

Murder suspect captured

■ Phone tip leads police to NM motel

By RICK WHITE
 Managing Editor

Fugitive Muleshoe murder suspect Gilberto "Tito" Reyes was apprehended late Sunday night in a Portales, N.M. motel room after three months on the run.

Reyes was wanted by Muleshoe police in connection with the abduction and murder of 19-year-old Yvette Barraz of Muleshoe in March.

The 24-year-old Muleshoe man and former boyfriend of Barraz was indicted Monday by a Bailey County grand jury on one count of capital murder.

He was arraigned Tuesday morning in Roosevelt County Magistrate Court on one count of being a fugitive from justice. He refused to waive extradition, according to a court clerk.

Muleshoe police will now seek a governor's warrant from Texas to extradite Reyes, which could take 30-45 days, according to Muleshoe police Lt. Otis Carpenter.

Reyes remains in custody at the Roosevelt County Detention Center without bail. Reyes also faces charges of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, possession of a firearm by a felon and aggravated assault.

Muleshoe police would not comment on the case, citing a March gag order issued by District Judge Felix Klein of Littlefield. However, they did say that they were working on extraditions papers.

Acting on a phone tip, Clovis police used Caller ID to trace several calls Reyes made from the Sands Motel to an individual in Clovis, according to Portales police Capt. Lonnie Berry.

Portales police went to the motel at about 11:30 p.m. (CDT) Sunday and arrested Reyes without incident, Berry said. Reyes was alone at the time.

The owner of the motel said Reyes was with two other Mexican men when he paid for a room earlier in the day. The men told the motel owner they had traveled from Mexico.

He said the men returned later looking for Reyes along

see REYES on page 2



Planes, trains and automobiles are just some of the things Olton woodworker Bud Andrew builds in his spare time

KNOT RETIRED

■ Olton man builds precise replica models

By RICK WHITE
 Managing Editor

Bud Andrew carves memories out of wood.

Many are his — like the single-engine Bellanca plane on which he proposed to his wife or the 1924 school bus he rode on while growing up in Olton. Others just chronicle time.

"I call it a hobby, but I work at it all the time," the 78-year-old Andrew said.

The retired airplane mechanic works about 35-40 hours a week in the shop outside his Olton home, sometimes

working until 10 or 11 at night — although he does allow for an occasional midday nap.

"I never get tired of working," he said. "I just get tired."

His incredible eye for detail in the scale-model cars, tractors and planes he builds drew a throng of onlookers Saturday during the Muleshoe Kiwanis Club's seventh annual Farm Toy Show at the Bailey County Coliseum. The miniature replicas crafted from maple and walnut shimmered like blonde statues on his display table.

A 1931 Model-T replica, a car he once owned, sports running lights and tiny brake and gas pedals — all made of



Bud Andrew and a Gulfstream IV jet

wood — and shammy-covered seats. Even the wheels are made of wood.

The centerpiece of his display table were a three-foot replica of a Gulfstream IV jet and a 1995 Olton ISD International school bus. The jet is the

see OLTON on page 2

PAGE ONE

A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

Mom has heart of lion

HARLINGEN — Mary Jane Coder's three daughters don't have to brag about how tough their mom is any more. They have a story to prove it.

Armed with just a pocket knife, Coder defended her children against a hungry cougar that approached while they were hiking in Big Bend National Park recently.

Coder took her daughters, ages 6 to 9, to see nature at its best. They got more than they bargained for. As the mountain lion charged, Coder shoved her daughters under the ledge of a boulder and started advancing toward the 100-pound animal. The mountain lion backed off.

"I knew I was going to die protecting my children," Coder said. "I just couldn't stop being a mother because I was scared."

LOCAL WEATHER

	High	low	Pre.
Friday	73	53	—
Saturday	79	49	—
Sunday	74	47	—
Monday	91	53	—
Total to date	3.30 inches		

EXTENDED FORECAST

Mostly cloudy Thursday with a chance of thunderstorms. Highs in mid 80s. Slight chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Highs in the 90s. Lows in 60s.

Commissioners discuss limiting overtime

By HEATHER SHIPMAN
 Journal Staff Writer

Concerned about mounting employee compensation time and overtime, the Bailey County Commissioners' Court Monday discussed revamping the guidelines during its regular monthly meeting at the Courthouse.

"The Department of Labor said that we can no longer regulate when an employee takes compensatory time and that's where we are at now," Bailey County Judge

Marilyn Cox said.

According to Cox, Bailey County employees are often asked to take compensation time in place of overtime to save the County money. An hour and a half of "comp" time is awarded for every hour of overtime, which pays time-and-a-half.

"The problem is that we need to regulate overtime because these are our tax dollars at work and we want to save the taxpayers when at all possible," Cox said later in an in-

terview.

Controlling the amount of overtime is often difficult, Cox said. Especially in the law enforcement field, where emergencies do not always happen from 9 to 5, Monday through Friday, she said.

Michelle Arseneau, a representative from the Texas Association of Counties, discussed with the Commissioners' Court several ways of effectively controlling the amount of overtime worked.

"Starting the work week on the

weekend will help the employer foresee any overtime, and if needed, they can give the employee time off before the pay period ends to avoid unnecessary overtime," Arseneau said.

The proposed policy revision states that all overtime for Bailey County employees will have to be approved in advance. It also states that if an employee has accumulated more than 40 hours, or will

see OVERTIME on page 6

Kemp, McClanahan named to A-J's All-South Plains team

Honors continued to roll in for Muleshoe High School's Layne Kemp and Matt McClanahan.

Kemp and McClanahan were named Sunday to the 1998 Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's 3A-1A All-South Plains baseball team.

Kemp, a 6-1, 175-pound senior, was selected as the third baseman on the elite squad while McClanahan, a 6-0, 180-pound junior, was one of two utility players picked.

Shallowater junior Chad Schoor was named Player of the Year and Rodney Gardner of Abernathy was selected Coach of the Year.

Muleshoe, Shallowater, Brownfield, Coahoma and Abernathy all had two

players each on the 16-player team.

Kemp hit a team-high .561 for the Mules with six doubles, five triples and three home runs. He also scored 37 runs and had 31 RBI.

On the mound, the right-hander was 12-3 with a 2.84 earned run average with 104 strikeouts in 81 2/3 innings.

Kemp is a two-time All-District 1-3A selection and was also picked to play in the Texas High School Coaches Association North-South All-Star game June 17 at The Ballpark in Arlington.

McClanahan hit .434 and led the team with nine home runs and 33 RBI. The center fielder also had nine doubles,

see BASEBALL on page 4

1998 A-J All-South Plains Class 1A-3A

P	Joe Lujan, sr.	Rotan
P	Mic Quintanilla, jr.	Brownfield
P	T.J. Green, sr.	Coahoma
C	Roy Alamarino, jr.	Brownfield
1B	Spencer Freeman, sr.	New Deal
2B	Patrick Bixler, jr.	Shallowater
3B	Layne Kemp, sr.	Muleshoe
SS	Bernabe Mendoza, so.	Abernathy
OF	Zack Matthews, sr.	Dimmitt
OF	Josh Cuevas, sr.	Abernathy
OF	Steve Gonzales, sr.	Post
OF	Jerry Mann, sr.	Coahoma
DH	Patrick Boyd, sr.	Denver City
UTL	Matt McClanahan, jr.	Muleshoe
UTL	Chad Schoor, jr.	Shallowater

AROUND MULESHOE

Christian clowns performing June 13

Professional Christian clowns Mschuf & Dimple will perform from 2-3 p.m., Saturday June 13 at the Christian Center church, located one mile south on 214.

The public is welcome.

WJHS cheerleaders pool party

The Watson Junior High School cheerleaders are sponsoring a pool party from 6-9 p.m. Saturday, June 13 at the city pool.

The cost is \$3 per person. Activities include swimming and volleyball. For more information call Donna Mason at 272-5840 or Holly Henderson at 272-5530.

Church of Christ Vacation Bible School

The Muleshoe Church of Christ at 2201 American Boule-

vard is having their Vacation Bible School entitled "Life of Christ" June 23-25.

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

First Baptist Vacation Bible School

The First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School is being held June 15-19 at 220 W. Ave. E.

Included will be bible study, crafts, games and snacks. School is from 9 a.m. to noon and is for children between the ages of 4 (by Jan. 1, 1998) through just finishing the fifth grade.

For more information, call 272-4224.

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

WEIRD BUG PEST CONTROL

Any size residence
June 10 thru July 31
indoor spraying only

\$24.95 + tax

CALL TODAY!

523 West Avenue B • 272-5161

COLLEGE NOTES

Graduation

BAYLOR

Conklin earns music degree

WACO — Mason Conklin of Muleshoe was among the 1,330 Baylor University students awarded academic degrees May 16 at the Ferrill Special Events Center.

Conklin graduated summa cum laude with a bachelor's degree in music.

Honors

ANGELO STATE

Weaver on dean's list

SAN ANGELO — Bobby Weaver, a 1995 graduate of Lazbuddie High School, was named to the dean's list for the spring semester at

Angelo State University.

He is majoring in nursing.

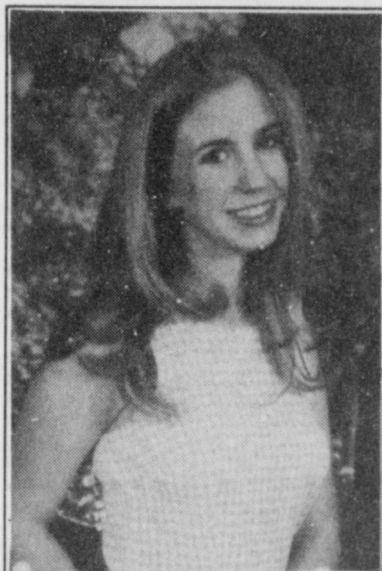
EASTERN NEW MEXICO

Agundiz, Gregory on dean's list

PORTALES, N.M. — Two Muleshoe students were among the 448 students who earned academic honors during the spring semester at Eastern New Mexico University.

Gloria Agundiz, a senior elementary education major, and Vaneta Gregory, a freshman psychology major, were named to the dean's list.

To be eligible for the dean's list, students must complete a minimum of 15 hours for the semester and maintain a 3.25 grade point average.



Christine Puckett

**Amanda Puckett
Howe High School
valedictorian**

Amanda Christine Puckett was named valedictorian of the 1998 graduating class at Howe High School.

She is the daughter of Logan and Kathy LeBleu Puckett, both of whom were 1969 graduates of Muleshoe High School.

Puckett was accepted to the University of Texas at Dallas with a full scholarship and will be majoring in pre-med studies.

She has been first chair clarinet throughout middle school and high school in the Howe marching band, which won state championships in 1995 and 1997. She received a state award for her TAAS exam grade, missing only one question. She is an active member of the First Baptist Church of Howe and will be teaching Vacation Bible School this summer.

She is the granddaughter of Richard and Barbara Puckett, the great granddaughter of Charlie and Ida Barnett, the niece of Larry and Cheryl Puckett and the great niece of Wannie Frazier and Nelda Marriott.

SUSPECT

From page 1

with a heavy-set woman.

"We plan to investigate anybody and everybody who might have aided him in avoiding prosecution for the last three months," said Muleshoe police Lt. Otis Carpenter.

Muleshoe police believe Reyes abducted Barraz March 11 from the parking lot of a Muleshoe restaurant where she worked as a waitress.

Based on evidence gathered in the restaurant parking lot, Muleshoe Police Chief Don Carter said at the time that he believed Barraz "sustained injuries that resulted in her death

while she was still in Muleshoe." Barraz was found dead in the back seat of her car two days later in the border town of Presidio.

A bloody claw hammer was found at the scene, according to Presidio County Justice of the peace Daniel Bodine, who listed the cause of death as blunt force trauma to the head.

Reyes was last seen crossing into Mexico.

U.S. Customs agents detained and questioned Reyes on March 12 — just seven hours after he allegedly abducted Barraz and just hours before he was identified as the prime sus-

pect — but he was released.

He had drawn the attention of customs agent because of a series of burglaries in the Presidio area and the unusual time he was crossing into Mexico.

Who's silly now: senior denied diploma

McCAMEY — Nick Zahasky, 19, has been denied his high school diploma for celebrating his success with Silly String.

Zahasky was the last graduating senior to file out of his high school auditorium. Before exiting, he turned, pulled a can of the gooey streamer from under his robe and sprayed a colorful jet into the air.

Zahasky said principal Jerry Stinson told him his diploma would not be released unless he completed eight hours of community service.

"I don't feel this is right," Zahasky said.

"I think every senior ought to go through a few hours of community service whether they acted inappropriately at their graduation ceremony or not," said Superintendent Joe Neill.

Zahasky's mother doesn't see it that way. "It's caused us a lot of distress," Sandy Zahasky said. She has filed a complaint with the Texas Education Agency.

OLTON

From page 1

aircraft his son pilots for the Dupont Corp.

"I've always taken pride in my work," he said. "I like to be as detailed as I can."

Andrew is at 92 different models and counting. He also builds furniture. He usually works from pictures and considers imagination his most important tool.

"I like a challenge," said Andrew, adding that he has only turned down a few jobs.

He said his wife, Maxine, is his best critic.

"If there is something wrong, she can spot it," he said.

Model prices range from \$350 to \$500.

"But I don't do it to make a living," he said. "I do it because I enjoy it."

The Countdown has started!
StarQuest is preparing for liftoff!

Join your friends and other space travelers and be a part of the fun, Bible study, crafts, games and snacks at the most out-of-this-world Vacation Bible School you've ever seen!

Liftoff will be at:
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
220 W. Avenue E
June 15 - 19, 1998
9 am until Noon

For more information call: 272-4224

For children:
Age 4 (by January 1, 1998) through
5th grade (just completed)

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.

J.C. Shanks

Home Care

Home is where the heart is

Affiliated with Lubbock Methodist Hospital Systems

24 Hour # 272-3346
Local Nurse on call 24 hours a day to offer prompt service.

Out-Of-Hospital Do Not Resuscitate Packets/ Bracelets Now Available. Call us at 272-3346 or come by 623 W. 2nd for information.

To receive Home Health Services, talk with your physician or talk with hospital personnel when you are hospitalized.

We accept Medicare, Medicaid and Private Insurance
It Is Your Right To Choose The Home Health Agency You Prefer.

MISD board awards insurance bids

Awarding insurance bids and reviewing summer school programs were the main topics of Monday's regular bi-monthly meeting of the Muleshoe Independent School Board of Trustees.

The school board voted to accept a bid from the Texas Association of School Boards Risk Management Pool for property and liability coverage for the 1998-99 school year.

The \$39,549 premium is \$3,000 less than last year.

Superintendent Bill Moore commented that the school dis-

trict is fortunate to get such a competitive bid, especially in light of the unusually high number of claims the district filed this year.

The school district is having insurance work done on all four of the school buildings plus replacing junior high gymnasium floor that was warped by flooding.

The board also approved proposals from the Baker Agency and the Jacobs Co. for athletic insurance and catastrophic coverage.

The athletic insurance,

which covers all University Interscholastic League activities, serves as secondary coverage.

The board also heard summer school reports from three campus principals.

Watson Junior High School principal Shelia Joyner reported an average of 60 students per day attending summer school. She said the main focus is on decimals and fractions in math and vocabulary in the English and reading programs.

DeShazo principal Barbara Finney reported an average of

86 students per day with the emphasis reading and vocabulary.

Dillman principal Helen Grigsby reported 81 students per day and an emphasis on language skills.

Another 21 high school students are attending Pep School this summer.

In other business, the board approved minor updates to the WJHS student handbook and hired four employees.

Hired for the 1998-99 school year were Dillman teachers Valarie Johnston and DeAnn Wilson, high school teacher and coach Jill McCaul, and junior high computer literacy teacher Jody Wood.

Precure named Chamber coordinator

By HEATHER SHIPMAN
Journal Staff Writer

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture recently added a new face.

Laura Precure was named to the position of Chamber coordinator on June 1.

A new office came with that decision and a whole new set of responsibilities.

Some of her responsibilities include bookkeeping, preparing a monthly newsletter and keeping up with all of the current events around Muleshoe.

Another part of this job is to recruit new businesses and generally find ways to better the community. She will also attend the Chamber's monthly meeting to provide the board with updates.

Precure's plans for the future are not certain. She thinks a bulletin board with upcoming events and other general

information would be helpful, but this has not yet been discussed with the board.

"I'm really not here to change things, I'm here to serve the Chamber members as best as I can," Precure said. "My job is to serve as a liaison between the Board and the community," said Precure.

Precure is paid from Chamber dues. That salary will include a mileage allowance and adds up to \$750 a month.

She is married to Dr. Michael Precure and has two children, Stuart and Madeleine, and one due in October.

Precure said she is open to suggestions concerning the chamber and ways to better serve its members. Office hours are from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m., Monday through Friday at their temporary office at 109 S. First or you may leave a message at 272-4248.



Laura Precure



M
The Muleshoe McDonald's Team would like to congratulate **Marco Guardiola** on his recent promotion to Shift Manager. He is a 1998 graduate of Muleshoe High School. Marco has a great personality and serves all his customers with the highest standards possible.

Come on in and tell Marco hello and congratulations. In honor of his promotion, we now have...

42 oz. SOFT DRINKS

for only **99¢** (+ tax)

McDonald's
1315 W. American Blvd.



We want to be your local news source! Call 272-4536

Starts Friday! JUNE sale

Storewide savings for the family, plus great gifts for Dad!



MISSES' SUMMER TANKS AND TEES
6.99-14.99
Reg. 10.00-20.00.

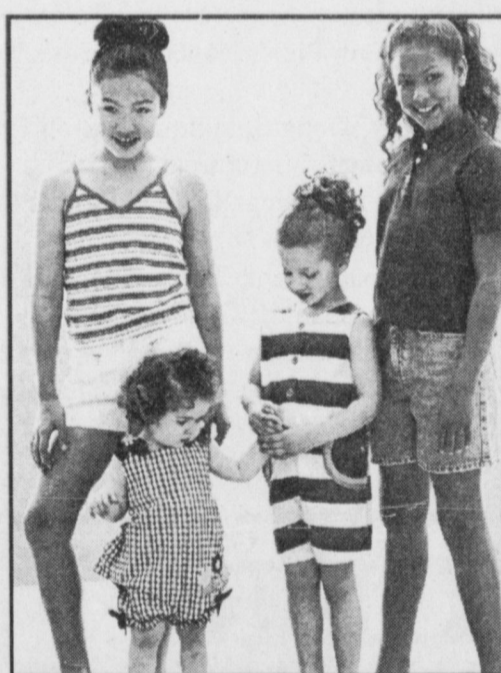
MISSES' & SPECIAL SIZES

MISSES' SAG HARBOR® SEPARATES
12.99-19.99
Reg. 18.00-36.00. Women's sizes also on sale.

ALL DOCKERS® KHAKIS SHORTS
SALE 22.50
Misses' sizes. Reg. 30.00. Also in petites & women's.

MISSES' MATCHING TOPS & SHORTS
9.99 & 12.99
Varied prints and colors. Reg. 14.00-20.00 ea. pc.

MISSES' LONG, PRINT SUNDRESSES
ONLY 29.99
Smart Value. Lots of details; rayon challis. Misses' 8-18.



KIDS' TOPS, SHORTS AND SHORT SETS
SAVE 25%
Reg. 9.00-26.00, SALE 6.75-19.50.

JUNIORS'

KNIT AND WOVEN TOPS
7.99-9.99
Tees, tanks, more. Reg. 10.00-16.00.

TWILL AND DENIM SHORTS
12.99 & 14.99
Cool styles to choose from. Reg. 20.00-25.00.

ACCESSORIES

ENTIRE STOCK FINE JEWELRY
SAVE 60%
All 14K gold, sterling silver and vermeil designs.

ALL LADIES' SUNGLASSES
SAVE 33%
Reg. 10.00-60.00, SALE 6.70-40.20.



ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S DOCKERS®
21.99-36.99
Pants and shorts. Reg. 25.00-48.00.

MEN'S

LEVI'S® DENIM SALE FOR MEN
23.99-39.99
Shorts and jeans. Reg. 25.00-42.00.

ALL MEN'S JOCKEY® UNDERWEAR
SAVE 25%
T-shirts, underwear. Reg. 9.00-19.00, SALE 6.75-14.25.

FAMOUS MAKER GOLF SHIRTS
SALE 19.99
Penguin Sport®, Specialty Collection®. Reg. 28.00-30.00.

VAN HEUSEN® DRESS SHIRTS
SALE 21.99
White and fashion colors. Reg. 29.00-32.00. Wrinkle-free, reg. 32.00, SALE 24.99.

THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH

FIELD ENTERTAINMENT PRESENTS
RINGLING BROS. & BAILEY

©1997 Ringling Bros.

4 DAYS ONLY!
TICKETS ON SALE NOW!
JUNE 18-21
LUBBOCK MUNICIPAL COLISEUM
BY PHONE and INFO:
(806) 770-2000
1-800-735-1288
All Select-a-Seat Ticket Centers
www.Ringling.com
Coliseum Box Office (No Service Charge)
TICKET PRICES STARTING AT \$12.50

Read it first in the Journal

CHARGE IT!
GET 10% OFF
ALL DAY
WHEN YOU OPEN A NEW STORE ACCOUNT
Exclusions may apply. Subject to credit approval.

BEALLS

Muleshoe #649
321 Main St. • 272-3478

Just a sample of the savings you will find. Interim markdowns may have been taken. Selections vary by store. Petites at most stores. Fine Jewelry not available at Carthage, Gilmer, Longview, (Village Shopping Center) and Vidor, TX and Sand Springs, OK. Vermeil is 18K gold over sterling.

Grass fire at Refuge Monday

An short in a power line sparked a grass fire Monday that burned about 160 acres of grassland, including part of the Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge.

The fire started about 9:30 a.m. in the southwest corner of the Refuge east of Highway 214, according to Wildlife Refuge manager Don Clapp.

The Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Department and Bailey County workers helped to control the fire, but not before it had consumed approximately 60 acres of Refuge land and 100 acres of grassland of a neighboring ranch.

"For the refuge, it was probably a good thing because the grass stands tend to get old and will clump," Clapp said. "Burning helps to regenerate the grass and when it grows back it provides an even cover."

Clapp said no wildlife habitat was destroyed.

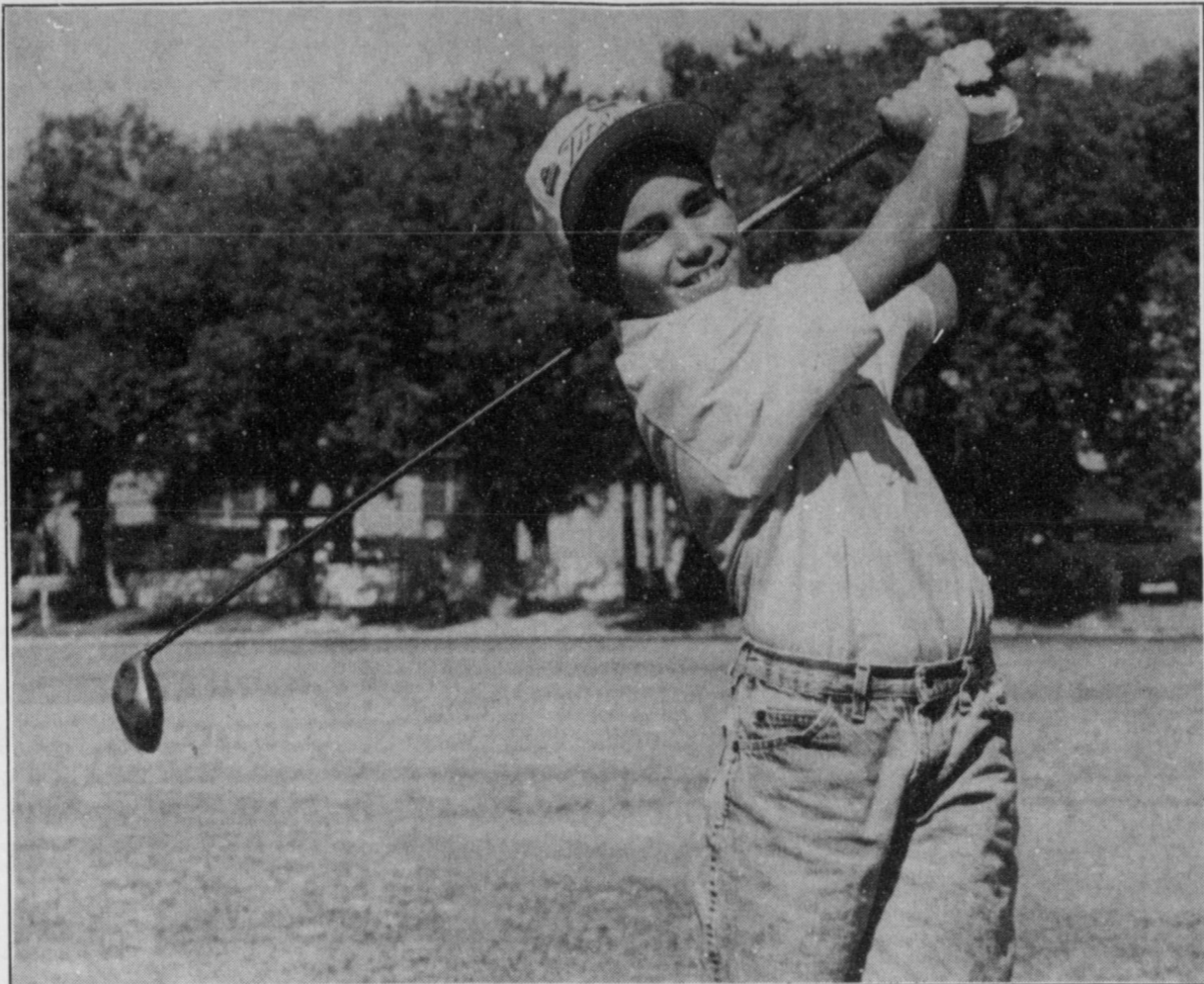
Even though the wind was relatively clam, it did cause some problems, according to Bailey County Precinct 4 Commissioner Bennie Claunch.

"The wind must have shifted some because the fire was starting to diminish when it changed to a northerly direction," Claunch said. "That's when we had to stop it because there was nothing but grassland on that side that would have spread quickly."

Texas Gov. George W. Bush said Monday that 80 percent of Texas is in drought and severe fire danger and issued an emergency proclamation for 207 counties, including all of the Panhandle-South Plains region.

The Texas Forest Service has listed the fire danger in the counties covered by the proclamation as "extreme."

"Texas is already dry, and we face a long, hot summer," Bush said.



Dumas champ

Ariel Flores won the 10-11 year-old division of a junior PGA tournament in Dumas Friday

Flores wins junior PGA tournament

DUMAS — Ariel Flores of Muleshoe won the 10-11 year-old boys division of the Northern Texas PGA Wescott Tour held Friday at Pheasant Trails Golf Course.

Flores, 10, shot a four-over-par 40 in the nine-hole competition and won by three strokes.

Northern Texas PGA Wescott Tour at Pheasant Trails GC, Dumas 7-9 coed — 1. Daniel Wood, 47; 2. Thomas Hinojosa, 59; 3. Colby Ford, 64.

Boys 10-11 (nine holes) — 1. Ariel Flores, 40; 2. (won in playoff) Copper Brazile 43; 3. Sean Eichorn, 43; **12-13** — 1. Mitchell Shilling, 89; 2. Ryan Floyd, 90; 3. Dee Alston, 91.

14-15 — 1. Stewart Dodson, 73; 2. Travis Lovins, 74; 3. Clay Banner, 80; **16-18** — 1. Derrick Dickson, 72; 2. Daniel Edwards, 74; 3. Nic Ware, 75.

Girls 10-11 — 1. Whitney Osborne, 52; 2. Savannah Rose, 85; **12-14** — 1. Adrian Fincher, 96; 2. Randi Wilkerson, 121; 3. Shelby Burkett, 126; **15-18** — 1. Goldie Harrillson, 81; 2. Amy Killinsworth, 84; 3. Afton Messenger, 88.

GOLF

Thursday Scramble June 4, at Muleshoe CC
* — Won in playoff

29 * — Dave Jenkins, Phillip York, Gary Shipman, Ronda Box, Paul Wilbanks, Sammy Gonzales, Sr.

29 — Jason Box, John Saylor, Sandra Sutton, Jonessa Brockman, Ronald Scott, Dave Engelking.

29 — Larry Sutton, Mark Barton, Bill Liles, Alice Liles, Tippi Angeley, Gilbert Lopez.

30 — Sid Felan, Terry Field, Jeanetta Precure, Norm Brantley, Bobby Angeley.

31 — Kyle Embry, Doug Spradling, Darrell Embry, Heather Shipman, Sherri Shipman, Victor Leal.

31 — Darren Box, Brad Stegall, Shelli Stegall, Anita Allgood, Dick Pylant, Dee Brown.

32 — Todd Shipman, Frank Torres, Yolanda Phillips, Mike Noriega, Jimmy Guana.

Muleshoe Country Club hosts a nine-hole scramble every Thursday. The scramble starts at 6 p.m. and is open to the public. Players must register by 5 p.m. For more information call 272-4250.

BASEBALL

From page 1

three triples and scored 29 runs for the Mules, who finished

16-9 overall and third in district with a 10-4 mark.

Schoor, who led the Class 2A Mustangs to an 18-3 record,

batted .394 with four home runs and posted an 8-0 record on the

mound, with a 3.60 era and 49 strikeouts in 48 2/3 innings.

Dimmitt senior outfielder

Zack Matthews was the only other District 1-3A player

named to the team. Matthews, an Oklahoma State baseball

recruit, hit .577 with seven home runs.

Dr. A.R. Ploudre
Open your eyes to vision care that works with your budget!

- Quality care at a reasonable cost
- Contact lenses
- Eyeglass prescriptions filled
- NM & Texas Medicaid, Medicare Assignment

We are also proud to provide special assistance to low income families in need of vision care. Families who feel they qualify are encouraged to call for more information.

Payment plan available • Se Habla Espanol

1515 Gidding St., Clovis, N.M.
(505) 762-2951

JOE'S BOOT SHOP *We Ship Everywhere*

1-800-658-6378 106 E. American Blvd. Muleshoe, Texas

And Country Junction

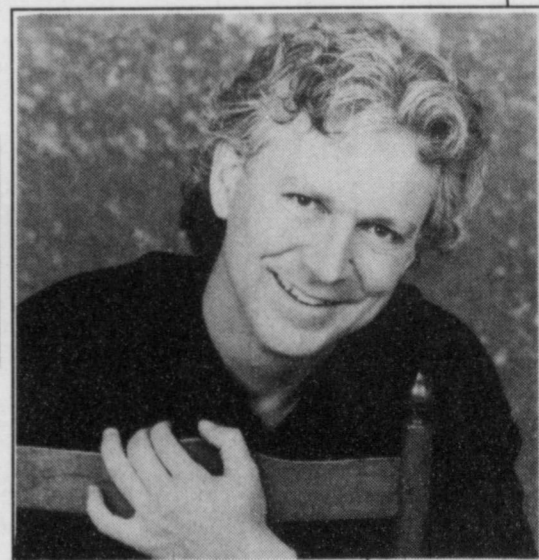
Don't Miss Our 15th Annual BOOT TENT SALE

JULY 1, 2, 3 & 4, 1998

Come enjoy entertainment by...



Texas Tradition - July 1, 2, 3 & 4



T. Graham Brown - July 4



Homecookin' Band July 1, 2, 3 & 4



Curtis Potter - July 2



Ranch Dance Fiddle Band July 1



Joe Carr & Alan Munde July 3

JOE IS LOOKING FOR SPECIAL TENT SALE MEMORIES!
Best Tent Sale Memory during the past 15 years will receive:
\$500 Gift Certificate

Name _____ Ph# _____
Address _____
Memory _____

Take to the Tent Sale!

SINGER School Machines

WITH SEW and SERGE STITCHES
NEW IN FACTORY SEALED CARTONS

UNSOLD ORDERS

Our Singer Education Department placed factory orders in anticipation of large sales. Some of these machines remain in our warehouse. They cannot be held over, but will be liquidated to the public.

SIMPLIFIED OPERATION

These new 1998 Singer Sew & Serge sewing machines feature simplified operation. They have all built in stitches including: straight sewing, zig-zag, buttonholes, elastic stitch, invisible blind-hem, monogram, satin stitch, embroidery, double seams, applique, sew on buttons, top stitching, and special sweatshirt applique; plus built in serging stitch. Rolled edge option available. Singer Nationwide Warranty. Now you can buy one machine that has both regular stitches and a serging stitch. An optional cutter is available to trim the fabric edge.

SEWS ALL FABRICS

These machines are heavy duty. They will hem jeans and sew all fabrics from sheer nylon to leather without pressure adjustments. Easy to follow, illustrated instruction book and toll free back up included.

Other Models May be Available at Similar Savings

Company Demonstrator on hand

Your Price with this ad is **\$186**

Without this ad \$419.00

Your check, MC, Visa, Discover, Lay-a-way welcome.

Pay in full and take machine with you.

NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE

SATURDAY JUNE 13 ONLY 9 AM TIL 2 PM

MULESHOE HERITAGE DEPOT

2200 WEST ASH - MULESHOE



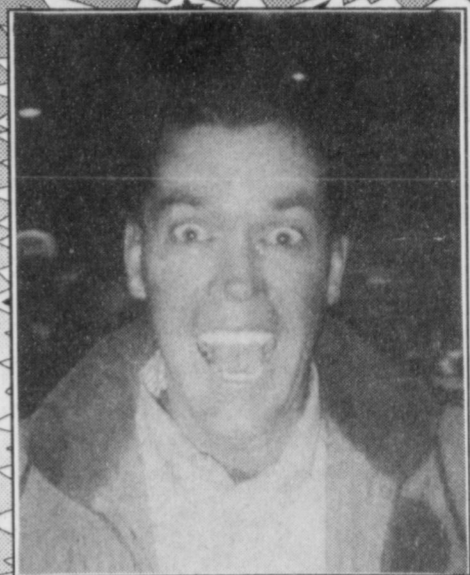
QUALITY SINCE 1851



Have a nice day!

1998 Muleshoe football schedule

Varsity Scrimmages		Sept. 17 Brownfield	
Aug. 21 at Seminole		Sept. 24 Tulia	
Aug. 27 Palo Duro		Oct. 1 Dimmitt	
Pre-district		District 2-3A	
Sept. 4 at Portales, N.M.		Oct. 8 Littlefield	
Sept. 11 Denver City		Oct. 15 at Shallowater	
Sept. 18 at Brownfield		Oct. 23 Roosevelt	
Sept. 25 Tulia		Oct. 22 at Friona	
Oct. 2 Dimmitt		Nov. 5 Cooper	
District 2-3A		Junior High (7th & 8th) Pre-district	
Oct. 9 at Littlefield		Sept. 3 at Portales, N.M.	
Oct. 16 Shallowater		Sept. 10 Denver City	
Oct. 23 at Roosevelt		Sept. 17 at Brownfield	
Oct. 30 Friona		Sept. 24 Tulia	
Nov. 6 at Cooper		Oct. 1 Dimmitt	
Freshman & junior varsity Scrimmages		District 2-3A	
Aug. 21 at Seminole		Oct. 8 at Littlefield	
Aug. 27 Palo Duro		Oct. 15 Shallowater	
		Oct. 22 at Roosevelt	
		Oct. 29 Friona	
		Nov. 5 at Cooper	
			Home games in bold



HEY EVERYBODY IT'S MY BIRTHDAY!

Happy Birthday Kelly (Gotcha!)

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

To Jim Bone
on his two-year anniversary with Muleshoe Area Hospital District, June 3, 1998.

"With calm and quiet assurance,
You stepped into our lives,
Creating order and harmony
From nothing but chaos and strife.

Treating each one as your equal,
As with us you had to contend,
You quickly became our leader,
Our mentor and our friend.

Answering our questions with questions,
Making us use our own heads;
And teaching us how, by example,
To find humor when we're seeing red.

Guiding us with a hand of iron,
That's wearing a velvet glove,
You've led us to accomplish tasks
We thought we weren't capable of.

You've brought stability to our lives
That before was only a dream;
And thanks to your skillful coaching,
We have become a team.

We're proud of how far you've brought us,
And feel that we really must say,
That, like it or not, you've made us
What we are today."

— Sharon Plott

Editor's note: Jim Bone is administrator of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District.

Backyard ponds a cool conservation idea

On the farm, a pond can help stop gully erosion and improve water quality. Farm ponds provide water for livestock, waterfowl and fish as well as adding beauty to a landscape.

Wildlife use ponds for water and habitat. Farm ponds are just one of the many conservation measures farmers are using to improve their land.

As one Iowa farmer says about his pond, "I was always taught that one generation does for the next, and we thought leaving the land and water in

better condition would be something good to leave to our children and grandchildren."

Backyard ponds have many of the same benefits as farm ponds. Though small — usually three to four feet in diameter, they can draw wildlife to your backyard as well as adding a scenic addition. Here are some tips on installing a backyard pond:

- Locate it in view of a deck or patio where everyone can enjoy it. Plan to landscape around the pond to provide habitat for frogs and birds that need land and water.

- Be sure electrical service is available for pumps and filters as well as lighting. Most sights will require lining with an impervious material.

- A flexible liner made of sheets of strong plastic is generally the easiest and least expensive to install. A wooden half barrel with a liner makes a

small, above-ground pond.

- Don't make the pond too small or shallow. Minimum depth for fish is 18 inches and a deep end of 2 to 3 feet is recommended.

- Free-floating plants, such as duckweed, are an integral part of keeping the water in your pond clear. Use native plants that are recommended for your area. Submerged pots of water lilies, iris spikerush, arrow-arrum and other native wetlands plants can also be used.

- Consider filling a small area with sand or gravel to create a shallow area where bees and butterflies can drink.

There are many more backyard conservation projects homeowners can try. For more ideas, you can order a copy of the 28-page Backyard Conservation booklet are available free by calling 1-888-LANDCARE.

OVERTIME

From page 1

have by the end of the pay period, County officials can send the employee home early or have them report later than scheduled.

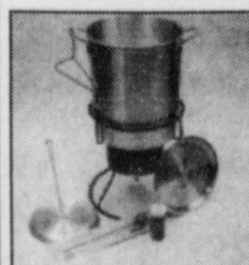
The proposed policy will also contain a progressive disciplinary plan.

On the first offense, the County will pay the overtime and issue a warning. The second offense, the County will pay the overtime, but the employee will be suspended without pay for three days. On the third offense, the County will still pay the overtime, but the employee will be terminated without exceptions. The policy change does not include part-time employees, but would include all full-time employees.

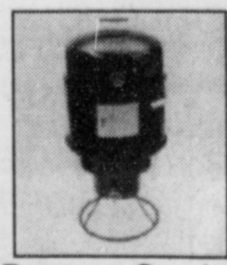
"If you can afford to pay the overtime, we recommend that you pay it, and that will avoid the building up of compensatory time," Arseneau said.

The Commissioners' Court tabled the motion until its next meeting, which is scheduled for June 24.

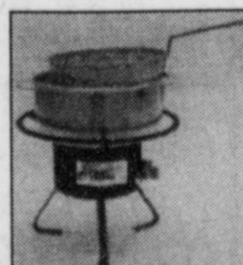
GREAT GIFTS for Dad!



Turkey Cookers



Propane Smoker



Outdoor Fish Fryers



We also have mouthwatering seasoning and injectable marinades

Fitz Heating And Air Conditioning

Lic. 17736 1440 Main - Clovis, NM • 763-6915

Wanted: Bride

Dave Weinlick, 28, of Minneapolis is getting married Saturday, and just one detail is missing: a bride.

Weinlick set the date for his wedding about four years ago because people kept asking him when he was going to get married. Potential brides are invited to a "bridal candidate mixer" the day of the wedding to be screened by the groom's friends.

(Potential brides may bring along their friends to screen the groom.) A vote by the friends will select a "winner."

WILSON APPLIANCE

Authorized Agent for Plateau Cellular Phone Service

Motorola Cell Phones as low as \$9.95

• Call-In Absence Display
• Rechargeable NiCd Battery
• And more...



FREE Cigarette Lighter Adaptor with purchase of cellular phone

Easy to use, small enough to take anywhere!

*Activation required with Plateau Cellular Phone Service.
*Some restrictions apply.

Offer Good Thru June 30, 1998

117 Main St. • Muleshoe, TX • 272-5532

Since 1957

Leal's

Mexican Restaurant
Muleshoe, Texas

NOW OPEN MONDAYS

CHILDREN'S MENU	LUNCH MENU
Enchilada with beans & rice.....2.29	Enchilada, Taco, beans & rice.....3.99
Taco with beans & rice.....2.29	Lunch Fajitas.....5.99
Bean Burrito with rice.....2.29	Two tacos with beans & rice.....3.59
Carne Guisada with beans & rice.....2.29	Enchilada, Taco, Chalupa.....3.49
Chicken Fingers with gravy & fries.....2.29	Pollo Citantro.....half order.....4.29
Grill Cheese with fries.....2.29	Two Enchiladas with beans & rice.....3.99
Bowl of fajita meat with one tortilla.....2.29	Fajita Burrito.....3.99
	Chicken Fajita Salad.....half order.....3.99

OPEN
11:00 am. till 10:00 p.m.

Kids Eat FREE On Mondays

Try Our NEW Desserts
FRIED ICE CREAM, APPLE CRISPITOS
PECAN BROWNIES

Alco earnings up 18.5 percent in 1st quarter

Duckwall-ALCO reported its 21st consecutive quarter of year-to-year earnings in May.

Alco's net income for the first quarter, which ended May 3, increased by 18.5% to \$1 million from \$849,000 in the prior year.

The company made significant progress on its store opening program during the first quarter, opening 15 Duckwall and 6 ALCO stores for a record 21 new openings. During the quarter, the Company completed negotiations to increase its revolving credit facility to \$85 million with a bank group headed by BankAmerica Business Credit, Inc. and Transamerica Business Credit Corporation. The new credit agreement has a three-year term.

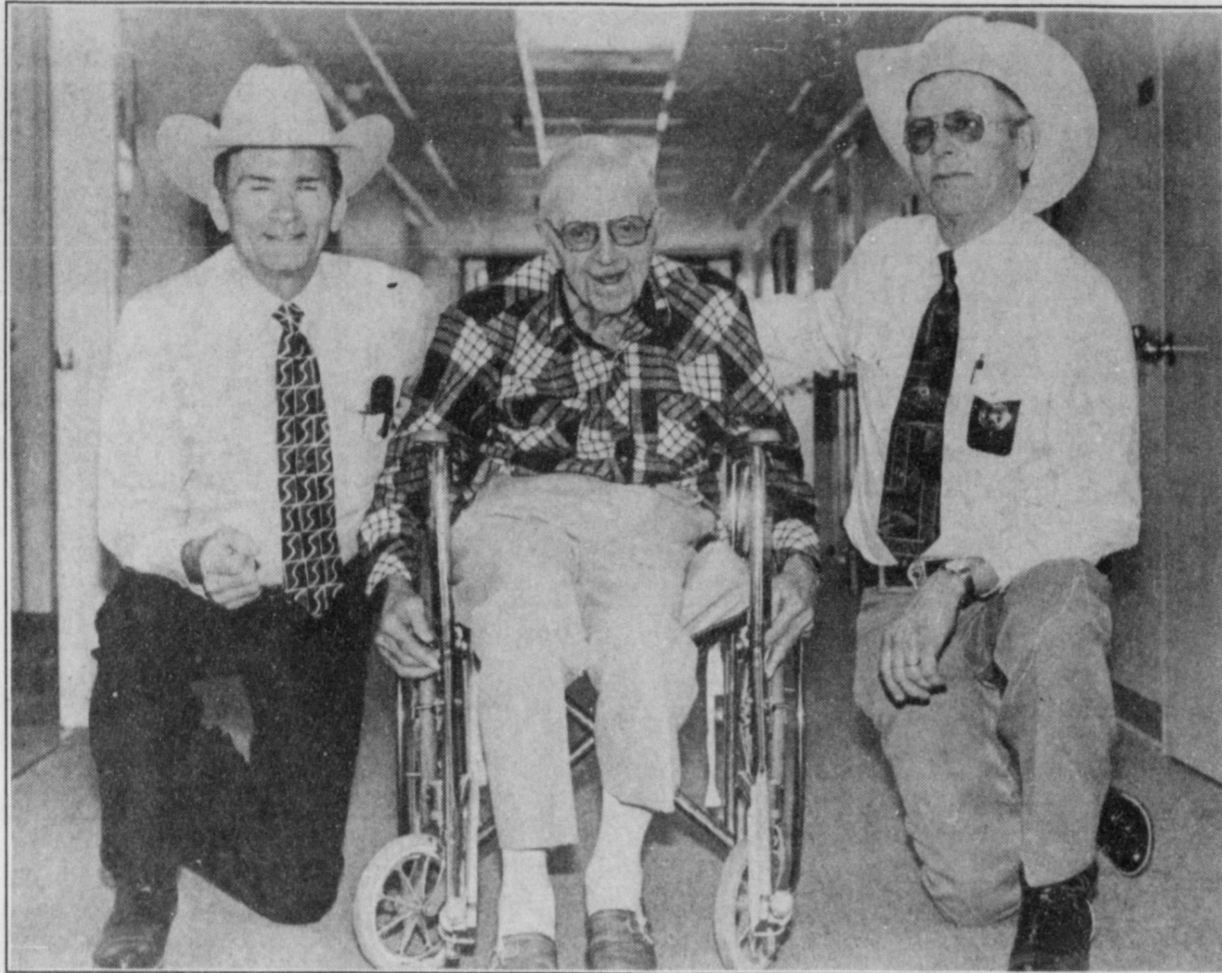
Glen L. Shank, president and chief executive officer, said "I am very pleased with Duckwall-ALCO's operating results for the quarter. They are particularly impressive in light of the fact that during the quarter we also opened a record number of new stores. With these new openings, 80% of our stores now operate in non-competitive markets."

Shank continued, "Our increased revolving credit facility now provides us with the financial flexibility to continue our aggressive expansion program. We intend to open at least 35 stores during this fiscal year."

Duckwall-ALCO Stores, Inc. is a leading regional retailer which operates 246 full-line discount and hometown variety stores in the Midwestern United States under the names "ALCO" and "Duckwall," respectively.

The ALCO store in Muleshoe currently has 18 employees.

Read it first in the Journal



Sheriff's posse

Pictured are the three living lawmen who have served or are currently serving as Bailey County Sheriff. (From left) Jerry Hicks, Dee Clements and current sheriff Coy Plott.

Coast Guard accepting applications for Class of 2003

The United States Coast Guard academy is now accepting and processing applications to the Class of 2003.

Appointments are tendered solely on the basis of an annual nationwide competition with no congressional nominations or geographical quotas. Applications must be submitted to the Director of Admissions prior to December 15, 1998. Candidates must arrange to participate in either the SATI or ACT prior to or including the December 1998 administration.

Appointments are based on the candidate's high school record; performance on either

the SATI or ACT, and leadership potential as demonstrated by participation in high school activities, community service and part-time employment. Most successful candidates rank in the top quarter of their high school class and have demonstrated proficiency in both mathematical and applied science.

Candidates must be unmarried at the time of the appointment, have no legal obligations, and must have reached the age of 17 but not 23 by July 1, 1999. Candidates must be assured of high school graduation by June 30, 1999.

To obtain an application or

further information write: Director of Admissions, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, 31 Mohegan Avenue, New London, CT 06320; or call 1(800)883-8724.

Boll weevil trap catchings

(for the week of May 17-23)



Maple	1
Enochs	0
Bula	2
Circle Back	1
Bailey Gin	0
Needmore	0
East Muleshoe	0
West Muleshoe	1
Total	5

Source: Bailey County Extension Service

Beat the Heat Beauty Night with Mary Kay Cosmetics
Lost Your Beauty Consultant? I'm ready to help!

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF A FREE FACIAL
Tuesday, June 16th at 7 pm
Civic Center Meeting Room **DOOR PRIZES**

BRING THIS AD WITH YOU FOR A 10% DISCOUNT ON PURCHASES Mrs. Glen Flowers (Ginger) 806/797-1302

STRIKE ZONE® PPS
Precision Plus System & Spray Deposition Agent

IDEAL FOR SPRAYING ROUND-UP READY COTTON

- * Improves Spray Deposition
- * Minimizes Spray Application "Bounce"
- * Reduces Spray Evaporation
- * Limits Formation of Fine Droplets
- * Increases Plant Absorption of some products
- * Increases Coverage
- * Reduces "wash off" Potential

Available Now

SCOGGIN AG CENTER, INC.
1532 W. AMERICAN BLVD.
MULESHOE, TX • (806) 272-4613

Great Deals **ALLways** Open, Fast & Friendly

ALLSUP'S PRICES EFFECTIVE JUNE 10-16, 1998
THE GROCERY STORE FOR PEOPLE ON THE GO!

Store Location Here

PEPSI 6 pk. 12 oz. cans \$1.89
ALL SPORT DRINK 32 oz. 99¢

Milk ALLSUP'S WHOLE OR 1% OR SHURFINE 2%
BUY 12 GALLONS GET ONE FREE \$1.99

Potato Chips LAY'S OR WAVY LAY'S® REG. \$1.39-\$1.59 SIZE 99¢

Cameras WESTERN FAMILY WITH FLASH \$8.99 WITHOUT FLASH \$5.99

Chopped Ham 12 OZ. PKG. \$1.69

Cooked Ham 10 OZ. PKG. \$1.99

Fruit Drinks PLAINS ALL VARIETIES GALLON 99¢

Simple Snap 27 ct. 800

SIX FLAGS DISCOUNT COUPONS NOW AVAILABLE AT PARTICIPATING ALLSUP'S CHECK YOU LOCAL STORE.

ALLSUP'S SUNNY COOKIES asstd. flavors 16 oz. pkg. 99¢	ALLSUP'S FOLGERS COFFEE 13 oz. can \$3.99	ALLSUP'S CASCADE DISHWASHING SOAP 50 oz. \$3.99	ALLSUP'S SHURFINE BLEACH gal. \$1.39
---	--	--	---

FREE MILK "MOO" PLUS
You Get A Chance To Win
FREE MILK FOR A YEAR!

When You Purchase 12 Gallons of Milk.

Really Hot Deals

1990 **FORD TEMPO** \$4,995

1987 **DODGE DAYTONA** \$4,595

1988 **CHRYSLER NEW YORKER** \$4,495

1985 **PONTIAC 6000** \$3,795

UNDER \$5,000 SALE

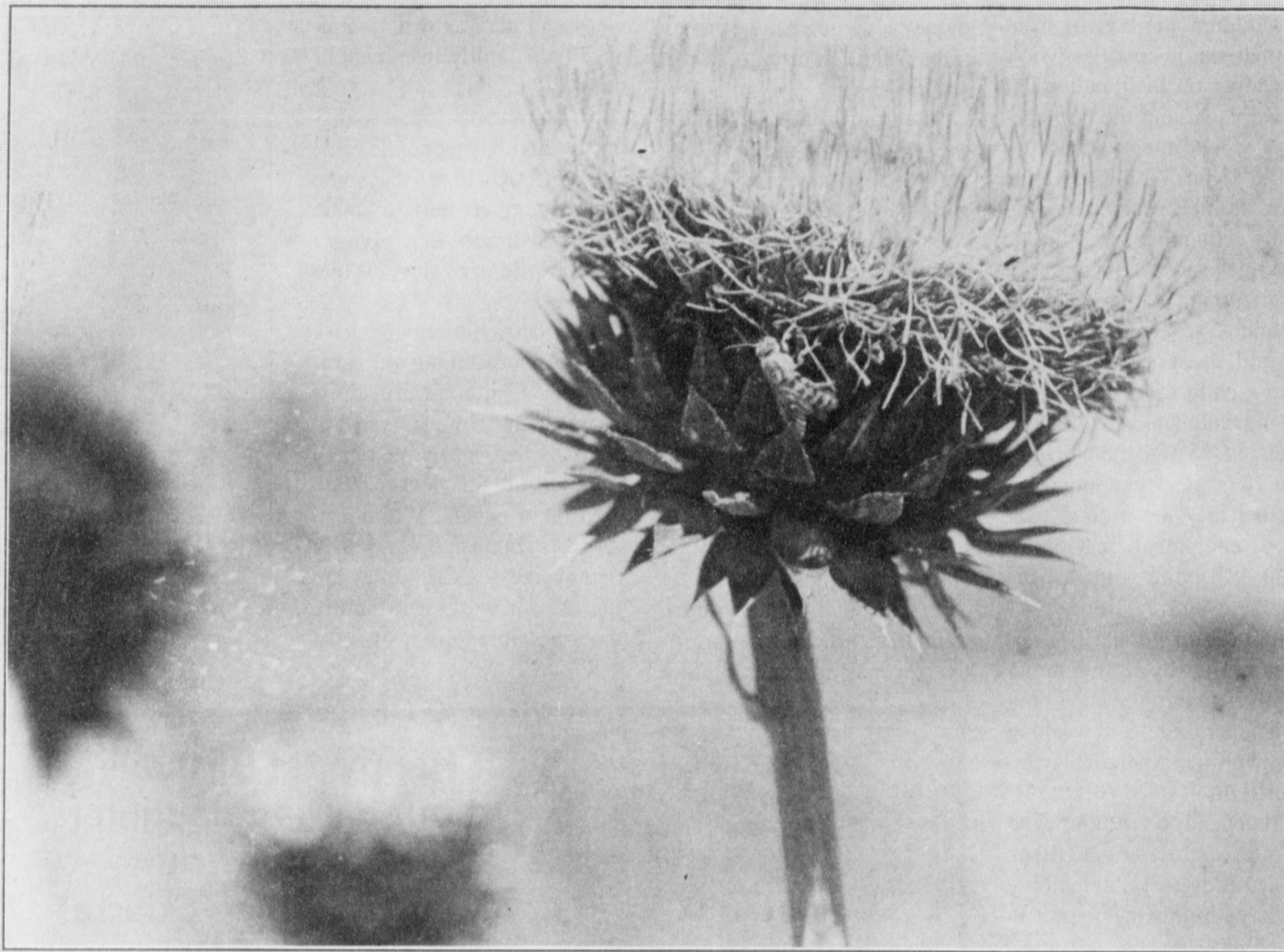
1987 **DODGE D50 4X4** \$3,595

1985 **BUICK CENTURY** \$1,895

1992 **HYUNDAI SCOUPE** \$4,995

TRADER HORN MOTOR COMPANY
Portales' Premier Pre-Owned Vehicle Headquarters
620 S. Ave. C • Portales, NM • (505) 359-0947 or (505) 359-1775

WILD THING



A bee lands on a wildflower growing in a wheat field near Lariat. Despite considerable effort, the Journal staff was unable to identify the three-to-four foot high weed with purple thistles.

Central Texas being overrun by grasshoppers

By EDITH A. CHENAULT
A&M Extension Service

COLLEGE STATION — Farmers, ranchers and home gardeners in Central Texas already are battling the searing effects of drought and heat on their crops. But now they are facing one more enemy — grasshoppers.

Grasshoppers by the thousands are moving from pastures into corn, sorghum and cotton fields, said Dr. Cliff Hoelscher, entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Crops begin to get threatened when you have three to seven grasshoppers per square yard," Hoelscher said, "and I have seen areas where there have been up to 30 per square yard."

Left untreated, grasshoppers can chew up 50 percent to 60 percent of expected yields of field crops. One home gardener in Caldwell reported picking

peas one day and coming back the next day and finding nothing but stalks.

The drought is being blamed for the exploding populations rain will normally drown a number of the newly hatched nymphs. Since there has been no rain, the nymphs were able to grow into adults.

"The dry weather we're having has allowed all hatching nymphs to survive, thus causing these tremendous numbers," Hoelscher said.

A crop duster in Marlin has already begun treating a large acreage of corn and sorghum, Hoelscher said. Grasshoppers are moving into cotton fields from pastures. Irrigated crops entice grasshoppers, but even in non-irrigated fields, enough lush growth exists to attract the insects in large numbers.

Spot treatment and treating margins around fields and plots is a good management strategy

for crops and home gardens, he said. Bait formulations are not good alternatives because the problem is so serious and it takes two or three weeks to provide control, he said.

Approved insecticides for the home lawn and garden include Sevin, malathion, and diazinon.

Rangelands can be sprayed with Sevin plus crop oil, malathion and ULV malathion (very different from malathion). ULV malathion applied by air is the least costly treatment and has the best residual control.

"The big dilemma here is that ranchers need the grazing, and their grazing is being cut short by drought. But it is also important to treat these areas. Ranchers need to weigh the damage versus the benefits and the costs of achieving control," Hoelscher said.

Since eggs hatch into

nymphs in non-crop areas, these need to be treated before nymphs grow wings and migrate into tender growing vegetables or crops. Approved pesticides for non-crop areas include asana XL, diazinon, orthene, malathion ULV, and Sevin.

Trees and shrubs can be protected with dursban, malathion, orthene, and diazinon sprays. Home gardeners can use plastic mesh available from hardware or home supply stores to physically protect plants such as tomatoes.

The Extension service has published a guide called, "Grasshoppers and Their Control," (L5201).

It is available from county extension offices or on the entomology homepage.

Experts offer tips on home water conservation

Texans must be more efficient in their use of water inside the home in order to decrease costs and to preserve our most precious water resource, the Texas Water Development Board reports.

The increasing cost of expanding water supplies and the limited availability of water in some areas of the state lead experts to believe that Texans need to take drastic measures to conserve water in the home.

Since 75 percent of the water used in the home is in the bathroom, it is a good idea to look there for ways to minimize water use.

The most effective conservation step in the home is to install a low-flow showerhead. This will lessen water use by 50 percent. Also, taking a short shower instead of a bath will help reduce water usage.

Updating the model of toilet in your bathroom can also help minimize the amount of water used the home. Older models can use up to seven gallons of water per flush, while newer models use only 1.6 gallons. It is important to remember not to use the toilet as a trash can for paper and facial tissues because this uses an unnecessary amount

of water. Simply turning off the faucet while brushing your teeth or washing your face or hands can save a considerable amount of water. Also, installing a low-flow faucet aerator can save up to one-half the water being used.

The kitchens another area in the home that uses a significant amount of water. The first step is to run water only when it is absolutely necessary.

Soaking pots and pans before washing, placing frozen foods in a pan of hot water instead of letting the hot water run over them, and keeping a pitcher of water in the refrigerator instead of letting the faucet run until it is cold enough are three examples of how to minimize water use in the kitchen.

The dishwasher and the washing machine are two of the biggest wasters of water. In order to save water, wash only full loads and adjust the water level to match the size of the load. Both are also available in water saving models, which are usually the same price as the regular models.

Another way to save water is to be sure that the water heater thermostat is not set too high. This wastes water because the water has to be mixed with cold

water before it is used. Also, be sure to fix all water leaks. Leaks account for at least 10 percent of the water bill. If the source of the leak is a hot water faucet, it is not only a waste of water, but a waste of energy.

A toilet with a silent leak of one cup of water a minute wastes about 2,700 gallons of water a month. A toilet leak occurs when water escapes from the tank into the bowl. This may or may not be seen or heard.

Silent leaks are very common and are often missed. To determine if you toilet has a silent leak, place a few drops of food coloring into the tank. Wait a few minutes and if color appears in the toilet bowl, there is silent leak.

Another common leak is a faucet leak. These are usually very obvious and are very inexpensive and easy to fix. Generally, by replacing the O rings, the leak will be fixed. It is a fact that Texans spend more than one billion dollars annually on new or expanded water supply facilities. By making a few changes in the way we use water on our homes, it is possible to reduce costs and make more efficient use of the states water resources.

SANCHEZ & SONS CONSTRUCTION

- ✓ Additions
- ✓ Remodeling
- ✓ Metal Roofs
- ✓ Free Estimates
- ✓ Framing
- ✓ Drywall
- ✓ Painting
- ✓ Stucco Work
- ✓ Cement Work

Serving the Muleshoe area
for over 17 years

1908 W. Ave. B • 272-3866 or 272-5161

SALE - SALE - SALE

Inventory Reduction Sale

ONE WEEK ONLY!

June 14th
thru
June 20th

30 to 75% OFF

Sale Racks

throughout the store!

"The Final Touch of Elegance Without the Expense"

Pa'nache

North Plains Mall • Clovis, NM

MULESHOE JOURNAL

CLASSIFIEDS Sell!

(806) 272-4536

Local car dealers selected for record setting attempt

CLOVIS/PORTALES - In order to keep their plants at full capacity Ford Motor Company built thousands more vehicles last month than were ordered. Rather than store these vehicles in warehouses until orders arrive and to keep from disrupting the entire U.S. market, Ford has selected five states to liquidate these extra units through special factory-sponsored tent events. Ford has passed on the savings in warehouse rent and interest to consumers in the form of lower finance rates and additional rebates offered for this event only.

Because of their previous performance and because they are Eastern New Mexico's two largest volume dealers, Hamilton Big Country Ford and Teague-Strebeck Ford have been chosen to co-host one of these tent events. To accommodate all the extra inventory of cars and trucks, the two dealerships were forced to rent a vacant lot in Clovis on North Prince Street, one-half mile north of North Plains Mall, between Heilig-Meyers and Golden Corral, to set up their tent and display vehicles.

This is the third straight year these two dealerships have been chosen. During last year's event, they sold more vehicles than any Ford dealership in New Mexico. Their objective this year: to outsell every Ford, General Motors and Chrysler dealer in a five state area.

When questioned about this lofty goal Sid Strebeck responded, "It seems like everytime you meet a challenge they just raise the sights. But Gary Hamilton and I both hate to lose so we are determined to meet our objective."

"We'll do whatever it takes to sell

these cars," our salespeople are aware of our goal," added Chuck Daggett, general manager of Teague-Strebeck Ford. "I wonder if people realize how big of an accomplishment it is to out-sell every dealership in a five state area. We will succeed even if we have to give cars away."

Gary Hamilton said, "I've never seen Ford Motor Company offer 0.9 percent financing plus \$1000 rebates, but this is available now on select models. We also have rebates up to \$3000. If anyone needs a car or truck during the next 12 months it would make sense for them to make that purchase now while these programs are in place."

Daggett said, "To meet our objective we will be open Thursday through Sunday until 10 p.m. every night. We are not normally open on Sunday, but in order to set a new four day sales record, we are forced to be open from 11 a.m. until 10 p.m. on Sunday."

Chris Baglien, general manager of Hamilton Big Country Ford, said, "When we first agreed to participate in this event we weren't thinking about how this attractive special pricing on new cars and trucks would affect the used vehicle market. Now we are forced to lower those prices and we have obtained special used vehicle financing to insure our used vehicles are competitive and affordable."

A representative of Ford Motor Credit said, "We don't want Hamilton Big Country and Teague-Strebeck to have the responsibility of liquidating this inventory on their own. We will have our representatives on site with over \$10 million of financing allocated to this sale. We apologize to bank's in the area for disrupting the normal

finance rates customers are used to paying, but Ford Motor Company has given us the orders - they must sell these excess units and we are empowered to lower our rates to as low as 0.9 percent for 48 months during this four day event to ensure that every customer has an affordable payment."

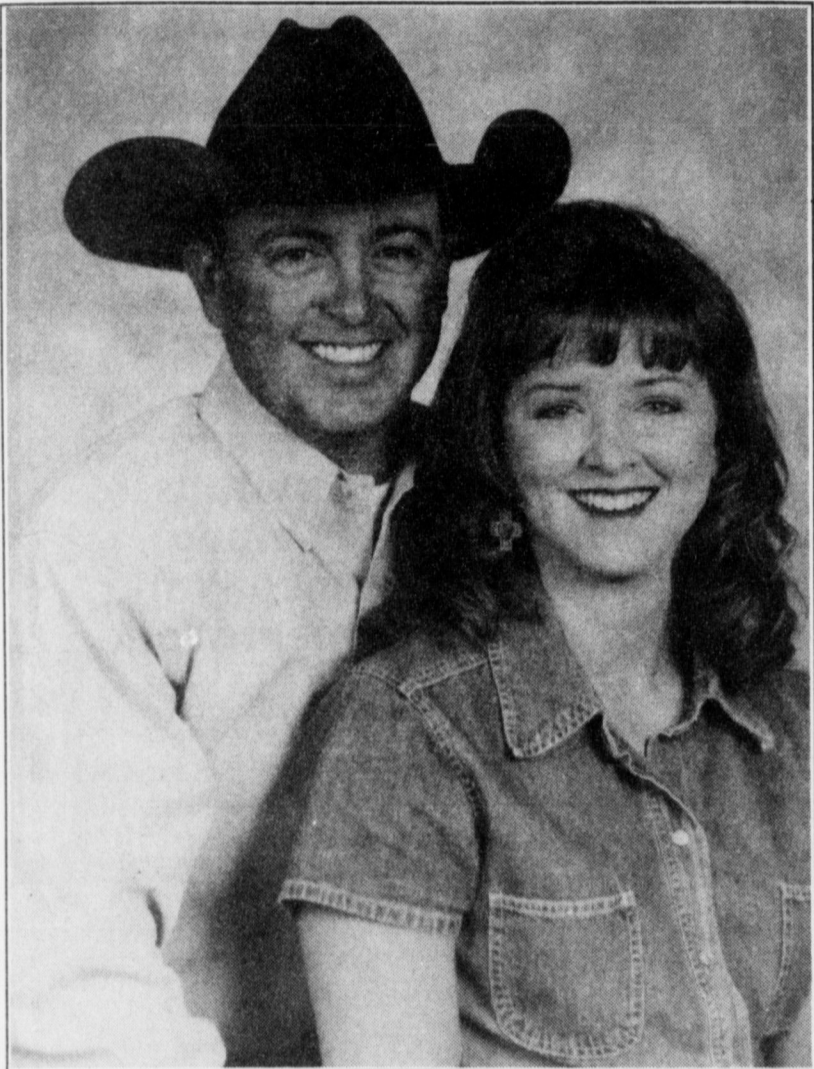
Ellen Nowacki, regional manager for Ford Motor Company, said, "I appreciate dealers like Teague-Strebeck Ford and Hamilton Big Country Ford stepping up to the challenge in special situations like this. We realize it is a tremendous amount of extra work on the part of both dealerships' staffs. To make up for this we have given them extra rebates and incentives for these four days and we are supporting them 100 percent. We realize their objective is extremely high but we have confidence in their exceptional ability."

Jody Bailey, sales manager of Teague-Strebeck Ford, said, "I can't believe it. We have new cars and trucks for as low as \$99 a month and used vehicles as low as \$49 a month. This is the sale of a lifetime. I hope Sid Strebeck and Gary Hamilton know what they are doing - selling these vehicles at such low prices."

When questioned about the effect on the local market, Strebeck responded, "We apologize in advance to the other dealers in the area. We realize a big promotion like this with so much outside funding from Ford makes it almost impossible for other dealers to compete but we must emphasize that this promotion was not our idea, but was sent down from Detroit."

(Paid Advertisement)

ENGAGEMENT



Cox — Young

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cox of White Deer, Texas announce the engagement of their daughter, Tara Cox, to Greg Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young of Muleshoe. The couple will wed on Aug. 15 in White Deer. Tara is a graduate of Amarillo College and is employed by Rehab Works. Greg attended Texas Tech University and is self-employed in the farming and ranching industry. The couple will live in Muleshoe.

Christy Bentley honored with May bridal shower

Christy Bentley was honored with a bridal shower May 16 at the First Assembly of God Church in Muleshoe.

She is the bride-to-be of Travis Copley of Muleshoe. The couple was married June 6.

Special guests attending were Diane Copley, mother of the bride, Rhonda Bentley, mother of the groom, Tonya Ruthardt, sister of the groom, Karsara Bentley and Adam Bentley, brother and sister of the bride, June McNeil of Muleshoe, grandmother of the bride, Geneva Bentley of Friona, grandmother of the

groom and great grandmother Opal Foster of Levelland.

Aunts attending were Rama Smalling, Myra Copley, Andrea Kemp, Margaret Copley, Glenda Copley, all of Muleshoe, and Elaine Walker of Lazbuddie.

Hostesses were Younda Martin, Debbie Stone, Nora Burris, Dalene Ruthardt, Katrina Scott, Kay Griswold, Kourtney Beall, Connie Kemp, Alma Crim, Laura Helton, Linda Burris, Brenda Clark, Nurenz Pearson, Zonell Baker, and Nancy Kidd.

The hostesses gift was a Revereware utensil carousel.

OBITUARIES

DOLORES LOPEZ

MORTON — Dolores Lopez, 79 of Van Horn, died Friday, June 5, 1998 at Cochran Memorial Hospital.

Graveside services were held Saturday at Morton Memorial Cemetery, where she was later buried.

She was born April 17, 1919 in Mexico. She married Thomas Lopez in Mexico on Sept. 20, 1937. She moved to Van Horn, Texas in 1970 from Mexico. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband Thomas; four sons, Manual Lopez of Van Horn, Abel Jesus Lopez of Grand Falls, Texas, Simon Lopez of Portales, N.M. and Jose Panfilo Lopez of Mexico; two daughters, Maria Ornelas of San Angelo and Angela Franco of Morton; one sister, Cruz Quesada of Mexico; 57 grandchildren, and 79 great grandchildren.

RAYMUNDO PEREZ

EARTH — Raymundo Nieto Perez, 59, of Earth died June 5, 1998 at the University Medical Center.

Church services were held June 8 at the First Baptist Church in Earth, with the Rev. Bobby Broyles officiating. Burial was held at the Earth Memorial Cemetery.

He was born March 12, 1939 in Mexico. He married Felicitas Lopez in Mexico in 1967. Perez had been a resident of Earth since 1996, moving from Friona. He was a farm laborer and a member of the Catholic church.

Survivors include his wife, Felicitas of Earth; five sons, Martin Perez of California, Raymundo Perez Jr. of Ruidoso, N.M., Benjamin Perez of Lubbock, James Perez of Earth, and Guadalupe Perez of Plainview; five daughters, Diana Baça of Amarillo, Susanna Parga, Imelda Isaguire and Roscio Perez, all of Plainview, and Angie Banda of Brownwood; his mother Maria Nieto of Earth; a sister, Justina Garcia of Earth; three brothers, Juan Gallegas and Elpidio Perez, both of Earth, and Richard Salinas of Amarillo, and 12 grandchildren.

Summer jobs help children grow

Children can benefit from summer jobs in countless ways depending on their individual development and the opportunities around them, according to Dr. Lynn White, a Texas Agricultural Extension Service family economist specialist.

White said many children begin earning money as early as 9 and 12 years old. However, she said, most occupations require a child to be at least 14 due to health and safety codes. Other jobs require them to be at least 18 or 21, depending upon whether they are around hazardous equipment, serving alcohol or driving while on the job.

White said good first jobs range from baby-sitting, mowing yards, running errands, having a paper route, and washing cars to utilizing personal computer skills.

"It depends on the child and the opportunities around them, but it needs to be something that is within their level of responsibility they can assume," White said.

White recommends parents talk with their children about the kinds of things they consider their talents and their interests and then look and see how to market them in the neighborhood.

She also encourages parents teach their children some basic money management skills. She said children often spend more

money as they earn more money rather than learning to save it and set goals.

"Learning not to consume every penny the moment they get it is really as important as getting the job," White said. "Learning how to make money do what they want it to do for them is as critical a life skill as learning to make the money."

White said the main benefit a child can gain from working is an understanding about how the economy functions. They can appreciate what other businesses must do in order to provide the things that they are able to buy.

She said children also learn to manage time and set priorities so that they have time to

work and play as well as balance their family responsibilities.

"It helps them to start realizing that time has economic value and they begin to see that some jobs are given certain value while other jobs are given a greater or lesser value," White said.

She said children can look through the want ads for summer jobs. Children can also advertise their own talents by advertising their skills and phone numbers on the World Wide Web or in papers. White also suggests young people actually visit businesses where they are interested in working to inquire about possible jobs.

1104

RED WING SHOES
Made in U.S.A.

The Fair Store
120 Main 272-3500

Happy 1st Birthday to our darling daughter! We Love You Jasmyn Denise Guerra!

I was born June 11, 1997. My mommy and daddy are Wally and Ana Guerra. I have a big brother named Joey. My grandparents are Carlos & Maria Guerra and Victor & MaryAnn Arzola.

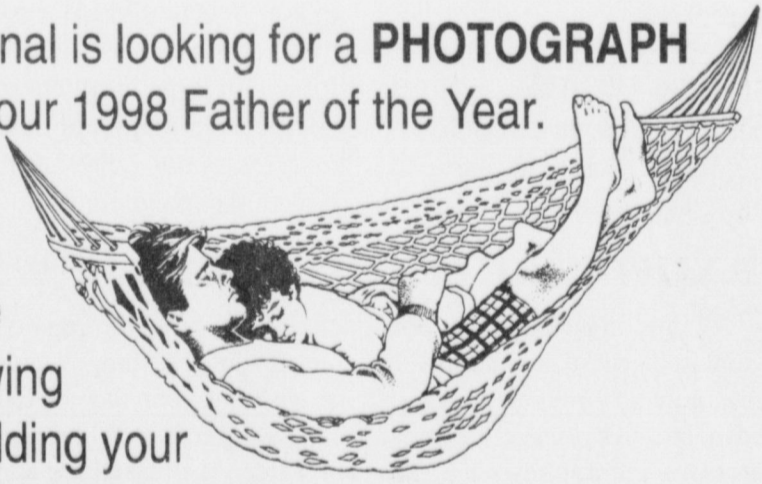
If you see me toddling down the street today, stop and say "Happy Birthday Jasmyn!"

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



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

For this year's contest, the Muleshoe Journal is looking for a **PHOTOGRAPH** that best depicts why your dad should be our 1998 Father of the Year. It doesn't matter what year or under what circumstances the photo was taken. We want to see pictures of your dad doing the things that make him a great father....mowing the lawn, cooking dinner for the family, holding your newborn brother or sister, sleeping in his favorite chair...etc. All entries will be judged by an unbiased group of persons based on their content and originality. A one sentence caption that captures the idea of your picture would be a great addition!



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



Winner of the Muleshoe Journal's 1998 Father of the Year Contest will receive prizes donated by area businesses. Look for further details in upcoming issues of the Muleshoe Journal.

Subscribe Today!
Call the Muleshoe Journal
272-4536

LEGAL MATTERS

BY ATTORNEY GENERAL DAN MORALES



FIRST SLAMMING, NOW CRAMMING

FOR THE PAST several years, we at the Office of the Attorney General have been warning Texans about slamming. This illegal practice — switching your long distance telephone service to a different company without your consent — has affected thousands of consumers in our state.

Now Texas telephone users face a new problem: "cramming." Cramming occurs when unexplained charges mysteriously appear on your local phone bill for services you never knowingly ordered, authorized, received, or used. These charges can range anywhere from a few dollars to more than \$50 per month.

Mystery charges

Mystery charges are often disguised with names like "Enhanced Phone Services" or "ABC Access Charge." They can be for services such as personal 1-800 numbers, calling cards, or "club" memberships. Other charges may simply be a scam through which you pay a fee and receive nothing at all in return. The charges may also be a sign that you have been slammed, or switched from one long distance company to another without your approval.

Some companies target visitors at county fairs, trade shows, discount department stores, and res-

taurants. They encourage people to register to win a car or boat by filling out a sweepstakes entry form. In reality, the form is an authorization to change your phone service,

bill you for a calling card, or simply add an extra charge to your phone bill.

Negative options

Some crammers use negative options, which are illegal in Texas. One form of the negative option is junk mail informing you of a new phone service which will be turned on automatically unless you send the company a letter rejecting the service.

Another type of negative option is a check-off box on a sweepstakes entry form. To avoid changes in your telephone service, you must mark the check-off box. There may be no explanation on the form telling you the purpose of the check-off box, or the explanation may be hidden in fine print.

Protect yourself

Local telephone companies are required by law to include charges from other companies on your bill at the other company's request. These can include legitimate charges for long distance, paging, voice mail and other phone services. However, your telephone company will not know if charges are bogus unless you file a complaint.

To avoid getting crammed:

- Review your monthly phone bill carefully for unfamiliar

names, charges or descriptions of service. Watch for unexplained charges from month to month.

- Be careful when calling unfamiliar 1-800 or 1-900 numbers, especially those that ask you to enter an activation code or answer 'yes' to a series of questions.

- Read the fine print on any prize offers, bonus checks or contest entry forms before you sign them.
- Ask detailed questions of anyone who calls about your telephone service, and ask to be sent written information about charges, cancellation policies and refund policies related to the offer. Be wary of anyone who cannot answer your questions or hesitates about sending you written details.

What to do

If your phone bill contains a charge for a service you did not order, call the company that provides the service and ask to have it terminated. Also ask for a refund of any charges you have already paid. If this does not work, ask your local phone company for assistance in removing it from your bill.

If you still find mystery charges on your phone bill, you may file a complaint with our Consumer Protection Division. Call 1-800-621-0508 for a copy of the consumer complaint form or download the form from our Internet home page at www.oag.state.tx.us.



The name *Scotti* was used for Irish people in Latin documents. About A.D. 500, some Irish Scotti settled in Scotland, and gave the country their name.

Muleshoe Cattle Market
SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 1998

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

673 cattle, 95 hogs and 393 sheep & goats. Market steady to a dollar lower on cfs. Feeder cattle steady. Pairs & Bred cows steady. Packer cows & Bulls 1-2 lower. Without rain or higher fat cattle market, we could see an even lower trend on all classes.

The Muleshoe Cattle Market is brought to you each week by Muleshoe Livestock Auction, located east of Muleshoe on U.S. 84. Muleshoe Livestock conducts sales every Saturday, beginning with hogs, sheep and goats at 10 a.m. and cattle following at approximately 12 noon.

FOR INFORMATION ON SALES OR TO CONSIGN CATTLE, CALL (806) 272-4201

Seller, City	#	Type	Wt.	CWT or PH
Wendel Jones, Morton	1	Red Bull	315 lbs.	at \$86.00
Ted Riley, Anton	2	Mxd. Strs	335 lbs.	at \$88.00
Joe Wheeler, Muleshoe	3	Blk. Strs	375 lbs.	at \$87.00
Martin Cattle, Brownfield	1	Brown Str	390 lbs.	at \$91.00
Maple Grass, Inc., Morton	3	Blk. Strs	430 lbs.	at \$80.50
ACU, Morton	6	Mxd. Strs	528 lbs.	at \$73.75
Danny Randolph, Sundown	1	BMF Bull	605 lbs.	at \$75.00
Freddie Brookins, Tulia	1	Hol. Str	630 lbs.	at \$53.50
Marie Lawson, Olton	2	Blk. Bulls	645 lbs.	at \$65.50
Wayne Barron, Shallowater	4	Red Bulls	651 lbs.	at \$65.75
Steve Bell, Muleshoe	3	Mxd. Strs	754 lbs.	at \$70.00
Steve Bell, Muleshoe	2	Mxd. Strs	870 lbs.	at \$65.25
Sharon Hill, Amarillo	1	Char. Hfr	155 lbs.	at \$190.00
Sharon Hill, Amarillo	1	Blk. Hfr	245 lbs.	at \$225.00
KP Farms, Lubbock	2	Mxd. Hfrs	315 lbs.	at \$81.00
Howard Trust, Anton	1	BMF Hfr	345 lbs.	at \$75.00
ACU, Morton	3	Mxd. Hfrs	437 lbs.	at \$73.00
Martin Cattle, Brownfield	2	Blk. Hfrs	565 lbs.	at \$72.50
Martin Cattle, Brownfield	1	Blk. Hfr	720 lbs.	at \$67.50
Don Mimms, Levelland	4	WF Hfrs	551 lbs.	at \$68.00
GRH Land & Cattle, Muleshoe	17	Mxd. Hfrs	665 lbs.	at \$67.25
EDR Cattle, Whiteface	4	Mxd. Hfrs	620 lbs.	at \$68.00
EDR Cattle, Whiteface	3	Red Hfrs	755 lbs.	at \$64.25
C&J Cattle, Muleshoe	6	Mxd. Hfrs	637 lbs.	at \$69.50
Jack Galen, Friona	3	Red Hfrs	730 lbs.	at \$64.50
Howard Tooley, Maple	1	Blk. Hfr	665 lbs.	at \$70.50
Rocking J Ranch, Whiteface	3	Mxd. Hfrs	678 lbs.	at \$65.00
Danny Parrish, Earth	1	Blk. Pair		\$530.00
Alkali Cattle, Portales, NM	1	Brin. Pair		\$500.00
Ted Riley, Anton	2	Red Pairs		\$660.00
Ted Riley, Anton	2	Rd./Blk. Cows P7/P8		\$560.00
JR Rodriguez, Bula	1	Char. Cow P7		\$430.00
Wayne Barron, Shallowater	2	Red Cows	995 lbs.	at \$38.00
J.V. Stancell, Muleshoe	1	Blk. Cow	975 lbs.	at \$37.50
Lust-Dodd Cattle, Abernathy	1	Blk. Cow	1245 lbs.	at \$34.50
Lavanda Bell, Littlefield	1	Char. Cow	1250 lbs.	at \$37.25
Triple BC Farms, Levelland	1	Red Bull	1705 lbs.	at \$51.75
Terry & Jerry Sowder, Enochs	1	Brang. Bull	1515 lbs.	at \$50.25

SUBSCRIBE TO THE MULESHOE JOURNAL TODAY! 272-4536

Journal Classifieds

Deadlines are 5 p.m. Monday and Thursday Call 272-4536 Deadlines are 5 p.m. Monday and Thursday

FOR SALE

Customized bird and butterfly houses unique, hand-crafted. Available at Scoggin Ag Center, 1532 W. American Blvd. 24s-4tch

"Beanie Babies"
Opening June 5th at Treasures From The Heart 2104 W. American Blvd. V-350. All current, all recently retired, some older retired. 23t-4tch

Table and chairs for sale. Excellent condition \$150.00. 965-2693. 21t-tfc

For Sale 26' Coachman, cadet travel trailer Call after 5 p.m. (806) 246-7762. 24s-4tpd

1994 Chevy 4X4 extended cab, short bed, Silverado, low miles, 350 automatic. \$14,500. (505) 356-5509. 24t-nc

GARAGE SALE

HUGE INVENTORY REDUCTION SALE ALL OWNERS INVENTORY IS ON SALE! NOW 25% OFF
It's going fast! Don't miss this big event at Treasures From The Heart. 2104 W. American Blvd. in Muleshoe. Open 7 days a week. 21t-6tch

Large garage sale in the country. Lots of items, collectibles, clothing. Sat. June 13, 8:30 to 5. West on Clovis Hwy. Go to the Animal Clinic turn north on railroad tracks. Go to second cross turn left, only house on left. 24t-1tch

HELP WANTED

Help Wanted
Make Up to \$1,500 in eleven days.
Operate a fireworks stand just outside Muleshoe June 24-July 4. Must be responsible adult. Phone 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. (830) 429-3808 or 1-800-364-0136 19t-12tch

HELP WANTED

Now accepting applications for waitresses. Apply at Tino's from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. 23t-tfc

Need to hire secretary. 20 to 30 hours a week. Computer experience helpful, payroll, accts. receivable, accts. payable. Please send resume to PO BOX 741, Muleshoe, TX 79347. 24t-tfc

SERVICE

Chad Weaver Lawn Service, mowing, edging, weedeating. Call (806) 965-2388 after 6 p.m. 24s-2tpd

Interior, exterior painting, small carpenter jobs. No job too small or too large. Call Tommy Hall 272-5263. 24s-4tpd

LOST DOG

\$100 REWARD
Male chocolate labrador retriever with red collar. Last seen June 6 east of Muleshoe on Hwy. 84. Please, help us find "HERSHEY"
Ronnie Spies (806) 965-2720 or (806) 272-4220. 24t-tfc

MISCELLANEOUS

New Oak, all wood 72" China cupboard. Upper doors glass, lower door raised panel. New, Oak 36" X 65" bookcase. Both built by Panhandle Cabinets and Furniture. Call us for your cabinet and furniture needs. (806) 825-2019. 23t-4tch

Round Up Applications
Pipe-wick mounted on high-boy 30" or 40" rows. Cotton, Milo, Soy Beans and Corn. Call Roy O'Brian, (806) 265-3247. 23t-tfc

REAL ESTATE

GOV'T FORECLOSED
homes from pennies on \$1. Delinquent Tax, Repo's. REO's. Your Area. Toll Free (1) 800-218-9000 Ext. H-10574 for current listings. 24t-6tpd

REAL ESTATE

For Sale or Rent — 3-2-2 on 2 1/2 acres on West Camp Hwy. Call 250-8137 after 6 p.m. 24s-4tch

REAL ESTATE

For Sale 3-2-2 Brick 1.35 acres. 2.5 miles from Muleshoe on State Highway 70. Call 965-2929 after 5 p.m. and on weekends. Shown by appointment only. 19t-8tch

Nieman Realty

116 E. Ave. C • George Nieman, Broker • 272-5285 or 272-5286

RICHLAND HILLS

- Price Reduced, 3-3-1 Brick, cent. Heat, Evap. Air, built-ins, 2000' + lv. area, fenced yd., stor. bldg. MORE!! RH-2
- PARKRIDGE - NICE 3-2-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, cov. patio, fenced yd. \$50's!!
- NICE 3-2-3 Brick, corner lot, Cent. A & H, built-ins, FP, 2 stor. bldgs., storm cellar, fenced yd., MORE !!! \$60k!! RH-1

HIGHLAND AREA

- 3-2-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, gas log FP, fenced yd., stor. bldg., MORE!! Price Reduced!! HL-5
- 2-1-1 carport home, wall furnace heat, evap. air, DW, 5 fans, cov. patio, gas grill, fenced yd., MORE!!! \$25K!!!
- NICE 3-2-2 CP Mobile Home and lot, Cent. Heat, evap. air, built-ins, workshop, stor. bldg., fenced yd. !!! \$15k!!! HL-2

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 corner 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. spklr., fenced yd. !!! \$69K!!! HS-4

RURAL

- 3-2-2 Home on .92 acre at edge of town, Cent. Heat, evap. air, DW, storage bldg., fenced yd., & MORE !! \$30K!!!
- 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, barns, corrals, 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!!



WESTERN DAYS

CRANK UP THE CHUCKWAGON



PRICES EFFECTIVE JUNE 10-16, 1998

MEAT

- BONE-IN
COUNTRY STYLE PORK RIBS.....LB **97¢**
- BEEF BONE-IN
CHUCK ROAST.....LB **\$1.39**
- BEEF
7-BONE
CHUCK STEAKS.....LB **\$1.49**
- BEEF BONELESS
CHARCOAL STEAKS.....LB **\$1.59**
- BONELESS
BEEF SHORT RIBS.....LB **\$1.99**
- BONELESS
PORK SIRLOIN CHOPS.....LB **\$2.29**
- BONELESS
COUNTRY STYLE PORK RIBS.....LB **\$1.17**
- BEEF BONELESS
STEW MEAT.....LB **\$1.99**

- BONELESS
SKINLESS CHICKEN BREAST.....LB **\$2.49**
- FARM RAISED
CATFISH NUGGETS.....LB **\$1.89**
- PORK
CUBED STEAKS.....LB **\$1.99**
- HILLSHIRE FARM FRESH OR
BEER BRATWURST.....LB **\$1.99**
- CANADIAN VALLEY
HOT LINKS.....LB **\$1.19**
- HILLSHIRE FARM ORIGINAL, LIGHT POLISH OR BEEF
LIT'L SMOKIES.....1 LB **\$2.69**
- ECKRICH CHEESE OR BEEF
JUMBO FRANKS.....16 OZ. **\$1.39**
- BUTTERBALL
TURKEY BOLOGNA.....16 OZ. **99¢**
- HILLSHIRE FARM ASSORTED 1 LB. REGULAR OR
14 OZ. 97% FAT FREE LEAN & HEARTY
SMOKED SAUSAGE..... **2/\$3**

NOTICE!

Lowe's Marketplace
NEW STORE HOURS
Mon. - Sat. 7:30 am to 9 pm
Sun. 8 am to 7 pm

All Types
12 pack-12 oz. cans or 6 pack-24 oz. btl.

Pepsi 2/\$5

All Types
2 liter btl.

Pepsi 88¢

All Types
12 pack-12 oz. cans

Dr. Pepper \$2.99

All Types
3 liter btl.

Dr. Pepper \$1.79

PRODUCE

- TEXAS 1015 SWEET
YELLOW ONIONS.....LBS. **3/\$1**
- EXTRA LARGE
SWEET JUICY CANTALOUPES.....EA **88¢**
- DOLE
GREENER SELECTION
SALAD.....12 OZ. PKG **99¢**
- RED RIPE
ROMA TOMATOES..... **5/\$1**
- GARDEN FRESH
GREEN ONIONS.....BUNCHES **4/\$1**
- SWEET
YELLOW CORN.....EARS **4/\$1**
- SUPER SELECT
CUCUMBERS..... **3/\$1**

- HEINZ
TOMATO KETCHUP.....28 OZ. SQUEEZE **\$1.69**
- MICROWAVE BUTTER FLAVOR OR BLAST O BUTTER
JOLLY TIME POPCORN.....3 CT. PKG **88¢**
• 50 CT.-9" WHITE PLATES • 24 CT.-10" COMPARTMENT PLATES • 50 CT.-12 OZ. BOWLS • 50 CT.-9" COLOR PLATES
- HEFTY
BOWLS OR PLATES.....YOUR CHOICE **2/\$3**
- ASSORTED
HI-C FRUIT DRINKS.....64 OZ. BTL **\$1.39**
- ASSORTED
SMACK
RAMEN NOODLES.....3 OZ. PKGS **10/\$1**
- SMACK ASSORTED
CUP-A RAMEN.....2.25 OZ. PKGS **3/\$1**
- PURINA - PRE-PRICE \$5.99
MAINSTAY DOG FOOD.....17.6 LB. BAG **\$4.99**
- REGULAR OR LEMON
ELECTRASOL POWDER.....50 OZ. BOX **\$1.69**
- REGULAR OR LEMON
ELECTRASOL TABS.....15 CT. **\$1.97**
- MARDI GRAS
PAPER TOWELS.....REGULAR ROLL **2/\$1**
• 50 OZ. LIQUID ULTRA W/BLEACH, REGULAR, TIDEFREE • 39-40 OZ. BOX POWDER ULTRA 2 REGULAR, TIDEFREE OR W/BLEACH
- TIDE
LAUNDRY DETERGENT.....YOUR CHOICE **\$2.99**
- ASSORTED
SNACKWELL
CEREAL BARS.....7.8 OZ. PKG **\$1.88**
- REGULAR OR W/JALAPENOS
RANCH STYLE BEANS...15 OZ. CANS **2/79¢**

FROZEN & DAIRY

- SWEETMILK OR BUTTERMILK
SHURFINE BISCUITS.....7.5 OZ. CANS **4/\$1**
- PURE PREMIUM ORIGINAL OR GROVESTAND
TROPICANA
ORANGE JUICE.....96 OZ. JUG **\$3.19**
- PARKAY
SOFT MARGARINE.....2 CT.-8 OZ. TUBS **\$1.29**
- AMERICAN OR 2% MILK STACK PACK IWS
KRAFT SINGLES.....16 OZ. PKGS **2/\$5**
- FRUIT PUNCH OR PINK/ORIGINAL/LIMEADE
MINUTE MAID
LEMONADE.....12 OZ. FROZEN CAN **88¢**
- PILLSBURY ASSORTED
TOASTER STRUDEL.....11.5 OZ. PKG **\$1.79**
- SWEET PEAS, NIBLETS CORN OR MIXED VEGETABLES
GREEN GIANT
VEGETABLES.....16 OZ. PKG **99¢**
- HOMESTYLE OR BUTTERMILK
HUNGRY JACK WAFFLES.....12 OZ. PKG **\$1.49**
- ASSORTED FROZEN
SWANSON DINNERS...9.5-11.5 OZ. PKG **2/\$3**
- SUGAR FREE OR REGULAR
WELCH GRAPE JUICE.....12 OZ. **88¢**
- ASSORTED FAMILY SIZE
RED BARRON PIZZA....21.8-24.2 OZ. PKG **2/\$6**
- ASSORTED SMART ONES OR ENTREES
WEIGHT WATCHERS.....6.25-11 OZ. **2/\$3**
- BLOCK CUT
CHEDDAR CHEESE.....LB **\$1.99**
- APPLE, PEACH OR CHERRY
PET-RITZ COBBLERS.....26 OZ. BOX **\$1.88**
- HILLSHIRE FARM CRAZY DOGS
CORN DOGS.....1 LB **\$1.39**

HEALTH & BEAUTY

- WHITE/PASTEL/ASSORTED
ANGEL SOFT BATH TISSUE.....4 ROLL PKG **88¢**
- ALBERTO VO5 ASSORTED
SHAMPOO OR
CONDITIONER.....15 OZ. BTL **88¢**
- 8 HOUR EXTENDED RELEASE OR ARTHRITIS C,
PLUS CAPLETS, REGULAR TABLETS/CAPLETS
BAYER EXTRA STRENGTH.....50 CT. **\$2.99**
- WESTERN FAMILY
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE OR
ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL.....16 OZ. BTL **3/\$1**
- SUSPENSION OR CHERRY
MAALOX ANTACID.....12 OZ. **\$3.88**
- HUNT'S ASSORTED
BARBECUE SAUCE.....18 OZ. **59¢**
- VAN CAMP'S ORIGINAL
PORK AND BEANS.....15 OZ. CANS **3/\$1**
- SHURFINE
PINTO BEANS.....4 LB. BAGS **2/\$3**
• HAMBURGER SLICED DILLS • BREAD & BUTTER SLICES • WHOLE DILL PICKLES • FRESH PACK SWEET CUCUMBER STICKS • WHOLE SWEET PICKLES • SWEET GHERKINS
- SHURFINE PICKLES**.....16 OZ. JARS **3/\$4**
- BETTY CROCKER ASSORTED
SPECIALTY POTATOES.....5-7.6 OZ. BOX **99¢**
- KINGSFORD
MATCH LIGHT CHARCOAL.....8 LB. BAG **\$3.88**
- AUSTEX
HOT DOG CHILI SAUCE....10 OZ. CANS **3/\$1**
- ASSORTED
ALPO DOG FOOD.....13.2 OZ. CANS **2/\$1**
- ASSORTED
NABISCO AIR CRISPS.....7-8 OZ. PKG **2/\$3**
- GENERAL MILLS
CHEERIOS,
HONEY NUT CHEERIOS
OR LUCKY CHARMS.....14-15 OZ. BOX **2/\$5**
- TOOTY FRUITY, MARSHMALLOW MATEY'S,
CORN BURSTS, COLOSSAL CRUNCH, COLO.
CRUNCH BERRY OR FROSTED MINI WHEATS
MALT-O-MEAL CEREAL....14-19 OZ. PKGS **3/\$5**

See ya at

LOWE'S

LASSO
THESE
SAVINGS!

WESTERN MONEY
UNION TRANSFERSM
"The fastest way to send money"

Lowe's MARKETPLACE

401 W. American Blvd.
Muleshoe 272-4585

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT
TO LIMIT QUANTITIES
IN TEXAS



515 W.
American Blvd.
Muleshoe
272-4406