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NEWS BRIEFS

Sheriff's car damaged in hit and run accident

By MARSHALL STINNETT
Journal writer

The county car used by Deputy Sheriff Eilene Ciampoli sustained minor damage from a hit and run accident over the weekend.

Someone left a dent and green paint just above the left rear wheel while it was parked at Ciampoli's house.

The damage was estimated at \$1,500 or less by Sheriff Wills.

Anyone who has any information about the accident is asked to contact the Sheriff's office.

Plains trail is chosen to be a Heritage Trail

The Texas Historical Commission (THC) met in Dallas in July and chose the Plains Trail as the next to be developed as a Heritage Trail.

The meeting for the official presentation will be in Tulia at the Senior Citizen Activity Center, 619 S.E. Second, on September 15 at 1:30 p.m.

This will be a very important presentation and the THC would like to have a large turnout. Everyone, including media, local officials, business owners and individuals who have supported getting this designation are invited to attend.

The Tulia Chamber of Commerce will be providing refreshments for this event.



Drawing date: Saturday, August 9
Winning numbers: 7-13-15-23-37
Bonus Ball: 26
Estimated jackpot: \$7 million
Winners: 0
Next drawing: Wednesday, August 13
Estimated jackpot: \$9 million

On this date in history

August 16 — Mirabeau Bounaparte Lamar, second president of the Republic of Texas, was born in Louisville, Georgia (1798).

Union began prolonged bombardment of Corpus Christi with "whiskey bombs" (1862).

August 19 — A hurricane destroyed or damaged every house in Indianola over a three day period. The town was never rebuilt (1886).

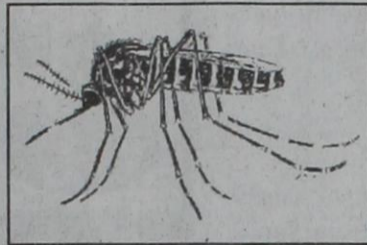
LOCAL WEATHER

Expect partly cloudy skies with a chance of thunderstorms on Thursday. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the mid 50s. A mix of sun and clouds on Friday with highs in the mid 80s and lows in the low 60s. A mix of sun and clouds on Saturday also with highs in the low 90s and lows in the low 60s according to the National Weather Service's Tuesday forecast.

General Manager Marshall Stinnett can be reached at 272-4536 or ctyankee@fivearea.com

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Local hospital confirms West Nile cases



By VANETA GREGORY
Journal writer

Jim Bone, administrative director of Muleshoe Area Medical Center, reports the hospital has treated two inpatients and one outpatient with confirmed cases of West Nile Virus. Furthermore, there is still bloodwork pending on other in-

dividuals with similar symptoms. One of the inpatients has been discharged already.

"The city is aware of the confirmed cases," said David Brunson, city manager. "We are concerned and we are spraying for mosquitos about twice a week. We will continue to spray until we are comfortable that there is no longer a problem."

City employees decide where to spray based on reports from citizens about where the mosquitos have been seen. "We really haven't had many reports, but we are spraying anyway,"

said Brunson.

According to Brunson, the city is also treating standing water with larvacide to kill the eggs and mowing high weeds, which are breeding areas for mosquitos. "We encourage all citizens to do the same around their property," said Brunson.

According to the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), most people who contract West Nile will not even feel sick. However, about one in five will develop fever, headache, body aches and maybe a rash and swollen

lymph glands.

The CDC recommends the following precautions in order to prevent contracting the virus: use insect repellent with the chemical DEET; wear long sleeves, long pants and socks when outside; avoid being outside during evening and early morning, fix screens for windows and get rid of containers that hold water outside the house. Elderly people and those with a weak immune system should be especially careful because they are more likely to become seriously ill.

Hospital gets new cardiac telemetry units



Journal photos: Vaneta Gregory
(At left) Carrie Maher shows off the new portable unit. (At right) Lester Bush holds the new monitor for the cardiac telemetry unit. Both Maher and Bush work for Phillips Medical Systems.

By VANETA GREGORY
Journal writer

Technicians from Phillips Medical Systems from Tulsa, Okla. and Little Rock, Ark. were at Muleshoe Area Medical Center Monday to install a new Hewlett Packard cardiac monitor telemetry unit. The wiring for the new unit was done by employees of Clarity Communications of Denton, Texas. According to Sharon Novak, chief financial officer, the unit was paid for by a Capital Improvement grant given to the hospital by the Office of Ru-

ral Community Affairs.

This brand new unit has six channels, meaning it could monitor up to six people at a time. Doctors and nurses can monitor the patients' heart rate without being in the room with them. Additionally, antennas are being installed in the ceiling all around the hospital so that patients can still be monitored when they are walking around in the building.

There is also a button that a patient can push if he or she feels chest pain. This calls the nurse and begins a recording of the

patient's heart rate.

A portable mini-unit came with the system as well. It can be carried into a room and hooked up to provide an instant visual of a patient's heart rate, blood pressure and oxygen saturation.

The doctors, nurses and other staff will participate in a two-day inservice to learn how the new unit works. Carrie Maher, also from Phillips Medical Systems and a registered nurse, is teaching the inservice. "The unit is very user-friendly," she said. "The staff will learn how to use it quickly."

Walkout costs schools

By MARSHALL STINNETT
Journal Writer

The Muleshoe Independent School District along with 40 plus other rural school districts across the state have been caught up in the politics of congressional redistricting in the Texas Legislature.

A bill passed in the regular session of the Legislature had the "unintended" effect of reducing state funding to the Muleshoe district by \$275,000 according to Superintendent

Gene Sheets.

The *Journal* received a press release from Gov. Rick Perry's office blaming the 11 Democratic Senators for leaving Austin for their Albuquerque hideaway before passing a corrective bill already passed by the Texas House of Representatives during the special session. This bill would have restored the \$275,000 to Muleshoe schools.

Sheets told the *Journal* see **SCHOOL** on page 2

City to hold birthday party

By LEAH BELL
Journal writer

Muleshoe is spry to be as old as it is and come September 27, this little corner of the world will be celebrating its 90th birthday according to Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce Manager Jan Thompson.

In recognition of the event, the Chamber is sponsoring a "90th Birthday Bash for Muleshoe."

The bash will begin at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 27 with a parade down Main Street. There is no particular theme

for this celebration parade. According to Thompson, "Anything goes!"

She suggests entries can be funny, futuristic, "old-timey," crazy or even modern. Entrants are asked to line up at the south end of Main about 9:15 a.m.

A recognition plaque presentation ceremony will follow the parade at 11:30 a.m. The presentation will take place on the deck of the Chamber office where "Ole Pete" stands at the north end of

see **PARTY** on page 2

South African men take test in Muleshoe

By VANETA GREGORY
Journal writer

On Tuesday, August 6, a group of 16 men from South Africa were lined up at the Muleshoe driver's license office to take the license exam.

According to Jerome Heger, group member, they are in the country on an eight-month working visa.

"We have international driver's licenses but Texas is the only state that requires us

to get a state license," said Heger.

Since a social security card is necessary to apply for a driver's license, the group had to apply and wait for approval from the social security office. According to Heger, this process took three months. "Since 9-11, they are very careful," said Heger.

When asked if they were nervous about being on an international flight into America,

Sean Flanagan, group member, said, "No. It feels safer really because the security is so tight. We were searched and our carry-on bags were searched and our luggage was sent through the machines. The process is much more intense."

Now that they are here, everyone in the group is studying hard and taking the driver's exam one section at a time. (There are eight sections.) According to Heger, who speaks

English fluently, some of the guys are battling a language barrier which is proving to be an obstacle to passing the test.

"In South Africa, there are eleven official languages. Among the whites, the most predominant languages are English and Afrikaans. Among blacks, it's probably Zulu," said Heger.

Apparently, it is common for see **AFRICA** on page 2



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Gladden retirement party scheduled

A retirement reception is being held in honor of Gail Gladden for 33 years of service to the Texas Cooperative Extension Service on Sunday, August 24 from 2-4 p.m. at the Bailey County Coliseum. The public is invited.

South Plains Waste requests citizens bypass new dumpsters for now

South Plains Waste is asking that people do not use the new dumpsters, which are beige with clearly posted signs that identify South Plains Waste as the contractors. The old green dumpsters, marked with Duncan Disposal signs, are to be used until September 1. The new dumpsters will not be emptied until then and the trash could attract more flies to the area.

Muleshoe football tickets available

Reserved seat tickets for the 2003 Muleshoe Mules football season are now on sale. The tickets are \$22.50 for 5 home games. Persons who held reserved seat tickets for the 2002 football season may purchase their seating options at the School Administration office, located at 514 W. Ave G, Monday through Friday, during regular business hours. Those persons whose names appear on the chart may pick up their tickets in person, by mail with

ticket holder's personal check or by third party if tickets are purchased with ticket holder's personal check. Beginning Monday, August 25, all remaining tickets will go on sale on a first come, first serve basis. Any reserved seats remaining after the season starts will be available at a cost of \$5.00 per game and may be purchased at the Administration office on game day. Anyone with questions concerning the ticket sales should contact Dana Rasco at 272-7400.

Public Calendar

August 20 — Representatives from Novartis pharmaceutical company will be at the Oneita Wagon Senior Center to explain and take applications for the Together Rx Savings Program and to perform memory screenings. Drop in any time between 2 and 5 p.m. The Center is located at 319 West Main Street in Muleshoe. The program is sponsored by Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

August 26 — The Muleshoe Community Foundation will host a free dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Bailey County Coliseum to introduce the "Mentor Muleshoe" program and would greatly appreciate the encouragement of each area church congregation to attend this event. For questions or comments, please call Gary Sirkel, Muleshoe Community Foundation president, at 272-4561 (days) or 272-4710 (evenings).

Commissioners meet, buy new grader

By **MARSHALL STINNETT**
Journal writer

The Bailey County Commissioners Court voted to purchase a new \$157,705 Caterpillar motor grader for Precinct 1 during their regular monthly meeting Monday.

The sole bidder was Warren Cat of Amarillo.

The county will receive a \$42,500 trade-in for the old model 140G grader currently in use.

The Court also purchased a guaranteed maintenance policy from Warren on the new grader. The policy covers the new grader from delivery to five years or for 5,000 hours, whichever comes first.

The cost of the maintenance contract is \$2,500, bringing the total cost to the county for the grader to \$117,705.

The court decided to pay for the grader over five years at an interest cost of 3.75 percent.

The grader has a guaranteed minimum repurchase

price of \$100,000 from delivery to five years or 5,000 hours, whichever comes first.

The court approved an easement for a waterline under County Road 1088 for Donald Bryant.

The probationary period as to salary was waived by the court for Ruben Lopez and Jimmy Robinson.

The court renewed a contract for autopsy service with Texas Tech Health Science Center.

The court had a discussion with County Treasurer and Investment Officer Donna Kirk about investing the \$3.5 million for the construction of the new county jail complex.

The money will be paid out as the construction

progresses.

Kirk wanted input from the court on how best to invest the money in the short term so the county would have the funds.

The court set the public hearing on the 2003-04 budget for September 9 at 1:30 p.m. in the court chambers.

The court reconvened at 1:30 p.m. at the Bailey County Coliseum for a workshop on the new government accounting rules with all the county's elected officials.

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PARTY

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Main.

Afterwards, everyone is invited to eat cornbread and beans on the deck at noon. The meal will be a fundraiser for MHS students. Birthday cake and ice cream will also be served with a charge for the ice cream.

Thompson is asking that everyone bring their old pictures of Muleshoe to the Chamber office prior to the celebration to be copied for a history of Muleshoe. All photos will be returned.

In addition to a pictorial history of Muleshoe, everyone is being asked to write down their own interesting memories of Muleshoe. This can be any kind of story, including legends and interesting family histories.

"Everything brought to me will become part of recorded Muleshoe history," said Thompson.

Anyone interested in helping with the celebration or those who want additional information should contact Thompson at the Chamber office at 272-4248 during office hours, Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

AFRICA

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Africans to speak more than one language. Heger speaks three languages, while Flanagan speaks four. They say most of the guys speak two or more languages. However, those few who speak only Afrikaans are struggling, trying to learn a new language and study for a test that determines whether or not they get to work.

The group has been away from home for over four months.

Before coming to Texas, they worked 14-hour days

SCHOOL

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the district board had learned of the shortfall the day they approved the budget and did not budget for the \$275,000. Sheets said, "We would have survived without the money because we have fund balances." However he also said some school districts would have a hard time starting school without it.

Perry charged last week, "Democrats who contend they are standing up for rural Texas need to explain to rural Texans why their rural school districts are to be shortchanged in the coming school year".

By executive order,

Perry has issued an order directing \$700 million in state aid to Texas schools be paid on time this month rather than allowing Foundation School Program payments be delayed until September.

Sheets explained to the *Journal* this money amounts to a "loan" and if the legislature does not vote to restore the original funding, the money will have to be repaid.

In the meantime Muleshoe schools have the \$275,000 and await the return of the Texas Democratic Senators from New Mexico to make it permanent.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The LAZBUDDIE ISD will hold a public meeting at 7:00 PM, August 29, 2003 in Lazbuddie ISD Boardroom, Lazbuddie, Texas.

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.

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.498300	\$0.000000*	\$1.498300	\$3,928	\$5,478
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$1.879200	\$0.000000*	\$1.879200	\$5,233	\$4,172
Proposed Rate	\$1.500000	\$0.000000*	\$1.500000	\$4,194	\$4,151


* 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.

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$26,118	\$26,303
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$11,118	\$11,303
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.498300	\$1.500000
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$166.58	\$169.54
Increase in Taxes	\$0.00	\$2.96

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.

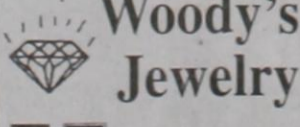
Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is \$1.794200. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of \$1.794200

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:	
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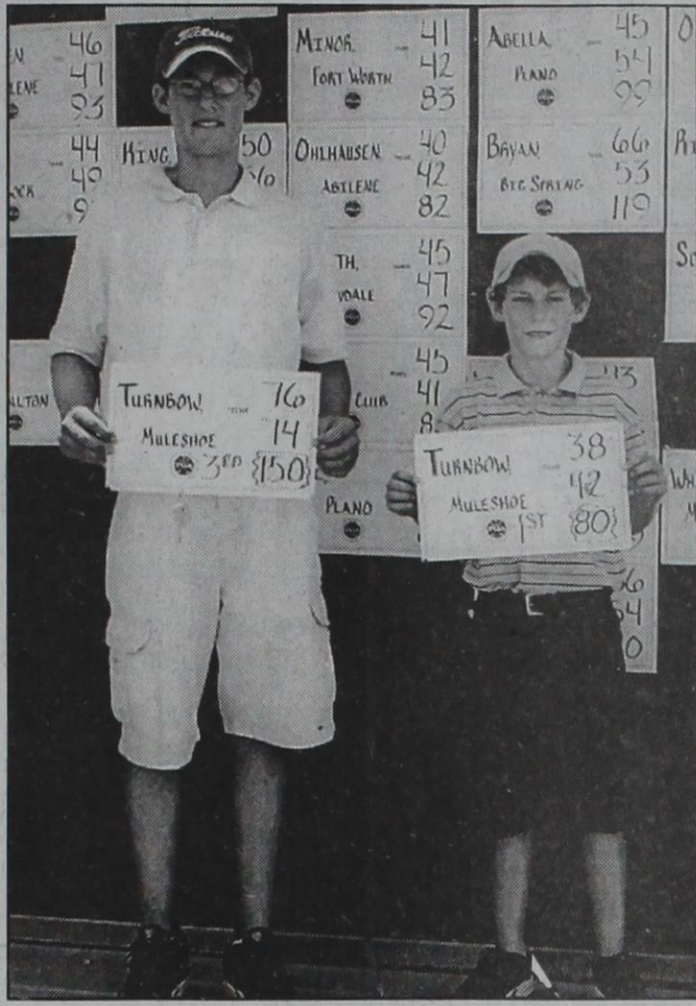
Brothers win at state tournament

Fifteen-year-old Trevor Turnbow and his nine-year-old brother, Tyson, recently returned from the State Tournament of Champions in Wylie (near Dallas).

Trevor Turnbow won four tournaments to qualify for the Area and State Golf Tournament. He finished third at area in Midland with a 36-hole score of 75.69 for a 144 total. He then went on to finish third in the 14-15 division at the State Tournament of Champions with a 36-hole total of 150 (76,74).

Tyson Turnbow won all nine tournaments which he played in this summer. He shot a career low 68 (37,31) at the West Area Championships at Midland's Hogan Park to finish first. He also finished first in the State Tournament of Champions in Wylie with an 80 (38,42).

The two are sons of James and Shelly Turnbow of Muleshoe.



Courtesy photo
Displaying score cards from their recent golf tournament are (from left) Trevor and Tyson Turnbow.

OBITUARY

CAROLYN BRIDGES

Services were held Saturday, August 9, 2003 at First Baptist Church in Levelland for Carolyn Bridges, 45, of Levelland. The Rev. Mark Holland, former pastor of Levelland Baptist Temple, officiated. Burial was in the City of Levelland Cemetery.

Head Family Funeral Home of Levelland handled arrangements.

Mrs. Bridges was born October 26, 1957 in Paducah, Texas to Charlisie Rae Joy and John Densyle Canon. She died Friday, August 1, 2003 in Jackson, Wyoming.

She married James

(Randy) Bridges on February 23, 1975 in Levelland.

She was a homemaker and had worked at Texas Instruments for several years prior to their closing. She was an active member of the Aces and Eight's Motorcycle Club in Levelland.

Mrs. Bridges is survived by her husband of Levelland; two sons and daughters-in-law, James Darrell and Lisa Bridges and Lonnie Joe and Shania Bridges, all of Levelland; two daughters, Debra Jean Bridges of Lubbock and JoAnna Lynn Bridges of Levelland; 12 grandchildren; her father of

Levelland; two brothers, William Keith Canon and John Kevin Canon, both of Levelland; and two sisters, Cynthia Ann Malone and Connie Ray Vick, both of Levelland.

She was preceded in death by her mother on February 6, 1996.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

August 12, 2003

Pablo Jesus Galan received a pretrial diversion on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Galan was assessed \$211 in court costs.

Joshua David Hernandez, who was charged with criminal trespass, requested an attorney.

David Brent Kitchens entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of harassment.

Jose Luis Linares, Jr. pled guilty to criminal mischief. He was fined \$250 plus \$211 in costs and made restitution of \$55.50. He was sentenced to 90 days probated for one year. Linares also pled guilty to resisting arrest and was fined \$600 plus \$211 in costs. He was sentenced to 120 days probated for two years.

Daniel Marquez was given a retrial diversion and fined \$211 in costs for driving while intoxicated.

Frances M. Haskins, who is charged with theft by check, requested a lawyer.

Floyd Shane Burris, charged with two counts of motion to revoke probation, had his trials set for September 16.

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Here's a Parable From the "Bird Barn"

I built a bird house this summer. Well, that might be a little misleading. Not just a little hang-from-the-tree-limb bird house, what I built is more of a bird barn. It's a tad larger than 4 X 8 feet in the interior with railroad tie cornerposts and footings. The bottom of the eaves are 7 feet tall, so the ridgeline of the roof is probably 10 feet off the ground. The "barn" is sided around the bottom and roofed with weathered wood from old fence pickets. Largely open on the sides, it's covered with chicken wire. Open inside up to the roof, so you can see the rafters, it fea-

vide delectable treats such as grasshoppers and bugs. The birds, particularly the cute little button quail, absolutely love those bugs. They go nuts when I drop a cup of soil complete with "rolly-pollies" (how do you spell that!?) in front of them. Drop a grasshopper in front of one of those miniature quail and he'll snatch it, clamp it in his beak, and the chase is on. He'll exhaust himself running all around the dirt floor of the bird barn with his comrades chasing him at full speed. They'll race him, chase him, peck him, and bump him, all to try to dislodge that grasshopper for themselves. Like miniature tag team wrestlers, once the tag is made and the grasshopper changes beaks, then the new owner takes the lead and everybody chases him. If he gets to stop to peck and chew and enjoy his bug, well, he's very lucky—or the master of the barn has decided that the bird who caught the bug ought to get to eat it, and that benevolent master has his hand between the eater and the would-be stealers and eaters.

It's funny. If I even look like I'm about to favor the barn floor with a bug or two, those birds get ready for action. If I flick around a pebble or two, they run toward them. If a leaf drops in the floor, one bird will snatch it up, head off at full speed, and the chase is on. And to what end? What he has in his beak is worthless, what he's running himself ragged to possess provides no nourishment, no real enjoyment, nothing of value at all.

Hmm. I think I may have just discovered a parable in my bird barn.

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



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Curtis Shelburne

tures nesting boxes and natural perches for the inhabitants, presently 5 white doves, 1 ringneck dove, 1 pharaoh quail, and 7 button quail.

I'm enjoying the bird barn. My wife has decided that, unlike other wives who prefer on occasion for their husbands to share dog houses with man's best friend, if she can't find me, she just has to look inside the bird house.

Feeding and watering the birds is easy. It's quiet. And they're fun to watch. My sons, still at the age where they equate "quiet" with "boring," can't understand why anyone would sit around and watch birds. But I like it.

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ELISHA, BECAUSE OF THE GREAT PERSISTENCE OF THE SHUNAMMITE WOMAN HAS COME TO THE HOUSE, HIMSELF, TO DEAL WITH THE DEATH OF HER YOUNG SON, NOW...

...WHILE THE WOMAN'S HOUSEHOLD MOURNS...

...THE PROPHET PLACES HIS MOUTH ON THAT OF THE YOUNG LAD...

ELISHA, ALONE TENDS TO THE DEAD YOUTH...

...AND NOW HE PRAYS TO THE LORD...

...SUDDENLY, THE BOY SNEEZES AND OPENS HIS EYES, AS LIFE SURGES BACK INTO HIS BODY! THERE IS GREAT REJOICING OVER HIS RETURN TO LIFE WHICH HAS COME ABOUT DUE TO A WOMAN'S PERSISTENCE AND FAITH IN ELISHA AS A PROPHET OF GOD - ALL OF WHICH HAS BEEN RECORDED IN THE BOOK OF II KINGS, CHAP 4, VERSES 8-37.

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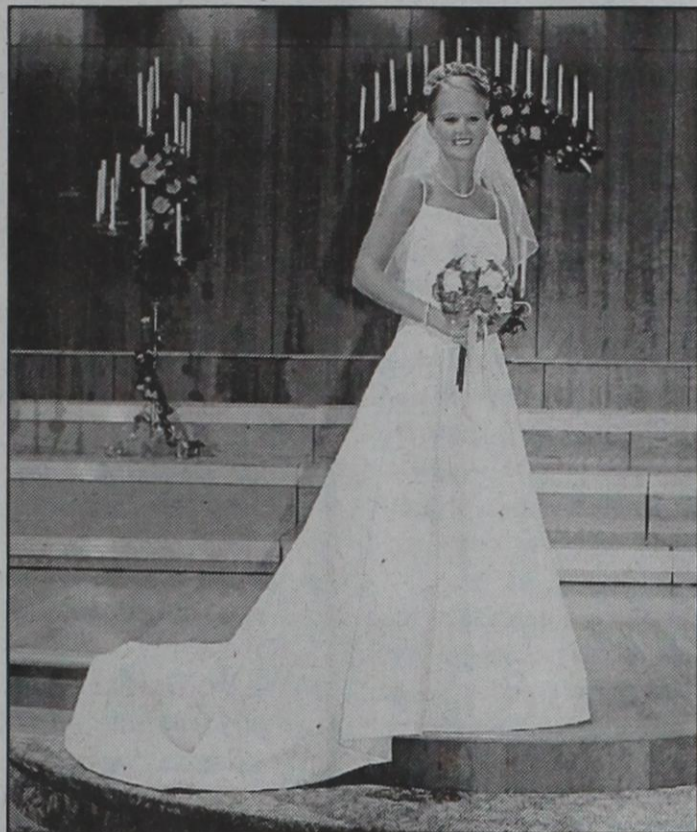
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Melissa Brasuel, Jeffrey Wheeler exchange vows in San Angelo

Jeffrey and Melissa Wheeler were married June 28, 2003 at the Southland Baptist Church in San Angelo. Faygene Bush of Bangs, Texas, played the organ. Jeremy and Molly Bush, also of Bangs, sang during the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mike and Mary Kay Brasuel of Midland. The groom is the son of Carl and Jackie Wheeler of Muleshoe.

The bride wore a beaded bodice with spaghetti straps and a satin skirt. Beaded appliques designed the train. The bride's bouquet included cornflower blue peonies and white and pink carnations. The bride also wore a tiara with a beaded veil. Maid of honor was Nicole Landry of San



Mrs. Jeffrey Wheeler (nee Melissa Brasuel)

Angelo. Bridesmaids were Toni Dempsey of San Angelo, Courtney Stennitt of Tahoka and JoAnn Caudilo of Midland. Serving as best man was Carl Wheeler. Groomsmen were Monty Wheeler of Ft.

Worth, Shawn Fuller of Weatherford, both brothers of the groom; and Kevin Oliver and Scott Yancey, both of San Angelo. The groom and groomsmen wore black tuxedos with cornflower blue vests.

Ringbearer was Nick Fuller, nephew of the groom, from Weatherford.

Flower girls were Britney and Morgan Fuller of Weatherford, nieces of the groom.

In keeping with tradition, the bride wore a cross belonging to her grandmother as something old; her dress was something new; a strand of pearls was something borrowed; and a garter was something blue.

A reception hosted by Debbie Wheeler of Ft. Worth, sister-in-law of the groom, was held at the

church following the ceremony.

After a honeymoon

cruise to Mexico, the couple has made their home in San Angelo.

Annual Meeting of MULESHOE MEMORIAL PARK CEMETERY, INC.

Monday, Aug. 25 at 7:00 p.m.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The Annual Membership Meeting of the Bailey County Cemetery Association will be held on August 16, 2003 (Saturday) at 10 a.m. in the east room of the Bailey County Coliseum

All people who have loved ones buried in the cemetery or those who own lots/property there are asked to please attend this meeting. This annual meeting is to inform the public of the Association's business and to elect directors to serve the Association.

MULESHOE AREA HOSPITAL DISTRICT NEWS

By Kerry Moore

The hospital district has several medical specialists coming to Muleshoe Area Medical Center each month. Dr. A. K., orthopedic surgeon, sees patients the first and third Thursdays of each month from 1 to 5 p.m. in Suite 3 at the hospital. Urologist Dr. Stalcup is in Suite 3 at the hospital from 8 a.m. until noon the fourth Thursday of each month. Dr. Solis, a cardiologist, will be seeing patients at Dr. Purdy's clinic every six weeks from

1 to 5 p.m. Dr. Solis' next visit will be on Wednesday, September 10.

Harrington Cancer Center personnel will be visiting the hospital twice in September. Dates will be listed in the next two weeks. Appointments with these medical specialists who come to Muleshoe Medical Center or various clinics need to be made by a patient's physician.

"These medical doctors offer valuable service and medical care for the citi-

zens of the area," said Kerry Moore, auxiliary volunteer. "Too often, we think that we must leave Muleshoe to receive quality medical care, but that is not necessarily true."

PhD. Elaine Weidmann, R.N., has been hired by the Hospital District as the new certified registered nurse anesthetist. She will assume her position September 1.

The "old nursing home" has a new name, Muleshoe Area Medical Center South. The center will house centralized billing, maintenance, central supply and an educational center for ongoing medical education and classes for certified nurses aides.

Dates to Remember:
Wednesday, August 20—2-5 p.m. at the Oneida Wagon Senior Center, Together Rx Savings Program seminar will be held for area citizens who are

needing financial assistance for prescription drugs. A Spanish interpreter will be available. Memory screening will also be available for those who are interested.

Tuesday, September 9—The Special Delivery Childbirth Education Class begins. All expectant mothers can call 272-4524, ext. 146 for information. Gail Hargrove, PhD., PA-C, and Gina Baca, RN, will teach the class.

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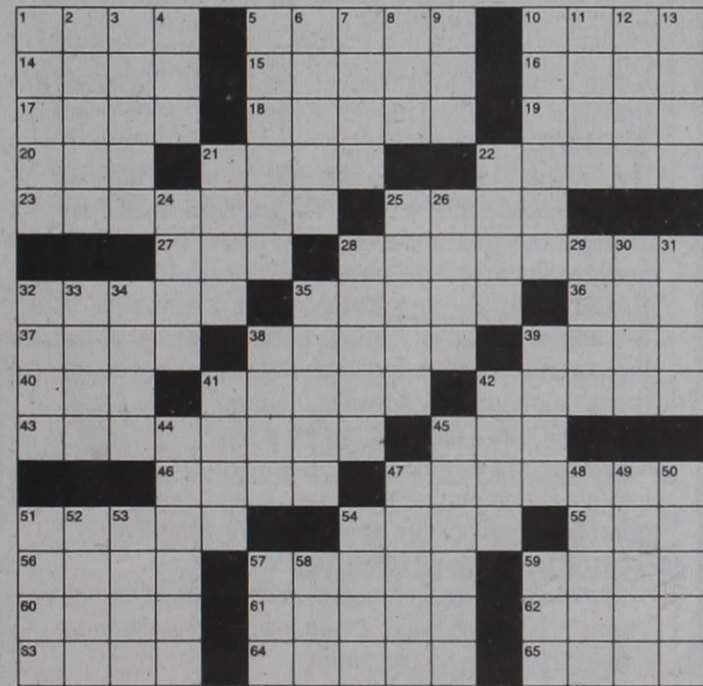
HASLEY
Robert Hasley, a local fireman, recently completed training during the 74th Annual Municipal Texas Fire Training School July 20-25 at College Station, Texas.

The school enrolls more than 2,500 fire prevention, suppression, control and safety personnel from municipalities, industries, state

and federal agencies and the armed services.

The school delivers five days of rigorous classroom lectures and hands-on field exercises at one of the largest fire training facilities in the world and is sponsored by the Texas Engineering Extension Service (TEEX), a member of the Texas A&M University System.

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CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Stem
- 5. Sword
- 10. Complete a pass, in football
- 14. Song
- 15. Brightly colored lizard
- 16. Chignon
- 17. Lacking hair
- 18. Insert surreptitiously
- 19. Dignified manner or carriage
- 20. Seventh letter of the Greek alphabet
- 21. Wish for
- 22. Lower in esteem
- 23. Lewdness
- 25. Kind of small pigeon
- 27. ___ Lilly, drug company
- 28. A portable power jigsaw
- 32. Diet staple
- 35. Winter athlete
- 36. Express relief
- 37. Light, curved frame to spread out a skirt
- 38. Lace mat
- 39. Land measure
- 40. Besides

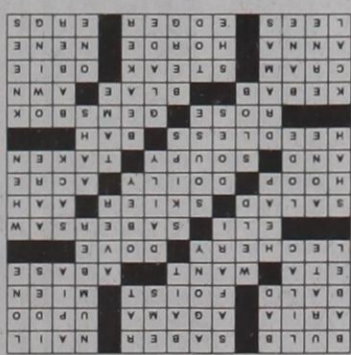
- 41. Creamy
- 42. Stolen
- 43. Careless
- 45. Humbug
- 46. Rebelled
- 47. Large S African oryx
- 51. Cubes of meat
- 54. Blackish-blue
- 55. Bristle of barley
- 56. Fill up
- 57. Minute or strip
- 59. Off-Broadway theater award
- 60. Former coin of Pakistan
- 61. A nomadic community
- 62. Spanish baby
- 63. Sediment
- 64. Tool for cutting grass
- 65. Work units

CLUES DOWN

- 1. A confusion of voices and other sounds
- 2. Salt of uric acid
- 3. Lavender
- 4. Adverse
- 5. Hunting expedition

- 6. Physical suffering
- 7. Enticement
- 8. Printer's measures
- 9. Tell on
- 10. Integer
- 11. Capital of Western Samoa
- 12. Ancient Roman days
- 13. Unaccompanied
- 21. Join
- 22. Avow
- 24. Pile
- 25. Newspaper
- 26. Comply
- 28. Slides
- 29. Fire
- 30. Swiss river
- 31. At what time
- 32. Ruler of Iran
- 33. First-class
- 34. Ore deposit
- 35. Become drunk
- 38. Effects
- 39. Expresses pleasure
- 41. Sloven
- 42. Domestic
- 44. Plays
- 45. Drinking cup
- 47. In a forest, open space
- 48. Founded Mongol empire
- 49. Unpaid
- 50. Gives blow
- 51. 1000 calories
- 52. Bulky grayish-brown eagle
- 53. Affliction
- 54. Floating ice mountain
- 57. The woman
- 58. Former weight for wool
- 59. Characterized by unity

Crossword Answers



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NURSING HOME NEWS

Nancy Lemmons delivered ceramic pieces for the residents to paint Thursday morning. Residents participating were Aline Locke, Gladys Wright, Diane Copley, Ardith Long, Clydetta Mitchell, Gladys Wilson and Ruby Riley.

Norma Eaves came Monday to give nail care to the residents.

Zona Gatewood directed a music and song session Thursday afternoon.

Richard Orozco, assisted by George Mitchell, grilled veggies outside on the grill Thursday. Several of the ladies helped prepare the onions, corn on the cob, bell peppers, irish and sweet potatoes and zucchini. Kathy Smallwood donated the squash. The residents and staff enjoyed a veggie party with vegetables served right off the grill.

Avis and Harold Carpenter filled our home and hearts with music and song Friday. The Carpenters played the piano and lead the residents in their best loved songs and hymns.

Saturday morning, Genee Figueras from

Lawrence, Kan. and Nelda Mayse, also of Kansas, gave a music and song performance in honor of Clifton Finley in the day room of Park View.

Sunday morning, the Muleshoe Church of Christ directed a communion service.

Harold Burge taught the bible study Sunday morning.

Monday, Guy Kendall received a visit from his daughter and son-in-law, Darla and Bobby Hoye, from Clovis.

The United Methodist Church came for a communion and church service Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. Gary and Judy Hubbard directed the praise and devotional service Tuesday morning in the day room. They also went from room to room visiting with the residents.

Pat Watson, Pat Clark, Beverly Wagnon, Doloras Garrett, Mary Jo Burge and Eva Nell Dale volunteered their time and talents to shampoo and set the ladies' hair Tuesday afternoon. Pat Clark and Beverly Wagnon gave haircuts.

Catie Sowder, Summer Lowe, Cassidy Lowe and Skyler Smith set up a lemonade stand and sold glasses of lemonade to their community. The girls took their profits and bought candy for Mr. Finley, Mrs. Guinn and Mr. Kendall. They bought house slippers for Mrs. Fox. They also visited Mr. Finley and Mrs. Chappel.

Laverne James and Letty Jo Davis visited Clifton Finley, Jewel Peeler, Aline Locke, Alda Odom and Mary Johnson Tuesday.

Nelda and Suzanne Mayes visited their dad and granddad this week.

Employees having August birthdays are Retha Tigue, 8-11; Nancy Patterson, 8-18; Luz Paz, 8-8; and Elaine Morrow, 8-31.

Gordon and Darlene Brown of Portales visited C. L. Brown Friday. Mr. Brown was also visited by Lucy Faye Smith. C. L.'s wife, Joann, visits him daily.

Elzie Darling's great-granddaughter and her children from Abilene visited her Wednesday.

Jerri and Bill Savereto visited George and Clydetta Mitchell Sunday. Another out-of-town visitor was Cristie Mitchell from Dimmitt.

Muriel Lewis was visited by her son, Ronald Lewis, and his family from Guthrie, Texas on Monday. Muriel's daughter, Patricia Wilson, visits her frequently.

Gladys Wilson's family took her out for lunch Wednesday.

Diane Copley attended church services at First Assembly of God with her husband, Don, Sunday.

The Christmas card project purchased a wall hanging and framed needlepoint art for Park View which was hung by Herman Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nowlin visited the residents and staff Wednesday.

Cody Favor directed the devotional at "singspiration" time Wednesday morning. Buster Kittrell lead the singing and Loyce Killingsworth played the piano.

Harriett Cummings was visited by her son, Jack, Wednesday.

Josephine Fisher, Harriett Cummings and John Hadley helped make chocolate pudding in cooking class Wednesday. Bootie Tiller, Sally Vargas, Christine Newson, Leonard Kerr, Johnnie King, T. Garcia, Mary Holt, Nan Gatlin, Vera Neer, Betty Cummings and Walter Stevens looked on and each enjoyed a bowl of the pudding.

The family of Loraine Gallman wishes to thank everyone for the cards, flowers, food and visits during the loss of "Memaw." Your many kindnesses made this sorrowful time a lot easier.

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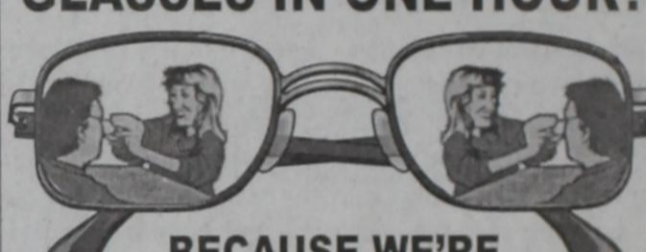
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Benham named to All-State

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The District-3A champion Canyon Eagles received second-team recognition from 6-foot-7 senior post Danny Storey.

The USA Today national champion Canyon Lady Eagles finished off its superior season with a pair of first team all state players in seniors Brooke Baughman and Kalee Carey, as well as second team sophomore post Jordan Hampton.

Baughman signed with Texas Tech and Carey inked with Texas.

Also, receiving all state honors in boys' basketball from the area are: Class 1A first team - Eric Schilling, senior, Nazareth; Trevor Guy, junior, Memphis; Class 1A second team - Brandon Hoskins, senior, Whitharral; and Calvin Johnson, sophomore, Morton; Class 2A first team - Nick Bowe, senior, Abernathy; and Eric Morris, junior, Shallowater.

Also receiving all state honors in girls basketball from the area are: Class 1A

first team - Lauren Hill, senior, Hedley; and Lisa Johnson, senior, Gruver; Class 1A second team - Rebekah Howard, junior, Hedley; Class 2A first team - Katie Pounds, junior, Shallowater; and Darrice Griffin, junior, Seagraves; Class 2A second team - Jacqueline Seawright, senior, Olton; Class 3A first team - Sara Benham, jun-

ior, Muleshoe; Class 3A second team - Skylah Monreal, senior, Perryton; Class 4A first team - Alesha Robertson, senior, Plainview; and Tojjinay Thompson, senior, Plainview; Class 4A second team - Sarah Griffin, senior, Hereford; and Class 5A first team - Leah Rush, senior, Amarillo High School.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

918 head of cattle, 117 hogs and 323 sheep and goats for a total of 1,358 animals were sold at the August 9th sale. Market steady on almost all classes of cattle. All we need is a good rain as we get close to wheat planting time.

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.

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Muleshoe Cattle Market

SATURDAY, AUG. 9, 2003

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Hugo Quintana, Clovis, NM	2	Hol. bulls	205 lbs.	at \$105.00
Neil Wood, Littlefield	2	Red str	240 lbs.	at \$123.00
Dale Boland, Lovington, NM	2	Char. bull	305 lbs.	at \$112.00
Diamond Y Cattle, Muleshoe	2	Mxd. bulls	350 lbs.	at \$114.00
Enrique Fierro, Plains	2	Mxd. str	360 lbs.	at \$120.00
Johnny Timmons, Morton	2	Red str	360 lbs.	at \$116.00
Raymond Mendoza, Muleshoe	3	Mxd. str	445 lbs.	at \$104.00
Joe Griego, Hereford	3	Char. bull	555 lbs.	at \$90.00
Ryan Stroud, Midland	6	Mxd. str	575 lbs.	at \$95.25
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ACU, Morton	32	Mxd. str	601 lbs.	at \$92.50
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Johnny Timmons, Morton	3	Blk. hfrs	407 lbs.	at \$95.00
Albert Prieto, Levelland	3	Char. hfr	420 lbs.	at \$95.50
Diamond Y Cattle, Muleshoe	5	Mxd. hfrs	432 lbs.	at \$93.00
Raymond Mendoza, Muleshoe	4	Mxd. hfrs	448 lbs.	at \$95.00
ACU, Morton	8	Mxd. hfrs	481 lbs.	at \$92.25
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Shafer Farms, Muleshoe	3	Red hfrs	515 lbs.	at \$94.00
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S&P Stables, Dimmitt	1	Red cow	1295 lbs.	at \$46.25
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LEO - July 23/August 23
Power struggles of one sort or another may highlight your week, Leo, but things will get better by the weekend. In the meantime, try to work with people, not against them.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22
You won't be able to please everyone this week, Virgo, so you're going to have to make a choice. Then, you have to stick to your guns.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23
Optimism is a great thing, and you certainly have a lot of it this week, Libra. However, be careful not to let this translate into risky behavior. Even you are not invincible.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22
Something that has worried you for some time will no longer matter this week. The problem itself may not change, but your attitude toward it will. This, as you will see, makes all the difference.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21
Are you someone who brings people together or pushes them apart? If you're lucky, it's the former, but if not, now is the time to make a positive change.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20
You'll accomplish more if you don't try to fit everything into a rigid timetable this week. A little chaos may be a good thing and inspire you to be more creative.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18
The trials and tribulations of recent weeks have passed. There has never been a better time to begin your life anew. Think only of the future.

PISCES - Feb 19/March 20
Someone out there may make life tough for you this week, but you'll give as good as you get. By Thursday, things will settle down, and you can get back to your old self.

ARIES - March 21/April 20
Remember that you are free to make your own decisions in life, Aries. Don't let others tell you what to do this week.

TAURUS - April 21/May 21
Usually, you prefer to play it safe, but this week you may be tempted to gamble on something. Be careful, this is not a good time to take risks with what you own and earn.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21
You'll feel a burst of energy this week, Gemini. The good times have returned for you. Live it up - you've worked hard in recent weeks, and deserve the chance to celebrate. Getaway for the weekend if you can.

CANCER - June 22/July 22
You want to succeed in the world at large, Cancer, and at long last, the chance to prove yourself has arrived. Make the most of it - stop dreaming and start doing.

Producers seek crop alternative

On Friday, August 22 there will be a Hybrid Pearl Millet Trial Turnrow Meeting concerning a cropping strategy for caliche soil. The meeting will take place at the Rex Black farm in Bailey County, two miles east of Muleshoe on U.S. 70 (north side of the highway) from 2:30 until 3:30 p.m.

Target counties include Parmer, Deaf Smith, Castro, Bailey and Lamb counties in Texas and Curry and Roosevelt Counties in New Mexico.

Producers in the Northwest South Plains with strong caliche soil face limited options for cropping. Grain sorghum and sorghum/sudan summer forages per-

form poorly due to poor iron (Fe) accumulation. Hybrid pearl millet is not as susceptible to a Fe deficiency and may afford area producers an appropriate cropping option for rotation with cotton and other crops.

Twelve hybrid pearl millets as well as six check sorghum/sudans, including photoperiod sensitives, brown midribs (BMR), etc. are being harvested for forage yield. First-cutting results from mid-August will be available.

Program participants will be Calvin Trostle, Extension Agronomy, Texas A&M-Lubbock; Darrel Baker, Extension Agronomy, NMSU-Clovis;

Leonard Lauriault, Forage Agronomist, NMSU-Tucumcari and Hybrid pearl millet seed company representatives.

This program follows the Parmer-Bailey County crop tour and small grains and irrigation program concluding in Farwell at 1:30 p.m. This program offers 1.0 CEU, including 1.0 CEU for Certified Crop Advisor (CCA).

For further information contact Curtis Preston, Bailey County Extension Agent, (806) 272-4583, cpreston@tamu.edu or Calvin Trostle, Extension Agronomy, Texas A&M-Lubbock, (806) 746-6101, c-trostle@tamu.edu.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Muleshoe Area Medical Center reports the following patient load:

July 31—Dee Brown, Gene Caldwell, Amie Carlisle, Johnny Carter, Donald Griswold, Irene Hunton, Agnes Kirkpatrick, Lacey Pyle and Edna Talley.

August 1—Dee Brown, Gene Caldwell, Ruth Clements, Donald Griswold, Irene Hunton, Lacey Pyle, Ruthie B. Routon, Charles E. Troyer and Calvin Wiersema.

August 2 — None reported.

August 3 — None reported.

August 4—Lucille Barnes, Dee Brown, Gene Caldwell, Jose V. Fernandez, Perlie Geries, Irene Hunton and Ruthie B. Routon.

August 5—Wanda Baker,

Lucille Barnes, Stephen W. Bass, Gene Caldwell, Jose V. Fernandez, Lucille Harp, Irene Hunton, Matt M. Moseley, Ruthie B. Routon, Virgie Schaaf and Benny Wiedebush.

August 6—Wanda Baker,

Lucille Barnes, Stephen W. Bass, Gene Caldwell, Pascual Cisneros, Lucille Harp, Irene Hunton, Matt M. Moseley, Leonardo M. Ovalle, Virgie Schaaf, Boy Tovar, Maria Tovar and Benny Wiedebush.

Public Hearing on Rural Public Transportation

Notice of opportunity to make comments at a public hearing is announced by South Plains Community Action Association, Inc., 411 Austin Street, Levelland, Texas 79336, on the proposed continuation of rural public transportation service within Bailey, Cochran, Garza, Hockley, Lynn, Lamb, Mitchell, Terry, Yoakum and Scurry counties and the rural areas of Lubbock county. Financial assistance to continue this service is being sought from the Texas Department of Transportation under the Section 5311 grant program.

Service will be for the general public. Fares will be charged for the service. Funds for additional vehicles to provide the service are not being requested in this grant application. The public hearing will be at 1:30 p.m. on August 14, 2003 at the *Texas WorkSource Center — Meeting Room 2, 1218 14th Street, Lubbock, Texas*. Written comments can be forwarded to SPCAA, Attn: SPARTAN, P.O. Box 610, Levelland, Texas 79336.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

August 13—staff development day for all teachers.

August 14—staff development day for all teachers, high school registration (seniors at 11 a.m., juniors at 1 p.m., sophomores at 2 p.m. and freshman at 3 p.m.), locker assignments, schedules and parking permits distributed.

August 15—teacher preparation day, Dillman

student registration at 8-11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m., Dillman student placement list posted.

August 16—football scrimmage at New Deal.

August 18—teacher preparation day, Dillman Meet the Teacher Open House at 5:30-6:30 p.m., Back to School Meet the Teacher at DeShazo from 6 to 7 p.m.

August 19—first day of school for all campuses.

EMS NEWS

The Bailey County EMS was dispatched 78 times in July and treated 78 patients according to the monthly EMS report to the Bailey County Commissioners Court.

EMS billed \$36,032.01 and collected \$11,324.11 for July. The average dollar amount for calls in July was \$461.94

There were 35 emergencies, 30 transfers and 12 non transports.

School welcomes new members



Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

School board members, administrative personnel and several faculty members gathered at the school administration building Friday morning to welcome ten new employees to the district. New personnel includes (back row, from left) Jennifer Deleon, DeShazo secretary; Lorissa Moffett, choir director; Sandi Fullerton, high school English; Steve Dunn, chemistry and sophomore coach; Misty Lassiter, seventh grade reading; Kevin Crane, U.S. history; (front row, from left) Staci Buie, high school, marketing; Keila Morris, pre-kindergarten; Jo Pierson, junior high language arts; and Krystal Favor, third grade special education. Each new staff member received a gift bag donated by local merchants which included Alco, Muleshoe Animal Clinic, Western Drug & Something Special Gifts, Western "66," The Honeycomb, First Ag Credit, Diminutive Desserts, Germania, First Bank, Muleshoe State Bank, Fry and Cox, M-Pyre Auto, Classic Cable, Muleshoe Motor Co., Sonic, Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc., Muleshoe Tire, Minsa Corporation, Silver Screen Video, United Supermarket, McDonald's Restaurant, Leal's Restaurant, Bailey County Electric Cooperative Assn., and Williams Athletics.

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Producers challenged by Mother Nature

By Monti Vandiver
Extension Agent-IPM

There are some situations brewing in the Northwest Plains where some tough decisions must be made. To salvage a crop, some irrigated producers may have to defer their water to a portion of their planted

acres. The added moisture required to sustain a plant in 100+ degree temperatures can cause significant stress as well as excessive water use just for plant survival. The combination of high heat, virtually no rainfall, wind and low humidity make it very difficult to keep up with the evapo-

transpiration rate. The long term average rainfall amount for July and August is 4.26 inches compared to .05 inches accumulated July 1 to date. While it goes against most producers grain to abandon a crop, it is sometimes a "best management practice" to defer inputs to a limited number

of acres to deal with the abnormal environmental conditions mother nature has dealt. Before a producer abandons a crop or defers inputs in an attempt to salvage a crop, the crop insurance carrier must be notified to keep from jeopardizing crop insurance coverage.

Tour, conference slated

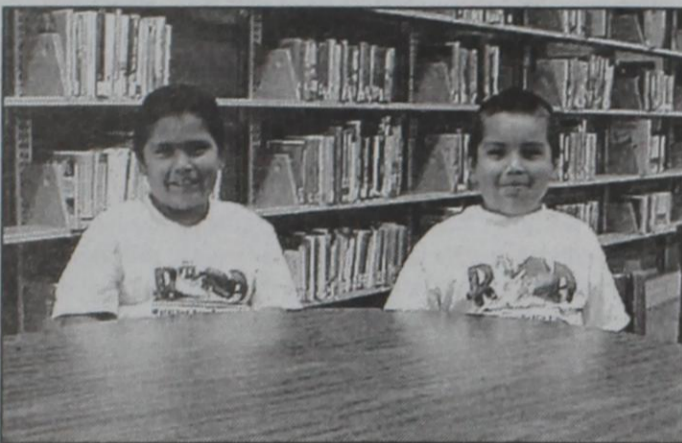
On Friday, August 22, the North West Plains Crop Tour and Conference will begin at the Muleshoe Coop Gin with registration. The group will then travel to James Brown Farm north west of Muleshoe to tour the Cotton System Test Plot. Then, they will travel to the Farwell Community Center for the remainder of the program.

Speakers and their subjects will include Dr. Randy Bowman, Cotton System Plot; Dr. Calvin Trostle, wheat production/ grain and forage; Ron Kershen, triticale production; Dr. Dana Porter, irrigation use efficiency; Earl Behrends, Equip Program NRCS; and Monti Vandiver, integrated pest management.

Lunch will be served at 12:15 and CEU's will be issued when the program is finished.

Questions should be directed to Cody G. Hill

CEA-AG Parmer County 806-481-3619, Curtis Preston CEA-AG Bailey County 806-272-4583, Rick Auckerman 806-647-4115.



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PUBLIC RECORD

MULESHOE POLICE

July 28
Jose Luis Linares, 18, no driver's license and racing.

July 30
David Sigala Romero, 18, bond forfeiture.

July 31
Jesus Carrasco, 33, no driver's license.

August 3
Rogelio Guajardo, 57, DWI, first offense.

Ted Ray Whillock, 67, public intoxication.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

August 3
Leonardo Gallegos, 25, driving while license revoked.

STATE POLICE
August 1
Curtis Broadstreet, 20, possession of a controlled substance.

August 2
Michael Paul Allsup, 20, possession of drug paraphernalia.

August 3
Sabrina Laird, 34, driving while license suspended.

Top readers

Frank and Arthur Recio were the top readers for the Muleshoe Area Public Library's Summer Reading Program. They each read 125 books during the month of July. Frank and Arthur are the sons of Arthur and Francis Recio of Muleshoe.

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NOTICE OF RECEIPT AND INTENT TO OBTAIN A WATER QUALITY PERMIT AMENDMENT

PERMIT NO. 03032 APPLICATION. Minsa Corporation, P.O. Box 484, Mulshoe, Texas 79347-0484, which manufactures masa corn flour, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) to amend wastewater disposal Permit No. 03032 to correctly indicate the amount of land used for irrigation as 92 acres and to authorize an increase in the nitrogen loading rate. The facility is located adjacent to U.S. Highway 84, approximately 1.8 miles southeast of the intersection of U.S. Highway 84 and U.S. Highway 70, and approximately 1.5 miles southeast of the city of Mulshoe in Bailey County, Texas.

The TCEQ executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application. After completion of the technical review, the TCEQ will issue a Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision. **PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING.** You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. The TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing. Written public comments or requests for public hearing must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 79711-3087.

ADDITIONAL NOTICE. After technical review of the application is complete, the executive director may prepare a draft permit and will issue a preliminary decision on the application. **Notice of the Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the county-wide mailing list or the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the final deadline for submitting public comments.**

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING

After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. **The response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or who requested to be on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for**

requesting reconsideration of the executive director's decision and for requesting a contested case hearing. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in a state district court. A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues that were raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn.

MAILING LIST. In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. You may request to be added to: (1) the mailing list for this specific application; (2) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (3) the permanent mailing list for a specific county. Clearly specify which mailing list(s) to which you wish to be added and send your request to the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address above. Unless you otherwise specify, you will be included only on the mailing list for this specific application.

INFORMATION. If you need more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. General information about the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.state.tx.us. Further information may also be obtained from Minsa Corporation at the address stated above or by calling Jose Luis Rebolledo at (806)272-5545.

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Ronald Byrd, of Byrd Realty, Farwell, Texas, has been appointed Judicial Receiver of certain farm properties by 287th District Court Judge Gordon Green in Cause No. 8688. The following two tracts are being sold: Tract 1: All of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of section 53, Block "H", Kelly Subdivision in Parmer County, Texas, being 160 acres more or less. Tract 2: All of the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section 1, Doud & Keefer Subdivision in Parmer County, Texas being 160 acres more or less. Sealed bids will be accepted until 5 p.m. on Monday, August 18, 2003, at the office of Byrd Realty, 308 3rd St. Farwell, TX 79325. If mailed, bids should be sent to: Byrd Realty, PO Box 156, Farwell, TX 79325. For complete information on the land and their improvements, please call Ronald Byrd at (806)481-3846 or (505)760-1495 (cell). Ronald Byrd reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Published in the Mulshoe Journal August 7 & 14, 2003.

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SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST

MULESHOE DILLMAN ELEMENTARY Early Childhood

A complete change of clothes (pants, shirt, socks and underwear). If your child uses diapers or pull-ups, send some to school.

1 box of Ziploc gallon baggies
2 large boxes of baby wipes
2 large boxes of Kleenex

Pre-Kindergarten

1 pkg. assorted construction paper (9x12)
1 box wet wipes (Please do not open them so they won't dry out.)

1 lg. box Kleenex
Boys — 1 lg. box of gallon Ziploc bags
Girls — 1 lg. box of sandwich bags

Each child should bring one complete change of clothes in a gallon Ziploc bag labeled with the child's name.

Boys — shirt, pants, underwear and socks
Girls — dress or pants, blouse, socks and panties

Kindergarten

2 regular size No. 2 pencils
2-4 oz. Elmer's Glue All (not paste)

1 glue stick
2 boxes of regular size crayons (8 count basic colors only — not fluorescent) We do many things with only basic colors and use them to learn to write/recognize color words.

1 box washable Crayola markers — Classic Colors (large size)

1 large box Kleenex (Notes will be sent for more occasionally if supply gets too low.)

2 pkgs. construction paper 9x12 assorted

1 pair metal (Fiskar brand) scissors (right or left, whichever one the child needs)

1 complete change of clothes in gallon Ziploc bag labeled with child's name)

Boys — shirt, pants, underwear and socks
Girls — dress or pants, blouse, panties and socks

2 pocket folders
1 vinyl mat for naptime (Please keep in mind, there is limited space for storage when purchasing these.)

1 box gallon Ziploc bags (if last

name begins with A-L)
1 box quart or pint Ziploc bags (if last name begins with M-Z)
1 plastic school box
1 set of crayola basic color water colors (Please no little pot paints)

1 box wet wipes (Please do not open them so they won't dry out.)

1-24 oz. (or smaller) plain water bottle (pop top or screw on lid)

1 large eraser
(**Please use a permanent marker to label each individual item with child's name. Every so often, a note may be sent asking to replenish child's supply of crayons, glue or glue sticks)

First Grade

4 yellow pencils (no mechanical ones)

1 pkg. pencil tops boxes of 8 crayons

1 box of Crayola washable markers

1 small pencil box

2 large bottles of Elmer's school glue

2 pocket folders

1 wide rule 100-page spiral notebook

1 pair of Fiskar scissors

1 package of stickers

3 boxes of Kleenex

1 pkg. assorted construction paper

Please bring one box or pkg. of the following items if last name begins with...

A-G gallon Ziploc bags
H-N snack-size Ziploc bags
O-Z wet wipes

*Due to the lack of space, please use child-sized backpacks.

Please label all supplies with a permanent marker.

Second Grade

24-No. 2 pencils — No mechanical ones.

1-package of 25 to 30 pencil top erasers.

1-small hand held pencil sharpener

2-red pencils

2-boxes of 24 Crayola crayons

1-box of Crayola Washable markers — Classic Colors

1-small pencil box

2-bottles of Elmer's school glue (Ross brand does not work as well)

1-spiral notebook (wide rule)
2-pocket folders — one plain red and one plain blue (no designs/no brads)

1-package of assorted construction paper

1-box of wet wipes

1-box of Ziploc bags — boys quart size, girls gallon size.

1-pair Fiskar scissors (these work the best and last the longest).

2-small glue sticks

1-package (boys bring plates/ girls bring small cups)

3-boxes of Kleenex

1-sports top water bottle

No Notebooks or Trapperkeepers, please! No rolling backpacks!

DESHAZO ELEMENTARY Third Grade

2 pkgs. of pencils — plain No. 2 (8-12 count)

1-4 oz. bottle of Elmer's glue (not Ross)

1 pkg. wide ruled notebook paper

2 boxes Crayola brand crayons — 24 count

1 Fiskar brand pointed scissors

1-12-inch ruler (metric/English)

6 flat pocket folders

1 zipper pouch (sturdy)

3 boxes of Kleenex

1 pkg. assorted construction paper

1 spiral wide ruled 120-page notebook

1 pkg. of 8 basic map colors

No Three Ring Binders! (There is no place to put them)

No Large Backpacks (They won't fit in lockers)

Fourth Grade

1 - set of Crayola brand map pencils

12 - pencils (plain wooden #2)

2 - red pencils

1 - box of crayons (16 count)

2 - highlighters

2 - packages notebook paper (wide rule)

1 - package of eraser tops

1 - pair of scissors

1 - spiral notebook (120 pages)

1 - (4 ounce) bottle of Elmer's glue or

2 - glue sticks

1 - pencil bag

3 - boxes of Kleenex (we give some to outside teachers)

Every fourth grade student will receive a "Magic Notebook" therefore Trapper Keepers or

other notebooks are not needed. Extra supplies at teacher discretion. Exceptions to this would be Special Education needs. Absolutely no backpacks on wheels. They do not fit in the lockers.

Fifth Grade

1- set of Crayola brand map pencils

12- pencils (plain wooden No. 2)

2- red pens

1 - box of crayons (16 count)

2 - highlighters

2 - packages of notebook paper (wide rule)

1 - package of eraser tops

1 - pair of scissors

4 - spiral notebooks (120 pages)

1 - (4 ounce) bottle of Elmer's glue or

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1 - pencil bag (sturdy)

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1 - 3 ring binder

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PUBLIC NOTICE

MAHD To Hold Public Hearing on the 2003-2004 Budget

The Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board of Directors will hold a public hearing on the proposed 2003-2004 Budget on **Thursday, August 21, 2003 at 6:30 p.m.** The meeting will be held at the dining room of Muleshoe Area Medical Center, 708 South First Street, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

Members of the community and other interested parties are invited to attend.



Help!

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce needs your HELP!

If you are impressed by the excellent service of someone, or there is a business that you feel has "gone beyond the call of duty," write them down, cut out this form and drop it in the mailbox, addressed to the Chamber, P.O. Box 356. Or you can drop it by the Chamber office between the hours of 10:00 a.m. & 4:00 p.m., Mon.-Fri., at 115 E. American Blvd. The "employee" selection can be different than the "business" selection.

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College Courses offered

The Five Area Community Telecommunications Consortium (FACT) made up of Lazbuddie ISD, Muleshoe ISD, Olton ISD, Springlake-Earth ISD and Sudan ISD is offering college classes from South Plains College (SPC) through its Interactive Television classrooms.

To take these courses, a student must register with SPC and pay regular tuition. To attend class, a student should go to the local school. Attending class at one of the FACT member schools offers a simplified way of getting some college credit. To attend these classes, a student must live within the school boundary of one of the FACT schools.

The courses being offered through ITV from South Plains College this fall are college algebra (Monday 6-8:50 p.m.); American government (Monday 6-8:50 p.m.); American history (Monday 7-10:00 p.m.); Introduction of psychology (Tuesday and Thursday 2:30-3:45 p.m.); and Introduction to sociology (Tuesday 6-9:00 p.m.).

Those interested in taking any of these courses should contact Patsy Fisher at 806-272-2554.

BIRTH

RAMIREZ

Roberto and Kristine Ramirez of Muleshoe announce the birth of their son, Dmetri Izhiah Ramirez.

Dmetri was born at 4:52 p.m. on July 1, 2003 at Muleshoe Area Medical Center. He weighed eight pounds, nine ounces and

measured 21 inches long. Dmetri has an older brother, Damian.

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