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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

### Book returned after 40 years

Art Ogg of Edmond, Okla., has finally returned that library book. It was 40 years overdue.

He checked out the adventure novel *Snow Dog* in 1959 as a 15-year-old and described it as "a really neat story written through the eyes of a trapper in the Yukon."

Ogg, now 56, lost track of the book after he joined the Navy at 17. He stumbled across it again about three years ago while helping his mother tidy up her attic in Dwight, Ill., 70 miles southwest of Chicago.

He also sent the library a check for \$292.20 to cover late charges for each of the 14,610 days that the book was overdue, calculated at 2 cents a day.

### Man goes buggy over flies

Ron Morris says he is going absolutely buggy over the flies. The Olivia, Minn., dairy farmer and his family complain that house flies from a neighboring chicken farm swarm around them so much they can't talk outside without getting a mouthful of flies.

The Morrises want a judge to declare the Golden Oval Eggs facility and its 2 million laying hens a public nuisance.

### Barbies bring \$125,000

Lila Idso of North St. Paul, Minn., said goodbye to Barbie, but hello to more than \$125,000.

Idso recently auctioned off hundreds of Barbie dolls and doll accessories she'd collected over the past 20 years with her daughter. Proceeds from the seven-hour auction will help Idso buy a new car, pay living expenses and set up a trust for her grandson.

The auction had no difficulty attracting bids from as far away as California and Florida. Bids had been e-mailed from Switzerland and phoned from Japan. And more than 100 people bid in person.



Drawing date: Wednesday, Jan. 19  
Winning numbers: 1-6-15-23-34-43  
Estimated jackpot: \$7 million  
Winners: 0  
Next drawing: Saturday, Jan. 22  
Estimated jackpot: \$10 million

### On this date in history

- Jan. 24 — Legislation is passed creating a National Library of Texas (1839).
- Jan. 25 — The Lone Star flag is adopted by the Third Congress of the Republic of Texas (1839).
- Jan. 26 — At President Mirabeau B. Lamar's suggestion, the Texas Congress appropriates three leagues of land from the public domain in each county to be set aside for establishing a public school system (1839).

### LOCAL WEATHER

The area forecast calls for partly cloudy conditions and slightly cooler temperatures through the end of the week. High temperatures should range from about 54 Sunday down to 46 Tuesday and back up to 58 Thursday. Lows in the mid-20s can be expected through Tuesday, rising to about 30 Wednesday morning and 32 Thursday morning.

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## City taking option on water tank

By RONN SMITH  
Editor

The Muleshoe City Council has voted for a long-term fix — despite its \$40,000 price tag — rather than take a chance on what might be a short-term remedy for a water-tank problem.

The city's bidding process on repainting the municipal water storage tanks had specified that work on the larger 500,000-gallon tank would consist of repainting, while there was an option on the 200,000-gallon tank of either applying new paint or stripping the tank down to the metal and painting it afresh.

Which option was to be used depended on whether it was determined that a new coat of paint would adhere to the smaller tank's unstripped surface or not.

The project bidder, Phoenix Tank Co., expressed the opinion that a new coat of paint would be enough, and was willing to extend its usual two-year warranty to three years to stand behind the work.

But engineering consultants Parkhill Smith and Cooper of Lubbock expressed reservations on whether the tank's surface would hold a new coat of paint for very long.

Butch Davis of Parkhill Smith told the council that by stripping off the old paint, the tower should be set for another 15 to 20 years of service.

City Manager Rick Hanna advised the council to exercise the option to require the tank to be stripped, partly to take advantage of Phoenix Tank's extremely low bid.

## Hospital board tables action on new care center

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

The board of directors of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District voted Thursday to table action on two issues related to a proposed new nursing home for the city.

The board's action followed a lengthy closed session. When members returned to open session, they delayed both the awarding of the contract for the nursing-home project and approval of a resolution authorizing the sale of bonds to pay for it.

Hospital administrator Jim Bone said Friday that the issues were tabled because board members felt there was still further evaluation needing to be done on the best way to finance the project.

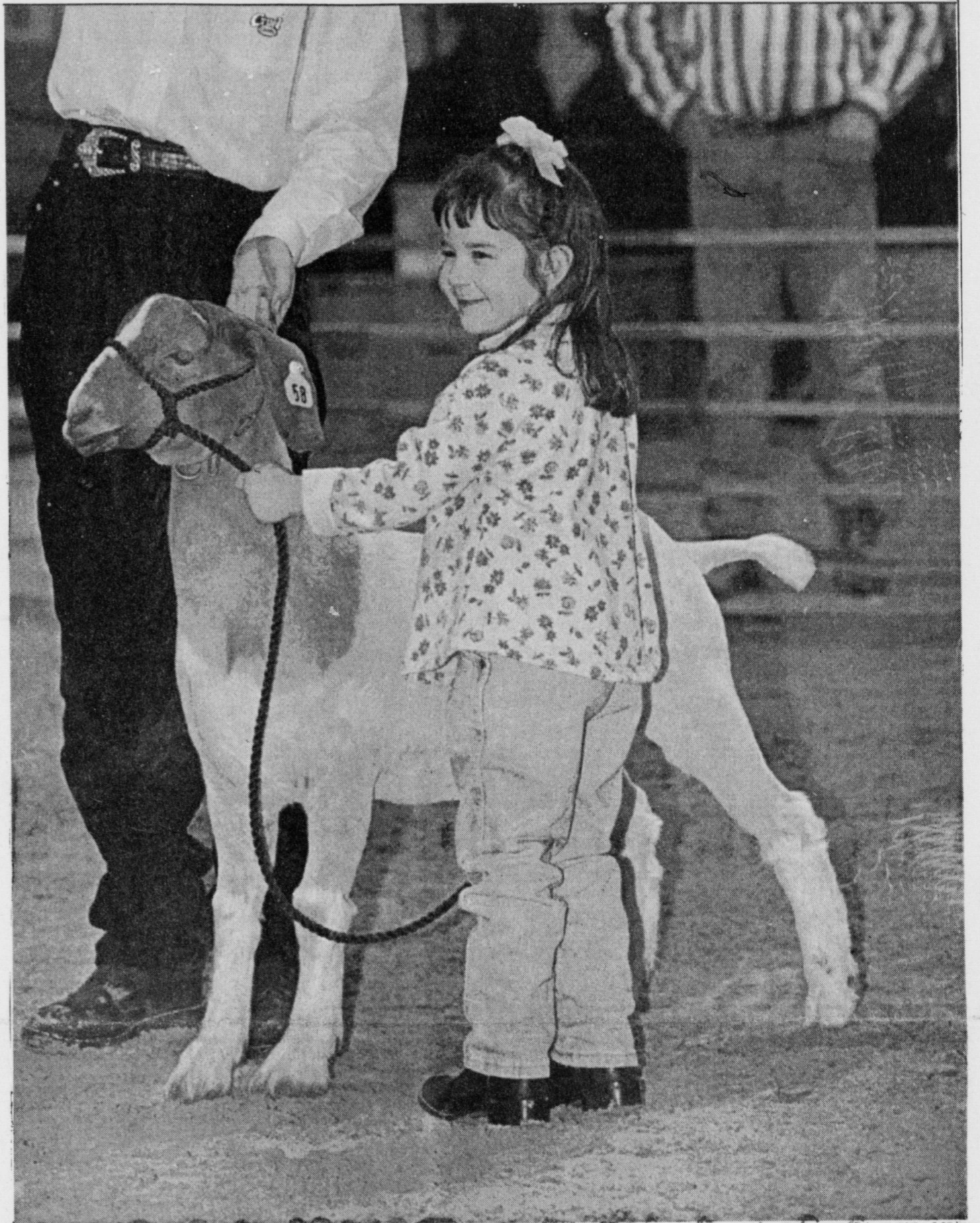
Mike Vásquez of Greenstreet Inc. in Lubbock attended Thursday's board meeting. His company is one of those bidding on the Muleshoe project, and he said Greenstreet could be ready to begin work on the nursing home within 10 days if the bid were awarded to them.

He said some of Greenstreet's subcontractors on the project are getting restless because of the delays that have postponed groundbreaking on the project for several weeks already.

Greenstreet's bid on building the nursing home was \$2.6 million, and Vásquez said the company was able to bid fairly because of things it had learned in the recent construction of two similar retirement facilities.

Bone said Friday that Vásquez assured him Greenstreet will continue to work with the board on establishing a date to start construction.

## Starting out right



Three-year-old Kayla Preston's face registers total satisfaction with a job well done Friday as she participates in the peewee goat show during last week's Bailey County Junior Livestock Show at the Coliseum. The action wrapped up Saturday.

## Schedule for ag conference announced

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Bailey County Extension Agent Curtis Preston announced Thursday that the Jan. 27 ag conference at the Bailey County Coliseum will begin with registration at 8 a.m. and will feature 11 presentations by experts on various topics.

A \$10 registration fee will be due at the time of registration.

There will be a total of five CEU hours available for those attending the meeting, and a noon meal will be provided.

The first presenter, scheduled for 8:30 a.m. to 9 a.m.,

will be Terry Futch of the Northwest Plains Boll Weevil Eradication Zone. His topic will be "What To Expect for 2000."

Next on the program is Dr. Jim Leser, who will

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Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

## First baby of 2000

Little Karina Acosta, about 9 hours old, poses for her first photograph with her mother, Maria Acosta, at Muleshoe Area Medical Center on Friday after Karina became the first baby born in the hospital this year. Karina's father, Everardo, is reported to be doing well, too. She was born at 6:26 a.m. Friday, weighed 6 pounds, 10 ounces and was 19 inches long. Her grandparents are Arturo and Carolina Acosta and Melquiades and Maria Soto, all of Mexico.



## AROUND MULESHOE

### Library expansion planned

Muleshoe's Friends of the Library organization has raised enough money to fund an expansion of the library facility, members announced last week.

Kevin Smith, a member of the group, told the Muleshoe City Council that the Friends of the Library had held fund-raisers for a year and a half in order to come up with the money.

Smith told council members that a "nook" on the north side of the library would be remodeled to serve as a storage room so that the current combination storage and meeting room can be used strictly as a meeting room.

### Senior Parents to meet

A meeting of Muleshoe High School Senior Parents is scheduled for 5 p.m. Jan. 26 in the First Baptist Church Activity Center. The main topic of discussion will be Project Graduation.

All parents of seniors are invited for an update on projects and future fund-raisers.

### Girl Scouts set spring sign-up

Girl Scouts of Muleshoe will have the group's spring registration from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room of Muleshoe State Bank.

The girls will participate in activities with their troop as well as with all the Muleshoe Girl Scouts. An outing to Camp Rio Blanco is planned in May, and a summer day camp is planned for June in Muleshoe.

There is a \$7 registration fee and financial assistance is available.

Anyone who cannot attend the registration session is asked to contact Nelda Merriott at 272-4071.

### Lazbuddie seniors to host meal

The senior class of Lazbuddie High School has announced plans for a Valentine luncheon to be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Feb. 13 in the school cafeteria.

The menu will include brisket, scalloped potatoes, tossed salad, red beans, Texas toast and a homemade dessert.

The cost will be \$6 per plate or \$4 per "lite plate." Take-outs will be available.

### Lions Club organizing

A Lions Club is in the process of being organized in Muleshoe. Michael Precure, one of the local organizers, announced Thursday that an organizational meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday in the Watson Junior High School library.

He urged everyone interested to attend, stressing that Lions is open to women as well as men.

A district spokesman for Lions International said Muleshoe formerly had a Lions Club that was active for more than 50 years before disbanding.

### School board meeting date changed

The board of trustees of Muleshoe Independent School District have voted to change the date of their second meeting in January from Jan. 24 to Jan. 31.

The board made the change to allow Superintendent David Hutton to attend the state midwinter conference for superintendents.

### Public hearing to discuss prison

The Bailey County Commissioners Court has scheduled a public hearing on the proposed Muleshoe-area detention center for 7 p.m. Feb. 7 in the Muleshoe High School auditorium.

Commissioners and Muleshoe City Council members are expected to attend the event, which will also feature several speakers explaining issues related to the proposed project.

Estimates of how much revenue a prison could generate for Bailey County have ranged up to \$350,000.

### MEETING

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speaking on "Plant Bugs and Sticky Cotton" from 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., followed from 9:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. by James Esty of the Texas Department of Agriculture on "Pesticide Laws and Regulations."

After a break Craig Fincham is scheduled from 10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. on the topic of "Risk Management — Farm Assist Program."

Carrying the ball until the lunch break will be Dr. Randy Boman from 10:45 a.m. to 11:30 giving a "1999 Plains Overview/New Genetic Lines for 2000" and Dr. Calvin Trostle from 11:30 to noon on the subject of "Alternative

Crops."

After a lunch hour it will be Boman on "Cotton Fertility Management" and Esty on pesticides again.

After a short break, Dr. Dana Porter is to speak from 2:15 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. on "Water Management and Drip Irrigation," followed by Dr. Harold Kaufman from 2:45 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. on "Seedling Disease and Nematodes."

Finally, Cherinell Riley is scheduled to speak from 3:15 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. with the dual topic "Bailey/Parmer Integrated Pest Management Program Update and Texas Boll Weevil on the High Plains."

# Lady Mules trounce Shallowater 49-44

## JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

The Lady Mules took a big step toward the district title Tuesday by downing the Shallowater Fillies 49-44.

The victory was highlighted by a 22-point performance by Britni Gartin, by far the game's top scorer. Chyla Torres added 11 for Muleshoe; Shannon Corkery led Shallowater with 13.

Going into the game, Shallowater had an 18-2 record as opposed to Muleshoe's 12-8. Coach Shana Simms said before the game that Shallowater would be "the true test" for her team.

If so, the Lady Mules passed with flying colors. They trailed 12-11 at the end of the first quarter and 26-23 at the half.

By the end of the third quar-

ter, the score was tied at 33. Then Muleshoe outscored Shallowater 16-11 in the final quarter to win by five.

Other scoring contributions were seven points each from Lindsey Field and Myndi Heathington (who had a 3-pointer) and two from Bobbie Benham.

**SHALLOWATER 76, MULES 68**  
Twenty-two points from

Mitch Mason and 17 from Bret Clements were not enough to lift the Muleshoe Mules over Shallowater on Tuesday night. The Mustangs took it, 76-68.

Three-pointers dropped in from Clint Black, Jeff Bruns and James Barrett. Bruns ended the night with seven points, right behind Jeff Shelburne's eight. Darrell Lewis and Lincoln Riley had four apiece.

## New USDA plan aimed at helping small farms

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
WASHINGTON — Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman announced Thursday new steps to help small farmers and ranchers find better ways to market and export their products.

"There is no higher priority for USDA than working to ensure the long-term survival and economic well-being of America's small- and medium-size family farms," Glickman said. "Expanded export opportunities and improved marketing offer tremendous opportunities to boost small-farm incomes during this time of depressed prices."

Glickman announced that USDA will provide \$500,000 to help small farmers develop new ways to market their products, including direct selling to restaurants and institutions, agri-tourism and pick-your-own farms.

Under USDA's Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education Program, the University of Vermont, University of Nebraska, University of Georgia, and Utah State University will

select and assist specific new marketing projects that will benefit smaller farms.

In addition, USDA will offer technical assistance to help small farmers and ranchers form cooperatives to export crops and livestock to international markets.

Loans are available to help finance the development of value-added processing at existing cooperatives.

Glickman made the announcements at a meeting of USDA's Advisory Committee on Small Farms. The 19-member committee is composed of small-scale farmers, ranchers, and woodlot owners who advise the secretary on policies and programs to assist America's smaller farms.

The USDA also has assisted small- and medium-size farmers by targeting emergency assistance for hog, sheep, lamb, and dairy farms.

Glickman also fought to win passage of legislation for mandatory price reporting, providing livestock producers with better information about prices and pricing practices.

## Dairy subsidy announced

Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman announced Wednesday that the federal government is providing \$125 million in direct cash payments to dairy farmers hurt by low prices.

This is in addition to \$200 million in aid distributed last summer.

"Dairy farmers are being squeezed by market conditions

that don't allow them a fair price for their product," Glickman said. "This assistance is sorely needed to help many small- and medium-size dairy producers in business until prices stabilize."

The money will be distributed based on production from 1997 or 1998, up to the first 26,000 hundredweight.



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## Some Things I Learned During the Last Half of the Century

As we enter 2000 and the 20th century is in its last gasp (no, it's not over until Dec. 31, 2000, unless you were one when you were born; think about it), it occurs to me that I've learned at least a few things during the last 40 or so years of the century. You have, too, of course, and you might find making your own list interesting and sort of fun and thought-provoking all at the same time, but here's part of mine. Some of these may sound opinionated, but,

gerbil activity. And golf really does ruin a good walk.

Nobody knows why flies are called "flies" but roaches are not called "crawls." And I may be the only one who wants to know why.

Andy Rooney is generally right on target.

Good cheesecake is a taste of heaven, and Pappadeaux's is the best.

Character counts a lot. Voters who care more about the economy than the character of their leaders get exactly the leaders they deserve.

Bigger is not better and mergers of all sorts generally promise a great deal more than they deliver.

No teacher who can't say, "On most days, I like kids," and mean it, should ever enter the classroom.

No preacher who loves his denomination (or non-denomination) or its rules more than he loves God should ever step up to the pulpit.

The focus of Christianity should never be rules; it should always be a Savior.

God's Ten Rules are good. Lots of the religious-sounding rules some folks think are God's are just silly.

If you must err in your estimation of other folks, and we all do, err on the side of grace, and you won't regret it here or hereafter.

If you must choose between your son's football game or your meeting, miss the meeting.

Dance with your daughter at her prom.

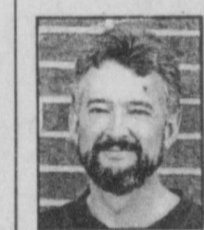
Laugh every time you get a good chance. You'll live longer than the folks who won't laugh with you.

Love your wife.

Love your kids.

Love your God first, and your love for everybody else will be worth a lot more and last a lot longer.

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



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hey, that's all these are—my opinions. Make your own list.

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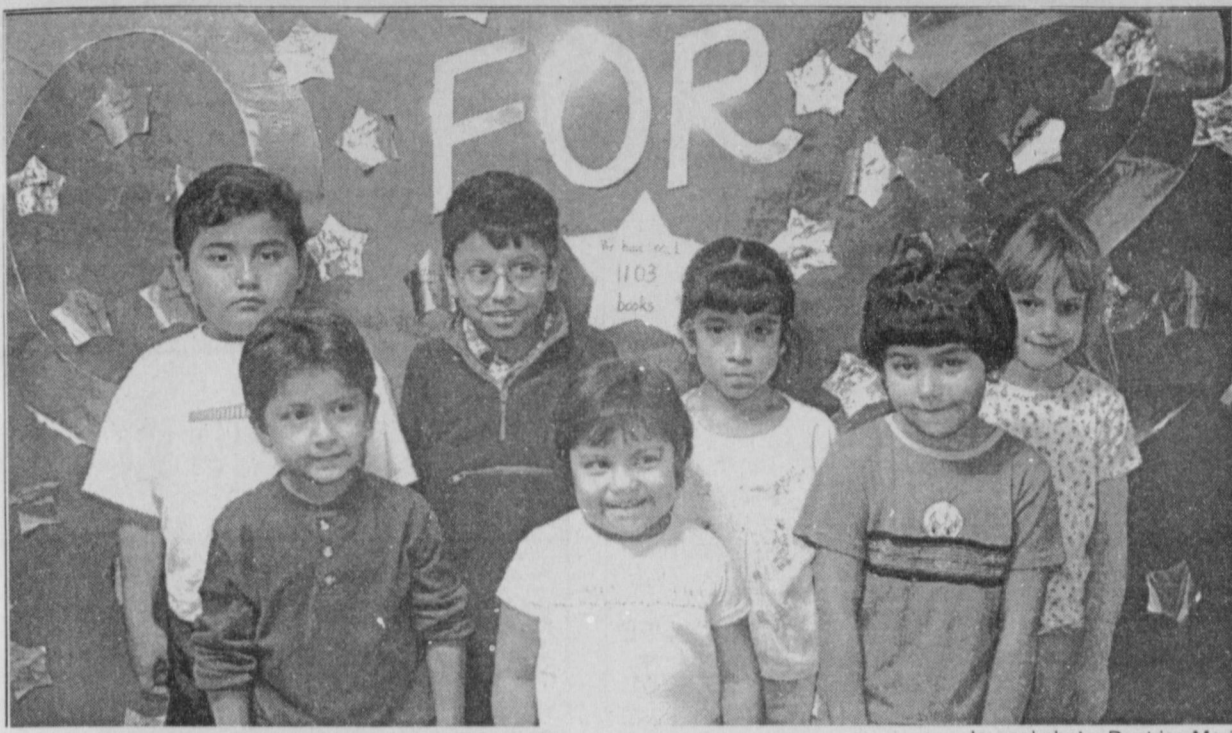
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### A super bunch

Dillman Elementary School's superkids for January include (back row, from left) Esteban Vidana, first grade; Michael Olivas, second grade; Mari Andrade, second grade; and Jenna Whitworth, first grade; (front row, from left) Frank Recio, pre-kindergarten; Andrea Domínguez, pre-kindergarten; and Samantha Camarena, kindergarten. Not pictured is Levi Smith, also a kindergartner.

### TOPS NEWS

Laverne James, leader of TOPS No. 34, conducted a mini hair-care seminar during the Jan. 20 meeting at the Church of Christ on American Boulevard.

The different face shapes were discussed, along with the hairstyles becoming to each one of them. Emphasis was placed on the importance of getting a good haircut and a good stylist.

The use of hair coloring, wigs and toupees also was discussed.

Betty Jo Davis and Alene Bryant, weight recorders, conducted the weigh-in of the 12 members who were present.

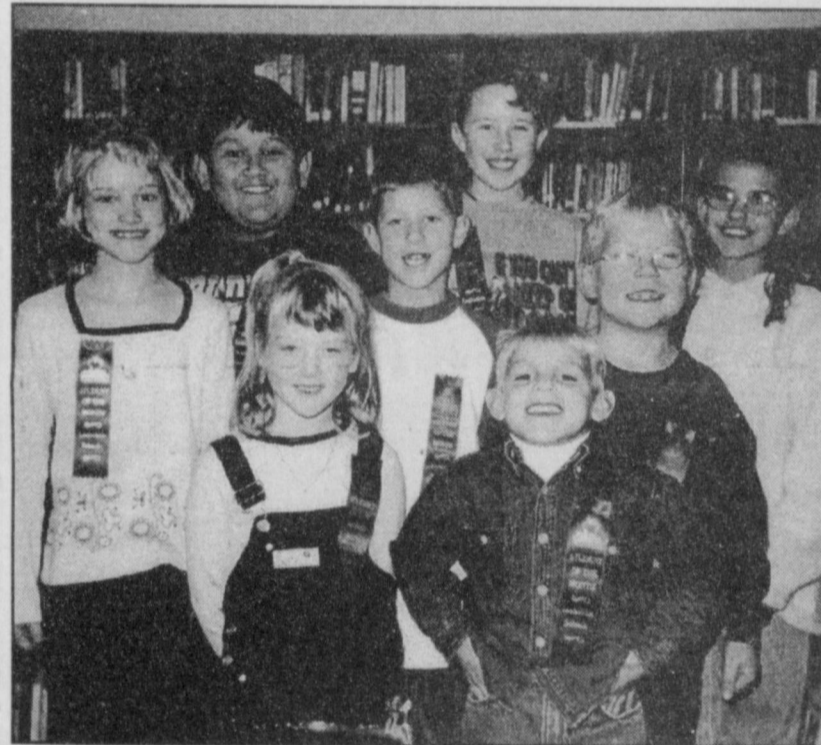
Molly Davis was the best loser, with Cheryl de Graffenreid as first runner-up. James and Lucille Harp tied for the second runner-up position. Joline Franklin received a gift

for losing weight two weeks in a row.

Rose Sain received a birthday gift.

Get-well cards were sent to Ozell Cherry, Aurora D. Mata, Jerrell Otwell, Ruth Clements and Evelene Harris.

The next meeting will be held at 5 p.m. Jan. 27 at the same site. Visitors are welcome.



### Lazbuddie honors

Students of the month for January at Lazbuddie Elementary School are (from left, back row) third-grader Richie Aguilar, fourth-grader Chelsea Nichols and fifth-grader Kyra Kimbrough; (middle row, from left) fourth-grader Brittney Schacher, second-grader Kyler Steinbock and first-grader Court Crawford; and (front row, from left) kindergartner Audrey Daniel and pre-kindergartner Lane Divin. The students are being honored for exhibiting outstanding qualities of character, leadership and citizenship. Kyra is the daughter of Kyle and Kim Kimbrough, Brittney is the daughter of Daniel and Mary Jo Schacher and Chelsea is the daughter of Mike and Sherrie Nichols. Richie's parents are Julio and Teresa Aguilar, while Kyler's parents are Dennis and Tanya Steinbock. Court is the son of Nathan and Sharli Crawford, Audrey is the daughter of Mark and Linda Daniel and Lane is the son of Richard and Leslie Powers.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

Muleshoe Area Medical Center reported the following patient load:

**Jan. 14** — Chase V. Chisman, Maria D. Cuevas, Mildred N. Ferrell, Erlinda Flores, Marivel E. Galván, Maria Mireles and Bettye L. Oliver.

**Jan. 15** — Chase V. Chisman, Mildred N. Ferrell, Marivel E. Galván and Cristen Logou.

**Jan. 16** — Chase V. Chisman, Deaven D. Devenport, Mildred N. Ferrell, Marivel E. Galván and Cristen Logou.

**Jan. 17** — Deaven D. Devenport, Mildred N. Ferrell, Marivel E. Galván and Cristen Logou.

**Jan. 18** — Leo Chávez, Deaven D. Devenport, Mildred N. Ferrell, Marivel E. Galván, Audrey L. Magby and David Martínez.

## Cancer study keyed to molecular targeting

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
HOUSTON — A primary focus for prostate cancer research in the next decade will be molecular targeting, which could lead to the development of drugs that block the spread of the disease.

"Molecular targets are really going to come on very strong in the next decade. There are many, many targets that are being identified through gene screenings," said Dr. Timothy C. Thompson, a professor at Baylor College of Medicine.

"Once we know enough about what a particular gene product is doing and what proteins it's interacting with, it can be the target of a drug that block a response," he said.

Thompson and his team of researchers have been leaders in the study of caveolin, a pro-

tein that is "turned on" in metastatic prostate cancer cells. Their latest findings, published in *Cancer Research*, suggest that this protein could be a marker for prostate cancer metastasis, the spread of cancer to another part of the body.

"Metastasis is the real problem in prostate cancer and right now, there's really no handle on it in terms of clinically useful markers. This could be the first," Thompson said.

The discovery could lead to a test for the protein in prostate cancer patients who have had surgical removal of the prostate. Its presence could help urologists in selecting treatment options.

Prostate cancer is the most common cancer and the second leading cause of cancer death in American men. One

out of every 10 men will develop the disease at some time, usually after the age of 65.

When the cancer is confined to the prostate, survival is excellent after surgical removal of the prostate. The prognosis is much poorer for prostate cancer that has spread.

"In metastatic prostate cancer, there's not a lot of choices now, and more information is coming in that suggests if the cancer is going to metastasize, it may do so early on," Thompson said.

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**Jan. 16**  
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Frank Estrado Jr. — warrant from Yolo County, Calif. (fraud), failure to provide identification.

**Jan. 17**  
Roberto Toscano — DWI (fourth).

Alicia Padilla Rios — DWI.  
Brandi Ann López — warrant for forgery (two).

**Jan. 18**  
Sylvia Dawn Norman — warrant for forgery.

**Jan. 19**  
Joseph Ryan Bandy — DWI.

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### BIRTH

#### ADRIAN OLIVAS

Dora and Bernardo Olivas Jr. of Muleshoe are the parents of a son, Adrian Bernardo Olivas, born Dec. 24 at Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis.

He weighed 7 pounds, 11.4

ounces and was 20 3/4 inches long.

He has an 8-year-old brother, Michael, and a 6-year-old sister, Marissa.

Grandparents are Marina Loera of Clovis and Maria Olivas and Bernardo Olivas, both of Muleshoe.

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Golden Wedding Anniversary  
on February 6, 2000 from 2-4:00 pm  
at the Community Center in Sudan

They are the parents of Mike and Jessie Hanna of Muleshoe; Mark and Lisa Hanna of Levelland; and Mechele and Pete Edwards of Sudan.  
Dale and the former Mary Gage were married February 2, 1950 in Sudan, Texas. They now reside in Littlefield, Texas.  
They have 6 grandchildren and one great grandchild.




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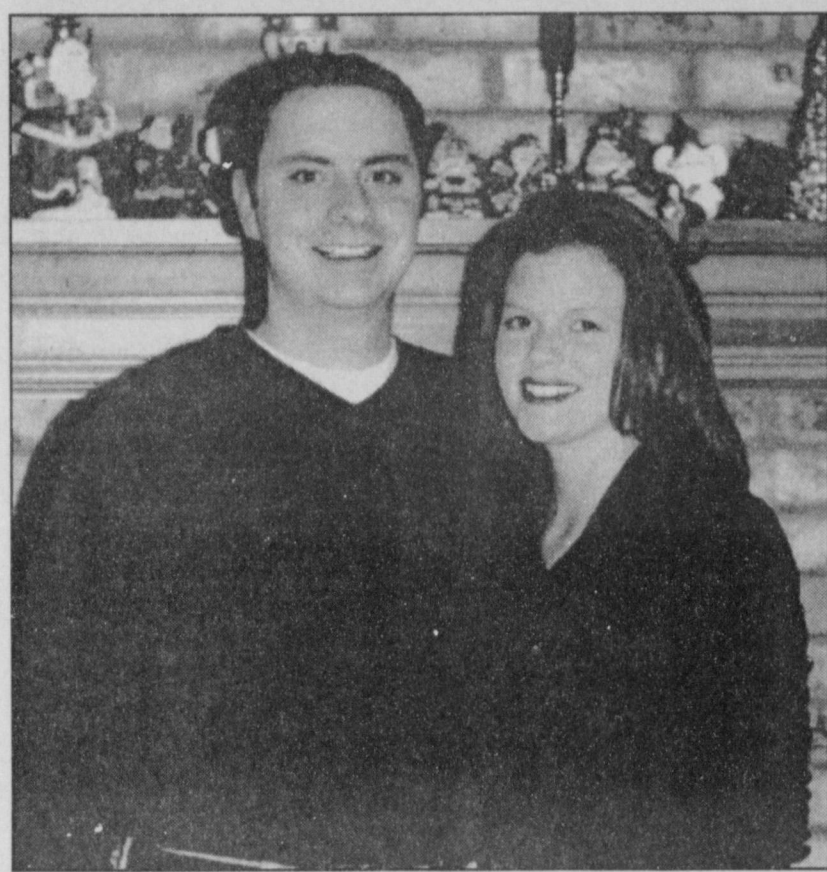

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**HODGES-KEY**

Mack and Rhonda Hodges of Muleshoe announce the engagement of their daughter, Suzy Beth, to Christopher Alan Key of Plano, Texas.

Chris is the son of Phil and Connie Key, also of Plano. The wedding is scheduled for 2 p.m. March 5 in Grace Presbyterian Church in Plano.

The bride-elect is a 1996 graduate of Lazbuddie High School and received her bachelor's degree from Texas Tech University in August 1998.

The prospective groom is employed by Weblink Wireless in Dallas.

The couple will make their home in Plano.

**Agriculture secretary states  
USDA plans \$95 million cut**

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Department of Agriculture will reduce spending this year by \$95 million as part of a proposal by the Clinton administration to keep fiscal 2000 spending below the congressionally approved budget caps, Ag Secretary Dan Glickman told reporters Wednesday.

"This is a lot of money, but we can do it without causing much harm," Glickman said. "There is enough give in some of these programs that we can try to minimize the problems." Glickman would not say

which USDA programs would be targeted for the most cuts, nor did he say when the administration would formally announce the spending cuts for the current fiscal year, which began Oct 1.

The USDA secretary also told reporters that while he did not expect a "wholesale rewriting" of the 1996 farm legislation this year, he believed that a consensus would build around so-called "counter-cyclical" proposals designed to boost farm income during times of low farm commodity prices.



**WATKINS-MARDIS**

James and Peggy Watkins of Fort Lupton, Colo., and Burl Mardis and Kay Mardis, both of Muleshoe, announce the engagement of their children, Toni Watkins and Jimmy Mardis.

The wedding is scheduled for 4 p.m. Feb. 26 at the Fourway Baptist Church in Hudson, Colo. A reception will follow at Zadel's Restaurant.

The bride-elect is a 1992 graduate of Fort Lupton High School and received an ag business degree from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales. She is employed by Enterprise Car Rental of Amarillo as a manager trainee.

The prospective groom is a 1993 graduate of Muleshoe High School and a 1998 graduate of ENMU with a biology-ag major. He is employed at National Fluid Power Institute in Amarillo as a regional director.

The couple will reside in Canyon after the wedding.

**Earned income credit is a break for many**

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

Many Texans could end up with bigger tax refunds this year if they qualify for the earned income tax credit. But many taxpayers who are eligible for such credit do not get it simply because they do not file a tax return.

According to the Internal Revenue Service, in 1996 as many as 1.2 million working Americans missed out on \$751 million in credits by not filing a return.

Each Saturday, from Jan. 29 to Feb. 25, taxpayers qualifying for the credit can get free assistance by visiting the IRS office in Lubbock

at 1205 Texas St. between 8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

The earned income tax credit is designed for working taxpayers. Those whose adjusted gross income is less than \$30,580 with two or more qualifying children can be due a tax credit of up to \$3,816. The credit can be as much as \$2,312 for working taxpayers whose income is under \$26,928 with one qualifying child, and taxpayers between the ages of 18 and 25 — even with no

**Texas Wildscapes create wildlife-friendly back yards**

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

AUSTIN — The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department is telling Texans that if they don't think "habitat" when they look out at their back yard, they'd better start — it's the new buzzword in gardening.

And, while most are spurred to gardening action by spring's first blush in April, now is the time to plant if you want to see native color sprouting next year.

Enter Texas Wildscapes, a project of Texas Parks and Wildlife that encourages property owners and caretakers to establish habitat for Texas wildlife in back yards, schoolyards and corporate grounds.

Put simply, it means landscaping your yard so that it works with nature rather than fighting against it.

Wildscaping does not mean simply doing nothing and letting weeds grow; it means actively managing your property to restore or enhance its wildlife habitat using native plants.

In exchange for this effort, urban "wildlife managers" can expect to see on their property a variety of songbirds, hummingbirds, butterflies and other

wildlife.

Best of all, plants most often recommended for backyard habitats are plants that, once established in the proper location, should not require much water or care.

To assist the landowner or manager in developing a wildscape, Texas Parks and Wildlife Press has published *Texas Wildscapes; Gardening for Wildlife*.

The book includes tips on developing the food, water and shelter resources wildlife often cannot find in urban environments.

The wildscapes program has proven popular, attracting more than 8,000 participants since its beginning in 1994. More than 1,400 participants have applied for and received the official Texas Wildscape designation.

This certification recognizes the efforts of participants to benefit wildlife and does not exempt the property from county or city ordinances or deed restrictions.

To order the book, send a check for \$24.95 to Texas Wildscapes, Nongame and Urban Wildlife Program, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Texas 78744.

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**NURSING HOME NEWS**

Thursday morning, David McIntire, Glenda Jennings and Zona Gatewood directed a memorial service for Dorothy Wenner. McIntire encouraged Wenner's family and friends to share their remembrances with those attending the service.

Friday morning, Pat Watson used her piano skills to bring to mind the events and changes that our residents had seen and experienced over their lifetimes.

Friday evening, the Mennonite youth of Farwell blended their voices in harmony to sing hymns and praises for the residents.

Saturday afternoon, Melvin and Wanda Griffin and Harold and Mary Jo Burge assisted the residents in the bingo games and in having a good time.

Sunday afternoon, the Primitive Baptist Church visited the residents and sang and directed a gospel song service for the residents.

Monday morning, Joy Radford instructed the exercise class and Billie Downing lead the group in a devotional music singing program.

Tuesday afternoon, the hard working volunteers came to shampoo and give hair cuts. The ladies volunteering were Pat Kirk, Pat Watson, Mary Jo Burge, Claudine Embry, Lanell Stancell, Dorothy Turner and Joline Franklin.

Wednesday morning was doughnut time! Wanda Kittrell, Harold and Mary Jo Burge came to serve the residents coffee, juice and doughnuts around the tables in the day room. Brother Steve Claybrook, Loyce Killingsworth and Jim Claunch directed the devotional/sing-spirational.

Glenda Jennings and Jackie Scoggins came in Wednesday for the sing-along and puppet show.

Our special friend had two fresh bouquets sent via Decorator's Floral to the residents and staff.

On Monday, Gladys Wilson visited and brought us a big batch of homemade Rice Krispie treats.

Among visitors this week were Joe Embry, Elsie Damron, Brownie Wiseman and Norma Eves.

Nettie Quesenberry's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Quesenberry, visited her this week.

Florence Harvey's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harvey, visited her Wednesday. Also visiting her this week was Margaret Wilhite.

Ruby Green has one of her many hand-crafted quilts hanging in the day room for everyone to enjoy.

Just a reminder, our January birthday party is scheduled for 3 p.m. Jan. 27. The public is invited.

Jeff Evans of Chula, Ga., visited K.B. Martin recently.

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**Thank God for Local School Boards**

By David Hutton, Superintendent  
Muleshoe Independent School District

Imagine a community with no local control over its school. Picture having to pay for local education without having any local men and women to make tough taxing and spending decisions. Think about an education system where all policy is set at the state or national level. Imagine having all decisions regarding your children's education being made by people you don't even know.

Our School board members are your neighbors who make education their business, spending countless hours of their personal time, and often their own resources, to set the direction for our children and school.

Our local trustees make every effort to establish policies that reflect your values and set goals that project your vision for the future of your children and this community. They spend many long hours, after their own work days, making difficult decisions regarding issues that will impact everything from local businesses to the quality of life in our community.

Most of their efforts go unnoticed and unrewarded. Often, the only response school board members get is complaints and criticism. What would we do without them? Where would you go with your concerns and questions? Who else is able to be so "in tune" with all sides of the issue? Who else has the perspective to see the "big picture"? Who else can respond to the special needs of our children and the unique job requirements of the school staff? Who else has a greater impact on the future and your hopes for your children?

When you elected our school board, you picked men and women to act in your place. You chose people you knew you could trust to make the right decision even when delicate issues required that all the facts could not be publicly discussed. You chose representatives that you knew would try to do what's right even if they faced public criticism.

Our school board plays such an important role in our public government system because they guarantee that we have local control. Please show your appreciation for them during our **School Board Recognition Month**. Say thanks to these folks for guiding our school. Without them we all would lose a vital link in the control of our future.

The following are our School Board trustees for the Muleshoe Independent School District:

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## OBITUARIES

### STANLEY CUNNINGHAM

Services were held Friday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel in Morton for Stanley Cunningham, 54, of Amarillo. The Rev. Danny Jackson officiated. Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Cunningham was born Aug. 13, 1945, in Levelland. He died Jan. 17 at home.

He had lived in Amarillo for seven years, moving there from Denver City. He was a welder and millwright and a veteran of the U.S. Army.

He is survived by a son, Christopher Cunningham of Amarillo; his mother, Robby Cunningham of Lovington, N.M.; four sisters, Sandy Gathright of Corsicana, Texas, Janice Splitter and Gloria Graves, both of Garland, Texas, and Melinda Cunningham of Lovington; and two brothers, Kenneth Cunningham of Lovington and Pat Cunningham of Shallowater.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary Catherine, in 1974; his father, Orville, in 1977; and a brother, Lonnie, in 1976.

### BEULAH KELTON

Services were held Tuesday at Hall Memorial Chapel in Mena, Ark., for Beulah C. Kelton, 91, of Mena. The Rev. Pastor Ben Finley and Pastor Billy Dunahoo officiated. Graveside services were held at Muleshoe Memorial Park with the Rev. Bobby Burris officiating.

Ellis Funeral Homes handled arrangements.

Mrs. Kelton was born May 23, 1908, in Oakman, Okla. She died Jan. 16 at a nursing home in Mena.

She was the daughter of the late James and Kate McNatt, who lived in the Circle Back and Muleshoe areas in the 1950s.

She had lived in Mena for five years, moving there from Forney, Texas. She was a cafe owner and provided care for the elderly.

She was a member of the Yokana Baptist Church in Mena and the Mena Rebekah Lodge.

Mrs. Kelton is survived by a daughter, Pauline Harper of Mena; a sister, Ruby Davidson of St. Cloud, Fla.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William Kelton, on

Jan. 26, 1955, and by one son, one brother and three sisters.

### ROBERT LUNSFORD

Services were held Saturday at the Muleshoe Church of Christ for Robert Lunsford, 66, of Muleshoe. The Rev. Jim Witcher of the First Christian Church of Tucumcari officiated. Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park.

Ellis Funeral Homes handled arrangements.

Mr. Lunsford was born April 10, 1933, in Littlefield. He died Thursday at home.

He moved to the Muleshoe area in 1970 from Littlefield. He had been employed by the Piggly Wiggly store in Littlefield and worked for Energas for 37 years. After his retirement, he was self-employed.

He is survived by his wife, Frankie; three daughters, Sally Sams, Betsy Lunsford and Susan Decker, all of Lubbock; two sisters, Nadine Testerman of Round Rock, Texas, and Gladys Blackwell of Placerville, Calif.; one brother, James Lunsford of Lubbock; and four grandchildren, Cameron Lunsford, Black and Paige Sams, and Audra Decker.

## Breast-cancer treatment is changing

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
**HOUSTON** — Technology being developed today will individualize breast cancer treatment in the future, an improvement over the current blanket approach, according to Dr. C. Kent Osborne, director of the Breast Center at Baylor College of Medicine.

"In the next 10 years, I think we will see a major change in the way we approach breast cancer. We're beginning to be able to identify the molecular fingerprint of each patient's individual tumor," said Osborne, also co-director of the recent San Antonio Breast Cancer Symposium.

The annual conference, attended by more than 3,000 specialists from 52 countries, gives scientists and physicians of all disciplines an opportunity to exchange information and the latest in research.

Breast cancer death rates have declined on average 1.7 percent per year since 1989, according to the National Cancer Institute.

Each breast cancer is different, Osborne said. As researchers become able to learn more about the

genetic makeup of each tumor, they will be better able to target the problem areas for treatment.

Osborne notes that scientists have been investigating one gene at a time, such as the estrogen receptor and the HER-2 oncogene.

Therapies have been developed and are constantly being updated to deal with known genetic alterations that cause breast cancer.

"In the near future, because of new technologies that are now being perfected, we might be able to measure many thousands of genes in a patient's tumor at the same time. So, instead of looking for three or four or five things, we'll be able to look at thousands," he said.

This type of information will lead to improvement in prevention strategies, earlier diagnosis and treatment of the disease.

The declines in the mortality rates from breast cancer in the past 10 years can be attributed to the

chemotherapy and drug therapies that began in the early 1970s, Osborne said.

"In the next couple of years, we'll see further reductions as the benefits of widespread mammograms start to play a role," he said.

Mammograms did not become a routine part of health care until the mid-to late 1980s, he added.

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Brandi Whalin  
Meghan Wills

### First Semester Grade 6

Andi Black  
Brady Black  
Brook Bottleman  
Ashley Dickson  
Arsenio Geter

Thank you for your visits, prayers, food and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our mother. A special thanks to Dr. Purdy, Gail Hargrove and all the wonderful, caring nurses at Muleshoe Area Medical Center. Thanks to the EMT staff for their quick response and caring attitude.

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**96 F150 SUPERCAB**

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**99 Chevy Prizm #5762**  
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### LEGAL

#### LEGAL NOTICE TEXAS CORN PRODUCERS BOARD VOTING REGION TWO

The Texas Corn Producers Board (TCPB) will conduct elections in five of its eight voting regions for the purpose of electing five new TCPB board members whose current members' seats have expired. There are a total of fifteen TCPB voting board members. These elections, to be conducted in 227 Texas counties, are being held pursuant to the Texas Commodity Referendum Law, Texas Agriculture Code, Title 3, Chapter 41, Subchapter A, Section 41.032. Voting Region Two consists of the counties of **Hartley, Oldham, Deaf Smith, Parmer and Bailey**, and there is One Seat open for election of TCPB board members in Voting Region Two. In 1990, Texas Corn Producers voted to expand the research and promotion program for corn, funded by uniform corn checkoff, to every county in the State of Texas. This election is the biennial election required by the Texas Commodity Referendum Law. A person eligible to vote in the board election if he or she is, or for at least one production period during the three years preceding the date of the board election has been, a producer of, or caused to be produced, corn for commercial purposes. This includes owners of farms and their tenants or sharecroppers, if the person would be required to pay the assessment. For a producer to vote in this voting region and for this TCPB seat, such producer must reside within the counties stated above. Only voter residing within the above counties may vote for candidate(s) representing this voting region. Any eligible voter-producer as defined above may place his or her name in nomination to serve as a director on the TCPB. Nomination applications must be submitted to the TCPB signed by the applicant and ten other eligible voters. Nomination forms will be available in all 227 counties where elections are to be held. Nomination forms can be obtained by writing the TCPB, 218 E. Bedford, Dimmitt, Texas 79027. Please state your county of residence if you request nomination forms in writing from the TCPB office. All nominations must be filed with the TCPB no later than March 27, 2000. Nomination forms will be available after February 17, 2000. The election in each of the five voting regions where elections are called for will be held by mail ballot. Ballots containing the nominations of all persons who have validly filed petitions under Section 41.025 of the above stated code will be available after April 3, 2000. Ballots will be available at grain elevators or other points of check-off collection in each of the appropriate voting regions, county agent offices in each of the 227 counties where elections are to occur, or by writing the TCPB at the address stated above. For

a ballot to be counted, such ballot must be postmarked no later than April 26, 2000. There are five voting regions conducting elections in 2000. A voter must reside within a county contained within the voting region that the voter is casting his or her vote, and a voter must meet the definition set forth above as to a qualified voter. Voters may also vote for board members by "writing in" the name of any eligible persons. Pursuant to Section 41.023 of the Texas Commodity Referendum Law, this notice for a TCPB election within this voting region is being published in appropriate newspapers with the voting region, such notice being published at least once a week for three consecutive weeks beginning at least 60 days before the date of the election. The Texas Corn Producers Board is certified under Section 41.011 and Section 41.012 of the Texas Commodity Referendum Law to conduct this election, and has obtained all approvals and determinations required by law from the Commissioner of Agriculture, Texas Department of Agriculture. Published in the Bailey County Journal, January 23, 2000; January 30, 2000 and February 6, 2000.

#### ORDINANCE No. 0-01-2000A

An ordinance of the City of Muleshoe, Texas designating certain stop intersections and establishing speed regulations for streets in the area of the Old City Park in the City of Muleshoe, Texas, providing a penalty for violating this ordinance and providing for an effective date and other matters. Passed and approved this the 18th day of January, 2000. Robert Montgomery, Mayor, City of Muleshoe, Texas. Attest: LeAnn Gallman, City Secretary. Published in the Bailey County Journal, Jan. 23, 2000 and the Muleshoe Journal, Jan. 27, 2000.

**Slow and steady wins the race.**

The following people have announced their candidacy for the  
**Primary Election**  
Tuesday, March 14, 2000

**Sheriff**  
Ronald D. "Ronnie" Kemp  
**Coy M. Plott**  
**Bailey County Attorney**  
Carrissa A. Cleavinger  
**County Tax Assessor**  
Berta Combs  
**Precinct 1 Commissioner**  
Donald Harrison  
Floyd "Butch" Vandiver  
Jack Dunham  
**Precinct 3 Commissioner**  
Joey D. Kindie  
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Preferred qualifications are a combination of education and work experience equivalent to a bachelors' degree in public or business administration. The city offers an excellent benefits program and training will be provided for the selected candidate. A valid Texas driver's license, post offer drug test/physical are required.

A completed City of Muleshoe employment application must accompany submitted resume.

For additional information or to request an application contact:

Rick L. Hanna  
City of Muleshoe Municipal Building  
215 S. First Street  
Muleshoe, Texas 79347  
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• VERY NICE 2-1-1 carport home, nicely remodeled, Cent. Heat, DW, fans, fenced yd., stor. bldg. \$29.5K!!! HL-1  
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• West Camp, 160 acres, 2 center pivot and sprinkler on pavement. Sold  
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• VERY NICE 3-1-1 Home, Cent. A&H, nice carpets, six fans, 2 stor. bldgs., fenced yd., \$30's!!! HS-5  
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- BEEF LIVER**..... LB **99¢**
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- BREADED
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- TURKEY BACON** ..... 12 OZ. PKG **\$1<sup>99</sup>**
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- BEEF BOLOGNA** ..... 12 OZ. PKG **2/<sup>3</sup>**
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- DECKER
- BEEF FRANKS** ..... 12 OZ. PKG **2/<sup>3</sup>**
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- MEAT FRANKS** ..... 12 OZ. PKG **69¢**
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  - COCA-COLA,  
SPRITE OR  
DR. PEPPER** ..... 6 PACK-12 OZ. CANS **3/<sup>5</sup>**
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