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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

### Historic signatures on view

For the first time in 130 years, the public will be able to gaze upon the original signatures of Billy the Kid's mom and other founders of Wichita, Kan.

On Monday, Judge Paul Buchanan, as chief judge of the 18th Judicial District, delivered the papers, a petition for Wichita to be incorporated, to the Wichita-Sedgwick County Historical Museum.

According to *The Wichita Eagle*, those papers hold 124 signatures, including that of Catherine McCarty — Billy the Kid's mother.

The papers had been stored for years in the Hutchinson salt mines with other Sedgwick County records.

When she signed the petition, McCarty owned and operated the City Laundry on North Main. She was the only woman to sign the petition.

Other signatures include those of William Greiffenstein, the man most Wichita historians consider the "father of Wichita" and who is credited for developing Douglas Avenue, the city's main downtown thoroughfare; William Finn, an early surveyor of Sedgwick County; and John Price Hilton, a land speculator who was elected Sedgwick County's first superintendent of schools and whose great-granddaughter is U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor.

Bob Puckett, director of the museum, said he was more than happy to receive the papers and plans to place them in the museum's exhibit called "The Magic City."

Originally the petition was presented to Probate Judge Reuben Riggs for incorporation on July 21, 1870. At that time only 1,000 people lived in the county; 537 were eligible to vote.

In many ways the petition is a who's who of not only Wichita's founders, but also of the Old West. It is the basis for all land titles and future development of Wichita.



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### On this date in history

- June 8** — The first of 21 "rain battles" takes place near Post (1911).
- June 9** — The first major oil discovery in Texas is made near Corsicana (1894).
- June 10** — Moses Austin dies, leaving much of the work of establishing his Texas Colony to his son, Stephen F. Austin (1836).
- June 11** — The first theater in Texas opens in Houston (1838).

### LOCAL WEATHER

High temperatures should be near 90 for the next several days, but the showers may not be over. Friday afternoon should bring a good chance for moisture, with scattered showers possible through Monday. Morning lows should be in the mid-60s throughout the period.

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during business hours, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

## Few weevils found in early checks of area fields

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

If it seems a little early for boll weevils in the Bailey County area, last week's trapping results from the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation bear that out.

In fact, Bailey County traps captured only eight of the pests last week — which means that about

14 percent of the county's active traps caught weevils.

Most of the neighboring counties had even fewer weevils, with Lamb County reporting one and neither Parmer nor Castro counties reporting any at all.

Cochran County, to the south, reported 47 weevils caught in 38

percent of its active traps.

Further to the southeast, however, the story was different. Garza County (Post) already had weevils reported from all its active traps, though its total of 115 bugs fell short of several counties' reports.

Hale County reported 189 weevils trapped and Lubbock County

reported 185.

Crosby County reported by far the highest total (420), but since much of the county lies below the Caprock, the climate is much warmer. Farmers off the Caprock voted Wednesday to seek affiliation with a Rolling Plains weevil zone rather than the High Plains.

## Texas 4-H roundup is next week

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

COLLEGE STATION — Texas 4-H will "round up" the best of more than 997,000 state 4-H'ers June 12-16.

Texas 4-H Roundup is an annual time for education, competition, fellowship and fun for about 3,300 4-H members and volunteers who will flood the Texas A&M University Memorial Student Center.

The theme for this year's roundup is "Securing the Future."

Roundup activities for the high school-aged members will range from competitions to community service, spirit rallies to assemblies and motivational speakers to entertainment.

"Roundup is a key time for members to exhibit their knowledge in a wide array of project programs that range from agriculture to home economics, and business to personal development," said Gayle Hall, an Extension Service 4-H and youth development specialist.

"4-H'ers do this through competitions in judging, public speaking, method demonstrations, food, fashion and talent performances," Hall said.

Also during the event, more than \$1 million will be given in scholarships to 4-H graduates.

Roundup will combine the efforts of 4-H clubs from across the state in a community service project for Texas Children's Hospital in Houston and the Dallas Children's Hospital.

Roundup participants are asked to bring new stuffed animals to be given to the hospitals.

More information on how to get involved with 4-H as a member or volunteer is available by contacting a county Extension office.



Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

### Beautification continues

Shannon Gregory (on backhoe) and Chad Beall, both of the Carpenter Shop in Muleshoe, work hard at work Tuesday continuing the beautification project on the Mule Lot next to the new Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce office. The chamber is selling planks in the proposed deck for \$25 each, and each board can be engraved with a name or names to indicate the contributor. Other elements in the project also are up for sponsorship.

## Preston advises fighting bagworms now

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Now is the best time for South Plains residents to spray for bagworms in junipers and other trees and shrubs, according to Bailey County Extension Agent Curtis Preston.

Spring hatching began in early May and is usually completed in about three weeks, Preston said.

Bagworm larvae emerge from hatching eggs inside last year's bags and begin feeding on leaves. They soon begin to construct their own protective bag of silk, twigs and leaves, making them camouflaged and hard to see.

As the larvae and their bags grow, control becomes more difficult.

Bagworms feed throughout the summer months, building their bags to a length of 1 to 12 inches.

In the fall, bagworms become adults, mate, and the females lay eggs inside their bags.

They overwinter in these bags, which are a familiar sight hanging on trees and shrubs. Each female bag contains from 500 to 1,500 eggs.

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## USDA announces application date in cottonseed plan

WASHINGTON — Keith Kelly, executive vice president of USDA's Commodity Credit Corporation announced Tuesday that applications for the 1999-crop cottonseed payment program will be accepted beginning June 12.

"Applications have been mailed to each gin

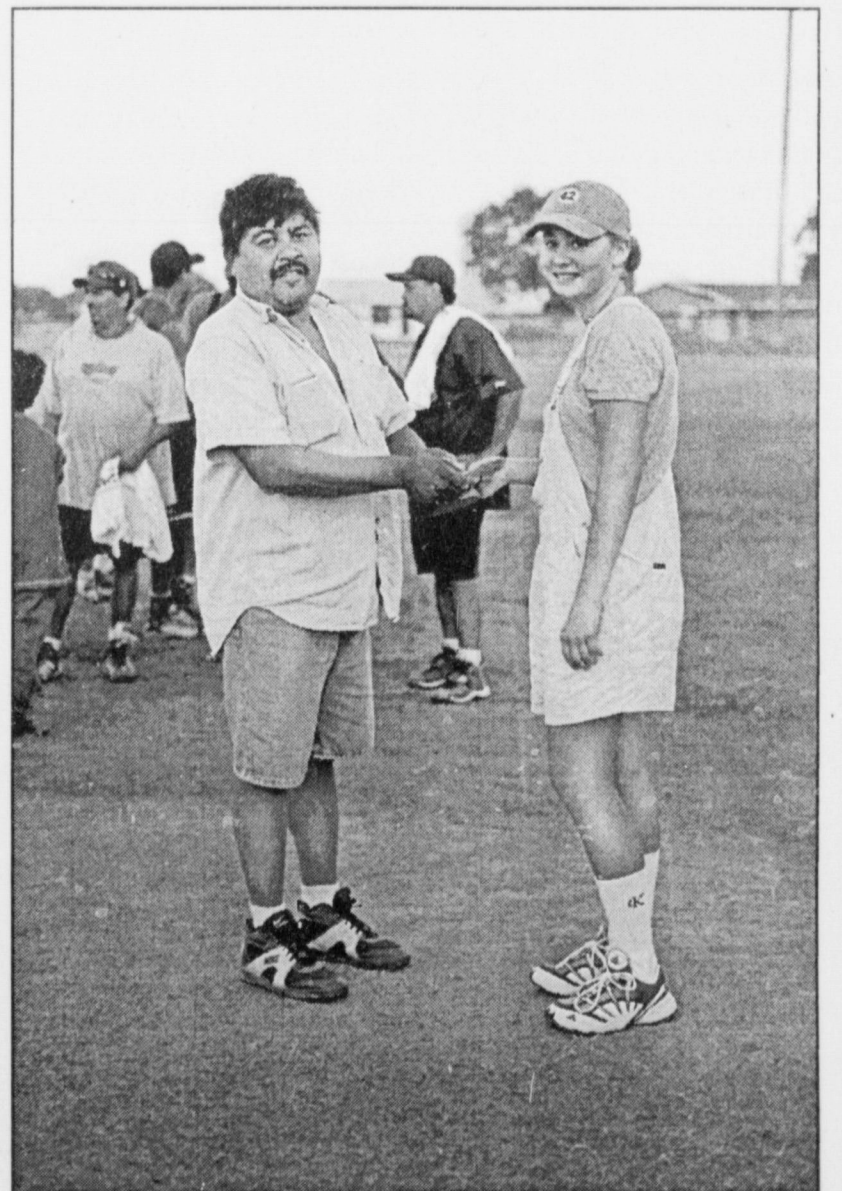
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Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

### Dual of Austins

Stingers' first baseman Austin Wright awaits the ball as Austin Allison of the Chargers tries to get on base. The Chargers eked out a 9-8 victory in Monday's Little League action.



Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

### Fund-raiser held

Richard Orozco hands the funds to Michelle Puckett after last weekend's softball tournament to benefit Puckett's mother, Kim, who has been diagnosed with leukemia.



## AROUND MULESHOE

### Muleshoe streets to be seal-coated

Several Muleshoe streets will get a new coat of oil Thursday and Friday.

Main Street from American Boulevard to Avenue H will be seal-coated Thursday evening, and motorists are asked not to drive or park on it for that evening.

Other streets included in this year's project are:

- Avenue B from Main to East Sixth;
- East Third from Avenue D to Avenue F;
- Avenue G from Main to South First;
- Avenue I, also from Main to South First;
- Avenue E from East Third to West Eighth;
- West Second from Avenue D to Avenue G;
- West Tenth from Avenue B to Avenue D;
- Avenue B from West Twelfth to West 15th;
- Avenue C from West Twelfth to West 15th; and
- West 15th from American Boulevard to Avenue C.

### 'Beginning of Summer' planned

A three-ball pool tournament, darts and a watermelon-seed spitting contest are among the activities scheduled for a "Beginning of Summer" fund-raiser June 11 at the Veterans of Foreign Wars' Post 8570, 203 E. Ash.

There will be a small entry fee for each contest, but free food will be provided by the post's Ladies Auxiliary, which is organizing the event.

Raffles and drawings will be held throughout the day.

### Second swimming class slated

Due to popular demand, a second swimming lessons are scheduled to begin Tuesday at the Muleshoe Country Club.

The class, which will run from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. June 13-16, costs \$30 per child.

Students may be registered by calling Rendi Hodge at 272-4621, Cole St. Clair at 925-6767 or the country club at 272-4250.

### Rabies clinic scheduled

Pet owners are reminded that a rabies clinic is scheduled for 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. June 13 at the Muleshoe fire station.

The county already has had two confirmed cases of rabies this year.

### Regional youth choir to perform

SpiritWind, the Northwest Texas Conference Methodist Youth Choir, will perform at 8 p.m. June 9 at the First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe.

The public is invited.

### Special service set at Progress

The Rev. Don and Minnie Giddens, missionaries to the Ute and

Apache Indians at Blanding, Utah, will speak at Progress' First Baptist Church at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. June 11.

The Giddenses also formerly served as missionaries in El Salvador under the North American Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

The congregation also will introduce its new pastor, Brother O.J. Bewley.

### Farm toy and Beanie Baby show set

The ninth annual Farm Toy and Beanie Baby Show is scheduled for 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 10 at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Table space for vendors is available but limited; more information is available by calling 272-5319.

### Cheerleaders plan fund-raisers

The Watson Junior High School cheerleaders have scheduled fund-raisers for the next two Saturdays.

This Saturday, the squad will sponsor a hot-dog cookout from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the United Supermarket parking lot. The cost will be \$2 for a full meal.

The cheerleaders also plan a hamburger cookout in the Joe's Boot Shop parking lot from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. June 17.

The \$5 ticket price will include a burger, chips, a drink and dessert. Tickets may be purchased in advance from any junior high cheerleader or at the event.

Chances also will be sold for a Hewlett-Packard computer to be given away later.

Money raised will help pay camp expenses for the cheerleaders and mascot.

### Blackwood Brothers to perform

The Blackwood Brothers, a top name in gospel music for more than half a century, will appear in concert at 7 p.m. June 11 at the Lazbuddie United Methodist Church.

The church is located next to the school on Highway 1172.

Among the group's popular recordings have been "How Great Thou Art," "The Old Country Church," "Just a Little Talk With Jesus," "I'll Fly Away" and "I Love to Tell the Story."

Admission to the performance is free and the public is invited; an offering will be taken.

The deadline for items to appear in *Around Muleshoe* is 5 p.m. Monday for Thursday's editions and 5 p.m. Thursday for Sunday's editions.

### Fiddle band to open South Plains Opry

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

Lanny Fiel and the Ranch Dance Fiddle Band, who perform historic music from the days of cowboys and ranch dances in the Texas Panhandle and Llano Estacado, will help kick off the June 8 summer debut of the South Plains Opry.

The Opry, a weekly summer music show produced throughout June by South Plains College, is scheduled for a 7:30 p.m. performance in the Tom T. Hall Recording and Production Studio in SPC's Creative Arts Building.

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### COTTONSEED

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from Washington, D.C., and should be received no later than June 12, 2000," Kelly said. "Anyone that has not received their application by this date should call (202) 720-8481" to request a duplicate.

The signed application must be returned to CCC in Washington by either mail (return

receipt is recommended) or by a private delivery service.

The deadline for receipt of applications is June 26.

"Applications must be returned to CCC by the deadline date because all applications must be received before any individual payments can be computed," Kelly stressed.

### BAGWORMS

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Since the bagworm only completes one generation a year and spreads very slowly from plant to plant, picking the bags off infested plants in the winter will help control the pest.

If bagworms were present on a plant last year and no control measures were applied, however, the chances are good that an insecticide will be needed this spring.

Insecticides that can be used to control bagworms include sevin, dursban, diazinon,

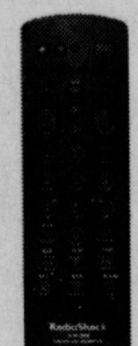
malathion and orthene. The biological control *Bacillus thuringiensis* also can be used.

To obtain effective control, thorough coverage of foliage is necessary.

The addition of a small amount of liquid soap or surfactant to the spray solution will improve control by helping the insecticide adhere to the treated trees and shrubs.

More information is available by calling Preston at 272-4583.

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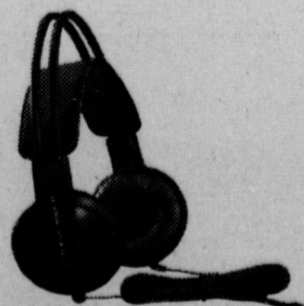
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# Some plants deserve a place in the garden just for kicks

By RONN SMITH  
Editor

There are a few plants that beg to be grown just for fun. I'm not necessarily talking about the orchids or the dahlias or even the Texas bluebonnets — flowers that people get hooked on and grow year after year.

Possibly the most commonly grown "fun plants" are ornamental gourds. Some people just get a kick out of seeing what they get — and maybe they develop a hobby of turning the gourds into water dippers, birdhouses or whatever.

One of my favorite Looney Tunes plants is giant fennel (*Ferula communis*). Now most of you probably don't get a clue from the name "fennel" because in the supermarket you walk right past the edible fennel without registering what it looks like.

Fennel has such lacy leaves that they appear almost not to be there. Giant fennel's leaves are much larger and heavier, but they still have that lacy effect.

With giant fennel, the foliage is apt to grow 3 feet high and that far across. This is in spring and early summer. When the weather gets hot, the foliage dies. Just when you think the plant must be turning roots up, the fun begins: A big, bare stalk shoots up out of the ground.



This stalk is so big and so bare that it looks something like the flower stalk on a century plant. In fact, in areas such as ours where century plants are common, you'd probably mistake giant fennel's bloom stalk for that of a century plant. Chances are you'd think century plant but with something different about it that you wouldn't be able to put your finger on.

Seen from a distance, the main difference is that the flower sprays on a century plant's stalk are arranged horizontally where giant fennel's are more globe-shaped.

The Heronswood Nursery catalog states that this stalk may rise to 10 feet or more in height. Sometimes it is indeed several feet taller than that.

The Heronswood catalog also states that the yellow flower balls are spectacular when the rays of the setting sun

shine through them, and they are. The plants lend themselves to that situation, preferring full sun — though I advise not putting them against a west wall on the High Plains. The reflected heat of our summers can cook them to the point where they don't do well.

They also need some moisture in order to form that giant flower stalk.

Perhaps the biggest drawback to giant fennel is that the plants you purchase will be small and will take two or three years to bloom.

Apparently they are sold small because plants in the genus *Ferula* tend to develop a taproot, making it hard to transplant bigger specimens. This should also make you wary of trying to move them after a year or two if you decide you don't like where you put them.

But for the most part, giant fennel is a hoot to grow — and when it blooms, it will attract just about as much attention as a century plant under similar circumstances!

...  
If you're prone to blame farmers for pollution, you may need to look a little closer to home.

The May-June issue of *Audubon* magazine reports that residential properties tend to average — that's AVERAGE — three times as much pesticide use per acre as farmers average.

Think of it simply in terms of dollars and cents: Farmers are struggling to make a profit at all, so they aren't likely to use more pesticides than they think they need.

Homeowners, on the other hand, may have to buy 10 or 20

— or 50 — times what they need, simply because of the packages that are available. Once the money is spent, many people apparently don't hesitate to increase the dosage, figuring "more is better" when the opposite may be true.

In the process, they turn their lawns into toxic cesspools for the kids or grandkids to crawl around in. The mind boggles.

Comments or questions may be sent to Garden Writer, Route 2, Box 880, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

## Insurance ground-rules changing

AUSTIN — Texans who are having trouble finding insurance coverage on residential property or tenant coverage on personal property may find solutions under new rules adopted by the Texas Department of Insurance.

The rules implement 1999 legislation allowing certain homeowners to file residential property insurance applications directly with the Texas Department of Insurance without having to go through agents.

The change improves a 3-year-old residential Market Assistance Program that targets 411 ZIP codes deemed "underserved" for residential insurance.

The ZIP codes include inner-city neighborhoods, rural communities and other areas where home insurance may be hard to buy.

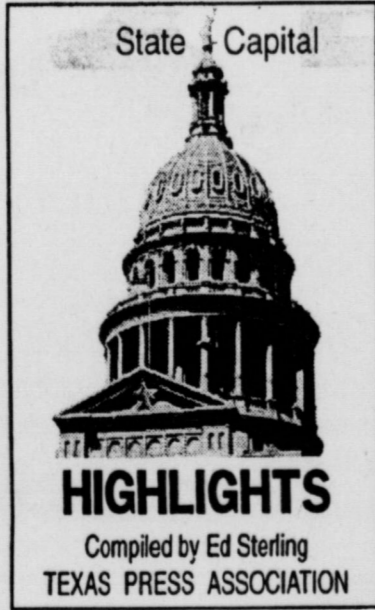
"Home ownership is part of the American dream, but it's difficult for certain Texans to achieve if they can't find residential property insurance in the standard market," Insurance Commissioner José Montemayor said in adopting the new rules.

"The homeowners MAP improves the chances of fulfilling that dream, and now it's easier than ever for consumers to use his program," he said. Call (888, 799-6277) to file an application.

**Jobless rate drops again**  
Unemployment in Texas dropped to a seasonally adjusted rate of 4.5 percent in April, down from 4.6 percent in March, the Texas Workforce Commission has announced.

"This is our lowest April rate since 1979," Workforce Chairwoman Diane Rath said.

Texas employers added 14,800 nonagricultural jobs last month and than 250,000 over



the year, she said.

Gains include 6,500 construction jobs in April and 32,900 over the year.

The lowest unemployment rate in the state's Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas was 1.4 percent in Bryan-College Station, followed by Austin-San Marcos at 1.9, Lubbock at 2.3, Waco at 2.8 and Dallas at 2.9 percent.

The highest unemployment rate was 13 percent in McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, followed by Brownsville-Harlingen-San Benito at 8.76, El Paso at 8.3, Beaumont-Port Arthur at 7.8 and Laredo at 7.1 percent.

**Agreement reached**  
GEICO, a major auto insurer, has agreed to return about \$500,000 deducted from Texas policyholder claims when damaged auto parts were replaced by newer parts.

In February, the Texas attorney general sued 88 other insurance companies, alleging that this practice, called "betterment," is illegal under the Texas auto policy.

GEICO was not sued because the company quickly agreed to change its practices and refund money to policyholders, Attorney General John Cornyn said. GEICO will refund any de-

preciation or betterment deducted, plus interest, to Texas GEICO policyholders who made auto repair claims against GEICO from Jan. 1, 1996, to the present.

The average refund amount, including interest, is estimated to be about \$150. GEICO will mail refunds to eligible policyholders who made a repair claim from Oct 1, 1997, to the present.

GEICO agreed that the settlement would not affect its insurance rates.

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The four members of Muleshoe's TOPS No. 34 honored during the group's June 1 meeting are (left photo, left to right) Joline Franklin and Alma Robertson, KOPS members who "graduated" after keeping their weight down, and the month's best losers (right photo, left to right) Paula Cantrell and Missy Royal.

### June 10 is SPC aid deadline

June 10 is the financial aid priority deadline for students to submit completed applications for the fall 2000 semester at South Plains College in Levelland.

The deadline applies to students seeking grants and to those who have already received a loan to attend the college.

Those who meet this deadline should receive their funds at fall registration, according to Jim Ann Batenhorst, director of financial aid.

Other students still should be able to get financial aid, but it may not be available until after school starts.

More information is available by calling (806) 894-9611, ext. 2412, 2413 or 2411.

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### Little humiliations can grow with each retelling

I got bucked off the other day; alas it was nothing new. I's settin' on a borrowed horse; the rope was old, the bruise is blue.

Thank goodness everyone was there — they never miss a branding. The geezers come to just help out, but nothing too demanding.

They mostly come to catch firsthand some wreck or temperring. I guess I really made their day; I saw they all were smiling.

I'd double-hocked a heifer calf and started for the flankers. But they were backed up, left no time to toss out any anchors.

My dally slipped, she took the slack and started to skidaddle. The rope flipped up across my waist and slicked



## BAXTER BLACK

ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

me off the saddle. Just like I'd rode beneath a tree or hit a power line, I lit and rolled and bounced back up like everything was fine.

The geezers gathered round and asked "Hurt?" "Nope," I lied, "it doesn't." They seemed so disappointed — like they were hurt I wasn't.

But they'd make do. Ya see, the seed of the story was planted. For weeks my rep would be discussed with n'er a mercy granted.

Yes, history was set on

course, no doubt to be rewritten — each time a geezer told the tale. In truth it's only fittin'.

'Cause that's how Pecos Bill was born and Wyatt Earp and others like Pancho Villa, Sitting Bull, Will Pickett and his brothers.

Charles Goodnight, Casey Tibbs, we bid vaya con Dios, all legends in our cowboy world we honor now as heroes.

So my mishap could be the start of my own legacy, that years from now will see great

marble statues carved of me. My picture framed will hang on walls, my likeness carved in leather, my name will be a household word wherever cowboys gather.

But in the meantime I must bear the taunts and jibes that linger of when I bucked off some kid's horse and broke my little finger.

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*Celebrating 70 Years*

As of March 30, 2000, the Muleshoe congregation has been in existence for 70 years. To commemorate this milestone we will have a

**70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY HOMECOMING Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup>**

The schedule for the day is as follows:

9:30 a.m. Royce Clay will teach a combined adult class in the auditorium.

10:20 a.m. Jerry Roberts will preach at the morning worship service followed by a brief history of the congregation by June Wagnon.

Noon Luncheon for all at the Bailey County Coliseum

1:00 p.m. Afternoon Service — lots of singing and a short devotional back at the building. No 6 p.m. service.

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**We're wrestling with the question:**

**WHERE'S YOUR FATHER OF THE YEAR 2000 CONTEST PHOTO?**

For this year's contest, the Muleshoe Journal is looking for a **PHOTOGRAPH** that best depicts why your dad should be our 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...playing with the kids, helping with homework, sleeping in his favorite chair, cooking dinner...etc. All entries will be judged by an unbiased group of persons based on content and originality. A one sentence caption that captures the idea of your photo would be a great addition!

**ALL CONTESTANTS' PICTURES WILL BE PRINTED IN THE FATHER'S DAY EDITION OF THE BAILEY COUNTY JOURNAL ON JUNE 18.**

**DEADLINE TO ENTER IS APPROACHING QUICKLY!**

- Deadline to enter this year's contest is Tuesday, June 13, 2000 at 5 pm.
- Drop your entry photo off at the Muleshoe Journal office, 304 W. 2nd St. or mail your photos to us at P.O. Box 449, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.
- Please include a return address so that pictures can be returned.
- This contest is open to all fathers.
- Need not live in the area to enter.

**Winner of the Muleshoe Journal's 2000 Father of the Year Contest will receive special gifts generously donated by area businesses.**



# Hunter education courses slated during summer

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**

**AUSTIN** — There is no need to wait until just before hunting season to take hunter education classes — Texas Parks and Wildlife offers classes all summer long throughout the state.

Although the hunter education course is not required to purchase a license, all Texas hunters born on or after Sept. 2, 1971, must meet these requirements:

Hunters 17 and older must successfully complete a hunter education course.

Hunters aged 12 to 16 must successfully complete a hunter education course or be accompa-

nied by a licensed hunter 17 or older.

Hunters under 12 must be accompanied by a licensed hunter 17 or older.

The hunter education course is a 10-hour class that teaches hunting safety, skills and responsibility.

When the course is completed, the certification card is good for life and is honored by the 49 states and 10 Canadian provinces that require hunter education. The card must be carried at all times while hunting.

A new program that enables students to take a portion of the

training at home is available in several Texas cities.

The home-study option allows students to study in the convenience of their homes and then attend a one-day, hands-on hunting skills course. This course also meets the mandated hunter-education requirements for Texas and all other states and provinces.

There are three steps to certification under the home-study course. Those interested in the program can contact a testing site to inquire about openings and availability of home-study materials or purchase the materials from participating merchants.

Students will receive a field guide, workbook, outdoor hunting annual and the "Safeguarding Our Heritage" video. The suggested retail price for the materials is \$14.99.

Hunter education home-study course materials are available online (use keywords "texas outdoor life hunters field guide" in the books section) and at all major sporting goods retailers in Texas.

Students who take the course at

home must complete the workbook and attend a one-day classroom and field-exercise course at a scheduled testing session and score at least 80 percent on the written exam.

A \$5 registration fee will be assessed for the one-day class. Students must also complete a one-hour session on hunter responsibility, game laws and ethics, as well as a hunter-skills trail and a live-firing exercise.

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## OBITUARIES

### MAXINE HARRIS

Services were held Monday at the 16th and Avenue D Church of Christ for Maxine Harris, 78, of Muleshoe. Curtis Shelburne officiated. Burial was in Bailey County Cemetery.

Ellis Funeral Homes handled arrangements.

Ms. Harris was born Dec. 21, 1921, in Baca County, Colo. She died June 1 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was a graduate of Muleshoe High School and attended a business school in Amarillo.

She had worked as a secretary, receptionist and an assistant to a doctor in Ann Arbor, Mich. She also began helping on her father's farm while a brother was in the military, and continued working there when the brother returned.

Ms. Harris is survived by two sisters, Faye Alderson of Baker, Ore., and Opal Harris of Lubbock. She was preceded in death by a sister, Bernice Daughtee, and three brothers, Robert Harris, Kenner Harris and Red Harris.

The family suggests memorials to the 16th and Avenue D Church of Christ or the Bailey County Cemetery Association.

### PETRA BASTARDO

Services were held May 30 at La Iglesia de San José in Hereford for Petra Bastardo, 80, of Hereford. The Rev. Adalberto Ramirez was the celebrant. Burial was at Rest Lawn Memorial Park in Hereford.

Rix Funeral Directors of Here-

ford handled arrangements.

Mrs. Bastardo was born Jan. 7, 1920, in Waco. She died May 27 at home.

She married Juan Soto Bastardo on Sept. 22, 1936, in Corpus Christi.

She was a member of La Iglesia de San José and had been employed at Griffin and Brand until her retirement.

Mrs. Bastardo is survived by her husband; five sons, Juan Bastardo Jr. of Richmond, Texas, Robert Bastardo of Muleshoe, Frank Bastardo of Yakima, Wash., Manuel Bastardo of Pueblo, Colo., and Eddie Bastardo of Hereford; three daughters, Olga Deanda of Lubbock, Yolanda Olivarez of Richmond, Texas, and Norma Valdez of Hereford; a sister, Amelia Silva of San Antonio; 19 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

### MIKE WALDEN

Services were held Friday at the Eastside Church of Christ in Morton for Mike Walden, 85, of Morton. Silbano "John" Garcia of Levelland officiated. Burial was in Morton Memorial Cemetery.

Ellis Funeral Homes handled arrangements.

Mr. Walden was born April 15, 1915, in Knox County, Texas. He died May 31 in Lubbock.

He moved to the Morton area in 1929 from Knox County. He married Bertha Garrett in Levelland on Sept. 1, 1940. She died Aug. 22, 1991.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of

World War II, serving with the 300th Engineers. He received a Purple Heart.

He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans and the Church of Christ and had served as a Cochran County commissioner from Precinct 2.

He is survived by two daughters, Patsy Fairchild and Reva Martinez, both of Lubbock; a brother, Gene Walden of Lindrieth, N.M.; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

## NOTICE! City of Muleshoe's Annual SEAL COAT PROJECT

On Thursday and Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, the annual seal coat project will take place in the City of Muleshoe. During this time we would ask that our citizens keep vehicles off the street and also to avoid these areas as much as possible due to the equipment and men working and also the fresh tar on the streets. The following streets will be included in this year's seal coat project:

- |                                                                     |                                                                             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Ave. B.</b> Main to East 6 <sup>th</sup> Street                  | <b>West 2<sup>nd</sup>,</b> Ave. D to Ave. G                                |
| <b>East 3<sup>rd</sup>,</b> Ave. D to Ave. F                        | <b>West 10<sup>th</sup>,</b> Ave. B to Ave. D                               |
| <b>Ave. G,</b> Main to South 1 <sup>st</sup> Street                 | <b>Ave. B,</b> West 12 <sup>th</sup> Street to West 15 <sup>th</sup> Street |
| <b>Ave. I,</b> Main to South 1 <sup>st</sup> Street                 | <b>Ave. C,</b> West 12 <sup>th</sup> Street to West 15 <sup>th</sup> Street |
| <b>Ave. E,</b> East 3 <sup>rd</sup> to West 8 <sup>th</sup> Street  | <b>West 15<sup>th</sup>,</b> American Blvd. to Ave. C                       |
| <b>Ave. F,</b> South 1 <sup>st</sup> to West 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street |                                                                             |

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**Hoopsters members**

Members of the Hoopsters basketball team are (from left) Brittini Torres, Jamie Hall, Kristin Barberi, Veronica Nuñez, Brandi Wood, Kati Brown and Madison Myers. In the back row are coaches Shonda Hill and Landon Black.



**Jaguars members**

Members of the Jaguar basketball team include (from left) Calli Hancock, Cami Jo Vandiver, Christie Reeves, Madison Smith, Karina Acosta, Demetris Gilliam and Hillary Tipps. In the back row are coaches Lyn Vandiver and David Tipps.



**Lady Vipers members**

Members of the Lady Vipers basketball team are (from left) Chelsi Hawkins, Theresa Chávez, Brittany Ambriz, Felicia Glover, Samantha Sterling, Kristina Castorena, Ashley Dickson and Kindra Pruitt. In the back row are coaches Dan Williams and Brenda Hawkins.

**TASP test to be given in Levelland**

The TASP test is scheduled to be given June 17 and July 22 at South Plains College in Levelland.

The test—the Texas Academic Skills Program—is a statewide program required of most students planning to attend public institutions of higher learning.

The test measures entry-level skills in reading, writing and math. It will be given from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. each day in the Student Services wing of the Administration Building.

The fee is \$29, and late fees may apply.

More information is available by calling (806) 894-9611, ext. 2366 or 2368.

**Selling or renting a home presents dilemma**

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

In today's economy, where job changes are commonplace, many homeowners come right up against a difficult decision: Should I rent or should I sell?

It's a real dilemma for homeowners who must take a long-term job assignment away from the home office.

"The renting vs. selling question is really two questions," said Richard Roll, president of American Homeowners Association. "First, is it more financially advantageous to sell or rent? Second, are you prepared to be an absentee landlord?"

To address the financial question, first get an independent appraisal of the home's market value. Independent means finding a certified, professional appraiser and not relying on a real estate agent's opinion.

The homeowner might be surprised by the answer. Many homes have appreciated substantially in recent years, and some could be worth a lot more than the owner expects.

Next, determine the monthly costs of ownership, and compare the costs to the potential income from renting out the home. Add up mortgage costs, insurance, taxes, utilities, maintenance, fees, etc.

Some experts recommend including a vacancy factor of 5 percent to 10 percent of the annual rental income, to account for vacancies between leases or unexpected renter problems.

Next, figure out how much the home will rent for. Go to the rental classifieds in the local newspaper, ask your neighbors, or consult with a rental agency.

If, after subtracting monthly costs from monthly rental income the result is negative, then the home will have a loss (before tax considerations) as a rental property.

If the result is positive, compare that income stream with the short-term financial gains and tax considerations

of selling.

Finally, consider the work and potential aggravation of becoming a landlord.

Would the owner be willing to handle all aspects of the job, or will the house generate enough money to pay a prop-

erty manager to do it?

More information on any aspect of buying or owning a home is available on the Internet at [www.ahahome.com](http://www.ahahome.com), the web site of the American Homeowners Association.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**TEXAS NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
NOTICE OF WATER QUALITY APPLICATION  
PERMIT NO. 10049-001**

**APPLICATION.** City of Muleshoe, 215 S. 1st Street, Muleshoe, Texas 79347, has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for a major amendment to Permit No. 10049-001, to authorize an increase in the daily average flow from 480,000 gallons per day to 580,000 gallons per day. This permit will not authorize a discharge of pollutants into waters in the State. The wastewater treatment facilities and disposal area are located approximately 1.5 miles south of the intersection of State Highway 214 and U.S. Highway 84 in Bailey County, Texas. The plant site and disposal area are located in the drainage basin of Double Mountain Fork Brazos River in Segment No. 1241 of the Brazos River Basin. The Executive Director of the TNRCC has prepared a draft permit which, if approved, will authorize the conditions under which the facility must operate.

**PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING.** Written public comments and requests for public meetings may be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, at the address provided in the information section below, within 30 days of the date of newspaper publication of this notice. A public meeting is intended for the taking of public comment, and is not a contested case hearing. A public meeting will be held if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application.  
**CONTESTED CASE HEARING.** The TNRCC may grant a contested case hearing on this application if a written hearing request is filed within 30 days from the date of newspaper publication of this notice. The Executive Director may approve the application unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 30 days after newspaper publication of this notice.

To request a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) applicant's name and permit number; (3) the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing;" (4) a brief and specific description of how you would be affected by the application in a way not common to the general public; and (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the proposed activity. You may also submit your proposed adjustments to the application/permit which would satisfy your concerns. Requests for a contested case hearing must be submitted in writing to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address provided in the information section below. If a hearing request is filed, the Executive Director will not issue the permit and will forward the application and hearing request to

the TNRCC Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. If a contested case hearing is held, it will be a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.  
**INFORMATION.** Written hearing requests, public comments or request for public meetings may be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087. For information concerning the hearing process contact the Public Interest Counsel, MC 103, the same address. For additional information contact the Office of Public Assistance at 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TNRCC can be found at our web site at [www.tnrcc.state.tx.us](http://www.tnrcc.state.tx.us). Issued the first (1) day of June, 2000. Signed by LaDonna Castañuela, Chief Clerk, Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission. Published in the Muleshoe Journal on June 8, 2000.

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# HONOR ROLL

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**Second** — Stephanie Kirby, Monica Rubalcava and Angelica Salamanca.  
**Third** — Shaelynn Cannon and Brittaney Cuellar.  
**Fourth** — Cenee Hood and Cassie Kirby.  
**Fifth** — Bronson Arington.  
**Sixth** — Caleb Heinrich, Trevor Hood and Cody Kirby.  
**Seventh** — Rigo Rodriguez.  
**Eighth** — Kaylie James.  
**Ninth** — Monica Walker.  
**Tenth** — none.  
**Eleventh** — none.  
**Twelfth** — Beatriz Baeza, Scott Pollard and Rosa Soliz

**"A" Average**  
**First** — Marlene Cantu and Enrique García.  
**Second** — Kyle Drew,

Gabby Estrada, Roberto Martha and Pricilla Pérez.  
**Third** — none.  
**Fourth** — Andrew Campos, Tiffany Davis, Colton Heinrich and Alberto Vironche.  
**Fifth** — Lorenzo López and JR Rodríguez.  
**Sixth** — Mayra Campos, Nathan James and Lauren Layton.  
**Seventh** — Norma Baeza.  
**Eighth** — Katy Cook and Landon Gray.  
**Ninth** — Sammy Castillo, Ashley Layton and Julie Salamanca.  
**Tenth** — Alma Castillo and Ivan Navarro.  
**Eleventh** — Ernesto Navarro, Michael Soliz and April Webb.  
**Twelfth** — Kasey Davis, Monty Kirby, Daniel Reeves, Patty Rodrigues, Robin Tooley and Alberto Valderas.

# HONORS

**COX**  
 James Eldin Cox of Muleshoe is among 1,936 students named to the dean's academic honor list for the spring semester at Baylor University in Waco.  
 Cox is a junior.

**BURCH**  
 Keith Burch, a 1996 graduate of Lazbuddie High School, has received scholarships from both the Texas Tech College of Agri-

cultural Sciences and the Texas Tech Association of Parents to begin work on a master's degree in agronomy.  
 He is the son of Kirby and Vickie Burch of Lazbuddie.

**CLEMENTS**  
 Iris Clements has been named Beall's associate of the quarter for February-April at the Muleshoe store.

The award was presented at a May 20 store meeting.



## Muleshoe Cattle Market

SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2000

834 head of cattle, 123 hogs and 394 sheep and goats for a total of 1,351 animals were sold at the June 3 sale. Market steady on all stocker cfs. Not enough feeder cattle to establish a market. Pairs & Bred cows sold steady to higher with better demand. Packer cows & Bulls steady to a dollar higher.

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**

# REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Seller, City	#	Type	Wt.	CWT or PH
Juan Romero, Portales, NM	4	Hol. Strs	203 lbs.	at \$100.00
Jose Nieto, Portales, NM	2	Hol. Strs	234 lbs.	at \$94.00
Thomas Williams, Plainview	11	Hol. Strs	315 lbs.	at \$91.50
Carmello Rodriguez, Albuquerque	6	Hol. Strs	332 lbs.	at \$92.00
FM Farms, Brownfield	2	Blk. Bulls	190 lbs.	at \$160.00
S&S, Littlefield	3	Mxd. Bulls	210 lbs.	at \$133.00
S&S, Littlefield	3	Mxd. Bulls	267 lbs.	at \$127.00
B&L Farms, Hereford	3	Yell. Strs	305 lbs.	at \$115.00
B&L Farms, Hereford		Char. Str	375 lbs.	at \$111.00
H&B Farms, Seminole	8	Limo. Strs	363 lbs.	at \$111.00
H&B Farms, Seminole	2	Limo. Strs	420 lbs.	at \$106.00
H&B Farms, Seminole		Blk. Str	510 lbs.	at \$93.00
C.E. Grant, Muleshoe	5	Mxd. Bulls	534 lbs.	at \$87.00
Tommy Lewis, Morton	6	Mxd. Bulls	552 lbs.	at \$86.00
Sharon Hill, Amarillo		RMF Hfr	270 lbs.	at \$106.00
S&S, Littlefield	2	Red Hfrs	243 lbs.	at \$119.00
S&S, Littlefield	4	Mxd. Hfrs	351 lbs.	at \$101.00
B&L Farms, Hereford		Char. Hfr	310 lbs.	at \$97.00
Tommy Lewis, Morton	2	Blk. Hfrs	325 lbs.	at \$94.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM		Brin. Hfr	355 lbs.	at \$96.00
Clyde Phillips, Portales, NM		Blk. Pair		\$740.00
Tommy Lewis, Morton	3	Blk. Pair		\$690.00
Harrison & Harrison, Muleshoe	5	Blk. Pair		\$720.00
Pat Demel, Sudan	3	Limo. Pair		\$710.00
Pat Demel, Sudan	3	Limo. Cows P7		\$570.00
JCL, Inc., Sudan	4	BWF Cows P8		\$580.00
FM Farms, Brownfield	2	Mxd. Cows P7		\$510.00
FM Farms, Brownfield	2	Blk. Cows P7		\$540.00
BT Livestock, Morton	2	Limo. Cows	1375 lbs.	at \$46.75
BT Livestock, Morton	2	Limo. Cows	1518 lbs.	at \$46.00
S&S, Littlefield	2	Limo. Cows	1710 lbs.	at \$44.25
Kelly Harrison, Muleshoe		Red Cow	1365 lbs.	at \$43.50
C.E. Grant, Muleshoe		Red Cow	1345 lbs.	at \$43.00
Dink Miller, Floyd, NM		Blk. Cow	1300 lbs.	at \$42.25
Jerry Harrison, Muleshoe		YWF Cow	1110 lbs.	at \$40.50
J.W. Herington, Muleshoe		Blk. Bull	2030 lbs.	at \$52.75

# Journal Classifieds

# STOP & SHOP

Deadlines are 5 p.m. Monday and Thursday

Call 272-4536

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## LEGALS

Muleshoe Independent School District invites interested parties to make proposals for providing health insurance beginning September 1, 2000. Proposals will be received until 1:00 p.m. on June 26, 2000. Proposals should be addressed to Tracy Ray, Business Manager, Muleshoe Independent School District 514 West Ave. G., Muleshoe, TX 79347-3499. Published in the Bailey County and Muleshoe Journal June 4 and 8, 2000.

Lazbuddie is currently seeking health insurance bids for the 2000 - 2001 school year. Quotes must be received by July 21, 2000. Bids will be reviewed and awarded at the regular school board meeting on August 8, 2000. For more information, contact Hardy Carlyle or Sheryl Morris at (806) 965-2156. Lazbuddie I.S.D. school board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Published in the Bailey County Journal June 4 and 11, 2000 and in the Muleshoe Journal June 8 and 15, 2000.

Lazbuddie is currently seeking student/athletic insurance bids for the 2000-2001 school year. Quotes must be received by July 21, 2000. Bids will be reviewed and awarded at the regular school board meeting on August 8, 2000. For more information, contact Hardy Carlyle or Sheryl Morris at (806) 965-2156. Lazbuddie I.S.D. school board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Published in the Muleshoe Journal June 8, 2000

## LEGALS

Muleshoe I.S.D. is accepting proposals for one 24x64 portable double classroom building which will be located at Dillman Elementary. Specifications may be obtained by calling Sam Whalin at (806) 272-7330 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Sealed proposals are due no later than 4 p.m., Tuesday, June 27, 2000. Muleshoe I.S.D. reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids in the best interest of the district. Published in the Muleshoe Journal June 8 and 15, 2000.

Have a Great Day!

## HELP WANTED

COTTON... a Texas tradition Field Unit Supervisor Muleshoe, TX The TX Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation is recruiting for a field unit supervisor with these desirable qualifications: Cotton background, public relations, supervisory skills, strong computer skills. Submit your resume and cover letter to: human Resource Department,

**Make up to \$2,000.00 in 11 days. Looking for Enthusiastic adult to manage a FRANCHISE STORE outside Muleshoe**  
 Call 10 a.m. thru 5 p.m. 1-210-622-3788 or 1-830-429-1408

## HELP WANTED

P.O. Box 5089, (915) 672-2846 ext. 3135, Fax: (915) 677-1006, e m a i l : jobs@txbollweevil.org, w e b s i t e : www.txbollweevil.org, All applicants must possess a valid driver's license and be insurable according to foundation fleet policy. Drug-free/EEO

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**COOKWARE**  
 We stopped doing dinner parties! Have beautiful new 17-piece sets left! Heavy, brilliant surgical stainless steel! 100% waterless! WAS \$1600.00, NOW \$395.00 Lifetime Warranty! 1-800-434-4628

## GARAGE SALE

Garage Sale Thurs. June 8 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. Bar stools, portable sewing machine, Bickly bicycle, small trailer, clothes and more! 1736 W. Ave. D.

**SUPER GARAGE SALE**  
 Quality girl's, boy's, women's and men's clothes, shoes, toys & misc. SATURDAY, JUNE 10 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. From Hwy. 214, at Clay's Corner turn east on FM 145 for 11 miles, located just past Foster Fertilizer. 965-2479 Worth your drive!

## HELP WANTED

**Muleshoe Area HealthCare Center, a 54-bed Medicaid-approved nursing home, has openings for RN, part-time; LVN, full time or part-time; Certified Nurse Aide, full time or part-time.**  
 Contact Terry Brown, DON, 106 West Avenue H, Muleshoe, TX 79347 806-272-7578

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## FOR SALE

**For Sale: EZ-Go Golf Cart with battery charger**  
 Call 272-5404

## SERVICES

See Our Booth at Headquarters Crafts, Watkin's Products, Jelly Bellies, Jelly Beans & Collectables Pam Thomason Pat Lindley

## GARAGE SALE

**HUGE 5 FAMILY GARAGE SALE**  
 Waterbed, yarn, lots of children's clothes & misc. 2 miles West on FM 1760 Saturday June 10 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

## REAL ESTATE

**For Sale By Owner**  
 3/2/2 Brick Home 1200 sq. ft., recent remodel, D/W, range hood, ceiling fans, storm windows & drapes, storage building, large patio w/new cover. \$45,000, by appt. only after 6 p.m. 272-7588

## FOR SALE

**For Sale 177 Acres in CRP. \$250 an Acre.**  
 Phone 806-272-5183

To be moved 1999 Mobile Redman Doublewide. 32' x 52' 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace. Assume loan. Take over payments. Call 505-389-5212 or 806-272-8930

## REAL ESTATE

**Home For Sale**  
 Excellent condition updated Brick Home For Sale in Country Club edition 3-2-2; corner lot, storage shed, Geo-Thermal Heating and Cooling, Plantation Shutters, new fence, sprinkler system. Call: 806-272-5575

**HOUSE FOR SALE**  
 3-2-2 heat pump and fireplace, located on 21 acres at Progress Call 272-3557 or 272-5711

**2 Bedroom House**  
 W. 9th Street 1978 Cadillac Seville Call: 272-3962 or 272-3976

## REAL ESTATE

**For Sale**  
 Very nice 3-3-carport 3100 sq. ft. Richland Hills area Lots of storage, 2 fireplaces, heat pump, playhouse and covered patio. \$86,000 CALL 272-5879

**For Sale**  
 2 Bedroom, 2 Bath 2 Car garage 505 E. Chicago Day: (806) 354-5290 Night: (806) 934-3755 Financing Available

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**RICHLAND HILLS - PARK RIDGE**  
 loading dock, approx. 195 foot frontage. MORE !!! HIGH SCHOOL  
 • NICE 3-2-1 Brick, Elect. Heat Pump, built-ins, nice carpet & drapes, patio, fenced yd., MORE!! \$50's!!! RH-2  
 • LOT 83, PKRDG. - \$2000 OR MAKE OFFER, SEVERAL OTHER NICE LOTS ARE AVAILABLE - CALL FOR MORE INFO!!!  
**HIGHLAND AREA**  
 • VERY NICE 2-1-1 Carport home, nicely remodeled, Cent. Heat, DW, fans, fenced yd., stor. bldg. \$29.5K!!! HL-1  
**LENAU - COUNTRY CLUB AREA**  
 • 2-1-1 Home, Cent. A&H, DW, MORE!! \$29.5K!!! L-3  
 • NICE 3-2-2 Brick, Cent. Heat & Cent. Evap. air, built-ins, FP, fenced yd., stor. bldg.!!! \$40's!!! CC-1  
 • 3-1-1 Home, wall heat, DW, fenced yd., \$20's!! L-5  
 • 2-1-1 Home, Cent. A&H, new carpet, 4 fans, manual splkr., stor. bldg., fenced yd. \$28K!! L-1  
 • VERY NICE 3-2-1 Brick. Elec. Heat Pump, built-ins, fans, fence yd., MORE!!! \$39K!!! L-4  
**COMMERCIAL**  
 • Duplex (2-2 bdrm. 1 bath units) plus 1 (2 or 3 bdrm) for residence or rental. \$30K!!!  
 • R.V./Mobile Home Park on 2.95 acres, home, office, 3 M.H. units. LET'S LOOK TODAY!!  
 • APPROX. 4,800' shop plus 600' office area on a 60' x 130' lot!!! PRICE REDUCE!! 40K!!!  
 • 246' x 145' tract, Hwy. 84, \$29.5K!!  
 • VERY NICE 51 UNIT MOTEL, Priced to sell!!! Call for details!!!  
 • NICE 26 UNIT MOTEL, Priced to Sell!!! Call for details!!!  
 • 56' x 140' tract, approx. 4700' bldg., \$35K!!!  
 • GOOD INCOME PROPERTY - approx. 3490' bldg., paved parking, good net lease!! PRICED TO SELL!!  
 • Established Business: Land, Bldg. & Equip., \$75K!!  
 • Nice Building with approximately 15,450 sq. ft. of shop area plus approx. 1,044 sq. ft. office (Dual Fuel Heat Pump for Office), 6 station phone system, restrooms (1 w/shower),  
 • PLEASANT VALLEY, Approx. 320 acres, 2 bdrm home, 1 bath, 2 car detached garage, on pavement!!!  
 • 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!  
 • Approx. 108 acres on Hwy. 70, approx. 2100' office area, 16,900' of commercial bldg. w/loading dock, 3,400' warehouse!! 2,800' runway!!  
 • FIX UP 3-2-2 Carpet Home & 2-1-1 Home on 20 acre tract, 50' x 150' shed, 54' x 80' sheet metal barn, MORE!!! \$55K!!!  
 • EARTH - (Hite Park Add.), 3 bdrm. 2 bath!!! Call for Details!!  
 • 2-2-2 Carport Mobile Home on 1.997 acres on pavement close to town, attached storage bldg. plus 45' x 74' barn, pens, & fenced pasture!!! \$30K!!  
 • 3-2-1 Home, Cent. A&H, built-ins, fenced yd., man, splkr., 300' stor. on .84 acre on pavement, edge of town !! \$40's!!!



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## MEAT

PILGRIM'S PRIDE <b>WHOLE FRYERS</b> .....	LB	<b>57¢</b>
SPLIT OR WHOLE RAW <b>B.B.Q. SEASONED FRYERS</b> .....	LB	<b>77¢</b>
X-TRA SAVINGS PAK BONELESS <b>CHICKEN TENDERLOIN</b> .....	LB	<b>\$2<sup>39</sup></b>
X-TRA SAVINGS PAK WITH VEGETABLES <b>MARINATED BEEF FOR FAJITAS</b> .....	LB	<b>\$3<sup>59</sup></b>
CLAUDE'S MARKET TRIMMED <b>MARINATED BEEF BRISKET</b> ...	LB	<b>\$2<sup>29</sup></b>
X-TRA SAVINGS PAK BONELESS BEEF <b>CHUCK STEAKS</b> .....	LB	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
X-TRA SAVINGS PAK BONELESS BEEF <b>GROUND CHUCK</b> .....	LB	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
SMALL PACK BONELESS BEEF <b>CHUCK ROAST</b> .....	LB	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
SMALL PACK BONELESS BEEF <b>CALIFORNIA ROAST</b> .....	LB	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
BAR S ALL BEEF <b>HAMBURGER PATTIES</b> .....	3 LB. PKG	<b>\$5<sup>79</sup></b>
THICK CUT BONELESS <b>PORK LOIN CHOPS</b> .....	LB	<b>\$3<sup>39</sup></b>
WHOLE <b>TILAPIA FISH</b> .....	LB	<b>\$1<sup>49</sup></b>
COOK'S SMOKED PORK SHOULDER <b>PICNIC HAM</b> .....	LB	<b>67¢</b>
PEYTON'S <b>MEAT BOLOGNA</b> .....	16 OZ. PKG	<b>97¢</b>
ECKRICH FAMILY PACK <b>BOLOGNA</b> .....	16 OZ. PKG	<b>3/<sup>54</sup></b>
BUTTERBALL ASSTD. FAMILY PACK <b>SLICED TURKEY</b> .....	16 OZ. PKG	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
BUTTERBALL SLICE & SERVE <b>TURKEY</b> .....	LB	<b>\$3<sup>79</sup></b>
BAR S <b>CHOPPED HAM</b> .....	10 OZ.	<b>2/<sup>53</sup></b>
BAR S <b>COOKED HAM</b> .....	10 OZ.	<b>\$1<sup>89</sup></b>
ECKRICH <b>SMOKED SAUSAGE</b> .....	3 LB. PKG	<b>\$5<sup>59</sup></b>
ECKRICH ASSTD. <b>SMOKED SAUSAGE</b> .....	16 OZ. PKG	<b>\$2<sup>19</sup></b>
HEALTHY CHOICE ASSTD. COOKED HAM, SLICED TURKEY OR CHICKEN <b>LUNCH MEAT</b> .....	10 OZ. PKG	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
SWIFT PREMIUM <b>BROWN 'N SERVE LINKS</b> ..	7 OZ. PKG	<b>89¢</b>
SWIFT PREMIUM <b>SAUSAGE 'N BISCUITS</b> ....	4 CT. PKG	<b>99¢</b>
ECKRICH ASSTD. <b>LUNCH MAKERS FUN KITS</b> .....	11.6-12.3 OZ.	<b>3/<sup>55</sup></b>

LAY'S® ASSTD. <b>POTATO CHIPS</b> .....	PRE-PRICED \$2.99	<b>3/<sup>55</sup></b>
NABISCO ASSTD. <b>FRUIT NEWTONS</b> .....	11-16 OZ.	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
K.C. MASTERPIECE ORI. OR HICKORY <b>BARBECUE SAUCE</b> .....	18 OZ. BTL	<b>2/<sup>53</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>RANCH STYLE BEANS</b> .....	26 OZ.	<b>79¢</b>
ASSTD. WITH MEAT <b>CHEF BOYARDEE</b> .....	14.7-15 OZ. CAN	<b>99¢</b>
FRUIT PUNCH, GRAPE, ORANGE OR BOPPIN' BERRY <b>HI-C DRINKS</b> .....	64 OZ. BTL	<b>3/<sup>55</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>PRINGLES</b> .....	6-7 OZ. CAN	<b>4/<sup>55</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>CRYSTAL LIGHT</b> .....	MAKES 6-8 QTS.	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>KOOL-AID BURST</b> .....	6 PK.-6.75 OZ.	<b>2/<sup>53</sup></b>
ASSORTED 10 PACK <b>CAPRISUN OR TANG</b> .....	6.7 OZ.	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
SUGAR FREE PKG. <b>KOOL-AID OR CAPRISUN</b> .....	MAKES 6-8 QTS.	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>JELL-O NO BAKE</b> .....	12.8-21 OZ.	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
ASSTD. REG., INSTANT OR SUGAR FREE INSTANT <b>JELL-O PUDDING</b> .....	1-3.9 OZ. PKG	<b>3/<sup>52</sup></b>
ASSTD. .3 OZ. SUGAR FREE TO 3 OZ. REG. <b>JELL-O GELATIN</b> .....	YOUR CHOICE	<b>2/<sup>51</sup></b>
• 12 OZ. GRAPENUTS O'S • 16 OZ. HONEY BUNCHES OF OATS REG. OR ALMONDS • 24 OZ. GRAPENUTS • 18 OZ. GRAPENUTS FLAKES • 20 OZ. RAISIN BRAN <b>POST CEREAL</b> .....	YOUR CHOICE	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
LOWE'S <b>SOFT DRINKS</b> .....	12 PACK CANS	<b>3/<sup>55</sup></b>
ALL VARIETIES <b>PEPSI, DIET PEPSI OR MOUNTAIN DEW</b> .....	12 PK. CANS	<b>\$2<sup>69</sup></b>
ALL VARIETIES <b>PEPSI, DIET PEPSI OR MOUNTAIN DEW</b> ..	6 PK.-24 OZ. BTLs	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>

## FROZEN & DAIRY

DAISY ASSTD. <b>SOUR CREAM</b> .....	16 OZ. TUB	<b>\$1<sup>29</sup></b>
REGULAR QUARTERS OR LIGHT/REGULAR SPREAD <b>BLUE BONNET</b> .....	16 OZ. TUB/BOX	<b>2/<sup>51</sup></b>
STRAWBERRY BREEZE, GRAPE JUICE OR WHITE GRAPE/PEACH <b>WELCH'S JUICE</b> .....	64 OZ. CTN	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
SUNNY DELIGHT ASSTD. <b>CITRUS PUNCH</b> .....	64 OZ. BTL	<b>99¢</b>
COOL WHIP ASSTD. <b>WHIPPED TOPPING</b> .....	8 OZ. TUB	<b>99¢</b>
ORIGINAL OR STRAWBERRY <b>CHEESECAKE SNACKS</b> .....	4 PACK	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
KRAFT ASSTD. PUDDING OR GELS <b>HANDI SNACKS</b> .....	4 PK.-3.5 OZ.	<b>4/<sup>55</sup></b>
JELL-O ASSTD. <b>PUDDING OR GELATIN SNACKS</b> .....	6 PACK	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
ORIGINAL <b>RED BARON 12" PIZZAS</b> ..	21-25 OZ.	<b>2/<sup>57</sup></b>
ASSTD. <b>DIGIORNO 12" PIZZAS</b> .....	29-35 OZ.	<b>\$4<sup>99</sup></b>
BIRDS EYE ASSTD. <b>STIR FRY OR BROCCOLI BLENDS</b> .....	16 OZ. PKG	<b>2/<sup>53</sup></b>

PILLSBURY ASSTD. <b>TOASTER STRUDEL OR TOASTER SCRAMBLES</b> ...	10-11.5 OZ.	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>SWANSON DINNERS</b> .....	9.5-11.5 OZ.	<b>2/<sup>54</sup></b>
KRAFT ASSTD. <b>CHUNK CHEESES</b> .....	8 OZ. PKG	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
KRAFT SLICES <b>DELI DELUXE CHEESE</b> .....	16 OZ.	<b>\$3<sup>59</sup></b>
KRAFT STACK PACK-PRE-PRICED \$2.99 <b>AMERICAN SINGLES</b> .....	16 OZ.	<b>\$2<sup>89</sup></b>
TROPICANA PURE PREMIUM ASSTD. <b>ORANGE JUICE</b> .....	64 OZ. CTN	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
PLAIN <b>SNACK ATTACK MILK</b> .....	QT. BTL	<b>99¢</b>
PLAIN ASSTD. <b>PARTY DIP</b> .....	8 OZ.	<b>99¢</b>
BLUE BELL REG. OR COOKIES & CREAM <b>ICE CREAM SANDWICHES</b> ..	12 CT. PKG	<b>2/<sup>56</sup></b>
BLUE BELL ASSTD. <b>ICE CREAM</b> .....	1/2 GALLON	<b>2/<sup>56</sup></b>

## PRODUCE

LARGE SIZE SWEET <b>CANTALOUPE</b> .....	EACH	<b>77¢</b>
RED RIPE CALIFORNIA <b>STRAWBERRIES</b> .....	2 LB. PKG	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
EXTRA FANCY WASHINGTON <b>GRANNY SMITH APPLES</b> .....	LB	<b>77¢</b>
JEWEL GREEN <b>LIMES</b> .....		<b>12/<sup>51</sup></b>
FRESH <b>RADISHES</b> .....	BUNCHES	<b>2/<sup>51</sup></b>
GREEN GIANT PREMIUM <b>BAKING POTATOES</b> .....	LBS.	<b>3/<sup>51</sup></b>
SWEET <b>YELLOW CORN</b> .....	EARS	<b>4/<sup>51</sup></b>
FIRM GREEN <b>CABBAGE</b> .....	LBS.	<b>5/<sup>51</sup></b>
MILD MEDIUM <b>YELLOW ONIONS</b> .....	LBS.	<b>4/<sup>51</sup></b>
LARGE STALK <b>CELERY</b> .....		<b>2/<sup>51</sup></b>
RED RIPE <b>CHERRY TOMATOES</b> .....	PINT	<b>99¢</b>

FRISKIES ASSTD. <b>CAT FOOD</b> .....	5.5 OZ. CAN	<b>3/<sup>99</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>CRISCO OIL</b> .....	48 OZ. BTL	<b>3/<sup>55</sup></b>
LOWE'S WHITE SANDWICH <b>BREAD</b> .....	24 OZ. LOAF	<b>2/<sup>51</sup></b>
IMPERIAL <b>SUGAR</b> .....	4 LB. BAG	<b>2/<sup>53</sup></b>
LOWE'S <b>DRINKING WATER</b> .....	GALLON	<b>2/<sup>51</sup></b>
ASSTD. GRINDS-EXCLUDES DECAF. <b>FOLGERS COFFEE</b> ....	11.5-13 OZ. CAN	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
BERTOLLI <b>OLIVE OIL</b> .....	17 OZ. BTL	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
SHURFINE <b>CLOVER HONEY</b> .....	32 OZ. BTL	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
BEST MAID ORIGINAL OR KOSHER <b>BABY DILL PICKLES</b> .....	22 OZ. JAR	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
VAN CAMP'S <b>PORK AND BEANS</b> .....	15 OZ. CAN	<b>2/<sup>51</sup></b>
KRAFT ASSTD. <b>SALAD DRESSING</b> .....	8 OZ. BTL	<b>4/<sup>55</sup></b>
TOMATO OR VEGETABLE OR VEGETARIAN VEGETABLE <b>SHURFINE SOUP</b> .....	10.75 OZ. CAN	<b>3/<sup>52</sup></b>
LOG CABIN COUNTRY KITCHEN <b>SYRUP</b> .....	36 OZ. BTL	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
HUNGRY JACK COMPLETE LITE/ BUTTERMILK OR BUTTERMILK <b>PANCAKE MIX</b> .....	32 OZ. BOX	<b>\$1<sup>79</sup></b>
TOSTITOS® <b>CON QUESO DIP</b> .....	15.5 OZ. JAR	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>

## HEALTH & BEAUTY

ALWAYS ASSTD. <b>PADS OR PANTILINERS</b> ..	16-36 CT. PKG	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
REGULAR ORIGINAL OR SUPER <b>TAMPAX TAMPONS</b> .....	20 CT. PKG	<b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b>
ASSORTED SOLID ANTIPERSPIRANT <b>OLD SPICE, SECRET OR SURE</b> .....	1.6-2.25 OZ.	<b>3/<sup>55</sup></b>
ASSORTED 4 CT. IVORY, 3 CT. ZEST OR 3 CT. SAFEGUARD <b>BATH SOAP</b> .....	YOUR CHOICE	<b>2/<sup>54</sup></b>
ORIGINAL, MINT, PEPPERMINT OR SMOOTH MINT <b>SCOPE MOUTHWASH</b> .....	33 OZ. BTL	<b>\$3<sup>97</sup></b>
PANTENE PRO-V ASSTD. <b>SHAMPOO OR CONDITIONER</b> .....	10.2-13. OZ. BTL	<b>\$2<sup>87</sup></b>
CREST ASSTD. <b>TOOTHPASTE</b> .....	6.4 OZ. TUBE	<b>2/<sup>54</sup></b>
MEDIUM OR SOFT ANGLE LARGE <b>CREST TOOTHBRUSH</b> .....	EACH	<b>\$1<sup>97</sup></b>
ASSTD. 92 OZ. ULTRA 2 POWDER • 100 OZ. ULTRA LIQUID <b>TIDE DETERGENT</b> .....	YOUR CHOICE	<b>\$5<sup>99</sup></b>
LAVENDER OR LEMON <b>FESTIVAL CLEANER</b> .....	33.8 OZ.	<b>\$1<sup>19</sup></b>
CLOREAL <b>BLEACH</b> .....	128 OZ. JUG	<b>99¢</b>
50 OZ. LEMON LIQUI GEL OR 45 OZ. REGULAR/LEMON POWDERED <b>CASCADE</b> .....	YOUR CHOICE	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
POWDERED OR GEL <b>CASCADE COMPLETE</b> .....	45 OZ.	<b>2/<sup>57</sup></b>
ASSORTED <b>DOWNY ULTRA</b> .....	40 OZ. BTL	<b>\$4<sup>69</sup></b>
ASSTD. DOWNY <b>PREMIUM CARE</b> .....	40 OZ. BTL	<b>\$5<sup>99</sup></b>
ASSTD. <b>DAWN ULTRA LIQUID</b> .....	25-28 OZ.	<b>2/<sup>55</sup></b>
REG. OR GENTLE BREEZE <b>BOUNCE SHEETS</b> .....	40 CT. PKG	<b>\$2<sup>19</sup></b>
CHARMIN <b>BATH TISSUE</b> .....	24 CT. PKG	<b>\$5<sup>99</sup></b>
PUFFS DESIGN OR REGULAR <b>FACIAL TISSUE</b> .....	128 CT. OR 136 CT.	<b>99¢</b>
BOUNTY WHITE <b>PAPER TOWELS</b> .....	8 ROLL PKG	<b>\$7<sup>77</sup></b>
ASSORTED SIZE 1-6 <b>LUVS DIAPERS</b> .....	18-34 CT. PKG	<b>\$4<sup>99</sup></b>
• 5 CT.-14 OZ. • 5 CT.-20 OZ. • 5 CT.-32 OZ. • 4 CT.-24 OZ. QT. FREEZER • 25 CT.-QT. FREEZER • 20 CT.-GAL STORAGE <b>ZIPLOC CONTAINERS</b> ..	YOUR CHOICE	<b>\$2<sup>29</sup></b>
• 20 CT.-PINT FREEZER • 15 CT.-GAL. FREEZER • 20 CT.- QT. FREEZER • 25 CT.-QT. FREEZER • 20 CT.-GAL STORAGE <b>ZIPLOC BAGS</b> .....	YOUR CHOICE	<b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b>
• 20 CT.-16 OZ. • 15 CT.-9" <b>SOLO PARTY PLATES OR CUPS</b> .....	YOUR CHOICE	<b>2/<sup>53</sup></b>
MESQUITE OR REGULAR <b>MATCH LIGHT CHARCOAL</b> .....	8 LB	<b>\$3<sup>99</sup></b>
ASSORTED KEN-L-RATION, CYCLE 1-4 OR SKIPPY <b>DOG FOOD</b> .....	13.2 OZ. CAN	<b>3/<sup>99</sup></b>

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