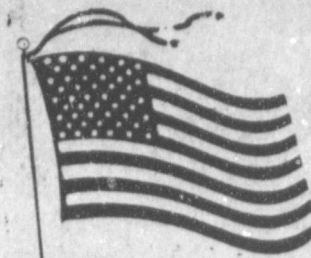


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## ASCS Releases Disaster Program Plans

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Sudan won it's quarter-final game against Wheeler Friday night, by a score of 21-9. The game was played at Canyon High School.

Janie Mejia of the Community Action Program in Muleshoe has said that commodities will be distributed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at Tradewinds Plaza.

Nancy Kidd, manager of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture has announced, "decorate your home for the holidays and the CofC will have qualified people there to judge your talent."

"If you want your property judged, call the Chamber office, 272-4248.

"Winners will be announced Friday, December 22."

A Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) dance will be held Saturday, December 16, 8 p.m.-1 a.m. at the Legion Hall in Muleshoe.

Music will be by Perry Jager. CYO says the admission will be \$2 each, plus a can of food.

All local and area youth are encouraged to attend.

Watson Junior High School's Educator of the Week is Tom Boutell, Junior High art instructor.

Receiving principal awards as Students of the Week were Holly Norris, sixth grade; Misti Richardson, seventh grade and Gage Angeley, eighth grade.

Adult English classes have begun at Lazbuddie ISD. Classes are meeting 7:30-10 p.m. on Thursday nights in the cafeteria.

Anyone interested in attending should enroll during class hours or contact Mrs. Martinez at 965-2153 or 965-2490.

The South Plains Regional Review Committee will meet at 9 a.m. on Thursday, December 14, to review and score applications submitted to the Texas Department of Commerce Texas Community Development Program for 1989 Community Development funds.

Thirty applications, including one from Bailey County, totalling \$5.8 million will be considered. Eligible applicants are non-entitlement cities and counties with a population of less than 50,000 located in the 15-county South Plains region. A regional allocation of \$1.4 million is available.

### Stolen Animals Prompt Warning From Officials

A dog was stolen from Pen No. Two at the City of Muleshoe Animal Shelter on Wednesday, December 6, before 3 p.m., according to Della Snell, Animal Warden.

She said the dog is old and sick and in need of medical attention. She asks if you have any information regarding this dog, to call her at 272-4569.

"Folks! Please consider the risk involved by committing this act," said the animal warden. "You may be exposed to an illness than can be transmitted to other animals or your family. Also, you have committed a crime by taking the animal."

"Over the years, a number of dogs have been removed from the shelter. I am the person who is responsible for the animals in the shelter and I am held accountable for them," concluded Mrs. Snell.



IN COMPLIANCE FOR TEN CONSECUTIVE YEARS--Terry Julian, left, supervising inspector for the Texas Jail Standards Commission, awarded the Bailey County Jail a Certificate of Compliance denoting 'Ten Consecutive Years' of compliance with rules and regulations of the jail commission. He uses a book approximately one and one-half inches thick to check for deficiencies in the jail operations. Accepting the certificate are Bailey County Sheriff Jerry Hicks, center, and Chief Deputy Sheriff Richard Bonham, who is jail supervisor. (Journal Photo)

## New MAHD Administrator Takes Over Duties At Muleshoe Hospital

Last Tuesday, December 5, Phil Langston officially took over as administrator of Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

The Oklahoma native will be moving his wife, Linda and two children to Muleshoe in the near future.

He is a graduate of Pauls Valley High School, Pauls Valley, OK; East Central State College at Ada, OK; Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK and University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH.

### CofC Plans Seminar In January

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture has been asked several times to sponsor a "customer related" seminar. This will be scheduled in January, according to Nancy Kidd, manager.

On Wednesday, December 13, at 10 a.m., Joel Combs will give a "coffee break" presentation in the Muleshoe State Bank conference room to business owners or managers. The presentation will be on what the seminar will cover. This presentation will only cost you your coffee break, reminded Mrs. Kidd.

Combs comes with very high recommendations from other Chambers of Commerce in the State of Texas, added the CofC manager. He has been presenting seminars for twenty years.

You will be called on Monday, December 11 and Tuesday, December 12, for a commitment reminder.

Some of the topics in the seminar, which will be conducted in January are *Personal Attitude Development, Personal Relations Effectiveness, Sales Skills, Goal-Setting, Time Management*, and last but not least, *Memory Development*.

"We encourage our business owners or managers to take advantage of this 30-minute "coffee break" presentation of the seminar," concluded Mrs. Kidd.

He received a BS in General Business Administration in 1966; a BS in Hotel and Restaurant Administration in 1967 and a MS



PHIL LANGSTON

### Radio Station KMUL Welcomes New Owners

KMUL AM & FM Radio, owned by Muleshoe Broadcasting Company, Inc., headed by Leola Randolph, has sold and transferred ownership to Southwestern Broadcasting Corporation, headed by Thomas Crane.

KMUL went on the air in 1956 when Mrs. Randolph and the late John Burroughs, then governor of New Mexico, purchased the construction permit from Senator David Ratliff and built the station at its current site at 600 West Eighth Street.

At the time of that transfer from Ratliff to Muleshoe Broadcasting Company, Inc., there was a competing applicant to the license. The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce wrote the Federal Communications Commission to support the application of Randolph and Burroughs.

As the second owner to operate KMUL, Thomas Crane has moved to Muleshoe from South Florida where he practiced law, specializing in entertainment and communications.

in Health Care Planning/Administration in 1982.

He was chosen from a field of Cont. Page 6, Col. 1

## Los Alamos Names Test For Muleshoe

From the December 1, 1989 copy of the 'Los Alamos Newsletter' comes the following story:

MULESHOE:  
Lab's first nuclear test of FY90

The Los Alamos Test Group executed an underground nuclear test named Muleshoe on Nov. 15 at the Nevada Test Site. The announced yield of the event was less than 20 kilotons.

As expected, a subsurface collapse resulted from the explosion, which occurred approximately 800 feet beneath the surface of Yucca Flat, but no surface crater was formed. The event was completely contained, and no radiation escaped to the atmosphere. Muleshoe was the first announced nuclear test conducted by Los Alamos in FY90.

This event was one of the series of shots bearing Texas place names. Muleshoe, the county seat of Bailey County, was organized in 1926 and named for the muleshoe brand of a famous early ranch. Located in farming and cattle-ranching area of the high plains, Muleshoe is now a marketing and shipping center.

The Muleshoe event was supervised by personnel from the Field Test (J) Division Office.

Essentially all technical divisions of the Laboratory make significant contributions to the Los Alamos underground nuclear test program. Personnel directly involved in designing, fielding, and executing a particular test are considered to be a part of the Los Alamos Test Group for the duration of that event.

(Editor's note: Several young people from Muleshoe are employed with the Los Alamos Test Group.)

With the new year, 1990, fast approaching, Danny Noble, the County Executive Director of the ASCS office, has issued the following reminders to all farmers and ranchers:

**1989 DISASTER PROGRAM**  
We have a change in the 1989 disaster program in determining whether your second crop is considered as a replacement crop (Ghost Acres), or a normal double crop. We also have a change in the program of how to determine the value of the replacement acreage.

**1. CONSIDERED DOUBLE CROPPED**-The COC must determine whether the second crop was planted with the intent to harvest. Acreage devoted to a second crop can be considered double cropped if the first and second crop can normally be planted in a double cropping situation in the county and crops were planted as double cropped on the farm in the previous year (excluding disaster acreages) or been double cropped three of the previous five years. The value of double cropped acreage will not affect your disaster payment.

**2. NOT CONSIDERED DOUBLE CROPPED OR REPLACEMENT CROP**-If the first crop was harvested for its intended use (and) the first and second crops are normally double cropped in the county (and) the farm does not have a history of double cropping.

**3. ANOTHER PROVISION**-Provides producers the option of reclassifying land. If you have idle land that you had originally intended to plant but planted behind small grains that failed instead, you may be able to reclassify the second crop. In this case, the second crop would not be charged against the disaster payment. Any applications for this provision will require State Committee approval.

**4. CONSIDERED REPLACEMENT CROP**-The second crop will always be considered a replacement crop if items one, two or three do not apply.

**5. VALUE OF REPLACEMENT CROP**-The State ASC Committee will establish a county average yield for program crops. Multiply the expected production times 50 percent, subtract that result from the

actual production. If the results is zero or less, a reduction does not apply. If the results is greater than zero, multiply that result by 75 percent. The results is the production used to calculate the net value of the replacement crop. Net value x .524 cents lb., cotton; \$2.45 bu., corn; \$3.92 cwt, grain sorghum; \$58.87 ton, hay; \$2.02 bu. barley; \$2.03 bu. oats; \$2.95 bu., wheat; \$2.28 bu., rye; \$5.12 bu., soybeans; .0935 cents lb., sunflowers.

We realize this is a complicated program and may be hard for you to understand all of it. We will be glad to work with you and explain your own situation. Remember!!! The final date to sign up and complete your disaster application is April 2, 1990.

**1990 SIGNUP PROGRAM**  
All producers that wish to participate in the 1990 Farm Program **MUST** sign up their intentions beginning January 16, 1990 and continuing through April 13, 1990.

**1989 FINAL WHEAT DEFICIENCY**  
The final 1989 wheat deficiency payments will be paid within

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### MHS-WJHS Bands Plan Holiday Concert

Mark Heidel, band director at Muleshoe High School has announced the Christmas Band Concert.

He said it will be at 7 p.m. on Saturday, December 16, in the Muleshoe High School auditorium.

There will be no admission charged for the concert, but each person is asked to bring a canned food item for the Muleshoe High School Student Council Food Project for the Needy.

The band director said the Watson Junior High School Beginner's Band and Intermediate Bands will perform as well as the High School Band.

The entire community has been asked to attend, according to Mark Heidel.

## Post Office Suggests To 'Wrap' Carefully

Aerobics instructors regularly remind their students to keep their tummies "tight" and "tucked." The same advice applies to preparing holiday parcels for mailing, says Muleshoe Postmaster Abel Arguello.

"All that's necessary is choosing sturdy cartons or boxes, and sealing them smoothly and tightly with the proper tape," Arguello says, adding that padded mailing bags work well for small items.

"Don't wrap cartons in bulky brown paper, or tie them with string or twine," Arguello continues. "The paper can tear and the twine can get tangled in our mail processing equipment."

"Also, using paper and string isn't necessary if you're using proper boxes or cartons. If you feel a need to wrap and tie a box, that may be a signal that you don't think the box is sturdy enough to begin with. Get another one instead."

Parcels should be sealed with a type of tape designed for sealing packages: pressure sensitive, nylon-reinforced kraft paper or glass-fiber-reinforced pressure sensitive. Arguello advises against using cellophane or masking tapes, because they're not strong enough.

"Correct addressing is as important for parcels as for

letters," Arguello says. "If the box has been used before, be sure to remove all old labels and addresses."

"The top of the package should show the name of the person to whom you're sending it, their house number and street, and the apartment number, if there is one. The last address line should contain the city, state and ZIP Code -- please be sure to use the ZIP Code."

Your own return address and ZIP Code should be in the upper left corner. And use smudge-proof ink, Arguello adds.

Preparing the inside of a package or box is as important as preparing the outside. The contents should be cushioned carefully with crumpled paper, with foam shell or air-pocket padding that is commercially available. Don't leave any empty space in the box.

"Before you seal the package, it's also a good idea to enclose a slip of paper showing the name and address of the person to whom you're sending it," the postmaster concluded. "Although it doesn't happen very often, parcels can get damaged so the outside address can't be read."

Finally, if a package contains irreplaceable valuables, send it by Registered Mail.



Yours truly,  
John Bryan Cowart  
P.S. I will leave cookies on the coffee table.

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Rt. 4 Box 105  
Muleshoe Texas  
December 1, 1984

Dear Santa,  
I want a lobo car and a race track and sense coputer games and Nintendo game, and a live dog and I want it to be a pit bull or an alskan puppy.

By  
Jamie Kemp  
\*\*\*  
Rt. 1 Box 640  
Muleshoe, Texas  
December 1, 1989

Dear Santa,  
What I want for Christmas is very simple because I only want a few things. I want clothes, a telephone, a t.v., a walkman, tapes, a black leather skirt, and books. That is all I want for Christmas. My brother and sister want everything in sight. I have been good and hope to get some of what I want. You will get cookies.

Sincerely,  
Heather Hooten  
\*\*\*  
Rt. 3 Box 625  
Muleshoe Tx.  
79347 Dec. 1, 1989

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I hope your doing fine and how are your elves. Is what I want for Christmas is a Nintendo tape. I also want clothes and a new pair of boots. I would also like to have a three wheeler. I would like to get a 45 Margnam and a 22 pistol.

Your friend  
Howie Zimmerman  
\*\*\*  
HCR 5 Box 129  
Muleshoe, Texas 79347  
December 1, 1989

Dear Santa  
I wish I got a Nintendo and some games. I also want a Skateboard. There are four girls and four boys in my family. Ther's one girl baby in my family. I'd also want a trampoline. But I would like anything I get.

Your friend  
Benjamin Loewen  
\*\*\*  
P.O. Box 122  
Muleshoe, Tx. 79347  
December 1, 1989

Dear Santa,  
I would like to have a Vision skateboard and a ramp to fly up on. I would love to get a BMX bike, red and black. I wish I had a trampoline for my friends and I to jump on. But I will like anything I get.

Sincerely  
Richard Sigala  
\*\*\*  
610E6th  
Muleshoe T.X. 79347  
December 1, 1989

Dear Santa  
Here is what I want for Christmas. I want a pocket rocker, leather skirt and I want a little brown puppy and some cloth and a nintendo and a trampoline to jump on it with my friends I wish I got a teen speed for Christmas. I hope I get what I want for Christmas.  
Santa I will give you a hug if I see you.

Sincerely,  
Linda Barron  
\*\*\*  
312 W Ave B  
Muleshoe, Tx 79347  
December 1, 1989

Dear Santa,  
This is what I would like for Christmas. I would like a trapoline. I wish I could have a clipboard but I would accept anything. I will leave you a little a little surprise.

Sincerely  
Sandra Quezada  
\*\*\*  
307 West 11th St  
Muleshoe, Texas 79347  
December 1, 1989

Dear Santa,  
There is lots of things I want for Christmas. Here are some things I want a new bike, a pair of L.A. Gear's or British Knights. I would also like a new coat, lots of sweatsuits, fun time barbie to hang up on the wall with my collection. And one last thing A pioneer stereo.

Yours truly  
Jammie Graves  
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Afraid  
"My wife says that if I died she would remain a widow."  
"Evidently she thinks there's not another man like you."  
"No, she's afraid there is."

### GED Testing Scheduled Here Next Weekend

The General Educational Development (GED) test will be given in Muleshoe on Friday, December 16, and Saturday, December 17, at Muleshoe High School. Individuals interested in testing for a certificate of high school equivalency will need to be present at both testing

### Little Books Sponsored By Local Businesses

This release is smaller than the average news release because it details the facts of some big generosity in the community to little children through the distribution of some powerful little books.

Through the sponsorship of Muleshoe Cooperative Gin and Farmers Cooperative Elevators, first grade students in Dillman Elementary School will receive a beautiful gift-book titled *My Favorite Book*.

*My Favorite Book* is designed and written to bring "positive" influence into each of these children's lives.

It illustrates the beauty of their world and the people who are in it are especially themselves.

The civic-minded leaders listed who sponsor this program are seeing it as a valuable contribution toward the development of the young people in the community.

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Muleshoe High School, 272-3080.

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Up To \$1,000  
For Information!  
Call  
Bailey County  
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272-HELP**

sessions.  
The following requirements apply to interested persons:  
1. Minimum age is 18 but a 17 year old is eligible with parental or guardian consent.  
2. Must be a resident of Texas.  
3. Must be officially withdrawn from school and must not have received a high school diploma from an accredited high school in the United States.  
Testing will begin at 5:30 p.m. on Friday and continue at 8:30 on Saturday.  
Further information may be obtained by calling Linda Marr, GED Test Administrator at

Dear Santa  
Please bring me remote cantori car also bring me a Mini radio with phone.

Thank You,  
Jesse Reyes

Dear Santa  
Please bring Me batMan and the joker also bring me some clothes and Shoes

Thank You,  
Javier

P.S. I also want a remote control car.

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a baby that talks And food diaper, and a bottle

Thank You  
Jessica Pena

Dear Santa,  
please bring me a Skate board, and also race track.

Thank You  
Michael Martinez  
\*\*\*  
Rt. 2 Box 452  
Muleshoe Tx. 79347  
December 7, 1989

Dear Santa,  
How are you? I have been a good boy this year. For christmas I would like a weight bench that has a leg lifting thing on the end and bench press bars. I would like super changers on Record-breakers you can change the kind of tires and engines and I would like a Hyper Driver they are battery powered cars that go fast. I would like a Nintendo Gameboy that is a miniature Nintendo and a new basketball. Last of all I would like a thing called Crash Zone which is a play car obstacle course.

## Holiday SALE

<b>Novelty Sweaters</b> <b>20% off</b> Jacquards & Geometrics	<b>Koala Bear</b> <b>5<sup>95</sup></b> Reg. 29.00 With purchase of \$30.00 or more	<b>Christmas Fleece Sets</b> <b>\$55<sup>00</sup></b> Reg. 77.00 Blue, Green, Black
<b>Leather Luggage</b> 3 piece set <b>149<sup>95</sup></b> Reg. 299.95	<b>All Coats</b> Wool Capes with Mink Tails Long Wool Coats Leather Bomber Jackets Leather & Canvas Coats Denim Coats - Southwest Applique (one of a kind) <b>20% off</b>	
<b>Evan Picone Hose</b> Buy 2 pair, and get one... <b>FREE</b>	<b>Jogging Suits</b> <b>49<sup>95</sup></b> and <b>\$69<sup>95</sup></b> Reg. 72.00 & 103.00	<b>Patched Leather Tote</b> <b>29<sup>95</sup></b> Reg. 149.95 With purchase of any jogging suit.
<b>PEPE London</b> <b>Jeans &amp; Cotton Tops</b> <b>20% off</b>	<b>Isotoner Gloves</b> <b>16<sup>95</sup></b> Reg. 26.00	<b>SWEATERS</b> by: Cotton Concepts 100% cotton Cable Knit 10 colors <b>19<sup>95</sup></b> Reg. 39.00
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# HOLIDAY Savings

<b>Noma</b> 50-Light string-to-string <b>3<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>Hircraft</b> Carrier Playset <b>7<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>Toastmaster</b> 4 Slice Toaster <b>24<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>12 Shopping Days Till Christmas!</b>
<b>Vidal Sassoon</b> Curling Iron System <b>14<sup>49</sup></b>	<b>Battery Operated</b> The Cat-Power Dozer or The Cat Power Loader <b>12<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>Sunbeam</b> Bath Scales <b>15<sup>10</sup></b>	<b>Norelco</b> Coffee Maker CT663E/284 <b>32<sup>24</sup></b>
<b>Slimline</b> Hairsetter <b>29<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>Baby Bottoms</b> <b>15<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>Pollex</b> Hand-Held Dial Massage Shower Head saves on energy costs! DM209 <b>19.99</b>	<b>portasol</b> Butane Gas-Powered Soldering Tool Kit is 4 tools in one. Butane not incl. P-R-C <b>26.95</b>
<b>Nylint</b> Rescue Chopper <b>9<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>16" Softina</b> <b>12<sup>99</sup></b>	<b>6-Qt. Chef's Pot Plus</b> cooks, fries and steams foods. Nonstick coating. SFT-3 <b>29.99</b>	<b>1/2 Gal. Humidifier</b> <b>46<sup>99</sup></b>
<b>Christmas Give Away</b> Sign up now for our Nintendo Drawing and our Hoover Vacuum Sale To Be Drawn For December 16 Drawing at 3 p.m. Must Be 18 Years Or Under To Win And Parents MUST Accompany Child To Register! Must Be Present To Win On December 16!	<b>Travel Battleship</b> <b>6<sup>49</sup></b>	<b>And Many More Gift Ideas!</b>	
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# Texas Almanac Has New Information

No better summation of the diversity of the peoples and places of Texas can be found than in the 55th edition of the Texas Almanac and State Industrial Guide.

Published by The Dallas Morning News, the Almanac presents special features on the history of West Texas, science in Texas, a review of literature produced in the state and a survey of the top high-school football teams in the state's history.

Additionally, the book has broadened the base of demographic information offered about each of the 254 counties and provides informative and entertaining facts for researcher, traveler, student and curious Texans alike.

In the lead-off science section, there are feature articles on the Superconducting Super Collider

(SSC) and robotics research, as well as prehistoric Texas-discoveries of bird and animal fossils, Indian burial sites and examples of Indian rock art found around the state.

The SSC, which is planned for Ellis County just south of Dallas, will probe the basic structure of matter. In contrast to the pure research conducted with the SSC, the Automation and Robotics Research Institute in Fort Worth does applied research geared to solving today's industrial production problems. How the ARRI was conceived and developed and the research being conducted there is the heart of another science section feature.

How to farm in a region that has little rain and a falling underground water table is also discussed in the Almanac's science section. Water use and conservation research in Texas is

as immediate and vital as today's headlines, and ranges from use of the latest in electronics to decades-old techniques.

Continuing the Almanac's series of regional histories, the 1990-91 Texas Almanac features the history of West Texas. In the story of West Texas, you will discover reality more fascinating than fiction. Covered are the larger-than-life people who gave West Texas its flavor, such people as Comanche chief Quanah Parker, cattleman and trail blazer Charlie Goodnight and military leader Gen. Ranald S. Mackenzie. Discover how railroads, windmills and barbed wire were the keys to shaping the West.

Accompanying highlights from Texas history cover such subjects as the first Thanksgiving in Texas (and was it really the first Thanksgiving celebration in the United States?); the flourishing coal-mining operations at Thurbur, now a ghost town, at the turn of the century; the excellent record left by the black Buffalo Soldiers, who were stationed at frontier forts after the Civil War; the operations of the legendary Butterfield stagecoaches across western Texas; and a rash of reports of UFO sightings across Texas just before the turn of the century, reported in all seriousness by the newspapers of the day.

Lest Almanac readers conclude that Texas is all cowboys, Indians and pump jacks, editor Mike Kingston has written a history of literature in Texas, tracing its development from the oral tradition of American Indians to the latest novel-turned-TV-series, Lonesome Dove. In between lies a discussion of such literary giants as J. Frank Dobie, William Sydney Porter (O. Henry) and Katherine Ann Porter, along with some lesser-known but nonetheless important contributors to Texas' literary history.

In another section, the Almanac names the winningest and losingest high-school football teams in the state.

The new Almanac also presents updated information about

varied aspects of life in Texas, from county demographics to recreational opportunities, from a list of lakes and reservoirs to a list of chambers of commerce, from election results statewide and by county to membership of state agencies to a comprehensive list of over 5,000 cities, towns and communities that make up the fabric of the Lone Star State.

The Almanac can be purchased in local book stores or ordered from Texas Monthly Press in Austin. Write P.O. Box 1569, Austin 78767 or call 1-800-288-3288.

# Wayland University's Tuition Among Lowest

According to statistics released recently by The College Board, educational costs at Wayland Baptist University rank significantly below the national average for both public and private universities for the 1989-90 school year.

Of the 923 private institutions reporting, 493 are more expensive to attend than Wayland, representing just under 70 percent of total enrollment. Wayland's yearly estimated student cost (based on 15 hours in both the fall and spring semesters) currently totals \$6,540. The national average among private, four-year institutions is \$13,912, or \$7,372 higher than WBU.

Costs for commuters at private institutions reflected an even wider gap. Wayland commuters currently pay \$4,160 per year, compared to \$9,196 nationally. WBU's average costs of \$1,855 for tuition and fees, plus \$225 for books and supplies is well below the national norms of \$8,737 and \$459, respectively.

In Texas, Wayland's yearly charge of \$3,710 (tuition and fees only) is well below the state norm. According to Independent Colleges and Universities of Texas (ICUT), which represents

40 private institutions in the state, average tuition and fees at member institutions increased 10.8 percent from \$4,661 in 1988-89 to \$5,164 in 1989-90.

"It has always been a priority at Wayland to provide the best education at the most affordable price, which means containing costs that the student must bear," commented Wayland President Lanny Hall. "While the cost of education continues to increase in the United States, Wayland has been able to effectively hold the line on costs relative to other institutions. We will do our best to continue that course in the future."

Wayland also compared favorably with public education. Students at public institutions pay an average of \$6,229 per year, \$311 less than at WBU, while the average commuter cost is \$4,584, \$2,504 more than Wayland's figure.

National averages are computed using costs for tuition and fees, books and supplies, room and board, and miscellaneous educational expenses at each reporting institution. Commuter costs do not include transportation or room charges.

What maintains one vice would bring up two children.

# DPS To Cooperate In Program

High Patrol Troopers in Texas and across the nation will cooperate in a traffic safety program during the National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week, which begins on Friday, December 8, 1989.

Operation C.A.R.E. (Combined Accident Reduction Effort) has designated the first thirteen hours of the week as National D-Day, a special effort to enforce the DWI laws. The period begins at 6:00 p.m. Friday, December 8 and will run through 7:00 a.m. Saturday, December 9.

DPS Regional Commander, Major V.J. Cawthon, has instructed the troopers in the sixty (60) counties encompassing Region 5 to provide the maximum

DWI enforcement effort possible.

"We're hoping that this emphasis program will help bring down the number and severity of DWI-related accidents," said Major Cawthon of Lubbock.

As holiday celebrations increase, there is a greater chance of DWI offences on the roadways.

"The hosts of these get-togethers want visitors to enjoy themselves, but they should also make arrangements to minimize the DWI risks, such as providing non-alcohol beverages and discouraging driving after drinking," Major Cawthon added.

He also encouraged seat belt use and observance of the speed limits.

Methodist Plan Concert And Dinner


Sunday, December 10, at 5:00 p.m., the F.U.M.C. Chancel Choir, Handbell Choir, and Children's Choirs will be presenting a Christmas Concert under the direction of the church's music ministers: Dr. Jean Wozencraft, Choir Director; and Jeremy Bruns, Organist.

The performance will be opened by the Organist with the ever popular prelude "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring." The Handbell Choir will then perform several Christmas selections. Next, the Chancel Choir, also accompanied by the Children's Choirs, will perform the cantata "Emmanuel, Child of Hope." Following the benediction, the Organist will close the performance with a postlude on "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God (Ein' Feste Burg)." The entire community is encouraged and invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

Following the concert the Children's Choirs will be holding a "Mexican Pile-On". This will be a donation dinner. The proceeds will go to buy the children new choir robes.

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## Local Youth Compete In District Food Show

Knowledge of good nutrition and skills in cooking were blended into scores of delectable dishes in Lubbock on Saturday, Dec. 2 as nearly 200 youths from 20 counties competed in the South-Plains District 4-H Food Show at Texas Tech University. Four senior winners advanced to state contest next year.

Bailey County had 11 4-H'ers entered in the district Food Show. Participants and their placements were as follows:

### Junior I

Justin Lee, Bread and Cereal, Red Ribbon.

Robin Cowart, Fruits and Vegetables, Red Ribbon

Russell Pollard, Main Dish, Blue Ribbon

Joshua Tooley, Snacks and Desserts, Blue Ribbon

### JUNIOR II

Shane Schuster, Bread and Cereal, Red Ribbon

Courtney Tanksley, Main Dish, Blue Ribbon

Carolyn Schuster, Snacks and Desserts, Blue Ribbon seniors

Melissa Toombs, Bread and Cereal, Blue Ribbon

Melissa Bennett, Fruits and Vegetables, Red Ribbon

Holly Huckaby, Main Dish, Red Ribbon

Joshua Tooley, Junior I 4-H'er from Three Way 4-H Club, won second in competition. Russell Pollard, Junior I 4-H'er, also from Three Way, won third in his category and Carolyn Schuster, Junior II, from Muleshoe 4-H Club, won first place in her category.

Mrs. Linda Tanksley, adult leader from Muleshoe, and Mrs. Jean Parker, adult leader from

### AAUW Met

### Monday In

### Johnson Home

The Muleshoe Branch of American Association of University Women enjoyed a Mexican buffet Monday evening at 6:30 in the home of Nan Johnson. Hostesses were Julie Cage, Joyeline Costen, and Nan Johnson.

After the gift exchange, Julie read "Twas the Night Before Christmas", Texas version. Everyone had a try at breaking the pinata and gathering and enjoying the contents.

Members attending were: Nancy Benham, Pam Hancock, Esther Marie Dillman, Maurine Hooten, Virginia Bowers, Jean Allison, Elizabeth Watson, Julie Cage, Joyeline Costen and Nan Johnson.

### Horse Compliment

Farmer: "Let me tell you, my friend, that horse knows as much as I do."

Friend: "Well, don't tell anybody else; you might want to sell him some day."

Three Way, served as judges

some rounds of the district show

The contestants, between 12 and 19, participated in the district show after winning the county show. Prior to the show, they were active in foods and nutrition projects involving food science, safety, nutrition, fitness and career opportunities.

In the district show, contestants were interviewed on nutrition facts and preparation principles. Judges then evaluate each dish on taste, appearance, texture and aroma.

Four-H is the youth development program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service an arm of the Texas A&M University System.

Educational programs conducted by the Extension Service are open to all persons, regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.



NOVEMBER SUPER KIDS--Named Super Kids for November at Dillman Elementary School included: (Back row from left) Augustin Estrada and Vicky Martinez, second grade; Jeffrey Shelburne and Rosa Recio, first grade; (Front row from left) Tad Lutz and Belen Hernandez, kindergarten; and Mayra Segure, pre-kindergarten. Not pictured, Jaret Tucker, E.C. (Journal Photo)

## December Specials At Supermarket

Texas' supermarket specials for December range from plentiful baskets of fruits and nuts to holiday baking ingredients and snacks for festive parties and family gatherings.

Dr. Dick Edwards, economist in food distribution with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Texas A&M University said favorite food items for both the Christmas and New Year's holidays will be featured in store advertisements.

"Early December baking supply specials will include dried and candied fruits, sugar, flour, butter and eggs," Edwards said. "Featured later will be pecans, walnuts, almonds, spices, yeast, powdered sugar, flaked coconut and chocolate chips."

He said there also will be a heavy merchandising campaign tying in baking supplies with appropriate baking utensils.

"This would be a good time to check the condition of mixing bowls, measuring cups and spoons and baking pans, since these items will be reduced in price."

Many food retailers will begin featuring frozen dough products and ready-made pie crusts as Christmas draws nearer. Other Yule specials will include whipping cream and frozen whipped cream products ready for use.

"For people who just don't have time to do their own baking supermarkets will feature both frozen pies and cakes and freshly baked pies and cakes from the store's bakery just days before Christmas," Edwards said.

Finger foods, such as ready-made dips and dry mix ingredients for dips, also will be good buys. Look for other price discounts on party snack items such as cheese, crackers, broccoli

and cauliflower for dipping, and cocktail sausages, cold-cuts and seasonal fruits.

Edwards said supermarket produce sections will be between seasons in December, but some mid-month specials will be offered. These will include citrus products such as tangelos, tangerines, oranges and grapefruit.

"Larger, more uniform citrus fruit will be used in Christmas gift boxes, so size on the remaining fruit may be a bit small, but the quality should be good," he said.

Apples will continue as a good buy, and sale prices for many popular varieties should be from 49 to 59 cents a pound. Lettuce prices will continue to fluctuate, so shoppers may want to get an extra head when prices are down, Edwards said.

Specials also will be offered on sweet potatoes and white potatoes, carrots and cranberries for the Christmas meal.

In many households, more than one meat entree is served on Christmas Day, with turkey remaining the favorite.

Edwards said non-national turkey brand prices will range from 45 to 49 cents per pound. Ducks, cornish hens and large baking hens also will be discounted, he said.

"Hams, the next most popular Christmas meat entree, will be priced from 99 cents to \$1.09 per pound," he said.

Favorite beef cuts for Christmas dining include boned rolled roasts and standing rib roasts.

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## Muleshoe Art Association Will Meet Tuesday

The Muleshoe Art Association will meet Tuesday, Dec. 12 at 11 a.m. at the Old Corral Restaurant for a business meeting and plan their February membership show.

Larry Hilburn will give the program in February and be the judge for the show.

It was reported that LaWanda Calton is the December guest artist and will give an oil demonstration.

Frances Stegall has been named Artist of the Month at the Muleshoe Public Library and some of her paintings will be on display at the library.

It was reported that the group will have lunch at 12 noon then have their regular meeting in the Muleshoe State Bank meeting room at 2 p.m.

Guest artist for the Month of January will be Jean Green.

"We would like very much to have all our members present for this meeting" said Mildred Williams. "We need your ideas. Start painting! We will see you there."

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## Food Safety Program Set By Extension Service

A comprehensive Texas Food Safe educational program will be launched across the state early in 1990 by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service.

Dr. James Denton, poultry marketing specialist with the Extension Service and program chairperson, said this new effort relates to the issues of improving nutrition, diet and health and food safety.

"We plan to address all aspects of food safety in this consumer-oriented program," he said.

Denton said there is need for public education on food-related hazards ranging from bacterial contamination to chemical residues and natural food toxins.

He said the chemical residues include those in food additives, artificial sweeteners, residues of growth hormones, animal drugs, pesticides and insecticides.

Research studies show that an estimated 6.5 million to 33 million Americans—or 3 to 14 percent of the population—become ill each year from microorganisms in their food.

These illnesses can be greatly reduced by informed consumers who practice food safety in their homes, Delton said.

"Individual consumers can improve food safety and reduce foodborne diseases by proper handling, care and preparation of food. They can exercise some control over microbial contaminants, a major risk in food safety," he said.

He said the Environmental Protection Agency's worst-case estimate of pesticides in food potentially causing about 6,000 cancer cases each year, or two in every 100,000 people, also can be reduced.

Denton said Extension's producer-oriented programs such as low-input sustainable agriculture and plant protection efforts are striving for optimum use of production resources to increase profits while maintaining or improving the environment.

The new food safety program will be launched at a Jan. 15 meeting of consumers, producers, dietitians and other health care professionals in Waco. Food

safety meetings also will follow in many other areas of the state during the year.

Speakers at Waco will include members of the Texas Food Safe Extension team, composed of Denton, Food Technologist Dr. Al Wagner, Meats Specialist Dr. Dan Hale and Nutritional Specialist Dr. Bethann Witcher. They will address subjects in their respective areas of expertise.

Irene Keating, a team member and home economics director for the Extension Service in South Central Texas, will discuss program goals at Waco. She said the new food safety thrust will enhance other ongoing Extension nutrition programs.

Keating said special training for county Extension faculty members also will be initiated early in 1990 in Travis County, other South Central Texas locations and other areas.

Food safety exhibits and educational materials for the effort are being developed by the Extension Service in cooperation with Texas food-related associations and commodity groups. The food safety programs will continue for several years, Keating said.

The Jan. 15 meeting will be at the Waco Convention Center, just off Interstate Highway 35. To obtain more program details contact District Extension Director Judy Edwards at Dallas at (214) 231-5362. For local arrangements, contact Charlotte Talley, McLennan County Extension agent, Waco, at (817) 757-5180.

### Ouch!

Tourist: What's the speed limit through this quaint town?

Native: There ain't none. You city folks can't go through here fast enough.

### Appropriate

"The Utterly-Utters are just wild about society, aren't they?"

"Why my dear, they're such social climbers that they've even named their youngest daughter Ivy!"



**CITIZEN OF MONTH**—Mark Heidel was named Citizen of the Month for the Month of November by SCAC. Heidel is surrounded by SCAC members. (Guest Photo)

## Reduce Stress For Children At Christmas

Christmas is the most exciting time of year for children—and the most stressful. For parents with children younger than eight years old, the Texas Medical Association offers the following suggestions.

- Try to maintain the children's regular sleeping, eating, and playing schedule. Familiar routines provide a sense of security. When planning a visit to grandma or another holiday event, give children advance notice.

- Involve the children in simple tasks, such as decorating the tree and baking cookies. Children derive a sense of belonging from taking part.

- When decorating the tree, hang the larger, unbreakable ornaments on the lower branches and the smaller, fragile ones on the higher branches out of children's reach. Your children will enjoy touching the safe ornaments, and you won't constantly be saying, "No, don't touch."

- Place decorations with small pieces, such as nativity scenes, bowls of nuts, and glass bulbs on mantels or other high places that children cannot reach even by climbing.

- Let your children decide whether they want to sit in Santa's lap. Children may perceive that big, furry-faced man as a monster until they are about five or six years old.

- When shopping with a preschooler, use a stroller, plan

rest stops and snacks, and be prepared to leave earlier than expected if necessary.

- After a special event, such as talking to Santa, help children label their feelings: "Sounds like you're excited." By accepting their feelings, children can begin to cope with them in healthy ways.

- When children get cranky or tired, suggest a soothing activity. Let children play in the bathtub with plastic cups and bubbles, or give them a pail of water to "paint" the sidewalk or fence.

- Before Christmas pack up the old toys except for one or two favorites. In mid-January, when children are tired of playing with the new toys, bring out the old ones. They will seem new.

- Avoid stress yourself. Be realistic about how many Christmas cards you can address or gifts you can wrap in one evening. Children can sense your tension and often react by whining, clinging, fighting, and waking up at night. Sometimes putting away a chore so you can read a story to your child is best.

The Texas Medical Association is a professional organization of more than 29,000 physician and medical student members. It is based in Austin and has 116 component medical societies around the state. The Association represents 80 percent of the state's physicians, and its goal is to improve the health of Texans



Patrick Ryan Orozco

Mr. and Mrs. Balty Orozco of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a son born Friday, Dec. 1 in Clovis High Plains Hospital.

The young man weighed six pounds five and half ounces. He has been named Patrick Ryan.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dolores Orozco and Raymond J. Gonzales, all of

Muleshoe and the late Adelina Gonzales.

Great grandparents are Felix M. Gonzales of La Junta, Colo. and Mrs. Patricia Orozco of Muleshoe.

## BIBLE VERSE



"A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favour rather than silver and gold."

1. Where is the verse found in the Bible?
2. Who is the author?
3. Who was his mother?
4. In what language was it written?

- Answers:
1. Proverbs, 22:1.
  2. Solomon.
  3. Bathsheba.
  4. Hebrew.

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## Disaster Program

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the next few weeks. The payment will be based on 32 cents per bushel rather than the estimated 50 cents. The producers who enrolled in the 0/92 program are guaranteed the 50 cents on the acreage not planted.

### 1989 BARLEY AND OATS DEFICIENCY

The national average market price exceeded the target price for barley and oats, therefore, no deficiency payments will be earned. The producers who enrolled in the 0/92 program on barley is guaranteed the 23 cents

on the acreage not planted.

### 1989 GRAIN AND COTTON LOANS

Producers requesting 1989 crop loans by December 19, 1989, will be guaranteed that their loans will be completed by December 29, 1989. Since lien searches must be completed before the loan is disbursed and due to heavy workload, we cannot guarantee that loans requested after December 19, 1989 will be completed by the end of the year.

### WOOL

January 31, 1990 is the final date for filing your 1989 wool sales documents for the incentive payment.

### NEW ASCS OFFICE HOURS

Due to the extremely heavy workload and the backlog of work to be completed, the Bailey County ASCS office will be closed to the public from 8 a.m. to 12 noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week beginning tomorrow, December 14.

The office staff will work behind closed doors during this time and will not conduct any business at the counter except on an emergency situation.

We will also be able to accomplish much more work if you hold your telephone calls to a minimum during this time frame.

Hopefully, this will expedite disaster and deficiency payments.

### OFFICE CLOSED

This office will be closed Monday, December 25, 1989 in observance of Christmas; Monday, January 1, 1990 in observance of New Years; and Monday, January 15, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday.

THE ASCS OFFICE STAFF would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every one for their cooperation, understanding and patience during the 1989 year. We wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

### Old Reliables

"I'm thinking of applying for a job in the weather bureau."

"What qualifications have you?"

"Oh, I've a couple of pretty reliable corns."

## Urban, Rural Hospitals Get Medicare 'Boost'

Texas hospitals will lose approximately \$338 million in 1990 treating Medicare patients according to the Texas Hospital Association. Under recently revised Medicare regulations, Texas hospitals are receiving \$290 million less than the cost of treating those patients, said Jim Houdek, THA's senior vice president of health care finance. "The 1990 federal budget passed Nov. 22, combined with Gramm-Rudman deficit reductions, will reduce payments to Texas hospitals by an additional \$48 million," he added.

Congress set Medicare prospective payment system's annual increase for 1990 as follows:

- Large urban hospitals 4.4 percent.

- Other urban hospitals 3.75 percent

- Rural Hospitals 8.5 percent

Hospitals located in cities with a population of one million or more are classified as large urban. The federal government estimates that inflation should be 5.5 percent in 1990.

"While it appears that rural hospitals will do better since they are receiving the higher percent increase, in reality, Texas rural hospitals will gain only \$400,000 from congressional action. Combined with other budget reductions and compliance with regulatory requirements, rural Texas hospitals will lose some \$34.6 million on Medicare patients in 1990," Houdek said. Large urban hospitals will lose an estimated \$233.8 million in 1990, and other urban hospitals will lose \$69 million, Houdek said.

"Contrary to some reports, Congress has not eliminated the urban/rural differential in payment rates. The reconciliation bill directs the secretary of Health and Human Services to develop a proposal for phasing out the urban/rural differential by 1995. The report is due to Congress on Oct. 1, 1990," Houdek explained.

Medicare Part A, under which hospitals are paid for services, will continue under the Gramm-Rudman sequestration reduction of 2.1 percent until Dec. 31.

Outpatient services, paid under Medicare Part B, will be reduced by 2.1 percent through March 31, 1990. Further federal budget savings were achieved by reducing payments to hospitals for building and equipment to 15 percent below cost, effective Jan. 1, 1990, Houdek noted.

"There is some good news. Hospitals serving a disproportionate share of low-income patients will see a small increase in their payment, and hospitals classified as rural referral centers were given a three-year extension of special payment considerations. However, in Texas we have less than 12 hospitals meeting the criteria for such designation," Houdek said.

The definition of sole community provider hospitals was expanded, and along with high volume Medicare providers will be allowed to choose the higher of three payment methods, Houdek added. "The high volume Medicare provision applies only to rural hospitals with fewer than 100 beds and at least 60 percent of their total patient population must be Medicare patients," he said.

### Who Knows?

1. Name the largest bay on the U.S. eastern coast?
2. Who was camp David name for?
3. Who is credited with the saying, "There never was a good war or a bad peace"?
4. Where does mistletoe grow?
5. How did December get its name?

### Answers:

1. Chesapeake Bay.
2. President Eisenhower's grandson, David.
3. Benjamin Franklin, in 1783.
4. Mistletoe, a parasite, grows on the limbs of various trees.
5. From the Latin word decem, meaning ten.



DEPUTY SHERIFF SPEAKS TO ROTARY--Tuesday at noon, Rotary President Terry Hutto, left, welcomed Deputy Sheriff Don Carter, center; and Sheriff Jerry Hicks to the Rotary meeting. Deputy Carter, coordinator of the Bailey County Crime Line, updated the group on Crime Line activities, thanked the businesses for their support, and discussed briefly the future of Crime Line here. (Journal Photo)

## Administrator...

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74 applicants to become the administrator for the Muleshoe Area Hospital District.

He served in the United States Navy June 1967 to September 1970, and reached the rank of Lieutenant.

Langston has worked in an administrative position with five hospitals before coming to Muleshoe. The latest hospital was Greenleaf Center, Inc. in Shawnee, OK.

Phil and Linda Langston are the parents of Harper, 16, a sophomore and Ronnie, a freshman. They will be enrolling in Muleshoe High School in the near future.

Langston said, "I have found the people here to be friendly, helpful and warm."

"I grew up in a small community, and have worked with hospitals in rural communities, so feel at home in Muleshoe."

He commented on the community support of the hospital and nursing home, and the area's ability to organize things.

He said he would be working on new services, and sees the need for a physician or two to help supplement the three local physicians.

He said the main thing will be to put the hospital and nursing home on 'solid ground' and to find cost effective ways to make it work out. "I will just have to get into it and find out what we can do," he added.

Langston said Rachel Snider will still be the administrator of the Muleshoe Area Health Care Center (Nursing Home).

and offices singing carols at Christmas.

Church choirs took up the practice and soon it became general in all parts of the country.

Today, the custom has waned. Life moves faster. In the rush and shuffle of modern Christmas, walking carolers risk being run over--if indeed they can manage to make themselves heard over television sets inside.

Where carolers still appear, listeners are fortunate--few sounds are more beautiful and reflective at Christmas.

## Carols?

The custom of walking groups singing Christmas carols on Christmas Eve and Christmas came to this country from England. It began there with night watchmen; then students adopted the custom.

Though Christmas observances were at one time banned in much of New England, the South, with better Christmas weather, adopted the English custom. Student groups especially appeared outside homes

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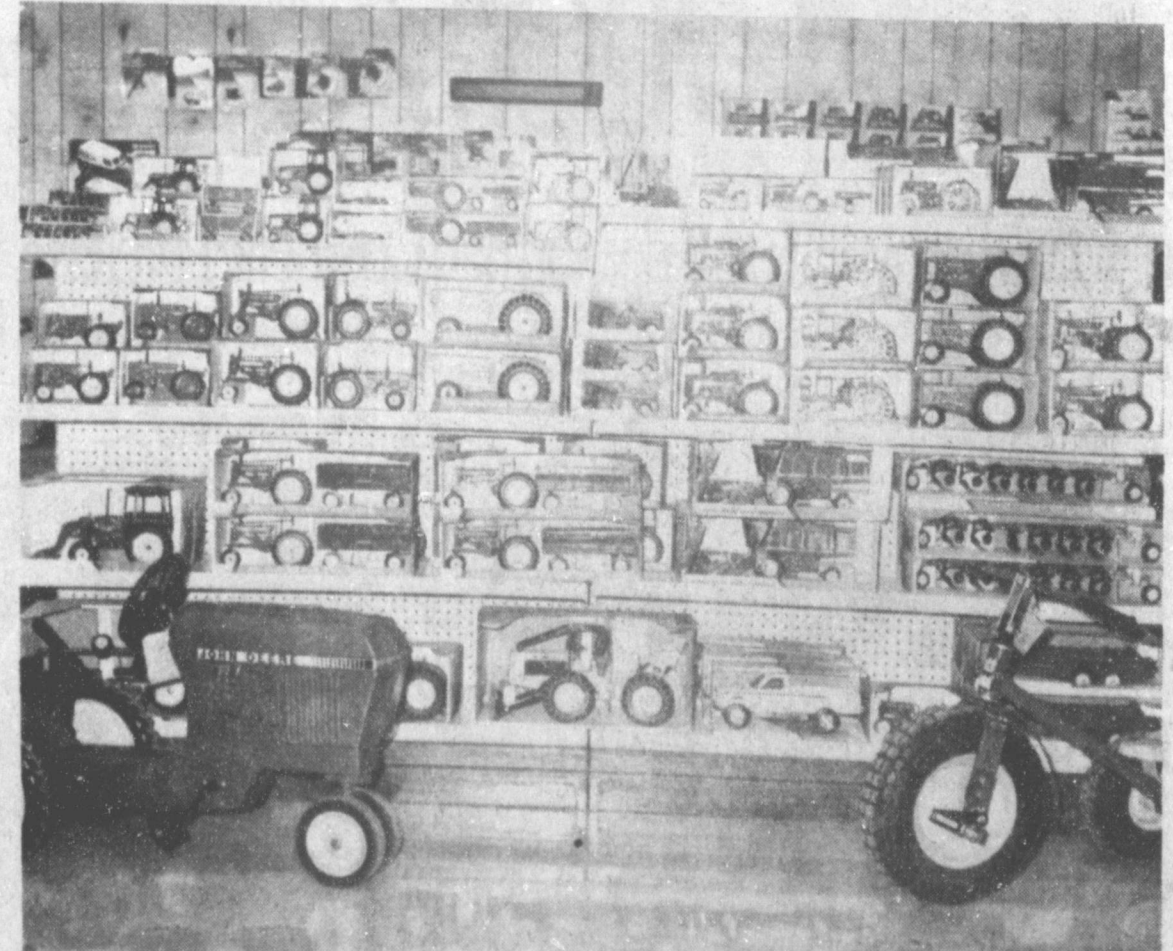
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## Letter To The Editor

### OPEN LETTER TO MULESHOE AREA REAL ESTATE OWNERS

The Muleshoe Area Industrial Foundation is seeking listings of buildings and sites that are available for sale, or long term lease. These listings will be available to businesses wanting to locate in our community.

We are developing this file in an effort to provide a prompt response to prospective businesses. In the past when we have received inquiries, we worked against the clock to prepare drawings, and negotiate prices, to meet the prospect's deadline.

Standardly, prospects request three sites for their consideration. The more we have on file, the better chance we have of meeting their criteria.

We need buildings 6,000 sq. ft. and larger. Land listings of any size.

We want to stress two things. First, that we are NOT in the real estate business, and are not trying to by-pass our local agents. We want to work with them, and we encourage their support and help with this project. Secondly, buildings and/or land sites should have a fair marketable price.

If you have a building, or a parcel of land you would like to be considered, please contact the Muleshoe Area Industrial Foundation, or have your real estate agent contact us at:

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Miss Clea Williams, Editor  
The Bailey County Journal  
P. O. Box 449  
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Dear Clea:

Thanks to the fine help that you and other members of the media are giving our youths, it appears that our annual Christmas Suit Fund will be a success. I am sending an additional article which may help remind others of this project, and I hope you may be able to use it.

The boys will wear their new clothing for the first time on December 22 at their Christmas parties. Should you or other staff members be able to attend, our annual festivities will begin at 6 p.m. with a meal in the Ranch dining hall, followed by the chapel choir cantata at 7 p.m. Although this is a busy time of year, we would enjoy having you as our guest, if at all possible.

Again, we are grateful for the service you have extended to our

children at Christmastime and throughout the year. We are fortunate to have such friends, and wish for you the very best this holidays season.

Sincerely yours,  
Carl  
(Carl McMillen)

## Nursing Home News

by: Joy Stancell

Our home certainly gleams with the glow of Christmas. Our many thanks to our special friend who helped us decorate and to Ruby Spurlock for making the beautiful red velvet bows that are displayed around our home.

Barry and Janie Moyinham did a wonderful job presenting the music at our Carol of Lights Friday night.

Harold and Avis Carpenter came Friday for a Sing-A-Long and reminiscing.

Sunday afternoon the Calvary Baptist Church came for church services.

Monday afternoon Bret McCasland and members of the

Muleshoe Church of Christ came to visit and play table games with the residents.

Tuesday afternoon Olive Cox, Claudine Embry, Lula Maye Shanks, Jackie Johnson and Nickolas, Bonnie Green and Laverne James came to shampoo and set the ladies hair. Dustie Moyinham did manicures.

Thelma Stearns was visited Thursday afternoon by her brother-in-law, M.O. Stearns and niece, Mary.

We are enjoying our new little carolers Emily and Jo Love. They were presented to the residents by our memorial committee Friday night at our Carol of Lights. We invite you to drop by and enjoy them.

Tuesday afternoon the Youth Choir of the First Baptist Church came caroling up and down the halls. They passed out favors and stopped and visited the residents along the way.

Tuesday night Jennifer Ferguson, Tim Murray, Ashley Lanham, Colbey Lanham and Dalyn Bratcher visited and passed out special treats they had made for the residents.

Our thanks to Barbara Blackman and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Shanks for the beautiful poinsettias. We really are enjoying them.

Happy December birthday to Effie Smith who was born on Dec. 2, 1902, and Ora Roberts who was born Dec. 9, 1900.

The Needmore Community Club will host the monthly birthday party Thursday, Dec. 28 at 3 p.m. We invite you to come and join us.

Ora Roberts went out with Mona Clark to the home of George Robert and Melba Clark for Thanksgiving dinner. She was recently visited by her friend, Mrs. Sliger from Logan, N.M.

Rosemary Pool attended the

Carol of Lights Tuesday night with her mother, Jewel Pool and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pool and daughter.

Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Una Finley.

Friday, Dec. 15 Santa will be arriving on a fire truck to visit with the grandchildren and great grandchildren of our residents. We are looking forward to the special visit.

Twenty one family members of Allie Barbour gathered in the yellow dining room Saturday, Nov. 27 to celebrate Mrs. Barbour's 95 birthday and Thanksgiving, with a nice turkey and dressing dinner with all the trimmings.

Nettice Bratcher and granddaughter, Deanna, visited the nursing home Tuesday.

Quayle praises GOP's reaction to East-bloc reforms.

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO TAX PERSONAL PROPERTY

The Muleshoe I.S.D. will hold a public hearing on a proposal to tax the following non-business property:

## Tangible Personal Property

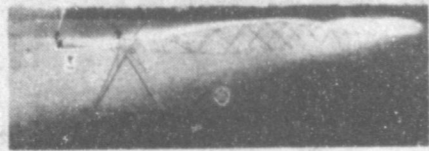
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The public hearing will be held on December 14, 1989 at 7:00 p.m. at the Muleshoe I.S.D. Adm. Bldg.

All interested persons may speak at the meeting and present evidence for or against this proposal.



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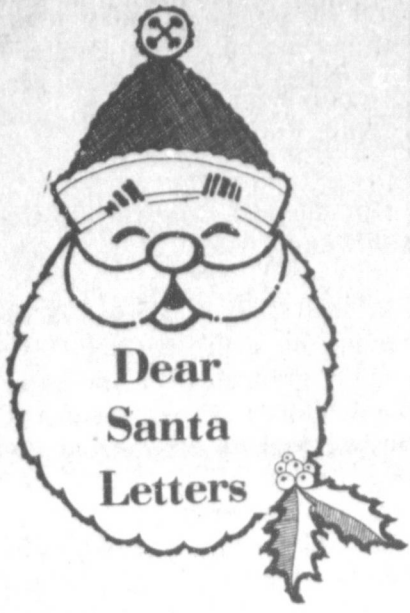
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Dear Santa,  
I want a Barbie, Telephone and Marker; I also want a Big Green Car for my brother, new clothes for my mother and my aunt, and tennis shoes for my dad.

Love,  
Karime Sanchez

Dear Santa,  
I want a Choo-Choo train and Car Racers and Boat that goes by itself.

Love  
Richard Powell

Dear Santa,  
I want a Baby that flips and a baby that goes around and around, and a baby that blows bubbles, and a baby dinosaur and a bear that blows bubbles. Thats all I want.

Sandy Madding

Dear Santa,  
I want a remote control car. I'll take a tricycle car.

Love,  
Adam Ramirez

Dear Santa,  
I want a sweater with Rudolf and Santa on it. I don't have a Batmobile. There's one other thing I want. I want the movie of Batman. Bring my baby brother a shirt with bears on it. Bring us some Christmas stickers.

Love  
Lincoln Riley

Dear Santa,  
I want a motorcycle and I want my mom to get a new dress. I want a four wheeler. I want a toy for my baby brother and a rubber ball for my pet Zekial. Bring more Sunday clothes for my Dad.

Love,  
Stephan Shelburne

Dear Santa,  
I want Little Miss Makeup, I also want that Barbie that has clothes with a lot of stars on it. I guess I want my brother to get some more cars.

Love,  
Janna Skaggs

Dear Santa,  
I want Alphabet Bingo. I want the good guys transformers.

Love,  
Eric Madrid

Dear Santa,  
I want a fire truck and a big truck. I'd like a gun and a toy gun.

Love  
Daniel Johnson

Dear Santa,  
I want a Nintendo with a gun where you have to blast these people. I want Teenage New Ninja turtles, I want ghostbusters and a toy dog. I want a Batman toy, and Superman. I want a puzzle that isn't real hard to put

together. That's all. I want my mom to get me the rest.

Love,  
Michael Durben

Dear Santa,  
I want a puppy, a truck, a microscope. Thank you for all the Christmas stuff.

Love,  
Thomas Black

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll for Christmas, I want a chalkboard. I want a doggy.

Love,  
Cassie Wilcox

Dear Santa,  
I want these cars that you drive that are big and called power wheels. I want a Nintendo and Nintendo desk.

Love,  
Matthew Lopez

Dear Santa,  
I want a bear, a dog, some school clothes, barbies and barbie clothes.

Love,  
Monica Chavez

Dear Santa,  
I want a computer, a bubble gum machine, a telescope, a horn, a whistle, a marker, a video tape "My Little Pony", a pad of paper, and a VCR. I want some books I can read and a chalkboard and I want lots of goldslips. I want a Freddie Cruger Costume and a bear and McGruff.

Love,  
James Norman

Dear Santa,  
I want a football, and a truck.

Love,  
Jason Anzaldua

Dear Santa,  
I'm going to ask my mom if I can give you a pack of cookies. I want lots of presents. I'll draw you a picture. I want toys and some books and a doll and a baby dog. I want a Barbie House.

Love,  
Megan Barrett

Dear Santa,  
I want a doctor kit. I want one of those, that you cook with. It's a refrigerato and a stove that you cook on. When you paint or draw like a chalkboard or easil I would like. I want a chalkboard. I want a house that you play in. It has a refrigerator and a stove.

Love,  
Kayla Glover

Dear Santa,  
I want toys and some clothes. I like you Santa.

Love,  
Elizabeth Villa

Dear Santa,  
I want a pony and little Miss Makeup and Dress 'n Dazzle. I want shoes and a dress. I want a bike with a basket with wheels on it.

Love,  
Olimpica Hernandez

Dear Santa,  
I want a bouncing baby and a Little Miss Makeup and a sparkle talk.

Love,  
Kristina Lozano

### Public Hearing Precedes Meet For School Board

Preceding the regular meeting of the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees Thursday, December 14, a Public Hearing for Taxing Personal Tangible Property will be conducted at 7 p.m.

Both meetings will be held in the school board room in the school administration office at 514 W. Ave. G.

Regular meeting of the board is scheduled at 7:30 p.m., with the following items on the agenda for consideration:

Following the regular opening of the session, under business items are to Consider bids on junior high gym roof and take appropriate action; discuss and reach agreement on taxing tangible personal property; approve TASB Policy Update 35; approve the district's 1988-89 annual performance report; and make the final decision on graduation exercise requirements.

Under financial reports will be bank balances; fund balances; and consider approval of payment of current bills.

Following the tax report will be informational reports, then an executive session for personnel considerations.

On December 18 and 19, school board trustees will be meeting in a School Board Training Workshop with Dr. John Townley.

The workshop will be followed by an executive session for evaluations.

### JV Basketball News

By Coach Tom Duncan

During last weekend, Nov. 30, December 1-2, the Mules hosted the annual JV Boys and Girls Basketball Tournament.

It was an exciting weekend of basketball and the success of the tournament was greatly due to the efforts of all players involved from every school represented; and each worker (official, clock or bookkeeper).

We first wish to thank all those concerned.

The games were filled with non-stop action and thrills. Many of these came down to the wire. The Friona Chieftains won the boys championship over a fine Farwell team at the buzzer, 67-65.

The girls championship was captured by Clovis when they sunk the Brownfield girls by a count of 78-54.

The following scores were for 3rd place and consolation in Boys and Girls:

3rd Boys	3rd Girls
Portales 51	Muleshoe JV 49
Sudan 37	Muleshoe Fr. 27

Consolation Boys	Consolation Girls
Olton 52	Friona 51
Muleshoe 29	Olton 19

During the tournament, the JV Boys from Muleshoe began tournament action vs. Sudan on Thursday night and the score was 61-43 with the visitors advancing in the bracket.

Sophomore Corley Hutton led the home teamers with 18 points and a great number of rebounds.

All members of the squad got into the scoring column. To them the next day, the JV was proud to go to the left of the bracket and

found they would compete vs. the ninth grade team from Muleshoe.

It was a natural rivalry from the start and it was an exciting game for all concerned.

The JV Mules: C. Hutton, 18 pts.; A. Crawford, seven; C. Dominguez, nine; J. Noble, six; J. Wall, T. Young and B. Hernandez, with two pts. each.

With the game see-sawing back and forth, Marcus Bryan sunk a three-pointer to dash our hopes of a victory in this intra-program match-up.

We went down 44-45.

During the 7th/8th place game Saturday, the JV Mules came out smoking vs. Hereford, but during the second half, we hit a cold streak being outscored 20-11. We had good effort and did some good things. The final was Herd 39-Mules 31. Leading scorers for

the Mules were Tadd Young, 10; Corley Hutton, seven; John Wall, five; Chris Dominguez, five; and Andy Crawford, four points.

By the time you read this report, we will have played the Farwell JV and just begun the Littlefield JV Tournament where we will again play Sudan at 5:30 Thursday in the Littlefield Junior High gym.

### MHS Calendar

Friday, Dec. 15--Christmas program, High School  
Saturday, Dec. 16---Band Christmas Concert, 7 p.m.  
Thursday, Dec. 21---Early Dismissal for Christmas holidays

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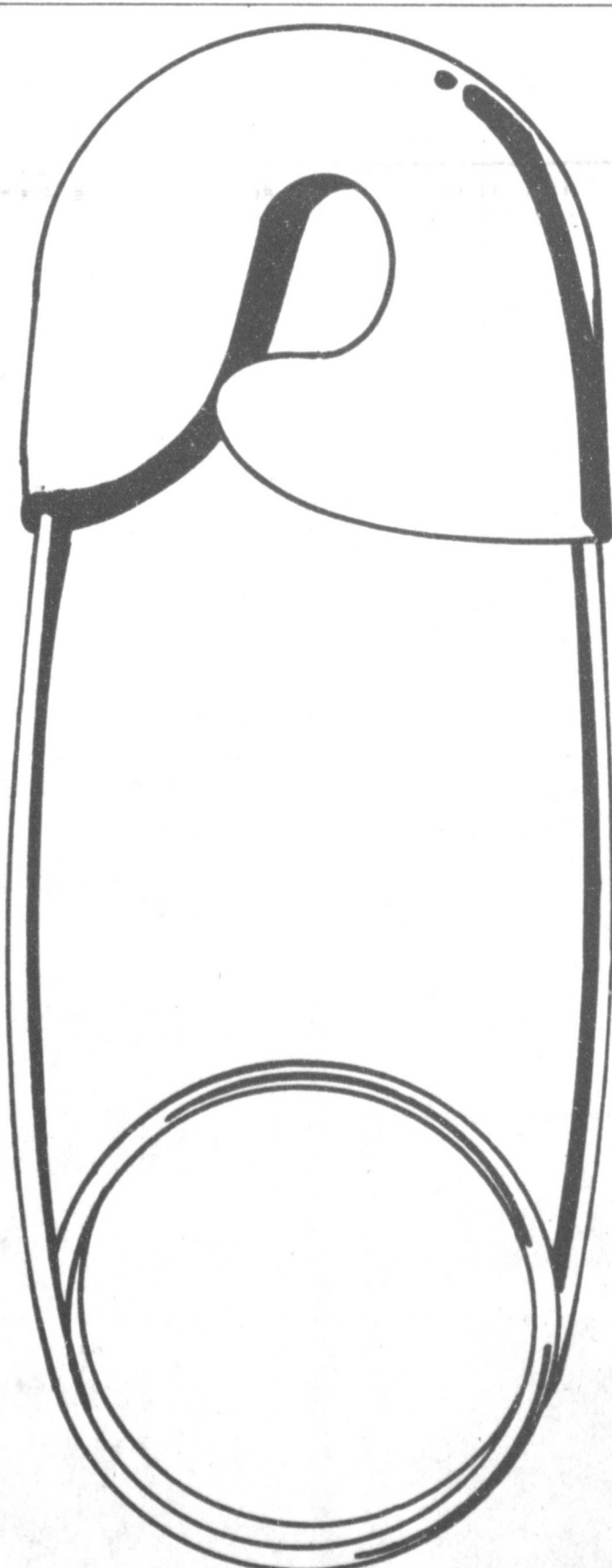
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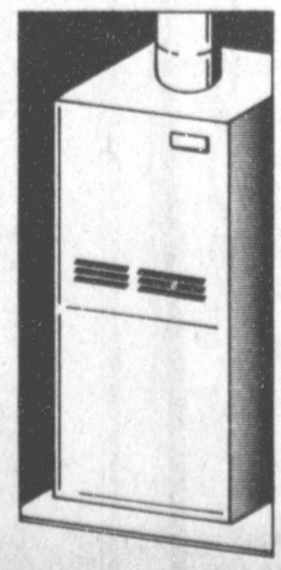
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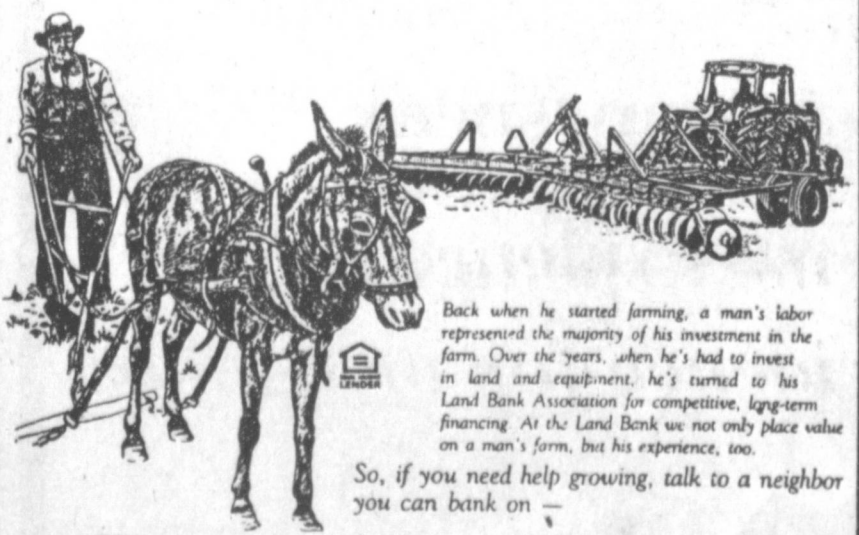
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And Kimberly Harris, Holly Huckaby, Heather Hutton, Jimmy Johnson, Clarence Lewis, Raymond Martinez, Brenna Matthews, Stacy McElroy, Amy Montgomery, Brenda Mudford, Jeffery Noble, Gloria Orozco, Brett Pylant, Cary Skaggs, Shonda Strahan, Stacy Stroud, Tricia Underwood and Kendra Wilson

**JUNIORS**  
Wendi Bland, Heida Bohler, Jeremy Bruns, Blain Ferris, Ruben Garcia, Stacy Knowlton, Jeff McGuire, Shawna Smith, Monica Swint, Amy Turner, John Wall and Marsha Wilson

**SOPHOMORES**  
Audree Anzaldua, Ana Arzola, Mita Bhakta, D'Anne Box, Cory Collins, Patricia Del Toro, Jody Field, Jill Foster, Jac Greene, Jason Harmon, Charla Holt, Corley Hutton, Erin Kelley.

**Muleshoe Menu**

**DEC. 11-15 MONDAY BREAKFAST**  
Milk, Toast, Cereal and Fruit

**LUNCH**  
Milk, Steak & Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls and Fruit

**COMBO**  
Milk, Steak & Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls and Fruit

**TUESDAY BREAKFAST**  
Milk, Toast, Jelly Sausage and Fruit

**LUNCH**  
Milk, Juicy Burgers, Lettuce & Tomato, Pickles & Onions, Tater Tots and Cookies

**COMBO**  
Milk, Hamburgers, Lettuce & Tomato, Pickles & Onions, Tater Tots and Cookies

**WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST**  
Milk, Biscuits, Gravy, Sausage and Fruit

**LUNCH**  
Milk, Burritos, Corn, Salad, Crackers and Fruit Jello

**COMBO**  
Milk, Skillet Dinner, Corn, Salad, Corn Bread and Fruit Jello

**THURSDAY BREAKFAST**  
Milk, Cheese Toast and Fruit

**LUNCH**  
Milk, Corn Dogs, Veg. Beef Soup, Crackers, Cinnamon Rolls and Fruit

**COMBO**  
Milk, Corn Dogs, Veg. Beef Soup, Crackers, Cinnamon Rolls and Fruit

**FRIDAY BREAKFAST**  
Milk, Honey Buns and Juice

**LUNCH**  
Milk, Turkey & Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Green Beans, Creamed Potatoes, Hot Rolls and Fruit

**COMBO**  
Milk, Turkey & Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Green Beans, Creamed Potatoes, Hot Rolls and Fruit

Shane Kirk and Galin Latham  
Also Adam Lopez, Mike Mata, Tory Matthews, Jill Noble, Steven Noble, Adrian Pineda, Margarita Posadas, Michael Richardson, Corrie Savato, LaShelle Scoggin, Ronda Scott, Virgil Snell, Melissa Toombs, Mickey Trussell and Shea Wilbanks

**FRESHMEN**  
Amanda Ashford, Dora Bar-

**Lazbuddie Menu**

**DEC. 11-15 MONDAY BREAKFAST**  
French Toast, Sausage and Milk

**LUNCH**  
Nachos, Pinto Beans, Green Salad, Pudding and Milk

**TUESDAY BREAKFAST**  
Cinnamon Rolls, Fruit and Milk

**LUNCH**  
Chili & Beans, Crackers, Cheese Sticks, Peach Halves and Milk

**WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST**  
Toast, Oatmeal and Milk

**LUNCH**  
Steakfingers, Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Biscuits, Fruit and Milk

**THURSDAY BREAKFAST**  
Jelly Donuts, Juice and Milk

**LUNCH**  
Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Fixings, Brownies and Milk

**FRIDAY BREAKFAST**  
Cereal, Juice and Milk

**LUNCH**  
Turkey & Dressing, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Hot Rolls, Pecan Pie and Milk

**SALAD BAR SERVED MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY**

**Three Way Menu**

**DEC. 11-15 MONDAY BREAKFAST**  
Pancakes/Sausage, Milk and Juice

**LUNCH**  
Macaroni & Cheese, Green Beans, Mash Potatoes, Hot Roll, Milk and Cookie

**TUESDAY BREAKFAST**  
Cereal/Toast, Milk and Juice

**LUNCH**  
Pizza, Tossed Salad, Corn, Milk and Jello

**WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST**  
Waffles/Sausage, Milk and Juice

**LUNCH**  
Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread, Milk and Cake

**THURSDAY BREAKFAST**  
Biscuits w/Cheese & Sausage, Milk and Juice

**LUNCH**  
Meatloaf, Mixed Veg., Mash Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Milk and Peach Cobbler

**FRIDAY BREAKFAST**  
Eggs/Hash Browns, Milk and Juice

**LUNCH**  
Hamburger w/Cheese, Tossed Salad, French Fries, Hot Bun, Milk and Fruit Cocktail

rea. Matt Bohler, Jeffrey Bradley, Kristi Chapman, Kristin Chitwood, Sonya Cisneros, Chris Dominguez, Becky Donaldson, Amelia Flores, Rosemarie Gloria, Shane Glover, Veronica Gonzales, Rebecca Green, Stacie Harris, April Hugg, Jennifer Johnson, Kyle Kenmore and Angie King

Also Stacey Langfitt, Brandon Lingnau, Suzie Martel, Eric McElroy, Rhona Moses, Shannon Robertson, Adrian Salazar, Blanca Sanchez, David Serreno, Mandy Shipman, Douglas Snell, Jody Thomas, Cari Turner, Jon Robin Watkins, Steven Wauson, Cory Welch, Summer Wiley and Courtney Williams

**GOLDEN GLEAMS**  
A healthy body is a guestchamber for the soul; a sick body is a prison.

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-Francis Bacon.  
There is nothing the body suffers that the soul may not profit by.

**Option Workshop Set Wednesday For Amarillo**

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is sponsoring a one day intermediate level futures and options workshop for producers December 15th. The purpose of the workshop is to acquaint producers with pricing strategies for marketing wheat, feed grains and cattle. In addition, market outlooks, basis update, developing a marketing plan and the development of the 1990 farm bill will be addressed. The workshop will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Friday, December 15 at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Boulevard West, Amarillo. The cost of the workshop is \$25 per participant which covers the cost of materials and a luncheon. Registration is required by Friday, Dec. 8. For registration forms or more information, contact the county Extension office.

**Nursing Home News**  
by: Joy Stancell

Among those visiting Ruby Malone were Helen, Doris, Ruth, Mary, Retta Shipp, Helen brought Sunday dinner, Ruby Garner, Ollie Sebring, Margaret

Epting, Mable Reed from Sudan.

Robert Kimbrough had his family here visiting recently. His wife, Rue, comes everyday.

Effie Smith's family, Dortha Joiner of Lubbock and Hilbert and family came to help her celebrate her birthday during the weekend. She received many cards and gifts for the special occasion.

Thank You

The families of C.W. Weeks and Joe Ferris would like to thank everyone for their thoughtful deeds of kindness, food, flowers, calls & cards during the loss of our loved one Eddie Mae Weeks

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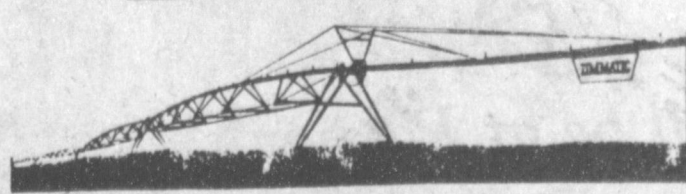
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# MHS Spotlights Coaching Staff

Correlating the activities of the entire athletic department, as well as acting as head football coach, is an awesome responsibility. Jim Stewart, assuming his first year in the capacity of Athletic Director for Muleshoe High School, fulfills these responsibilities with enthusiasm and expertise. His rapport with his students and his coaches is evident to those who observe him on "duty" in his many assigned areas. Although busy with the many tasks that face an Athletic Director, Stewart always has time for his student when needed, and he has excellent rapport with other teachers. He can quite often be seen and heard quoting Shakespeare to an audience of one or several, and his friendliness is evident to all.

Stewart received both his Bachelor of Science and his Master of Science degrees from Baylor University. He received further certification in the English teaching area from Sam Houston State University. He previously taught in the Dickinson, Texas, school district for six years and is in his fourth year at Muleshoe High School. In addition to teaching, his love for children led him to work as a summer counselor at the Lions' Camp for Handicapped Children in Kerrville for several years.

A slate that includes one

"Veteran" coach and several who are new to MHS work closely with Stewart in the athletic department. Ted Johnson comes to Muleshoe after four years at Booker High School, preceded by two years in Sterling, Kansas, as he finished up his degree and also coached. He graduated from high school in Perryton, Texas, and received his college degree at Sterling College. He teaches the physical education classes and also coaches. For leisure activities, he enjoys playing golf and spending time with his family which includes his wife, Laura, Michael, who is five years old, and Kristi, two years of age. He desires to assist in the goal of getting pride back at Muleshoe High School, and his attitude toward teaching is summed up in the statement, "This is the greatest profession in the world. I'm glad the Lord led me in this direction."

Leon Hagerman, boys' varsity basketball coach, reinforces the desire to help develop pride in our school and athletic programs and sets as a primary goal the desire to return football, basketball, and golf back to a winning tradition. He comes to MHS from six years at Plainview and one year at San Angelo Central. His coaching assignments, in addition to basketball, include freshman football and golf. Leon and

Valerie Hagerman have two children: Tanner, who is four years old, and Mollie, a two-year old. He teaches math and enjoys working with woodwork and playing golf in his "spare" time.

Bob Davis is the varsity girls' basketball coach; in addition, he teaches geography, health, and coaches the cross-country teams. He earned both his bachelor and his master's degree at Southwest Oklahoma State University. Previous teaching assignments included seven years in Chickasha, Oklahoma, one year in Keyes, OK, and ten years at Sanford-Fritch, Texas. He hopes to help every student that he teaches to attain success, and he states that a major goal this year is to win the state championship in girls' basketball and to win state in boys' cross country. He and his wife, Gloria, have two daughters, Julie is 19 and is a sophomore at Texas Tech University and Donna, age 11 is in the sixth grade. He stated that he loves to travel and watch old movies. Concerning his teaching, Davis stated, "I believe it is very important to always be positive and always have lots of enthusiasm."

The only returning coach for 1989-90 is Tom Duncan, who is the head track coach and an assistant football coach. He also teaches world history. A gra-

duate of Post High School, Duncan attended South Plains College and received his Bachelor of Science degree in P.E. and history from Texas Tech; he has also completed some graduate work at A&M. He previously taught at Meadow, Olton, Denver City, Idalou, Coleman, and Kress; in addition, he taught for three prior years in Muleshoe before returning for the 1988-89 school year. His wife, Dana, is also a teacher with MISD, and they have three children: Traci, 10; Terri, 7; and Doug, 3. He enjoys golf, baseball card collecting and movie collecting. His goals for the year include the desire to work hard and do his job as it should be done. He further stated, "I have wanted nothing else but to teach/coach since I was a sophomore in high school." He added that teaching is a field that requires a caring attitude, and he believes that he cares enough to stay in the profession until he is 70 years old.

In addition to coaching responsibilities, Paul White teaches sophomore English; he is currently in his first teaching position. A graduate of Stratford High School, he attained his college degree from Wayland Baptist University. Summing up his goals for the year, White stated, "In the classroom I would like to complete the necessary material to prepare my kids for junior English. In sports I would like to be able to coach my team to a district championship." In an analogy of his philosophy of teaching with the area of sports, he state, "Everybody wants to hit a homerun; my job is to try and give them the opportunity." Paul and Tammy White have one daughter, Chassidi. He enjoys all sports and wood work; in addition, he raises registered Quarter horses.

Richard Albertson is another "new" addition to the coaching staff at MHS. After graduating from Lamar Consolidated High School in Rosenberg, Texas, he earned an Associate of Arts degree from Ranger Jr. College and a B.S. degree from West Texas State University. Before coming to Muleshoe, he taught

for one year at Bonham Middle School in Amarillo. He teaches health and view his role as a teacher as more than just a "classroom" assignment; he believes that it is very important for a teacher to instill pride and educational discipline in young people today. He stated, "I teach as fast and hard as I can because that is what the student will experience in the real world." He wants the students to learn as much as they possible can in the

short time he has them. His wife, Devera, works as a substitute teacher for MISD. In his "spare" time, Albertson enjoys studying politics and playing golf.

The coaching staff works, at one time or another, with every student in MHS. The concern and consideration they give to the students reflects the quality of the men who comprise the athletic department for the school.

## Terracing Must Meet Deadline

By W.A. GIVENS  
Soil Technician

Those producers in Bailey County that have major water erosion problems on cropland need to have it corrected by 1994. This 1994 deadline is so they can remain eligible for all USDA program benefits as dictated by the 1985 Farm Bill. USDA programs affected by the 1985 farm bill are Farmers Home Administration loans, crop insurance, price supports, Commodity Credit Corporation storage payments, CRP annual payments and other programs under which USDA makes commodity related payments. Producers will find it to their advantage to contact W.A. Givens at the Soil Conservation Service prior to the deadline for any necessary erosion control measures. In most cases a basin terrace or diversion terrace is all that is needed to control erosion problems. The ASCS has cost-share programs available to producers usually once every

year, watch for ACP sign up dates in their newsletters.

## BIBLE VERSE

"Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ."

1. Who was the author of this advice?
  2. To whom was he writing at the time?
  3. How can one obey the command?
  4. Where may these words be found?
- Answers:
1. Paul the Apostle.
  2. The Christians living in Galatia.
  3. By being forgiving and helpful to one's fellowmen.
  4. Galatians 6:2.

**Defined**  
Economy--A way of spending money without getting any fun out of it.

-Reader's Digest



Muleshoe High School Coaches

1989 Crop				
	Pool Cash Advance	Sale Flat	Sale Basis	Month
Feed Corn.....	4.38.....	4.38.....	0.04.....	March
White Cobb Yellow.....	4.10.....	5.00.....	0.39.....	March
Red Cobb Yellow.....	4.00.....	4.51.....	0.11.....	March
White Food Corn.....	5.00.....	6.00.....	0.95.....	March
Milo.....	3.14.....	3.74.....	-0.32.....	March
Soybeans.....	No Pool.....	5.26.....	-0.50.....	Jan.
Wheat.....	No Pool.....	3.64.....	-0.43.....	KC Mar.

97 1/2 %  
Prices effective Dec. 8, 1989

**Farmer's Co-Op Elevators**  
272-4335

**WATCH OUT, SPARKY!  
WATCH OUT!**

**LEARN WHAT CHRISTMAS SAFETY'S ABOUT!**

**A CHRISTMAS SAFETY CHECK**

- Before hanging strings of lights, spread them on the floor and check for frayed or bare wires, cracked insulation, loose connections, and damaged plugs or light sockets.
- Check extension cords for wear or damage and don't run them across walking areas.
- Test lights before putting them on the tree. Unplug them before making repairs or replacing bulbs.
- Overloading circuits with too many lights can cause fire. Follow manufacturer's instructions about the number of lights allowed on one circuit.
- Never string lights on a metallic tree.
- Choose a fresh, green tree, trim its base and keep it in plenty of water. If the needles are brown and break off easily, it could be a fire risk.
- If you buy an artificial tree, make sure it has been tested for flammability by Underwriters Laboratories (UL).
- Always turn off lights before leaving home or going to bed. You'll save money and be safer, too.
- Do not use inside lights on the outside. All outside lighting equipment, including lights, cords and plugs, should be waterproof and made for outdoor use. Also, hang sockets downward and don't leave a socket empty.
- When hanging lights on the rooftop or in tall trees outdoors, stay clear of electrical lines.

Call Your SPS office for other safety tips.

Wishing You A Safe, Happy Holiday



# Ho! Ho! Ho!



Santa will be at Poynor's  
Saturday, Dec. 16 2-3 p.m.

Bring 'The Kids & Let 'Them Tell Santa  
What 'They Want For Christmas  
While You Shop

at



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Muleshoe

272-4552

### Courthouse News

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE

Ricky Delagarza, Earth and Jackie Lee Luna, Muleshoe

#### WARRANTY DEEDS

Albert Roscoe Bennett to Ester Janice Bennett--All of Lots (13) and (14), in Block (35), Original Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Roy D. Whitt and wife, Joy Ann Whitt to Joe L. Smallwood and wife, Zuma Jauree Smallwood--All of Lots (6), (7), (8), (9), and (10), Block (13), Original Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Ester Magby to Orvdie Magby Burris and Almora Magby Busbea--A two acre tract of land out of Section (54), Block Y, WD&FW Johnson Subdivision No. 2 and being out of John DePauw Subdivision, Bailey County, Texas.

Orvdie Magby Burris and husband, Bobby V. Burris, and Almora Magby Busbea, and husband, Earl Busbea to Ramon Mendoza and wife, Janie Y. Mendoza--TRACT I: A six acre tract of land out of the Northwest part of Tract Three, of the DePauw Subdivision of a part of Sections (38), (39), (54), and (55), Block Y, WD&FW Johnson Subdivision and a strip of Land lying between the North line of Tract 3 and U.S. Highway 84, All in Bailey County, Texas.

TRACT II: A two acre tract of land out of Section (54), Block Y, WD&FW Johnson Subdivision No. 2 out of the John DePauw Subdivision, Bailey County, Texas.

Kenneth Dale Wilhite and wife, Linda Wilhite to Roy Lee Harper--A 0.51 acre tract of land out of the SE/4 of Section No. 21, Block Y, WD&FW Johnson's Subdivision No. 2, Bailey County, Texas.

Roy D. Whitt and wife, Joy Ann Whitt to Jeri Wiedebush and wife, Dianne Wiedebush--A tract of land out of the (W/2) of Section (40), Block Y, WD&FW Johnson's Subdivision No. 2, in Bailey County, Texas.

Raymond Lewis to Ramon Mendoza and wife, Janie Mendoza--All of Lots Number (12)

and (13), Block Number (2), Northwest Addition to the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas. Mary Etta Layton, Marieta Crumé, and Vida Ellen Cash to Ricardo Alarcon and wife, Julia Alarcon--All of Lot (4), of Johnson Subdivision of Lot (4), Block (14), Highland Addition to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Rosie M. Martin to William David Martin--All of Lots Numbers (21) and (22) Block (48), Original Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Ernestine Little to Barry L. Freeman and wife, Margaret J. Freeman--A tract of land out of the S/2 of Section 33, Block Y, WD&FW Johnson Subdivision, Bailey County, Texas.

Terry Hutto and wife, Debbie Hutto to Thomas V. Alvis and wife, Geneva Alvis--All of the Southwesterly 31 feet of Lot (9), and all of the Northeasterly 54 feet of Lot (10), in Block (1), Muleshoe Park Addition to the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

#### COUNTY COURT

Lucy Flores Recio, Motion to Dismiss

John Rodriguez, Motion to Dismiss

John David Ivins, DWI second offense, \$500 Fine and 1 Year Probation

#### Who Knows?

1. What is in the eagle's beak on the Great Seal of the U.S.?

2. What is the English translation of the U.S. Motto?

3. What is the most extensively grown and eaten food?

4. Where did the nation's first commercial radio broadcast take place?

5. Name the capital of the Virgin Islands.

#### Answers:

1. A ribbon bearing the Latin phrase E Pluribus Unum.

2. One out of many.

3. Wheat.

4. Pittsburg, in 1920, over station KDKA.

5. Charlotte Amalie.

Temptations may overwhelm anyone but not those who intelligently avoid temptation.

### Kiwanis News



By R.A. Bradley

Hol Hol, Hol-Thirteen Kiwanians, 3 honorary members and 2 guests met this morning at the Old Corral. There was not a shoot out like the O.K. Corral but many shots were fired at each other by all present. We each have a good time each Friday morning ribbing one another. Our honorary members present were Jon Keith Turner, Robby Clapp and Chad Johnson.

We found out this morning that honorary member Lacy Morris is in the hospital in Lubbock. Lacy, we are very sorry that you are sick, and we wish that you will be well real soon and back with us. We miss you very much.

Our 2 guests were Billie Downing and Nelda Merriott, these two Jennyslippers were out taking donations and giving tickets for a chance on the Jenny Mac pickup. We appreciate the Jennyslippers and the MAC group for the wonderful things they do for this community. Billie Downing reported that the Jennyslippers distributed food to 16 needy families from foods donated at the Anchor Bros. Praise gathering. If you have not donated and got your tickets for a chance on the Jenny Mac pickup, please do so as this pickup will be given away December 23rd. Don't wait to long and miss out.

President Jim Lutz called the meeting to order and Don Clapp led the club in the pledge to the flag and Lyndon Huckaby gave the invocation. Since Glen Morris has the friendship coin but is in Lubbock with his daughter Lacy. So Glen get Lacy well and we will all be your friend.

Don Clapp brought the program a video about trees in Texas. We in West Texas think what trees, but trees is one of the 4 top cash crops for Texas. 61% of all the timberland in Texas owned by private concerns. The Texas Forestry Assoc. is doing a good job looking out for our trees. Happy Holiday Season to all.

### MHS

#### Perfect Attendance

##### SENIORS

Tessa Akens, Ronnie Gail Berrett, Sharla Evins, Michelle Finney, Michele Flores, James Foster, Leticia Garcia, Alfredo Guzman, Jeffery Noble, Angel Pearson, Charlie Reyna, Tricia Underwood, Jessie Vargas and Lonnie Wilhite

##### JUNIORS

Josue Barron, Robin Berry, Wendi Bland, Stacey Coker, Greg Combs, Patrick Counterman, Rose Espinoza, Lorenzo Franco, Ruben Garcia, Sergio Garcia, John Paul Garza, Rebecca Gonzales, Scott Long, Ruben Mata, Rachel Mendoza, Mary Ann Nunez, Anna Ruiz, Shawna Smith, Bernie Valdez and Ladd Young

##### SOPHOMORES

Josh Alanis, Maria Almanza, Jorge Barron, Mita Bhakta, Jeremy Bush, Cynthia Chavez, Tina Copley, Alicia Corrales, Patricia Del Toro, Ricky Diaz, Dustin Elliott, Ficky Flores, Anthony Garcia and Courtney Graves

Also Jac Greene, Gloria Guillen, Joe Gutierrez, Jason Harmon, Shane Kirk, Kevin Morris, Steven Noble, Jr. Olivarez, Michael Richardson, Rolando Vargas, Adam Villa, Jonathan Villa and Billy Williams

##### FRESHMEN

Amanda Ashford, Dora Barrera, Jeffrey Bradley, Kristi Chapman, Kristin Chitwood, Sonya Cisneros, Monica Clements, Chris Dominguez, Amelia Flores, Vanessa Greenhouse, Brandon Lingnau, Juan Lopez, Suzie Martel

And Abraham Mendoza, Albert Mendoza, Sandra Mendoza, Terry Ortega, Tracy Puckett, Raul Rojas, Adrian Salazar, Blanca Sanchez, Rodney Stevens, Rachel Toscano, John Verner, Brian Wilhite and Dustin Wilhite

### WJHS

#### Honor Roll

##### SIXTH GRADE

Rudy Apadaca, Riiy Byers, Samantha Caswell, Robbie Clapp, Donna Davis, Kit Dominguez, Candelaria Garcia, Summer Gibbons, Barak Harlan, Manuel Hernandez, Suzy Hodges, Marla Ivy, Michael Jaramillo, Chad Johnson and Brittany Kirby

Also, Laura Lira, Irene Logan, Melissa Morales, Clay Myers, Laura Puckett, Joynny Rodriquez, Maria Rodriguez, Michael Sanchez, Mandy Seales, Joshua Slayden, Rebecca Snell, Dacia Stewart, Samuel Villarreal, Koy Wilhite and Michelle Williams

##### SEVENTH GRADE

Raquel Arreola, Jason Barrett, Fara Black, Pete Bond, Jimmy Bonham, Mikki Bowen, Jack Bush, Jason Carlson, Monica Chavez, Jared Clarkson, Tiffany Copley, Angela Crawford, Tommy Day, Holly Donaldson and Chris Edwards

Also Geneva Eggers, Bryan Field, Jesus Flores, Patricia Franco, Jimmy Gauna, Julie Gilleland, Keetha Glover, Christy Holt, Lance Latham, Audra Lee, Lacey Lloyd, Anna Mendoza, Jose Mendoza, Stephanie Perez, Amy Peterson, Misty Richardson, Edward Rodriguez, Christa Trussell and Rebecca Warren

##### EIGHTH GRADE

Brooke Barrett, Brian Box,

Leah Bruns, Kelli Caldwell, Mason Conklin, Gail Copley, Jeanne Cox, Misty Davenport, Shawna DeLaney, Cathy Espinoza, April Franklin, Chad Freeman, Mark Garcia, Jenna Glover, Emily Harris, Lori Hodges and Kristin Holmans

Also Christin Luna, Chad McCormick, Stephanie McNutt, Chad Montgomery, Donna Puckett, Stephanie Quintana, Virginia Sierra, Brooke Sinclair, Sonya Smith, Kristina Soto, Courtney Tanksley, Marianne Toombs, David Vaughn, Shawn Wheeler, Andy Wilson, and Shane Schuster

#### Varsity Girls Widen Record in Basketball

Tuesday night the Lady Mules took on Lubbock High School and defeated the Lubbockites, 61-37.

The victory widened the Lady Mules' season record to 8-2.

At the end of the first, it was 18-8 for the Lady Mules, and they were leading at halftime, 37-18.

At the end of the third, it was 43-25 for the Lady Mules, who added another 18 points in the final quarter.

Amy Harrison had 14 points; Wendy Green, 12; Heather Hutton, 10; Brenna Matthews, Tory Matthews and Melissa Finch each had six; Monica Swint, four points and Heidi Bohler, three points.

This weekend, the Lady Mules were participating in the Idalou Tournament.

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## Una Mae Finney Services Held

### At Plainview

Funeral services for Una Mae Finney, 80, were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Dec. 8 in the First Baptist Church Chapel in Plainview with Dr. Travis Hart, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Wood-Dunning Funeral Home of Plainview. Mrs. Finney died at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday in Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

Born May 27, 1909, in McCaskill, Ark., she moved to the Tulia Area in 1913, where she grew up. She married J.Q. Finney on May 24, 1930, in Portales, N.M. He died Nov. 4, 1975. Following their marriage they moved to the Running Water community and Edmiston, Texas in 1932 where they farmed until 1952. She moved to Plainview in 1987, where she

## Richard Key Services Held At Morton

Funeral services for Richard Key, 75, of Morton were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the First United Methodist Church of Morton with the Rev. Al Jennings, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Morton. Key died at 9:10 a.m. Tuesday in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Born April 5, 1914, at Weed, N.M., he moved to Morton in 1943, from Fort Sumner, N.M. He was a retired farmer. He married Zelma Dorman on Sept. 28, 1934, in Hagerman, N.M.

Survivors include his wife, Zelma; two sons, Danny Key and Robbie Key, both of Morton; a daughter, Mrs. Linda Gay Dupler of Sweeny, TX; three sisters, Mrs. Mildred Nash of Floyd, N.M., and Mrs. Maxine ElReno, Okla., and Mrs. Maxine Payton of Hobbs, N.M.; two brothers, H.L. Key of Renewick, Wash., and M.G. Key of Eastland; seven grandchildren; and six great grandchildren.

### St Clair Infant

## Graveside Services Held Friday

Graveside services for Fletcher Leon St. Clair, infant son of Glen and Ginger St. Clair of Crosbyton were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Whiteface Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. The Rev. Harold Harrison, First Baptist Church minister from Whiteface, officiated.

He was born on Nov. 26 at Lockney.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen "Skinny" St. Clair of Crosbyton; grandparents, Ina St. Clair of Ralls and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson of Whiteface; great grandparents, Ila Mae Cotten of Whiteface and Mrs. Willie Davidson of Abilene; four sisters, Rhonda Sue Taylor of San Antonio, Kay Sue of Lubbock, Brenda Joyce Carranz of Crosbyton and Tammy Martin of Lubbock; a brother, Terry St. Clair of Lubbock; four nephews; and three nieces.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Viola Lott and two brothers, Landon and Chester Copelin.

## Patients - in Muleshoe Area Medical Center

DEC. 5-7  
TUESDAY  
Mary Whitson, David Metcalf, Frank Wuerlein and Nettie Long  
WEDNESDAY  
Mary Whitson and David Metcalf  
THURSDAY  
Mary Whitson

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Muleshoe  
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## Fidel Mendoza Services Held In Mexico

Funeral services for Fidel Mendoza, 59, of Chihuahua, Chihuahua Mexico were held at 3 p.m. Nov. 30 at Rancho Trillo Cemetery. He died at 11:45 p.m. November 29 at Chihuahua, Chihuahua Mexico.

Mendoza was well known in this area having worked for various farmers for the past 30 years.

Survivors include his wife, Manuela; two daughters, Teresa of Lubbock, and Olivia Trevizo of Chihuahua; five sons, Jesus of Amarillo, Eleazar of Perryton, Ramon of Baja, Calif., and Juan and Guerro of Chihuahua; two brothers, Heriberto Mendoza of Muleshoe, and Alfredo of Chihuahua; and three sisters all of Mexico; and four grandchildren.

## Lazbuddie Honor Roll

A HONOR ROLL  
12th Grade - Mia Jennings.  
9th Grade - Leland Brockman, Raquel Guzman and Craig Russell.  
8th Grade - Jessica Burch, Jody Copp, Gina Jarman, Troy McBroom and Jarah Redwine.  
7th Grade - Ivette Reyes and Rachele Rice.  
6th Grade - Julie McDonald, Juan Roel Moran, Socorro Reyes and Dawn Weir.  
A-B HONOR ROLL  
12th Grade - Diana Cozbez, Gerardo Mata, Sandra Martinez, Kathy Pate, Michael Williams and Eddie Zamora.  
11th Grade - Brittni Engelking, Elsa Mendoza, Juanita Ramos and Jana Vise.

10th Grade - Susan Alcala, Stacey Barber, Linda Carrasco, Liselda Carrasco, Frank Gonzales, Luis Gonzales, Filemon Guzman, Sally Lopez, Holley Morris and Elpidio Pacheco.

9th Grade - Becky Botkin, Matthew Cozbez, Joe Weaver, Paul Williams, Amy Willingham and Mario Zamora.

8th Grade - Lori Bradshaw, Lisa Galaviz, Jonas Hernandez, Dawnda Magby, Jodi Morris and Brett Thomas.

7th Grade - Eva Jo Alcala, Michelle Carrasco, Matthew Elliott, Joanna Gallman, Jon Colby Miller and Bobby Weaver.

6th Grade - Travis Barber, Keith Burch, Sandra Carrasco, Josephine Cortez, Heather Engelking, Sammy Everett and Guy Nickels.

Immaculate Conception  
Catholic Church  
Father Patrick Maher  
Northeast of City

First Baptist Church  
220 West Ave. E.  
Barry Bradley, Pastor

Emmanuel Baptist  
Church  
Iglesia Bautista Emmanuel  
107 East Third  
Isaias Cardenas, Pastor

Trinity Baptist Church  
314 E. Ave. B.  
Rev. Dale Berry

Circle Back  
Baptist Church  
Intersection FM 3397 & FM  
FM 298  
Pastor, Glen Price  
946-3676

Calvary Baptist Church  
1733 W. Ave. C.  
Rev. Rick Michael

Muleshoe Baptist  
Church  
8th and Ave. G.  
Bob Dodd, Pastor

Progress Baptist  
Church  
Charles Fisk, Pastor  
Progress, Texas

Richland Hills  
Baptist Church  
17th and West Ave. D.  
Allen Petersen, Pastor

St. Matthews  
Baptist Church  
Corner of West Boston  
& West Birch  
M.S. Brown, Pastor

Progress Second  
Baptist Church  
1st and 3rd Sunday  
Rev. Arthur Hayes

The Community Church  
Morton Hwy  
Mort Cross, Pastor  
272-5992

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Dennis Hayes, Pastor

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Church  
965-2121  
Larry Reid Farris, Pastor

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Church Services 10:30 a.m.  
Rev. Mac Bearss, Pastor

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507 South Main  
Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.  
Evangelistic Services  
J.L. Soto, Pastor  
El Divino Salvador  
Methodist Church  
5th and Ave. D.  
Jose M. Fernandez, Pastor  
965-2932

Jehovah Witness  
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Boyd Lowery, Pastor  
United Pentacostal  
Lighthouse Church  
207 East Ave. G.  
Rev. J.A. Torres

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Church  
965-3413  
B.C. Stonechipper, Pastor  
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Bautista  
223 E. Ave. B.  
Roy Martinez, Pastor

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Worship 11:00 & 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m.  
Sam Billingsley, Minister

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Of Christ  
Clovis Hwy.  
Bret McCasland, Minister  
16th & Ave. D.  
Church Of Christ  
Sunday 10:30 a.m.  
Evening 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

First Assembly  
Of God  
Rev. G. Dean Reid, Pastor  
9:45 Sunday School  
11:00 Morning Worship  
6:30 Evening Services  
7:30 Mid-Week Services  
272-3984

Spanish Assembly  
Of God  
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Mike Doyle, Pastor

First United  
Methodist Church  
507 W. 2nd Street  
Richard Edwards, Pastor  
1st Baptist Church  
Lazbuddie, Tx. 965-2126  
Gary Wilcox, Pastor

Primitive Baptist  
Church  
621 South First  
Elder Cleveland Bass, Pastor  
Lazbuddie Church  
Of Christ  
202 W. Ave. B.  
New Covenant  
Church  
Plainview Hwy.  
Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.  
Jimmy Lowe, Pastor

Imagine yourself in a train depot in a foreign country, and the signs are in a language unfamiliar to you. You know that the signs are there to direct you, and you try to figure them out, but despite your best efforts you are not sure of your interpretation. The natural thing to do then, is to check with an attendant and have him explain things to you.

The Bible is a sign given to us, and directs us in a pathway of living. Interpreting these directions is not always easy, so the natural thing to do, should be to seek someone to help us. Our churches have many trained personnel who are familiar with the language of the Bible. Attend Church this week and follow God's way of life.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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## 18. Legals

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**  
Sealed bids addressed to the City of Muleshoe, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 8:30 AM, December 19, 1989 and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for Seal Coating City Streets.

Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the blank form of the proposal attached hereto and marked in the upper left hand corner.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) percent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute any bonds that may be required within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. The bid security must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered. Contract is expected to be awarded at the December 19 meeting.

If contract is over \$25,000 the successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms which are attached hereto in the amount of 100% of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as surety or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

Plans, specifications, and bidding documents may be obtained from McMories & Associates, Inc., 6300 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, Texas 79109, by qualified general contractors on deposit of \$50.00 per set.

**CITY OF MULESHOE, TEXAS**  
By: Darrell E. Turner Mayor  
M18-49t-2tc

**Think Classifieds Call 272-4536**

## 18. Legals

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THE CITY of Muleshoe, Texas recognizes that every person has the right to have access to adequate housing. The City of Muleshoe, through its Fair Housing Ordinance, designates Dave Marr, City Manager to accept complaints alleging discrimination in housing. v18-50s-1tctc

## 15. Misc.

### Ernie's Roofing

Specializing in flat roofs, shingles and Build-up roofs.  
Residential-Commercial  
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## 8. Real Estate

### James F. Hayes & Co.

**Agricultural Real Estate Sales & Appraisals**  
Vic Coker Agent

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**320 ACRES** on Parmer County, Castro County Line. 2 electric sprinklers. Good water. Good bases and yields. 60 Acres of grass. Seller Motivated.

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**159 ACRES**-Valley Electric Sprinkler, Allocated in corn, wheat, and cotton, lays perfect, on pavement, 2 wells. Priced Right.

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**810 ACRES**-Of Dryland in 3 tracts. 80 Acres of grass, balance is allotted. Some Water and underground pipe on one tract.

Office 272-3100 Home 965-2468  
**310 Main Street Suite 103**

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**HOUSE FOR SALE:** 3-2-2 brick, isolated master suite, sprinkler system, storage building, lots of extras. 1914 W. Ave. F. Phone 272-4804. B8-49t-7tc

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**FOR SALE** in Richland Hills by owner. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath red brick home. 1815 W. Ave. C. Call 272-3767. B8-48t-tfc

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**3-BEDROOM,** 2-bath, double-wide mobile home for sale. 272-3438. C8-47s-tfc

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**FOR SALE BY OWNER:** 3/2/Carport, a Brick, Large Den w/ Fireplace, Built Ins, Central A&H, Energy Efficient. Ceiling Fans, 1825 living area, covered patio, storage building, and much more. Call 272-5205 after 6:00 p.m. 8-49s-3tp

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### Smallwood Real Estate

**232 Main Muleshoe 272-4838**  
**FOR RENT:** Office, large reception room, 4 private offices furnished, central heat & refrigerated air.

**LENAU ADDITION-3** Bedroom, 1 Bath, Living room, Den with wood stove, 1 car Garage. Nice. Priced less than tax appraisal.

**3 Bedroom, 1 Bath, Living room, Dining area, Cooktop, Oven, Dishwasher, Central heat, Evaporative cooling, 1 car garage. Large garage and Storage building.**

**8th STREET-3** Bedroom, 1 Bath, Living room, Microwave, Gin air Cook top, oven, New carpet. Small apartment and workroom in detached garage. 150' x 140' lot, Water well, Geo-Thermal heat and cooling.

**LONGVIEW AREA-1** Labor of red, sandy dry land. Deep soil. This is productive land.

### IRWIN REALTORS

**806-792-6373 806-879-2348**  
**FOR SALE-160** acres West of Muleshoe. Lays perfect, good water, 2 wells, with lovely home. 3 bedroom, 3 baths, 3 car garage, large game room, formal dining and living. Almost new equipment barn and automatic lawn sprinkler and more.

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**FOR SALE OR RENT:** 2 bedroom, 2 full bath mobile home, on 45' x 150' fenced lot. Call 272-5435, after 5 p.m. G8-49t-tfc

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**FOR SALE By Owner.** Richland Hills 3-2-2 Brick, central A/H, storm windows, ceiling fans, nice location. 272-5194. F8-46s-12tcs

### Bingham & Nieman Realty

116 E. Ave. C.

272-5285 or 272-5286

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**RICHLAND HILLS**  
JUST LISTED-IMMACULATE, ENERGY EFFICIENT 3-2-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, sunken iv. area w/ cathedral ceiling, ceiling fans, earthtones, storage bldg., much more!!! \$50's!!!!!!!!

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**VERY NICE 3-2-2** Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, spkrl., natural wood cabinets & trim; much more!!!!!!!

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**4 NICE RESIDENTIAL LOTS PRICED FROM \$5,000.00!!!!!!!**

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**JUST LISTED-Nice 3-2-2** Brick on large corner lot, Cent A&H, built-ins, storm windows & doors, large basement, much more!!!!!!!

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**IMMACULATE 3-2-2** Home on corner lot, Cent. A&H, built-ins, loads of storage & closet space!!!!!!

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**VERY NICE 3-2-3** Home, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, fans, spkrl. sys., fenced. PRICED TO SELL!!!!

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**HIGHLAND AREA**  
NICE 3-2-2 Brick home (2 story), on corner lot, Cent. A&H, built-ins, and much more. LET'S LOOK TODAY!!!!!!\$60's

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**NICE 3-2-1** Brick Home, Cent A&H, built-ins, large den w/fireplace. Fenced yard, storage bldg. \$40's!!!!

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**PRICE REDUCED 2-2-2** Brick, corner lot, Cent. A&H, spacious rooms, utility, cov. patio, fenced yard, & much more. 40's!!!!

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**VERY NICE 3-2-1** Brick Home. A&H, built-ins, FP, spkrl., storm windows & doors, covered patio, fenced yard, corner lot. 50's!!!!!!

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**HIGH SCHOOL**  
JUST LISTED-COZY 2-1 Home, nicely remodeled, fenced yard, & More \$17,000!!!!

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**2-1 1/2-1** Brick, fl. furnace, CA, fenced yard & more. \$20's!!!!!!

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**NICE 2-1 1/2-1** Home, corner lot, built-ins, nice carpet, heat pump, fenced yard, storage bldg. & more!!!!

GEORGE NIEMAN, BROKER

### Three Way News by Mrs. H. W. Garvin

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Rev. and Mrs. Rodger Foot, Three Way Baptist pastor, attended a pastors meeting in Springlake Tuesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wittner, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sowder, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Sowder and the Jack Reeves family attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration in Shallowater Sunday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Jack Furgeson, who lived in our community many years.

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Rev. Hershel Wilson, pastor at Sunnyside Baptist Church, showed a film of the work done by the Baptist ministers.

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Farmers are almost through with the harvest. The community received almost three fourths inch of rain from Thursday until Saturday.

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The Three Way School hosted a basketball tournament from Thursday through Saturday. The junior teams lost all their games. The Three Way high school boys won first place with Three Way girls winning second place.

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Several parents and students from Three Way 4-H attended the district 4-H food show at Lubbock Saturday. Three Way came home with several blue and red ribbons.

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Marcus Huff spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Huff. Marcus works at T.I. in Lubbock.

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### FOR SALE:

**1/2 Block-Old Chevrolet Lot** across from the Dairy Queen

Very Reasonably Priced

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**Roy Whitt**

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