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## PAGE ONE

A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

### Women set sex boycott

For months, the women of Sirt, a village in southern Turkey, have been forced to line up in front of a trickling village fountain for water, and they have had enough.

No water, no sex. That's what they have told their husbands, who have been banished from the bedroom until they fix the village's water system.

Sirt, near the Mediterranean resort of Antalya, has some 600 residents.

### Hooters to fight lawsuit

A spokesman for the owner of several Hooters restaurants in the Panama City, Fla., area says the company will fight a former waitress' lawsuit alleging her employer promised her a Toyota but gave her a toy Yoda.

Jodee Berry, 26, won a contest in early May to see who could sell the most beer in April at the Panama City Beach Hooters.

The top-selling waitress from each restaurant in the area was entered into a drawing, and Berry's name was picked. She believed she'd won a new car, not a Star Wars figurine.

### Broccoli ice cream a flop

Max & Mina's kosher ice cream parlor in Kew Gardens Hills, N.Y., was featured in a July *Jewish Week* piece, bringing readers up to date on the many offbeat flavors the store makes.

All are rich in butterfat but meet various Jewish dietary standards: "lox," "corn on the cob," "horseradish," "peanut butter and jelly," "beer and nuts" and "campfire delight" (principal taste: baked beans).

The store also once made (but has discontinued) a "broccoli" ice cream.



**Drawing date:** Saturday, Aug. 11  
**Winning numbers:** 3-9-11-16-26-43  
**Estimated jackpot:** \$12 million  
**Winners:** 0  
**Next drawing:** Wednesday, Aug. 15  
**Estimated jackpot:** \$16 million

### On this date in history

Aug. 14 — The Texas Republican begins publication in Nacogdoches (1819).

Aug. 16 — Birthdate of Mirabeau B. Lamar, second president of the Republic of Texas, in Louisville, Ga. (1798).

Also on Aug. 16 — The Union begins prolonged bombardment of Corpus Christi with "whiskey bombs" (1862).

### LOCAL WEATHER

The National Weather Service predicts continued cloudiness through the first of next week, with the best chance for scattered showers during the period coming Thursday. Temperatures should continue to range from the low 60s to upper 80s, and the danger of sunburn will continue to be very high.

Editor Ronn Smith can be reached at 272-4536 or ctyankee@fivearea.com

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## Muleshoe's school board sets tax rate

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

The Muleshoe School Board voted Monday night to set a tax rate that will bring in the same amount of money the district got last year.

Unfortunately, because of a decline in the appraised value of farmland in the district, that required raising the nominal tax rate by about 3 cents — from \$1.35 to \$1.3794.

Superintendent Gene Sheets said Tuesday that the culprit lies in land values: "Unfortunately, the district had a \$4 million to \$5 million decline in property values — mainly caused by farmland changing from irrigation to dryland."

The board has scheduled a public hearing on the tax rate to precede its Aug. 27 meeting.

Also on the school schedule is a 30-minute public assembly at 8 a.m. Aug. 17 to announce the district's status based on students' TAAS scores. It will be held in the high school auditorium.

In other business Monday night, the board accepted the resignation of Mayme McElroy, who has accepted a job teaching home economics in Perryton.

### Rain covers most of area

Most of the Muleshoe area finally got sizable rain showers Sunday night, with many areas reporting more than 1.5 inches. One report from east of Progress came in at 3.5 inches.

In town, weather recorder J.K. Adams tallied 1.72 inches total from Thursday through Sunday night.

Late Tuesday, heavy storms were along the state line in Curry and Roosevelt counties.

## Area teams face first scrimmages of new season

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Most area Texas high school football teams are facing the first scrimmages of the 2001 season within the next week.

For the Muleshoe Mules, that means taking on the Idalou Wildcats on Aug. 23 in Muleshoe (game time to be announced).

The Three Way Eagles take on the Happy Cowboys at Happy the following day (Aug. 24), also at a time to be announced.

The first action involving a local team will be the Lazbuddie-Silverton scrimmage at 10 a.m. Saturday in Lazbuddie. Both teams graduated five lettermen and three starters each way, and both teams had 8-3 playoff seasons last year, making for a potentially potent matchup.



Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

### Getting back in the grind

Whitney Moulton (right) enrolls Monday as a seventh-grader at Watson Junior High School as she gets advice from (from left) Kara Grace (a new coach at the school), Fran Hamilton, Terry Byers and Alfredo Guzmán. The school district also has added a new feature this year: Residents can call 272-7669 and get weekly updates on school activities throughout the year. The number will continue to provide information in cases of bad weather as well.

## Latest round of farm aid flowing

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

LUBBOCK — U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Ann Veneman said Tuesday in Lubbock that the USDA would begin this week sending out the \$5.5 billion in farm aid included in a bill signed by President Bush on Monday. Then she proved it.

While in Lubbock to address more than 500 people at the Texas Agricultural Policy Summit, Veneman signed one of the aid checks and presented it to an area farmer.

She said that actually only a small percentage of the payments will be made by check; most will utilize direct deposit.

Veneman commended the Senate's quick approval of the legislation prior to Congress' August recess. The money will immediately help compensate farmers for low commodity prices.

"In the end, because time was so short, the Senate did the right thing," she said.

## Secretary of state's services go on-line

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

Texas Secretary of State Henry Cuellar announced this week that many of his office's business and commercial functions are now available on-line.

This includes electronically filing for permits and retrieving documents. The system also will be used to notify users of deficiencies in filing.

"I felt we could put modern information technology to work cutting red tape and giving Texans the kind of effective, efficient, and responsive government they deserve," Cuellar stated in a press release.

Among other duties, the office is responsible for enforcing the Uniform Commercial Code and other acts relating to businesses and corporations in Texas.

A tentative time schedule, guidelines and specific amounts have been set to distribute those payments to producers:

- Aug. 14: \$4.6 billion for supplemental market loss assistance payments to producers receiving a 2001 Agricultural Market Transition Act payment; \$423 million in supplemental payments to 2000-crop oilseed producers.
- Sept. 7: \$84.7 million to cottonseed producers and first-handlers of the 2000 crop of cottonseed; \$16.9 million to wool and mohair producers that received a payment for the 2000 marketing year.
- Sept. 10: \$54 million for producers of quota or additional peanuts who received a payment for the 2000 crop year.
- Sept. 18: \$129 million for eligible tobacco

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The software that makes the on-line services possible is called Business Entity and Secured Transaction Filing and Public Access System, simply referred to as B.E.S.T.

Previously, submitting or requesting commercial documents from the Secretary of State's Office was done via mail, phone or fax.

Fees charged for submitting or requesting documents through the B.E.S.T. system are payable through prepaid account, credit card or a special debit card known as LegalEase.

Texas business owners are already making use of the system, and feedback has been overwhelmingly positive, Cuellar said.

The system can be accessed at [www.direct.sos.state.tx.us](http://www.direct.sos.state.tx.us). Information about the system is available by calling (512) 475-2755.



Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

### Longhorns practice

Lazbuddie Longhorns go through their drills Monday in preparation for their 10 a.m. Saturday scrimmage against Silverton at Lazbuddie. *Texas Football* magazine's preseason rankings have Lazbuddie picked to finish second behind Whitharal in a six-team district.

# AROUND MULESHOE

## Seniors transportation available

The Bailey County Agency on Aging again has van transportation available for senior citizens. It can be used for errands, doctor appointments, grocery or pharmacy runs, and trips to Clovis, Lubbock or Amarillo.

There is no charge for people over the age of 60, but donations are accepted.

More information is available by calling Andrea Kemp at 272-3647 or Barbara Wilhite at 272-4975.

## Football tickets on sale until Aug. 31

Fans who held reserved-seat tickets last football season may pick up their options for this season between Aug. 13 and Aug. 31.

Tickets will be available at the district administration office, 514 W. Avenue G.

Those whose names appear on the seating chart may claim the tickets in person, by mail with the ticket holder's personal check, or by having a third party present the ticket holder's personal check.

Beginning Sept. 3, any remaining season tickets will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis during regular business hours at the administration office.

Reserved-seat tickets, which are good only at varsity games, are \$17.50.

More information is available by calling Dana Rasco at 272-7400.

## Three Way sets hamburger cookout

The Three Way School Board has scheduled a hamburger cookout for 7 p.m. Aug. 17 in the school cafeteria.

All community residents are invited. After the meal, district teachers will be introduced and information will be presented about the programs to be offered by the district during the coming school year.

## School registration under way

Registration continues this week for pre-kindergarten through junior high students in Muleshoe public schools.

• Junior high students new to the district must bring a

birth certificate, Social Security card, immunization records and grades from the previous school. New junior high students may register this week between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Returning junior high students registered earlier this week.

• Dillman Elementary School will be registering pre-kindergarten through second-grade students Aug. 17 from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Pre-kindergarten through second grade will register Friday from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Students will need their birth certificate, Social Security number and immunization records.

• DeShazo Elementary School will register third-through fifth-grade students during school hours through Friday. These students also need to bring their birth certificate, Social Security number and immunization records.

• New high school students may register during school hours through Friday. Returning high school students will register Aug. 20, with seniors at 1 p.m., juniors at 2 p.m., sophomores at 3 p.m. and freshmen at 6 p.m. Freshman registration will include an orientation session, with their parents.

## Public calendar

**Aug. 17** — Deadline to register for Sept. 22 ACT exam at either Lazbuddie or Muleshoe high schools.

**Aug. 18** — 10 a.m. Bailey County Cemetery Association annual meeting, at the Bailey County Coliseum.

**Aug. 21** — Mammograms at South Plains Health Providers, 208 W. Second St., if at least 15 people pre-register. (800) 377-4673.

**Aug. 23** — 6:30 p.m. Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board, hearing on proposed budget, in the dining room at Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

**Aug. 25** — 8 a.m. to noon. Mini-Mule Camp for potential cheerleaders, ages 3 through junior high, in the high school gymnasium. Fee \$20. Information, Kimberly Beard (272-3559) or Dana Wright (272-5450).

**Aug. 26** — 10 a.m. 75th anniversary service at Earth's First Baptist Church. Three former pastors will participate. Lunch will be furnished.

## Advance sales of history book continue

Advance sales of the second printing of Texas' Last Frontier: A New History of Cochran County have been extended through Sept. 15.

Copies of the book, written by former Morton residents Elvis Fleming and Dr. David Murrah, will be \$20 through that date and \$25 afterward.

Orders may be placed with Karen Garrett at the Morton City Hall (266-8850) or Bennie O'Brien, 944 FM 1169, Morton 79346.

At a Cochran County Historical Committee meeting Aug. 9, Glynn Merritt and County Judge James St. Clair reported on repairs being made to the former Cochran County Masonic Lodge in Morton.

The building will house the proposed Texas' Last

Frontier Historical Museum. Among many other things, the museum will house oral histories of local residents, now being compiled by June Kennedy.

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## Bailey County cleanup planned for Thursday

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

The Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission, Texas Department of Agriculture and Texas Cooperative Extension announced Monday that there will be a county cleanup collection Aug. 16 at the Bailey County Coliseum.

The service will collect waste pesticide and empty

containers from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. It is free to the public.

Accepted will be banned or unwanted pesticides, rinsed plastic pesticide containers, used motor oil, oil filters, lead acid batteries, household hazardous wastes and lab wastes from school districts.

Old mercury thermometers will be exchanged for

new ones.

No oil filters will be accepted from business that change oil for a fee, nor will any tires be accepted.

Not acceptable will be pesticides or herbicides containing 2,4,5-T-Silvex in quantities greater than 5 gallons, biomedical wastes, explosives, compressed-gas cylinders, fertilizers,

pesticides or wood preservatives containing pentachlorophenol, and nutrient materials that are neither hazardous nor contain pesticide admixtures.

More information is available by calling 272-4583.

## Bacterial blight being seen in area

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Curtis Preston, Bailey County agricultural agent, said Monday that bacterial blight is being seen in some cotton fields around Muleshoe.

This disease can be devastating to susceptible varieties in the right conditions.

Control of the disease was once a major objective of cotton breeding programs, he said, and many older varieties are resistant.

Leaf symptoms are angular, dark shiny spots that follow the outline of the cells — hence the name angular leaf spot. Symptoms on bolls appear as small and waxy-looking, sunken, rounded to irregular, watery lesions.

As the infection progresses, the lesions will enlarge and may blacken.

Boll infection often leads to contamination of the seeds, which may carry the bacteria into the developing seedling the next year.

Acid delinting of seed has been useful to reduce the carryover to the next generation, but only disease-free fields should be used as seed blocks.

Burial of infected debris should help reduce the potential for problems in the next crop, Preston said.

There are no fungicides labeled for control of bacterial blight on cotton.

Tests are being con-

ducted with copper hydroxide fungicides for this purpose, but as of now the only sure means of management is planting a variety with resistance.

The Plains Cotton Improvement Program and cotton-seed companies supported a blight nursery at the Lubbock Farm Show

the past two years. Many commercial cotton varieties and breeding lines are being evaluated for blight resistance; a list of varieties and their resistance rating is available from the Bailey County Extension office.

More information is available by calling Preston at 272-4583.

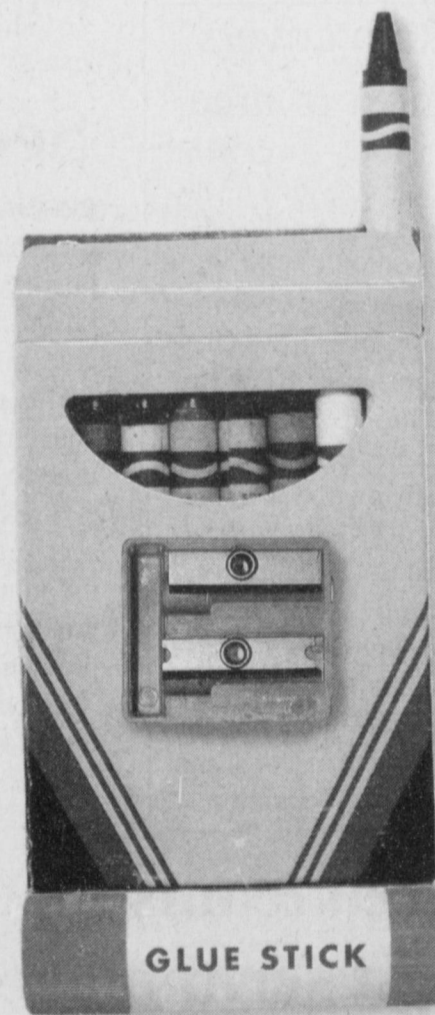
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producers as defined in section 204(b) of the Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000.

The package also includes \$500,000 grants to each state for the promotion of agriculture. Texas also will get \$2.6 million as its proportional share of \$133.4

million set aside for specialty-crop promotion.

Much of Veneman's Lubbock speech dealt with international trade. She pointed out that Texas ranks sixth among the states in agricultural exports despite sharing a long border with Mexico.



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# Cool fall weather is best time for many chores

By RONN SMITH  
Editor

The recent hint of cooler weather is probably just a teaser, but it's enough to signal that autumn is on the way.

Taking advantage of the stimulus that comes with cooler weather, the prudent gardener can take advantage of the season for several purposes.

All across our region, early fall is the best time of year for planting most trees and shrubs (magnolias are one notable exception). Planting when the air temperature is cooler but the ground is still warm gives woody plants a chance to re-establish their root systems before winter sets in—but without having to do it in the extreme heat of summer.

Bearded iris would normally have been transplanted in July, but with this summer's heat, that's probably waiting to be done. Try to do it early



enough for them to gain some root growth before the soil cools.

With the mild winters we've been having for the past decade, many gardeners are starting to grow plants that are cold-hardy only to Zone 8 (meaning they could be expected to die when the temperature hits zero).

If you're one of them, and intend to set out these plants in the fall, it's usually best to do it early while the weather is still hot; this will give them plenty of time to get established before winter. These plants might be better left for spring planting, but don't let that stop you from experimenting in the fall.

Many experts also advise applying an inch or two of manure around established trees later in the fall, so the benefits have begun to leach down to root level by spring.

One thing that many of us don't do (or even think about) in the fall is prepare planting beds for next spring.

Digging beds now allows you to 1) apply manure and let it further decompose over the winter; and 2) leave the beds a little rough and cloddy so you can get a little more advantage from winter snow collecting in the crevices.

On beds that you aren't going to dig this year, fall is a good time to put down a layer of cardboard, newspaper (maybe half a dozen sheets thick) or even chicken-feed or dog-food sacks.

This should keep winter-sprouting weeds from getting an early jump on your garden.

Cover the cardboard,

newspaper or sacks with 2 or 3 (or 4) inches of hay or some other mulch. By spring, the layers should be rotted to the point where a spade or even a trowel will slip right through. And the ground should be softer and moister. If we have a really dry winter, you might want to sprinkle the whole thing a few days before planting, just to make sure the work is easy.

Then there are the spring-flowering bulbs that need to be planted once the really cool weather arrives. Better wait on this until we have some really cold nights—otherwise some of the bulbs may sprout and try to grow.

Taking care of all these chores should keep you off the streets and out of trouble for most of the fall!

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Looks as if the people who got much good out of their tomatoes this summer were the ones who planted varieties specially bred for hot

weather.

Assuming we'll have another sizzler next summer, I think it would be advisable for everyone to seek out the hot-weather types. The big chain garden centers may not stock them, but I expect all the locally owned places will have them available!

There are quite a few of these varieties, and more new ones go on the market every year. If I get information next spring about the new introductions, I'll pass it along.

Just hang on to the Tomato Set in case you can't find the hot-weather varieties when the time comes.

Happy planting!

Questions and comments may be directed to Garden Writer, 571 County Road

1018, Muleshoe, Texas 79347, or e-mailed to ronnsmith@hotmail.com.

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We would like to start a choir, but we have no singers. We would like to start a youth ministry, but we have no children. We hope that God will bring us what we ask for. We do have good teaching of the word. The scriptures are consistently taught so that believing Christians can learn to live the will of God. We also enjoy music worship and welcome new singers. Please take time to consider if God is calling you to help our church grow again.

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Thank you,  
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## Plan major home renovations carefully

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

To borrow from an old quote, what's good for home ownership is good for the country, and people are jumping on the remodeling bandwagon in record numbers.

"Home construction and remodeling are critical bellwethers of the economy," says Richard Roll, president of American Homeowners Association.

"The good news is homeowners are investing at record rates in their homes. But consumers should evaluate their budget and needs before making that investment," he added.

If improving or expanding living space is on the

agenda, it's a common goal right now. The U.S. Census reported remodeling expenditures were up 7 percent in 2000—to almost \$153 billion nationally.

Spending on big-ticket replacement items, such as windows, roofing, siding, heaters and air conditioners, was up 15 percent.

Two major factors are driving this remodeling boom. First, most homes in America were built in the 1970s or earlier, and our aging housing stock needs a face lift. Second, more homeowners have the equity, income and yearning to improve their homes.

Just remember to reflect on the budget and long-term plans before beginning:

How long will the present home be retained?

If the plan includes a move in the next five years, think twice about big spending. At a minimum, figure out if a major remodel will pay off at resale.

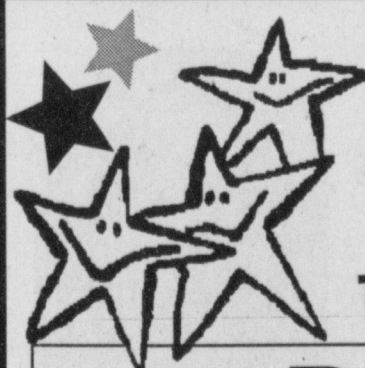
Talk to an appraiser or real estate agent to find out if a major improvement such as installing a new bath or addition will be consistent with other homes in the area.

According to the Census Bureau, spending on maintenance and repair jobs "held virtually steady" while spending on "largely discretionary addition and alteration projects" shot up.

But that doesn't mean home repair and maintenance aren't just as

important. Unless the home is well-maintained, replacing major systems and repairing the home's structure will end up costing more in the end.

More information on any aspect of buying or owning a home is available at [www.realhome.com](http://www.realhome.com) or [www.ahahome.com](http://www.ahahome.com)



## MULESHOE SPORTS ACADEMY TRAMPOLINE & TUMBLING

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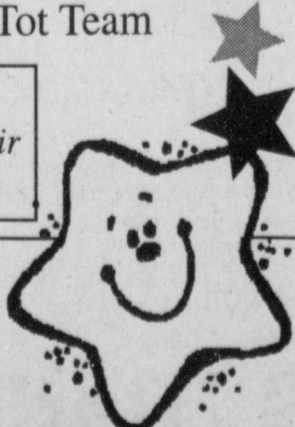
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Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Aug. 23	Idalou (scrimmage)	Here	
Aug. 30	Amarillo River Road (scrimmage)	There	
Sept. 6	Amarillo Caprock	There	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 14	Slaton	Here	8 p.m.
Sept. 21**	Friena	Here	8 p.m.
Sept. 28	Tulia	There	8 p.m.
Oct. 5	Seminole	There	8 p.m.
Oct. 12*	Lubbock Cooper	Here	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 19*	Littlefield	There	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 26*	Shallowater	Here	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 2*	Lubbock Roosevelt	Here	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 9*	Dimmitt	There	7:30 p.m.

Junior Varsity			
Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 7	Amarillo Caprock	Here	4 p.m.
Sept. 13	Slaton	There	7 p.m.
Sept. 20	Friena	There	7 p.m.
Sept. 27	Tulia	Here	7 p.m.
Oct. 4	Seminole	Here	7 p.m.
Oct. 12*	Lubbock Cooper	There	7 p.m.
Oct. 18*	Littlefield	Here	7 p.m.
Oct. 25*	Shallowater	There	7 p.m.
Nov. 1*	Lubbock Roosevelt	There	7 p.m.
Nov. 8*	Dimmitt	Here	7 p.m.

Freshmen			
Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 5	New Deal	Here	7 p.m.
Sept. 13	Slaton	There	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 20	Friena	There	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 27	Tulia	Here	5:30 p.m.
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Oct. 25*	Shallowater	There	5:30 p.m.
Nov. 1*	Lubbock Roosevelt	There	5:30 p.m.
Nov. 8*	Dimmitt	Here	5:30 p.m.

## School for candidates set

Anyone planning to run for office next year is invited to participate in a school for candidates scheduled for Sept. 8 in Austin. Experts in the field of campaigning will speak about important deadlines, filing dates and how to win votes. The school is being organized by Texas Democratic Women. More information is available by calling Betty Richie, the school chairperson, at (940) 549-1465 or Linda McGonagill, Bailey County Democratic chairperson, at 272-4183. Anyone interested in becoming a member of the Bailey County Chapter of Democratic Women also may contact McGonagill, either at the above number or by e-mail [mcpatlin@fivearea.com](mailto:mcpatlin@fivearea.com).

WATSON JUNIOR HIGH Eighth Grade			
Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 13	Slaton	Here	7 p.m.
Sept. 20	Friena	Here	7 p.m.
Sept. 27	Tulia	There	7 p.m.
Oct. 4	Seminole	There	7 p.m.
Oct. 12*	Lubbock Cooper	Here	7 p.m.
Oct. 18*	Littlefield	There	7 p.m.
Oct. 25*	Shallowater	Here	7 p.m.
Nov. 1*	Lubbock Roosevelt	Here	7 p.m.
Nov. 8*	Dimmitt	There	7 p.m.

Seventh Grade			
Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Sept. 13	Slaton	Here	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 20	Friena	Here	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 27	Tulia	There	5:30 p.m.
Oct. 4	Seminole	There	5:30 p.m.
Oct. 11*	Lubbock Cooper	Here	5:30 p.m.
Oct. 19*	Littlefield	There	5:30 p.m.
Oct. 25*	Shallowater	Here	5:30 p.m.
Nov. 1*	Lubbock Roosevelt	Here	5:30 p.m.
Nov. 8*	Dimmitt	There	5:30 p.m.

## OBITUARY

**RICHARD "MUTT" DAVIS** Johnson on Sept. 22, 1946, in Morton. She died April 19, 1996.

Services were held Tuesday at the Eastside Church of Christ in Morton for Richard L. "Mutt" Davis, 82, of Maple. Joey Pierice officiated. Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery.

Ellis Funeral Home of Morton handled arrangements.

Mr. Davis is survived by two brothers, Lowell Davis of Pflugerville, Texas, and Jim Davis of Lee's Summit, Mo., and numerous nieces and nephews.

He married Evelyn

## Wood carvers plan sale

The South Plains Wood Carvers Club has scheduled its second annual show and sale for Aug. 17-18 at the Lubbock Garden and Arts Center, 4215 University Ave. There are expected to be 25 to 30 tables of carvings in the show, which will be judged in 16 categories. Buddy Cabe of Hattiesville, Ark., will judge. Many pieces will be for sale. The show will be free to the public from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both Friday and Saturday.

*The family of Monica Gonzales would like to thank each and every one of you for the prayers, cards, flowers, food and memorials during the loss of our beloved mother Monica. God Bless you. Andrew, Sam, Dora, Alice, Nora & Aunt Francis*

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## HOROSCOPES

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**Aries - March 21/April 20**  
You have a lot on your mind this week, Aries, and it has you on edge. Don't take your anxiety out on your loved ones. They just want to help you. Take some time for yourself to sort your thoughts out. An acquaintance offers to help you with a personal problem. Say no, because he or she is really just snooping around.

**Taurus - April 21/May 21**  
You face a difficult family situation late in the week, Taurus. Be strong; everyone is counting on you to help make things better. If you keep your emotions in check for a while, you'll work things out. That special someone buys you something special. Let him or her know how much this means to you.

**Gemini - May 22/June 21**  
You're in for a treat this week. Friends and loved ones show you how much they appreciate all that you do. Enjoy yourself. A close friend asks for your advice about a romantic problem. Be honest with him or her; don't just blurt out clichés. Virgo plays an important role.

**Cancer - June 22/July 22**  
You face several challenges this week, Cancer. However, don't back down. If you stay determined, you most definitely can succeed at each one of them. Those around you will be impressed with your accomplishments. A friend introduces you to someone very interesting. Just be yourself, and you're sure to gain a new friend.

**Leo - July 23/August 23**  
Don't let your pride get in the way of apologizing for a mistake that you make early in the week. Everyone slips up once in a while. It doesn't mean that you aren't a very capable person. Keep your chin up. Things will get much better soon. Scorpio plays an important role on Friday.

**Virgo - Aug 24/Sept 22**  
Look at all of your options before making an important financial decision this week. You work too hard for your money to make a hasty choice. Remember, you can ask for help. You meet up with an old friend at the end of the week. Spend some time with him or her. You'll be surprised at what you learn.

**Libra - Sept 23/Oct 23**  
Even though you might not want to hear what family members have to say, listen to them. They're just looking out for you. Take their advice. A date late in the week, turns out to be all that you're hoping for and more. This is the start of a lasting relationship.

**Scorpio - Oct 24/Nov 22**  
A business associate tries to pull the wool over your eyes when it comes to an important project, Scorpio. Don't let him or her. You know how things are supposed to go. Take control of the situation. Your superiors will be impressed with your efforts. That special someone has a bad day at the end of the week. Be supportive.

**Sagittarius - Nov 23/Dec 21**  
Don't beat yourself up over a mistake that you made a while ago, Sagittarius. Learn from the past, and move on. If you stay focused, you'll come across an excellent financial opportunity. A close friend needs a shoulder to cry on. Listen to him or her, and be compassionate.

**Capricorn - Dec 22/Jan 20**  
When it comes to advancing your career, look before you leap, Capricorn. Things aren't always as good as they seem. Look at all of the pros and cons before getting involved. A loved one offers to help you with a personal problem. Take him or her up on it. You can't handle it alone.

**Aquarius - Jan 21/Feb 18**  
You're on the go this week, Aquarius. There's a lot to be done, and you're a little overwhelmed. Don't worry; if you stay focused, you'll come through with flying colors. A friend of a friend tells you how he or she really feels about you. Before making a commitment, think about what you want.

**Pisces - Feb 19/March 20**  
It seems as if everyone wants something from you this week. Don't get upset. Just take some time for yourself. Then, you can deal with everyone else. A budding romance stops before it starts. It's OK — he or she wasn't the right one for you.

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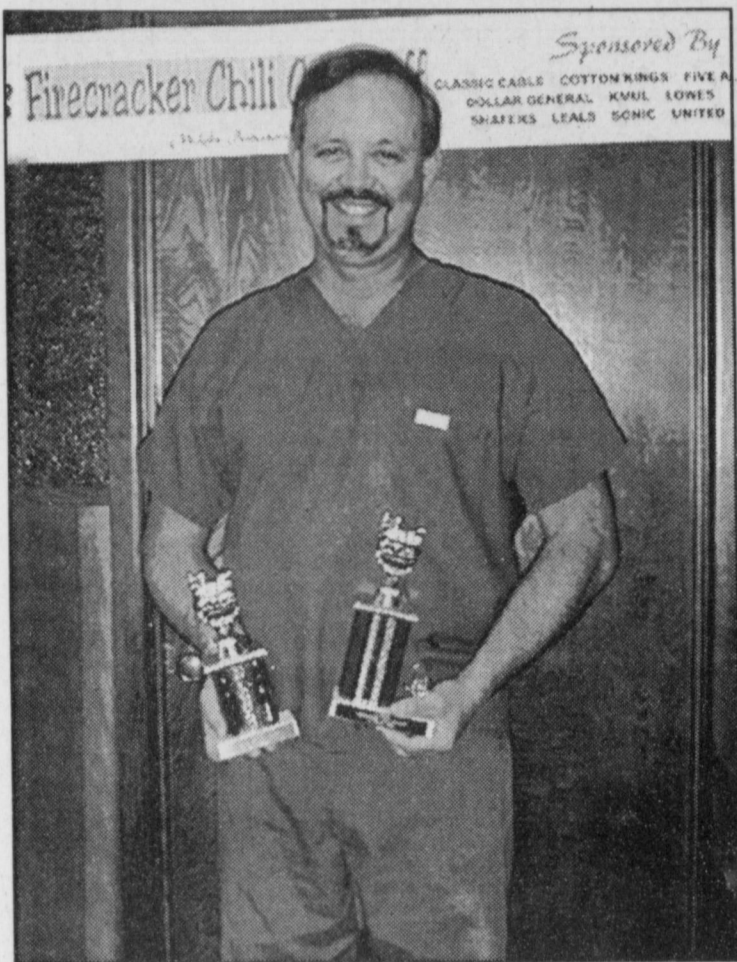
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### Man of many talents

Tom Bonds displays trophies he won at the July chili cookoff sponsored by Muleplex supporters. He placed first in the showmanship category and second in cooking. Brent Hall won first in cooking. The sponsors announced another cookoff for September, but details have not been released.

### TODAY'S RECIPE

#### CHEESY CAESAR POTATOES

- 2 russet potatoes
- 1 cup mushrooms, sliced
- 1 Tbsp. olive oil
- 1/2 lb. fresh spinach, torn into bite-size pieces
- 1/4 cup pitted ripe olives, sliced
- 2 Tbsp. Caesar salad dressing
- 1/2 cup crumbled feta

#### cheese or shredded mozzarella cheese

Preheat oven to 425 degrees. Bake potatoes until tender.  
In 10-inch skillet, brown mushrooms in oil. Add spinach and cook two minutes until spinach is tender.  
Remove from heat and add olives and dressing. Toss in cheese. Slice potatoes lengthwise; spoon on

topping.

Microwave directions: In microwave-safe dish, cook mushrooms in oil for two minutes on high, loosely covered with plastic wrap.  
Add spinach; cook on high two minutes longer.  
Add olives and dressing. Stir in cheese. Slice potatoes lengthwise and spoon on topping.  
Makes 2 servings.

## Breakfast-skipping teens linked to iron shortfall

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
**HOUSTON**—Teens who start their day without breakfast are twice as likely to have diets low in iron—a shortfall that could be hurting their grades.

"Breakfast supplies more than just the energy kids need to get through the morning," said Dr. Theresa Nicklas, a professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

"Teens who eat breakfast are also two to five times more likely to consume at least 2/3 of the recommended amounts of most vitamins and minerals, including iron."

In a study involving more than 700 ninth-graders in Louisiana, Nicklas found that 19 percent skipped breakfast, including 20 percent of white and 36 percent of non-white girls. The diets of one in three breakfast-dodging teens

had a significant iron shortfall—twice the rate of their breakfast-eating peers.

Intakes of other vitamins and minerals, including zinc, calcium and folic acid, also were much higher among the breakfast-eaters, while fat consumption was lower.

The study results were published in the *Journal of Adolescent Health*.

"It's important for parents to realize that the nutrients teens miss when they're allowed to skip breakfast are rarely recouped during other meals," said Nicklas, also a researcher at the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center.

Iron-deficiency anemia has long been known to have a negative affect on

behavior and learning.

One recent study found even marginal iron levels linked to poorer math scores among adolescent girls.

In other studies, eating breakfast has been linked to improved memory, grades, school attendance and punctuality in children.

While obese children are more likely to skip breakfast, this practice rarely results in calorie cuts: Research suggests that meal-skippers simply eat more salty, high-calorie, low-fiber snacks.

According to Nicklas, girls are at particular risk for low iron levels because they have increased needs. Poor food choices, skipped meals and calorie-cutting can all jeopardize a teen's diet quality and iron intake.

Teens who get school work and clothes organized the night before, get to bed on time and wake up to pre-poured bowls of cereal and refrigerated glasses of milk or juice probably will find time to eat.

And while many foods can serve as breakfast fuels, ready-to-eat cereals can be one of the easiest and least expensive ways to help adolescents get the iron they need.

"Low iron might not be the sole cause of poor math scores among some adolescent girls, but poor dietary habits do suggest that a teen might not be getting the structure and support that he or she needs to succeed academically," Nicklas said.

## Farm Credit reports record

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
**AUSTIN**—The Farm Credit Bank of Texas and its affiliated lending associations have reported record loan volume for the second quarter of the year.

The Austin-based bank and 23 local credit cooperatives in Texas, New Mexico, Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi, the largest rural lending organization in the five-state region.

Combined loan volume totaled more than \$5.6 billion as of June 30, compared with \$5.2 billion outstanding last Dec. 31.

The district has set record loan volumes for five consecutive quarters.

"A generally strong Southern economy and solid demand for real estate have fueled our district growth," said Arnold Henson, chief executive officer.

"Our competitive loan programs and interest rates, reduced borrower stock requirements and increased marketing efforts also have contributed to our success," he added.

Net income for the six months ending June 30 was \$55.7 million, a 33 percent increase over the same period last year.



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## REPRESENTATIVE SALES

764 head of cattle, 146 hogs and 282 sheep and goats for a total of 1,192 animals were sold at the Aug. 11th sale. Active market on all classes of cattle sold this week. Stocker cfs. sold 1-3 higher than a week ago. Feeder cattle 1-2 higher. Pairs and Bred cows steady. Packer cows and Bulls also sold steady from a week ago.

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

**FOR INFORMATION ON SALES OR TO CONSIGN CATTLE, CALL (806) 272-4201**

## Muleshoe Cattle Market

SATURDAY, AUG. 11, 2001

Seller, City	#	Type	Wt.	CWT or PH
Luis Flores, Muleshoe	6	Hol. Bulls	221 lbs.	at \$124.00
Larry Luedthe, Miles	4	Hol. Strs	276 lbs.	at \$106.00
Dudley Offield, Littlefield	1	Blk. Bull	275 lbs.	at \$121.00
Neal Radford, Muleshoe	3	Mxd. Bulls	370 lbs.	at \$111.00
Marshall Fox, Lubbock	4	Mxd. Strs	334 lbs.	at \$120.50
Marshall Fox, Lubbock	5	Mxd. Strs	450 lbs.	at \$108.00
Robert Demel, Pep	1	Red Str	410 lbs.	at \$110.50
Center Fire Cattle, Portales, NM	3	Blk. Bulls	460 lbs.	at \$104.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton	3	Char. Strs	487 lbs.	at \$101.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton	3	Char. Strs	665 lbs.	at \$88.50
Rink Bounds, Levelland	2	BWF Strs	520 lbs.	at \$100.00
Buddy Luck, Hobbs, NM	2	RWF Strs	575 lbs.	at \$93.00
Tim Addison, Plains	3	Brang. Strs	640 lbs.	at \$90.50
Tim Addison, Plains	3	Brang. Strs	728 lbs.	at \$87.00
D.A. Cochran, Hobbs, NM	7	Mxd. Strs	734 lbs.	at \$85.00
Earl Keller, Earth	1	Red Bull	995 lbs.	at \$65.00
B&P Cattle, Lubbock	3	Char. Hfrs	215 lbs.	at \$255.00
Ramiro Llanes, Albuquerque	1	Char. Hfr	320 lbs.	at \$100.00
Center Fire Cattle, Portales, NM	1	Char. Hfr	325 lbs.	at \$102.00
JR & LE Cattle, Morton	2	Char. Hfrs	383 lbs.	at \$100.00
JR & LE Cattle, Morton	2	Char. Hfrs	640 lbs.	at \$83.50
Joe Griego, Hereford	1	Char. Hfr	385 lbs.	at \$105.00
Marshall Fox, Lubbock	9	Blk. Hfrs	393 lbs.	at \$106.00
Marshall Fox, Lubbock	9	Blk. Hfrs	453 lbs.	at \$95.50
Robert Demel, Pep	4	Red Hfrs	471 lbs.	at \$90.00
Tim Addison, Plains	2	Brang. Hfrs	518 lbs.	at \$91.50
Ray Burtwood, Lubbock	1	Blk. Cow P7		\$500.00
Don Wagoner, Olton	1	Char. Cow P8		\$600.00
ACU, Morton	4	Red Cows P6		\$590.00
ACU, Morton	2	RWF Cows P7		\$580.00
Robert Sparks, Bovina	1	Char. Cow	1830 lbs.	at \$49.50
John Perrin, Hereford	4	Red Cows	1400 lbs.	at \$48.75
LM Lawson, Olton	1	Blk. Cow	1310 lbs.	at \$47.50
Ramiro Llanes, Albuquerque	1	Red Cow	1110 lbs.	at \$47.75
Bernie Huseman, Hereford	1	Brin. Cow	1245 lbs.	at \$49.00
Enrique Fierro, Plains	1	Blk. Cow	960 lbs.	at \$44.00
Greg Byers, Littlefield	1	BMF Cow	1090 lbs.	at \$50.00
Ricardo Salas, Littlefield	1	Red Bull	1560 lbs.	at \$57.75
D.A. Cochran, Hobbs, NM	1	RWF Bull	1905 lbs.	at \$56.25
Gary Hooten, Muleshoe	1	Blk. Bull	1700 lbs.	at \$62.50

## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Trustees of the Muleshoe Independent School District will meet

**Monday**  
**August 27, 2001**

for the purpose of adopting a budget for the 2001-2002 school year.

The meeting will begin at

**12:00 noon**  
**in the**

**School Administration**  
**Building**  
**514 W. Ave. G**

Any taxpayer of the district may be present and participate in the hearing.

# Bridal shower honors Copley

LaRhonda Copley of Lubbock was honored with a bridal shower on July 14 at the home of Hal and Linda Wood of Muleshoe.

Special guests were the Laverne James, bride-elect's grandmother; Glenda Copley, bride-elect's mother; Tonya Pool, Connie James and Ella Copley, the bride-elect's aunts; LaTavia Hurd and Tiffany Copley, the bride-elect's sisters; Rita Lee, the groom's mother; and Jennifer Lee, the groom's sister.

Hostesses, in addition to Wood, were Carol Williams, Cindy Harrison, Amanda Messenger, Cambri Allison, Dani Heathington, Sally Messenger, Robin Barker, Anita Johnson, Jan Morris, Connie Bruns, Donna Locker, Deborah Noble, Terri Hahn, Johnette Marlow, Cindy Peña, Christie Whitt, Diane Saylor and Della Puckett.

The hostess gift was money. The honoree is the daughter of Randol and Glenda Copley of Muleshoe. She married Scott Lee, son of Randy and Rita Lee of Amarillo, on Aug. 4.



LaRhonda Copley pauses during her bridal shower.

## STUDENT-COMMUNITY ACTION CLUB

The Student-Community Action Club met Aug. 7 in the home of Jean Allison, one of the club sponsors.

Brandon Broyles, last year's vice president, conducted the meeting in the absence of Tommie Hernandez, the last president. Cade Hooten lead an opening prayer.

Blake Gartin, a former president of the club, spoke

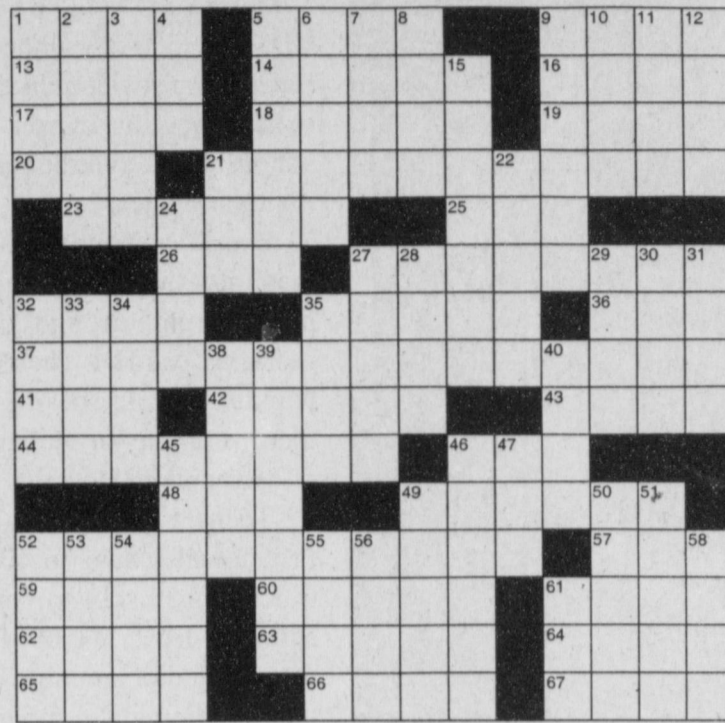
of the importance of students working in their community and how leading the club has helped him in college.

New officers installed were Carmen Flores, president; Elizabeth Castorena, vice president; Megan Barrett, secretary; Candace Hutto, treasurer; Suzanne Messenger, reporter; Andy Ramirez, chaplain; Matt

López, parliamentarian; and Brandon Mount, historian.

The new officers and members discussed the upcoming school year and scheduled their next meeting for 7 p.m. Sept. 10 at the Heritage Center. This will new members to become better acquainted with the center and SCAC dealings with it.

## JUST FOR FUN



7. Christian Andersen, children's author
8. Carry passengers or freight
9. Deli meat
10. Settled down
11. Military disguise (abbr.)
12. Knot in a tree
15. Inanely foolish
21. 22nd letter of the Greek alphabet
22. African badgerlike carnivore
24. Plant part
27. Paid no attention to (slang)
28. Gangrenous inflammation
29. Independent ruler or chieftain
30. Albanian dialect
31. Old English letters
32. Tritons
33. Not firm, "wilted lettuce"
34. Strauss, jeans maker
35. Frank's diary
38. Allman brother
39. Moslem
40. Gulls
45. Scamp
46. Type of blood vessel
47. Length of time
49. Frontier movie (slang)
50. Fill with high spirits
51. Languages of Sulu Archipelago
52. Fake
53. Extremely robust
54. Storage structure
55. Asian country
56. Spoken in northeastern India
58. Harelike rodent of Argentina
61. Obstruct

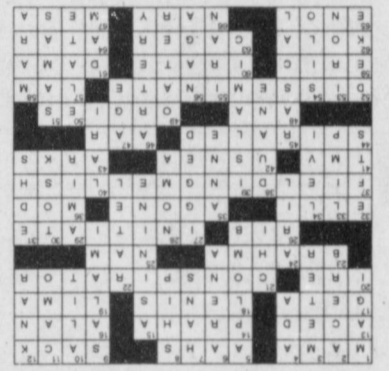
### Clues ACROSS

1. Female parent
5. Expresses pleasure
9. Pouch
13. Breezed through
14. Prague
16. Ladd, actor
17. Usually with wooden soles
18. Describes soft pronunciation
19. National capital of Peru
20. Wrath
21. Plotter
23. Hindu's creator god
25. Veterans' battleground
26. Support
27. Introduce to something new
32. Norse goddess of old age
35. Past (archaic)
36. "The \_\_\_ Squad"
37. Woody Allen, in "Bananas"
41. Plant virus
42. Fungus genus
43. Chests
44. Corkscrewed

### Clues DOWN

2. Wizards
3. Sour or bitter in taste
4. Oklahoma city
5. Composure
6. Site of open-air sporting events
46. Swiss river
48. Collection of anecdotes
49. Indulgences
52. Circulate
57. Take to one's heels
59. Clapton, musician
60. Highly incensed
61. Fallow deer
62. Large, brown nuts containing caffeine
63. Basketball player
64. Perfume obtained from flowers
65. Organic compound
66. Without any
67. Flat tableland with steep edges

### Crossword Answers



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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The Three Way Independent School District will hold a public meeting at 8:00 p.m. August 30, 2001 in the School Administration Offices. **The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted.** Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

### Comparison of Proposed Rate with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Local Revenue Total	State Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.4700	\$0.000 *	\$1.4700	\$6.651	\$8,133
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$2.5351	\$0.000 *	\$2.5351	\$10,556	\$4,228
Proposed Rate	\$1.5000	\$0.000 *	\$1.5000	\$6,274	\$4,228

\* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

### Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$32,381	\$32,381
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$17,381	\$17,381
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.4700	\$1.5000
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$255.50	\$260.72
Increase in Taxes		\$5.22

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

**Notice of Rollback Rate:** The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is \$1.5531. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of \$1.5531.

### Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$0.000
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$0.000

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The Muleshoe Independent School District will hold a public meeting at 12:00 noon August 27, 2001 in the School Administration Building, 514 W. Ave G, Muleshoe, TX. **The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted.** Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

### Comparison of Proposed Rate with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Local Revenue Total	State Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.3500	\$0.000 *	\$1.3500	\$1,878	\$4,480
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$1.3794	\$0.000 *	\$1.3794	\$1,736	\$4,622
Proposed Rate	\$1.3794	\$0.000 *	\$1.3794	\$1,805	\$4,760

\* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

### Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$36,323	\$36,323
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$21,323	\$21,323
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.3500	\$1.3794
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$287.86	\$294.13
Increase in Taxes		\$6.27

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

**Notice of Rollback Rate:** The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is \$1.4210. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of \$1.4210.

### Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$0.000
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$0.000





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AFFILIATED FOODS INC. MEMBER STORE AT PARTICIPATING STORES



SPECIAL PRICING GOOD THRU SEPT. 4, 2001

## Use Your Reward Coupons To \$ave Big!

**Here's How It Works!** Lowe's is giving you deep discounts on many of the items you purchase everyday! For each dollar you spend at Lowe's, we will give you a point. After 50 points (or \$50), you will receive a Lowe's X-tra Savings **Reward Coupon**. This coupon can then be redeemed for deep discounts on selected items. Each month, Lowe's will select from our most popular items in the store and deeply discount them for our X-tra Savings Reward Coupon holders. Present your coupon and receive incredible savings on selected items.

### X-tra Savings Reward Program

• Each Dollar You Spend Is Worth ONE (1) Point. • After you earn 50 points, you will receive a Lowe's X-tra Savings **Reward Coupon**. • Use your Lowe's X-tra Savings Reward Coupon to get deep discounts on one of the selected items. • Only ONE (1) item can be purchased with each Reward Coupon. • Items will be changed monthly.

YOUR CHOICE

### CHEE-TOS OR FRITOS<sup>®</sup> CORN CHIPS

1¢

PRE-PRICED \$2.29 ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

- 11 OZ. FROOT LOOPS
- 10 OZ. RICE KRISPIES
- 15 OZ. RAISIN BRAN
- 15 OZ. FROSTED FLAKES

### KELLOGG'S CEREAL

1¢

YOUR CHOICE ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### LOWE'S OR SHURFINE MILK

1¢

ALL VARIETIES GAL ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### BACK TO SCHOOL NOTEBOOK PAPER

1¢

200 SHEET ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### 6 PACK COCA-COLA, SPRITE OR DR. PEPPER

1¢

.5 LITER BTLs. .... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### FROSTY ACRE HOMINY

1¢

GALLON CAN ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### 7 LB. BAG OF ICE

1¢

BAG ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### SHURFINE CHARCOAL BRIQUETS

1¢

10 LB. BAG ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### PILGRIM'S PRIDE LARGE EGGS

1¢

18 CT. .... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### OSCAR MAYER LUNCHABLES FUN PACK

1¢

4.15-4.5 OZ. PKG. .... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### RUSSET POTATOES

1¢

10 LB. BAG ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### CRISCO ASSTD. COOKING OIL

1¢

48 OZ. BTL ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP OR MAYONNAISE

1¢

32 OZ. JAR ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

# HOT & COOL DEALS & PRICES



ASSTD. HIDDEN VALLEY RANCH

### SALAD DRESSING

1¢

16 OZ. BTL ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### 3 PC. SET ENAMELED STORAGE BOWLS

1¢

WHITE SUP. LAST ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### YOUR CHOICE FRONTIER BREAD OR ROLLS OR NATURE GRAIN BAGELS

1¢

..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### PEYTON'S SLICED BACON

1¢

12 OZ. PKG ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

### DOLE SALAD GREENER SELECTION

1¢

12 OZ. BAG ..... (with 1 Reward Coupon)

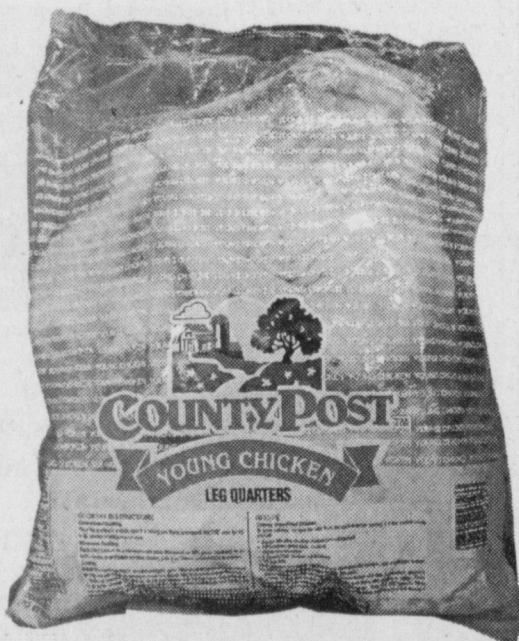
THE X-TRA SAVINGS REWARD PROGRAM GOOD AT LOWE'S MULESHOE, CANYON AND TUCUMCARI STORES ONLY! Points are not transferable between stores. No substitutions please on X-tra Savings Reward Items. Only one item may be purchased at the special deep discount per Reward Coupon.

## SPECIAL X-TRA SAVINGS PRICING GOOD THRU SEPT. 4, 2001

### CHICKEN LEG QUARTERS

10 LB. BAG (with 2 Reward Coupons)

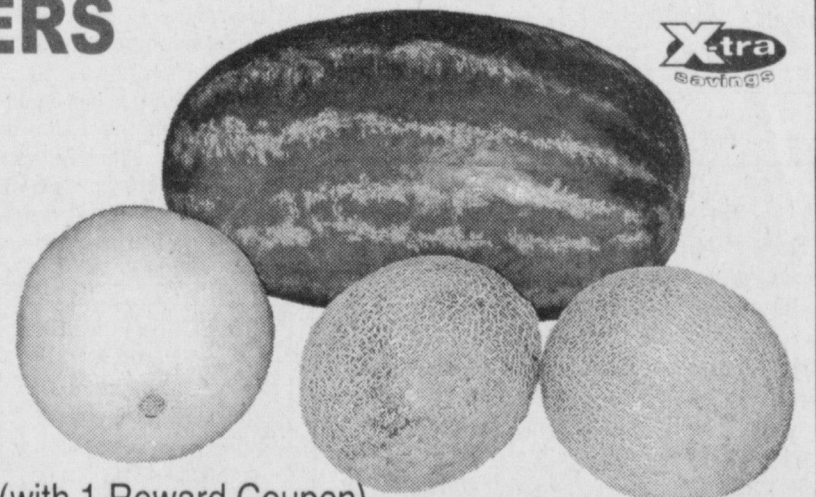
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### BEEF BRISKET

WHOLE CRY-O-VAC UNTRIMMED (with 5 Reward Coupons)

FREE



(with 1 Reward Coupon)

WHOLE WATERMELONS CANTALOUPE OR HONEYDEW 1¢ EACH

## WEEKLY PRICES EFFECTIVE WED., AUG. 15 thru TUES., AUG. 21, 2001

## MEAT

- SHANK PORTION BONE-IN COOK'S HAM ..... LB **87¢**
- COOK'S BUTT PORTION HAM ..... LB **99¢**
- PREVIOUSLY FROZEN BONELESS SKINLESS CHICKEN BREAST ..... LB **\$1<sup>89</sup>**
- X-TRA SAVINGS PAK BONELESS SIRLOIN CUT PORK CHOPS ..... LB **\$1<sup>99</sup>**
- DECKER MEAT FRANKS ..... 12 OZ. PKG **2/<sup>\$</sup>1**
- DECKER ALL VARIETIES SLICED BACON ..... 12 OZ. PKG **\$1<sup>99</sup>**
- DECKER REGULAR OR THICK SLICED MEAT BOLOGNA ..... 12 OZ. PKG **99¢**

## PRODUCE

- YOUR CHOICE PEACHES, PLUMS OR NECTARINES ..... LB **79¢**
- RED OR WHITE SEEDLESS GRAPES ..... LB **88¢**
- LARGE GREEN BELL PEPPERS ..... **3/<sup>\$</sup>1**
- FRESH SNO-WHITE CAULIFLOWER ..... **2/<sup>\$</sup>3**
- FRESH BROCCOLI ..... LB **79¢**
- SANTA FE 14 OZ. SEASONED OR 20 OZ. ORI. TORTILLA CHIPS ..... LB **2/<sup>\$</sup>5**
- MEDIUM QUESO DIP ..... 15 OZ. JAR **2/<sup>\$</sup>5**
- ASSTD. FLAVORS GATORADE SPORT DRINKS ..... 64 OZ. BTL **2/<sup>\$</sup>4**

## FROZEN & DAIRY

- SHURFINE GRADE A LARGE EGGS ..... 18 CT. **99¢**
- APRIL FRESH OR TROPICAL BLOOM DOWNY SOFTENER... 64 OZ. BTL **\$2<sup>99</sup>**
- ASSTD. 100 OZ. LIQUID OR 87 OZ. POWDER TIDE ULTRA DETERGENT ..... YOUR CHOICE **\$5<sup>99</sup>**
- CHARMIN WHITE BATH TISSUE ..... 4 ROLL PKG **99¢**
- 24 OZ. BTLs. PEPSI COLA ..... 6 PACK **2/<sup>\$</sup>5**
- ASSTD. FLAVORS PRINGLES POTATO CHIPS ..... 5.13 - 6 OZ. CAN **99¢**
- ASSTD. OCEAN SPRAY CRAN-DRINKS ..... 64 OZ. BTLs **2/<sup>\$</sup>5**