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### NEWS BRIEFS

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### **Governor Perry appoints** Leal to state board **By MARSHALL STINNETT Journal writer**

Victor Leal has been appointed to the Texas Building and Procurement Commission by Gov. Rick Perry.

The Commission oversees the purchase of over one billion dollars of goods and services for state government.

- Leal told the Journal he is "excited" to be serving on such an important state board and looking forward to the challenges.

Leal was invited last week by Perry to have lunch with Mexican President Vicente Fox in Austin.

Leal said it was a "grand time" to listen to Fox present his views on the present relations of Mexico with the border states and his view of the future.

### PCG reports first hard freeze of 2003 harvest Journal staff report

Plains Cotton Growers Association reported the temperature for last Wednesday night to be 29 degrees fahrenheit at the Muleshoe Wildlife Refuge. This constitutes a hard freeze which will facilitate cotton stripping in the area. Farmers who have not defoliated their cotton will now be able to skip this process.

### **On this day in history**

November 13- Frederick Dawson of Baltimore awarded contract to build six vessels for the Second U.S. Navy (1837)

November 14-Consultation adjourned; provisional government took up its duties (1835).

A. J. Hamilton named Federal Military Governor of Texas (1862).

### **Mayor Victor Leal to resign in January**

**By MARSHALL STINNETT Journal writer** 

Victor Leal told the Journal Tuesday he will be resigning as mayor of Muleshoe in January. Leal, who is serving his first year of a second term, is moving to Amarillo to open a new Leal's Mexican Food Restaurant.

Leal said Mayor Pro Tem Clifford Black will be acting mayor until the city election next June.

"I regret having to leave my position as mayor," said Leal. "It has been a great honor for my family and I to represent the City of Muleshoe."

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Leal went on to say, "Muleshoe has a good city council, a great city manager and great department heads throughout the city."



Leal's to open in Amarillo rillo.

#### **By MARSHALL STINNETT** Journal writer

Leal's Mexican Food Restaurant of Muleshoe is expanding into Amarillo according to the Victor Leal who is President of Samuel, Inc., the parent company which owns Leal's.

The new 180 seat restaurant will be located in the former Gardski's Restaurant in Wellington Square after extensive renovations are completed.

Leal who is currently serving the first year of his second term as mayor of Muleshoe told the Journal that he and his family will be moving to Ama-

Leal said, "It is a good opportunity for our family. Unfortunately, sometimes when you expand you have to relocate." He added, "It is hard to leave a community that is home ---where your heart will always be. Its tough to leave friends and family."

Leal continued, "I plan to have a presence in Muleshoe two or three days a week after we get the new restaurant up and running"

Leal's was opened in 1957 by Victor's parents, Jessie and Irma. Jessie orginally came to Muleshoe to work at Barrett Produce in 1954. The first Leal's was located near the present Alex's Tire Service.

Jessie and Irma retired eleven years ago when Victor returned to take over the restaurant.

Victor said he is leaving the Muleshoe Leal's in good hands with longtime employees Angelica Toscano, Ellen Orcutt, Maria Marques and a newcomer, Gary Sirkel.

He said, "We will continue to support the community and support the school and the local charities."

Journal photo: Marshall Stinnett Mayor Victor Leal poses in front of Leal's Restaurant.

# ner resident shares WWII experiences

#### By BEATRICE MORIN **Journal writer**

(Editor's note: Veteran's Day, Nov. 11...a time set aside to remember soldiers past and present who have honorably served their country in a time of need. The Journal wishes to share this story as we reflect upon the courage of all the members of our armed forces throughout our nation's history.)

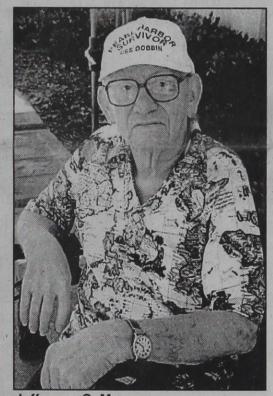
Jefferson G. Maner of Laguna, California, a former resident of Bailey County, now 85, was 22 when he enlisted into the U.S. Navy, November 9, 1940.

He lived in the Y-L School District and played basketball and football. He only completed the ninth grade, therefore never graduating from high school. He comes from a family of 12, all of whom are still living.

total of twenty years. He was a steam engineer.

In an interview through correspondence, he shares his experience during the attack on Pearl Harbor.

"On the morning of December 7, 1941, I was on deck reading the Honolulu Sunday paper [funnies]. I heard a loud explosion over my left shoulder on the rump toward Ford Island. A moment later, some Japanese planes pulled up over our ship, which was moored between two boats, with five destroyers moored to our port side. General Quarters was surrounded. An air bomb miss at starboard quarter (below deck) had a gas attack because of the ex-



November 15-U.S. Army occupied Corpus Christi (1863).



Drawing date: Saturday, November 8 Winning numbers: 5-11-16-17-34 **Bonus Ball:7** Estimated jackpot: \$29 million Winners: 2 Next drawing: Wednesday, November 12 Estimated jackpot: \$4 million

On Thursday, expect a mix of rain and snow with highs in the lower 40s and lows in the lower 30s. On Friday, expect overcast skies with highs in the mid 50s and lows in the mid 30s. Expect a mix of sun and clouds on Saturday, with highs in the lower 60s and lows in the mid 30s, according to the National Weather Service's Tuesday forecast.

General Manager Marshall Stinnett can be reached at 272-4536 or ctyankee@fivearea.com

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Jefferson G. Maner

After spending six years in the Navy, he re-enlisted and remained in the service a plosions. We had to wear gas masks.

I reported to my battle station and began carrying ammunition - 30 caliber and then 50 — to machine guns on the gun

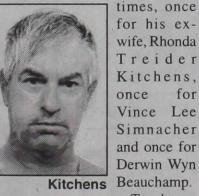
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### **Grand Jury indicts 10**

#### **By MARSHALL STINNETT Muleshoe Journal**

The Bailey County Grand Jury handed down 10 indictments last week including three counts of capital murder against Larry Kitchens.

Kitchens was indicted three



Kitchens Beauchamp. The

charges read, "Larry Brent Kitchens on or about the 10th day of October, 2003,... did then and there intentionally or knowingly cause the death of another individual...."

The murders took place at Simnacher's home south of Muleshoe about 11:30 p.m. when Kitchens entered the house from a side door and began firing an assault rifle.

Simnacher was shot in the head.

Rhonda Kitchens and Beauchamp were both shot in the back.

Larry Kitchens was arrested without resistance later that night at his home.

Kitchens has remained in the Lamb County jail since that night. He is expected to be arraigned by District Judge Gordon Green this week.

Other Grand Jury indictments include Frank Maestas, Jr., theft of a 1998 dodge pickup owned by Kearney Scoggin.

Michael Dale Preston and Tod Daniel Kizer were indicted for intent to manufacture methamphetamine.

Ruben Bo Gloria, Jr. and Johnathan Zapata, Jr. were indicted for theft of property from Hugo Vasquez, including a chop saw and sledge hammer.

Martin Gabriel Rangel was indicted for theft of property from Richard Ronek, including Motorola radios, pagers, night vision field glasses and other items.

Ronnie Gil Richardson was indicted for forgery of a check on the Gail account of Rhonda Richardson of Canyon.

### Local organization to launch 'BELIEVE' **By VANETA GREGORY Journal writer**

The Muleshoe Community Foundation is starting a new campaign called 'BELIEVE.' It is modeled after a campaign that was started in Baltimore, Maryland.

"We would like to use Baltimore's model to launch a campaign that will encourage community involvement to address the current social problems in Muleshoe," said Kay Graves, board member. "Even though drugs are a problem in Muleshoe, we also have problems with teen pregnancies, alcohol and poverty."

"Look at the public record in the paper every week," she continued. "If we took out the DWIs, drug crimes and family violence, there wouldn't be much left!"

According to Graves, the campaign will involve billboards, bumper stickers and local media. "We hope to influence the citizens of Muleshoe to 'BELIEVE' that every one of us can make a difference in our community," she said.

"We want every individual, regardless of their current situation or background, to 'BELIEVE' they can change their circumstances and make a difference in the community," said Gary Sirkel, president.

There are many different ways that an individual could help with the problems in the Muleshoe com-

see **BELIEVE** on page 7

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for his exwife, Rhonda Treider Kitchens, once Vince Lee Simnacher and once for Derwin Wyn

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NOT HANGER COLLECTION

### AROUND MULESHOE

### **Christmas Card Project begins**

The Annual Christmas Card Project has begun! Proceeds will benefit the residents of Park View Nursing Home. Anyone can donate whatever amount he 'or she can afford. Names of contributors will be published in the paper in December. Checks should be made out to Christmas Card Project and they can be mailed to P.O. Box 202, Muleshoe, Texas 79347 or 1100 W. Ave J. Muleshoe, Texas 79347. Donations can also be given directly to Joy Stancell, activity director of Park View or to Joyeline Costin, chairman of the project.

### Holiday coat drive to be held

Local businesses are sponsoring a coat drive to provide coats to anyone who needs them. The coats may be new or used, as long as they are clean. Donated coats can be dropped off at Lambert Cleaners, Sparkle Cleaners, City Hall of Muleshoe, Family Hair Salon, Muleshoe Area Medical Center, Park View Nursing Home, Five Area Telephone Co-op, Dollar General, Family Dollar, Leal's Restaurant, Lowe's Supermarket or United Supermarket. The deadline for dropping off coats will be Friday, November 21 at 12 noon. The coats will be distributed Saturday, November 22 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the 16th & D Church of Christ. Anyone who needs a coat is welcome.

### **Annual Tour of Homes scheduled**

Plans for the second annual Carolyn's Christmas Creations' Tour Of Homes benefiting Park View Nursing Home have been finalized for Sunday, December 7 from 1 to 5 p.m. Sponsor Carolyn Johnson has tickets available this week at her store, located at 106 E. American Blvd. Ticket cost is \$6 per person. All money collected will be donated to the nursing home. Featured homes on this year's tour belong to: Brian and Tiffany Boehning, Joe Bob and Sheila Stevenson, Rickey and Raygena Barrett, Charles and Jerie Flowers, and Joan Lewis. The last stop on the tour will be Park View, where three sunrooms will be decorated by Garolyn's Christmas Creations, The Art Loft/Trés Chic and Decorators Floral and Gifts. Refreshments will be served at the nursing home.

### Church hosts arts & crafts festival

Wesley United Methodist Church will be hosting it's 23rd annual Festival of Arts and Crafts, December 6, 2003, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Community Center. Only a limited number of booths are available with applications being screened. Booth fee is \$10. Applications may be obtained by writing Ellen Collins, 801 Miles St., Hereford, Texas 79045 or calling 806-364-0774.

### **Basketball season tickets on sale**

Basketball season tickets for adults and students are now on sale at the school administration office. Tickets are \$12 for students and \$22 for adults. The tickets will enable the holder entrance to ALL home basketball games for Jr. High and High School.

### Christmas parade scheduled

The annual Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade will be held December 13. For details, contact Jan Thompson at the chamber office, 272-4248.

#### Club announces Christmas bazaar

The Moonlight Extension Education Club anounces its Twenty Fifth Annual Christmas Bazaar to be held December 13, 2003, at the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum, Muleshoe, Texas. Applications for booth space are being accepted until December 8, 2003. To request an application contact Linda Huckaby, 902 W. 8th, Muleshoe, Texas 79347. (We incorrectly printed the date last week for this bazaar. The correct date is Saturday, December 13. The Journal regrets the error.)

#### **Public Calendar**

November 13-The Sudan United Methodist Women will host their annual Christmas Bazaar at the church at 411 Main Street in Sudan. The bazaar will start at 9:00 a.m. Chili and stew including beans and dessert will be served from 11:00 a.m. to 1 p.m. For carryout orders, call 227-2015. Price of the meal will be \$5 for adults and \$3 for children age 12 and under.

First Baptist Church, 220 West Avenue E, Muleshoe, will host the quarterly blood drive from 12:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. For further information, contact Diane K. Edwards, Community Relations Representative, United Blood Services, 4611-A 50th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79414 or call 806-741-1600.

November 15-First United Methodist Church will hold its annual Craft Bazaar and Stew and Chili Lunch at the church, 312 Ave D, in Olton. For additional information, contact Bobbye Dennis at the church at 285-2777 or Mary Bass at 285-2121 (nights).

Mentor Muleshoe is holding a meeting at 9 a.m. at the Muleshoe State Bank meeting room for anyone interested in becoming a mentor.



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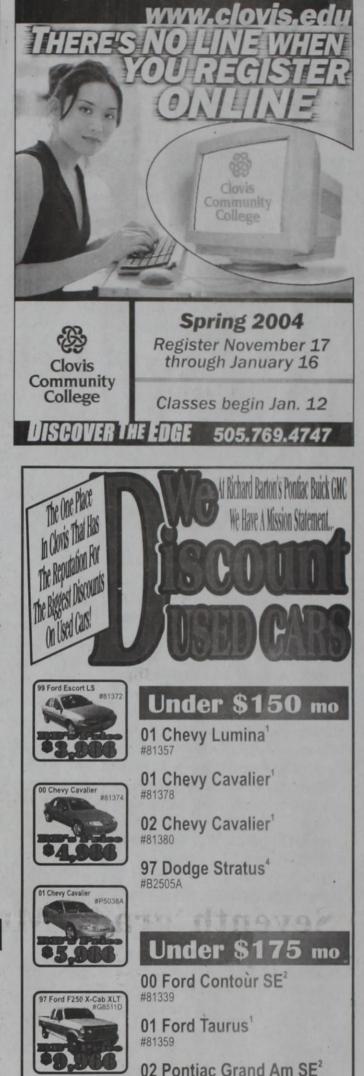
deck. This was above the main deck. Here, I had a good view of the sinking of the USS Arizona. I also saw the USS Oklahoma roll over on it's side and many other

he was in Boston, Massachussetts. He later returned to Hawaii and was sent to Japan for occupation duty.

"On November 11, 1955 at 7:20 a.m., while on-board in the research and development to help put man on the moon. He retired in 1960 and moved to Norwalk, Calif., where he worked for 15 years. He was also employed by the A.B.C. School

County, he has many friends. His last visit to Muleshoe was in 1986 for the opening of the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation Center.

His opinion about the war in Iraq is that "It must be



sunken ships and damaged ones. I saw fire and smoke. I saw boats picking up the dead and wounded from the oil slicked waters and fire, etc. This is what I saw from my ship, the USS Dobbin [AD-3], that Sunday morning, December 7, 1941."

The USS Dobbin was a repair ship, the 'mother hen' of the ships in the harbor, according to Maner.

Maner received no injuries during the attack on Pearl Harbor. He spent most of WWII in Sydney, Australia.

He has traveled to Texas, California, Hawaii, Samoa, Australia and New Guinea while in the service. In 1944, he returned to Orange, Texas and was placed on a new destroyer in commission. He later returned to San Diego, Calif. and was part of the shakedown into Cuba. When the war was over with Japan,

the USS Hopewell [DD 661], I was burned from my head to my waist. I was not expected to live. Thanks to my shipmates and my family, I survived this disaster too," he said.

He met his wife, Annie (Ballard), in Chula Vista, California. They have two children: a daughter, Deborah, who is a sixth grade school teacher, and son-in-law, Jerry Derloshon, who is a law professor at Pepperdine University in California; and a son, David, who is in the building industry. They also have two grandchildren: a grandson, Samuel, who attends Pepperdine University and a granddaughter, Melody, who attends San Francisco University.

Mr. Maner worked at San Diego in astronautics for four years where he helped

District as a maintenance man, retiring in 1980.

He keeps in touch with many of his fellow shipmates said they are too many to mention.

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## **Bridal shower honors Abbott**

A bridal shower honoring Kristen Abbott, brideelect of Brice Foster, was held November 1, 2003 in the home of Marca Morris of Lazbuddie.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Patrick and Karen Moore. The prospective groom is the son of Steve and Paulette Foster.

Special guests included the bride-elect's mother; her sister, Maddie Moore; her grandmother, Nanette Moore; the prospective groom's mother; his grandmother, Anita Foster; and Mary Frisbie.

Hostesses were' Coralynn Jarman, Pamela Miller, Ellen Gallman, Tammie Turner, Vicki Morris, Mandi Seaton, Debbie Magby, Sharron Bills, Alicia Pacheco, Debbie Nick-



Kristen Abbott

els, Claire Brown, Reta Mimms, Marca Morris, Sheryl Engelking, Jana St.Clair, Sara Black, Tonya Gartin, Patti Kent, Linda Martin, Debbie Weir, Vickie Burch, Terry Thomas, LaReta Barber, Billie Mason, Stephanie Foster and Debbie Gallman. The hostess' gift was a comforter.

The wedding is scheduled for January 3, 2004 at Aldersgate United Methodist Church in Lubbock.

### Night college courses being offered

The Five Area Community Telecommunications Consortium (FACT) made up of Lazbuddie ISD, Muleshoe ISD, Olton ISD, Springlake-Earth ISD, and Sudan ISD can provide night college courses through its interactive television classrooms. The courses being offered for the sping semester 2004 are available through South Plains College or Texas Tech University. Adults in-. terested in taking one of these course must live within the school district boundaries of a FACT school To attend class, adults would go to their local school. Students must pay regular tuition and fees and purchase their own textbooks.

South Plains College will be offering Math 1314 (Trigonometry) on Mondays (6:00-8:50p.m.), American Government 2302 on Mondays (6:00-9:00 p.m.).

Texas Tech courses available this spring are all graduate courses in education. The courses being offered are Educational LawEDLD5340 275 (Wed., 6:00-8:50 p.m.), the School Superintendent and

EDLD5380 170 (Wed., 6:00-8:50 p.m.), Authentic Assessment for Students with Exceptionalitite/ EDSP5308 275 (Mon.,4:30-5:50 p.m.), Qualitative Research in Education/EPSY5389 275 (Mon., 6:00-8:50 p.m.), Survey Research in Education/EPSY6302 275(Wed. 6:00-8:50 p.m.), and Qualitative Research Methods/ EPSY6304 275 (Tues., 6:00-8:50 p.m.).

If you are interested in any of these courses, contact Patsy Fisher at 805-227-2554.



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### Seventh grade Mules defeat Slaton, finish second in district

**By DELTON WILHITE** Journal sportswriter

The seventh grade Mules finished second in the district

went around the end to add the 2-point conversion and tie the game at 8-8.

Slaton returned the ensuwith a record of 7-2-1. The ing kick 73 yards to retake field. Vasquez plunged in the lead 14-8 just before intermission.

22-14 advantage with 1:32 left in the third period.

Head recovered the Mules second on-side kick at midfrom the three after he had gained 44-yards up the middle. W. Wood tossed to L. Wood for the 2-point conversion for the final points of the night.

Education Governance/

Mules defended their home turf by defeating the Slaton Tigers 30-14 Thursday night.

The Mules took the opening kick and drove to the Tiger 39 before stalling out. The Tigers went 61 yards on their first offensive play to jump in front 8-0.

Dillon Gallman stopped the Tiger's version of the hammer for short yardage. Wes and Lane Wood teamed up to push Slaton back a yard before a quarterback sneak was stopped short of a first down.

W. Wood rambled 52 yards on a quarterback option down the Slaton sideline. Victor Vasquez covered the final 15-yards to paydirt with back-to-back-to-back blasts up the middle. Vasquez

Austin Wright recovered the Mule's on-side kick to begin the second half. L. Wood went up the middle for 14 yards and Vasquez added 24 more. Vasquez tied the game at 14-14 with a 1-yard blast off tackle.

Marshal Head recovered a Tiger fumble on the Slaton 44. The Mules gave the ball back to the Tigers with a fumble on the Tiger 14. L. Wood stuffed the hole for a 2-yard loss to force Slaton to punt.

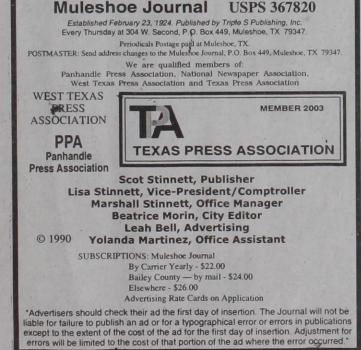
L. Wood squirted through a hole in the middle of the Slaton line for a 50-yard TD romp. W. Wood tossed to Gallman for the 2-point conversion to give the Mules a

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## Neugebauer testifies against control of aquifer

WASHINGTON, DC -Randy Congressman Neugebauer told a congressional panel Thursday that proposed legislation to coordinate local water research and conservation efforts at the federal level is bad for West Texas.

Neugebauer testified at a House Resources Subcommittee Hearing concerning legislation approved by the Senate that establishes a new federal program in the U.S. Geological Survey.

S. 212 the "High Plains Aquifer Hydrogeologic Characterization, Mapping, Modeling and Monitoring Act," essentially duplicates the effort already underway by federal and state programs involved with studying, mapping and modeling the High Plains Aquifer. Neugebauer reaffirmed his belief that ground water resources are a local resource and should be managed on a local level.

"Communities in the Texas High Plains depend on the Ogallala Aquifer for drinking water and farmers depend on it for irrigation

water to supplement the 18 to 20 inches of annual rainfall in order for the region to maintain its agriculture productivity," Neugebauer said.

"West Texans know that this is an invaluable and limited recourse that must be protected. Locally coordinated efforts, not federal managed ones, are the best means to extend the life of the Ogallala Aquifer and these efforts are already having positive effects on water conservation," Neugebauer said.

The Ogallala is the main

geological unit of the High Plains Aquifer that covers 174,000 square miles under parts of eight states: Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, Wyoming and South Dakota. Nearly two million people depend on the aquifer for their drinking water.

Lloyd Arthur, a Crosby County farmer representing the Texas Farm Bureau and Kim Conkwright from Lubbock with the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District also testified against the bill.

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of the boys' game. Five ticket winners will shoot from any MARKED spot they choose. Contestant must remain inside of hoop on \$100 shots. Half-court shot contestants can't pass the half-court line. If no one makes the \$200 shot, \$200 will be added to the half-court shot each home game. (The halfcourt contest shot will be capped at \$1,000.) Tickets may be pre-purchased at M-Pyre Auto or purchased at the game.



### **URSING HOME NEWS**

Anita Johnson directed the craft class Thursday morning. The residents decorated canvas bags with fall stamps and paint.

Zona Gatewood came to play the piano as the residents sang along Thursday morning. Janis Morrison directed the singing.

Monica Clements directed the exercise class Friday morning. The residents were wearing fall costumes for the most part. Following the class, the residents were assisted to "trick or treat." Liz Worm, Cindi Parker, Ruth Kitchens, Alta Gore and Jim Kee lead the trick or treat parade.

The Trinity Baptist Church hosted a "Fall Fest"

ion and singing service Sunday afternoon.

Brenda Guzman's F.C.S. class from Muleshoe High School came Monday to play bingo with the residents and decorate the halls for Thanksgiving.

On November 11, Veteran's Day, Jack Stone and Basil Nash will direct a special Veteran's Day service. The staff wishes to honor all veterans, especially those who live in Park View. Residents having served our country are Leonard Kerr, Guy Kendall, Alvin Isaacson, Rick Hunter, Jim Kee, Clifton Finley, Curtis Daniell and Earl Falkington.

Norma Eaves visited Park

Baptist Church gave a donation to Park View.

Harold and Mary Jo Burge and Buster Kittrell served coffee and donuts to the residents Wednesday morning at "Coffee Time."

Cody Favor, Buster Kittrell and Loyce Killingsworth directed the devotional and "singspiration" time.

Glenda Jennings, Jackie Scoggin and Joyce Bristow directed our sing-along Wednesday afternoon.

Friday, Lawrence and Nelda Sours visited Grace Plyer. Buster and Wanda Kittrell visit her several times a week.

Rose Sain visited Nan

Lasiter's hair and visited Juanita Teague and Mollie Johnston.

Hazel Jacops returned to Park View Sunday after being hospitalized in the local hospital.

Mary Halt was given a perm by Linda Flores Wednesday.

Josie Ovalle gave Clara Coffman a new perm Monday.

Alliene Lasiter received a visit from her grandson, Chris Lasiter, Wednesday.

Elzie Darland was visited recently by her niece and husband, Imagene and Calvin Willis, and their friend, Doris.

Johnnie Kimbrough is in Gatlin and Jewel Peeler Fri- the local hospital. The staff requests that everyone remember her and her family in their prayers.

for the residents Friday afternoon. The church prepared games of pumpkin bean bag and pick-a-duck. Prizes were given to each person participating. Refreshments of sweet bread Henderson, Pat Clark, and punch were served to all. The staff of Park View wish to say "Congratulations" to the costume winners, George and Clydetta Mitchell (Roy & Dale Evans); Alliene Lasiter (Madam Witch); Mary Johnson (Lady in Red); and Jewel Peeler (Chinese Clown).

Buster Kittrell came Friday morning to cut the men's hair.

Gladys Wilson went out for lunch with her daughters, Diane Brown, Marrita and Kathy Wilson Friday.

Ardith Long celebrated her birthday Friday afternoon.

The United Methodist Church directed a CommunView Thursday afternoon. Rev. Gary and Judy

Hubbard directed the special praise and worship service Tuesday morning.

Josie Ovalle, Ruby Beverly Wagnon, Pat Watson, Edna Pearson, Dolores Garrett, Mary Jo Burge and Eva Nell Dale came Tuesday afternoon to shampoo and set the ladies hair. Beverly Wagnon, Pat Clark and Josie Ovalle gave hair cuts.

Harold Burge and Joe Embry were among Park View's visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Vada Alexander was visited this week by her daughter, Sharon Dale, and granddaughter, Diane Skipworth.

April Smith's computer lab class from M.H.S. made the November Activity Calendar.

The Follower's Sunday School class from the First

cattle, swine, goats, horses

**Crop Disaster Program** The office has not re-

ceived notice of a final date

to file for disaster benefits for

2001/2002 crop years. Those

who have not called or have

not visited the office to set

up an appointment, please do

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ing the second half of the Final Direct Payments for 2003

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**GRICULTURAL NEWS** 

**COC Election Information** Ballots, for COC election for LAA-2 (B Community), will be mailed to all eligible voters by November 18,

2003. December 1, 2003 is the last day to return voted and signed ballots to this office. Please take time to vote and return the ballot by the December 1 deadline. Remember signatures, using Powers of Attorney, are not acceptable for voting.

#### Livestock Assistance Program

The final date to apply for

day.

Pat Young came Wednesday and fixed Alliene

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### Physician-Driven. Patient-Oriented. Goal-Directed.

assistance for the livestock program has been extended to November 21, 2003. This applies to producers who suffered grazing losses in either 2001 or 2002. Producers will be paid for the year with the higher benefits. Livestock must be owned 90 days prior to becoming eligible. Eligible livestock are are being issued if they were requested when the 2003 contract was signed. DCP Signup for 2004 Signup for the 2004 DCP will continue through June 1, 2004. Advance direct payments may be received from December 2003 through September 2004. Producers must apply for DCP annually.

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Courtesy photo: Buddy Embry

Members of the Blackwood Gospel Quartet joke with the crowd at Trinity Christian Center Church in Muleshoe Sunday, November 9. The nationally known gospel group made an impromptu stop at the church on their way to Amarillo from Clovis, NM. Members of the quartet (pictured left to right) Mark Blackwood, Wayne Little, Ken Turner and (not pictured) Dean Haskins mixed music, song and humor to captivate the audience. Bass singer Ken Turner "wowed" the crowd by singing four notes lower than what is considered humanly possible.

#### **CENIOR CITIZENS NEWS**

Forty people turned out last Tuesday for the morning games at the Senior Center. The game of choice for most seems to be "42," although many played dominoes or card games. Hostesses bring refreshments for this special time. Of course, all are invited for games, exercise or walking on the comfortable smooth carpet on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. The Library at the center continues to grow and many are taking books home to read and picking up additional books as they return those they've read.

Senior ladies will be joining their friends at the Catholic Center on Thursday morning to make tamales, beginning at 7:30 a.m. All those who have placed orders for tamales may pick them up at the Oneita Wagnon Senior Center on Main Street after 1:00 p.m. this Thursday, November 13. The center will be open until 5:30 p.m.

Future plans include a bake sale in mid-December, and ringing the bells for the Salvation Army buckets in the Christmas season.

Our local Home Health office is planning regular activities for the center as well as being a part of the Health Fair planned for January.

In February, the center will host a Three-in-One Tournament which includes, bridge, "42" and dominoes.

On Thursday, December 11, the center will have a big Christmas Pot Luck lunch for all seniors, 60 and over. Seniors are asked to bring a favorite dish There will be entertainment also, as well as a short business meeting. The center will host their monthly noon Pot Luck every second Thursday.

### Eighth grade Mules pancake Slaton, win third district title By DELTON WILHITE end zone as time expired in

Journal sportswriter

The eighth grade Mules downed the Slaton Tigers Thursday night 28-6 to take their third straight district title. The Mules finished the season with an 8-2 record.

Neither team could break the scoring ice in the first period but the Mules forced the Tigers to punt as the second period began. Garrett Riley connected with Amado Flores and Julio Bustillos to move the Mules from their 20 to the 42.

Riley connected with Flores for a second time on the drive with a 54-yard scoring toss and run with just under four minutes left in the half.

The Mules again forced Slaton to give up the ball on the Mule 39. Flores made a sliding catch on the Tiger 25 for a 36-yard gain. On the next play, Flores out raced the defense to the pylon in the corner of the

### **Mules pound Slaton**

### By DELTON WILHITE Journal sportswriter

The Mules said goodbye to 14-seniors Friday night with a 33-0 shutout of the Slaton Tigers. Playing only for pride, the Mule defense held the Tigers to only two first downs and 48-yards of offense.

The Mules gained 250 yards on the ground with Juan Reyes running for 103 yards on 12 attempts. Landon Sheets completed five passes for 94 more for a total of 344-yards of offense. Canaan Heinrich itle Once a decade infected with and-throw-aw

end zone as time expired in the first half.

Jared Mendoza powered up the middle for the 2point conversion to give the Mules a 14-0 advantage at intermission.

Richard Rojas returned the kick to start the second half to the Mule 37. Creston Standard pancaked the outside linebacker to free Flores for a 71-yard TD scamper off tackle. Riley hit Colby Carpenter for the 2-point conversion to push the Mule lead to 22-0.

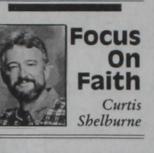
The Tigers scored their only points with a five-yard quarterback keep with just under three minutes left in the third period. Jordan Marlow picked off a Tiger pass on the Slaton 38. The Tigers returned the favor and intercepted a Riley pass on the Tiger seven.

Colton Heinrich stepped in front of a Slaton receiver in the flat and raced 25 yards for the Mules final tally with only 32 seconds on the clock.

Brian King dropped the Tiger's for an 8-yard loss on their final offensive play. Miguel Castorena, Edwardo Pullido and Glen Scott each had the opportunity to play in the Mule backfield in the closing

### "Do Not Store Up for Yourselves" Junk!

Once a decade or so, I get infected with a clean-upand-throw-away sort of mood. A friend whose spiritual gift is "culling out junk" (and who is far more gifted than anybody I've seen on "Trading Spaces") has got some great ideas for



a facelift for my office/ study, but before anything like that could even begin to happen, we had to find the office.

As last week began, that area of the church looked like some archaeological site near Tel Aviv-maybe Tel Ashelburne, or something. Underneath various mounds were generations of accumulated junk and debris and more than a few historical artifacts such as football schedules from 1997 and Christianity Today magazines from at least as far back as 1977

hard for me. Yes, I will readily admit that since last week's cleaning, my little hobbit hole of an office (small but homey) looks better than it has in years, even before any real facelifting. (You should come by and see it, just in case this doesn't last.) It looks really good and now boasts at least a few empty flat surfaces.

Throwing stuff away is

Yes, I admit that I still have a leaning tower of eight file boxes stacked in one corner. Even after I carted several large trash bags of junk out the door and to the dumpster, some of the stuff I culled had to go somewhere before being finally consigned to the trash. I might need some of that stuff. And I'll work my way through it-I hope before it falls on me. (Actually, it would be safer with one more box sandwiched on top to anchor it firmly to the ceiling. Hmm.)

In the midst of the cleaning frenzy, I found a couple of books I'd almost forgotten I had. From one large pile of junk I rescued one of them with the title, Five Days to an Organized Life. The other one was actually up on a shelf behind some old pictures. It's a book entitled The Now Habit and is about dealing with procrastination. I plan to get around to reading it someday when I've got an organized life.

By no stretch of the imagination could you call much of the stuff I've accumulated over the years "treasure." (Even though lots of it was deeply buried.) Still, Christ's warning about moth and rust and thieves and not piling up for ourselves stuff that really doesn't matter, is something I need to ponder. In this case, though, if you know a good thief, he could save me some trouble. I might just give him a call-and a key.

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



#### By DELTON WILHITE Journal sportswriter

Mae Simmons Park was damp and cool Saturday morning as the 169 class 3A runners broke in mass from the starting line. All seven members of the Lady Mule cross-country team ran a personal best for an average time of 13 minutes and 12.80 seconds.

The Lady Mules finished seventh behind Canyon, Borger, Bowie, Ballinger, Decatur and Little Elm. Canyon claimed the gold and silver individual medals with times of 11:41 and 11:45.

Ashley Gutierrez led the Lady Mules with a 16th place finish in a time of 12:34 and defeated both district opponents that had finished ahead of her in the district meet. Chelsi Hawkins was next for the Lady Mules in 33rd with a time of 12:59.

Jessica Withrow, Kate Lepard and Brandi Wood finished 57th, 58th and 60th with times of 13:28, 13:29 and 13:34 respectively. Sara Benham placed 86th and Sarah Sexton was 94th. They completed the course in 14:10 and 14:22.

"When I saw where our girls were placing I was

getting disappointed, but when I saw their times I was very pleased," said Lady Mule cross-country coach Carey Sudduth.

Ladies' cross-country

team finishes seventh

"Each girl had a personal best today and you can not ask for more than that. I was really proud of our kids. They competed well and did all they could do today. It was an extremely fast field."

"Ashley's (Gutierrez) time would have put her in the top 10 individuals last year and our team time would have put us in the top three. I have been proud of this team's effort all year. They worked very hard with a smile on their face and never complained."

"It is good to have a goal and sometimes you do not reach that goal. We were disappointed about missing our goal, but the girls stepped up and competed. The girls really grew up."

Sudduth concluded, "The value of athletics was illustrated today in that you work hard and do the best you can, then you are successful. We will build on that success next year as Sara Benham is our only senior. Good girls just keep coming through our system." made two grabs for 56 yards and one TD.

The two team's offenses sputtered in the first period. Sheets connected with Heinrich for a 25yard TD toss and run with 4:33 left in the second period. Miguel Nuñez kicked the point-after to give the Mules a 7-0 advantage.

Brady Black blasted over from the 1-yard line prior to intermission and M. Nunez's kick was good to give the Mules a 14-0 margin. Black returned to the end zone at the 10:43 mark of the third period with a 9-yard run.

The Tigers only ran five plays on offense in the third period as the Mules controlled the ball and the clock.

Brant Hamilton faked a hand-off and rolled around right end on an option play. He out ran the Tigers to the goal line on the first play of the final period. A 15-yard penalty moved the Mules back on the extrapoint attempt.

M. Nunez split the uprights from 35-yards out to give the Mules a 27-0 lead with 11:54 left in the season. Reyes completed the night's scoring with a 9yard hammer play. at any participating merchant or any local church.

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### Local woman attends classes; gets promoted **By VANETA GREGORY**

Journal writer

Deb Stone, who began working as Justice of the Peace Herman Morrison's secretary in January, has been promoted to justice of the peace clerk recently.

Stone attended a 20 hour seminar that was presented by Texas Justice Court Training Center in Austin on October 21-24. Classes she took included the following: Welcome to the Judiciary, Representing Your Judge, Fundamentals of Civil Law, Traffic Cases, Non-traffic Cases, Evictions, Financial Management, Miscellaneous Dockets, Fundamentals of Criminal Law and Courtroom Security.

"Courtroom Security is the one I enjoyed the most," said Stone. "It was very interesting. They really made a point to let us know that problems begin when you think nothing terrible would happen in our town"

When asked what the difference was between the two positions, Stone commented, "I can visit more with the public and help with cases. I used to do only what Judge Morrison told me to do."

According to Stone, the office in Muleshoe hasn't had any problems dealing with irate individuals.

"Sometimes they are angry with police officers but mostly they are just confused about fines and new laws," she said. "I just listen and treat them with respect while letting them know I cannot change the circumstances."

"We have received many calls about the new laws which took effect in September," she continued. "The fines went up and people are confused."

Deb and her husband, Jack, have pastored the First Assembly of God Church in Muleshoe for the past eight years. "I like dealing with people," she said, "And I think that experience has helped me with this job too."

Stone will have to attend similar training sessions once a year in order to fulfill the continued education requirements of the new position.

The Stones have three adult children: Misty Hull, who is a professor of psychology at Pike's Peak Community College in Colorado Springs, Colo.; Micha Stone, who is the director of human resources at Cascade Resorts in Vail, Colo.; and Joey Stone, who is currently working on a registered nurse degree at Texas Tech University.

Have a compliments, complaint, or suggestion to air? Letters to the Editor make a difference! Send yours to P.O. Box 449, Muleshoe, Texas 79347. Attn: Marshall Stinnett.

### BELIEVE

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munity. One project that has already begun is the Mentoring Program. The foundation will hold another meeting for those who are interested in mentoring young children on Saturday, November 15 at 9 a.m. in the Muleshoe State Bank meeting room. Soon, a hotline will be established for people to call to get help, volunteer to help or to make donations. Eventually, the foundation would like to form contracts with individuals to help somehow or to get help if they need it. Also, they want to get motivational speakers to come to the schools and encourage Muleshoe's youth. The Muleshoe Community Foundation wishes to insure that all people have the opportunity to succeed in the things that are important to them. "We 'BE-LIEVE' we can establish a place where we can connect as a community regardless of race, sex, socioeconomic status, or religion," Graves said. "This will be an ongoing process," she said. "I don't know where we are going to get the money but I 'BE-LIEVE' we can find a place downtown for the kids to go after school. We haven't found it yet but it's out there somewhere." The 'BELIEVE' campaign is still in the planning stages but as they make progress, the Muleshoe

Community Foundation Crown, Martha Hunnicut, will let the community know through the local media. In the meantime, Kaltwasser,

### **Pep Community holds Thanksgiving Festival**

The Pep Community will hold their 58th annual Thanksgiving Festival to be held on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 27 at St. Philip Neri Parish Hall in Pep, Texas. Pep is located in Hockley County on Highway 303; coming from Highway 54, turn south onto Highway 303; coming from Highway 114, turn north onto Highway 303.

The Pep Community comes together for a time of giving thanks by celebrating with a meal of Pep's famous German sausage and turkey with all the trimmings. This is the perfect day to welcome neighbors and friends from far and near to join the community for a day of good food and fellowship.

The dinner will be served from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Cost for adult plates will be \$7 and plates for children under 10 will be \$3. Take out plates will be available until 2 p.m. at the cost of \$7.

This year's festivities will include a Country Store

### **OSPITAL NEWS**

Muleshoe Area Medical Center reports the following patient load:

October 31-Lulu J. Crown, Thomas V. Dosher, Colt Ellis, Richard Gray, Barbara Lewis, Audrey L. Smyer and Isela Viernes.

November 1-none reported

November 2-none reported

November 3-Lulu J. Crown, Baby Franco, Johnnie Kimbrough, Doraluz Rodriguez and

November 4-Sadie L. Armendariz, Lulu J. Blaine E. Hurtado, Bonnie Johnson, Gilbert A. Johnnie filled with homemade crafts, homemade baked goods and a fishpond and grab bags for the children.

An auction of various donated items will start at 2 p.m. in the dining room followed by the raffle drawing. Items on the raffle include \$500 in cash donated by the parish council, a queen-size hand stitched quilt donated by the Altar Society and \$250 in gift certificates to various Lubbock restaurants donated by the Knights of Columbus. Raffle tickets are \$1 each or 12 tickets for \$10. A donation of \$1 for one ticket will give you a chance at all three prizes. Winners need not be present to win. Raffle tickets may be purchased from any parish member before or during the festival.

For more information, contact Anna Belle Walker at 806-933-4696, Terri Narramore at 806-227-2517 or Lonnie Geisler at 806-893-4204. For sausage information, contact

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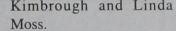




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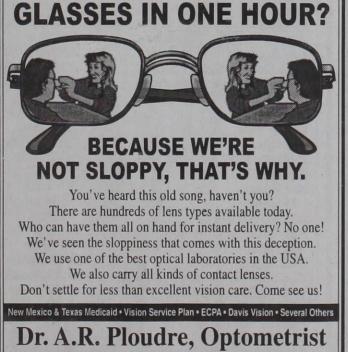
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anyone who 'BELIEVE's they can make a difference by volunteering, donating money or proposing ideas to help better our community can call Gary Sirkel at 272-3294.



November 5-Donna Avent, Lulu J. Crown, Jackie Denham, Martha Hunnicut, Blaine E. Hurtado, Gilbert A.





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#### **BITUARY**

#### **OUIDA LOWERY**

Memorial services for Ouida Lowery, 80, of Lubbock were held No-

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Lowery

Lubbock with Gregg Hardman officiating. Burial was in the Bailey County Cemetery in

Muleshoe. Ellis Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Mrs. Lowery was born May 1, 1923 in Oklahoma. She married W. B. Lowery in Farwell on December 30, 1944. She died Wednesday, November 5, 2003 in Lubbock.

She moved to Lubbock from Burleson, Texas in 1964. She was a homemaker and a Jehovah's Witness.

She is survived by her husband of Lubbock; three

#### to perform in azbuddie

Grammy award winning artist Jody Miller will appear in concert on Sunday, November 23 at 10:30 p.m. The performance will be held at Lazbuddie Methodist Church, located at 665 FM 1172 in Lazbuddie.

Miller has traveled with Bob Hope and sang at the Inauguration Ball in Washington. Her records have been played on jukeboxes and radio stations across the country. She's received the highest accolades from her peers, and the most prestigious of all recording industry honors, a Grammy Award. But her address is not Hollywood or New York City. It's Blanchard, Oklahoma.

Miller has been in and out of the spotlight for 40 years. In her prime she rivaled Reba McEntire for radio airplay. Through it all, she has kept her down-home humility.

While she's been off the music charts for a while, she's poised for a comeback. A new single, CD and DVD are in the works, and it couldn't have come at a better time.

children.

"I feel like I've come full circle," she says. "I realized one day there's more to life than being on stage singing love songs or making money."

sons, Virgil Neal Lowery

of Plainview, Samuel

Floyd Lowery and Henry

Allen Lowery, both of

Lubbock; a daughter,

Cathie Yvonne Nissen of

Flower Mound, Texas:

and a sister, Leveta West

of Brownfield. She is also

survived by 13 grandchil-

dren and five great-grand-

death by a sister, Amy

Urisa Nichols; and three

brothers, Chester, Paul

and Lester Tandy.

She was preceded in

Her new single "Higher" will be available for radio airplay October 21 and her new CD of the same name will be available at Christian Bookstores and Walmart just in time for Christmas.

For more information. please contact Lazbuddie Methodist Church at 965-2121.

Dimmitt merchants will

greet visitors on Wednes-

#### **DUBLIC RECORD**

#### MULESHOE POLICE

**October 13** Alvarado Sergio Morales, 19, DWI. **October 30** George Garcia, 17, possession of dangerous drugs. November 1 Natalia Dion Leal, 20,

DWI. Jorge Alejandro D. Mireles, 20, driving under the influence.

November 2 Oscar Cano, 32, driving under the influence. November 3 Jorge Alejandro D. Mireles, 20, DWI. November 6 Adrian Jacinto Flores, 18, criminal trespass. SHERIFF'S OFFICE

November 2 Andre Rodriguez, 50, public intoxication.

November 4 Tan Phuc Nguyen, 52, terroristic threat.

STATE POLICE October 31 Joseph S. Savage, 19,

public intoxication. Traver Thron, 19, driv-

ing under the influence. November 2

Cruz Everado Morales,

### Santa to visit downtown Dimmitt, November 20

The stores are decorated and the lights are in place. Santa is on his way for his annual "Christmas visit" to the gazebo in downtown Dimmitt, set for Thursday, November 20 at dusk.

Leading up to his arrival, Dimmitt students under the direction of Elaine Hazel will present a musical program on the square (at approximately 5:45 pm). First

Bank of Muleshoe and First United Bank will furnish refreshments.

Santa's visit will conclude a two-day event sponsored by the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce which opens the holiday season in Dimmitt. "This year's theme is 'Here Comes Santa Claus," said **Dimmitt Chamber Director** Valeria Davis.

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Participants in the opening event to date are: AnBartlett, J&J Car Care, KDHN Radio, Lowe's Pay & Save, Mi Angel Boutique, Mr. Burger, Running M Boots & Bath, Seale Florist, Sonic, Subway, Tots & Teens, Unique Gifts and More and The Village Shop.

"We want to invite everyone to welcome Santa to Dimmitt and to enjoy the sights and sounds of the season," said Dimmitt Chamber President James Baker. "The welcome mats are out."

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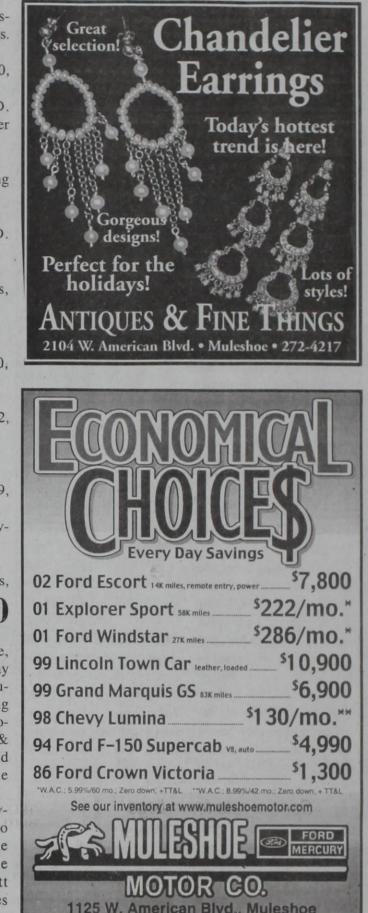
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Eleventh grade - Alex Loucks.

Tenth grade — Zeth Collom and Shelley York. Ninth Grade — Laurie Davis and Logan McCurry. "A-B" Honor Roll Twelfth Grade — Alyssa **Jack Stone** releases fifth CD

Jack Stone, pastor of First Assembly of God Church in Muleshoe, has released a new CD entitled "Footsteps." This is the fifth CD he has released.

"I am proud of my wife, Deb, who did the music for all of the songs except one," said Stone.

Stone laid down the vocals at Benson Sound in Oklahoma City, and J. C. Sound in Garland, Texas put the music together with the vocals.

Anyone wishing to purchase a copy can call the church at 272-3017 or stop by at 521 South First Street in Muleshoe.

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Eleventh Grade -Bonnie Bagwell and Erik Olvera.

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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 noon.

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Bigham, Inc., Amherst	12 BIK. SITS	443 IDS. at \$120.00
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Tim Addison, Plains	4 Brang. strs	4/4 lbs. at \$109.00
Dale Demel, Sudan	2 Mxd. bulls	493 lbs. at \$109.00
Isreal Vasquez, Muleshoe	Red str	605 lbs. at \$96.00
NM Ranch	7 Blk. strs	614 lbs. at \$100.00
NM Ranch	22 Blk & Char. str	s 765 lbs. at \$98.50
Owen Young, Levelland	7 Blk. strs	688 lbs. at \$93.00
NM Ranch	13 Blk. hfrs	319 lbs. at \$114.00
Bigham, Inc., Amherst	5 Blk. hfrs	319 lbs. at \$122.00
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Robert McCurry, Springlake	Blk. cow P5	\$615.00
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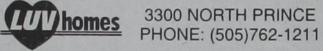
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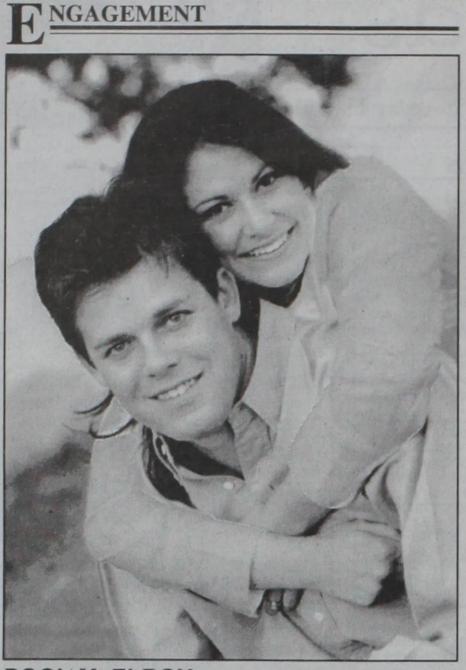


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### **POOL-McELROY**

Marshall Pool of Muleshoe and Tonya Pool of Lubbock announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ashley Tia, to Eric Forrest McElroy, the son of Don McElroy of Muleshoe and the late Lisa McElroy.

The couple will be married at the Historic Baker Building in Lubbock at 7:30 p.m. on December 20, 2003.

The future bride and groom are both Muleshoe

son of Estral and Marguerite McElroy of Ralls, Texas and the late Mills G. and Helen Voris.



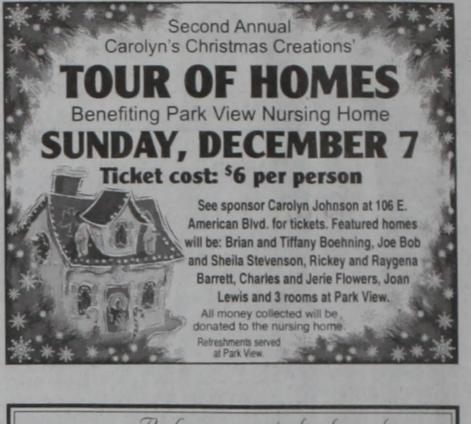
### Abracadabra!

Joe Laubach, also known as magician Joe Presto, visited Muleshoe Area Public Library on Tuesday, November 4. He has been a magician for 30 years. He became interested in magic at the age of ten when he accidently discovered a book on magic in a public library. Most of the magic he performs he learned from reading books. So, one could say that "reading is magic!" Zack Duncan helps Mr. Presto as he performs.

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Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sal quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a funeral spray, if so we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words, as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, We thank you so much - whatever the part. The Family of Derwin Beauchamp

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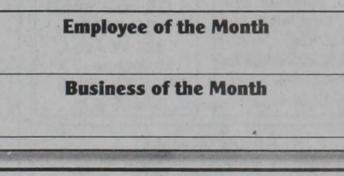
High School graduates. Eric received his bachelor's degree from Southern Methodist University and is employed at Irrigation Pumps and Power, Inc. in Muleshoe. Ashley is a senior at Texas Tech University.

Ashley is the granddaughter of Willie and Laverne James of Muleshoe, Mary Pool of Lubbock and the late W. M. Pool, II. Eric is the grand-





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