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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

### Holiday deadline changes

Because July 4th falls on Saturday, the Bailey County Journal will be printed a day early next week.

Advertising deadlines for the Sunday, July 5 Bailey County Journal will be noon Thursday.

The paper will be distributed on Friday.

### City rabies clinic July 3

The City of Muleshoe and the Muleshoe Animal Clinic are sponsoring a rabies clinic from 3-5 p.m., Thursday, July 2 at the old fire station across from the police department.

Rabies shots are \$10. Other shots will also be available.

Rabies shots must be updated each year and are required in order to obtain dog licenses.

### Cable has captive audience

NORRISTOWN, Pa. — State prison inmates pay less for cable TV than do subscribers on the outside, said Rep. John Lawless.

The difference is due to the bulk rates negotiated by prison officials.

"Right now, if you commit a crime, you get a break on your cable bill. It's outrageous," he said.

A survey found that prisoners pay an average of \$6 to \$10.25 monthly for basic service, compared with individual subscribers who pay \$11.08 to \$25.78, Lawless said.

Lawless is the sponsor of a measure to raise cable rates for prisoners.

### 'Cadillac' artist is back

AMARILLO — Stanley Marsh III's "Cadillac Ranch," a pop art automotive Stonehenge erected in a wheat field west of Amarillo, has been a tourist attraction since it was created in 1973.

Now Marsh, the 60-year-old heir to an oil and gas fortune, wants to do something to spruce up the prairie east of Amarillo. His idea is to paint the Panhandle sky with rainbows, a series of 50-foot-high structures, "giant hula hoops on a stem with water running through them," the Texas Journal of The Wall Street Journal quotes him as saying.

### LOCAL WEATHER

	High	low	Pre.
Tuesday	100	70	—
Wednesday	104	59	—
Thursday	103	72	—
Total to date	3.30 inches		

### EXTENDED FORECAST

Sunny and hot with highs in the low to mid 100's and low's in the 70's through the middle of the week.

## Senior citizen center proposal draws strong support

A proposal for building a senior citizens center in Muleshoe passed its first test Thursday as 67 residents showed up for an informational meeting held in the board meeting room at Muleshoe State Bank.

"I believe the showing tonight shows there is a strong interest in a senior citizens center," said Nancy Kidd, spokeswoman for a group of residents proposing the project.

Kidd said that a group of seniors

citizens began discussing the idea a year ago.

"Seniors need a place to go where they can eat with other seniors and not break their pocketbook doing it," Kidd said.

Preliminary discussions center on an 80 by 100 foot building that would include a full kitchen. Kidd said the project would be a multi-purpose center, and hopefully include things like arts & crafts, dances and other types of enter-

tainment.

Project organizers hope to fund the project through state and federal grants.

Kidd said her group met recently with City Manager James Fisher and "he responded in a positive way."

The city has discussed the possibility of donating land in the city park for building the center.

Susie Pierce, administrative assistant in charge of economic

development for the city, told the group that at this time the city does not have funds to allocate to the project.

"This is a long, drawn out process. I want you to understand that," said Pierce, who will assist the group by researching and writing grants. "We'd love to see it happen, but it's going to take a lot of work and a lot of volunteer time."

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### Water world

Fabian Fabela of Muleshoe surfaces from a dive Thursday while swimming at the city pool as the string of 100-degree plus days continued this week.

## County faces tough decision on retirement

By RICK WHITE  
 Managing Editor

The Bailey County Commissioner's Court is in a no-win situation.

In order to meet its current co-pay retirement plan commitments, the County would have to increase its contribution by about \$20,000 a year, County Judge Marilyn Cox told the Commissioner's Court Wednesday during a special meeting. The alternative is cutting back the current co-pay ratio of the County's \$1.50 to every \$1 contributed by employees.

"First of all, the system is not broke," said Joseph Froh, deputy commissioner of communications with the Texas County & District Retirement System. The County currently has about \$1.648 million in its retirement account, according to Froh. "But trends are developing that have led actuaries to be concerned about future funding."

Froh said a low employee turnover rate is the biggest factor in forcing a change.

"Unfortunately, you are left in the unenviable position of having to choose between the taxpayers and your employees," Froh told the Court.

A third alternative is switching to a variable rate payment plan, according to Froh.

"The variable rate is more conservative because it relies more on the County actually putting dollars in the bank to fund the retirement plan rather than relying on personnel turnover," Froh said.

The County's mandatory retirement plan covers all full-time employees. County employees are eligible for retirement benefits after 30 years of service or when they reach 60 and have at least 12 years of service.

State statutes require government entities to

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## County applies for disaster relief

BY RICK WHITE  
 Managing Editor

Record-breaking temperatures and the driest spring on record have left many Bailey County farmers and ranchers in desperate shape.

Bailey County Judge Marilyn Cox last week wrote a letter to Texas Gov. George W. Bush asking that Bailey County be declared a "disaster area," which would make low-interest emergency loans available to eligible farmers and ranchers.

"Farmers are the financial lifeblood of this community and they are having a hard time," Cox said. "There's a bunch of people out there that are not going to be able to pay their taxes. They'll be doing well if they can buy groceries."

Bailey County received .81

inches of rain in April, May and June, according to the county Farm Service Agency. The average rainfall for the spring months is 6.328 inches.

The driest April-May-June quarter on record for Lubbock is 1.28 inches, according to the National Weather Service. The Hub City has seen .4 inches

this year.

Bailey County Extension agent Curtis Preston said farmland and pastures are in the worst shape he's seen "county-wide" since he became county agent in 1991.

Preston estimated that nearly half of the county's dryland acres will not be planted this

year because of the drought.

"In the past, we'd at least get some rain by this time so dryland farmers could plant milo," Preston said. "Bailey County is going to have about 129,000 acres that won't have anything."

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### Drought could have long-term implications

COLLEGE STATION — The drought of 1998 is impacting Texas rangelands and ranchers this year and possibly years to come, according to Dr. Wayne Hamilton, director for the Center of Grazingland and Ranch Management. But there are ways for ranchers to plan for and cope with drought.

The major droughts of the 1930s and 1950s caused significant declines in rangeland production during the droughts themselves, said Hamilton. However, they also had a lasting effect, according to research conducted by

Dr. Leo Merrill, former range scientist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Sonora and research that is still on-going.

"But following the drought, rangelands were never able to reach pre-drought levels if they were similarly stocked," Hamilton said.

Drought along with grazing by livestock and wildlife caused change in the composition in the vegetation, he said. It diminished the bunch grasses and favored the sod-forming

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### Cooling off

Manuel Bermea, 5, of Lazbuddie grabs a drink of cool water Thursday at Roger Miller Park.



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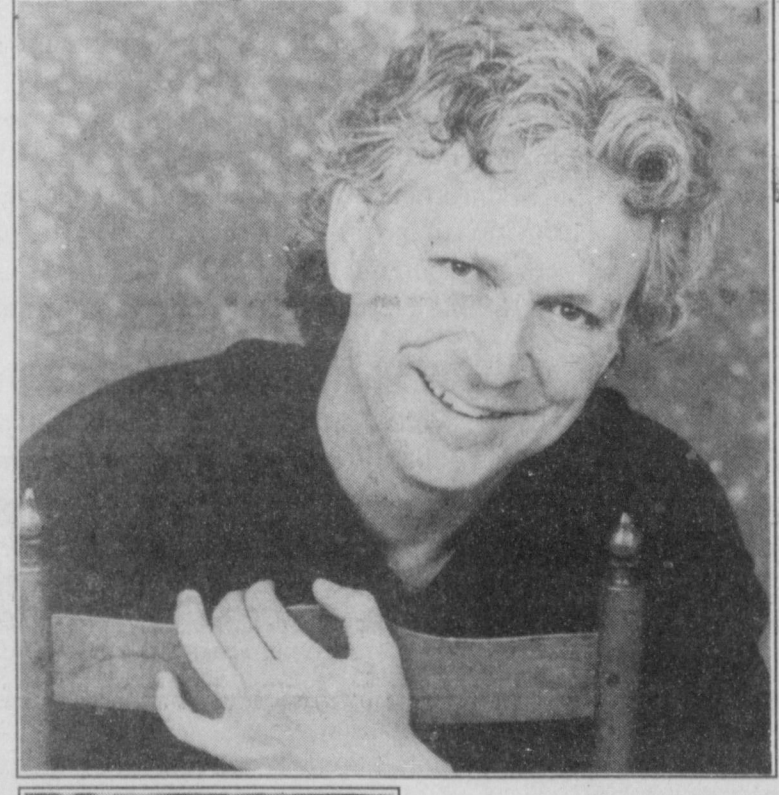


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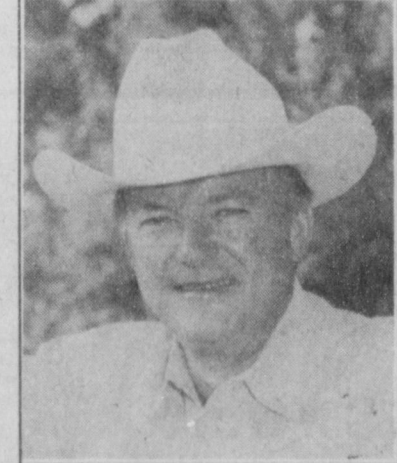
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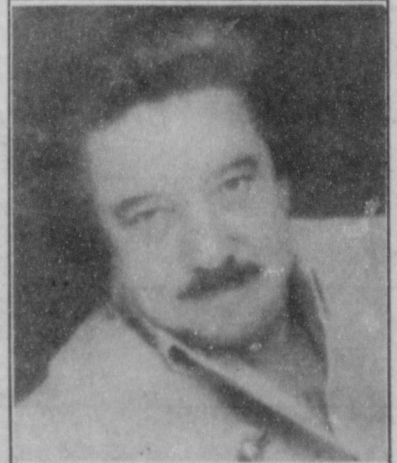
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## Country star T. Graham Brown headlines entertainment at Joe's annual July 4th sale

Country music recording star T. Graham Brown will headline the entertainment for the 15th annual Joe's Boot Shop Boot Tent Sale scheduled July 1-4.

Brown will perform live on the Joe's Boot shop stage July 4, at 2:15 and 4:15 p.m.

Brown will also appear at the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's annual "4th in the Park" from 9-10 p.m.

Both performances are free to the public, as are all the performances by the entertainers in Joe's annual lineup.

Brown's power-packed vocal style produced back-to-back No. 1 singles in 1986 with "Hell and High Water," which he co-wrote, and "Don't Go To Strangers."

His second album, Brilliant Conversationalist, is considered a country classic and his third, Come as You Are, produced another No. 1 single with "Darlene."

His last album, released in 1990, included a duet with Tanya Tucker called "Don't Go Out."

Brown is also an accomplished jingle singer, with national credits like the award-winning Taco Bell "Run for the Border" TV campaign.

The sale begins Wednesday with music starting at 10:30 a.m. and continuing til 6 p.m.

Wednesday's performers will be Texas Tradition, the Ranch Dance Fiddle Band and the Home Cookin' Band featuring Johnny and Jill Mulhair.

The sale continues Thursday with Curtis Potter, Texas Tradition and the Home Cookin' Band.

Friday's lineup features Joe Carr and Alan Munde Bluegrass Jamboree along with previously mentioned performers.

Saturday's performances will feature T. Graham Brown and others.

All performances are free to



T. Graham Brown is appearing July 4 at Joe's Boot Shop

the public. Leal's Ranch Wagon will be on hand with fajitas, barbecue and tamales. Food is free with each boot purchase.

In its 15th year, the Joe's Boot Shop Tent Sale continues to grow and draw huge crowds to Muleshoe for the 4th of July celebration. In addition to specials throughout the tent, the store and the Country Junction, Joe's will give away more than \$3,000 in merchandise over four days, with drawings every hour.

Joe's has added a new contest this year with the "Special Tent Memories Contest." They are giving a \$500 gift certificate to whomever turns in the best tent memory from the past 15 years. Entry forms are available at Joe's Boot Shop.

Curtis Potter is new on the scene this year, but not to the world of music. In 1959, he joined Hank Thompson as bass player, and most important, front man. In the 13 years he was with Thompson.

In 1984, he helped start Step One Records in Nashville, Tenn.,

which is the top independent label in the world. In 1995, Potter had a No. 1 video "Turn Me Loose & Let Me Swing" from the album "Six Hours at Perdarnales" with Willie Nelson.

As of 1997, He has just finished recording "Lost In The Shuffle" and "Twin Fiddles Turn Me On".

With their patented blend of red-hot pickin', warm singing, and a sly relaxed sense of humor, Alan Munde and Joe Carr — the Pickin' Professors from South Plains College in Levelland — have been entertaining audiences for decades.

Munde is one of the most highly respected and best-loved banjo players in the world. Carr is a dazzling bluegrass guitarist, a fine vocalist and a witty emcee.

The Texas-based duo have produced two albums, including a 1998 release called "Welcome to West Texas," and have performed together since Carr joined Munde's beloved County Gazette band in 1978.

The Ranch Dance Fiddle Band plays historic music from the days of cowboy and ranch dances in the Texas Panhandle.

Performing traditional fiddle tunes of two-steps, waltzes, schottisches, polkas and specialty numbers, the band recreates music that has been played for dances since the first arrivals of the first settlers on the Texas Plains.

Larry Feil founded the group in 1995, drawing on his associa-

McWorther. Feil, in turn, is teaching the music to young string players who appear on occasion with the band.

Home Cookin' has become one of the most popular area bands, with the talents of the Mulhairs and friends. Johnny was nominated for the CMA's producer of the year in 1997 for his work with the LeAnn Rimes hit Blue in his studio in Clovis. Blakey, a native of Causey, N.M., returns with his talents on the guitar and fiddle as well as lead vocals.

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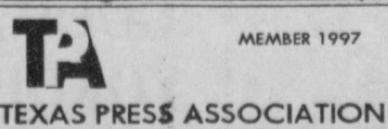
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# NOTICE DEADLINE CHANGES

THE BAILEY COUNTY JOURNAL WANTS YOU...

to know that due to the 4th of July holiday, we'll be moving our Sunday, July 5th edition deadlines up so that staff members may join their families for this very American holiday.

**SUNDAY, JULY 5TH DEADLINES:**

**Display Advertising: Thursday at Noon**  
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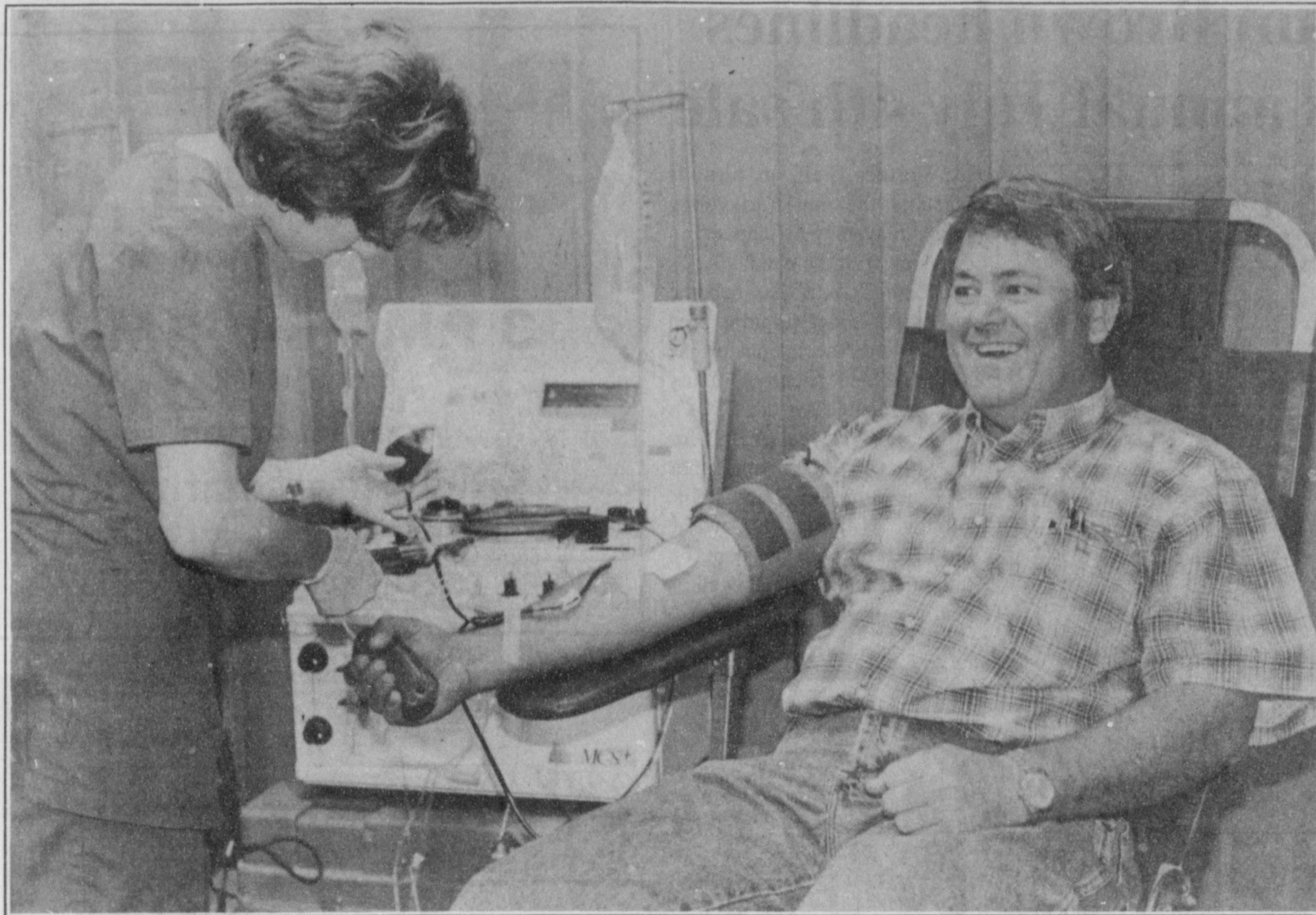
*The July 5th edition of the Bailey County Journal will be printed and distributed on Friday, July 3.*

Call 272-4536 if you have any questions concerning this change.

**HAVE A SAVE AND HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!**







**Good neighbor**  
David Marricle of Bailey County Electric Co-op shares a laugh with Allison Sechrist of the Texas Blood Institute Thursday during a blood drive held at the First Assembly of God Church in Muleshoe.

## Extension service offers water conservation tips

The average Texan consumes 50-75 gallons of water daily. Today, with the shortage of water becoming more evident across the state, and the cost of water supplies and treatment systems rising, wasteful consumption of water in the home is an unaffordable luxury.

Here are a few tips for the home:

- Install a low-flow showerhead that restricts the flow of water from the shower to 2.5 gallons per minute.
- Install a low-flow toilet that uses only 1.6 gallons of water per flush.
- Take short showers. Install a showerhead with a cutoff valve or turn the water off while soaping and turn it back on again to rinse.
- When brushing teeth, turn the water off until it is time to rinse.
- Do not let the water run while washing hands. Turn the water off while soaping and turn it on again to rinse.
- When shaving, fill the lavatory with hot water instead of letting the water run continuously.
- Tests toilets for leaks. Add a few drops of food coloring or a dye table to the water in the toilet tank, but do not flush the toilet. Wait a few minutes to

see if the coloring appears in the bowl. If so, the toilet has a silent leak that needs to be repaired.

■ Use a toilet tank water displacement device, such as a toilet dam or bag. Also, a plastic bottle can be filled with stones or with water, recapped, and placed in the toilet tank. These devices will reduce the volume of water in the tank but will still provide enough for flushing. (Bricks are not recommended as they eventually crumble and can damage the flushing mechanism.) Displacement devices are not recommended for use with newer low-flow toilets.

■ Never use the toilet as a trash can to dispose of bugs, cigarette butts, or other items. Unnecessary flushing wastes water and places an unnecessary burden on sewage treatment plants and septic tanks.

### In the Kitchen

- Never run the dishwasher without having a full load
- Keep a container of drinking water in the refrigerator instead of running water from the tap until it is cool.
- Keep conservation in mind when working in the kitchen. Small water savings, such as not making too much

coffee or letting ice cubes melt in a sink, can add up over time.

### In the Laundry

■ Wash only a full load when using the washing machine. It takes about 32 to 59 gallons of water per load!

### Outdoors

■ Water lawns early in the morning during the hotter summer months to reduce evaporation losses.

■ Use a sprinkler that throws large drops of water rather than a fine mist. This will reduce water losses from wind drift and evaporation.

■ Consider use of drip irrigation for bedded plants, trees, or shrubs.

■ Do not over-water or water too frequently.

■ Use mulches to help reduce soil moisture losses.

■ Do not "sweep" the driveway or sidewalk with water from the hose. Use a broom instead.

■ Do not water the streets, sidewalks, and driveways. You won't grow a thing there! Also, stop your lawn watering before the water runs off your property and into the street.

■ Use a bucket of soapy water and use the hose only for rinsing when washing the car.

■ Consider xeriscaping for a water conservation landscape.

■ Most bermuda grass lawns should be able to go at least 5 days between waterings. Enough water should be applied to wet the soil 4-6 inches deep. This should be about 1 inch of water. To determine how much your sprinkler is putting out, set 3-5 small cans out in a row under the sprinkler and check them regularly.

When they have 1 inch of water in the can, you have put out 1 inch of water. If there is some slope to the yard and you have runoff, stop the sprinkler for 1/2 hour and then resume watering.

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Concluding Remarks  
The Honorable Judge Glen Williams,  
former Bailey County Judge

## Florida also reeling from devastating effects of drought

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — North Florida farmers and ranchers devastated by drought

With less than two inches of rain since April and more than a month of record-breaking temperatures, many farmers and ranchers in the panhandle and north Florida have lost their 1998 corn, peanut and hay crops. Producers of other crops, including cotton, soybeans, watermelons and tobacco — even those who are able to irrigate — expect than-normal yields.

The Florida Department of Agriculture has estimated losses at more than \$100 million at this point. Commissioner of Agriculture Bob Crawford said the figure will go higher rapidly unless rains come and temperatures drop.

"I have talked to many of our older farmers, and none can remember a year in which things were this bad," said Kevin Morgan, associate director of Florida Farm Bureau's Ag Policy Division. "Even in bad years, they have managed to salvage something."

"The lack of hay, especially, is hurting livestock producers," said Frankie Hall, assistant

director of Florida Farm Bureau's Ag Policy Division. "Many of them are running out of feed for their animals."

Hall said the lack of hay has forced many producers to send animals to slaughter prematurely.

Forestry operations have lost an estimated \$10 million in commercial timber as a result of wildfires that have damaged an estimated 76,000 acres in 39 counties in North and Central Florida.

President Clinton has declared the state a disaster area, giving stricken growers an opportunity to seek state and federal help. But many crops grown in Florida are not eligible for such aid.

Florida Farm Bureau has been working closely with the U.S. Department of Agriculture to develop a pilot program that changes the entire concept of disaster assistance. The program would insure farmers' income based on a five-year average, regardless of the crops produced. The concept will be tested in a pilot program covering six counties in north Florida.

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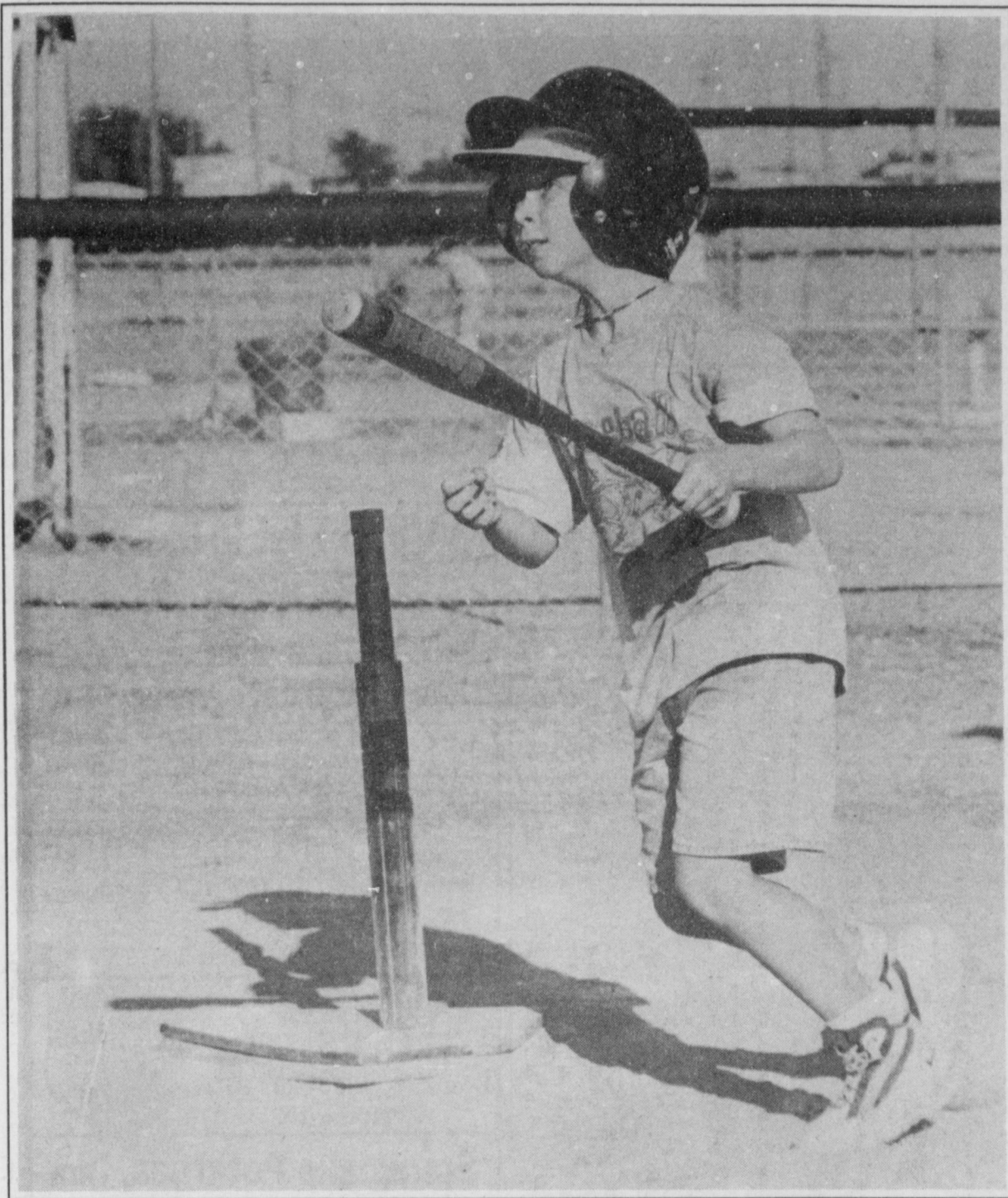
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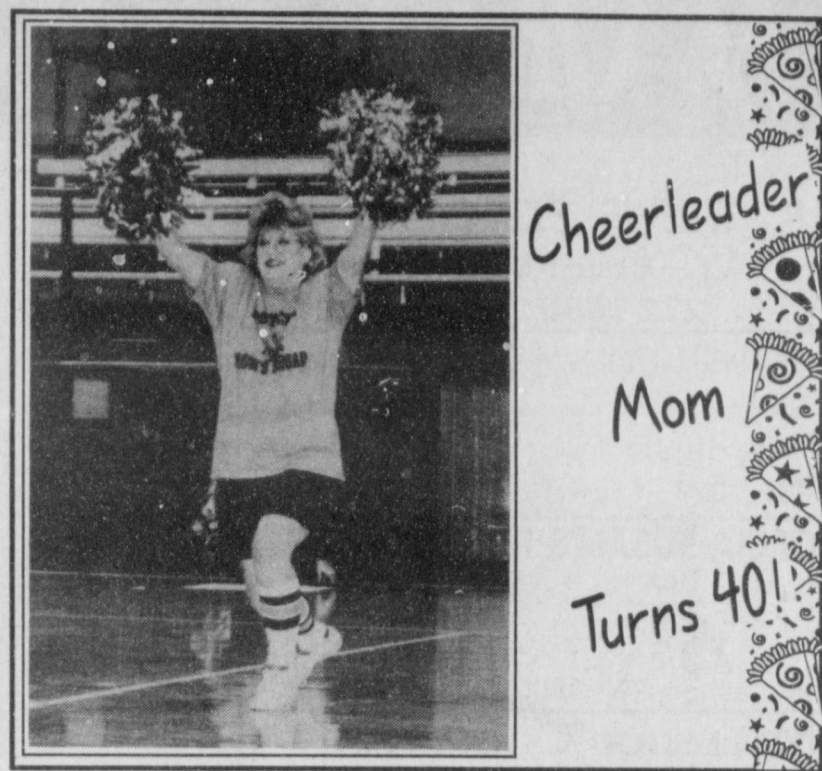
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Corie Ann Black of Muleshoe watches her hit Thursday during T-ball action at Roger Miller Park. Black plays for a team sponsored by Ronnie Holt Insurance.



## Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce

July 4th celebration 1998

### Tentative schedule of events

- 8 a.m.** Chamber of Commerce information tent opens on "Mule Lot" Vendors may set up anytime Merchant's sidewalk sale specials throughout the day World Championship Muleshoe Pitching contest registration on Main Street 3-on-3 basketball tournament throughout the day on Main Street
- 8:30 a.m.** World Championship Muleshoe Pitching contest
- 9 a.m.** Activity booths open on Main Street
  - dunking booth
  - pony rides
  - pie-throwing booth
  - thrill rides located at "Mule Lot"
- 9:15 a.m.** Lineup for parade on Boy Scouts grounds on south end of Main Street
- 10 a.m.** Parade begins from Boy Scouts grounds; moving north along Main Street to U.S. 84, returning South on First Street
- 11 a.m.** Turtle races held on north end of Main Street Lunch available from various vendors on Main Street Local talent will entertain throughout day on Main Street Open house begins at Bailey County Coliseum Registration deadline for mixed scramble golf tournament at Muleshoe Country Club
- noon** Muleshoe Country Club mixed scramble, shotgun start Bailey County Coliseum 20th anniversary celebration, Speaker of the Legislature, Pete Laney guest speaker Old Settler's reunion
- 1 p.m.** Local talent to perform at city park Contest winners announced at city park 4-H concession stand open at city park
- 2 p.m.** Free concert by Country music star T. Graham Brown at city park
- 8 p.m.** Fireworks display at city park Main Street dance sponsored by 1999 MHS senior class
- 9 p.m.**
- 10 p.m.**
- 10:30 p.m.**

## Grandparents taking increasing role in child raising

Many seniors are taking a second turn at parenting.

More than 3 million American children currently live with grandparents or other relatives. In nearly one-third of these households, grandparents are the primary caregivers.

"Divorce, single-parent families and financial hardships are just a few of the reasons why we see more grandparents stepping back into the roles of mother and father," said Nancy Wilson, an assistant professor at the Huffington Center on Aging at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "This can be overwhelming for many older people and cause them to neglect their own personal and health needs."

Grandparents should recognize that maintaining their own health is critical. This means

following through on doctor appointments, remembering to take prescription medications, getting plenty of rest, eating a healthy diet and reaching out for help when necessary.

"Talking with others who are in similar surrogate-parenting roles can be very helpful," said Wilson. "It's a way to exchange ideas, vent frustrations, share information and develop friendships."

Seeking support is also a way to learn information valuable to the entire family.

Resources include the child's pediatrician, teachers and school counselors. Grandparents can also take advantage of parenting courses offered by hospitals, seniors' groups and charitable organizations.

"Caring full-time for grandchildren can be challenging, but it can also help grandparents develop unique bonds with their grandchildren and strengthen relationships that can have a lasting impact on the children," said Wilson.

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## BOOKMARKS

By Dyan Shipley

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At times when a particular book is not available locally, a service called Interlibrary Loan helps our patrons. With this service the Muleshoe Area Public Library will make contacts with other libraries to find that special book. When the book is located it will be mailed to our local library and then by available to be checked out, as usual. The only cost of this service to the patron is the postage to return the book to the owner library.

An always-changing variety of books are also available on tape. The West Texas Library System, of which the Muleshoe Area Public Library is affiliated, provides a books on tape circuit.

Every two months the system will rotate these audios to different libraries. There are some wonderful titles in each audio circuit. The check out period for audio books is two weeks.

### Fun for all ages

A good description of the video section at the local library is: "Videos, videos and more videos." The check out period for this service is one day and there is no charge. To recheck the videos just call the library and have your library card number handy!

A fun and exciting service provided exclusively for our younger patrons, is the Texas Summer Reading Club. This year the

theme is "Furry Tails and Funny Tales." The Friends of the Library have done a great job of decorating the meeting room, providing refreshments and entertaining the percipients with craft projects and books. Children who have finished Pre-K through 5th grade are invited to attend the Texas Summer Reading Club. The library hopes the program will be a great success this year.

### Business machines available

Another service the library offers is a public copy machine. The charge for this service is 15 cents per page.

A fax machine is also located in the local library. There is a charge of 10¢ per page for sending to local and toll free numbers. For long distance transmissions within our area code the charge is 50 cents per page. To send a fax to different area code the charge is \$1 per page.

The library also has a laminating machine available for public use. The charge for this service is 75¢ per foot. Things to be laminated may not exceed 16 inches in width. The length doesn't matter, only the width!

For more information on these and any of our other services please contact Dyan Shipley at the Muleshoe Area Public Library, 272-4707.

Remember: The next Friends of the Library meeting is July 6th at 6 p.m. in the meeting room of the library.

*Dyan Shipley is the Muleshoe Area Public Librarian.*



# Muleshoe FFA members attend Area I Leadership Conference

Muleshoe High school's Brandon Thomason and Dusty Ramage attended the 18th annual Area I FFA Leadership Conference June 20-22 at Clarendon College.

Thomason chapter sentinel and Ramage chapter secretary.

The Muleshoe chapter was among the 51 FFA chapters from across the Texas Panhandle.

Throughout the conference, Area I, district and state FFA officers led educational programs focusing on improving student leadership skills. Chapter members also participated in a variety of fun-filled workshops, dances and a banquet. Skills learned by FFA members and advisers will be applied to local, district, area and state FFA levels throughout the 1998-99 school year.

"The Agriculture Science instructors also use our conference to plan their activities for the year," said Jerry Hawkins, agriculture chairman at Clarendon. "Plus, the conference provides the chapters an opportunity to fine-tune and prepare for the upcoming State



Muleshoe High's Dusty Ramage (left) and Brandon Thomason attended the Area I FFA Leadership Conference in Clarendon earlier this month.

FFA convention."

The 1998 State FFA convention will be held the second week of July in Forth Worth.

Texas's Area I is comprised of the entire Texas Panhandle, extending southeast of Childress and Guthrie, south to Lubbock and southwest to the New Mexico state line.

## Suspected drug dealer captured

Suspected drug trafficker Ricardo "Rickey" Alarcon was captured Monday after more than two months of eluding arrest.

Alarcon, 27, of Muleshoe, was taken into custody by Muleshoe police without incident at about 8 p.m. Monday at his wife's city residence.

Alarcon was indicted April 6 by a Bailey County grand jury for delivery of a controlled substance. He is also being charged with two counts probation violation. He is being held without bail in the Bailey County Jail.

Muleshoe Police Chief Don Carter described Alarcon as a major cocaine dealer in Muleshoe. He said the warrant for his arrest on drug charges was a result of a joint investigation by the Bailey County Sheriff's Office and the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Carter said an anonymous tip led police to believe Alarcon was in the area.

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**DROUGHT**

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grasses better adapted to stress conditions.

Rangeland makes up about 60 percent of the total acreage in Texas, hosting native vegetation such as grasses, shrubs and broadleaf plants or forbs (most people know them as weeds). It also hosts wildlife and livestock. If pastureland that has had some improvements such as improved grasses or fertilizer is added, the total forage-based land makes up about 71 percent of the state, he said.

According to Dr. Wayne Hanselka of Corpus Christi, Extension range specialist, drought occurs when only about 75 percent of the normal rainfall is received. A severe drought would be classified as only half of the normal rainfall, he said.

Robert Fulbright, who ranches near Hebronville in northeastern Zapata County, said with that definition, his ranch has been in severe drought since 1982. "With the exception of three years, we have received 12 inches of rainfall or less."

The average for his area of the county is 15 to 16 inches. "Drought strategy has become the general plan, and severe drought, the emergency plan," Fulbright said.

"Northeastern Zapata County can promise more and give less, and promise less and give more than any other place that I know of," he said. "Move too quickly and you have wasted time and money, move too late and the result is that you have the general fitness of the cattle herd decline to a point that it becomes even more expensive to survive."

As a cow/calf operator, he recommends running only 60 percent to 65 percent of the

land's capacity with the main herd. During good years, the surplus grass and forage can be harvested by raising stocker cattle.

When the lack of rainfall no longer allows him to produce the necessary amount of grazing, he begins supplemental feeding of his cattle with hay or by burning prickly pear.

"I tried to raise enough hay and store it in round bales to get me through the periods of severe drought, but I found that I could not raise and store enough to maintain the cow herd and be economical," he said. "It is better to harvest your surplus grass with stocker animals and buy just enough hay for your traditional uses, such as freshly weaned calves, stocker calves that have just been purchased and any other minimal uses."

He also recommended pro-

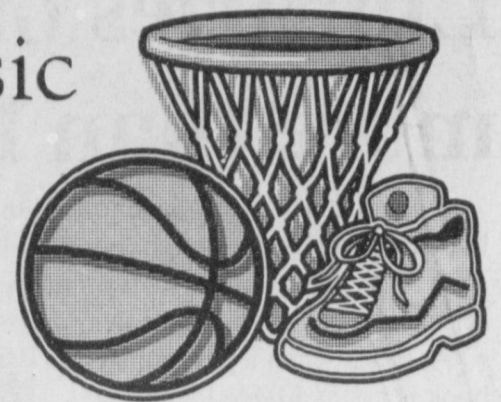
tein supplements even though it is higher-priced, it results in a higher calf crop percentage and prevents problems with digestion of the prickly pear.

Fulbright said South Texas is becoming well-known for its populations of whitetail deer, feral hogs, quail and doves, and some exotic game animals.

"It is imperative you consider your wildlife when planning for a drought," he said. "Game suffers from a drought just as much or more than the cow herd."

The stress adversely affects the reproduction and life span of game. He said he found that supplemental feeding does not help the quality of wildlife that much, so he aids wildlife by adjusting other factors such as cow numbers and hunting pressure.

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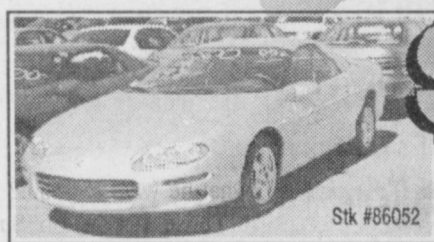
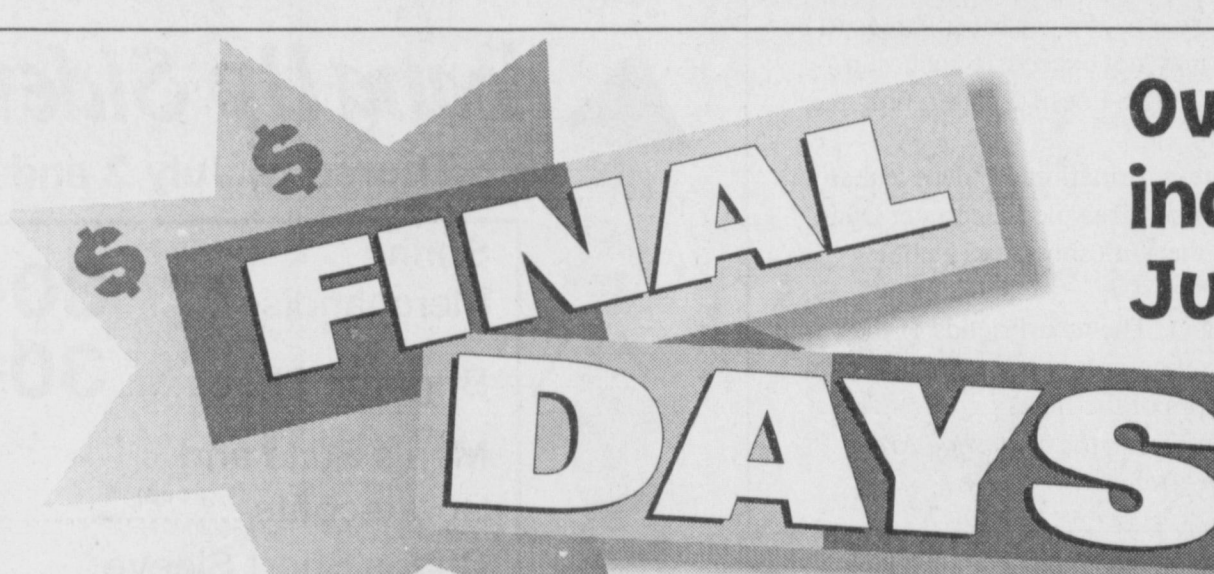
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The cattle market outlook doesn't appear much brighter.

Preston said there's little grass left in pastures and hay is in short supply. Plus the cattle market is depressed.

"It's not severe enough yet to sell off cattle, but without some rain soon, they'll be forced to start culling their herds soon," Preston said.

He estimated cattlemen would lose \$50 a head selling off cattle.

The area's wheat harvest, which looked promising 10 weeks ago because of above-average winter moisture, is coming up woefully short.

Preston said that even irrigated wheat ended up yielding 30 to 50 bushels an acre when it should have yielded 60, 80 or even 90.

Meanwhile, the City of Muleshoe is reporting near-record water consumption as residents try to keep lawns and gardens moist and growing.

Director of Public works Ramon Sanchez said the city has been using an average of about 1.8 million gallons a day since the current string of 100-degree plus days began, which is about a half-million above normal for this time of year.

Southwestern Public Service has been seeing record power demands set and broken since June 2.

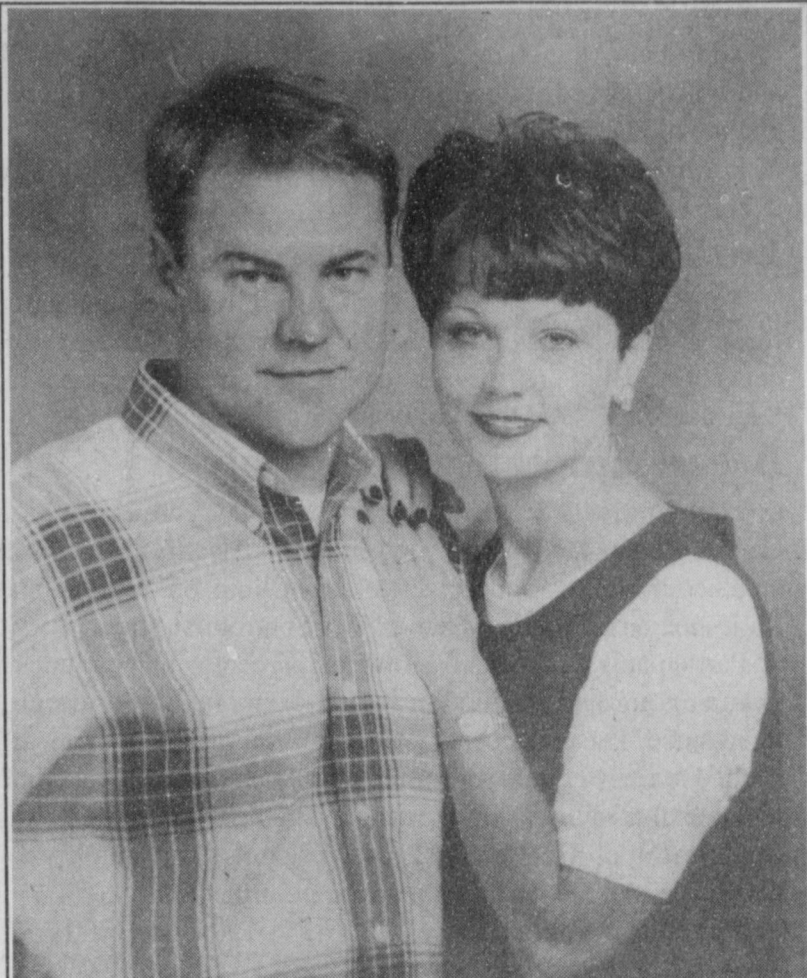


**ENGAGEMENTS**



**McAnarney — Elliott**

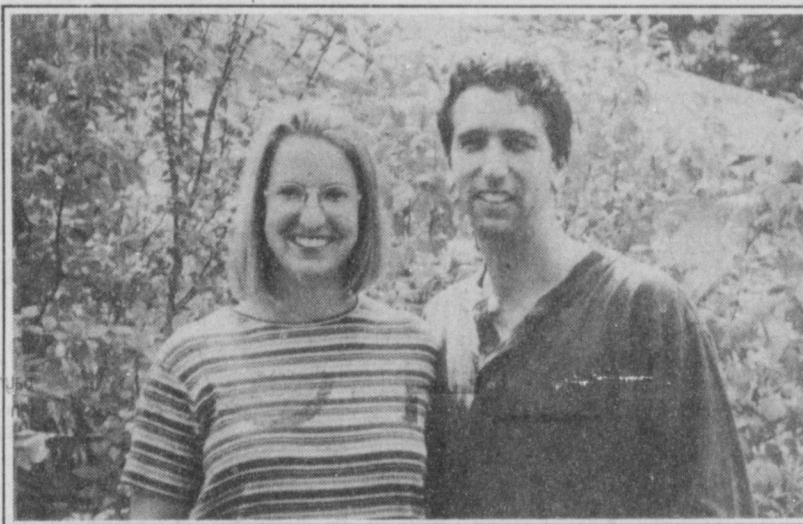
Jimmy and Judy McAnarney of Amarillo announce the engagement of their daughter, Kim McAnarney, to Dustin Elliott of Amarillo. He is the son of Gary and Kaye Elliott of Needmore. McAnarney graduated from Caprock High School in 1994, attended Amarillo College from fall 1994 through spring 1997. Elliott graduated from Muleshoe High School in 1992 and from West Texas A&M University in December of 1996 with a bachelor of science degree. He graduated from Spartan School of Aeronautics in November 1997. He is employed as a flight instructor at Tradewind's Airport in Amarillo. The couple plan to wed Aug. 8 in the Southwest Baptist Church in Amarillo. The reception is at the Lake Tanglewood Clubhouse.



**Young — Hughes**

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Young of Muleshoe announce the engagement of their daughter, Tisha Young, to Dale Hughes of Muleshoe. He is son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Hughes of Muleshoe. The couple plans a July wedding in the First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe. The bride-elect attended the University of North Texas and is now employed by The City of Muleshoe. The future bridegroom is currently a partner in the Art Loft of Muleshoe.

**ENGAGEMENT**



**Swint — Tyson**

Kay Swint of Muleshoe announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Monica Swint, to James Tyson. He is the son of Loretta Tyson of Los Angeles, Calif. The couple plan a July 18 wedding. They will make their home in Austin.



**Brittni Black of Lazbuddie with her baby Jett Ryan**

**Jett Ryan Black honored with baby shower June 6**

Jett Ryan Black was honored with a baby shower June 6 at the Lazbuddie Methodist church. He is the son of Monty and Brittni Black of Lazbuddie.

The shower theme was Jungle animals. Refreshments were banana punch, thumb print cookies decorated with baby booties and crystal appointments.

Special guests were grandmothers Libby Black and Louise Engleking, great grand-

mothers Lou Ella Isham and Florence Engelking, aunts Chandra Sanchez and Rachelle Black, cousins Bethanie and Brianna Sanchez and Shelby Black.

Hostesses were Janice Bradshaw, Glenda Jennings, Diane Brown, Ellen Gallman, Marca Morris, Stephanie Foster, Sandy Gregory, Barbara Lust, Tonia Steinbock, Kathy Embry, Debbie Nickels, RayAn Doshier.

Hostesses' gift was a high chair.

The Journal runs engagement, wedding, bridal and baby shower announcements free of charge as a service to its readers.

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**Perfect Praise Can Come from Imperfect People**

*This week I share with you a column penned recently by my brother Gene for the Amarillo Globe News:*

Just how "right" does a person have to be before the Lord will accept and approve their worship? Have you ever wondered about this?

On that Sunday morning when Jesus came riding the little donkey down Jerusalem's main street,

can our understanding be? The Jerusalem palm-wavers were almost completely wrong. Yet Jesus commended their praise. "If these were silent," he insisted, "the stones would cry out!"

Understanding must have something to do with our response to the Lord. Otherwise, preaching would be pointless and God's revelation without meaning. But Palm Sunday teaches us that understanding can't be the only factor in finding God's grace.

As the donkey gamboled by, the crowd that day praised Jesus to the full extent of their knowledge. Even their motives were suspect, but with all their hearts and with all the insight they possessed, they extolled Christ.

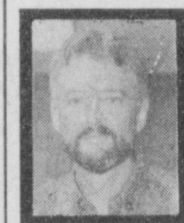
"Well," someone may object, "they should have known the truth about Jesus. After all, they had Scriptures to read. And they could have heard him preach."

Press this argument very far and we'll all wind up in hell. If "opportunity to know" translates into "perfection required," all of us are in deep, deep trouble.

Thank God, it did not work that way when Jesus rode the donkey into the holy city. He knew his vociferous fans were mixed up theologically. He knew they would be crying, "Crucify him!" before the week was done. But, knowing all of this, still he accepted their impetuous worship as "perfect praise."

This gives me hope that he will also accept yours and mine.

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



**Focus On Faith**  
 Curtis Shelburne

throng of excited people lined the curbs to cheer his inaugural entry. Can we discount the fact that Jesus welcomed the praise and worship of a multitude who completely misunderstood who he was and what he was all about?

Those first Palm Sunday celebrants mistakenly thought Jesus was coming to announce his earthly reign, to declare a holy war against Rome. They were motivated as much by hatred for Romans as by adoration for him. Still Jesus called their hosannas "perfect praise."

How much must a person understand theologically for his worship to be acceptable praise to the Lord?

If perfect understanding is not required (being obviously a human impossibility), just how imperfect

**OBITUARIES**

**HERBERT N. MILLER**

Herbert N. Miller, 75, of Muleshoe died Wednesday, June 24 at Muleshoe Area Healthcare Center.

Church services will be held at 9 a.m. (MST) June 29 at W. 21st Church of Christ in Clovis, N.M., with Cecil Bunch, minister, officiating. Burial will be held in the Bailey County Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Miller was born Sept. 24, 1922 in Paris, Texas. He married Jean Harbison in Hugo, Okla. on June 22, 1946.

He moved to Muleshoe in 1976 from Clovis, N.M. He was a graduate of Clarksville High School and attended Paris

Junior College. He served as an engine mechanic and crew chief with the 90th Airborne Squadron in World War II. He managed A&M Farm Supply in Muleshoe, worked as a store manager for Taylor-Evans Seed Co., was a DeKalb Grain Seed salesman and worked for Leon Wilson Aerial Spraying Service. He was also a member of the W. 21st Street Church of Clovis.

He is survived by his wife Jean; two sons, Ronny Miller of Riyadh, Saudi Arabia and Mike Miller of Woodlands, Texas; one brother, Eugene Miller of Tyler, Texas; three grandchildren, Lindsey Miller, Kimberly Miller and Starr

Rothrock.

He was preceded in death by a son, Kim Wayne in 1982, and a brother, Gaither Miller.

The family suggests memorials be made to Smithlawn Home, P.O. Box 6451, Lubbock, Texas 79493.

**CORRECTION**

The name of a son, Nathan Lloyd of Shallowater, was mistakenly left out of a list of survivors of Loretta Lloyd, 60, of Muleshoe, who died June 22.

The Journal regrets the error and any inconvenience it may have caused.

**50th Wedding Anniversary**

**Mr. and Mrs. George Washington**

celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary Friday, June 26th with a family dinner at the 50 Yard Line Restaurant in Lubbock. Their children and spouses hosted the event.

Those attending the celebration were Mike, Lana & Dustin Lewis of Lubbock; Mark, Lynda, Eric & Cooper Washington of Muleshoe; and George & Lois Washington of Muleshoe.

George Washington and the former Lois Brown were married June 26, 1948 at the First Baptist Church in Frederick, Oklahoma by the late Rev. Milo B. Arbuckle.



**AROUND MULESHOE**

**Leal's to host softball tournament**

Leal's will be hosting a July 4 3-2 pitch softball tournament. There will be a men's and a coed division. The entry fee is \$100 and the deadline for entry is July 2. For more information call, Mike Lopez at 272-3586 or Raymond Villalobos at 272-5616 or 272-6701. All proceeds will benefit the Yvette Barraz Scholarship Fund.

**Quilt show scheduled for July 4**

The Bailey County Quilt Show will be held from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. on July 4 in the Bailey County Coliseum. Bailey County Heritage Center is sponsoring the event and will be assisted by the Family Community Education Clubs and the Bailey County Extension Service.

Community members who would like to display quilts may bring them to the Civic Center at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday. Please have them labeled with your name, address and phone number, and a brief history if you wish. There is a limit of two quilts per person.

There will be a drawing for a 96x106 sampler quilt made by the Progress FCE club. The drawing will be held at approximately 3:30 p.m. and you do not have to be present to win.

If you need specific information, contact Ada Murrah at 272-3721 or the County Extension office at 272-4583.

**Project graduation hamburger booth**

Muleshoe High School Project Graduation 1999 will be selling brown bag specials during the July 4th celebration.

**Bruns finalist in organ competition**

Jeremy S. Bruns has been chosen as one of ten finalists to compete in the Calgary International Organ Competition held Sept. 20 through Oct. 4 in Calgary, Canada.

Three selection round competitions are each judged by internationally renowned juries in order to find ten of the best organists in the world. Over 120 organists applied to compete in the screening auditions, and 54 were chosen.

Bruns competed in the North

American Selection Round held in Atlanta, Ga. (Spivey Hall), from which four out of the 21 competitors were chosen for the finals.

Four will be chosen from the auditions in Lubeck, Germany, and two have been chosen from the selection round held in Japan.

The ten finalists will be competing for several prizes, including two Gold-Medal prizes worth \$25,000 each in Canadian funds, along with four-

The meal will include a hamburger, chips and a drink for \$4 and will be served at a booth along Main Street between Beall's and the old Dollar General Store.

For more information, contact Terry Byers at 272-4468 or 272-7353.

**Lazbuddie, Big Square reunion**

A family reunion of the J.O. Cantrell family and descendants, formerly of Lazbuddie, and the "Doc" James family and descendants of the Big Square area will be held from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 27 at the Bailey County Coliseum.

**Breast cancer screening July 6**

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic on July 6 at Muleshoe Area Medical Center, 708 South First Street.

Participants will receive a low-cost screening that includes a mammogram and instruction in self-examination by a registered nurse. The total cost is \$75. A minimum of 15 women are needed to register in order for the mobile mammography clinic to come to area towns. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are done by appointment only.

For more information call (806)356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673.

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

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 Thurs.- Beef Tips with Egg Noodles & Salad  
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*The family of Loretta Floyd would like to thank each and every one of you for your thoughts, prayers, cards, visits and all the beautiful flowers sent during her illness and recent passing. Your love and kindness is greatly appreciated. Thank you all so much.*  
*The Family of Loretta Floyd*

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Jeremy Bruns

**COUNTY**

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contribute between 7 and 11 percent of employee salaries to the retirement plan. The County's present rate is 7.8 percent, but would jump to 10.4 percent if they wanted to keep the same benefits.

Any changes made in the retirement plan are not retroactive and would not take effect until Jan. 1, 1999.

When employees leave before reaching retirement eligibility, the County's matching funds stay in the retirement account.

The Commissioner's Court is expected to vote on the issue during its next meeting.

In other action taken Wednesday, the Court waived the probationary period as to salary only for County Judge

secretary Rhonda Fennell and Deputy Sheriff Ron Kemp.

■ Granted easements to J.C. Gatewood for the purpose of burying an electrical line to be used for an irrigation well; to West Texas Gas, Inc. for the purpose of burying a natural gas line under a County road; and to Walter B. Little for the purpose of burying a water line under a County road.

**SENIORS**

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Pierce suggested holding a fund-raising campaign to show the communities support for the project. She also told the group that even if they were

able to get the funding to build the center it would have to be self-supporting.

Organizers plan to meet in two weeks and begin forming committees.



**Julia Blaire Andrade**  
**Andrade named All-American Scholar**

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Julia Blaire Andrade, granddaughter of Manuel and Janie Balderas of Muleshoe, was named an All-American Scholar.

Andrade, who attends Amarillo Catholic Middle School, was nominated for this national award by Don Littau.

Andrade is the daughter of Mike and Helen Andrade of Amarillo. She is the granddaughter of Manuel and Janie Balderas of Muleshoe, and Edward and Margie Andrade of Amarillo.



**Howe honored with bridal shower**  
 Crystal Howe of Muleshoe was treated to a bridal shower May 23 in the home off Julie Cage. Howe is the bride-elect of Chad Freeman of Muleshoe.

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

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
The Bailey County Commissioners Court will receive sealed bids until 10 a.m., Monday, July 13, 1998, for gasoline and diesel fuel to be used in all Bailey County vehicles and road equipment for a period of time beginning August 1, 1998, and ending July 31, 1999. Specifications may be obtained, and bids must be submitted to, the County Judge's office, 300 South 1st, Muleshoe, TX 79347, prior to the above date and time. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities.  
Published in the Bailey County Journal June 28, July 6, 1998.

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### GARAGE SALE

AAU Basketball Court Masters are having a garage sale, July 2-3 from 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. at the Wiedebush & Company across from Sonic. Items from 28 families - Sudan, Amherst, Littlefield, Muleshoe, Lazbudie, Post, Earth.

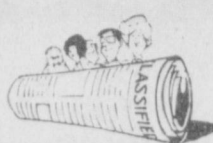
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The Texas Migrant Council, Inc., a non-profit organization with over 25 years experience providing child care services to low-income families, has the following SEASONAL positions available in its Head Start center in the Panhandle region:  
WORK LOCATION: MULESHOE, TX

- TEACHER (S)**  
General Responsibilities: Responsible for planning and implementing a child development program for a Migrant Head Start classroom that conforms with developmentally appropriate practice and meets Head Start Performance Standards and other federal, state and local requirements. Implement the educational program adopted for the center.  
Minimum Qualifications: (1) Child Development Associate and 18 months of early childhood experience OR 2-4 year degree in related field, (2) Bilingual in English and Spanish preferred, (3) Good oral and written communication skills, (4) Must be at least 18 years of age.
- TEACHERS AIDE (S)**  
General Responsibilities: Responsible for assisting the teacher in the planning and implementation of the classroom program. This includes but is not limited to assisting children with self care activities, indoor and outdoor learning activities, and meal and snack time activities.  
Minimum Qualifications: (1) High School Diploma or GED, (2) Bilingual in English and Spanish preferred, (3) Good oral and written communication skills, (4) Must be at least 18 years of age.
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- HIGHLAND AREA**  
• 3-2-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, gas log FP, fenced yd., stor. bldg., MORE!! Price Reduced!! HL-5  
• Nicely Remodeled 3-2-1 Brick home, 2100' + lv. area, Cent. A&H, built-ins, large den w/FP, fenced yd., stor. bldg. \$50's!!! HL-3  
• 2-1-1 carport home, wall furnace heat, evap. air, DW, 5 fans, cov. patio, gas grill, fenced yd., MORE!!! \$25K!!!
- LENAU - COUNTRY CLUB AREA**  
• PRICE REDUCED 2-1-1 Carport Home, wall furnace, nice carpet, storm shelter, stor. bldg., fenced yd. \$19K!! CC-3  
• 3-2-1+2 carport Brick, 2000'+Lv. area, DW, auto. sprinkler, MORE!!!  
• 2-1-1 Home, floor furnace, win. ref. air, fenced yd, stor. bldg., \$19,500!! L-1  
• NICE 3-2-2 CP Mobile Home and lot, Cent. A & H, built-ins, nice yd. with large pecan & fruit trees!!! CC-1
- COMMERCIAL**  
• Established Business: Land, Bldg. & Equip., \$75K!!  
• 175' x 140' tract, approx. 8500' bldg. on Main. \$35K!!  
• 56' x 140' tract, approx. 4700' bldg., \$35K!!  
• NICE R.V. STORAGE, 14' X 40' metal bldg. 12' doors, 50X140 camper lot!  
• SNACKSHACK - Lot, Buildings, furniture, and fixtures!!!!  
• LARIAT - 240 acres, 3 wells, underground tile, good productive land!!!
- HIGH SCHOOL**  
• NEWLY REMODELED 3-1-1 Home, cent. A & H, new carpet & vinyl, fenced yd., MORE!! \$30's!!! HS-2  
• VERY NICE 3-1-1 Brick, Heat pump, DW, nice carpets, fenced yd., MORE!!! \$30's!!! HS-1  
• NICE 2-1-1 Brick, Heat Pump, nice carpets, well insulated, storm windows & doors. \$30's!!! HS6  
• VERY NICE 3-2-2 Brick Home, 2,000'+lv. area, Heat pump, built-ins. lg. cov.patio, storm cellar, back yard man. spkrl., fenced yd.!! \$69K!! HS-4  
• 3 Bdrms. 1 1/2 Bathrooms, 1st floor apartment unit!!! \$20K!!! HS-3
- RURAL**  
• 3-2-2 Home on .92 acre at edge of town, Cent. Heat, evap. air, DW, storage bldg., fenced yd., & MORE!! \$30K!!  
• PRICE REDUCED-NICE 3-2 home, 40 acre tract, Geo. Heat Pump, built-ins, 5" irrig. well, Hi-Pres. lines, sprinkler pipe, barn, pens, tractor & equip!!! \$69K!!!  
• W. of SUDAN-NICE 3-3-2 Brick Home, 5 acre tract on Hwy. 298, Cent. Air & Heat, built-ins, large Quonset Barn, MORE!!!! \$95K!!!  
• 5 Acre tract on pavement close to town!  
• NICE 3-2 Home, 40 acre tract, Geo. Heat Pump, built-ins, 6" well, Hi-Pres. Lines, barn, corral, tractor & equip!!! \$75K!!!!  
• LAZBUDDIE-PRICE REDUCED-NICE 3-2-2 Brick Home on pavement, 2200' Lv. area, Cent. A & H, built-ins. FP, large sunroom!! \$70's!!  
• FOR BID: Approx. 4,870 acres (Bailey and Lamb Co.), water rights negotiable, 54 wells (only 2 pumps and motors), approx. 33 circles w/center pivot pads, 40' X 86' tile block barn, 40' X 100' quonset barn w/elec., 20' X 30' shop, 3 sets pipe corrals, 2 sets wire corrals!!  
• Approx. 108 acres on Hwy. 70, approx. 2100' office area, 16,900' of commercial bldg. w/loading dock, 3,400 warehouse!! Great Commercial-Industrial Facility!!!

## Early 4th of July deadlines

Due to the 4th of July holiday, classified deadlines for the Bailey County Journal have been moved up. The deadlines for the Sunday, July 5 edition of the Bailey County Journal will be at noon, Thursday, July 2. The paper will be printed and distributed on Friday, July 3. The Journal regrets any inconvenience the early deadlines might cause.



# Star Spangled food celebration

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PRICES EFFECTIVE JUNE 24-30, 1998

## MEAT

- LONESTAR PRIDE BEEF BONELESS  
SOLD ONLY IN 3.5 LB. BOXES OF (8) 7 OZ. STEAKS FOR \$9.99  
**RIB-EYE STEAKS**.....PER STEAK **\$1<sup>25</sup>**
- LONESTAR PRIDE BEEF NEW YORK  
SOLD ONLY IN 3.94 LB. BOXES OF (9) 7 OZ. STEAKS FOR \$9.99  
**STRIP STEAKS**.....PER STEAK **\$1<sup>11</sup>**
- LONESTAR PRIDE BEEF  
SOLD ONLY IN 3.75 LB. BOXES OF (6) 10 OZ. STEAKS FOR \$9.99  
**T-BONE STEAKS**.....PER STEAK **\$1<sup>67</sup>**
- GREAT POULTRY BUY  
**CHICKEN LEG QUARTERS**.....LB **37¢**
- BEEF BONELESS  
**BOTTOM ROUND STEAK**.....LB **\$1<sup>79</sup>**
- GREAT FOR CHICKEN FRIED STEAKS  
**BEEF CUBED STEAKS**.....LB **\$2<sup>49</sup>**
- THICK CUT BONELESS  
**PORK SIRLOIN CHOPS**.....LB **\$2<sup>29</sup>**
- U.S.D.A. SELECT BEEF BONELESS  
**RUMP ROAST**.....LB **\$1<sup>59</sup>**
- MARKET MADE  
**BEEF STEAK FINGERS**.....LB **\$2<sup>99</sup>**
- FARM RAISED  
**WHOLE CATFISH**.....LB **\$2<sup>29</sup>**
- SMALL SIZE  
**RAW SHELL-ON SHRIMP**.....LB **\$5<sup>99</sup>**
- DECKER REGULAR OR THICK  
**MEAT BOLOGNA**.....12 OZ. **89¢**
- DECKER RANCH BRAND  
**SMOKED SAUSAGE**.....12 OZ. **99¢**
- DECKER REGULAR OR SMOKED  
**COOKED HAM**.....10 OZ. **\$2<sup>29</sup>**
- MEAT OR BEEF  
**DECKER CORN DOGS**.....1 LB **2/<sup>\$3</sup>**
- CORN KING  
**SLICED BACON**.....12 OZ. **\$1<sup>19</sup>**
- OSCAR MAYER COTTO SALAMI OR ORIGINAL/THIN SLICED/LIGHT  
**MEAT BOLOGNA**.....12 OZ. PKG **\$1<sup>19</sup>**
- OSCAR MAYER BUN LENGTH, ORIGINAL, LIGHT OR JUMBO  
**MEAT WIENERS**.....1 LB. PKG **\$1<sup>59</sup>**
- LOUIS RICH  
**GROUND TURKEY**.....1 LB. ROLL **99¢**
- OSCAR MAYER HAM & CHEESE OR  
**CHOPPED HAM**.....1 LB. PKG **2/<sup>\$5</sup>**
- OSCAR MAYER  
**SMOKED COOKED HAM**.....12 OZ. PKG **\$3<sup>19</sup>**
- OSCAR MAYER FAT FREE TURKEY/HAM,  
HAM/TURKEY, CLUB SANDWICH  
**VARIETY-PAK**.....8-9 OZ. PKG **\$2<sup>19</sup>**

- SHURFINE  
**DRY CAT FOOD**.....14 LB. BAG **\$4<sup>49</sup>**
- CHUNK STYLE OR GRAVY  
**SHURFINE DOG FOOD**.....40 LB. BAG **\$6<sup>99</sup>**
- REYNOLDS COLOR  
**PLASTIC WRAP**.....100 FT. ROLL **2/<sup>\$5</sup>**
- REYNOLDS HEAVY DUTY  
**ALUMINUM FOIL**.....18X37.5 FT. ROLL **2/<sup>\$3</sup>**
- ZEE  
**LUNCH NAPKINS**.....60 CT. PKG **59¢**
- ULTRA WHITE  
**NORTHERN BATH TISSUE**.....12 CT. PKG **\$2<sup>99</sup>**
- REGULAR OR W/BLEACH  
**ALL ULTRA LIQUID**.....100 OZ. JUG **\$4<sup>77</sup>**
- ULTRA  
**SUNLIGHT DISH LIQUID**.....14.7 OZ. **99¢**
- CALIFORNIA, FLORIDA, PLUS CALCIUM OR MANGO  
**SUNNY DELIGHT CITRUS PUNCH**..64 OZ. BTL **\$1<sup>29</sup>**
- KRAFT ASSORTED  
**GRATED PARMESAN CHEESE**...8 OZ. CAN **\$3<sup>19</sup>**
- KRAFT LIGHT, ORIGINAL OR JALAPENO  
**CHEEZ WHIZ**.....16 OZ. JAR **\$2<sup>79</sup>**
- CORN FLAKES  
**POST TOASTIES**.....18 OZ. BOX **2/<sup>\$3</sup>**
- POST ORIGINAL, FROSTED OR HONEY NUT SPOON SIZE  
**SHREDDED WHEAT**.....17.2-20 OZ. BOX **2/<sup>\$4</sup>**
- ASSORTED 3 OZ. REGULAR OR .3 OZ. SUGAR FREE  
**JELL-O GELATIN**.....SMALL BOX **3/<sup>\$1</sup>**
- VELVEETA ROTINI & BROCCOLI • VELVEETA RADIATORE  
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ORI./BACON/MEXICAN • MACARONI & CHEESE DELUXE REG./LITE  
**DELUXE MACARONI OR  
VELVEETA SHELL DINNERS**.....9.4-14 OZ. PKGS **2/<sup>\$4</sup>**

## PRODUCE

- RED OR WHITE  
**SEEDLESS GRAPES**.....LB **88¢**
- JUICY VALENCIA  
**ORANGES**.....10/**\$1**
- DOLE  
**AMERICAN BLEND SALAD**.....10 OZ. **\$1<sup>69</sup>**
- MINI PEELED  
**CARROTS**.....16 OZ. **69¢**
- FRESH CALIFORNIA  
**PEACHES, NECTARINES  
OR APRICOTS**.....LB **\$1<sup>29</sup>**
- SUPER SELECT  
**CUCUMBERS**.....3/**\$1**
- SUPER SELECT  
**BELL PEPPERS**.....LB **3/<sup>\$1</sup>**
- WASHINGTON  
**BING CHERRIES**.....LB **\$1<sup>29</sup>**
- SWEET YELLOW  
**CORN**.....EARS **5/<sup>\$1</sup>**

## FROZEN & DAIRY

- SHURFINE ASSORTED  
**ICE CREAM**.....1.2 GAL. RND **2/<sup>\$4</sup>**
- SELECTED VARIETIES  
**BANQUET DINNERS  
OR PASTA FAVORITES**.....6.7-11 OZ. PKG **99¢**
- BANQUET ASSORTED  
**CREAM PIES**.....14 OZ. PKG **\$1<sup>19</sup>**
- ASSORTED CRISP'N TASTY  
**JENO'S PIZZA**.....7.2-8.1 OZ. PKG **99¢**
- ASSORTED  
**HEALTHY CHOICE MEALS**...10-11 OZ. **2/<sup>\$5</sup>**
- BUTTERFINGER OR REGULAR/LIGHT NESTLE CRUNCH  
**ICE CREAM BARS**.....6 CT. PKGS **2/<sup>\$5</sup>**
- ASSORTED  
**HEALTHY CHOICE  
ENTREES**.....6-10 OZ. **3/<sup>\$5</sup>**
- FRUIT PUNCH • PINK/ORIGINAL LEMONADE • LIMEADE  
**MINUTE MAID**.....12 OZ. FROZEN CAN **88¢**
- BLUE BUNNY NEAPOLITAN OR VANILLA  
**ICE CREAM SANDWICHES**.....12 CT. **2/<sup>\$5</sup>**
- BLUE BONNET  
**SPREAD**.....48 OZ. TUB **2/<sup>\$3</sup>**
- ASSORTED  
**PLAIN DRINKS**.....1 GALLON **79¢**
- AMERICAN CHOICE INDIVIDUAL WRAPPED  
**AMERICAN  
SANDWICH SLICES**.....10.6 OZ. PKG **99¢**
- KRAFT SELECTED VARIETIES  
EXCLUDES FAT FREE AND LIGHT VARIETIES  
**SHREDDED CHEESE**.....8 OZ. PKG **\$1<sup>69</sup>**
- KRAFT REGULAR OR LIGHT  
**VELVEETA SPREAD**.....32 OZ. BOX **\$3<sup>99</sup>**
- PIMENTO, SWISS, MILD MEXICAN,  
AMERICAN, 2% MILK, SUPER SLICE  
AMERICAN OR SUPER SLICE PIZZA  
**KRAFT SINGLES**.....12 OZ. PKG **\$1<sup>79</sup>**
- JELLO ASSORTED REGULAR, FAT FREE OR SUGAR FREE  
**PUDDING OR GELATIN**.....6 PACK **\$1<sup>79</sup>**
- KRAFT PHILADELPHIA REGULAR OR 1/3 LESS FAT  
**CREAM CHEESE**.....8 OZ. BOX **99¢**

- ALL TYPES  
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**COCA-COLA, DR. PEPPER  
OR SPRITE**.....6 PK.-12 OZ. CANS **\$1<sup>18</sup>**
- ALL TYPES  
**COCA-COLA, DR. PEPPER  
OR SPRITE**.....3 LITER BTLs **2/<sup>\$3</sup>**
- ALL TYPES  
**COCA-COLA, DR. PEPPER  
OR SPRITE**.....6 PK.-20 OZ. BTLs **\$2<sup>88</sup>**

## HEALTH & BEAUTY

- EXTENDED RELIEF CAPLETS  
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**TYLENOL**.....24 CT. PKG **\$2<sup>88</sup>**
- CHEWABLE TABLETS-BUBBLE GUM, GRAPE OR ORIGINAL  
**CHILDRENS TYLENOL**.....30 CT. **\$2<sup>29</sup>**
- WESTERN FAMILY  
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**TEXSUN JUICE**.....46 OZ. CAN **99¢**
- TEXSUN  
**PINK GRAPEFRUIT JUICE**....46 OZ. CANS **2/<sup>\$1</sup>**
- APPLE OR RED PLUM  
**SHURFINE JELLY**.....18 OZ. JAR **69¢**
- COMET  
**LONG GRAIN RICE**.....28 OZ. BOX **\$1<sup>29</sup>**
- COMET WONDER  
**LONG GRAIN RICE**.....70 OZ. BAG **\$2<sup>29</sup>**
- COMET  
**LONG GRAIN RICE**.....14 OZ. SIZE **2/<sup>99¢</sup>**
- ASSORTED  
**BOUNTY PAPER TOWELS**.....REG. ROLL **88¢**
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**SALAD DRESSING**.....16 OZ. BTL **\$1<sup>79</sup>**
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