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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

Anything for free shoes

SCRANTON, Pa. - The 14-by-48-foot vinyl sign attached to the billboard was very clear:"Bring in this ad and you'll get a free pair of shoes."

So three people did exactly that. They took the sign down from the North Scranton Expressway and contacted Shoestrings, the store that purchased the billboard, to claim their free shoes.

Mary Ellen Coleman, general manager of Chancellor Media Group, which installed the sign, couldn't believe the 70-pound sign had disappeared until she drove by the billboard.

"It's funny but it's not funny," she said. "We understand the humor of all this. We're sort of humorous people ourselves." Coleman agreed to pay for three pairs of shoes in exchange for the undamaged sign.

"How can I prosecute? They did what we told them to do," she said with a laugh. A disclaimer will be placed on their next billboard.

Furby flury leads to lawsuits

NASHVILLE, Tenn. - Two angry shoppers are suing a Wal-Mart, claiming they were injured this past holiday season during a stampede for the Furby toy.

Sherry Smith and Jaquiline Dyer allege in the federal lawsuit that Wal-Mart didn't properly manage the crowd, which had lined up outside the store the day after Thanksgiving for the plush gremlin-like creature.

"Crowds gathered in anticipation, and they know that they've got 25 to 50 of the toys, and there are over 200 people waiting to get them," said attorney Joseph M. Dalton Jr., who represents Smith and Dyer.

Smith and Dyer are asking for \$250,000 each in compensatory damages for personal injuries, physical pain, suffering and mental anguish. Smith suffered a dislocated jaw and Dyer a knee injury, according to the lawsuit.

Superintendent may be announced May 4

A new Muleshoe School superintendent is expected to be hired at a special meeting of the School Board at 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 4.

The special meeting will begin with a closed session to discuss the hiring of a new superintendent. A School Board subcommittee visited Tahoka last Wednesday to talk to community members about MISD superintendent finalist David Loren Hutton. The subcommittee reported to the full board at a closed meeting

April 29. Hutton is one of two announced finalists for the job. The board has not scheduled a community visit to Grand Falls, where the second finalist, Charles Carter, is superintendent of Grand Falls-Royalty.

The May 4 meeting will be opened to the public following the executive session and action by the Board on a new superintendent is expected. The meeting will recess for a general faculty meeting at the High School Auditorium, at which time the new superintendent, if approved, could be introduced.

The meeting will resume at 4:30 p.m. for the Board to canvass the results of the May 1 election, to swear in newly-elected Board members, and to reorganize the Board leadership.

The new superintendent will replace Bill Moore, who will retire at the end of the school year. For more information on the meeting, contact Moore, 272-3389.



Stretcher full



Drawing date: Wednesday, April 28 Winning numbers: 01-05-11-29-31-50 Estimated jackpot: \$10 million Winners: none Next drawing: Saturday, May 1 Estimated jackpot: \$14 million

On this date in history

May 3 — The city of San Francisco is almost entirely destroyed by fire (1851).

May 4 - Dutch colonizer Peter Minuit lands on Manhattan Island and purchases it from the natives for \$24 worth of scarlet cloth and brass buttons (1626).

May 5 — John Scopes, a biology teacher in Tennessee, is arrested for teaching the theory of evolution (1925).

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EXTENDED FORECAST

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Missed your paper? Call carrier Melissa Flores at 272-6719 or the Journal during business hours, 8:30 am-5 pm.

Bailey County EMS personnel (from left) Benny Parker, Starla Ellis and Alex Garcia care for two young girls involved in accident Wednesday at the intersection of U.S. 84 and FM 1760. The pickup in which the girls were riding was broadsided when it pulled off 1760 in front of a semi-tractor trailer rig traveling east on U.S. 84.. A third young girl in the pickup was also transported to Muleshoe Area Medical Center. All three were treated and released. Report information on the accident was unavailable at press time Saturday.

Beef producers, packers meet to seek common ground

The Subcommittee on Livestock and Horticulture, led by Chairman Richard Pombo (R-CA), held a hearing this week to review issues surrounding mandatory livestock price reporting and its possible implications and benefits for both producers and packers.

In March, Agriculture Committee Chairman Larry Combest (R-TX) joined with Ranking Member Charlie Stenholm (D-TX) in issuing a statement calling on both packers and livestock producers to sit down and explore the possibility that a workable solution could be achieved. For the last

several weeks, key representatives from both groups have been meeting in an attempt to reach a mutually beneficial solution.

"Hopefully, everyone involved understands that an agreement pounded out among themselves is certainly preferable to any 'solution' that Congress would impose on them," Pombo said. "Currently, they now have ownership of this process — they are breaking down the barriers of suspicion and mistrust, and are examining and evaluating

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Committee to examine effects of sanctions on U.S. agriculture

House Agriculture agriculture and assess the Committee Chairman tradeopportunities devel-Larry Combest (R-TX) announced that the U.S. House Committee on Agriculture on June 9 will publicly examine the effect of sanctions on U.S. farmers and ranchers.

oped as a result of the **Clinton Administration's** action today tha restores the full potential for sales overseas by American

USDA Secretary of Agriculture Dan Glickman and Ambassador Stuart Eizenstat, State Department Under Secretary for Economic,

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House moves to aid dairy industry

The Texas house of Representatives voted this week to approve H.B. 2000 by Representative Bob Turner (D-Voss) in an effort to stabilize an ailing Texas dairy industry.

The bill, which would authorize Texas to join the emerging Southern Dairy Compact, now moves to the Texas Senate for approval. Senator Kenneth Armbrister (D-Victoria) introduced S.B. 737 earlier this session, a companion to HB 2000. If approved by the senate and signed by Governor Bush, congress must also give its blessing to Texas working with a group of eleven Southern states which have already approved

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Rolling Plains approves weevil eradication plan

AUSTIN - The Texas Department of Agriculture announced today that cotton producers in the Northern Rolling Plains Boll Weevil Eradication Zone have voted to establish a boll weevil eradication program in the 14-county zone. Final 785 voting "for" and 325 voting "against" establishing an eradication program.

In addition, producers in the zone voted to set a maximum annual assessment for the program not to exceed \$15 per planted row acre for irrigated cotton and \$10 per planted row acre for dryland cotton.

To officially establish a boll weevil eradication program in the Northern Rolling Plains Zone and set an assessment, the propositions had to be approved by a two-thirds vote, or those voting in favor needed to farm more than 50 percent of the zone's acreage.

"Producers in the Northern Rolling Plains have · Wheeler, shown they want an eradication program," said Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs. "We look forward to working with them

and the Texas Boll Weevil **Eradication Foundation in** eliminating this costly pest in Texas."

The Texas Department of Agriculture issued 1,975 ballots to cotton producers in the zone who were eligible to vote in the referendum. Some 1,121 valid ballots were postmarked by the April 22 deadline and counted.

Cotton producers also elected John Inman of Childress County to represent the Northern Rolling Plains Zone on the statewide board of directors for the Texas Boll Weevil

Eradication Foundation Inc. Inman is a cotton producer who farms in the zone and has been serving as the Commissioner-appointed director for the Northern Rolling Plains zone.

The Northern Rolling Plains Boll Weevil Eradication Zone consists of approximately 340,000 acres in 14 counties: Gray, Donley, Collingsworth, Hall, Childress, Cottle, King, Hardeman, Wilbarger, Wichita, Clay, Foard and portions of Archer.

AROUND MULESHOE

Hospital District candidates unopposed

The Muleshoe Hospital District has canceled its election scheduled for May 1.

Tim Campbell and Arline Phelps were the only candidates to file for election. The candidates will be sworn in at the May board meeting.

Dykes to speak at MHS athletic banquet

Texas Tech head football coach Spike Dykes is the featured speaker at the Muleshoe High School athletic banquet at 6:30 p.m. Monday, May 3, at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Tickets for the event are \$10 amd may be purchased at Muleshoe State Bank, First Bank or Williams Athletics. All tickets will be sold in advance. No tickets will be sold at the door.

The banquet is being catered by Susan Conklin with the help of the Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club.

Blood drive planned May 3 in Lazbuddie

The Coffee Memorial Blood Center will hold a blood drive Monday, May 3 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Lazbuddie Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

All persons from surround communities are asked to participate.

Council to swear in new members May 4

The Muleshoe City Council will meet Tuesday May 4 at 8 a.m. to canvass votes of the May 1 election and to swear in new members

A citizen audience with the Council is also scheduled, although no action is planned. The meeting is open to the public.

Elementary PTA to meet May 10 at DeShazo

Muleshoe Elementary PTA will meet on Monday, May 10 at 6 p.m. in the DeShazo Gym.

Officers for next year will be discussed. A school-wide talent show, hosted by DeShazo music teacher Mrs. McCall, is planned. Parents and student are invited to participate in the evening of entertainment and fun.

Lazbuddie Senior Luncheon set May 16

TheLazbuddie Senior Class will hold its May Luncheon Sunday, May 16, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Lazbuddie School Cafeteria.

The menu includes brisket, scalloped potatoes, red beans, tossed salad, homemade rols and homemade desserts. cost is \$6 for adults and "lite plates" at \$4. Takeouts are available. All proceeds go to the Lazbuddie Senior Class.

Muleshoe Little League schedules work night

A great deal of help is needed for work night at Muleshoe Little League's Roger Miller Park on May 5, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Workers are asked to bring their own equipment, such as rakes, hoes, shovels, wheelbarrows, etc.

For more information, call Cliff Black, 272-5109.

Sharp to speak at Red Raider Day

Texas Tech Lady Raider basketball coach Marsha Sharp will be the featured speaker at the annual Muleshoe Red Red Club's gathering Tuesday, May 25 at the Muleshoe Heritage Center.

Tournament appearance last season. She will be joined by Tech's Masked Rider.

Tickets for "Old Fashioned Tailgate Party, which features an all-you-can-eat steak dinner, will be \$25. Tickets for the party are available from local Red Raider Club members.

Cinco de Mayo to be celebrated at CCC

CLOVIS, NM- A concert featuring the Tejano band "Grupo Eclipse" will highlight the Cinco de Mayo celebration May 5 at Clovis Community College.

Mario Trujillo will be guest speaker for the celebration, while Dr. James Lee will be master of ceremonies.

The Hispanic Advisory Council will present scholarships to sudents of Hispanic decent who demonstrate academic achievement and express a desire to further their education. Following the scholarship presentation, soloist Mario Gonzales will perform. Grupo Eclipse, who have performed with such acts as La Differencia, Los Palominos, Gary Hobbs and David Lee Garza, will follow.

The events are free and open to the public. For more information, contact Beth DeFoor, 769-4115.

Lowe's to host charity golf tournament

LUBBOCK - Lowe's will host its annual Charity Golf Tournament to benefit the American Cancer Society July 12 at the Lubbock Country Club.

In its sixth year, the tournament has raised more than \$300,000 for the ACS.

Persons who wish to enter the event should do so early. Typically, the tournament roster is full by the end of May. The format is 4-person scramble with a \$1,000 gift certificate for the first place team. Second place pays \$800 and third pays \$500. The last place team wins \$750.

Cost is \$250 per player or \$1,000 per team. For information, contact the Lowe's Procurement office at (806) 793-3111 or (806) 793-6560.

Extension Dairy Day scheduled June 5-6

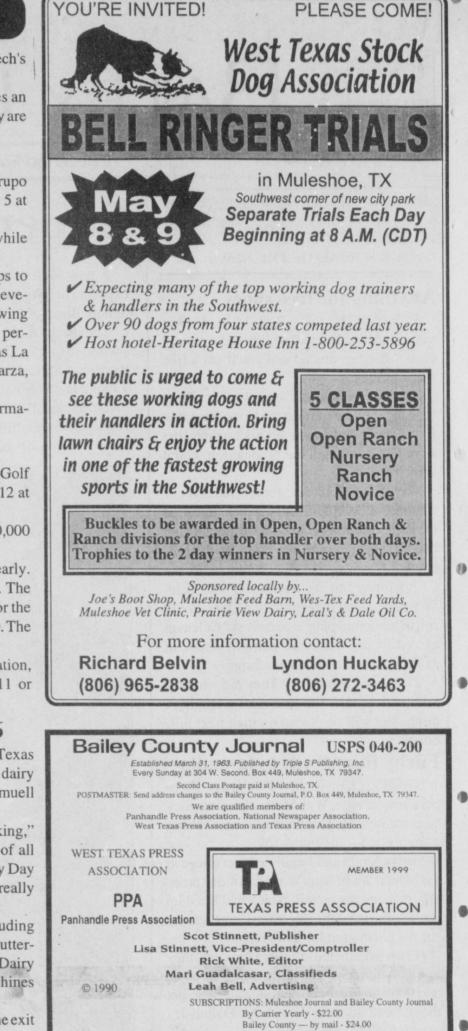
DALLAS — Dairy Day in Dallas, sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and supported by the local dairy industry, will be part of the Family Farm Festival at Samuell Farm June 5-6 from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

"One of our most popular events is always the cow milking," said Fred Burrell, Dallas County Extension agent. "Kids of all ages get a chance to try their hands' at milking a cow. Dairy Day is designed to let families show their children where milk really comes from. Samuell Farm is the perfect setting for that.

Dairy Day features free samples of milk products, including ice cream, cheese, yogurt, chocolate and white milk, even buttermilk. And, the mobile dairy classroom from the Southwest Dairy Museum will be on hand for demonstrations of milking machines and how dairy cows are cared for.

To reach Samuell Farm, take Highway 80 east to Belt Line exit and follow signs on the service road.

The deadline for items to appear in Around Muleshoe is 5 p.m. Monday for Thursday's edition and 5 p.m. Thursday for Sunday's edition. Items may be brought in to the office at 304 W. 2nd, mailed to PO Box 449, called in to 272-



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what the legitimate needs of the producer community are and how the packers can reasonably accommodate them."

"Nobody is more qualified to know better what will work than the affected parties themselves," Combest said. "Since we issued that statement, individual working groups have met together or talked in conference calls many times, and the process has led to a better understanding of each other's needs and concerns. I suspect the process has also helped each side refine their own goals as well."

Earlier this year, the full Agriculture Committee held a hearing on the subject of livestock prices which served as a

Cotton producers meet with state's congressmen

Eleven producers representing vast majority of Texas production regions met with 18 members of state's Congressional delegation and top USDA officials during visit to Washington. Producers explained serious economic situation facing industry and urged members to support restoration of funding for Step 2 of cotton's competitiveness program in visits which included offices of Sen. Gramm

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catalyst for many of the issues reviewed today. Witnesses from both the packer and producer communities discussed what role mandatory price reporting might play in enhancing price discovery and transparency in livestock markets.

"In the end, just by putting this issue behind them, each side will be better off," Pombo said. "I want to commend all parties involved for the progress that has already been made, and to offer any assistance and encouragement I can to finish the job."

Pombo represents the Eleventh District of California, which includes San Joaquin County and a part of Sacramento County

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Business and Agricultural Affairs, have confirmed their appearances at the House Agriculture Committee hearing.

"This is a significant opportunity for American farmers and ranchers to do what they do best - sell high-quality agriculture goods around the world. On June 9, our hearing may well determine whether today's action has been meaningful in setting up a process that will make these sales. Trade sanctions aim for the dictators and generals, but hurt American farmers and ranchers who work all season to sell food to starving people," said Combest. "Foreign policy should not use food as a weapon that backfires on the American producer, cutting off markets and destroying our reputation as a reliable supplier."

Chairman Combest welcomes today's announcement lifting economic sanctions for agriculture to allow sales of agriculture products to several countries in markets closed to American producers.

On March 19, Chairman Combest called for the president to use his administrative authority to modify agricultural sanctions placed on Iran, Libya, North Korea and Sudan. Potential sales of 1 million tons of corn and 1 million tons of wheat may be freed for U.S. sale to those nations as a result of today's announcement, according to the USDA.

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MISD offers acceleration testing

Muleshoe Independent School Disrict has established a process for credit by examination without prior instruction.

Any student, grades K-12, who wishes to receive credit for a class or a grade level and move to a new grade, may do so within the following guidelines. A test will be administered free of charge and will be approved, furnished and monitored by a representative of the Muleshoe Independent School District.

Elementary students must score 90% or more in areas of Language Arts, Math, Social Studies and Science to advance to the next grade.

Secondary students receive credit by scoring 90% or better on tests in individual classes, (i.e. English I)

Parents or legal guardians must notify the principal of the intention to test at least 30 days before the date of testing.

Elementary Students

Students in grades 1-5 must meet these three requirements to be accelerated:

1. The student scores 90 percent or above on the criterionreferenced test for the grade level to be skipped in each of the following areas: language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies;

2. A District representative recommends that the student be accelerated; and

3. The student's parent or guardian gives written approval of the acceleration.

High School and Junior High Students

To receive credit in an academic subject in grades 6-12 in which the student has received no prior instruction will require that the student score 90 percent or above on the test.

Muleshoe ISD will provide 3 testing days for acceleration purposes between July 1, and December 31, and 3 days between January 1 and June 30, annually.

The dates for Spring testing for 1999 will be June 10, 11, 12, 1999.

The Principal of the school must be notified of the intention to test by May 8, 1999.

The dates for the Fall testing for 1999 will be August 3, 4, 5, 1999.

The Principal of the school must be notified of the intention to test by June 29, 1999.

The dates for Spring testing for 2000 will be June 8, 9, 10, 2000.

The Principal of the school must be notified of the intention to test by May 8, 2000.

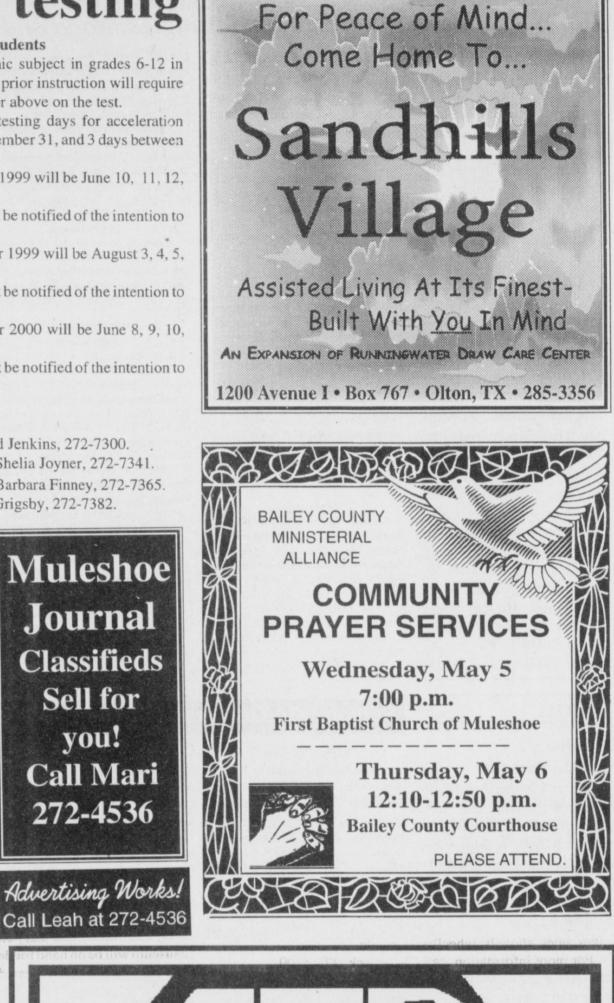
For more information contact:

- Muleshoe High School, David Jenkins, 272-7300.
- Watson Junior High School, Shelia Joyner, 272-7341.
- Mary DeShazo Elementary, Barbara Finney, 272-7365.

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• Dillman Elementary, Helen Grigsby, 272-7382.





Ready to Swing

The South Plains College western swing ensemble, the South Plains Playboys the Dixie Dewdrops, have three events to close out their 1998-99 season of performances. They will perform May 1 from 2-3 p.m. at the World's Largest Baby Shower on the parking lot at United Supermarket, at 5 p.m. May 1 for the Levelland Cowboy Gathering and Campfire Concert in Levelland City Park, and May 3 for SPC's annual Country Music Fest. The latter will be broadcast live at 6 p.m. on SPC-TV, cable channel 10. From left on the bottom row are Joe Carr, guitar, ensemble director; and Danny Williams from Levelland, guitar and vocals; from left on the middle row are Eric Swanson from Pullman, Wa., vocals and mandolin; Barbara Curry from Alpine, vocals and piano; Afna Dikeman from Tucson, Az., vocals and guitar; Sandy Parker from Levelland, vocals and guitar; Cody Luster from Eunice, N.M.; fiddle; and J.W. Knowles from Ropesville, fiddle; and from left on the top row are Curt Bilberry from Clovis, N.M., vocals and guitar; Bryan Chenault from Forreston, Texas, vocals and lead guitar, Mike Bownds from Littlefield, bass and vocals, and Larry Amos from Temple, drums.

ECONOMY

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R-TX), House Ag Committee Chairman Combest (R-TX) and Ag Committee Ranking Member Stenholm (D-TX).

The group urged USDA to act promptly to distribute disaster assistance and advised members of Congress that additional funding may be needed to fulfill any shortfall in disaster assistance, as well as to address continuing decline in farm income due to low prices. Producers also urged USDA and Congress to work to provide adequate production credit, ensure Farm Service Agency is properly staffed and that boll weevil eradication program is funded.

The message also included appeal for USDA and Congress to press EPA to implement Food Quality Protection Act in way that preserves public's confidence in food safety while not removing effective crop protection products unnecessarily. Support for trade policies that will stimulate US exports also was expressed.

Piano students qualify for state meet May 15

The piano students of Becky Jones played a recital Sunday, April 25 at the Lazbuddie Methodist Church. Each of the students played solos then performed a medley of Chopstick Variations with all the students participating. The day finished up with awards and duets. Students who performed and the awards they received were:

· Crescent Crawford, superior rating on solo at Pastorale in Lubbock, enabling her to compete at state in Fort Worth on May 15.

 Castle Crawford, superior rating on solo at Pastorale, state qualifier and an excellent rating on her duet.

· Brittney Schacher, superior rating on her solo at Pastorale and a state qualifier. She also received an excellent rating on her duet. · Kelli Harris, excellent rating on her solo at Pastorale.

·Kati Mimms, received a I on her class I solo at the UIL contest in Lubbock. She also received a rating of excellent in sight playing and piano duct at Pastorale.

· Scottie Brown, superior rating on her piano duet, qualifying her for state competition in Fort Worth.

 Jodie Coker received a I rating on her class II solo at the UIL competition in Lubbock. She also received an excellent rating on her piano duct at Pastorale.

• Leah Turner received a II on her class I solo at the UIL competition. She also received a rating of superior on her duet, qualifying her for state.

 Kelsey Jones, excellent rating on her Clarinet solo at the Pastorale contest.

The five state qualifiers will compete in Fort Worth at TCU May 15.

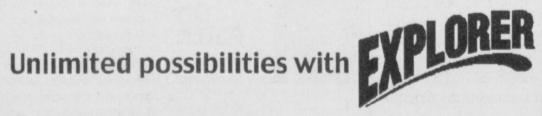
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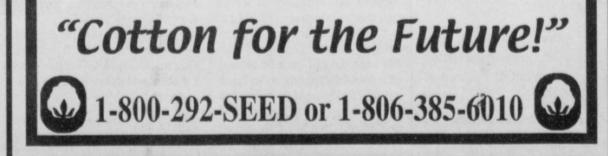
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MHS tennis team eliminated at Regional 1-3A tourney Tie-breaker losses halt Latham in singles; Wood and Lewis in doubles

ODESSA — Muleshoe High School players were eliminated after the first day of competition here Wednesday in the Region 1-3A tennis tournament.

Delwyn Latham was the lone first-round winner, defeating Daniel Fuentes of Monahans. He lost a tough, second set tie-breaker and was defeated in the quarterfinals by Ethan Moore of Abilene Wylie, 4-67-6 (7-1), 6-4.

Latham's teammate Jeff Bruns lost his first round match in three sets, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3 to Scott Pittman of Eastland.

In boys' doubles, the Mule pair of Eric Posados and Chris Vaughn were defeated by Ashish Chopra and Ben Hawkins of Monahans, 6-0, 6-4.

In girls' doubles, the Muleshoe team of Rhonda Copley and Amber Bruns was defeated in the first round by Stephanie Haynes and Lindsey English of Abilene Wylie, 6-3, 6-1.

Lady Mules Ellen Wood

and Cambri Lewis fell in a thirdset tie-breaker, 4-6, 6-4, 7-6 (7-4) to Ashlee Arnot and Gutierrez Ashley of Breckenridge.

Region I-3A Tournament

ODESSA — Wednesday's first-day results of the Region 1-3A Tennis Tournament, played at Odessa Country Club. The tournament concluded Thursday with the top two finishers in each division qualifying for the Class 3A State Tennis Tournament in Austin:

BOYS SINGLES First Round

Wes Lehman (2); Vernon, def. Brad Foster, Perryton, 6-1, 6-2; Scott Pittman, Eastland, def. Jeff Bruns, Muleshoe, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3; Josh Falcon (4), Crane, def. Chad Bonner, Whitney, 6-1, 6-1; Steven Bergen, Seminole, def. Anthony Parr, Clyde, 6-1, 6-0.

Delwyn Latham, Muleshoe, def. Daniel Fuentes, Monahans, score NA; Ethan Moore (3), Abilene Wylie, def. Michael Brian, Brownfild, 6-0, 6-2; Jacob Davidson, Eastland, def. Matt Johnson, China Spring 7-5, 6-4; John Leavitt (1), Vernon, def. Raymond Powers, Dimmitt, 6-0, 6-0.

Quaterfinals

Lehman (2), Vernon, def. Pittman, Eastland, 6-1, 6-0; Falcon (4), Crane, def. Bergen, Seminole, 6-4, 7-5; Moore (3), Abilene Wylie, def. Latham, Muleshoe, 4-6, 7-6 (7-1), 6-4; Leavitt (1), Vernon, def. Davidson, Eastland, 6-0, 6-1.

GIRLS SINGLES First Round

Christy Mares (1), Seminole, def. Keisha Bilberry, Abilene Wylie, 6-1. 6-2; Whiney Robinson, Vernon, def. Melanie Symons, Perryton, 6-3, 7-5; Megan Shawn (3), Monahans, def. Jessica Perez, Friona, 6-0, 6-1; Sarah Browning, China Spring, def. Sharyn Pederson, Cliffton, 6-4, 6-2.

Sandra Laumann, Tulia, def. Ginny Andrews, Brownfield, 6-2, 6-3; Ashley Hawk (4), clyde, def. Erin Armstrong, Monahans, 6-2, 6-3; Rachel Goins, Dublin, def. Ashley Roberts, Shallowater, 6-4, 1-6, 7-5; Pam gerik (2), West, def. Ruth Fitzgerald, Iawa Park, 6-1, 6-0. Quarterfinals

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BOYS DOUBLES First Round

Brett Petrass-Kevin Moore (2), Vernon, def. Joshua Roberts-Randy Neufeld, Seminole, 6-1, 6-1; Jaren Cunningham-Darin Stollings, Perryton, def. Howard Sexton-Daniel Gaddy, Hillsboro, score NA; Forrest McMillan-Tyler Vigil (4), Abilene Wylie, def. Dean Williams-Jeff Roberson, Clifton, 6-0, 6-0; Ashish Chopra-Ben Hawkins, Monahans, def. Eric Posadas-Chris Vaughn, Muleshoe, 6-0, 6-4.

Paul Nunn-David Streit, Vernon, def. Jonathan Espinoza-Florian Reul, Friona, 6-1, 6-2; Joshua Hilliard-Jason Box (3), China Spring, def. Cody Sandahi-Matthew Yates, Clifton, 6-1, 6-4; Drew Skinner-Robert Wilbur, Monahans, def. Joshua Silva-Oscar Rodriguez, Colorado City, 6-2, 7-5; Travis Adams-David Wu (1), Abilene Wylie, def. Jeremy Gage-Justin Joyner, Perryton, 6-0, 6-1.

Quarterfinals

Moore-Petross (2), Vernon, def.

Jason Blackerby, Breckenridge ... 80-75-155

Cunningham-Stollings, Perryton, 7-5, 6-1; Chopra-Hawkins, Monahans, def. McMillan-Vigil (4), Abilene Wylie, 6-7 (6-8), 7-6, (8-6), 6-1; Hilliard-Box (3), China Spring, def. Nunn-Streit, Vernon, 7-5, 6-1; Adams-Wu (1), Abilene Wylie, 6-2, 6-1.

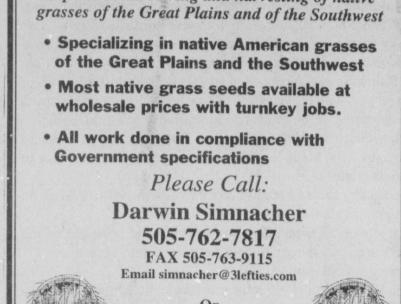
GIRLS DOUBLES First Round

Cindy Carr-Christy Quintero (1), Vernon, def. Rebecca Collard-Angie Senger, China Spring, 6-0, 6-2; Kristen Doss-Monica Ortiz, Dimmitt, def. Montgomery-Angela Stefani Rodriguez, Brownfield, 7-5, 6-2; Stephanie Haynes-Lindsey English (3), Abilene Wylie, def. Rhonda Copley-Amber Bruns, Muleshoe, 6-3, 6-1; Tarrah Oliver-Lynsey Stout, Monahans, def. Jaci Famero-Emily Connally, Breckenridge, 6-4, 3-6, 6-0,

Candy Valentin-Cynthia Hardy, Brownfiled, def. Tassy Ragsdale-Courney Nowlin, Perryton, 6-2, 6-0; Meredith Gooch-Lezli Schur (4), Vernon, def. Robin Dyer-Melinda Smith, China Spring, 6-0, 4-6, 6-3; Ashlee Arnot-Ashley Gutierrez, Breckenridge, def. Ellen Wood and Cambri Lewis, Muleshoe, 6-4, 7-6 (7-4); Shivawn Bilberry-Amy Hathorn, Abilene Wylie, def. Lecia Baker-Sandra Molinar (2), Monahans, def. 6-4, 5-7, 7-6, (7-5).

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Carr-Quintero(1), Venon, def. Doss-Ortiz, Dimmitt, 6-3, 6-2; Haynes-English (3), Abilene Wylie, def. Oliver-Staut, Monahans, 6-1, 6-21.; Gooch-Schur(4), Vernon, def. Valentin-Hardy, Brownfield, 6-4, 6-0; Bilberry-Hathorn (2), Abilene Wylie, def. Arnot-Gutierrez, Breckenridge, 6-2, 6-2.



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Lindale Cochran

Jason and Donna Cochran of Muleshoe announce the birth of a son, Brandon Lindale.

He was born at Muleshoe Area Medical Center April 19, 1999 at 1:26 p.m. He weighed 6 lbs. 12 oz. and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are David and Wendy Karnes of Dallas, Texas and Billy and Margrette Stevens of Seguin.

Great Grandparents are Mabel Speir and Helen Scharmann.

Region 1-3A Golf results

Region 1-3A Golf

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Pam Gerik, West 80-81-161
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Brandon has one brother, Devin Christopher.

ENMU to participate in scholarship program

Eastern New Mexico Univei ity in Portales is participating in the Wal-Mart Competitive Edge Scholarship Program. The scholarship is designed to assist academically talented students in pursuing technology-related degrees at Eastern.

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For more information, contact Lisa Obenhaus in the Office of Development at Eastern at (505) 562-2824.

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this fallen planet offers. From early in the morning to late at night, talking heads, talk shows, and news magazines walk us back through the blood and carnage. Over and over. Just when the Focus on Faith

Clinton mess was mercifully in the rear view mirror, here we go again with our frenetic media engaging in new feeding frenzies.

It would be one thing, you know, if the media deluge did any real good. I can't see that it does.

All that this week's focus on Colorado has done is create national paranoia. Of course, we need to do all we can to make our schools safe, and, of course, school violence is deplorable. But the fact is that across this nation statistically our kids are still safer in school than they are at home. That's a sad fact, but it is a fact, and it hasn't changed. What has changed is that this week the FBI must be chasing their own tails chasing down bomb threats. (It'd be a great week to rob a bank, though I don't recommend it). I know it won't happen, but the

This smaller world we live in is fact is that our nation would be beta mixed blessing. We can now ter off hearing a lot less about tragedies like the one in Colorado.

The mess in Kosovo is itself a matter for genuine tears. But I doubt our presence there is going to change a genuinely tragic scenario that's been going on for centuries. I am very sure indeed that, though I hope we're all much in prayer for the people there, and now for our own people there, I'm not willing to send even one son of my four to fight in a no-win war. Our nation should've had its fill of those. And if the media frenzy escalates the mess, this papa would vote for unplugging the TV.

Maybe next week I'll be more in the mood for mayhem, murders, massacres, madmen, and misbehavior. But I'm pretty much tired of hearing about them now, and switching channels is not difficult. Yes, I know. The Littleton parents and the Kosovo refugees can't switch channels, and when I think

about them, which has been often, I'll do the only really practical thing I can do. I'll pray. And I hope you do, too. That will help a lot more than bathing ourselves in broadcasted blood.

For now, I'm watching the weather channel and the home gardening channel, and I'm avoiding Peter Jennings and Ted Koppel like the plague.

I'm planning to spend more time with my kids. I'll be sure they're not building bombs. And I'll be praying they never have to dodge them.

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

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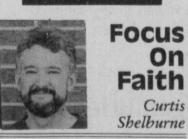
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Christy Holt, bride-elect of Michael Kendall

Christy Holt honored with shower April 24

Christy Lyn Holt, bride-elect Prather, Susie Claunch, Linda of Michael Kendall, was honored with a bridal shower on Saturday, April 24, in the home of Tona Simnacher.

Christy is the daughter of Cecil and Charlotte Holt of Muleshoe. Michael is the son of Sherri Kendall-Johnson of Lake Wylie, S.C.

The couple will marry May 29 at the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

Hostesses for the shower were Ricki Kelley, Becky Conklin, Tona Simnacher, Rhonda Kitchens, Chubby Douglass, Kay Field, Ronnie Bennett, Wanda Shafer, Linda Trussell, Sherri Shipman, Heather Shipman, Lindy Schuster, Sue Holt, Norma Lee, Jackie Scoggin, Nancy Barrier, Paula Braddock, Kay Graves and Kay Brantley.

Special guests attending the shower were Mrs. Paul Campbell, grandmother of the bride-elect, of Lubbock; Mrs. Alama Turner, grandmother of the prospective groom, of Muleshoe; Charlotte Holt, mother of the bride-elect; Sherri Kendall-Johnson, mother of the prospective groom; Charla Holt, sister of the bride-elect; Bessie Holt, aunt of the brideelect; and Sandy Turner and Rita Hawkins, aunts of the prospective groom.

Hostesses gifts were a vacuum cleaner and microwave.

POPS NEWS

OurTOPS#34co-leaderPolly Otwell, called the April 29 meeting to order and presided over it in the absence of leader Laverne James. The meeting was held at the Church of Christ on American Boulevard. Alma Richardson led the TOPS "Thinner You'll Be" song. Polly Otwell led the prayer and pledge. Last week's minutes were read secretary Janie Hughes.

recorders are Alene Bryant and Betty Jo Davis.

The best loser was Joline Franklin with Noemi Sanchez as first runner up. Linda White

OSPITAL ADMISSIONS

Muleshoe Area Medical Center reported admitting the following patients:

April 16 — Boy Chacon, Maria Chacon, Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Jesus Montiel Jr., Guadalupe Salas, Ellis Sterling, Gladys Thomas.

April 17 — Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Guadalupe Salas, Erma Smith, Ellis Sterling, Gladys Thomas.

April 18 — Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Erma Smith, Ellis Sterling, Gladys Thomas. April 19 — Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Ellis Sterling, Gladys Thomas, Donna Cochran, William Daniell.

April 20 — Baby Cochran, Donna Cochran, William Daniell, Freida Foss, Juan Garcia, Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Autumn Remington, Ellis Sterling, Gladys Thomas. April 21 — Maria Bara, Baby Cochran, Donna Cochran, William Daniell, Manuel Diaz, Freida Foss,

DEBEKAH NEWS

Noble Grand June Green called the Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge #114 meeting to order at 7:30 p.m., after a potluck supper. Ruby Green gave the opening prayer, and Patsy Chance called the roll with 10 members answering. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

It was reported that Brother Charles Lawrence from Lubbock went to see the doctor due to swollen feet.

Rebekah members still have tickets for sell for our raffle on May 6. Tickets are one dollar each or six for five dollars. The main item of this raffle is a quilt. We will have a traveling bake sale, Thursday morning before the drawing.

Vice Grand Mary Ann Ramirez with the Rebekah Creed, and 2 verses of the song "An Evening Prayer".

Clara Jones, Travis Lambert,

Gene Meador, Leslie Mills,

Nicholas Parra, Autumn

April 22 — Maria Bara,

Baby Cochran, Donna

Cochran, Clara Jones, Travis

Lambert, Oneida Lopez, Gene

Meador, Leslie Mills, Gladys

Thomas, Billy Weir, Moses

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Remington, Gladys Thomas.

The previous week, Rebekah's didn't have enough members to open lodge (April 20). Those present were June Green, Alene Bryant, Joyeline Costen, and Patsy Chance. Sylvia Lira went to Logan to a funeral and Ruby Garner worked in her yard and was too tired. The four sisters then went out to Tino's after locking the doors for the evening.

District Deputy President Mary Ann Ramirez, Ina Wilemon, Thursie Reid and Ruby Green went to Hereford. After a great meal, lodge was opened by Anna Conklin and there were 8 members to answer their roll call. May 25 the District Deputy will be going back to Hereford for a school of instruction.

Gladys Thomas.

April 27 — Oniria Gallegos, Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Hugh Young.

April 28 — Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Austin Wright, Hugh Young, Wesley Hawkins.

April 29 — Bessie Brooks, Wesley Hawkins, Clara Jones, Gene Meador, Hugh Young.



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Fourteen members weighed in at the meeting. The weight

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was announced as the second runner up.

A welcome is extended to anyone who thinks they might like to join TOPS. One free visit will also be given. We meet each Thursday at 6 p.m. at the Church of Christ on American Boulevard.

We missed those that weren't able to make it to lodge this week, hope to see you next week. With no further business the lodge was closed by Acting



OVIE MANASCO

Ovie Manasco, 91, of Muleshoe died Tuesday, April 27, 1999 at her grandson's residence in Clovis, NM.

Church services were held Friday, April 30 at New Vision Church of the Nazarene in Muleshoe with David Gray and Frank Parker of Muleshoe officiating. Burial was held at Bailey County Cemetery in Muleshoe under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Manasco was born October 12, 1907 in Polk County, Arkansas. She married Louis Manasco in Dequeen, Arkansas on December 5, 1925. He preceded her in death on December 31, 1977.

Mrs. Manasco moved to Muleshoe from Vandervoort, Arkansas in 1947. She was a

homemaker and a member of the New Vision Church of the Nazarene in Muleshoe.

Survivors include one son, Ray Manasco of Clovis, NM; two daughters, Pat Springwater of Lubbock, Texas, and Eunice Brinkley of Amarillo, Texas; one sister, Thelma Kimbrough of Calera, Okla.; 14 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren, and six great-great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to your local church.

ALFRED T"JACK" JONES

Alfred T. "Jack" Jones, 81, of Lubbock died Thursday, April 29, 1999 at Methodist Covenant Hospital in Lubbock.

Chapel services will held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, May 1, 1999 at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of Morton, with Ray Lewis of Morton officiating. Burial was held at Morton

Memorial Cemetery in Morton, under the direction of Ellis Funeral Homes. Mr. Jones was born on June

24, 1917 in Jack County, Texas. He married to Sarah V. Jones in Clovis, NM on August 28, 1938. He moved to Lubbock from Morton in 1970. He owned and operated Modern Motor Service in Morton. He retired from the Texas Highway Department in 1983. He was a member of the First Missionary Baptist Church of Morton, and he was mechanic.

Survivors include his wife Sarah; two daughters, Jackie Buckner and her husband Buddy of Muleshoe, and Bobbie George and her husband Robert of Morton; one sister, Maxine Ares of Odessa, Texas; four grandchildren, Dee Buckner, Tammy Albrecht, Cindy Cherry and Randy George; seven great grandchildren, Beth, Katie, and Clay

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Buckner, Travis and Ashley Albrecht, and Daniel and Hannah Cherry.

The family suggests memorials be made to Cochran County Unit of The American Cancer Society, Rt. 2 Box 43, Morton, Texas 79346.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HONORS



Chamber Business of the Month

Members of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture called on Hereford Feed Ingredients Friday as its Business of the Month. Accepting the designation were Ivan and Martha Tipps, who established the business in Hereford 25 years ago. They stood in for their son and daughter-in-law, David and Liz Tipps, who were our of town watching their daughter compete in the Region 1-3A track meet in Odessa. David and Liz bought the business in 1996 and moved it to Muleshoe in 1997. Pictured are (from left) Chuck Smith, Chamber Manager Pam McCaul, Sheila Stevenson, Martha and Ivan Tipps, Joe Flores, Hereford Feed Ingredients secretary Darlene Stiles, Mark Washington and Chamber President Adrian Meador.





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Chamber Employee of the Month

Members of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture called on Bamert Seed Friday to honor Pat Durben as its Employee of the Month. Pictured are (from left) Chamber President Adrian Meador, Chamber Manager Pam McCaul, Mark Washington, Pat Durben, Sheila Stevenson, Carolyn Harris and Nick Bamert of Bamert Seed, Chuck Smith and Joe Flores.

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Sprinkler Systems

High-pressure above-line discharge center pivot sprinkler systems had an irrigation application efficiency of about 60 percent. Wind drift and evaporation losses equaled about 40 percent. The High Plains Water District has worked with agricultural researchers, producers, and manufacturers to convert these systems to partial dropline of full dropline LEPA center pivot systems. As a result, very few of the high-pressure systems are in operation today.

The partial dropline center pivot discharges water between

the top of the pivot and the ground. The irrigation application efficiency of this type of system is about 80 percent. Wind drift and evaporation losses are about 20 percent of the water pumped.

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The Watson Junior High Beginning Band Under the direction of Anthony Gonzales and Becky Jones

Watson Beginning Band earns Division I rating at Floydada

The Watson Jr. High beginning band went to the Floydada Band Festival April 24, competing in concert, sightreading and solos.

The members played two pieces for two judges in the concert portion of the competition and then sightread a piece for a judge. They received a rating of I for both of these

competitions, earning a Sweepstakes trophy to bring home.

The students then went to individual rooms to play previously prepared solos for a judge. Students receiving a rating of I (the top rating), were: Robby Bomer, Kami Brown, Morgan Burton, Charissa Conner, Erica Estrada, Brittney Fuqua, Niclas Green, Jessica

Hall, Bradley Henry, Tristen Herington, Vanessa Lewis, Amber Luera, Paje McRoberts, Juan Nunez, Joel Salcido, Tamara Thompson.

Also, Cydni Vandiver, Amanda Vega, Cristobel Almanza, Erin Gallman, Dal Grumbles, Juan Orozco, Derek Purdy, Shanna Rempe, Elena Aburto, Amy Burris, Amber

Cowart, Erin Dehoyos, Sarah Dominguez, Ashley Gutierrez, Jennifer Heredia, Samantha Ruthardt, and Randie Williams.

Students receiving II on their solos were: Ruth Elizalde, Felipe Nunez, Esther Mendoza and Jordan Bonds.

The beginning band is under the direction of Anthony Gonzales and Becky Jones.



The Watson Junior High 7th & 8th Band Under the direction of Becky Jones

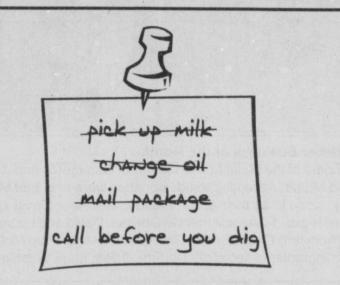
Watson Junior High Band

All the Harmon Family wants to thank publicly all the many people who brought food, sent flowers and came in person with love and kind words in the recent loss of Bill Harmon. A special thanks to the many men who helped in getting the farm sale together. All of you have been wonderful.

The Harmons



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competes in UIL Contest

The Watson Junior High Sweepstakes award. Band competed in the UIL contest on April 20 in Plainview.

The Band played "March for a Celebration," "Theme and Variations," "Soldiers Procession," and "Sword Dance" for a panel of three judges.

The band then sightread for a panel of three judges. The judging was extremely precise, with only one band in the Watson division receiving a

Watson Jr. High Band received a rating of III in concert

and a II in sightreading. "There were many good comments as well as areas that need improvement given by the judges," said Watson Director Becky Jones.

"We are proud of the improvement already made and are striving to improve for next year,

Jennyslippers working toward opening of Mule Putt Golf

The only topic on the agenda at the Jennyslippers meeting on April 16 was the Putt Putt Miniature Golf Course. President Ruby Green gave a short report on what has been done and what needs to be done.

1. Carpet has been removed, all carpet will be replaced.

2. Water faucets need replacing.

3. Refrigerators need to be cleaned and started.

4. Removal of trash.

5. Trees trimmed and some shrubbery removed.

6. Cleaning and repainting.

7. New roof, if old one is not repairable.

8. Ask community for support in the form of donations of money and labor.

The course is reported to be in bad condition, but can be made into a place Muleshoe can be proud of. It will take time, money, and labor. Anyone interested in donating, please send to Jennyslippers, PO Box 86, Muleshoe, or give the donation to any Jennyslipper member. If you would like to help with the labor, call Glenda Powell at 272-5676 or Nelda Merriott at 272-4071.

Patsy Chance made a motion to buy the carpet now at the best price. Glenda Powell seconded and it was approved.

Before the meeting began, Jennyslippers enjoyed a delicious salad supper. A meeting is scheduled the 4th Monday of every third month at night. Jennyslippers present were Alene Bryant, Patsy Chance, Joyeline Costen, Billie Downing, Ruby Garner, Ruby Green, Ellen Ladd, Glenda Powell, Doris Wedel, and one guest, Maxine Kimbrough.

Jennyslippers meet on the 2nd Tuesday at the Carrousel at noon, and on the 4th Tuesday at the Girl Scout Hut. Anyone ----- - . F. . 1 -- 1 -- 1 --- 1--



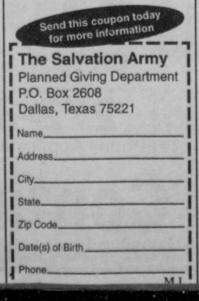
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WATER TIPS

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and emitters are used to apslow, frequent ply applications of water to the soil directly surrounding plant roots. Water losses caused by evaporation, deep percolation, and runoff are virtually eliminated. Drip irrigation can save as much as 30 to 40 percent of the water required by some other types of irrigation to provide the plants with an equal amount of water.

In response to producer interest in the latest irrigation technology, the High Plains

Water District has just installed a drip irrigation demonstration plot in Deaf Smith County, Texas. These demonstration plots are installed to give area producers the opportunity to learn more about drip irrigation and how to use it in crop production. Previous sites have been installed in Hockley, Lubbock and Lynn Counties.

Soil Moisture Monitoring

Soil moisture monitoring is a simple, cost-effective technique producers can use to improve their irrigation water management. Soil moisture monitoring devices, such as gypsum blocks and resistance meters, and tensiometers, helpproducers determine how much water they need to apply during an irrigation to fill the root zone soil profile. This reduces the likelihood of applying too much or too little water.

Furrow Dikes

STOP

The formation of small earthen dams in the furrow helps conserve precipitation or irrigation water that would otherwise run off the field. Water collected in the furrow dikes is held in place until it can soak into the soil.

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Deadlines are 5 p.m. Monday and Thursday

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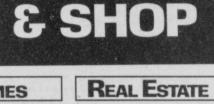
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