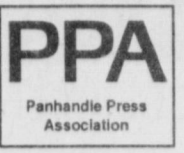


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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

Scientist improving clock

A Yale University scientist is developing a clock for the new International Space Station that he says astronauts might have to adjust by a second — every 5 billion years or so.

That would make it the most accurate clock in history.

Yale physicist Kurt Gibble's atomic clock may even redefine the meaning of "one second." Since 1967, the official length of a second has been based on the rate of vibration of the element cesium. A few years ago, Gibble discovered that rubidium atoms cause fewer errors in measurement than cesium atoms, when cooled to absolute zero.

With that knowledge, he used rubidium when he began building the new clock.

Gibble's clock could prompt the world's governments to redefine the second based on the vibrations of rubidium atoms.

University works on gavels

At least nine wooden gavels have splintered under the force of the Maine House of Representatives speaker's pounding in the past few months.

University of Maine officials presented the speaker a space-age gavel coated with laminates applied to beech and maple veneers.

The gavel is tapered out near the head to absorb stress, and is covered with a charcoal-colored carbon-fiber material.

The material is so tough it's being used in bridges around the state.



Drawing date: Wednesday, June 27
Winning numbers: 2-8-9-15-48-51
Estimated jackpot: \$4 million
Winners: 0
Next drawing: Saturday, June 30
Estimated jackpot: \$6 million

On this date in history

July 6 — Mission Nuestra Señora de la Purísima Concepción is founded (1716) near the present-day town of Douglas, in Nacogdoches County, Texas. Abandoned three years later, the mission was re-established (1721) by the Marquis de Aguayo, then moved to its present location in San Antonio in 1731.

LOCAL WEATHER

Once Sunday's high of 93 passes, the National Weather Service expects the highs to remain just below 90 through Thursday, with partly cloudy skies. Expect morning lows to continue in the low 60s. The danger of sunburn also will be extreme throughout the period, according to the forecast.

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Fourth of July should be big again

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

This Fourth of July in Muleshoe should be another day of extraordinary activity, from early morning to the 10 p.m. fireworks at city park.

• Anyone who wants to start their day really early can play in or watch the Leal's 17th annual 3-2 pitch softball tournament, starting at 7 a.m. Action will be at both the softball park and Babe Ruth Park.

• At 9 a.m., vendor booths and the chamber gift shop are scheduled to open. Main Street will be closed.

• Parade line-up begins at 9:15 a.m., and the parade will start through town at 10 a.m.

• Meanwhile, from 9 a.m. to noon, the senior class is sponsoring a garden tour (\$5 tickets and details at the chamber office).

• From noon to 6 p.m. at city park, there will be a chili cookoff, sponsored by Mule-Plex and sanctioned by the Chili Appreciation Society International.

• At 1 p.m. is the shotgun start for a golf scramble at Muleshoe Country Club.

• From 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at Bailey County Coliseum, the Muleshoe Pioneers hold their annual reunion.

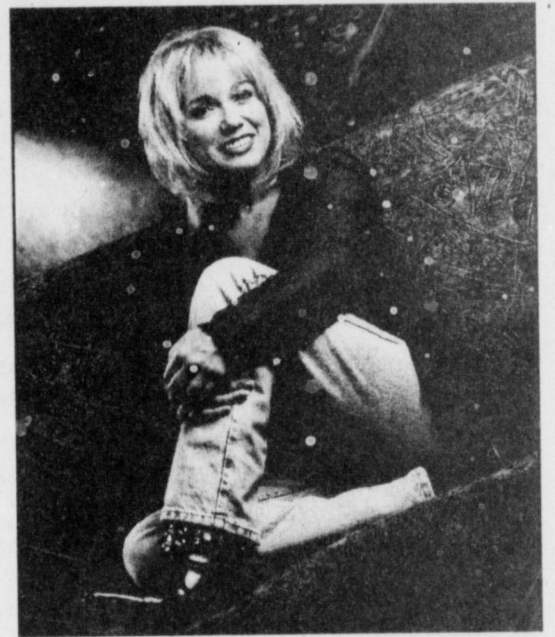
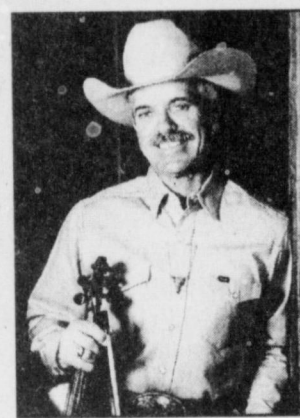
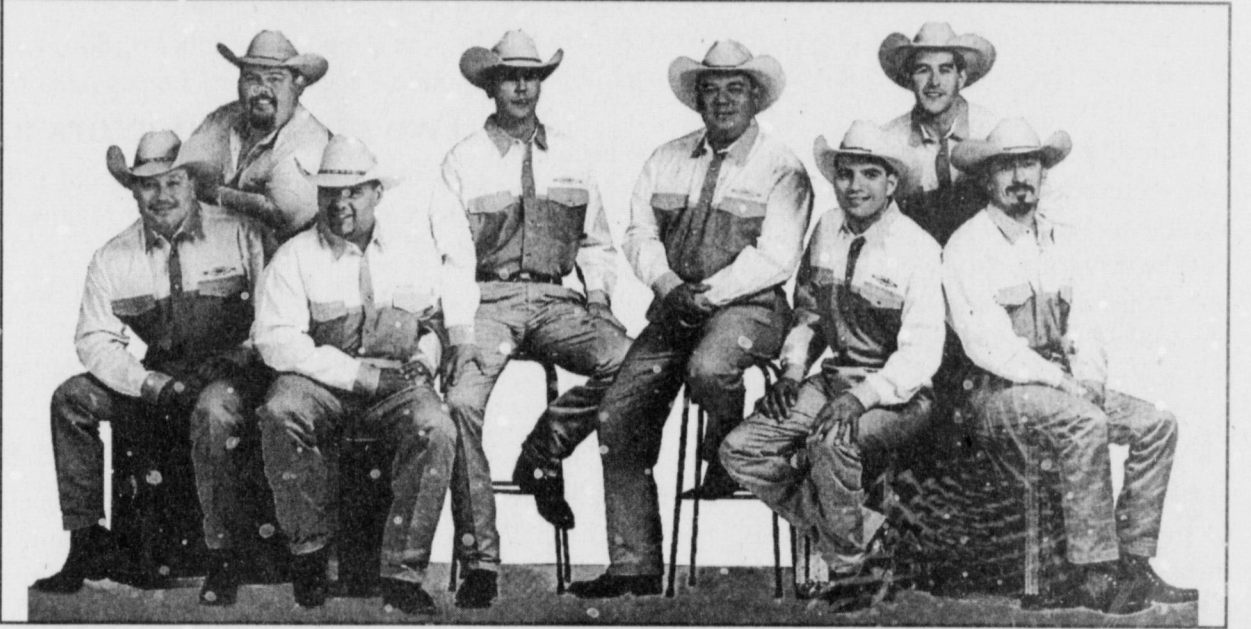
That evening, things heat up again at city park, also simple (which country singer Michael Martin Murphey has called his favorite new Tejano band) plays a 45-minute set beginning at 8 p.m.

From 9 to 9:45 p.m., country singer Leroy Van Dyke takes over. Aside from his big hits "Walk On By" and "Auctioneer," he has recorded more than 500 songs. He has worked 40 to 70 fairs and livestock events per year for more than four decades.

At 10 p.m., it's time for the event everything else has led up to: fireworks, the most fitting part of any Fourth of July anywhere in America.



String of entertainers to appear at Joe's Boot Shop and city park



Music!

As usual, the Fourth of July and Joe's Boot Shop mean music in several different styles. On the fourth itself, performances at Joe's will include country singer Leroy Van Dyke (above left), orquesta-Tejano algo simple (bottom center), local band Rockin' Country (bottom right) and local gospel singer Jack Stone (below center). Van Dyke is scheduled to perform at the city park at 9 p.m., preceded by algo simple at 8. The Tejano band features Muleshoe's Carmen Espinoza Rodríguez as vocalist. On July 5, the music continues at Joe's with "contemporary country" Lani Brantley (right), Muleshoe's Rockin' Country and Clovis' John and Jill Mulhair and the Home Cookin' Band (bottom left). On July 6, Rockin' Country and Home Cookin' join "the Sweetheart of Country Music," Penny Gilley (above right). On July 7, Joe's will feature fiddler Jody Nix (above center) and Tejano perennials David Lee Garza y Los Musicales (at top). Red Stegall (right) and the Delk Band (far right) are scheduled to appear at Joe's later in the month.



Kemp picked to be sheriff

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Ron Kemp, Bailey County's chief deputy, was appointed Friday as the new sheriff, effective July 11.

The current sheriff, Chance Coberley, has resigned effective July 10.

The Bailey County Commissioners' Court voted unanimously to appoint Kemp, who has been essentially running the office while Coberley has cared for his wife, who has cancer. County Judge Marilyn Cox voted, making the tally 5-0.

Kemp, 52, told commissioners he has been in law enforcement since 1973, retiring after 22 years

with the Albuquerque department.

The other applicant was Richard Wills, a much younger officer with six years of experience with the Muleshoe Police Department.

Wills told the court that he has an associate degree from South Plains College about 400 hours of classroom work in law enforcement.

Kemp was a sergeant for eight years in Albuquerque, and supervised in various areas including detectives, narcotics, uniformed officers and special projects.

While Kemp said he believes the sheriff's job is mainly administrative, major incidents would always require that he be there.

Employers' conference scheduled for Lubbock

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Area employers who want to attend a regional employers' conference July 12 in Lubbock need to notify Janet Claborn at city hall (272-4528) by 5 p.m. Tuesday, Claborn said Friday.

The event, sponsored by the Community Workforce Partnership, is scheduled for 9:15 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Park Plaza.

It is designed to educate businesses about staff development and resources available to them, plus provide a forum for businesses to communicate their needs to educators and employment professionals.

Claborn will notify the conference organizers how many from this area to expect for the buffet lunch and conference sessions.

AROUND MULESHOE

Chamber extends plank sales

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce has extended sales of the personalized Mule Lot planks through the end of the summer.

For \$25, the donor can have the name of an individual or family carved into one of the planks making up the new deck around the National Mule Memorial and gazebo.

More information is available by calling 272-4248.

Traffic accident injures child

A 12-year-old child was injured Tuesday night in a traffic accident involving a bicycle on West American Boulevard. The victim reportedly was taken to a Lubbock hospital.

Muleshoe Police Lt. Otis Carpenter said the accident was reported at 11:08 p.m. He identified the driver of the vehicle as Wayne Thompson, age unavailable.

"The driver tried to swerve and miss her, but he hit her about the middle of the vehicle, I believe," Carpenter said. He added that his own knowledge was sketchy in regard to the accident, which he said was investigated by officers Steve Clifton and Richard Wills.

Carpenter said he would relay a message to Clifton asking him to call the *Journal* with further details, but as of press time Friday night there was no other official information.

Hospital district picks slogan

Eileen Morton submitted the winning entry in the Muleshoe Area Hospital District's recent staff slogan contest.

District spokeswoman Sharon Gunn said Morton's submission was "Muleshoe Area Hospital District — coming together for progress, working together for success."

Honorable mention went to Missy Royal's humorous entry, "We won't lose you on the second floor." Gunn said that submission might find its way into future advertising, as well.

The contest drew 58 entries, which district officials said was a pleasant surprise. "We're just constantly amazed at these people and their creativity," Gunn said.

The winning slogan was selected by secret ballot among members of the district's board of directors.

Propane project OK'd for state vehicles

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL
AUSTIN — The Texas Alternative Fuels Council has unanimously agreed to fund a project that allows the state's propane gas industry to fuel more of the state's growing fleet of low-emissions vehicles.

"I applaud the broad, visionary approach taken by the Alternative Fuels Council to address air quality in Texas," said Railroad Commission Chairman Michael Williams, who is also chairman of the Alternative Fuels Council.

The project, submitted by the Propane Promotion Consortium, will develop a factory propane version of General Motors' popular Chevrolet Express and GMC Savana full-size vans.

The consortium's project team includes General Motors; Clean Fueling Technologies of Georgetown, Texas; Prairie View A&M University; and Quantum

Technologies of Cerritos, Calif. Beginning with the model-year 2002 vehicles, the partnership will engineer, certify, market and service the first propane-powered, low-emissions full-size vans in the U.S.

The project's objectives are to:
• Create alternative fuel vehicles that are functional, affordable and low-polluting;

Spotty rain dampens area

Muleshoe received .25 of an inch of rain Thursday night in town, according to weather recorder J.K. Adams.

There were unofficial reports of up to 1.75 inches north of the city, .75 inches in the West Camp area and 2 inches south of Progress.

Conservation office moving

The Friona office of the Natural Resource Conservation Service is relocating this week to the USDA service center in Farwell, 109 S. Third St.

The telephone number is (806) 481-3311 "until further notice," according to a press release from the office.

Two new ER doctors approved

The Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board has approved two new doctors for rotation on emergency-room duty.

They are Job Mongari and Jeff Meyer, who were approved by the board June 21.

The district contracts with a service to keep the emergency room staffed.

New conservation aid available

A new conservation program called Soil and Water Conservation Assistance is available for farmers in Bailey County, according to Jim Lutz, natural resource manager with the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service.

The program "provides cost-sharing to help farmers and cattle producers install conservation practices on their land," Lutz said.

It provides "75 percent of the cost of the installation of eligible conservation practices on private lands. The Farm Service Agency will disburse cost-share funds to the participating landowners," he added.

More information is available by calling 272-5124.

Driver's license office to be closed

The Muleshoe driver's license office will be closed July 4-5, according to an announcement from the office staff.

The office's regular hours will resume July 6.

Public calendar

June 30-July 3 and July 5-7 — District II Area II 11-

and 12-year-old all-star tournament in Muleshoe. First game 6 p.m. June 30; Muleshoe has a team playing. All-star select tournament for same age group starts July 7 at Dix Little League Field in Lubbock. All-star tournament for 9- and 10-year-olds starts June 30 in Shallowater. Information, Curby Brantley at 925-6458.

July 3 — 8:30 a.m. Special meeting of the Muleshoe City Council to consider a request for economic development help from RTM Dairy.

Also on July 3 — 7:30 p.m. Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge No. 114. Information, 272-3818.

July 4 — 2 p.m. Muleshoe Area Pioneers' annual meeting at the Bailey County Coliseum. Entertainment by Corrie Black; games, prizes, fellowship and refreshments.

Also on July 4 — 17th annual Leal's Softball Tournament, at Babe Ruth Ball Park and the softball park; men's and coed, 3-2 pitch, 30-minute time limit. Cost is \$110 per team and entry deadline is July 2. Information, Mike López (272-3586) or Ramón Guillén (272-5050).

July 5 — 4 p.m. Theta Rho Girls Club.

Also on July 5 — 8 p.m. Muleshoe Odd Fellows Lodge.

July 7 — 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Reception for retired teacher Kerry Moore, in the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

July 10 — 7 p.m. Meeting for anyone interested in becoming a referee for high school football games, at Bailey County Electric Cooperative, 305 E. Avenue B.

July 11 — 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Rabies clinic at the Muleshoe fire station.

Vendors sought for celebration at Amherst

The Amherst Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is seeking vendors for its annual celebration July 28.

Booths are \$10 on a first-come, first-served basis, and will be set up at the city park on the north end of Main Street. Electricity is not available.

Food booths will be accepted, but are asked to close while the chamber's evening barbecue meal is being served.

More information is available by calling Sunny Shelley at (806) 246-3233 evenings.

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On July 31st, 2001, three Texas Lottery instant games will close — \$25,000 Diamonds (#196), Matching Suit (#116), and 3 Across (#79). You have until January 27th, 2002, to redeem any winning tickets for this game. You can win up to \$25,000 playing \$25,000 Diamonds, up to \$4,000 playing Matching Suit, and up to \$1,000 playing 3 Across. Prizes of \$600 or more are redeemable at one of the 22 Texas Lottery claim centers or by Lottery Customer Service Line at 1-800-37-LOTT (1-800-375-6886).

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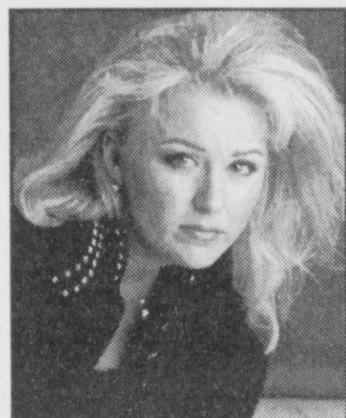
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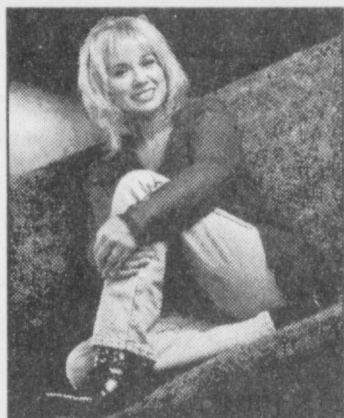
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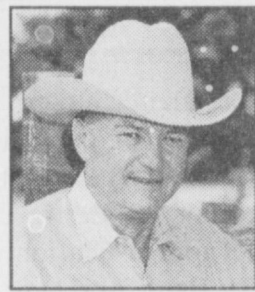
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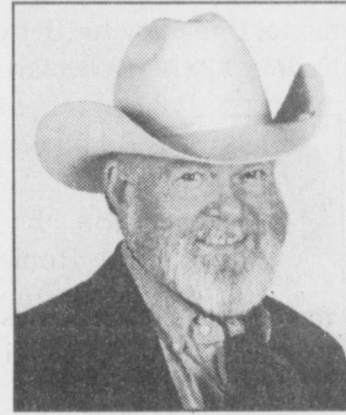
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'Native plant' can be a more or less inclusive term

By **RONN SMITH**
Editor

As I've stated before, the term "native plant" is a nebulous thing: Do you apply it only to plants that grow (or once grew, before intensive farming) on the Llano Estacado? Such a limited definition does leave quite a list of beautiful, interesting ornamental plants that will thrive here without any special care, I prefer a little more open definition.

By that method, one of the most popular perennials in America comes close to qualifying as a native. *Rudbeckia fulgida* 'Goldsturm' may be a form that was selected in Germany several decades ago (hence the "Goldsturm" name), but the species is



native to the central United States, about as far west as Dallas.

That means it will take a little watering to be at its best out here, but not a great deal (in a normal summer, anyway). Irrigation in the spring will help it reach its 2 to 3 foot height and make luxuriant growth. As for special care, about all I know of that it needs is

digging up every three years or so (spring or fall either one) to break it apart and scatter it out.

If rudbeckias in general look like sunflowers, the blossoms of 'Goldsturm' are just about the ultimate in ornamental sunflowers — very deep yellow and 3 to 4 inches across. They can just about obscure the tops of the foliage in a well-grown clump.

One of the biggest "positives" about 'Goldsturm' is the long bloom season — from late July into mid-September.

The centers of the flowers are almost black, so some people probably would refer to it as a black-eyed Susan, though that name is more commonly applied to *Rudbeckia hirta*,

an annual species that gives us the popular gloriosa daisy with its multitude of color variations and 'Irish Eyes,' yellow with green centers.

Another perennial that grows wild in parts of Texas is *Rudbeckia laciniata* (cutleaf coneflower).

You probably have never heard the term "cutleaf coneflower," but you may be familiar with the most popular cultivar of this species: 'Golden Glow.'

It's an old variety (introduced to the nursery trade in 1894, according to an article in Fine Gardening magazine) and grows to 5 feet and more. It's also on the aggressive side, whereas most rudbeckias spread with better manners.

But when you see a

'grove' of 'Golden Glow' as high as the average person's head and covered with very double, chrysanthemum-like yellow flowers, you might be willing to forgive it for spreading a little too much.

'Golden Glow' may not be as easy to find in garden centers as 'Goldsturm' — I think it's mainly popular as a "pass-along plant" between friends.

One *R. laciniata* cultivar that is often available, though, is 'Herbstonne.' It is often praised as one of our top garden perennials despite its tendency to grow 7 feet tall.

The flowers of

'Herbstonne' are a sulphur yellow with greenish centers, and the petals droop in the typical "coneflower" style.

As water becomes a more precious commodity, more gardeners are turning to xeriscaping, and there are rudbeckias native to the Arizona and California deserts. I don't know anything about them yet, but I plan to seek some out and will pass along what I learn. Happy planting!

Questions and comments may be directed to Garden Writer, 571 County Road 1018, Muleshoe, Texas 79347 or e-mailed to ronnsmith@hotmail.com.

OBITUARIES

BEULA COKER

Services were held Thursday at Earth United Methodist Church for Beula Coker, 102, of Earth. The Rev. Jimmy Nunn and Pastor Gary Hubbard officiated. Burial was in Earth Memorial Cemetery.

Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Earth handled arrangements.

Mrs. Coker was born Aug. 15, 1989, in Cooke County, Texas. She died Tuesday at Lamb Healthcare Center in Littlefield.

She married Valton Duke Coker on Nov. 15, 1915, in Montague County, Texas. He died in 1966.

They moved to Earth in 1932 from Wellington, Texas. She was a homemaker and a member of Earth United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Coker is survived by three sons, J.J. Coker of Springlake, Doug Coker of Monroe, La., and Vic Coker of Earth; a daughter, Joyce Nix of Sudan; 15 grandchildren; 20

great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

The family suggests memorials to Earth United Methodist Church (Box 181, Earth 79031) or Earth Memorial Cemetery (Box 523, Earth 79031).

BETTY HOLTZCLAW

Graveside services were held Friday at Morton Memorial Cemetery for Betty Nadine "Pud" Holtzclaw, 87, of Bedford, Texas.

Ellis Funeral Home of Morton handled arrangements.

Mrs. Holtzclaw died Monday at home. She and her husband, William A. Holtzclaw, were married 63 years before his death in 1995.

She was a licensed nurse's aide who worked in Lubbock and Dallas for many years.

Mrs. Holtzclaw is survived by five sons, William Holtzclaw and Curtis

Holtzclaw, both of Lubbock, Kenneth Holtzclaw of Dallas, Doug Holtzclaw of Corpus Christi and Kirby Holtzclaw of Allen, Texas; three daughters, Dhiana Gould of Mechanicville, N.Y., Cynthia Trautman of Bedford and Carol Holt of Dallas; 11 grandchildren, Billy Holtzclaw, Donnie Holtzclaw, La Donna Holtzclaw, Darla Holtzclaw, Brent Holtzclaw, Sean Holtzclaw, Jennifer Holtzclaw, Jay Gould, Lori Jordan, Aaron Jordan and Michael Reyes; and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Betty Lois, in 1941 and by a granddaughter, Coleen Kruger.

ERNEST GOFORTH

Services were held Friday at the First Baptist Church of Springlake for Ernest "Soup" Goforth, 84, of Earth. The Rev. Tim Pruitt officiated. Burial was in Springlake Cemetery.

Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Earth handled arrangements.

Mr. Goforth was born Oct. 3, 1916, in Wellington. He died Tuesday at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

He married Mildred Way on Feb. 15, 1936. She died Feb. 14, 1995. He married Marie Truelock on Oct. 2, 1996, in Amherst.

He moved from Springlake to Earth in 1996. He was a farmer and a member of the First Baptist Church of Springlake. He was a former city councilman and Springlake firefighter.

Mr. Goforth is survived by his wife; three sisters, Edith King of Holbrook, Ariz., and Nora Huddleston and Betty Nesbet, both of Lubbock; five grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Charlene Moore, on Nov. 18, 2000.

The family suggests memorials to Springlake Cemetery or the Springlake Fire Department.



Holtzclaw

Ellis Funeral Home of Morton handled arrangements.

cooled filling, and top with remaining pastry. Trim or flute edges.

With a knife, make six to eight leaf-shaped cutouts from pastry trimmings. Lightly brush top of pie with egg white; arrange leaves, spoke-wheel fashion, on pie.

Cut slits in top to allow steam to escape. Sprinkle lightly with sugar.

Bake at 425 degrees F for 20 to 25 minutes; cool. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

HONORS

ENMU

Three Muleshoe-area students are among 385 named to the dean's honor roll at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

The students and their majors are Lisa Diane Lee, English; Sherri Suzanne Pierce, elementary education; and Charla Noel Turner, also elementary education.

To be eligible for the dean's honor roll, a student must maintain a grade-point average of at least 3.25 while completing at least 15 hours.

Thanks to all for the kindness shown to Gary Toombs family. All the calls, visits, cards, flowers and donations were greatly appreciated. We were overwhelmed and it touched us deeply. May the Good Lord bless each of you.

*Gayla, Melissa, Marianne & Garrett
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Just Wondering About a Picture of an Old Church

Hanging on the wall of my study is a beautiful picture painted in warm, muted earth-tones portraying an old church. Traditionally-styled, of wood frame construction, with arched windows, and a steeple and bell tower now silent, it sits on a country road, flanked by pine trees pointing heavenward.



Focus On Faith
Curtis Shelburne

I liked the picture well enough to have it framed. I still like it. But a good friend made an observation about it a while back that bothers me. He noticed that, though the old church is beautiful, it's empty. Look at it more closely and you'll see that it's probably been abandoned. And I wonder why.

Was the theology of its worshippers hollow before it was? Did they go down the road to a church that truly preaches the Good News of what God has done for us through Christ? Or did they just quit going?

Did the members who once filled its pews fail to connect worship and real life, so that what happened in that church on Sundays finally seemed to them to be

completely irrelevant to their daily lives?

Did its members fuss until some faction won the battle and the whole church lost the war?

Did they lose a generation or two of their young people to the genuine love of Christ as they wasted time trying to answer questions about old issues that nobody in their right minds is now asking?

Did that old building bear witness to a "faith of our fathers" that somehow never got passed on to the children in any meaningful way?

Did it cease to bear witness to a faith that encompasses all of life as it became just one more club vying for its members' time?

Does somebody still claim membership there even though most of the people who once sat on its pews are off batting, putting, bouncing, hitting, kicking, or throwing balls of all shapes and sizes, breathing the Creator's air without pausing with others of faith to give thanks for it?

Have it's members all gone over the hill to Walmart-style mega-churches?

For some reason, the sounds of worship that once filled its sanctuary fill it no longer, and I don't know why that happened, but I know I've seen enough empty churches. I liked that old church a lot better when I thought it was full.

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

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MATTHEWS-DEL TORO

Gwyn Matthews and Armando Del Toro, both of Clovis, have announced their engagement. The bride-elect is the daughter of Judith Matthews of Clovis and the prospective groom is the son of Gloria and Rey Del Toro of Muleshoe. The bride-elect, a 1988 graduate of Clovis High School and 1993 graduate of Eastern New Mexico University, is the chief photographer for the *Clovis News Journal*. The prospective groom, a 1988 graduate of Muleshoe High School and a 1993 graduate of Clovis Community College, is employed with the *News Journal* in pre-press production. The wedding is scheduled for 4 p.m. (Mountain time) Aug. 18 at Kingswood United Methodist Church in Clovis. The reception is scheduled for 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. at Colonial Park Country Club. Invitations have been sent.

'CREATIVE LIVING'

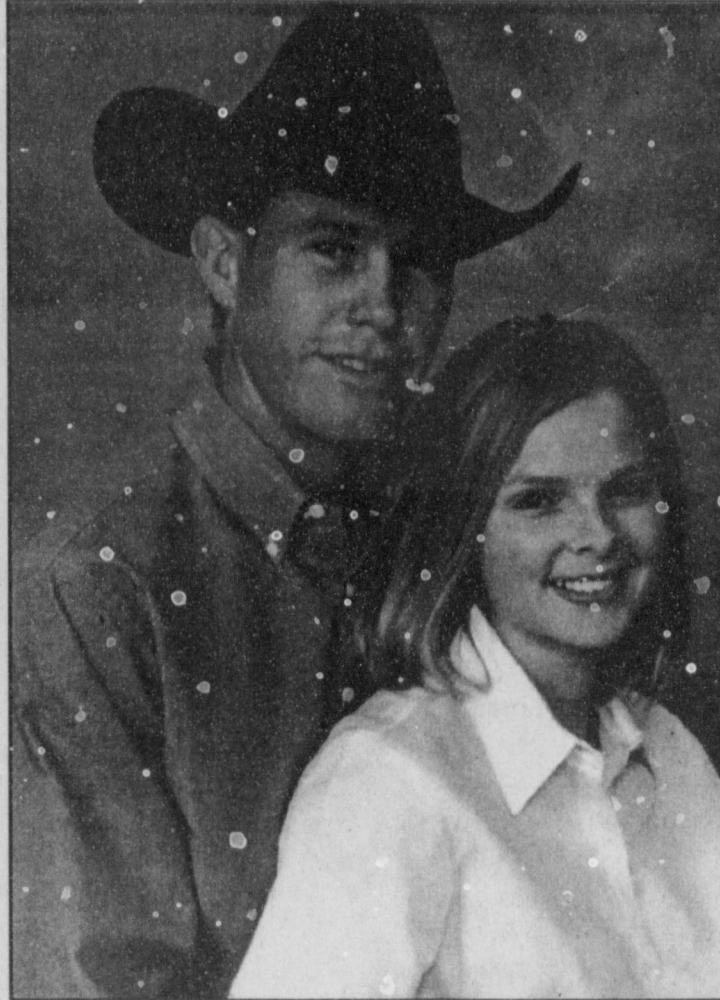
Information on green cleaning and creative aging will be featured on "Creative Living" at 1 p.m. July 3 and 3 p.m. July 7. (All times are Central.) "Creative Living" airs on public broadcasting station KENW-TV from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales. Deborah Durham of Los Angeles, representing the Eureka Co., will present several "how-to" cleaning recipes using earth-friendly household products. Edith McCall of Hollister, Mo., author of "Sometime, We Dance Alone," will talk about living alone without being lonely. The book is about what she calls "creative aging." Information on using lemons, decorating fireplace screens and easy-to-prepare recipes will be featured at 10:30 p.m. July 3 and 1 p.m. July 5.

Marie Rama of Brooklyn, N.Y., representing Sunkist Growers Inc., will show how to make everyday dishes even better by adding lemons or lemon juice to the recipe.

Sharon Hanby-Robie, a Lancaster, Pa., author and furniture-refinishing expert with Minwax Home Decor, will show how to make a decorative fireplace screen using various painting techniques.

Sue Vaughn, a cookbook author from Lamesa, will share some of her favorite recipes for preparing 30-minute meals.

Viewers can request copies of materials offered on the show by sending a first-class stamp for each handout requested, along with name, address and booklet requests, to "Creative Living" Requests, c/o KENW-TV, 52 Broadcast Center, Portales 88130.



MAGBY-HURSH

Skip and Debbie Magby of Lazbuddie announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Mandy Mashae Magby, to Mackie Thomas Hursh, son of Mark Hursh of Alpine, Texas, and Brenda Epley of Midland. The bride-elect is a 1997 graduate of Lazbuddie High School and a 2000 graduate of Covenant School of Nursing. She is employed by Covenant Medical Center of Lubbock. The prospective groom is a 1994 graduate of Stanton (Texas) High School and the owner of Hursh Cutting Horses in Colorado City, Texas. An August wedding is planned in Las Vegas.

Mammograms to be available

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center in Amarillo has scheduled breast-cancer screening clinics around the area during July.

A minimum of 15 women need to register in order for the mobile mammography clinics to come to outlying towns.

All exams are by appointment only, and appointments (as well as more information) are available by calling (800) 377-4673.

Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for those who qualify.

The proposed schedule for clinics includes:

- July 5-6 — Plains Memorial Hospital, 310 W. Halsell, Dimmitt;
- July 13 — South Plains Health Providers, 603 E. Park Ave., Hereford;
- July 16 — Parmer County Hospital, 1010 S. Main St., Friona;
- July 17 — South Plains Health Providers, 208 W. Sec-

ond, St., Muleshoe, and Parmer County Hospital, Friona;

- July 18 — Parmer County Hospital, Friona; and
- July 20 — South Plains Health Providers, Hereford.

South Plains sets orientation

LEVELLAND — New-student orientation, which includes class advisement and pre-registration for all classes, is scheduled to begin July 18 at South Plains College.

Orientation is scheduled from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Counseling Center of the Student Services Building.

Orientation provides information on college services and the skills students need in order to attain success in college, said Claudine Oliver, director of guidance and counseling at South Plains.

The second day of orientation includes the pre-registration.

Orientation is required of all entering full-time students and transfer students with fewer than 30 hours or

those admitted on a probationary basis.

New students applying to the college will be notified of the date of their orientation, which is scheduled by major on either July 18 (pre-register July 19), Aug. 1 (pre-register Aug. 2), Aug. 15 (pre-register Aug. 16) or Aug. 21 (pre-register Aug. 22).

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Muleshoe Area Medical Center reports the following patient load:

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June 22 — Lisa Aufdenkamp, José Contreras, Moisés Gutiérrez, Rosie M. Martín, Joshua Ramírez, Lisa M. Ramírez, Erma D. Templar and Janet Venegas.

June 23 — None reported.

June 24 — None reported.

June 25 — Gladys Box, Cecil A. Davis and Erma D. Templar.

June 26 — Cecil A. Davis, Juanita García, Cynthia Hawks, Reymundo Mejía and Erma D. Templar.

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 FRONT ROW L-R: Adrian Perez, Jared Mendoza, JJ Mendoza, Ismael Mendoza, Julio Bustillos. Not pictured: John McGee and JoJo Loguo.



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 MIDDLE ROW L-R: Tony Mendoza, Weston Obenhaus, Julio Reyes and Cole Hawkins.
 FRONT ROW L-R: Raymond Flores, John Michael Salinas, Raymond Peña and Dominic Flores. Not pictured: Santiago Vera and Frankie Reyes.



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 BACK ROW L-R: Coach Raymond Toscano, Coach Lupe Nuñez and Coach Kevin Wallace.
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 FRONT ROW L-R: Ismael Ramirez, Joseph Sena, Jonathan Perez, Ryan Hall and Joshua Stanford. Not pictured: Briann Baca, Eric Martinez and Mgr. Dan Perez.



▲ **TWINS — Major League — Sponsored by Thompson Insurance**
 BACK ROW L-R: Mgr. Mark Washington, James Coffman, Eric Washington, T.J. Brantley, Joe Olivas, Kendall Johnson, Coach Chris Johnson and Coach D.J. Dominguez.
 FRONT ROW L-R: Travis Thompson, Stephen Dominguez, Sergio Gonzales, Patrick Precure, Ceasar Lopez and Adam Zamora. Not pictured: Michael Jaramillo.



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 BACK ROW L-R: Mgr. Hector Lopez.
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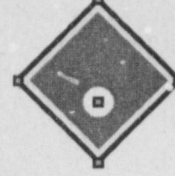
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 FRONT ROW L-R: Amado Flores, Gunner Kerby, Jordan Marlow, Jon Orozco, Julian Peña and Ray Ramirez.



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 FRONT ROW L-R: Adrian Chacón, Sarah Johnson, Ali Eagle, Steven Richards and Marshall Lewis. Not pictured: Robert Brewster and Coach Adena Johnson.





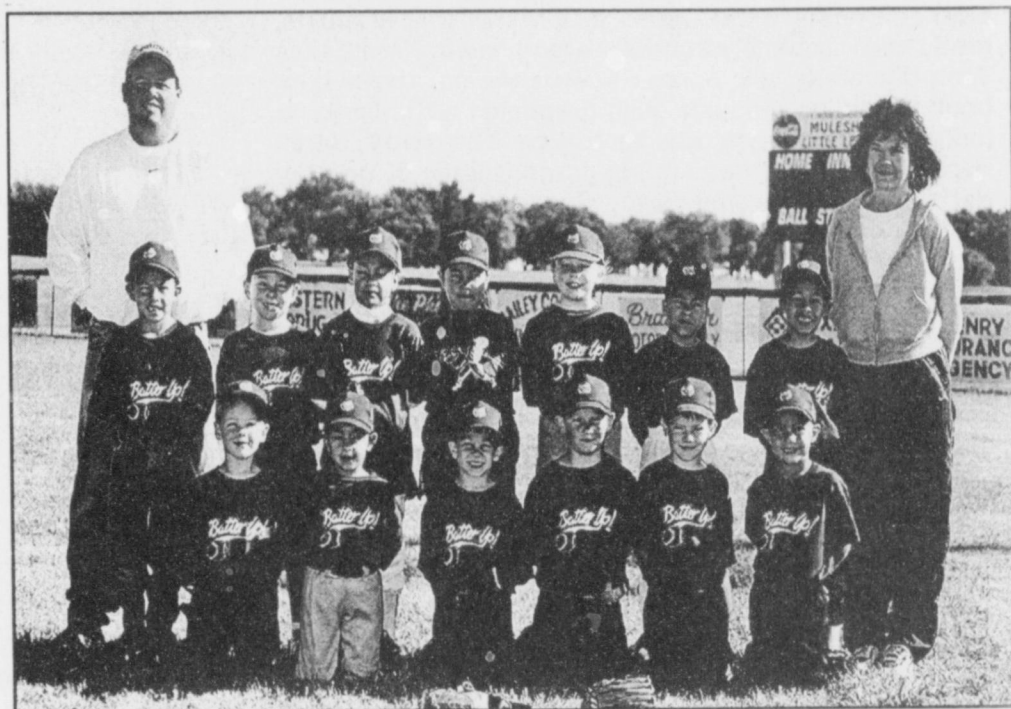
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▲ NAVY BLUE — T-Ball League — Sponsored by Five Area Telephone Co-op
 BACK ROW L-R: Mgr. Fabian Martinez.
 MIDDLE ROW L-R: Luis Ruvalcaba, Michael Martinez, Camilo Torres, Marisa Olivas, Heather Gutierrez, Adriana Martinez and Salvador Gonzales.
 FRONT ROW L-R: Perla Pina, Joey Guerra, Joe Angel Gutierrez, George Martinez, Frank Recio and Isaque Olivarez. Not pictured: Hailee Gonzales.



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 BACK ROW L-R: Coach Kevin King and Mgr. Robert Shafer
 MIDDLE ROW L-R: Steven Durben, Gilbert Gomez, Shawn Atwood, Alyssa Leal, Selena Villegas and Skyler Smith.
 FRONT ROW L-R: Ricky Morin, Annie Shafer, A.J. Barron, Jazz Garcia and Gisela Villegas. Not pictured: Kaleb King and Nathan Cruz.



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 BACK ROW L-R: Mgr. Brad Stegall and Coach Cindy Harrison.
 MIDDLE ROW L-R: Mateo Castillo, Hunter Carter, Delilah Arzola, Samantha Reyna, Cassi Stegall, Priscilla Arzola and Bert Torres.
 FRONT ROW L-R: Colton Stegall, Desire Sena, Kirk Williams, Ryan Johnson, Logan Harrison and Brandon Jaime.



ORANGE — T-Ball League — Sponsored by Western 66
 BACK ROW L-R: Mgr. Robby Young, Coach J'Don Kube and William Orozco.
 MIDDLE ROW L-R: Tiffany Eagle, Raenee Wildman, Douglas Bartholf, Brianna Long, Matthew Ambriz and Sam Cirkel.
 FRONT ROW L-R: Hanna Bishop, Jessica Kube, Jaden Herrera, Cruz Castorena and Zedric Herrera. Not pictured: Andrea Shaw, Brendan Wright and Carlos Nuñez.



► ROYAL BLUE — T-Ball League — Sponsored by United Supermarkets
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 FRONT ROW L-R: Stefani Lopez, Reynaldo Del Toro, Sarah Whitworth, Bryleigh Schovajsa, Manuel Quezada Jr. and Ray Martinez. Not pictured: Isaac Baca, Dominique Mata and Coach Frank Baca.



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 MIDDLE ROW L-R: Osmar Diaz, Michael Freeman, Valerie Olivas, Sofia Quezada, Marquise Treviño, Ivanna Agundis and Dusty Gibbons
 FRONT ROW L-R: Andrea Dominguez, Trey Norman, Mandy Scolley, Adrian Torres, Patrick Mendoza, Michael King and Alex Flores.



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A collegiate clan

Four members of the Sam and Jean Harlan family were in college at the same time during the spring semester. From left, they are Megan Harlan, a 1997 Muleshoe graduate and now a student in the Dental School of the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio; Stacy Harlan, also a 1997 Muleshoe graduate, graduated summa cum laude from Wayland Baptist University (math and Spanish majors) and has been accepted in the Texas Tech University Law School; Barak Harlan, a 1996 Muleshoe graduate, graduated with honors in industrial engineering from Texas Tech University; and Sarah Showers Harlan, a 1996 Lubbock Coronado graduate, also graduated with honors in industrial engineering from Tech. (She is married to Barak Harlan.) The first three are the grandchildren of Dorothy Harlan of Lubbock and Grady Speed of Victoria. Sarah Harlan's parents are Tom and Kathy Showers of Lubbock.

Texas 4-H now 1 million strong

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL
AUSTIN — Each child in Texas 4-H is now literally "one in a million."

Enrollment figures announced at a recent news conference show that nearly 1.2 million Texas children ages 5 through 19 took part in one or more 4-H programs last year.

In reaching the million-member milestone for the first time, Texas 4-H also leads the nation in participants, accounting for a sixth of the total national enrollment of 6.6 million.

In Texas, 4-H is administered by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in partnership with The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture and the county commissioners' courts of Texas.

4-H is about more than just numbers — it's about the whole child, providing education, leadership opportunities and character development that will help each 4-H'er grow into a leader of tomorrow," said Dr. Chester Fehlis, Extension deputy director and associate vice chancellor for the Texas A&M system.

Texas 4-H remains rooted in the heart of rural communities, he noted, but it thrives in the cities — where most young Texans now live.

In fact, more than half the Texas children in 4-H live in Houston and surrounding Harris County, the state's largest population center. Harris County actually has more 4-H'ers than any state other than Texas.

Many of these urban kids participate in 4-H through such school-based enrichment programs as Blue Skies Below My Feet (aerospac), Hatching in the Classroom (embryology), Something's Fishy (aquaculture), Talking with TJ (conflict resolution) and Junior Master Gardeners (horticulture), plus programs that teach leadership, nutrition and consumer skills.

Texas 4-H has more than 68,000 members of 4-H clubs, the cornerstone of the organization in which young people elect officers, meet and work on projects out-

side of school, but much of its rapid growth in total participation — more than 700,000 since 1993 — has been through special-interest groups and in-school educational programs.

"Whatever the educational setting," Fehlis said, "4-H programs continue to focus on 'learning by doing' experiences that teach lifetime skills in communication, confidence, leadership and decision-making, among others."

"They have so many (activities within 4-H) that you can join!" said Kristyn Reinders, 15, of Milam County, who has been around 4-H for 10 years, since she was 5 and attended meetings with her sister. Reinders' own projects have been as diverse as photography, shooting sports, food and nutrition, consumer decision-making and safety. She currently is learning about animal surgical procedures in a veterinary science project.

"I never knew anyone thought of me as a leader," said Mary Wong of Houston, who credits a county 4-H leadership program with giving her a positive self-image and the confidence to lead others.

"4-H is not just for rural kids anymore; it's for kids everywhere," said Enrique Saucedo, principal of Douglass Elementary School in El Paso. "Every kid — and lots of adults — need to know the concepts and skills 4-H teaches."

According to the latest Texas enrollment figures, 954,000 4-H participants live in larger cities and suburbs, and another 217,000 live in rural areas and cities with populations of less than 50,000.

Texas 4-H is active in every county, led by county faculty of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service working with 55,700 youth and adult volunteers statewide.

While the 4-H Pledge remains a constant — Head to clearer thinking; Heart to greater loyalty; Hands to larger service and Health to better living — 4-H members today face a world vastly different from the one of a century ago.

Foot-and-mouth takes second place to politics

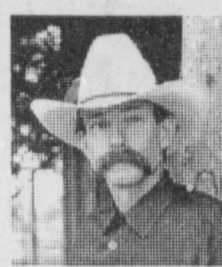
What kind of person would wish foot-and-mouth disease on animals?

"I openly hope it comes here. It will bring economic harm only for those who profit from giving people heart attacks and giving animals a concentration-camp-like existence."

— Ingrid Newkirk, president of PETA (animal-rights group)

I have received many letters from indignant readers who are aghast at Newkirk's insensitivity and mean-spiritedness. It was surprising to me, too: I guess I assumed there were some lines they would not cross.

But then it hit me. Her comments really had nothing to do with animal suffering — no, she was locking us. Her group's marketing strategy, which they readily acknowledge,



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is to shock — i.e., comparing serial murderer Jeffrey Dahmer to the meat-packing industry, suggesting we drink beer instead of milk, or erecting billboards saying "Jesus was a vegetarian."

Those were well-thought-out advertising campaigns designed to attract attention. And when a group is not restrained by any normally accepted standards of civility, it tests the limits of the public's disgust.

PETA is the National Enquirer of animal rights, a man on the corner in a raincoat flashing passers-by, the Dennis Rodman, Madonna

and Geraldo of newspaper filler pieces, the Jerry Springer and Jackass of activist cable TV. They are the goons at the football game mooning the camera.

Unfortunately, in our modern world we are so bombasted with full-color, full-volume, never-ending sensationalistic info-entertainment — including such profound tragedies as Afghani oppression, African AIDS, Korean famine, mass

murder, fire, flood, earthquake and terrorism — that we are numb.

Newkirk must be constantly trying to stick out amidst the blizzard of chaos, greatness and acts of heroism that compete with her for the public's eye. It gets harder and harder for her to shock us.

So rein in your sense of outrage, say a prayer for our fellow livestock raisers in Europe and leave Newkirk to her petty cruelty. She is no different from the guy selling souvenirs outside the gates at Timothy McVeigh's execution.

Nothing is sacred to a zealot.



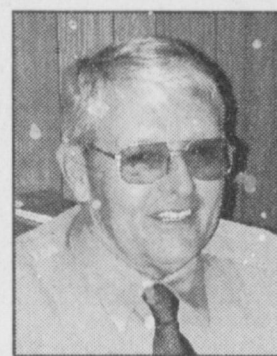
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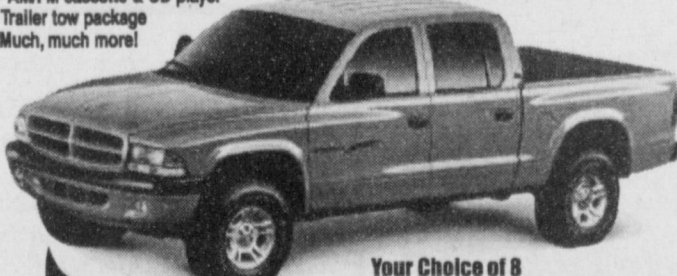
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TODAY, NAMES IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE SUCH AS JAMES ROBERT, ANNE HELEN, HAVE A MEANING BUT IT IS KNOWN ONLY TO THOSE WHO HAVE STUDIED ETYMOLOGY. IN BIBLICAL TIMES IT WAS FAR DIFFERENT! EVERYBODY KNEW THE MEANING OF A PERSON'S NAME AS SOON AS HE HEARD IT, BECAUSE ALL NAMES CAME FROM HIS OWN DAILY LANGUAGE! WHEN LEAH GAVE BIRTH TO JACOB'S FIRST SON, SHE NAMED HIM REUBEN, WHICH, WHEN TRANSLATED INTO ENGLISH, COMES OUT, "BEHOLD A SON!" MANY CHILDREN WERE NAMED AFTER NATURAL THINGS OR ANIMALS SUCH AS: LEAH, WILD COW; JONAH, DOVE; TAMAR, PALM TREE; TABITHA, GAZELLE. SOME PARENTS NAMED THEIR CHILDREN IN THE HOPE THAT THEY WOULD GROW UP TO HAVE THE SAME QUALITIES AS THEIR NAMES IMPLIED, SUCH AS: SHIPRAH, BEAUTY; NOAH, RESTFUL; NAOMI, SWEETNESS!



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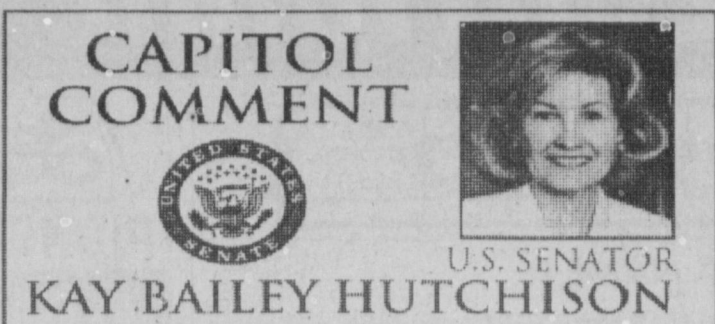
The U.S. Senate and House of Representatives have made historic progress toward an education reform plan that represents the most significant changes in federal education policy in more than 35 years.

Reflecting President Bush's education priorities, the legislation focuses on three basic principles:

- Require states to test students and measure their progress in grades three through eight;
- Reward states that improve children's education;
- Reduce federal red tape and giving states and local school districts unprecedented flexibility in how they decide to use their federal education funds.

To qualify for certain federal education funding, states will have to demonstrate that student performance is improving in all economic categories.

They will have to provide parents with more information about their schools and with more alternatives when their kids



are trapped in failing schools, such as the ability to transfer to another public school.

Underachieving schools are to get help under the plan, but they will face serious consequences for persistent failure.

This is a landmark bill because, for the first time, both parties in Congress have agreed that real reform requires that parents must have a say-so and more control over their children's education.

Parents — and the public — will have access to detailed school-by-school "report cards" on the performance of their schools.

That provision of the legislation follows the outline of my "Parents' Right - To-

Know Act," providing parents with accurate records of school performance. States will make the information available to the public on the Internet and through other means that ensure broad distribution.

I also have included an amendment to the education reform bill that offers even more options to public schools — options that parents of children in private schools have long enjoyed.

This amendment would remove the obstacles preventing public schools from being able to offer single-sex classrooms and single-sex schools to parents and students who choose them. Public schools should be able to tailor their programs to what best fits

local desires.

Most of the time, co-education classes are going to be the choice. But in some circumstances we find that students do better in a single-sex atmosphere. We want parents who might not be able to afford private school or might not have the option of parochial school to be able to go to their school board and request, perhaps, a single-sex eighth-grade math class for boys or a single-sex chemistry lab for girls.

Or some districts might want to establish single-sex schools, some of which have had great success in improving the test scores of previously failing students of both sexes.

In addition, the bill includes my legislation providing federal incentives for mid-career or retired professionals to enter classrooms and teach where they can make a real difference.

Meaningful education reform is finally at the forefront of the congressional agenda. Congress has

worked with the White House to produce constructive legislation that enjoys bipartisan support.

As a result, we will have more accountability in our schools, increased flexibil-

ity and more local control.

Schools will measure their progress in terms of demonstrably improved results — rather than compliance with a one-size-fits-all federal rule.

Booklet helps steer citizens to federal funding ideas

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL
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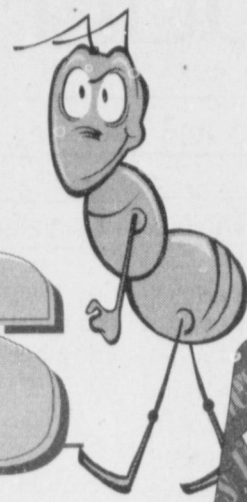
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