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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

Moore tops in Region 17

Muleshoe school superintendent Bill Moore Tuesday was named the Region 17 Superintendent of the Year.

Moore, who has been the superintendent of the Muleshoe Independent School District for 9 1/2 years, was chosen from among the 62 school districts in the Region 17 service area. He will compete for state honors later in the year.



Bill Moore

Moore was nominated by the MISD Board of trustees.

July 4 holiday closings

County and government offices and the Muleshoe school district will be closed Friday in observance of the July 4th holiday.

First Bank of Muleshoe will also close Friday. Muleshoe State Bank will remain open Friday and close Saturday as will the U.S. Post Office.

Both local grocery stores will keep normal business hours during the holidays while most other business will be close Saturday for the holiday, according to the Chamber of Commerce.

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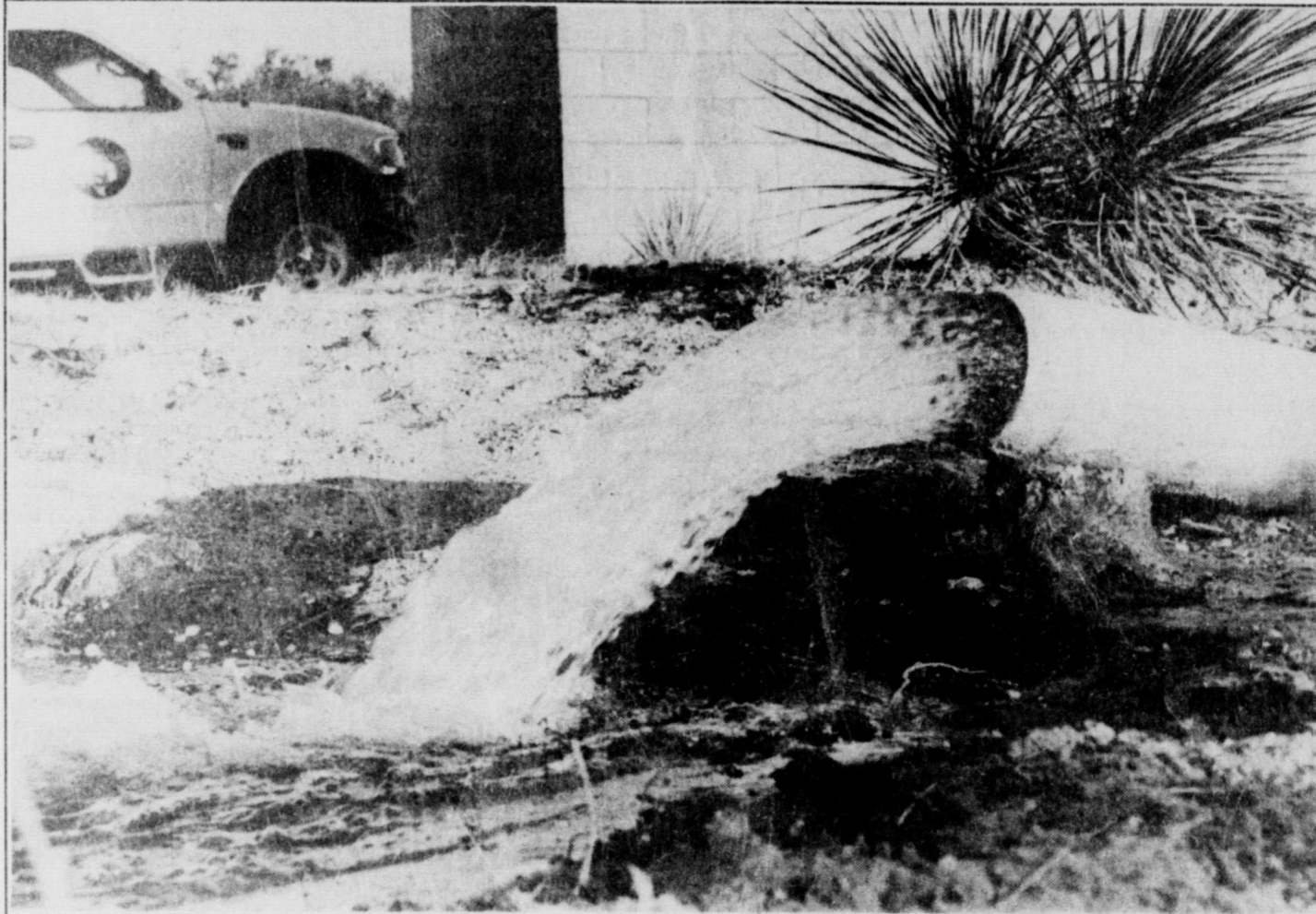
The Sunday, July 5 edition of the Bailey County Journal will be published and distributed on Friday. Mail customers should receive their newspaper on Monday.

LOCAL WEATHER

	High	low	Pre.
Friday	105	68	—
Saturday	107	70	—
Sunday	106	71	—
Monday	102	69	—
Total to date	3.30inches		

EXTENDED FORECAST

Partly cloudy throughout the week with highs in the mid 90s to low 100s and lows in the 70s.



West Texas gold

Water pours out of a pipe used to flush the City of Muleshoe's water system. City officials are urging residents to consider taking steps toward water conservation before it is too late.

Water demands high

Record heat taking toll on city system

By RICK WHITE
Managing Editor

City Manager James Fisher is hesitant to even mention the word rationing.

But if the heat wave continues for another month, the City will have to start thinking about ways of reducing water consumption, Fisher said.

Instead, the city manager is urging residents to take voluntary steps toward water conservation.

"We don't want to get to the point where we have to regulate water use,"

Fisher said. "We're not asking people to stop watering their lawns, we just want them to be smart about how they use water and to be aware of ways to conserve water."

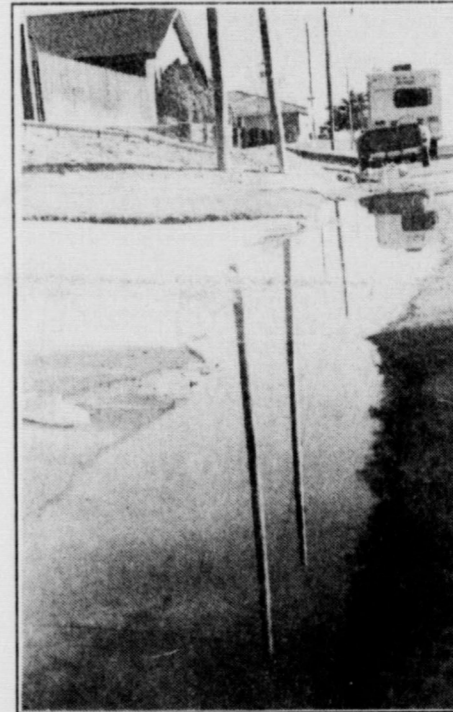
Fisher said the effects of the current drought are twofold.

Not only are residents tapping into the city's most precious commodity at an alarming rate, but the water system itself is working overtime to keep up with the demand.

The City is pumping nearly two million gallons a day, about 500,000 gallons more than the average for this time of year.

Normally, only about half of the city's 14 water wells are used at one time. For the past couple of weeks, 12 pumps have been needed to keep

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Careless use of lawn sprinklers is a big concern for city officials.

Plainview duo wins Muleshoe tourney

The temperature was about the only thing that stayed hot Sunday during the Men's Partnership golf tournament at Muleshoe Country Club.

Scores soared during the final round of the 36-hole tournament as two days of 105-degree plus temperatures took its toll.

First-round leaders Lanny and Shane Savage of Plainview shot a final-round 67 and held on to win the tournament by a stroke at 15-under-par 125. The Savages fired a 12-under 58 during Saturday's scramble.

Muleshoe's Larry Sutton and Ronnie Angeley shot a Sunday-best round of five-under 65 and finished second at 126. Friona's Don Herbert and Rick White, who opened with a 60, finished third at 127.

As if 36 holes weren't enough in the strength-sapping heat, playoffs were needed to determine the winners in the First and Fourth Flights.

Muleshoe's Stanley Wilson and Jack Glover defeated Chaun Gunstream of Dimmitt and Bill James of Muleshoe in the First Flight with a birdie on the first playoff hole.

Both teams finished at nine-under 131. Muleshoe's Jose Triana and Hector Flores, Jr. shot a flight-best 67 Sunday and slipped into third at 132.

In the Fourth Flight, Angel Martinez and Greg Trujillo of Clovis also took care of business quickly in a playoff with

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Ag Dept. establishes hay hotline

AUSTIN — The Texas Department of Agriculture has set up a Hay Hotline to help connect farmers and ranchers who need hay with those producers who have hay for sale.

The Hay Hotline number is 1-877-429-1998 (1-UPS-HAY-1998). The hotline is staffed from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and is a free call.

"The Hay Hotline is an opportunity for farmers and ranchers to locate forage during this difficult time," Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry said. "The hot, dry weather continues to take its toll on range and pastureland across Texas, and producers in scattered areas need additional forage supplies for their livestock."

Many ranges and pastures are not providing adequate grazing, and producers are rapidly depleting carryover hay stocks. In addition, many pas-

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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 World Championship Muleshoe Pitching contest
- 8:30 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
- noon Registration deadline for mixed scramble golf tournament at Muleshoe Country Club
- 1 p.m. 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
- 2 p.m. Local talent to perform at city park
- 8 p.m. Contest winners announced at city park 4-H concession stand open at city park
- 9 p.m. Free concert by Country music star T. Graham Brown at city park
- 10 p.m. Fireworks display at city park
- 10:30 p.m. Main Street dance sponsored by 1999 MHS senior class

Main Street is focus of annual July 4th event

It would be impossible to rain on the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture's July 4th parade.

In fact, it would be a blessing.

"That would be great. I don't think anybody would mind," said Chamber president Wade King in obvious reference to the drought that has gripped the South Plains.

Plans were being finalized this week for the Chamber's annual July 4th celebration, from its 10 a.m. Main Street parade until its 10 p.m. fireworks display in the park.

City Manager James Fisher said the Muleshoe Fire Department will take special safety precautions because of the dry conditions.

There is a change in the parade route this year. The parade will start at the Boy Scout Hut, go south down Main Street all

the way to U.S. Highway 84 and then back north down First Street.

High temperatures are expected to continue through the weekend according to the National Weather Service, but King said plenty of refreshments will be available along Main Street and at the city park.

Main Street will be blocked off to traffic from midnight Friday to midnight Saturday, according to James Fisher.

The city-sponsored free concert in the park series is back for a second year, with country music star T. Graham Brown performing at 9 p.m.

The biggest change this year is most of the events will take place downtown, including new events like a merchant sidewalk sale, a three-on-three basketball tournament and a

see **MAIN STREET** on page 8

AROUND MULESHOE

Muleshoe class of 1973 holding reunion

The Muleshoe high school class of '73 is holding a class reunion at the Muleshoe Country Club, July 4 from 8:30 p.m. to midnight. Everyone is invited to visit with class member and enjoy the fun.

For more information, call Debbie Nickels at 272-7615 or 965-2175.

Leal's hosting July 4 softball tournament

Leal's is hosting a softball tournament July 4 at the city park.

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 at Bailey County Coliseum

The Bailey County Quilt Show will be held from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. on July 4 at 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.

Muleshoe's Acosta on six-month sea duty

Navy Seaman Charles Acosta of Muleshoe recently departed on a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific Ocean, Indian Ocean and Arabian Gulf aboard the aircraft carrier USS Abraham Lincoln.

Acosta is one of more than 5,000 Sailors and Marines aboard the ship, which departed its home port of Everett, Wash., to lead the USS Abraham Lincoln Battle Group. The battle Group is comprised of ten tactical air squadrons, five surface combatants and two submarines.

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Acosta is a 1996 graduate of Muleshoe high school and joined the Navy in August of 1996. He is the son of Dimas Acosta.

Project graduation hamburger booth

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

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.

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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10:00 a.m. Parade

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1:00 Muleshoe Country Club, July 4th
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Bailey County Coliseum 20th Anniversary, Pete Laney guest speaker

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ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

The USDA is considering official labeling for so-called 'organic foods'. A sticky wicket.

The USA Today newspaper ran an editorial supporting the need for these labels and took, what I think they perceived to be, a pro consumer stance, saying "... Among the foods that conceivably could qualify as 'Organic': irradiated meat from industrial stockyards and bioengineered produce fertilized with human sewage. Imagine anyone thinking such foods are organic."

I suspect the editorial writer wore out his Thesaurus looking for buzzwords to describe egregious examples of non-organic food. Irradiated! Industrial! Stockyards! Bioengineered! Human Waste!

Industrial Stockyards-feedlots, I guess, where cattle and hogs are worked, fed a balanced ration, treated if they are sick, given growth promotants and vaccinated to prevent disease. By definition definitely non-organic. Compared to cattle on grass, which are not vaccinated to prevent disease, not wormed, not treated if they are sick and not given growth promotants. Definitely organic.

Performance and production economics aside, which group do you recon would have the healthier animal? If the consumer was invited to

two groups, would he be put off by the lesions in the organic group? For instance, grub larvae under the hide, worms in the viscera, pneumonia pathology, liverflukes, abscessed glands, chronic pinkeye, fluid in the heart sack and legions of other treatable or preventable conditions.

The "industrial stockyard" is not an ideal place. It is like an apartment complex, a college classroom, a cubicle office or a crowded daycare, where creatures gather and expose each other to contagion. They (grade schoolers and cattle) are confined to meet the public needs. And just like public school kids are more likely to get the measles than homeschooled kids, feedlot animals run a greater risk of viral pneumonia than their pasture counterparts. We have vaccines to prevent pneumonia and measles, and in both cases, humans and animals, we have antibiotics and dewormers, all approved by the F.D.A. to handle these problems we can't prevent.

Irradiation of the meat is being considered to eliminate post-slaughter contamination with salmonella or E. coli, by humans. Just another line of defense, like salting, smoking, pickling, boiling, drying or refrigeration that has been used over the centuries.

Now cattle on grass look as pretty to a cowman as they

demand for beef, as well as spare ribs and chicken nuggets, cannot be met 'au natural.'

Finally, regarding the editor's contention that bioengineered produce fertilized with human waste could not be considered organic, I would venture to say that there is not a package of garden vegetable or fruit seed available today that is not the result of generations of plant breeding (bioengineering if you will) to give you disease resistant, plump tomatoes or fungus proof wheat. And fertilizing with human waste? Pretty natural to me' specially if its vegetarian waste. ' Course, most farmers by their N, P & K formulated by chemists in bags.

But lest you think I am against organic products, I'm not. It's just a practical decision. It's easier to sell an apple without the worm.

Speaker Laney featured at Coliseum celebration

Texas Speaker of the House Pete Laney will be the featured speaker Saturday during an open house celebrating the 20th anniversary of the Bailey County Coliseum.

Laney was invited to speak at the event by Bailey County Judge Marilyn Cox.

"We are very fortunate to have a politician that represents Texas that understands and truly watches the development of the rural communities," Cox said.

"Laney has been closely associated with the community and has made some positive contributions to the city of Muleshoe," Coliseum manager Kevin Smith said.

The schedule of events include refreshments, a quilt show, guest speakers, and more.

The open house will begin at 11 a.m.

Other guest speakers include Cox, Muleshoe Mayor Robert Montgomery, Chamber president Wade King and former County Judge Glen Williams.

Although the original opening was not until Sept. 24, 1978, the decision was made to hold the anniversary celebration on July 4, which was the date it was supposed to hold its grand opening.

"Moving the anniversary celebration to July 4 had many advantages, including the fact that there will be a lot of people in town that day for the festivities," Smith said.

The original idea behind the coliseum was to build a bigger facility for the county fair and stock show, which were being held in the cramped bus barn.

Organizers later decided to build a facility that could be used year-round for various functions.

The total cost of the facility, including land site, construction cost, professional services, paving, and work done by Bailey County, was approximately \$475,000.

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Minor League champs

Members of the 1998 Muleshoe Minor League championship team are (back row, l-r) Coaches Shawn Rejino, Joe Flores and Cliff Black. (Middle) Rene Orozco, Leonardo Mendoza, Cecil "Bubba" Chavez, Jared Flores, Rudy Gonzales and Gilbert Mojica. (Front) Ceasar Lopez, Jacklyn Bayless, Cameron Lunsford, Bryce Haney, Cody Black and Stephan Dominguez.

Dollar Bills win Minor League title

The Dollar Bills won the 1998 Muleshoe Minor League baseball championship with a 10-2 record.

The Muleshoe team won two of its last three games to clinch the season title.

The Dollar Bills edged the Farwell Steers 13-11 in the last game of the regular-season with the help of a game-ending double play by

Cameron Lunsford. Rudy Gonzales was the winning pitcher.

The Dollar Bills slipped past the Chargers 5-4 earlier in the week when Lunsford threw out the potential tying run at the plate.

Outfielder Bryce Haney threw the ball to Lunsford who threw to catcher Jared Flores to preserve the win.

Ice cream lovers can expect to pay a little more

For Americans who scream for a scoop of ice cream this summer, expect to pay a little more for the tasty treat.

According to dairy experts, a shortage of milk butterfat and an increase in demand are causing prices to escalate. Ice cream makers, responding to the increase, are forced to bump up

their prices.

"We figured it had to happen, even though it (the price increase) didn't even cover our cost increase," said Paul Thomsen of Schoep's Ice Cream Co.

Consumers also can expect to pay more for items with high butterfat content, such as cream

cheese, sour cream and frozen custard.

On a related note, demand for high butterfat products appears to be on the rise. Dairy experts believe consumers are becoming disenchanted with low-fat and no-fat foods, and are turning toward the tastier premium ice cream and dairy products.



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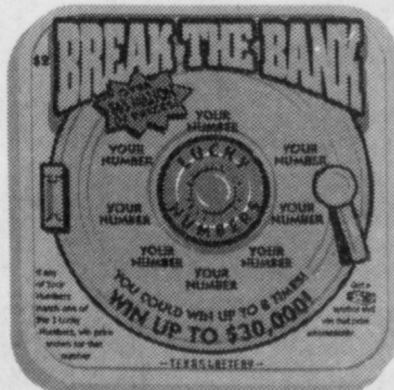
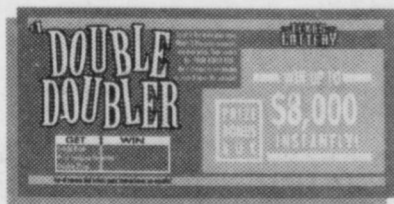
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Break the Bank and up to \$3,000 playing Leapin' Lizards. You can claim prizes of up to \$599 at any Texas Lottery retailer. Prizes of \$600 or more are redeemable at one of the 24 Texas Lottery claim centers or by mail. Questions? Just call the Texas Lottery Customer Service Line at 1-800-37-LOTTO (1-800-375-6886).



Overall odds of winning Double Doubler, 1 in 4.80. Overall odds of winning Firecracker Cash, 1 in 4.84. Overall odds of winning Break the Bank, 1 in 4.94.

Overall odds of winning Leapin' Lizards, 1 in 5.07. Must be 18 years or older to play. ©1998 Texas Lottery

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Featured Patient

Letha L. Talley was born March 19, 1923 in Chickasha, Oklahoma. She is the eldest of three sibling girls.

Letha attended school in Oklahoma, finishing both her formative and college years in Chickasha. She graduated from Oklahoma College for Women where she chose to major in Elementary Education. Receiving emergency certification, Letha was able to teach around the Chickasha area while she completed her studies.

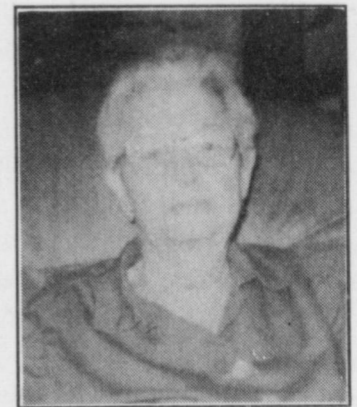
Miss Talley moved to Muleshoe in August of 1948. On March 18, 1950, Letha became the bride of Alfred Patterson. Mr. Patterson expired in January of 1983.

Before retiring, Mrs. Patterson spent a total of 39 years teaching. Many who have attended school in Muleshoe remember Mrs. Patterson from the 4th grade. Letha spent all but two years of her career teaching the fourth grade. Thirty-three of those 39 years teaching were right here in Muleshoe. Mrs. Patterson believes the key to quality education is discipline. She is proud to be from the "old school" era when teachers had the ability to correct inappropriate behavior.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson parented five children: Lionel Patterson of Muleshoe, Carl Patterson of Muleshoe, Nancy Patterson of Muleshoe, Sarah Mitchell of Michigan, and Kathleen Stroud of Muleshoe. Mrs. Patterson has four grandchildren.

Despite pain from injuries, Letha still enjoys sewing and plans to do more of it as she heals and feels better. Mrs. Patterson is a member of the Retired Teachers Association, a statewide organization, and AARP. She attends the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

Although she has just recently chosen M.A.H.H.A. as her preferred home health agency, Letha says that they are "very cooperative" and have definitely treated her very well.



Letha L. Patterson

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Up and down

Jose Triana of Muleshoe chips onto the seventh green Sunday during the final round of the Men's Partnership golf tournament at Muleshoe Country Club. Triana and his partner Hector Flores, Jr. rallied to finish third in the First Flight.

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TOURNEY

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Muleshoe's Roger Buhrman and Tim Shipman by carding a birdie on No. 1.

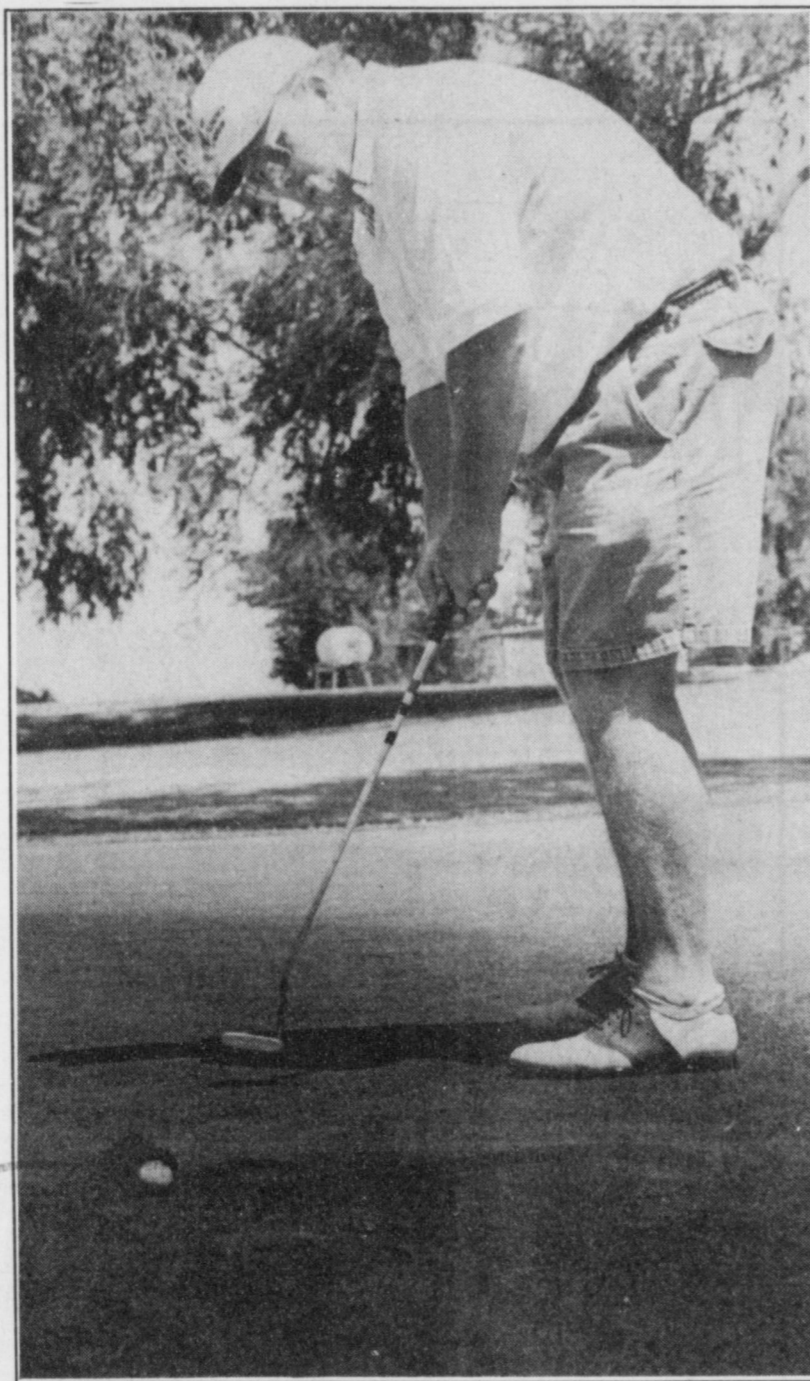
The teams tied at four-under 136. Daniel Schacker of Lazbuddie and Royce Bethel of Farwell shot a 75 and faded to third in the flight at 139 after shooting an opening-round 64.

Lazbuddie's John David Agee and Terry Steinbock were the runaway winners in the Second Flight with a 132 after posting a pair of 66s. Cyle Motheral and Lynn Beavers of Sundown were second at 138 and Mark Foster and Doug Stone of Portales were third at 139.

Steve Lee and Jerry McKee of Sundown fired a final-round 68, the only team in the group to break par, and won the Third Flight with a two-under 138.

Roger Guajardo and Ted Willock of Morton were second at 139 and Larry Gonzales of Borger and Rick White of Muleshoe were third at 142.

David Carver and Link Lutrick of Abernathy won the Fifth Flight handily with a 139. Frank Torres of Muleshoe and Juan Garza of Clovis were second at 145 and Brian Glover of Lazbuddie and Clint Kelley of Farwell were third at 153.



In gear

Joe Gear of Muleshoe watches his putt roll down a steep slope on the ninth green Sunday during the final round of the Men's Partnership at Muleshoe Country Club.

MEN'S PARTNERSHIP RESULTS

Men's Partnership June 27-28 at Muleshoe CC (scramble-low ball) Championship Flight		Agee/Steinbock 66-66 — 132		Reese/Damron 67-78 — 145	
Savage/Savage	58-67 — 125	Motheral/Beavers	66-72 — 138	Bryan/Quintana	74-72 — 146
Sutton/Angeley	61-65 — 126	Foster/Stone	64-75 — 139	Bounds/Hedges	70-78 — 148
Herbert/White	60-67 — 127	Calvert/Davenport	69-70 — 139	Green/Pearson	71-77 — 148
Sudduth/Shipman	63-66 — 129	Hoyl/Roberts	69-71 — 140	Fifth Flight	
Embry/Box	66-67 — 133	Moreno/Griffin	65-76 — 141	Carver/Lutrick	68-69 — 139
Burton/Ott	67-66 — 133	Locker/Black	68-75 — 143	Torres/Garza	71-74 — 145
Box/Box	62-72 — 134	Lafollette/Hill	71-73 — 144	Glover/Kelley	73-80 — 153
Third Flight				Hughes/Roberts	74-83 — 157
Wilson/Glover	62-69 — 131*	Lee/McKee	70-68 — 138		
James/Gunstream	63-68 — 131	Guajardo/Willock	68-71 — 139		
Triana/Flores	65-67 — 132	Gonzales/White	68-74 — 142		
Ramirez/Estrada	63-71 — 134	Pool/Saylor	67-76 — 143		
Gonzales/Spradling	62-73 — 135	Embry/Sowder	68-76 — 144		
Jenkins/Othick	67-68 — 135	Gunstream/Hunt	69-76 — 145		
Bishop/Gear	65-73 — 138	Stegall/Stegall	72-75 — 147		
Thomas/Sheppard	67-WD —	Miller/Miller	77-74 — 151		
Second Flight		Fourth Flight			
		Martinez/Trujillo	68-68 — 136*		
		Buhrman/Shipman	68-68 — 136		
		Schacher/Bethel	64-75 — 139		

Project SMART begins July 6

Dillman Elementary is hosting Project SMART summer program.

It is sponsored by the Migrant Education Department and the Muleshoe Independent School District. It will be at Dillman elementary from 1-4 p.m. from July 6-31. Eligible migrant students from grades pre-kindergarten through 8th grade are encouraged to attend. There will be bilingual instruction, taped lessons, fun activities, snacks, bus transportation (from "pick-up points"), and supplies will be provided.

The bus will begin picking up children at 12:15 p.m. The children will return after 4 p.m. using a reverse route. Parent volunteers are needed.

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OBITUARIES

HENRY LANDERS

Henry Lander, 87, of Muleshoe died Saturday, June 27, 1998 at Senior Village Nursing Home in Perryton, Texas.

Church services were held Monday at First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe. Burial was held in Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery.

He was born Jan. 1, 1911 in Girche, Okla. He married Mary Bilyey in Binger, Okla. on March 13, 1937.

Landers moved to Muleshoe from Anadarko, Okla. in 1948 where he has lived ever since. He was a farmer and owned/operated the Northside Texaco Service Station for many years. He was a member of the Methodist Church. He was preceded in death by one son, Kenneth Landers.

He is survived by his wife Mary; one son, Nickie Landers of Albuquerque, N.M.; two daughters, Lenda Tarlton of Lubbock and Tena Clark of Perryton; one brother Rev. Frank Landers of Oklahoma City, Okla.; 12 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

JOE BLAYLOCK

Joe L. Blaylock, 85, of Muleshoe died Monday, June 29, 1998 at Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

Chapel services were held at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Stacy Connor of First Baptist Church of Muleshoe officiating. Burial was in Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

He was born Dec. 8, 1912 in Gun Town, Miss. He married

Jackie Evans in Elgin, Texas on Dec. 25, 1942. He served in the U.S. Army during WWII. He was a member of the V.F.W. and the Disabled Veterans Chapter 6 in Clovis, NM. He was the co-owner of the Phillips 66 Service Station in Muleshoe. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife Jackie of Muleshoe; two sons, Ronald Larson of Lubbock and Danny Blaylock of Garland, Texas; one daughter, Elaine Hart of Matador, Texas; five grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be sent to Meals on Wheels of Muleshoe.

JIMMY PRESLEY

KELLER—Jimmy Weldon Presley, 65, of Keller died Friday, June 26, 1998 in Cleveland, Tenn. following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held Monday in the Sullivan Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Jim Eager of Clinton, Mo. officiating. Burial was held in Eastview Cemetery under the direction of Sullivan Funeral Home.

Presley was born July 5, 1932 in Wilbarger County,

Texas. He married Laura Jean Sweatmon on Sept. 27, 1952 in Fargo Baptist Church in Fargo, Texas. He was a graduate of Odell High School. He had lived in Vernon until moving to Muleshoe in 1954. He had also lived in Dimmitt, Shreveport, La., Ft. Worth, and Keller. He served in the U.S. Army from 1952 to 1954. He was a family man and enjoyed sponsoring youth rodeos. He was a member of his former army battalion group, supporter of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch and former president and member of the Dimmitt Jaycees.

He is survived by his wife Laura Jean of Keller; one son, Sherman Weldon Presley of Shreveport, La.; one daughter, Melinda Presley Hill of Keller; a brother, Bill Presley of Vernon; two sisters, Geneva Leath of Shreveport, La. and Carolyn Presley of Ft. Worth; his mother-in-law Mary Sweatmon of Vernon; and one granddaughter, Amber Presley Snelus of Hurst, Texas.

The family suggests that memorials be made to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch.

BIRTHS

JACOB VARGAS

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Vargas of Littlefield announce the birth of a son, Jacob, born June 23, 1998 in the Lamb Healthcare Center.

He weighed 7 lbs. and 2 oz. and was 19 1/4 long. He has a brother, Justin Ray.

Grandparents are Arthur and Erlinda Silvas of Littlefield and Domingo and Delia Vargas of Littlefield. Great Grandparents are Amanda and Gilbert Silvas of Littlefield.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON BUDGET

The Bailey Central Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 1999 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on July 16, 1998 at 1:00 P.M. at 302 Main Street, Muleshoe, Texas.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$244,700.

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is -0-.

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be 4 full time and 1 part time.

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is 4 full time and 1 part time.

The appraisal district is supported by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by a majority of the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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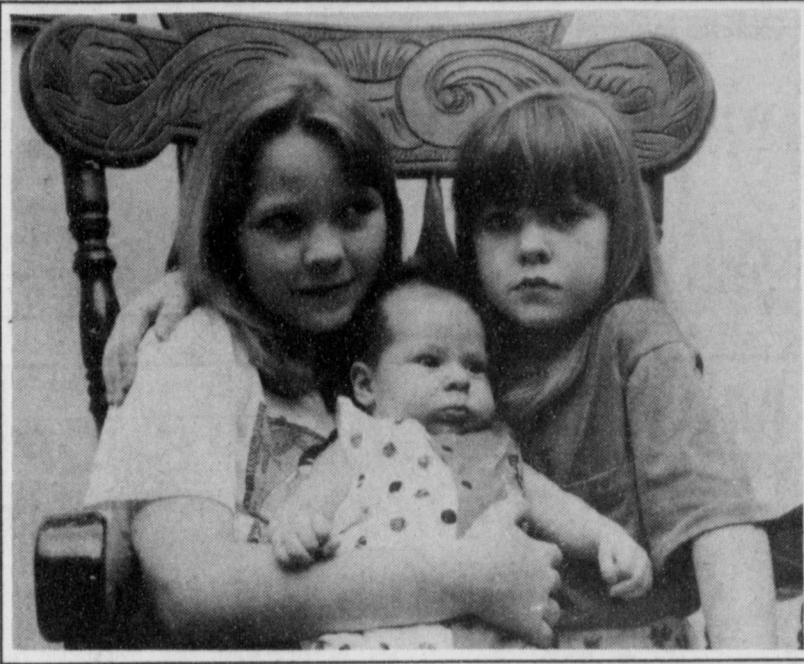
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Nicholas Stephen Harvey with his two older sisters, Jessica (left) and Catherine.

NICHOLAS STEPHAN HARVEY

Stephen and Joy Harvey of Lubbock announce the birth of a son, Nicholas Stephen.

He was born May 8, 1998 in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock. He weighed 10 lbs and 3 oz. and was 22 inches long.

Stephen has two older sisters, Jessica and Catherine.

Grandparents are Dale and Wanda Dudley of Muleshoe, Gene and Darlene Walker of Hereford and Charles and Dolores Harvey of Muleshoe.

BRITTANY MARIE AND AMANDA NICOLE CHANCEY

Joey and Shonda Chancey of Whiteface announce the birth of twin daughters, Brittany Marie and Amanda Nicole.

They were born Wednesday, June 24, 1998 in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Brittany Marie weighed 5 pounds and was 18 1/4 inches long. Amanda Nicole weighed 5 pounds and 9 ounces and was 19 inches long. They have a sister, Shea, and a brother, Michael.

Grandparents are Jeanetta Williams of Odessa and Red and Sandra Chancey of Muleshoe. Greatgrandparents are Estelle Palmer of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Chancey of Ozark, Ark.

Flusche honored with bridal shower

Kristi Tuner Flusche was honored with a bridal shower May 31 in the home of Donna Green of Muleshoe.

Special guests were Barbara Turner, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Gwynne Turner and Mrs. Clair Cowart, grandmothers of the bride.

Refreshments were served by her cousins Amber and Robin Cowart.

Hostesses were Gail Bruns, Donna Green, Fran Hamilton, Tracy Pyle, Julie Broyles, Diane Harrison, Sally Messen-



Kristi Turner Flusche

ger and Myrlene Read. The hostesses gift was a vacuum cleaner.

POLICE LOG

MULESHOE PD

June 20 — Jeremy Rex Partain, 21, arrested for DWI.

June 24 — Alfredo Duran Flores, 42, arrested for public intoxication.

June 25 — Robert Ramirez, 19, arrested for warrants in Bailey County.

June 26 — Adam Lee Nelson, 20, arrested for driving without a license.

June 27 — Arturo Sanchez, Jr., 19, arrested for disorderly conduct.

June 28 — Sammy Gonzales, Jr., 33, arrested for public intoxication.

June 28 — Paul Ramirez, 20, arrested for public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

June 28 — Leandro Maldonado, 21, arrested for public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

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June 16 — Norma Lee Venegas, 17, arrested for Class C theft.

June 16 — Arcadio Quantanilla, Jr., 32, arrested on a warrant for theft and theft by check.

June 19 — Kelly Helton, 18, arrested for Class C assault.

June 20 — Manuel Pineda, 50, arrested for second DWI.

June 20 — Roberto Ruiz, 35, arrested for DWI.

June 21 — Juan Manuel Davila, 17, arrested for public intoxication.

June 22 — Larry Don Wauson, 20, arrested for three counts of violation of probation.

June 22 — Ricardo Alarcon, Jr., 26, arrested on a warrant for probation violation and delivery of a controlled substance.

June 24 — Freddy Coleman, 20, arrested on a warrant for probation violation.

June 24 — Christopher Mendoza, 18, arrested on two warrants for reckless conduct.

June 25 — Roberto Ramirez, 20, arrested for criminal mischief and a warrant for destroying tangible property.

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Concluding Remarks
The Honorable Judge Glen Williams,
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Kirby —Stearmer

Craig and Carolyn Kirby of Lovington, N.M. announce the engagement of their daughter, Brittany Ann, to Jason Keith Stearmer. Jason is the son of Ernest and Bobbie Stearmer of Lovington. The couple plans to wed July 11 in the Three Way Baptist Church. The reception is in the Three Way cafetorium immediately following the wedding. Kirby is a 1996 graduate of Dora High School and attended Clarendon Junior College and New Mexico Junior College. She is an assistant in the Lea County Extension Office. Stearmer is a 1995 graduate of Snyder High School and attended Texas Tech and New Mexico Junior College. He is employed by Southwest Dried Products in Lovington.

Cotton losses in Texas could reach \$500 million

COLLEGE STATION — Unrelenting hot, dry weather across the state continues to take its toll on Texas crops, slashing an estimated \$500 million from cotton farmers and \$1.8 billion from the economy, according to a Texas Agricultural Extension Service economist.

The estimated losses, which will climb even higher if sufficient rain doesn't fall, have surpassed the 1996 levels when agriculture last felt the impact of severe drought, said Dr. Carl Anderson, Extension cotton marketing economist. Cotton farmers that year took a \$359 million loss that translated into a \$1.2 billion cut to the state's overall economy.

Expected cotton losses this year have more than tripled in the two weeks since the Extension Service released its first drought impact for 1998, estimating the loss to cotton farmers then to be \$157 million.

"We still have hopes that if temperatures were to cool and the rain was to move into the West Texas area, then cotton would have a chance, dryland in particular," Anderson said. "But with another two weeks of the same hot, dry weather with high temperatures then the losses will be greater than we are estimating today."

Last year, Texas cotton farmers harvested some 5.3 million bales valued at \$1.8 billion at the farm and generating \$6 billion in economic activity across the state. But, Anderson estimated, the number of bales expected to be harvested at this point may total only 3.3 million. He said the reduction of 2 million bales is severe.

"The loss will hit the rural regions the hardest," he said.

Anderson's figures come on the heels of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's cotton planting figures report released Tuesday. That report indicated that all cotton acreage planted in Texas totaled 5.4 million, about 125,000 acres less than was planted last year. Anderson noted that the reduced acreage mostly was in the Blacklands, Upper Coastal and Cen-

tral growing regions. "However, the greatest economic losses will be across the Texas South Plains and Rolling Plains regions," Anderson said. "These regions include around 4 million acres -- a little more than 1.5 million have some irrigation and 2.5 million are dryland."

He said the current estimate is that 1.65 million of the dryland acres will not be harvested because of the extreme dry weather and high temperatures in May and June.

"Much of the lost acreage failed to even germinate, and some acreage that did was unable to survive," Anderson said.

MAIN STREET

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Air conditioning accounts for the highest load in most households, and by setting the thermostat a couple of degrees higher, air conditioning units won't have to run as often. Customers should resist the temptation, however, to set their thermostats too high—above 78 to 80 degrees—when they leave the house. The air conditioner will have to work overtime to cool the house to a comfortable level in the evening if the thermostat is set too high during the day.

Customers may also cut back on electrical load by using washing machines and

clothes dryers past 8 p.m., after the daily peak in usage.

Other energy-saving tips are:

- Use microwave ovens instead of conventional ovens during peak usage hours (roughly 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.). Microwaves cook food more quickly, and don't add heat to the home.

- Set electric water heaters no higher than 130 degrees Fahrenheit.

- Turn off unnecessary lights and make sure air conditioners are working properly. Clean air filters and make sure intake vents are unobstructed.

- Make sure doors and windows are sealed with weather stripping.

- Keep curtains and blinds drawn during the day to keep out the sun.

- Use fans to circulate air throughout the house.

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HOTLINE

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tures and hay fields have not had sufficient regrowth following the first hay cutting. In some parts of the state, producers were not able to get a first cutting.

"We want to make sure that our livestock producers have access to adequate forage supplies this summer and into the fall and winter months," Perry said. "The Hay Hotline is a

precautionary measure since there is no federal Emergency Feed Program this year."

Producers with hay can call the toll-free number and be put on a list of suppliers. Farmers and ranchers who need hay can

call and request a list of hay suppliers.

An up-to-date list will be mailed to them the day they call. In addition, TDA will put the list of suppliers on its website (www.agr.state.tx.us).

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from the Journal staff

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Muleshoe Cattle Market

SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1998

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

648 cattle, 191 hogs and 295 sheep & goats. Stocker & feeder cattle 1-2 lower due to dry weather, lower futures market & lower fat market. Good selection of pairs sold steady from a week ago. Packer cows & Bulls steady.

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
Sandhill Dairy, Portales, NM	6	Hol. Strs	313 lbs.	at \$55.00
Medardo Andrade, Muleshoe	2	Hol. Strs	228 lbs.	at \$66.00
Medardo Andrade, Muleshoe	7	Hol. Strs	294 lbs.	at \$55.50
Dimar Segura, Muleshoe		Blk. Bull	per hd.	225 lbs. at \$215.00
Mike Andrews, Levelland	7	Blk. Bulls	260 lbs.	at \$93.50
Mike Andrews, Levelland	6	Mxd. Strs	380 lbs.	at \$85.00
Kenneth Wilson, Sudan	5	Blk. Bulls	289 lbs.	at \$87.00
Kenneth Wilson, Sudan	2	Blk. Bulls	318 lbs.	at \$86.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM	6	Mxd. Bulls	347 lbs.	at \$89.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM	2	Blk. Bulls	418 lbs.	at \$80.00
Jeffrey Seaton, Muleshoe		Char. Str	320 lbs.	at \$85.00
Rocking J Ranch, Whiteface	2	Red Strs	605 lbs.	at \$72.50
Joe Tomkins, Ft. Sumner, NM	5	Blk. Strs	655 lbs.	at \$70.00
Rajen Dairy, Clovis, NM	5	Blk. Hfrs	per hd.	239 lbs. at \$205.00
Mike Andrews, Levelland	3	Blk. Hfrs	266 lbs.	at \$82.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM	2	Blk. Hfrs	335 lbs.	at \$81.00
Kenneth Wilson, Sudan		blk. Hfr	325 lbs.	at \$82.00
U-Bar, Inc., Sudan	2	Red Hfrs	545 lbs.	at \$67.00
Wendel Jones, Morton		Red Hfr	555 lbs.	at \$70.00
Rocking J Ranch, Whiteface	2	Red Hfrs	618 lbs.	at \$65.50
EDR Cattle, Whiteface	3	Red Hfrs	637 lbs.	at \$65.00
Kenneth Wilson, Sudan	9	Blk. Pair		\$590.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM		RWF Pair		\$620.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM		Red Pair		\$600.00
T&T Cattle, Littlefield		Red Pair		\$570.00
Alkali Cattle, Portales, NM		Char. Pair		\$590.00
Marvin Been, Dimmitt		Red Cow	1760 lbs.	at \$40.00
Mike Andrews, Levelland	3	Mxd. Cows	1055 lbs.	at \$37.25
Cody Wilson, Sudan		BWF Cow	1135 lbs.	at \$36.75
Victor Trevino, Hale Center		BWF Cow	1085 lbs.	at \$37.75
Randy Davis, Rogers, NM		BWF Cow	1075 lbs.	at \$36.00
Rex Black, Muleshoe		RMF Cow	1015 lbs.	at \$43.00
Marvin Been, Dimmitt	2	Char. Cows	1270 lbs.	at \$37.50
Prairie View Dairy, Muleshoe		Hol. Cow	1495 lbs.	at \$38.50
Prairie View Dairy, Muleshoe		Hol. Cow	1250 lbs.	at \$37.75
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM		Blk. Bull	1715 lbs.	at \$49.25
4B Livestock, Muleshoe		Blk. Bull	2445 lbs.	at \$54.25
Ronald Scott, Muleshoe		Char. Bull	1710 lbs.	at \$51.75
Kenneth Wilson, Sudan		Blk. Bull	2010 lbs.	at \$48.25
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