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Lawyers still posturing in Lopez lawsuit

By RICK WHITE Managing Editor

Although former Muleshoe Police officer Chris Lopez is seeking an unspecified amount in his whistleblower suit against the City of Muleshoe, his attorney hinted Wednesday about the settlement price.

Randall Pyles of the Plainview law firm of Burgess & Pyles said a recent case in which a Travis County jury awarded a former Lubbock County jailer \$2.7 million in a whistleblower suit that has striking similarities to Lopez' case.

"I'm not saying that is what I'll ask for, or that's what I think I'll get," Pyles said. "But there's a lot of similarity there."

In her suit against Lubbock County, a former jailer claimed she was fired because she complained about having to use hazardous cleaning chemicals without the proper protection, not as a result of disciplinary action, as county officials claimed

Lopez was fired in April of 1995, four days after pulling over then City Manager Dave Marr, Jr. during a routine traffic stop. Lopez contends he was actually fired for making numerous allegations against Police Chief Julian Dominguez.

Lopez is seeking actual and compensatory damages, including mental anguish and public humiliation. He claims

"West Texas juries are notorious for being tight-fisted. Austin juries are not."

- Randall Pyles attorney for Chriz Lopez

reinstatement is not feasible.

Dominguez and Marr no longer work for the city.

Dominguez resigned in November of 1995 amid allegations of domestic violence involving his wife, who he has since divorced. He works as an investigator for local district attorney's office.

Marr resigned in June after 22 years. He now lives on a farm in east Texas.

Marr's resignation was portrayed as amicably. But he had several run ins with new city councilors before his sudden resignation.

Lopez, 27, worked for the city for almost two years before being fired. It was his second stint with the city. Lopez also worked as a city police officer from 1989-91.

He's now working his second stint with the Abernathy PD. He has also worked as an officer for the town of Earth, and for the Lamb County

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Witches' brew

Three witches contemplate the kings future in Muleshoe High School theatre department's production of "Macbeth". Engaged in a scene of witchcraft are (from left) Amber Bruns, Megan Harlan and Brandi Whitt.

Characters in 'Macbeth' haunted by greed

By SAMUEL VILLARREAL Journal staff writer

A man of greed, power, and ambition is trying to take over the country. This isn't the latest action flick at the movies, but Shakespeare.

The Muleshoe High School Theatre Department will present William Shakespeare's "Macbeth" as the 37th annual fall play. Performances are Oct. 28 and 31 at 7:30 p.m. in the MHS auditorium. Admission is \$2.

The play, written some time around 1606, centers on the Scottish nobleman Macbeth, played by senior Carlos Rojas, who conspires with his wife, Lady Macbeth, to become king of Scotland during the middle ages. His rise to power is driven by the superstitious prophecy

of three witches, performed by Megan Harlan, Amber Bruns, and Brandi Whit, as well as the ambitious drive of Lady Macbeth, played by senior Cari Faver.

"The play tells the tale of a person who is tempted, and how the evilness of a man comes through when he is tempted," said Dr. Kerry Moore, director, and theatre and speech teacher at MHS

In is quest for power, Macbeth murders Duncan, King of Scotland (Adam Graves) to gain his grasp on power. Lady Macbeth wipes the blood of the murder weapons on Duncan's servants to draw the guilt away from Macbeth. Prince Donalbain (Nathan Keller) and Prince Malcolm (Adrian King) flee for fear of their lives. Suspicion of the mur-

ders falls on them in their absence, and Macbeth is crowned king.

In order to keep his reign of power, Macbeth orders the murder of Banquo (Scotty Mills) who the witches predict will be the "father of kings", to keep all possible threats to his power away. Banquo is killed, however, his son escapes.

In the meantime, both Macbeth and Lady Macbeth are tormented by the guilt of their actions. Lady Macbeth fears that she will never remove the stains of blood from her body and confesses to the murders while sleepwalking. In the meantime, Macbeth is tormented by the ghost of Banquo and Duncan.

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MAMC conducting community survey

The Muleshoe Area Medical Center will be conducting a community needs medical survey by phone within the next couple of weeks.

Bailey County residents selected at random will be asked to answer 15 short questions in an attempt to determine if the county's medical needs are being met.

The survey will take about three minutes and individual responses will be kept confidential.

Between 100-120 people will be contacted during the day and the evening.

"I've done this kind of survey before and it's worked out



well," said Jim Bone, interim administrator for the Muleshoe Area Health District. "Medicaid wants to ensure you are doing something to determine what the community needs are."

The hospital is required to conduct some kind of community needs assessment at least every two years to receive

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Champ for a day

Fourth-grader Mitci Hawkins tries on her new cap with the help of her father Keith Hawkins Thursday during DeShazo Elementary's Circle of Champions ceremony.

Muleshoe snaps 18-game losing streak with 25-14 win

FRITCH—Sophmore quarterback Matt McClanhan accounted for three touchdowns as Muleshoe snapped an 18-game losing streak Friday with a 25-14 District 1-3A win over Sanford-Fritch.

McClanhan completed 9 of 16 passes for 144 yards, including a 10-yard touchdown pass to Louis Hines late in the third quarter that gave the Mules an 18-14 lead.

Muleshoe (1-7 over all, 1-4 in district) upped its lead to 25-14 with three minutes

left in the game on a 1-yard plunge by Douglass Field fowling a Sanford-Fritch turnover. Field led MHS with 91 yards on 17 carries.

Cory Williams' interception with 30 seconds left sealed the Mules' first win in nearly two years.

The Mules scored 25 unanswered points after Sanfrod-Fritch (2-6, 1-4) took a 14-

leadsix minutes into the game.
 McClanhan scored twice in the second

quarter on short runs as Muleshoe cut Sanford-Fritch's led to 14-12 at half time.

Travis Holland rushed for 159 yards in two touchdowns for Sanford-Fritch.

Muleshoe gained a season-high 334

Muleshoe gained a season-high 334 yards and had 23 first downs. The Eagles finished with 248 yards.

Jarrod Redwine saved a touchdown with Muleshoe leading 18-14. Redwine chased down Holland at the Muleshoe 5-yard line after a 63-yard run.

School district promotes parenting conference

By SAMUEL VILLARREAL Journal staff writer

Muleshoe Independent School District is teaming up with the Partners for Parenting Coalition to build strong fami-

MISD is encouraging people in the community to participate in the "Tools for Success" parenting conference to be held Nov. 7 at the Armed Forces Guard Reserve Center in Lubbock to learn more about building strong families. The registration fee is \$5 per person and includes a catered luncheon.

"This seminar is not just for parents," said MISD federal program director Georgia Pena. "It is for parents, grandparents, and any family members who would like to learn new ways to develop new family skills."

The seminar will cover a wide range of topics, including gangs, parent-child discipline, drugs, and coping with family stress. Each of the five sessions will last approximately one hour, with sessions running continuously during the morning and afternoon. Sessions conducted in Spanish are also

available.

"Just because parents think that gangs and drugs are not a problemin small towns doesn't mean that the problems are not there," said Region 17 Education service coordinator Twila Albertson. "Small towns in this area are having increasing problems with gangs and drugs. Parents should be prepared to cope with these problems."

The conference will also provide participants with the opportunity for social contact and networking with other parents and professionals.

"Muleshoe is not far removed from big cities," said MISD assistant superintendent Adrian Meador. "Families face the same problems of drugs and violence that families in big cities do. The are plenty of opportunities for local kids to come in contact with these kinds of problems. Parents should inform themselves

about these situations."

MISD is also providing transportation for those who will need it. Anybody who may need transportation can contact MISD at 272-5230.

MHS hosting college info night

Muleshoe High School will be hosting College Night Oct. 29 from 5:30 p.m. -7:30 p.m. in the MHS cafeteria. Representatives from more than 20 colleges and universities will be present. Any interested student or community members are invited. Students from other school districts are also invited.

Bailey County 4'H selling fruit

Bailey County 4-H'ers are selling mixed fruit boxes as well as Wisconsin cheese and sausage items. If you wish to purchase, you may contact the Bailey County Extension office or any 4-H member. Orders will be taken until Nov. 12 and will be delivered by early to mid-December. Proceeds will be used to support Bailey County 4-H.

MISD board meeting Monday, Oct. 28

The Board of Trustees of the Muleshoe Independent School District will hold their regular bi-monthly meeting Oct. 28 beginning at 7 p.m. at the MISD administration building.

Topics on the agenda grading policies, school district surveys, and election of a Trustee to serve on the Bailey County Central Appraisal District Board. Administrative reports will also be received.

Muleshoe City Council meeting Tuesday

The Muleshoe City Council will meet in special session Oct. 29 at 8:30 a.m. in the council chambers of city hall.

Topics on the agenda include discussion on the city's ground water storage tank, as well as consultation on pending litigation.

Lamb County FSA honoring worker

The Lamb County Farm Service Agency will host a reception to honor Betty Patterson for 20 years of service.

The reception will be from 2-4 p.m. at the Lamb County Farm Service Agency, 200 Marshal Howard Blvd. in Littlefield.

Slaton Athenian hosting craft bazaar

The 20th Annual Holiday Bazaar sponsored by the Athenian Study Club of Slaton will be held from Nov. 2 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Slaton Junior High, 1000 South 10th Street.

Booths include fresh and dry wreaths, ornaments, floral, decor, wood crafts, puppets, as well as other crafts.

A \$1 entry fee registers you for door prizes.

MHS junior class holding turkey dinner

The Muleshoe High School Junior class is sponsoring a turkey and dressing supper before the Tulia football game

Nov. 1 from 5-7 p.m. at the high school cafeteria.

Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children. Deliveries are available until 6:30 p.m. by calling 272-4360.

St. Ann's holding annual turkey dinner

BOVINA-St. Ann's Catholic Church will hold their annual turkey dinner Nov. 3 from 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m at the church parish hall, 401 3rd Street. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$3 for children 6 and under.

A quilt will be also be raffled off at the dinner. Tickets for the raffle can be purchased at the dinner for \$1 each from any member of St. Ann's.

MASH looking for volunteers

The Muleshoe Association to Serve the Hungry is looking for volunteers for its beans and cornbread supper to be held Feb. 10, 1997.

For more information, or to volunteer your time, call Sharon Grant at 272-5766.

Foundation offering scholarships

The Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation is offering a \$100 college scholarship. High school students who are U.S. citizens and have a grade point average of 'B' or better are eligible.

To receive an application send a request by Dec. 15 to the Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation at 721 North McKinley Road, PO Box 5012, Lake Forest, IL 60045-5012. Fax can also be sent to (8470 295-3972. Request can also be made via e-mail at "scholar@ecilf.com".

All request for applications must include the student's name, permanent home address, city, state, zip code, name of high school, approximate GPA, and year in school during the 1996-1997 academic year.

Art show slated at ENMU

PORTALES—The fifth annual National Art Exhibition entitled Scene Unseen hosted by Eastern New Mexico University will open Nov. 4. The exhibition will be held in the Golden Library Runnels Gallery on the ENMU campus through Nov. 29 and will feature an artist's reception on Nov. 8 from 4-6 p.m.

For more information about the National Art Exhibition, contact the Art Department at ENMU-Portales at (505) 562-2778.

MHS theatre presenting 'Macbeth'

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The play will begin at 7:30 p.m. each evening in the MHS auditorium. Admission will be \$2 per person.

Macbeth

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Macbeth then orders the murder of the wife and children of his enemy Macduff. Macduff (Kermit Price) kills Macbeth, avenging the death of his family. Prince Malcolm then returns and takes his rightful place as king of Scotland.

Moore believes that Shakespeare is often perceived as foreign and difficult to under-

"Shakespeare is much easier to understand than most people think because his plays use a very smooth flow of word in a poetic form," Moore said. "Shakespeare is also success-

"Classic plays are often more enjoyed than contemporary productions. The actors can create the elements of classic plays, with their witchcraft, fog, and lightning. It provides more chances to be creative than a play with a living room scene."

Moore also give credit to any play's success on the actors and crew involved.

"The key to a good play is the character," Moore said. "Intense study is required for any character, especially Shakespeare. Together, with a stage crew to create the design ful because his messages are so of the stage, they put on a succesful production."

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Nights of fright for area youth at County EMS spook house

By SAMUEL VILLARREAL Journal staff writer

The Bailey County Emergency Medical Service is preparing to give Muleshoe a scare.

Bailey County EMS is sponsoring a spook house from 7-9 p.m. Oct. 28 and 29 and 7-10 p.m. Halloween night at the old Muleshoe airport north of town on the Plainview highway. Admission is \$2.

The spook house project has been underway for almost two months now, according to EMS technician Steve Clifton.

Workers have also been busy turning the various rooms of the spook house into chambers of horror. Glowing skeleton, ghouls, and a small assortment of coffins complement the feeling of fright. Assorted rats give the finishing touches to the scene.

Special lights and glow-inthe-dark effects are also being incorporated to add a mystical effect to the spook house. Even the clothes of the people walking through the rooms come to life with a seemingly magic glow.



"When we started, the main part of the house was two large rooms. We put up new walls and drywall, and now we have nine rooms," Clifton said. "It's been a lot of work, but it will make it easier in future years."

Local businesses and organizations have donated building supplies to help renovate the building. Muleshoe Area Medical Clinic is also donating a large outdoor tent in case of inclement weather, and the Muleshoe Independent School District donated paint.

The EMS will also be selling sodas at the spook house to raise additional funds. Money raised through the Spook House will go to the Bailey County EMS equipment fund.

"EMS uses the equipment fund to buy additional equipment not normally budgeted," said EMS technician Starla



Grave message

A small graveyard scene awaits the visitors of the EMS Spook House, located at the old Muleshoe airport north of town. EMS technicians promise plenty of spooks just in time for Halloween.

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Women's group dissolving after 40 years

Members of the Muleshoe branch of the American Association of University Women recently made a generous gift to promote educational opportunities for area college students.

members voted to contribute more than \$2,525 to The Opportunity Plan, Inc. in Canyon.

The funds were evenly divided between the Jack Allsion attended New Mexico State Loan Division and the Eliza- University for two years prior beth Watson Scholarship. Both to his death. of these funds were established dents from Muleshoe.

The Jack Allison Loan Division was created in March of 1977 in memory of Jack by family, friends, teachers and classmates. The son of Mrs. Jean Allison of Earth and her late husband, Harold Allison, In September, AAUW Jack grew up in Muleshoe where he was a member of the high school football team, the local FFA chapter and the First United Methodist Church. He

Students form Muleshoe in previous years to benefit stu- have borrowed more than \$20,000 from the Jack Allison

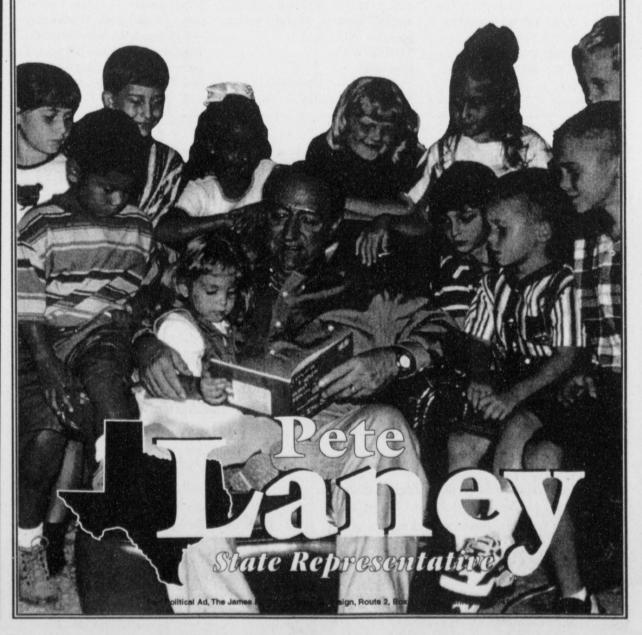
Loan Division over the years to help meet their college ex-

The Elizabeth Watson Scholarship was established in 1992 to honorher when she retired from the field of education after 50 years of service. Forty-six of these years were spent in the classrooms and administrative offices of MISD. Mrs. Watson has served as teacher, principal and assistant superintendent over the years. This scholarship benefits students who plan to major in the field of education. Five graduates of Muleshoe High School have received the Elizabeth Watson Scholarship since 1992.

A member of the Muleshoe branch of AAUW since 1956, Mrs. Watson served as Fellow-

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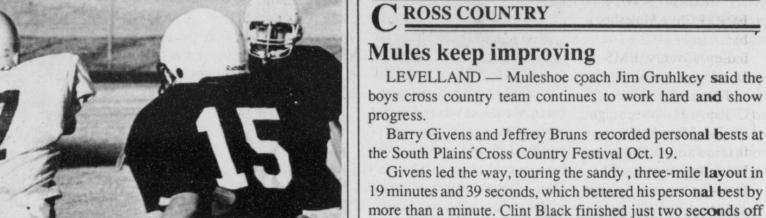
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off his best time, finishing at 20:26, and Aaron Faver clocked a 20:27 in his first meet. Givens, Bruns and Black are freshmen. Faver is a sopho-

his personal best with a time of 20:04. Bruns lopped 12 seconds

"They may not be winning meets or finishing in the top 10, but these guys have showed a lot of character and have improved tremendously," Gruhlkey said.

Lady Mule JV captures 1st

LEVELLAND — The Muleshoe junior varsity girls placed first the South Plains College Cross Country Festival Saturday, Oct. 19.

Keisha Whitt led the Lady Mules with a time of 16 minutes and 15 seconds on the two-mile course.

Other Muleshoe runners and times: Lucila Flores, 18:50; Rhonda Copley, 19:13; Melissa Williams, 19:24; Lela Hancock, 19:05; Misty Angeley, 19:49; Amanda Messenger, 20:18; Christi Adrian, 20:48.

WJHS boys win third straight

LEVELLAND — The Watson Junior High School boys swept the top eight spots and the team title Saturday, Oct. 19 in the junior high division of the South Plains College Cross Country Festival.

Kyle Atwood and Moises Garcia led the way for the Mules, who have won all three of their meets this year.

Atwood finished first and Garcia second, both with a time of 13 minutes and 22 seconds

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Getting sidetracked

Springlake-Earth quarterback Chance Furr tries to cut up inside WJHS' Raul Romero (83) while Landon Nichols pursues from behind Thursday during a junior high game at Benny Douglass Stadium.

Watson Junior High 7th & 8th-graders continue on roll

touchdowns and Zack Barrett passed for two touchdowns, leading the Watson Junior High School 8th-grade Mules to a 37-0 win over Dimmitt Tuesday in a District 1-3A game at Benny Douglass Stadium.

WJHS has won five games

in district.

Lewis scored on runs of 7 and 20 yards. Barrett threw touchdown passes of 15 yards to tight end Jeffrey Shelburne and 27 yards to wide receiver Danny Ramirez.

Jerrell Otwell added a 3-

Darrell Lewis rushed for two in a row and is 6-1 overall, 4-0 yard run for the Mules and Joey Stone opened up huge Jonathan Pacheco kick a 30yard field goal and converted two of three extra points.

WJHS coach Jimmy Orr said the offensive line of David Morris, Louie Pacheco, Aubrey Ruthhardt, Jason Bond, Tommy Barrera, Shelburne and

holes for the backs. 7th Mules, 20-8

Michael Johnson scored on two long touchdowns as the undefeated Mules won their fifthstraight game.

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SCHOOL MENUS

For the week of Oct. 28 -Nov. 1

MULESHOE Dillman & DeShazo Breakfast

Monday — French toast, fruit or juice, milk. Tuesday - peach bread, fruit or juice, milk. Wednesday - biscuit w/gravy, fruit or juice, milk. Thursday scrambled egg/toast, fruit or juice, milk. Friday - cinnamon roll, fruit or juice, milk. Lunch

Monday- Tacos, lettuce & tomatoes, Mexican squash, peanut butter cookie, milk. Tuesdayhamburger, oven fries, lettuce & tomatoes, sliced apples, milk. Wednesday—oven-friedchicken, mashed potatoes w/gravy, crinkle cut carrots, hot roll, milk. Thursday- corn dog, vegetable soup, cinnamon roll, Halloween ice cream, milk. Friday-steak fingers, mashed potatoes w/gravy, sweet peas, hot roll, milk.

Jr. High and High School

Breakfast

Monday - French toast, fruit

or juice, milk. Tuesday - peach roll, juice, milk. Wednesday bread, fruit or juice, milk. Wednesday—biscuit w/gravy, fruit or juice, milk. Thursday — scrambled eggs, toast, fruit or juice, milk. Friday cinnamon roll, fruit or juice, milk.

Monday—Tacos, pizza & fries, hamburger & fries, lettuce & tomatoes, Mexican squash, peanut butter cookie, milk. Tuesday — Texas red stew, pizza & fries, hamburger & fries, whole kernel corn, sliced pears, cornbread, milk. Wednesday-fried chicken, pizza & fries, hamburger & fries, mashed potatoes w/gravy, crinkle cut carrots, hot rolls, milk.Thursday-corn dog, pizza & fries, hamburger & fries, vegetable soup, cinnamon roll, sliced peaches, milk. Friday- chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, w/gravy, sweet peas, hot roll, milk.

THREE WAY Breakfast

Monday — pancakes, sausage, juice, milk. Tuesday — cinnamon eggs, biscuit, juice, milk. Thursday— Cereal, graham crackers, juice, milk. Friday-waffles, sausage, juice, milk.

Lunch Monday - Hotdogs, tator tots, broccoli/cheese, cherry bread, milk. Tuesday—Steak fingers w/gravy, green beans, baked potato, wheat rolls, apricots, milk. Wednesday-Cheeseburger, fries, frozen milk

shake, milk. Thursday -- Submarine sandwich, lettuce, tomato, pickles, chips, orange, milk. Friday- pizza, salad, com, peach cobbler, milk.

LAZBUDDIE Lunch

Monday - Swiss steak, rice, milk Tuesday - Turkey noodle, sweet potatoes, milk. Wednesday —BBQ Sandwich, oven fries, milk. Thursday - Chicken pot pie, (no extra veg.), milk. Friday - Lasagna, Normandy blend veggies,

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Lunatics lose!

"CLINTON SIGNS DELANEY RE-FORM BILL", was how the headline read but most of us in the scientific community interpreted the headline to read, "Lunatics Lose!"

I remember in 1993 when President Clinton's newly appointed EPA Administrator Carol Browner announced that she was in favor of reforming the Delaney Clause to the Food Additives Amendment. It was unexpected in the midst of the Al Gore - Bruce Babbit - Chicken Little mindless pseudoenvironmentalist squawking.

The Delaney Clause passed in 1958 says, in effect "Any substance that is shown to be carcinogenic in any quantity in any mouse trial is banned from use on or in'any products destined for human consumption."

It was well intentioned bill when it was passed. But scientific technology has increased so rapidly it is to the point where we now can pick up one part in one billion. The Delaney Clause prevented or disapproved the use of many essential tools in modern agriculture, including chemicals whose tremendous benefits far outweighed the virtually non-existent risk to human health.

The Delaney Reform Bill allows common sense to be considered before a product is banned.

And yet there are many special interest groups who opposed the Reform bill. They are the same groups who opposed allowing common sense to be applied to the Endan-



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gered Species Act and numerous other policies that pit "Doers" against "Anti's".

The Anti's should be credited with making Doer's consider the social and environmental implications of their projects. The Doer's need to be imbued with a sense of responsibility which, by the 'nature of the beast', they lack. They are concerned with the bottom line.

I am an NRA member and support them even though I don't think it is responsible for our country to sell automatic machine guns to any one that walks in off the street. The NRA doesn't believe that either, but they do feel each concession to the gun control lobby is another step towards disarming the citizenry, and I agree with them. Unfortunately there is no room for common sense.

Regarding the Delaney Reform Bill, my thanks go out to Ms. Browner for admitting common sense into the equation. Still part of the problem is that both sides lack a neutral referee who can look at the problem and using good judgement come to a conclusion both sides can accept.

So, what is the solution?

I am reminded of a trip I took to Washington, D.C. in 1984. I asked a black cabbie who he was voting for. "Mondale", he said. "I voted for Reagan in '80."

"You didn't like him?" I asked.

"Yeah," he said. "He was alright. But I have a philosophy about politicians. Never let the #()@(! get a foothold!"

Cross country

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Other WJHS finishers were Jerrell Otwell, 3rd (13:35); Lincoln Riley, 4th (13:45); Lindy Pineda, 5th (13:56); Zac Yanis, 6th (14:33); Duane Pedigo, 7th (14:37); Dan Williams, 8th (14:56); A.J. Buhrman, 11 (15:18); Roddy Spradling, 12th (15:28); Michael Johnson, 13th (15:45); Zach Barrett, 18th (16:13); Jeff King, 19th (16:38).

Maddox qualifies for 1A regionals

LUBBOCK — Freshman Maddox CheLyn Springlake-Earth finished third at the District 2-1A meet Oct. 19 at Mae Simons Park.

Maddox advances the Re-

gion I meet Nov. 2 at Mae Simmons Park Maddox is the daughter of Gary and Cherrie



Maddox and the granddaughter of Lynn and Judy Maddox of Muleshoe.

football

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A 37-yard run by Johnson and a 32-yard run by Jaime Mendoza gave the Mules a 12-0 halftime lead.

Johnson gave the Mules a 20-0 lead in the third quarter on a 50-yard run in the third quarter, picking up a key block from Brandon Mount.

Stephan Shelburne caught a two-point conversion and a 35-

yard pass from Lincoln Riley. Fermin Gonzales and Bryan Smith paced the WJHS defense with two sacks each.

Mules lose, 8-6

Springlake-Earth defeated the Watson Junior High gray &white team Thursday, 8-6.

Jose Hernandez scored on a 25-yard run with about three minutes left in the game to pull WJHS to within 8-6. But Landon Nichols was sacked trying to pass for the two-point conversion.

On the Mules' scoring drive, Nichols completed a 15-yard pass to fullback Travis Tunnell and a 20-yard pass to Blake Gable. Raul Romero kept the drive alive by racing 25 yards on a reverse on fourth down.

On defense, Rocky DeHoyos caused a fumble. Chuck Fabela recovered a

fumble. The gray & white team is comprised of both 7th & 8th graders.

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FSA Committee elections

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This is for LAA-1 (A) community. Ballots will be mailed to eligible voters on Nov. 18 turned or postmarked by Dec. 2. Farm owners, operators, tenants and sharecroppers, of legal voting age can vote if they are eligible to take part in any GSA program and are qualified to vote in the LAA-1 community.

CRP grazing extension

Bailey County has been approved to graze CRP acreage D.C. 20050-0513. through Nov. 30. This is a new sign-up period and applies to all CRP producers, ments have been issued, comincluding those producers who previously requested CRP grazing. The same rules will vance PFC payments will be apply as far as the cost to graze CRP acreage. Haying of CRP acreage does not apply.

Direct deposit

Direct Deposit allows producer payments to be electronically deposited into their bank account faster than with PFC payments. Producers who a paper check. It also improves security and reliability. The Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 mandates that any federal payments paid to a recipient who signs into a program contract after July 25, 1996 be made by electronic funds transfer. Any payments made to contracts signed prior to this date can either be by check or the electronic funds transfer. A waiver may be granted through Dec. 31, 1998, if a producer does not have an account with a financial institution or authorized payment agent.

1997 CRP news

From information that has been received, it appears that there will be sign-up for everyone to submit bids for acreage for CRP program. This will

allow new acreage in counties, that had reached the maximum acreage limit, to compete for approval with the existing CRP acreage. Bailey County has submitted the soil rental rate to the Texas State Committee for approval. The bids are to be for a 10 year contract and future and the ballots must be re- signups will be scheduled each

> Producers are invited to submit written comments on the future of CRP. Comments will be accepted through the end of October. Written comments should be submitted to Cheryl Zavodny, Farm Service Agency, CEPD, P.O. Box 2415, Stop 0513 Washington,

1996/1997 PFC payments

The final 1996 PFC paypleting the first year of the 7year program. The 1997 adautomatically reduced for the corn and grain sorghum deficiency overpayments and any other outstanding overpayments. There will be no interest accrued on the overpayment amount to be offset from elected to receive their 1997 advance payment in December should complete all 1997 updates. This includes the designation of shares for 1997, update crop insurance, paylimit forms and 1026 forms etc. If you are not sure all necessary forms are completed, please

check with this office. If you have undesignated payment shares on the farm contract for 1997, please call for an appointment to update your contract in order for payments for 1997 to be made timely.

Ag credit news

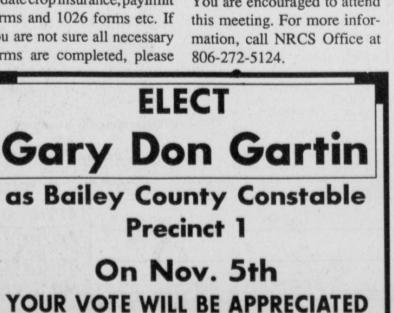
This is to inform producers that the mailing address for Ag Credit (formerly FmHA) has changed. Effective immediately the mailing address for all correspondence to Ag Credit is P.O. Box 406, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

Farm changes

Any changes that result in the need to divide or combine farms need to be reported to this office as soon as possible. This will allow us time to make the necessary changes in our records. Any owner/operator changes, address changes etc. should be reported also.

NRCS news

The Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Conservation District will be hosting a conservation work group meeting to identify and assess local conservation needs. This meeting will be the standards for future cost share programs in Bailey County. Your input is extremely important and needed for success. The meeting is set for Nov. 7, 1996, at the Bailey County Coliseum, at 9 a.m. You are encouraged to attend



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Grade 3 — Zannie Avila, Brett Lee Bamert, Brady Rex Black, Cody Garrett Black, Brook Nicole David Bottleman, Campos, Wendy Cuevas Cano, Daniel Armando Caraveo, Kristina Castorena, Ashley Dickson, Kourtnee Leigh Dowty, Jarad Paul Flores, Jennalee Free, Angelita Sita Garcia, Arturo Garcia, Arsenio Parker Geter, Felicia Reann Glover, Rudy Michael Gonzales Jr., Samantha Renee Gonzalez, Lauren Ashley Gray, Denise Marie Gutierrez, Zachary Mark Hall, Jason Mark Hartline, Joseph Edward Iuliano, William Myles James, Anthony Lewis, Chelsea Ann Lopez, Vanessa Marie Lopez, Veronica Alice Martinez, Kelsey Kaye McDearmon, Jacob Mendoza, Rodrigo Mendoza, Leonardo Mendoza, Ruby Antoinette Morales, Florencio Muniz.

Also, Rashida Norman, Lorenzo Antonio Nunez, Alejandro Olivarez Jr., Christina Denne Orozco, Luz M. Ortega, Janice Pacheco, Monica Posadas, Randall Wayne Radford, Jenna LeAnn Rasco, Shyla D'Nae Rater, Sarah Rey, Cecila Ann Reyna, Trisha Nicole Robertson, Amalia Ruiz, Douglas Logan Ruthardt, Elizabeth Salamanca, Sarah Jean Sexton, Hillary Ann Tipps, Amanda Toscano, Alfredo R. Tovar, Trevor Len Turnbow, Cami Jo Vandiver, Vanessa Vasquez, Erica Villa, Hilario Lee Villa, Lidia Armida Villezcas, Corey Heath Wallace, Brittany Michelle Williams, Brandi Wood and Emily Ann Zackoski.

Grade 4 — Elena Aburto, Yuri Ivy Aguirre, Cristobal Almanza, Kelsey Lynette Beggs, Ashley Nicole Beggs, Michael Trent Black, Robert Franklin Bomer, Traci Gene Bond, Thomas Jordan Bonds, Mandy J. Brantley, Kami Lynn Brown, Brady Wayne Broyles, Thomas Rojas Buenrostro, Branda Jazmin Caraveo, Jamie Shantell Carpenter, Paul Anthony Carrion, Melissa Catano, Joe Lewis Carlos Ceja, Charissa Diann Conner, Arcisa Deann Cooks, Jeremy William Copley, Felisha Nicole Costilla, Amber LeAnne Cowart, Aaron Lee Crawford, Paje DePalma, Silbestra Diaz, Erika Diaz, Daniel Diaz, Sarah Marie Dominquez, Ruth Mendes Veronica Louise Florez, Triaston



Another champ

DeShazo 4th-grader LaTasha Glover accepts her Circle of Champion certificate from Muleshoe ISD Assistant Superintendent Adrian Meador.

Purdy, Brady Lynn Radford, Laura

Ramirez, Armida Munoz Rascon,

Foster, Mylinda Sue Franco, Erin Priscilla Lynn Orozco, Prisma Kendall Gallman, Patricia Lynn Villegas Ortiz, Ritamarie Ortiz, Sa-Garza, Homero Garza, Christopher rah Kristen Pace, Andrew Lee Padilla, Gathright, Niclas Shayne Green, Adam Darrel Pierce, Derek Wilson Bobby Harold Grumbles, Ashley Gutierrez, Jessica Mae Hall, Amanda Ruth Hardt, Mitci Kay Hawkins, Shanna Marie Rempe, Cecilla Reyes, Bradley Don Henry, Jennifer Ann Ricky Reyes, Juan Carlos Reyes, Heredia, Tristen Jaye Herington, Ricardo Ivan Ruvalcaba, Joel Jesus Maricela Hernandez, Maria Hernandez, Maria Del Herrera, Coli. Don Hunt, Joseph Jaramillo, Kristi Elise Johnson, Shalisa Dawn Ladd, Vanessa Marie Lewis, Amanda Beth Lopez, Laura Lorena Marquez, Ester Martinez, Minerva Ann Martinez, Esther Marie Mendoza, Gorje Mendoza, Misty Gail Miller, Carmen Mojica, Michelle Morales, April Morgan, Barry Keith Morris, Luis Raul Muniz, Jesseca Murillo.

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Moraima Romero, Stephanie Rubio, Whalin, Meghan Wills, Leland Chase approved the merger. A meet-Winkler and Kyle Yell.

considering merger Bill Liles, president of the

tion of Muleshoe, announced recently that ballots have been mailed to stockholders, asking them to consider a merger between nine area associations. The Associations involved are Grade 5 -Rosa Andrade, Muleshoe, Littlefield, Dalhart, Childress, Dimmitt, Lubbock, Spur, Levelland and Lamesa. Liles stated that in January of this year he had recommended to the FLBA of Muleshoe's Board of Directors

that a study be made of a proposed merger of associations. After several meetings and diligent study, the board unanimously voted to approve a merger subject to approval of the 10th District Farm Credit Bank of Texas; the Farm Credit Also Tabatha Obenhaus, Eliana regulators, the Farm Credit Ramirez, Yessenia Regalado, Administration and the local Valentina Reyes, Milagros Reyes, stockholders. He reported that Oralia Ruiz, Baldemar Torres, Marlo the District Bank and Farm Valdez, Amanda Vega, Brandi Credit Administration have

ing of the Muleshoe Association stockholders will be held Wednesday, Nov. 6, 3 p.m. at the Bailey County Coliseum to enable stockholders to vote for or against the proposal.

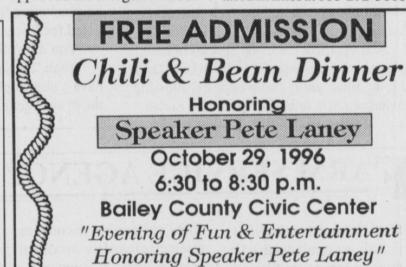
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He stated that the Muleshoe board recognized the benefits of this merger, citing the improved efficiency of operation, reduced regulatory expense, and an improved capital base. The improved capital base will allow borrower stock to be reduced from 5% to 2 %. The reduction of stock will be in place by Jan. 1, 1997 if the stockholders approve the

merger. There will be no changes in the Muleshoe office and this merger will eliminate territorial boundaries of the merged association which should allow for improved customers service.

For further information contact Bill Liles at 806-272-3010.





Just Thinking About "Time in a Bottle"

What is a grain of wheat?" Paul Tournier asks. "It contains a whole plant you cannot yet see. What is a silkworm? You cannot define it without seeing in advance all its metamorphosis. What is a child? You cannot describe him without thinking of the whole life of the man, with all its unknowns, for which he is preparing."



Focus Faith Curtis

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As I first read those words years ago, I sat at my desk and examined the little Christmas present I had just received from my mother. It was a very simple little thing-a small bottle with a glass stopper. Inside were ten or fifteen marbles. A little blue ribbon was tied around the small bottle.

Once it was a vitamin bottle. but now it was becoming a very special paperweight I remembered the marbles, every one. They were mine-or at least they once were. The bottle? The bottle once sat by my aged grandparents' bed. It had held just enough water to use to take a pill or to wet a dry throat, (I'll be thinking of my grandparents this weekend as I join my three brothers and my now 83-year-old father to work

and reminisce at the old "home place" at Robert Lee, Texas.)

Dr. Tournier writes of the metamorphosis, the transformation, that changes caterpillars into butterflies and blonde-headed boys into graying grandfathers. That little bottle is for me an appropriate symbol of the process. Nestled inside the glass bottle of the aged are the glass childhood. Encapsulated by a marble-filled bottle is the whole spectrum of life from spring to winter, youth to old age.

With each tick of the clock every one of us is being transformed. No one is immune to the metamorphosis wrought by time. Dr. Tournier is right. We see a small boy and wonder what the man will be like. We wonder about the many unknowns life holds for graduates walking across the stage-and for each of us as we remember what we ourselves have been and wonder what we may yet become. How quickly the present has become the past, and the future races to meet us!

But Christians needn't be frightened of the future. All of us re being changed, but for God's man or woman, the transformation may be a source of joy and hope as God works in our lives, changing us "into Christ's likeness from one degree of glory to another" (2 Corinthians 3:18).

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

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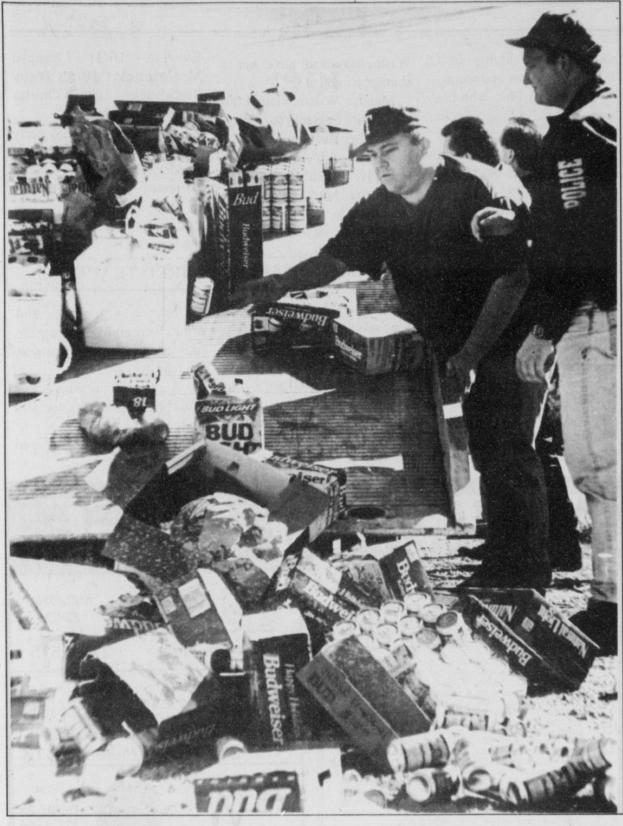
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Beer bash

Muleshoe Police officer Benny Parker slides cases of confiscated beer of a flatbed truck Tuesday. Officers from the Texas Alochol & Beverage Commission, the Muleshoe PD and the Bailey County Sheriff's Office destroyed more than 100 cases of beer and three cases of alcohol confiscated during the past 2-3 years.

Lopez

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from Lamb County amid alle- to four months. gations of sexually harassing a before being hired by have been made. Dominguez.

Travis County in May, 1995, county of residence of the par-questions I could." ties involved.

torious for being tight-fisted," ing. Pyles said. "Austin juries are not."

to report governmental wrong- allegations.

duct pre-trial interviews with ment on the case." potential witnesses and exchange documents. The case November

Dominguez and Marr gave Lopez' suit was filed in depositions in August.

"The had some very interunder a provision that allows esting responses to the whistleblower suits to be filed questions," Pyles said. "Obviin the capital city instead of the ously, I didn't ask all the

Pyles wouldn't say if he felt "West Texas juries are no- Dominguez and Marr were ly-

Bill Moss, a Lubbock attorney retained by the city through The Texas Whistleblower the Texas Municipal League, Act was passed as an incentive said the city denies all of Lopez'

"We expect to bring up evi-Both parties are nearly dence to cast doubt on the through with the discovery allegations," Moss said. "Other phase, in which attorneys con-than that, I'm not going to com-

The lawsuit claims that in

Sheriff's Office. He was fired could go to trial in the next two Dominguez ordered Lopez "to cover his ass" in case Pyles said he would listen to Dominguez' wife found out woman during a traffic stop a settlement offer, but none about an affair he was having with Mary Ann Smith, a Department of Public Safety drug informant who was working with the city.

> Lopez was also one of two MPD officers to respond to a Feb. 3, 1995 domestic violence call involving Dominguez and his former wife. Lopez claims Dominguez asked him to remain quiet about the incident.

> No charges were filed against Dominguez in either of the two domestic violence in-

> Dominguezreportedly lives with Smith

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AAUW-

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ship Chairman for the Texas Division of AAUW during the 1967-68 term. She attended numerous state and regional meetings and served as president of the Muleshoe branch of AAUW during the 1965-67

The purpose of AAUW is to enable college women to continue their own intellectual growth, to further the advancement of women, and to discharge the special responsibilities to society of those who have enjoyed the advantages of higher education. Branches of AAUW are composed of graduates of colleges and universities which are on the association's approved list.

The Muleshoe branch of AAUW was organized in Oct. of 1956 by Joyeline Costen, Jimmye Henson and Roberta Biles. The branch held a char-

Survey-

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Medicaid disproportionate share funding.

The federal and state program helps offset some of the money the hospital is not able to recover from Medicaid patients.

Last year, the hospital received \$300,000 from the program.

> HAVE A NICE DAY

ter membership of 18 women with an additional six members joining the following month. The Muleshoe branch supported a number of community projects over the years including the Texas Summer Reading Club at the public library, the children's theater, the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation and the "Girl of the Month" program to honor junior and senior high school girls.

The contribution to the Jack Allison Division and the Elizabeth Watson Scholarship of The Opportunity Plan serves as a final act of service for the Muleshoe branch of AAUW. Following a 40-year history, members have voted to dissolve the Muleshoe branch. Their record of support and commitment to the Muleshoe area will be remembered for many years to come.

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Thursday morning pastor church services. David McIntire, J.C. Shanks and Clara Lou Jones directed our devotional Gospel singing time. Melvin Griffin was a special visitor.

Friday, the residents made class. Later, they watched a movie on the big screen TV.

Thursday afternoon, Grace Scarbrough, Tennie McCormick, Gladys McAlister and Jean O'Brien came to play games with Lora Dale, Rosa Sneed, Leonard McCormick, Bootie Tiller, Helen Tinskey and Vera Engleking. Florence Harvey watched from the side-

Sunday afternoon, the New Covenant Church came for

Melvin and Wanda Griffin urday afternoon. The residents and Friday. are always waiting and watching for this event.

Rice Krispie treats in cooking here visiting. Her daughter took brought back her cracking corn bread recipe which she shared

> Embry visited the Healthcare time. Loyce Killingsworth and Center Friday.

Claudine Embry, Beverly Wagnon, Lanell Stancell, Pat Watson and the Activity Dept. shampooed and set the ladies hair Tuesday afternoon. Velta Fyle (the magazine lady) brought us books and visited

the residents.

Zoada Gibbs was visited by directed the Bingo Party Sat- out of state relatives Thursday

Hazel Riddle was visited by her grandson Aaron from San Aline Locke's family are Angelo Tuesday. Harold Burge and Aaron took Mrs. Riddle to her out Friday. Mrs. Locke the hospital to visit with her daughter Mary Jo.

Wednesday morning Buster and Wanda Kittrell and Jane Joyeline Costen and Lona Reeder hosted Coffee/Donut Buster led and directed the Gospel Sing-a-long and devotional time. Jim Claunch, Anna B. Lane and LaJuana Lee also participated.

> Glenda Jennings, the puppets and Jonessa Brockman came Wednesday to entertain

Favorite" hymns and songs.

Volunteers Plus, who is alour piano tuned Friday.

McCormick, son and daughter-in-law of Leonard McCormick, visited him Tues- Downing, 10/15; Vera day. Also visiting was his wife, Engelking, 10/14; Kenneth Tennie, and son, Van McCormick.

Van McCormick loaned us a very special video to watch on our big screen T.V.

Buster Kittrell brought us fresh homegrown turnips Tues-

Zeffa Shaffer watched the baseball game with her grand-Sherry Gibbs also came Christ.

and direct us in singing our "Ol Wednesday and gave her a shampoo and set.

Marilyn Wilson visited the ways there to be of service, had Healthcare Center Wednesday.

October Birthdays include: Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Nannie Blackman, 10/8; Lora Dale, 10/20; Bill Darnell, 10/ 23; Roma Davis, 10/30; Vera Everett, 10/1; Leonard McCormick, 10/5; Ruby Steinbock, 10/6; Oneita Wagnon, 10/27.

Our October birthday party was held Thursday with Jane Reeder and Volunteer Plus was hostesses, entertainment was by Rev. and Mrs. Stone and Lasting Impressions furnished the flowers.

ULESHOE AREA RETIRED TEACHERS

The Muleshoe'Area Retired Teachers met Oct. 18 for a day of fun with Margie Moore and Elizabeth Watson as hostesses.

After lunch at Leal's, the group attended the movie "Good Morning Miss Dove" at daughter Wednesday night. the 16th and D Church of

Popcorn with prizes and drinks were enjoyed during the movie. The door prize was won by Jean Allison.

A game identifying actors and their roles during the 40's and 50's was played.

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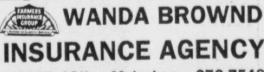
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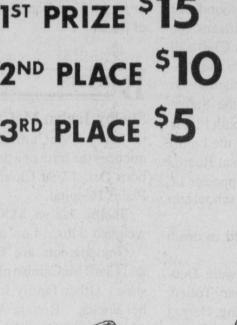
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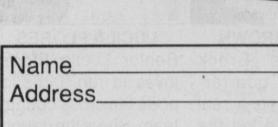
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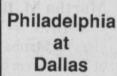
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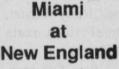
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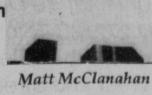
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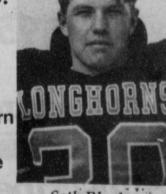
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BITUARIES

Wilbur Boyd LeVeque

SUN CITY, ARIZ .- Funeral services Wilbur Boyd LeVeque, 89, of Sun City, Ariz. were held Wednesday, Oct. 23, at Springfield, Colo.

Burial followed in the Springfield Cemetery, under the direction of the Menke Funeral Home, of Sun City.

LeVeque, a former Muleshoe mayor, died Oct. 20 at the Sun Healthcare Center in Sun City, Ariz.

He was born in Cado County, Okla. He moved to Sun City from Muleshoe in 1980. He was a longtime member of the United Methodist Church, and in recent years, a member of the First Christian Church of Sun City. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Lions Club. He was a loan officer for Production Credit Association from 1946-1972.

Survivors include his wife, Nina of Sun City; two grandchildren, Marc and Christi; two great-grandchildren, Ian and Jessica, all of Amarillo; one step-son, John; four stepgrandchildren, Jenny, Sean, Ashley and Brett; one stepgreat-granddaughter, Alexandria.

Marvin H. Tollett

SUDAN — Funeral services for Marvin H. Tollett, 82, of Lubbock, were held Saturday at the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Vance Roberts, pastor, and the Rev. Jim Hawthorne, former pastor, now of Amarillo, officiating.

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

Mr. Tollett died Wednesday, Oct. 23, at the Carillon Medical Center in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

in Inez, N.M. He married Mary Edna Burck Dec. 18, 1938 in Hagerman, N.M. She preceded him in death Jan. 22, 1991.

He had moved to Lubbock in 1992 from Sudan, where he had lived most of his life. He was a grain elevator manager for 34 years. He was manager of the Feeders Grain Elevator in Sudan for 20 years, retiring in 1981.

He was a life long member of the Methodist Church and

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had served in many volunteer capacities. He was a Sunday School teacher and a member of the choir. he was founder of the Sudan Senior Citizens, the Rotary Club, Lions Club and Texas Cattle Feeders and Producers Grain Association. He was a member of the Sudan City Council, the South Plains Hospital Board and the Lamb County Tax Appraisal Board. He was an avid supporter of the community and school ath-

He was preceded in death by four brothers.

Casket bearers were Dennis, Colby and Zachary Tollett, Caleb and Steve King, Garrett Kemble and Raymond Shafer

Survivors include one son, Burck Tollett of Lubbock; one daughter, Zerlinda Shafer of Beaumont, Texas; one brother, Wayne Tollett of Rogers, N.M.; three grandchildren, Rehnea Raines, Raymond Shafer Jr., and Zachary Tollett; two great-grandchildren, Ashlee and Garrett Kemble.

The family suggests memorial to the First United Methodist Memorial Fund of Sudan. Martha M. Baker

SUDAN - Funeral services for Martha M. Baker, 98, of Sudan, were held Saturday, at the First Baptist Church of Sudan with the Rev. Cliff Hargrove, pastor, officiating.

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

Mrs. Baker died Wednesday, Oct. 23 at the Lamb Healthcare Center of Littlefield, after a lengthy illness.

She was born Dec. 20, 1897 in Sunset, Texas. She married Osa O. Baker, Dec. 21, 1913 in Chillicothe, Texas. He died April 26, 1977.

She moved to the Sudan Community in 1933 from He was born Oct. 19, 1914 Chillicothe. She was a homemaker and a member of the

First Baptist Church of Sudan. Grandsons will be casket

Survivors include three sons, Dexter Baker and Calvin of Spearman; one daughter Mildred V. Lance of Sudan; one brother, Charlie R. Walser of Hereford; 16 grandchildren; 45 great-grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

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Shelby Jaelyn McCamish

Terry McCamish announces the birth of a daughter born Oct. 17, at Clovis High Plains Hospital.

weighed 6 lbs. 14 oz. at birth.

Grandparents are Barbara and Clark McCamish of Muleshoe. Other family includes her uncles, Ronnie Altman, and Darryl McCamish of Muleshoe, and her aunt, Sheryl Altman of Muleshoe.

OSPITAL ADMISSIONS

The Muleshoe Area Medical Center has reported the following admissions:

Oct. 18 — Stacey Beasley, Mary Madrigal, Irma Mendez, Santana Chavez, Baby Girl

Oct. 19 — Martin Ramirez, Stacey Beasley, Mary Madri-

Oct. 20 — Martin Ramirez, Olene Watts, Stacey Beasley, Stancie Dale, Frank Ellis, Mary Jo Burge, Joe Ray

Oct. 21 — Martin Ramirez, Tyler Roland, Olene Watts, Belinda Morris, Stancie Dale, Mary Jo Burge, Joe Ray, Maria Cuevas, Kenneth Martin

Oct. 22 — Tyler Roland, Olene Watts, Belinda Morris, Stancie Dale, Joe Ray, Maria

Oct. 23 — Sara Olivarez, Olene Watts, Frankie Daniell, Ramona Lopez, Ruby Wilson, Joe Ray, Minnie Parham, maria Cuevas, Jim Claunch

Oct. 24 — Sara Olivarez, Olene Watts, Frankie Daniell, Ramona Lopez, Ruby Wilson, Joe Ray, Minnie Parham, Maria Cuevas, Jim Claunch

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Arrest Report Muleshoe Police Department

Oct. 18—Troy Jefferson Baker of Sudan and Billy Baker Sliger, 27, charged with two counts of issuance of issuance

of a bad check. Oct. 19-Rosa Maria (Guillen) Davis, 36, charged with seven counts of issuance of a bad check.

Oct. 19-Jose Isidro

rials to the City of Sudan Res- Torrez, 41, charged with public intoxication.

Oct. 19-Jimmy Harold Steptoe, 43, charged with public intoxication.

Oct. 19-Rafael Villa Pacheco, 52, charged with public intoxication.

Oct. 19—Benedicto Torrez, Jr., 52, charged with driving while intoxicated, driving with a suspended license, and driving with a fictitious license.

Oct. 20—Isidro Rivera Shelby Jaelyn McCamish Juarez, 30, charged with failure to maintain proof of financial responsibility, driving without a license, and driving without registration.

> Oct. 20-Fernando Romero, Sr., 37, charged with driving while intoxicated.

> > Oct. 20-John Issac

Segovia, 19, charged with driving while intoxicated. Sheriff's Department

Oct. 14—Johnny Calderon, 30, charged with driving while intoxicated.

Oct. 19— Rafael Pacheco Villa, 52, charged with public intoxication.

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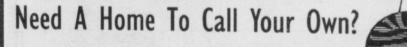
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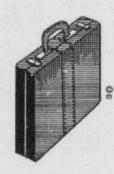
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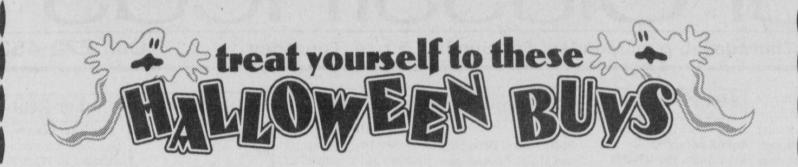
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