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PAGE ONE

A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

Two-headed calf survives

A rare two-headed calf born on Darrell Guthmiller's dairy farm at Pettibone, N.D., wasn't expected to live more than a few hours.

But 10 days later, it was taking milk from a tube and Guthmiller was planning to try a bottle.

"My daughter said I was going to get attached to the little bugger," he said. "I guess I am."

The reddish crossbred female calf, born early this month, has two noses, two snouts, a pair of tongues that work in tandem, three eyes and a slit where another started to form.

"The vet said it is a once-in-a-lifetime thing," said Guthmiller, who bought the dairy farm from his father-in-law in 1994.

Dressed to impress

Shaelyn Benson and David Daniels attracted plenty of attention with their prom outfits in Soldiers Grove, Wis.

The high school students crafted their Renaissance-style formals out of duct tape and say they spent only about \$20 each. The outfits were a hit at the North Crawford High School prom.

"Everyone wanted pictures," Benson said. The couple hopes to win a "Stuck at the Prom" contest sponsored by Duck Brand Duct Tape.

First prize includes a \$2,500 scholarship for each winner.



Drawing date: Wednesday, April 24
Winning numbers: 10-11-13-25-35-39
Estimated jackpot: \$17 million
Winners: 2
Next drawing: Saturday, April 27
Estimated jackpot: \$4 million

On this date in history

April 25 — Mutineers from the Texas ship *San Antonio* are hanged (1843).

April 27 — An expedition under the direction of Domingo Ramón and guided by Louis Juchereau de St. Denis sets out to reoccupy Texas (1716).

April 29 — Thirty-four camels arrive at Indianola, Texas, as part of an experiment by the U.S. Army to determine the animals' usefulness in mapping desert areas and pursuing Indians. Bad weather prevents their being unloaded from the ships until May 14 (1867).

LOCAL WEATHER

Summer-time temperatures should be back all week, according to the National Weather Service forecast on Friday. Sunday should reach about 87, with Monday and Tuesday being around 90. Wednesday should be a little cooler — about 86 — and Thursday cooler still at 83. Morning lows are expected to range from the high 40s to near 60. The risk of sunburn should be very high.

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That's show business

Learning about their culture and presenting a colorful show at the same time are Muleshoe girls (from left) Stephanie Rubio, Emily Alfaro, Gabriela Nava, Elida Diaz and Rosa Andrade. They were among the folkloric dancers performing Tuesday during the annual migrant-education program.

Tour de Muleshoe scheduled to hit highways June 15

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Muleshoe-area residents get another chance for fresh air and adventure June 15 when the seventh annual Tour de Muleshoe arrives.

The event includes a ride for everyone — a 10-mile ride, a 40-mile ride and the 100K for serious riders.

There is a \$20 entry fee, with all proceeds going to the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation.

Pre-registration is available through

June 10, and makes the entrant eligible for \$500 in Southwest Airlines vouchers.

Late registration will again be accepted the day of the race from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. at the starting point — the Bailey County Coliseum.

Ride packets will not be mailed to early registrants, but are to be picked up the morning of the ride. The packets will contain a water bottle, ride number, route map, collector T-shirt and a meal ticket.

Riders set their own pace.

The spaghetti meal after the ride is free to riders. Tickets for non-riders are \$4 for adults and \$2 for children under 12, and serving will be from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Coliseum.

There will be entertainment during the meal, and drawings will be held for door prizes and the airline vouchers.

This year's sponsors include Muleshoe State Bank, First Bank, United Supermarket, Leal's Restaurant, Bamert Seed Co. and Five Area Telephone Cooperative.

Muleshoe man opposes director of health agency

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Alberto Daniel of Muleshoe has asked to be placed on the agenda for a South Plains Health Providers board meeting this Thursday in Plainview.

Daniel says he will oppose the re-appointment of Steve DeWoody as executive director of the agency, which maintains a clinic in Muleshoe.

The board meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. in the organization's Plainview clinic.

Daniel stated in a letter to board president Shane Jones that he will make several allegations against DeWoody.

The first is that the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services mailed the board a letter March 30 detailing several issues that "needed prompt attentino from the board," but that DeWoody did not tell the board about the letter until April 4, and then only because the former board president had informed them about it.

Daniel also said DeWoody has recently spoken repeatedly for the board on issues where the board had not authorized him to do so, and that this violates the bylaws.

These instances, according to Daniel, include discouraging two potential candidates for board positions — one of whom, Joe S. Padilla, apparently had expressed interest in filling a board position from Muleshoe. There is no telephone listing in the Muleshoe area for Joe S. Padilla.

Daniel said he reviewed the minutes of meetings prior to the letters being sent to potential candidates, and that he found no discussion about sending either letter.

And finally, Daniel alleges that DeWoody misrepresented himself as the president of the organization in a building lease agreement.

DeWoody could not be reached for comment late Friday.

Combest announces new farm bill

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

U.S. Rep. Larry Combest announced late Friday that House and Senate conferees had agreed on a new farm bill and that the Office of Management and Budget had determined that it fits budget constraints.

The six-year plan will be sent to the full House and Senate for approval and then to President Bush to be signed into law.

Combest said major pro-

visions of interest to West Texas farmers and ranchers include:

- Eliminating Senate payment limitations;
- Commodity target prices that provide long-term stability;
- Replacing current farm policy that lacks an adequate safety net by putting the new bill in place for this crop year;
- Making area peanut growers eligible for commodity program benefits

similar to those available to cotton and corn farmers;

- Significantly increasing the historic baseline spending for voluntary conservation programs such as the Environmental Quality Incentives Program and expanding the Conservation Resource Program; and
- Providing producers with the option to update base acreage and payment yields.

Lazbuddie SADD tackles projects

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

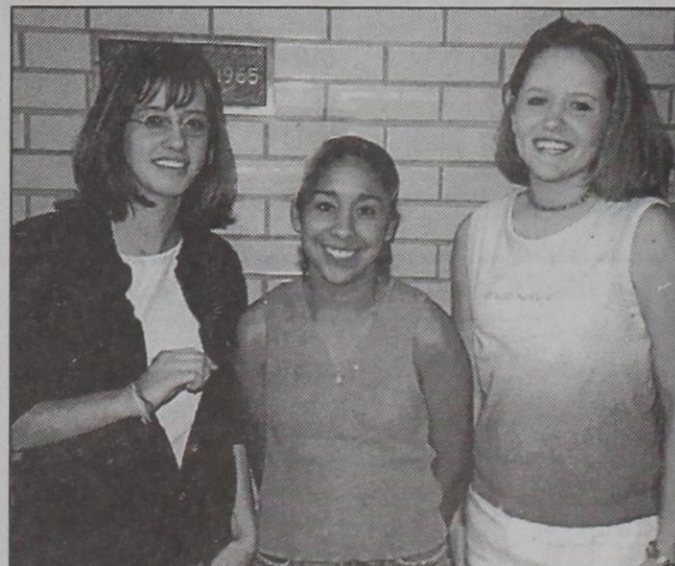
Lazbuddie's chapter of Students Against Destructive Decisions has been active in several projects this year.

Among the group's activities are bicycle-safety courses for the elementary school students, buying pencils for elementary students, presenting a puppet show against substance abuse and seat-belt checks.

In the last one, passengers who were wearing seat belts got Lifesavers candy and those who weren't got Dum Dum suckers.

Some funds also went to buy a manual containing fund-raising ideas and projects for working with elementary students.

Members include Mandy Haney, Ana Hernández and Amanda



Lazbuddie chapter members are (from left) Mandy Haney, Ana Hernández and Amanda Schaeffer.

Schaeffer. Another former member, Luz Ana Chávez moved to Arizona in March.

Contributors to the program include North Lazbuddie Gin, Foster Fertilizer, Lazbuddie Garage

and Supplies, Treider Electric, Russel Spraying, the Rev. Randy Thomas and family, the Gail Morris family, the Scott Brown family, Royce and Connie Barnes and Lazbuddie's First Baptist Church.

AROUND MULESHOE

Shelburne book-signing scheduled

Curtis Shelburne of Muleshoe will be signing copies of his book, *How To Measure a Rainbow*, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. May 2 at the Muleshoe Public Library.

The event is open to the public.

Boll-weevil group promotes Guzmán

Filemón Guzmán of Muleshoe has been named assistant zone manager for the Northern High Plains Zone by the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation.

He succeeds Trent Parrish, who is now the manager of the Northwest Plains Zone.

Guzmán has an associate's degree in agribusiness technology from South Plains College in Levelland, and joined the foundation in 2000 as a district environmental monitoring specialist. He will continue his duties in that capacity.

Scholarship donations being sought

Donations to the Muleshoe Opportunity Scholarship Trust are being sought to help assure that every Muleshoe graduate has the opportunity to pursue higher education.

Funds are handled through The Opportunity Plan Inc. in Canyon, and scholarships may be applied to the cost of any college or trade school.

Donations of any amount, which are tax deductible, can make a difference when pooled with others.

The school district plans to publish the names of all donors in the newspaper in June.

More information is available by calling 272-7404.

Ellis speaks on World Trade Center

Todd Ellis of Muleshoe will speak on his experience at the World Trade Center disaster site at 7 p.m. April 29.

The event is being sponsored by the United Methodist Women of Muleshoe's First United Methodist Church.

Ellis was a member of the Federal Disaster Team who helped in New York City after the Sept. 11 terrorist attack, and at times acted as national commander for the team.

The meeting is open to everyone — men and women.

"An invitation is extended to everyone . . . to come on this night to hear Todd tell about this most traumatic time in America's history and about his help during the clean-up period," a press release stated.

School news

Parents and others interested in activities in the Muleshoe Independent School District can learn about changes in the current week's activities by calling 272-7669. The information line is also updated for changes in the school schedule due to bad weather.

Correction

A story that began on Page 1 of last Sunday's Journal referred to Kevin Smith as president of the Friends of the Library.

While Smith did make the organization's presentation to the city council that was the subject of the story, Richard Orozco is the group's president.

The Journal regrets the error.

Public calendar

April 28-May 1 — 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday, 6:30 p.m. weekdays at Calvary Baptist Church. Former Muleshoe resident the Rev. Glenn Border conducts a revival.

April 29 — 10 a.m. Bailey County Commissioners'

Court, in the commission room at the courthouse.

Also on April 29 — 7 p.m. Muleshoe School Board, in the board room at the district's administration office. Included will be a public hearing on a proposed sex-education curriculum.

Also on April 29 — 7 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church fellowship hall. Todd Ellis will tell about his experiences at the World Trade Center during the aftermath of the Sept. 11 terrorist attack.

May 2 — Noon to 1 p.m. at the Bailey County Coliseum. Pro-life activist Randall Terry speaks at the Mayor's Prayer Luncheon. Meal catered by River Smith; cost is a donation to benefit a local charity.

May 10 — Noon at 16th and Avenue D Church of Christ. The monthly Soup and Sandwich Luncheon features Curtis Shelburne, the church pastor and author of the newspaper column "Focus on Faith," will share a chapter from his book *How To Measure a Rainbow*. The meal is offered on a free-will basis. Information, 272-4619.

The deadline for items to appear in Around Muleshoe is 5 p.m. Monday for Thursday's editions and 5 p.m. Thursday for Sunday's editions.

GOOD OLD DAYS

40 Years Ago

April 1962 — The 1961 Muleshoe High School "Muletrain" yearbook wins for the third straight year over 33 Class AA schools. The Class B trophy was awarded at the convention of the Panhandle High School Press Association in Canyon.

Capri pants were being advertised \$1.99, and an ironing-board cover and pad were \$1.29 at Ben Franklin's.

White's Cashways had hamburger meat at 3 pounds for \$1, Gladiola flour at 5 pounds for 39 cents and Crisco at 79 cents for a 3-pound can.

35 Years Ago

April 1967 — Ted Harrison was fireman of the month.

About 500 children attended the Easter egg hunt sponsored by the Muleshoe Jaycees. The children hunted \$80 worth of Easter eggs and \$70 in prizes.

Mrs. David Suddeth was

the winner of 5,500 Buccaneer stamps at Jim's Pay-n-Save.

30 Years Ago

April 1972 — Six-packs of king-size Dr. Pepper were 39 cents at Jim's Pay-n-Save.

All-purpose Russet potatoes were 29 cents per 10-pound bag.

25 Years Ago

April 1977 — Joe Mata won first place in the Plymouth Trouble Shooting Contest in Oklahoma City, where he attended Oklahoma State Tech. He was a second-trimester student and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luis Mata of Muleshoe.

Freider Electric of Lazbuddie won first place in the annual Jaycee Volleyball Men's Division Tournament. First Bank of Muleshoe won second in the women's division.

Six-packs of 32-ounce Coca-Cola sold for 99 cents (limit of one carton) with a purchase of \$7.50 or more at Piggly Wiggly.

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A little visit

Park View resident Johnnie Kimbrough (left) visits with volunteer Ethel Murray at Friday's volunteer appreciation brunch at the nursing home. Terri Brown offers a hand.

Allergy sufferers should bless sneezing

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

HOUSTON — Some advice for allergy season? Don't stifle your sneeze.

Whether ladylike and whisper-silent or hurricane-force honking, sneezing makes spring miserable for allergy sufferers. But what is commonly considered a nuisance has a powerful purpose.

"Sneezing can shoot tiny particles out of the nose at up to 100 miles per hour," said Dr. Cassius Bordelon, an associate professor of cell biology who teaches anatomy at Baylor College of Medicine.

"If we couldn't sneeze, we wouldn't be able to rid the body of substances that could harm it," he added.

Sneezing begins when people inhale foreign substances such as smoke, pet dander, pollution and perfumes.

These substances irritate the nasal passages and stimulate nerve endings, activating a reflex inside the brain that controls the muscles in the head and neck.

"The sensation can be compared to an itch inside the nose, and the only way to scratch it is to sneeze," Bordelon said.

In the beginning stages of a sneeze, pressure builds up inside the chest. Sneezing occurs when this compressed air explodes out the respiratory tract and out the nose.

"The person doing the sneezing, more often than the amount or kind of irritant, determines if the sneeze comes out as a gale-force windstorm or several small ach-ooos," Bordelon said.

"The reasons behind the severity of the sneeze are

usually more sociological than physical," he said. "Some people are just more comfortable letting it all out, while others try to be more discreet."

Whether loud or quiet, the same process that removes irritants from the body also spreads germs and viruses such as the common cold.

Time-elapsd photos of people sneezing show countless droplets of moisture surrounding their heads.

But while covering your nose when sneezing helps protect others from germs, stifling a sneeze out of politeness may do more harm than good. In rare cases, increased pressure from holding your nose and closing your mouth can blow out the eardrums.

"When you stifle a sneeze, you can prevent the clearance of the germs or irritants

Cattle on feed up 10 percent

AUSTIN — Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter markets in Texas feedlots totaled 2.9 million head on April 1, up 10 percent from a year ago.

According to the monthly report released by the Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, the estimate was up 2 percent from the March 1 estimate.

Producers placed 560,000 head in commercial feedlots (those with more than 1,000-head capacities) during March, up 23 percent from a year ago and up 37 percent from the February 2002 total.

Texas commercial feeders marketed

495,000 head during February, down 10 percent from last year but 24 percent above the February 2002 total.

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PUBLIC RECORD

MULESHOE POLICE

April 4 Cheryl Joyce Feagley, 46, DWI (first).

April 5 Daniel Rey, 22, violation of driver's license restriction A, and disregarding stop sign.

April 12 Lydia Ann Cavazos, 31, Deaf Smith warrant — theft by check (bonded out).

April 13 James Dustin Kidd, 20, DWI (third).

April 20 Silvester Saucedo Martínez, 22, no driver's license, no tag lamp — released to immigration.

Manuel Antonio Chavera, 23, city warrants — no seat belt, no insurance.

April 21 Terri Lynn Villa, 24, city warrant — possession of drug paraphernalia.

April 22 Carlos Arciniega Muñoz, 56, DWI (third).

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

March 26 Benny Martínez, 34, theft by check (bonded out).

April 6 Kevin Albert Davenport, 27, public intoxication.

Melina Bustillos Diaz, 24, terroristic threat (bonded out).

Gabriel Lee Cantu, 21, furnishing alcohol to minor.

April 8 Rosalva López, 32, false application on government document.

José Lule López, 35, false application on government docu-

ment.

April 20 Maria DeLos Angeles Rodríguez, 25, motion to revoke probation.

STATE POLICE

April 6 Larry Dewayne Ross, 49, DWI (felony).

April 21 Telesforo Toscano, 31, DWI (third).

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A warm welcome

Park View volunteer Mildred Williams (seated) and employee Ruth Kitchens welcome resident Susie Whatley to Friday's volunteer appreciation brunch at the nursing home.

TODAY'S RECIPE

LUSCIOUS FRESH LEMON BARS

Crust:
 1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened
 1/2 cup granulated sugar
 Grated peel of one lemon
 1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
Lemon layer:
 4 eggs
 12/3 cups granulated sugar
 3 Tbsp. all-purpose flour
 1/2 tsp. baking powder
 Grated peel of 1/2 lemon
 6 Tbsp. juice from lemons (two lemons)
 1 tsp. vanilla extract
 Confectioners' sugar

To make the crust, cream together (in a bowl) the butter, granulated sugar and lemon peel. Gradually stir in the flour to

form a soft, crumbly dough. Press evenly into the bottom of a foil-lined 12x9x2-inch baking pan.
 Bake at 350 degrees F for 15 minutes.
 Meanwhile, to prepare the lemon layer, whisk or beat eggs well in a large bowl.
 Stir together the granulated sugar, flour and baking powder; gradually whisk the sugar mixture into the beaten eggs.
 Stir or whisk in the lemon peel, lemon juice and vanilla.
 Pour over the hot baked crust. Return to the oven and bake for 20 to 25 minutes, or until the top and sides are lightly browned. Cool.
 Using the foil on two sides, lift out the cookie base and gently loosen foil along all

sides. With a long wet knife, cut into bars or squares.
 Sprinkle the tops with confectioners' sugar.
 Yield: 3 dozen cookies
GREEK MUSHROOM ORZO
 2 Tbsp. olive oil
 1 lb. fresh white mushrooms, sliced (about 5 cups)
 1 1/4 cups (8 oz.) orzo (rice-shaped pasta), uncooked
 1 can (14 1/2 oz.) Italian-style stewed tomatoes
 1 can (13 3/4 oz.) ready-to-serve chicken broth
 1/4 cup crumbled basil-and-tomato-flavored feta cheese

In a large skillet over medium heat, heat the oil until hot. Add the mushrooms and cook, stirring occasionally, until tender and mushrooms

just release their liquid—about six minutes.
 Stir in the orzo, tomatoes, chicken broth and half a cup of water. Simmer covered, stirring occasionally, until the orzo is tender and most of the liquid is absorbed—about nine minutes.
 Stir in the feta and served immediately.
 Yield: 4 servings

OBITUARIES

PEYTON DUNHAM

Services were held Saturday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel for Peyton Dunham, 65, of Lubbock. The Rev. Dr. Stacy Conner officiated. Burial was in Bailey County Cemetery.

Mr. Dunham was born May 20, 1936, at Davidson, Okla. He died Wednesday at home.

He married Lillian Bickel on May 15, 1954, in Clovis. He had lived in the Muleshoe area from 1952 to 1957. He moved to Lubbock in October 2001 from Chugiak, Alaska, where he had retired as an engineer for British Petroleum.

Mr. Dunham is survived by his wife, Judy; two sons, Randy Dunham of Lubbock and James Dunham of Stafford, Va.; three daughters, Sandra Stafford of Lubbock, Debra Dunham of Austin and Thresa Umsted of Durant, Okla.; his father, R.P. Dunham of Norman, Okla.; a sister, Nancy Shackelford of Durant; two brothers, Jack Dunham of Muleshoe and Larry Dunham of Pottsboro, Texas; 10 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the Children's Miracle Network (P.O. Box 5980, Lubbock 79408).

ESTHER MAGBY

Graveside services were held Friday at Bailey County Cemetery for Esther Magby,

95, of Littlefield. The Rev. Bobby Burris officiated. Ellis Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Mrs. Magby was born Jan. 27, 1907, at Eleyville, Ark. She died Thursday at the Hospital House in Littlefield.

She married Ernest L. Magby on Oct. 26, 1926, in Olton. He died Dec. 28, 1966.

She was a homemaker and had been a member of 16th and D Church of Christ in Muleshoe.

She moved with her family to Turkey, Texas, in 1912 from Eleyville. In 1925, they moved to the Fairview area south of Muleshoe, taking eight days to make the trip from Turkey in three covered wagons. They moved into Muleshoe in the early 1940s.

Mrs. Magby is survived by three daughters and two sons-in-law, Vinita Parrish of Anaheim, Calif., Almora and Earl Busbea of Shallowater and Orvdie and Bobby Burris of Muleshoe; nine grandchildren, Glenna Dale Parrish Smith of Calimesa, Calif., Paula Burris Torbett of Monahans, Texas, Orvis Nathan Burris of Muleshoe and Charlotte Busbea Howard, Denny Leroy Busbea, Darrell Busbea, Christy Lynn Busbea, Ernest Verdean Burris and Bobby Randal Burris, all of Lubbock; 28 great-grandchildren; and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

ARLEEN REGALADO

Graveside services were held Thursday at Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock for Arleen Vianey Regalado, infant daughter of Omar and Fabiola Regalado of Muleshoe.

She was born April 21 at Muleshoe Area Medical Center and died April 23 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

She also is survived by a brother, Omar Saul, at home; her grandparents, Alfredo and Leticia Ituarte of Mexico and Bill and Irene González of Clovis; and her great-grandparents, Fidel and Estella Cervantes and Primitivo and Eusebia Sierra, all of Mexico, and Asunción Chávez of Clovis.

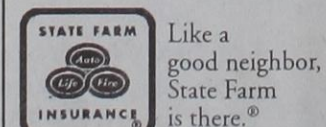
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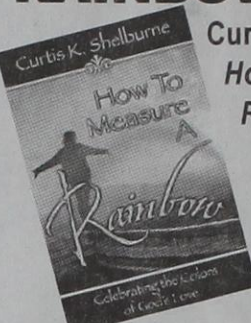
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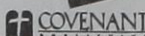
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Garden spot of the week

This bed of bearded iris at the home of Jeffrey and Buffy Mullins, 344 Highway 214, was chosen as the Jennyslippers' garden spot of the week for April 22 through May 4.

Resolutions presented at Democratic convention

Delegates, elected officials, candidates and guests attending the Bailey County Democratic Party convention discussed several resolutions that had been submitted by precincts.

All the resolutions that follow will be forwarded to the state convention with the recommendation that they be adopted by the state and/or national Democratic platforms.

All in attendance were given the opportunity to speak on the resolutions presented and present new resolutions. Only delegates were eligible to vote; all resolutions were adopted unanimously except where indicated below.

1. HEALTH CARE

That the Democratic Party of Texas shall agree, promote and will put forward a plan whereby the citizens of the state of Texas, and all of them, have access to quality, affordable health care via health insurance or premiums, regardless of income, age or health, as well as assistance or insurance for prescription drugs by holding facilities and insurance companies to a higher standard of ethics.

2. UNDERGROUND WATER

That the Democratic Party support regulations of underground water supplies' purity, and limit the number of manure-producing facilities in the state of Texas.

A lively discussion was followed by a vote of 4 for and 3 against.

3. PAY FOR STATE AND NATIONAL ELECTED OFFICE HOLDERS

That elected office holders at the both the state and national level be allowed no automatic pay raises. All increases in pay must have the full vote of both houses, with notice to the voting public.

4. CHOICE

Whereas the Democratic Party of Texas believes in the principles of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, and believes in every American's right to privacy, and stands for limited government, individual responsibility and the separation of church and state; and because one basic tenet of individual liberty is the right to make personal choices for ourselves and our families without fear of unwarranted government intrusion into our privacy.

Therefore be it resolved, that the Democratic Party of Texas will work to guarantee every woman the right to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive choices, including preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children and choosing safe, legal abortion.

The seven delegates voted 4 for and 3 against.

5. BLUE SKIES RESOLUTION

Whereas Texas skies are not clean and pristine as they should be, and the air in the Dallas/Forth Worth area does not meet health-based standards, and the state air plan for the region is not adequate, and several recent studies have shown strong links between air pollution and asthma, respiratory illness, strokes, and deaths from lung cancer and heart disease, and over 1,300 premature deaths in Texas, and 369 in the Dallas/Ft. Worth Metroplex

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result every year from powerplant pollution alone, and Texas power plants are the state's largest industrial sources of smog-forming nitrogen oxides and mercury emissions, which contaminate fish and pose serious health risks for developing babies and children, and TXU's Monticello power plant emits more mercury than any other plant in the nation; and Texas power plants also emit high levels of sulfur particle pollution that causes acid rain and increased deaths from lung cancer and heart disease; and rank first in the nation for carbon dioxide emissions, which contribute to global warming, administration proposals are in motion that would roll back a key protection of the Clean Air Act (the New Source Review provision) that requires old plants to add modern pollution controls, and is needed to clean up many types of industries, and Congressmen Waxman

and Boehlert have introduced the Clean Smokestacks Act, HR 1256, and Senators Jeffords and Lieberman have introduced the companion Clean Power Act in the Senate, S 556, which would end federal grandfathering of power plants and reduce all four major power plant pollutants,

Therefore be it resolved, that an effective four-pollutant plan for power-plant cleanup is essential and that Clean Air Act protections should be strongly enforced in order to protect our economy and our climate, and to protect the health of all Texans, especially our children.

6. SOCIAL SECURITY

That Social Security be stabilized by forbidding withdrawals from the General Fund for any other purpose except retirement, the elderly or infirm, and that all payments be subject to means testing.

No One Erects Statues To Honor Critics

In an old issue of *Leadership Journal*, Haddon Robinson retells the story of a very talented young musician who was crestfallen as he sat reading the critics' reviews of his recent concert. The negative words stung his soul like fire. It was an older and more accomplished musician, the famous Finnish composer Jean Sibelius who comforted the young man by patting him on the back and remarking,



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"Remember, son, there is no city in the world where they have erected a statue to a critic."

Maybe that's at least partly what Jesus was saying with his well-known words from what we know as the Sermon on the Mount: "Do not judge, or you too will be judged. For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you" (Matthew 7:1-3).

J. B. Phillips, in his paraphrase, just puts it this way: "Don't criticize people, and you will not be criticized."

That's hard, isn't it? But it says something we need to hear.

We're all familiar with Jesus' words, but we easily push them to the backs of our minds when we take up the

role of self-appointed judges, critics, of our neighbor next door or our co-worker on the job or the lady sitting on the other side of the pew. Criticism is, you see, the most common form of judging.

But Jesus makes fun of judges like us: "Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and fail to notice the 2 X 4 plank in your own?"

It's one thing to offer kindly advice to someone we're charged to teach or train: "I really appreciate the work that you do. Have you ever thought about how this particular part of your work could be more effective?"

It's another to spend all of our time looking at others and appraising them with jaundiced eyes. The eye, Jesus says, is "the window of the body." If I'm looking at the world through dark glasses, I shouldn't be surprised if the whole world takes on a dark hue. It's altogether too easy for me to become the self-appointed judge of everyone and everything around me. I sit up in the reviewing stand watching the world go by and writing down the marks I award to each person who parades by for my inspection. Without the benefit of a court or Presidential appointment, and certainly no divine mandate, I ascend to the cardboard bench of my own making and judge while the world goes by.

For most of us, judging ourselves should be task enough.

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

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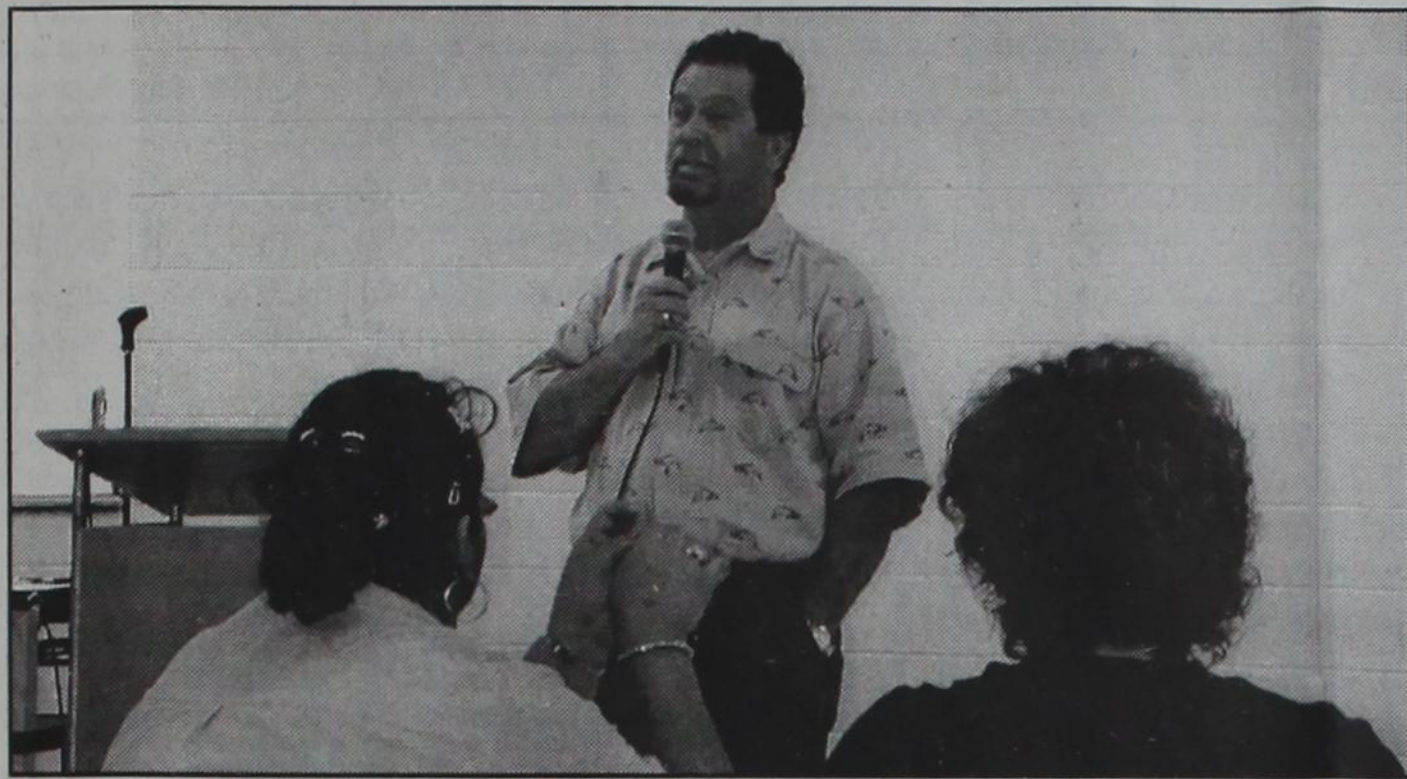
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Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

Addressing problems

Benny Brito, outreach supervisor for the substance abuse prevention program at the Lubbock office of Mental Health/Mental Retardation, speaks Tuesday at the annual migrant education program in the Muleshoe High School cafeteria.

Think twice about fat-free snacks for kids

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

Parents should study the label carefully before buying "fat-free" snacks for growing children.

"Fat-free snacks rarely offer much of a calorie savings because the fat is generally replaced by extra carbohydrates," said Dr. Janice Stuff, an assistant profes-

sor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

"Low-fiber, low-fat snacks also don't trigger a feeling of fullness very quickly, which can cause children to overindulge in these tasty treats," she added.

Stuff reminds parents that

both traditional full-fat and fat-free snacks are in the "use sparingly" tip of the Food Guide Pyramid because they offer little nutritional value beyond calories.

On the other hand, fat-free snacks like fruits and vegetables are loaded with vitamins, minerals and fi-

STUDENT-COMMUNITY ACTION CLUB

The Student-Community Action Club of Muleshoe High School held its annual bake auction April 20 on Channel 6.

Through the generosity of Channel 6's owners, the club has held this auction on television for many years in support of the Muleshoe Heritage Center.

The auction was very successful again this year.

Each club member brings two home-baked food items to Channel 6, and then the students act as announcers, runners and delivery people, taking the baked items to buyers around the community.

This year's sale took in more than \$1,300.

The club has been one of the biggest supporters of the Heritage Center since 10 high school seniors wanted to save the Muleshoe Depot in 1982. Club members work with the Heritage Center board on its many activities.

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Information on cooking with lemons and cleaning techniques will be the topics on "Creative Living" at 1 p.m. April 30 and 3 p.m. May 4. (All times are Central.)

"Creative Living" airs on public broadcasting station KENW-TV from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

Marie Rama of Bronxville, N.Y., a representative of Sunkist Growers Inc., will show how to improve everyday dishes by adding lemons or lemon juice to the recipe.

Joan McClain of Manhattan Beach, Calif., a representative of Fantom Technologies, will demonstrate a cleaning system that will help remedy allergies, asthma and common household dust.

Information on flavored butters and eating healthier will be featured at 10:30

p.m. April 30 and 1 p.m. May 2.

Tammie Potts of Dairy MAX in Midland will discuss several uses for butter and then prepare some delicious recipes for making flavored butters.

Carol Roark, an independent distributor with Interior Design Nutritionals in Lubbock, says that physi-

cal performance is greatly influenced by diet, and she'll explain what she means by this.

"Creative Living" is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden of Portales.

The show is carried on more than 118 PBS stations in the United States, Canada, Guam, and Puerto Rico and is distributed by

Westlink of Albuquerque.

Viewers can request copies of materials offered on the show by sending a first-class stamp for each handout requested, along with name, address and booklets requested, to "Creative Living" Requests, c/o KENW-TV, 52 Broadcast Center, Portales 88130.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Muleshoe Area Medical Center reports the following patient load:

April 18 — Miguel R. Acevedo, Ruth C. Hunt, Winnie Jacops, Alicia Lira, Joshua Ramirez, Donnie D. Stewart and J. Wilhite.

April 19 — Ruth C. Hunt, Winnie Jacops, Crystal Langford, Jeffery C. Langford, Alicia Lira, Donnie D. Stewart and J. Wilhite.

April 20 — None re-

ported.

April 21 — None reported.

April 22 — Fern Christian, Ruth C. Hunt, Fabiola Regalado and J. Wilhite.

April 23 — Ruth C. Hunt, Joann Linares, Fabiola Regalado, Eudelia Villarreal and J. Wilhite.

April 24 — Letha Beach, Ruth C. Hunt, Baby Boy Linares, Joann Linares, Joseph C. Smith, Eudelia Villarreal and J. Wilhite.

DOWN THE STREET

By **JOLINE FRANKLIN**
Journal correspondent

Nelda Merriott says her husband, Lonnie, had a serious talk with their dog Willie after the story about the "Mayor of Highway 214" came out in the *Journal*.

He took the paper, folded it and showed Willie his picture, and said, "See, Willie, you're famous now — your picture and a story about you are in this paper!"

Merriott added in a serious tone that Willie might want to follow his career as mayor by running for dogcatcher.

A short time later, the Merriotts' daughter-in-law, Dawn Merriott, came rushing in with a copy of the same paper (which also mentioned her) and talked to Willie about both of them becoming celebrities.

Dawn Merriott and her husband, Mickey, recently moved back here from Amarillo.

There's some very good news about Eddy Morris, who recently went to Dallas for a checkup. He received a good report and is home now and feeling fine.

When Cathy King and I talked one day, she shared pleasant memories with me of

growing up on a Farwell farm. She said she takes her children, Michael and Jennifer, out to this farm where relatives now live.

There are happy times enjoyed and shared by the three of them and they all look forward to the next outing, she said

The Rev. Joe Augustine of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church is on a missionary trip to India, his birthplace. While there, he will also visit his mother.

The Rev. Alfonso San Juan from Spain is filling in, as he has before.

When I first visited the nursing home, I was amazed at the number of volunteers.

There had never been such a turnout of volunteers at the other homes I had visited, which were located in cities.

I shared this with Joy Stancell, the home's activities director, and she smiled that beautiful smile of hers and said, "Yes, and isn't it wonderful?"

I haven't made my first visit to Park View because of health problems — I just don't get around like I used to! But I have received good reports from my therapist in Lubbock, Anna Kellogg, so maybe I can go

soon — even next week.

I am looking forward to seeing my friends again, the residents I already know and the others who now live there.

Janice Snell is the missionary chairman of Calvary Baptist Church. She is a 20-year veteran of keeping in touch with all of the missionaries supported by the church. Calvary supports 25 missionaries in 12 countries.

Among those are the Rev. Joe and Leah Copley of Muleshoe are missionaries to Indians in Wyoming and have ministered to Indian people for years.

When the Copleys are in Muleshoe, they like to attend services at Calvary. Sometimes he preaches and reports on the Wyoming church.

Snell and her husband, Gene, are longtime area residents.

Billie Lee is looking for a rug loom and a quilting loom (not frames but looms).

She would like to hear from anyone who has either one of these items for sale (806-893-0691).

She says her grandmother is the only person she has known who had this type of loom. She would really appreciate any help in finding these items.

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National Soil & Water Stewardship Week, April 28 — May 5

The Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) has announced they will join in the national observance of Soil and Water Stewardship Week to take place on April 28 through May 5, 2002, according to an announcement by Johnny Furgeson, chairman of the district.

The theme of this year's observance is "The Gift of Trees". This focus is especially appropriate as our need for stewardship is vital if we are to maintain the productive capabilities of our basic natural resources. Together we must work for the good of all to utilize, conserve and properly manage those resources in our care. Participation in Soil and Water Stewardship Week activities offers an opportunity to reflect on the nation's renewable resource problems and consider actions to resolve them or reduce their impact.

Soil and Water Stewardship Week Proclamation

The well-being of our people depends on the production of ample supplies of food, fiber and other products of soil. The quality and quantity of these products depend upon the conservation, wise use and proper management of soil and water resources. It is the concern and responsibility of every person to see that soil resources be conserved and managed properly and water quality and quantity be maintained to assure the welfare of all citizens. Soil and water conservation districts provide a practical and democratic organization through which landowners are taking the initiative to properly use and protect these resources. Soil and water conservation districts are sponsoring Soil and Water Stewardship Week as a commitment to protecting our renewable resources. Therefore, I Marilyn Cox, County Judge of Bailey County, in full appreciation of the value of our soil, water and wildlife resources, and desiring to honor those resources, do hereby proclaim April 28 through May 5, 2002 as Soil and Water Stewardship Week in Bailey County, Texas. In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 22nd day of April, 2002.

Marilyn Cox
County Judge of Bailey County.



Blanca Domínguez pauses during her baby shower. Shower honors Domínguez

Blanca Arzola Hostesses were Mayra Domínguez was honored with a baby shower April 13 in the Bailey County Coliseum meeting room.

Special guests were the honoree's mother, Maria Lourdes Arzola; her sister, Anita Arzola; her mother-in-law, Juana Domínguez; and her sister-in-law, Hilda Domínguez.

The guests were served barbacoa, rice, beans, ice cream, cake and pineapple punch.

Arzola, Maria Lourdes Arzola, Mary Ann Arzola, Diana Arzola, Clarisa Caraveo, Beatrice Morin, Oralía Mendoza, Rosa Mendoza, Alicia Garza, Shelly Garza, Leticia Granados, Ana Guerra, Cecilia Granillo, Ramona Sánchez, María Sánchez (two of them), Benita Sánchez, Lidia Villescaz and Lidia Flores.

The hostess gift was a crib.

NURSING HOME NEWS

By Joy Stancell

Kite Fest 2002 was a great success. The community, residents' families and the Park View staff were great participants. The residents looked on and cheered the kite flyers — with the exception of one resident who also flew a kite. Janet Denton entertained with a concert on the patio during the flight of kites.

Buster Kittrell came Saturday and cut the men's hair and gave shaves.

Harold and Mary Jo Burge and Iris Clements directed the bingo bash Saturday afternoon.

Members of the Muleshoe Church of Christ directed the Communion service Sunday morning.

Buster Kittrell had 14 residents in Bible study Sunday morning.

Members of the Primitive Baptist Church came Sunday afternoon for a singing service.

Gordon and Marilyn Wilson visited Park View on Wednesday.

Ann Locke directed a devotional service Monday morning.

Beverly Wagnon, Josie Ovalle, Pat Watson, Mary Jo Burge, Claudine Embry and

the activity department shampoed and set the women's hair Tuesday afternoon. Norma Eaves gave nail care.

The staff extends sympathy to the families of Gregoria Reyna and Hazel McMahan.

Diane Brown, Melody Sheets, Drucilla Hutton and the Prayer Sisters from Muleshoe Church of Christ donated two large wooden planters and set out plants to fill them. The planter and flowers are a real enhancement to the dining-room patio.

Buster and Wanda Kittrell and Harold and Mary Jo Burge served coffee and doughnuts at coffee time Wednesday morning.

Prentiss Rhyme and a group of men representing the Gideons gave a special Bible dedication and distributing service in the day room Wednesday morning. After the service, Loyce Killingsworth, Buster Kittrell and Jim Claunch directed the singspiration time.

Jo Ellen Cowart and Brady Mason directed a gospel sing-along Wednesday afternoon. Lillian Street was a special guest of Pauline Guinn.

Kenneth Martin, J.C.

Shanks, Guy Kendall and Elzie Darland were honored with an April birthday party Thursday. Volunteers Plus and the activity department staff hosted the event. Decorators Floral gave each birthday resident a corsage or boutonniere. Lasting

Impressions treated each one with a TY Beanie Baby attached to a balloon. Curtis and J.C. Snitker provided entertainment.

Josie Ovalle and Donna Locker donated supplies for the beauty shop Tuesday.

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APRIL 28-MAY 4

Taurus — April 21/May 21
One way or another, you'll make a name for yourself this week, Taurus. You attract people who like controversy. Conversations at work get personal, but you started them.

Gemini — May 22/June 21
Like so many others these days, Gemini, you're a slave to your reactions. An unpredictable move confuses an opponent, but you already know where the relationship is going.

Cancer — June 22/July 22
If your clients or coworkers are smart this week, Cancer, they'll give you the power of final say. Cancer's vision is the perfect mix of art and emotion. Your touch deeply affects many people.

Leo — July 23/August 23
If pushed too far, you might be unable to stop this week, Leo. Be careful what you say before you spit out words that could get you into trouble. Aquarius provides a needed breath of fresh air.

Virgo — Aug 24/Sept 22
You're on a roll, Virgo, and especially make your mark on Thursday. You are a hero, a genius and generally entertaining to many coworkers. Enjoy your success.

Libra — Sept 23/Oct 23
If you're too eager this week, Libra, you'll only alienate friends and coworkers. Be self-sufficient even as you track others' progress. Your time to shine will come shortly.

Scorpio — Oct 24/Nov 22
Once again you are looked toward for leadership, Scorpio. Tuesday presents your most challenging day yet. Be clear about what you want to accomplish, because you will.

Sagittarius — Nov 23/Dec 21
Sagittarians know what they can and cannot do. A realistic attitude inspires confidence in someone who is tired of excuses. Attempt to mend a space that has occurred between a friend and you.

Capricorn — Dec 22/Jan 20
Surprise everyone with your extensive knowledge and charismatic personality. Right now you can justify anything, Capricorn. Appreciate what you can do, others surely agree with your efforts.

Aquarius — Jan 21/Feb 18
Even though you feel exposed and unready to conquer a major obstacle, Aquarius, you are actually ahead of the game. You have nothing to lose, so put your heart into your work.

Pisces — Feb 19/March 20
You're the life of the party this week, Pisces, and are having a wonderful time in the spotlight. The team is supporting you in all you do, so delight in the moment while it lasts.

Aries — March 21/April 20
You're not popular this week, Aries, and you feel like you're stranded behind enemy lines with nothing but your wits. For the next few days don't seek out confrontations.

SCHOOL MENUS

MULESHOE JR./SR. HIGH

April 29
Breakfast — Pig-n-blanket, cereal with graham cracker, assorted juice and milk.
Lunch — Chopped barbecue on bun with pickle, ham and cheese sandwich, peanut-butter and jelly sandwich, campfire baked beans, macaroni and cheese, peaches and milk.

April 30
Breakfast — Ham and cheese biscuit, cereal with graham cracker, assorted juice, assorted fresh fruit and milk.
Lunch — Chicken pot pie, baked potato, BLT chicken sandwich, pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, oven fries, seasoned green beans, assorted chilled fruit, fresh fruit, Bluebell rainbow and milk.

Rest of week — Not received.

MULESHOE ELEMENTARIES

April 29
Breakfast — French-toast sticks, cereal with graham cracker, assorted juice and milk.
Lunch — Green chili chicken enchiladas, pinto beans, salad, crackers, lemon pudding and milk.

April 30
Breakfast — Hash browns, sausage, toast and jelly, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk.
Lunch — Chicken-fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, gravy, rosemary apples and milk.

May 1
Breakfast — Hash browns, sausage, toast and jelly, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk.
Lunch — Chicken-fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, gravy, rosemary apples and milk.

May 2
Breakfast — Steak fingers, biscuit and jelly, gravy, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk.
Lunch — Chicken nuggets, smiles, corn, Jell-O, hot roll and milk.

May 3
Breakfast — Scrambled eggs, with cheese, toast and jelly, cereal, graham crackers, juice

tomato, gravy, apricot cobbler and milk.

April 30
Breakfast — Cinnamon roll, ham, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk.
Lunch — Green chili chicken enchiladas, pinto beans, salad, crackers, lemon pudding and milk.

May 1
Breakfast — Hash browns, sausage, toast and jelly, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk.
Lunch — Chicken-fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, gravy, rosemary apples and milk.

May 2
Breakfast — Steak fingers, biscuit and jelly, gravy, cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk.
Lunch — Chicken nuggets, smiles, corn, Jell-O, hot roll and milk.

May 3
Breakfast — Scrambled eggs, with cheese, toast and jelly, cereal, graham crackers, juice

and milk.

Lunch — Sandwich, fruit, pickles, chips, cookie and milk.

LAZBUDDIE
April 29
No school.

April 30
Lunch — Steak patty (pre-k-1), pizza, submarine sandwiches, au gratin potatoes, corn, carrots, applesauce, fruit, salad, Jell-O, cottage cheese, yogurt and milk.

May 1
Lunch — Chicken spaghetti, hamburgers (pre-k-1), Hot Pockets, green beans, mixed vegetables, pineapple, salad, Jell-O, cottage cheese, yogurt and milk.

May 2
Lunch — Fiesta pile-on, burritos (pre-k-1), tuna sandwiches, pinto beans, rice, hominy, pears, salad, Jell-O, cottage cheese, yogurt and milk.

May 3
Lunch — Manager's special.

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All bids shall be delivered to the Bailey Central Appraisal District, 302 Main Street, Muleshoe, Texas 79347, prior to 5:00 p.m. May 15, 2002. The Appraisal District Board of Directors shall open the bids at 7:00 p.m., May 16, 2002, at the Appraisal District Conference Room. This a regular scheduled meeting and is open to the public and any interested persons.

Specifications may be picked up at the Bailey Central Appraisal District, 302 Main Street, Muleshoe, Texas or by calling 806-272-5501.

The successful bidder must deliver the vehicle accepted, on or before June 16, 2002.

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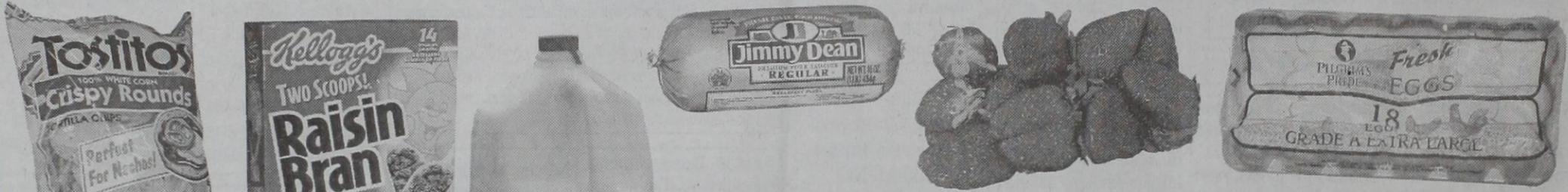
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