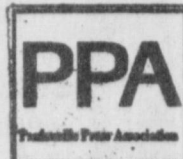




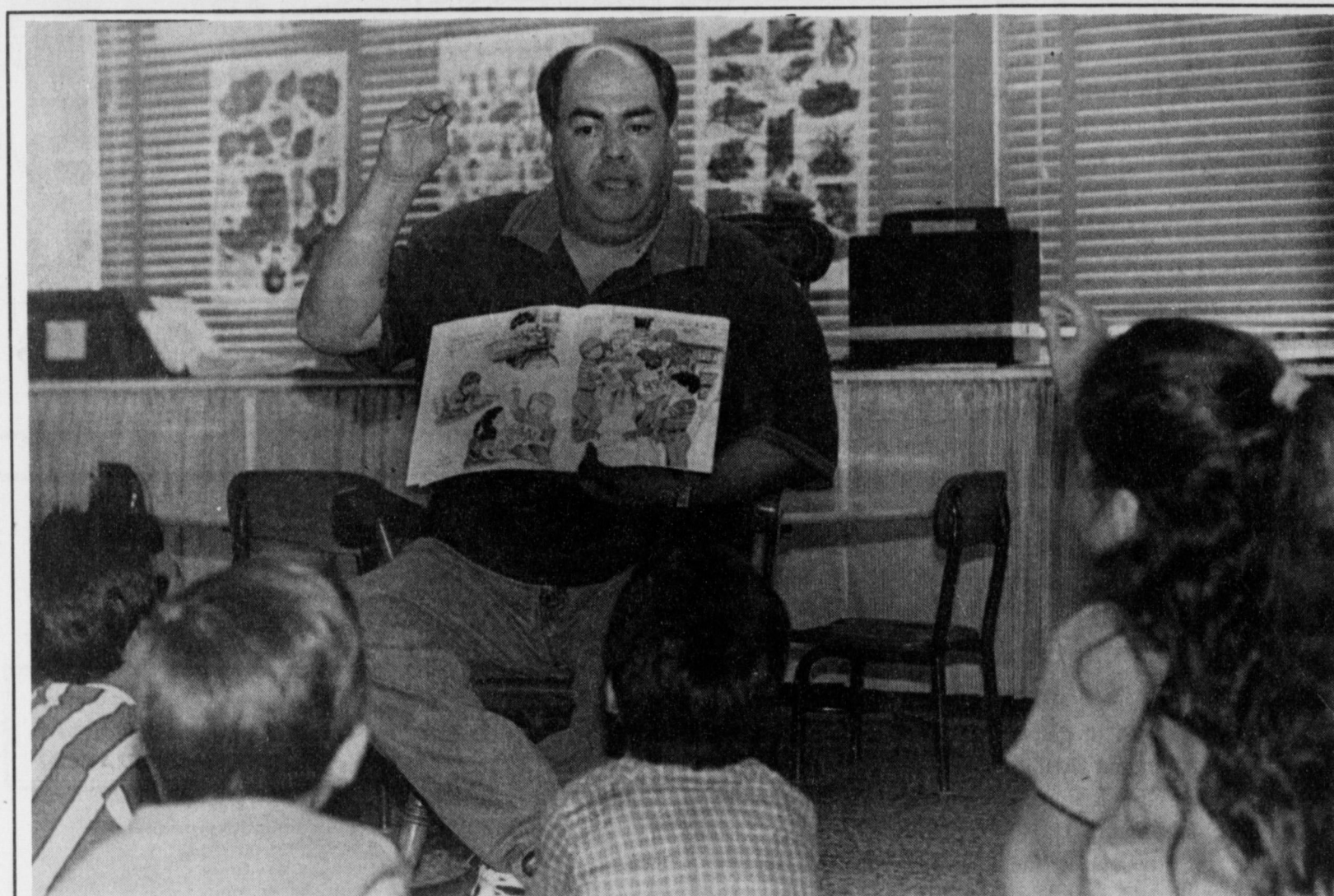
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Storyteller

Roy Anzuldua reads to a class Wednesday at Dillman Elementary as part of the Volunteers In Public Schools program.

TEACH YOUR CHILDREN WELL

Volunteers take part in students' education at Dillman

by SAMUEL VILLARREAL
Journal staff writer

Roy Anzuldua dwarfs the assortment of pint-sized tables and chairs in the colorfully decorated classroom.

First-graders are gathered around, intently listening to a story about a boy who wants a pet dinosaur. As Anzuldua reads on, the students are drawn into the tale of make-believe.

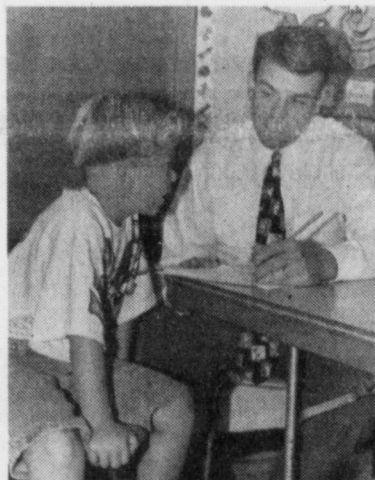
Anzuldua, a local restaurateur, spends part of his day off from his job each week to work with first and sec-

ond graders at Dillman Elementary School as part of a volunteer program.

The Volunteers in Public Schools (VIPS) program is in its seventh year at Dillman Elementary.

"The program was started to get parents involved," according to Dillman principal Helen Grigsby. "VIPS makes the community aware of what is going on in the classroom, as well as providing additional help for

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■ Muleshoe Church of Christ minister John Knox tutors 2nd-grader Christopher Smith.

Classic Cable admits making mistake in dealings with Channel 6

By RICK WHITE
Managing Editor

Magann Rennels was shocked.

The family TV station that has gained national attention for personalizing the news had just received impersonal notification they were being taken off the air.

"My heart just fell," said Rennels, owner and operator of Channel 6 in Muleshoe. "You couldn't imagine what this has meant

to me and my whole family. It's almost like it has a heart and a heartbeat. I know it's not human, but it means so much to me."

Classic Cable officials have since reconsidered their decision to take Channel 6 off the air, although it has been moved to channel 17.

Classic, which services nearly 185,000 customers in five southwest states, is installing a pay-per-view service on the physical channel 6.

"It was really our mistake," said Matt Howell, a chief technician in Classic Cable's Tulia office. "When we found out what they did, we considered it in our best interest to keep them. We found out the majority of the community wanted her."

"As long as I'm here, it's going to stay," Howell said later in the phone interview.

City Mayor Robert Montgomery also called the company's president of Channel 6's behalf.

"I expressed to him what a valuable resource they were for local news and events, and encouraged him to reconsider," Montgomery said. "I felt he was not aware of the positive influence they had in our community."

Rennels learned of Classic's plans to eliminate her station Aug. 26 from a faceless voice in the company's office in Plainville,

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Magann Rennels in Channel 6 studio at her Muleshoe home.

State approves addition of 16 units to senior complex

By SAMUEL VILLARREAL
Journal staff writer

Sixteen new units in the Harmon Elliot Senior Citizen Housing Complex passed a state housing inspection Wednesday.

Housing inspectors from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs were in town to examine the newly constructed addition to the housing complex.

"We have added 16 units, all of which already have residents lined up," said Judith Rhedin, Manager of Housing

Trust Fund. "It shows that we have a rising need for this sort of housing in this community."

The recent addition of 16 units brings the total capacity of the complex to 52. The additional units were built at a cost of \$684,000.

"Among the new units is an additional unit that has been designated as a handicapped unit," according to Jim Hartling, manager of the Harmon Complex. "The unit can only be rented to a handicapped resident. As for the other units, the criteria for resi-

dency is to be 62 years of age or older"

The Harmon Elliot Complex is a joint effort between the Muleshoe Housing Authority, the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs - Housing Trust Fund, a state run organization that provides grants and loans to housing projects for low income residents.

The project was begun in 1981. The recent expansion was begun this past February and was completed Aug 1.

Commissioners okay \$2 million budget

The Bailey County Commissioner's Court Monday approved a \$2 million budget for the 1996-97 fiscal year that includes a slight tax increase.

County taxpayers will see an increase, from .4376 cents per \$100 of assessed property evaluation in 1995-96 to .4392¢ in 1996-97.

"I'm thrilled, needless to say," said County Judge Marilyn Cox. "None of us want our taxes increased."

The County will collect \$1.015 million in tax levies

during the new fiscal year. The rest of the revenue comes from inter-governmental and agencies funding, and county service fees and fines.

The County collects both a road & bridge tax levy, used to maintain roads, and a general tax levy.

The budget covers 16 departments and offices, and four precincts.

In other action taken by the Commissioner's Court:

■ Approved a proposal for an early voting day for presidential, state and county

elections Nov. 5.

The early election would be Saturday, Oct. 26, from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. at Lowe's Marketplace in Muleshoe. The proposal must be approved by the U.S. Justice Department.

"We're doing everything we can do to reach people and get them to get out and vote," Cox said.

■ Decided the County would continue to do the record-keeping for the Bailey County Cemetery Association and that county workers would continue assisting in the upkeep of the cemetery.



Rainman

Brent Lovett, 5, uses an umbrella to shield himself from the rain during Thursday's afternoon showers. He is the son of Rob and Debra Lovett of Muleshoe.

Energas granted rate hike

By SAMUEL VILLARREAL
Journal staff writer

The Muleshoe City Council Wednesday approved a 5.3 percent increase for Energas customers.

CITY COUNCIL

Energas originally asked for an 7.6 percent increase May 31, but at the suggestion of a private consulting firm, lowered its rate hike request after meeting with a steering committee comprised of several city managers in affected communities.

Energas supplies natural gas to nearly 2,000 customers in 67 West Texas communities.

The average cost for the average residential customer will increase to \$2.13 per month rather than the expected \$3.60, according to Energas.

The basic rate will increase \$1.20, plus residential customers that use between 1,000 and 4,000 cubic feet a month will pay about 15 cents more per 1,000 cubic feet.

Muleshoe Energas manager

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AROUND MULESHOE

Sophomore class sponsoring MHS Homecoming pre-game dinner

The Muleshoe High School sophomore class will be sponsoring the Homecoming pre-game dinner on Friday, Sept. 20 from 5-7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. They will be serving Mexican pile-on, chocolate cake, and iced tea.

Tickets will be \$5 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. Tickets may be purchased from any sophomore or at the door.

For delivery you may call 272-4369 between the hours of 4:30 and 6:30 on Friday.

First Assembly of God pastor competing in Christian singing contest

Jack Stone, pastor of First Assembly of God, will be competing at the National Quartet Competition in Louisville, Ken. He will be one of only 65 contestants allowed in the competition. If he wins the competition, he will be awarded a recording contract with the national Christian recording studio, Horizon.

Muleshoe's Sally Ann Guzman among 1996 ENMU summer graduates

PORTALES — Sally Ann Guzman of Muleshoe is among 155 summer graduate candidates at Eastern New Mexico University.

She earned a bachelor of arts in education.

Sudan Fire Department celebrating 50th anniversary with BBQ dinner

SUDAN — The Sudan Fire Department will be celebrating 50 years of service by Bud Provence with a BBQ dinner on Sept. 22 at the Sudan High School cafeteria.

The meal will be open to the public with a suggested donation of \$5 for adult and \$3.50 for children. The Department will start serving at 12:30 p.m.

An award ceremony will be held after the meal.

Clovis CC offering non-credit courses for students of all ages Sept. 16-27

CLOVIS — Clovis Community College will hold classes for fall non-credit courses Sept. 16-27. There are an array of classes for all ages. Early registration is encouraged. Senior citizens 65 or older will receive a 10 percent discount on tuition.

Classes include basic car maintenance, ACT preparation courses, and a variety of art, craft and dancing instruction. A variety of children's art classes are also

available.

Additional information can be obtained by calling (505) 769-4115

Lubbock Dollers 18th Annual Doll Show and Sale Oct. 12

LUBBOCK — The Lubbock Dollers are holding their 18th Annual Doll Show and Sale on Saturday, Oct. 12 at the Lubbock Civic Center from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission is \$2 for adults and 50 cents for children under 12.

The Lubbock Dollers are a group of doll collectors and doll makers from the Lubbock area. They donate their Services to various charities in the Lubbock area. They are currently seeking new members. For more information call Kay Handley at (806) 795-2803.

Three prostate cancer screenings offered by St. Mary Hospital in Sept.

LUBBOCK — Test for the early detection of prostate cancer will be offered by the Joe Arrington Cancer Research and Treatment Center of St. Mary Hospital.

Screenings will be held on Sept. 24 and 26 from 6 to 8 p.m. and on Sept. 28 from 8 to 11 a.m. Free screenings are available for males between the ages of 50 and 69 who are not currently seeing a urologist.

Appointments are limited and available on a first come, first served basis. To schedule an exam, call (806) 769-4779.

Adult Learning Center offering free day,night computer classes

The Muleshoe Adult Learning Center's Computer Lab at 804 W. American Blvd. is now open.

The lab has two main courses, GED and ESL (English as a Second Language).

Also, if some one is interested in improving reading skills, there is a Critical Reading Skills course. There is a short course called Essentials for Living and Working that is good for a person going into the job market.

This lab is free of charge and open from 8 a.m. to noon, Monday through Thursday

Monday and Wednesday, there are evening classes from 6-8 p.m.

To register, one needs to bring a birth certificate, social security card and a picture ID. i.e. driver's license.

For more information, call 272-7540, during lab hours.

Muleshoe's Homecoming is Sept. 20th



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Idea keeps World Peace afloat

They look like a blimp and are larger than a 747 jet. And if the millionaire who invented them is right, these 500 foot-long fabric bags will also aid in maintaining world peace.

If Terry Spragg has his way, his *Spragg Bags* will reduce world conflicts by floating fresh water around the world - especially to parched regions where supplies of fresh water are scarce.

"Don't laugh," he said. "The World Bank has warned that the wars of the next century will be over water."

Spragg's Bags, each of which holds 4.5 million gallons, or as much water as 45,000 Seattleites use in a day, forms a "flexible water pipeline" which is towed through the ocean to its destination.

The bag, made of material similar to the tough fabric that lines the bottom of river rifts, floats because the fresh water is lighter than salt water.

"There's plenty of water on this earth — it's just not always in the right place," said Spragg, who displayed his new invention recently by

towing two smaller demonstration bags, each filled with 770,000 gallons of water, from Port Angeles on the Olympic Peninsula to Seattle.

All of this started 20 years ago when Spragg became obsessed with the notion of dragging icebergs from Antarctica to California, then dispensing the fresh water when the ice melted.

Later, an engineer at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology developed a prototype from a giant water bag. Spragg quit his real estate job, sold all his properties, and began promoting his plan to use *Spragg Bags* to water the planet.

"It sounds a little nuts," said Spragg, "but when people see it, they believe it. They start thinking, 'Well, why not?'"

The U.S. State Department is interested in the *Spragg Bag*, especially for its applications in the Middle East. The World Bank is reviewing Spragg's proposal to deliver water from the Manavgat River in Turkey across the Mediterranean Sea to Israel and the water-starved Gaza Strip.

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Cindy Inman came to Muleshoe from Pecos where she was the school nurse. She is married to Jason Inman and they have one daughter Morgan. They have been attending the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

Cindy is a registered nurse. She enjoys working with the home patients since it is a more casual setting. She loves the people at Muleshoe Area Home Health Agency. They are easy to get along with and are very friendly.



Cindy Inman

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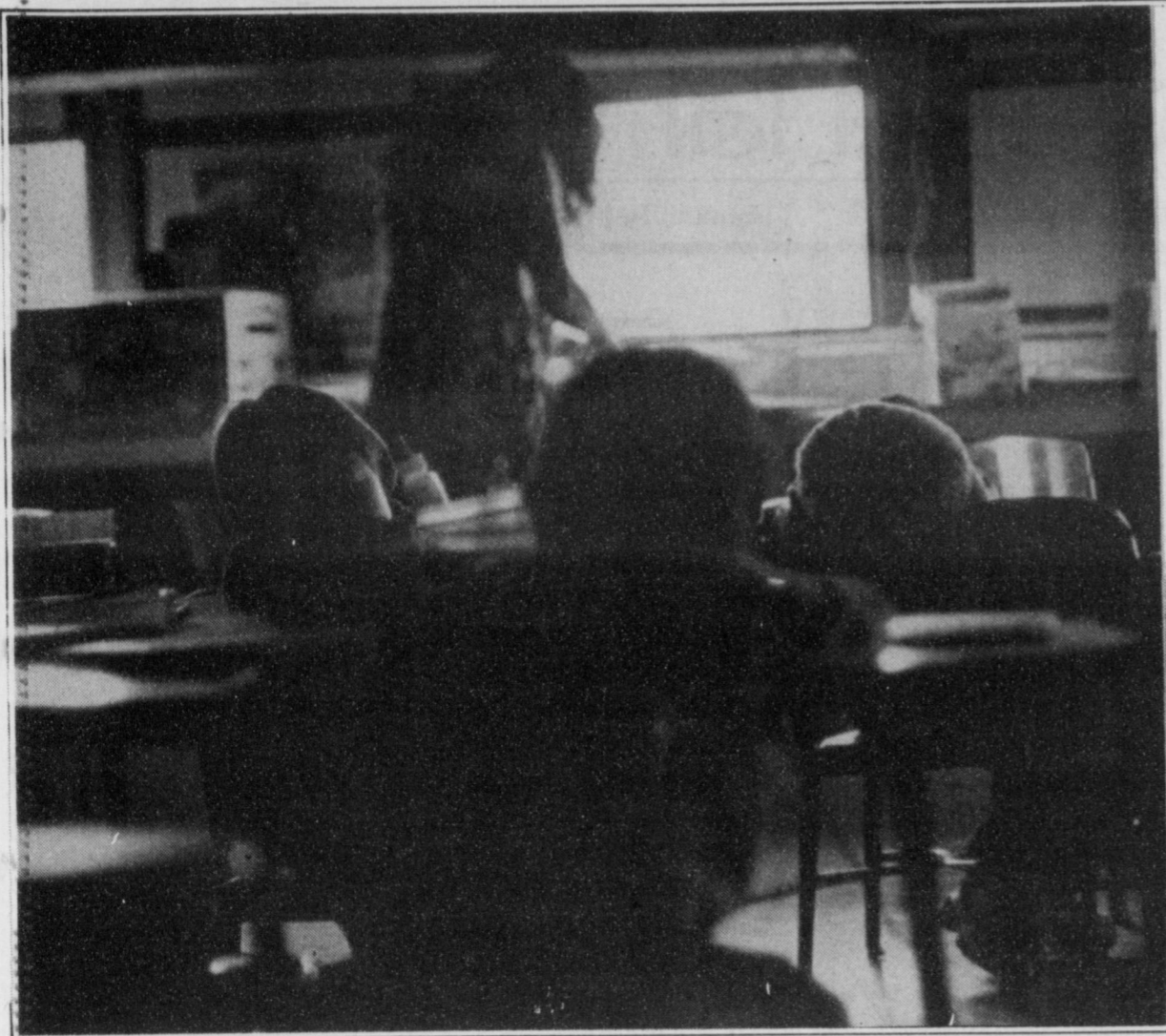
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Shadowy figures

Dillman first-grader Lupito Martinez (left) and two classmates rest during a quiet moment Wednesday while teaching assistant Mary Toscano (background) keeps busy.

Volunteers

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the teachers.”
 VIPS recruits parents and community members to help at the school. Some volunteers read stories or tutor students on a one-on-one basis. Others help with special class projects and organize bulletin boards. Some simply help out where help is needed.
 “I volunteer because I see kids that are struggling with a language barrier here (at Dillman) and at home.” Anzaldua said. “At first they can’t speak enough English to easily get along at school. Then, when they get to speaking English, they can’t really use it at home. I can get along with them well in any language, and that helps the kids very much.”
 Anzaldua’s work load includes reading stories as well as helping students with math, art, writing, and computer work.
 “I get to do a little bit of everything,” Anzaldua said.
 Anzaldua is one of the participants who is involved in the

program who doesn’t actually have a child enrolled at Dillman. He heard about the program through a local teacher and decided that it would be a good thing to do. And he believes that it was a great decision.
 “This is a very good program,” said Martha Stroud, a teacher assistant who works alongside Anzaldua. “Mr. Anzaldua is an especially good role-model for this class because of all the boys we have. It’s nice to have a good male role-model for them.”
 According to the teachers, the children enjoy having different people participating in the classroom setting. It gives students a chance to work in smaller groups.
 Volunteers attend a training session prior to starting. The session includes rules and policies of the school, training in the use of some of the machines in the school, and a tour of the building that will include particular places the

volunteers may be working.
 The teachers at Dillman have come up with a statement that best describes the purpose of the program:
 “Parent volunteers are an important asset to our school. We need parents that are willing to give up part of their day or their week in order to help us at Dillman. Teachers and students both benefit from VIPS volunteers, and volunteers make a difference in a child’s day at school.”
 Notes will be sent home with students for parents that may be interested in becoming a volunteer. The VIPS program currently has 5 volunteers and are looking for as many as they can get.
 “We have a great teaching staff,” said Anzaldua, “but sometimes they need a helping hand. I just wish that more parents can become involved.”
 Anyone interested in volunteering should call Dillman Elementary.

Organization searching for cemetery records

The Bailey County Cemetery Association Board of Directors will hold a special meeting Oct. 13 from 2-3 p.m. in the West Meeting Room of the Bailey County Coliseum.
 This meeting is for all persons who have purchased plots in the cemetery, have family or friends buried there, or are considered “Friends of the Cemetery Association.”
 This meeting is to approve the re-organization of the Association and to properly re-dedicate the cemetery property.
 In an effort to maintain and improve the cemetery, the Association must update its records and addresses. It is of great importance to the Association that anyone having family, friends, or relatives buried in the Bailey County Cemetery to please contact the Association.

The Association would also like to have records of anyone who currently owns any plots in the cemetery. The Association can be reached at:

Bailey County Cemetery Association, Mrs. Donna Kirk-

Secretary, Office of the County Judge, 300 South 1st Street, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

Interest in re-establishing the Association was sparked by the vandalism of 90 headstones on June 3 of this year. Four area teens were charged in the incident.

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I would to thank each and every one of you for the honor and privilege of being President for the last two years. It was a very rewarding and educational experience. I have enjoyed working with all of you on our various projects. I believe all of our projects were to have been very successful, (maybe not quite we wanted financially) and brought some quality entertainment to our community.

My special thanks to all of the patrons, contributors, sponsors, actors, and all those individuals who helped bring our productions to the stage. Without your efforts, none of what we did accomplish, would have been possible. To Kerry Moore and Alan Finney, thank you for sharing your special talents with Mule-Plex.

Finally, I want to thank the Membership for the very kind and generous gift. I shall treasure all of you always. Thanks again.

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Mustangs hold off Mules, 7-6

By RICK WHITE
Managing Editor

A tie is suitable for Father's Day, but not for the Muleshoe Mules.

Discarding the notion of playing for a tie Friday before a packed house at Benny Douglass Stadium, Muleshoe went for the win late in the game.

But sophomore quarterback Matt McClanahan was hurried out of the pocket and stuffed well short of the goal line, as Denver City held on for a hard-fought 7-6 win.

Muleshoe scored on a 7-yard run around the left end by Doug Field with 2:28 left in the game, one play after Louis Hines bolted 36 yards on fourth-and-two from the Denver City 43.

"I told the boys, 'we're going to score a touchdown and then we're going and then go for the two-point conversion,'" said Muleshoe head coach David Wood. "Everything came through except winning the game."

Wood said he never considered settling for the tie. In fact, he decided before the game that he would go for the win if he got the chance.

The tough loss still leaves Wood in search for his first win as a head coach.

"There's a lot more important things than my won-loss record," Wood said. "Like atti-

tude and the way they play the game. Sure, like everyone else, I like to win. But what I hate is for the kids not to get the win."

The game was a defensive struggle, with each team taking away what the other did best.

Denver City (2-0) held a 184-106 edge in total yards, but never got their punishing ground-game after the opening drive of the game.

"That's what really impressed me was that we took them out of their game plan," Wood said. "They like to run the dive and the option and just shove the ball down your throat. We took that away from them and forced them to throw the ball."

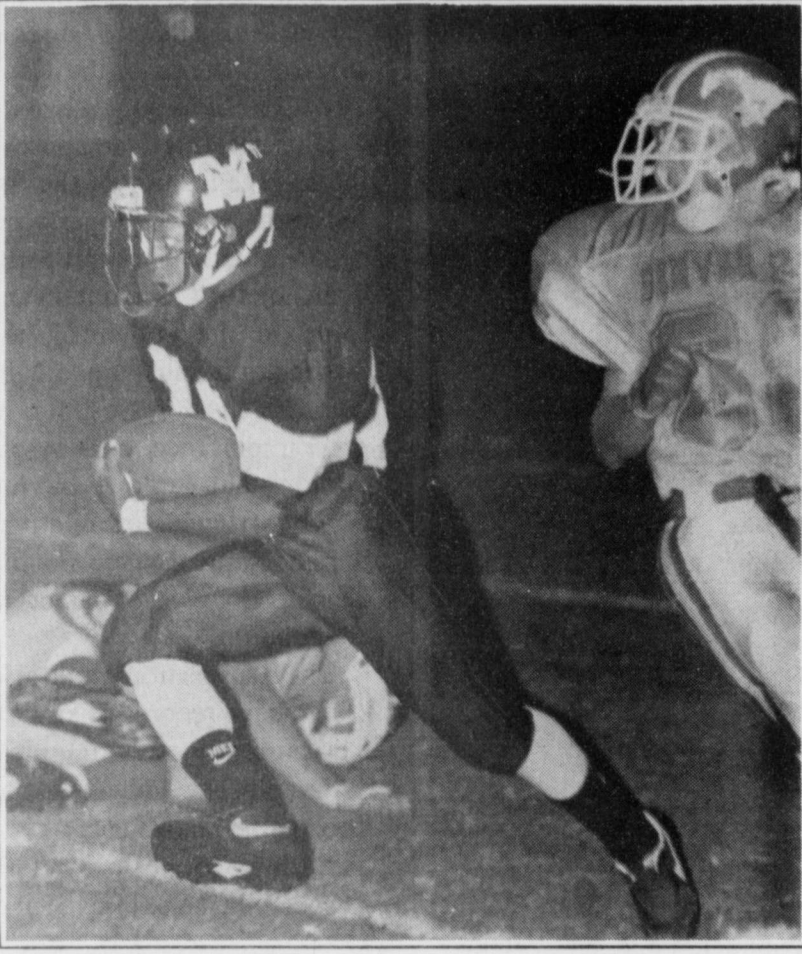
Two Denver City quarterbacks completed 2-of-11 passes for 42 yards, after throwing the ball just four times last week.

Denver City took a 6-0 lead two minutes into the game after recovering an onside kick on the opening kickoff.

The Mustangs trampled Muleshoe on the way to the end zone.

Denver City drove 39 yards on five running plays. Braughn Curtis, a 215-pound fullback who finished with a game-high 78 yards on 14 carries, lugged the ball the final 18 yards off tackle. A Thomas Ramirez extra point made it 7-0.

Muleshoe squandered good



Hitting the gap

Muleshoe junior running back Louis Hines darts past a Denver City defender Friday night at Benny Douglass Stadium. Denver City held on for a 7-6 win.

field position in the first half.

Dustin Cleavinger's punting kept Denver City pinned deep in its own end the rest of the half.

The Mustangs started drives at its 1, 2 and 10-yard lines.

But Muleshoe squandered the good field position.

Denver City held Muleshoe to one first down in the first half — on the Mules' opening

drive.

Denver City threatened once more in the first half. A Villegas interception gave the Mustangs the ball at the Muleshoe 25 with 52 seconds left in the second quarter.

But Ramirez missed a 41-yard field goal on the last play of the first half in the first half.

The kick had plenty of leg, but was just wide left.

Denver City plays an attacking defense, stunting its lineman and linebackers.

The dizzying array of blitz packages forced Muleshoe to keep the ball on the ground a little more than they like.

McClanahan was 4-of-15 passing for 40 yards and was intercepted twice. He rarely had time to set his feet.

"After the first day (of watching film), I knew we'd have to do some things the kids weren't used to," Wood said. "Their philosophy is to get to you before you can throw it. We had some people open, we just didn't have time."

Muleshoe first threaten midway through the third quarter, picking up three first downs while driving 36 yards to the Denver City 26.

Hines then broke those down the left sideline for an apparent touchdown, but it was called back on an illegal block in the back.

The drive ended when McClanahan threw the ball up for grabs on third-and-18. Luis Villegas got his second interception at the 10.

Muleshoe got a break when a roughing the kicker penalty kept the Mules from going three-and-out with 5:35 left in the game.

A six-yard McClanahan to Cleavinger pass on first down and two Field runs left Muleshoe with fourth-and-two at the 42.

GAME STATS

Denver City	7	0	0	0	7
Muleshoe	0	0	0	6	6
TEAM					
	DC		MHS		
First downs	11		9		
Rushes-yards	38-142		29-66		
Passing yards	42		40		
Passes	2-11-1		4-15-2		
Punts	6-31		4-38		
Fumbles-lost	3-0		2-0		
Penalties-yards	5-58		6-54		
INDIVIDUAL					
Rushing					
Denver City: Curtis 14-78,					
Jordan 13-38, Kelly 5-8, Villegas					
5-15, Ardel 3-3. Muleshoe: Hines					
11-55, Woodard 6-14,					
McClanahan 6-(-17), Field 6-14.					
Passing					
Denver City: Kelly 1-7, 22					
yards; Villegas 1-4, 20 yards.					
Muleshoe: McClanahan 4-15, 40					
yards, 2 int.					
Receiving					
Denver City: Curtis 1-20, Jordan					
1-22. Muleshoe: Wheeler 1-10,					
Redwine 2-25, Cleavinger 1-6					

Late scored give Mustangs 22-8 win over Mule JV

DENVER CITY — Denver City scored on a punt return and an interception return late in the fourth quarter and beat the Muleshoe JV, 22-8, Thursday.

Muleshoe took an 8-0 lead in the first minute of the game when defensive end Justin Lee scooped up a fumble and returned it 25 yards for a touchdown of the first play from scrimmage. Chris Vela ran for the two-point conversion.

"We played real good defense, eventhough the score doesn't show it," Mule JV coach Ron Welch. "We played a lot better than last week."

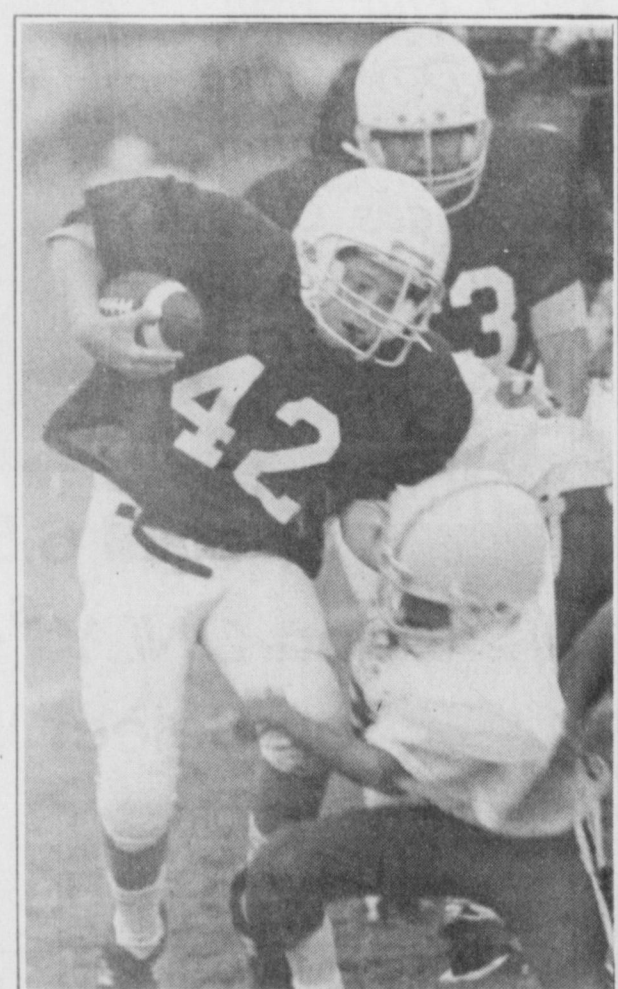
Vela had a long touchdown run negated by a clipping penalty.

The Mules (0-2) play at Springlake-Earth Sept. 19 at 5 p.m.

Denver City shuts out frosh, 28-0

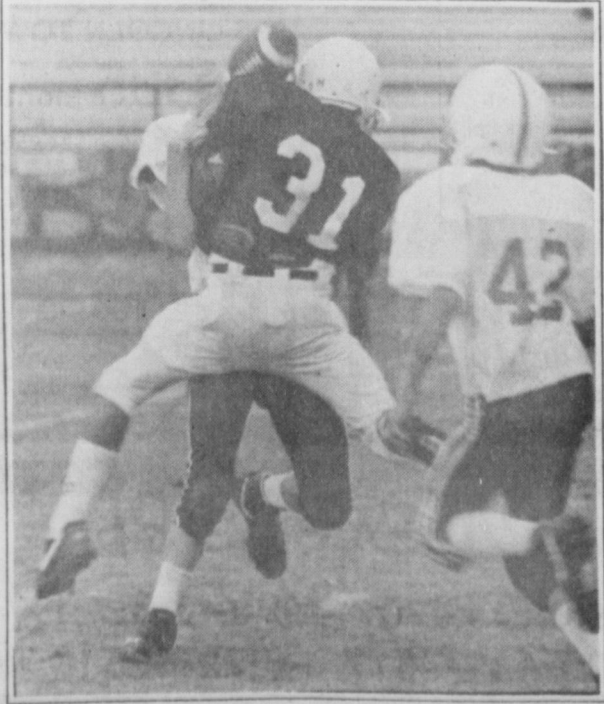
DENVER CITY — Denver City shut out Muleshoe, 28-0, Thursday, evening the Mule freshmen's mark at 1-1.

"We made a lot of mental mistakes," Mule freshman coach Brad Hill said. "The little things just killed us."



Still churning

Cade Hooton (42) tries to shake free of a Denver City defender Thursday.



Rocked

Wide receiver Danny Ramirez can't hold on to a pass after taking a big hit from a Denver City defender during the 8th-grade Mules' 25-6 loss.

WJHS 8th fall, 25-6

Darrell Lewis scored on a 21-yard run, but it wasn't enough as Denver City beat the Watson Junior High 8th-grade Mules, 25-6, Thursday at Benny Douglass Stadium. The Mules fell to 1-1.

Riley shines in scrimmage

Lincoln Riley threw three touchdown passes in a scrimmage between the WJHS 7th-graders and Denver City.

Michael Norman, Jaime Mendoza and Stephan Shelburne caught TD passes.

The Mule defense held Denver City scoreless.



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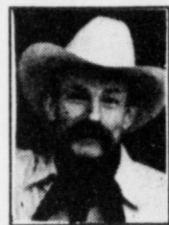
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In pens and cattle alleys on the new receiving side.
The fall run was beginning and there was no place to hide.
The boss said "Git'em processed, just as fast as they come in!
A crew'll bring'em to ya and then take'm back again."
So, K.T. got three cowboys and headed toward the shed,
"You shovel out the squeeze chute, Clyde. Juan, come with me," she said.
They filled a gooseneck trailer with the stuff she thought they'd need.
"We'll inventory later, right now, all that counts is speed!"
By eight the chute was bangin' through the second semi load.
The cattle to be processed stretched a mile down the road.
Syringes on the fast draw firin' doses of vaccine, Hydraulic handles flippin' like a bad pinball machine,
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A ear tag like a snake bite, bawlin' calves and flashin' hands.
An implant undercover, some pour on down the back,
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Release the head, a clatter. Release the squeeze, a pause.
He bolts, but then the next one is captured in the jaws.
On and on they processed till their hands were just a blur,
The cattle like a carousel, the headgate just a whir.
Above the shed an aura that so brightened up the skies
The cowboys bringin' new ones had to cover up

their eyes.
A vacuum as created like a swirlin' whirlwind.
As soon as one was turned out, it sucked the next one in.
The final bunch was brought up but when the last one fled
They couldn't quit, their auto pilot stuck full speed a-head!
They might have gone forever 'cept the power went haywire.
The crew walked out like robots whose brains had caught on fire.
They stood around unknowing, ears still ringin' from the fray.
But driftin' in next morning came the news of all they'd done,
Two thousand head they'd processed, caught and treated everyone,
Plus, a hundred saddle horses, the neighbor's feeder pigs,
A pair of tawdry mannequins with English lawyer wigs,
A marching band from Goodland, sixteen greyhounds from the track,
The local Veterans Color Guard, a llama and a yak,
Assorted order buyers and a great big plastic steer,
Not to mention one truck driver with a lot tag in his ear.
Reports just kept on comin' from the countryside around.
The feedlot was a'buzzin' with each new add-on they found,
But Boss, he saw things different, "K.T., what about the cost?
Them extra ones you processed guaranteed a hefty loss.
We'll never get our money back no matter how we tried,
Unless you got some brainstorm..." K.T. pondered then replied,
"I recon we could bill'em... or, if mark ups ain't a crime,
Just charge'm twice the goin' rate at reimplanting time."

Calvary Baptist celebrating 50th anniversary

Calvary Baptist Church will be celebrating their 50th Anniversary Sept. 22 with an all-day homecoming fellowship Sunday.

All friends and former members are invited to join with the members. Former pastors will be bringing messages throughout the day. The days schedule will be as follows:

10 a.m. — Welcome, special music. 11 a.m. — Recognition and awards. Morning message. noon — Fellowship lunch. 1:30 p.m. — Song and testimony. 2:30 p.m. — Refreshments-visiting-pictures. 3 p.m. — Special music, Closing message. 4 p.m. — More refreshments and visiting.

Several former pastors will be preaching during the day,

and others will be in attendance.
Calvary Baptist began as a country church under the name of The Independent Baptist Church of Lazbuddi.

Since then, the church has had several residencies until it was moved to its present loca-

tion at 18th and Avenue C. Their is one remaining charter member of the church, music director Lonnie Merriot.

Since the church is currently without a pastor, calls concerning the Homecoming Sunday can be made to Merriot at 272-4071.

Ag Commissioner issues warehouse warning

Texas Department of Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry said it's better "to be safe than sorry" when dealing with grain warehouses.

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Monday — Breakfast hot pocket, fruit or juice, milk. **Tuesday** — Waffles, fruit or juice, milk. **Wednesday** — Biscuits w/ gravy, fruit or juice, milk. **Thursday** — Breakfast pizza, toast, fruit or juice, milk. **Friday** — Cinnamon roll, fruit or juice, milk

Lunch
Monday — Sloppy joe, baked beans, apple slices, rice krispy treats, milk

Tuesday — Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, Italian veggies, sliced peaches, Italian bread, milk

Wednesday — Hot dog, chili, veggie stix, pineapple tidbits, milk

Thursday — Beef stroganoff, corn and green bean casserole, peach cobbler, hot roll, milk

Friday — Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, hot roll, milk

Jr. High and High School Breakfast

Monday — Breakfast hot pocket, fruit or juice, milk. **Tuesday** — Waffles, fruit or juice, milk. **Wednesday** — Biscuits w/ gravy, fruit or juice, milk. **Thursday** — Breakfast pizza, toast, fruit or juice, milk. **Friday** — Cinnamon roll, fruit or juice, milk

Lunch
Monday — Pancake, sausage, juice, milk. **Tuesday** — Biscuits, gravy, juice, milk. **Wednesday** — Oatmeal or Trix cereal, toast or graham crackers, juice, milk. **Thursday** — Eggs, biscuit, juice, milk. **Friday** — Cereal, graham crackers, raisins or juice, milk

Lunch
Monday — Hot dog, broccoli w/cheese, tator tots, cherry cobbler, milk

Tuesday — Lasagna, salad, corn, garlic bread, pears, milk

Wednesday — Cheeseburger, milk

Monday — Pizza & fries, Hamburger & fries, Hot ham & cheese, baked beans, apple slices, rice krispy treats, milk

Tuesday — Pizza & fries, Hamburger & fries, Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, Italian veggies, sliced peaches, Italian bread, milk

Wednesday — Pizza & fries, Hamburger & fries, Foot long chili dog, chili, veggie stix, pineapple tidbits, milk

Thursday — Pizza & fries, Hamburger & fries, Beef stroganoff, corn and green bean casserole, peach cobbler, hot roll, milk

Friday — Pizza & fries, Hamburger & fries, Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, hot roll, milk

LUNCH
Monday — Pancake, sausage, juice, milk. **Tuesday** — Biscuits, gravy, juice, milk. **Wednesday** — Oatmeal or Trix cereal, toast or graham crackers, juice, milk. **Thursday** — Eggs, biscuit, juice, milk. **Friday** — Cereal, graham crackers, raisins or juice, milk

Lunch
Monday — Hot dog, broccoli w/cheese, tator tots, cherry cobbler, milk

Tuesday — Lasagna, salad, corn, garlic bread, pears, milk

Wednesday — Cheeseburger, milk

fries, apricotse, milk

Thursday — Fajitas, salad, pinto beans, tortillas, strawberry yogurt, milk

Friday — Ham & cheese sandwich, chips, lettuce, tomato, pickle, orange, milk

LAZBUDDIE

Lunch
Monday — Hamburger basket, Pizza, burritos, sandwich with chips, corn, green beans, rice, salad, fruit, dessert, milk, Swiss steak, milk

Tuesday — Hamburger basket, Pizza, Corn Dogs, Turkey & gravy, sandwich with chips, corn, green beans, country potatoes, salad, fruit, dessert milk

Wednesday — Hamburger basket, pizza, burritos, sandwich with chips, Baked potatoes w/ chili, corn, green beans, broccoli & cheese, salad, fruit, dessert, milk

Thursday — Rib-B-Que basket, pizza, chef salad, sandwich with chips, chicken ala king, corn, green beans, mashed potatoes, salad, fruit, dessert milk,

Friday — Hamburger basket, pizza, burritos, sandwich with chips, Lasagna, corn, green beans, English peas, salad, fruit, dessert, milk

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Channel 6

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Kan.

Rennels called to inquire why Channel 6 was being moved, which she only found out about by reading Classic's programming calendar. Instead, she was coldly told what she had read was in fact a mistake. Channel 6 wasn't being moved, it was being terminated.

"You mean you haven't got a letter from the corporate office?" the voice on other end asked.

The letter came the next day, notifying Rennels that Classic Cable didn't have room for Channel 6. Sept. 13 would have been its last day.

"If the station had closed, I would have had to leave," Rennels said. "This is more than a business. It's our home. The kids have worked here all their lives."

Channel 6 has been the ears and eyes of Muleshoe for 16 years, operating out of a cramped attic studio in the Rennels' home.

Originally, it was just some-

thing to keep Rennels' father busy after he was let go by a local radio station.

Gil Lamb had been reporting the local news on local radio stations as a part of a program called the Mule Train since 1956. The name came from a 1949 song by Frankie Lane.

"I've never seen anyone who loved a town like he did," said Rennels of her father, who was still doing the news when he passed away at age 83 in 1990.

Since that first day in May of 1980, three generations of homespun broadcasters have covered in tedious detail everything from city parades to bake sales to honor roll students, from Mule football games to Friday night fish fries.

Channel 6 has been the subject of stories on nearly every major network.

"We just don't have anything like her," said Howell, who made a personal visit to the Channel 6 studio earlier this month. "I was impressed. We just didn't realize what she does."

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

Two Christmases ago my son, Joshua, who was then three, and I watched our neighbors spend hours cutting, painting, and arranging their wooden yard decorations. The pride and excitement radiated from their children's eyes when they saw how their hard work had produced a beautifully decorated yard that would remind everyone that drove by that it was Christmas!

The next morning, however, the excitement turned to tears as they opened the front door to find their beautiful decorations broken and scattered across the lawn. Those children as well as my son had their first experience with mischievous vandalism.

It was not a fun lesson to learn, and it was an even harder one to explain, for we truly had a hard time understanding it ourselves. Perhaps the kids that did it just didn't think about who they would be hurting. Maybe they thought it was "fun" to mess up other people's hard work. Basically, they had failed to learn a very important lesson: Respect other people's property.

Recently, my son and the rest of my family have had to learn this lesson again. Joshua's

"Pa" (granddaddy) is running for state representative. We have all had fun working together — family and friends — to achieve our goal. Joshua has watched as some of our close friends have turned their garage into a sign shop. They spend hours making "Pa" signs for people's yards.

It seems that some people don't like these signs, though. Some have been run over by a pickup, one was stolen from a couple's yard, and a third was torn up and left on the front lawn.

This time, it's even harder to explain, though, because it's not kids being mischievous — it's "grown-ups" being malicious. I simply have to keep teaching him that God sees all things and that nothing is truly done in secret.

A special note to whomever is responsible for these actions: You might think, before you do this again, about whom you are truly hurting. It is not Hollis Cain ... it is his grandkids who are not yet old enough to understand why someone would tear up "Pa's" signs. The rest of us will continue to "raise Cain" until Nov. 5!

Sincerely,
Cathy Hill
Dimmitt

Group discounts being offered for Texas Tech football games

LUBBOCK — The Committee for Champions is challenging Muleshoe to purchase tickets for three home Texas Tech football games this season.

Texas Tech is offering a group discount rate for the Utah State game on Sept. 28 at 6:30 p.m. and the Southwestern Louisiana game on Nov. 16 at 1 p.m. The game against Baylor is Texas Tech's homecoming and the group tickets are sold out. Game times are subject to change for television.

With the purchase of 1-19

tickets, the price of each ticket in sections 102 or 108 is \$15. If 20 or more tickets are purchased, the cost of the tickets is

\$10 each, which is half off the regular ticket price. The discount rate is part of the Com-

mittee for Champions' plan to include Muleshoe in the promotion of Texas Tech football.

For more information about ticket sales or to purchase tickets, call the Texas Tech ticket office at (806) 742-4412.

"The Bell Tolls" This Week for Our Friend

John Donne, the English poet and clergyman, lived and wrote during Europe's horrible plague years, the years ravaged by "the Black Death." As people were dying by the thousands, tolling church bells bore witness to death upon death. It was with this grim backdrop that Donne wrote these now-familiar words:
"No man is an island, entire of

ical death and into eternity. We are all His creations. We are all uniquely gifted by Him.

This week in our community we've heard the "bell" toll loudly. Terry Hutto was the friend of our entire community. He was an absolutely unique creation of God who added color to our world. Now part of that color is missing, and we feel the loss.

Terry was the fellow you could count on to make you smile even if you were nursing what you were sure was a terminal case of flu.

He was the guy who cracked jokes while you were the human rat on the treadmill sweating out your physical.

He was the guy who could get away, better than anybody I've ever seen, with a vial of your blood almost before you missed it.

He was the Scoutmaster who made sure your child could go to camp when he suspected you didn't have the dollars to send him.

He was the Rotary song leader who could come up with 1,001 ways to sing "Vive le Rotary" and 1,002 ways to murder "Home on the Range." (His rendition of that old tune brought tears to many eyes!)

Terry had some dear and very close friends, but in our town, he was, in one way or another, everybody's friend.

It was also John Donne who wrote, "One short sleep past, we wake eternally, / And death shall be no more; Death, thou shalt die."

I believe it! So did Terry.

Curtis Shelburne is minister of the 15th & D Church of Christ in Muleshoe.



Focus On Faith
Curtis Shelburne

itself; every man is a piece of the continent, a part of the main. If a clod be washed away by the sea, Europe is the less, as well as if a promontory were, as well as if a man of thy friend's or of thine own were. Any man's death diminishes me because I am involved in mankind, and therefore never send to know for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for thee."

I believe that at least part of what Donne was saying is that every person who has ever lived is a totally unique creation of God invested by Him with tremendous worth. If Christianity is true, then none of us, as C. S. Lewis once wrote, has ever come face to face with a mere mortal. Every person given the gift of life by his Maker was designed to live on past phys-

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Good Luck Mules!

PUBLIC RECORD

OBITUARIES

Terry J. Hutto

MULESHOE — Funeral services for Terry J. Hutto, 40, of Muleshoe, were held Saturday, Sept. 14, at the First Baptist Church with the pastor, the Rev. Stacy Conner, officiating and the Rev. Charles Davenport, of the First Baptist Church of Tulia and Kent Hayhurst of Jefferson St. Church of Christ of Hobbs, N.M., assisting.

Burial was in the Rose Hill Cemetery at Tulia, under the direction of the Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

Pallbearers were Bruce Purdy, Gary Gilleland, Scott Burrow, Doug Jordan, Bruce Barrett, Roger Williams, Barry Cowart and David Tipps.

Mr. Hutto died Wednesday, Sept. 11, at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, after an illness.

He was born May 26, 1956 in Tulia. He married Debbi Vaughn, Aug. 14, 1977 in Tulia.

He was a member of the Muleshoe Rotary Club, a Ro-

tary Paul Harris Fellow, Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club and the Medical Laboratory Technician of the American Society of Clinical Pathologist. He was also a member of the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe. He was a Scout Master for the Muleshoe Boy Scouts. He had lived in Muleshoe since 1979, moving from Amarillo.

Survivors include his wife, Debbi of Muleshoe; one son, Terry James Hutto, II, of Muleshoe; one daughter, Candace Dee Hutto of Muleshoe; his mother, Joan Hutto of Tulia; one brother, Gary Hutto of Grand Junction, Colo.; one sister, Julia James of Clarendon.

The family suggest memorials to the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe, the Terry J. Hutto Scholarship Fund through the First Baptist Church or your favorite charity.

BIRTHS

Christopher Riley Richards

Pam and Dean Richards of Sudan announce the birth of a

son born Sept. 10, 1996, in the Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

Christopher Riley Richards weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. at birth. He has an older brother, Zachary, 3 years of age.

Grandparents include Kenneth and Mamie Richards of Sudan, Jerry and Sharri Hodges of Lubbock and Chester and Phyllis McLain of Ft. Worth.

Great-grandparents include Glen and Ceil McLain of Childress, Vesta Hunt of Sudan and Mae DuBois of Lubbock.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS

The Muleshoe Area Medical Center has reported the following admissions:

Sept. 6 — Timothy Conner, Chyenne Peterman, Maud Sowder, Chloe Walker, Inez Rule, Ross Feagley

Sept. 7 — Maud Sowder, Chloe Walker, Inez Rule, Ross Feagley

Sept. 8 — Maria Cuevas, Juan Rodriguez, Maud Sowder, Inez Rule

21, cited for driving without a license and having no proof of insurance.

Sept. 9 — Jesus Ramiro Orozco, 28, charged with assault of a family member.

Sept. 10 — Dickie Lee Garner, 42, charged with public intoxication.

Sept. 11 — Frank "Frankie" Delgado, 21, charged with driving while intoxicated.

Sept. 11 — Peggy Sue Ledesma, 25, charged on local warrants with two counts of theft by check.

Sept. 11 — Francisco Ernest Castillo Maestas, 35, charged with assault of a family member.

County Sheriff's Office
Aug. 27 — Samuel Fernandez, 42, charged with

failure to appear in Webb County on an original charge of driving while intoxicated.

Aug. 27 — Darel Wayne Cook, 29, charged on a Midland County warrant with theft by check.

Aug. 28 — David Rolando Garcia, 35, charged with contempt of court.

Aug. 31 — Stephanie Lee Dickerson, 32, charged with public intoxication.

Sept. 1 — Juan Stephen Anaya, 26, charged with possession of marijuana.

Sept. 7 — Niki Yaphet Davis, 25, charged with driving with a suspended license.

Sept. 10 — Luis Carrasco Garcia, 22, charged with public intoxication.

City

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Johnnie Cox told the city council that the increase is needed to pay for system upgrades, rising production cost, and safety maintenance.

Energas serves about 1,733 customers in within the city limits, according to Cox.

Natural gas is commonly used for water heating, comfort heating and cooking.

Energas' last rate hike was in 1994.

POLICE LOG

ARRESTS

City Police

Aug. 31 — Roberto Valles Vargas, 19, was cited for driving without a license and having no proof of insurance.

Aug. 31 — Laticia Gonzales, 23, cited with driving without a license and unsafe backing.

Aug. 31 — Antonio Garcia, Jr., 21, charged on a local warrant with having no proof of insurance.

Aug. 31 — Dickey Lee Garner, 42, charged with driving while intoxicated and driving with a suspended license.

Sept. 3 — Fernando "Fernie" Cabrera, 19, charged on a local warrant with failure to pay a fine.

Sept. 7 — Eliseo Molina,

Community calendar

For more information, call Norma Perez at 272-4528

The deadline to appear in the Journal's Community Calendar is Thursday at 5 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 16
Round Dancing, 8-10 p.m., Civic Center.

Rheta White, beginner's soil painting, 213 E. Fir, 7-9 p.m.

Tuesday, Sept. 17
Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., 723 W. Ave. E. For more information, call 272-3002.

Rebekahs, 7:30 p.m., Rebekah Lodge.

The Rotary Club, 12-1 p.m., Bailey County Coliseum meeting room.

Senior Citizen Dance, American Legion Hall, 8 p.m.

Rheta White, beginner's soil painting, 213 E. Fir, 10 a.m.

Beta Sigma Phi Alpha Zeta Phi, 7:30.

Beta Sigma Phi Zeta Rho, 7:30.

Thursday, Sept. 19
Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., 723 W. Ave. E. For more information, call 272-3002.

Oddfellows, 8 p.m., Oddfellows Lodge.

TOPS, 6 p.m., Church of Christ.

Square dancing, Civic Center, 8-10 p.m.

Chamber meeting, 5:30-7:30.

Rheta White, watercolor painting, 213 E. Fir, 9:30-12:30 p.m.

Friday, September 20
Kiwanis, 6:30-8 a.m., Snack Shack.

MHS Soph. class, homecoming pre-game dinner, high school cafeteria, 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, September 21
Rotary car show, coliseum.

Editor's note: The Community Calendar appears in Sunday's Bailey County Journal.

Combest earns Farm Bureau award

WASHINGTON, D.C. — U.S. Representative Larry Combest (R-Texas) expressed thanks to local Farm Bureau members for selecting him as a "Friend of Farm Bureau," based on his voting record on behalf of farmers. Combest, a senior member of the House Agriculture Committee, occupies a key position in setting agricultural policy during this year's enactment of the new 7-year Farm Bill.

"Each time I tackle the concerns of agriculture, I am mindful of lessons learned growing upon our family farm, my early experiences helping farmers as a USDA employee, and the knowledge learned in shaping agricultural policy over the years," said Combest. "The work is very satisfying when you know you have made a positive difference for a farming family but it is even better to hear, 'job well done' from folks who are closely watching how I do this."

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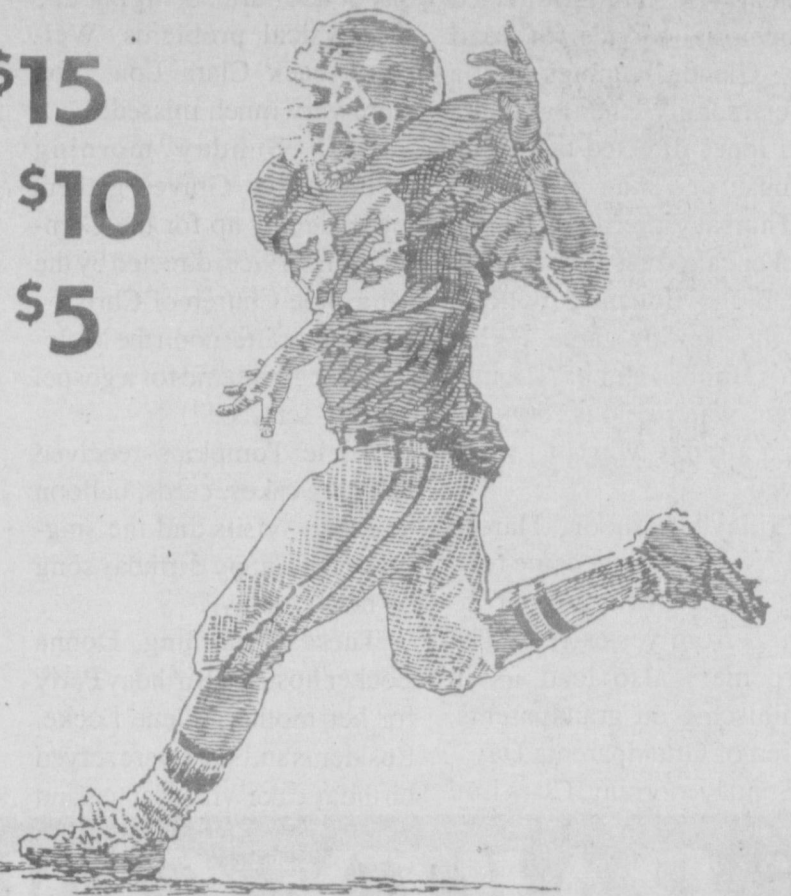
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NURSING HOME NEWS

By Joy Stancell

Thursday morning, Sept. 5, Pastor David McIntire directed a memorial service for Pearl Cox. Glenda Jennings sang a special song. Glenda and Clara Lou Jones directed the group in music and song.

Thursday afternoon, Donna Locker called the numbers for our Bingo Bonanza. Following the exciting game, (What is this Hubba - Hubba?) home-grown watermelons, donated by Yaunda Martin, were served.

Friday afternoon, Harold and Avis Carpenter came for a sing-a-long, featuring our favorites from yester-year. The Carpenters also lead us in reminiscing on grandparents, in lieu of Grandparents Day.

Sunday morning, Clara Lou

Jones was back teaching Sunday School, after being out due to physical problems. Welcome back Clara Lou. You were very much missed!

Each Sunday morning Willie Maye Graves gathers the residents up for the Communion service, directed by the Muleshoe Church of Christ.

Sunday afternoon the Muleshoe Singers came for a gospel singing service.

Adele Tompkins received birthday cakes, cards, balloon bouquets, visits and the singing of the Happy Birthday song on her birthday.

Tuesday morning, Donna Locker hosted a Birthday Party for her mother, Alene Locke. Residents and staff were served birthday cake with peaches and

punch.

Wednesday morning, Buster and Wanda Kittrell hosted Coffee-Donut/Table Talk time. Following coffee time, the residents moved down to the living room area, near the piano, for a gospel sing-a-long, lead by Buster, with Loyce Killingsworth, on the piano and Jim Claunch as assistant, song leader. Bro. Cliff Hargrove, minister of the First Baptist Church of Sudan, gave the devotional.

Wednesday afternoon Glenda Jennings and Jonessa Brockman came for our Sing-a-long/Puppet show. Retha Knowles, Ruby Garner and Tinnie McCormick all joined in the singing along with the residents.

Sallie Robinson visited Lola Goodnough recently.

Recent visitors to the Healthcare center were Billie Powell, Marilyn Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hutton.

Mrs. Earl Routon visited Lora Dale Wednesday afternoon. Lora's daughter, Yaunda Martin, also visited Wednesday.

Wednesday afternoon, ladies from the 16th and Ave. D Church of Christ baked and served homemade pies to the residents and staff.

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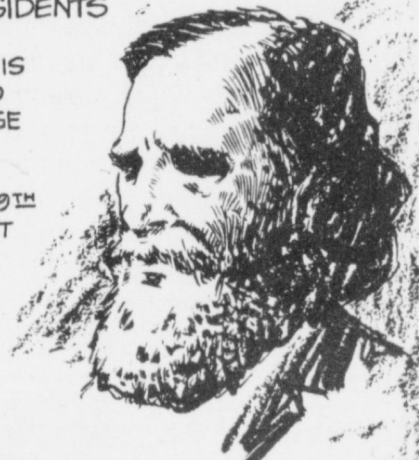
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Facts About The BIBLE BY JOHN LEHTI

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"THOU HAST THRUST SORE AT ME THAT I MIGHT FALL; BUT THE LORD HELPED ME."
PSALM 118:13



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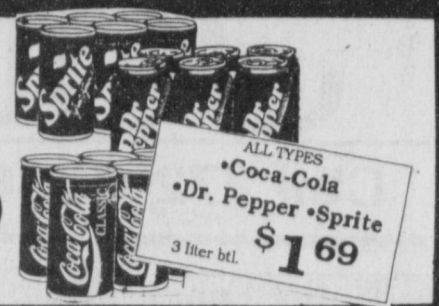
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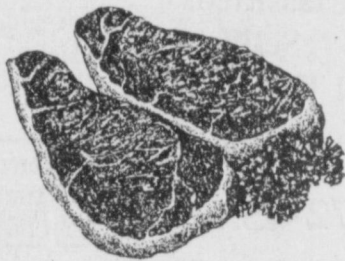
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