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MISD Board approves 1995-96 budget, tax rate

By Linda McGonagill

The MISD Board of Trustees held a meeting Monday, Aug. 28 at 7 p.m. to discuss and take action on several important items.

A hearing on the 1995-96 budget was held and was unanimously adopted by the board members. The total budget is \$8,896,562. Aside from salaries, etc., this amount includes repairs, roofing, new construction and insurance.

The new tax rate was unanimously approved to be 1.2704 per \$100, up slightly \$.0133) from the last increase in 1993.

There was discussion of the self-funded insurance plan. The district is in very good shape with this plan, and premiums have not gone up in five years. The board voted to renew unanimously.

Capital improvement projects in the near future include roofing and repair to roofing for all campuses, within approximately two years, construction of a new free-standing building for a weight room and construction of new tennis courts.

Future projects are being considered, such as renovation of the band hall and relocation of the bus barn to alleviate the heavy traffic congestion and allow more room for future expansion.

Assistant Superintendent Adrian Meador reported an increase in enrollment to just under 1,600 students. Due to the increased enrollment, additional text books have been ordered and a new bus has been added.

Meador also said the T-star satellite system is now available for MISD. It is used by teachers, administrators and students for training.

Meador told the board members that Coca-Cola

(Clovis) and Muleshoe State Bank have donated funds for a new scoreboard for the football stadium. The scoreboard will be put up as soon as it gets

The board expressed appreciation for such timely help, since the old scoreboard had been repaired so often, it was barely working.

Jo Mayhugh, the business manager for MISD, gave her report on taxes, bank and fund balances. She stated that all funds were solvent, and that 94.45 percent of the taxes owed to the school had been collected.

Meador reminded the board members that regarding the low performance rating for Muleshoe schools, the district will conduct a public hearing concerning the rating on Sept. 25, at the high school. At that time, all campuses will have action plans to present to the



Sitting pretty

Courtesy photo by Terri Bohler

These ladies are sitting pretty underneath the statue of "Old Pete," who has stood in his present location since July 3, 1965. The famous animal celebrated his 30th birthday quietly during Fourth of July festivities in Muleshoe. He will, no doubt, be honored during Muledays '95 this weekend.

Around Muleshoe

Mules host Portales Friday in 1995 opener

The Muleshoe Mules will open the 1995 football season at home Friday when they host the Portales Rams at 8 p.m. in Benny Douglas Stadium.

The Rams have a week's experience on the Mules, having opened their season last week in Clovis. Portales took it on the chin 43-0 against the Wildcats, who are the defending New Mexico AAAA state champions and ranked No. 1 in the current New Mexico Associated Press poll.

Portales has a score to settle with Muleshoe, which last year rallied from a 19-7 deficit to beat the Rams 25-19 in Portales. The Rams suffered 16 penalties for 121 yards and the Mules forced four turnovers. It was one of two MHS victories last sea-

The Rams have a new head coach in Bobby Crane, although he is no stranger to the Portales sidelines. Crane was defensive coordinator for two Portales AAA state title teams and the head coach for another in the mid-1980's.

Portales is led offensively by quarterback Raul Anaya, who had 105 yards against the Mules last season. Joining Anaya is tailback Kris Summers, who had 130 yards against MHS.

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Events:

Aug. 31,

Sept. 1-4

SPS & PSCo merger awaits stockholder approval

DENVER, CO and AMA-RILLO — The proposed definitive merger of Public Service Co. of Colorado, and based in Amarillo, awaits the approval of stockholders and various regulatory authorities.

The "merger of equals" unanimously approved by the boards of both companies would form a new energy-services holding company.

Bill D. Helton, SPS chairman and chief executive officer, and Del Hock, PSCo chairman and chief executive Southwestern Public Service officer, said the anticipated Company Public Service Co., \$770 million savings during a 10-year period will allow the operating companies to provide "very competitive" electricity rates in both service areas for many years to come.

> They said specific rate plans would be filed with appropriate state public utilities com

missions and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in the near future.

According to Helton, PSCo adds a faster-growing servicearea economy, natural gas utility operations, and innovative approaches to information technology and energy ser-

SPS brings strong generation and engineering, diversity of power plants and fuels, and success with wholesale mar-

kets and non-regulated generation products.

Hock noted that customers also would benefit from the adoption of the "best practices" of each company, the sharing of generating capacity and increased leverage in purchas-

"We will have lower fuel costs for generation; we can defer additional generating capacity; and we can reduce

total inventories," Hock said. The new company will be a

registered public utility holding company, which will be the parent company for both Public Service Co. of Colorado and Southwestern Public Service Company.

The corporate offices of the holding company will be in Denver, with significant operating functions based in Amarillo.

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Patterson gets SPC award

LEVELLAND—Lionel Patterson, employed at Muleshoe Medical Center, received a Student Choice Award Friday, Aug. 18, during South Plains College's pinning ceremony for the 1995 vocational nursing graduating class.

Patterson worked with SPC vocational nursing students during their clinical training at the medical facility and was selected by the students for outstanding assistance. The

students selected one person from each medical facility affiliated with the program for

Vocational nursing pins were presented by Jennifer Ponto, R.N. and instructor in vocational nursing at SPC. White Bibles were presented by Mrs. Prentiss Rhyne, Gideon representative.

Guest speakers were Dr. Myrna Armstrong, professor of education at Texas Tech University, and Dr. Adolf Orina, a physician at South Park Hospital.

Cooperating hospitals and medical facilities which provide clinical training for SPC's vocational nursing students are Methodist Hospital-Levelland, Muleshoe Area Medical Center, South Park Hospital, Levelland Nursing Home, **Brownfield Regional Medical** Center and University Medical Center in Lubbock.



Journal photo/Pat Durben

Lionel Patterson receives Student Choice Award at South Plains College pinning ceremony.



THURSDAY, AUG. 31 6:30 p.m. — Chamber of Commerce Hamburger Cookout, parking lot of Joe's Boot Shop. 6:30 p.m. — Jackpot Roping, parking lot of Joe's Boot

Shop. FRIDAY, SEPT. 1

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 2

7:00 a.m. — "Tour De Muleshoe", beginning at the Bailey County Coliseum.

9:30 a.m. — World Champion On Foot Goat Team Roping, parking lot of Joe's Boot Shop.

2:00 p.m. — The Mule Shoe-Down, Dusty Rhodes

5:00 p.m. — The Mechanical Mule Roping, parking lot of Joe's Boot Shop. 10:00 p.m. — Street Dance, Main Street.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 3

9:00 a.m. — 3rd Annual Rotary Team Roping, Dusty Rhodes Arena.

MONDAY, SEPT. 4

9:00 a.m. — 3rd Annual Rotary Team Roping, Dusty Rhodes Arena.

American State Bank acquires branches

LUBBOCK — Bank of America Texas and American State Bank announced Monday that they have signed a definitive agreement.

Under the agreement, American State Bank will acquire Bank of America's branches in Farwell, Floydada, Littlefield, Muleshoe and Plainview.

Completion of the transaction is subject to approval of applicable regulatory authorities and is expected to close in the fourth quarter of

1995 or early 1996.

"We look forward to continuing to offer the same high-quality service to these communities that we have been accustomed to providing in the other communities we serve," said W.R. Collier, president and chairman of the board of America State Bank.

"We are dedicated to making this transition a smooth one for the people in Farwell, Floydada, Littlefield, Muleshoe and Plainview."

Bank of America is a sub-

sidiary of Bank America Corporation.

At June 30, 1995, Bank-America had assets of approximately \$226.5 billion and deposits of approximately \$155.7 billion

Bank of America Texas currently operates 241 branches in Texas and had assets of approximately \$7.9 billion and deposits of approximately \$6.8 billion at June 30, 1995.

American State Bank, with assets of approximately \$708 million, was established in 1948 and has three locations in Lubbock, as well as locations in Brownfield, Levelland, Plainview and Snyder.

American State Bank also has an additional branch location under construction at Fourth Street and Vicksburg Avenue in Lubbock.

In addition, American State Bank will be opening a supermarket branch location at the Albertson's store at 50th Street and Indiana Avenue in Lubbock in September.

SPS & PSCo define functions, territories

RILLO - SPS, based in Amarillo, is a regional electric utility that primarily provides service to a population of about one million people.

Its 52,000-square-mile service area is comprised of eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the South Plains and Panhandle of Texas, the Oklahoma Panhandle the southwestern Kansas.

wholesale power sales to other electric systems in 15 states last year.

SPS's generating capacity is 52 percent coal-fueled and ral gas system. 48 percent from other fuels, throughout its system.

gineering Corporation provides engineering, design and construction management services to a variety of industries.

Another subsidiary, Quixx

SPS and PSCo will main-

tain their company headquar-

ters in Amarillo and Denver,

respectively. The board of the

new holding company will

consist of eight current direc-

tors from PSCo and six current

merger in early 1997, Hock,

who is 60 years old and PSCo

chairman and chief executive

Helton, 56, will become the

Upon the completion of the

directors from SPS.

officer, will retire.

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DENVER, CO, and AMA- Corporation, is involved in a number of non-utility power generation projects, both nationally and internationally.

> Public Service Co. of Colorado is an electric, natural gas and thermal energy utility, which serves a 32,000-squaremile area and a population of approximately 2.8 million people in Colorado and in the Cheyenne, WY, area.

Headquartered in Denver, The company also made the company operates eight steam-electric plants, nine hydroelectric facilities, a downtown Denver thermal energy service and an extensive natu-

PSCo's fuel for generation primarily natural gas. The is approximately 99 percent company has 12 power plants coal and 1 percent natural gas. Hydroelectric power also plays SPS subsidiary Utility En- a role in this mix during the warmer months of the year.

> PSCO's subsidiary, eprime, was started in January 1995 to provide value-added, energyrelated products and services

> > Wayne H. Brunetti, 52,

PSCo president and chief op-

erating officer, will become

vice chairman, president and

chief operating officer of the

and a half years after the merger

is completed, whichever comes

later), Brunetti will assume the

responsibilities of CEO and

Helton will remain chairman.

On May 31, 2001, Helton

On June 30, 1999 (or two

executive officer.

new company.

WYOMING KANSAS OKLAHOMA NEW MEXICO **PSCo** SPS **PSCo** SPS \$1.8 billion Assets \$2.06 billion **Total Operating Revenues** \$102.2 million \$170 million Net Income 2,215 Employees 363.565 1.1 million **Electric Customers** 4,272 MW 3.952 MW **Electric Peak Load** 24 billion KWH 20.4 billion KWH **KWH Sales** 21.0 billion KWH 13.5 billion KWH Retail 6.9 billion KWH 3.0 billion KWH Wholesale 933,400 **Natural Gas Customers**

Except as noted, SPS figures: fiscal year ended Aug. 31, 1994. PSCo figures: fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1994. *Denotes current figures.*

MCF Deliveries

States.

ral Fuels Corp., is building an infrastructure for natural gas vehicles, and it sells compressed natural gas as a transportation fuel.

Beef Forum announced

LUBBOCK — The third annual Southwest Beef Efficiency Enhancement Forum (BEEF) will be held September 14-15 at Texas Tech University, in conjunction with the annual Golden Spur Award weekend.

Breeding and Managing Cattle for Profitability will headline this year's conference. Meeting organizers have designed the program for cowcalf and stocker producers in western Texas and Oklahoma,

and Eastern New Mexico. Speakers will discuss strategies for producers to increase production efficiency and show how their animals impact all segments of the U.S. beef industry.

Beef producers will hear Dr. Chuck Lambert of the National Cattlemen's Association discuss ways to prepare for valuebased marketing. Legislation impacting production and the beef industry will be the topic for Mark Ellison of Texas Department of Agriculture. Bill Pratt with Micro Chemical. Inc., Amarillo will address electronic cattle identification and sorting issues.

To register for this year's conference, contact Dr. Andy D. Herring at (806) 742-2825, or at the Department of Animal Science and Food Technology, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas 79409.

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sume the responsibilities of chairman of the board. The merger is subject to

approval by the shareholders of both companies. It is also subject to the approval or regulatory review by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Federal Trade Commission, the Department of Justice, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and state regulators in Texas, Colorado, New Mexico.

Wyoming, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Brunetti said the merger agreement has the key element to succeed. "I have long believed that if you can satisfy customers, you will be successful. This merger is unquestionably a step that enhances our ability to give our customers what they want and what they want most of alllow price," Brunetti said.

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Enochs News

Mrs. Oleta Burris of Wellman came Thursday and stayed until Friday afternoon to visit her sister and husband, Wanda and J.E. Layton. They also fixed peas for her.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Lorella and Wendell were a daughter, Mrs. Susie Shields of Lela Lake, Darlene Alexander of Littlefield. Patrice's two children, Leslie and Chase, Mrs. Faye Jones of Bula, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Coleman of Dumas, Mrs. Roxie Stroud and

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Locke, to help a grandson, Monty, celebrate his 14th birth-

Cindi Alexander and children, Christopher and Page, spent two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Faye Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pollard of Enochs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Huff attended the Huff family annual reunion at the County Club in Portales, NM, Sunday. All

three of the brothers and four sisters attended. There were 48 in attendance.

Lee Roy Sandefer of Lubbock, brother of Mrs. Rose Nicholes, died Saturday. His services were Monday, at the Funeral Chapel in Morton, at 2 p.m. Burial was in the Morton Cemetery. We express our sympathy to his family and other relatives.

We wish to welcome Chris and Melinda Locke and Chelsia of Canyon to Enochs. They

by Mrs. J.D. Bayless

have moved into the former Shorty and Louise McCall

· I would like to express my sympathy to the family of Marvin Short, who passed away this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Adams spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock, with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green, and son, Matthew. They went to church with them Sunday to see a granddaughter, Kelly Logsdon, baptized

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Muleshoe

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Muleshoe Lions to host pre-game meal at MHS

M. Scott Pace announces that the Muleshoe Lions Club will have a pre-game meal for the first home football game against the Portales Rams Friday, Sept. 1.

The menu is chicken fried steak with all the trimmings. The dinner will be in the Muleshoe High School Cafeteria from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3.50 for children and are on sale from any member of the Muleshoe Lions Club.

The night of the dinner, you may call 272-4360 for carryout or buy your tickets at the door, Pace said.

Three Way ISD Board to discuss budget, tax rate

Three Way School Board of

Trustees will have a special meeting Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the administrative office of the Three Way School at Maple.

Business includes personnel interviews and considerations, final 1994-95 budget amendment and bills payable, as well as adopting a budget and setting the tax rate for the 1995-96 school year.

Bailey County budget hearing slated Aug. 31

Bailey County Commissioners Court will meet in special session in the Bailey County Courthouse Thurs., Aug. 31 beginning at 10 a.m.

The commissioners will consider bids for the sale of a motor grader belonging to Precinct No. 4, take a survey of the number of traffic control cones needed in the county, and consider a resolution designating Investment Officer and backup for the county.

A budget hearing will begin at 1 p.m. to consider adopting the county budget for fiscal year 1996 and to consider and set general fund and farm to market/flood control tax rates for 1995.

Denim Festival to feature Jennings, Coulter, Carter, Cash

Like slipping on a pair of favorite blue jeans, the 20th Littlefield Denim Fest promises a relaxing and entertaining god time for the whole family

this Labor Day Weekend, Sept.

Country music superstar Waylon Jennings headlines a legendary lineup of country music entertainers Sunday night, including Jessi Coulter, Johnny Cash and June Carter

An arts and crafts fair at the Ag Center Sat. and Sun. from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., features a denim style show and photo contest.

A parade Sat. at 10 a.m. will be followed by a tractor pull at noon and an exhibition by the

A Sunday morning gospel concert at 8 a.m. precedes

horseshoe pitching at 9 a.m. The Waylon Jennings West

Texas Barbecue Cook-off is from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

Activities lans include a children's carnival, a kite display, strolling entertainers and a food court. More information is available by calling (806) 385-5331 or (210) 997-8515.

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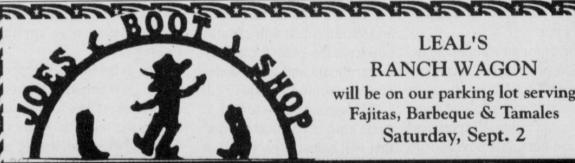
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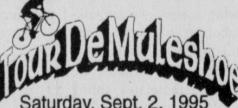
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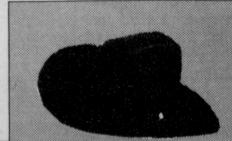
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Employee of the Month

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August Employee of the Month, Mary Hicks, has been Muleshoe's city secretary for 23 and a half years. Hicks (center) is shown with Chamber members, Bill Moore (left), Terri Hann, Lary Hooten, Starla Ellis and J.B. Douglas. Duties of city secretary include keeping the books and doing the payroll and accounts payable. Hicks is married to Bailey County Sheriff Jerry Hicks. She is now treasurer and is soon to be installed president-elect of the Texas Municipal Parks Association, made up of city secretaries across the state.

Cool temperatures affect the rate of growth in cotton

but for local farmers it can mean Hopper said. the difference between a bumper cotton crop and one for cold tolerance into lines that's not.

Dr. Norman Hopper, an associate professor of agronomy at Texas Tech University and a cotton research scientist at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station here, is studying cold tolerance of cotton under grants funded by Cotton Incorporated and the Texas State Support committee. In addition, he is looking at a seed coating which may improve seedling emergence under cool conditions.

area of over 3,000 feet above cellular damage occurs, prisea level means that this area may experience very cool temperatures during the spring and fall of the year.

face in this area is that we have a short growing season. It is not particularly short in terms of the number of days from last frost in spring to first frost in the fall. We have an adequate number of days in terms of our growing season," Hopper said.

"When we talk of a short growing season, we are talking about it in terms of total heat units that are available to mature the crop. Because we often have these low spring and fall temperature conditions, this narrows us in on the number of heat units available." he explained.

In order to use as much of the heat units as possible to grow and mature the crop, we have to plantearly. When planting early, we often run into cool spring temperatures, especially at night, Hopper said.

Cotton is basically a crop of tropical origin, and it likes warm temperatures.

When cotton is planted under cool conditions, it slows germination, emergence, establishment, and growth.

Hopper and his research team are trying to improve the emergence of cotton under cool conditions.

"There are several ways to approach this, and one is through genetics. We try to select lines that have what we call cold tolerance. That means they can germinate and emerge

LUBBOCK — Most of us under cooler temperatures than, don't mind the cool tempera- say, other lines and we can use tures in the spring and the fall, those in a breeding program,"

> "We try to incorporate genes and varieties that will eventually have the genetic capacity to germinate and grow under cool conditions," he explained.

The second way is to look at some kind of physical method that will enhance germination and emergence.

"One of the things we are looking at is trying to identify why these early season cool temperatures tend to hurt germination and emergence. We know that as a dry seed im-The high elevation in this bibes (absorbs) cold water, marily to the membranes," Hopper said.

When seed membranes are damaged, one of two things "One of the problems we will happen. If enough damage occurs, the seed will never germinate. The second, is that the seed will receive a certain amount of chilling injury.

> It may or may not germinate and emerge. It will depend on how much injury there is. If the seed is injured, it is going to emerge slower than if no injury occurred.

"So one of the things we

believe is happening is that as dry seeds imbibe cold water too fast, the membranes in the cell are cold and not very elastic. Since the membranes are cold and not very stretchable (brittle), they may rupture, Hopper said.

One of the things Hopper is looking at is polymer film coating. Polymer films form a coating on the seeds, slowing the water uptake and letting the cells stretch slowly instead of quickly under the cold condi-

"Now we don't want to slow the imbibition a whole lot because this would also slow emergence. Slowing emergence would have the same effect as delaying planting and thus not utilizing the entire growing season," Hopper warned.

Some secondary things can happen too, the scientist noted.

When cells rupture they are dead. If enough of the cells rupture, then the seed dies or doesn't have the capacity to germinate. Anytime a seed is damaged but not killed, the vigor is reduced.

"The amount of vigor loss will determine whether the seed will survive and live. Anytime

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African Expo attracts Texans

AUSTIN — The Texas Department of commerce will lead a statewide delegation to the Made in USA Southern Africa Trade Expo '95 in Johannesburg, South Africa on October 3-7. Texas companies are invited to attend this event.

This trade mission allows Texas companies to exhibit products and services to over 26,000 business visitors seeking trade, joint ventures, distribution and franchise agree- support equipment, franchis-

portunity for Texas campanies to meet buyers, traders, business people, bankers, and government officials in Southern Africa.

· South africa is considered the gateway for U.S. exporting prospects to south Africa include agriculture, industrial chemicals, computers and peripherals, computer software, tourism, tourism, medical equipment, aircraft, and ground ing, aircraft and parts, As Africa's largest trade fair healthcare, machine tools and of U.S.-produced goods and metalworking equipment, services, this is an unique op- telecommunications equip-

ment, textile machinery and equipment, security and safe quipment, cosmetic and toiletries, sporting goods and recreational equipment, building products, drugs and pharmaceuticals, and commercial fishing equipment.

The Export Matchmaking Program, a component of Made in USA '95, will assist companies in pre-arranged meetings with potential partners.

For a more detailed information packet, contact Susana Garza of the Texas Department of Commerce at (512) 936-0222.

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Featured Patient

Cruz H. Torres was married to the late Beto Torres and has lived in Muleshoe for 26 years. She has 8 children-4 boys and 4 girls: Maria Franco of Muleshoe, Juanita Jaramillo of Muleshoe, Lucy Acosta of Mission, TX, Margie Lopez of Snyder, TX, Ralph Torres of Snyder, TX, Jose Torres of Muleshoe, Benny Torres of Muleshoe, Raul Torres of Lariat, TX. She also has 26 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Torres has always been a housewife. She enjoyed taking care of her home and living in Muleshoe. The people here are nice. She is a member of the Catholic Church.

The nurses are all very good at Muleshoe Home Health Care, especially Yolanda. She loves her.



Cruz H. Torres

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Garden spot of the week

Garden spot of the week chosen by the Jennyslippers for last week was the Trinity Baptist Church, located at 312 E. Ave. B. The white brick of the church makes a beautiful background for the red cannas and yellow marigolds.

SPS

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He said he expected employee reductions would be approximately 8 percent of the consolidated work forces of both companies. That figure equals 550 to 600 positions out of the combined work forces of approximately 7,000 employees.

"We pledge to keep employees, customers, shareholders and regulators informed throughout this transi-

Cotton -

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we've ruptured those cells like that, it may not be enough to keep it from coming up; meaning it can still go ahead and emerge," Hopper said.

Anytime a cell is ruptured, the contents of the cell actually spill out into the seed environment and—because the contents are very rich in amino acids and sugars—the contents become the perfect media for pathogenic organisms (such as fungus and bacteria) to grow and invade that seed and cause it to die.

"So what we are hoping to do with the polymer coating is to slow imbibition, thus, causing less damage to the seed—what we call imbibitional chilling injury. In addition, we won't have those cellular contents in the soil acting as a media for pathogenic organisms, both of which should give us a higher emergence," Hopper said.

Cal Farley's 51st Boys Ranch Rodeo scheduled Sept. 3-4

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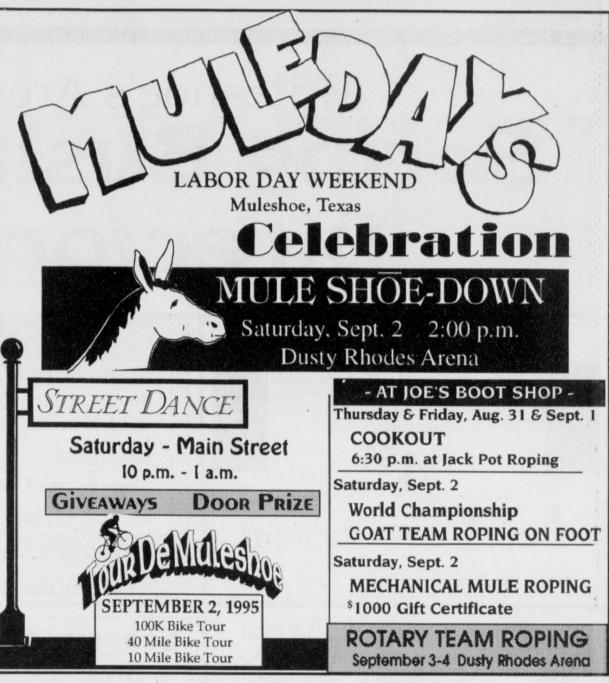
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Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Wilson, of Muleshoe, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary, Sunday, Sept. 3, at the Muleshoe Heritage Center Depot, from 2-4 p.m. Wilson and the former Eloise Lindley were married September 16, 1945, in Earth. They have three sons, Lindell of Austin, Darrell of Lubbock and Preston of San Antonio. They also have four grandchildren. The Wilsons opperate the Wilson Independent Insurance Agency in Muleshoe. All friends and neighbors are urged to come out and help them celebrate.

Senior Citizens meet Monday for luncheon

The Bailey County Senior Citizens met at the Depot for our regular covered dish luncheon, August 28.

The invocation was given by Clara Coffman. The salute to the flag was led by Buster

Twenty four were present, including three visitors, Fredda Schooler, Bill Moore and Martha Frost.

After a very good meal, Margaret Collins introduced Fredda Schooler. She is from the Pep School and gave a talk about the history of the school. It was a vision Fredda had,

how many would have a chance to start over, so they can finish and get jobs. One hundred six have finished. It is so good for those who want to go forward.

Buster read a poem from Ann Landers about people getting older. Two members had birthdays, Velma Howell and Margaret Collins.

It was voted to give \$10 to the Cancer Fund in memory of Lester Howard.Katie Roubinek gave the benediction.





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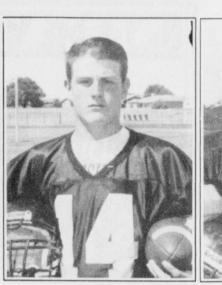
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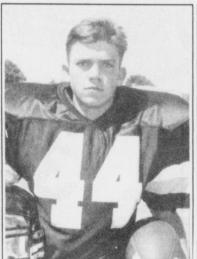
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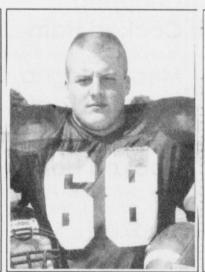
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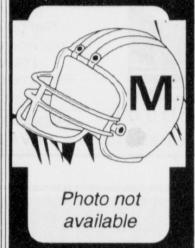
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Misty Prater honored with baby shower

Misty Prater was honored with a baby shower, Sunday, August 13, at the New Covenant Church of Muleshoe.

Raspberry sherbet punch, lemon bars, cookies, nuts and mints were served from a table decorated with a white lace tablectoth over a blue drape. The centerpiece was a teddy bear floral arrangement by Helene Adrian.

Special guests were Misty's Misty Prater nal grandmother, Dorene seat and stroller. Hudson, all of Muleshoe. Also

The hostess gift was a four- Underwood.



mother, Judy Jacobs, her sister in- one car seat, which in-April Sawyer and her mater- cludes infant and toddler car

Höstesses were Helene attending were Derek Prater's Adrian, Alice Felan, Linda mother, Pat Prater, his sister, Flores, Louvenia Garlington, Misty Wilbur and grandpar- Dee Grumbles, Pam Helton, ents, Agnes Wolf and Grace Lynda Low, Kay Mardis, Lanelle Skaggs and Dannette

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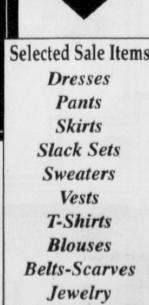
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State Sculptor of Texas has been named

Garland A. Weeks of Mason, TX, has been designated the 1995 official State Sculptor of Texas by the 74th Legislature of the State of Texas in House Concurrent Resolution

Garland A. Weeks was chosen on the basis of exhibiting exceptional ability in portraying the beauty of this state, facets of its history, and the proud spirit of its people through his bronze sculpture and life-size monuments.

State Representative Layton Black (D-Goldthwaite) Chairman of the Texas State Artist Nomination Committee states, "In recent years, the State of Texas has chosen to recognize outstanding artists by bestowing upon them titles of honor to serve as an encouragement to other talented artists. A work of art can immortalized for all time the spirit of the age and the cultural heritage by which it was inspired."

Weeks is a sixth-generation Texan whose great, great, grandfather, E.M. Weeks, served as state representative in the 23rd legislature of 1893 under Governor James E. Hogg.

Weeks says, "As the 2nd most populated state, we Texans need to show off our artistic heritage and attributes. As the Sculptor of Texas for 1995, sentational sculptor trying to I will spread the Texas word throughout the National Art Academies and Societies to which I belong".

accepted and acclaimed across the nation. He has been invited to show his works in prestigious shows throughout the

The most recent invitation was extended by the National Sculpture Society's show "Westward Ho! American Sculpture", which was held January through May 1995 in New York City in the Americas Tower.

This presentation was an effort to bring the best of the West back to the attention of the Eastern Art Establishment.

Weeks is a member of National Sculpture Society, National Academy of Western Art, American Medallic Sculpture Association, British Art Medal Society, Texas Cowboy Artists Association, Texas Society of Sculptors, Southwest Sculpture Society, Society of Artists and Anatomists,, Allied Artists of America (Associate), Professional Rodeo Cowboys Artist Association and Artist Member-Mountain Oyster Club of Tucson.

"I am a traditional, reprecapture the character and characters of the West, both past and present. The West, with its unique brand of people and Week's sculptures have been places is what I know and love most" says Weeks.

> "With my own style of design and sculptural application, I am bringing a fresher look to the western and non-western figurative genre of sculpture so eagerly sought after in today's aesthetically attuned society" says Weeks.

Upcoming events in Weeks' professional sculpting schedule include the completion of a life-size bronze sculpture for a public library in the Hill Country of Texas.

Along with a commission for a major registered cattle operation in the Midwest, Weeks will be presenting his sculpted creations at the "Governor's Invitational Art Show" in Cheyenne, WY, "Legacy of the West Art Show" in Jackson Hole, WY, "Sculpture in the Park" in Loveland, CO, as well as showing at the Haley Memorial Library in Midland, TX, and at the Museum of the Cherokee Strip in Enid, OK.

The selection of Garland A. Weeks to represent Texas as the 1995 Official Sculptor of Texas will bring much pride to the state through his timeless art, his rich sense of humor, gregarious nature and strong intellect, all of which represent the very best qualities of our state.

Weeks, a graduate of Texas Tech University and former resident of San Angelo, TX, is a native of Wichita Falls, TX, where his parents Glynn and Madeline Weeks still reside.

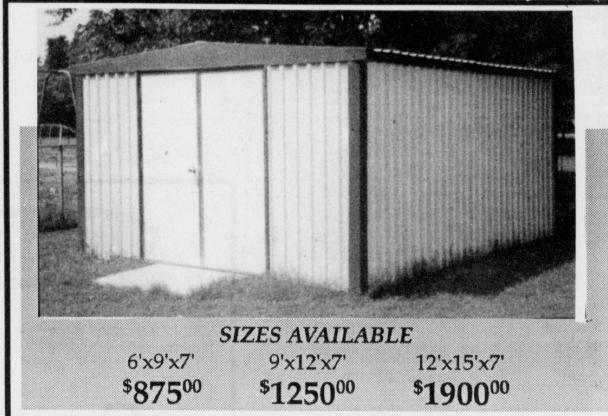
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Property Tax Rates in Lazbuddie ISD

This notice concerns 1995 property tax rates for Lazbuddie school district. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes Last year's debt taxes Last year's total taxes Last year's tax base Last year's total tax rate

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This year's rollback rate:

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This year's local maintenance and operating rate

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This year's debt rate Rate to recoup loss certified by commissioner of education

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Six birthdays celebrated at Muleshoe Area Healthcare Center

Rose Sneed (left), Arnold Beckett, Burley Locke, Bootie Tiller, Kathrine Rogers and Nell Parkinson (not pictured) celebrated August birthdays Thursday, Aug. 24, with a party in the day room for guests and other nursing home residents. Residents enjoyed festive decorations, balloons and gifts, along with music provided by Pat Watson and Yaunda Martin.

Nursing Home News

Sunday afternoon the New

summer, ones' energy can go to the dogs. According to folklore, even the mockingbird refuses to sing during these lethargic periods. For some of us though, dog days can last year around.

Our thanks to Jane Reeder for baking us a big batch of tea

During the torrid days of

Thursday afternoon Grace Scarbrough, Wennie Berry and Tennie McCormick came to play games with the residents. Grace brought home made rice Krispie treats for refreshments.

Friday afternoon Melvin Griffin and Chikie Hinderlight took Bootie Tiller and Jackie Davenport to the local library to view the doll show.

Covenant Church came for church services and visitation.

Tuesday afternoon Susan Anderson, Claudine Embry, Lanell Stancell, Mary Jo Archer and the activity department shampooed and set the ladies' hair and gave nail care.

Wednesday morning, Buster and Wanda Kittrell hosted coffee—spudnut time. The Kittrells served fresh cantaloupe that they had grown.

Following coffee time Joe and Clara Harbin demostrated the " Dos and Hows" of kraut making.

After the interesting and informative program, Ruben sandwiches were made and served to all attending-made with the Harbins' special homemade kraut. Special guests for the occasion were Grace Scarbrough, Tennie McCormick, Jim Claunch and Mrs. Quesenberry's daughter, Anna B., her son-in-law and greatgranddaughter.

By Joy Stancell

Wednesday afternoon Glenda Jennings and Jonessa Brockman came for a sing-along and puppet show. Benny and Jean O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Shanks came to sing with us. A late comer was Holly Millsap.

We wish to thank the Cornelison family for the beautiful bouquets of fresh flowers.

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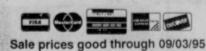
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Taking Medicare into the 21st Century

ike many other well intentioned government programs, Medicare is costing much more than Congress ever anticipated.

Congress initiated Medicare in 1965 and since then it has served millions of Americans, helping the elderly and disabled pay their medical bills.

But by 1990, Medicare was costing seven times as much as was originally projected. Next year it will begin spending its surpluses, and at its current rate of growth, Medicare will be bankrupt within seven years.

So Congress faces the daunting task of devising a way to save Medicare while revamping the program to take it securely into the next century.

Earlier this year, the Clinton administration outlined the problem: the survival of Medicare requires either an immediate 44 percent increase (this is not a misprint) in payroll taxes, or an immediate decrease of Medicare spending of 30 percent.

To me, such a solution is akin to curing the disease with a medicine that is fatal to the patient. Nor do I believe we should raise taxes to prolong the current antiquated

Medicare's benefit structure is as unsound as its finances are. The benefits it offers compare unfavorably to most of those offered by the private sector. No private-sector health plan is sold in Medicare's artificially divided — Part A, Part B — fashion.

Congress' 1996 budget resolution would address Medicare's short-term funding dilemma by limiting its rate of growth to 6.4 percent annually. Note, please, that expenditures in this program would continue to grow by more than 6 percent a year. But in the long run, there will have to be substantive structural changes made in Medicare to guarantee its survival.

Our first and principle concern is ensuring that Medicare beneficiaries continue to have access to quality health care. A number of remedies have been suggested, the guiding principle of which is that reform must come through the creation of incentives, not by tightening controls, curtailing choice or increasing government rules.

To start with, beneficiaries must be given incentives to help eliminate waste and fraud. We must simplify the program, eliminating the reams of paperwork and red tape that are driving up costs. We need to get rid of the bureaucracy—driven, rigid structure of today's Medicare, and create instead a flexible program that can be tailored to individuals' needs.

Medicare must be converted from an open-ended program to one that instead makes a financial contribution toward the health-care costs of beneficiaries and allows them to choose among several plans — including the standard Medicare benefit package with which they're already familiar. Medicare beneficiaries should have the same range of options offered to people in the private and public sectors.

We cannot bury our heads in the sand and avoid the necessity of Medicare reform. We have to face up to this challenge in order to preserve a system upon which so many of us depend.

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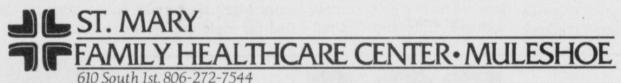


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Minding Your Business

By Don Taylor

Success is a Result

I've never met a person who had absolutely no desire to succeed. However, I've met an awful lot of folks who have not yet achieved any great measure of success. The actual reasons for this are as varied as the many definitions of success itself.

Some folks define success are raising a family and securing their children's education. Some measure success by the size of their home, car or bank account. Others define it as "being out of debt." Still others consider their life a successful venture if they have helped others. While I will not attempt to define success for you, I would like to help you get started in the pursuit of it.

In observing the lives of those I consider successful, I've found some common factors. When these factors are in evidence, success is the result.

Study the lives of those you feel have achieved a measure of success. Compare their efforts to the six prerequisite factors of success listed below. I believe you'll agree there is a distinctive correlation. Our actions always bring results. Whether the results are what we want is up to us.

Reaping results

* Success is the result of thinking. Careful consider-

ation of conditions, facts and opinions is the root source of success. Thinking opens the door of discovery to let in the light of reason. You can solve problems, discover opportunities and chart a course toward your goals with clear thinking.

You can add power to your thinking by focusing on the positive. Zero in on what you can do, rather than dwelling on what you cannot.

* Success is the result of planning. Planning is the process of determining where we are now, deciding where we want to go and then filling in the steps to get from here to there. Proverbs 21:5 says, "The plans of the diligent lead surely to abundance."

Planning sets your thought in concrete. Your plan then becomes the foundation you build upon.

* Success is the result of beginning. Thinks and planning are factors in your success, but only when you begin. To begin any journey, you must take the first step. You can only draw nearer your goals by starting toward them.

Success is achieved by those who begin. Beginning allows you to implement your plans. Many fail at this stage because they think, dream and create a plan, but never begin.

* Success is the result of

perseverance. Many folks think and plan. A smaller group of people actually begin. Fewer still persevere to the end.

Success is the result of trying, trying and trying again. Many are content to stop short of their best effort. Their results may be acceptable, but never successful.

* Success is the result of managing time and priorities. This success step is where you reap the seeds of good planning. Careful planning establishes an order of importance for all we do. Managing time requires that we do the most important work first.

Since priorities change daily, planning must go on continually. Every day our first task should be to determine the highest priorities. Then we can focus our time on getting the

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* Success is the result of productivity, not activity. We do not achieve success by being busy. We achieve it by accomplishing meaningful results. Webster's dictionary defines result as "the consequence or outcome of action."

When we direct our efforts with good planning, prioritize our tasks in order of importance and persevere until we achieve the desired outcome, we have achieved success. Success is not the end of the journey, but rather the marking of the mile posts as we travel toward our long-term goals.



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Educational role of County Agents is vital

AMARILLO-County Extension Agents have a vital role to play as their counties face complex issues which often divide communities and create confrontations, agents were reminded by speakers at the annual professional development meeting of the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association.

Controversial issues polarize citizens, with opposing sides presenting exerts to support whatever side of the road they take, said Dr. B.L. Flinchbaugh, state Extension Service leader for agricultural economics at Kansas State University.

The extension agent doesn't take sides, Flinchbaugh cautioned. "But the educator doesn't take a middle-of-theroad position. The educator covers the whole road," he said. By using educational techniques which present all sides of an issue, he said, the county agent gives citizens a chance to analyze facts and make sound decisions.

The public's perception of agriculture differs from the perception held by those involved in agriculture, said Dr. Rob Terry, assistant professor of agriculture at A&M. He said it is up to those in agriculture to change the views of those who see the food and fiber supply system as a small, inefficient, poor, harmful and unimportant industry.

People need to be told more than production, processing and marketing when agricultural educators address them, Terry said. He told the agents to stress the economic impact, social significance, nutritional values, environmental significance and opportunities of agriculture.

Saturday, Aug. 26, 1995

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	Steve Benge, Lovington, NM	Rwf. Bull	125 lbs	. at \$150 per ho
	Sam Hubert, Smyer	2 Mixed Bulls	255 lbs	. at \$77.00
	George Mitchell, Muleshoe	2 Blk. Strs	675 lbs	. at \$65.50
	P & S Cattle, Clovis, NM	13 Rwf. Strs	665 lbs	. at \$63.75
1	HG Morgan, Muleshoe	5 Mixed Bulls	850 lbs	. at \$55.00
	Shafer Cattle, Muleshoe	Brin. Str	850 lbs	. at \$61.25
1	Barton Spencer, Littlefield	Blk. Str	285 lbs	. at \$77.50
1	Barton Spencer, Littlefield	Blk. Str	510 lbs	. at \$65.00
	Barton Spencer, Littlefield	2 Char. Bulls	320 lbs	. at \$75.00
	J.O. Bass, Olton	Red Str	885 lbs	. at \$56.00
	Howard Leavell, Farwell	Blk. Hfr	155 lbs	. at \$145.00
	Sam Hubert, Smyer	2 Blk. Hfrs	310 lbs	. at \$65.00
	Sam Hubert, Smyer	6 Bwf. Hfrs	440 lbs	. at \$63.00
	Orecimo Reyes, Earth	Blk. Hfr	475 lbs	at \$62.00
	RH Layton, Morton	Red Hfr	510 lbs	at \$60.00
	P & S Cattle, Clovis, NM	9 Rwf. Hfrs	635 lbs	at \$57.50
1	Bo Chunn, Causey, NM	2 Mixed Hfrs	583 lbs	at \$57.00
	Delia Guerro	Red Hfr	295 lbs	at \$215.00
	Thomas Kennedy, Olton	2 Bwf. Hfrs	430 lbs	at \$65.00
	J.R. Rodriquez, Bula			
	CM Moss, Olton			
	Joe Elliot, Slaton			
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	Ronald Hardin, Amherst			
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The Muleshoe Cattle Market is brought to you each week by Muleshoe Livestock Auction, located east of Muleshoe on U.S. 84. Muleshoe Livestock conducts sales every Saturday, beginning with hogs, sheep and goats at 10 a.m. and cattle following at approximately 12 noon.

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"Cultural Corridors," New Mexico's innovative roadside art project has moved into high gear with the announcement that Tucumcari is the first of four communities in the state to select a site for art work commemorating Rt. 66 and El Camino Real.

Betty Bryant, site coordinator for the Tucumcari project, announced that the local Cultural Corridors Committee selected the long rectangular area along Tucumcari Boulevard (Old Rt. 66) adjacent to the Convention Center for the \$100,000 public art project.

A "call for entries" has been issued for the Tucumcari project which is open to all artists. Project prospect uses are available from the new Mexico Arts Division which is community.

coordinating the project statewide. Prospectuses are also available through the Quay County Arts and Humanities Council.

The Cultual Corridors project is also being planned in Gallup, Las Cruces and Valencia County. It is expected that these communities will select sites for artworks in Sep-

The Cultural Corridors project in New Mexico is the result of a unique partnership between the Arts Division and the State highway Department and is funded primarily through the enhancement provisions of the Federal Highway Bill of 1991. Matching funds are provided by the State of New Mexico and each participating



Business of the Month

Journal photo/Martha Toles Frost Named August Business of the Month is Wilson Appliance. Pictured is Chamber member Bill Moore (left), with Helen Head, employee, Marilyn and Gordon Wilson, owners, and Chamber members Lary Hooten, Terri Hann, J.B. Douglas and Starla Ellis. The Wilsons, who started their appliance, TV and Radio Shack store in October 1967, will soon celebrate 28 years of business in Muleshoe. Employee Helen Head has worked for them 25 of those years. The Wilson's also own and operate "The Rental Place."

Tops News

Tops Chapter No. 34 met at the Muleshoe Church of Christ on Thursday, Aug 24, at 6:30 p.m. Leader Laverne James called the meeting to order. The TOPS pledge was recited and the fellowship song was sung. Mrs. James led the group in prayer.

Betty Jo Davis, weight recorder, called the roll with 22 members answering with the amount they lost or gained. Minutes were read by Aurora Mata, secretary, and were approved as read.

Lou Knowles was the best

loser for the week and Janie Hughes was runner-up. An 80pound pin was given to Evelene Harris for her great weight loss. Congratulations, Evelene, you are a great example.

Side one has 1,570 points in the Points Contest, while side two has 1,675 points. TOPS members did exercises which will help every member present on their points next week.

The TOPS reported challenges every member to have a loss next week. The meeting was adjourned with the good night song.

CCCS names top ten solutions for debt "Consumers should have a financial future: PLAINVIEW — Living cars or major appliances.

paycheck to paycheck has become a way of life for many families, meaning many are not saving to repay debt. Consumer Credit Counseling Service has comprise a list of ten steps to help consumers develop spending and savings plans and regain control of their financial future.

Saving money is the key to being prepared for future financial obligations, according to Marianne Gray, executive director, Consumer Credit Counsel Service of Great Fort Worth.

"Many people we counsel are getting by just living form paycheck to paycheck," she said.

repayment plan to handle cur-

rent debt as well as a savings plan for future expenses including college education for children, retirement, emergency expenses and possible medical expenses."

Consumers should start by asking a few questions: How would I handle a large, unexpected expense? How long could I stay afloat if I lost my job or had my hours cut back? Will I be able to retire comfortably or educate my kids? How much do I have in savings or investments.

If you don't like your answers, consider the following as a means of controlling your

* Carefully track your current expenses and trim where possible. List your monthly expenses. Try cutting back on things such as entertainment, dining out and nonessential clothing.

* Set financial goals. Prepare for future investments including college educations, retirement plans, mortgages and related expenses.

* Prepare a written spending plan. Most consumers find it easy to create a budget but hard to stick to it. Writing a detailed plan and keeping it readily available will help to keep it in mind more frequently.

* Plan for periodic or unexpected expenses. When creating a budget, keep in mind expenses that could occur such as a job layoff, medical emergencies, and maintenance on

* Begin a savings plan. Make it a priority to contribute to a savings account or investments. Take advantage of employer-sponsored plans. Even the smallest deposit can add up to a sizable amount if done consistently.

* Develop an effective bill paying system. Keep track how your money will be distributed, budgeting for fixed and variable expenses. And when you use credit to pay for an item, write down the amount and subtract it from your funds to ensure you can pay the amount at the end of the month.

* Monitor debt load and reduce where possible. Keep strict records on your debt repayment system and pay more than the minimum amount due when possible.

* Obtain credit reports and correct or explain if necessary.

Several credit reporting agencies offer free credit reports. Study and understand your report. Call and explain if there is a problem or an inaccuracy on the report.

* Use helpful resources for problem solving. Consumer Credit Counseling Service can offer the necessary resources to help individuals and families develop a workable bud-

get and spending plan. A nonprofit organization, CCCS provides professional counseling and financial guidance to consumers through one-on-one budget counseling sessions, educational workshops and debt repayment plans.

To schedule an appointment for counseling, consumers can call toll-free throughout Texas, (800) 374-2227.

Birthday policy

The Muleshoe and Bailey County Journals publish birthday announcements free of charge for babies one year old or for people ages 90 and over. A photo may also be included with the announcement. Complete guidelines and forms are available at the Muleshoe Journal office.

The deadline for items to be submitted is at 5 p.m. on the preceding Monday for the Thursday edition and at 5 p.m. on the preceding Thursday for the Sunday



Early Misgivings:

A Film on Child Abuse

Statistics reveal that a million cases of abused children occur each year in the United States, resulting in 2,000 deaths. Early Misgivings: A Film on Child Abuse presents a multi-faceted view of the problem of child abuse, which crosses all racial, religious, and socio-economic boundaries and affects our entire

Early Misgivings tries to clarify that point at which parental discipline becomes "child abuse," crossing that line between loving correction and lasting physical damage to the child. The program includes graphic medical slides depicting abuse of children, and addresses some of the ways parents can more effectively deal with conflicts.

The film suggests a relation between child abuse and subsequent anti-social behavior, including juvenile delinquency and crime. It also counters several of the most prevalent myths about child abuse — for instance, that only those who are psychologically deranged or physically brutal commit child abuse.

It includes interviews with parents, doctors, counselors, and other professionals, as well as former victims of child abuse. It stresses the need for an interdisciplinary approach to a problem that should be of concern not just to those personally involved, but also to society at large.

Early Misgivings: A Film on Child Abuse airs Sunday, September 3rd at 1:00 p.m. It repeats Wednesday, September 6th at 8:00 p.m.

Once Can Hurt a Lifetime

Marilyn Van Derbur, a former Miss America (1958), is also an incest survivor. She hosts Once Can Hurt a Lifetime, a powerful and emotional discussion confronting sexual violence, exploitation, and abuse of some of America's young people.

Once Can Hurt a Lifetime includes first-hand testimonials describing the fear and pain that childhood sexual coercion brought into the lives of the participants. Denial, terror, self-blame, and shame are revealed by surviving adults who were exploited or assaulted as children.

This award-winning program aims toward educating families, and attempts to motivate people to seek help, rather than live in fear or continue the pattern of abuse towards other children. Marilyn Van Derbur, national lecturer and motivational speaker, is also co-

founder of One Voice, the national center for redress of incest and sexual abuse. The organization is dedicated to educating the public, medical community, and media in an effort to break the destructive cycle of the sexual abuse of children. A video tape of this program is available for \$24.50 by writing or calling One Voice, P. O. Box 27958, Washington, DC 20038. (202) 667-1160 Proceeds

Once Can Hurt a Lifetime airs Friday, September 1st at 11:30 p.m. The program repeats Monday, September 4th at 3:00 p.m. and Wednesday, September 6th at 8:30 p.m.

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Applications for appointnent as Trustee to represent Bailey County on the Board of Trustees of the Central Plains Center for Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse ("the center") are now being accepted. Application forms can be obtained from the office of the County Judge in the Bailey County Courthouse. Applications must be returned to the office of the County Judge no later than Monday, September 11. 1995, at 10:00 a.m. Qualifications for appointment are: interest in and commitment to the people served by the Center; desire to serve the community; willingness and large quantities of data and and a good working relationship with citizens of this county. Expertise in law, business, finance, medicine, mental health, mental retardation or substance abuse is desirable but not required. Applicants must be a resident of and qualified voter in this county. Owners or persons in control of a busi-

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\$2.00 per Column Inch **DEADLINES** For Thursday Paper, Noon Tuesday For Sunday Paper, Noon Friday

To receive the reduced rate after the first insertion, the

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Muleshoe Journal

For Sale, Large 3 bedroom, one bath house, carport, storm windows and doors. Evaporative air. New roof, big fenced back yard. Call 272-4082.

bath, 1 car garage, completely refinished, new carpet and drapes, located at 1727 W. Ave. E. in Muleshoe. Priced in 60's. Call 272-4649 or 272-3666.

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Monday - Friday

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MULESHOE AREA HOME HEALTH

1989 Ford F-150

Ultra, supercharged, automatic transmission, dual zone

Contact Ismael in the Credit Dept.

Automatic transmission, tilt steering wheel, cruise

Friona Motors, 806-247-2701

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Better Business Bureau Report

By Nan Campbell

Mortgage rates are still low, and many homeowners are considering refinancing their home mortgage. Not everyone saves by refinancing, however. Homeowners should weigh the total cost of refinancing before making such a decision.

When you refinance you mortgage, you pay off your original mortgage and sign a new loan. With a new laon, you can incur many of the same costs you paid to get you original mortgage.

These can include settlement costs, discount points and other fees. Keep and eye on the interest rates to make sure they have dropped to a level that makes refinancing worthwhile before you go to any expense.

If you decide to refinance, shop around by calling several lending institutions to ask what interest and fees they charge.

Check the reliability of the lending institution with your BBB by calling 763-0459 or (800) 687-7890.

Remember, you do not have to refinance your mortgage with the same lender that provided your original mortgage.

Despite all of our warnings and alerts, consumers continue to lose money by getting in-

Obituaries

Katherine Murrell

SPRINGLAKE — Funeral services for Katherine (Gambrel) Murrell were held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church of Springlake with the pastor, Scott Rilling, officiating.

Burial followed in the Springlake Cemetery under the direction of the Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Earth.

Mrs. Murrell died Saturday at her home after an illness. She was born May 27, 1925 in Marion County, AL. She married Larry Murrell April 13, 1957 in Clovis, NM.

She had been a resident of the Earth-Springlake area since 1950, moving there from Monahans. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church of Springlake.

Survivors include her husband, Larry; five sons, Michael Murrell of CA., Greg Murrell of Wichita Falls, Billy Garner of Friona, Larry Murrell, Jr. of Kress and Jerry Murrell of Plainview; three daughters, Claudia Star of Arvin, CA, Shirley Campa of Springlake and Dorothy Williamson of Decatur, TX; two brothers, Don Ed Gambrel of Montgomery, AL and Glen Gambrel of Amarillo; 19 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren.



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volved with questionable work-at-home opportunities.

Consumers call the BBB daily who are interested or have answered an advertisement they can make \$1000 weekly by stuffing envelopes or asthey have seen in the newspaper or other tabloid that says sembling products.

The ads are nothing but lures to hook people into sending \$25 or more to order information on how to place their ads just like the ones they are responding to.

It is a vicious never-ending circle and consumers will not make \$1000 a week sitting at home stuffing envelopes, because they don't get the actual work to be done they are only paying for information.

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3 Pc. Sofa, Loveseat & Wing Back Chair

Now \$699

2 Pc. Stanton Sofa & Loveseat Beautiful Southwest Print. Reg. \$1,099. **SALE \$599**

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> 2 Pc. Sofa & Loveseat Dottie Frolic Print. Reg. \$1,598 **SALE \$599**

3 Pc. Sofa, Loveseat & Wing Back Chair

SALE \$849 3 Pc. Sofa & 2 Glider Recliners Sofa Has 2 Recliners, 4 Recliners In Group Reg. \$2,938.

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Loveseat 1 Only! Southwest Print. Reg. \$699. Now \$499

Sofa, Loveseat & Chair **SALE \$399**

6 Pc. Dinette Cherry Veneer, 4 Side Chairs & 2

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SALE \$599

11 Pc. Dinette 1 Only! Has 4 extensions, 8 Side Chairs, & 2 Arm Chairs. Reg. \$3,398.

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24", 30", White Or Oak. Limited To Stock On Hand, No Reorders. Reg. \$59.

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3 Pc. Dinette 2 Only! Formica, With Folding Leaf. Reg. \$199.

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Assorted Chest Of Drawers Starting At

\$69 White & Brass Dresser 1 Only!

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> Starting At \$129

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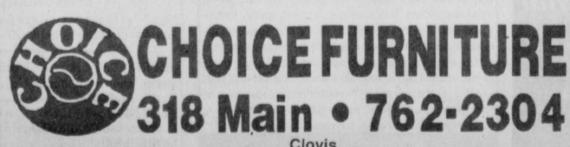
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