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#### PAGE ONE

A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

#### It's a dry Oktoberfest

Cullman, Ala., is proud of its strong German heritage, and it celebrates Oktoberfest in many of the usual ways from wearing lederhosen to eating bratwurst.

But root beer is about the only liquid flowing from kegs because the city and county have been dry for decades.

The lack of beer bothers some Oktoberfest revelers. Connie Haynes compared a beerless Oktoberfest to a Fourth of July without fireworks.

First held in Oct. 17, 1810, in Munich, Oktoberfest began as a wedding feast for the prince and princess of Bavaria. Today, 6 million visitors flood Munich for Oktoberfest and guzzle 5 million liters of beer.

#### Officials upset over cover

The student directory at Samford University in Birmingham, Ala., is called Faces, but the new issue has generated a buzz because of other body parts.

The cover features a mosaic of hundreds of tiny images of nudes and sexual acts.

The Baptist-affiliated school distributed thousands of the directories. Sharp-eyed students informed school officials that the cover mosaic contained "pornography."

The cover's designer, senior graphic design major David Carrigan, said he took the uncopyrighted mosaic from a web site and blurred the images with a computer.

Carrigan apologized for the mosaic. School officials have said they would discpline Carrigan but do not plan to recall the book.

#### Basic crime, punishment

Jamie Vannostram, 22, got off light for obstruction of justice by writing — 100 times — "I will not lie to the police."

"It was stupid," said Vannostram, arrested when the father of her three children wanted by police — was found in her attic.

Her sentence of 15 hours' community service was reduced by writing the lines.



Drawing date: Saturday, Oct. 21 Winning numbers: 2-4-22-29-31-32 Estimated jackpot: \$14 million Winners: 0

Next drawing: Wednesday, Oct. 25 Estimated jackpot: \$18 million

#### On this date in history

Oct. 28 — Fort Chadbourne is established (1852) on Oak Creek, 30 miles above its junction with the Colorado River on the Texas frontier, and

it is occupied intermittently until December 1867. Oct. 29 — Texans and most of the nation end Daylight Saving Time until next spring.

Also on Oct. 29 (1806), the Neutral Ground Agreement is reached between Mexican administrators Antonio Cordero y Bustamante and Simón Herrera and U.S. Gen. James Wilkinson.

#### LOCAL WEATHER

Expect more scattered showers at least through Thursday, but with much colder nighttime temperatures - possibly dropping below 30 Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings. Sunday morning should be about 32 and Monday about 43. Daytime temperatures can be expected to reach into the 60s until Monday, which may not get above 60.

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## Muleshoe vs. Shallowater looks like title match

By DAVID STEVENS

**Southwest News Services** 

The magic number is one: One more win and the Muleshoe Mules and the Shallowater Mustangs are in the playoffs. One more loss and Littlefield and Dimmitt are all but mathematically eliminated from the postseason hunt.

The District 2-3A high school football race enters its third weekend Friday with all six teams still contending for three postseason berths. But the elimination rounds are about to begin, with Dimmitt and Littlefield nearest to the edge of the proverbial cliff.

This week's spotlight game will take place in Shallowater, where the league championship probably will be decided. Both the Mustangs and the Mules are 2-0 in district play.

"Shallowater has a lot of weapons, and they are very quick on defense," Muleshoe coach David Wood said. "They play an eight-man defensive front and they swarm you.

"It's hard to say if they're the best team we've played until we get on the field with them, but on film they look good," he added. "It's definitely the game of the year for us — it's for the district championship, and both teams know it."

But the pressure also will be on in Littlefield, where the Wildcats take on Lubbock Roosevelt. The loser can pretty much air up the basketballs.

Despite the uphill climb, Littlefield coach Lewis Boomer is hopeful.

"I don't think there's any doubt we've played our best ballgames the last two weeks," he said. "It may sound unreal, but we had an opportunity to win both of those games. We had our opportunities, but just made too many mistakes going down the final stretch."

Littlefield, 3-4 for the season and 0-2 in district play, did score a moral victory in last week's 36-26 loss to Muleshoe. When Theo Watson scored from a yard out to give the 'Cats a 26-22 lead in the third quarter, it marked the first time all season that the Mules have trailed an opponent.

Muleshoe regained the lead early in the fourth quarter on a 73-yard run by Danny Ramírez to avoid the upset.

"We're disappointed, but we knew we were really outgunned," Boomer said of his team's district losses to Muleshoe and Lubock Cooper. "Now we feel like we've got the opportunity to bounce back.

"We've had a lot of injuries - very little depth and a lot of injuries. We've been playing guys that have just come up from the junior varsity. Those guys have two games' experience now (at the varsity level), and so we feel like we can still make improvements," he said. **DISTRICT NOTES** 

Muleshoe's Danny Ramírez is not the fastest back in the district, but he continues to make big plays and has a chance to accumulate more than 1,500 yards rushing this season.

"His quickness in hitting the hole is what's amazing," Wood said. "He can't hardly outrun anybody once he gets open, but how quick he hits the hole is impressive.

Ramírez has rushed for 1,175 yards with 14 touchdowns on 122 carries. He also leads the team with eight receptions, good for another 161 yards and two touchdowns.

Littlefield could conceivably lose another game and make the playoffs, but such a scenario seems unlikely. No matter what, the 'Cats must beat Lubbock Cooper on the final Friday of the season, and they must beat Lubbock Roosevelt this weekend.

If Cooper loses to Dimmitt this week and also

loses to Shallowater next week, then Littlefield could sneak into the playoffs even if it loses to Dimmitt on Nov. 3.

Cooper, however, will be heavily favored to beat the winless Bobcats on Friday, so Littlefield's only realistic dream involves three straight wins.

David Stevens can be contacted at (806) 467-1312. His e-mail address is swnews@tcac.net. LAST WEEK'S SCORES

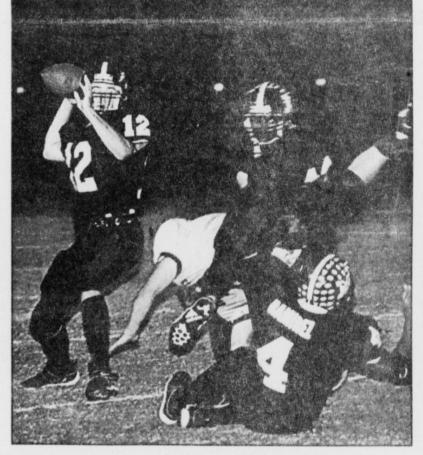
Shallowater 33, Dimmitt 8; Muleshoe 36, Littlefield 26; Lubbock Cooper 49, Lubbock Roosevelt 21. THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Friday: Dimmitt at Lubbock Cooper, Lubbock Roosevelt at Littlefield, Muleshoe at Shallowater.



Courtesy photos: Mike Hahn

Tommy Barrera, honored by the Athletic Booster Club as offensive player of the week against Lubbock Cooper, demonstrates some defensive prowess (above) Friday against Littlefield. At right, Lincoln Riley - one of Muleshoe's revolving quarterbacks - prepares to launch the ball as a Wildcat tumbles. Muleshoe escaped with a 36-26 victory over its old rival, but not before the game went down in history as one of the most exciting played locally in anyone's memory. The Mule schedule includes road games to Shallowater (on Friday) and Lubbock Rooseveit, ending with a home game against Dimmitt at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 10. The Mules are now 7-0 on the season, 2-0 in district.



## **Runners place at South Plains**

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Both the Mule and Lady Mule varsity cross country teams placed fourth among Class 3A schools Oct. 21 at the South Plains College cross country meet in Levelland.

The junior varsity girls had to compete against all classes and came in third behind Amarillo High and Wolfforth Frenship.

The JV girls from district rival Shallowater came in fourth behind Muleshoe.

Muleshoe's top finisher on any team was Kyle Atwood, who took a medal as third-place finisher in the varsity boys' division.

Sarah Sheets was the JV girls' only medalist, finishing 14th.

Other finishers for the varsity boys were Eric Villa, 21st; Matt López, 26th; Chris Peña, 27th; A.J. Flores,

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#### Hospital district to run Farwell clinic

trict board of directors voted Oct. 19 to begin negotiating on assuming operation of the Farwell Medical Clinic.

Administrator Jim Bone said Monday that the negotiations would determine how the district and the Farwell Hospital District would deal with the clinic's equipment and the building.

He said the Muleshoe district hopes to be operating the

The Muleshoe Hospital Dis- Farwell facility by mid-November.

> At the same time, the district will be working on having the clinic designated by the state as a Rural Health Clinic, making it eligible for more state funding.

> Dr. Kyle Sheets, who grew up in Farwell and recently relocated to Muleshoe, has expressed interest in spending some of his office hours at the

## School district to take donation of Main Street facility

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

The Muleshoe School Board voted Monday night to accept the donation of a facility at 224 Main Street, part of which already houses the district's Alternative Education Program.

Superintendent Gene Sheets recommended that the board accept the donation, since the district had no space available into which it could movethe Alternative Education Program.

The current owners, John Crow and Patrick Crow, both of San Antonio, asked only that the district pay the closing costs plus half the title fee on the real estate transaction. They made their offer in a letter dated Oct. 5 and addressed to Adrian Meador, assistant superintendent for education.

Current taxes were to be divided between the parties at the time of closing on the deal.

In other business Monday, the board:

- Reappointed David Tipps as the district's representative on the Bailey Central Appraisal Board;
- Passed a resolution endorsing the concept of a statewide group health plan for school employees;
- · Heard from Sheets that the district's enrollment is about 20 students above that on the compa-

rable date last year and 40 above 1998-99. "That's really bucking the trend among schools in West Texas," he said; and

· Discussed the possibility of redistricting board seats as a result of the 2000 census, based on figures to be released in March, but Sheets said that if Muleshoe has to redistrict, it won't be done until next year because the local district's election date falls too early to do it now.

#### AROUND MULESHOE

#### Band advances to area competition

The Muleshoe High School Mighty 'M' Band earned a rating of I — the highest awarded — in University Interscholastic League marching competition Saturday at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

That earned the band a spot at the area competition this coming Saturday at the same location. Muleshoe is scheduled to march at 12:45 p.m. in Dick Bivins Stadium, according to information supplied by Muleshoe Superintendent Gene Sheets.

High school principal Dave Jenkins said Monday night that the band's performance last weekend earned a I rating from all the judges, which is unusual, and that this is the first time in several years for the band to advance to the area marching competition.

#### Oklahoma Lane reunion planned

This year's date for the bi-annual Oklahoma Lane reunion is Nov. 24.

The event will be held in the former school, now the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church. Registration will begin at 9 a.m., with coffee being served. Lunch will be catered at noon, with a cost of about \$6.

Those who plan to eat lunch are asked to notify the reunion organizers beforehand (so the caterers can plan the amount of food needed) by calling Harold and Avis Carpenter at (806) 825-2176 or by writing either them at Route 1, Box 42, Farwell 79325, or Lois Billingsley, Route 1, Box 101, Farwell 79325.

Anyone having old pictures they would be willing to display is asked to bring them.

#### Country Christian concert scheduled

The First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe has scheduled a country-western Christian concert for 7 p.m. Nov. 12 in the church sanctuary.

Performing will be Jim Fullingim, an active layperson who has had concerts in many churches and prisons.

There will be no admission charge, but an offering will be

Samples of Fullingim's music can be heard on Channel 17.

#### Lazbuddie juniors plan game-day meal

The Lazbuddie High School junior class has scheduled a brisket meal to be served in the school cafeteria before and after

the Longhorns' Oct. 27 football game with Three Way.

Pre-game service will begin at 5:30 p.m., with game time scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

The cost will be \$6 and \$4.50 per plate, with the menu consisting of brisket, baked potato, tossed salad, red beans, homemade rolls and homemade dessert.

#### Rebekahs to sponsor skate nights

Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge No. 114 will sponsor skating (weather permitting) from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on several nights at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Remaining dates scheduled are Nov. 17 and Dec. 1.

Skaters can bring their own skates or rent them at \$1 a pair (first come, first served).

#### Public calendar

Oct. 26 — 4 p.m. Muleshoe Theta Rho Girls' Club, 308 W. Second.

7:30 p.m. Muleshoe Odd Fellows Lodge, 308 W. Second St. Oct. 27—10 a.m. — Bailey County Commissioners' Court, in the commission room at the courthouse.

4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. New computers to be demonstrated at Muleshoe Area Public Library.

Oct. 28—6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Muleshoe PTA's annual fall festival, at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Oct. 28-29 — Muleshoe American Legion Post 403 hosting District 19 convention. Information, Jerry Bruton at 272-4122. Oct. 30 — 7:30 Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club, in the science room at the high school.

Oct. 31 — 4:30 to 5 p.m. Muleshoe Area Public Library's Halloween costume party for children, in the meeting room at the library.

5:30 p.m. Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce's Halloween costume contest, with prizes for three age categories, on the deck at the Mule Lot.

5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. New Covenant Church's third annual Noah's Ark Fling, at the Bailey County Coliseum:

7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. First Baptist Church's Harvest Fest 2000, in the church's activity center at 219 E. Avenue B.

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.

## Public asked to watch for rare cranes during migration

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL AUSTIN — Endangered whooping cranes have begun their annual trek to winter

haunts on the Texas coast.

Biologists report that up to 197 whoopers, including 11 chicks, left the summer nesting grounds in northwest Canada in late September and October.

From late October through late November, whooping cranes usually pass through a corridor in Texas that extends from the Panhandle east to Dallas-Fort Worth and south to wintering grounds on the central Texas coast.

Texans are asked to be on the lookout for these rare birds and report sightings to Texas Parks and Wildlife or the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Biologists monitor the migration to gather population data.

Some 186 whooping cranes — 169 adults and 17 young spent the 1999-2000 winter on the mid-Texas coast on and near the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge just north of Rockport.

Although a record 50 whooping crane nests were counted on the breeding grounds in Wood Buffalo National Park in Canada this year, chick survival was below normal. Only 11 chicks were found during an August survey.

Texas plays an important role in the conservation of whooping cranes, according to Parks and Wildlife biologist Lee Ann Linam.

Linam said researchers have looked for ways to bring the majestic bird back in other areas, but none have succeeded.

A reintroduction experiment in the Rocky Mountain region used sandhill cranes to "foster" whooper chicks but did not establish a new whooping crane population there. Research on re-introduction techniques continues in the region, Linam said.

Last spring, a pair of captivebred whoopers introduced into central Florida as part of a nonmigratory population produced two chicks that survived for a few weeks.

According to Linam, the chicks were the first whoopers hatched in the wild in the United States in 60 years.

Whooping cranes are the tallest birds in North America, standing more than 4 feet high.

They are solid white except for black wing tips visible only in flight.

Anyone sighting a whooping crane is asked to report it to Texas Parks and Wildlife at (800) 792-1112 or (512) 847-9480. Sightings also can be reported via e-mail tx.com).

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### **NOVA**

"Holocaust on Trial"

For more than three months in early 2000, British historian David Irving prosecuted a one-man libel action against American academic Deborah Lipstadt and her publisher for a book that labeled him a Holocaust denier.

Nova covers Irving's notorious suit in British court, a suit that questioned the very reality of the most horrific and well-documented tragedy of the 20th century. "Holocaust on Trial" dramatizes key exchanges from the trial, which ended in a humiliating judgment against Irving. Interwoven with the proceedings are interviews with historians, as well as archival footage showing the relentless progress of the Nazis' war against the Jews.

Irving is a Hitler biographer and researcher on Nazi Germany whose controversial books claim that there was no systematic plan to exterminate the Jews, that there is no proof that Hitler ordered a policy of extermination, and that no Jews were killed in gas chambers at Auschwitz. In her book Denying the Holocaust, Lipstadt labels Irving "one of the

most dangerous" of the self-styled revisionist historians of the Holocaust. 'Familiar with historical evidence," she writes, "he bends it until it conforms with his ideological leanings and political agenda.' Led by elite trial lawyer Richard Rampton, Lipstadt's defense sought

to demonstrate that Irving had deliberately manipulated and falsified

Nova "Holocaust on Trial" airs Tuesday, October 31st at 8:00 p.m. It repeats Saturday, November 4th at 10:00 p.m. and Sunday, November 5th at 1:00 a.m.

#### **FRONTLINE** "Juvenile Justice"

Should children who commit serious crimes be tried as juveniles or adults? What happens to young offenders who reach the "end of the line" in the juvenile court system, and how do you rehabilitate such children to prevent future criminal behavior?

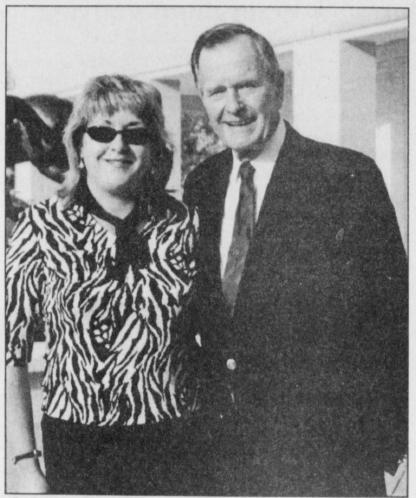
Frontline's one-hour report on "Juvenile Justice" explores these questions as it follows four juvenile offenders—one white, two Hispanic, and one African American—through the Santa Clara, California, juvenile courts, observing how the criminal justice system treats their cases and determines their fates.

"Juvenile Justice" on Frontline can be seen Tuesday, October 31st at 10:00 p.m.

Channel 3 Television from Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, New Mexico



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#### A brush with fame

Watson Junior High School science teacher Tracy Pearson spotted former President George Bush headed in the back door during a science teachers' convention Oct. 13 in College Station — and couldn't resist asking to have pictures made. Also along, to serve as witnesses, were fellow junior high teachers Sandra Chitwood and Hollye Hooten and high school teachers Jack Willis and John Jones.

#### Sex-education presentation scheduled

Aim for Success, a national educational organization promoting sexual abstinence among young people, has scheduled presentations Oct. 30 and Nov. 1 in the Muleshoe High School auditorium.

The program at 6:30 p.m. Oct. 30 is for parents, grandparents or friends of students. The Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 presentations are for the students themselves.

The theme will be "Teaching Choices and Consequences of Sex."

Success is that parents should be the primary source of sex education. Sex can, however, be an awkward topic between parents and children, and the adult program is intended to provide parents with the tools and information necessary to help them discuss the subject with their children.

More than 100,000 students and their parents reportedly have heard these programs this

More information is avail-

#### District 2-3A Cross Country Meet Oct. 28

Mae Simmons Park, Lubbock

9 a.m. to 9:25 a.m. — JV and junior high girls

9:25 a.m. to 9:50 a.m. — JV and junior high boys

10:15 a.m. to 10:40 a.m. — Varsity girls

10:40 a.m. to 11 a.m. — Varsity boys

Presentation of awards will be immediately after the last race.

Restrooms will be provided.

#### **RUNNERS**

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28th; and Jerrell Otwell, 32nd. Finishers among the varsity girls at South Plains were Annie Cox, 16th; Megan Beard, 23rd; Eva Pylant, 24th; Mindy Locker, 26th; Jessica

Carpenter, 29th; and Kayla

Glover, 31st.

JV girls finishing behind Sheets were Jodi Hawkins, 22nd; Megan Barrett, 25th; Sara Benham, 37th; Kylie Henderson, 45th; Keri Copley, 54th; and Ashley López, 66th.

Finishers for the junior varsity boys were Monse Meléndez at 28th and Jimmy Franco at 42nd.

The District 2-3A cross country meet is scheduled for Oct. 28 at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock. The top three teams and top 10 individuals in boys' and girls' divisions advance to regional and potentially to the state meet.

Local cross country hero Kyle Atwood is expected advance, with his major compefition at the district level exRoosevelt's Jonathan Taylor and at regional from Seminole's Felix Saldaña.

Coach Su Scott said the Lady Mule varsity team will face some of the region's toughest competition at the district meet.

Lubbock Cooper is expected to finish first as a team, and Scott said after that it is ex pected to be "a dogfight" among Dimmitt, Shallowater, Lubbock Roosevelt and Muleshoe for the second and third spots and advancement to the regional meet.

In addition to runners listed above, members of the varsity teams include Dan Williams for the boys and Lilia Flores for the girls.

Scott said all the Lady Mules have the potential to finish in the top 10 and advance to regional.

She also said the junior varsity girls have a chance to win their division at district.

In addition to runners listed above, Marlie Black runs for the Lady Mule JV.

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I was commiserating with a friend a while back who was recovering from a divorce. He had lost his new car.

"What kind was it?" I asked. "A Ford," he answered. "One of the ex's."

"You mean an Excursion, Expedition or Explorer?"

He said, "It don't matter. It's just one of the ex's."

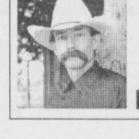
The ex cars, Ford's answer to the Chevy Suburban. But I'm a little worried that their naming scheme is going to play out soon.

Excursion? I guess it beats the Ford Hike or Stroll or Ambulation.

They have done well in the past with names: the Mustang, the Thunderbird, the Galaxy and even the Falcon had a modicum of glamour, but the Expedition? "Let's load up the Sherpas and head for the mall!"

If this pattern continues, will we eventually see the new Ford Excruciate or Exfoliate?

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For those who prefer the riffraff to know that the car they drive cost more than a new aircraft carrier, how about valet parking your Ford Extravagant or Exorbitant or the classically simple Ford Expensive.

Many more possible names come to mind that I suspect Ford has considered and discarded or filed away for future use. . . . the Extreme, the Excelsior, the Extinguisher, the Expectorant or the Excretion.

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### Hunter education class is this weekend

Hunters are reminded that a Texas Parks and Wildlife Hunter Education Course is being offered Oct. 28-29 in the Women's Building at the Hockley County Fairgrounds in Levelland.

Every Texas hunter born on or after Sept. 2, 1971, must complete such a course. The minimum age to be certified is

Students must be present for both days of the class. The cost is \$10, and classes are scheduled for 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sun-

Instructors will be Rick and Betty Monger.

The class also meets the requirements for certification of out-of-state hunters. Hunters are supposed to carry the hunter education certificate in the field along with a hunting license and some form of ID.

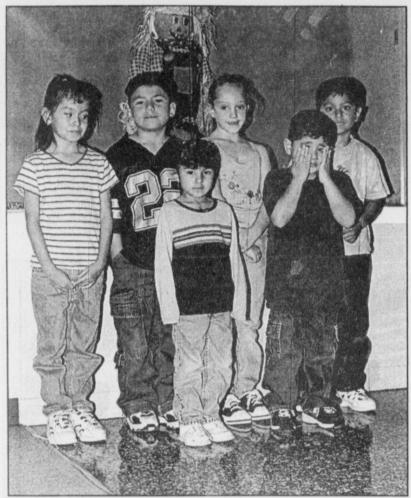
Deer season and quail season both open Nov. 4 in most counties of Texas.

Waterfowl seasons are open in some areas.

A hunter education class not only teaches gun-handling safety, but also conservation, hunter ethics, game identification and game care, survival techniques and other topics.

The Hockley County 4-H Shooting Sports Club is sponsoring this weekend's class.

For pre-registration or for more information, potential participants are asked to call (806) 229-8871.



#### Superkids honored

Dillman Elementary School's superkids for October are (from left) first-grader Marissa Olivas, second-grader Juan Sánchez, pre-kindergartner Makenzie Mendoza, secondgrader Taylor Hardt, pre-kindergartner Cristian Mora (who was not voting to have his picture made at the time) and kindergartner Camilo Torres. Also selected but not present for the photo were kindergartner Annie Shafer and firstgrader Gilberto Simental.

#### Avoiding genetic controversy can work to sorghum's advantage

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

LUBBOCK — Officials with the National Grain Sorghum Producers say they see a bright future ahead for sorghum.

That opinion is based on the potential for new markets resulting from interest in sorghum's characteristics such as its official non-genetically modified organism status, nutritional characteristics and gluten-free properties.

Sorghum is a versatile grain that can be used in the cereal, snack food, baking and brewing industries, says Tim Snyder, the organization's marketing director. Mycotoxins such as aflatoxin are virtually nonexistent in sorghum.

The U.S. Federal Grain Inspection Service will provide upon request to U.S. sorghum customers official statements indicating that there is no genetically modified, or transgenic, sorghum in U.S. trade channels.

According to the producer group, this official non-GMO status should reassure grain buyers and food processors that may be hesitant to purchase U.S. grain based on similar concerns.

"U.S. sorghum is a comparable substitute for other carbohydrate sources," said Snyder, noting that the sorghum starch matrix is similar to that of corn.

Nutritionally, sorghum is a gluten-free grain comprised of 11.3 percent protein and 3.3 percent fat. Antioxidantrich sorghum varieties offer high levels of phenols and tannins, which are two compounds the American Heart Association has linked to cancer prevention and improved cardiovascular health, Snyder

Sorghum is available as a meal and flour, while the whole or decorticated kernels can be extruded, steam-flaked, popped, puffed or micronized.

Ingredient benefits include light color, bland taste and flavor absorption in addition to its non-GMO status. Extruded sorghum flour puffs exhibit size and texture characteristics similar to that of commercial brands, says Snyder.

Breads produced with sorghum bran can provide about 5 grams of dietary fiber per 56-gram slice.

Questions about U.S. sorghum can be addressed to Snyder by e-mail at tsnyder@sorghumgrowers.com or by phone at (806) 749-

Headquartered in the heart of the U.S. sorghum belt at Lubbock, the producer organization works to increase the profitability of sorghum production through market development, research, education and legislative representation.

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#### **ERITAGE FOUNDATION**

The Muleshoe Heritage Foundation Board met in regular session Oct. 16 at the Muleshoe Depot.

Board members present were Wells Hall, Vivian White, Dan Throckmorton, Walter Marie Boness, Keith Hawkins, Chuck Smith, Larry Nickels, Rita Hawkins, Kristy Price and new board members Larry and R.D. Lewis "Tub" Angeley.

Hall, the new president, conducted the business meeting and Boness, the new secretary, read the minutes. Price gave the treasurer's report and White reported that the Heritage Thrift Shop had its best quarter ever. This money is used for the day-to-day expenses at the Heritage Center.

A discussion was held about the property recently purchased from Jack Dunham, who has cleared much of the property. A bulldozer is being hunted to clear the rest of the property.

Smith volunteered to replace

the string of lights on the world's largest mule shoe, as many are now out.

The Old-Fashioned Christmas Open House held annually at the Heritage Center also was discussed. Members were told that there is some debate about when the Christmas parade will be held this year, and there was discussion about having the Heritage Open House on the second Saturday in December rather than the first.

Getting a white carriage for

rides also was discussed, as well as having Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus to ride in on the day of the open house.

Members also discussed having a fire in the new fire pit (recently completed at the center as an Eagle Scout project) and serving coffee there. Decisions will be made on all of this at the November board meeting, scheduled for Nov. 13.

After the business meeting, board members were served birthday cake made by Nickels in honor of White's birthday.



#### OSPITAL NEWS

patient load:

Oct. 12—Lillian Hamilton, Anastacio Hernández and Joyce Morrison.

R. Bryand, Joe Camarillo, Joyce Morrison.

Muleshoe Area Medical Lillian A. Hamilton, Anastacio Center reports the following Hernández and Joyce Ronnie J. Braddock, Lee R. Morrison.

Oct. 14 — None reported. Oct. 15 — None reported.

Oct. 16 — Ethel Ayres, Lee Oct. 13 - Ethel Ayres, Lee R Bryand, Dorothy Hood and Hazel Gast, Dorothy Hood and

Oct. 17 — Ethel Ayres, Bryand, Ruby L Garner, Hazel Gast, Dorothy Hood and Joyce

Oct. 18 — Lee R. Bryand, Joyce Morrison.

11. Sheep cries

12. Lemon and

13. Tokyo (var.) 21. Spiral-staircase center 22. Consumed a beverage

26. Extinct bird 28. Agile, lively 29. Bantu 30. Wild ox 31. Supports a sail 33. A swelling disease 34. One who regrets 35. City, 3000 B.C.

1490-1546 47. Fastened

51. Essential oil 52. An urban pest (slang) \_\_\_ou, a reindeer

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57. Writing

59. Trickery 60. Ancient Peruvian

\_ate, money back 38. Excellent tennis serves 41. To raise spirits 42. Sir Thomas

49. Shrubs that form boundaries

56. A desert in southern Israel

58. Horse pace command

62. Tooth caregiver (abbr.)

61. Auto for weddings

English diplomat,

#### REPRESENTATIVE SALES

1032 head of cattle, 398 hogs and 341 sheep and goats for a total of 1,771 animals were sold at the October 21st sale. Market 2-3 higher on stocker clfs. due to the rain last week. All other classes of cattle sold steady compared to a week ago.

Muleshoe

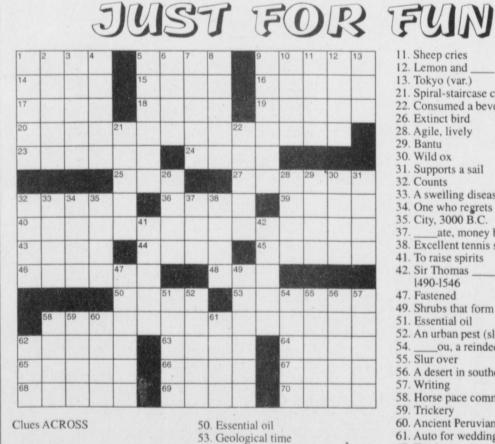
**SATURDAY, OCT. 21, 2000** 

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

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1	Juan Silva, Albuquerque, NM 14	Hol Bulls	246	lbs at \$111 (	00
	Carl McInroe, Hereford4	Red Bulls	354	lbs at \$107.0	00
1	Ross Caviness, Causey, NM Ye	ell Buil	365	lbs. at \$110.0	00
1	Russell Miller, Amherst	Yell Bulls	398	lbs at \$106 (	00
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1	Jimmy Crenshaw, Levelland 4	Red/Blk Bulls	560	0 lbs. at \$93.5	50
1	Dale Demel, Sudan 3				
	Steele Ranch, Ft. Sumner, NM 3	Mxd Strs	61	5 lbs. at \$85.0	00
1	Joe Miller, Amherst	Red Bulls	62	0 lbs. at \$81.5	50
	Leo Chavez, Muleshoe				
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1	John Hill, Abernathy Bl	k. Str.	69	0 lbs. at \$85.0	00
1	Benito Andrade, Muleshoe 2	RWF Hfrs	250	lbs. at \$109.0	00
1	White L/Cattle, Lubbock 5	RWF Hfrs	308	lbs. at \$103.0	00
1	Dale Demel, Sudan Li	mo. Hfr	37	0 lbs. at \$94.0	00
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1	N-Loe, Inc., Amherst C				
1	Ricky Jameson, Bovina 5				
1	Ricky Jameson, Bovina Bl				
1	Pete Davis, Bovina C				
1	Bill Bradley, Amherst Bi				
1	Carl Wheeler, Muleshoe Bi	k. Cow	137	0 lbs. at \$39.7	75
1	Lloyd Williams, Muleshoe R				
1	Casey Stewart, Sudan R	MF Cow	118	5 lbs. at \$39.0	00
1	Kelly Mason, Littlefield Bl	k. Cow	109	0 lbs. at \$40.0	00
1	Lust-Dodd, Muleshoe Bl	k. Cow	161	0 lbs. at \$40.0	00
1	Kelly Giles, Canyon Bl				
1	Dink Miller, Floyd, NM Bl			0 lbs. at \$49.2	25
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- 9. Pelt
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- 16. Crisscross design on cloth 17. Dyestuff
- 18. European defense organization 19. "1836 siege" of United States 20. Streisand song
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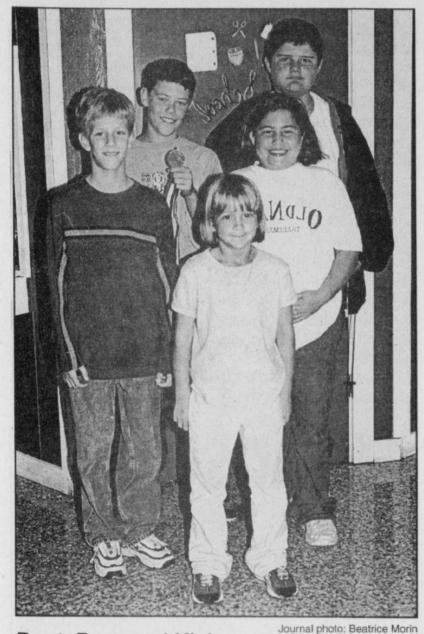
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- 62. To consume a beverage 63. Alexander \_\_\_\_\_, secretary of state
- 64. Prepares, esp. a mast
- 65. Designers \_\_\_\_ & Gabbana 66. Highest point
- 67. A thought 68. Lieu
- 69. 17th Greek letter (plural)
- 70. Flock of quail

#### Clues DOWN

- 1. Pile up 2. Receiver
- 3. Fold or ridge
- 4. Water-soluble powder \_\_\_ Dee, actress
- 6. Domestic
- 7. Clogs 8. Transmits impulses
- 9. Extra tires 10. \_\_\_t, to distribute

Crossword Answers



Punt, Pass and Kick

Fifth-Grader Garrett Riley (center, back) of Muleshoe's De Shazo Elementary School won first place in his age group Saturday in the NFL-Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick competition in Lubbock. He will go to Dallas next month to compete during the Cowboys-Giants game. Also participating were (from left) fourth-grader Jackson Myers, third-grader Sarah Johnson, fifth grader Randy Montejano and fifth grader Morgan Baca, who placed fourth. Riley's winning distance of 233 feet, 11 inches included a punt of 66 feet, 11 inches; a pass of 96 feet

#### Lamb program applications start

Althought the deadline is not grade 2; until next Aug. 15, officials at the Muleshoe office of the Farm cling confirmation score of Service Agency are encouraging participants to apply for the for lamb producers.

and a kick of 61 feet.

Applications for the first year of the Lamb Meat Adjustment Assistance Program had to be turned in by Oct. 13.

Slaughter lambs under the program must be marketed between Aug. 1, 2000, and July 31, 2002, and must meet these criteria:

· Owned by the participating operation for at least 30 days

before marketing; • Carcass must be USDA qual-

ity choice or prime; • Carcass must be USDA yield

· Carcass must have a musaverage choice or better; and

 Carcass must have a 55-75 second year of an aid program pound dressed hot-carcass

For feeder lambs to be eligible for payment, they must:

· Be marketed between Aug. 1, 2000, and July 21 (not 31),

• Be owned by the operation for at least 30 days before marketing; and

· Bethick-muscled and largeframed, as determined by the USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service.

Applications must be filed in the operator\'s county office.

#### REATIVE LIVING'

Information on machine trapunto and clothing for people with special needs will be featured on "Creative Living" on Oct. 31 at 1 p.m. and Nov. 4 at 3 p.m. (All time are Central.)

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

Donna Majors of Major Attractions in Clovis will demonstrate how to do machine trapunto.

Claudia Sammis of Aptos, Calif., president and founder of Specials, will discuss clothing for the shorter, stockier figure of those with Down syndrome, Prader Willi and other special-needs individuals.

Information on embellishing ready-to-wear garments, new window coverings and soulinspiring recipes will be featured Oct. 31 at 10:30 p.m. and Nov. 2 at 1 p.m.

Sue Hausmann of Westlake, Ohio, representing Viking Sewing Machine Co., will demonstrate how to embellish ready-to-wear, which is a great way to achieve instant gratification.

Joe Jankoski of Upper Saddle River, N.J., representing Hunter-Douglas Window Fashion, will demonstrate how window coverings have changed. Jankoski also will show some of the new operating systems that are now available.

Joan Toole, a cookbook author from Lake Forest, Ill., will demonstrate preparing dinner in a flash, featuring recipes from a cookbook that includes music to soothe the soul and quotes to inspire.

"Creative Living" is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden of Portales.

The show is carried on more than 100 PBS stations in the United States, Canada, Guam and Puerto Rico and is distributed by Westlink Albuquerque.

Viewers can request copies of materials offered on the show by sending a first-class stamp for each handout requested, along with name, address and booklets requested, to "Creative Living" Requests, c/o KENW-TV, 52 Broadcast Center, Portales 88130.





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#### **BITUARIES**

#### MILDRED NAIL

Services were held Monday in the First Baptist Church of Loop for Mildred Louise Nail, 79, of Loop. The Revs. Rick Smith and Gary DeLay officiated. Burial was in Loop Cemetery.

Head Family Funeral Home of Seagraves handled arrangements. Mrs. Nail was born Aug. 27, 1921, in Oklahoma. She died Oct. 20 in Lubbock.

She married Lloyd Delbert Nail on Dec. 23, 1937, in Seminole.

She was a homemaker and had worked for Seagraves Industries. She had lived in Texas since 1924 and at Loop since 1937, moving there from Ropesville.

She is survived by three sons, Travis William Nail of Lazbuddie, L.D. Nail of Springhill, La., and Leonard Wayne Nail of Lubbock; four daughters, Avis Azel Smith of Springlake, Mary Elizabeth Ellerd of Colorado Springs, Jackie Louise Sewell of Sacramento, Calif., and Debra Darlene Rolen of Loop; a brother, Elmer Allen of Huckberry, Nev.; a sister, Vera Jordan of Meadow; 26 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Delton Nail, Lloyd Smith, Tony Ellered, Mike Nail, Jeff Jones and Larry Nail. Honorary pallbearers were Stanley

Ancinec, J.C. Chaffin, Bill McKenzie, George Hardberger, Larry Harris and Arnold Smith. JOSH CHESTER

Services were held Wednesday in the Sudan High School auditorium for Josh Chester, 20, of Sudan. The Rev. Jack Stone officiated. Burial was in Sudan Cemetery.

Ellis Funeral Home of Sudan handled arrangements.

Mr. Cheste, was born Aug. 14, 1980, in Amherst. He died Oct. 24. He had lived in Sudan all his life and was a member of the 4-H Club of Sudan. He had been reserve state champion in halter events, manager of the Sudan Hornet football team and a member of the choir at the First Assembly of God in Mule-

He was ranch manager for the 7-Up Ranch.

He is survived by his parents, Curtis and Shelley Chester of Sudan; two brothers, Chad Chester of Lubbock and Zack Chester of Levelland; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Hargrove and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chester, all of Sudan; and his great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Sedgwick of Kress and Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Chester of Sudan.

The family suggests memorials to the First Assembly of God Center (521 S First, Muleshoe 79347).

## Seventh-graders down Littlefield's Wildcats 40-18

By DELTON WILHITE Journal correspondent

The "battle of the undefeated" was the seventh-grade Mules' game Thursday night.

The Muleshoe Mules and Littlefield Wildcats had neither one tasted defeat this season, so this would be the night someone would go home knowing how the other half feels.

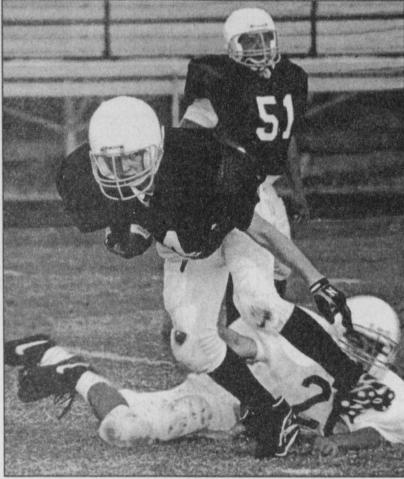
The Mules won, 40-18.

Littlefield put the first points on the board with 4:21 left in the first quarter, but the Mules held and the point-after failed.

The Mules answered by returning the kickoff to their own 37, then stringing together two first downs before Juan Carlos Reyes took the ball off his right tackle for five yards and a touchdown.

The Mules also failed to convert, so the score remained tied at 6-all.

Then Logan Ruthardt and the Mule defense forced Littlefield to fumble on its own 45. Kevin Kilmer found Brady Black on a roll-out pass to the right side, Reyes took a pitch to the left side of the line and reached the six-yard line,



Seventh-grader Brady Black carries for the Mules against Littlefield.

where it was first and goal as Vidana booted the ball to the the quarter ended.

In the new quarter, Reyes beat the Wildcats to the right corner of the end zone — and this time the Mules were able to add two, making it 14-6.

Muleshoe kicker José

Courtesy photo: Mike Hahn

Littlefield six, where the Wildcats slipped and had to cover the ball. After a 10-yard gain on the first carry, they fumbled — and the Mules recovered on Littlefield's 16.

Behind strong blocking from the Mule 48 — only to fumble

the offensive line, Black powered to the two-yard line and then on the next play Reyes followed Black into the end zone. No extra point again: 20-6 Mules.

The Mule defense forced another fumble after Rodrigo Mendoza broke through and knocked a Wildcat runner for a three-yard loss. Littlefield lost the handle on the ball during the next play, and the Mules took over on their own

Reyes scored again on the second play after the fumble. The Mules again failed to convert, but they had stretched their lead to 26-26 with 4:03 left in the first half.

The Wildcats managed another touchdown of their own before the half, to cut Muleshoe's halftime led to 26-

Littlefield came back fired up after the half and scored again on the first play from scrimmage to shave another six points off the Mule lead.

Muleshoe returned the kickoff to its own 42, but fumbled and the Wildcats recovered at

back to the Mules at the 50.

The Mules then put together three first downs before Reyes went off right tackle and bounced wide right on a sevenyard touchdown run.

With 10 seconds to go in the third quarter, Muleshoe's lead had reached 32-18.

But Reyes wasn't through. He tallied again for the Mules with 6:42 remaining and then carried for the two extra points to swell the Muleshoe victory to 40-18.

The Mules had extended their undefeated streak to 7-0.



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# HOROSCOPES

OCT. 29-NOV. 4

Aries - March 21/April 20

When it comes to an important financial decision, don't just think about yourself. Your choice will affect several others; consider the consequences for them, as well as for yourself. It's the right thing to do. The person whom you've been seeing asks you an important question. Answer him or her honestly

Taurus - April 21/May 21

Don't be stubborn when a close friend asks you to change your plans. You don't have anything important on your schedule anyway. Give him or her a little leeway. Your generosity will be appreciated. A loved one needs a shoulder to cry on late in the week. Be there for him or her.

Gemini - May 22/June 21 fou have a lot on your mind early in the week, Gemini. Don't make any

hasty decisions, because you're not fully concentrating on the items at hand. You need to sort things out and set your priorities before you can relax. Turn to that special someone for help and advice if you need it, because he or she is always there for you. Cancer - June 22/July 22

Don't wait for a loved one to make the first move after you two have an argument. You know that you are wrong. So, take the initiative, and apologize for your behavior. It will go a long way toward strengthening your relationship. You meet an interesting person on Friday. Get to know him or her better, because this could be the one.

Leo - July 23/August 23

A co-worker turns to you for advice about a personal problem. While you don't want to get involved, you know that you can help. So, talk with this person, and advise him or her on what to do. Your efforts will be appreciated. A close friend asks you out late in the week. Say yes, because it's sure to be a good time

Virgo - Aug 24/Sept 22

Don't be late for a business meeting early in the week, Virgo. If you are, you're sure to miss out on a potentially lucrative opportunity. The person whom you've been seeing wants to intensify your relationship. Say yes, because this is what you want too.

Libra - Sept 23/Oct 23

A loved one needs to talk early in the week. Be there for him or her - even if you don't know what to say. He or she just wants someone to listen. Be that someone. A close friend reveals his or her true feelings for you. Let this person down gently.

Scorpio - Oct 24/Nov 22 Put your family first when organizing your schedule this week, Scorpio. Loved ones are going to need a lot of your time. Don't let them down, because they are always there for you. Your career won't suffer if you put work off for a few days. Capricorn plays a key role on Tuesday.

Sagittarius - Nov 23/Dec 21 Keep your temper in check when you have a conversation with an acquaintance this week. This person is trying to upset you; don't allow that o happen. Just let what is said go in one ear and out the other. That special someone has a surprise for you on Thursday. Enjoy, because you deserve it.

Capricorn - Dec 22/Jan 20

Don't be shy when you meet an interesting person during the middle of the week. He or she can help you make great strides toward a personal goal. If you just be yourself, you're sure to impress him or her. A loved one needs your help with a family matter. Do what you can to make things easier. Pisces plays an important role.

Aquarius - Jan 21/Feb 18

Once you've made an important financial decision, don't let anyone try to change your mind. You know that you've looked at all of the pros and cons, and you're doing what is best for you. So, have confidence in your choice. An interesting person asks you out on Friday. Say yes. Pisces - Feb 19/March 20

A loved one turns to you for romantic advice, Pisces. Listen to this person's situation, and try to help him or her make the right decision. Your input will

## Eighth-graders play Littlefield closer this time

FROM THE STANDS

The eighth-grade Mules took the field last Thursday with a mission: to even the score against Littlefield.

This team of Mules had been soundly beaten last year by these same Wildcats, and they were determined not to let the same thing happen in the Mules' own house.

The final score this time was Littlefield 14, Mules 8, but the Wildcats went home knowing they had had played a good Littlefield to three-plays-and- 49, the Wildcats had to punt. football team — one that had done its homework and is learning the game, playing with knowledge and confidence.

Muleshoe's Eric Newton took the opening kickoff on the Mules' 30 and appeared stopped at the 35.

Not giving up, though, he reversed his field and gained another five yards.

Raul Muñiz showed his running ability by using the line play to advance the ball to Littlefield's 11. On second down and eight, Tyler Wood rolled to his right and found Jorge Mendoza open in the flat; he rumbled in for six points.

When Mendoza was called on for the extra points, the left side of the line opened a hole for him to gain the three yards By DELTON WILHITE

the two-point conversion. With 5:34 remaining in the first quarter, Muleshoe led 8-

The game then became a defensive struggle. Juan Nuñez and the Mule defense held punt on the Wildcats' first

After the quarter change, Muñiz had to kick the ball back. Wood took the punt on his own 47 and followed his blocking to the Mule 40.

The Mule offense picked up back-to-back first downs before failing to convert a fourth-down play on the Wildcat eight.

Littlefield turned the ball back to the Mules when Barry Morris stole a pass on the Wild-

Brady Broyles picked up four yards from the I-back position and then Wood hit Newton on a hot route for a first down on Littlefield's seven.

Littlefield held the Mules and took over on its own seven. But the Wildcats could not move the ball, either.

Wood returned the Wildcat — and more if needed — for punt to his 30. The half closed with the Mules driving and in

> the lead. Littlefield took the Mules' second-half kickoff and gained an initial first down but, facing fourth and eight on their own

> The Mules could pick up only two yards in three plays, and

With a five-yard punt return, the Wildcats started on the 50yard line. They picked up two first downs before scoring on an 11-yard slant pass to the left side of the end zone.

The Mules held on the pointafter try, though, to maintain a two-point lead with less than two minutes remaining in the third quarter.

After a six-yard kickoff re-

turn by Erik Sánchez, the Mules cannot get any offense going and are forced to call on Muñiz to punt again.

The Wildcats have their offense rolling by this time, and are able to convert on two thirddown plays before scoring with a one-yard plunge.

This time, with 1:55 left in the game, they make the twopoint conversion to lead 14-8.

Paul Carrión returned the ensuing kickoff to the 49. Fighting the clock, the Mules were able to gain two first downs before the Wildcat defense and a holding penalty killed their final drive.

The Wildcats took a knee and the clock expired.

Maybe the Mules' mission wasn't totally accomplished, but the defense was strong all night. Even though the offense struggled to get going again in the second, I'm not sure I'd say the Mules got beaten they just ran out of time.

### JOURNAL INFORMATION...News You Can Use

**EDITORIAL INFORMATION** 

(1) In order to help accommodate our readers, we urge everyone to keep in mind that the newspaper is put together on Tuesday and Friday. To increase the probability that your information will be placed in your preferred edition, the earlier that stories, information about meetings or any editorial subject is brought to the Journal office the better!

(2) Deadlines for "Around Muleshoe" and "Around the Area" -Monday at 5 pm (Thurs. edition) and Thursday at 5 pm (Sun. edition). (3) The following represents a list of information that appears FREE in the

Weddings • Engagements • Bridal Showers • Baby Showers • Birth Announcements • First & 90+ Birthdays • 50th+ Anniversaries

(forms are available at the Journal office, 304 W. 2nd, for weddings, engagements, bridal and baby showers) (4) Pictures run in the Journal are scanned. Original prints of photos can be made. However, due to developing supply costs, there will be a charge for

these prints. (Some exceptions apply.)

ADVERTISING INFORMATION Effective Mar. 1, 2000

(1) Display ads are located throughout the newspaper. Ad costs are based on the number of column inches that the ad occupies. The Journal's open rate is \$3.57/col. inch. Discounts are available under certain conditions. Borders and artwork are added at no extra cost!

(2) DEADLINES FOR DISPLAY ADVERTISING are Tuesday at Noon (Thurs. edition) and Friday at Noon (Sun. edition). If you are a business or individual in need of placing a DISPLAY AD or you have questions about display advertising, call Leah at 272-4536.

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## There are ways homeowners can save on an existing mortgage

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

One out of every two homeowners prefers to pay off their mortgage in order to minimize the interest they pay rather than take advantage of low interest rates and tax deductions, according to a Fannie Mae National Housing survey.

In fact, today's homeowners are finding ways to reduce their monthly payments and build equity without the cost and effort of refinancing.

"Homeowners typically look at their monthly house payment as an investment," said Donna Wright, vice president/regional manager in the Austin area for Wells Fargo Home Mortgage Inc.

"What homeowners often overlook are the ways to save on the total cost of that investment," she added.

Today's homeowners have several financing options to choose from, Wright said. Many lending institutions, including Wells Fargo, offer various payplans allowing homeowners to make extra payments to reduce the overall interest.

One option is an automatic mortgage payment program, through which the homeowner's mortgage payments are automatically deducted from a checking or savings account each month. The option is typically offered free by most lenders.

Some homeowners also may be eligible to cancel their private mortgage insurance, which lenders often require for loans with down payments smaller than 20 percent.

Homeowners may be eligible to cancel such insurance once they have paid 20 percent of the principal on their loan. New legislation — applicable to loans originated after July 1999 requires lenders to automatically cancel the insurance after

22 percent equity is reached, but also allows homeowners the right to request cancellation at 20 percent equity.

Typically, homeowners pay \$20 to \$100 a month for the insurance. For information on how to cancel it, call the originating mortgage lender.

Finally, homeowners can opt for a bi-monthly payment program that allows them to make mortgage payments twice a month.

Under such a plan, homeowners make a total of 26 half-payments that amount to 13 full payments each year. Homeowners make their payments earlier, and the extra payment is applied directly to the mortgage principal balance.

Bi-monthly payments reduce the principal balance and interest costs, as well as subtract an average of seven years off a

"It's a great feeling to reduce your mortgage amount, while building home equity and shortening the life of your loan," said Wright. "There's a lot to be said for owning your house, and paying that investment off earlier can be beneficial as well, saving time and money.'

#### **DETIRED TEACHERS**

The Muleshoe Retired Teachers met Oct. 20 in the 16th and D Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. Gene Sheets was the speaker.

He told the group about his family - oldest son a college graduate, daughter in Lubbock Christian College and younger son is a freshman at Muleshoe High

Sheets told the group about some of the successes of Muleshoe schools last school year: Muleshoe earned academic sweepstakes. They earned the highest score ever earned by the Muleshoe schools. He stated that is because of great teachers. In speech tournaments, they won nine times, FHA went to the state contest; DECA went to state; two students went to state in choir; two runners competed in state; football won second in district.

Local schools are in great shape, he said, but can always do better. Also Robin Welch was elected district teacher of the year and is entered in state.

Sheets' goals for this year include teaching students to think and to use that thinking, raising test scores even higher, and instilling higher standards for daily living such as honesty and caring for others.

He said the Legislature meets this next year and will have lots to look at as far as the schools are concerned. The top thing is health insurance for teachers; most teachers can not afford to pay the cost of insurance at this time. There is a need to certify more teachers, so teacher salaries must be looked at. Changes may be needed. The multiplier is now at 2.5 and that needs to be raised, he said.

After Sheets spoke, President Alene Bryant announced that the fall district meeting in Lubbock on Oct. 27. All who can go were asked to call Bryant at 272-4160.

Mary Crane's name was drawn for the door prize — two tickets to the Rebekahs' Thanksgiving din-

Others present at the meeting were guest Lillian Street and members Norma Prather, Pauline Guinn, Jean Allison, Paulette Crawford, Wilma Smith, Rose Sain, Evelyn and Carl Ellington and Mary Nell Bleeker.

Crane and Bryant served as hostesses.

#### **OTARY NEWS**

The Muleshoe Rotary Club met Oct. 17 at the Bailey County Coliseum. President Jay Messenger presided and gave the invocation; Don Carter led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Messenger introduced guests Jay Cage, who was with J.D. Cage; Gene Sheets, who was with Curtis Shelburne; and Kevin Wallace, who was with Adrian Meador.

Rotary Sweetheart Meagan Tipps was introduced along with the students of the month, Darrell Lewis and Melissa

Todd Ellis was in charge of the program and introduced Muleshoe school counselor Dana Wright, who told the club about her position and what she does as a counselor to students. Her position allows more time for the other counselors to work with students on testing, scheduling and career guid-

Messenger announced a work day to install monuments

for the memorial trees planted in the new City Park.

The club is taking orders for the trees, which can come with granite markers or monuments to be permanently installed next to the tree if requested by the donor. It was suggested that such a tree would make a good Christmas present. More information is available from Messenger.

Carter won the Hunger Plus drawing and led the Four Way Test to adjourn the meeting.

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