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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

The lonely heart's club

The U.S. Census Bureau missed a heart in northeastern New Mexico.

The bureau reported in February that there were only four communities in the nation with the word "heart" in their names. Corazón wasn't on the list.

Corazón — Spanish for "heart" — is in San Miguel County, about 40 miles southeast of Las Vegas. But there isn't much left of the community — mostly rubble and old wooden rafters.

For the record, the four "heart" places listed by the bureau were Heart Butte, Mont.; Sacred Heart, Minn.; South Heart, N.D.; and Heartwell, Neb.

No ordinary ornament

Since 1947, Henry Marek of Ludington, Mich., has kept a World War I-era cannon in his front yard. Over the years it has become a Mason County landmark.

But a Defense Department worker happened to notice the cannon recently, knocked on Marek's door and told him that the cannon is government property. That means it could be seized and destroyed.

That's when Marek brought out his heavy gun — U.S. Rep. Pete Hoekstra, who has ridiculed the government's sudden interest in the weaponry.

"At a time when the Defense Department is fighting a war against terrorism, it seems strange they would want to fight Mr. Marek over an 80-plus-year-old cannon that was long-ago disabled," he said.



Drawing date: Wednesday, Feb. 20
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On this date in history

Feb. 19 — The flag of the republic is lowered at the state capitol, and the Republic of Texas ceases to exist (1846).

Feb. 22 — The U.S. Navy attacks Aransas Pass, Texas (1861).

Feb. 23 — Mexico's Gen. Santa Anna and his men surround the Alamo (1836).

Also on Feb. 23 — A treaty is signed between the Texans and the Cherokees (1836).

LOCAL WEATHER

After an unbelievable weekend, the National Weather Service is predicting temperatures back in the teens by Monday morning, with daytime highs stuck in the 40s from Tuesday through the rest of the week. Wednesday is expected to be windy along with a high temperature of a chilly 44, two degrees higher than Tuesday and four degrees warmer than Thursday.

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Missed your paper? Call carrier Yolanda Martinez at 272-6719 during business hours, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

Hospital's insurance change still causing discord

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

The Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board heard more condemnation of the district's new employee health-insurance plan Thursday night.

"One problem is just the quality of it, and I realize there may be reasons for some of that, and then there's the cost of it," Dr. Kyle Sheets said.

He related the story of his daughter's Jan. 24 back surgery, and his attempts to find out for sure that if he switched to the new plan immediately, coverage of the surgery would be comparable to that under the old plan.

He said several people assured him that it would be. Under the old plan, he said,

the family's out-of-pocket expense would have been slightly more than \$300, and that he has since found out that it could be more than \$5,000 under the new plan.

Jim Bone, district administrator, said the plan's second policy would cover most of that, but Sheets countered that in effect it wouldn't because of

the differences in pay methods.

Sheets also said two employees who have been treated under the new plan have been denied coverage when denial would not have been expected.

Bone said later that "nobody took this plan thinking it would see SWITCH on page 2

Meador praises adult-education students' drive

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Adrian Meador, former assistant school superintendent in Muleshoe, addressed students at the Muleshoe Adult Learning Center on Thursday.

Meador told the 15 students — some studying for GEDs and some in English as a Second Language — about the pride he takes in such programs because he can identify with them based on his own life.

"I was a country boy who just got by, and drove the tractor and fed the hogs," he said. Then he worked as a cowboy for a summer, and saw that some of his co-workers were old men who owned nothing more than a saddle and a pickup and had no family life.

"I decided I wanted something more in my life, and I see that you want something better, too," he said.

Looking around at the number of bilingual students in the group, Meador told those individuals that they are already a step ahead of where he began.

As a beginning school administrator in New Mexico, he said, he told the teachers that classrooms needed to become bilingual. At the time, the teachers opposed it, but he said within two or three years they came to agree with him.

Now, he added, the Spanish speakers in those classes realize their value because they can help others learn the language.

These days, jobs in all kinds of places — from classrooms to feedlots — pay more for workers who are bilingual, he said.

"The world is changing around us, and a lot of people don't realize it," Meador said. "The gringos don't always understand, you know?"

He said his cultural awareness dawned when he began working at an Indian pueblo and "there wasn't a word I recognized." Spanish and English share at least some words, he said, but at the pueblo he ran into a language wall as well as a religious wall (his students revered the ground,

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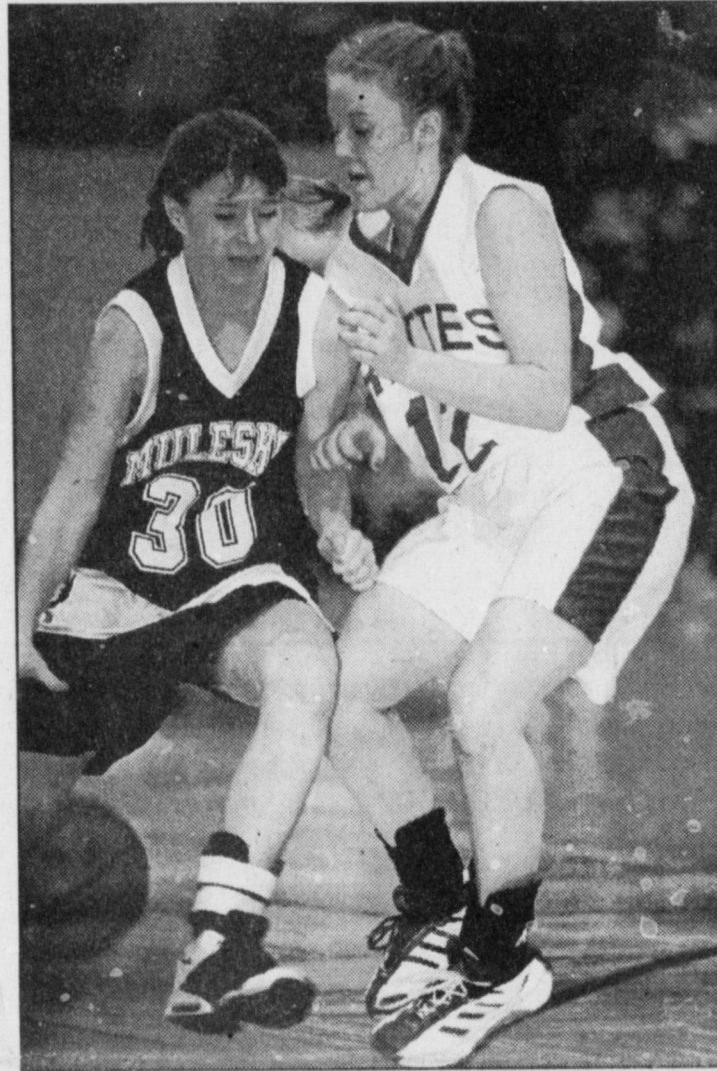
Muleshoe's Liles elected to top post in teacher group

AUSTIN — Muleshoe High School English teacher Alice Liles has been named president-elect of the 44,000-member Texas Classroom Teachers Association.

She was elected Feb. 8 during the group's annual convention in Richardson. Her term begins June 1, and she is scheduled to become president of the association a year later. Her term as president also will last one year.

Liles has served as president of the Muleshoe Classroom Teachers Association for 10 years, and has served in many capacities at the state level as well.

She holds a bachelor's degree from Texas A&M University and a master's from the University of Houston-Victoria.



Journal photo: Mike Hahn

Last-game hustle

Tori Barton shows some aggression in the Lady Mules' 50-46 Friday-night loss to Perryton. Muleshoe was ranked No. 5 in the state to Perryton's No. 2 going into the game, and despite the loss, the 27-6 record gave the team more wins than any previous Lady Mule team. Perryton faced Ballinger on Friday night.

City withdraws offer to dairy supply

The Muleshoe City Council voted Tuesday to withdraw the offer of \$50,000 in taxpayer money extended to the Quality Guys, a dairy-supply business that Stanley Jones had

proposed relocating to Muleshoe from Littlefield.

Janet Claborn, city economic development officer, said the business notified her that it would not make the move for \$50,000.

Proposed dairy near Progress seeks taxpayer help

The board of the Muleshoe Economic Development Corp. met Thursday to discuss helping the latest dairy to seek public funds to build a facility.

This one would be near Progress, on U.S. 70-84.

Developers Stanley Jones and Joel Shearer have said it will be the "Taj Mahal" of area dairies, though apparently not as large as originally planned.

Janet Claborn, city economic development director, said the permit applica-

tion involves 2,400 head. Board members said they had been told to expect as many as 5,000 to 6,000 head.

A committee is expected to study the partners' financial data and report to the board within a few days.

Rainbow Room open, needing public support

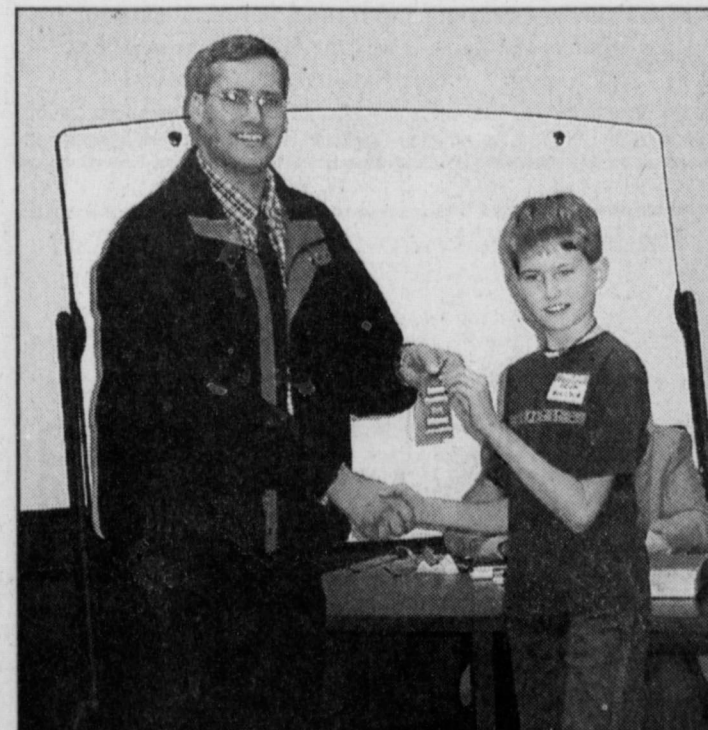
The Muleshoe Rainbow Room has opened at 1620 W. American Blvd.

The facility provides support services (such as clothing and food) for limited-resource and/or abused children in Bailey County.

An open house has been scheduled for 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. April 18.

Services will be coordinated with Children's Protective Services and other agencies committed to improving the quality of life for needy young people.

Financial donations are being accepted at Muleshoe State Bank.



Courtesy photo

Spelling champ

Devin Bullock accepts his ribbon from Assistant Superintendent Don Wood after the fifth-grader was declared the overall spelling champion at DeShazo Elementary School last week.

AROUND MULESHOE

Little League sign-ups scheduled

Muleshoe Little League sign-ups begin March 7 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the Watson Junior High gymnasium.

Players must be 6 years old by July 31 and no older than 12 by July 31. In order for the child to sign up, parents must be present with a birth certificate and a registration fee of \$25 per child.

Future sign-ups are scheduled for March 19 and at tryouts. More information is available by calling Leslie Kerby at 272-5153.

Wrestling club being organized

A Muleshoe Wrestling Club for students ages 5 to 15 is being organized, and adult volunteers and coaches are needed as well as children interested in wrestling.

The group will compete as members of Texas USA Wrestling, affiliated with USA Wrestling.

More information is available by calling Gary Sirkel at 965 2873 (evenings).

Public calendar

Feb. 25 — Start of early voting in person for the March 12 Democratic and Republican primaries; at the county clerk's office.

Feb. 26 — 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Practical parenting program in Spanish; speaker is Soila Reyes of Catholic Family Services. Child care, door prizes.

Feb. 28 — 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Retirement reception for Duane Lloyd, in the Bailey County Coliseum.

Also on Feb. 28 — 7 p.m. Muleshoe Area Industrial Foundation annual meeting in the Bailey County Coliseum. Several items will be discussed and voted on; light refreshments planned. RSVP Wanda Hooten at 272-4251.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I want to take time to tell you how much my husband and I appreciate what Dr. Thomas Smith and his staff did for my daughter, Holly.

I was very hesitant to stop in Muleshoe with my very ill daughter, but I also knew that we could not go any further without help.

We have had horrible experiences at hospitals, and I was afraid of your small-town hospital.

Dr. Smith and his staff gave my daughter the utmost professional care. Words cannot express how grateful we are that they were there for us.

Holly was admitted to the pediatrics intensive-care unit at University Hospital in Lubbock. She was able to recover faster than anyone imagined. She was released to go home to recover the next day. Your hospital staff had done everything perfectly, and this contributed to her quick recovery.

Holly is a freshman at South Plains College in Levelland. She is a music major and is on the dean's list. She is beautiful, talented and has a wonderful future ahead of her.

She is also cherished and loved by a host of family and friends, and we all just want to say thanks.

I thank God that Dr. Smith and the staff were there for us last Monday.

MELVA DUFFIELD
Clovis

Dear Editor,

We have recently read comments critical of our local hospital and medical personnel.

We recognize that people have varying experiences and perceptions—and they are entitled to their opinions. We would like to offer ours, which offer an alternative viewpoint.

Were it not for the hospital personnel and especially the EMS workers, we would not have had the past 10 years together.

We owe them Buck's life, which they saved during an emergency trip to Methodist Hospital 10 years ago.

Since that time, we have relied upon their abilities

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deny benefits to employees." Both he and Sharon Novak, the district's chief financial officer, said it is too early in the process to know what will be covered.

Board member Paul Wilbanks said his pharmacy staff spends a good deal of time bringing the insurer's staff up to speed on drugs.

EDUCATION

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plants, animals, etc.)

"I realized I had a culture, too, and I hadn't known it," he said. "We're all the same—we have different jobs to do, but I'm no better than you, you're no better than me."

Sharon Grant, the instructor at the center, said of her students: "They don't know how much I admire them" and related that one of the GED students is a 63-year-old woman who raised 11 children.

"These young women are showing their children—

"I think this is such a young spinoff that they don't know what the hell they are doing," he added.

Several people said that if anyone can be of help, they should step forward.

"That means actual names of actual companies willing to talk to us," board member Arline Phelps said.

especially the girls—what they can do," Grant said.

Meador said he recently was inspired by an 83-year-old who got her diploma.

"Your education should never stop," he said. "If you get through this piece of it, there's always another piece waiting for you."

"I'm just so proud of you, seeing you in here studying and operating a computer—that computer opens another door for you," he added, "and with every door you pass through, there'll be another one open."

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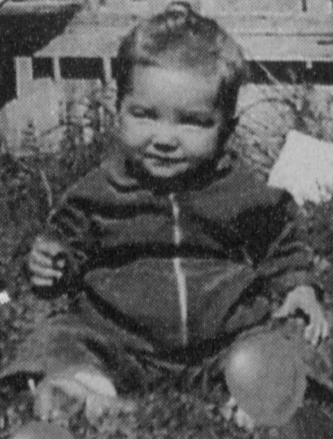
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Employee of the month

Gathered to honor Keta Cox as the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce employee of the month for February are (from left) Chris Schraeder, chamber president Mike Holt, chamber manager Jan Thompson, Cox, Sherri Harrison and George Nieman.

OBITUARIES

ADELINA FLORES

Graveside services were held Monday at Muleshoe Memorial Park for Adelina "Nana" Flores, 64, of San Angelo. The Rev. Joe Augustine officiated.



Mrs. Flores was born Dec. 16, 1937, at Paint Rock, Texas. She died Feb. 14 in San Angelo.

She married Aliredo Flores on Feb. 4, 1955, in Brady, Texas. He died Dec. 27, 1988.

She operated the Damron restaurant in Muleshoe for several years before retiring

in 1988.

Mrs. Flores is survived by a son, Alfredo Flores Jr. of Muleshoe; a daughter, Susie Garcia of San Angelo; three brothers; five sisters; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

EVELENE HARRIS

Services were held Friday at Muleshoe Church of Christ for Evelene Harris, 64, of Muleshoe. Harry Riggs and the Rev. Jeff Coffman officiated. Burial was in Muleshoe Memorial Park.

Ellis Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Mrs. Harris was born Sept. 21, 1937, in Muleshoe. She died Wednesday at Covenant Medical Center in

Lubbock.

She married Wayland Harris on July 15, 1956, in Muleshoe. He died Oct. 8, 1993.

Mrs. Harris was a member of the Muleshoe Church of Christ, Muleshoe TOPS and the Jennyslippers. She was an employee of the Texas Workforce Commission.

She previously had been society editor of the *Muleshoe Journal*.

Mrs. Harris is survived by a son, Kenneth Harris of Muleshoe; four daughters, Sharon Williams of Lubbock, Cindy Cargile of Farwell and Marilyn Gable and Denna Bass, both of Plainview; two sisters, Ruby

PUBLIC RECORD

MULESHOE POLICE

Feb. 9 Joel Martin Goss, 37, no driver's license.

Feb. 11 Steven Wesley Gore, 37, no driver's license.

Aureliano Zaragosa González, 20, DWI (first).

Feb. 12 Manuel Antonio Chavira, 23, DWI (first).

Francisco Garza Rodríguez, 61, public intoxication; immigration hold.

Feb. 16 Isidro DeLaRosa Villezcas, 27, public intoxication; immigration hold.

Feb. 16 Delegario Tovar, 19, no driver's license.

Louisa Recio Elliott, 31, warrant for theft by check (bonded out).

Ambrosio Rojas, 50, no financial responsibility; expired motor vehicle inspection (bonded out).
Rene Casas Robles, 56, DWI (second).

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Feb. 17 Guerro Faudoa, 19, driving under the influence; no driver's license.

Luis E. Morales, 17, public intoxication.

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ROTARY NEWS

The Muleshoe Rotary Club met Feb. 12 at the Bailey County Coliseum. President Wanda Hooten presided.

The prayer was led by Curtis Shelburne, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by David Tipps. Members sang "God Bless America."

The club welcomed the spouses of Rotarians who were able to attend. The club also gave a big "thank you" to LaVonne Henderson, who prepared a special meal and decorated tables to celebrate Valentine's Day.

Walter Hughes of the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club visited.

February students of the month Elizabeth Castorena and Stephan Shelburne were introduced by Candace Hutto, Rotary sweetheart.

Other visitors were Dr. Tom Smith with Jim Boue, Maurine Hooten with Robert Hooten, Julie Cage with J.D. Cage, Diane Nieman and Tim McCormick with George Nieman, Judy

Wilbanks with Paul Wilbanks, Sherry Carter with Don Carter, Linda Saxton with Bill Saxton and Susie Sowder with Criss Cleavinger.

The "Larry B. Hall I-Forgot-the-Program Award" was presented to Don McElroy for not providing a program for the Jan. 8. Hooten said he accepted the award with great dignity and aplomb.

Mike Cleavinger reminded the club that Feb. 18 was the next national holiday on the flag project schedule. Rotarians were to place flags at participating busi-

nesses in honor of President's Day.

Tim McCormick's application for membership was posted for the week.

George Nieman, in charge of the week's program, invited Jack Henderson to entertain with music during the hour.

Rotarians in charge of the next three programs are Thurman Myers (Feb. 19), Jean Petty (Feb. 26) and Bruce Purdy (March 5).

The Hunger Plus Winner for the week was Bill Saxton, who adjourned the meeting by leading the club in the four-way test.

BIRTH

PARKER

Chad and Kara Parker of Muleshoe are the parents of a son, Kelan Allen Parker, born at 2:04 p.m. Oct. 28 at Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis.

He weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Sid and Beverly Felán and Larry and Kristi Parker, all of Muleshoe, and Jerria

Beasley of Portales.

Great-grandparents include Jerry and Faye Beasley of Snyder, Corkey and Vearly Biggerstaff of Brownfield and Herton and Doris Parker of Muleshoe.

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THE PRINCES OF JUDAH HAVE CONSPIRED TO CONTINUE IDOL WORSHIP IN THE TEMPLE AT JERUSALEM. THEY HAVE CONVINCED KING JOASH THAT HIS COUSIN, ZECHARIAH, MUST BE KILLED FOR PREACHING AGAINST IDOLATRY, NOW

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Billie Hazen pauses during her bridal shower.

Bridal shower honors Hazen

Billie Hazen of Canyon, the bride-elect of Lance Latham of Dalhart, was honored with a bridal shower Feb. 10 at 16th and D Church of Christ.

Special guest was Linda Hunt, the groom's aunt.

Hostesses were Vicki Black, Regena Clarkson, June Conway, Starla Ellis, Cherry Estep, Charlotte Field, Amy Gilliland, Terri Hahn, Jan Morris, Iva Noble, Juana

Shelburne, Diane Skipworth, Lenda Trussell, Nelda Wilhite and Carol Williams.

The hostess gift was a charcoal grill.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Jerry and Donna Hazen of Mosquero, N.M. The prospective groom is the son of Gaylord and Linda Latham of Muleshoe.

The wedding is scheduled for March 2 at Grace Baptist Church in Canyon.

Worship band to top Wayland weekend

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL
PLAINVIEW — MercyMe will headline a March 22 concert as part of Wayland Baptist University's Big Weekend on the Plainview campus.

Opening acts will be Ten Shekel Shirt and The Normals.

The concert begins at 7:30 p.m. in Herral Auditorium.

MercyMe began in 1994 and recorded a 1995 independent album — *Pleased To Meet You* — and followed that up with *Traces of Rain* in 1997 and 1998, *The Need* and *The Worship Project* in 1999 and *Look* in 2000. Their first label album, *Almost There*, was released in 2001.

The band is probably best known for its single "I Can Only Imagine," released on *The Worship*

Project. The song has been a chart topper on several Christian radio stations, and Amy-Grant approached the band for rights to record the song.

Tickets for the concert are \$10 and are available at the Wayland University Store, (806) 291-3615.

In Lubbock, tickets can be purchased at Lifeway Christian Store, 797-4186 or Family Christian Stores, 745-4995.

In Amarillo, tickets are available at Family Christian Stores, 358-7651, or at High Plains Religious Bookstore, 353-5521.

Tickets are included in the \$20 Big Weekend package for high school juniors and seniors who attend the weekend, including meals and lodging in dormitories.

The family of
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would like to thank you for the kindness shown our family at the loss of our loved one.
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TODAY'S RECIPE

COMPOTE OF MIXED CITRUS

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Pummelos and blood oranges have been available at area grocers this winter.)

- 1 pummelo or one its hybrids, such as Oroblanco
- 2 red grapefruit
- 3 blood oranges
- 2 navel oranges
- 4 satsuma tangerines, clementines or other mandarins
- 3 large kumquats or limequats, sliced into rounds

3 Tbsp. sugar
Orange flower water or orange liqueur, to taste

Mint sprigs or orange blossoms and leaves (for garnish)

With a citrus zester, remove several strands of zest (the outer peel) from one of each type of citrus fruit except the kumquats.

Put the zest in a saucepan with the kumquats, sugar and half a cup of water (or extra citrus juice).

Bring to a boil, then lower the heat and simmer for 15 minutes, until syrupy. Turn off the heat.

Peel the rest of the fruits by slicing off the tops and bottoms

of each, then working the knife down the sides just below the pith.

Remove the segments of the pummelo, along with their tough skins, working over a bowl to catch the juice.

Slice the rest of the fruit into

rounds. Arrange slices on a platter or in a shallow bowl and pour the syrup or juice over it.

Drizzle with a few drops of orange flower water or orange liqueur, if they are being used.

Garnish.
Serves 6

HOROSCOPES

FEB. 24-MAR. 2

Pisces — Feb 19/March 20

If you don't gather up all of your facts, Pisces, someone could end up looking like a fool on Thursday. It could be you! Review your work and make sure there are no errors.

Aries — March 21/April 20

You need to be a team player when it comes to your job, Aries. Do your job as best you can, but let it be known that you stand by your teammates. Now's not the time for ego.

Taurus — April 21/May 21

Don't take anything too personally in the next couple of days, Taurus. It is not worth the headache it could cause. Focus on work and you'll make it through the week.

Gemini — May 22/June 21

Sometimes the most unselfish act involves letting others do things for you, Gemini. Stand back and let someone who usually hides in the shadows enjoy the spotlight.

Cancer — June 22/July 22

You can fix what has been broken if you are prepared to put in a little hard work, Cancer. Consider saving time by scaling back your goal to something a little more realistic. Or start over from scratch.

Leo — July 23/August 23

Something that you've long anticipated finally happens on Monday, Leo. Recognize the difference between a real commitment and a shallow promise made in a moment of joy.

Virgo — Aug 24/Sept 22

If you point out what people are doing right at work rather than how they are messing up, the team will become more efficient. You'll benefit most from this situation.

Libra — Sept 23/Oct 23

The world becomes an easy place in which to live this week, Libra. Throw aside your inhibitions and bask in your good fortune. Enjoy some moments of indulgence.

Scorpio — Oct 24/Nov 22

Believe it or not, you do have a choice in the way you react to the way someone thinks, even your boss, Scorpio. Don't let their sour mood ruin your day.

Sagittarius — Nov 23/Dec 21

Someone has been singing your praises, Sagittarius — unbeknownst to you. They're letting people know how well you've done your job and how no one could have done it better than you. Enjoy the compliments.

Capricorn — Dec 22/Jan 20

You may not think of yourself as harsh, Capricorn, but there are some things that you just can't tolerate. Ease up on the people around you. Realize that everyone has their quirks.

Aquarius — Jan 21/Feb 18

Right now you are in a good position to make a connection with someone who had previously been an adversary. Extend a hand and put aside your differences for a change.

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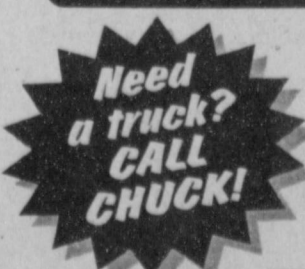


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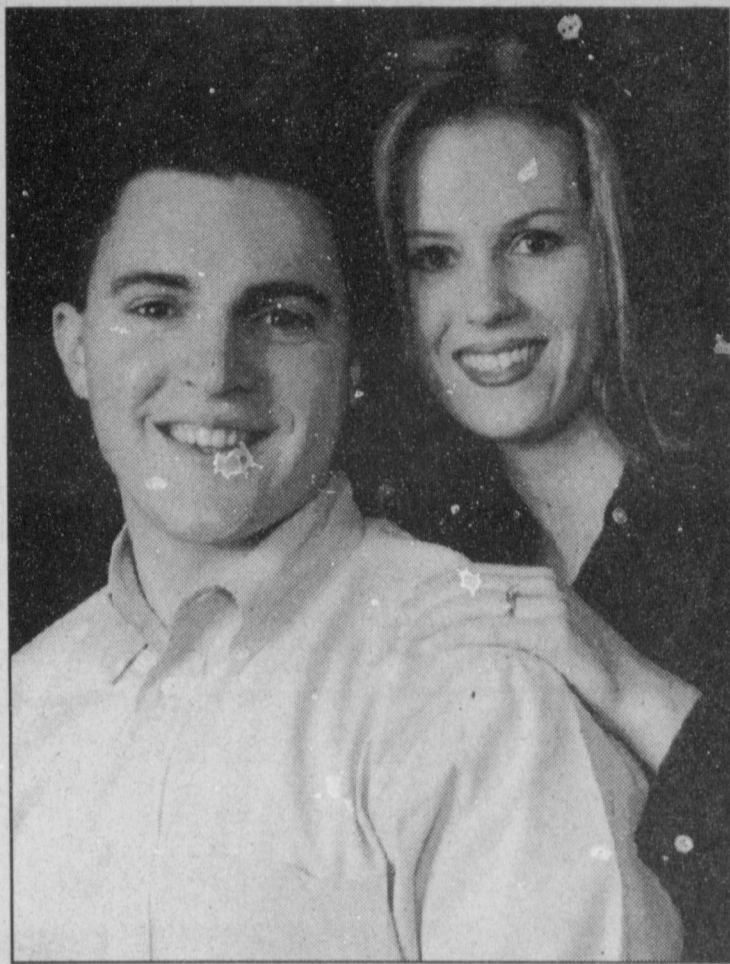
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Vic and Judy Coker of Earth announce the engagement of their daughter, Angie Coker, to Geoff Haney, son of Jere and Kathy Haney of Houston. The bride-elect is scheduled to graduate from Texas Tech University in May. She is employed at National Grain Sorghum Producers. The prospective groom also is scheduled to be a May graduate of Tech; he is employed at Archer Daniels Midland Co. The wedding is set for 4 p.m. May 18 at First United Methodist Church of Lubbock. A reception will be held in the church parlor immediately after the ceremony.

NURSING HOME NEWS

We wish to welcome new Park View residents Jack Hicks, born Nov. 13; Pauline Guinn (Nov. 8), Ottie Chester (July 9); Hazel McMahan (Sept. 13); and Frieda Locker (Feb. 16).

The Rev. Brad Reeves visited Jack Hicks Tuesday morning.

Debbie Hutto donated a great number of Bible cassette tapes.

Joe Embry, Harold Burge, Melvin Griffin and Buster Kittrell were among those visiting on Tuesday.

Harold and Mary Jo Burge and Buster and Wanda Kittrell served coffee, juice and doughnuts to the residents at coffee time Wednesday morning. Harold Burge read words of wisdom from Proverbs to the group.

Buster Kittrell, Jim Claunch, Loyce Killingsworth and Sherry Wisian directed the devotional.

Glenda Jennings and Jackie Scoggins directed the sing-along Wednesday afternoon in Park View's day room and the special-care unit.

Decorator's Floral arranged a big bouquet of fresh flowers and delivered it on Wednesday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Randy Thomas visited Thursday morning, and he performed love songs of the '50s and other songs.

The high school choir delivered singing Valentines throughout the day Thursday.

Theresa Stanford volunteered in the special care unit Thursday.

Bill Saxton hosted a pizza appreciation Valentine lunch for the staff Thursday.

Members of Trinity Baptist Church hosted a Valentine party Friday afternoon. Janet Denton entertained; Volunteers Plus gave each resident a box of chocolates. Janie Mosley honored her mother, Kathryn Hancock, with a birthday cake served at the party.

Melvin and Wanda Griffin and Harold and Mary Jo Burge directed bingo Saturday afternoon.

Members of the Muleshoe Church of Christ direct a Communion service every Sunday.

Buster Kittrell and Harold Burge teach the Bible study on Sunday morning.

Members of the Primitive Baptist Church came Sunday afternoon for a singing service.

The Rev. Gary and Judy Hubbard directed a memorial service for Rosie Martin on Tuesday

morning.

Beverly Wagnon, Claudine Embry, Josie Ovalle, Linda Nowell, Mary Jo Burge, Pat Watson and Eva Nell Dale shampooed and set the women's hair Tuesday afternoon. Norma Eaves gave nail care and hand-lotion therapy.

Mollie Johnston had visitors from Houston over the weekend.

Maude Young was visited Tuesday by her daughter and granddaughter, Annita H. and Caryn Leochner.



Brenda Guzman and daughter Madison pause during their baby shower.

Baby shower honors Guzmán

A baby shower honoring Madison Rae Guzmán, daughter of Filemón and Brenda Guzmán of Muleshoe, was held in the home of Ladonna Holmans.

Madison was born Nov. 15 in Lubbock.

A special guest was Madison's paternal grandmother, Gloria Guzmán.

Hostesses in addition to Holmans were Jan Morris, Sharon Riggs, Jean Richardson, Druscilla Hutton and Becky Jones.

The hostess gift was five outfits for Madison with matching shoes and socks.

'CREATIVE LIVING'

Information on furniture refinishing and computer projects for kids will be the topics on "Creative Living" at 1 p.m. Feb. 26 and 3 p.m. March 2. (All times are Central.)

"Creative Living" airs on public broadcasting station KENW-TV from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

Bruce Johnson of Asheville, N.C., a spokesperson for Minwax, will show the right products can transform old furniture into valuable antiques.

Deborah Durham of Los Angeles, a spokesperson for Hewlett-Packard, will discuss several projects for kids that involve computers, scanners, printers and lots of imagination.

Information on cooking with cherries and economizing with seafood will be the featured top-

ics on "Creative Living" at 10:30 p.m. Feb. 26 and 1 p.m. Feb. 28.

Pat Baird of Greenwich, Conn., a spokesperson for Northwest Cherry Growers, will talk about using sweet cherries all year long and share recipes using canned and frozen sweet cherries.

Marilyn Rose of the Bureau of Seafood in Jacksonville, Fla., will tell how to economize with seafood.

Viewers can request copies of materials from the show by sending a first-class stamp for each handout requested.

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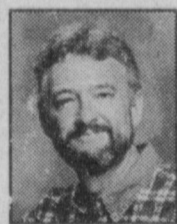
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Well, yes. But leading worship and worshipping are not the same things. And sometimes they are actually very difficult to do at the very same time. If you've tried, you know what I



Focus On Faith
Curtis Shelburne

mean. It's very easy for conscientious worship-leaders to get so caught up in the nuts and bolts of leading worship that they themselves hardly worship at all. Some of that can't be avoided. Oddly enough, trying to help worship flow smoothly, feel genuine and spontaneous, necessarily takes a great deal of the kind of planning, preparation, and hard work which is not spontaneous at all.

I am absolutely sure that the best worship, the truest worship, really occurs when that which we do and see and say and sing and hear in worship points beyond us, when everything that happens ceases to be the focus because through it we've been helped to focus on God. Worship happens when what we're doing or what is being done has helped us to forget about what we're doing and what is being done. And we focus on who He is, and what He has done. In worship, we open our hands to receive a

blessing, and He reaches down to give it. We lift our hands (literally, figuratively, or both), and He reaches down to impart His touch.

Sometimes, though we worship-leaders mean well, the way we structure worship makes worshipping harder. About the time worship really begins to happen, we short-circuit praise to call out hymn numbers. About the time we're really centering on the Healer of our souls, an ill-timed and lengthy announcement calls us back to Sis. Jenkins' gall bladder. We're just about to feast at the banquet prepared by God, and suddenly next Wednesday's church picnic takes center stage. We're about to really worship (though the service has already started), but then thoughts about worship intrude, tastes or scruples about forms of worship stifle, and the Life-connection that God graciously gives when we freely adore is lost when we slavishly focus on ourselves, our leaders, our rituals.

Make no mistake, the most important ingredient in worship has far less to do with the quality of the service than it does with the quality of the worshiper's heart, but leading worship is still a big responsibility. To plan worship. To structure worship. Do it badly, and a shoddy, ill-prepared service calls attention to its shoddiness. Plan it and execute it well, and even then, if our attitudes are wrong, the attention may focus on the messenger and not the Message, the singer and not the Song.

To worship can be tough. But it can also be breathtakingly beautiful if, only if, it helps us connect with the One who is all Beauty.

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



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Bring your favorite photo along with \$12 to the Muleshoe Journal office at 304 W. 2nd Street, Monday-Friday between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. or mail the coupon below along with your child's photo and \$12 to Cutest Baby Contest, c/o Muleshoe Journal, P.O. Box 449, Muleshoe, Texas 79347. You may pick up your baby's picture during office hours after Monday, April 1, 2002. Arrangements must be made to return photos by mail.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO PROPOSERS
Competitive Sealed Proposals for Muleshoe ISD Remodeling @ Four Campuses will be received by:
Mr. Sam Whalin, Facilities Director
At Muleshoe Independent School District
until 3:30 p.m., March 21, 2002.
Any proposals received after the proposal opening will be returned unopened. Mailed proposals should be addressed to:
Mr. Sam Whalin
Facilities Director
Muleshoe Independent School District
514 West Avenue G
Muleshoe, Texas 79347
A Preproposal Conference will be held March 5, 2002 at 10:00 a.m. at Watson Junior High School.
Plans, Specifications, and related documents may be acquired from **Adling Associates Architects**, 2529 74th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79423; (806)748-0880, Fax (806)748-0744.
Or
Muleshoe Independent School District
514 West Avenue G
Muleshoe, Texas 79347; (806)272-7400
The plan deposit will be \$50.00 per set.
The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any or all formalities.
Published in the Bailey County Journal February 24, 2002

NOTICE OF SALE
The Bailey County Commissioners Court will offer for sale by means of competitive bids, a 1972 Chevy Water Truck belonging to Fire Dept. (VIN #CCE532V123424). It can be inspected at the Old City Airport on Hwy 70.
All bids must be in writing, in sealed envelopes marked as follows: "Bid for 72 Chevy Water Truck," and submitted to the County Judge's office (300 S. 1st, Muleshoe) no later than 10:00 a.m., Monday, March 11, 2002.
The truck will sell "AS IS." The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
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FOR SALE

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LOTS IN SUDAN: The City of Sudan is accepting sealed bids on the following properties located in the 100 Block of West Highway 303 across from Sudan Elementary School.
Lot A: approximately 95' x 280' tract adjacent to Lot 1, Kent Acres
Lot B: approximately 95' x 150' frontage lot adjacent to above reference lot with a 55' x 130' additional tract on the back, northwest corner.
Please contact City Hall at 111 East First Avenue or 806-227-2112 for details. The City of Sudan reserves the right to reject any or all bids received.

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3 BR, office, 1 3/4 bath, 2 car gar., brick, 2,204 sq.ft., 10x20 storage house in back yard. Call for details: 272-5533 or 505-760-1245

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• 3-1-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, fans, 2 stor. bldgs., fenced yd.!! \$36.5K!! HL-1
• NICE 2-2-1+2 carport Home, built-ins, FP, Cent. A&H, 1987 lv. area, corner lot, wkshp./storage, fenced yd., MORE!! \$65K!! HL-2

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• 3-1 Home, corner lot, wall furn., heat, evap. air, hrdwood & carpet, new paint, fenced yd.!! \$24K!! HS-5
• VERY NICE 3-1-1 Brick, Heat pump, DW, nice carpets, fenced yd., MORE!! \$30's!! HS-1
• 3-2 Home, corner lot, fl. furn. heat, fenced yd. \$25K!! HS-10
• HWY. 84-2-1 1/2-2 Brick, Cent. Heat, win. air, built-ins, fans, workshop/storage, fenced yd., also good office location!! PRICED REDUCED!! 40K!! HS-2
• 3-1 Home, Fl. furnace, fans, storage & 2 apartments, corner lot!! \$35K HS-3
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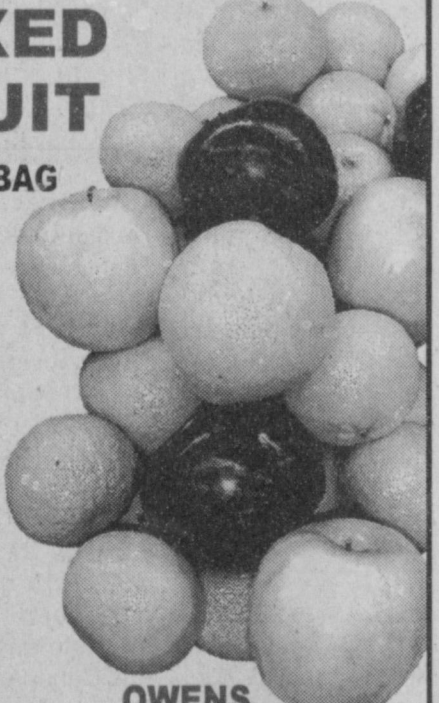
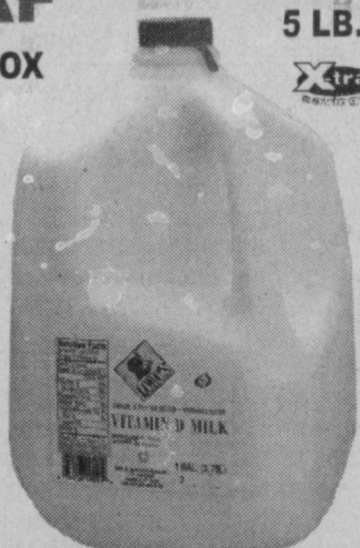
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