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Trent rolls past Borden County, plays Paint Creek Friday

Two third quarter passes from Trent quarterback Casey Johnson to Richard Vergenz broke open a tight game in Trent Friday night as the Trent Gorillas ran their season record to 6-0 with a 58-28 win over Borden County.

Trent erupted for 28 points in the third quarter, which saw emotions run high after a personal foul was called on Borden County for hitting beyond the sidelines and an injury to running back Billy Williams. Following those incidents, Trent ran off four touchdowns to take control of the game.

Johnson had his best night of the year throwing the ball as he connected on 11 of 12 passes for four touchdowns.

Bebo Beaver had 15 rushes for 136 yards and four touchdowns to lead the team in scoring with 24 points. Billy Brazelton scored as he caught a touchdown pass. Farron Hambrick caught three passes, one for a touchdown. Vergenz had three touchdowns receiving. Don Renfro hit on two extra points for four points.

Defensive standouts for Trent included Freddie Patterson and Renfro.

Trent travels to Paint Creek Friday for a 7 p.m. kickoff.



Betty Sharp Downey was named Coming Home Queen at Trent High Homecoming Activities this weekend. She represented the 1980s. (Photo by Rebecca Sharp)

FOLKS, THIS WEEK ON THE HARRY HOLT SHOW, WE'RE GONNA TALK TO A COUPLE OF OL' BOYS THAT'S GOT PLENTY OF TROUBLES. ONE AINT HAD A RAIN— AND THE OTHER AINT HAD A WIN IN OVER A YEAR.....



Good Statistics, Badgers, more

By Cloy A. Richards

Merkel Police Chief Ray Pack wasn't bragging the other night when he told the city council he thought his department was doing a pretty good job taking care of business.

He had some facts to prove it. He reported his department had solved 58.7 per cent of all reported incidents so far in 1983. He said in Abilene, they solve about 20 per cent of cases, about the same in Taylor County, and about 35 per cent in Sweetwater.

Now, statistics can be interpreted to say anything you want them to mean, but that says something to me.

Sure, you may have had a bad deal with the police at one time or another, or so you think. But, they have taken care of half of the reported cases in the last year and that's good in my book. That's real good in my book.

Since I may have already broken my sports prediction string with the Cloy and Breck pick, that still could come true, I am going to take even a crazier step.

My dad has a friend from Baltimore, that both Melanie and I know, who obviously could not be more tickled with his team in the Series.

My dad is also kidding same person by saying "The Sports Editor in The Mail is saying there will be an all-Texas World Series." I have never predicted that, only said it would be nice. O.K. Charlie, get out the boxing gloves because that nut in Merkel says the Phillies will win, and that they will play more than three games.

At least I will be half right.

The Badgers got beat last week by Wylie 12-7 in the district opener. Their season record stands at 2-4 and the rest of the schedule this year is rough. Clyde, Electra, Breckenridge and Stamford. Stamford is not as tough as they have been in the past, but the other three can play. Breck is having an off year but Breck is Breck.

The Badgers had their best effort of the year last week and Michael McCoy was unstoppable until he was injured in the second quarter. He set up the Badgers only touchdown with a nice run.

I mentioned all of that for a particular reason. An eternal optimist came up to me the other day and said things are looking up here. They were proud of the Badgers' performance against Wylie and said "Besides, we won our first road game in four years this year."

Council approves mobile home plat

The Merkel City Council heard details on a new housing addition planned by John Lanford and two partners and heard an update on HUD projects here at their regular session held at the Merkel Emergency Medical Service Building Monday night.

Council also heard a police report from Merkel Police Chief Ray Pack. The new housing addition, which will be located to the Northwest of Starr Nursing Home will eventually have room for 77 mobile homes. According to John Lanford, one of the developers, it will have paved streets, and all utility hook-ups. They hope to have the park open next spring and said they did not intend to sell lots, because they felt they could better control the

looks of the facility if they rented the lots.

The Council did approve the plat for the park Monday night. In other action, council heard an update on the houses Council discussed as being dilapidated and unlivable. Part of the HUD funds will be used to have the seven homes torn down and the lot cleared. Council will be notifying the property owners soon to seek their permission to remove the homes.

City Manager J. A. Sadler reported that the 6 inch and 2 inch water lines are in place at the Wozencraft Addition on Merkel's Southeast side and work will be completed when additional fittings are received. Council also agreed to lay water lines in the mobile home park

approved earlier for no labor charge. The developers will pay for the materials.

Chief Pack also gave his September police report. The department worked 146 cases last month and had a 67 per cent solvency rate in local cases. The Police Department is reporting a 58.7 solvency rate for the year, which, according to Pack, is more than three times greater than the Abilene Police Department, who stands at 19 per cent for the year.

Merkel Mayor Kent Satterwhite told Pack "your department is doing a great job and we appreciate it."

In September, theft and burglary losses in town were \$17,204 with \$16,333 in stolen property and merchandise were recovered.

Newsbriefs

Boosters

The Merkel Badger Booster Club met Monday at Alfredo's. A short business meeting was conducted prior to the viewing of the film of the Merkel and Wylie game.

Parents night was planned for the last game of the season. All parents are urged to make plans to be on hand to accompany their son on the field as he is introduced at the beginning of the game.

The Club will again run the concession stand for the home basketball games and help is urgently needed from all parents.

The Club voted to sell advertising for the program for the Caprock basketball tournament which will be held in late December. Sandy Laird was named chairman of the committee to sell ads for this money-making project.

All parents are urged to come and be a part of the Booster Club and support the teams. The Club is especially appreciative to Alfredo for allowing the club the meet at his restaurant each Monday night at 7:30.

Sr. Citizens

The Senior Citizens will be sponsoring a musical, Oct. 20th at 7 p.m. at Heritage Hall. Admission is free but donations will be appreciated. There will be sandwiches, drinks, cakes and pies for sale, donated by the group. Everyone is invited.

Scholarship

Edward G. Herrera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arturo Q. Herrera of 762 Scott in Tye, has received a three year U. S. Air Force ROTC scholarship. The cadet was selected for the scholarship on the basis of comprehensive tests, high school scholastic achievement and extracurricular activities.

The scholarship covers full tuition, textbooks, laboratory fees and pays a monthly

subtenance allowance.

Upon graduation and completion of the ROTC program, the cadet will be commissioned an Air Force second lieutenant.

Hererra is a student at Texas Tech.

School menu

The following is the MISD lunch menu:

Oct. 13, fried fish wedges with tartar sauce, blackeyed peas and cole slaw, corn bread and apple cheese crisp.

Oct. 14 charbroiled hamburgers, fries and trimmings, orange wedges.

Oct. 17 burritos, buttered corn, lettuce and tomato salad, tortilla, lemon bars.

Oct. 18 beef and tater bake, vegetable salad, plum cobbler.

Oct. 19 chicken fried steak, whipped potatoes and english peas, chilled sliced peaches.

Preceptor Eta Omega

Preceptor Eta Omega of Merkel met in the home of Liz Eager Oct. 4.

The program literature prose and poetry was given by Liz Eager, captain and Mamie Steck, co-captain.

Those enjoying refreshments furnished by Liz were Betty Conley, Jane Carson, Louise DuBose, Val Patterson, Opal Garner, Kathy Leverich, Betty Satterwhite, Liz Eager, Mamie Steck, Ruth Tipton and Blanche Hewitt.

The next meeting will be Oct. 18 in the home of Blanche Hewitt.

Trent reunion

The Class of 1941 of Trent High had their first get together at the 1983 Trent Homecoming Saturday.

From a class of 23, nine were present and one deceased, Mildred Swinney reported.

Those present were: Raydell Bishop, Abilene; Ladie Fred Crain Caffey, Trent; Virginia Chole McRee Strawn, Midland; Avis Nell Nagy, Clinton, Ar.; Tommie O'Rear, Sweetwater; Leo Reynolds amarillo; Wanda Stribling Tittle, Merkel;

and 1940's Homecoming Coming Home Queen nominee Wilma Stribling Seago of Merkel.

A great time of reminiscing, looking at pictures and sharing of lives since 1941 was enjoyed.

Adult Ed

Free Adult Education classes have begun at Merkel High, but it is not too late for you to start. Classes are being held in Room 13 at Merkel High every Monday night from 6 until 9.

You can come to class for Basic; learn to read and write and figure better, GED-General Education Development High School Equivalency Certificate and ESL-Learn to speak English as a second language.

We hope to see you Monday night.

Fishing news

Jake Barnes dropped in to tell us his wife, Irene caught 28 crappie at Lake Hubbard last Sunday. She was fishing in 6 to 8 feet of water with minnows. He says the bass and channel cat have been pretty active also. He only managed to catch a 5 lb. drum.

Ann Lee Miller

buried here

Ann Lee Miller, 73, of Merkel, died at 9:10 pm Saturday at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a brief illness. Services were held Monday at Merkel Church of Christ.

Bob Brandon, minister officiated. Burial was at Rose Hill Cemetery, directed by Starbuck Funeral Home. Born Aug. 23, 1910, in Merkel, she married Ralph R. Miller Sr. Feb. 21, 1929, in Merkel. She was a member of Merkel Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Ralph Jr. of Waldron, Ark., Jack B. of Odessa and Jerry R. of Merkel; a daughter, Famo Jean Teaff of Tye; two brothers, Ray Reynolds and Clayton Reynolds, both

of Merkel; a sister, Mina Riffel of Hayward, Calif.; 11 grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

Gransons were pallbearers.

Mrs. L. B.

Howard buried

in Stephenville

Mrs. L.B. Beulah Howard former resident of Merkel, passed away Oct. 5th in Waco. Funeral services were held Friday morning at First Baptist Church in Stephenville. Officiating minister was Rev. Emil V. Becker. Burial was held at Rose Hill Cemetery at 3:30 Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Howard was born April 20th, 1893 in Alvin, Texas. She married L.B. Howard, August 22, 1916 in Abilene. He preceded her in death Oct. 31, 1977. Mrs. Howard was a member of the First Baptist Church in Stephenville. She was a life member of the 20th Century Club and the Stephenville Music Club. She had lived in Merkel before 1936.

She is survived by her 2 daughters, Mrs. Edwin Mays of Waco and Mrs. Howard McCarroll of Ft. Worth, 6 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Stephenville Funeral Home.

Lambda Beta holds meeting

Lambda Beta met Oct. 4th in the home of Chera Hohhertz with Mrs. Hohhertz presiding. The program presented was delivered by Tarra Flowers with Debbie Roberson co-captain. Tarra informed the group on beauty care for outer and inner beauty. The program was interesting, especially since most of us are interested in preserving both. Members present included Kay Bishop, Annette Clark, Tarra Flowers, Chera Hohhertz, Ann Leach, Rita Moore, Debbie Sandusky, Peggy Chick and Pat Schuknecht.

Church news

Merkel Baptist

Prayers for traveling mercies go with our preacher and Kay as they leave for Detroit to attend the semi-annual World Baptist Fellowship set Oct. 18-20.

In Brother Davis's absence, our own James McKee will fill the pulpit. (preach us a good one James, as always).*

We are looking forward to another wonderful Lord's Day. We hope our visitors will be back with us again in our services.

Merkel Methodist

First United Methodist Church will have their Bar-B-Que Oct. 12th at 7 p.m. that will feature a talent show of church talent.

Saturday they will be celebrating with a paint party. We encourage all to wear old clothes and bring paint brushes and a willing spirit to paint the corridors of the education wing.

Sunday is youth Sunday and the youth will be in charge of leading the worship service. Sunday is also the district conference and one great day of Methodist singing at 2:45 p.m. at St. Paul Methodist in Abilene. We encourage attendance.

Trent Methodist

The United Methodist Church reports

that their float depicting the Year of the Bible won first place at the Trent Homecoming parade. The float featured a 6 foot tall Bible and two huge candles.

Assembly of God

The 5th Sunday singing that has previously been held at the Senior Citizens Building will now be held at the Assembly of God Church. Oct. 30 will be the first singing since the move. We invite all to attend.



Mr. & Mrs. T. L. Neal

Neal's active in Church of Christ

T. L. and Sherry O-Neal both enjoy working with young people. T. L. has been youth minister at the Merkel Church of Christ since December. His wife, Sherry is the music teacher at Merkel Elementary.

Sherry lived in Kingsville, Beaumont, and Abilene. She was graduated from Beaumont French High and ACU with a degree in elementary education.

T. L. has lived in

LaMarque, Dickinson and Abilene. He was graduated from Dickinson High and is currently finishing his work on a BA in Bible at ACU. He previously worked as youth minister for the League City Church of Christ.

Fortnightly group holds meeting

The Fortnightly Study Club met on Tuesday, Sept. 27th, in the home of Maurine White, with Clara B. Walla as Co-hostess.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Alwyne Sandusky, who welcomed members and one new member, Mrs. Billy Bob Neff. A brief business meeting was held. The program on "Americanism" began with group singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and "America", led by Anna Belle Shouse. Members also participated in reciting the "Pledge of Allegiance" and "The American's Creed", led by Pat Neff.

Program chairman, Alice King introduced the program: "The Joys and Privileges of being an American Citizen" by Linnie Fisher and "The obligations and responsibilities of a good American Citizen" by

Clara B. Walla. Mrs. Fisher mentioned the rights given to us by the Constitution of the US, which provides for a government of the people, by the people, and for the people, and a government separate from the Church. The Bill of Rights guarantees us freedom of religion, freedom of speech, and the freedom of assembly and petition. Other freedoms she talked about included the right to an education, the right to vote, to own property and to travel. She also mentioned the requirements for an alien to become an American Citizen. She concluded her talk by reading the poem "I am an American".

Mrs. Walla's interesting talk mentioned that as a good American Citizen it is our obligation to love and support

our country, to defend it, and to honor and respect it's Flag. She also said that it is our duty to participate in our government, to vote, serve on committees and to take part in community activities, our Churches and our schools.

Delicious refreshments were served to: Mrs. C.M. Brown, Miss Avis Deavers, Mrs. S.C. Dixon, Mrs. Mack Fisher, Miss Mildred Hamm, Mrs. J.W. Hammond, Mrs. Comer Haynes, Mrs. Orvel Hill, Mrs. Buster Horton, Mrs. Carl Hughes, Mrs. Allen King, Mrs. C.B. Knight, Mrs. Curtis Rister, Mrs. Phillip Pursley, Mrs. Ed Sandusky, Mrs. C.M. Seymore, Mrs. Andy Shouse, Mrs. Aaron Sudderth, Mrs. Alf Walla, Miss Maurine White, Mrs. Ray Wilson, and Mrs. Billy Bob Neff.

School honor rolls released

The following is the Tye Elementary Honor Roll for the first six weeks.

FIRST GRADE

-Adjustment Period-No grades given.

SECOND GRADE - THOMPSON A HONOR ROLL
-Chad Fambrough, Jennifer Johnson, Joshua Perry, Brian Miller, Sandi Wood, and Wendt Wollicki.

A-B HONOR ROLL
-Robin Bishop, Jennifer Davis, Buster Davis, Michael Davis, Stacey Powell, Dena Warren, and Charlie Granger.

THIRD GRADE-SIMS A HONOR ROLL
+Donnie Windland, Mandy Law and Elizabeth Owsley.

A-B HONOR ROLL
+Danny Williamson, Kimberly Israel, Jennifer Matteson, Lori Snowden, and Kenneth Bateman

A HONOR ROLL
+Tami Sims.

A-B HONOR ROLL
-Jennifer Hicks, Tracy Martin, Carol Scifres, and Lori Wilderson.

FOURTH GRADE-EVERETT A HONOR ROLL
-Son Hui Chon, Becky Donaldson, Trilena Dortch, Greg Parker, Hope Ward, and Cheryl Wood.

A-B HONOR ROLL
+Yvonne Alexander, Tammy Lilly, Melissa Maxwell, Chad Taylor, Shawn Taylor, and Kim Tucker.

FIFTH GRADE-DEAN A HONOR ROLL
+Rodney Bunelmeyer, Jana Danielli, Dennis Griffin, Alicia Helms, Cristi Moore, Troy Sims, and Tracy Wilson.

A-B HONOR ROLL
+Crystal Arnold, Chris McCartney, Shawanda Warren, and Wayne Wilson.

FIFTH GRADE-WHEELER A-B HONOR ROLL
+Jody Lang and Jamie McClintock.

The following is the Merkel Middle School Honor roll:

8th Grade All A
Krista Toombs, Tami Israel, Michelle Goodgion, Amy Stuckey, Kristy Elliott, April Duncan, Staci Ferguson, Angie Moreno, Ted Seymore, Son M. Chon, Ramon Moreno.

8th Grade A - B
Kylie Coker, Keith Munden, Todd Smith, Randy Graham, Steve Williams, Michael Woodall, Anja Reyna, Mark Aldrette, Clara Herrera, Misty Vaughn, Angie Cannon, Stacie Johnson, Brit Pursley, Allan Isom, Ami Sams, Jason Duran, Shelle

Doan, Michelle Langlinais.
7th Grade All A
Julie Koflanovich, Diem Tran, Anissa Jones, Pam Neff, Michelle Dudley.

7th Grade A - B
Michelle Barnett, Amber Whisenhunt, Mary Dillon, Richa Hill, Walter Best, Melinda Baker, Glyn Ann Rutledge, Stephanie Ashorn, Jeff Hobbs, Jennifer Heidelberg, Maxie Lang, Twyla Wilborn, Jennifer Gaona, Kim Richards.

6th Grade All A
Chip Townsend, Stevie Biera, Jennifer Hatley, Stephen Jacobs, Shawn Miller.

A - B
Tricia Newsom, Steven Bauer, Kevin Pilgrim, Damon Aldredge, Lee Kotrolik, Richard Stanley, Eric Teaff, Richard Bryan, Angela Carson, Lisa Cannon, Toby DuPont, Laurinda Powell, Amy Coleman, Rebecca Gates, Kevin Pilgrim, Chance Ferguson, Shari Miles, David Miller.

The following is the Merkel Elementary School honor roll.
Second Grade All A
Jamie Alexander, John Kyle Baumann, Wendy Cummings, Dana Hammond, Lisa Harding, Heather Henderson, Carmen Holden, Roy Lehmann, Jennifer Martin, Melanie Mitchell, Cody Pack, Nathan Stamper.

A - B
Richard Adkin, Doug Alldredge, Kelly Atkinson, Shellie Boggs, Lydia Brubaker, Judd Burton, Velma DeLeon, Corey Dennis, Isaac Duran, Robert Flores, Anita Glasscock, Stormie Golsen, Nellie Gonzalez, Mikki Griffith, Jason Harrison, Mandy Householder, Eric Highers, Laura Johns, Jamie Jewers, Linda Layher, Stefanie Moreno, Jason Nalley, Randal Necessary, Troy Roberts, Erin Sams, Manuel Sanchez, Corley Segovia, Jason Tipton, Kelly Warren, Maurice Williams, and Mark Wright.

3rd Grade All A
Tanner Boyd, Tammy Graham, Partick Harrison, Jason Heuermann, Caleb Kelso, Jennifer McKee, Andrea Richardson, Trinh Tran, Krystal West.

A - B
Shayla Carter, Justin Combs, Matthew Cravens, Kris Harris, Austin Hill, Alisha Hobbs, Susan Holden, DeeDee Jackson, Delayne Pack, Renli Reynolds, Shelly Seymore, Chad Smith.

4th Grade All A
Queena Bigby, Michelle Ingram, Lillian Leach, Treska McCullough, Shayla Miller, Kristi Smith.

A - B
Mandy Barnett, Tanya Beasley, Lori Best, Amanda Biera, Scott Cannon, Dayna Doan, Rebecca Dunagin, Julie Hard-

ing, Shayla Hardy, Dawn Henslee, Elizabeth Hernandez, James Hill, Christy Hull, Mark Jenkins, John Lally, Joshua Mashburn, Christy Minze, Robert Pace, Zacky Rodriguez, Teresa Ross, Eilyn Rutledge, Stephen Santee, Kriste Smith, Amy Sparks, Aaron Turner, Brandi Watts, Todd Walters, Criswell Whisenhunt, Jason Wikerson, Annette Windham.

4th Grade All A
Phuong Thao Tran, Daniel West.

A - B
Jamie Beasley, Brandon Boyd, Robert Frazier, Jayma Goldsmith, Betsy Hellums, Colleen Jacobs, Cara Kelso, Sean Leaman, Neil Newman, Renae Paulsen, Keri Sams, Kevin Stover, Michelle Smith, Brandon Toombs.

The following is the Merkel High School honor rolls.

Seniors All A
Angie Allen, Bonnie Anderson, Brenda Hohhertz, Michael McCoy, Derald Muniz, Denise Pack, Melinda Riney, Ray Walters, Pam Wheeler, John Ybarra.

A - B
Joan Fariello, Jay Gibson, Tommy Hays, Wayne Horton, Judy Jinkens, Russell Lucas, Donna Miller, Brad Nalley, Steven Page, Cevellia Roberts, Jimmy Ventura.

Juniors All A
Tami Elliott, Nancy Galbraith, Melissa Hinson, Angie Kelly, Shelly Sherill, Becky Teague, Trung Tran.

A - B
Bill Adams, Elaine Bodine, Kelly Boswell, Stacy Cowling, Melissa Davis, Gwyneil Emfinger, Robert Flores, Tim Jacobs, Melody Pape, Kris Rich, John Starbuck, Kelly Stovall, Jenny Wilde, Cindy Williams, Lisa Williamson, Sean Woodard.

Sophomores All A
Ronna Casey, Amy Irvin, Kevin Mitchell, Kelly Riney, Lucretia Wade.

A - B
Kelly Beights, Becky Best, Dana Brown, Clay Carey, Kevin Coker, Pam Ely, Alyse Ferguson, Dean Franklin, Milo Harris, Chris Horton, Wayne Johnson, Tim Kellogg, Jill Laman, Gayle Landeros, Keith Watson.

Freshmen All A
Abby Irvin, Billy Ray Riley, Sheri Riney, Kim Welding, Michelle Woodard, Fondale-Watson, Dana Johnson.

A - B
Tracy Bicknell, Michelle Brandon, Michael Gandy, Tina Jaramillo, Sandra Kotrolik, Joe Miles, Dusty Moore, Debbie Pack, Danny Santee, Angela Thomas, Ron Turner, Alan Windham.



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Mr. & Mrs. Walter Harris



Harris' celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. Walter (Pete) Harris will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Oct. 16 at a reception at Heritage Hall from 2 until 4 p.m.

The reception will be hosted by their children and grandchildren.

Children are: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris of

Valley Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris of Merkel and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harris of Okinawa.

There are nine grandchildren.

Pete was born Jan. 12th, 1933. After nearly 50 years in the trucking business, they are now retired and live in San Angelo. All friends and acquaintances are welcomed to attend.



Mr. & Mrs. S. G. Russell

Russell's celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Russell will be honored Oct. 23 with a reception in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Children of the couple will be hosts for the event which will be from 2 until 4 p.m. at First Baptist Church. Children are Mr. and Mrs. Jenny G. Russell of Neosha, Mo., Mr.

and Mrs. Jacky Russell of Richardson, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Russell of Merkel. The couple also have nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

S. G. was born in Merkel June 15th, 1912 and Anna May in Howard County. They met and married here and have lived here since.

Sept. 6th, Charles, Chick, Larry Hartline, Fred Hartline, Jerry Hinshaw and Gary Boyd left for Bayfield Co., close to where former Merkel resident Roland Pack lives, where he joined

them for a ten day elk hunt. Charles Chick shot a 300 pound cow elk with his compound bow. It took all of the men plus Roland's horse to carry it down from Chimney Rock Mountain.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: MARTIN VASQUES, Whereabouts unknown, Respondent; GREETINGS: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable 326th District Court, Taylor County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Abilene, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of ser-

vice of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of JACK G. NIETO & STELLA NIETO, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 4th day of October, 1983, against Martin Vasques, Respondent, and said suit being numbered 9580-C on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In The Interest of Baby Girl Mesa, a Child", the nature of which suit is a request to the Court to determine what parent-child relationship exists between the child and the respondent and that

such parent-child relationships be terminated. Petitioner requests the Court to appoint an attorney ad litem for any party cited who may default. Said child was born the 3rd day of October, 1983, in Abilene, Taylor County, Texas. The Court has the authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship and the appointment of a conservator with author-

326th District Court Taylor County, Texas By JoAnn Lackey, Deputy.

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF VIRGIE V. MCDOWELL, DECEASED
+Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration for the Estate of VIRGIE V. MCDOWELL were issued on the 24th day of August, 1983, in Cause Number 15,636 pending in the County Court of Taylor County, Texas to:

Ted L. McDowell
The residence of the Administrator is 4605 Hanover, Garland, Texas, 75042.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated this the 14th day of September, 1983.

Ted L. McDowell
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A brief statement of the nature of the suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff be granted Judgement in the amount of \$2,527.48, and that Plaintiff be granted such other relief, special or general, legal or equitable, as may be shown to be justly entitled to receive as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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TO: MABEL IRENE HART Residence Address Unknown, Defendant, GREETING: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court, of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same to be filed on the 21st day of November A. D. 1983, to the

Petition filed in said court, on the 30th day of September A. D. 1983, in this cause, numbered 38,442-A on the docket of said court and styled GREGORIO N. MORENO and Wife, Teresa C. Moreno, Plaintiffs, vs. MABEL IRENE HART, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff requests the Court to enter Judgment for the title of the real property involved, removing the cloud on Plaintiff's title. Lot 3, Block A, Hughes Subdivision. Lot 4, Block 186, Abilene, Taylor Co., Texas as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court at Abilene, Texas, this the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1983.

Attest: Rilla Mahoney Clerk 42nd District Court Taylor County, Texas by JoAnn Lackey, Deputy

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: LOREN FLEMING, dba Flemming Construction, Residence Unknown, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 104th District Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock AM of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 7th day of November AD 1983, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 20th day of September AD 1983, in this cause, numbered 15,674-B on the docket of said court and styled RONALD D. SAVITZ, dba Today Home Buildings, Plaintiff,

vs. LOREN FLEMING, dba Flemming Construction, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff prays that certain liens be set aside and that the Court enter an order that the liens are invalid and of no force and effect, and that Defendant has no lien upon the properties mentioned, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall

promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 21st day of September AD 1983. Attest: Rilla Mahoney, Clerk, 104th District Court, Taylor County, Texas by JoAnn Lackey, Deputy.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR OIL AND GAS WASTE DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

+R. A. Beard Oil Operating Co., P. O. Box 276, Merkel, Texas, 79536, has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into porous formations not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the Flippen & Gunsight, L. T. Beard, Well Number 1. The proposed disposal well is located 1 mile NW from Stith in the Jones County Regular Field, in Jones County. The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth intervals from 2,517 to 2,521 feet, and 2,887 to 2,939 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended. Title 3 of the

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Natural Resources Code, as amended and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning and aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas, 78711 (telephone 512-445-1373).

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

+THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: The heirs at law of Perry L. Smith, if any, and Samuel B. Washington Respondents, and said suit being numbered 15,974 on the docket of said Court, and entitled Estate of Lula Thompson, Deceased.

A brief statement of the nature of this cause is as follows, to-wit: That citation issue as required by law to all persons interested in the Estate of Lula Thompson, Deceased; that letters testamentary be issued to Reverend T. G. Olinphant; and that all other orders be entered as the court may deem proper, as is more fully shown in Petition on file in this

cause. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall promptly serve the same according to be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 13th day of September A. D. 1983. Attest: Janice Lyons, Clerk County Court Taylor County, Texas By: Dorothy Plumlee, Deputy.



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The following Merchants Back The Badgers

by Dale Hammond

This week's spotlight falls on running back Michael McCoy, Senior 83-84. Michael is a friendly young lad with a good sense of humor unless you compare him with his older brother Brad. Then his eyes cross, his nostrils flare and he tells you that there is no way big brother can ever be as handsome as he

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heart and repopulate that part of the county. Michael's favorite hobby is listening to old Roy Acuff records and feeding his two pet carp, Bert and Brad. Hopefully he will recover from an ankle injury received at Wylie quickly and be back in the lineup soon.

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CHILI
WITH BEANS
15 OZ CAN
2 FOR **\$1 00**

FRESH LEAN
PORK CHOPS
CENTER CUT POUND **\$1 79**


FRESH LEAN
PORK CHOPS
POUND **\$1 49**

KRAFT 7.4 OZ BOX
MACARONI CHEESE **DINNER** 2 FOR **69¢**

DETERGENT
OXYDOL
KING SIZE BOX **\$2 79**

VLASIC
SWEET BUTTER
CHIPS
22 OZ JAR **\$1 19**

THOMPSON SEEDLES
GRAPES
WHITE POUND **79¢**



FRESH LEAN
PORK STEAK POUND **\$1 49**

FRESH LEAN
PORK CHOPS END CUT POUND **\$1 39**

SOFTNER
BOUNCE
40 CT BOX **\$1 89**

CHARMIN
TISSUE
4 ROLL CRTN **98¢**

RED ROME
APPLES LB **49¢**

FRESH LEAN PORK
SPARE RIBS MEATY POUND **\$1 59**

GOOCH B R
BACON NO 1 POUND **\$1 63**

HAND SOAP
CARESS
2 REG SIZE **79¢**

LIQUID
JOY
GIANT SIZE
EACH **\$1 09**

FRESH GREEN
CABBAGE LB **19¢**

GOOCH BR
FRANKS ALL MEAT ONLY 12 OZ **83¢**

GOOCH GOLDEN AWARD
HAMS FULL COOKED BONELESS LB **\$2 65**

TEXAS
ORANGES 4 LB BAG **99¢**

GOOCH BR
SAUSAGE 12 OZ PKG **\$1 49**

TEXAS
GOLDEN YAMS LB **39¢**

DEL MONTE
BANANAS LB **39¢**

FOREMOST
HOMO
MILK
GAL JUG **\$2 29**

FOREMOST
LOW FAT
MILK
GAL JUG **\$2 19**

FOREMOST
SO-LO
MILK
1/2 GAL CRTN **\$1 09**

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CHICKEN
WE TAKE
CALL IN ORDERS
8 PIECES
Feeds 4

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GIFT BOND
STAMPS

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Wednesday
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FRESH VEGETABLES

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