Raymond Lewis, Tommy Kirk, Guy Kelley, Darrell Stephens, Nelson Carlisle and Gary Hooten. Nichols, Carlisle and Lewis were re-elected to another three-year term during the co-op's annual meeting in Morton last weekend.

Looking back

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will present the play "The Family Tree", a popular comedy by Hildegard Dolson. Cast members will include Wayne Bristow, Bettie Collins, Jimmy Wilkerson, LaVon Bessire, Barbara Douglas, Bill Ellis and Clinton Dillard. Charles Clair, Director of Speech at MHS will direct the play which will appear sometime in April

1965

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gustin of Lazbuddie had the New Year's Baby for 1965. They named their new daughter Debbie.

Bob Gleason of Lazbuddie FFA showed the champion Poland China barrow at the Fat Stock Show in Ft. Worth.

Tri County Savings & Loan opened its doors Feb. 18, 1965, as Muleshoe's newest business. It was located on the corner of Main and Ave. C, where Smallwood Real Estate is now, and later moved across the street where Bank of America is now located.

Among those new county officers sworn in Thursday by County Judge Glen Williams were Jack Young as District Attorney and Dee Clements as

Sheriff.

Muleshoe High School Fine Arts Dept. presented "Music Man" in January with a cast of 90 and an 18-piece orchestra. Among the directors was Kerry Moore, who still teaches in the Muleshoe school system.

1975

Naomi Villegas was the first baby born in Bailey County. She was born at 5:23 a.m., January 1, 1975.

MHS Speech Dept. won the grand sweepstakes at the Dalhart Annual Tournament. Kerry Moore, teacher, was recognized as Outstanding Speech Director. Some of the students participating were: Jana Oyler, Zeb Payne, Bill Durham, Tim Jinks and Morgan Pena.

R.A. Bradley was named Man Of The Year at the 1975 Chamber Banquet. The Jerry Don Glover family was named Family of the Year.

Nick Bamert showed his Limousin steer at San Antonio and came away with Grand Champion honors.

1985

The year was ushered in with little moisture and it was

bitter cold.

Crystal Vega was the first baby to be born in Bailey County for 1985. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Vega of Friona.

Russell Redwine and Lance Ivy showed grand champions at the Lazbuddie Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Adrian welcomed a new baby daughter, January 11, 1985. She was named Gracie LeAnn.

Dr. Purdy opened his new clinic at 701 S. 1st.

Lloyd Pollard was the \$50 winner of the Annual Football Bowl Contest.

John Isaac signed up to attend Rice University, February 17, 1985.

There will be more memories later, be sure to look for them.

(Editor's note - "Looking Back" is a new column which will appear in the *Journal* weekly, recapping events of the past.

Banks

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Muleshoe had a total of \$60,925,000 in deposits, compared to 50,079,000 last quarter. This was an increase of \$10,846,000 over last quarter.

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Saturday, February 11, 1995, 10 a.m.

Registration Will Begin at 9 a.m.
Meeting Will Begin at 10 a.m.

Action Will Be Taken To:

1. Give members a financial report, progress report and general condition of the Cooperative.
2. Elect two (2) Directors:

DISTRICT #3 E - LAZBUDDIE	DISTRICT #1 - LARIAT
L.G. Layman	Nancy Barrier
Hilbert Wisian	Norris Conklin

Additional Nominations may be made from the floor at the meeting
3. Consider and take action on the By-Law changes. A complete copy of the By-Laws of Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc. is printed in your telephone directory.
4. Consider and take action on any other matters that might be presented to come before the meeting.

Lunch will be served by the Needmore Community Ladies following the business meeting. A drawing will be held for gifts.

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WJHS, DeShazo students compete in first round of National Geography Bee

Watson Junior High School and DeShazo Elementary School students recently competed in the first round of the 1995 National Geography Bee. The competition was held in the WJHS library on Jan. 11. The National Geography bee is for students in 4th through 8th grades.

The three students in the final round of competition were T.J. Hutto, Joe Adair and Jennifer Walls. The new Geography Bee champion is T.J. Hutto.

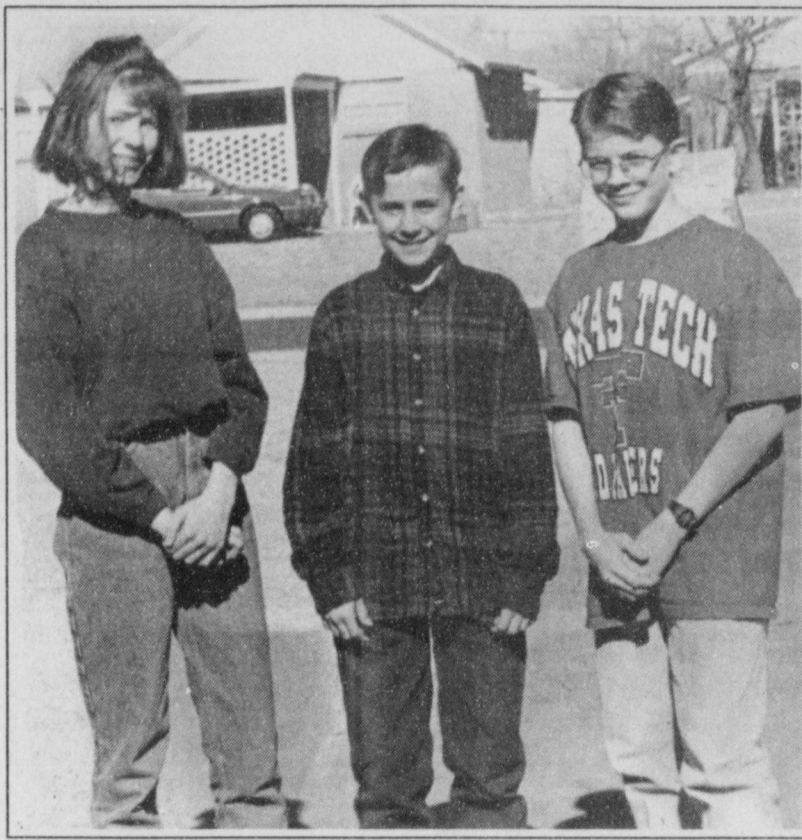
The school-level bee, at which students answered oral questions on geography, was the first round in the 7th annual National Geography Bee. Thousands of schools around the United States and territories participated. The school winners will now take a written test of which up to 100 of the top scorers in each state and territory will be eligible to

compete in their state bee on April 7.

Finalists in the seventh round were Stephanie Sexton, Jennifer Walls, Blair Saylor, Joseph Mata, T.J. Hutto, Timothy Madrid, Jessica Carpenter, Daniel Patterson, Joe Adair, Stephanie Kirk and Adrian Ashford.

Students participating in the contest were: Terrell Herrington, Shawnie Rasco, Jessica Carpenter, Nikki Bonds, Brent Long, Timothy Villa, Brandon Mount, Brennan Broyles, Mindy Locker, Rendi Hodge, Stephanie Kirk, Adrian Ashford, Robert Guerrero, Joe Adair, Bryce Thomason, T.J. Hutto, Timothy Madrid, Daniel Patterson, Kamal Bhakta, Joseph Anguiano, Blair Saylor, Stephanie Sexton, Jennifer Walls, Aaron Faver and Joe Mata.

The National Geographic



TOP GEOGRAPHY BEES - Watson Junior High School students who ranked highest in the recent Geography Bee were: (Left) Jennifer Walls, 2nd place; T.J. Hutto, 1st place and Joe Adair, 3rd place. Hutto will compete for a \$25,000 college scholarship.

Society will provide an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C., for the state champions, and their teacher-escorts to participate in the National Geography Bee national championships on May 30-31. The first-place winner will receive a

\$25,000 college scholarship.

The National Geographic Society developed the National Geography Bee in response to a growing concern about the lack of geographic knowledge among young people in the United States.

Free workshop on parenting to be held at CCC

CLOVIS - It has been said that parenting consists of on-job training, but there are resources parents can use to make

their job easier. New and experienced parents are invited to attend a workshop titled "Parenting: Is There a Better

Way?" sponsored by the Adult Re-Entry at Clovis Community College.

The free workshop is scheduled from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.,

Friday, February 10, in room 409 at CCC.

Coffee will be served during registration from 8-8:15 a.m. Hour long segments will begin at 8:30 a.m. with "Effective Ways To Discipline" presented by Kathleen Penland, prevention services counselor with Mental Health Resources.

At 9:35 a.m., Carol McKinney will discuss "parents' Rights/Children's Rights." McKinney is the Prevention

coordinator for the Clovis Municipal Schools.

Mary Potter, teacher in the GRADS program at Clovis High School, will present a session at 10:50 a.m. titled "Single Parent: Who's in Control of Your Children?"

After a lunch break (on your own), Ed Davis, project coordinator with Youth Opportunities Unlimited, will open the afternoon session at 1 p.m. with a discussion on the "Different Aspects of Parenting."

Muleshoe Area Calendar

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Oddfellows, Lodge Hall, 7:30 p.m.
Tops Club, Am. Blvd. Church of Christ, 6:00 pm
Muleshoe Square Dance, 7:30 p.m., American Legion Hall

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Kiwanis Club, 6:30 am

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Muleshoe Heritage Foundation, Old Depot
Border Rounders dance, 7:30 p.m., Civic Center
Muleshoe 4-H Club, 7 p.m., Bailey County Coliseum

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Alcoholics Anonymous, 723 W. Ave. E, 8 p.m.
Rebekahs, Lodge Hall, 7:30 pm
Rotary Club, Civic Center, noon
Muleshoe Senior Citizens dance, Legion Hall, 7:30 pm
Eastern Star, 8 p.m., Masonic Lodge
Jennyslippers, noon, Depot
Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Lodge

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Lion's Club, noon, Civic Center
Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Dept., City Fire Station

(The Muleshoe Journal is attempting to keep the calendar accurate and up-to-date. Please inform the Journal if there is a change in any of these listings.)

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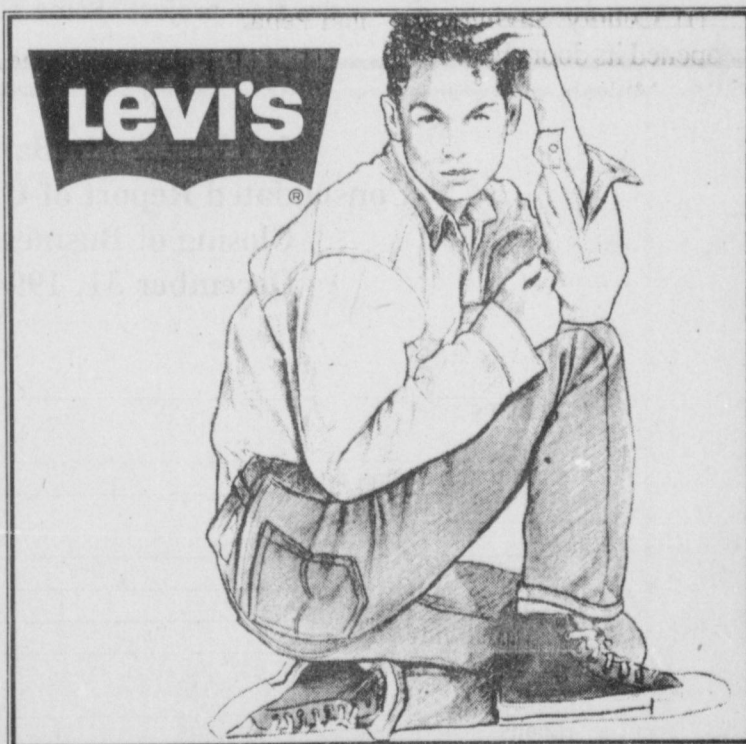
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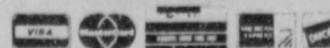
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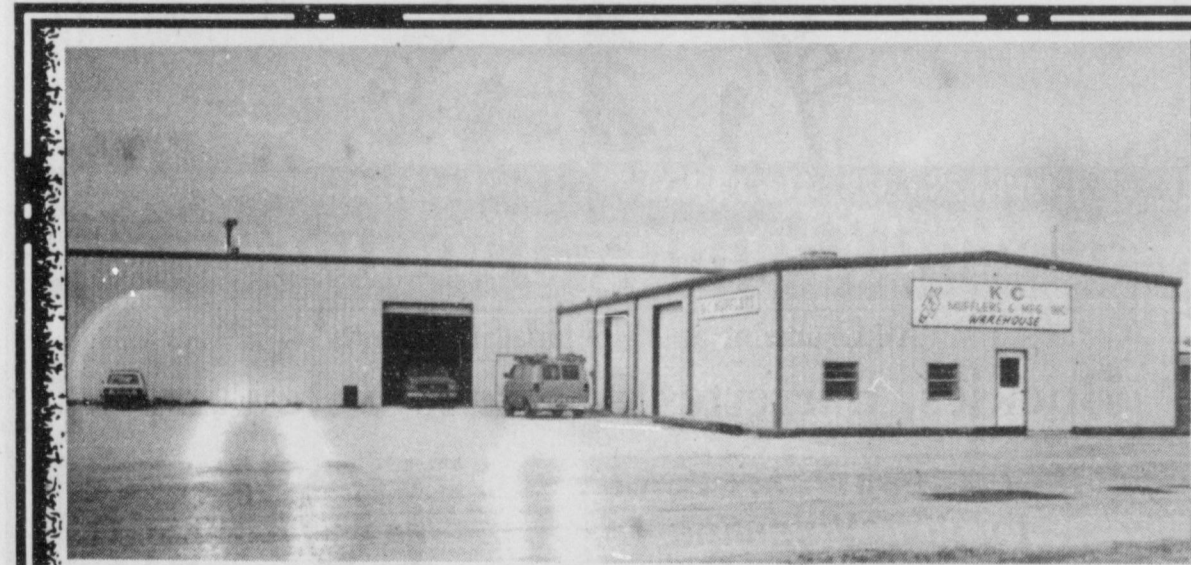


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Pummill to receive an Eagle Scout badge, rank

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Dax is the former senior patrol leader of Troop 250 and a member of the order of the Arrow, an honorary scout camping organization. His Eagle Scout project was the landscaping and remodeling of the Bedford Boys Ranch baseball fields.

He is the grandson of Oneita Wagnon, a resident of the Muleshoe Nursing Home, and the nephew of B.H. Wagnon and Jeanine Gunstream of Muleshoe.

Dax's Court of Honor ceremony will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Metroplex Covenant Church at 3508 Glade Road in Colleyville.

The achievement of the Eagle rank is a milestone in only a few boy's lives. Less than two percent of the youth who enter scouting will achieve it. Boys who earn Eagle Scout today are the leaders of Texas tomorrow.

Have A Nice Day!



BUSINESS OF THE MONTH — James Crane Tire Co., located at 322 North 1st in Muleshoe, has been named business of the month by the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture. James Crane has been in business over 30 years and has eight employees. Pictured are: (Left) Mike Hahn, owner; Sharon Gardner, bookkeeper and Joe Lozano, foreman.



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH — Angelica Toscano of Leal's Restaurant has been named Employee of the Month. She has worked for Leal's for 20 years and is currently manager. She has lived in Muleshoe all of her life and has two children, Jenny and Michael. She also has a grandson, Marcos Xavier.

Lee speaks at Kiwanis Club

The Muleshoe Kiwanis Club met for their weekly meeting Friday, Feb. 3 at the facilities of Five Area Telephone Co-Op. The meeting was called to order by the Vice President Bryan Morris. The pledge was led by R.G. Bennett and the prayer was given by Ben Davis. The Friendship Coin was passed on from Chuck Smith to Scott Churchman.

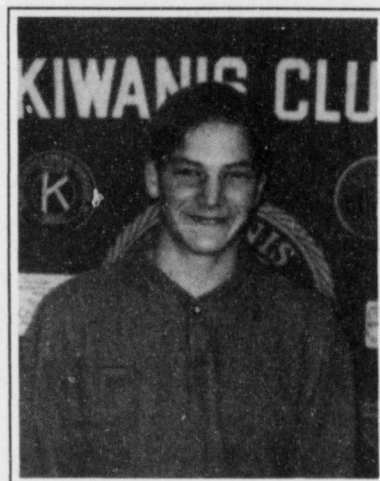
Bryan Morris read a note from Betty Griswold that the Cub Scouts will hold their annual blue/gold banquet Saturday Feb. 18 at the First United Methodist Church here in Muleshoe.

Chuck Smith reported on the flag project. Some flags

have come in that had been ordered. There will be a work day on flags Saturday Feb. 11 at 10 a.m. All members are urged to be there.

Lyndon Huckaby introduced Justin Lee as our program for Friday morning. Justin is a member of the Bailey County 4-H. His program was on the different roles played by being a member of the 4-H. Those roles include the areas of responsibilities, learning the history of 4-H, participating in projects, record keeping, and seeking out the opportunity to serve.

Members attending the weekly meeting included Bryan Morris, Lonnie Merriott,



Justin Lee

Flavio Garza, David Marricle, J.O. Parker, Clay Kidd, Eddy Morris, Hugh Young, Jim Lutz, Ben Davis, R.G. Bennett, Tom Bowen, Jerry Hutton, Chuck Smith, and sweetheart Mikki Bowen.

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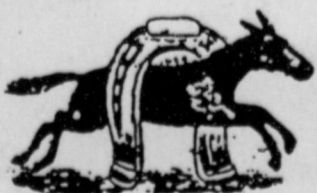
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ASSETS	
Cash and balances due	3,380,000
Securities	10,206,000
Federal funds sold	0
Loans	29,013,000
Less allowance for loan loss	(391,000)
Net Loans	28,622,000
Premises and fixed assets	553,000
Other real estate	305,000
Other assets	1,937
Total Assets	45,003,000
LIABILITIES	
Deposits	39,760,000
Noninterest bearing	8,524,000
Interest bearing	31,236,000
Federal funds purchased	1,475,000
Other liabilities	422,000
Total Liabilities	41,657
Equity Capital	
Common Stock (# of shares)	Authorized 50,000
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Undivided profits & capital reserves	2,000,000
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- Name: Glenda Jennings
- Age: 52
- Hometown: Lazbuddie
- Town born in: McClennen, Tx.
- Affiliations: Lazbuddie Methodist Church, volunteer at Muleshoe HealthCare Center.
- Quote from someone who knows her well: "She has been here (at the nursing home) about every day for the past 16-17 years, only occasionally missing. She once said, as long as there is at least one person here (resident), it is worth coming." (Joy Stancell)



Glenda Jennings

Glenda Jennings has been chosen as the *Muleshoe Journal's* Amigo of the week. Glenda has been seen for the past 19 years entertaining residents at Muleshoe HealthCare Center with her singing and puppet shows during the nursing home's weekly sing-a-long.

Glenda said, "Somebody asked why I have done it so long (volunteering at the nursing home) and I said, if you could go to a place where when you open the door love just wraps around you, wouldn't you love to go there too."

"I think I get a lot more out of it then they get from me," Glenda said.

"I hope to keep singing every week," She said. Glenda sings gospel songs, oldies and mostly hymnals which the residents can sing along with.

Glenda mainly uses people puppets. She has been using puppets for about a year now and also presents puppet shows at her church. She is also a song leader at Lazbuddie Methodist Church.

Glenda is very active in her church and teaches Sunday school and is active in the Ladies Circle.

"I have found that the people here (at the nursing home) enjoy the puppets, even more than children do," Glenda said.

Glenda was born in McClennen County, Texas near Waco and also helps her husband Derrell with cattle. They have a daughter and had a son who died of Leukemia in 1972. Her daughter, Jonessa Brockman, accompanies Glenda on the piano at the nursing home every week.

During her spare time, Glenda enjoys sewing, horseback riding, writing songs and watching sports, particularly Texas Tech sports.

Every Thursday the *Muleshoe Journal* spotlights an individual from this area who contributes a great deal to this community through their volunteer and other efforts by contributing their time or resources to help improve the lives and quality of living of others around them.

Tops names losers of week

Tops Chapter Number 34 met at the Muleshoe Church of Christ on Thursday, Feb. 2 at 6 p.m. Leader Laverne James called the meeting to order. The Tops Pledge was recited and the fellowship song was sang. James led the group in a prayer.

Betty Jo Davis, weight recorder, called the roll with 18 members answering with the amount they had lost or gained. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Aurora Mata, secretary and were approved

as read. Ruth Clements, treasurer, gave the treasurer's report.

Rose Sain was named best loser for the week. First runner-up was Lucille Harp and second runner-up was Evelene Harris. The meeting was adjourned with the singing of the good night song.

Additional moisture needed for Bailey County soil

Bailey County producers within the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 service area need four to 10 inches of water from precipitation and/or irrigation to bring the five foot root zone soil profile to field capacity before the 1995 spring planting, according to pre-plant soil moisture survey data released by the Water District and the USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS).

"We found that six percent of the Water District Service area will need from 0 to 4 inches of moisture to bring the soils to field capacity. About 45 percent of the area will need four to six inches of moisture and 48 percent will need six to eight inches of moisture," said Gerald Crenwelge, USDA-NRCS Soil Scientist, "One percent of the area needs eight to 10 inches of moisture to refill the soil profile."

Soil moisture readings are taken by lowering a neutron

probe into a permanently-installed aluminum access tube at each of the 301 monitoring sites within the 15-county Water District service area.

Each site is chosen based upon the soil type, the variations in the saturated thickness of the Ogallala Aquifer which indicates potential well yields and typical farming operations in that area.

Plant available soil moisture varies according to the previous crop produced at the site. For example, soil moisture at cotton sites averaged about 0.4 inches at the one foot soil level, 0.3 inches at the two foot level, 0.3 inches at the three foot level, 0.4 inches at the four foot level and 0.5 inches at the five foot level.

Sites in corn producing area had about 0.6 inches at the one foot level, 0.6 at the two foot level, 0.6 inches at the three foot level, one inch at the four foot level and one inch at the five foot level.

Available soil moisture for grain sorghum sites averaged

0.5 inches at the one foot level, 0.3 inches at the two foot level, 0.2 inches at the three foot level, 0.3 inches at the four foot level and 0.4 inches at the five foot level.

Wheat producing sites averaged about 0.7 inches at the one foot level, 0.5 inches at the two foot level, 0.4 inches at the three foot level, 0.6 inches at the four foot level and 0.7 inches at the five foot level.

Generally, each foot of soil has a capacity to hold about two inches of soil moisture, or a total of about 10 inches in the five-foot root zone soil profile.

Historical data shows that above-average crop yields are more likely when the five foot root zone soil profile is at or near field capacity at planting.

"We hope the area will receive significant precipitation that will help reduce these soil moisture deficits prior to planting," Crenwelge said. Rain gauge readings taken by Water District staff at the soil moisture sites in Bailey County show 10.42 inches of precipi-

tation during 1994.

Use of furrow dikes will help keep any moisture that falls between now and spring planting on the field so that it can soak into the soil.

The annual pre-plant soil moisture survey data informs producers about general plant available soil moisture conditions across the Water District.

"Irrigators can use this information to estimate the amount of water needed to bring their soil closer to field capacity without wasting water by over-irrigating. This information reflects general soil moisture trends and should not be used in place of individual soil moisture testing on farms," Crenwelge said.

Copies of the regional and/or Bailey County soil moisture survey maps are available by contacting your local USDA-NRCS office or the high Plains Underground Water Conservation District No 1, 2930 Ave. Q, Lubbock, Texas, 79405-1499 or by calling (806)762-0181.

Education notes

Almanza, Harris, Kelley, Reyes, Kirk

LUBBOCK - Five students from the Muleshoe area were among more than 2,900 Texas Tech University students who qualified for the academic honors list at the end of the 1994 fall semester.

Students on the President's List earned a perfect 4.0 grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours of classwork. Students finishing 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9 qualified for the Dean's List.

Those listed from Muleshoe are: Maria Santos Almanza, a junior Spanish major, Honors List; Stacie Leigh Harris, a sophomore accounting major, Dean's List and Erin Lynn Kelley, a junior English major, Dean's List.

Also included are Jaime Reyes, a senior Spanish major, President's List and Brandon Wade Kirk, a senior design communications major from Bula, Dean's List.

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Rebekah Lodge meets

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Sympathy cards were sent to the families of three friends of members. Birthday cards were sent to residents of the Rebekah home in Ennis.

There was a discussion of the open house for Bill Maddox's 50th year pin. June Green, secretary, read correspondence pertaining to the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly of Texas.

One letter read was from Lydia Morrow, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas. Her encouraging letter left the Lodge with this thought, "Yesterday is already a dream and tomorrow is only a vision, but today, well-lived, makes every yesterday a dream of happiness and every tomorrow a vision of hope."

Amigos

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Know of somebody in the community who does a great deal of volunteer work or goes the extra mile to help others and deserves recognition? Why not nominate them for the *Muleshoe Journal's* "Amigo of the Week?"

Every week the Journal spotlights an individual in the community and runs an article about them on Thursdays. To nominate somebody, call 272-4536.



50-YEAR MEMBER HONORED - (Right) Bill Maddox, a 50-year member of the Muleshoe Oddfellows, was presented with a 50-year pin by Claud Whileman, past district deputy, nobarian and past state president. The presentation was held Thursday at the Oddfellows Lodge on West 2nd Street. Maddox joined the Oddfellows in 1945.

Telescope workshop set

AMARILLO - The Amarillo Astronomy Club will be hosting a Telescope Workshop at the Don Harrington Discovery Center on Feb. 25 from 2-5 p.m.

Topics on buying, building and using telescopes will be highlighted. The workshop is free, and everyone (from beginner to experience star gazer) is encouraged to attend.

Information on purchasing a telescope, as well as descriptions and examples of the various types and mounts will be available. Astronomy Club members will be on hand to show participants how to use a

telescope, from setting up and adjusting the eyepiece to finding objects on a star chart.

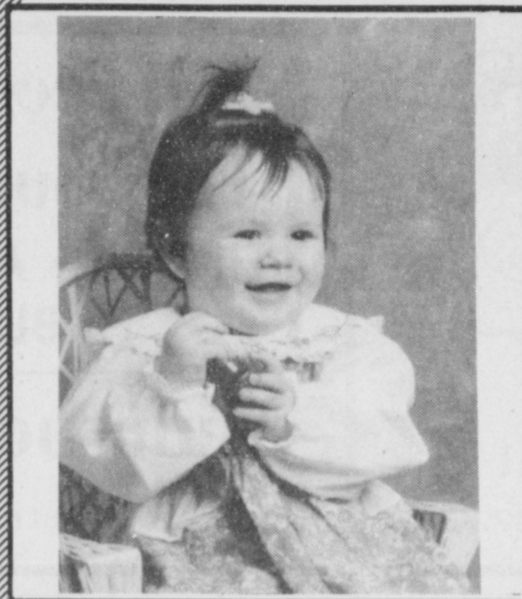
They will also have information on joining the Amarillo Astronomy Club and participating in group observing sessions and programs.

For further information regarding the Telescope Workshop, please contact Christine Brunello at the Discovery Center by phoning (806)355-9548, extension 13.

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By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mrs. Bonnie Bellevau of Lubbock was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud from Tuesday through Friday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Harold Abney of Lockney were guests in the home of her mother Margie Peterson recently.

Wanda Wheeler returned home Tuesday after visiting friends at Grandberry, Ft. Worth and Stevensville.

We were sorry to hear that Oleta Stanley was in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock last Monday and Tuesday afternoon. Get well real soon Oleta.

Myrna Turney drove to Logan last Tuesday and spent through Friday with her sister

Juanita Jackson. She visited and did some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud were in Lubbock Sunday and visited their daughter

and husband Jimmy and Sandra Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols visited their son and family at Canyon Saturday afternoon

and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Nichols and children David, Bethany and Mark, went to

see their granddaughter Bethany play basketball.

Steve Edwards formally of Bula and Pep, Texas, came Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud.

Elnita Key and Ellen Bayless visited her sister

Bonnie Long and Ellen visited Katie Garvin at the nursing home in Morton Saturday afternoon.

The Rev. Ray and Olene Cunningham and Ellen Bayless visited Inez Sanders Sunday afternoon.



HEADED TO STATE - Muleshoe High School DECA students and alternates who were chosen to compete in the upcoming state competition in Corpus Christi in March are: (Left) Travis Copley, Koy Wilhite, Anna Mendoza, April Sawyer and Karissa Dale

DECA students compete in district conference

Muleshoe High School students in Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA) attended the 1995 District VIII Career Development Conference in Lubbock Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 30-31. The competition was held at Monterey High School and the awards assembly was held at the Holiday Inn Atrium.

DECA returned with three students qualifying to compete at state in Corpus Christi on March 9-12. These students are: Anna Mendoza in Advertising and visual merchandis-

ing, Karissa Dale in finance and credit services, Koy Wilhite, an alternate in food marketing; Travis Copley, who made the final round in the Quiz Bowl; and April Sawyer won third place in general marketing series.

Melissa Morales won third place in restaurant management series and Robbie Clapp won second place in general marketing series.

DECA programs have a focus of developing future leaders in marketing and management.

Recent graduates

Heidel, Huckaby, King
LUBBOCK - More than 1,300 students at Texas Tech University received degrees during the 1994 fall com-

mencement exercises, including three from Muleshoe.

Kelly Lay Conklin Heidel graduated with honors, Magna Cum, Laude and received a bachelor of arts degree in

multidisciplinary studies.

Holly Sherice Huckaby received a bachelor of science degree in food technology and Kevin Scott King received a bachelor of science degree in zoology.

School Board Recognition month is proclaimed

Muleshoe Mayor Robert Montgomery has proclaimed February as School Board Recognition Month. The proclamation was made during a meeting of the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees meeting on Monday night.

In observance of the month, school board members were presented with certificates of

appreciation and valentines by the administration office staff. The Federal Programs and Special Education staff presented them with a goody pack.

Muleshoe school board members include Cindy Purdy, board president; Curtis Shelburne, board secretary; Sam Harlan, vice-president; Arnold Price, Ed Cox, Max King and Frank Saldana.

A resolution signed by Montgomery states, "Public education in this nation is a

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The jokes are getting to me. I feel like the people in Cleveland felt when their river caught on fire.

The writing on the green directional freeway signs signaling the airport turn have mercifully had the name taped

over, like National Inquirer tapes over the eyes of the perpetrator...Pena Blvd. Named after the brains behind this well-intentioned fiasco, former Denver mayor Federico Pena.

On a personal note, I know Federico. I kinda like him but to his everlasting ill-fortune he got in over his head. As the old saying goes, "You can't run with the big dogs if..."

At present Federico is serving as President Clinton's Secretary of Transportation. Some would say, "how fitting."

I have a two year old son. We're now watching all the videos made for two year olds, over and over and over. Last week we were enthralled in the 206th running of Snow White and the seven altitudinally challenged coal miners. Marching across the screen came Dumpy and Goofy and Snowball and Dufus and the rest of the Magnificent Seven. They were whistling and scattering leaves in their wake.

It suddenly occurred to me

that this must be what a Cabinet meeting is like in the Clinton White House. Babbit, Espy, Cisneros, Brown, Elders, the Attorney General de Jour, Aspen, et al. All singing "Whistle While You Work" and dragging their ragged political baggage.

I've been trying to give President Bill the benefit of the doubt. After all, he is from Arkansas. But I'm beginning to worry about his judgement.

He needs to spend a week back home with the good folks in Pine Bluff or Green Forest. Hang around the sale barn and coffee shop, visit with some good common sense people who want him to do good. It might help him. 'Cause I assume they were the ones that kept him from appointing Jane Fonda as Sec. of Defense and Marion Barry to the Supreme Court.

Lazbuddie Homemakers keep busy

The Lazbuddie Young homemakers started the new year with several activities. On January 10, Sheila West, executive director of the Alzheimers Association Panhandle Chapter, made a presentation about Alzheimer's.

She provided helpful information about the disease as well as the services and resources made available by the Alzheimers Association.

A book fair was conducted by the Young Homemakers at the Lazbuddie School January 17-18. The project was quite successful.

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STEERS

Weight	Per #
200-300 lbs.....	\$1.00-1.10
300-400 lbs.....	\$0.95-1.14
400-500 lbs.....	\$0.85-0.99
500-600 lbs.....	\$0.76-0.86
600-700 lbs.....	\$0.75-0.80
700-800 lbs.....	\$0.70-0.73.50

HEIFERS

Weight	Per #
200-300 lbs.....	\$0.85-0.94
300-400 lbs.....	\$0.80-0.87
400-500 lbs.....	\$0.75-0.84
500-600 lbs.....	\$0.67-0.74
600-700 lbs.....	\$0.65-0.73

PAIRS

Type	Per head
Good & Young.....	\$550.00-715.00

BRED COWS

Type	Per head
Good & Young.....	\$400.00-525.00

PACKER COWS

Type	Per #
High Yielding.....	\$45.00-51.00
Other.....	\$38.00-45.00

PACKER BULLS

Type	Per #
Packer.....	\$50.00-54.00

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Seller, City	#	Type	Wt.	CWT or PH
F&M Cattle, Brownfield.....	2	Blk Bull.....	285	\$113.00
T&T Cattle, Littlefield.....	2	Char Str.....	335	\$114.00
3S Cattle, Olton.....	2	Mxd Str.....	335	\$111.00
JW Allen, Seminole.....	2	Rwf Str.....	420	\$98.00
TW Taylor, Amherst.....	2	Red Str.....	460	\$99.00
Rick Ingram, Littlefield.....	2	Red Str.....	470	\$91.00
3S Cattle, Olton.....	3	Mxd Str.....	512	\$85.00
Brad Bridges, Earth.....	3	Char Str.....	635	\$80.00
Joe Robles, Hereford.....	3	Mxd Str.....	615	\$75.50
Bill Verden, Earth.....	3	Blk Str.....	700	\$73.50
Jedon Gallman, Lazbuddie.....	2	Char Str.....	760	\$72.50
Henry Botenhorst, Hereford.....	2	Rwf Str.....	695	\$74.00
LM Smith, Muleshoe.....	5	Mxd Bulls.....	740	\$68.00
F&M Cattle, Brownfield.....	4	Rwf Hfr.....	205	\$200.00
3S Cattle, Olton.....	3	Blk Hfr.....	320	\$84.00
Brad Bridges, Earth.....	4	Mxd Hfr.....	405	\$82.00
T&T Cattle, Littlefield.....	2	Mxd Hfr.....	430	\$83.00
David Phares, Olton.....	2	Blk Hfr.....	480	\$78.50
JW Allen, Seminole.....	3	Bwf Hfrs.....	490	\$79.00
Cynthia Lawson, Olton.....	2	Blk Hfr.....	630	\$68.25
Jedon Gallman, Lazbuddie.....	2	Char Hfr.....	685	\$69.25
Rick Ingram, Littlefield.....	2	Char Hfr.....	700	\$70.00
Joyce Beasley, Enochs.....	2	Mxd Hfrs.....	730	\$67.50
OW Lambert, Whitherrel.....	2	Blk Pr.....	730	\$715.00
Paula Nix, Olton.....	2	Char Cow P7.....	730	\$530.00
Johany Timmons, Morton.....	6	Brin Cows P7&8.....	730	\$525.00
MC Cattle, Muleshoe.....	7	Brng Cows P.....	875	\$425.00
Up Front Cattle, Olton.....	2	Red Cow.....	1585	\$51.00
Trueman Mourdock, Morton.....	2	Blk Cow.....	1105	\$50.00
Mark Pinkerton, Levelland.....	2	Char Cow.....	960	\$48.75
Bill Varden, Earth.....	2	Blk Cow.....	1200	\$46.75
Cobb Ranch, Levelland.....	2	Bwf Cow.....	1220	\$47.50

The Muleshoe Cattle Market is brought to you each week by Muleshoe Livestock Auction, located east of Muleshoe on U.S. 84. Muleshoe Livestock conducts sales every Saturday, beginning with hogs, sheep and goats at 10 a.m. and cattle following at approximately 12 noon. For information on sales or to consign cattle, call (806) 272-4201.

1st Bank Report of Condition

Consolidated Report of Condition of 1st Bank
of Muleshoe And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, a member of the Federal Reserve System,
at the close of business December 31, 1994, 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	STATE BANK NO	2720-02
	P. O. Box 565	FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO	11 13 22965
	Muleshoe, Tx 79347-0565		
CITY	Muleshoe	COUNTY	Bailey
		STATE	Texas
		ZIP CODE	79347
		CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	December 31, 1994

		Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
		Bil	Mill	Thou	
ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		4621		1 a
	b. Interest-bearing balances		0		1 b
2. Securities:	a. Held-to-maturity securities		6149		2 a
	b. Available-for-sale securities		14273		2 b
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & of its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds sold		7300		3 a
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell		0		3 b
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:					
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income		32	235		4 a
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses			409		4 b
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve			0		4 c
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)			31	826	4 d
5. Assets held in trading accounts			47		5
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)			1	276	6
7. Other real estate owned			103		7
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies			0		8
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding			0		9
10. Intangible assets			48		10
11. Other assets			1	225	11
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)			66	868	12 a
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)			66	868	12 c
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits:	a. In domestic offices:		60	925	13 a
	(1) Noninterest-bearing	16	324		13 a (1)
	(2) Interest-bearing	44	601		13 a (2)
	b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs:		0		13 b
	(1) Noninterest-bearing		0		13 b (1)
	(2) Interest-bearing		0		13 b (2)
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		0		14 a
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase		0		14 b
15. a. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury			0		15 a
b. Trading liabilities			0		15 b
16. Other borrowed money:	a. With original maturity of one year or less		0		16 a
	b. With original maturity of more than one year		0		16 b
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases			0		17
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding			0		18
19. Subordinated notes and debentures			275		19
20. Other liabilities			61	200	20
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)			61	200	21
22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus			0		22
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding)			0		23
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized	50,000		500		24
b. Outstanding	50,000		2,000		24
25. Surplus			3	657	25 a
26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves			489		26 a
b. Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities			0		26 b
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments			5	668	27 a
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)			N/A		28 a
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)			5	668	28 b
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28 a & 28 b)			66	868	28 c
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)			66	868	29

MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:

1. a. Standby letters of credit. Total

1 a

1 b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a. conveyed to others through participations

1 b

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.

I, Linda Lutz, 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.

Linda Lutz
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.

Linda Lutz
Director

John H. ...
Director

Phil ...
Director

(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL)

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Polly Jo Oliver
Notary Public

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Legal Notice

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF PLUMA LENORA WALKER

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the estate of PLUMA LENORA WALKER, Deceased, were issued on the 1st of January of 1995, in Docket No. 8036 pending in the County Court of Bailey County, Texas to: BENNIE O' BRIEN. The address of such Bennie O' Brien is: 523 West Avenue E, Mulshoe, Texas 79347.

All persons having claims against the Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED the 1st day of February, 1995.

Carrissa A. Cleavinger Attorney for the Estate State Bar No. 04351100

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Water conservation should be consideration in area landscapes

LUBBOCK - Due to low interest rates, construction of new homes in Lubbock was on the rise in 1994. Homeowners can spend from 10 to 15 percent of the value of the home in landscaping; however, the right landscape can provide savings on high summer water bills.

"Water conservation is a concern of mine," says James Harris of Lubbock, a member of the American Society of Landscape Architects. Harris likes to implement water conservation principles into the landscapes he designs. These techniques include drip and trickle irrigation, non-turf areas, and alternative turfs.

Turf areas are the largest water users in a traditional landscape. Yet, homeowners who wish to utilize water conservation grasses may have to tolerate extra effort to establish the lawn, but they in turn will benefit from reduced long-term maintenance.

Tex Turf 10 was originally developed for use on football fields, because a football field needs to recover rapidly after a game. It grows very fast and uses a lot of water. When used for a lawn, Tex Turf 10 requires more water, fertilizer, and mowing than many other grasses.

Lawns that look like golf course putting greens not only require extra water but a special lawnmower. However, buffalograss uses little water and needs little mowing. One common complaint is the seed head produced by buffalograss, but this has been eliminated with the introduction of Prairie Buffalograss, a female plant which does not produce a seed head.

Harris says Lubbock landscapes have typically been influenced by people who move in from other areas and want landscapes that look like the

place they came from. In most instances, this is a landscape that requires a lot of water and is not well adapted to this area.

He adds that people with agricultural backgrounds and people raised in the West Texas area have a high awareness of the need for water conservation. People from other areas that receive larger amounts of rainfall are not as aware of water conservation needs.

Another problem is that nurseries stock the plants people will buy, but not necessarily plants that are adapted to this area. Some nurseries have stocked native plants in the past—but they were not big sellers due to an uninformed public.

Plants native to the semi-arid Southwestern United States or adapted with origins in a part of the world with a climate similar to Lubbock should be purchased by homeowners. These plants will survive on the rainfall received and require little additional watering.

Lubbock's limited precipitation of an average 18.65 inches of rainfall per year does not necessarily mean that homeowners have to plant cactus and rock gardens on their property. There are many colorful flowering plants well suited for West Texas.

They include:

- * Gregg Salvia - red, pink, white, purple flowers.
- * Prairie Zinnia - yellow flower colors.
- * Plains Penstemon - pink and white flowers.
- * Bush Morning Glory - lavender flowers

Whether you have a new or older home, the first step in preparing a new landscape or remodeling an existing one is to have a master plan. The plan should be for the entire property and should include a

budget and what you want to accomplish with the landscaping.

This is where a landscape architect like Harris comes in. The architect has developed the plan, a landscape contractor would be called in, or you could do it yourself to save money. The plan can be implemented in phases to meet your budget.

Harris said that the time to plan is in September and October. This allows time to order any needed plant materials, so that you will be ready to start your landscaping once spring comes.

Even if a water saving landscape does not fit into your budget right now, lower water bills will fit your budget any time. Some water conservation methods will fit into any landscape:

* Harvest the free precipitation that runs off driveways and roofs.

* Water early in the morning to avoid evaporation losses.

* Avoid watering in high winds.

* Do not water sidewalks and driveways.

* Use sprinklers that apply water low to the ground and in large drops.

* Water deep and infrequently instead of light and often.

* Avoid over-watering.

* Capture condensate water from air conditioners for reuse.

There are many ways water can be conserved outside the home. Common sense water use can save water and money. For more landscape water conservation information, contact the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79405, or call (806) 762-0181.

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WJHS boys team hosts Shallowater

Monday night, Jan. 30, the boys teams at Watson Junior High hosted district rival Shallowater in the last home game of the season for the boys. The eighth grade team out-scored Shallowater, 50-28, while the seventh graders lost 46-49.

Monday night Feb. 6, the Mules traveled to Littlefield to play their final games of the season.

Eighth Grade Muleshoe 50, Shallowater 28

In the first quarter of the eighth grade game against Shallowater, the Mules jumped to a 15-2 lead. They increased their lead in each of the remaining quarters to claim an impressive victory, 50-28.

"We've been stressing defense all week in practice and I thought we played better defense against Shallowater,"

said Coach Welch. The team held Shallowater to two points in the first period and five in the third period.

Leading the scoring for the Mules was Dustin Cleavinger with 16 points. Jacoby Jennings was good for eight, and Mason Sinclair and Dusty Ramage each scored seven. Manuel Campolla contributed six points and Aaron Faver and Kyle Owen each made three points.

The eighth grade Mules claim an impressive 13-1 record for the season going into the final game Feb. 6 against Littlefield.

Seventh Grade Shallowater 49, Muleshoe 46

The seventh graders bounced into the lead against Shallowater taking a 16-11 advantage in the first period.

The second period they dropped the lead and found

themselves trailing by four at the half. The rest of the ballgame was a close give and take situation that left Shallowater on top by three when the final buzzer sounded. The Mules lost the game, 49-46.

Clint Black led his team in scoring with 14 points. Mitch Mason ripped the net three times from the three point arc to add a total of ten points to the board. Delwyn Latham hit one three-pointer and totaled out with five points. Bret Clements also contributed five while Jeff Bruns made four. John McClanahan ripped one three-pointer and Judd Glover was good for three also. Carlos Gonzalez made two.

The seventh grade Mules were 10-4 for the season going into their final game against Littlefield on Feb. 6.

Public Record

Obituaries

Neal Carter

MORTON - Funeral services for Neal Carter, 74, of Ft. Worth, were held Thursday, Feb. 9 at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel. R. Forrest Baker officiated. Burial was held at Morton Memorial Cemetery.

Carter died Monday, Feb. 6, 1995 at All Saints Hospital in Ft. Worth after an illness.

He was born Dec. 13, 1920 in Langley, Ark. He married Wilma Holliday on May 26, 1946 in Independence, Kan.

Neal had been a resident of Ft. Worth since 1954, moving there from Dumas. He was a veteran of World War II, serv-

ing in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the Pearl Harbor Association and the VFW. He had worked for Frozen Food Express from 1954 to 1983. He was a member of Rosen Heights Church of Christ in Ft. Worth.

He is survived by his wife Wilma Carter of Ft. Worth; a daughter Ronnie Goodner of Ft. Worth; three brothers, Billy D. Carter of Morton, Otis Carter of Redding, Calif., and L.C. Carter of Ft. Sumner, N.M.; by two sisters, Zane Gushwa of Dora, N.M. and Lillian O'Toole of Santa Barbara, Calif.; by three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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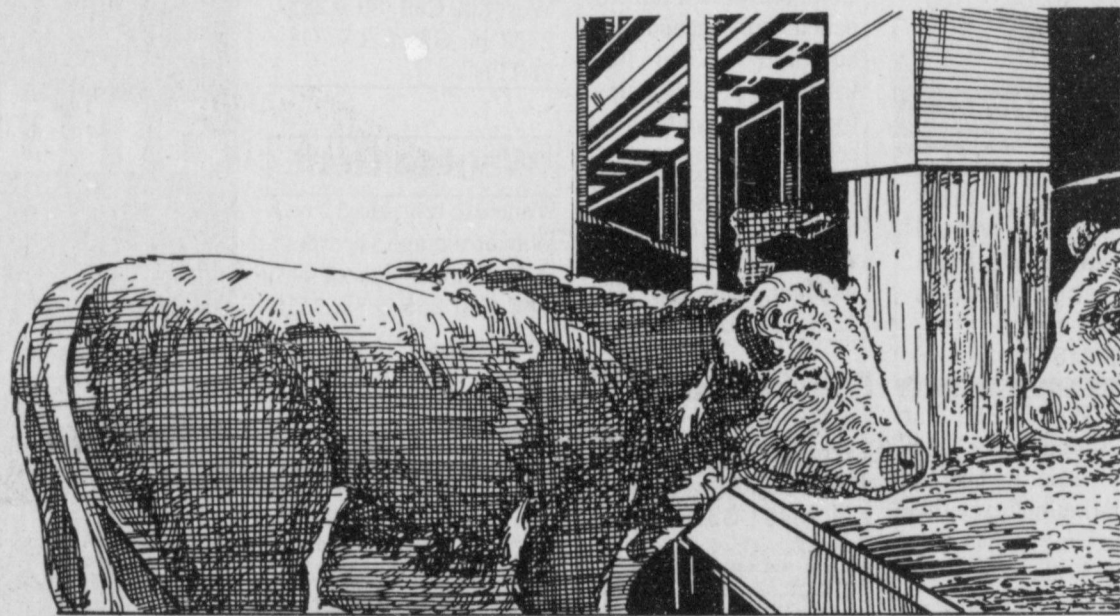
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