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Ten Cents (Plus Tax)

Trucktown Blockaded Truckers' Protest Hits West Texas

The nationwide truckers dispute has hit West Texas with trucks blocking most of the truck stops on Interstate 20 between Dallas and El Paso including Fuller's Truckstop in Colorado City.

Two trucks pulled into Fuller's Trucktown about midnight Friday and blocked access to the pumps.

The nationwide dispute which has erupted into violence in parts of the nation, apparently stems from high fuel prices as well as low speed limits.

"I didn't want to fuss with them," said Les Fuller of Fuller's Trucktown. Fuller noted that he believes the truckers are protesting the wrong things and should be trying to

get higher freight rates rather than protest the low speed limit or price of fuel which will go higher.

One trucker left the interstate to get fuel and told officials at the Col-Tex Station at 2nd and Hickory that every

truck stop between here and Tye was blockaded except for one at Roscoe and one at Merkel.

Conard's Truck Stop on the west side of Colorado City as of Saturday morning had not been blockaded and was reported running low on diesel

as a result of the blockade at other truck stops.

No one seems to know just how long the truckers protest will go on or how long the blockades will last.

Fuel Cutback Hurts Co-ops

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The Colorado City legislator said urgent concern is being expressed to him by electric cooperatives which supply much of the power that produces West Texas oil.

"Not only do these regulations appear unfair, to all West Texas Electric systems," Martin said, "but these regulations also appear to severely cut back gasoline to electric cooperatives in the oil fields where these cooperatives must keep the oil rigs pumping, storage and transmission systems operating."

Martin said he was contacting West Texas congressman and senators as well as the federal energy office in Washington in an effort to remedy the inequity.

Electric cooperatives were notified this week of new petroleum allocation and price regulations that appear to reduce gasoline and distillate oil available to the systems from 100% of current needs to 100% of 1972 base period volumes unless the electricity which these systems distribute comes from hydro-electric or nuclear power plants.

"This means a cutback of 20% in gasoline for cooperatives contacting my office," Martin said. "The danger in this cutback is the fact that the oil industry is the biggest customer of the electric cooperative serving a multi-county area centering on my home county of Mitchell."

"Sixty per cent of that co-ops business is with the oil industry in the field, the backbone of our whole energy production system." The representative emphasized that these cooperatives do not have a fleet of limousines running around West Texas.

"The gasoline they use sends their crews to work to keep the electric system operating."

There are no hydro-electric powered electric generating plants in West Texas. "Our power comes from plants which are fueled by natural gas and fuel oil yet this new regulation penalizes these plants and the country that depends on these plants for electric energy," Martin concluded.

Last Count At 52,135

Most of the gins in Mitchell County are through ginning for the season and are closing down. Loraine Co-op is still ginning a little.

The last bale count the Record will make for the season tallied 52,135 bales, the highest number ever produced in Mitchell County.

A breakdown of the total for the various gins follows:

--Broughton, 1,692;
--Bulford, 8,570;
--China Grove, 11,930;
5,765 from Mitchell County;
--Farmers, 5,258;
--Loraine Co-op, 12,930;
--Mitchell Co., 3,447;
--Planters, 3,573;
--Producers, 10,700.

Building Permits Near \$1 Million

For the second year in a row, building permits issued by the city of Colorado City have almost totaled \$1 million and that amount is expected to be surpassed in 1974 with the beginning of construction of a new high school and the city's new civic center.

Building permits for 1973 totaled \$985,210 which includes \$350,000 for construction of two new wings onto Root Memorial Hospital and \$350,000 for construction of 26 new public housing units for the elderly.

Other permits included \$48,465 for businesses, \$19,595 for additions onto homes, \$95,450 for a new church and rectory for St. Anne's Catholic Church and \$121,700 for six new homes.

The building permits are among a number of economic indicators that show Colorado City is on the grow. Other indicators include sales tax receipts which in 1973 were higher than ever before by a large margin and higher than ever deposits at local financial institutions.

In addition, there have been indications the number of water meters in the city are on the increase, plus the number of telephones in 1973 was higher than in 1972 and the number of electric meters was also higher than before.

The Colorado City Post Office had \$113,214 in receipts for 1973, almost \$600 less than in 1972. However, the Post Office had two less employees in 1973 than in 1972. In 1973 the Post Office had 15 workers, including one on loan to Abilene, while in 1972, the Post Office had 16 employees and none were on loan at that time.

In 1972, Post Master Arlene Morris said receipts amounted

to \$113,795.99 while in 1970, receipts were \$100,337.46; 1969 \$96,309.71; 1968, \$100,638.60; 1967, \$85,148.02 and 1966, \$93,087.05. During the 1960's the Post Office had as many as 19 employees.

A number of business changes have been made in Colorado City in the past few months, some new businesses have opened and others have changed hands.

The business review published by the Colorado City Record in conjunction with the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet failed to mention the changes made in the operation of Early and Late grocery store on Hickory, Mr. and Mrs. Cummins Wood now own and operate the handy convenience store, Winnie's Merle Norman Studio and Flo's Beauty Shop opened at 271 Elm in November. A recreation center, Colorado City Indoor Golf, opened in the fall on Walnut downtown. It is owned by Bob Spears of Big Spring and operated by Becky Alvarado and Emma Campos. Six different games are available, each game for a quarter; Football, pool, pinball, golf, air hockey and Pong.

Minshew's House of Glass also opened in the fall, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Don Minshew. The business is located at 513 E. 2nd.

James Parker has bought the Mobil consignee's dealership in Colorado City, re-opening the warehouse and the Mobil station on Interstate 20. M. D. Williams and Don Stewart have leased the downtown Mobil station and it will be operated by Charlie Dominguez, to open possibly this week.

Jimmy Moody and Leo Thompson are remodeling and making changes to comply with government regulations and will open soon M&T Food Service, planning to do custom butchering and to offer a general meat market.

Ambulance Service Delayed

The Mitchell County Ambulance Service apparently will not go into operation for several more weeks as paging equipment needed to operate the service has not yet been delivered.

It had been hoped that the service would go into effect Feb. 1.

The service's new ambulance has been delivered but textbooks to conduct a first aid course for those driving the ambulance were in short supply and a first aid course for the ambulance drivers has not yet been conducted. The first aid course will start next week.

Automatic paging equipment which includes pocket pagers to notify drivers of an ambulance call, has not been delivered but is expected to be here soon.

The exact date for the beginning of the ambulance service will be announced at a later date.



Deflation?

Don't get your hopes up, there really aren't any 10¢ hamburgers, but there used to be, as this sign proves. The sign was uncovered by city crews tearing down the old building on the corner of 2nd and Oak, the site of the new Civic Center. It was under a layer of paper and paint, painted on a three-layer brick wall, which is now gone.

Deadline For Filing Nears

Any candidate running for an elected office is advised of a new election law which requires that a campaign manager must be appointed before any contribution is accepted or expenditure can be made.

The appointment must be a written appointment filed with the proper office.

State or district office, Secretary of State; County office, County Clerk; Municipal office, City secretary or clerk.

Other political subdivision, Secretary or clerk of governing body.

A candidate may designate himself as campaign manager.

Even a small expense item, such as printing cards announcing the candidacy, requires the naming of a campaign manager.

The appointment of a successor automatically removes the originally designated campaign manager.

The deadline for filing for state, district or county office is 90 days before the election date of May 4, making the filing deadline February 4, Monday.

So far, three candidates have filed with the Secretary of State for State Senator from the 30th Senatorial District: Charles Fennell, Ray Farabee and Mrs. Mary Virginia Kirchhoff. Elmer Martin will seek re-election as state representative for the 61st District to the state House of Representatives. U. S. Rep.

Omar Burleson, Congressman from the 17th District, has filed for re-election.

Bill Erwin, district clerk, has announced for re-election.

County commissioner incumbents Moody Richardson and Drue Cawthron will not seek re-election.

Candidates for commissioner for Precinct Four include Robert Bruce, Price Hall, S. A. (Sid) Compton, Weldon McCollum, Edgar Hallmark and Billy Preston. Candidates for commissioner for Precinct Two are Johnny Shackelford, T. A. Whitesides and James D. Rich.

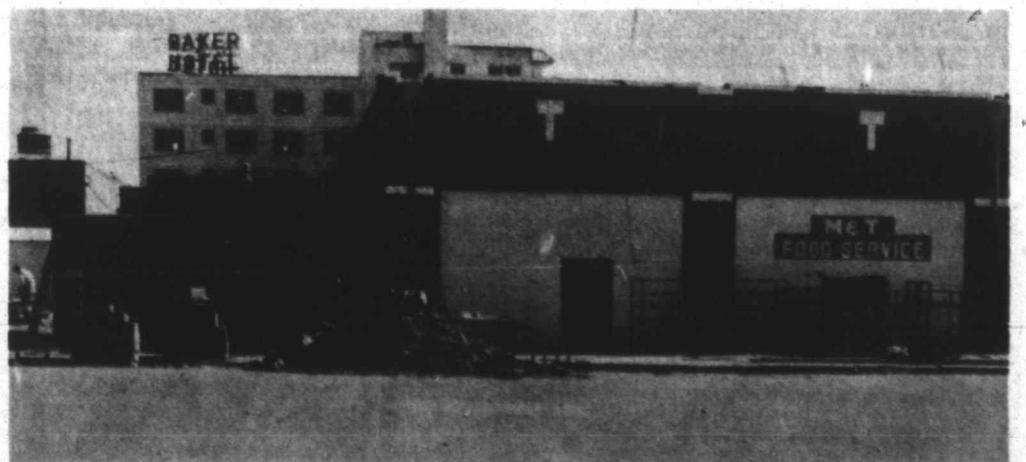
Other candidates for county office include County Treasurer, Mildred Mann Boyd; County Clerk, Marie Bassham and County Judge, Bill Carter, all incumbents who, so far, are uncontested.

Candidates for Justice of the Peace for Precinct One are incumbent Leonard Henderson and M. O. (Odie) Wise; Precinct Two, incumbent George Swett; Precinct Three, incumbent Mary Lee Moore and Precinct Four, incumbent S. H. Hart.

The deadline for filing for the school board election is March 2, 30 days before the April 6 election date. The four incumbents, Drew Ballard, Truman Bodine, Bob Motley and Ed Roach, are the only ones who have filed to date.

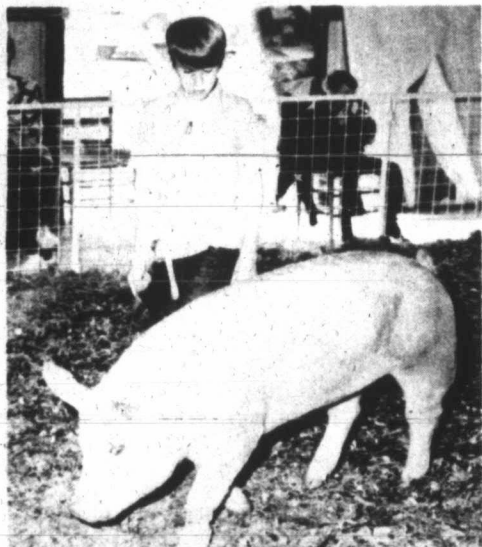
The deadline for filing for the city council is March 2, 30 days before the April 2 election date. No candidates have filed to date.

Changing



The above picture shows the work being done on the M&T Food Service building in preparation for its opening soon. M&T Food Ser-

vice is owned and operated by Jimmy Moody and Leo Thompson and will feature choice meats and custom butchering.



Loraine Ag Show

David Taylor, left, proudly displays the first place ribbon he won for Showmanship in the Loraine FFA Swine Show Thursday. Above left is Leslie Bruce with Grand Champion of the show. Reserve Champion was shown by Mike Lee, above right.

Bruce Is Loraine Ag Show Winner

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Three awards were made for Showmanship, David Taylor taking first, Steve Graham, second and Joe Dunn, third.

Winners in each division follow:

Hampshire-Champion, John Lee; Reserve Champion, Greg Bruce; Heavyweight: 1. John Lee; 2. Don Graham; 3. Steve Graham; 4. Mark McDaniel; 5. Frank Bennett; 6. Pete Andrews; 7. Joe Dunn. Lightweight: 1. Greg Bruce; 2. Joe Dunn; 3. Steve Graham; 4. David Taylor; 5. Darrel Andrews; 6. David Taylor; 7. Tommy Green; 8. John Lee.

Chester Whites: 1. Mike Lee, Champion; 2. Mike Lee, Reserve Champion; 3. Tommy Doyle.

Durocs: 1. Frankie Bennett, Champion; 2. Frankie Bennett, Reserve Champion; 3. David Taylor; 4. Joe Dunn; 5. Mark McDaniel.

Crosses: 1. Leslie Bruce, Champion; 2. Darrell Andrews, Reserve Champion; 3. Pete Andrews.

Lightweight: 1. Don Graham, Champion; 2. Tommy Doyle, Reserve Champion; 3. Mike Lee; 4. Ruben Deloera; 5. Don Graham; 6. Tommy Green.



Billy Preston

Basketball League To Begin Play

A bunch of guys looking for something to do--that was the way Woody Anderson described the beginning of the church basketball league.

The first games will be played Tuesday, games at 7:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. in the Junior High Gym.

Anderson said that some of the same people who were instrumental in forming the basketball league last summer got together and worked up the basketball teams and schedule.

Games are to be played on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the Junior High Gym, the basketball league to pay for gym use, lighting and janitorial service. The league will also pay one referee to officiate the games.

So far, five teams have been formed but Anderson said that the organization is open for more teams. Teams already made up are from the three churches in Loraine and four churches in Colorado City. The teams' names are Loraine, Christian Temple, Church of Christ, First Baptist and Methodist.

To kick off the competition Tuesday, First Baptist plays Loraine, 7:30 and Church of Christ plays Christian Temple, 8:30.

Thursday's games are Church of Christ vs. Methodist, 7:30 and Christian Temple vs. Loraine, 8:30.

February 12, Christian Temple vs. First Baptist, 7:30 and Loraine vs. Methodist, 8:30.

February 15, Loraine vs. Church of Christ, 7:30 and Methodist vs. First Baptist, 8:30.

SPCA Loans Up For 1973

Spiraling costs on the agricultural economic scene were re-emphasized in this area today when Sweetwater Production Credit Association reported its stockholders borrowed \$41.7 million in 1973--\$6.3 million more than in 1972.

F. C. Shillingburg, the association's president, said loans for production agriculture were up all over the state and were expected to increase even more in 1974.

Shillingburg noted that alleviation of the subsidy programs for agriculture and encouragement of a 15 per cent increase pointed to even greater money needs in 1974.

"In addition, fuel and energy in all forms are going to cost more," the president predicted. "We are confident that adequate credit for production agriculture will be available in 1974." Shillingburg said, "but because of higher cost of money and inflationary pressures, the price may be higher."

In 1973, Sweetwater PCA with its 31 sister associations which make up the Texas PCA System, loaned more than \$1.4 billion. Sweetwater PCA's charter territory includes Borden, Dawson, Fisher, Mitchell, Nolan and Scurry counties.

Sweetwater directors are T. L. Finley of Loraine, W. J. Harvey of Roby, L. D. Echols of Lamesa, Audrey Head of Snyder and Othell O'Kelly of Trent.

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**CONVERSATION
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EVEN if you don't believe one word of 'em and look down at your nose at people who do believe, reading horoscopes can be a basket of fun.

Wouldn't miss scanning the daily paper horoscopes for anything. Naturally read first Pisces, the sign of the fish under which I was born. It neat-

ly takes care of an amusing interlude, beginning Feb. 20.

Pisces daily horoscopes always advise "consult some bigwig about that civic or financial matter." In the first place am not sure there are any bigwigs around here. And no financial matters important enough to con-

sult a bigwig even if one were available.

OFTEN, too, the Pisces people are urged to "entertain in the evening...attend that social affair...use caution in moving around." It is never explained how to entertain or go exciting places without moving around some.

"Be happy...be wise" they are always ending--but never say HOW. Horoscope readings ad- verty Leo or Libra or Scorpio or Taurus and you might be happy, wise and bet- ter off in general, sensitive, and always need reas- surance of love and apprecia- tion. Yeah!

Horoscopes also warn that one born under the sign of Pisces should never, NEVER marry another person born under the same sign. A fine and funny thing to find out after you've been wed to a man born under Pisces for more decades than are anybody's business.

THAT'S one why that believ- ing in horoscopes comes hard. Read 'em anyhow, but have found that the best solution is to read 'em the day AFTER they're printed. That way everything is perfectly clear.

That's true except for the repeated "expect a new roman- ce" prediction. The old one will do--unless you're single and still looking.

If this column decided to write horoscopes she'd just con- sider everybody born under any sign to "expect the unex- pected." It would fit the whole lot of us. Any one of the ones you read fits everybody anyhow. Maybe you could choose the one you like best and go along with it.

If you don't care for Pisces, try Leo or Libra or Scorpio or Taurus and you might be happy, wise and better off in general.

ing good luck...but don't forget to make a wish on a red bird flying or the first little evening star shining.

And don't ask why. Supersti- tions are silly. But have yet to meet anybody without ANY. Who, ME? "Star light, star bright, first star I've seen to- night..." That's not supersti- tion. It's optimism and fun. It's hope...a happy habit.

FUN to talk to LaRue Brou- ssard, recently retired teach- er, who reminded the column, last Sunday, that Longfellow's poem is titled "The Village Blacksmith," not the "Village Smithy."

The smithy was what his shop was called. Got a kick out being arrested by an ex-teach- er of English. Maybe because my own family had more English teachers per square inch than money. Expect a letter from my sister Mary Smith Clark of Dallas any day now. But never knew an English teacher not admired and respected as stick- lers for language they are-- including LaRue, and Gladys Miller of the impeccable spee- ch along with that special ch- arm.

MAR CALL brought some bouquets via 8¢ stamp. Want to share part of the sincere little note from Joy Piland, beautiful wife of Eddie Piland, pharmacist.

"Your comments contribute to the atmosphere of that one big family which is C-City," she wrote. "I especially appre- ciated your concept of love in Sunday's paper...thank you for letting us know you through the column." Nice.

Cricket Hrbacek, former Ci- tian now of Dallas, liked the one about the \$1 loaf of bread et cetera.

"Just got home from work in the cold rainy weather, and dead tired. Picked up the RECORD... sat here and laughed with the column ideas until my aches went away--except my tummy still hurts from the fun of la- ughter after such a hard day... wish I could share that col- umn with somebody and every- body." She also lambasted Da- ylight Saving Time.

Cricket broke a foot just be- fore Christmas and is in a wa- lking cast, she adds, "doing fine. But I really needed that good laugh," she concluded.

Flattery? No--just a sweet surprise from Big D to Little C-C.

FLASH! A beautiful and ar- tistic announcement came from Austin's Jamie Anderson, for- mer news editor for the C-City RECORD. It reads:

"Linda and Jamie Anderson warmly announce the birth of their daughter, MARY ADELE, January 7, 1974, in Austin, Tex- as...7 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces, 20 1/2 inches."

Paternal grandmother is our Aline Anderson, Jamie, a great guy to know, and his attractive wife Linda are also parents of two older sons and live at 1213 West 12th, Austin, zip 78703.

HAPPY FEBRUARY--the po- or little old month with just 28 days to work, worry, and wish in. Be wise. And stay happy. Knock on wood! Watch out for the weather.

**Hello
World**

Juan Manuel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Beltran was born January 24 weighing 7 lbs. 2 1/2 ozs.

Alejandro Chavez, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alejandro Chavez was born January 24 weighing 9 lbs. 6 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edwards of Alamogordo, New Mexico an- nounce the arrival of a son, Wil- liam Shawn, born Jan. 21 weigh- ing 7 lbs. 11 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips of Colorado City. Paternal grand- parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards of Nixon, Texas.

Jeremiah Jason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Wood was born January 25 weighing 7 lbs. 8 ozs.

James Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. John- son was born January 29 weigh- ing 3 lbs. 5 1/4 ozs.

**Rural Residents To
Use Box Numbers**

Postmaster A. M. Morris to- day urged all rural and Star Route Postal customers served by the Colorado City Post Office to use Box numbers as part of their return addresses to assure faster, more effi- cient mail deliveries from cor- respondents.

"Although box numbers are an integral part of most rural and Star Route addresses, it has recently become the prac- tice of many postal custom- ers to omit this element," Postmaster Morris said.

"This practice sometimes causes mail to be returned to the sender because of an in- sufficient address. It has also been cited by publishers and other large mailers as one of

the major causes of duplicate mailings to rural customers.

"These duplicate mailings hurt everyone," Postmaster Morris said. "They cost the big mailers in dollars and cents, and because they flood the mail stream, everyone's mail is al- owed."

Postmaster Morris said the box number is as important to rural and Star Route addresses as the house number is to city addresses.

"Unless a rural or Star Route address contains both, the box number and the Route number, it is an incomplete address and is subject to return to the sender," Postmaster Morris said.

**Houston Livestock
Show And Rodeo**

Mitchell County 4-H Club mem- bers who will be entering li- vestock in the judging contests at the 1974 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo are Casey Mer- ket, Jeff Merket, Alan Boyd, Phillis Solomon, Eddy Merket and Kent Boyd.

The show opens February 20 and will run through March 3.

Entries in the 1974 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo are expected to exceed 19,000 in

number proving it is really the largest livestock show in the world. When the '74 show opens, the Livestock Exposition Build- ing will be bulging at the seams again with classes provided for 12 beef cattle breeds, 5 dairy cattle breeds, 5 swine breeds, 11 sheep breeds, 6 horse breeds, 5 rabbit breeds, 22 po- ultry breeds, and Angora goats.

In addition, a record number of 19 auction sales will be held during the two weeks of the show.

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**Baptists
Near Goal**

The Churches of Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association are in a drive to raise \$125,000 to build a Baptist Student Building on the Campus at Western Texas College in Snyder.

Mrs. F. G. Sears of Snyder is the Chairman of this drive.

Phase I of the drive has been completed with \$65,000 given.

Phase II began February 1st. This phase of the drive is designed to have Baptist church members of average income to give or make a pledge.

The pledges will be due May 31, 1974.

The Building Committee is composed of R. C. Patton, Sam Cross and Stanley Noah. It is hoped that construction can begin this summer.

**Domino And
42 Club
Has Meeting**

The Domino and 42 Club met January 25th for their regular meeting with Mrs. J. D. Gibson as hostess for this meet- ing.

R. E. McMillan, president, called the meeting to order and presided over the business ses- sion. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approv- ed and the president closed the meeting with a prayer.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. T. Haley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Salley, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gaylor, Mr. and Mrs. Fred The- els, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles William- ms, Jack Bourland and Lillie Ward.

Also attending were Catherine Shurtliff, Ed Roach, W. H. Ful- ton, Edna Fowler, Willie Bro- oks, Alma Rene Marshall, Net- tie Hodges, Rachel Ruffin, Gar- vice Craghead, Mrs. J. A. Bo- bo, Mrs. C. P. Wiggins and Mrs. Maggie Hamrick.

Visitors attending were Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Pace, Mr. and Mrs. George Knight and Gladys Meskimen.

**NOTICE TO
SMALL EMPLOYERS:**
**New Workmen's Compensation
legislation left your business
open to injury-damage
judgments.**

Effective January 1, 1974, the Workman's Compensation law has been amended to apply to businesses and professional orga- nizations which have one or two employees.

The 1973 Texas legislature enacted S.B. 283 which made many substantial changes in our Workmen's Compensa- tion law. We'd like to call one of these to your attention.

For practical purposes, ALL employees in this state except "domestic ser- vants or casual employees engaged in employment incidental to a personal residence, farm laborers, (or) ranch laborers..." should now be protected by Workmen's Compensation Insurance, or the employer loses his common law defenses if the injured worker sues him.

Formerly you had to have at least three persons on your payroll to be affected. But beginning on January 1, 1974, employers with one or two em- ployees will be brought under the terms of the Workmen's Compensa- tion Act.

The question that probably occurs to you at this point is: What if I as a small employer fail to carry Work- men's Compensation Insurance? Well, if you don't and one of your employees is injured, he has the right to sue you and will almost certainly be awarded damages. (Your liability in- surance doesn't cover either the legal costs in such a case or the court judgment.)

By being uninsured the three so- called common law defenses against a suit by an injured employee can't be asserted in court. These are:

The Fellow Servant Rule (The injury was caused by another employee.); Assumption of Risk (The injured worker knew job conditions were dangerous and assumed the risk.); Contributory Negligence (The in- jured person was partially at fault himself.)

Keep in mind that if you have at least one employee, you yourself are then eligible to be covered, and if your spouse works with you as a co-owner he or she may also qualify for this valuable protection -- even if no salary is paid. Also, the owners of an unincor- porated firm regardless of size may now be included under the Workmen's Compensation Insurance they presently carry.

Since it sometimes takes awhile to ob- tain Workmen's Compensation Insurance for a small employer, please con- tact us immediately.

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Mrs. Amador Castro Jr.,
...former Catherine Ann Lohre.

Lohre, Castro Jr. Wed In Double Ring Ceremony

Miss Catherine Ann Lohre became the bride of Amador Delgado Castro, Jr. Friday January 25 in the Good Shepherd Catholic Church in Garland, Texas.

The Rev. Carl Vogel officiated in the double ring nuptial mass.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Lohre of Garland and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Amador Castro, Sr. of Garland.

The groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Castro of Lorraine.

Looney HD Has Regular Meeting

The Looney Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday in the Lone Wolf Medallion Room with Mrs. R. Marshall as the hostess.

Mrs. J. A. Bobo, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Bruce Byrnes was elected T.H.D.A. delegate to attend the annual "Spring Meeting" to be held in Big Spring.

Mrs. Parker Jarman gave the program on "Flower Arrangements." She had on display a dried flower arrangement.

Roll call was answered with "What I accomplished last year."

Refreshments of cookies, chips, soft drinks and coffee were served to Mmes. Charles Williams, Parker Jarman, Bruce Byrnes, Henry McGuire, Fred Warner, J. A. Bobo and J. D. Gibson.

Area Baptist Association

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Music was presented by Ann Tomlinson. Selections were "Ave Maria," "Our Father," "Theme From Romeo And Juliet," "Theme From Love Story" and the "Wedding March."

The bride given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of candlelight organza over peau de sole. She chose a tiered veil of illusion that fell from a Juliette cap.

She carried a cascade of pink and burgandy miniature roses and carnations.

Herlinda Castro, sister of the groom was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Gaudalope Castro, sister of the groom, Patricia Lohre, Mary Lohre,

sisters of the bride and Sherrie Elliott, cousin of the bride.

The attendants wore gowns of pink and burgandy crape and carried nosegays.

Juan Delgado Jr., uncle of the groom, was bestman. Groomsman were Braulio Delgado, Jr., Larry Jones, Rubin Castro and Mike Elliott.

Ushers were Randy Bossier, Andy Bush and Brad Clemens. Following the wedding a champagne reception was held in honor of the couple in the Knight of Columbus Hall.

Members of the house party were Mrs. Mary Elliott, Mrs. Sue Motley, Mrs. Jo Lynn Darnell, Becky Rosser, Elisa Castro and Romelia Castro.



Candidate

Wichita Falls businessman and attorney Ray Farabee, left, confers with Secretary of State Mark White, center, and A. F. "Prof" Edwards, long time Democratic Party leader, on recent changes in campaign regulations. Farabee filed for state senate last week in Austin. He is seeking the seat being vacated by Sen. Jack Hightower.

Ray Farabee To Run For Senate

Democratic candidate for state senate Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls formally filed with the State Democratic Executive Committee in Austin to have his name included on the May 4 primary ballot.

as Federal Savings and Loan in Wichita Falls, as his campaign manager.

Farabee is a businessman and attorney who has not sought public office before. He is seeking the senatorial post that will be vacated by Jack Hightower who has filed as a candidate for U. S. Congress from the 13th district.

Farabee said that he plans to meet with the people in every part of the widespread 30th district frequently during the next three months.

Rutherford, Hutchinson Wed In Lubbock Ceremony Friday

The Second Baptist Church in Lubbock provided the setting for the double ring ceremony which joined Miss Diann Rutherford and Thomas Nelson Hutchinson Jr. of Lubbock in marriage.

The wedding took place at 7 p.m. Friday, January 25 with the Rev. Dr. Hardy Clemons, minister of the church officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rutherford of 3019 66th Street, Lubbock. She is a 1972 graduate of Monterey High School and is attending Texas Tech and is employed by Shetland Stores Inc.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom N. Hutchinson, 3413 43rd St., Lubbock, is a 1968 graduate of Monterey High School and is attending Texas Tech. He is employed by Payton Bicycle Shop, Lubbock.

The bride is the granddaughter

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Lee of Lorraine. The Lees and Mrs. A. Baumann of Lorraine and Mrs.

Baumann's daughter, Mrs. Terry Looney of Lubbock attended the wedding.

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IRS To Offer Free Tax Assistance

As a special service to taxpayers in the Big Spring area, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will offer free tax assistance at the IRS Office in Room 235, Federal Office Building, 5th and Main, Big Spring. Area taxpayers needing assistance can go to the IRS office from 8:00 to 4:30 every Tuesday from now through April 9, 1974.

While most tax questions can be answered quickly by using the IRS toll-free tax help number (800-492-4830) some of the more complex questions will be answered by the IRS representative at the local IRS office every Tuesday as indicated above.

The toll-free telephone ser-

vice in operation for the first time in Texas is proving to be a real boom to many West Texas taxpayers who in the past had to pay long distance charges to call for tax help. The Dallas IRS office reports an increase of 1,000 telephone calls per day over prior years. Despite the increase the IRS says there is no waiting to get answers to tax questions. However, to avoid the possibility of a busy signal the IRS suggests that taxpayers who need to use the toll-free number should try to call between the hours of 8:15 and 9:30 in the morning or between 12:00 and 1:00 in the afternoon from Monday through Friday not only during the tax filing season but all year round.

Zeta Delta Has A Regular Meeting

The Zeta Delta Study Club held its regular meeting on January 22, in the home of Mrs. Randy Hicks. Special guest for the meeting was Mary Lou Fikes of Charles' and Sue's School of Beauty in Snyder.

Mrs. Fikes discussed the upcoming fashion in hair styling and gave tips for making "a new you for a new year." She also discussed the current requirements for obtaining a beauty license in the State of Texas.

During the business meeting, a yearbook committee for the coming club year was appointed along with a constitutional re-

vision committee also being appointed.

A correction was made in the list of officers for the coming year. Reporter for the 1974-75 club year will be Mrs. Ricky Bautisto.

The club is making plans now for the upcoming demonstration fair to be held April 9 in the Co-op Auditorium. Everyone is asked to plan now to attend the fair and bring a friend.

Members present were Bautisto, Farda, Hart, Hicks, Kennedy, Mikow, Nobles, Raschke, Robinson, Stockton, Tarter, Wright and Hargrove.

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Godwin Elected Shrine Officer

Charles M. Godwin was elected to the office of Oriental Guide of Suez Shrine Temple at the annual meeting held in San Angelo, Jan. 21.



Charles Godwin

Hightower Named Committee Chairman

Jack Hightower of Vernon will serve as chairman of the Committee on Administration of the 1974 Constitutional Convention.

His appointment was announced by Convention President Price Daniel Jr. and Vice-President A.M. Alkin Jr.

Hightower is a member of the Texas Senate, District 30, Archer, Baylor, Briscoe, Callahan, Childress, Clay, Cottle, Dickens, Fisher, Floyd, Ford, Hale, Hall, Hardeman, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Mitchell, Motley, Nolan, Scurry, Shackelford, Stonewall,

at the annual meeting held in San Angelo, Jan. 21, Godwin is Past Master and

presently secretary of Mitchell Lodge No. 563; past presiding officer of Colorado Chapter N. 175, R.A.M.; Colorado Council No. 114, R.A.M. and Snyder Commandry No. 69, K. T. He is a member of the Dallas Scottish Rite Bodies and holds the following honorary degrees in Masonry: 33rd Degree Master, Knight of the York Cross of Honour, Royal Order of Scotland and the Grand Cross of Color awarded by the Supreme Assembly of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

Godwin is a Past Patron of Colorado Chapter No. 58, Order of the Eastern Star.

He is a charter member of Suez Temple and has served as First Ceremonial Master, Parade Marshal and has served for the past twelve years as Orator of Suez Temple.

Besides his work with the Shrine Temple and Masons, Godwin is past president of the Colorado City Jaycees, past president of the Noon Lions, past commander of the American Legion and a member of the V.F.W.

His wife is the former Frances Elliott and she is employed as librarian at Colorado High School. They are members of the First United Methodist Church.

Others elected at the meeting in San Angelo were Robert M. Yancey of Abilene, Potentate; Dr. Sam Harris of San Angelo, Chief Rabbi; A. C. (Pete) Peeler of Midland, Assistant Rabbi; Dr. H. L. Cravens, Jr. of Brownwood, High Priest and Prophet; Douglas D. Powell of San Angelo, treasurer and Ben E. Godfrey of San Angelo, recorder.

The Committee on Administration will assist the President and Vice-President in the administrative operation of the Convention.

Three Crowned At CHS Howl Night

Russell Hertenberger was crowned King Howl at the annual Howl Night, Thursday, 7:30 p.m., in the high school auditorium.

Pamela Johnson and Helen Haggerton tied for Queen Howl, and each was crowned with a tiara by Principal Bill Everett. Susan Blasingame was crown bearer.

Other favorites were Best all round boy- Amador Guerrero; Best all round girl- Terre' Pawkett; Most likely to succeed boy- Joe Woolsey; Most likely to succeed girl- Martha Sparks; Most talented boy- Clay Shurtleff; Most talented girl- Margie Ballard; Friendliest boy- Steve Bolin; Friendliest girl- Kelly Moore; Most academic boy- Mark Kimmell; Most academic girl- Cindy Holder; Most courteous boy- Vicente Garcia; Most courteous girl- Shari Lewis; Most dependable boy Bill Reilly and Joe Vincent and Most dependable girl- Patty Whitley.

Cary Coffee was master of ceremonies.

The stage was centered with a huge rose shell. At the base was a wicker basket of flowers. The arch and fence skirts of ferns. In front of the stage were two wicker baskets of fern and flowers. Apron of the stage was outlined with ivy.

The program presented was:

The "Three-H" Trio, Candy Henderson, Julie Hoover and Delilah Hull, accompanist, Nancy Feaster; Cheerleaders' Dance, "Free," Patty Whitley, Terre Pawkett, Helen Haggerton, Kelly Moore and Jackie Palmer; Piano solo, "Song of the Bayou" by Jane Ann Burt; Twirlers' dance, "Space Race," Penny Cooley, Beth Hanks, Lesa Wilkinson, Shari Lewis, Margie Ballard, Janice Kimmell and Kathy Raliff; Guitar solo, Mrs. John Mikow.

Quill and Scroll initiated eight new members. Pat Mundy, president of Quill and Scroll

presided. He was assisted by Martha Sparks, vice president; Gay Stricklin, secretary and Susan Blasingame, treasurer.

Initiates were Margie Ballard, Jane Ann Burt, Shari Lewis, Kelly Moore, Sharon Prince, Kathy Raliff, Sally Smith and Toni Wulfsen.

Mrs. Gerald Gordon presented membership cards and gold pins.

Stage crew was-spots, Danny Leonard and Allen Sparks; lights, properties, Russell Golden; Curtains, Griff Hanks.

Ushers were Cindy Bobo, Kathy Crockett, Lou Ann Griffin,

Debbie Haggerton, Connie Jones and Sally Sparks.

At a punch party in the Homecoming Department, guests were greeted by the Quill and Scroll officers.

Adult guests were served from a polished table centered with yellow mums and tulips. Shari Lewis ladled punch.

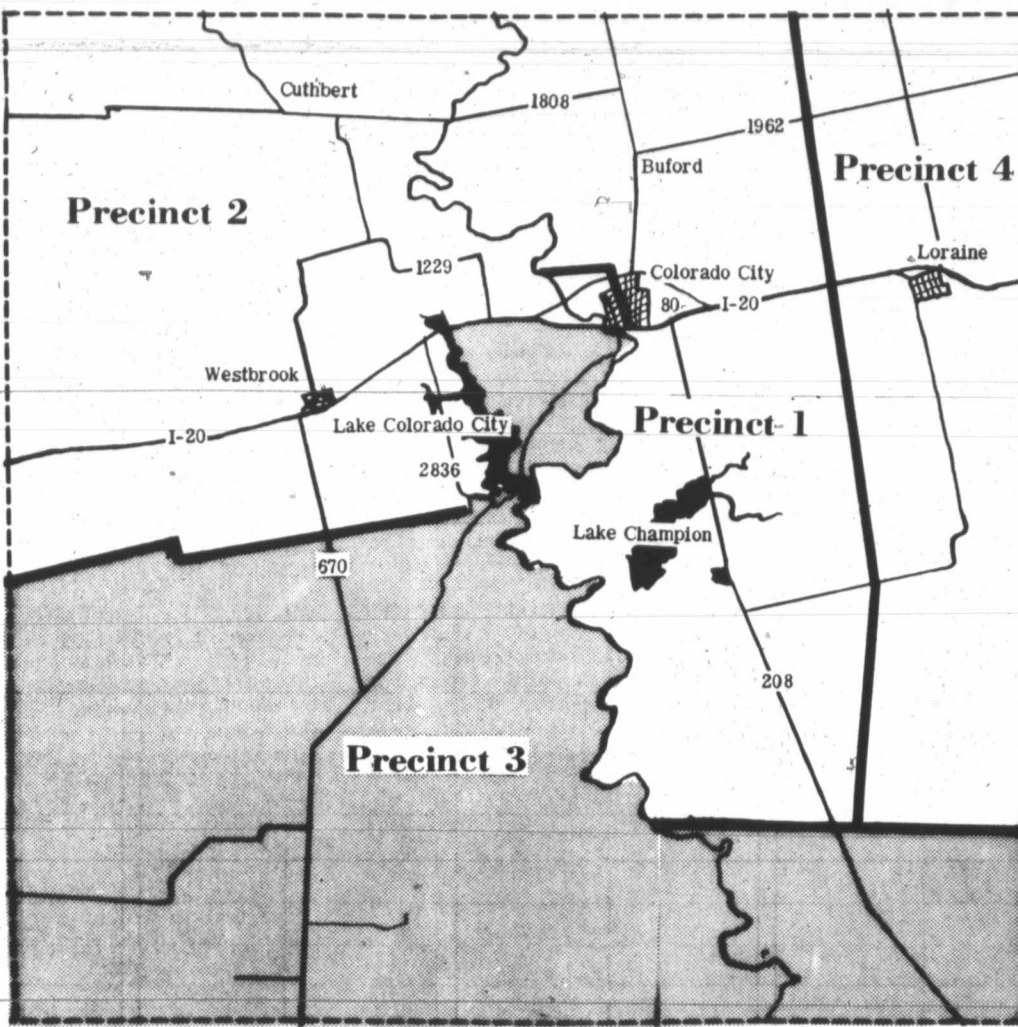
In the lab area where students were served, Jane Ann Burt presided at the silver punch bowl.

Mrs. Mike Burt, patroness, Mrs. Lillian Mundy and Mrs. Gordon assisted.



Howl Night

Russell Hertenberger was named King Howl during Howl Night activities at the high school, Pam Johnson, left, was named Queen Howl, along with Helen Haggerton, right, as they both received the same number of votes in the high school student body election. Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mrs. Ola Mae Johnson of 520 E. 9th and Ivy Johnson of 724 E. 1st. Hertenberger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hertenberger of 405 E. 14th and Miss Haggerton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Haggerton of the Buford community.



County Commissioners Precincts

The above map shows the precinct boundaries in Mitchell County for the county's four commissioners. The dark area is Precinct 3. Precinct 4 is bounded by the heavy line and the county line. Precinct 1 is separated from Precinct 2 by the

Colorado River (the river's line runs from north to south through the county). The heavy line which runs from the river east then south through Colorado City down Oak Street is the only place where Precinct 2 crosses the river.

Playday Set For Sunday

Four events for six different age groups are set for the Playday, sponsored by the Western Riding Club, to be held Sunday, Feb. 10.

Registration will begin at the arena west of the city at 12:30 with competition to start at 1:30.

Ribbons will be awarded to winners in each of the age groups, with an added prize to be made for the fastest time overall in each event.

Four belt buckles are the prizes to be given for the best times in barrel racing, pole bending, flag race and goat tying.

Age groups are: nine and under on Shetlands; nine and under on big horses; ten through twelve; thirteen through fifteen; sixteen through nineteen and adults.

Entry fee for each event is one dollar, an increase over the 50¢ fee charged previously, but belt buckles have never been given before.

The American Junior Rodeo Association Rules will be followed in all events.

Minors under 18 will need their parents' consent and signature before competing.

VA Questions Answered

EDITOR'S NOTE: Veterans and their families are asking thousands of questions concerning the benefits their Government provides for them through the Veterans Administration. Below are some representative queries. Additional information may be obtained at any VA office.

Q-- An editor friend of mine tells me the Veterans Administration touches the lives of nearly half the U. S. population. Is that true?

A-- That's a fairly accurate statement. VA benefits and services are potentially available to 47.1 percent of our nation's population, either directly to veterans and surviving dependents, or indirectly to members of veterans' families.

Q-- I'm having family and job problems. As a Vietnam Era veteran, am I entitled to counseling by the Veterans Administration?

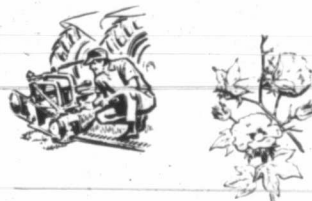
A-- Yes. Some of VA's veterans assistance centers are staffed with community service specialists to help meet the veteran's total counseling needs. These specialists are on duty in Boston, New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit and other principal cities, and VA plans eventually to place them in all centers.



Corner Park

Colorado City Jaycees have been working on the corner area by Sparks Hardware, turning the vacant space into a corner

park. They hope to get grass growing in the lot and to set up a small fountain flowing over native rocks.



Soil Survey Available

Farmers in Mitchell County who bring additional land into crop production in 1974 are being urged to use sound conservation practices.

Don Hodges, district conservationist for the U. S. Soil Conservation Service said conservation measures not only protect the soil from erosion but also increase production.

"Some people are predicting farmers will bring several thousand acres of former 'set-aside' acreage back into crop production in Texas in the next year," Hodges said. "This is considered to be the best and quickest way to check food price increases."

"But it's also the quickest way to increase dust storms, sediment pollution and other erosion problems unless sound conservation measures are installed," Hodges pointed out.

"There is a lot of land in the Mitchell Soil and Water Conservation District which can be used for cropland safely if managed properly," Hodges said. "Yet there are other soils which are so susceptible to blowing or washing that they should never be used for crop production."

Hodges said he hopes farmers will use soil survey information available from his office before putting new land in cultivation.

★ At A Glance

Colorado City's Wolves went to Lubbock Friday night for a game with Estacado and lost, 84-49.

Loraine won two games from Fluvanna Friday night in Bulldog Gym.

Girls score was 74-27, Jackie Rose high point girl.

The boys score was 80-47, Tommy Williams scoring 25 points for high point honors. Don Crawford made 12 points; Michael Jones, 13; Earl Hill, 8; Joel Rose, 10; Sylvester Rose, 4; Ricky Moreno, 2 and Jeff Merket, 6.

Westbrook won over Highland Friday night, boys and girls both taking wins before a home crowd in Wildcat Gym.

Girls score was 60-49, Kim Sullivan high point girl with 20 points.

Boys score was 81-64 with points made by Bruce Rich, 16; Bobby Matlock, 15; Rodney Moore, 14; Billy Denson, 12; Glenn Rich, 10; Tim Oden, 9; Billy Hogue, 4 and Ernesto Reyes, 1.

Food Stamp sales in Mitchell County for the month of January amounted to \$22,401.

reported Postmaster Arlene Morris.

For that amount in stamps, people paid \$9,252.75, more than doubling their food buying dollar.

Previous sales had amounted to \$15,424.42 in December and \$15,005 in November, the first month the stamps were sold in the county.

Construction To Begin On 4-H Center

The construction contract for the \$1.75 million Texas 4-H Center has been signed, according to H. T. Davison, 4-H and youth specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and executive director for the Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation.

"The 4-H Center is to be built on a 78-acre Lake Brownwood site near Brownwood. It will have a capacity of 200 people and will add many new dimensions to the overall Texas 4-H Program," Davison said.

The site for the Center was donated by the Brown County Water Improvement District Number 1.

Programs to be featured: the Center will include summer youth camps, leadership training, citizenship seminar; adult leader training, county and 4-H club camps, and family weekend retreats.

Approximately \$1 million has been pledged by business, industry, foundations and interested individuals. Presently, 4-H members and leaders in each county in the State are conducting fund raising activities, noted Davison.

Construction will begin as soon as possible by the Herman Bennett Company of Brownwood. The facility should be completed in about a year. Matthews, Cumpton and Associates, architects and engineers of Bryan, designed the 4-H Center.

Davison said the Center will also be available to other groups and businesses that are interested in conducting educational programs. It will have a built-in flexibility that will allow more than one group to use the facility at the same time.

Leadership for the Center development program is being provided by the Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation which is chaired by T. Louis Austin, Jr., of Dallas, president of Texas Utility Companies.

Country Club Elects Board

A stockholders meeting of Colorado Country Club members was held recently and five new members for the board of directors elected for the coming year.

New members to the board are Ray Preston, Bob Schaeffer, Joe Maddox, Tom Rees and Johnny Grubbs, joining hold-over members George Powell, Don Stewart, W. A. (Smitty) Swafford, H. Jene Steakley and Grady Furlow.

Out-going members of the board were B. B. Bridgford, Bob Raliff, Jack Nance, Baker Hailford and Dwain Williams.

George Powell was elected president by the board members and Don Stewart, vice president.

Lovess Curlee is the permanent secretary-treasurer for the club.

A called meeting of the board members was held recently and Jack E. Snider, representing Speed Fab Crete of Fort Worth discussed possible building plans with members. Snider was given the go-ahead to present plans for a new club house building, with a decision to be made later on whether or not to build.



Director's plaques were presented to, left to right, Coleen Palmer, Porter Richardson and Gwen Wistrand, shown above and to Shana Basinger, not pictured, when the Playhouse Awards Banquet was held recently in the Medalion Room of Lone Wolf Electric.

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Fern Coon Is Host To Baumann HD

Mrs. Mabel Givens, club president presided over the meeting when the Baumann H. D. Club met in regular meeting at the home of Fern Coon recently.

Miss Coon gave the Club prayer and Mrs. Lynne Compton had each to quote an "old saying" in directing the recreation period.

In roll call each answered with "what I have accomplished this year."

Mrs. Lester Webb read the minutes of the last meeting and Mrs. Clara Butler gave the treasurers report.

Mrs. Givens reported on the last Council meeting, and Mrs. Compton was appointed to assist in compiling the Year Book. Mrs. Cullen Payne was elected delegate to attend a Training meeting to be held in Big Spring in February.

Mrs. Givens and Mrs. H. L. Leach carried the 12 lap robes to patients at Roland Nursing Home which the club members had made.

Miss Coon brought the program for the afternoon, giving a talk on "How to prevent a heart attack."

Mrs. Vada Preston will host a covered dish luncheon for their Valentine party at the next meeting.

The hostess served pineapple ice cream, angel food cake and fruit punch to one visitor, Mrs. Robert Simms of Happy, Texas and members: Mmes. Floyd Griffin, Givens, Preston, Leach, Thomas Vest, Compton, M. D. Cheek, Webb, Payne.



W. L. Goode

W. L. Goode Rites Held Saturday

Warren L. Goode, 64, died about 12:30 p.m. Thursday of an apparent heart attack.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday in the Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. Harold Henderson, pastor, assisted by Rev. Caddo Matthews. Burial was in Colorado City Cemetery.

Goode was born January 20, 1910 in Mitchell County. He had been a lifelong resident of Colorado City. Goode was a veteran of WW II and he was retired from the Cosden Refinery in August of 1972. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Goode was married to Mayme Hale Smith June 20, 1952 in San Angelo.

Survivors are his wife, Mayme of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Teresa Hill and Mrs. Myrna Baker both of Colorado City and one son Jerrel Smith of Colorado City. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Lois Durey of Dallas; Mrs. Juanita Ballard of Atlanta, Texas and eight grandchildren.

Roenfeldt Attends Presentation

Glenn Roenfeldt, of the First Baptist Church in Colorado City, attended the presentation of Dr. James H. Landes, new executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas in Dallas Wednesday.

Dr. Landes, former pastor of First Baptist Church of Richardson, became the highest administrative leader of the 2 million member Texas Baptist organization January 1, succeeding Dr. T. A. Patterson, who retired.

D. Wiman Jr. Dies In Roscoe

T. D. Wiman, Jr., 63, died early Thursday afternoon of an apparent heart attack while burning grass off the yard of a rent house in Roscoe.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Glenn Roenfeldt, pastor, assisted by Rev. Charles Bush, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Roscoe. Burial was in Hillside Memorial Gardens in Snyder under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Wiman was born May 15, 1910 in Stanton, Texas and graduated from Roscoe High School in 1929. He received his BA & MA degrees from Hardin-Simmons University.

He was married to Miss Clarence Thrallkill, Nov. 24, 1935 in Roscoe and came to Colorado City in 1961, retiring in 1969 after 35 years as a school administrator.

Wiman was a Deacon of the First Baptist Church, Navy Veteran of WW II, president of the Mitchell County Retired Teachers Association, member of the Lions Club, Scurry County VFW, life member of the PTA and TRTA.

Before moving from Snyder he was very active in Boy Scouts and Boys Club and was elected to Who's Who in Education in 1958.

Wiman is survived by his wife of the home; one son Thomas David Wiman of Fort Worth, a foster son Truman Martin of Richardson.

Seven sisters Miss Ruth Wiman and Mrs. R. L. Adams both of Roscoe; Mrs. Silas Davenport of Snyder; Mrs. E. O. Blackshare, San Marcos; Mrs. Athem Wade, Clinton, Okla.; Mrs. C. J. Smith, Canton, Okla.; Mrs. Walton Keith, La Feria, Texas. Four brothers, C. H. Wiman, Ivanhoe, Calif.; John Wiman of Snyder; Talmage Wiman of Roscoe and Jim Wiman of Spokane, Washington. Three grandchildren and two foster grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bill Carter, Jimmy Harrison, Jim Weddle, Olson Sweatt, Roy Carter, Coy Adams, Bob Clinton and Jimmy Dyess.

Baptist Meeting

"High lights in the Life of Jesus," was the subject of study when both groups of Baptist Women met last week for Bible study.

The Bible group met with Mrs. Woodrow Pratt Monday afternoon and the Mission Group with Mrs. Clara Butler Wednesday morning.

The lesson taken from Matthew gave the life of Jesus, his birth, baptism, purpose, death and resurrection.



D. Wiman Jr.

Hamilton Has Surgery

Harris Hamilton underwent major surgery at the Webb Air Force Base Hospital in Big Spring recently and is reported to be doing good.

The Hamilton's daughter, Mrs. Tom Land and children from Kentucky came to be with her parents.

Mrs. McNew Rites Held In Alpine

Mrs. Ida McNew, 89, died Thursday in an Alpine hospital.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. in Geeslin Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Elm Grove Cemetery.

She had lived in Alpine since 1933. She was born Dec. 27, 1884 near Lufkin. She was married Jan. 15, 1905 in Colorado City.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Sarah Word of Alpine; two sons, J. D. McNew of Fort Davis and J. O. McNew of Snyder; two sisters, Mrs. V. Phillips of Rosenberg and Mrs. Annie Terry of Elgin; two brothers, R. E. Gregory of Colorado City and B. H. Gregory of Colorado City; 10 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Adult Students Reviewing For GED

The G.E.D. Classes in Adult Education will be reviewing the next few weeks for the G.E.D. Tests (High School Equivalency Diploma) which will be given the last of February and again in April at Snyder.

If you are already enrolled and have not been attending lately, or if you have quit high school in the 11th or 12th grades, now is the time to review and take the tests with the 1974 class.

The basic education classes are still being held for those

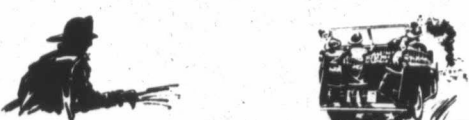
who wish to learn to read, do basic arithmetic, to complete their elementary education, or for those who have not attended school at all.

If you are 16 (out of school at least a year) or over, you can qualify for the Adult Education Night classes.

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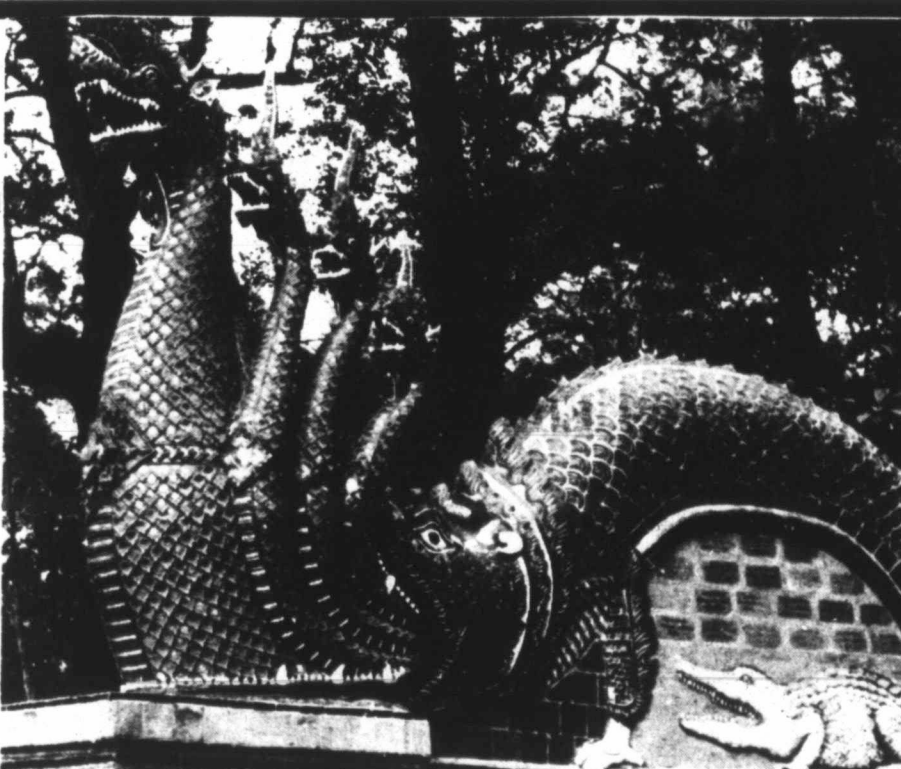
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One day the prince lay dying. Calling the jester to his bedside, he said: "I am going on a long journey." "Where to?" asked the jester. "I don't know," came the reply. "How long will you be gone?" asked the jester. "I shall be gone forever," came the reply. "What provisions have you made for the trip?" the jester asked. The Prince shrugged his shoulders. "None at all," he said. "Then," said the jester, "take this." And placing the wand in the nobleman's hands, he added: "It belongs to you!"

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(The Living Bible)

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Happy Birthday

Nine Residents of Claxton Lodge were honored with a birthday party Thursday. All nine had birthdays during January. This type of individual recognition is why life is so pleasant at Claxton Lodge. Pictured are seated left to right, Billy Sharp, 44, John Walcott, 83, Robert Nimmo, 67, Thomas Wright, 60, and Ivy Myers, 76. Standing left to right are, Essie Taylor, 73, Howard Combs, 70, and Roger Smith, 71. Not pictured is Bishop Moore, 83.

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WEDNESDAY- Beef tacos, shredded lettuce and tomatoes, Ranch Style Beans, cranapple crisp and milk.

THURSDAY- Chicken spaghetti, English peas, carrot sticks, Texas toast, lemon-cocoanut pudding and milk.

FRIDAY- Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, French fries, brownies and milk.

WESTBROOK

MONDAY- Chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, seasoned green beans, biscuits, butter, orange juice and milk.

TUESDAY- Barbeque on bun, potato salad, lettuce wedges, pickles, onions, peach cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY- Meat loaf, baked potato, fried okra, hot rolls, butter, pineapple cake and milk.

THURSDAY- Chalupas and taco sauce, buttered corn, tossed salad, sliced bread, peanut butter strips and milk.

FRIDAY- Beef stew with vegetables, cheese and peanut butter sandwiches, carrot sticks, crackers, cinnamon rolls and milk.

LORAIN

MONDAY- Salisbury steak, with mushroom sauce, green peas, applesauce, hot rolls, butter, syrup and milk.

TUESDAY- Hamburger beans, buttered cabbage, mashed potatoes, cornbread, butter, purple plums and milk.

WEDNESDAY- Sloppy Joe, potato salad, pickles, onions, orange juice, Indian pudding and milk.

THURSDAY-

THURSDAY- Fried chicken, gravy, green beans, buttered rice, celery sticks, Jello and milk.

FRIDAY- Tuna and pimento sandwiches, peanut butter, buttered corn, tossed salad, potato chips, cake with cherry sauce and milk.

Telephone Excise Tax Drops

The Federal Excise Tax on telephone service continues to drop.

As of January 1, the excise rate on phone bills went down another step, to eight per cent.

Bill Gilliland, manager for Southwestern Bell, pointed out that a one per cent annual reduction in the excise tax is scheduled to continue through 1982, when the tax would be terminated.

The 10-year reduction schedule was established by federal law in 1970.

The first drop in the rate was January 1, 1973, when the tax was reduced to nine per cent from the 10 per cent figure which had been standard for a number of years.

Maranatha Club Met Recently

The Maranatha Study Club met January 17 at 3:45 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Woodrow Crabtree.

Mrs. Alta Fulton led the opening prayer and pledge to the flag.

After the business meeting Mrs. Daisy Henry, club president, led the program with the subject "Security From Above Through Prayer."

She said prayer must be the one way we can get close to God and stay close.

Mrs. Wilfred Fox was the second speaker of the afternoon and also spoke on "Security Through Prayer." She started her talk by quoting Colossians 4 verse 2.

After the program the hostess, Mrs. Crabtree, served refreshments to three visitors, Mrs. Sweat, Mrs. Grace Howell and Mrs. Aubrey Herrington.

Members present for this meeting were Mrs. D. Henry, Maxine Morris, Alta Fulton, Sam Bullock, R. M. Reed, F. H. Pace and granddaughter Pam, Marian Bassham and Wilfred Fox.

Defensive Driving Course

Olson Sweat, Coordinator of Driver Improvement Programs for the Mitchell County Retired Teachers Association and the Mitchell County Chapter #1461 of the American Association of Retired Persons, has announced a new defensive driving course to be conducted Feb. 5, 7, 12 and 14 at the City National Bank in Colorado City.

Offered in cooperation with the National Safety Council, the course will consist of four class sessions beginning at 2 p.m. each day. Certificates will be awarded to participants who complete all eight hours of the course.

Instructors certified by the Council will use films and other visual aids to demonstrate ways older drivers can improve driving skills to avoid accidents and unnecessary property damage.

Flossie and Olson Sweat, both of Colorado City, will serve as course instructors.

Registration information for the course can be obtained from Sweat, 1236 Locust St., Colorado City, telephone 728-2276.

China Grove

By MRS. N. F. HALL
Record Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hall accompanied by Charles Ray Dunn of Colorado City, attended the VFW in Littlefield Saturday night, in which the Crystal Aires of Amarillo played. The band is owned by John Hall son of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hall.

Bertha Cotton of Snyder visited Mrs. Bill Hairston last week.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete White were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rainey of Colorado City.

Mrs. Jess Brown spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Adams and family of Abilene recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams.

Westbrook Kindergarten

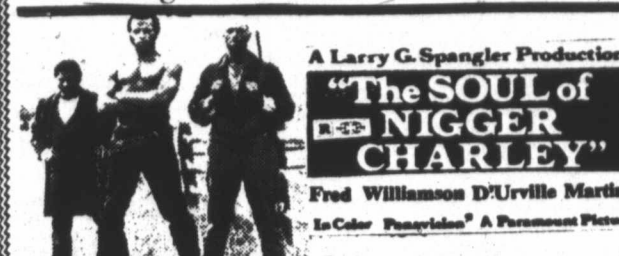
Westbrook Rural High School District is now looking into the 1974-75 Kindergarten program. They are trying to locate all students in their district who will qualify for the program.

The child must be 5 years old before September 1, 1974. Names and ages of such students should be sent to the school office.

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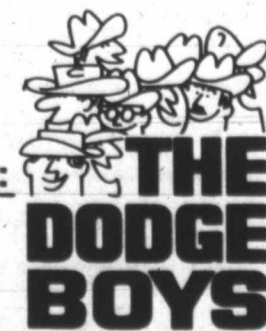
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Buffalo Trail Boy Scout Banquet Held

The Buffalo Trail Council Boy Scouts of America was presented with National recognition as one of the outstanding Councils in the Nation during the 50th Annual Buffalo Trail Council recognition banquet held Friday night, January 18, in the First Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall in Midland.

Alden Barber of New Brunswick, New Jersey, Chief Scout Executive of the Boy Scouts of America was the featured speaker. The Honorable Mark White, Secretary of the State of Texas, spoke as the official and personal representative of Governor Dolph Briscoe.

South Central Scout Region

Director Bill Hofmann of Dallas, presented the Spencer Award to Council President Bernold M. "Bruno" Hanson, and commended the volunteers and staff of the Council.

Seven men and one woman were presented with the highest awards that can be presented by a Boy Scout Council. Men receiving the Silver Beaver Award were Otis "Bill" Bradford of Big Spring; Lloyd Lowell Longley, Jr. of Andrews; Olan B. Draper and Curtis C. Brothers of Odessa; Robert B. Gains of Midland; Clarence H. Crenshaw of Balmorhea; and Oran McCallister of Wink.

Mrs. Maxy Bruton of Midland

was honored with the Silver Fawn Award.

The Silver Beaver and Silver Fawn Awards are made "for noteworthy service of exceptional character to boyhood by registered Scouters within the jurisdiction of the Buffalo Trail Council."

Outgoing Council President Bernold M. "Bruno" Hanson of Midland was awarded the Distinguished Eagle Scout Award by Chief Scout Executive Alden Barber. This award is made by the National Council of Honor to men who earned the rank of Eagle

as a member of the Boy Scouts of America at least 25 years previous to the presentation of the award, and who have distinguished themselves in their business or profession on a national level.

Approximately 350 adults from throughout the 18-county Buffalo Trail Council attended the banquet.

A. L. "Ike" McCarroll of Midland was installed as the new President of the Council. B. J. Pevehouse of Midland was named as Council Vice-President. J. William Milner of Midland was installed as Treasurer.



Junior 4-H

The Junior 4-H cooking group went on a tour of the Bodine Dairy on Monday. They had a Fodder luncheon at the Bodine's home, that was prepared by the girls, following the tour. Girls pictured here are

left to right Ann Conard, Lisa Thrift, Nancy Robinson, Dawn Lemons, Nina Bodine, Tracy Rees, Stacy Pruitt, ReNee Moore, Kim Feaster, Tracy Pruitt, Sherri Stenson, front row, Blaine Lemons and Susie McGahah.

China Grove

By MRS. N. F. HALL
Record Correspondent

CHINA GROVE- Mr. and Mrs. Leo Redell are on a vacation trip to Jamaica. Redell is manager of the China Grove Gln.

Mrs. Jess Brown spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Merket of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Allen and family of Big Spring recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen.

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District Chairman for 1974 were installed for the Lone Star District, J. Arnold Marshall of Big Spring; Chaparral District, Forrest Muir of Midland; Comanche Trails District, Dr. Philip Speegle of Odessa; Sand Hills District, Reverend David Northcutt of Pecos; and Lone Buffalo District, George Stewart of Snyder.

Methodist Women Install Officers

Officers of the United Methodist Women were installed by Mrs. Davis Edens in a special service in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Edens quoted from a familiar hymn as she discussed the new organization of the women in the church. She pointed out that the program should involve many women in small or large projects.

The hymn, "O Young and Fearless Prophet" brings out the characteristics of Jesus, and she quoted each verse giving the qualities of Jesus as the song portrayed him. Each member and officer has a responsibility to the advance of the U.M.W. organization with the promise of Christ.

The officers were given their charge of office and indicated their acceptance of responsibility by lighting a candle from a large candle representing "The Guiding Light." Mrs. Winnie Quinney represented the members by lighting a candle pledging support for the officers.

Officers of the United Methodist Women's Organization and of the two Circles which make up the group are: United Methodist Women: president, Mrs. Della Fox; vice president, Mrs. Bob Ratliff; secretary, Mrs.

Charles Wood; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Godwin; committee on nominations, Mrs. J. W. Randle and Mrs. E. M. Fisher and mission coordinator for Christian personhood, Mrs. Bobby Caswell.

Mission coordinator for supportive community, Mrs. W. E. Welter; mission coordinator for Christian social involvement, Mrs. Dewey Davis; mission coordinator for Christian Global concerns, Mrs. Earl Brown; secretary of program resources, Mrs. C. C. Thompson; committee on membership chairman, Mrs. Henry Bilberry and reporter, Nelda Garrett.

Officers for the Faith Circle are as follows: chairman, Mrs. Ann Davis; secretary, Mrs. Charles Wood and treasurer, Mrs. J. V. Glover.

Officers for the Evening Circle are as follows: chairman, Mrs. Tom Coker; vice chairman, Mrs. Jewell Richter; secretary, Mrs. Ethel Hardegree; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Godwin and nominating committee chairman, Nelda Garrett.

Mrs. Edens closed the service with reading the "Purpose of the United Methodist Women," and leading a dedicatory prayer of consecration for the officers and the members.

Mrs. Norman Hosts Sunday School Class

Mrs. J. D. Norman brought the devotional for the Willing Workers S. S. Class of the First United Methodist Church when they met in her home for their January meeting. She read the 24th chapter of Matthew and made comments.

President, Mrs. W. R. Bruce was in charge of the business session. A curtain committee composed of Mrs. James Be-

met, Mrs. Claude Neely and Mrs. K. L. Taylor reported the purchase of new curtains for the class room.

Mrs. Mable Givens reported on needs at the Roland Nursing Home. Mrs. Givens had hemmed new communion cloths that had been purchased by the class.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Wiley Walker, Harold Martin, W. R. Bruce, Claude Neely, Frank Crowner, Mable Givens, Jim Johnson and Roy Wells by the hostess.

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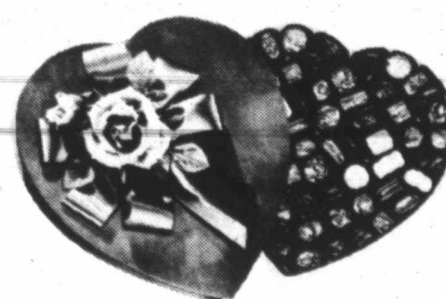
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and on behalf of the Colorado
River Municipal Water District
located at P. O. Box 869,
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aerial application of silver
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material as follows:

1. The area over, or within
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shall include the counties of
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Borden, Scurry, Fisher,
Martin, Howard, Mitchell, Nolan,
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2. The target area, within
which the precipitation is intended
to be enhanced, can be described
as follows:

The boundary may be described
by a line beginning at a point
of origin at Big Spring, Texas,
and running along Highway 87
in a northwesterly direction to
Lamesa, thence north-north-
east on Highway 87 to the north
border of Dawson County, thence
east along the north border
of Dawson County, thence south-
east along Highway 84; thence
southwest along Highway 84 to
Roscoe, in Nolan County; thence
south-southwest to Silver in
Coke County; thence south-
west to Silver in Coke County;
thence south-southwest to Highway
87 at a point approximately 13
miles northwest of Sterling City;
thence northwesterly along
Highway 87 to the point of origin
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3. The materials, equipment
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Signed: Thomas J. Henderson,
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The City of Colorado City, Texas
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B&PW Has Meeting Recently

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tion Committee as hostesses.
Members on the committee are
Neil Carpenter, Chairman,
Thelma Tidwell, Jackie Coffman,
Rochelle Smith and Yvonne Sadler.

Rochelle Smith gave a talk on
the National Foundation and pointed
out that it helps the young
and old women to have
career awareness and also
helps in the management field,
and gives scholarships to the
ones who need help.

Bingo was played after the
program.

Three guests were present at
this meeting. They were Trudie
Bodine, Don Jones and Car-
ra DeLaney.

Members present were Mildred
Boyd, Neil Carpenter, Thelma
Tidwell, Rochelle Smith, Mary
Etta Jones, Shirley Delaney,
Velma Smith, Nelda Garrett
and Ethel Hardgrove.

Also Sallie Rogers, Jackie
Coffman, Ruby Cawthon, Elizabeth
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some reason the drug became
ineffective, so she took twice as
many pills.

Still she got no relief, so she
complained to her doctor. He
examined her, taking X-rays of
her chest and abdomen. He found
about a dozen pill-sized
shadows in her intestinal tract.
Further examination revealed
they were pills which had traveled
through her system without
being dissolved or absorbed.

The woman then admitted she
saw an advertisement in which
the drug was being sold at a
discount and bought a supply.
Investigation revealed the pills
were the same chemically as
the ones prescribed by her doctor,
but they were manufactured
in such a way that they could
not dissolve after they were swallowed.

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reputable druggist, or the so-
called bargain may prove to be
most expensive. It may prove
worthless.--ADV.

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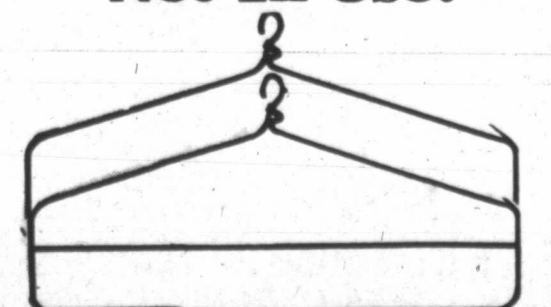
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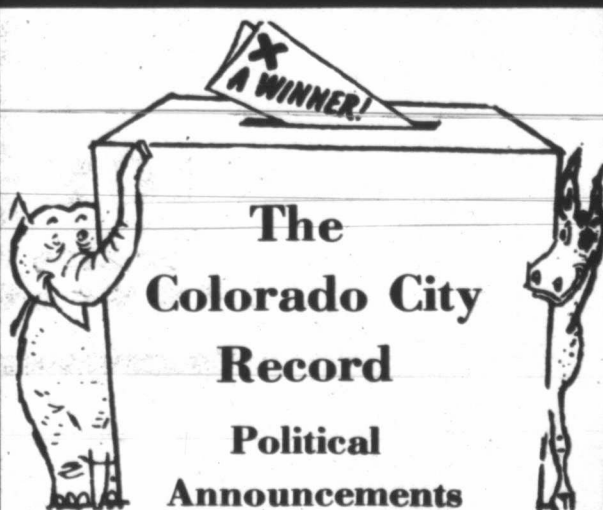
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Rate for listing in The Colorado City Record Political
Column is \$39 for all state and national offices, \$15 for
county, city and school offices. This fee includes a front
page announcement article and a one column photograph at
the time the announcement is made, in addition to the listing
in the Political Column from the date of the announcement
until the final election.

Charges for announcements are cash in advance, and the
same policy applies to all political advertising carried in
the columns of this newspaper.

Names for each office will be listed in the Political Col-
umn in the order they are received at the newspaper office.

The Colorado City Record has been authorized to announce
the following candidates for public office:

State Senator

Charles Finnell
Ray Farabee

State Representative

Elmer Martin

Justice of Peace

PRECINCT NO. 1
Leonard Henderson
M. O. (Odie) Wise

PRECINCT NO. 2
George Sweatt

PRECINCT NO. 3
Mary Lee Moore

District Clerk

Bill Erwin

County Judge

Bill Carter

County Clerk

Marie Bassham

County Treasurer

Mildred Mann Boyd

County Commissioner

PRECINCT NO. 4
Robert Bruce
Price Hall

S. A. (Sid) Compton
Weldon McCollum
Edgar Hallmark
Billy Preston

PRECINCT NO. 2
Johnny Shackelford
T. A. Whitesides
James D. Rich

LITTLE LETTERS

By JILL DAVIS

Jill Davis, 11, answers letters from young readers and tries to help them with their problems.

Dear Jill,

How can you get rid of freckles? They make me ugly and now that we've had some warm weather they show worse.

FRECKLES

Dear Freckles,

I don't know how you get rid of freckles, but don't do anything drastic. Most people who have freckles wouldn't look very good without them.

Dear Jill,

Everything I do seems to turn out wrong. How can I make things turn out right?

ALWAYS WRONG

Dear Always,

You aren't always wrong, it's just that it seems that way. Next time you want to do something but you think it's too hard, try and have confidence that it will turn out right.

Dear Jill,

I have very dry skin on my hands. Everytime I do something with my hands they seem to get drier. How can I make them softer?

DRY HANDS

Dear Dry,

Everytime you wash your hands, use some hand lotion and see if this doesn't help.

Dear Jill,

I can't ever find anything to do around the house except boring T. V. and I get tired of that. What can I do?

BORED

Dear Bored,

If you don't know how to skate, maybe you could learn, or get involved in a good book.

Dear Jill,

Do you think nine is too old to be playing with dolls?

DOLLS

Dear Dolls,

If that's what you like to do, then no.

Dear Jill,

My feet get cold during the night. How can I keep them warm?

COLD FEET

Dear Cold Feet,

Sleep in footlets or socks. That will probably keep them warm.

Dear Jill,

I'm twelve years old but my mother won't let me go out on a date. Am I too young, like she says I am?

TWELVE

Dear Twelve,

If your mother says you are, I imagine she's right. Ask your mother if you could meet your boyfriend at the show.

Dear Jill,

I know you've answered this before, but would you please tell me, does popping your knuckles make them bigger?

POPPER

Dear Popper,

A lot of people say it does, but from what I've read and heard, it doesn't. However, it is annoying, but don't feel too bad I do it too.

ALL YOU NEED TO DO TO RECEIVE A "LITTLE LETTERS" PENCIL IS WRITE YOUR PROBLEM TO JILL. BE SURE TO ENCLOSE YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS ALTHOUGH NAMES WILL NOT BE USED IN THE NEWSPAPER.

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