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A QUICK READ OF THE NEWS

### Drop the burritos

Two inmates are accused of conspiring to smuggle heroin into their Albuquerque detention center inside fast-food burritos.

A guard was supposed to bring the flour tortillas into the prison but had a last-minute change of heart, according to criminal complaints filed against inmates Jeffrey Padilla and Mario Gómez.

Instead of feeding the burritos to the prisoners, guard Joe Miera offered one to another guard.

The guard took a bite and felt something crunch. He took a second bite and saw a hard, black substance inside a plastic bag.

### Do they bless them, too?

Some monks sell fruitcake or fudge as a source of income. But the Trappist monks near Dubuque, Iowa, recently offered a new product for sale: handcrafted caskets.

The monks at the New Malleray Abbey began selling the wooden caskets to funeral homes and distributors 14 months ago, and now plan to sell them directly to the public.

The monks began selling caskets to offset lagging farm profits. They have been making the caskets for their own members since the abbey was founded in 1849.

The upholstered caskets range in price from \$550 to \$1,385.

### Snake wasn't charmed

A snake charmer in Allentown, Pa., wasn't quite charming enough to keep a poisonous cobra from biting him.

The charmer was bitten at the Allentown Fairgrounds less than a minute after he began his act to "hypnotize" the snake. At first, some in the crowd thought the bit was part of the act, but the tattooed snake charmer, John Walker, abruptly ended his performance and said, "I've been bitten. Call 911."

He was taken to Lehigh Valley Hospital, where he was treated.



**Drawing date:** Saturday, March 24  
**Winning numbers:** 9-16-20-33-35-50  
**Estimated jackpot:** \$20 million  
**Winners:** 0  
**Next drawing:** Wednesday, March 28  
**Estimated jackpot:** \$26 million

### On this date in history

**March 27** — The Goliad massacre leaves 342 Texans dead at the hands of Mexican troops; another 28 escaped (1836).

**March 28** — Fort Taylor is established on the site of present-day Brownsville (1846), with the name being changed to Fort Brown later that year.

**April 1** — The Gutiérrez-Magee Expedition captures San Antonio, and five days later José Bernardo Gutiérrez de Lara issues the first Texas Declaration of Independence (1813).

### LOCAL WEATHER

Daytime highs in the low to mid-60s and morning lows in the low to mid-30s should be the rule temperature-wise through the weekend. Look for showers Thursday, Friday and Saturday, with breezes adding to the mix on Saturday. Once Sunday arrives, the skies should be clearer, with the forecast calling for partly cloudy skies Sunday and Monday.

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## School board accepts Meador's resignation

### JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

Adrian Meador, assistant superintendent for instruction in the Muleshoe Independent School District, resigned during Tuesday night's school board meeting.

Meador, who had held the post for nine years and become an integral part of the community, said after the meeting that he hasn't decided whether he will continue

living in Muleshoe once he finishes out the school year.

"I had fun with it," he said, adding that he is looking forward to new professional challenges. "That's what turns me on — having something new to jump on."

Meador declined to take much credit for the changed climate in Muleshoe schools.

"When I first came here, we

won two football games, and look where we are now. When I first came here, our TAAS scores were low, and look where they are now," he said. "I had about as much to do with both of them. But if you don't ever say it, it won't happen."

When pressed that as assistant superintendent of instruction, he must have had a direct role at least in the TAAS improvement, he

passed the credit to teachers. "I just kind of acted as a resource for them," he said.

He added that one thing he'll remember about Muleshoe schools is the teamwork. "The superintendent is nice to the principals, and the principals are nice to the teachers, right on down," he said. "That's something you just don't find everywhere."

## Lady Mules lead district golf race

By DELTON WILHITE  
Journal correspondent

After one district golf tournament, the Lady Mules have a 10-stroke lead over second-place Littlefield.

Amanda Bell led the way for Muleshoe in the Shallowater District Tournament, shooting an even 100 on a warm but windy day at Elm Grove Country Club in Lubbock.

"Tournaments are won with shots within 100 yards of the pin," Muleshoe coach Eddie Kilmer said before the tournament. "Good approach shots and adjusting to the greens is so important in golf. The greens here are much slicker than we are used to practicing on, the girls will have to adjust their putting today."

Joining Bell on the Lady Mule team are Rendi Hodge and Kristen Magby (108 each for the day), Candace Hutto (112) and Nikki Bonds (124).

Dimmitt and Lubbock Roosevelt did not field complete teams and did not place in team play. Muleshoe's 428 set the pace, followed by Littlefield with 438, Lubbock Cooper with 486 and Shallowater with 526.

The teams were scheduled to meet in Muleshoe on Monday, but bad weather caused the tournament to be rescheduled for April 9.



Courtesy photo: John Jones

### Floating to victory

Daniel Johnson (left) and Chance Turney set Kyle Atwood adrift in a concrete boat as part of a science project named "To Float or Not To Float" that was entered in the regional science fair at Lubbock on March 23-24. Johnson and Atwood were members of the four-person team (along with Matt Luna and Jesús Tovar) that won second place with the project. More science fair details on page 2.

## Area's moisture leading to problem for cattle

### SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

Lush forage is causing bloat and some death in cattle, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service reports.

Dr. Ted McCollum, Extension beef cattle specialist in Amarillo, said bloating has been a problem mostly on the South Plains this year and has been increasing as weather improves and forage becomes lush.

"Bloating problems are going to be slightly worse this year because our growing conditions are a little bit different than they were last year,"

McCollum said. "Last year, we never really had a severe winter, so the forage never stopped growing."

McCollum said bloat problems occur when forage begins to grow after being dormant all winter. He said high soil moisture will cause increased growth and bloating.

"The only way to completely prevent bloat is to take the cattle off pasture," he said. "If producers have to do that, then they will have to spend money maintaining cattle in a different program."

Dr. Dennis Herd, Extension beef specialist in College Station, said bloating happens in cattle when lush forage containing proteins that cause a bubbly mass trap gas in the rumen. If an animal bloats, the rumen wall may need to be pierced to allow gas to escape, which can put the animal at risk for infection.

"It's always been wise not to turn hungry cattle into a new fresh pasture, whether it's wheat or any kind of forage, because there is more of a chance of bloat," Herd said.

## Baseball team avoids loss in district race—but record now 1-0-1

By DELTON WILHITE  
Journal correspondent

If a tie is like kissing one's sister, then the lightning and rain that shortened the Mules' baseball game with Dimmitt on March 23 forced the Mules into an unpleasant ending.

The University Interscholastic League declared Monday that the game was a 12-12 tie.

After 5 1/2 innings, the Mules owned a 12-7 lead, but as the clouds built in the north and west, the Bobcats managed to tie the game just before the home-plate umpire suspended play because of lightning flashing overhead.

The rain started before the 30-minute delay ended, and the umpires called the game because of weather.

The Mules left Dimmitt thinking they had won the game, since the sixth inning had not been completed and Muleshoe led 10-7 at the end of the last inning completed.

Roddy Spradling pitched 3 2/3 innings with no decision. The Mules had jumped on the Bobcats early, scoring six runs in their first two

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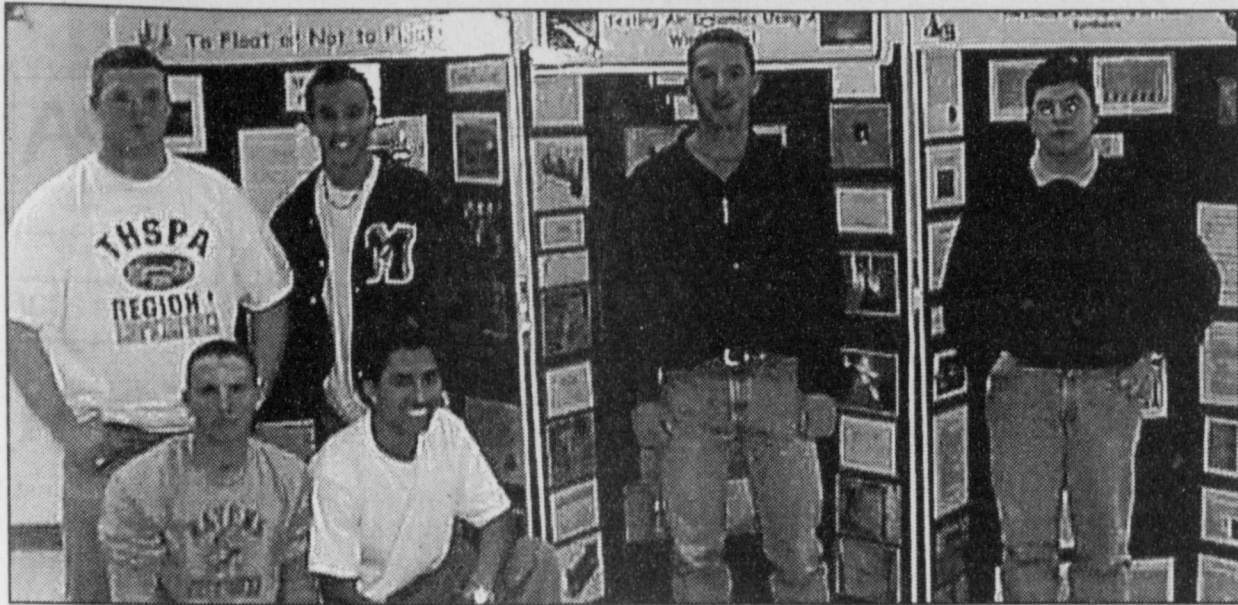


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### Little League signup

Leslie Kerby and Ramón Sánchez (both at left), officers of Muleshoe Little League, go over paperwork with coach Brad Steagall during Monday's registration in the Watson Junior High School gymnasium. A second signup will be at 5:30 p.m. April 2 at the same site. Prospective players must be at least 6 years old and no older than 12 by July 31, and a birth certificate must be brought to signup. The cost is \$25 per player. More information is available by calling Kerby at 272-5153 or Curby Brantley at 925-6458.





Courtesy photo: John Jones

### Science-fair winners

Muleshoe High School students who fared well at the March 23-24 regional science fair in Lubbock include (grouped at left) a team of (standing) Daniel Johnson and Matt Luna and (kneeling) Kyle Atwood and Jesús Tovar, who took second with a 500-pound concrete boat in a project called "To Float or Not To Float." Lubbock Building Products provided materials and advice on that project, which also received special recognition from the U.S. Army and the Independent Architects Association. A.J. Buhrman (center) took second for "Testing Aerodynamics Using a Wind Tunnel," recognized by the U.S. Air Force as the best 11th-grade project. Ricardo Aburto (right) won first place, a medal and a trip to state competition in Austin next week with "The Effects of Microgravity on Protein Synthesis," which also won the Metric Award and a \$1,000 award from the Texas Tech University engineering department.

## AROUND MULESHOE

### Holy Week events scheduled

The Bailey County Ministerial Alliance is planning several community-wide events during Holy Week, April 8-16.

At 7 p.m. April 8, an Easter cantata titled "The Sacrifice of Glory" is scheduled at First Baptist Church.

Monday through Thursday, the week's traditional luncheon services will be held — Monday at First Assembly of God, Tuesday at First United Methodist Church, Wednesday at First Baptist Church and Thursday at 16th and D Church of Christ.

At 7 a.m. on Easter Sunday, there will be a community sunrise service in the new City Park across the street from 16th and D Church of Christ. A continental breakfast will be served at the church building immediately after the service.

### Babe Ruth signups scheduled

Muleshoe Area Babe Ruth League will hold baseball signups from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. April 4 in the community room at the Muleshoe State Bank.

Signups are open to players (male or female) who will be 13, 14 or 15 years old as of Aug. 1 and who live in the Muleshoe, Lazbuddie, Farwell and Sudan areas.

The entry fee is \$40 per player, and birth certificates must be brought in order to register.

There will be another signup period with similar hours on April 9 at the Bailey County Electric Cooperative offices.

Adult volunteers also are needed for coaches and umpires. More information is available by calling David Marricle at 272-4863 after 5 p.m.

There also will be a planning meeting for coaches and parents at 8 p.m. April 1 at the electric co-op.

### Life in Christ pre-registration set

Pre-registration for the next school year at Life in Christ Academy Preschool is scheduled for 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. April 3 at St. John Lutheran Church in Lariat.

Class for 3- and 4-year-olds are held from 8 a.m. to noon

Tuesdays through Thursdays.

Children must be at least 3 years old by Sept. 1 and must be completely potty-trained.

The cost is \$80 per month. A non-refundable registration fee of \$30 and a current immunization record must be presented at registration.

More information is available by calling Tina Symm at (806) 825-3074 or Gary Haseloff at (806) 481-9453.

### Title I/migrant program scheduled

The Muleshoe School District's annual spring program for Title I and migrant parents is scheduled for 7 p.m. April 5 in the high school cafeteria.

Registration begins at 6:30 p.m.

Nacho Estrada, a ventriloquist from San Antonio, will present a program on "Parents — Most Important Teachers."

His presentation will be followed by a performance of the Ballet Folklórico Guadalupano.

Baby-sitting will be provided for ages 12 and under.

### Public calendar

April 2 — 6 p.m. Fine Arts Night To Shine, in the high school cafeteria. Performances by Mighty 'M' Band, Muleshoe High School Choir, Watson Junior High Choir and the one-act play cast, in addition to an art show.

### Quilt show slated

The annual Ogallala Quilters' Society festival is scheduled for April 6-7 at the Expo Building in Dimmitt. Admission will be \$3.

A free lecture by Yvonna Hays of Dimmitt is scheduled for 12:30 p.m. April 6.

More information is available by calling (806) 647-2524.

## Mule golfers fourth in initial district tournament

By DELTON WILHITE  
Journal correspondent

The Mule golf team traveled to Island Oaks Country Club in Idalou for its first district tournament (Lubbock Roosevelt was the host) on March 19. All district schools fielded teams.

Lubbock Cooper won the tournament and leads the district with a 344. Roosevelt was second at 347, Littlefield third with 351, Muleshoe fourth with 373, Shallowater fifth with 415 and Dimmitt sixth with 444.

A.J. Buhrman led the Mules with an 80, followed by Jordan Pool's 86, Kyle Atwood at 99 and Jordan Dale with 108.

The cold and windy weather may have caused the Mules to struggle on the early holes. Buhrman found himself in a seventh-hole sand trap that did not want to let him up. He triple-bogied the hole but finished with six pars and four birdies, to end the day with the second-best score — just one shot off the pace.

Cooper was scheduled to host the next tournament (March 29) at Meadowbrook Country Club in Lubbock. The teams will play the Meadowbrook's Canyon Side course starting at 9 a.m.

The final district tournament is scheduled to be hosted by Littlefield on April 9 at Littlefield Country Club.

## Art show scheduled in Muleshoe

The Muleshoe Art Association has scheduled a show for April 2-4 in the Muleshoe State Bank community room.

Categories are oil, pastel, watercolor and miscellaneous (including sculpture, wood-carving, pottery and china).

Works will be entered April 2, judged April 3 and displayed in the community room April 4. Then they are to be moved inside the bank for display through April 13, when they are to be reclaimed by 3 p.m.

Best of show will win \$100, and there will be awards of \$50 for first place, \$30 for second and \$20 for third.

More information is available from the show chairman, Mildred Williams, at 272-3359.



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### BASEBALL

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at-bats, then five runs in the second inning. Spradling survived Dimmitt hitting back-to-back home runs in the second, to score four runs.

The Mules added a run in their half of the fourth after Danny Ramirez got an infield hit and stole second base. T-Bird Cox singled to left field, easily scoring Ramirez and giving the Mules a 7-4 advantage.

The 'Cats began to hit Spradling in the fourth, and after getting two singles and two doubles, they scored three runs. Raymond Toscano was called on by coach Donnie Scott to put out the fire.

Toscano did douse the flames, with a strike-out of a Dimmitt batter that stranded two runners on base.

Toscano, Landon Nichols and Stephen Woodard all crossed the plate in the top half of the fifth inning to rebuild the three-run advantage. Toscano struck out the first Dimmitt batter, got a fly ball to Ramirez in center and threw a ground ball that Woodard fielded and stepped on first for the final out of the inning.

Nichols and Toscano each

scored again in the top half of the sixth inning to give the Mules a five-run pad. Issuing walks to five of the next six batters and serving up a double to center field allowed Dimmitt to knot the score at 12 runs each before the umpires suspended play.

The Mules were scheduled to play the next three games at home — Shallowater on March 27, Lubbock Roosevelt on March 31 and Lubbock Co-

per on April 3.

"We hope this tie does not come back to bite us," Mule coach Donnie Scott said. "We have to beat Shallowater and Roosevelt for us to get to the playoffs. We have to play the games one at a time and not look too far ahead, but we have to know we control our own destiny. With Cooper being picked second in the state in Class AAA, we know we have our work cut out for us."

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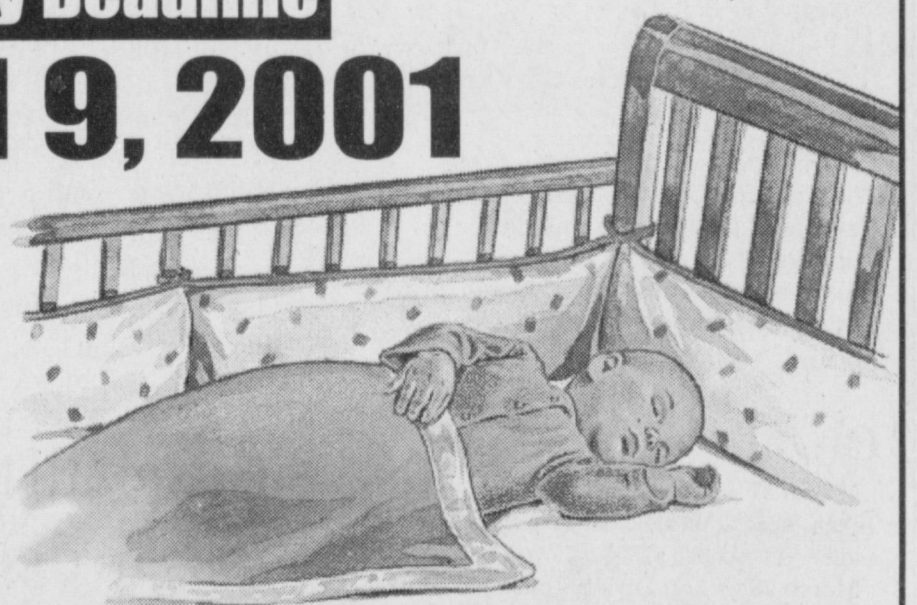
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Length at Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Mom & Dad's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grandparent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_



# Herbs don't have to be hidden away in an 'herb garden'

By RONN SMITH  
Editor

Usually when someone says "herb garden," we think of a space set aside specifically for kitchen herbs. These spaces, usually small, are more likely to strictly practical than ornamental.

There are several herbs, though, that are attractive enough to mix in all around the yard.

For instance, I like plain old common dill scattered pretty much haphazardly through flower beds and around shrubs. Its delicate, airy growth contrasts very well with just about any large-leaved plant, as long as the site is sunny. Dill makes a good "filler" plant, just as fine-leaved foliage is used in traditional bouquets.

I also like the scent of dill, which tends to drift around the yard on a hot day. Some people just don't care for it, of course, and I'm not even going to say bad things about them. Weirdos.

If you want it, you might scatter some seeds now. They'll come up at the right time—before long, as a matter of fact. I like to scatter dill seeds every two or three weeks from when the first crop comes up clear on through late spring.

This is partly because you can count on caterpillars eating some of these plantings completely, but in the whole-



gardening approach it's well worth losing a few dill plants in order to have the dramatic swallowtail butterflies later.

Because of dill's delicate growth, it won't obscure any flowers growing behind it. The umbells (flat umbrella-like heads) of yellow flowers are excellent for drawing pollinators to the garden, so it doesn't hurt to have some dill near the vegetable garden.

If dill seeds are allowed to mature, you will have a "volunteer" crop the next year—and this can get out of hand if you're one of those gardeners who wants everything under control in straight rows. Try taking a deep breath and relaxing.

Similar lacy foliage, but in gray-green rather than dill's bright green, can be provided by fennel (*Foeniculum vulgare*), a lesser-known but equally attractive herb.

Fennel stems, which look a little like bamboo, can be chopped up in a salad to provide a sort of sweet licorice flavor (also not to everybody's taste, of course). The seeds are used in baking

and pickling, but I have no experience with them.

It also requires a sunny location and fairly dry conditions. There are purplish-colored cultivars that are very handsome indeed, and an extremely dark bronze-green one called 'Smokey.' These are showy when planted with white-colored flowers such as artemisias or lamb's ears or such spectacular baby's breaths as *Gypsophila paniculata* 'Bristol Fairy.'

Some experts say that fennel reseeds at least as much as dill. In observing it here for 40 years, I've never known it to reseed much—whether it doesn't like the soil or what the reason is. Just be forewarned that if it does come up all over your garden, it probably isn't a good idea to let it grow the way I do dill. Fennel makes a taproot (which is the reason it's so drought-tolerant), and if it gets really established, it can take quite an excavation to get it out.

I recently wrote about giant fennel (*Foeniculum vulgare*), which grows to 10 or 12 feet and is more often used as an ornamental than as an herb. I like it for the sheer dramatic effect it makes.

For dramatic effect, though, the herb family that reigns supreme would be the angelicas, once prized for teas and baked goods but not much

used anymore.

Most angelicas have foliage that seems to me a little coarse and uninteresting, but the flower heads are neither of those, and because of the height they attain, they tend to be fairly spectacular back-of-the-border plants. They're now commonly sold for that purpose.

The flower heads start out looking like small broccoli heads, and then open up into airy umbrellas more like dill or carrot flowers.

Probably the most ornamental is Korean angelica (*Angelica gigas*), which is not one of the bigger species at 4 to 6 feet high but has burgundy-colored flower heads that are downright beautiful. They also appear late (August), at a time when the garden can go into a lull. It's easily available.

Also easy to find is *Angelica archangelica*, an 8-footer with white or cream flowers. I had always wondered about the name: If the genus is already angelica, why compound it with the specific name archangelica?

Well, Rand B. Lee writes in the March/April issue of *The American Gardener* (the magazine of the American Horticulture Society) that legend says during the Middle Ages, the Archangel Michael revealed to a monk that this plant would cure the Black Death. (It wouldn't, so if you

ever get plague don't go digging up your neighbor's angelica thinking it's a cure).

The ultimate angelica may be American masterwort (*Angelica atropurpurea*), which at 6 to 12 feet high and 6 feet across would be noticeable no matter what it looked like. This species, though, has red stems and quite a bit of burgundy in the new leaves, with veins staying burgundy-colored even in mature growth.

Angelicas are not particularly drought-tolerant, and especially *Angelica archangelica* needs to be kept where a lawn is sprinkled regularly or there is some other form of irrigation.

Happy planting!

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1 pkg. instant lemon pudding and pie filling

4 eggs

1 cup water

1/3 cup vegetable oil

Grated peel and juice of 1 lemon

E-Z Lemon Glaze (recipe fol-

lows)

In a large bowl, combine cake and pudding mixes, eggs, water, oil and lemon juice using an electric mixer at low speed for 30 seconds.

Beat at medium speed for 2 minutes longer; stir in lemon peel.

Pour into well-greased and lightly floured Bundt pan or 10-inch tube pan.

Bake at 350 degrees for 50 to 60 minutes, or until a toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

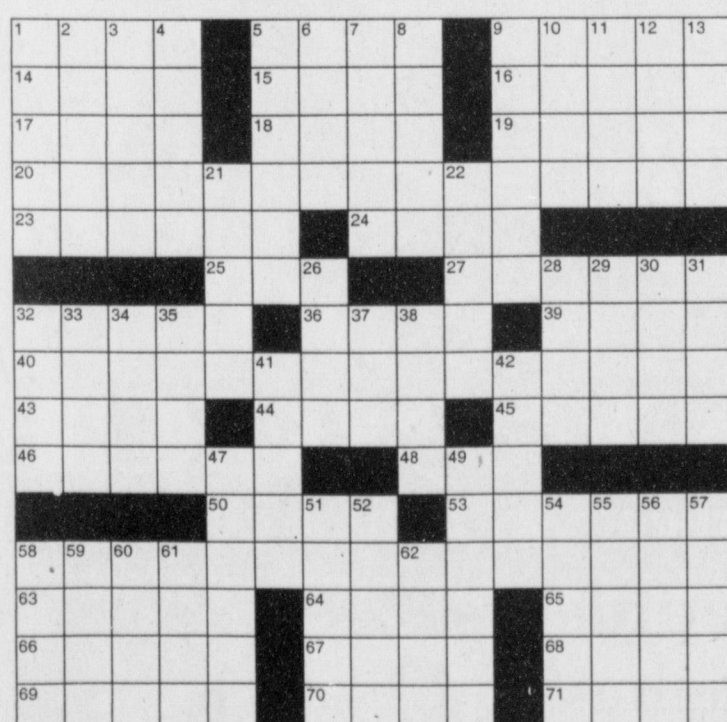
Cool on wire rack 15 minutes.

With narrow spatula or knife, loosen around tube and sides; invert onto cake plate. While still warm, pierce top all over with long two-pronged fork or wooden skewer.

Spread top with remaining glaze, allowing some to drizzle over sides. Makes 16 servings.

**E-Z Lemon Glaze:** In small bowl, combine 1 cup confectioners' sugar, juice of 1/2 lemon (1 1/2 Tbsp.) and 1/2 Tbsp. water.

## JUST FOR FUN



Clues ACROSS

1. Scarlett's home
5. Way to fix firmly
9. Bura
14. Not imaginary
15. Exhibition
16. \_\_\_\_\_ Jong, author
17. About the ear
18. Ship's captain
19. Elegant room where guests are received
20. Stalling business words
23. Bunch of cords fastened at one end
24. Quantitative fact
25. Licenses drugs (abbr.)
27. Stickers
32. Ray
36. Constellation
39. Medicinal plant
40. 1981 Chevy Chase film
43. George \_\_\_\_\_, American utopian
44. This (Spanish)

45. Noses (informal)

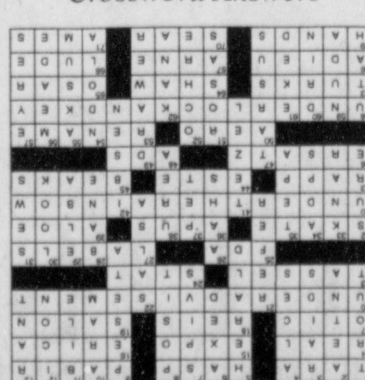
46. Artificial
48. Newspaper and billboard contents
50. About aviation
53. Rechristen
58. Captive
63. Young \_\_\_\_\_, reformers, circa 1900
64. "Pygmalion" author
65. Narrow ridges
66. Farewell
67. Thomas \_\_\_\_\_, British composer
68. Methaqualone pill (slang)
69. Ranch workers
70. Scorch
71. Iowa city

Clues DOWN

1. Game fish
2. Sicilian volcano
3. Forays
4. Elk or moose
5. Hail
6. Caused to end, in a way
7. British scam artists

8. Affirm
9. Spanish money
10. Ancient country in the Old Testament
11. Liver secretion
12. Tom Cruise, for one
13. Pompous or pretentious talk
21. Hark back
22. Mexican condiment
26. Expresses pleasure
28. Affliction
29. Italian island
30. Perceive with attention
31. Fashions, in a way
32. Feeling or showing no doubt
33. Knot on a tree
34. Computer system (abbr.)
35. Used for insect sterilization
37. Special loved one
38. Carbamide
41. Johann \_\_\_\_\_, Martin Luther's antagonist
42. "Hedda Gabler" author
47. Skeletal structure
49. Artist, for one
51. Bonheur and Parks
52. Orange yellow (var.)
54. City in northern Zambia
55. Ancient capital of Ethiopia
56. George Gordon \_\_\_\_\_, Union general
57. Judges' journeys
58. American state
59. Ctenophores lacking tentacles
60. Albanian river
61. Supplemented with difficulty
62. Japanese characters

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## Barbed-wire collection donated to Texas A&M

SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL  
COLLEGE STATION — The first thought most people would have about barbed-wire collecting might be an image of a big ball of tangled, rusted wire.

But Gaylon Lane, a retired soil scientist, has neatly assembled some 269 pieces of barbed wire that represent decades of ranching history throughout the Southwest.

"I saw this piece of wire in a fence one day and I just thought I needed to start collecting wire," Lane said, pointing to a piece of wire called the "Stubbe Plate," patented in 1883.

Lane's collection, which has carefully been tacked to 5-foot-tall fold-out panels, has a new home inside the Animal Industries Building at Texas A&M University. It's now an educational tool for rangeland ecology and management students as well as the general public wanting to know more about the history of barbed wire.

"This is a great find for our department," said Wayne Hamilton, director for the Center for Grazing Lands and Ranch Management at A&M.

"The history of barbed wire ties very closely to the history of rangeland in the Southwest and use of livestock for grazing those land areas. We're really excited to have this here at A&M for our students," he added.

During Lane's 35-year career with the Natural Resource and Conservation Service, an agency that works to conserve and sustain natural resources, he saw many different types of fences and barbed wire.

"(Once I got interested in collecting) I joined an association of wire collectors in Texas," said Lane, who lives in Temple. "I traded with people in several states; I rarely bought any wire. Most of the wire that I've collected was over a 10-year period. By today's standards, this is considered a small collection."

Lane began his collection in 1965. Each piece is organized

by patent and alphabetized by the name of the person who patented the wire. The oldest piece of wire in the collection dates from 1853, a snake-rib pattern called the "Merriwether."

"Most all of the wires were patented and manufactured before 1900," Lane said. "What happened was we had a barbed-wire revolution where everybody had a different idea of what kind of wire they needed."

Hamilton said that when barbed wire was introduced in the 1870s, it received mixed reviews.

"I've got an article written by gentleman who was in Zavala County back in the 1870s," Hamilton said. "He said when the first barbed wire came into that part of the country some people didn't like it a little bit and proceeded to immediately cut it. Some trouble ensued, but over time it settled and became accepted that there was not going to anymore free and open range."

"It (barbed wire) changed the whole aspect of grazing livestock on western rangeland," he said.

Lane's collection began to grow after acquiring the famed "Underwood" wire patented in 1878. This brand featured barbs that looked like tacks and came in either single tack or double-tack patterns.

"I built this collection off of this wire," Lane said.

One day, Lane said, he decided he wanted to donate his collection, but he wasn't quite sure where would be a good place to find it a new home.

"All of my career with the NRCS I worked with A&M closely," he said. "I just got attached to these guys. I graduated from Southwest Texas State University and found that they had a pretty good collection already there. Several people expressed interest in it, but Wayne (Hamilton) expressed the greatest interest. I thought this collection would fit this atmosphere here better at A&M than anywhere else."

## ¡Varias exenciones de residencia pueden rebajar sus impuestos de propiedad!

Una exención de residencia reduce sus impuestos de propiedad. Por ejemplo, si su residencia tiene un valor de \$50,000 y Ud. recibe una exención de \$15,000, sus impuestos se calcularán como si el valor de su residencia fuera \$35,000.

**¿Quién califica para una exención?**  
Cualquier dueño de una residencia principal el día 1 de enero tiene derecho a una exención de residencia de \$15,000 este año para rebajar sus impuestos escolares... y no importa si la residencia es casa, condominio o casa móvil. (Los condados, municipios y distritos especiales de impuestos también pueden ofrecer exenciones de residencia.)

**¿Hay otras exenciones?**  
Si Ud. es incapacitado—o si tiene 65 años o más—tiene derecho a una exención adicional de \$10,000 en sus impuestos escolares de propiedad. Y si Ud. califica para la exención para los que ya cumplieron 65 años, también tiene derecho a un "cielo máximo" permanente en sus impuestos escolares de residencia. (El cielo máximo no tiene que ver con impuestos de propiedad de los condados o municipios, y esas entidades pueden ofrecer otras exenciones.) La exención para los que ya cumplieron 65 años y el cielo máximo se pueden transferir al esposo/esposa sobreviviente si el o ella tiene 55 ó más años de edad y es dueño/dueña de la casa en donde vive. También el dueño de una casa nueva que tiene más de 65 años puede trasladar un porcentaje de cielo máximo del los impuestos escolares que le tocaron en su domicilio vieja.

**¿Debo solicitarla cada año?**  
No. Si Ud. recibió una exención de residencia en 2000, no hay necesidad de solicitarla de nuevo en 2001—al menos que se lo pida su jefe de valoraciones. Sin embargo, si no ha recibido una exención en su residencia actual—o si ha cambiado de domicilio tendrá que solicitar una exención para 2001. Si Ud. cumplirá los 65 años durante este año, tiene hasta un año de esa fecha para solicitar una nueva exención. Y si cumplió los 65 años o resultó incapacitado en 2000, tendrá que solicitar las exenciones adicionales.

**¿Donde y cuando debo solicitar mis exenciones?**  
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## A variety of homestead exemptions could lower your property taxes!

A homestead exemption lowers the property taxes on your home by lowering its taxable value. If your home is valued at \$50,000 and you receive a \$15,000 homestead exemption, your home will be taxed as if it were worth \$35,000.

**Who qualifies for an exemption?**  
Anyone who owned a home on January 1 (and used it as a primary residence on that date) is entitled to a \$15,000 homestead exemption to lower school taxes this year...and it doesn't matter if your home is a house, condominium or mobile home. (Counties, cities and special taxing districts may also offer homestead exemptions.)

**Are other exemptions available?**  
If you're disabled—or if you're 65 years old or older—you are entitled to an additional \$10,000 school tax exemption on your home. And if you qualify for the over-65 exemption, you're also entitled to a permanent, locked-in "ceiling" on the school property taxes on your home. (The ceiling does not apply to county or city property taxes, and those entities may offer other exemptions.) The over-65 homeowner's exemptions and school tax ceiling transfers to the surviving spouse, if the spouse is 55 years of age or older at the time of death and lives in and owns the home. Over-65 homeowners also may transfer the percentage of school tax paid, based on their former home's over-65 school tax ceiling, to a new home.

**Do I have to apply each year?**  
No. If you had a homestead exemption on your home in 2000, you won't need to reapply for 2001 unless your chief appraiser requires it. However, if you haven't received an exemption on your present home—or if you've moved to a new home—you'll need to file for an exemption for 2001. If you are 65 this year, you may file for the over-65 exemption up to one year after the date you turned 65. And if you became disabled during 2000, you need to file for the disabled person's exemption.

**When and where should I file?**  
File applications by April 30 at your appraisal district office. If you need more time, contact us at:  
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## 'CREATIVE LIVING'

Information on lemon recipes, germs in the kitchen, and gathering fabric on sergers will be featured on "Creative Living" on April 3 at 1 p.m. and April 7 at 3 p.m. (All times are Central.)

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

Marie Rama of New York City represents The Sunkist Growers and will demonstrate easy ways to incorporate lemons and lemon juice in favorite dessert recipes.

Dr. Charles Gerba, an environmental microbiologist with the University of Arizona in Tucson, will discuss germs in the kitchen and explain how to make this area cleaner and safer.

Nancy Lovett of Albuquerque, a sewing instructor with Ann Silva's Bernina Sewing Center, will demonstrate how to use the differential feed on the serger to gather larger quantities of fabric.

Information on sweet potatoes and voice disorders will

be featured April 3 at 10:30 p.m. and April 5 at 1 p.m.

Sue Langdon, representing the North Carolina Sweet Potato Commission of Smithfield, N.C., will discuss the versatility of sweet potatoes.

Carol Roark of the Warm Springs Rehabilitation Center in Lubbock will discuss what causes voice disorders. She will explain how to prevent them as well as tell why it's important to protect the voice.

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

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

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

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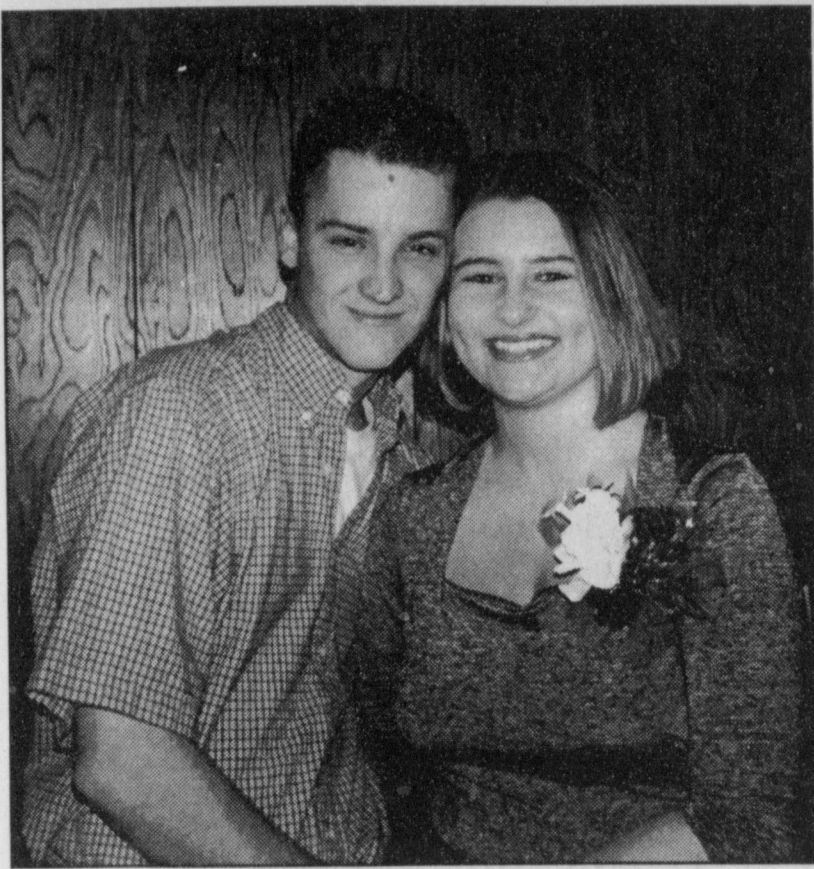
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Adrian King and Lindsey Rich pause during her bridal shower.

## Shower honors Lindsey Rich

Former Farwell resident Lindsey Nicole Rich of Odessa was honored with a shower Feb. 10 at 16th and D Church of Christ in Muleshoe.

Rich is the daughter of Tammi Workman of Clovis and Alan Rich of Amarillo and the bride-elect of former Muleshoe resident Adrian King, now of Odessa. He is the son of Kenneth and Toni King of Muleshoe.

Special guests were the bride's mother; Karen Snell, the bride's grandmother; Louise Snell, the bride's great-grandmother; Keeley Rich, the bride's sister; and Holli Lovelace, the bride's cousin, all of Clovis; Kristi Day and Ryan, the bride's aunt and nephew from Shallowater; Karla Rich and Allison, the bride's stepmother and step-

sister from Amarillo; Sari Ann Beversdorf and Mel, the groom's aunt and cousin from Littlefield; Tony and Wanda Jones, the groom's great-aunts from Plainview; and Lela Sue King and Margaret Stevens, the groom's great aunts from Muleshoe.

Hostesses were Juana Shelburne, Nelda Wilhite, June Conway, Carol Cox, Debbie Jo Kemp, Brenda Lackey, Donna Redwine, Ann Mount, JoEllen Cowart, Belinda Caswell, Alice Cuellar, Kristy Price, Kay Graves, Linda Latham, Rose Mary Lowe and Mary Lee Mitzelphelt.

The hostess gift was stainless-steel cookware.

The wedding was scheduled for March 10 at the First Baptist Church of Odessa, where the couple lives.

## King Ranch management has an eye for quail

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
KINGSVILLE, Texas — When most people think of the historic King Ranch, thousands of slick red Santa Gertrudis cattle and working-type quarter horses of the "cowboy kind" come to mind.

Though cattle are still king on the ranch, their royal position is being sharply nudged by a 6-ounce feathered flyer known as the bobwhite.

Through its history, the ranch's unprecedented success and longevity is credited to an almost religious adherence to the bottom line. That bottom line today has taken a definite lean toward the burgeoning nature tourism and hunting industry.

"In all likelihood, we could generate more income from quail hunting than we could from cattle," said Paul Genho, vice president and general manager for livestock and ranching operations on the vast South Texas property.

"Quail are the most important species on the ranch, economically. It's our premier hunting experience here. We're serious about its management because it is so important. Fortunately, quail and cattle are not mutually exclusive of each other. We do have to graze correctly because overgrazing is detrimental to both enterprises. Appropriately grazed range is very conducive to good quail habitat."

About 775,000 acres of the ranch's total 825,000 acres support cattle and wildlife enterprises. The remaining 50,000 acres is farmed. Most of the range-land is managed for quail.

Genho said the King Ranch is implementing a series of Merrill Four-Pasture systems. The grazing strategy centers around a four-pasture, three-herd rotation scheme developed by Dr. Leo Merrill, longtime superintendent at the Texas A&M University Research Station at Sonora.

"In this country, you can't just take a cow off a pasture today then put her back next month and expect the grass to have grown," Genho said.

"You've got to have some system of allowing a grass reserve," he said. "We've implemented a series of two cow herd, one stocker herd rotations. This system gives us the added flexibility of being able to remove the stocker cattle during drought, thus saving what forage there is for the cow herds and wildlife."

"Every pasture has a four-month rest from grazing during a 16-month period. We're able to compliment our grazing that way and at the same time preserve our wildlife habitat. So far, we feel the Merrill system is good for the range, good for the cattle and good for wildlife."

The ranch also disks small portions of every pasture every spring to encourage forb (weed) production, an important source of protein for young quail and all wildlife species.

"When it comes to quail, we do know some things but there's a lot more opinions out there than there is actual knowledge," Genho said. "There is a tremendous need for research in this area. The quail populations are frequently unexplainably variable. A lot depends on the weather. If you get

timely rains, then things are usually good but not always. There's still a lot of gaps in the quail knowledge base."

Genho and other ranch managers are keenly awaiting the outcome of the "Quail Decline Initiative" before the Texas legislature.

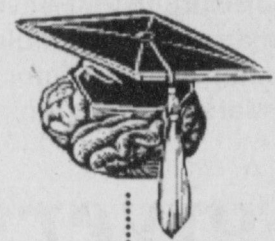
Proposed by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the \$3.7 million initiative would provide the means for continued education and research needed to

study the sharp decline of quail and associated grassland birds throughout the South.

This loss of birds has hit an alarming rate in the last decade, said Dr. Dale Rollins, Extension wildlife specialist in San Angelo.

According to annual U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service surveys, Rollins said, quail populations statewide have declined 5 percent each year since 1981; they have declined as much as 10 percent a year in East Texas.

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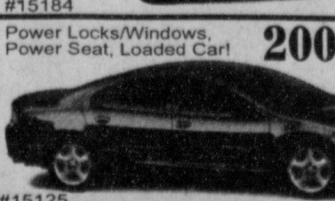
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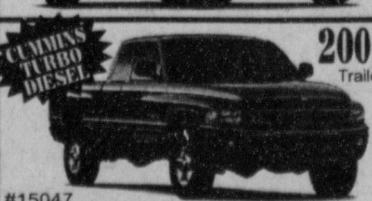
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## HOROSCOPES

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**Aries - March 21/April 20**

A loved one asks you an important question early in the week, Aries. While you don't want to answer, you must. So, just be honest. Tell this person exactly how you feel. He or she will be hurt at first, but soon will become more understanding. Don't worry — your relationship is strong enough to handle this.

**Taurus - April 21/May 21**

You have some extra time this week, Taurus. Don't let it go to waste. Try to get ahead on several projects that you've been working on. Now is the time to make progress, because you won't have much free time soon. That special someone has a surprise for you on Friday. Enjoy!

**Gemini - May 22/June 21**

Stand your ground when a business associate tries to force you to do something with which you don't agree. You know what the right thing to do is. So, do it. Don't fall prey to this pressure. Those close to you will be impressed with your determination. Libra plays a key role.

**Cancer - June 22/July 22**

Keep your emotions in check when a close friend tells you some important news. Don't overreact. Instead, try to be happy for him or her. This person is following his or her heart. Make an effort to be supportive. A loved one needs a shoulder to cry on later in the week. Be there for him or her.

**Leo - July 23/August 23**

Bite your tongue at work this week, Leo. Complaining about a co-worker only will make you look bad, and you'll end up being the one who gets reprimanded. Your best bet is to count to 10 and let it go. You meet an interesting person on Thursday. Get to know him or her better, because this could be the one.

**Virgo - Aug 24/Sept 22**

There is a lot to do this week, Virgo. In order to make progress, you have to stay organized. Set your priorities, and don't let others distract you from the tasks at hand. Several people are counting on you to get things done. Don't let them down. If you work diligently, you'll make great strides and even have time to spare.

**Libra - Sept 23/Oct 23**

An acquaintance asks for your advice about a personal problem. While you don't want to get involved, you should. You really can help this person put things into perspective. Your assistance will be appreciated. Sagittarius plays an important role.

**Scorpio - Oct 24/Nov 22**

Don't let a co-worker's comments upset you early in the week, Scorpio. Everyone knows that you are a good employee and have done nothing to provoke this outburst. They are on your side and will look out for you. So, try to relax. An old friend calls you out of the blue on Saturday. Spend time catching up with him or her.

**Sagittarius - Nov 23/Dec 21**

You meet someone interesting while out with loved ones during the middle of the week. Get to know this person, because he or she really can enhance your life. Just be yourself, and you're sure to make a good impression. Aquarius plays an important role in all of this.

**Capricorn - Dec 22/Jan 20**

You get into an argument with a loved one on Tuesday, Capricorn. Don't stay angry at him or her for long. You both say things that you don't mean. Be the bigger person, and apologize first. Don't let this relationship falter, because this person really means a lot to you.

**Aquarius - Jan 21/Feb 18**

When it comes to a financial decision this week, Aquarius, don't rush into anything. Look at all of the pros and cons, and get advice from those whom you trust. This is a potentially lucrative opportunity. Gather as much information as you can. Your efforts will pay off. Taurus is involved.

**Pisces - Feb 19/March 20**

A loved one is feeling down this week, Pisces. Do what you can to cheer him or her up. While it could take time, your persistence will pay off. That special someone asks a favor of you late in the week. Do what you can for him or her.





Journal photo: Beatrice Morin

### Ribbon-cutting held

Gathered for a ribbon-cutting for Heaven's Best Carpet and Upholstery Cleaning are (from left) Pam McCaul, manager of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce; Sam Whalin; Chuck Smith; Sheila Stevenson; Mayor Victor Leal; Shelly, Tyson, Trevor and James Turnbow, the business owners; Mark Washington; Clay Kidd; Eileen Morton; Wells Hall; and Tiffany Boehning.

## Care-givers need care, too

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
**COLLEGE STATION** — As the population ages, many families find that providing some kind of supplemental care for older relatives is a fact of life.

Taking care of older family members should be addressed before the need arises, said Dr. Judy Warren, professor and gerontology specialist for Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

First, "have a family conference and talk about issues related to the problem. What are the goals if anything should happen?" Talk about choices; find out what family members' wishes would be if they needed care. "It needs to be a two-way communication," Warren said.

Financial information needs to be discussed, though older parents may not want to discuss it. Asking parents personal questions isn't always easy, but it may be necessary, Warren said.

Make sure important documents — including wills, health-care powers of attorney and living wills — are filed. "You need to have them in place if you want to have your wishes carried out," Warren said. "If you want the government to make the decisions about the distribution of your assets for you, then you don't need a will."

Look at things that can be done to improve the living environment. For example, due to age-related decline in eyesight, older adults need more light; adding lighting to a home might help a relative be self-reliant longer.

Look at ways to make a home safer. Warren said falls are a serious

threat to older adults; in fact, she said, "40 percent of nursing-home admissions are related to falls." But not only are falls a physical threat, they are an emotional one as well. "Once a person falls, his confidence can be affected in a really negative way."

When an older person becomes less able to care for his or her own needs, arrangements for care must be made. Often these arrangements involve care given by a family member.

Usually these care-givers are spouses, adult children or even adult grandchildren or siblings of the older adults who are no longer able to care for themselves, Warren said.

"If you look at the older population who are over 60 years of age, 4 percent to 5 percent of older adults are living in nursing homes," Warren said. "About 15 percent require some kind of assistance from family."

Most people who need at-home care receive it from relatives, although in-home care from professionals is sometimes required.

Information from the 1990 Census Bureau showed that 10 years ago (the most recent figures available):

- 5.8 million people age 15 and older were caring for a household member who had an illness or condition that prevented him or her from doing some activity;
- About 47 percent — nearly half — of these care-givers assisted their loved one with three or more activities (including grooming, doing housework, running errands, etc.);
- About 15 million people pro-

vided care to a loved one who did not live in the same house; and

- About 71 percent of care is provided by those ages 30 to 64.

According to information from The Family Times Quarterly Family and Human Development Newsletter (fall 1994), the number of people age 85 and older could increase as much as 11-fold in the next 20 years.

If care-giving becomes necessary, it should be a family decision, Warren said. Often one person is the designated care-giver with other family members helping out in various ways.

In whatever form it takes, caring for another adult is stressful, and a care-giver should remember to take care of his or her own personal needs as well as those of the older person.

First, she said, "figure out what you are really responsible for and what other people are responsible for." Delegate whenever possible to ease the burden. And don't hesitate to ask for help.

Then take some time for yourself. "You cannot give 150 percent of yourself without taking some time to replenish yourself. Take a break."

Seek support from others and from the community. Find out what programs your parent qualifies for — example, Medicare and Medicaid — and utilize them.

And remember, "learn to say no." One person — one care-giver — can't do everything.

## Photography contest open to Muleshoe residents

**SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL**  
**OWINGS MILLS, Md.** — The International Library of Photography has announced more than \$60,000 in prizes to be awarded this year in the International Open Amateur Photography Contest.

The deadline for the contest is May 31, and there is no entry fee.

Photographers from the Muleshoe area, particularly beginners, are welcome to try to win their share of more than 1,300 prizes. Anyone can enter.

To enter send a photograph (only one) in only one of these categories: people, travel, pets, children, sports, nature, action, humor, portraiture or "other."

The photo may be in color or black-and-white (unmounted), 8x10 inches or smaller. All entries must include the photographer's name and address on the back, as well as a title for the photo and the category in which it is entered.

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| Bar P Ranch, Wolfforth        |    | Red Str      | 480 lbs.  | at \$112.00 |
| E.W. Nickels Farms, Muleshoe  | 5  | Mxd. Bulls   | 452 lbs.  | at \$109.00 |
| E.W. Nickels Farms, Muleshoe  | 8  | Blk. Bulls   | 621 lbs.  | at \$90.50  |
| Adam Rodriguez, Muleshoe      | 5  | Blk. Strs    | 569 lbs.  | at \$95.00  |
| Albus Cattle, Morton          |    | Blk. Bull    | 600 lbs.  | at \$88.00  |
| U Bar, Inc., Sudan            |    | Char. Bull   | 605 lbs.  | at \$88.00  |
| Ramon Mendoza, Muleshoe       | 11 | Char. X Strs | 628 lbs.  | at \$95.00  |
| Randy Johnson, Muleshoe       | 18 | Mxd. Strs    | 722 lbs.  | at \$85.75  |
| Randy Johnson, Muleshoe       | 23 | Mxd. Strs    | 849 lbs.  | at \$82.00  |
| Bill Melot, Hobbs, NM         | 8  | Blk. Strs    | 850 lbs.  | at \$82.50  |
| Kelly Harrison, Muleshoe      |    | Char. Hfr    | 295 lbs.  | at \$123.50 |
| Jim Birkenfeld, Denver City   |    | RWF Hfr      | 385 lbs.  | at \$116.00 |
| E.W. Nickels, Muleshoe        | 7  | Mxd. Hfrs    | 425 lbs.  | at \$106.00 |
| E.W. Nickels, Muleshoe        | 23 | Mxd. Hfrs    | 538 lbs.  | at \$92.50  |
| E.W. Nickels, Muleshoe        | 9  | Mxd. Hfrs    | 649 lbs.  | at \$86.75  |
| Jedon Gallman, Friona         | 5  | Char. Hfrs   | 594 lbs.  | at \$91.00  |
| Ramon Mendoza, Muleshoe       | 7  | Mxd. Hfrs    | 614 lbs.  | at \$90.00  |
| Mike Beauchamp, Bovina        | 6  | Mxd. Hfrs    | 617 lbs.  | at \$88.50  |
| Mike Beauchamp, Bovina        | 5  | Mxd. Hfrs    | 734 lbs.  | at \$83.50  |
| Peter Teichroeb, Seminole     |    | Char. Pair   |           | \$850.00    |
| Frank Chavez, Albuquerque, NM |    | Char. Pair   |           | \$850.00    |
| Joaquin Azua, Sudan           | 6  | Char. Pair   |           | \$910.00    |
| Israel Azua, Sudan            |    | Char Cow P8  |           | \$700.00    |
| Steve Cooper, Portales, NM    |    | BMF Cow P6   |           | \$690.00    |
| A&B Cattle, Muleshoe          | 5  | Mxd. Cows    | 1439 lbs. | at \$45.75  |
| D&D Cattle, Friona            | 2  | WF Cows      | 1385 lbs. | at \$47.25  |
| Field Farms, Dora, NM         | 4  | Mxd. Cows    | 1108 lbs. | at \$50.00  |
| Steve Olson, Hereford         |    | Blk. Cow     | 1155 lbs. | at \$47.50  |
| Sunrise Farms, Nazareth       |    | Hol. Cow     | 1310 lbs. | at \$43.50  |
| Daniel Ramirez, Muleshoe      | 2  | Hol. Cows    | 1985 lbs. | at \$43.75  |
| Prairie View Dairy, Muleshoe  |    | Hol. Cow     | 1735 lbs. | at \$45.00  |
| Prairie View Dairy, Muleshoe  | 2  | Hol. Cows    | 1783 lbs. | at \$44.75  |
| Greenfield Park Dairy         |    | Hol. Cow     | 1375 lbs. | at \$46.00  |
| Albus & Clark, Morton         |    | Char. Bull   | 1925 lbs. | at \$57.50  |

## OBITUARY

### TRESSIE WILSON

Services were held Wednesday at Wheeler Mortuary in Portales for Tressie Wilson, 90, of Portales. The Rev. Doug Keys officiated. Burial was in Portales Cemetery.

Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe handled arrangements.

Mrs. Wilson was born Dec. 5, 1910, in Sulphur Springs, Texas. She died Sunday in the Farwell Convalescent Center.

She married Mearl Wayne Wilson in August 1955 in Portales. He died Nov. 13, 1997.

She was a member of Emanuel Baptist Church in Portales.

Mrs. Wilson is survived by a brother and sister-in-law, Tommy and Cookie McGee of Elida, N.M.; three sisters-in-law, Ruby Wilson of Portales, Gladys Wilson of Friona and Violet Shairrick of Benton, La.;

and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials to Vista Care Hospice (4418 Olton Road, Plainview 79072).

## BIRTH

### SOWDER

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Madison Sowder of Spearman, Texas, are the parents of a son, Garrett Thomas Sowder, born March 22 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

He weighed 7 pounds, 1.3 ounces and was 20 inches long. He has a sister, Anna, 7, and two brothers, James, 4, and Logan, 3.

Grandparents are Ann Sowder and the late Mickey Sowder of Three Way and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Detten of Panhandle, Texas.

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## Business of the month

Gathered to honor Scott's Car Wash as Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce business of the month for January are (from left) Clay Kidd, Sheila Stevenson, Tiffany Boehning, business owner Ronald Scott, chamber manager Pam McCaul, chamber president Mark Washington, Chuck Smith, Wells Hall and Marcial Martínez. The chamber apologizes for the tardiness in taking the photo.



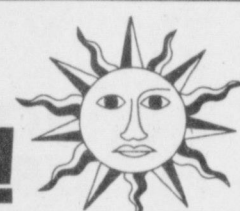
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## Employee of the month

Gathered to honor Boehning Dairy's Alan Caddell as the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce's employee of the month for January are (from left) Sheila Stevenson (kneeling), Chuck Smith, Wells Hall, Tiffany Boehning, chamber manager Pam McCaul, chamber president Mark Washington, Clay Kidd and Caddell. The chamber apologizes for the tardiness in taking the photo.



# DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS APRIL 1ST. REMEMBER TO SET YOUR CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR!



## Journal Classifieds

## STOP & SHOP

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March 29, 2001

### FARM PROPERTY FOR SALE

USDA-FSA  
FARM SERVICE AGENCY  
FARM PROPERTY FOR SALE

PROPERTY LOCATION: Approximately 174 Acres, 4 miles North west of Sudan on Hwy 84 to Farm Road 746, 2 miles west on the left side of the road

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Labor No. Two (2), League No. 208 Ochiltree County School Land, Lamb and Bailey Counties, Texas

TIME: 10:00 a.m. (or within 3 hours thereafter)  
DATE: Tuesday, April 3, 2001  
PLACE: Doors on the North Side of the Courthouse, Littlefield, Lamb County, Texas.  
MINIMUM BID: \$32,756.00

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION  
CALL 806-385-4475  
JIM W. McCARY

### PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE FOR PROPOSALS**

The Three Way Independent School District will be accepting competitive sealed proposals on Property & Casualty Insurance for the 2001-2002 Three Way Independent School Year. Proposals will be received until 4:00 p.m., Friday, April 20, 2001, at the office of the Superintendent, Three Way I.S.D., P.O. Box 60, Maple, Texas, 79344.

The Board of Trustees of the Three Way Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals.

Thank you for your interest.

Published in the Muleshoe Journal March 29, 2001 and in the Bailey County Journal April 1, 2001.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

Friona Wheat Growers, Inc. will accept sealed bids on their fertilizer plant south of Friona. This property includes 10.068 acres, 1 - 50' X 100' barn, 1 - 40' X 75' office & shop, 2 - 30,000 gallon storage tanks, above ground concrete wall liquid containment area, 45' X 10' scale w/ digital monitor and printer, 5hp Speedair air compressor and a coates tire machine. Bids should be in the office of Friona Wheat Growers, Inc. by 6:00 PM Monday, April 9th. The Board of Directors of Friona Wheat Growers, Inc. has the right to accept or reject any and all bids. This property has been appraised by an independent appraiser at \$147,500.00. It may be inspected by contacting Friona Wheat Growers, Inc. offices at 806-250-3211. Published in the Bailey County Journal March 25, 2001

### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Muleshoe Area Public Library will be taking bids on a black vinyl couch with 2 matching chairs, a glass coffee table and matching end table, an IBM computer 80386SX, 40mhz, 4MB RAM, with 1 serial port and 1 printer port, Epson LQ 1070 printer, Epson tractor feed printer. The bids will be taken April 2-6. Come to the library and see these items. Published in the Bailey County Journal March 25, 2001.

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#### HIGH SCHOOL

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- VERY NICE 3-1-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, stove, DW, fenced yd., MORE!!! \$38K!! HS-4

- 3-2 Home, corner lot, floor furnace heat, fenced yd. \$25K!! HS-10
- PRICE REDUCED - NICE 3-1-1 Home, Cent. Heat & Cent. Evap. Air, built-ins, stor. bldg., fenced yd., MORE!!! \$35.5K!!! HS8
- 3-1-1 Brick, Dual Fuel Heat Pump, DW, Disp., 4 fans, cov. patio, 2 stor. bldgs., fenced yd. \$34,500!! HS-3
- VERY NICE 3-1-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, 3 ceiling fans, stor. bldg., fenced yd. \$38K!! HS-5
- VERY NICE 2-1-1 Brick, Elec. Heat Pump, stove disp. fans, deck, fenced yd., MORE!!! \$32.5K!! HS-13
- 3-1-1 Brick, Cent. heat, evap. air, Dishwasher, fenced yd.!! \$28K!! HS-6
- NICE 3-2 1/2-2 carport Home, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, 2650' + Lv. area, fans, storm windows & doors, new roof, cov. patio, concrete cellar, fenced yd. w/ add. 2 carport, large workshop, & stor. bldg. HS-7
- VERY NICE 2-1 1/2-2 carport Mobile Home, Elec. Heat Pump, built-ins, nice carpet & vinyl, fans, storage bldg., fenced yd. Price Reduced 19,500 HS-9
- 2-1 Home on corner lot, stove, refrig., wall furnace heat, evap. air, fenced yd.!! \$20K!! HS-2

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- PLEASANT VALLEY, Approx. 160 acres, 2 bdrm home, 1 bath, 2 car detached garage, on pavement!!!
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- EARTH - 4-2-2 carport home, Heat Pump, fans, storage-workshop!! \$35K
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- VERY NICE 2-1-1 Brick on .7 acre at edge of town, Cent. A&H, built-ins, storm windows & doors, stor. bldg., travel trailer cover, MORE!!! \$50K!!!
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| SCHOONER BREADED<br><b>FISH PORTIONS<br/>OR STICKS</b> ..... | LB         | <b>\$1<sup>69</sup></b> |
| OSCAR MAYER ASSTD. VARIETIES REG.<br><b>LUNCHABLES</b> ..... | 4.5 OZ.    | <b>4/\$5</b>            |
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