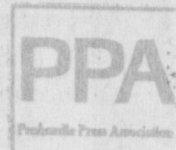




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Biker dudes

Tryke tyke (left)

Cassi Stegall, 3-year-old daughter of Brad and Shelli Stegall of Muleshoe, rides her tricycle during the Kinder Korner Preschool's St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon Friday at the new City Park. About a dozen pre-schoolers pedaled to earn donations for the St. Jude's Children's Hospital while learning about bicycle safety.

Show stopper (below)

Riley Smith, 4-year-old son of Randy and Terri Smith of Lazbuddie, plays cop during the Kinder Korner Preschool's Bike-A-Thon Friday. Also pictured is Ernest Cadenhead, 4-year-old son of Ronna Cadenhead of Muleshoe.

Photos by Rick White



Hospital without head man 'till June 1

By MARTHA TOLES FROST
City Editor

Muleshoe Area Medical Center will function without an interim hospital administrator May 17 through June 1.

The Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board of Directors Thursday accepted the resignation of MAMC hospital administrator Richard Murphy, effective May 17.

Murphy has accepted an administrative position at a 60-bed hospital in El Campo near Houston.

An interim hospital administrator is expected to be appointed by Methodist Hospital by June 1 to serve while applications are being taken for the position of MAMC hospital administrator.

Meanwhile, Ray Mason with Methodist Regional Services will be available to the hospital for assistance by phone, the hospital's administrative secretary Sharon Plott said.

In personnel matters, the contract of Dr. Bob Johnson, surgeon was continued for one year; Cynthia Jo Coberley of

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Muleshoe Lions roar no more

By MARTHA TOLES FROST
City Editor

The Lions Club will roar no more in Muleshoe.

The 54-year-old Muleshoe Lions Club officially disbanded April 10 after deciding the club could not meet its monthly expenses.

The Lions Club's former president, Stacey Conner, said that in order to stay solvent, the club needed to "double its membership or double its dues."

Expenses included \$100 a month to rent the Bailey County Coliseum meeting room weekly, plus meal expense and the cook's fee, as well as dues to the international and district Lions Clubs.

Lack of local restaurant facilities conducive to organization meetings also played a part, Conner said.

Activities of the Lions Club this year included its annual Pheasant Hunt Breakfast and bringing the Culpepper & Merriweather Circus to town.

Some of the Lions' on-going projects will be continued by the Muleshoe Rotary Club, according to Conner, who took office as Lions Club president in July.

"The balance of our account

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Ag page

Cattlemen hoping to survive drought, brutal market

Cattlemen face more tough times ahead according to an industry spokesman.

"I hope we can survive and continue to make a living in this industry we love. It will be tough," President Chaunce O. Thompson Jr. told members of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association in March.

"The largest issue of the year has been cattle prices," said Thompson. He said the factors contributing to the continuing depressed cattle market have been an increase in the size of the cow herd, increased beef production per animal,

increased feed prices, the large number of cattle imported from Mexico in 1995, and the drought striking Texas and Oklahoma. He said packer concentration is another continuing problem.

Thompson challenged producers to work towards improving the quality and consistency of beef. "The only way we're going to get there, I think, is to have enough pride in individual cow herds to bring them around to the kind that will produce the desired product. We've got a lot to learn," he said.

County water levels dip

Bailey County ground water levels declined an average of 1.53 feet in 1995 in 103 privately-owned wells in the observation well network maintained by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 in its 539,625 acre service area within the county. The represents a decrease of 123,843 acre-feet of water in storage in the Ogallala Aquifer last year in Bailey County.

Ground water levels within Bailey County declined an average of 0.60 of a foot annually during the 10-year period from 1986 to 1996. An average annual decline of 0.82 of a foot was recorded during the five-year period from 1991 to 1996.

Ground water levels in the Ogallala Aquifer with the 6.7 million acre High Plains Water District service area had an average decline of 1.91 feet from January 1995 to January 1996. The decline was 0.24 of a foot less than the 2.15 feet decline recorded for 1994.

An inch of rain means...

For starters, about \$91 million in market value for corn, wheat, milo and cotton grown on 15 southern Panhandle and northern South Plains counties, says the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District.

Those dollar numbers resulted from research accumulated by HPUWCD and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, which looked at a 3-5 year average rainfall.

For every inch of rainfall, an acre of corn land receives more than 27,000 gallons of water. With each inch, the value of corn increases by \$26.50 per acre, a yield increase of 700 pounds (about 12 bu.).

That inch of rain will generate an extra 10 bu. of wheat, or \$25 per acre. Milo production increases by \$16.87, or 500 pounds. And cotton yield goes up by 100 pounds, or \$37.50.

The buck doesn't stop there. Using common multiplier effects, the overall economic impact of 1 in. of rain translates to \$318 million for the region.

Of course, the trick, now, is to get the rain.

— Texas Corn News

Algebra lessons go up in smoke

It's an age-old question asked by every high school student who was ever paralyzed by this particular form of seemingly senseless mathematics.

Why do we need algebra? I'm never going to use it in the real world.

The reason algebra is included in the core curriculum in high school is because it teaches deductive reasoning and problem solving.

Three Muleshoe High School golfers recently flunked a real-life algebra test, a chapter called consequential reasoning.

The question was:

If three players are smoking cigarettes, and a coach catches them, how long should they regret doing it?

A. every day of their life
B. every time they smoke a cigarette

C. long enough to learn from their mistake

D. none of the above

I know I flunked my share of consequential reasoning tests — and still need occasionally tutoring.

And I paid for it, trading in what should have been a special senior year for rebellion and discontent. When coaches looked to me for leadership, I looked the other

way.

Leadership also seems to be a problem at Muleshoe.

The players in question were just being kids. Heck, three kids from Graham were sent home for streaking.

Rick White

Managing Editor

But that doesn't excuse these Muleshoe kids from being accountable.

Judged by itself, this incident is minor, but it appears to be a symptom of a more pragmatic problem.

A Muleshoe baseball player is serving his second suspension for violating school tobacco policies, which state that no tobacco products are allowed on campus or at school functions.

Monday's Powder Puff Bowl football game was stopped because of unruly and out of control students.

Why?

Half the world doesn't do something because they know it's wrong, the other half doesn't do it out of fear of getting caught.

Which group does Mule-

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AROUND MULESHOE

VFW and Ladies Auxiliary urge flags displayed on Loyalty Day

Loyalty Day May 1 is being sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Ladies Auxiliary.

The day is celebrated annually throughout the nation as an incentive for Americans to reaffirm love of flag and country.

Mayor Robert Montgomery, who has declared May 1 Loyalty Day in Muleshoe, urges individuals, schools, churches, organizations, business establishments and homes in the area to display the flag of the United States of America and to participate in public Loyalty Day activities being sponsored by the VFW and Ladies Auxiliary.

Weigh Down participants lose 120 pounds, celebrate with pizza party

A local group of Weigh Down workshop participants celebrated their weight loss of 120 pounds with a pizza party Wednesday.

The participants lost the weight during a 12-week program that is a Bible-based weight loss ministry.

"In the Weigh Down Workshop, there are no forbidden foods, and participants control overeating by using food only to satisfy stomach hunger while turning to God to satisfy spiritual hunger," according to Juana Shelburne, one of the organizers.

Orientation to begin a new 12-week session will be held at 5:30 p.m. May 2 at the 16th & D Church of Christ.

For more information, call 946-3435 or 272-4664.

Muleshoe ISD Board to discuss roofing, personnel matters, TAAS

The Muleshoe Independent School Board will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, April 29 to discuss roofing work to be done this summer and to receive a report on Project Graduation '96.

The Board also will review the revised professional employee contract forms and discuss salaries for 1996-97 non-certified personnel, the 1996-97 calendar and the results of the TAAS Exit test.

Merriott receiving Governor's Volunteer Service Award

Nelda Merriott, District Clerk in Bailey County, will receive the Governor's Volunteer Service Award and will be recognized by Governor George W Bush.

The award will be presented during the Criminal Justice Ministry Conference in Dallas May 23.

Gov. Bush will present the award to Merriott, and she will have her picture made with him.

Annual MHS Athletic Banquet slated for Saturday, May 4

The annual Muleshoe High School Athletic Banquet, sponsored by the Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club, will be

held at 7 p.m. Saturday, May 4 in the High School cafeteria.

The banquet is open to the general public at a cost of \$7.50 per person.

May 1 deadline approaching for area transfer students

Area school districts have a May 1 deadline for accepting student transfer applications.

Parents or guardians of students wishing to attend a school district other than the one in which they reside must file an application for transfer in the Superintendent's office of the receiving school prior to May 1.

For more information contact MISD Superintendent Bill Moore.

Teacher of the Year nominations sought for elementary, secondary

The fifth annual Teacher of the Year Awards will be presented at the general faculty meeting on May 24 in the high school auditorium.

Nominations must be submitted in writing to the Superintendent's office by 4 p.m. Thursday, May 9.

A nominee must be a full-time classroom teacher. Anyone in the Muleshoe Independent School District—employee, student, parent or community member—may nominate.

Teachers at Dillman Elementary and DeShazo Elementary are eligible for the elementary award and Watson Junior High and Muleshoe High School teachers are eligible for the secondary award.

The awards, underwritten by Muleshoe State Bank and First Bank, consist of a golden apple and a check for \$250.

Mrs. Texas contestants sought for 1996 San Antonio pageant

SAN ANTONIO — Applications are being accepted for the 1996 Mrs. Texas Pageant in San Antonio June 21-22.

Contestants for the Mrs. Texas must be over 18 years of age, married, a citizen of the United States and a Texas resident for at least six months.

For more information, call (210) 341-0321.

Muleshoe High School Class of '86 seeks former classmates for reunion

The Muleshoe High School Class of 1986, which is planning a July reunion, is looking for the location of the following classmates:

Penny Bastardo, Connie Lott, Melissa Gabbert, Gino Guana, Lea Irvin, Gerald Denbow, LaDawn Fowler, Ralph Salazar, Tommy Recio, Mary Faulkner, Joe Acevedo, Paul Martinez and Spencer Reamy.

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Have A Nice Day!

Hospital

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Amarillo, who was appointed as family nurse practitioner, will take responsibility for the emergency room four nights a week (Monday through Thursday); and a pathologist, Dr. Hugh Paik of Lubbock was appointed to the hospital staff.

In addition, three certified registered nurse anesthetists were appointed to the emergency room staff and 10 additional physicians from Southwest Medical Associates were appointed to weekend emergency room service courtesy staff (as needed).

In other business, the hospital board approved a FirstCare Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) contract through the end of December, with a slight rate increase.

HMO's involve a designated primary care physician for each

employee. The primary care physician can refer the patient to another physician, but that

physician must also be a designated FirstCare physician, Plott said.

Pride is the Bait On All Sorts of Hooks

I received a letter last week inviting me to shell out \$35 for a volume entitled, *The World Book of Shelburnes*. According to the letter, "extensive work has been done throughout the world on a project relating to the distinguished Shelburne name." This work will focus on Shelburnes "who immi-

Smiths, or McGradys?

I hadn't read a full paragraph into the letter before I recognized that old "The circus is in town! Hang on to your wallet!" feeling.

Pardon me, but I'm pretty sure peddlers who pitch to our pride speak with forked tongues. It happened in Eden, remember? The combination of a smooth-talking serpent, Adam & Eve's lack of sales resistance, and an unvarnished appeal to sinful pride ("Eat this, and you'll be like God!") brought cockleburrs to Paradise.

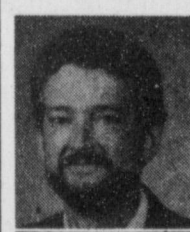
I'm happy to wear the Shelburne name, but I'm pretty sure a little real research would turn up a horse thief or two.

I'm very proud to be an American, a Texan, a citizen of Muleshoe, but I'm not such a mule that I'm blind to weaknesses or unaware that some other fine nations, states, and cities exist.

If I read my Bible correctly, there is, for those who wear the name of Christ, a great deal of room for pride in Christ and the cross, but precious little room indeed for arrogance regarding "my" group, "my" sect, "my" righteousness, "my" tradition.

Whenever you suspect a peddler on your porch, at a political rally, in a pulpit, or using a bulk mail permit is baiting you with pride, watch out! Some unscrupulous angler is getting ready to set the hook and reel you in.

Curtis Shelburne is minister of the 16th & Avenue D Church of Christ in Muleshoe.



Focus On Faith
Curtis Shelburne

grated to the New World between the 16th and early 20th centuries."

Wow! That made me feel privileged. Absolutely unique. One of a kind. Wonder why they sent the letter bulk rate?

I read on. "The first Shelburne we found came to Charles Town, South Carolina, in 1767. Her name was Margaret." Hmm.

"Shelburne" is plastered all over the letter. Twenty times in one page. Coupled more than once with the adjective "distinguished."

Makes me wonder why they wrote in bold print on the order form: **No direct genealogical connection to your family or to your ancestry is implied or intended.** So they could just as easily have peddled *The World Book of Shelburnes* to Joneses,

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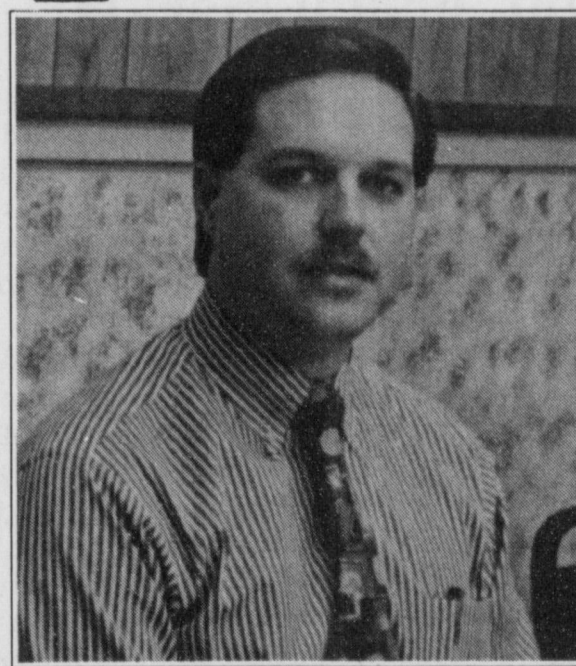
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For more information on Dr. Bullard, contact Sharon Plott 806-272-4524.

Muleshoe Schools to give TAAS Test April 30-May 3

TAAS has become a part of the vocabulary of every school in Texas. (TAAS stands for Texas Assessment of Academic Skills.)

Teachers, principals and students talk about it a lot. Some students see it as a hard test that they have to do... and pass, while others see it as a challenge.

Some teachers, on the other hand, feel that it takes teaching time to work on TAAS; others feel that it certainly guides the way they teach.

Parents hear about the test and want their children to pass it for many different reasons. No one likes to fail a test.

Without discussing the pros and cons of the test, here are a few facts to let you know about this famous TAAS test.

Muleshoe will be giving its

Spring version to all eligible students, in grades 3 through 8 and 12 on April 30, May 1, 2 and 3.

Students in grade 12 who have not previously taken or passed all three portions of the test will retest in math and reading and writing.

Grades 3 through 8 will test in math and reading, with 8th grade also testing in social studies and science.

The test is "Exit Level" when grades 10, 11 and 12 take it, and the student must pass all parts to receive a Texas high school diploma.

In May, the test gets to be very important to a senior who hasn't passed all parts. It is important, too, for the other grade levels, because each school gets a report card from the State of Texas on how well

its students are doing compared to other schools of similar size, makeup of student population and wealth.

Tracking the TAAS Test

Sample questions for review

4TH GRADE

One of the number sentences in the box does not belong with the others. Which number sentence is it?

- 4 x 5 = 20
- 4 + 5 = 9
- 20 ÷ 4 = 5
- 20 ÷ 5 = 4

- A. 4 x 5 = 20
- * B. 4 + 5 = 9
- C. 20 ÷ 4 = 5
- D. 20 ÷ 5 = 4

8TH GRADE

In scientific notation, the innermost ring of Saturn is 9.5×10^3 miles above the planet's surface. Another way to write this distance is...

- A. 0.95 miles
- B. 95 miles
- C. 950 miles
- * D. 9500 miles

EXIT LEVEL

The movers charged \$45 to move a piano within the city limits, plus \$0.40 per mile. If the total charge was \$47, not including tax, which equation could be used to find m , the number of miles the piano was moved?

- * A. $45 + 0.40m = 47$
- B. $0.40(45 + m) = 47$
- C. $45m = \frac{47}{0.40}$
- D. $(0.40)(45) + m = 47$
- E. $45 + 0.40 = \frac{47}{m}$

Having hit some of the highlights about the TAAS test, here are some of the sample

math questions that the Texas Education Agency released for last year's test. (See related TAAS test samples with an asterisk (*) beside the correct answers.)

Next, we will look at some

reading questions and discuss some things to do to help our children.



The world's first shopping center was built in 1896 at Roland Park, Baltimore, MD.

White

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shoe High fit in? Apparently neither.

Considering the consequences of your actions is a huge step toward becoming an adult

Muleshoe kids have a lot of growing up to do.

One high school official told me that reporting this incident would be negative journalism; that this is a small town.

Ignorance is not the answer.

This is not a public flogging of the kids involved, they'll survive. This is not to punish their parents, they've already been punished enough wondering why.

When I look back at some of the tests I took in high school, especially athletic ones, the answer was usually "A".

I never found out how good I could be, not in athletics at least.

I wonder if they're giving a makeup test for people over 30?

Lights, camera don't faze Mighty M Band

By MARTHA TOLES FROST City Editor

Muleshoe High School's Mighty "M" Band was in the middle of its performance at the Regional UIL 3A and 4A high school band contest Thursday when Lubbock's Channel 28 showed up to film what they were doing.

The Mighty "M" band earned top honors despite being interrupted during the competition at Monterey High School.

The Muleshoe band didn't seem the least disturbed by the surprise onslaught of TV equipment and personnel, according to Martha Anthis, one of the band's directors.

Although Anthis was glad for the publicity, she was concerned that the television cameras might affect the band's performance.

But the band, also directed by Rob Lovett, received first division (superior) ratings in both concert and sightreading and the UIL Special Award for its filmed performance.

A rating of two in field marching in October kept the band from securing a sweepstakes award, representing a rating of one in all three band events — marching, concert and sightreading, Anthis said.

Most of the judges were complimentary of Muleshoe's

performance.

"Many nice moments when the full band was playing," said Jim Rhodes of Monahans.

Ed Stein of Midlothian said, "Director is covering syncopated rhythms well, and this is indeed tricky! Time has been used wisely by both director and students."

"Well rehearsed and performed. A spirited performance," according to Fred Pankratz of Canadian.

Mike Watts of Odessa said, "Keep working hard and listen to your directors. It is obvious you are well taught and you care about what you do."

Several judges praised

Muleshoe's "nice beginning" and "concept of band sound."

The judges also gave specific suggestions for improvement of various instruments' entrances, endings, pitch, tuning, timing, loudness, beat, tempo and overall evenness of sound.



It is estimated that there may be as many as 30 million species of insects.

Band members qualify for state

Several members of Muleshoe's Mighty "M" Band will advance to State May 27 in solo-ensemble and clarinet quartet.

The following Muleshoe High School band students earned first division medals at the University Interscholastic League Region 16 solo-ensemble competition Feb. 24 at Texas Tech:

Shannon Noack, piano solo;

Jennifer Patterson, piano solo; Gerardo Loya, clarinet solo; Melissa Mata, alto sax solo; and Kristi Bennett, alto sax solo.

The clarinet quartet composed of Patterson, Yolie DeHoyos, Loya and Stephanie Guerrero also earned first division honors at the UIL Region 16 meet.

In addition, Noack, Patterson, Loya, Mata and

Samuel Villarreal all had their solo performances qualified for the Texas State Solo-Ensemble Contest on May 27 at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos by performing their Class I solo by memory.

The clarinet quartet consisting of Patterson, DeHoyos, Loya and Guerrero also qualified for the May 27 Texas State Solo-Ensemble Contest.

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Gloria enjoys cooking when she has time and she loves spending time with her granddaughter.

Gloria has been with the Muleshoe Area Home Health Agency for 5 months. Before working here, she was employed at the hospital for 5 years as Unit Secretary at the Nurses desk. She enjoys working with everyone here and the patients.

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Sports

Muleshoe falls from top of 2-3A standings

SHALLOWATER — After dropping its third-straight game Tuesday, things aren't looking up for Muleshoe High School.

In fact, it's the Mules who are looking up at the the District 2-3A leaders after free-falling out of first place for the first time all year.

Shallowater scored eight runs in the second inning en route to a 10-2 win as Muleshoe's hitting woes continued.

Muleshoe, which managed just four hits Tuesday, has been held to six hits or less in its last four games and has been out-hit in all six district games.

The loss drops Muleshoe to 10-12 overall and 3-3 in 2-3A, a game back of Floydada and Friona, both 4-2.

In other 2-3A action Tuesday, Floydada edged Littlefield, 3-2, and streaking Friona wonist third straight, 11-6 over Dimmitt (3-3).

Four of Shallowater's five hits came in the eight-run second, including a solo home run wrapped around the right-field foul pole by shortstop Peter Garza. Muleshoe aided and abetted the enemy in the inning, committing three errors, six passed balls and two wild pitches. Starter Alfredo Gonzales and reliever Jeff

Baseball		
2-3A standings		
	District	Overall
Floydada	4-2	13-4
Friona	4-2	9-11
Muleshoe	3-3	10-12
Dimmitt	3-3	12-11
Littlefield	2-4	8-15
Shallowater	2-4	9-15
Saturday's games		
Floydada at Muleshoe		
Littlefield at Dimmitt		
Shallowater at Friona		
Tuesday's games		
Shallowater 10, Muleshoe 2		
Floydada 3, Littlefield 2		
Friona 11, Dimmitt 6		

Wheeler combined to walk four batters.

Wheeler allowed five runs on just one hit in 4 1/3 innings. He struck out five and walked four.

Freshman Matt McClanahan, making his first start at designated hitter, was 2-for-3 with two stolen bases and a run scored for Muleshoe.

Todd Jordan went the distance for the Mustangs, 8-14, 2-4, striking out seven and walking two.

The Mules played Floydada Saturday. Muleshoe 000 0200 2 4 5
Shallowater 081 010x 10 5 1
Gonzales, Wheeler (2) and Woodard. Jordan and Ortiz. WP—Jordan. LP—Gonzales. 2B—Brown (S). HR—Garza (S).



Reaching

MHS sophomore third baseman Matt Mason goes up high for a throw trying to catch a Littlefield runner straying a little to far during a junior varsity game last week.

Muleshoe netters bounced early at regionals

ODESSA — Muleshoe High School's stay was short in the Region 1-3A tennis tournament Wednesday at the Odessa Tennis Center.

Muleshoe's Melissa Morales and Reagan McElroy were eliminated in the quarterfinals while Isaac Miramontes and Colby Latham were ousted in the first round of the 16-team tournaments.

Morales and McElroy defeated Katherine Alsop and Jessie Fowls of Aledo, 6-3, 6-4 in the

first round, then lost to Vernon's Lisa McManigal and Jill Rainwater, 6-1, 6-2, in the quarterfinals.

Bradley Waters and Bruce Churchwell of Brownfield beat Muleshoe's Isaac Miramontes and Colby Latham, 6-1, 7-6 in the first round.

Both MHS teams qualified for regional by finishing second in the District 2-3A tournament.

Miramontes, Latham and McElroy were all making their second regional appearance.

Suspensions cut golf season short

ODESSA — The Muleshoe High School boys golf team's season ended abruptly Tuesday when three players were suspended from the team before the start of second round of the Region 1-3A golf tournament at Ratliff Golf Links.

Kyle Embry, Clye Marr and Stefan Sutton were suspended for violating team rules, school officials said.

Muleshoe was tied for 10th heading into the second round.

The Muleshoe girls finished 13th out of 16 teams after shooting a 453 Tuesday for a two-round total of 891.

"It was two pretty long days," said Muleshoe coach Ralph Mason about the Lady Mules first regional appearance in school history. "The main thing is we gained experience that carries over to the next couple of years. Hopefully we can use this experience to go back next year and be more competitive."

Four of the five Lady Mule golfers are underclassman.

Sophomore Keisha Whitt shot a 100 Tuesday and finished the 36-hole tournament with at 205. Senior Dacia Stewart was second at 224 and freshman Nikki Sutton third

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LHS golfers finish near bottom

The Lazbuddie High School girls finished 11th and the boys 12th at the Class 1A Regional golf tournament April 24-25.

The Lady Longhorns shot a two-round total of 965 at the Sundown Municipal Golf Course.

Dawn Weir shot a 109 Thursday and led LHS with a 329. Heather Engelking finished at 243, Regina Jones and Holly Engelking both finished at 249.

Angie Thomas earned medalist honors with a 173, leading Wheeler to the team title. Wheeler finished at 773, 20 strokes ahead of Sanderson.

The top two teams and individuals advance to the state tournament at Austin in two weeks.

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Class 1A Regional	
BOYS	
at Levelland Country Club	
Team — 1. Booker 344-354—698, 2. Paducah 346-355—7-1, 3. Farwell 348-363—711, 4. Shamrock 356-358—714, 5. Whitharral 373-362—735, 6. Motley County 371-366—737, 7. Marfa 366-393—759, 8. Loop 382-284—766, 9. Fort Davis 384-387—771, 10. Farwell Blue 396-383—779, 11. McLean 380-409—789, 12. Lazbuddie 406-396—802, 13. Higgins 418-425—843, 14. Adrian 453-467—920.	
Individual — 1. Casey Oldham, Shamrock, 79-77—156; 2. Kelly Weinette, Booker, 77-85—162, 3. Chris Baker, Marfa, 78-88—166.	
Lazbuddie — Justin Puckett 100-93—193, Travis Barber 102-93—195, Justin St. Clair 105-103—208, Cade Morris 106-107—213, Josh Warren 99-115—214.	
GIRLS	
at Sundown Golf Course	
Team — 1. Wheeler 407-366—773, 2. Sanderson 404-389—793, 3. Vega 401-397—798, 4. Motley County 405-409—814, 5. Marfa 402-414—816, 6. Farwell 431-439—870, 7. Anton 460-425—885, 8. Spur 456-446—902, 9. Patton Springs 478-465—943, 10. Miami 479-474—953, 11. Lazbuddie 498-467—965, 12. Cotton Center 501-482—983, 13. Meadow 500-486—986, 14. Fort Elliott 516-476—992.	
Individual — 1. Angie Thomas, Wheeler, 88-85—173; 2. Heather Basford, Vega, 94-83—177, 3. Leigh Ann Pipkin, Motley County, 90-90—180.	
Lazbuddie — Dawn Weir 120-109—229, Heather Engelking 126-117—243, Regina Jones 123-126—249, Holly Engelking 126-120—249, Susie Hodges 131-121-252.	

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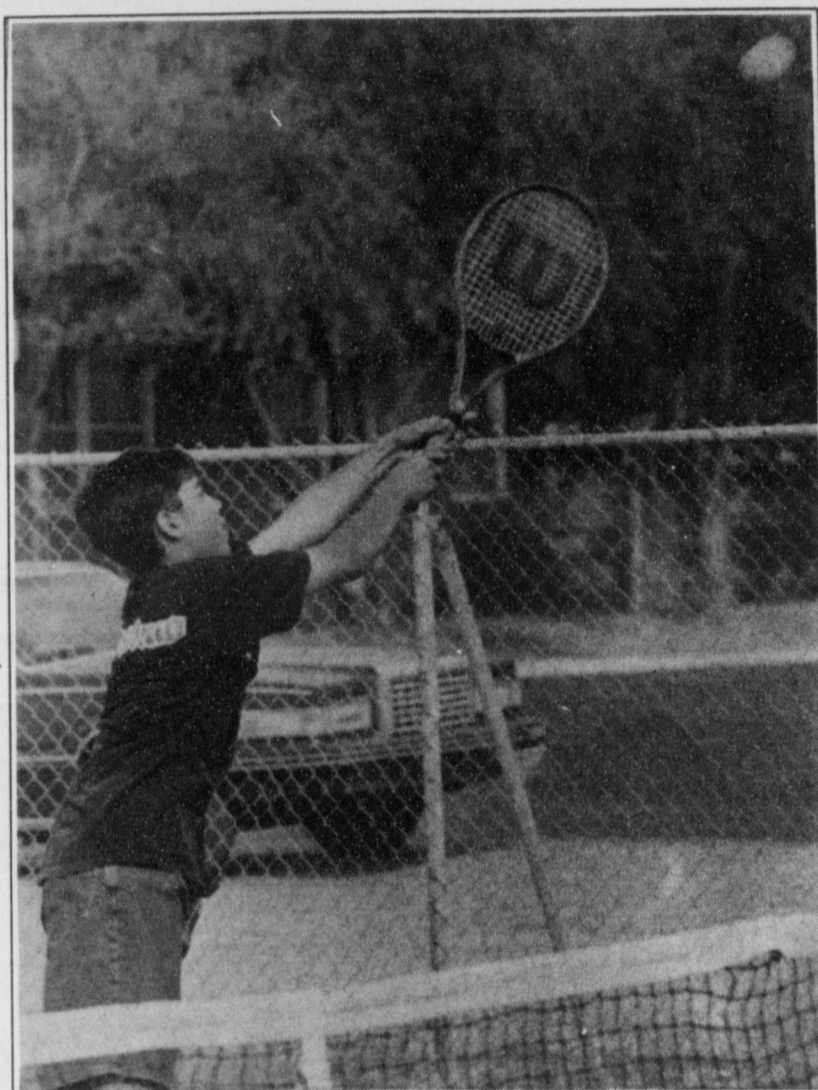
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for Muleshoe at 226.
 Abilene Wylie overtook first-round leader Graham to win the region, shooting a 339 Tuesday for a two-round total of 693. Graham finished second at 701. Brownfield was a distant third at 759.
 Ashley Andress of Wylie was the medalist at 159. Julie Champman of Tulia was second at 162.
 The top two individuals and teams advance to the state tournament in two weeks.
 Abilene Wylie and Tulia dominated the boys tournament.
 Abilene Wylie won the tour-

namment, shooting a 298 Tuesday for a two-round total of 613. Tulia, the 1994 state champion, shot a 303 and finished 11 strokes back at 324. Bridgeport finished third at 652.
 Jason Darby of Wylie was the medalist with a 149, one ahead of Josh McCoy of Childress, who shot a one-under 71 in the second round.
 Darren Box of Muleshoe chopped 10 strokes off his first-round score with a 5-over 77 Tuesday and Damon Davenport shot a 94.
 Neither score was official because they qualified as a team, not individuals.



Return to sender
 WJHS 8th-grader Michael Dan Lopz returns a shot Thursday during a doubles match against Dimmitt at the high school tennis courts.

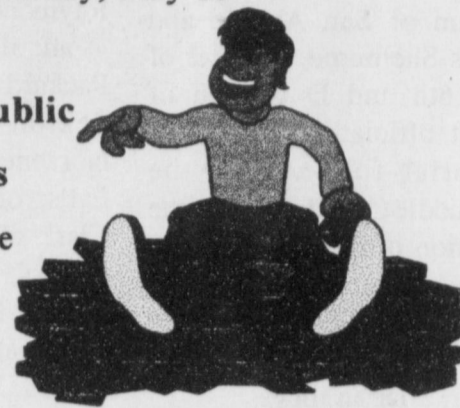
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Golf

Region I-3A

at Ratliff Ranch Links
 April 22-23
 BOYS

Team—1. Abilene Wylie 315-298-613, 2. Tulia 321-303-624, 3. Bridgeport 328-324-652, 4. Breckenridge 339-328-665, 5. Colorado City 341-327-668, 6. Childress 341-331-672, 7. Slaton 335-339-339-674, 8. Alpine I 353-334-687, 9. Decatur 340-348-688, 10. (tie) Springtown 353-340-692, Sonora 358-334-692, 12. Seminole 361-331-693, 13. Friona 373-340-713, 14. Alpine II 396-400-796. **Muleshoe WD**, Graham WD.
Individual—1. Jason Darby, Wylie, 73-149; 2. Josh McCoy, Perryton, 71-150; 3. Chris Holt, Tulia, 70-151-151; 4. (tie) Kory Chapman, Decatur, 77-152; Cory Mahoney 75-152.
Muleshoe—Darren Box 87-77-164, Damon Davenport 99-94-193, Kyle Embry WD, Cyle Marr WD, Stefan Sutton WD.

GIRLS

Team—1. Abilene Wylie 354-339-693, 2. Graham 349-352-7-1, 3. Brownfield 378-381-759, 4. (tie) Comanche 384-380-764, Tulia 377-387-764, 6. Bridgeport 386-392-778, 7. Denver City 384-397-781; 8. Friona 406-380-786, 9. Alpine 394-395-789, 10. Sonora 402-395-797, 11. Kermit 419-431-850, 12. River Road 426-449-875, 13. **Muleshoe 438-453-891**, 14. Boyd 439-455-894, 15. Clint 459-449-908, 16. Springtown 454-456-910.
Individual—1. Ashley Andress, Wylie, 80-159; 2. Jaime Chapman, Tulia, 80-162; 3. Natalie Porter, Wylie, 82-163; Julie Murray, Graham, 95-166; 5. (tie) Kristy Neall, Graham, 83-167; Mika Decker, Brownfield 85-167.
Muleshoe—Keisha Whitt 105-100-205, Dacia Stewart 10-8-116-224, Nikki Sutton 105-121-226, Kendra Kenmore 120-116-236; Kaite Black 127-126-253.

LHS

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In the boys tournament at Levelland Country Club, Booker shot a 698, edging Paducah by three strokes at Levelland Country Club.
 Lazbuddie, led by Justin Puckett's 193 and Travis Barber's 195, shot a 802.
 Casey Oldham of Shamrock was the medalist with a 156.

Lions

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will go to the Rotary Club to be sure that children in Muleshoe who need glasses will get them," Conner said.
 Advertising signs also have been turned over to the Rotary.
 The Lion's annual broom sale will be conducted by the Muleshoe High School DECA students July 3 and 4, Conner said.

Phil Gramm named taxpayers' friend

WASHINGTON — U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm has been awarded the "1995 Taxpayers' Friend Award" by the 250,000 member National Taxpayers Union for his outstanding voting record in Congress to cut government spending and reduce taxes on working families.
 "Many members of Congress talk about balancing the budget and controlling spending. But Senator Gramm's outstanding score in our Rating of Congress shows that he backed up those words with votes," said NTU Executive Vice President David Keating. "If every member of Congress cast spending votes as carefully as he did, we would have a balanced federal budget, lower taxes and a healthier economy."
 Gramm's score of 90 percent also qualified him for a grade of "A" in the 1995 rating. The senator had one of the highest scores in the U.S. Senate, reflecting his consistent votes to balance the federal budget and reduce tax burdens by reducing government spending.
 In the study, NTU analyzed every vote that affects taxes

and the amount of federal spending and weighted the votes according to their importance.
 "The Texans who do the work and pay the taxes and pull the wagon can do a lot better job of spending their own money on their own children than the federal government can do, and that's why I'm going to continue to fight for a balance budget and tax relief for working families," Gramm said.

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Public Record

Obituaries

Roy Clark

Funeral services for Roy Clark, 88, of Hereford, formerly of Muleshoe, were held Saturday, at the 16th and D Church of Christ with Marlin Bynum of San Angelo and Curtis Shelburne, minister of the 16th and D Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial followed in the Lazbuddie Cemetery under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home.

Mr. Clark died, Wednesday April 24, at the Hereford Care center, after an illness.

He was born Oct. 18, 1907 in Parker County, Texas. He married Polly Ann Wages, Jan. 20, 1930 in Megargel, Texas. She died March 20, 1996.

He was a long time resident of Muleshoe, moving to Here-

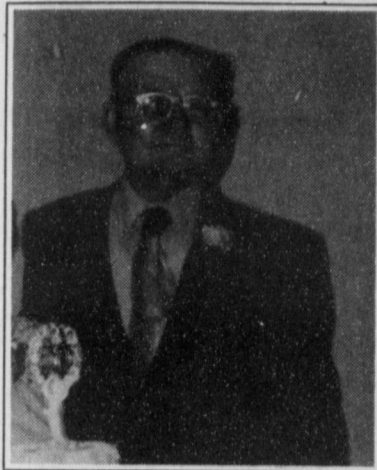
ford in 1994. He was a building contractor in Muleshoe for a number of years. He was a member of the 16th and D Church of Christ. A son, Edwin Therman Clark, preceded him in death.

Survivors include, one son, Raymond Glenn Clark of Gorman; three daughters, Jane Packard of Hereford, Bernice Sexton of Littlefield and Noraene Seaborn of Wichita Falls; one brother, John W. Clark of Ukiah, Calif.; three sisters, Juanita Wages of Olney, Texas, Jessie Romins of Weatherford, Texas and Elnora Waller of Peaster, Texas; 15 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons will serve as casket bearers.

The family suggests memorials to the Hereford Senior

Citizens, 426 Ranger, Hereford, Texas 79045 or New Mexico Christian Childrens Home, P.O. Box 148, Portales, N.M.



Roy Clark

Hospital Admissions

The Muleshoe Area Medical Center has reported the following admissions.

April 17 — Dana Cadena, April Cook, James Herriage, Nannie Blackman, Toy Lee, Natridad Exalona

April 18 — Dana Cadena, James Herriage, Nannie Blackman, Toy Lee, Myrna Nieto, Emily Barraza

April 19 — James Herriage, Nannie Blackman, Toy Lee, Kenneth Wilson

April 20 — Cecilia Flores, Virginia Estrada, Nannie Blackman, Toy Lee, Kenneth Wilson

April 21 — Cecilia Flores, Virginia Estrada, Nannie Blackman, Toy Lee, Kenneth Wilson

April 22 — Wesley Hawkins, Scott Brown, Nannie Blackman

April 23 — George Barron, Ramona Bertlinga, Arthur Hayes, Scott Brown, Virgie Perry, Linda Barron, Sabrina Guerra

April 24 — Nathan Cruz, Romona Bertlinga, Audrey magby, Nettie Brown, Ramono Bolin, Linda Guerra, Sabrina Guerra

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—Marcel Proust

Copy deadline

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Breakfast

Monday — Scrambled egg & toast, fruit or juice, milk

Tuesday — Breakfast pizza, fruit or juice, milk

Wednesday — Biscuit w/ gravy, fruit or juice, milk

Thursday — Pancakes, fruit or juice, milk

Friday — Cinnamon roll, fruit or juice, milk

Lunch

Monday — Chicken sandwich, tator tots, lettuce & tomato, mixed fruit, milk

Tuesday — Burrito w/ chili, Spanish rice seasoned zucchini, chocolate chip cookie, milk

Wednesday — Soft taco, lettuce & tomatoes, refried beans, fruit crisp, milk

Thursday — Baked potato w/ chili, broccoli w/ cheese, hot roll, peach cobbler, milk

Friday — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, milk

Dillman, DeShazo

Breakfast

Monday — Scrambled egg & toast, fruit or juice, milk

Tuesday — Breakfast pizza, fruit or juice, milk

Wednesday — Biscuit w/ gravy, fruit or juice, milk

Thursday — Pancakes, fruit or juice, milk

Friday — Cinnamon roll, fruit or juice, milk

Lunch

Monday — Crispy tacos, lettuce & tomatoes, Spanish

rice, sliced pears, milk

Tuesday — Oven-fried chicken, scalloped potatoes, whole baby carrots, hot roll, milk

Wednesday — Burrito w/ chili, sweet peas, sliced peaches, hot roll, milk

Thursday — Spaghetti, winter mix vegetables, sliced apples, Italian bread, milk

Friday — * Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, milk

Cheeseburgers, lettuce & tomatoes, pinto beans, cookies & milk

* = Dillman

= DeShazo

Three Way

Breakfast

Monday — Biscuit w/ gravy, juice, milk

Tuesday — Two waffles, juice, milk

Wednesday — Cereal or Cream of Wheat, toast, graham crackers, juice, milk

Thursday — French toast, juice, milk

Friday — Waffle, sausage, juice, milk

Lunch

Monday — Spaghetti, green beans, salad, garlic bread, pears, milk

Tuesday — Chicken nuggets, raw vegetables, corn on the cob, hot bread, orange sherbert, milk

Wednesday — Cheeseburger, fries, apricots, milk

Thursday — Hot dog, baked potato, peas, apple cobbler, milk

Friday — Pizza, salad, corn, banans, milk

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Carrie Kindle, Pittman married at Three Way

Carrie Anne Kindle and Michael Ray Pittman were married Friday, April 19, 1996, at the Three Way Baptist Church. Bradley Damron of Levelland, cousin of the bride, officiated.

The couple chose their wedding date in honor of the brides' grandparents, Mary Kindle and the late R.R. Kindle were married on April 19, 1938.

Christopher Kindle, of Maple, cousin of the bride, was

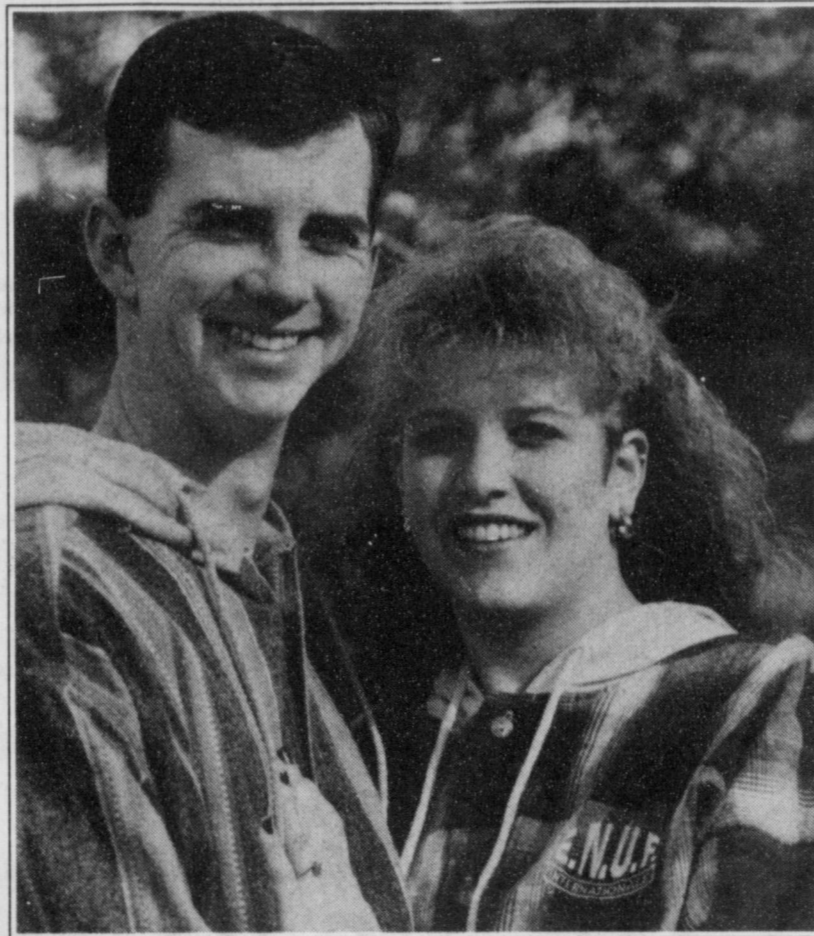
an honor attendant. Flower girls were Chelsea Locke of Sudan, cousin of the bride and MaKenna Etie, of Lubbock, niece of the groom.

Chase Kelley, of Roswell, N.M., nephew of the groom, and Ryle Kindle, of Maple, brother of the bride, served as ushers and candlelighters.

Tena Inman of Canyon, friend of the bride and groom, registered the guests.

The couple plan to live in Canyon.

Engagement



Shane Kirk and Tiffany Hess

Mr. and Mrs. Lacie Kirk announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their son, Thomas Shane Kirk, to Tiffany Crystalyn Hess. Tiffany is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hess of Ransom, Kan. and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Lee of Muleshoe. Shane is a 1992 graduate of Muleshoe High School. He is currently employed as an orderly at the Ness County Hospital and also as an EMT with Ness County EMS. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Motley of Olton, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gasparetto of Cookeville, Tenn., Judy Gasparetto of Sterling Heights, Mich., and Lacie Kirk of Marble Falls, Texas. He is the great-grandson of Gertrude Cole of Holiday, Fla. Tiffany is employed at the Ness County Long Term Care Facility as a certified nurse's aid and will graduate from Ransom High School in May, 1996. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williams Sharp of Glen Carbon, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hess of McPherson, Kan. She is the great-granddaughter of Mr. George Hess of McPherson. The couple has planned an August 10 wedding at the First Baptist Church in Ness City, Kan.

Burchfield honored with with bridal coffee April 13

A bridal coffee honoring Mrs. Tom Burchfield, formerly Janie Crane, was given April 13 in the home of Mrs. Roy Whitt of Muleshoe.

Friends called between the hours of 10 and 11:30 a.m. and were greeted by Joy Whitt, Janie Burchfield, her mother, Mary Crane and her sister, Terri Hahn.

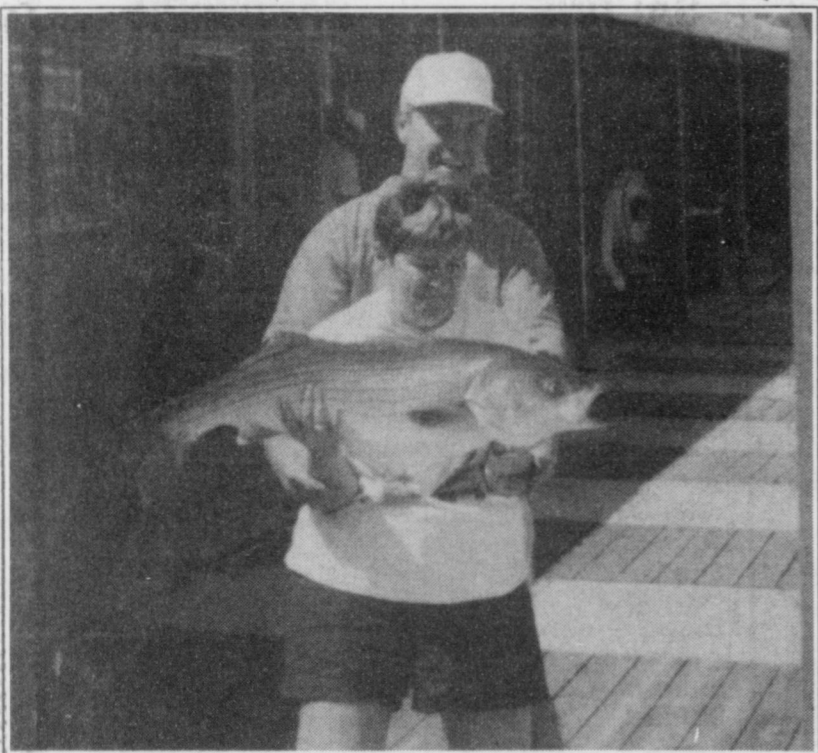
The serving table was centered with a tall brass arrangement of spring blossoms and garden flowers. Brass and cop-

per appointments were used to serve miniature cinnamon rolls, sausage pin-wheels and fresh fruit. Carolyn Allison, of Lubbock, served coffee from a large copper samovar.

The hostess gift was a table lamp. Hostesses were Mrs. Harold Allison, Mrs. Oscar Allison, Mrs. B.Z. Beaty, Mrs. Buddy Blackman, Mrs. Sam Damron, Mrs. J.E. McVicker, Mrs. Bernard Phelps, Mrs. Eric Smith, Mrs. Charles Smith and Mrs. Roy Whitt.



Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ray Pittman (nee Carrie Ann Kindle)



The "Big One" didn't get away

Narssia Swain gets a helping hand from her husband, Bryan, in holding a 20lb., 4 oz. stripped bass. Narssia caught the "Big One" April 3 at Elephant Butt Dam, N.M. The Swains were fishing during spring break. Narssia teaches math at Alamogordo, N.M. Junior High and Bryan teaches for EPA at Las Cruces College. Narssia is the daughter of Jerrell and Polly Otwell of Muleshoe.

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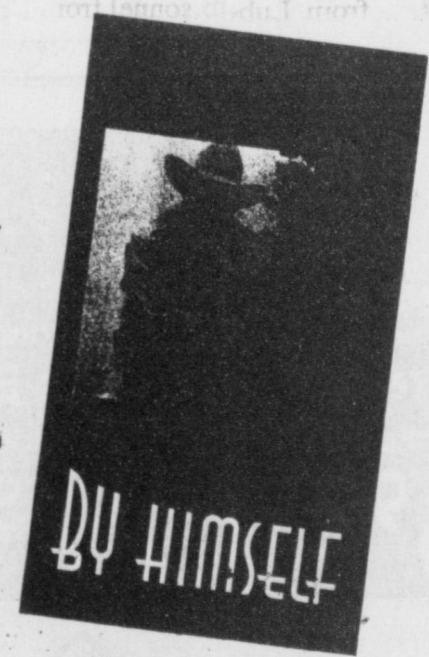
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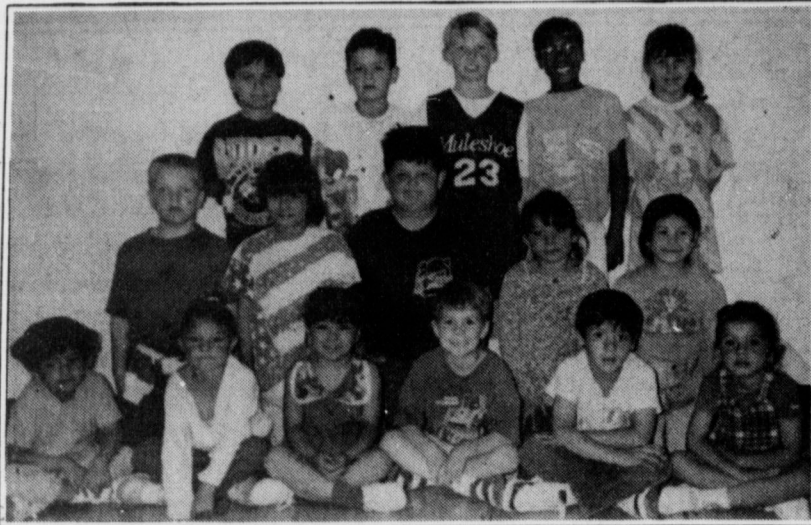
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Dillman Good Citizens

Dillman Elementary good citizens and courteous students for February are (back, from left) Freddy Tovar, Joshua Romero, Brady Black, Anthony Lewis, Trisha Robertson, Ana Arzola. Middle, Matthew Richards, Rosario Tafolla, Junior Martinez, Belen Martinez and Erica Sanchez. Front, Priscilla Quezada, Belen Nunez, Jordan Marlow, Diego Salcido, Gabby Agundis. Not pictured are Irma Madrigal, Mikey Flores and Ashley Grumbles.

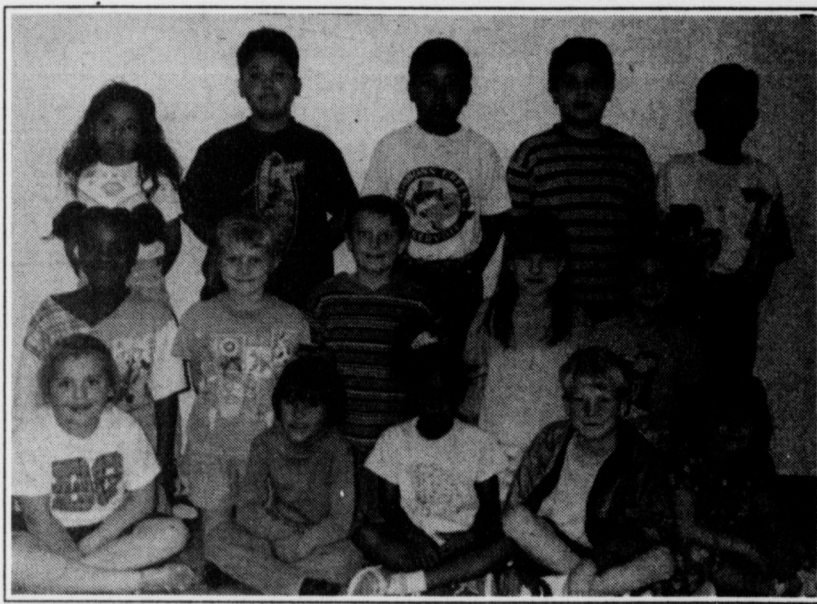
Flores speaks to parents at Title I program

The Annual Title 1 Spring Program for parents was held on Thursday evening, April 18, 1996, at 7 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School Cafeteria with approximately 100 adults and 70 children in attendance. This included numerous parents from Bovina I.S.D., Springlake/Earth, and Three Way I.S.D. who were invited as guests.

Roy Anzaldua, a member of the Muleshoe ISD Title 1 Parent Advisory Council, acted as Master of Ceremonies for the evening and extended a warm welcome to the participants. He then instructed the parents on the Parent Advisory Council election procedures and conducted the election of six members.

The speaker for the evening, Mr. Paul Flores, from Lubbock, was introduced by Roy Anzaldua. Mr. Flores' Spanish presentation spoke to parents about the importance of their role in their child's life and that they must be consistent in their actions and provide a good example for their children.

Mr. Flores is the Youth Director for the Lubbock Diocese and is involved nation-



Dillman Students of the Week

Dillman Elementary students of the week for February are (back, from left) Veronica Martinez, Joe Olivas, Lorenzo Nunez, Rodrigo Mendoza, Joshua Romero. Middle, Demetrice Lewis, Kaleigh Wiley, Jameson Skipworth, Jamie Hall, Kati Brown. Front, Courtney mardis, Aide Campolla, Porche Gordon, Courtland Luscombe, Holly Hunt. Not pictured are Carlos Torres and Brittany Williams.

wide in helping families survive in today's society.

This program is conducted to promote parental involvement in the education of their youngsters. Title 1 school personnel from Dillman Elementary, DeShazo Elementary, Watson Junior High and Muleshoe High School helped with the evening's activities.

At the Title 1 Program held on Thursday evening, April 18, several new members were elected to two year terms on the Title 1 Parent Advisory Council. Those elected were:

Manuel Galindo (re-elected), Rosalinda Rincon (re-elected), Baldemar Torres, Raquel Bustillos and Elsa Soliz.

These six members will serve in advisory capacity for the federally funded Title 1 Programs on the four Muleshoe campuses and volunteer their time and talent toward coordinating the education efforts of the home and school.

Those members whose two-year terms expire June 1 are: Jimmy Villa, Diana Gallegos, Beatrice Garcia and Lupe Toscano.

Georgia and Morice Todd while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key visited his sister, Mrs. Lucille Butler, at Littlefield Tuesday.

Visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton, of Dell City and Mrs. Oleta Burris of Wellman.

Mrs. Doris Huff celebrated her 64th birthday, Thursday, April 18. Heres' wishing you many more happy birthdays.

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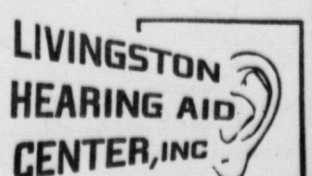
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By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

There were 43 attending the Cemetery meeting Saturday. The one coming the farthest was Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parsley, from Okla. Jim Claunch was the oldest attending. Ellen Bayless, had lived in Bailey County since Jan. 1923. Those attending for the first time were, Freds Mynard, and children from Plainview and Evon Snitker of Midland.

Luella Levelle took pictures of all of the head stones in the cemetery and gave the album of pictures to the cemetery association.

Several brought articles to be auctioned off by Galicia Gison, the money will go to build another rock fence on one side of the cemetery. Everyone enjoyed the pot luck dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols drove to Burkburnett last Tuesday to see an aunt and cousins, Mrs. Audie Nichols and Derrell Nichols of Burkburnett, Joyce Carlton of Wichita Falls and Jo Ellen Shuman of Hall, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Claunch went to Marble Falls Easter weekend to her family reunion. There were 21 in attendance from Texas, New Mexico and Okla. They spent

3 hours stranded in the snow.

Norma and Harold Layton, from Dell City, a daughter Freda Maynard and children, Jason, Justin and Gordon, from Plainview, and Oleta Burris from Wellman, visited Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Layton last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Snitker, of Midland, brought his mother, Dicie Snitker, to the Cemetery meeting and spent the night with her son, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Snitker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key attended the wedding of a nephew, Jason Butler and Rhonda Bush, at the First Baptist Church in Littlefield, Saturday, both of Littlefield. She was the daughter of Tommy and Connie Bush of Littlefield. The couple were going to Jamaca on their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldman were in Muleshoe to visit a friend, Travis Lambert, last Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Teaff, are Leo and Marlyn Mitchel from Florment, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud received word of the death of her brother, Lem Smith, at Hilton, Okla. They left Thursday for his services. They also visited her sister

Pre-K, kindergarten registration set May 3

Dillman Elementary will pre-register students who are eligible for kindergarten or pre-kindergarten for the 1996-97 school year.

Registration will take place from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, May 3 in the Dillman Gym.

To be eligible for kindergarten, children must be five years old by September 1, 1996. To be eligible for pre-kindergarten, children must be four years old by Sept. 1, 1996 and must also meet one of the following requirements:

(1) They must have limited knowledge of and comprehension of the English language, or

(2) They must be from a family that is eligible to receive free or reduced price lunches.

Pre-kindergarten students who are already attending school do not need to register for kindergarten.

The pre-kindergarten classes will operate on a half-

day basis only, with classes being from 8 to 11 a.m. or from 12:10 to 3:10 p.m..

Kindergarten will operate on a full-day basis.

Current kindergarten classes continue as usual Friday, May 3.

Parents are asked to bring the child's birth certificate, immunization records and the child's social security number when enrolling.

All children who enroll

for kindergarten or pre-kindergarten on May 3 will be screened for speech and language that day.

Parents are urged to bring their children with them.

The Texas Department of Public Health at 118 W. Ave. C will be holding an Immunizations Clinic from 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. and from 1 to 4 p.m. Friday May 3 for children who need immunizations for school.

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Community calendar

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The deadline to appear in the Journal's Community Calendar is Thursday at 5 p.m.

Monday, April 29 — Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees meeting at 7 p.m., school administration office, to discuss roofing, Project Graduation '96, revised professional employee contacts, salaries of non-certified personnel, and 1996-97 calendar and results of TAAS Exit;

Texas Lions Camp enrollment at 7 p.m. at the Bailey County Multi-Service Center, 804 W. American Blvd., for children with physical disabilities or diabetes; contact Centerworkers at 272-7534; notify 24 hours in advance for transportation;

Round Dancing from 8 to 10 p.m. at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Tuesday, April 30 — Transfer students urged to submit applications for transfer with Superintendent's office prior to May 1 deadline;

Last day for early voting by personal appearance in hospital board director and City General elections;

Rotary Club meeting every Tuesday from noon to 1 p.m. in the Bailey County Coliseum meeting room.

Wednesday, May 1 — Deadline for area school districts to accept transfer applications.

Thursday, May 2 — Orientation session for 12-week Weigh Down Workshop, a Bible-based weight loss ministry; 16th & D Church of Christ; for more information, call 946-3435 or 272-4664; Square dancing at the Bailey County Coliseum, 7:30 to 10 p.m. every Thursday through June.

Friday, May 3 — Kiwanis Club meeting from 6:30 to 8 a.m. every Friday at the Snack Shack across from MHS;

Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at Muleshoe Area Medical Center, 708 S. First St., for breast exam, instruction in self-examination, and mammogram, \$70 or qualified financial aid, call (806) 359-4673;

Editor's note: The Community Calendar appears in Sunday's Bailey County Journal.

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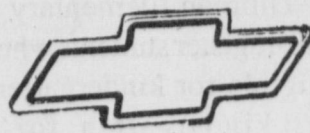
Saturday, May 4 — Muleshoe Area Hospital District election at Muleshoe ISD and Lazbuddie school offices and City General Elections at Muleshoe City Hall, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.;

Annual Muleshoe Athletic Banquet at 7 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School cafeteria;

End of Year Party and Officer Election at 7 p.m. for Muleshoe 4-H at Bailey County Coliseum.

Sunday, May 5 — Cinco de Mayo.

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The Bailey County Senior Citizens met Monday, April 22, at the Muleshoe Heritage Center.

The meeting was called to order by Buster Kittrell, the invocation was given by Clara Coffman and the allegiance to the flag was given.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

One guest, Ada Murrah, and 26 members enjoyed a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. Lynn Bell brought the program with two students of the Muleshoe 4-H club, Ashley and Randi Williams. They gave a Method Demonstration on Table Talk.

The next meeting will be May 27.

The dismissal prayer was given by Olive Cox.

SCAC

The Student Community Action Club (SCAC) met on April 15 in the home of Jo Beth Gilleland.

Barak Harlan called the meeting to order and Colby Latham said the prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and Cari Faver gave the treasurer's report.

Everyone was reminded to pay their dues before the end of the year.

Bruce Barrett was introduced by Daniel Garbarino and he reported that Muleshoe is a great example of a good community. Mr. Barrett is a member of the Athletic Booster Club and the county chairman for the Republican party.

Cari Faver introduced Gary Glover, he is also a member of the Athletic Booster Club and is involved in the Little Dribblers Organization.

Mr. Barrett and Mr. Glover were honored as the Citizens of the Month for April and May.

The club then discussed the Auction Bake Sale that is to be held on May 11 on Channel 6.

The end of the year party is to be held at Barak Harlan's home, no date has been set yet.

The club then adjourned.



Mystery writer John Creasey wrote under 27 different pen names.

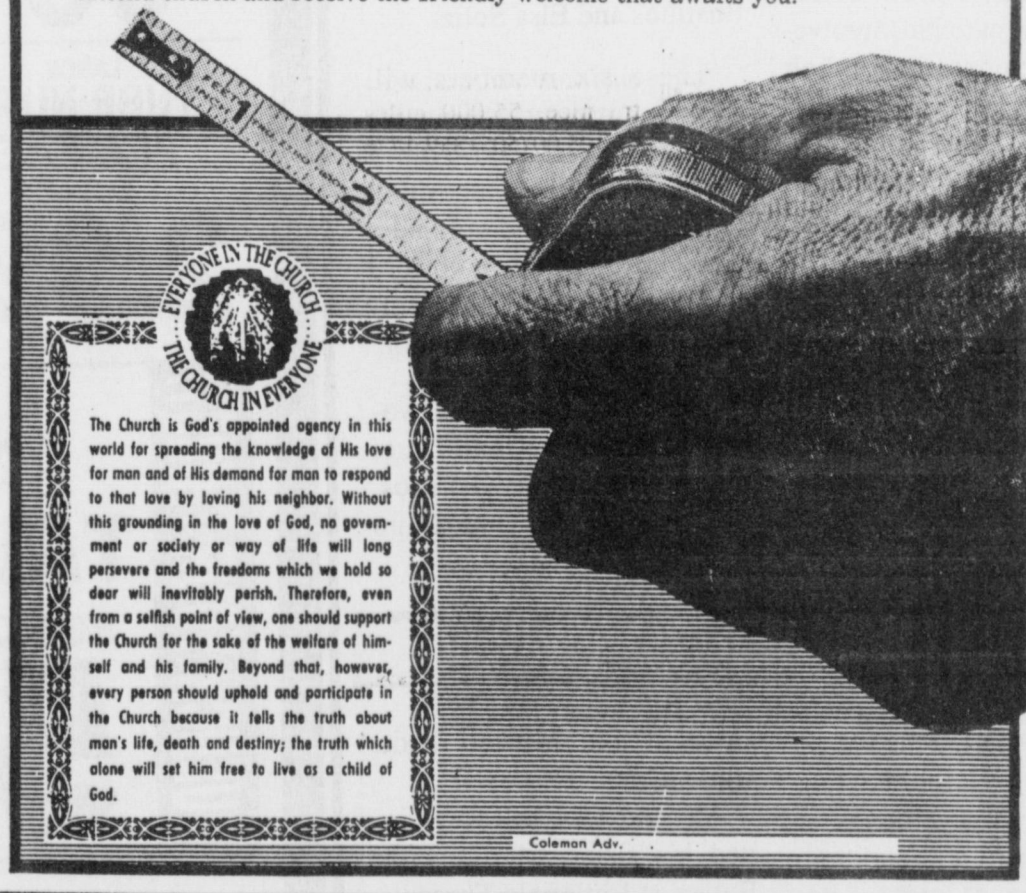
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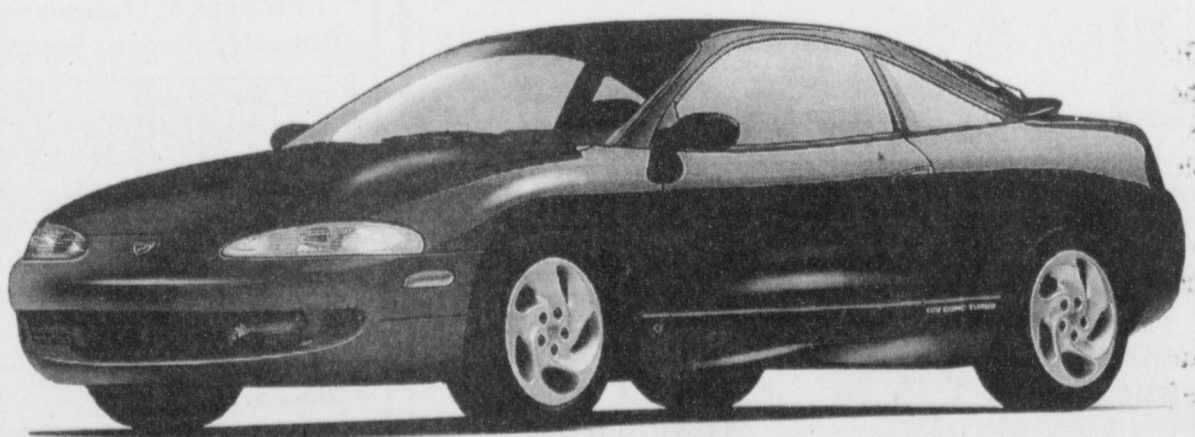
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Nursing Home News

By Joy Stancell

Tuesday afternoon Lanell Stancell, Beverly Wagnon and Mabel Nieman came to shampoo and set the ladies hair.

Wednesday morning Buster Kittrell hosted Coffee/Do-nut time and table talk. Following coffee, Buster and Loyce Killingsworth led us in gospel singing and devotionals.

Cookie jars, Cookie jars and more Cookie jars! were the theme of the morning. Cookie jars of every kind, color and shape and cookie paraphernalia were on display in the day room. Old cookie jars, new

cookie jars, were the items of discussion. Also cookie recipes. Games of Cookie trivia and "Who took the cookie from the cookie jar," were played. The grand conclusion - eating cookies from the cookie jar. Chukie Hendulite, Clara Lou Jones and Melvin Griffin, all participated in the event.

Nettie Quesenberry went out for dinner with her daughter, Anna B. Lane, her granddaughter, and great-granddaughter. Her daughter from out of town visited her Sunday.

Nannie Blackman and Kenneth Everett have returned to the care center after being hospitalized this week. Welcome back. We have missed you.

Lillie Wuerfleins' friend from Earth visited her last week.

Ruby Garner visited Mary Jennings Tuesday.

Our tribute to Mothers has been planned for May 10 at 3:30. (Friday) We hope you will join us.

Bill Darnell and Kathrine Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. M.T. Hukill, were visited by Glenda

Dale Monday.

Our birthday party was held April 25. Those having birthdays were Guy Kendall, April 14, 1919, Mary Jennings, April 21, 1914, M.T. Hukill, April 22, 1906 and Pearl Helmer, April 17, 1905. Decorators Floral and Gifts furnished the flowers, Balloons and Gifts the balloons and entertainment was by Scott Pace of the First Baptist Church. Party hosts were Melvin and Wanda Kittrell, Volunteers Plus and the Activity Dept.

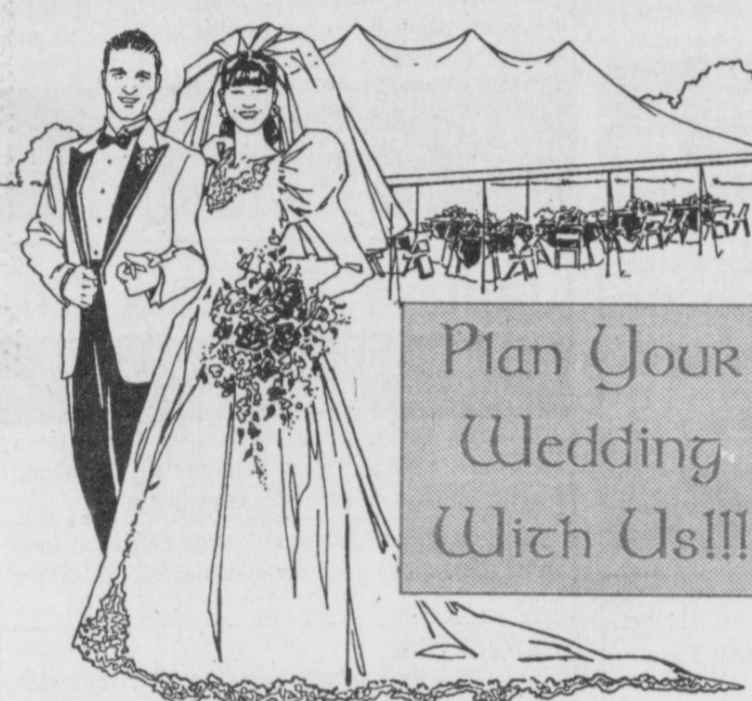
Muleshoe retired teachers elect officers

The Muleshoe Area Retired Teachers met April 19 at the 16th and D Church of Christ with school superintendent Bill Moore as guest speaker. Mr Moore explained some of the new educational code, the budget, dropout rate, the schools accountability and role in society.

President Alene Bryant conducted the meeting. New Officers were elected for the coming year. Mary Nell Bleeker, president; Norma Jo Prater, vice-president; Elizabeth Watson, secretary; Letha Patterson, treasurer. Training for new officers will be held May 8th in Lubbock.

Members attending were Mary Nell Bleeker, Elizabeth Watson, Wilma Smith, Letha Patterson, Rose Sain, Pauletta Crawford, Alene Bryant, Joyeline Costen, Lacy Faye Smith, Mary Crane, Ann Oyler, Margie Moore, Pauline Guinn, Robin Taylor, and Norma Prather.

The last meeting of the year will be a covered dish luncheon on May 17th at noon with installation of officers.



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