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News Briefs

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Purcell decides not to appeal after third loss **By MARSHALL STINNETT** Journal writer

Tom Purcell, the three-time convicted pheasant hunter, has decided not to appeal his conviction to the 7th Texas Court of Appeals in Amarillo.

County Clerk Sherri Harrison had received a certified letter from Purcell of Roanoke, Texas asking that the \$1000 he posted to appeal his trial from Justice of the Peace Court to County Court be used to pay his \$500 fine and \$186 court costs with the balance be returned to him.

Purcell's letter states " I will need a copy of receipt of the above-mentioned transaction to add to the documentation I will be sending to the Texas State Board of Judicial Conduct in support of the complaint I will soon be filing against (Judge) Cox."

Purcell was found guilty of illegally cleaning a pheasant first by Justice of the Peace Herman Morrison which he appealed and asked for a trial by jury.

The six-person jury found Purcell guilty in less than five minutes and set the maximum fine of \$500 plus costs.

Purcell then appealed to County Court. A six-person jury found him guilty again and County Judge Marilyn Cox fined Purcell the \$500 and \$186 in costs.

In a recent E-mail, Purcell informed the Journal he and a friend would be hunting pheasants in Kansas this year.

On this day in history

October 22-Sam Houston inaugurated as first President of the Republic of Texas (1836). October 28-Post established in San Antonio. Intermittently occupied before the Civil War. On September 11, 1890, the post was renamed Fort Sam Houston (1845).

Council hears complaints By MARSHALL STINNETT Although there was support in

Journal writer A small group of citizens expressed their views about the Mule-

shoe Police Department at the Tuesday morning City Council meeting. Mary Ann Daniel told the council that she came to the council

meeting because Mayor Victor Leal had not returned her calls. Leal disputed her claims.

She also told the council she had written to the governor to get help to stop police harassment of some citizens in Muleshoe.

The letter from the Governor's office referred Daniel back to the city to express her "dissatisfaction to the mayor and members of the city council."

Sunny Guzman said that Texas Ranger Dusty McCord and Police Chief Don Carter are "too good of friends" for McCord to effectively investigate the police department.

Guzman said, "Its like having the fox guard the hen house."

McCord recently found the police department not at fault in a incident between the police and Daniel's husband, Luis.

Councilman Juan Chavez told the group he was just one council member, but he suggested the city appoint a citizen's committee to hear and investigate complaints against the police department.

the people who'came to complain about the police, there was not much enthusiasm by the council.

Mayor Leal said he didn't believe in too many committees, but people were always welcome to come to the council with their questions and complaints. The council told the group they could get the agenda and bring the request for a police review committee to the council.

In other city business, the council agreed to support the Muleshoe High School Family Community Service Class plans to beautify Muleshoe.

The council told the Texas Migrant Council the City would do the best it could to maintain the streets in front of the office until money was available to pave it.

Max King, Pat Angeley and Mark Morton were reappointed to the Muleshoe Economic Development Board.

Grants from the city's hotel/ motel tax funds were granted to Muleshoe Sports Academy for \$3512.67, the Ladies Golf Association tournament for \$3997.15 and \$2230.46 for the Rotary Club Labor Day Roping event.

The council voted for a resolution suspending the Atmos Energy rate increase.



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Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

The first bale of cotton for Bailey County was ginned at West Camp Gin last Thursday. Producer Clay Grant, in his fifth year farming, said he was lucky that bad weather didn't damage his crop and lead to replanting. His 32 acres of cotton produced 52 bales, with an average grade of 21. The cotton also averaged a leaf of 1.8. Along with cotton, Grant also plants wheat.

According to James Shepard, owner of the gin, the staple was a little long at 33. "For this variety of cotton, it was good for the year," he continued. "Mic was a little high at 5.08. The premium Mic averages 3.5-4.9. Lint turnout was 33.3 percent." Shown here are (from left) Shepard and Grant with the first bale.

Wondering why you didn't get your paper in the mail last week?

Last week's papers were lost by the post office. They are looking for them. As soon as they are located, everyone with a mailed subscription will receive them. Every effort is being made to resolve this problem soon. Your patience is appreciated.

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By DELTON WILHITE Journal sportswriter

The Mules owned a 15-14 advantage at intermission over the Brownfield Cubs. The two teams swapped interceptions to start the third period but neither team could gain an advantage during the period.



Sides to Trent Sellers sealed the game for the Cubs at 22-15.

The Mules scored first on a six-yard "hammer" play, by Danny Bonilla and Miguel Nuñez added the PAT. The Mules led 7-0 with 5:31 remaining in the opening period. Brownfield answered with a



Drawing date: Saturday, October 18 Winning numbers: 7-11-14-21-41 **Bonus Ball:13** Estimated jackpot: \$11 million Winners: 0 Next drawing: Wednesday, October 22 Estimated jackpot: \$13 million

The Cubs took over on downs on their 28 and used a heavy dose of Mason Becker up the middle to put the Mules away. Becker gained 52 of the 72 yards on just six carries in the Cubs' final scoring drive.

Becker was stood up at the goal line on the scoring play and Andrew Cruz hit him in the back and pushed him into the end zone. The two-point conversion pass from Andrew Brant Hamilton carries the ball while Brian King blocks.

Journal photo: Norman Brantley

15-yard Sides to Sellers toss. Sellers broke a tackle and raced 40 yards for a 55-yard scoring strike. The PAT failed and the Cubs trailed 7-6.

The Mules were moving the ball down field and picking up yardage in large chunks. Becker ripped the ball away from Landon Sheets and outran the stunned Mules 70 yards.

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LOCAL WEATHER

Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday. Showers are forecast for Saturday. Highs remain in mid to upper 80s through Friday. Saturday's high is drastically lower-around 56 degrees. Lows range in the mid to upper 40s, dropping down to near freezing Saturday night. Skies return to partly cloudy Sunday-Tuesday with highs in the mid to upper 50s to lower 60s and lows in the upper 30s to lower 40s. Rain chances diminish to just 10 percent by Tuesday.

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New fees cause strain cleaners local drv



Journal photo: Vaneta Gregory

JimElla Clemmons still smiles in spite of the new fees as she waits on customers at Lambert Cleaners.

By VANETA GREGORY Journal writer

Terome and JimElla Clemmons of Lambert Cleaners will be bearing the burden of a new law which adds a fee on the purchase of dry cleaning supplies beginning January 1, 2004.

House Bill 1366, which became law on September 1, 2003, requires that all dry cleaning facilities and dry cleaning drop stations be registered with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ). This registration will need to be renewed annually. The registration fee, which can be anywhere from \$250 to \$2500, is determined by the income of the JimElla.

"We will probably have to pay somewhere in the middle," she said. She will not know how much the fee is until October 30, when the TCEQ will send her a bill. The fee will be due before November 30. After the bill is paid, the TCEQ will issue her a registration number which will be required in order to purchase the dry cleaning supplies.

In addition to the registration fee, an extra \$5 per gallon will be added to the purchase of dry cleaning products. For the Clemmons', this translates into an expense of \$1650 every six weeks, as opposed to the \$550 they are

facility, according to currently spending for supplies.

> An extra \$15 per gallon will be added to the price of Perchloroethylene (perch). "We don't use perch," said JimElla. "We use a petroleum solvent instead and it isn't as difficult to clean up."

> "What happened is some guy who owns a lot of cleaners spilled the "perch" and it cost a lot of money to clean it up since it is bad for the environment," said Terome. "The TCEQ decided to tax everyone so they can afford to clean up spills in the future."

> "The money goes into a "slush" fund," said JimElla.

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AROUND MULESHOE

HarvestFest 2003 set at church

HarvestFest 2003 will be Wednesday, October 29, 2003 from 6:30-8:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church Activity Center, 219 East Ave. B. The carnival is filled with fun, games, prizes and candy. There is no charge for the carnival. It is sponsored by the First Baptist Church Youth.

Church offers depression seminar

Trinity Christian Center Church Pastoral Care Counseling Ministries will host a seminar entitled: "Light at the End of the Tunnel," to help people in our community understand and find help for depression and grief. Depression and grief can lead to serious emotional and physical problems and should not be left untreated. The seminar is free and will be part of the regular Lay Counselors Training Class on Tuesday evening, October 28 at the Trinity Christian Center Church fellowship hall at 1723 West American Boulevard. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call 806-272-3877 during regular business hours.

Club announces Christmas bazaar

The Moonlight Extension Education Club anounces its Twenty Fifth Annual Christmas Bazaar to be held December 14, 2003, at the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum, Muleshoe, Texas. Applications for booth space are being accepted until December 8, 2003. To request an application contact Linda Huckaby, 902 W. 8th, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

Sophomore pre-game meal set

The sophomore class will be having a pre-game meal October 24 in the high school cafeteria. They will be serving brisket, beans, cornbread, salad, baked potatoes

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"If anyone spills the "perch," then that money can be used to clean it up."

The other local dry cleaners, Sparkle Cleaners, will not have to pay all of the extra fees because their clothing is sent to Clovis to be cleaned. "They will have to pay an annual fee for having a drop station though," said JimElla.

The Clemmons', who bought out Woodie Lambert in 1983, cannot afford to stay open without raising their prices some.

"I'm trying to do what is right for me and my customers," JimElla said. "We to pay some of the extra cost out of our pockets and pass on some of it to our customers, as much as we hate to do that."

The new prices at Lambert Cleaners took effect on Monday, October 20.

FSA offers assistance Bailey County livestock 2001, and a designation re-

gible.

Bailey County livestock producers who have suffered grazing losses caused by natural disasters will find some relief through the Livestock Assistance Program (LAP) offered by the USDA, Farm Service Agency (FSA).

"This program provides

and cobbler. Tickets will be \$6 for adults and \$4 for 12 and under. Dine-in meals will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. Carry-out meals will run from 4:30 to 6:30. To place a carry-out order call 272-7306.

Sophomores hold fund-raiser

The sophomore class is selling mini-cookbooks for \$5.50. These books make wonderful gifts for all occasions. If you would like to purchase one, please call Mrs. Gaytan or Mrs. Hanna at the high school, 272-7303. You may also buy from any sophomore student.

Local 4-H Club holds fund-raiser

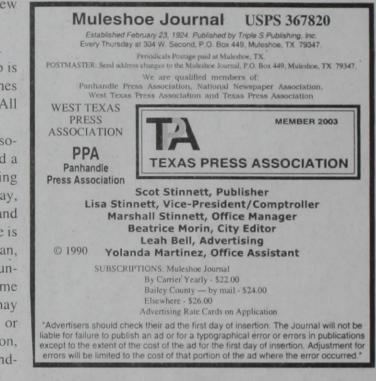
The Bailey County 4-H Club is selling products for a fund-raiser project to start off this year. They will be selling several new items, such as Cajun meat pies, smoked sausage kolaches, smoked bacon, pork sausage patties, chicken tenders, pork tamales, chicken and beef fajitas, smoked peppered turkey breast, Hickory Smoked Turkey and Home Style Pit Ham. A 4-H'er may contact local residents in the next couple of weeks, but anyone can contact the Bailey County Extension Office at 272-4583 if they wish to order and are not contacted. Orders will go off on October 29 and will be delivered the week before Thanksgiving. The 4-H club will also be doing a Fruit Sale in November for the Christmas holiday with some new fruit baskets in them.

Public Calendar

October 27—The Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club is hosting **freshman night**. Highlights of the team's games will be featured in the high school cafeteria at 7 p.m. All parents are invited to attend.

October 30—South Plains Community Action Association, Inc., Community Services Division, will hold a homebuyers workshop from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Building Bridges (Headstart) located at 1202 Seagraves Highway, Brownfield. The assisistance is used for closing costs and down payment up to \$5,000 per household. Assistance is available for low-income residents of Bailey, Cochran, Garza, Hockley, Lamb, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum counties. Residents of these counties who are first-time homebuyers and are interested in purchasing a home, may telephone Texas Workforce Center, Leonor Arrieta or Janie Posada at (806)272-7537 for more information, qualification guidelines and requirements prior to attending the workshop.

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will have to raise most items about 25 to 50 cents but we will still be competitive."

"We [the business] should be OK just raising prices that much," continued JimElla. "We will have

MULES

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The Cubs failed to make the two-point conversion but led the Mules 12-7 with just over a minute left in the first quarter.

Brant Hamilton took the helm for the Mules and they drove 65 yards on 10 plays. Juan Reyes took a sweep around right end for the final five yards for a TD and Sheets added the two-point conversion to put the Mules on top 15-12.

The Cubs sacked Sheets in the Mule end zone with under a minute remaining in the half to trail the Mules 15-14 at intermission.

Brady Black led the Mules in rushing with 17 carries for 82 yards and Daniel Campolla caught two passes for 34 yards. Ryan Marricle led the defense with 15 tackles and Josh Shelburne had ten.

The Mules will host the Dimmitt Bobcats Friday night in Benny Douglas Stadium. additional relief to livestock producers who suffered grazing losses due to severe weather and related causes," said Kim Hanlin, County Executive Director.

The LAP sign-up period ends October 24, 2003.

"LAP is intended to address the needs of producers who were not adequately covered by the Livestock Compensation Program (LCP), but producers cannot receive payments under both programs for the same loss," said Hanlin.

Hanlin added, a producer's LAP payment will be reduced by the amount(s) the producer received under 2002 Cattle Feed Program, Livestock Compensation Program, regardless of whether the LAP payment is for 2001 or 2002.

Authorized by the Agricultural Assistance Act of 2003, LAP provides \$250 million, nationwide, to livestock producers for grazing losses that occurred in either 2001 or 2002.

Under LAP, a producer's grazing land must be located in a county that was declared a primary disaster area under a Presidential or Secretarial declaration. The county must have been approved after January 1, must be met for each year. A county must have experienced an average of 40 percent or greater loss of normal precipitation for four consecutive months during the applicable year and suffered at least a 40 percent grazing loss for three or more consecutive months in a calendar year in order to be eligible for that year. A county may meet eligibility for both 2001 and 2002; however, a producer in that county may receive a LAP payment for only one of the years.

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LAP eligibility criteria

Although LAP is a grazing loss program, payments are based on the lesser of the calculated pasture value or the value of the livestock feed allowance multiplied by the producer's maximum grazing loss. The eligible amount is 50 percent of the loss amount. A producer must have control of adequate grazing land to support the eligible livestock.

During 2001 or 2002, a livestock producer must have suffered a 40 percent or greater loss of grazing production for three or more consecutive months due to drought, hot weather, disease, insect infestation, flood, fire, hurricane, earthquake, severe storm or other natural disasters. And don't forget Daisy. Spot. Cowboy or 'ol Rover. Our feed department has gifts for them all over 1 Country Junction is packed with unique gifts. western and other. And remember, wrapping is free, so you don't have to bother. We look forward to having you Nov. 1 for our show.

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Named Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce Business of the Month for September was Muleshoe State Bank. Pictured are: (Front row, from left) Luz Cuellar, Sharla Smith, Gwen Ladd, Roseanne Armijo, June Hunt, (Back row, from left) Gary Sirkel, Rubie Craft, Lena Gartin, Margaret Hamilton, Robert Montgomery, Chamber President Chris Schraeder, Chamber member Heather Foley, Jay Messenger and Chamber Manager Jan Thompson.

OSPITAL DISTRICT NEWS

The 2003-2004 influenza season has arrived in several areas in south and southeast Texas. Now is the time to receive your flu vaccination. It takes approximately twentyone days for the vaccine to take full effect. To be prepared for the holiday season, it would be wise to receive your vaccine as soon as possible. The Center for Disease Control in Atlanta predicts that those people who get the flu this season may become seriously ill. The American Academy of Family Physicians encourages all persons 65 or older to receive their influenza vaccine. The academy advises women who are three to nine months pregnant to receive flu vaccines, and children 6 months to 18 years of age, college students, teachers, nurses, doctors, all medical personnel and employees, nursing home residents, persons with pulmonary conditions, asthma, diabetes, HIV, and personnel of large and small companies.

Muleshoe area citizens can receive their flu vaccines at their family medical doctor's clinic or at the Muleshoe Outpatient Clinic. Residents of Farwell can go by the Farwell Medical Clinic to recieve their flu vaccine. Remember, there may be medical reasons people cannot receive the flu vaccine. Medical personnel will advise everyone about risks before vaccinations.

The flu vaccine is preventive medicine that can prevent those vaccinated from becoming seriously ill. Those interested may still get the flu or have flu like symptoms, but the risk of becoming seriously ill or hospitalized is greatly reduce. Please take advantage of this opportunity and get the flu vaccine in the next two-three weeks.

Lady Mule runners prepare for district win By DELTON WILHITE Journal sportswriter

The Lady Mule cross-country team finished third behind Amarillo High and Hereford in the South Plains College Invitational Meet. The course was a measured two miles on flat terrain.

The times were very good with Ashley Gutierrez pacing the Lady Mules with a 17th place medal with a time of 12 minutes and 41 seconds. Jessica Withrow ran 21st in 12:58 and Chelsi Hawkins finished with a 13:07.

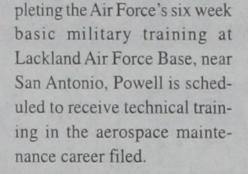
Brandi Wood had a time of 13:20 and Kate Lepard ran a 13:24. Sara Benham finished in 13:25 and Hillary Tipps completed the course in 14:09

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MORRISON

Judge Herman L. Morrison was certified at the recent twenty-hour Justice of the Peace Seminar held October 7-10 in Lubbock. The seminar was sponsored by the Texas Justice Court Training Center, a division of Texas State Uni-

Brian W. Powell of Farwell and Laura Reese of Muleshoe, en-Delayed Enlistment Program on Sept. 10, 2003, according to SSgt. Jaramillo, Air Force Re-



He will be earning college credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and other Air Force technical training schools.



Four athletes anticipate **World Championships**

USA Gymnastics Trampoline and Tumbling hosted its last team trial for the World Championships to be held in Hannover, Germany at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colo. recently.

Four athletes from the Acrospirit team that trains at Muleshoe Sports Academy attended the competition, making the USA Team. Drew Rentfro and Amber Cowart, having already made the USA Team in double mini trampoline by virtue of making the USA Senior Elite National team, attended the competition as a warm up to the World Championships.

Both athletes competed in double mini the first day of the competition. Cowart, **USA** Senior Elite National Champion, showed that she should be a front runner for winning the gold in the 15-16 year old age group at the World Championships by winning in convincing style.

Cowart is not old enough to compete in the Senior Elite World Championships this year even though she is the number one ranked athlete in the nation. Only 17year-old athletes can compete at the Elite World Championships by international rule. Her teammate, Rentfro, is the number three ranked athlete in the nation and is on the USA Senior Elite team to compete in the elite competition at the World Championships. She com-

peted in double mini trampoline on Saturday as well, but had a rough time on one of her four routines and finished in third place in the 17 and over category.

Amanda Bailey and Nicole Roethle had to hold their current positions in the 17 and over category in trampoline to make the team to the World Championships. They were ranked first and third respectively going into the competition.

They competed in synchronized trampoline the first day of the competition and finished first. The second day of competition featured trampoline for the 17 and over women.

Bailey won the competition with Roethle coming in fourth and Rentfro coming in sixth. This assured Bailey and Roethle spots on the team to compete in trampoline and synchronized trampoline.

The team is busy raising money for their trips, as only part is paid by USA Gymnastics, while they train six days a week for the next six weeks in preparation for the World Champi-

"We are getting healthier and the girls ran very strong this week," said Lady Mule crosscountry coach Carey Sudduth. "We now have our sights set on a district championship October 27 in Lubbock."

The district meet will be in Mae Simmons Park and the junior varsity girls start at 1:30 and the varsity runs at 2:30. The top three teams advance to the regional meet that will also be held at Mae Simmons on November 8th. The Texas State Meet will be in Round Rock November 15th.

Band competition took two girls from the JV team and Erica Sanchez ran a 16:08. Abby Lawrence finished with a 16:29 and Tabitha Obenhaus had a time of 18:10.

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onships. Any donations for these local athletes is greatly appreciated and can be made out to MSA, 2309 W. American Blvd, Muleshoe, Texas 79347. "We appreciate all the

help and wish these athletes all the luck in Germany," concluded Will Green, Acrospirits manager.



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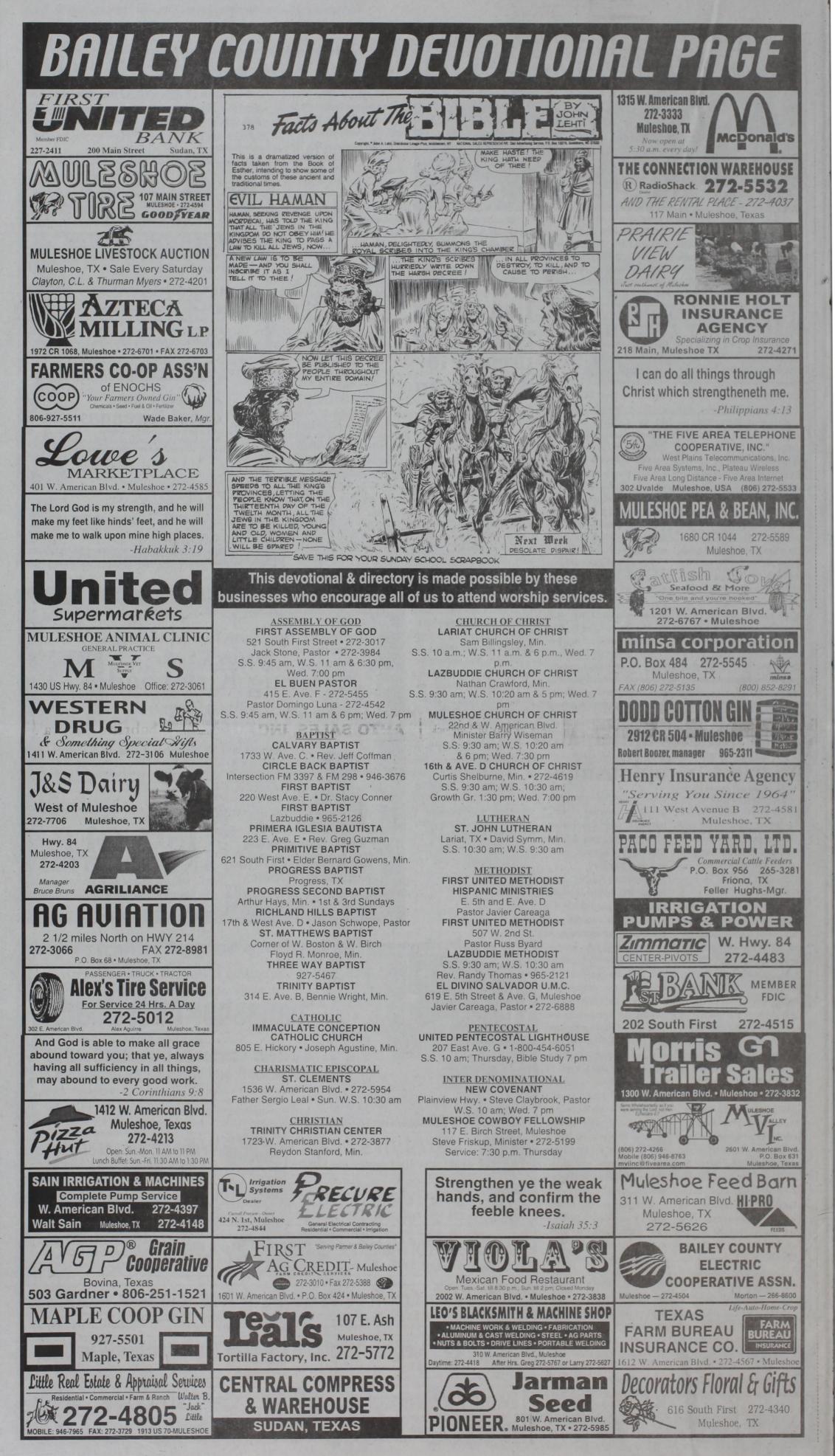
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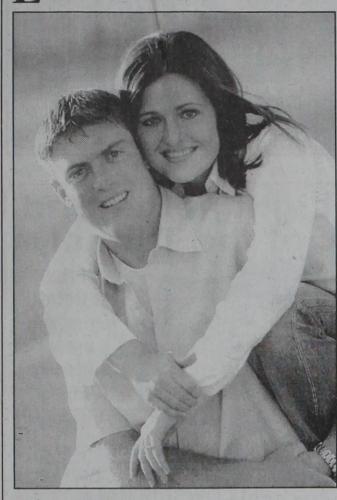
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NGAGEMENTS



LOCKER-THANE

Fred and Ruth Locker of Muleshoe announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Amy Locker of Amarillo, to Dustin Thane of Lubbock, son of Scott and Phyllis Thane. The bride-elect is a 1998 graduate of Muleshoe High School and a 2002 graduate of Lubbock Christian University. She is currently attending Texas Tech Pharmacy School in Amarillo. The prospective groom is a 1998 graduate of Midland Christian High School and a 2002 graduate of Lubbock Christian University. He is currently employed with Phillips and Associates, CPA's. The wedding is scheduled for 6 p.m., Dec. 27, 2003 at Monterrey Church of Christ in Lubbock.

BITUARIES

OPAL COON

Chapel services were held Friday, October 17, 2003 at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel in Morton for Opal Coon, 92, of Ozark, Ark., formerly of Morton. Rev. James Pope of Morton officiated. Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Coon was born September 8, 1911 in Ozark, Ark. She died Tuesday, October 14, 2003 in Ozark.

She married H.L. Coon in Wellington, Texas in 1929. He preceded her in death in February 1970. She had lived in Ozark for the past 30 years moving from Morton, She was a member of the First Missionary Baptist Church of Morton and she was a homemaker.

She is survived by a son, Troy Coon of Lubbock; eleven grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren. **CLIFFORD H.** CANTRELL

Memorial services were held Monday, October 13, 2003 at Plainview for Plainview. He was born May 28, 1931. He died Saturday, October 11, 2003.

He was born to J.O. and Jessie Cantrell, former residents of Lazbuddie. He graduated from Lazbuddie in 1949.

He is survived by two sons, Don of Cisco, Texas and Tracy of Pearsall, Texas; two daughters, Yvonne Clark of Plainview and Terri McCloud of Cisco; three sisters, Helen Precure of Lazbuddie, Betty Dillon of

Clifford H. Cantrell, 72, of California, Ida Mave Haberer of Roundrock. Texas.

> He was preceded in death by a sister, Naomi Rae; and two brothers, Don W. Cantrell and Vernon Cantrell; as well as his parents.



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Schraeder meets Lord Ab bett officials

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

Katherine Schraeder, of the financial-services firm Edward Jones, believes in constantly updating her knowledge of the products she recommends to clients. That's why she recently visited Lord Abbett at its headquarters in Jersey City, New Jersey.

Just as Edward Jones believes there is no substitute for face-to-face, personal service, Schraeder believes the best way to monitor a given investment is to meet with the organization and the people making management decisions.

Schraeder was one of only 51 investment representatives nationwide to be in-

vited to Lord Abbett. In addition to meeting with Lord Abbett representatives, she attended a seminar on fund management. Edward Jones representa-

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ties throughout their careers, and Schraeder is no exception. In addition to this trip, she has completed courses on Estate Planning and 2003 Tax Law Changes.

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Pool honored with bridal shower



Pool; Eric's stepmother, Ann McElroy; her aunts, Glenda Copley, Marilyn Riley and Connie James; her great aunt, Betty Jo Beaty; and her cousins, Tiffany Copley of Lubbock and LaRhonda Lee of Amarillo.

Assisting Myers in hostess duties were Diane Saylor, Debbi Hutto, Sandy Turner, Criss Cleavinger, Sharon Grant, Nancy Barrier, Tammy Black, Noel

AUTO SALES, INC.





Ashley Pool, bride-elect of Eric McElroy, was honored with a bridal shower Sunday afternoon, October 12 in the country home of Jamie Myers. Ashley is the daughter of Tonya Pool of Lubbock and Marshall Pool of Muleshoe. Her prospective bridegroom is the son of Don McElroy of Muleshoe and the late Lisa McElroy.

For a holiday wedding, Ashley's chosen colors of red and white were carried out by highlighting the serving table with long stem red roses laying in a white wicker basket. Crystal appointments and a picture of the engaged couple were used to compliment the arrangement.

Special guests were the honoree's mother, Tonya



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The hostess' gift was a rocker recliner chair and a half by Lane.



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ADIES GOLFASSOCIATION



Judy Wilbanks, Kay Field and Laverne Winn won the golf scramble after the meeting on Wednesday.

The Muleshoe Country Club Ladies Association met Wednesday, October 15 for their n.onthly luncheon and business meeti.

Pat Kuk, president, presided over the meeting and gave the opening prayer. Laverne Winn called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. Judy Wilbanks gave the treasurer's report.

Linda Elder reported that four ladies went to Clovis for the last Hi-Plains Playday for this year. Ladies going from here were Helen Templeton, Analita Haley, Neats Foster and Kirk, who won low net of the field. Haley won low putts in her flight.

New officers for the ladies association for next year are

president, Winn; vice-president, Jeanetta Precure; secretary, Deborah Noble; treasurer, Wilbanks; reporter, Claudine Elliott; Hi-Plains director, Elder; and playday chairman, Templeton.

Noble gave playday awards to: September 24, low putts, Kirk, Italey and Templeton; October 1, low on three pars, Templeton. The door prize was won by Kirk

The ladies played a scramble after the meeting. The team winning was Kay Fields, Wilbanks and Winn.

Attending the luncheon were Templeton, Noble, Field, Elliott, Kirk, Elder, Precure, Winn, Wilbanks, Elinor Yerby, Pam Miller, and Dorothy St. Clair.

URSING HOME NEWS

The 16th and Ave. D Church of Christ came to direct a singing service Sunday afternoon.

Vere Fox was visited by Jean Allison Sunday afternoon.

The residents made chocolate, oatmeal no-bake cookies in the cooking class Monday afternoon. Residents participating were Aliene Locke, Delphine Gruda, Alleene Lasiter, Clydetta Mitchell, Grace Plyer, Jim Kee and George Mitchell, the "official taster.".

Jewel Parker was visited by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Parker has the residents to paint. Residents participating were Gladys Wilson, Aliene Locke, Delphine Gruda, Alleene Lasiter, Diane Copley, Jim Kee, Clydetta Mitchell, Johnnie Kimbrough, Gladys Wright and Ruby Riley.

Rev. Randy and Mrs. Thomas from the Lazbuddie Methodist Church directed a music, hymn and devotional service in the day room Thursday morning.

Zona Gatewood and Janis Morrison directed a music program in the special care unit Thursday morning.

Brenda Guzman and her

OSPITAL BOARD NEWS

The Board of Directors of Muleshoe Area Hospital District met in regular session Thursday, October 15. Minutes were approved from the previous meeting.

Jim Bone, hospital administrative director, discussed two changes in the rules, regulations and bylaws which were approved by Drs. Smith and Johnson.

Medical staff by-laws were also accepted.

The purchasing of a van to help residents at Park View w?3 also discussed but a decision was not reached.

Sharon Novak gave the monthly statistical and financial reports for the district. There was an increase in interest to \$34 per quarter. The hospital has experienced a good month of revenue and admissions were up. In all, hospital revenue was above budget. The nursing home was also above budget. Salaries in the next budget will be going up.

Hooten made a motion to write off the bad debts for \$15.659

According to Bill Saxton, Park View had three admissions, no discharges and no deaths. There are a total of 78 residents in the home.

Carolyn's Christmas Creations is sponsoring her annual Christmas "Tour of Homes" on

December 7 which will include Park View.

Saxton also said that arrangements have been made to correct the windows at the nursing home and the door problems will be taken care of by the end of the month.

Bone discussed problems with Covenant Home Health taking the bulk of residents in the area.

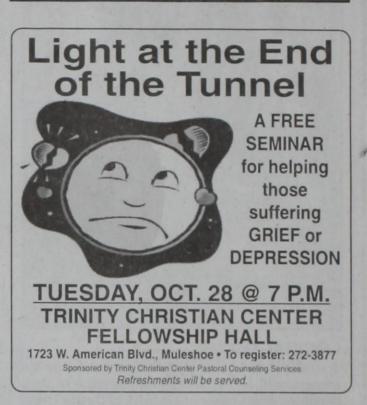
The annual Thanksgiving meal is scheduled for November 14 in the hospital dining room. The hospital anticipates Park View and hospital district per onnel, including doctors, to ttend. Employees will furnish their f. orite dish. The hospital will furnish the turkey and dressing.

The Diabetic Shoe Fair was conduct/ J Tuesday at the hospital.

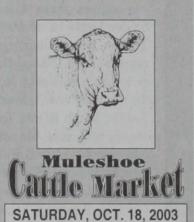
The Auxiliary Scrub Fair was held Friday. The hospital auxiliary received a percentage from those sales.

Meeting was adjourned.

Please join us for a **Retirement Party Honoring** Kenneth Wilhite Friday, October 31 9-11 a.m. — Muleshoe Post Office Refreshments will be served.



Everyone Is Invited To Celebrate The 9 Oth Birthday of Dee Broken Saturday. Oct. 25. 2003 200-400 p.m. Bailey County Colescum 2206 W. American Blud. No gifts please



RESENTATIVE

1500 head of cattle, 409 hogs and 350 sheep and goats for a total of 2,259 animals were sold at the October 18th sale. Market 1-2 lower from last week but still bringing a premium. Pairs and bred cows steady to higher. Packer cows and bulls 7-8 dollars higher.

birthday party.

of ladies delivered a nice stack of lap robes for the residents Wednesday.

way for Park View's Fall Festival October 31. If anyone would like to "dress up" a resident, please do.

Juan Chavez visited the resi-

eral times a week

The Church of God in Christ (the Mennonites) visited Park View Friday evening and sang sacred hymns for the residents.

Pat Wilson is furnishing the birthday cake for the October

LaNell Stancell and a group

A costume contest is under-

some nice "new wheels," a gift from her son.

Rev. Gary and Judy Hubbard came Tuesday for a music, praise and devotional service.

The volunteers came Tuesday afternoon to shampoo and set the ladies hair. Volunteers who gave of their time and talents were Pat Clark, Mary Jo Burge, Beverly Wagnon, Dolores Garrett and Beckye Conklin.

Harold and Mary Jo Burge and Buster and Wanda Kittrell served coffee : nd doughnuts to the residents a* coffee time. Harold read to the group and shared this thoughts and insights. Following coffee time, Glen Williams, Loyce Killingsworth and Buster Kittrell directed our devotional and "singspiration" time.

Glenda Jennings, along with Joyce Brisco, directed our Wednesday afternoon singalong.

Skyler, Summer and Cassidy visited the residents Monday. The girls baked and delivered cupcakes for the residents and also played bingo.

Genny Kerr donated a roll of quarters to be used for cokes for the residents in the special care unit.

Margarite Bustamante, Misty Hall and Josie (Heathington) Fragoso visited Herchel Patterson, Marie Lane, Hattie Heathington and Gladys Wilson Monday.

Thursday morning, Nancy Lemons delivered ceramics for family community service students from M.H.S. visited the residents and played table games Thursday afternoon.

A special activity of T.G.I.F. (Thank Goodness It's Friday) was held in the day room Friday morning.

Tami Lemons brought a large carton of colorful pumpkins and squash Thursday afternoon.

Alvin Isaacson's family brought Sunday dinner to Park View Sunday in celebration of Alvin's birthday.

Vada Alexander's sons, Curtis and Don, and their wives visited her Sunday, also her daughter, Sharon Dale, visited.

J.C. Shanks was visited by Gerald and Lula Maye Shanks Sunday and Monday.

Mollie Johnston went out for lunch with her niece, Cindy Purdy, Monday.

Joyeline Costen visited Park View Monday morning.

Saturday morning, Buster Kittrell came to give the men hair cuts.

Harold and Mary Jo Burge directed the bingo bash Saturday afternoon. The Burges furnished refreshments following the games.

Roland Martha and McCarmick showed ~ 20-year glimpse into the "All in the Family" video.

Buck and Lynn Campbell delivered pumpkins and ornamental gourds to Park View Tuesday.

Ruby Clark's sons and daughters-in-law visit her sevdents and staff Monday.



Muleshoe Area Medical Center reports the following patient load.

Oct. 8 — Victor Arzola, Thora E. Nieman, Daria Rodriguez, Claudia Treviño, Genesis Vasquez and Maria Vasquez.

Oct. 9 — None reported.

Oct. 10 — Rodger Buhrman, Lulu J. Crown, Silvia Hernandez, Antonio Morgan, Thora E. Nieman, Moraima Quinonez, Genesis Vasquez, Maria Vasquez and Mardee Wood.

Oct. 11 - Lulu J. Crown, Mina Guillen, Wanda Kemp, Charles Lorance, Patricia Molina, Thora E. Nieman, Arlie W. Rials and Willie F. Williams.

Oct. 12 — Lulu J. Crown, Mina Guillen, Wanda Kemp, Charles Lorance, Patricia Molina, Thora E. Nieman, Arlie W. Rials and Willie F. Williams.

Oct. 13 — Lulu J. Crown, Mina Guillen, Wanda Kemp, Charles Lorance, Patricia Molina, Thora E. Nieman, Arlie W. Rials and Willie F. Williams. Oct. 14 — Lulu J. Crown,

Sidney Freeborn, Patricia Molina, Thora E. Nieman, Donald Phelps and Willie F. Williams.

Oct. 15 — Lulu J. Crown, Thora E. Nieman, Donald Phelps and Atanacio Romero.

The Muleshoe Cattle Market is brought to you each week by Muleshoe Livestock Auction, located east of Muleshoe on U.S. 84. Muleshoe Livestock conducts sales every Saturday, beginning with hogs, sheep and goats at 10 a.m. and cattle following at approximately noon.

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Seller, City	# Туре	Wt. CWT or PH
Aaron Dyer, Farwell	8 Hol. bulls	770 lbs. at \$110.00
Caswell Cattle Co., Muleshoe	4 Mxd strs	194 lbs at \$142.50
Caswell Cattle Co., Muleshoe	2 Char strs	450 lbs at \$120.00
M.S. Gresham, Portales, NM	5 Myd bulle	213 lbs. at \$140.00
NA Depek		207 lbs. at \$125.00
NM Ranch		
NM Ranch	9 Mxd. strs	238 lbs. at \$147.50
Lane Colter, Lubbock	8 Mxd. strs	352 lbs. at \$135.00
Bullseye Cattle, Sudan	7 Mxd. strs	374 lbs. at \$132.00
Bullseve Cattle, Sudan	21 Mxd. strs	470 lbs. at \$117.00
Alan Belcher, Pep, NM	3 Char, bulls	. 413 lbs. at \$110.00
R.D. Jones, Brownfield	5 Blk bulls	442 lbs at \$117.00
Wayne Gleghorn, Lubbock	5 Blk etre	482 lbs at \$118.00
Elogio Costillo, Sudan	2 Pik otro	525 lbs. at \$105.00
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Lexie Fennell, Springlake	10 BIK. DUIIS	555 IDS. at \$100.00
Bill Benham, Muleshoe	3 Mxd. strs	557 lbs. at \$106.50
M.S. Gresham, Portales, NM		264 lbs. at \$129.00
NM Ranch	18 Mxd. hfrs	277 lbs. at \$123.50
NM Ranch		
June Gandy, Bledsoe	3 Mxd. hfrs	310 lbs. at \$122.00
Bullseye Cattle, Sudan	2 Mxd. hfrs	318 lbs. at \$114.00
Caswell Cattle Co., Muleshoe	6 Mxd. hfrs	340 lbs. at \$116.00
Alan Belcher, Pep, NM	5 Mxd. hfrs	. 401 lbs. at \$100.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM	11 Mxd hfrs	432 lbs at \$109.00
Lexie Fennell, Springlake	6 Blk hfrs	453 lbs at \$107.00
Hubert Tillman, Hale Center	A Char bfre	528 lbs at \$95.00
Bo Chunn, Causey, NM	10 Myd bfro	520 lbs. at \$95.00
Bo Chunn, Causey, NM		556 lbs. at \$90.50
J.C. Gatewood, Muleshoe	8 BIK. nirs	576 IDS. at \$90.00
U-Bar, Inc., Sudan	3 BMF COWS P6 .	
Marcos Lopez, Sudan	Blk. cow P5	\$640.00
Alan Clark, Friona	Char. pair	\$800.00
Alan Clark, Friona	Char. cow P8	\$690.00
Donald Caddell, Levelland	2 Blk. cows P5	\$650.00
Blaine Baxter, Friona	Blk. cow P7	\$630.00
Robert McHamm, Levelland	Blk Limo cow	1570 lbs. at \$56.00
R.D. Jones, Brownfield	Blk cow	1630 lbs at \$55.00
Copeland Limcusin, Anton	Limo cow	1335 lbs at \$55.50
Benny Pena, Muleshoe	DME COW	1325 lbs. at \$53.25
Be Church Courses NIM	Cost cow	1070 lbc at \$50.25
Bo Chunn, Causey, NM		1605 lbs at \$52.75
Dianne Gray, Tokio	- HIVIF COW	1075 lbs. at \$53.00
Don Bandy, Bovina	BANE COM	1075 lbs. at \$53.00
Fox Dairy, LTD., Plainview	Hol. cow	1325 lbs. at \$52.00
Casey O'Conner, Portales, NM	Blk. bull	2060 lbs. at \$64.00
Caswell Cattle Co., Muleshoe	Limo. bull	1725 lbs. at \$62.00
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Mules to rattle Bobcat cage

By DELTON WILHITE Journal sportswriter

The Mules lost their first two district games and are now in a must win situation as they host the Dimmitt Bobcats Friday night in Benny Douglas Stadium. Dimmitt has not won a game all season but they gave Littlefield all they wanted. They only trailed the Wildcats 7-0 at half.

This past week Lubbock Cooper dropped Slaton 44-10 and Littlefield out scored Dimmitt 35-12. The Brownfield Cubs out lasted the Mules 22-15. Cooper and Littlefield lead the district with 2-0 records while Slaton and Brownfield are at 1-1. The Mules and Dimmit have yet to win in conference play.

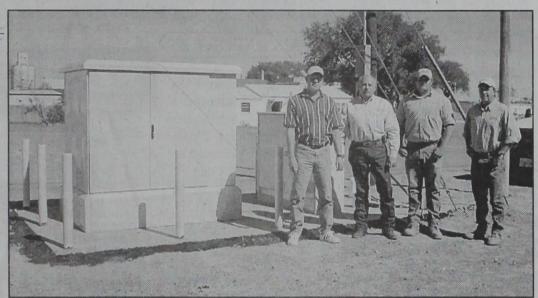
Muleshoe coach David Wood said, "We are not concentrating on Xs and Os this week. We are more concerned about the mental aspects of our game. Following the Dimmitt game last year, we faced having to win out to get in the playoffs."

"We hold our future in our own hands. We have to play a whole game and not just a half. It has not been a lot of fun so far....but wins can change that in a hurry. We have to gain focus as the game goes along and not lose focus at half time."

"We cannot let a surprise upset us and allow doubt to creep in. The team members have to rely on each other and all pull together."

"We have to be ready for anything when Dimmitt comes to town. They have been in the shotgun all season but they had not been under center last year until we played them. They totally changed their defense for Littlefield," added Wood.

"Dimmitt is Dimmitt and they may try anything against us. We just have to be ready to play no matter what they do," concluded Wood.



A digital loop carrier was recently installed near the First Baptist Church. The extension service, which is fed by a fiber optic cable, allows for future enhanced services. This the third one to be installed and should start running the first of November. The carrier will provide state-of-the-art telecommunication services to Five Area customers. The digital loop is part of an ongoing project to upgrade the old G.T.E. plant. The plant was purchased by Five Area Telephone Cooperative in 1995. Pictured are (from left) Mark Washington, plant manager, Sandy Vandevender, general manager, Stephen Woodard, construction worker, and Jackie Ethridge, construction supervisor.

Junior class to host turkey dinner

Muleshoe High School Junior Class will host a turkey dinner Friday, November 7, 2003 at the high school cafeteria from 5-7 p.m.

Cost for adults is \$6 and

\$4 for children 12 and under. The menu includes turkey, dressing, gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, rolls, pumpkin cake, tea and coffee.

Deliveries will be made from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. by calling 272-7306.

Contact any junior student or class sponsor to buy tickets in advance or pay at the door.



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Athletic Booster Players of the Week







Nuñez





Reyes

Castorena

Shelburne Marricle

the game; Bryan King, Slobberknocker. Selected for the Brownfield game were Miguel Castorena, offensive player; Josh Shelburne, defensive player; Ryan Marricle, special team player, player of the game, and Slobberknocker. Thursday's games in Benny Douglas Stadium are 7th Mules vs Dimmitt at 4:30, 8th Mules vs Dimmitt at 6:00 and Freshman Mules vs Lubbock Christian JV at 7:30.

ONOR ROLL

DESHAZO ELEMENTARY

First Six Weeks "A" Honor Roll

Third Grade — Alexia Acosta, Leandra Briseño, Morgan Burris, Brenda Ceballos, B'Anca DeLeon, Adrian Estrada, David Flores, Christina Garza, Zedrek Herrera, Ryan Johnson, Jessica Kube, Michelle Lira, Stefani Lopez, Daniela Mendoza, Carlos Nuñez, Priya Patel, Samantha Ramirez, Frank Recio, Sam Sirkel, Sheridan White and Sarah Whitworth.

Fourth Grade — Douglas Bartholf, Merced Campos-DelRio, Mateo Castillo, Adrienne Fulton, Jodee Hall, Keiry Nava, Belinda Pacheco and Ashley Thomas. Fifth Grade — Havier Bara, Mindy Hamilton, Bretney Hanks, Natalie Head, Bradley Lennon, Cassidy Lowe, Sergio Montejano, Jose Orozco, Maxine Pulido, Cinthya Ronquillo, Vivian Ronquillo-Salazar, Alvaro Sanchez, Rosa Soto, Cassi Stegall, Justin Strawn, Tyson Turnbow, Cooper Washington, Jenna Whitworth and Matthew Wiseman.

Myers, Isaque Olivarez, Claudia Orozco, Jesus Quezada, Mari Quintana, Jacundo Ramos, Yanira Regalado, Aaron Reyes, Marcos Reyes, Alexis Rodriguez, Yesenia Ronquillo, Joshua Schwope, Amanda Scolley, Colton Stegall, Camilo Torres, Isaiah Torres, Jesus Torres, Alex Vidaña, Alondra Villarreal, Elisa Wiseman, Caleb Wood, Erika Zaragoza and Antonio Zubia.

Fourth Grade — Andrea Alfaro, Isabella Alfaro, Angel Alvarez, Matthew Ambriz, Issac Baca, Baylee Bessire, Robert Brewster, Yvette Bustillos, Tyler Cain, Marielena Campos, Devon Cantrell, Ashley Carlisle,

Sofia Ouezada, Marissa Ramirez, Marissa Roman, Norma Ronquillo-Salazar, Katie Scott, Gilberto Simental, Catie Sowder and Stephanie Vasquez-Posadas.

Fifth Grade - Cecilia Aguilar, Lorena Armijo, Erick Avila, Ariel Castorena, Roberto Corral, Britney Crandell, Court Crawford, Sylvester Daniel, Steven Durben, Vanessa Fragosa, Yvonne Gardea, Alejandra Gomez, Tyler Gregory, Amy Howard, Sterling Lepard, Brooke Lennon, Benny Martinez, Matthew Martinez, Lindsay Meeves, Ivone Mendoza, Priscilla Mendoza, Sandy Mojica, Alejandra Montejano, Megan Mumau, Valeria Olivas, Devnie Orozco, Clay Peña, Ramon Peña, Jonathan Perez, Joshua Quiroz, Amanda Rainey, Joel Ramirez, Gladis Ramos, Lupita Regalado, Alexis Reid, Erika Rodriquez, Jessica Sanchez, Skyler Shiplett-Smith, Joshua Stanford, Zachary Toscano, Estella Vallejo and Maria Zaragoza.

OUNTY COURT NEWS

October 21, 2003

Michael Davila, charged with theft by check. Case continued until October 28.

Mario Estevan Diaz, Jr. who is charged with driving while intoxicated second offense and enhanced, requested a court appointed lawyer.

Jose Sotero Holguin, charged with driving while intoxicated, continued case until December 2.

David Orland Swick pled guilty to driving while intoxicated and was fined \$390 plus

Bailey County ninth in dairy production

"Celebrate the Lord of the Harvest"

Harvestfest 2003

Bailey County has moved back into the top ten dairy producing counties in Texas. According to the Texas Dairy Review, Bailey County in August produced 12,016,563 pounds of milk putting the county in ninth place in dairy producing counties in Texas for the month.

Parmer was in eighth place with 13,424,687 pounds and Lamb was in fourth with 27,986,213 pounds.

Come One, Come All To A

Carnival Filled With Fun, Games,

\$186 in costs and sentenced to 30 days to serve.

Sergio Alvarado Morales pled guilty to DWI. He was sentenced to 90 days to serve and fined \$650 plus \$201 in costs.

Norma Cuellar Villa is charged with false information on driver's license and ID card. Kathryn Gurley was appointed as attorney.

Mario Estevan Diaz, Jr. is charged with motion to revoke probation. Kathryn Gurley was appointed as his lawyer.

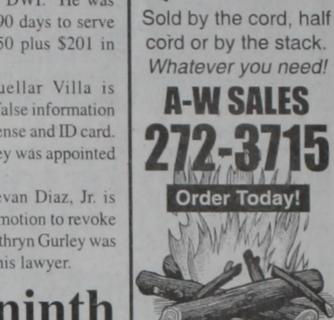
The are two (maybe

three) more dairies expected to begin production in 2004.

MS REPORT

The Bailey County EMS responded to 40 emergencies and 37 transfers in the month of August according to EMS's monthly report submitted to the Commissioners Court.

Total billings for the month of August were \$45,811.65. The average bill per call was \$538.96. The month's collections were \$6,023.19.

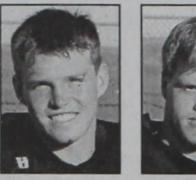




Firewood

For Sale

OAK & MESQUITE



King

Black Selected by the Muleshoe Ath-

letic Boosters for their outstanding performance in the Littlefield game were Canaan Heinrich, offensive player; Juan Nuñez, defensive player; Juan Reyes, special team player; Brady Black, player of

"A/B" Honor Roll

Third Grade — Priscilla Arzola, Shawn Atwood, Dannya Avila, Jr. Baca, Selena Barraz, Christopher Cage, Lupe Campos, Jamada Cantu, Brandy Castorena, Cruz Castorena, Skylar Davidson, Nancy Delgado, Osmar Diaz, Tiffany Eagle, Jessica Elizarraraz, Felipe Espinoza, Brandy Facundo, Randy Facundo, Hailee Gonzales, Simone Gonzales, Salvador Gonzalez, Jose Gutierrez, Logan Harrison, Shelbi Harrison, Marissa Hernandez, Stephanie Infante, Brandon Jaime, Jaxiel Lopez, Laura Loya, George Martinez, Ray Martinez, Stephaine Martinez, Francy Montes, Veronica Morales, Garrison

Library recipient of grant

The Muleshoe Area Public Library was the recipient of the Libri Foundation Grant. The Libri Foundation is a nationwide nonprofit organization that donates new, quality, hardcover children's books to small, rural public libraries. Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc. and Friends of the Library provided the money needed by the library to receive this grant. The Foundation matches the money given to the library for this cause on a two-to-one ratio.

Hunter Carter, Dominique Chavez, Sabrina Chavez, Hector Flores, Michael Freeman, Adelaido Godinez, Gilbert Gomez, Robbie Gregory, Weston Grisworld, Max Guerrero, Louis Guzman, Trevor Hill, Alyssa Leal, Brianna Long, Leslie Macias, Ariana Martinez, Lourdes Martinez, Dominique Mata, Aldo Mendoza, Ricky Morin,

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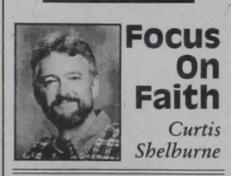
Saturday, October 25th

I'm Glad That Our Judge **Is Also Our Savior**

I've been out of town, so you get a re-run this week, but this column first ran in October a few years ago and I won't be surprised if it's this column is true this year, too!

Autumn is here. The calendar says so. The temperatures say so. And I know because at our house we are fighting our annual battle with mice.

Yes, we have a mouse. Or, well, to be strictly accurate, he



has us. I know this from previous experience. I know that our lives will not be worth living until this little rodent is history.

I myself could probably have lived with him a little while. I give him the benefit of the doubt. He lives in a parsonage. He is probably, therefore, a church mouse and very likely possesses high principles and a sound character. If he had just asked, I could have told him that we'd be okay if he'd keep his nibbles inconspicuous, his holes small, and his hygiene impeccable. He could have lived long in our home and prospered. But not now. A few days ago, my wife began seeing "mouse signs." Brow furrowed, nostrils flaring, murder in her green and glaring eyes, she began to make preparations for a holy war.

than mice, but protest was futile). Then this morning, she banged the light on and pierced my unconsciousness screaming that the vile, vicious, pestilencespreading rodent had just cleaned the traps and sped, right under her gaze, to safety behind the dishwasher. Under the covers, I mut-

tered, "I am incensed." She glared at me. I didn't see it, but I could feel it.

I had been worrying a bit lately about concerns common to forty year olds. Pretty mundane stuff like how we're going to pay for college, replace an aging vehicle, achieve personal and work-related goals, etc. And I'd worried about worrying, since Christians are not supposed to be given to anxiety. This mouse, I suppose, has blessed me. I promise you, until he is dead, no one in our house will be able to worry about anything else.

This mouse is good, I'll give him that. Unlike his clumsy kinsman who perished in our kitchen floor, caught in the jaws of a vicious trap set by my usually kind wife, this surviving rodent licks peanut butter (no kidding, it works better than cheese) right off the hinges of traps, wipes his lips, and burps contentedly as he slips away. This mouse is good.

He's also dead, of course. He

She dispatched one rodent two nights ago. Last night she tiled the kitchen floor with traps (worrying me more about broken toes and consequent medical bills

doesn't know it yet, but he's a dead mouse walking. He should give himself up. Throw himself on the mercy of the court. Not that he would get any. Not from the judge he'll face. And I'm not her.

I'm glad that your Judge and mine is full of mercy. I'm glad that our Judge is also our Savior.

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

6:30-8:00 pm Merket Alumni Center University Ave. & 17th Street Lubbock, Texas

Shower honors couple



Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Cervantez

A wedding shower and dinner was given by Rick and Aliesa White honoring Ruben and Stella Cervantez from Idalou. Family and friends gathered at the Civic Center meeting room on October 5, 2003.

Special guests were Joe and Anna Gutierrez, brother-in-law and sister of the bride; and Ramona Lopez, the bride's aunt. Hostesses were Kit Diaz, Dora Triana, Anita Flores, Lori Flores, Valentina Costilla,

Sonia Flores, Maria Flores, Melissa Flores, Rachel Lopez, Roseann Gloria, Maria Alfaro, Linda Flores, Jo Ann Albright, Ninfa Castorena, Laura Leal, Irma Leal, Amelia Gonzales, Tina Clark and Eufemia Torres.

The hostess' gifts were a Kenmore vacuum, pots, pans, glassware and Hocking dishes. Special recognition was given to Anita Flores, Kit Diaz, Sylvia Diaz and Dora Triana for donating and preparing the dinner.

JV Mules preserve winning streak

By DELTON WILHITE Journal sportswriter

The JV Mules extended their winning streak to seven by dumping their counterpart from Brownfield 33-8. The win moves the Mules to a 7-0 season and 2-0 in district.

Against the Cubs of Brownfield, the Mules rushed for 331 yards and Logan Caddell completed fiveof-nine passes for another 119. The 450-yard total is the best offensive night of the year for the Mules.

Jarad Flores got the call 20times and rushed for 241 yards and three TDs. Ely Villa had two receptions for 75 yards and Garrett Behrends added 20 yards with one catch.

Erwin Lewis, an inside line backer, had six solo tackles; one special team tackle, caused a fumble and intercepted a pass for the Mule defense. Myles James, had four solo tackles, one assist, a fumble recovery and an interception.

James' fumble recovery came early in the first period to give the Mules possession at mid-field. Flores got the call and raced off tackle for 50 yards to give the Mules a 6-0 lead with 8:12 remaining in the first period. On the ensuing kick, the

Mules tried an on-side kick. A Cub scooped up the ball and raced 50 yards for a TD that briefly gave Brownfield an 8-6 advantage.

The Cubs drove from their 34 to the Mules' 41. Pedro Bustillos broke through to put pressure on the Cub passer and allow Cody Clark to plow him under for a oneyard loss. The play by Bustillos and Clark forced the Cubs to give up the ball on downs.

The Mules marched from their 40 to the Cub 39. Caddell connected with Ely Villa running a fly pattern for a 34-yard gain. Caleb Heinrich started off tackle and broke outside for the final five yards and a TD. Heinrich also scored the twopoint conversion to put the Mules on top to stay.

Lewis' interception came with eight minutes left in the first half. Facing fourth and 11 on the Cub 34, Caddell rolled out and delivered a strike as he was hit. Behrends went high in the air to pull in the ball to give the Mules a first down on the Cub 16.

Flores plunged in for the final four yards to give the

Mules a 20-8 lead at intermission. Neither team could score in the third period but early in the final frame Caddell found Villa open for a 10-yard toss. Villa caught the ball on the Cub 10 and sprinted into the end zone.

The Mules' final score came on a 90-yard dash by Flores and he added the PAT. kick. The Mules will have no game this week because Dimmitt does not have a team. The Mules return to action when they host the Lubbock Cooper Pirates in two weeks.



Help! The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce needs your HELP! If you are impressed by the excellent service of someone,

or there is a business that you feel has "gone beyond the call of duty," write them down, cut out this form and drop it in the mailbox, addressed to the Chamber, P.O. Box 356. Or you can drop it by the Chamber office between the hours of 10:00 a.m. & 4:00 p.m., Mon.-Fri., at 115 E. American Blvd. The "employee" selection can be different than the "business" selection.

Employee of the Month Business of the Month

Freshman Mules down Cubs By DELTON WILHITE the Mules on top 14-6 at inloss. Journal sportswriter The Mules strung together termission.

The Freshman Mules caged the Brownfield Cubs 30-6 to keep their district record spotless through two games. The Mules seem to be slow starters and it only took the Cubs five plays to jump in front of the Mules 6-0.

The Cubs threatened to score again near the end of the first period. D.J. Robertson chased down a breakaway Cub on the Mule three-yard line to save a TD. The Cubs picked up a yard on first down before Robert Garza and Chance Garrett held them for no gain on second down.

Following an incomplete pass on third down, the Brownfield quarterback rolled right on an option play only needing two yards for a touchdown. Eric Washington raced from his inside linebacker position to drop the quarterback for a three-yard

an 11-play, 95-yard drive to tie the game at 6-6 with just over six minutes left in the first half. Tony Guzman and Robertson provided most of the punch on the ground. Robertson hooked up with Dustin Barker for an 11-yard toss to keep the Cubs off balance. Washington picked up the final 22 yards on a quick hitter up the middle.

The Mule defense stalled a Cub drive with Matthew Richards and T.J. Brantley crashing in to set the Cubs back four yards. Guzman blitzed on two passing downs to sack the quarterback for losses of 10 and nine yards. The Mules took over on downs on the Brownfield 49. Robertson found Barker open over the middle for a seven-yard catch. Barker outraced the Cubs to paydirt and Guzman carried in the two-point conversion to put

The Cubs' opening drive of the second half ran out of gas on the Mule five. Guzman took a pitch from Robertson around the end and broke three tackles as he • raced 95 yards for a touchdown. Guzman added the two-point conversion.

The Mules' final tally came after forcing the Cubs to give up the ball on downs on the Mule 40. The Mules faked a punt and Robertson found Barker open for a 35yard gain to keep the Mule drive alive.

Washington blasted up the middle for the final 20 yards and Timothy Conner carried in the two-point conversion to end all scoring.

The Mules will have a rematch with Lubbock Christian High School's junior varsity team following the Muleshoe Junior High games Thursday night.





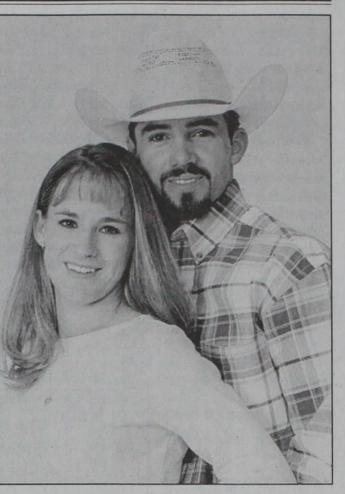
NGAGEMENT

Gary and Dayna Hoadley of Clovis and Rocky and Karla Brakebill of Portales announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Desirae Brakebill of Lubbock, to Deon Gallman of Lazbuddie, son of Robert and Ellen Gallman also of Lazbuddie.

The couple will exchange vows January 10, 2004 at Lazbuddie Methodist Church. A reception will follow.

The bride-elect is a 2000 graduate of Lazbuddie High School. She is a student at Texas Tech University and will graduate in May 2004. The prospective groom is a 1998 graduate of Lazbuddie High School. He is self-employed as a rancher in Lazbuddie and is a 2002 graduate of Texas Tech.

The ceremony and reception are open to friends and relatives. Invitations will be sent.



BRAKEBILL-GALLMAN

Brownie Girl Scouts to hold six fall events

The Brownie Girl Scouts of Caprock Council will hold several events this fall. The events include No Bake Cooking, Nov. 1-8; Photo Fun I, Nov. 15 and 22; and Earth is our Home, Nov. 22.

No-Bake cooking will be held at Art and Doodles on Nov. 1 and 8 from 2-4 p.m. Brownies will attend a class for creative no baking fun, learn to set a table and put together a no bake cookbook. The registration deadline for this event is Oct. 23.

November 15 and 22, Art and Doodles will hold Photo Fun I from 2-3:30 p.m. Brownies will learn all about the art of photography and put together their own photo book. The registration deadline for Brownies is Oct. 30.

Earth is Our Home will

be held on Nov. 22 at the Lubbock Science Spectrum in two sessions. One session will be from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and another from 2-4 p.m. Brownies will learn how to make Earth a better place to live. The registration deadline for this event is Nov. 6.

For rates and other information on the fall Brownie events please contact Tina Mann at 806-745-2855

CCC host Halloween treats for children

Clovis Community College will be giving treats on campus October 30 for children 12 and under from 5 to 7 p.m. Free trick or treat bags and maps indicating which offices to visit will be available at the Information Desk. For more information, please call 769-4747.

Annual dinner slated

St. Ann's Catholic Church of Bovina is sponsoring their annual Turkey Dinner, Sun., Nov. 2, 2003. Serving time is 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Texas time) in the parish hall on Third Street. The menu includes turkey and dressing, creamed potatoes and gravy, gree beans, cranberry sauce, rel ish plate, homemade breac desserts, tea and cofee Donations will be \$7 fc adults and \$3 for childre under 6. Takeout plates wi be available at no addi tional charge.

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Deadline is 5 p.m. Mondays

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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2004 ELECTION AND **REFERENDUM:**

Voting Region Two Texas Corn Producers Board (TCPB) will be conducting a referendum on the Commodity assessment of corn Referendum Law, Eligible voters will 41, Subchapter A, decide if an Section 41.032. assessment of \$.037 perton of silage, which is produced and sold in Texas, would be collected and submitted to the Texas Corn Producers Board. (This is based on \$.005 Callahan, Childress, per bushel dry corn Clay, kernels with the factor Collingsworth, Cottle,

counties statewide. or This referendum does nomination to serve as 41.011 and Section located in the drainage not alter the assessment currently in place for dry corn kernels in Texas. Both proceedings are held pursuant to the Texas and ten other eligible

In reference to the 2004 election, Voting Region Two consists of Andrews, Archer, Armstrong, Bailey, Baylor, Borden, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, for corn silage being Crosby, Dawson, Deaf Dickens, 19, 2003. Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Hardeman, Service Agency when Howard, Jack, Jones, on the assessment of been proven on a Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, from all five regions are Martin, According to the Motley, Nolan, Palo referendum of corn Referendum Law, Randall, Scurry, held statewide by mail Texas Agriculture Shackelford, ballot. As for the Code, Title 3, Chapter Stephens, Stonewall, election, 41, Subchapter A, Swisher, Taylor, Terry, containing Section 41.034, a Throckmorton, nominations of all person is eligible to Wichita, Wilbarger, persons who have vote in the referendum Yoakum, and Young validly filed petitions if he or she is or, for at counties; and there are under Section 41.025 least one production Three Seats open for of the above state code period preceding the election of TCPB board will be available A person is eligible at grain elevators in whose production to vote in the board each of the appropriate to be The purpose of our This includes owners or TCPB board members required to pay the her vote and a voter current assessment. For a must meet members' seats have producer to vote in this definition set forth approximately 0.5 expired. There are a voting region and for above as a qualified total of fifteen TCPB this TCPB seat, such voter. Voters may also Road 1028, which is voting board members. producer must reside vote These elections will be within the counties members by "writing in" Any eligible voter- eligible persons.

Nomination applications must be submitted to the TCPB voters.

Nomination forms silage during the 2004 Texas Agricultural will be available in all Biennial Election. Code, Title 3, Chapter 58 counties where elections are to be held or can be obtained by writing TCPB, 4205 North I-27, Lubbock, Texas 79403. Please state your county of residence if you request a nomination form in writing. Nomination forms will be available November 4, 2003 and must be

a director on the TCPB. 41.012 of the Texas Commodity Referendum Law to conduct this election signed by the applicant and has obtained all approvals determinations required by law from the Commissioner of

> Agriculture, Texas Department Agriculture. Published in the Muleshoe Journal October 16 & 23, 2003. NOTICE OF

CONCENTRATED ANIMAL FEEDING OPERATION APPLICATION **TPDES Registration**

filed with the TCPB no No. WQ0004343-000 operate. APPLICATION. JAMES LEONARD COMMENT. Written public comments may CRAWFORD, JR., 1040 County Road be submitted to the Office of Chief Clerk, 1028, Muleshoe, at the address provided the Texas 79347 has used by the Farm Haskell, Hockley, referendum question applied to the Texas in the information section below, within Commission On 30 days of the date of **Environmental Quality** newspaper publication (TCEQ) for of this notice. The amendment of TPDES **Executive Director will** Registration No. consider all relevant WQ0004343-000 to information pertaining authorize the applicant to whether the to operate a dairy cattle applicant meets the facility at a maximum requirements for the capacity of 5,000 total registration and will head, of which 4,800 issue a written are milking, in Bailey determination as to any County, Texas. No final action on the increase in head count applicationfor is proposed in this registration and a The amendment. response to all this purpose of comments. amendment INFORMATION application is to re-Written public notice adjacent comments should be landowners. The submitted to the Office application was of Chief Clerk, MC 105, received by TCEQ on TCEQ, P.O. Box August 27, 2003. No 13087, Austin, TX discharge of pollutants 78711-3087. For into the waters in the additional information, state is authorized by about the application this registration except or the procedure for under chronic or public participation in catastrophic rainfall the registration conditions. All waste process, individual and wastewater will be beneficially used on general public may agricultural land. contact the Office of The proposed Public Assistance at 1facility will be located 800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ miles south of County can be found at our web site at www.tceq.state.tx.us. miles west of the Issued: October 10, intersection of US 2003. Highway 84 and Published in the Corn County Road 1028, in Muleshoe Journal silage will be held in all above may place his Producers Board is Bailey County, Texas. October 23, 2003.

her name in certified under Section The facility will be area of the Double Mountain Fork Brazos River in Segment No. 1241 of the Brazos **River Basin** The application is

by the public during normal business hours at the Muleshoe City Hall, 215 South 1st Street, Muleshoe, Texas.

The Executive Director of the TCEQ has prepared a draft registration which, if approved. would establish the parameters and limitations within which the facility must

THE STATE OF petition, a default County, Texas. TEXAS: Cause No. 7850

Call 272-4536

IN THE 287th DISTRICT COURT OF BAILEY COUNTY, TEXAS

available for inspection OF THE MARRIAGE of May 2003 in the OF DENICE COLDIRON AND RYAN WAYNE COLDIRON AND IN THE INTEREST OF THOMAS KABEL Divorce COLDIRON, A CHILD

> TO: RYAN WAYNE COLDIRON shown by the Petition Respondent: on file in this suit. GREETING

NOTICE RESPONDENT: "You enter any judgement or have been sued. You decree, including but may employ an notlimited to dissolving attorney. If you or your the marriage, providing Court.

judgement may be The court has taken against you." authority in this suit to The petition of render an order in the DENICE COLDIRON child's/children' petitioner, was filed in interest that will be binding

the above entitled IN THE MATTER cause on the 27th day including the term of the 287th District Court of Relationship, the tern Bailey County, Texas. of paternity, and the A brief statement of appointment of the nature of this suit is _conservator as follows, to-wit authority to consent to the child's/children' and Conservatorship of adoption.

Child as is more fully under my hand and The court has Muleshoe Texas thi

TO authority in this suit to the 16th day of Octobe

2003. Signed by Elaine Parker, Clerk of th

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equal to 7.94 bushels Smith, of dry corn kernels per Donley, Eastland, ton of silage. This amount is based on Gaines, Garza, Hale, factors that can be Hall production has not Kent, King, Knox, farm.)

Texas Commodity Pinto, date of the referendum, members in Voting has been a producer Region Two. of the commodity occurs within the area election if he or she is, described in the or for at least one petition. This includes production period owners of farms and during the three years their tenants or preceding the date of sharecroppers, in the board election has which, this person been a producer of, or would be required caused under the referendum produced, corn for to pay the assessment. commercial purposes.

2004 biennial election, of farms and their which concentrates on tenants three of its five regions, sharecroppers, if the is to elect five new person would be whose conducted in 58 Texas stated above. counties while the referendum on corn producer as defined

Texas

later than December

The election in three voting regions will be held by mail ballot along with corn silage. Producers Mitchell, eligible to vote on this Parmer, silage, which will be ballots the December 31, 2003. Ballots will be available voting regions, county agent offices in each of the 58 counties where elections are to occur, or by writing TCPB at the address stated above. For a ballot to be counted, such ballot must be postmarked no later than January 12, 2004. A voter must reside within a county contained within the voting region that the voter is casting his or

the on County Road 103 board approximately 3.5 the name of any

attorney do not file a for the division of written answer with the property, which will be clerk who issued this binding on you. citation by 10:00 am on the Monday next of birth of the child/ following the expiration children who is/are the of 20 days after the subject of the suit is/ date you were served are: June 17, 2000 in this citation and Littlefield,

The date and place

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CITATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: JOHNATHAN ZAPATA

You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or you attorney do not file an answer with the clerk who issued this citatio by 10:00 A.M. on the Monday next following the expiration of twent days after you were served this citation and petition, a defau judgement may be taken against you.

The accompanying petition was filed on the 15th day of Octobe 2003, in the indicated court of BAILEY county, Texas. You are directed to file a written answer to the petition on or before 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of twenty days after you were served with this citation and accompanying petition.

The suit is an action to establish paternity of and to enter appropriat orders for the conservatorship and support of the following children subject of the suit:

Name	Sex	DOB	SSN	Birthplace
CARLOS MARTINEZ	М	4/2/97	638-56-4618	CLOVIS, NN
LISA MARIE MARTINEZ	F	6/9/98	637-62-1561	CLOVIS,NN
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The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decrein the children's interest, which will be binding on you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternit and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the children's adoption. No property is involved in the suit.

The suit is entitled: CAUSE NUMBER 7889 members of the IN THE INTEREST OF CARLOS MARTINEZ LISA MARIE MARTINEZ MINOR CHILDREN

Other parties to the action:

THE STATE OF TEXAS AGUSTIN MARTINEZ SR ELIZABETH VALLE

OF

BAILEY COUNTY, TEXAS

IN THE 287TH DISTRICT COURT

ISSUED under my hand and seal of court this 15th day of October, 2003 Elaine Parker, District Clerk

BAILEY County, Texas

Signed by Paula Benton, Deputy.

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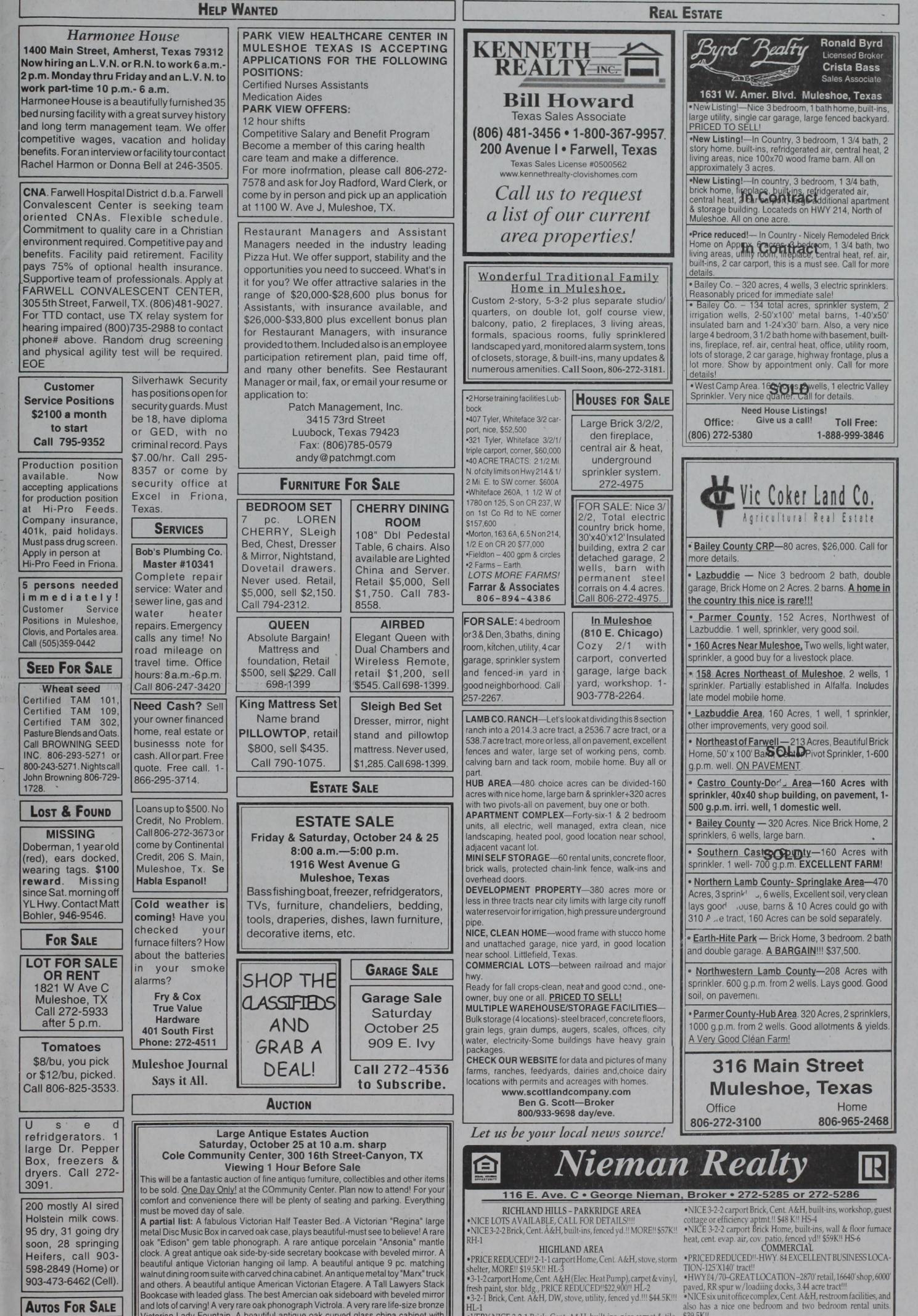
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Harmonee House 1400 Main Street, Amherst, Texas 79312 Now hiring an L.V.N. or R.N. to work 6 a.m 2 p.m. Monday thru Friday and an L.V. N. to work part-time 10 p.m 6 a.m. Harmonee House is a beautifully furnished 35 bed nursing facility with a great survey history and long term management team. We offer competitive wages, vacation and holiday benefits. For an interview or facility tour contact Rachel Harmon or Donna Bell at 246-3505.		POSITIONS: Certified Nurses Assis Medication Aides PARK VIEW OFFER 12 hour shifts Competitive Salary an Become a member of care team and make For more inofrmation
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	with proper I.D.	•3-2 Home, corner lot, fl. furn. heat, fenced yd. \$25K! HS-10	2100' office area, 16,900' commercial bldg. w /loading dock, 3,400'
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ACT test registration DISTRICT COURT NEWS deadline approaching

school students who want to take the ACT test for college admission have two chances to register before the December 13 national test date. The postmark registration deadline is Friday, November 7. There is also a late registratin postmark deadline on November 20 (an additoinal fee is required for late registration). Students can get information from their high school counselor or register online at www.act.org.

ACT scores are considered by colleges for admissions and course placement,

College-bound high along with several other important factors including high school GPA, college prep courses taken in high school, extracurricular activities, personal background and other information. The test fee is \$26.

> To learn more about the ACT Assessment, including registration forms and test locations, contact your high school counselor or go to the ACT website (www.act.org), which also offers helpful information including test-prep advice, sample tests and a free financial aid needs calculator.

Amado Rivera Flores pled guilty to driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense. He was sentenced to 10 days in jail and ordered to enter a rehab center. Flores was also fined \$450 plus \$331.88 in court costs.

Florence Fay Reyes pled guilty to forgery. She was fined \$750 plus \$798 in costs.

Jose Luis Linares pled guilty to a charge of criminal mischief. He was fined \$750 plus \$535.50

CENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

The Senior Citizens are looking forward to another fourth Friday Pot Luck Lunch this Friday at noon. Tables of food and entertainment are planned. Seventy-nine were in attendance last month and all are hoping for a greater attendance this month. All seniors, 60 and over, are invited to attend the luncheon.

The center offers many games, including "42" dominoes, card games and bridge. Those who do handwork sewing can start a sewing circle while visiting.

Kitchen equipment is being purchased, but it will be awhile before needed renovations can be made to enable use of the kitchen.

A big garage sale will be

held at the Oneita Wagnon Senior Center on Fri., Oct. 31 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sat., Nov. 1 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Donated items will be accepted and asked to be brought to the center on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. A tamale sale is planned

in costs. Linares is required to

Jose Luis Linares pled guilty

to a charge of burglary of a

building. He was fined \$750

plus \$623 in costs. Linares must

to a charge of deadly contact,

reduced from endangering a

child. He was fined \$500 plus

\$249 in costs and sentenced to

120 days in jail.

Adrian Cardenas pled guilty

make restitution of \$49.50.

make \$2,560 in restitution.

for November as a fundraiser.

Fund-raisers help provide for purchase of equipment, renovations, insurance and other needs of the Center. The wish list includes exercise equipment and pool tables.

The Center appreciates the community's support. With everyone's help, the senior citizens are making it happen.

Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery would like to say тнаик уои to everyone who has sent a memorial or donation. Your continued support thoughout the year is always needed.

The Family of Vince Simnacher wishes to express our sincere appreciation to each of you for your kind expressions of sympathy. The support of our friends and family in the community has been tremendous. Your telephone calls, cards, visits, flowers and food have been a source of strength and comfort. We thank you for everything you have done for us.

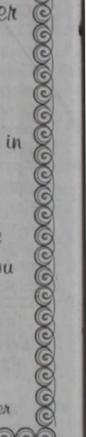
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The Mobile Dairy Classroom traveled to Muleshoe's Dillman Elementary School earlier in the month. Instructor Mike Reeves of the Southwest Dairy Center gave an oral presentation along with a milking demonstration to all the students.





Courtesy photo: Channel 6

Jeff Coffman of Texas Workforce Commission was chosen as the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce's Employee of the Month for September.



Muleshoe Area Hospital District staff displays a check received earlier in the month for new telemetry units. The Capital Improvement Loan, given by the Office of Rural Community Affairs, totaled \$40,454 in funds. Pictured are (from left) Jim Bone, hospital administrative director; Margaret Heathington, DON; Sharon Novak, chief financial officer; and Bruce Purdy, chief of medical staff.

DUBLIC RECORD

MULESHOE POLICE

October 1 Maria Anita Estrada, 45, theft by check.

October 4

Mario Estevan Diaz, 22, driving while license suspended and DWI (second offense).

October 6

Fernando Sigala Romero, 17, burglary of a building and criminal mischief.

George William Isaksen, 68,

October 15 Lowell LaShaun Powell, 26, DWI.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE October 3

Rogelio Perez, Jr., 27, failure to appear warrant. October 9 Marcos Reyes, 27, assault, family violence.

Misty Dawn Daniel, 21, theft by check (not jailed). STATE POLICE

October 4

There are plenty of reasons to buy a new Ford. But you only need to remember



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DWI.

October 8 Michael Thomas Vaughn, 23, driving while license suspended.

October 13 Jose Gomez, 29, public intoxication.

Faudoa Dabino H. Soltero, 29, public intoxication. Luis E. Morales, 19, public intoxication.

Martisha Ann Trester, 40, theft by check. **October 8** Adel Mohmmad Murad, 24, possession of marijuana under two ounces. October 9 Torruco Marcos Gamas, 27. no driver's license. October 11 Larry Brent Kitchens, 52, capital murder.



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NOT ALL BUYERS WILL QUALIFY FOR LOWEST APR FINANCING. For cash back or APR, take new retail delivery from dealer stock by 12/1/03. See dealer for residency restrictions and complete details. *0.0% APR financing for up to 60 months at \$16.67 per month, per \$1,000 financed with 10% down. **0.0% APR financing for up to 72 months at \$13.88 per month, per \$1,000 financed with 10% down. \$500 FMCC Bonus Cash available on Explorer 4-Door and F-150 Light Duty only. Excludes Explorer Sport Trac, Mustang SVT, F-150 Lightning, Supercrew and Harley-Davidson™ models. Based on CYTD R.L. Polk registrations. Based on calendar year sales through July 2003.