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July 4th agenda being set

By HEATHER SHIPMAN Journal staff writer

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture is finalizing plans for its annual July 4th celebration.

The celebration is being moved back to Main Street this year, where it was held for many years.

"We've had a very positive response to the move," said Chamber president Wade King. "It will help keep people from having to drive all day instead of enjoying the day's events."

Main Street will be blocked off from Ave. D to Highway 84

The street will be lined with games, food vendors, merchants, and entertainment. Local talent will provide entertainment during the day and several local merchants will hold sidewalk sales along Main Street.

Food will be available from various vendors and refreshments will be served at the Bailey County Coliseum open house.

The Chamber will have an information tent set up on the Mule Lot to help visitors locate certain events and to register them for those events. It will open at 8 a.m. and remain open



Shreaded wheat

A Case combine driven by Daniel Shacher trashes a corner of dryland wheat Thursday in Clay's Corner. Most farmers are starting to harvest dryland wheat while irrigated wheat is about a week away.

Summer jobs weren't always a breeze

By HEATHER SHIPMAN Journal staff writer

The concept of a "summer job" has changed drastically.

Years ago, from the time a child was age seven, and sometimes younger, they were out in the field working. They worked because they had to.

"We picked and hoed cotton from sun-up to sun-down," said Harvey Bass, owner of Bass Appliance. "Back then we didn't work for extra

chores at home. I can remember working all day and then coming home and having to milk the cows before going to bed. I think I probably made about 75 cents a day."

Joe Shipman, co-owner of Joe Shipman and Sons Body Shop, also toiled in the fields.

"We worked from the time school was out until the first frost. I think that it taught us to appreciate what little we had, something most kids don't have to worry about today,"

Some started out as a carhop, babysitting and working the counter at a pharmacy.

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"My first job was a carhop at a drive-in at Clovis. I can't remember exactly how much I made, but I know it wasn't very much," Lucille Franse of Muleshoe said. "I couldn't complain though, because it was the only job I could find since I was only 15,"

Stephanie Chester of Sudan worked at a gin weighing trucks and posting the weight tickets. "I worked



The Alwerts : (clockwise from top left) Delbert and Sylvia Alwert, Bob, Don, Kent and Moonene.

Muleshoe part of World War II escape plans

Atomic energy and nuclear weapons are part of everyday life nowadays --- have been for years.

But times were different during the World War II era, when the United States and rival nations were on the cusp of discovering the atomic bomb.

Moonene (Alwert) Blaser was just a little girl then, maybe five or six years old. It was also the first time she had heard of Muleshoe, Texas.

"World War II began in 1939, and to say the least, war is uncertain and frightening, and there was always a concern to safety," Blaser wrote in a recent letter to the Muleshoe Journal. "Especially considering the Atomic bomb was part of our defense."

Blaser said that her parents had told her and her three brothers all about the fall-out shelters in Enid, Okla., which was located about 10 miles away from the family farm.

Having a plan

"But our mother took it one step further,"

throughout the day.

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money, we worked to live. "Before we could work for other people, we had to take care of the

Shipman said.

fields.

But not everybody worked in the

for my grandmother at Center Point

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SLIGHTLY OFF CENTER

Twin brothers marry twins

COLUMBIA, S.C. - Twenty years ago, Guy and Gilles Leclerc fell for the same girl while vacationing in Myrtle Beach.

They made a deal then, as teens, to date only twins. The twin brothers kept their bargain to the fullest, marrying twin sisters in Lablachere, France

Guy and Gilles, French-Canadians, first hooked up with the sisters on a French twins' Web site last summer. They met their wivesto-be only once, when the women came to South Carolina for a two-week stay around Valentine's Day.

But 1,300 e-mails took care of the rest." "There wasn't anything else to do but talk on the Internet," the brothers said.

MEDITINGS

Tuesday — Muleshoe City Council, 8:30 a.m., Council Chambers, City Hall

Thursday - Muleshoe Area Hospital District, 7 p.m., Muleshoe Area Medical Center dinning room.

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Tuesday	94	54	-
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Thursday	86	53	(e ⁻
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Mostly sunny through Monday and turning partly cloudy on Tuesday. Lows will be in the 60's with highs in the mid 90's. There is a slight chance of rain starting Wednesday.



Kicks like a Mule

Patrick Precure works on his place-kicking form Thursday during the Mule summer sports camp. Muleshoe High School football coach David Wood holds the ball on the kicking tee.

the letter said. "If there was an atomic bomb attack on the USA and we were separated, we needed a place to meet.

"Of course we were small children, and mother knew we needed to remember this place for months or years to come."

Sylvia Alwert, the wife of a German farmer from Fairmont, Okla., chose Muleshoe.

"Our parents had never been to Muleshoe, but they knew it was a small town in a rural area that would give us safety and promise of a united family.

"We always wondered how we would have gotten 450 miles from our home if we were separated. We talked of our plan many times in those early years, and now 59 years later, we are still talking of how important Muleshoe was to us, and what a lasting impression it made on us."

Life was hard

Moonene Alwert was one of four children of Delbert and Sylvia Alwert, who settled and farmed in Fairmont, Okla.

"They were beginning their married lives during the Great Depression (1930-41) and farming was a very hard living," Blaser wrote. "It was also the Oklahoma Dust Bowl era, which totally wiped out a lot of farmers.

"We raised our own meat and vegetable garden. Wheat was yielding seven bushels

see OKLAHOMA on page 6

St. Mary, Methodist hospital merger final

The long-anticipated merger of St. Mary and Methodist hospitals became reality Thursday when the two hospitals signed the final legal documents consummating the agreement and, subsequently, creating a new organization called Covenant Health System.

"With the creation of Covenant Health System a unique opportunity to positively impact health care services in the west Texas and eastern New Mexico has been created," said St. Mary Hospital President/CEO Charley Trimble, who will serve as CEO of Covenant Health System.

Together, the two organizations have 1,338 licensed beds, approximately 4,400 full-time equivalent employees and net operating revenues of more than \$600 million.

The agreement brings to a close the first phase of an intense effort which began in January of 1996 when the two hospitals signed a letter-of-intent to pursue a merger.

When the letter-of-intent was signed more than two years ago, officials of the two hospitals originally announced that the new entity would be named Methodist/St. Mary Health System.

Alan B. White, chairman of the board of Lubbock Methodist Hospital System, will chair the CHS board for the next three years.

The name Covenant Health System was chosen because it reflects the mission of the organization, has Biblical roots and references, and depicts the partnership and commitment between the two organizations.

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AROUND MULESHOE

Agape Singers at United Methodist

The Agape Singers from the Highland Park United Methodist Church in Dallas will be performing at 8 p.m. Friday, June 19 at the First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe.

The Agape Singers regularly sing in worship, sponsor two Broadway musical shows a year as fund-raisers, and lead special worship services throughout the year.

MHS Project Graduation '99 reminder

All 1999 Muleshoe high school seniors and their parents are being asked to pick up tickets to be pre-sold for their July 4 hamburger sale.

Tickets can be picked up at the Watson Junior High office beginning June 16. To get your tickets and information, see Pam Thomason between 7:15 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

All proceeds from the hamburger sales will help fund Project Graduation 1999.

First Methodist Vacation Bible School

The First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe will be having Vacation Bible School from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, June 20 entitled "The Storytelling Tree."

All children 4 years of age to fifth grade are welcome to attend. There will be a swim party held for those who attend Bible school and their families. The cookout and swim party will be from 6-8 p.m. at the city pool.

Huff valedictorian at Wayland Baptist

Three Way High School graduate Marcus Dale Huff was named valedictorian of his graduating class at Wayland Baptist University at Lubbock.

Huff earned a bachelor's degree in occupational education.

The commencement ceremonies were held at Indiana Baptist Church in Lubbock on June 6. Huff's wife, Jody, held a surprise reception for him following the graduation.

The couple has two children, Keagan and Abigal. He is the

Josh McElroy VCE

son of Mr. and Mrs. H.O. Huff of Morton. **Benham receives McMurry scholarship**

Kendra Benham of Muleshoe recently received the Presidential Scholarship Award from McMurry University for the 1998-99 school year.

To be awarded the academic scholarship, students must have been in the top 20% of their graduating classes or scored at least a 25 on the ACT or 1,050 on the SAT.

Bhakta earns pair of academic honors

Muleshoe High School senior Deepa Bhakta has been named an All-American Scholar and also a United States National Award winner by The United States Achievement Academy.

The USAA has established the All-American Scholar Award Program to offer recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines. The All-American Scholars must earn a 3.3 or higher, grade point average.

Bhakta will appear in the All-American Scholar Yearbook, which is published nationally.

Bhakta was nominated for this national award by Gayla Gear, a counselor at Muleshoe High School. She is the daughter of Diru and Manju Bhakta of Muleshoe.

Church of Christ Vacation Bible School

The Muleshoe Church of Christ at 2201 American Boulevard is having their Vacation Bible School entitled "Life of Christ" June 23-25.

The Bible school is from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Children ages 3 through entering 6th grade are welcome to attend. For more information, call 272-4256.

Deadlines to get items placed in Around Muleshoe are 5 p.m. Monday for Thursday's Muleshoe Journal and 5 p.m. Thursday for Sunday's Bailey County Journal.

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Davis, Cenee Hood, Austin Thomas, Cassie Kirby, Alberto Vironche

4th Grade — Caleb Heinrich, Cody Kirby

5th Grade — Norma Baeza, Kyla Ellis 6th Grade — Katye Cook, Veronica Matha, Kaylie James 7th Grade — Monica Walker

8th Grade — Leanne Heinrick Draus, Jimmy James

10th Grade — Kasey Davis, Monty Kirby, Jessica Robinson, Scott Pollard, Alberto Valderas, Sid Weeks 11th Grade — Jonathan

Kindle 12th Grade—Katie Arens,

Jonathan Bennett, Cristina Salamanca, Joey Smith, Cody Wilson

"A" Average

1st Grade—Brent Elmore, Carmen Medrano, Eloisa Salamanca

2nd Grade - Colton

3rd Grade — Bronson

4th Grade - Trevor Hood, Nathan James, Lauren Layton 5th Grade — Rigo Rodriquez

6th Grade—Amy Castillo, Landon Gray, Jennifer Cuellar, **Buddy Homes**

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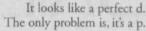


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mission

A local teenager will travel to Italy later this summer on a seven-week, church mission.

Muleshoe High school senior Josh McElroy is leaving June 15 to travel with a team of 30 teens and their leaders as part of Teen Missions International.

The non-denominational mission group will help plant a garden and build a retaining wall for the Comunita Evangelica "Emmanuele," an evangelical church in Cantanzaro, Italy.

He will spend two weeks of intensive training at Teen Missions Primitive Boot Camp in Florida. Classes in spiritual growth, Bible study, evangelism, music, drama, puppetry and construction will help prepare him for the mission.

Several days will be set aside for rest and relaxation in Zurich, Switzerland at the end of the mission.

McElroy, a member of the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe, will return home Aug. 14.

He welcomes the opportunity to share his experiences with area youth upon his return.

Address questions to Josh McElroy, Rt. 2 Box 315, Muleshoe or call (806) 272-3902.

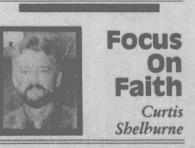
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What Would Jesus Have Done **On Monday?**

drove to Lubbock Monday to take our van back to the garage which did some still-warrantied and still-not working air conditioning repair for its previous owner. I almost blew a fuse, Not on the van. On the van's driver.

It's been a busy spring, and a very busy summer is well underway. I leave for a week's worth of speaking and teaching in Indiana this Friday, then one day at home, and then a week of the same in Dallas. Busy.



But I'd managed to make an appointment to get the needed repair work done on Monday in Lubbock. And I'd re-arranged an already packed-full week to accomodate the trip. I had a briefcase and a computer and a wad of work with me and was planning to camp out at a friend's house all day Monday, displaced but productive. At least the phone wouldn't be for me.

Now, getting to Lubbock these days is a bit of a nuisance (which I personally expect to last until 2010 or so). The speed drops to 45 at least a mile before you see even a hint of any construction taking place, but a number of ominous signs are plainly visible. Something about "double fines." But I managed to eek past the miles of wreckage.

Just in time to have a guy in a beat-up gray pickup pull out right in front of me and pretty much camp there all the way from Littlefield to

the other side of Lubbock.

Oh, yeah, Lubbock. Did I mention that when I got there, I finally managed to find the out-of-the-way garage, whipped in, and immediately saw a wreath on the door and a "CLOSED" sign? It's not Christmas, folks.

One bay door was open, a car or two hung forlornly up on racks, and a secretary was padding around smoking a cigarette. There'd been a death in the boss's family, she told me, and they'd re-open tomorrow. I could come back.

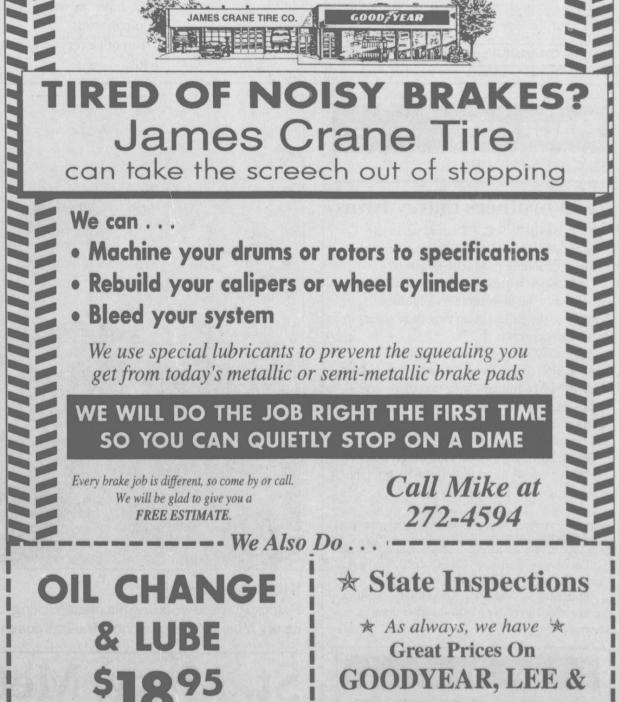
No, I couldn't.

I felt bad about feeling bad (angry, I confess). I had an appointment. It was planned, you know. But nobody plans to die, and death is always inconvenient especially for those whose hearts are breaking. I felt sorry for the family. And then I wondered how bad I should feel about wondering, well, why the secretary had time to puff and wander and not time to use the telephone. I felt bad again.

I left, and I got a cup of coffee. Really dark (like I needed help being uptight). I drove back home. After l finally got around the Suburban driven by the woman who missed the part in driver's ed about the slower traffic staying in the right lane.

Yep, I almost blew a fuse. But it occurred to me later, much later, that I'm supposed to be serving a Lord who was a lot busier than I'll ever be. And he always seemed to have time. Time for important stuff. No, not stuff. People.

Did I mention that the theme of my week in Indiana is "What Would Jesus Do?"? I'm pretty sure he wouldn't blow a fuse. Curtis Shelburne is minister of the 16th & D Church of Christ in Muleshoe



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My friend Jack

It was a small corner of the earth. Where seven women carried a cowboy to his grave. The spot sits on a small bluff overlooking Boulder flats. From his burying place one can see the Wind River ranger, the Salt Mountains, the pale blue sky and the Green River as it waters the valley floor all the way to Big Piney.

"It's windy up there," one of the pall bearers told me, "but Jack would've liked it."

Jack was a first rate cowboy, hunter's guide, son of Wyoming and paraplegic. The last several of his years were spent in a care center in a small town, 99 miles from the nearest freeway. Flat on his back, unable to lift a hand.

How he lasted so long after he contracted MS is a mystery to me. How one could keep his spirits up with so little hope is hard for most of us to understand. It gives a reality check to the saying, "You gotta play the cards that you been dealt."

But any letters I received or conversation I had with Jack were never tinted with self pity, depression or anger. Matter of fact, most were humorous and clever, even pullin' my leg. They never drew attention to his captivity. He let me off easy. I, of course, was aware or could imagine the orchestrated effort it took for him to write me one simple letter.

BAXTER ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

But he was in the care of angels.

A handful of beautiful women who nursed him, befriended him, loved him and kept him in line. They did for him all those things that he and I never discussed, from changing his diaper, to adjusting his cassette volume, to holding his hand.

They kept him from living his life inside his own lonely mind.

Their contribution to his well being cannot be measured in the single flash of a winning home run in the bottom of the 9th, the garish announcement of a million dollar contribution to United Way, or the gala winning of an Oscar.

It is measured in pleasant good mornings, endless bed adjustments, uncountable spoonfuls of soup, unhurried conversations and unconscious pats, squeezes, straightenings and kisses.

It is hard to go quietly into the good night. The will to live is a stubborn foe. But Jack finally went. He was carried to his grave by the angels who had watched over him and given into the care of their heavenly counterparts that watch over him now.

And, if I might say, since he's a horseback up there and mobile, the new band of angels probably has the tougher job.



CHAMBER

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There will be activities for all ages, from the pony rides to the World Championship Muleshoe Pitching contest. After dwindling interest, the Muleshoe pitching contest will be revived this year with changes that will hopefully keep participation high.

"It will start at 8:30 a.m. and we will be through by lunch time so that those who want to participate in the Muleshoe Country Club July 4 scramble will be able to do both," said King. The scramble starts at 1

p.m. and will be a shotgun start.

The parade is scheduled to start at 10 a.m. and all who are interested in participating in it should talk the chamber to register. "We will allow people to join in at any time, but if the judges have an information sheet on that entry there will be a better chance of winning." said King.

Other events taking place are the Bailey County Coliseum 20th Anniversary Celebration ceremony, featuring Texas Speaker of the House Pete Laney as the guest speaker. It starts at 1 p.m. and will be followed by the Old Settler's Reunion.

Concluding the day's events will be local talent preforming in the park and will be followed by a concert performed by T. Graham Brown. The concert will be immediately followed by the annual fireworks display by the Muleshoe Fire Department.

For more information about the schedule of events, booths, parade entries or activities, call Laura Precure at 272-4248 or Wade King at 272-3010.



SUMMER

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Gin in Levelland, and it was fun to get to spend time with her while earning money."

Experts say a summer job can teach children discipline, respect and how to manage their money. But they have to be willing to work.

"I've had mothers come into my office and demand that her son or daughter fill out an information sheet, but the kids are very reluctant," said Jeff Coffman, an interview special-

ist with the Texas Workforce Commission. "I can't recommend someone for a job if I don't think they will be willing to work, and to hold a job you have to be willing."

plenty of jobs available for chil- Coffman. dren ages 14 and up.

teenagers can't get according to the child labor laws, but there are still jobs out there," the child labor laws and avail-Coffman said.

Coffman receives calls ev- at 272-7537.

eryday about miscellaneous work. Jobs like yard work and gardening are just some of the examples.

"I've even had people to call to get someone for the day just Coffman said there are to clean out their pick-up," said

Coffman said summer jobs "There are some jobs that can be for the long term or just a stepping stone along the way. For more information about able jobs, contact Jeff Coffman

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Dealers forced to apologize and extend liquidation event

CLOVIS/PORTALES - Sid Strebeck be less of a problem. and Gary Hamilton, during an emergency news conference late Saturday, offered a public apology for the disruption their tent event on North Prince has caused in Clovis.

Strebeck was the first to speak, saying, "We had no idea when it started just how many people would respond. Due to railroad and trucking problems, some of our additional inventory won't be here until Monday or Tuesday. We realize people were forced to wait hours to take advantage of the great values and we never intended for that to happen."

Hamilton added, "To make up for all the confusion and conjestion, we have extended this special event until next Saturday night. Our extra inventory will be here and we've taken steps to ensure customer waiting times are minimal."

Chuck Daggett, general manager of Teague-Strebeck Ford, apologized to the Clovis Police Department, "We regret our event has caused traffic conjestion at the Llano Estacado and Prince Street intersection. We realize their job is tough enough without extra confusion. We have changed our entrance situation and this should

Henry Greenfield, a tent event customer from Clovis, said, "We had some friends who came to the event Friday, but because of other commitments they weren't able to stay long enough to purchase their vehicle. They will be so excited when they find out it has been extended.'

Sonny Smith, another customer from Clovis, said, "There was a little extra waiting but when we look at the money we saved on our new Ford Super Cab it was certainly worth it!"

Lucas Larson, a recent graduate of ENMU from Portales, bought a new 1998 Ford Escort ZX2 and said, "When the salesperson quoted my payment I thought he had made a mistake. I never dreamed a recent graduate with very little credit like myself could drive a new ZX2 for such a low payment. I don't know how he did it but I'm glad he did!"

Hamilton said, "When Ford Motor Company gave us the challenge to help liquidate thousands of new Ford cars and trucks, we just weren't fully prepared. Now we've gotten more organized and we're still able to offer 0.9% financing and the customer still keeps the rebate. During this kind of

promotion we're able to offer the most attractive values I've ever seen." Daggett said, "Even though our

sales people are tired, we have promised them additional time off after this second week, we are committed to being open every night through Saturday until 10 p.m. These extra hours give all area residents a chance to take advantage of our exceptional values.

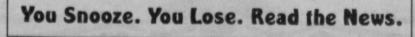
A sales manager at another local dealership who asked to remain anonymous said, "I hated it when I overheard the Ford event had been extended through Saturday. During the previous four days, we haven't sold anything to speak of. It is totally unfair when a big company like Ford pours so much money into a local event it's almost impossible for the rest of us dealers to compete. I've · actually had to advise some of my own customers to buy from Hamilton Big Country Ford and Teague-Strebeck Ford during this event because there's no way we could match those prices or payments without losing money. I wish they hadn't extended it and I'll just be glad when it's over so we can start selling cars again."

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Courtmasters rally to take regional title

LUBBOCK - Courtmasters won the Youth Basketball Organization of America girls 15-under regional title the hard way.

Working its way through the loser's bracket after an firstround loss, Courtmasters edged the previously unbeaten Dimmitt Stars 36-35 in Sunday's championship game.

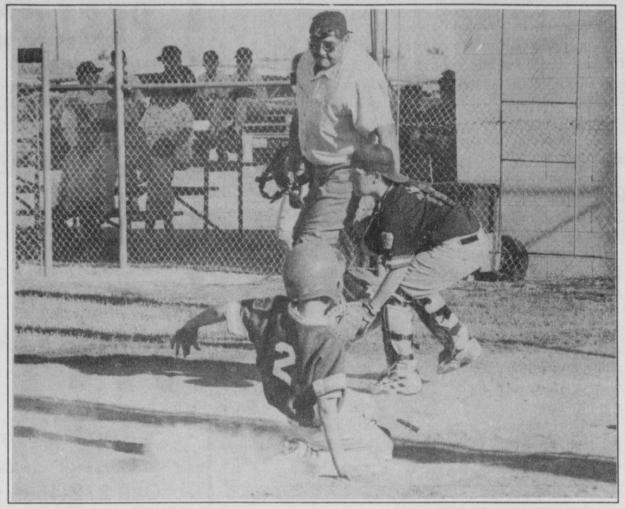
Tommie Hernandez of Muleshoe scored the winning bucket on a putback as time expired.

Kristin Broyles of Springlake-Earth scored 13 of her game-high 16 points in the second half to lead Courtmasters, which is made up of players from Muleshoe, Springlake-Earth and Sudan.

Hernandez finished with nine points in the championship game and Megan Tipps of Muleshoe added four points.

Courtmasters avenged a first-round loss in the loser's bracket final of the five-team tournament earlier Sunday, spanking the Lady Cats 50-33 as Chelyn Maddox of Springlake-Earth paced a balanced attack with 12 points. Tipps added eight points and Muleshoe's Melissa Flores, Broyles and Tara Chester of Sudan each added six points.

Courtmasters rebounded from a 30-27 loss to beat the Levelland Stars 39-29 Saturday behind Haylea Moudy's 12 points. Hernandez added 10 points and Broyles finished



Safe

Barry Morris of the Cardinals slides home safely Thursday during a Muleshoe Major League game at Roger Miller Park. Twins catcher Adam Pierce tries to come up with the throw as umpire Andy Martinez looks on.

Flores wins again at Canyon PGA event

CANYON — Ariel Flores of Muleshoe captured his second-straight Northern Texas PGA Westcott Junior Tour title Tuesday at Palo Duro Creek Country Club.

Flores, 10, shot a 40 for nine holes to win the boys 10-11 year-old divsions by two strokes. Tyler Hanes of Stratford was second with a 42.

Flores won at Dumas last Friday.

Northern Texas PGA Wescott Junior Tour Tuesday, at Palo Duro Creek Nine holes

7-9 coed - 1. Daniel Wood, 47; 2. Thomas Hinojosa, 53; 3. Colby Floyd, 62. Boys

10-11 — 1. Ariel Flores, 40; 2. Tyler Haynes, 42; 3. Brandon Barker, 43.

12-13 - 1. Chase Cooper, 70; 2. Zachary Windhorst, 81; 3. Kellen Morgan, 85.

14-15 - 1. Travis Lovins, 69; 2. Robert Evans, 69; 3. Thomas McDonald, 74.

GIRLS

10-11 -1. Whitney Osborne, 1. Whitney Waggoner, 90; 2. Rachel Clark, 92; 3. Madison Easley, 107. 15-18 — 1. Allison Johnson, 74; 2. Shelby Allison, 75; 3. Meredith Easley, 81.



Sunday, June 14, 1998 **Muleshoe Little League**

SPORTS

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MAJOR LEAGUE Standings Rockies (Sudan) 11-2 Sox (Muleshoe) 11-3 A's (Muleshoe) 6-8 Cardinals (Muleshoe) 6-8 Twins (Farwell) 0-14 Results June 1 Cardinals 14, Twins 3 Sox 15, Rockies 4 June 2 Sox 18, A's 16 Rockies 19, Twins 5 June 4 Rockies 7, Cardinals 5 A's 14, Cardinals 3 June 8 Rockies 6, A's 1 Sox 14, Cardinals 7 June 9 Sox 17, Twins 0 A's 12, Cardinals 9 Schedule Monday, June 15 Sox vs A's, 5:30 p.m.; Twins vs Rockies, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 16 Rockies vs Cardinals, 5:30 p.m.; A's vs Twins, 7:30 p.m.

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MINOR LEAGUE **Remaining chedule** Monday, May 15 Fireballs vs Sluggers, 6 p.m.;

Chargers vs. U-Bars, 7:30 p.m. **Tuesday**, June 16 U-Bats vs Sluggers, 6 p.m.; Hornets vs Sharks, 7:30 p.m.

T-BALL Remaining schedule Monday, June 15

Ronnie Holt-Western 66 vs Sudan, 6 p.m.; Wes-Tex Feedyard vs Bamert Seed. **Tuesday**, June 16 Farwell B vs Scoggin Ag Center, 6 p.m.; State Farm vs Lazbuddie B, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 18 Scoggin Ag Center vs State Farm, 6 p.m.; Wilhite Insurance vs Sudan. Friday, June 19 Lazbuddie B at Farwell A, 6 p.m.; Bamert Seed vs Farwell B, 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 22 Winkler Meat vs Wes-Tex Feedyard, 6 p.m.; Lazbuddie A vs Ronnie Holt-Western 66. **Tuesday**, June 23 State Farm vs Bamert Seed, 6 p.m.; Farwell A vs Scoggin Ag Center, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 25 Ronnie Holt-Western 66 vs Lazbuddie B, 6 p.m.; Wes-Tex Feedyard vs Wilhite Insurance, 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 26 Farwell B at Winkler, 6 p.m.; Sudan vs Lazbuddie A

> ALCO CUSTOMERS

Due to the manufacturer being out of stock the Toro 11" Trimmer shown on pg. 11 of this week's circular will not be available. We regret any inconvenience.

with eight.

Courtmasters whipped Whiteface 42-22 in the second round of the loser's bracket Saturday as Moudy poured in 11 points and Broyles added eight.

The team was coached by David Tipps and Roger Williams.

Jimmy Wedel re-elected to **Corn Board**

Corn producers from across the state recently elected new Texas Corn Producers Board directors in one voting region and returned the directors in three others to new terms during the recent TCPB Biennial Election.

The election was conducted under regulation of the Texas Commodity Referendum Law, said Joe Reed, TCPB Chairman.

Elected as new directors in TCPB Voting Region I were Coby Gilbreath of Dimmitt and Steve Whitaker of Hart. Voting Region I includes Castro and Lamb counties. They replace long-time directors Doug Higgins of Hart and Lois Wafes of Dimmitt who decided against running for new terms.

Re-elected as a director for Voting Region 2 was Jimmy Wedel of Muleshoe. Voting Region 2 includes Parmer. Bailey, Deaf Smith, Oldham and Hartley counties.

The next TCPB biennial election will be in the spring of 2000.



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Home Folks Caring For Folks At Home. MULESHOE AREA HOME HEALTH Agency **Featured Patient** J.C. Shanks was born April 24, 1917 in the central Texas county of Brown. J.C., his eleven siblings and his parents moved to Mills County when he was 3 years old and then settled in Bailey County by the time he was 11 years old. Mr. Shanks attended school in Baileyboro but didn't get to finish his studies. He went to work driving a tractor and breaking land for his dad on the family farm. Mr. Shanks spent many years farming for himself and other people in this area. However he is really a "jack of all trades," spending time working at Bailey County Electric, delivering gas, driving transport trucks and working with the Highway Department. J.C. married Odessa Vaughn of the West Camp area on January 14, 1940. Mrs. Shanks passed away August 7, 1996. The couple parented two sons: Donald of Arkansas and J.C. Shanks Gerald of Muleshoe. Mr. Shanks has 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. J.C. enjoys writing and collecting poetry. Why poetry? It Home Care helps him sharpen his typing skills. This has come in handy since he is busy writing a book about his memories and his family's history. He affectionately calls it "PaPa's Memories." The book was started after his grandchildren showed interest in their family history and came to J.C. to tell them the "tales" of the Shanks family. According to J.C., this interest "broke me out of my shell." Mr. Shanks also enjoys singing and is part of the Muleshoe Singers, a group that performs at the nursing home once a month. He is a member of the First Baptist Home is where the heart is Church About M.A.H.H.A., J.C. says that he appreciates what they've done for him. He's well on his way to recovery after hip replacement surgery. Affiliated with Lubbock Methodist Hospital Systems 24 Hour # 272-3346 Out-Of-Hospital Do Not Resuscitate Packets/ Local Nurse on call 24 Bracelets Now Available. Call us at 272-3346 hours a day to offer or come by 623 W. 2nd for information. prompt service. We accept Medicare, Med-To receive Home Health Services, talk with your physician

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New toys

Kinder Korner students (from let) Devin Bullock, Skyler Smith, Jake Brozek, Ali Weaver, Teen Leadership's Jana Johnson, Blayne Shipman, Christopher Cage, Shelbi Harrison, Tessa Garner, Teen Leadership's Kayla Johnson and Andrea Dominguez show off their new toys.

Teen Leadership donates toys to Kinder Korner

Leadership presented Kinder Korner with prizes for participating in their Safety Bike-a-thon held May 19.

Prizes include two swing sets with safety pits, two teninch tricycles, two Fisher Price

Muleshoe High School Teen Tough Trikes, two Little Tyke All-Terrain Vehicles, two little Tyke wagons, and a Magnovox CD player.

The Teen Leadership program is funded by a grant from the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Lubbock. The pro-

gram is called Big Brother/ Big Sister BIONIC (Believe It Or Not I Care) Project. Funds have allowed Teen Leadership to provide various activities including a Valentine party, an Easter egg hunt, kite flying, various reading programs, a

Families-First Picnic, and the Safety Bike-a-thon. Friendships have abounded between the individual Kinder Korner kids and their Teen Leadership's Big Brothers and Big Sisters.

ULESHOE HERITAGE FOUNDATION NEWS

The Muleshoe Heritage Foundation board met June 8 at the Muleshoe Depot.

Board members present were Vivian White, president, Carolyn Johnson, Charles Flowers, Kristy Price, Gordon Green, Jean Allison, Chuck Smith, Jack Hicks and Peggy Bruton, hostess at the Heritage Center. The president brought the meeting to order and Mrs. Bruton read the minutes from the last meeting. Kristi Price Johnson noted that an itemized statement would be needed in order to present this to the City Council on June 16 when asking for assistance from the city.

It was stated that the T.R. White family is giving the building where the Heritage Thrift Shop is located to the Heritage Foundation. Vivian White noted that repairs and clean-up had started at the Thrift Shop but much more is needed. Gordon Green made the motion that the earlier telephone pole to accept this building be accepted by the board. The motion carried. A

dinner will soon be held to formally accept the building and to honor other citizens of the area who have given assistance to the Center.

Chuck Smith then proposed that the board get assistance in applying for a grant. He suggested a Lubbock consultant service headed by Ed Mason, formerly of Muleshoe. Chuck Smith will contact Ed Mason to obtain further information.

Gordon Green made the motion that the Heritage Foun-

concerned repairs on the windmill, and Chuck Smith volunteered to take care of this. Kim Shafer donated eighteen small plants for the porch to the depot and the ranch house. Jerry Bruton and grandson repaired the flag pole May 24. As jerry has donated his services a number of times to the Center, board members voted to issue him a Certificate of Appreciation. Jack Hicks made a motion that an old light at the Center (not in use) be given to the VFW. as





gave the treasurer's report.

A discussion was held about getting estimates for repairs on the old log cabin. Carolyn

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dation get insurance to cover this (the Thrift Shop) as well as sufficient insurance to cover the buildings and liability at the Center. Motion passed.

Mr. Mario DeHoyos and son Rocky were then introduced. Rocky was interested in completing or doing a project at the Center in lieu of getting his Eagle Scout badge. It was suggested that a fire pit with a metal pot rack, as used by early cowboys in the area, would be a great addition at the Center.

It was noted that an outhouse was delivered to the Center on Memorial Day by Charles Flowers and wife. Board members voted to place it at the Center in its original condition as much as possible. Other business conducted

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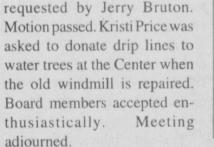
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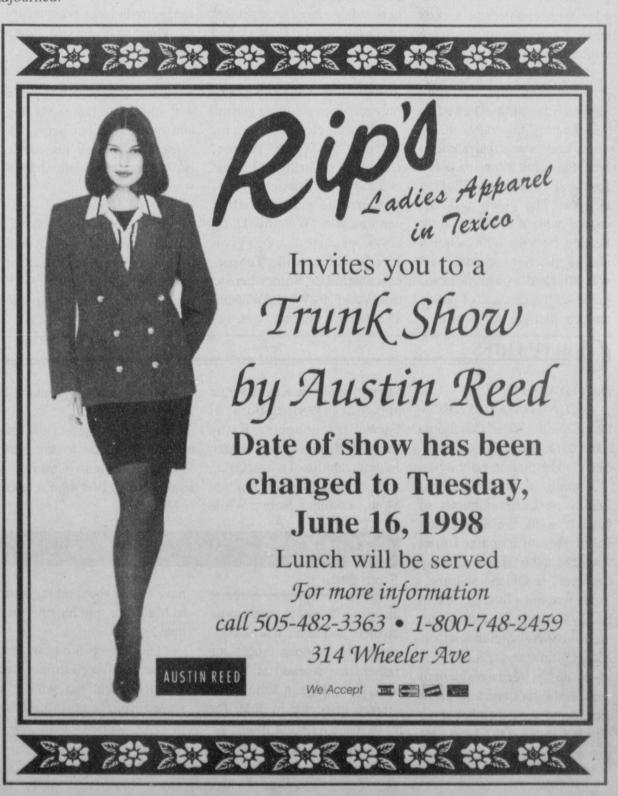
Our Crew Member of the Month for May 1998.

Steven is a 1998 graduate of Muleshoe High School. He provides outstanding customer service and does

everything necessary to take care of all McDonald's customers. His dedication and hard work are appreciated.

Thanks Steven!





Dent, Rader wed in double-ring ceremony

Laura Michelle Dent became the bride of Timothy Merle Rader on May 16, 1998 in the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe. Officiating at the double ring ceremony was John Knox, minister of the Muleshoe Church of Christ.

Ronnie and Peggy Dent of Muleshoe. Tim is the son of Bob and Linda Hawkins of Charlotle, N.C. and Carl and Sandy Rader of Mooresville, N.C.

Grandmothers of the couple are Laura Mae Stansell of Muleshoe, Mrs. Earline Rader of Mooresville, N.C. and Mrs. Betty Clemons of Dade City, Fla.

Attending as maid of honor shoe. was Karen Bottoms of Abilene. Serving as bridesmaids were Laura McDonald of Cleveland, Texas, Renee Dorimany of Burke, Va., Mindy Green of Amarillo, Kristin Slavens of Abilene, and Betty Colwell of Austin. The Junior bridesmaid was Haley Rader, sister of the groom from Mooresville, N.C. The attendants wore long gowns of chocolate Montego Stantug with a square neckline and short dolman sleeves.

They carried bouquets of stargazer lillies and tree fern and ruska. They each wore a string of pearls, a gift from the bride.

Attending as best man was Ken Ajzmundt of Kileen, Texas. Groomsmen were Monty Dent of Littleton, Colo., brother of the bride, Chris Hewitt of Kileen, Texas, Chris White of Charlotte, N.C., Shane Peagler of Charlotte, N.C., and John Jones of Charlotte, N.C. served as ring bearer.

large tulle poof in the back that was scattered with pearls.

To complete her ensemble the bride chose a bouquet of candlelight stargazer lillies with white tulips, misty and cascading dendrobium orchids.

The traditional "something Michelle is the daughter of new" was her bridal gown and garter. "Something old" was her wedding band that was worn in the 1800's by her great grandmother Stansell, also her string of pearls which belongs to her grandmother Dent. "Something blue" was an antique linen handkerchief that belonged to her great, great grandmother Givens. "Something borrowed" was a penny of her birth year worn in her

> Ushers for the ocassion were Tyson Moncrief of Amarillo, Dale Dent, uncle of the bride from Clovis, N.M., Jonathan Wilson of San Antonio and Nathan Wilson of Ulyseses, Kan.

The ceremony took place before a setting of large floral arrangements consisting of peace roses, white tulips, caspia, tree fern, larkspurs on grecian columns. Large clusters of candles accented the piano and organ enclosures and along the front of the choir seating area. All of the candle arrangements were nestled in candlelight tulle. Flowers were done by Lasting Impressions of Muleshoe. Decorations were done by Cindy Magby of Muleshoe. The pews were accented with candlelight organza ribbons trimmed with a pearl edging. Crystal candlesticks dressed each stained glass window with ivy candle-rings nestled in tulle and twinkle Brennon Smith of Lubbock lights. The stairways from which the attendants descended The groom wore a tradi- were dressed with twinkle butter cream frosting. The cake



Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Rader

corted in by her son, Monty Dent of Littleton, Colo. "No Holly for Miss Quinn" by Enya was playing as all the attendants descended the stairway.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her dad, Ronnie, to the music "Shepherd's Moon" by Enya.

After the ceremony was completed the bride and groom and all the attendants exited to "Trumphet Voluntary" by Clarke.

A reception was held in the fellowship hall. The setting for the reception was grecian columns draped with crinkle cloth and tulle and topped with large ivy garlands. Each column was accented with large potted palm trees.

The tables were dressed with ivory moire linens and chantilly lace. The center table was adorned with a four-tiered bridal cake of bavarian cream with bavarian cream filling and

was accented with fresh pastel

flowers of pink roses,

alstrimarium, caspia and lav-

ender freesia. The top layer was

filled with these flowers that

cascaded down the other lay-

ranged with large bouquets of

pastel spring flowers in the cen-

cake was a devil's food cake

with chocolate mousse filling

and mild chocolate icing ac-

cented with dark chocolate

lacing and chocolate dipped

served in a brass punch bowl.

Also coffee was served in a

brass urn. Chocolate and cream

mints were served along with

peanuts. The mints were made

by the bride's mother.

Mock champagne was

The side tables were ar-

The three-tiered groom's

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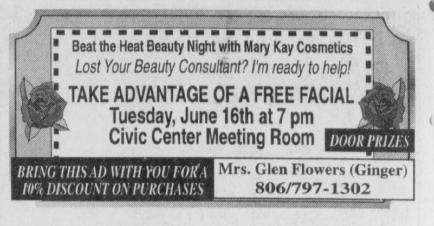
strawberries.

Serving at the reception was Neleen Dent, aunt of the bride from Muleshoe. Cindy Harrison and Cris Cleavinger of Muleshoe, Kim Jorden of Pampa, and Ginger Armstrong 3 of Austin, and Haylee Moudy / of Earth, all cousins of the bride. . Lori Swartz and Haley Raderr of N.C. served at the groom'ss table. They are sisters of the 3 groom.

Following the reception the bride and groom were escorted in a white, horse drawn carriage to the home of the bride's parents where they left for a wedding trip to Orlando, Fla.

The couple will make their home in Austin. He works for Southwest Airlines, and she works in the design department of Dillards in Lakeline Mall of North Austin. 1220

On May 15, the bride and groom were honored with the rehearsal dinner at Leal's. It was hosted by Kay Moncrief of Muleshoe, Jan Wilson of Ulyeses, Kan., Beverly Carrole of San Jose, Calif., Lana Koziel of Waco, Texas and Sandra Ware of San Angelo, all close friends of the bride. The home of Cindy Harrison was the scene of a bridal brunch on May 16. The brunch was hosted by Neleen Dent, Cindy Harrison, Criss Cleavinger, Kim Jordan and Ginger Armstrong, all relatives of the bride.



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tional black notched full double breasted coat, black pleated pants with a black lower cut vest with a candlelight pleated shirt. His boutonniere consisted of bridal white rosebuds and stephonatis with misty. The groomsmen wore black tuxedos with candlelight tucked shirts. Their boutonnieres were white bridal roses and misty.

The bride wore an elegant gown of candlelight satin designed by Jacquilin. The bodice was heavily beaded with sequins and pearls and alencon cordings by Wayne Watson, lace, featuring a sabrina neckline and long-fitted, illusion sleeves. The gown was accented with a cathedral train beaded heavily with sequins and pearls. Her cathedral veil was attached to a tiara headpiece with a cascade of pearls and candlelight roses with a

lights and entwined tulle accented with large organza bows.

The foyer of the church was dressed with grecian columns holding urns of white wisteria. The table was covered with a candlelight brocade table runnerholding a large arrangement of pastel spring flowers and brass hurricane candle holders. Lori Schwartz, sister of the groom from Charlotle, N.C. registered the wedding guests.

Musical selections were re-Clarke, Bob Carlile and Enya.

Laura Mae Stansell, grandmother of the bride, entered the ceremony to "Watermark" by Enya escorted by Tyson Moncrief of Amarillo. The parents entered to "Somewhere in this World" by Wayne Watson. The bride's mother was es-

BITUARIES

DAVID WHITE

OKLAHOMA LANE David White, 62, of Oklahoma Lane died June 10, 1998 at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Church services were held Friday at Lariat Church of Christ, with the Rev. Sam Billingsley officiating. Burial was held at the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery in Oklahoma Lane.

He was born June 6, 1936 in Bailey County, Texas and later married Sherry Steinbock Dec. 25, 1955 in Clovis, N.M.

White has been a resident of the Oklahoma Lane area all of his life and was a member of the Lariat Church Of Christ. He was a farmer.

He is survived by his wife

and Gary White, both of dren. Farwell; a daughter Kathy Mont.; a brother, Robert White N.M. 88130.

OKLAHOMA

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an acre. If wheat made nine bushels and acre, it was considered a bumper crop. Our father also worked at Vance Air Force Base in Enid as an aircraft inspector in order for us to make a decent living."

Blaser, now 62, and her two brothers (one passed away)

Sherry; two sons, Kenny White of Farwell; and six grandchil-

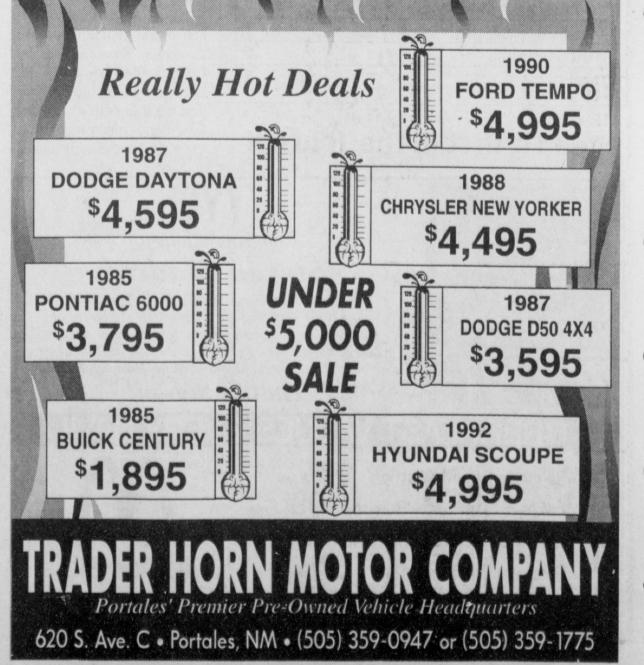
The family requests that me-Curtis of Farwell; two sisters, morials be made to the New Johnnie Jenkins of Altus, Okla., Mexico Christian Children's and Clo Ann Hunt of Hamilton, Home, HC69 Box 48, Portales,

> have talked about taking a trip to Muleshoe, but haven't set a date.

"Our parents are now gone and we all have families and grandchildren, but what has stayed in our hearts is that back in 1939, we had a plan, and it included Muleshoe, Texas."









Decorators Floral & Gifts

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Sing along

Assistant activities director Karen Cook leads a sing-a-long Thursday at the Muleshoe Area Healthcare Center under the new awning purchased through donations made to the Christmas Card Project.

URSING HOME NEWS

Thursday morning, Nancy Lemons brought ceramics for the residents to paint. Nancy is a wonderful teacher as well as a friend to the residents.

David McIntire, Zona Gatewood and Karen Cook directed the devotional/reflection time Thursday morning.

Thursday afternoon, the residents gathered out on the patio for a banana split party. The local Dairy Queen donated the banana split bowls.

Friday afternoon, the residents were treated to a banana/ strawberry milkshake. The bananas were a gift from Melvin Griffin.

Melvin and Wanda Grifbingo time.

Sunday afternoon, Bro. Brad Reeves and members of the United Methodist Church came for a communion service.

Lanell Stancell, Claudine Embry, Beverly Wagnon and Locke and Nettie Quesen-Mary Jo Burge came to sham-

HealthCare Center Tuesday were Margaret Wilhite, Joe Embry, Harald Burge and Mrs. Damron.

Jeff Peeler had on a mighty fine hat Tuesday while visiting with his wife, Jewel, and daughter, Rheata White.

Tuesday morning, Karen Cook took her exercise class under the canopy (purchased with money from the Christmas card project) out on the patio.

Zeffa Shafer was taken out for lunch over the weekend by: her son and daughter-in-law to celebrate her birthday, which was June 6. Lewis Wayne and Wanda, her son and daughterfin directed Saturday afternoon in-law "showed her a good time" so Zeffa stated.

> Clarence Mitchell is in the local hospital at this time. Please remember him in your prayers.

Grace Scarbrough, Aline berry baked cookies for us

Harold and Avis Carpen-

ter came Friday afternoon to

direct a sing-a-long and play

songs that were remembered

Harold and Mary Jo Burge, Jane Reeder and Lois Killingsworth served, coffee, juice and donuts to the residents. Wednesday morning, Presley Newton and Lois Killlead our ingsworth singspiration/devotional time.

Wednesday afternoon, Retha Tigue sang several songs for the residents.

Nancy Barnhill from the Honey Comb had the Schwan's man to deliver ice cream cups for the residents Tuesday.

The Followers Sunday School class and the Truth Seekers Sunday school of the First Baptist Church gave donations to the Healthcare Center recently.

Ann Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Morris McKillip visited Healthcare Center Tuesday and Wednesday. Among those the McKillip's visited were Guy Kendall, Jeff Peeler, Grace Scarbrough and Irene Splawn.

Reminder: Father's Day cel-

ebration at 3 p.m. Thursday,

June 18. Please come. Also

June birthday party at 3 p.m.

Thursday, June 25. You are

also invited.

Remember the old saying... A picture is worth a thousand words.

The Muleshoe Journal is looking for our 1998 "Father of the Year"

Rookie or **Experienced** Dad Enter today! This contest is open to any age "child" young or old!

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poo and set the ladies hair but Friday morning. were unable to because of no hot water. Nail care was given by Ozell Cherry, Karen and Joy.

Among those visiting the from yester year.

OSPITAL ADMISSIONS

The Muleshoe Area Medi- Jay cal Center reported admitting the following patients.

Boy Guebara, Heather Guebara, Kathryn Hancock, Herington, Irma Jay Hernandez, Audrey Magby, Josie Toscano, Rachel Jo Claybrook, Heather Contreras

June 5 — Tracy Angeley, Baby Casanova, Rachel Contreras, Kathryn Hancock,

Herington, Iram Hernandez, S. Isenburg, Audrey Magby, Jeremy June 4 — Tracy Angeley, Martinez, Sylvia Norman

> June 8 — Tracy Angeley, S. Isenburg, Clarence Mitchell, Gina Regalado

June 9 — Tracy Angeley, Guebara, S. Isenburg, Clarence Mitchell, Joy Powell, Trisa Wentz

June 10 — Tracy Angeley,

Jo Claybrook, Frances Esterbrook, Kaitlyn Geissler, S. Isenburg, Clarence Mitchell, Trisa Wentz

June 11 — Tracy Angeley, Jo Claybrook, Charles Creamer, Frances Esterbrook, Kaitlyn Geissler, Jose Green, S. Isenburg, Clarence Mitchell, Virgie Perry, Isabel Posadas, Ernestine Steinbock, Trisa Wentz

Regional water management meeting June 18

comments about the content of the proposed Llano Estacado Regional Water Management Plan at a public hearing to be held at 7 p.m., June 18 at the Plains Cotton Cooperative Association (PCCA) office auditorium, 3301 E. 50th Street, in Lubbock.

As part of the provisions of Senate Bill 1 passed during the 75th Texas Legislature, the Texas Water Development Board in Austin (TWDB) divided the state into 16 regional water planning areas. In February 1998, the TWDB appointed an initial coordinating committee for each region to begin developing regional water plans that identify both short-term and longterm water supply needs and recommend water management strategies to address them.

The initial coordinating committee, now known as the Llano Estacado Regional Water Planning Group, is make up of area citizens representing the 11 water user groups as defined by the TWDB. These water user groups include the public sector, county governments, municipalities, industries, agriculture, environmental

Bailey County residents are invited to offer issues, small businesses, electric generating utilities, river authorities, water districts, and water utilities.

> "The regional water planning group is required by law to hold at least one public hearing prior to the development of the scope of work to gather public input about issues that should be addressed or considered in the regional water management plan," said A. Wayne Wyatt of Lubbock, chairman of the Llano Estacado Regional Water Management Plan. "This public meeting will give area residents an opportunity to comment on the direction to be taken concerning the conservation and preservation of the region's surface and ground water resources. It is their input that will help shape regional water supply management for the next 50 years."

Persons unable to attend the hearing may offer written comments to Wyatt at the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 office in Lubbock.

The Llano Estacado Regional Water Management Plan area is made up of 21 counties in the southern High Plains region.



THE DEADLINE TO ENTER IS **QUICKLY APPROACHING!** Entries must be submitted by June 17, 1998 at 5 pm. Drop your entry off at the Muleshoe Journal office, 304 W. 2nd St. or mail your photos to us at P.O. Box 449, Muleshoe, TX 79347. Please include a return address.

Winner of the Muleshoe Journal's **1998 Father of the Year Contest** will receive prizes donated by area businesses.

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All contestants' pictures will be printed in the Father's Day edition of the Bailey County Journal.

Agribusinesses feeling effects of drought

COLLEGE STATION -With most of Texas suffering from a drought and the hottest summer months still ahead, agribusinesses across the state are feeling the heat. James Parker of Lubbock, region supervisor of West Texas for the Wilbur Ellis Co., said the drought is already having a negative impact on business.

"Business is down by at least 50 percent," he said. "If the drought continues, nearly 25 percent of the farmers in our area will not make it." Parker said the drought's impact is not limited to agribusiness.

"There's a trickle down effect," he said. "For example, we're not using as much fuel as we normally do, so our loss affects the business that we buy fuel from."

Dr. Carl Anderson of College Station, Texas Agricultural Extension economist and professor, said when farmers are suffering, it is likely that agribusiness is doing worse.

"Nearly any time the pro-

ducers' incomes are in jeopardy, you'll find that agribusinesses are in more danger than the producers," he said. Anderson said agricultural production and agribusiness are restructuring, and the drought makes the restructuring more apparent.

On the row crop side, production is shifting from cotton to grain," he said. "We're seeing producers switch to production that requires a lower volume of inputs." Anderson said that shift is being felt by agribusinesses that provide inputs and services.

"I think you'll find producers and businesses working together," he said. "They need each other." Anderson said the restructuring primarily affects those businesses catering to

row crop producers. "It's not all bad," he said. "It's just restructuring, but it happens to be going on during a drought."

Dwayne Bair, manager of Edinburg Citrus Association, said he is concerned about the drought but is trying to stay positive.

"We have had terrific bloom," he said. "If we have sufficient water, we would see a 20 percent increase in production." Bair said the drought does affect his ability to sell his product.

"Our out-of-state customers know about the drought," he said, "then they start thinking they need to buy from Florida, just to be safe.

Bair said the citrus industry didn't feel the negative impact of the 1996 drought.

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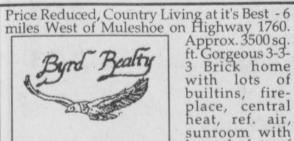
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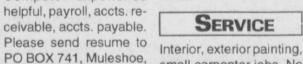
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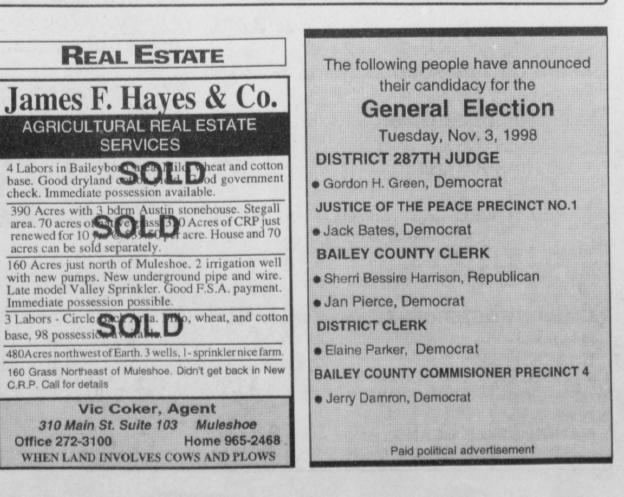
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