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Briefly

Cotton info

Area cotton producers are invited to attend the Annual Cotton Information Day, Friday, Feb. 20, in the C. C. Thompson Room.

Sponsored by the Mitchell County Extension Service and the Pest Management Steering Committee, the program will begin at 10:30 a.m. and conclude at 2 p.m. Noon lunch will be sponsored by representative chemical companies.

Farm sale

The annual Kiwanis Club Farm Sale has been scheduled for Friday, March 21.

Club members are presently accepting consignments for the sale. Call Steve Morris, 728-2031, Bobby Lemons, 728-5221, Woody Anderson, 728-5720, or Grady Morris, 728-5292, for information.

To be in the advertisement, items need to be consigned by March 9.

Tamales

The Spanish Assembly of God Church will be selling tamales and menudo all day Friday, Feb. 20 in Loraine at 200 E. Rector.

Parent night

A parent awareness night will be Monday, Feb. 23 at 7 p.m. in the Loraine School cafeteria.

A remote control VCR will be given away as a door prize and every parent will receive a gift.

"There will be a program for the parents and a time for parents to visit with their child's teacher or teachers," said Glenn Sanders, superintendent.

"This is a program that will be of interest to every parent of school-age children," he said.

Flea market

The Wallace Center Senior Citizens are sponsoring a giant flea market with a bake sale on Saturday, March 7, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Individuals or groups are invited to rent a table or space in the Wallace Gym for \$15. If more space is needed, items can be sold outside on the grounds. You may sell crafts, garage items, used furnishings, anything goes!

Articles to be donated for Wallace Center will be accepted Monday through Friday from 9-4:30 p.m.

Profits from the flea market will benefit the Senior Citizens Nutrition program and other activities at Wallace Center.

For information call 728-2392 at the Community Education office.

CISD policy updated

The Colorado Independent School District is continuing to update its discipline management policy and school administrators were instructed Monday night by the board to finalize the document for the board's final approval.

Supt. Charlie Uesilton said that "we've been in the process of redoing" part of the policy. Some of the changes are mandated by House Bill 13 and other changes are due to the recently approved program in which the district will use dogs to find illegal drugs in the schools.

Asst. Supt. Don Nimmo said that some part of the policy had to be deleted as required by the new law.

In other business at Monday night's special board meeting, a bid of \$1,949 was approved as submitted by Key Brothers Implement for a flail mower to be used at the football field. Costin Implement bid \$1,975.

Board members Dwayne Harris and Floyd Lee Ritchey, comprising a committee to study mowers and yard equipment, said a new flail mower is needed but that the present yard equipment can probably handle the school district's needs for this year. The board suggested that a utility trailer be purchased to haul tractors and other yard equipment.

The board agreed to finance a project requested by the Opti-Ms. Club. The club, which sponsors youth basketball each year, had asked permission to construct a concession stand at the old junior high school gym. The club estimated the project to cost \$700-\$800 and the board asked that three bids be obtained before approving the project. A storage room located near the north entrance to the gym will be used for the concession stand, said Uesilton.

No action was taken following an executive session to evaluate supervisors, managers, directors, principals and the assistant superintendent.



CHS CHOIR students this year are led by Lola Wallace, first row left, president. Students winning recently at UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest are from her left Gloria Molina and Karen Tammen. Second row from left are Trish Sanders and Daphne Fowler. Third row from left are Mary Ann Molina and Mandi Farris.

Choir students win at contest

Colorado High School choir students Karen Tammen, Daphne Fowler, Gloria Molina, Trish Sanders, Mary Ann Molina and Mandi Farris came away winners from the University Interscholastic League Solo and

Ensemble Contest.

The contest was held Feb. 7 at Cooper High School in Abilene, said David Shelton, director.

Karen Tammen and Daphne Fowler each received superior ratings for their solos while

Gloria Molina received an excellent rating for her solo.

Receiving good ratings were Trish Sanders, Mary Ann Molina and Mandi Farris.

Lola Wallace serves as CHS choir president this year.

Races take shape

Four persons have filed for election to two spots on the board of trustees of the Colorado Independent School District.

Those filing for the three-year positions, currently held by J. C. Britton and Eddie Gregory, are Gregory, Sarah Ortiz, Ronnie Aston and Rogene Spruell.

Filing deadline for the April 4 election is March 4.

Jay Craddock has filed for re-election to the Mitchell County Hospital District board of directors. His term and those of Gus Armstrong, Preston Morris and Marian Bassham are expiring this year. Mrs. Bassham has indicated she will seek re-election. Filing deadline is March 10.

Wednesday was filing deadline for city offices. As of Tuesday, 11 candidates had filed for the four spots up for election including mayor, three two-year council spots and one one-year

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CHS students to 'Howl' Thursday

Howl Night, the annual Colorado High School function sponsored by the Journalism Department to name student favorites, will be Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Nominees for the various awards include:

King Howl - Danny Salazar, Michael Swann and Reggie Gardner

Queen Howl - Becky Westbrook, Renae Whalen, Andra McKinney

Most Dependable Boy and Girl - Jamie Moore, Danny Salazar, Reggie Gardner, Sally Mendoza, Billie Muncrief and Tori Lindsey

Most Courteous Boy and Girl -

Cary Redwine, Jamie Moore, Bo Alvarez, Sally Mendoza, Mary Alice Davila and Danesha Lusk

Most Talented Boy and Girl - Jody Webb, Terry Jackson, Ken Wood, Holly Tarter, Misty Strain and Cami Redwine

Most Academic Boy and Girl - Reese Moore, Marty Cleckler, Jody Webb, Becky Westbrook, Sandi Smith and Mary Alice Davila

Most Likely to Succeed Boy and Girl - Marty Cleckler, Jamie Moore, Reggie Gardner, Becky Westbrook, Tori Lindsey and Holly Tarter

Best All Around Boy and Girl - Danny Salazar, Michael Swann, Terry Jackson, Kellie Beights, Sally Mendoza and Holly Tarter

Friendliest Boy and Girl - Beau Rees, Jamie Moore, Reggie Gardner, Billie Muncrief, Misty Strain and Holly Tarter

Neatest Boy and Girl - Wylie Dakan, Chris Perkin, Cary Redwine, Misty Strain, Misty Bentley and Billie Muncrief

Most Handsome - Cary Ritchey, Brandon Fuller and Randy White

Most Beautiful - Billie Muncrief, Misty Strain and Kellie Beights

Mr. CHS - Danny Salazar, Randy White and Marty Cleckler

Miss CHS - Holly Tarter, Kellie Beights and Tori Lindsey

Senior Favorites - Jamie Moore, Blaine Lemons, Danny Salazar, Sally Mendoza, Holly Tarter and Lisa Samples

Junior Favorites - Reese Moore, Ricky Arispe, Cary Ritchey, Misty Strain, Billie Muncrief and Christy Mitchell

Sophomore Favorites - Beau Rees, George Rivera, Chris Perkin, Danesha Lusk, Orin Gonzales and Darla Gregory

Freshmen Favorites - Stan Bradbury, Hadley Weaver, Ken Land, Melissa Rivera,

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Dr. Ted Whitmire

Whitmire joins chiropractic office

Dr. Rick Schaffer of Schaffer Chiropractic Office, 2112 Hickory, has announced the association of Dr. Ted Whitmire who has moved to Colorado City from Odessa.

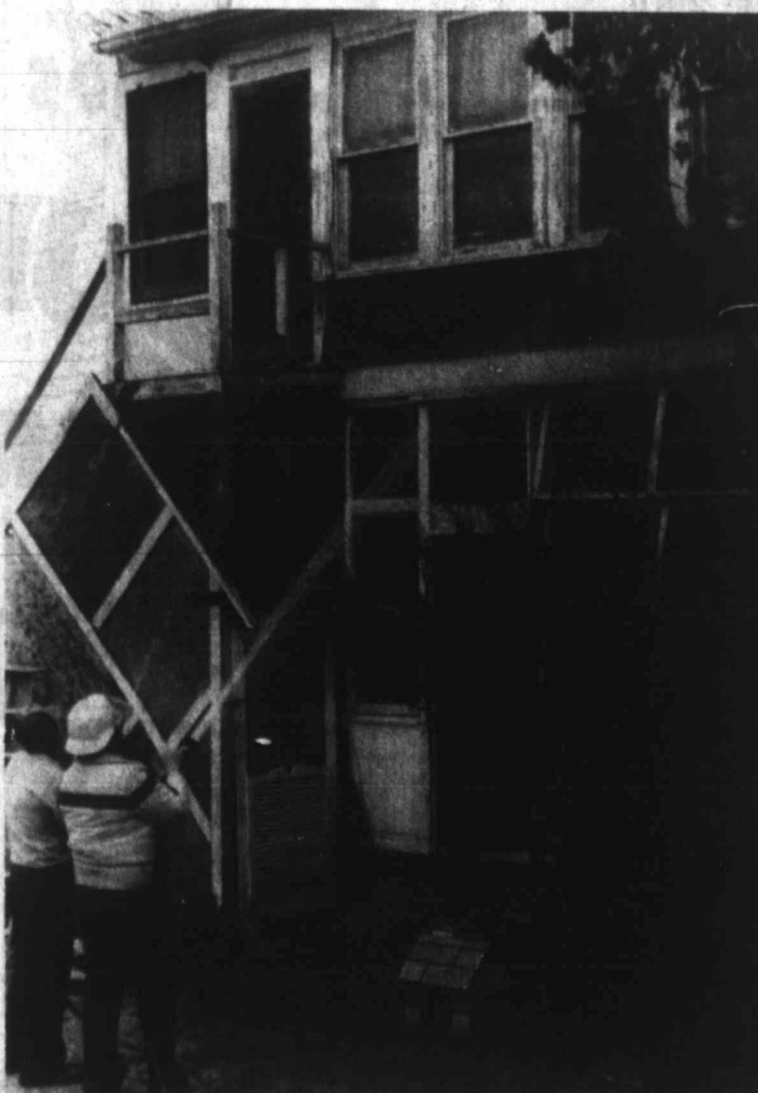
Whitmire, uncle of Ronnie and Donna Clark of Colorado City, practiced in Odessa many years before retiring. He said he decided to "come back to work" and picked Colorado City.

Whitmire has been here three weeks and works Monday through

Friday noon.

He is a graduate of Odessa College, Sul Ross College, and Texas Chiropractic College. He is a member of the American Chiropractic Association, Texas Chiropractic Association and a member of the World-Wide Christ Chiropractic Association.

Whitmire said he is pleased to be in Colorado City and looks forward to being of service to the citizens of Colorado City and Mitchell County.



COLORADO CITY volunteer firemen responded to a house fire Sunday at 10:25 a.m. at the William A. Helm residence on South Highway 208. Firemen say the blaze was confined to a downstairs wall and was caused by a wood burning stove. The house received minor smoke and water damage. No injuries were reported.

Around Town

Did GLENN SANDERS really lose his pickup...Happy 5th anniversary, FEE WEE and BRENDA RUSSELL...SHARON HAMMOND enjoys some pancakes...RAY SMITH working hard at the pancake supper.

Deaths

Cheek Espinoza
Lewey Ellis
Coon Carpenter
Jackson Weaver

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C-City man arrested in drug raid

A Colorado City man was one of 17 arrested Friday night following a six-month undercover drug investigation by the Nolan County Sheriff's Department.

Forty-five grand jury indictments against an undisclosed number of people were handed down Friday.

Fifty-six law enforcement officers from nine separate agencies made the arrests without

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Guilty verdict draws \$200 fine

32nd District Court Judge Weldon Kirk early Saturday morning fined a California man \$200 after a jury found him guilty of assaulting a convenience store clerk.

James Earl Tuthill, 34, was found guilty after a week-long trial and four hours of deliberation.

Sav-M clerk Patricia L. Glass

testified that Tuthill and a 16-year-old youth had come into the store around midnight on June 24. She said they stood around a few minutes until all the customers left, then Tuthill grabbed her arm and poked something sharp in her ribs. Tuthill later said he had a piece of broken glass in his hand.

The 22-year-old woman said

she broke free from his grasp, however, and ran out the door with the pair in pursuit. A sheriff's car answering a call about two suspicious-looking men drove up at that time and the officers grabbed Tuthill and the youth.

Tuthill still faces charges of escape after he walked away from jail August 24. He turned himself in Aug. 25.

Police probe tire slashings

The Colorado City Police Department is investigating a number of crimes which happened over the weekend including six tire slashings.

Lt. Pat Taylor said the tire slashings occurred late Saturday or early Sunday in an area from Walnut to Oak streets, between Sixth and Seventh Streets. He said the department is also investigating a report of an

automobile tail light being broken out in the 800 block of East 12th.

He said a house window was broken in the 1900 block of Locust Street and two vehicles were burglarized at 14th and Watson streets.

In addition, officers arrested two persons on charges of driving while intoxicated and one for possession of marijuana.

Arrested

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incident at 9:30 p.m. in Sweetwater, Roscoe, Rotan and Colorado City.

Arrested in Colorado City was Bobby Stephens, 23.

Along with the arrests, officers seized drugs, 10 vehicles, several thousands of dollars in cash, one automatic weapon, numerous handguns, a shotgun and drug paraphernalia.

Officers involved in the operation were from Mitchell, Scurry, Fisher and Nolan County sheriff's offices, the Department of Public Safety, game wardens, the Sweetwater and Roscoe police departments and the Texas Rangers.

The indictments were for felony delivery of controlled substances, said Nolan County Sheriff Jim Blackley.

Officers met outside Sweetwater Friday night and piled into 42 patrol cars enroute to making the arrests, Blackley said.

Stephens was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Ruby Claxton who set bond at \$10,000. He was then transferred to Nolan County Jail, said Mitchell County Sheriff Wendell Bryant.

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Howl

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Michelle Mitchell and Gracie Franco.

Entertainment will be provided by the Flag Corps, cheerleaders, faculty and other student groups.

There will be no admission charge, but donations will be accepted.

Election

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Seeking mayor are Jim Baum and Julie Walraven. Dan Johns is the only candidate for the one-year unexpired term. Those seeking election to the two-year council spots are Dee Hearn, Tom Carlock and Don Webb, incumbents, J. O. Dockrey Jr., Sherry B. Williams, Bill Glass, Lupe Flores and Janice Walraven.

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Opti-Ms. Results

Results of the Opti-Ms. basketball games played February 13 and 14 are as follows:

DIVISION I

Knights - 18 Tigers - 8
Scoring for the Knights were Cody Carpenter 12, and Jeremiah Munoz 6.

Scoring for the Tigers were Brian Williamson 4, Shannon Smith 2 and Adam Wood 2.

Ponies - 22 Cubs - 10
Scoring for the Ponies were Robert Garza 16 and Brandi Arnett 6.

Scoring for the Cubs were Joe Jameson 10.

Raiders - 13 Eagles - 6
Scoring for the Raiders were Jaime Gutierrez 13.

Scoring for the Eagles were Mando Gonzales 4 and Gabriel Vasquez 2.

Lobos - 22 Owls - 15
Scoring for the Lobos were Juan Molina Jr., 14, Oscar Baeza 4, Fernando Baeza 2 and Shaun Nau 2.

Scoring for the Owls were Jason Walla 15.

Bears - 30 Lions - 18
Scoring for the Bears were Esequiel Leuvanos 24 and Trey Erwin 6.

Scoring for the Lions were Lance Dockrey 16 and Blake Oden 2.

Falcons - 18 Bucks - 14
Scoring for the Falcons were Bear Cooper 16 and Kyle Moore 2.

Scoring for the Bucks were George Rincones 12 and Keisha

Randle 2.

DIVISION II

Hawks - 17 Tigers - 14

Scoring for the Hawks were Heath Mann 12, Lynn Boyd 2, Chance Sampel 2 and Ashton Weatherly 1.

Scoring for the Tigers were Cole Lindsey 6, Eric Mays 4, Nikia Jackson 2 and Travis Lynch 2.

Vikings - 14 T-Birds - 8

Scoring for the Vikings were Robbie Parras 8, Kyle Chambers 4 and Jerrod Goff 2.

Scoring for the T-Birds were Michael Mays 4, Krystal Butler 2 and Craig Finley 2.

Raiders - 15 Cubs - 2
Scoring for the Raiders were Eddy Martinez 8, Homer Matlock 3, Kim Russell 2 and Jeff Hill 2.

Scoring for the Cubs were Alan Rivera 2.

Lions - 22 Pacers - 7

Scoring for the Lions were Jesse Gutierrez 10, Daniel Silva 10 and Jason Castillo 2.

Scoring for the Pacers were Josh Franco 4, Jody Beavers 2 and Frank Espinoza 1.

DIVISION III

Bullets - 33 Celtics - 12

Scoring for the Bullets were Richard Gomez 14, Chris Beaty 6, Scott Dyer 5, Bryan Ritchey 4 and Jason Shy 4.

Scoring for the Celtics were Zachary Findley 4, Doug Conner 4, Ryan Galey 2 and Justin Zamarrappa 2.

Mavs - 33 Lakers - 19

Scoring for the Mavs were Kyle Shaw 14, Curt Shaw 11, Jason Blassingame 4 and John Ybarra 4.

Scoring for the Lakers were Laston Stephens 6, Justin Dockrey 5, Jim Lemons 2, Cody Parker 2, Artie Rivera 2, and Michael Vasquez 2.

Hawks - 42 Bucks - 17

Scoring for the Hawks were James Franco 16, David Castillo 12, Heath Hardwick 6, Cody

Strain 4, Ernest Santana 2 and Nikko Biggers 2.

Scoring for the Bucks were Frank Briseno 11, Chad Moore 2, John Fuller 2 and Mannix Ridge 2.

DIVISION IV

Babes - 22 Mavs - 12

Scoring for the Babes were Cynde Aguilar 16, Kristi Flanagan 2, Krisha Lamb 2 and Lauren Perkin 2.

Scoring for the Mavs were Crescent Ross 9, Shana Smith 2 and Mayola Rincones 1.

Flames - 16 Comets - 14

Scoring for the Flames were Sheila Hale 8, Jennifer Ornelas 4, Christi Hulme 3 and Deana Graham 1.

Scoring for the Comets were Susan Lentz 8 and Nikki Walla 6.

Team standings after 3rd week

DIVISION I

1. Knights
2. Falcons
3. Lobos
4. Raiders
5. Bucks
6. Bears
7. Ponies
8. Lions
9. Owls
10. Eagles
11. Cubs
12. Tigers

DIVISION II

1. Raiders
2. Vikings
3. Tigers
4. Hawks
5. T-Birds
6. Lions
7. Cubs
8. Pacers

DIVISION III

1. Bullets
2. Mavs
3. Hawks
4. Bucks
5. Celtics
6. Lakers

DIVISION IV

1. Babes
2. Flames
3. Mavs
4. Comets

Hester hosts Fairview club

The Fairview Extension Homemakers Club met Feb. 12 in the home of Velma Hester. Members read the creed together.

Roll call was answered by recalling a memorable Valentine. Recreation was led by D'Dee Morris. Twenty-three canned goods were collected for the Helping Hand Christmas project.

Lydia Blagg and Sherri Autry will attend the leader training meeting Tuesday, Feb. 24. The program will be "How to Save Dollars When You Don't Have a Dime to Spare".

Members were encouraged to keep their score cards updated and to continue working on the Christmas project throughout the year.

The program was presented

by D'Dee Morris on the origin of Valentine's Day-when and why it began and how Valentine cards got started.

After the program, members made their own Valentines of paper and lace. Refreshments of homemade grape juice, fresh vegetables and cherry tarts were served to six members and three visitors.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Feb. 26 at 2 p.m. at the home of Versie McMillan. The program will be on family history. The March program will be on gardening.

Those present were Velma Hester, Muriel Thurman, Versie McMillan, D'Dee Morris, Genevieve Moore, Billie Smith and visitors Lena Bell Smith, Lydia Blagg and Ann Marie Blagg.

Students win in writing

Three Colorado High School students placed in the Big Country Student Writing Day, held Saturday at Abilene Christian University.

Dwight Upton placed first in

persuasive essay with "Revising the System". Tori Lindsey placed second in personal essay with the "Greatest Summer of My Life" and Becky Westbrook placed second in analytical essay with "The Patterns of Life".

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County Oil News

Mitchell County's Westbrook Field gained two new producers when Chevron USA completed the Nos. 6105 and 7021 North Westbrook Unit five miles northwest of Westbrook. The wells are in a 7,979-acre lease in the T&P Survey.

The No. 6105 indicated potential to pump oil at the rate of 141 barrels per day, plus 181 barrels of water. Total drilling depth was 3,220 feet.

The No. 7021 well pumped six barrels of oil per day, along with 87 barrels of water. It was taken to a 3,192-ft. bottom.

The wells will produce from perforations in the Middle Clear Fork Formation, ranging from 2,858 to 3,082 feet into the wellbore.

Banam Corp. has completed a re-entry operation at the No. 1 Henderson in an unnamed field

in Mitchell County. The well is located 20 miles southwest of Colorado City in an 83-acre lease in the SPRR Survey.

The well showed potential to flow 45 barrels of oil per day, plus 70,000 CF casinghead gas on a 32-64-in. choke. Production will be from perforations in the Wolfcamp Formation, 6,478 to 6,496 feet into the wellbore.

North American Royalties originally completed the well as a dry hole March 14, 1985. The original total depth was 8,535 feet, and Banam Corp. plugged the well back to 6,598 feet.

Williams Oil of Midland has filed for permit to drill the No. 1 Brennan "B", an 8,300-ft. wildcat well eight miles northwest of Westbrook. Location is in a 237-acre lease in Mitchell County's H&TC Survey.

Hrubetz Operating has revealed production figures for the No. 10 F. E. York, a developmental well in the Turner-Gregory Field, Mitchell County. The well is located five miles northwest of Westbrook in a 161-acre lease in the T&P Survey.

The operation showed ability to pump 11 barrels of oil per day, plus 97 barrels of water. It bottomed at 2,969 feet, and will produce from a set of perforations in the Clear Fork Forma

tion, 2,590 to 2,873 feet into the hole.

Idaho Drilling & Development has given up on its efforts to make a producer out of the No. 2 J. D. Eiland, a developmental well in the Coleman Ranch Field, Mitchell County. The well was located ten miles north of Westbrook.

The operation probed to a dry bottom at 3,200 feet.

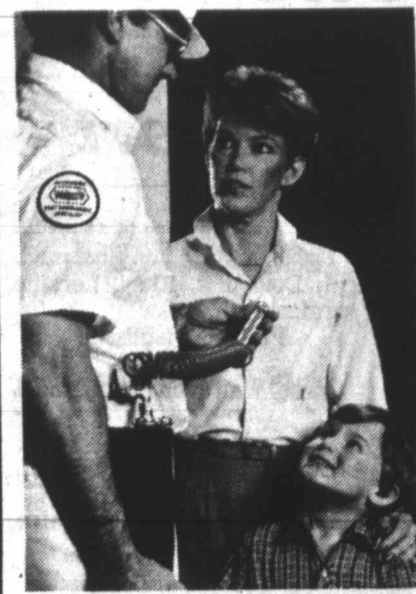
Births

Angel and Gary Kuhm of Lewisville announce the birth of a daughter, Brittany Dawn, born Feb. 2.

Great-grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Graham of Loraine. Maternal grandparents are Lois Graham Franklin of

Stanton and Clifford Franklin of Guymon, Okla.

Abel, son of Manuel and Maria Beltran, of Colorado City, was born in Mitchell County Hospital February 14, weighing 8 pounds, 15 ounces.



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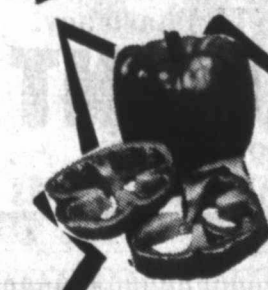
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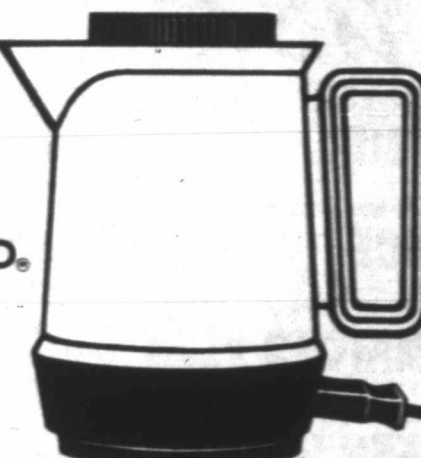
Local News

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted
February 13
Evelyn Mearse, City, medical;
Leona F. Spivey, City, medical;
Henry Hemphill, City, medical;
Charlie Hulme, City, medical;
Melvina Brewer, Lorraine, medical.
February 14
David Smith, City, medical.
February 15
W. H. Cox, City, medical;
Cipriana Castro, Lorraine, medical;
Marguerite Miller, City, medical.
February 16
Karia Sterling, Lorraine, medical;
Donald R. Riley, Lorraine, surgical.
Patients Dismissed
February 13
Irene Walraven, City, medical.
February 14
Eddie Salazar, City, medical.
February 16
Ida Mae Lindley, Lorraine, medical.



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Obituaries

Jackson

Theresa Ophelia Jackson, 90, died Thursday at Mitchell County Hospital.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Reta Richards and Rev. Julius Early officiating. Burial was in Iatan Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born July 29, 1896 in Taylor County Texas, she was a housewife. She married William Thomas Jackson December 16, 1922 in Colorado City.

Survivors include two sons, Bill Jackson of Colorado City and Rufus Jackson of Dallas; 11 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Weaver

CLEBURNE—Mrs. Floyd (Pearl) Weaver, 93, of Cleburne, died Sunday, Feb. 15.

Funeral services were Tuesday at 3 p.m. in the Martin-Pitts Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. James Lewis officiating, assisted by Rev. Johnnie Richter. Burial was in Rosehill Cemetery.

Mrs. Weaver was born April 1, 1893, in Altus, Okla., and had lived in Cleburne for 67 years.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Marguerite Graves of Cleburne and Mrs. Maxie Lee Root of Colorado City; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Carolyn Weaver of Colorado City; a son-in-law, Kyle Graves of Cleburne; five grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Retired teachers meet

The Mitchell County Retired Teachers Association met in the home of Mrs. A. W. Rowe Tuesday, Feb. 18.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Betsy Aycock, president. Mrs. Billie Ruth Tart

Lewey

Martha Lewey, 68, died Friday at her residence.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the St. James Baptist Church with the Rev. Robert Bracy officiating. Burial was in the Mitchell County Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

She was born in Milam County and was a retired cafeteria worker. She was also a retired hospital and nursing home aide. She was a member of St. James Baptist Church and was the widow of Herman Lewey.

Survivors include four daughters, Billie Woods of Colorado City, Jessie Beck, Alma Starns and Joyce Lewey, all of Kansas City, Mo.; two sons, Hallis Lewey of Kansas City, Mo., and Herman Lewey Jr., of Colorado City; two sisters, Nancy Owens of Lubbock and Willie Jean Wheeler of Marlin; a brother, J. B. Rose of Marlin; and eight grandchildren.

Coon

Glen Coon, 83, died Monday at Mitchell County Hospital. Services were at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Lightfoot Church of Christ in Lorraine. Burial was in Lorraine Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born in Fairy, he moved to Lorraine in 1906.

He was a retired tire dealer and grain broker and a member of the Lightfoot Church of Christ. He was an avid bridge player and played throughout West Texas including Abilene and San Angelo. He was the widower of Viola Brown Coon and they were married for 50 years.

Survivors include three sis-

ters, Lois Spikes of Wichita Falls, Ruth Butler and Fern Coon, both of Lorraine; and a sister-in-law, Irene Hester of Fort Worth.

Carpenter

Mattie Belle DeMoss Carpenter, 101, former Lorraine resident, died Sunday.

Services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel with Charles Henderson officiating. Burial was in the Lorraine Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born in Bossier Parrish, La., she moved to Mitchell County in 1935.

She was a member of the Ninth and Pine Church of Christ. She was the widow of Emmett Carpenter. They were married 51 years.

Survivors include two stepdaughters, Faye Woods of Lorraine and Fabris Moore of Big Spring; 10 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Espinoza

Louis Espinoza, 37, died Saturday in Mitchell County Hospital. Rosary was at 7 p.m. Sunday at the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Mass was at 3 p.m. Monday at the St. Ann's Catholic Church with the Rev. John Busch officiating. Burial was in the Mitchell County Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

He was born in Colorado City and was a farm worker. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include his mother, Dominga Espinoza of Colorado City; seven brothers, Cornelio Espinoza, Jimmy Espinoza Sr., Tony Espinoza, Ramon Espinoza, Paulo Espinoza, Jessie Espinoza and Manuel Espinoza, all of Colorado City; a half-brother, Juan Lozano of San Angelo;

three sisters, Andrea Garcia of Colorado City, Abelia Rodriguez of Colorado City and Mary Guerrero of Snyder; two half-sisters, Esther Perez of Miles and Lupe Martinez of San Angelo.

Ellis

Bertha Ellis, 92, died Saturday. Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at the 22nd and Austin Street Church of Christ with Foy Forehand officiating. Burial was in Dunn Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

She was born in Arkansas and was a housewife. She was a member of the 22nd and Austin Street Church of Christ and was the widow of Jackson Ellis.

Survivors include a daughter, Julia Fox of Dunn; six sons, Wayne Ellis, Ather Ellis, Leo "Buck" Ellis and Melvin "Jeff" Ellis, all of Colorado City, and Jackson Ellis of Ira and Othal Ellis of Dunn; four sisters, Blanche Graham of Odessa, Opal Boyd of Corpus Christi, Lovilla Holladay of Ira and Mrs. Wright Hiddleston of Snyder; 11 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Cheek

James Cheek, 84, of Burnet, died Saturday at a Kingsland nursing home. Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Lorraine Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

He was born in Tupelo, Miss., and was a retired farmer and carpenter. He had lived in Burnet for three years and is formerly from Lorraine and Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Velma Cheek of Temple; a daughter, Jerri Pendley of Anaheim, Calif.; three stepdaughters, Venilee Jones of Temple, Eldora Owens of Midland and Minnie Conley of Houston; a step-son, E. V. Lincoln of California; and a sister, Judson Scrivner of Burnet.

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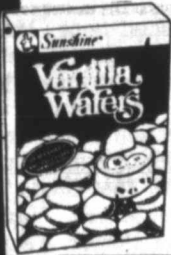
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News from.....

The nursing home would like to thank all of the ones who came this past week to help with our parties.

We had our monthly birthday party Friday afternoon. Sandra Jones had a birthday on the 8th and Audna Lee's birthday was the 14th. The Home Economic girls came and helped them

celebrate. They brought two plants for Valentines. We want to thank Karen Hackfeld for bringing her class. The residents enjoy young people.

Saturday was our Valentine party. We crowned our King and Queen and had cookies and punch. Lora Taylor was our Queen and Domingo Gomez was the King. The Friendship Sun-

day School Class brought our refreshments. We want to thank each of the ladies for helping.

Ida Mae Lindley has been in the hospital for several days. She returned to the home yesterday. We are all glad to have her back. Thelma Johnson is in the Sweetwater hospital. We are hoping she will be able to return home soon. She is really missed.

We had the Klatter Kombo to entertain us yesterday. The residents all enjoyed it. Thank you for coming.

We are going to have music and a dance Saturday night at 7 p.m. We would like to invite all of you to come. We still need volunteers. If you have time we would love to have you.

Loraine Personals

by Lela Lucas

Rev. Reta Richards was in Lubbock Tuesday visiting her son Wayne Richards.

David Michael Parker was born February 16 weighing 9 pounds, 5 ounces. David Michael is the son of Todd and Gwin Parker of Dimmitt and the grandson of Roy and Jean Johnson and the great-grandson of

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Lee.

Lester Richburg of Hart was an overnight guest in the home of his sister, Effie Wheeler Saturday night.

Mary Love Allbright of Odessa visited her mother Sylbe Walker from Tuesday to Thurs-

day of last week and visited and had lunch at the Senior citizens Center Wednesday.

Winnie Coffee of San Angelo is visiting with friends and relatives in this area and visited the Senior Citizens Center Monday.

The Senior Citizens Klatter

Kombo Band visited the Loraine Nursing Home Monday afternoon entertaining with music and singing.

We are happy to report that Mary Coffee is much improved after a bout of pneumonia. She is hoping to be out of the hospital soon.

Richburg party is held

It was a special birthday for Homer Richburg Sunday when his children and grandchildren surprised him by showing up in church for services at the Methodist Church. Then Homer surprised them by singing a special song in their honor.

The family gathered in Colorado City for lunch together. After lunch, they gathered at the Richburg home for more festivities with cake, cookies, candy, nuts, mints and punch.

Those in attendance were Charles Richburg of Sunray, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Vaughn and son Mike of Clyde, Mrs. Don Richburg, Myra and Allen of Roscoe, Jerry Richburg of Hereford, a friend Dorothy Bocktor of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wilson, Charles, Stefanie and Daniel of Roscoe, Debrah, Jonarah, Emily and Tilton of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Richburg of Roscoe.

SpringFest is planned

SpringFest, a regional training event for members of Woman's Missionary Union, has been scheduled for April 3-4, with women from seven associations participating.

The conference, which will begin with registration at 3 p.m. on Friday, will conclude at noon on Saturday, according to Bonnie Franklin of Stanton who will serve as general chairperson. Sessions will be held Friday afternoon, Friday night, and Saturday morning.

Highlighting the sessions will be missionary messages, special interest conferences, and methods conferences. A "display diorama" and "browsing time" are scheduled.

Present plans call for methods conferences covering the work of WMU, Baptist Women, Baptist Young Women, Acteens, Girls in Action, and Mission Friends. Sessions for both experienced workers and new workers will be provided.

Special interest conferences will include a variety of subjects such as: Centennial, led by Melba Sample; How to Educate On Anti-Gambling, by Caran

Highley; Spiritual Development Through Prayer, Jeannie Miley; Senior Adult Opportunities in Mission, Dorothy Mazurk.

All special interest conferences will be offered three times and methods conferences twice to provide participants a balanced selection.

SpringFest has been described as a "Mini-House Party" patterned after the state event conducted annually by Texas Woman's Missionary Union at Baylor University in August. The area event is geared to meet the specific needs of working

women since two of the three sessions (Friday night and Saturday morning) are timed to allow working women to attend.

Working with Bonnie Franklin on the SpringFest committee are: Shauna Ashlock, Betty Thomas and Caran Highley, Big Spring; Mary Cozart, Jo Laine Perkins, Ann Debnam, Lola McGregor, Lamesa; Melissa Turnbough, Armenta Hartsfield, San Angelo; Ann Willingham, Jerry McLeod, Odessa; Kay Kolb, Midkiff; Renee Peterson, Midland; and Earline Sellier, Colorado City.

Butler hosts class meeting in home

Clara Butler hosted the Ruth Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church Loraine when they met for their February meeting at 2:30 p.m. Thursday.

Mrs. Butler presided and led the opening prayer.

Pauline Smiley gave the treasurer's report after which Ida Baird directed the recreation. She gave each person valentines holding scripture verses on love.

During the social hour, Mrs. Butler served a sandwich plate with pound cake and drinks. The happy birthday song was sung to Pauline Smiley and in closing members joined hands and sang "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Present were Mmes. Vada Preston, Frances Porter, Teanice Hays, Pearl Preston, Stella Harris, Lois Hobbs, Pauline Smiley, Ida Baird and the hostess.

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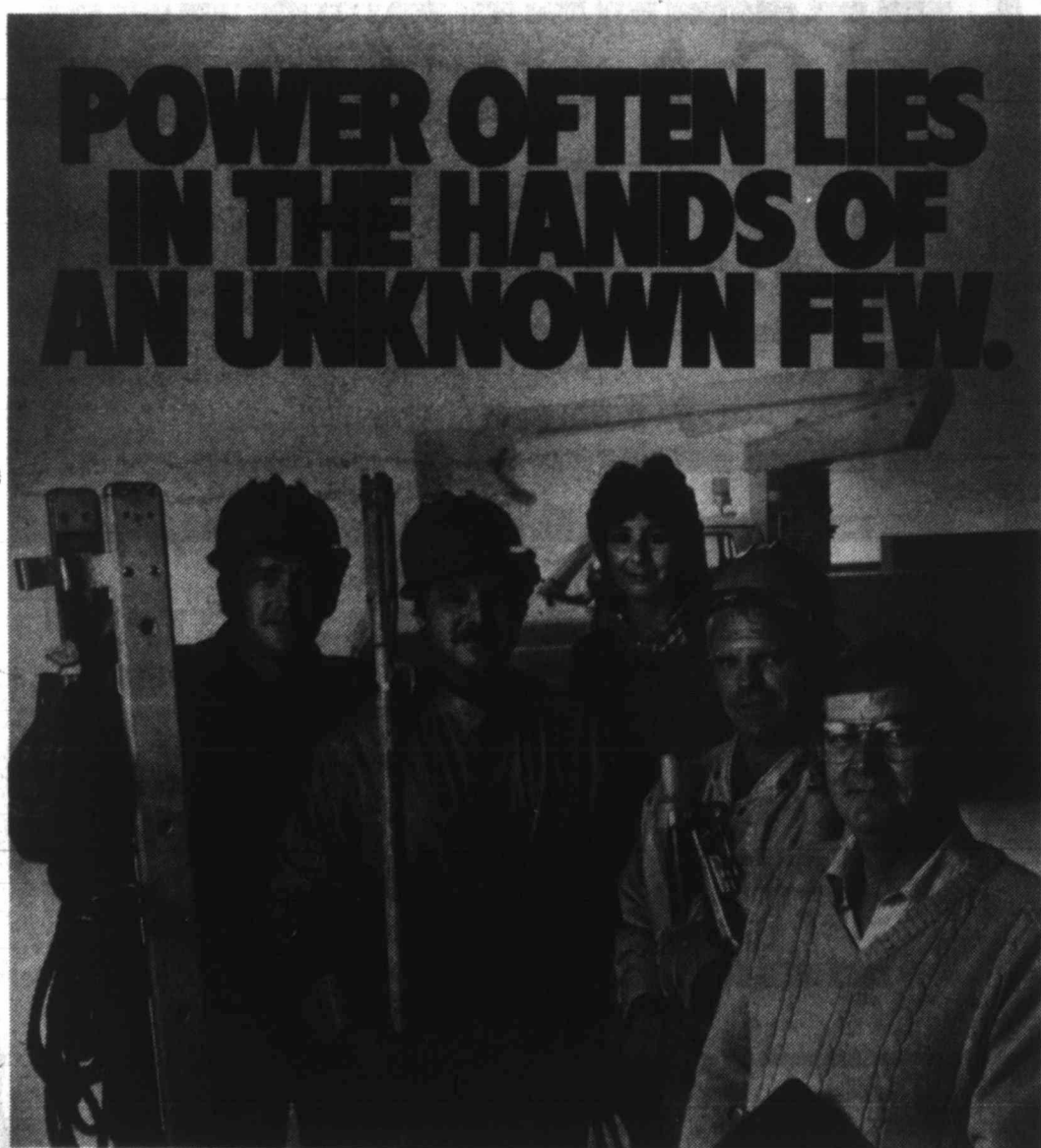
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7TH GRADE B basketball team players are front row, left to right Greg Parker, Justin Sullivan, Chris Lynch, Jubal Stephens, Robert Sadler and Justin Smith. Back row, left to right, coach Ed Wilson, Jason Stone, Alex Ridge, Jody Clark, Sammy Luera and Jeremiah Wood.

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CHS Wolf boys win, girls lose

The Colorado City Wolves, who end the 1986-87 basketball season when they host Coahoma tomorrow, got their second district 5AAA win at Sonora Friday by beating the Broncos 53-44. The Lady Wolves ended their season Friday by falling to the Lady Broncos 48-24.

With the win, the boys own a 4-20 season record and a 1-3 second half district mark. The Wolves finished first half play 1-5 with their only win also coming against Sonora. Colorado City was to have been in action at Ballinger Tuesday and ends the season with junior varsity and varsity games against the Coahoma Bulldogs here tomorrow beginning at 6:30 p.m. Pat Ridge and Ken Woods scored four points in the opening period at Sonora to lead the Wolves to a 14-10 lead. Terry

Jackson scored four in the second quarter to keep Colorado City within one at 24-23 at halftime.

Woods put in 10 points in the third period as the Wolves took a 37-32 lead. Colorado City increased its lead with 10 fourth period points from Dane Hoover and 7 from Woods.

Scoring totals for the Wolves were Chris Perkin 2, Larry Mayes 4, T. Jackson 6, Marty Cleckler 4, Ridge 6, Hoover 10 and Woods 21.

Mickey Sharp with 11 and T. Duenes with 14 led the Broncos.

Sonora made 6 of 8 first quarter free throws and 8 of 10 in the second period but chilled out to end the game with 16 of 28 shooting. The Wolves made 7 of 16 free throws and 23 of 63 shots from the field.

Woods, Cleckler and T. Jackson had 16, 11 and 8 rebounds, respectively.

The Wolves committed 39 turnovers.

The loss by the Lady Wolves completed a winless district venture. For the season, the Wolves were 1-28 with the lone win being a 35-32 win over San Angelo Central's junior varsity. Sonora is still in the hunt for a playoff spot after being co-first half champions.

Scoring for the Lady Wolves Friday were Jennifer Monroe 8, Holly Tarter 9, Cami Redwine 4, Amy Chitsey 2 and Denise Lowrance 1.

K. Mathews and M. McCleery led Sonora with 13 and 14 points.

Colorado City outrebounded Sonora 40-25 but committed 28 turnovers. Tarter, Lowrance, Jodi Mitchell and Chitsey had 14, 6, 5 and 5 rebounds, respectively.

The Wolves made 2 of 8 free throws and 11 of 52 shots compared to 10 of 16 foul shooting and 19 of 55 field shooting for Sonora.

Lowrance led the Lady Wolves this year in field goal shots attempted and shots made. She also was the only member of the varsity to shoot better than 30 percent. Tarter led the Wolves in free throw attempts and completions but Mitchell's 44.9 percent at the line led the team.

Leading scorers for the Lady Wolves were Lowrance with 190 points, Tarter 161, Monica Hamilton with 106 and Chitsey with 86.

Leading rebounders were Tarter with 221 and Lowrance with 215. Mitchell had a team high 44 blocked shots. Hamilton, who split time as a varsity and junior varsity player, had 18 assists.

Redwine and Lowrance led the team in steals with 59 and 56, respectively. The team averaged 29 turnovers a game.

The Wolves got a second boys win with a 54-29 count in the junior varsity boys contest.

The Wolves led only 8-6 after one period and 16-14 at halftime. After the team held Sonora to four third quarter points, the Wolves pulled away with six fourth period points from Ismael Silva and Dennis Smith. Scoring totals were Smith 10, George

Rivera 9, Bruce Williams 2, Mark Russell 10, Silva 8, Duane Jones 10, Alan Howell 2, Coley Ramage 1 and Hal Morren 2.

Sonora won the junior varsity girls game 53-17. Scoring for the Wolves were Shella Monroe 6, Brittany Bridgford 6, Melissa Rivera 2, Stacy Miles 2 and Mandi Farris 1.

Teaff led Sonora with 18.

The Wolves, who ended play at 5-14, made 3 of 6 free throws and 7 of 48 shots while Sonora made 5 of 11 free throws and 24 of 62 shots. JoAnn Ornelas, Christabel Molina and Bridgford made 3, 2 and 2 steals. The Wolves made 21 turnovers and Bridgford had a team high 5 rebounds.

Leading scorers for the season were Bridgford with 145 points, Bridgford with 118 and Miles with 94.

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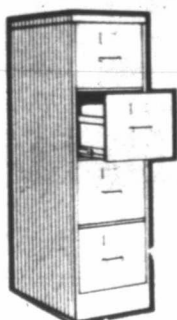
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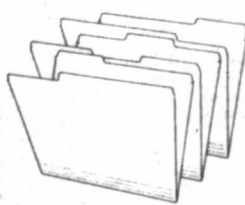
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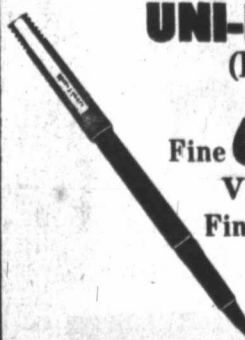
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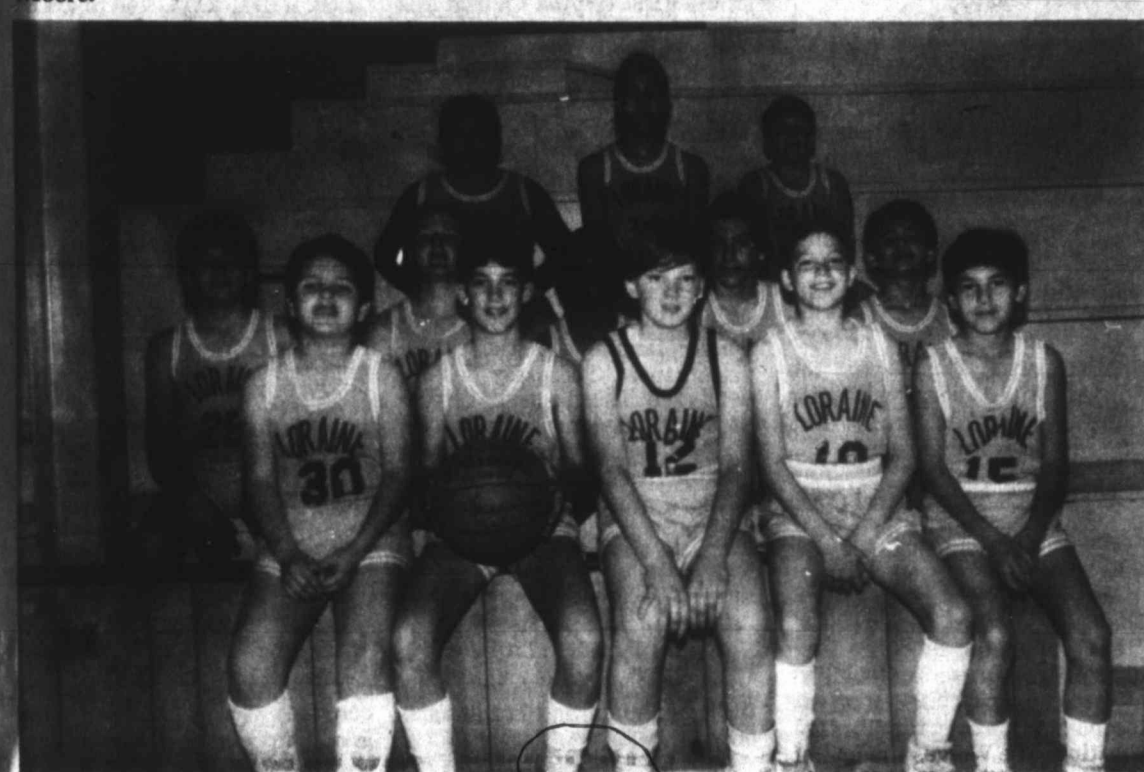
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LORAIN JUNIOR HIGH girls basketball players are front row, left to right, Amelia Vasquez, Maria Leija, Angela Ruth, Shelli Webb and Sheryl Webb. Back row, left to right are coach Jim Nau, Betty Garcia, Christina Lopez, Michi Atkins, Trena Williams, Michelle Garcia and Christi Blair. Not pictured is Brooke Moore.



BULLDOGS BOYS for Loraine junior high basketball are front row, left to right, Adam Madrid, Chris Phillips, Anvil Mosher, David Mitchell and Fabian Alvarez. Middle row, left to right, are Rene Pantoja, Brandon Mize, Anthony Williams, Clayton Lee and David Madrid. Back row, left to right, are Roger Esquivel, Ruben Vasquez and Kenny Walker. Not pictured is Donnie Vallery.

CMS hoops end

Colorado Middle School seventh and eighth grade boys basketball teams won here Thursday night while the Coahoma Bulldogs were victorious in four other ballgames.

Bobby Silva and Brandon Raschke scored 28 and 14 points, respectively to lead the eighth grade boys to a 67-31 win. Silva scored 14 in the opening period and Raschke scored 8 to give the Wolves a quick lead preserved by a pressing defense.

Also scoring were Wendell Iglerhart 6, LaRon Miles 5, George Ramsey 4, Scott Galey 4, Elias Gutierrez 4 and Jason Lawson 4.

The ninth grade boys almost made a successful comeback. After trailing 7-2 after one period the Wolves were behind only 19-17 at halftime and 32-29 after three periods.

The Wolves caught the Bulldogs at 41-41 with seconds left to play but Coahoma took advantage of late Colorado City turnovers to preserve an undefeated season with a 45-41 win.

Scoring for Colorado City were Ken Land 4, Rene Silva 3, Tracy Edwards 10, Tracy Ausbie 10, Mark Alvidrez 10, Stan Bradbury 2 and John Phariss 2.

At Coahoma, the Bulldogs won an eighth grade girls game 47-37.

Scoring for Colorado City were Bea Rivera 8, Lisa Gale 6, Nikki Findley 6, Laura Espinoza 5, Marlene Tucker 4, Dalia Franco 3, Patricia Molina 3 and Priscilla Rivera 2.

The Wolves made only 9 of 59 free throws.

Coahoma won a 10-8 seventh grade B girls game and took the A game 21-18.

Scoring for the B team were Linda Hudson 2, Jessamyn Holstine 2 and Lisa Martinez 4.

Scoring for the A team were Tracy Hoover 2, Angela Biggers 2, Melissa Martinez 2, Jennifer Munoz 8, Christie Gray 1 and Rosemary Rosas 3.

Bi-district double header scheduled

District 17A boys champion Westbrook and runnerup Loraine will be in basketball play-off action Tuesday in Sweetwater.

Westbrook, 10-13 and winner of 17A with a 5-1 mark, will take on district 18A runnerup Aspermont, 20-5 and 6-2, at 6:30 p.m. in the Sweetwater High School gym.

Immediately following that game will be an 8 p.m. contest between Loraine and Roby. Loraine took second in 17A with records of 9-16 and 3-3. Roby won 18A with records of 19-5 and 7-1. The Wildcats and Bulldogs will play practice games Saturday.

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Tennis team defeats Coahoma

The Colorado High School tennis team, who opened the season with a 20-7 loss at Snyder last Tuesday, defeated the Coahoma Bulldogs 14-3 here Friday.

The CHS boys beat Coahoma 8-1 while the girls won 6 of 8 matches.

In boys singles, Mark Walker defeated Douglas Lawhorn 6-2; Scott Walker defeated Kerry Lowery 6-2; Andy Levesque defeated Lawhorn 6-2; Wylie Dakan defeated Lawhorn 6-2 and Bert Garcia defeated Lowery 6-3.

In boys doubles, Randy White-

Raymond Craighead defeated Lawhorn-Santana 6-2; Dakan-Larry Raschke defeated Lawhorn-Lowery 6-2 and Garcia-Cornelius Santana defeated Lawhorn-Lowery 6-4.

The only loss by the boys was James Walton's 6-2 singles loss to Lowery.

In girls singles, Charlotte Grimes defeated Candy Joiner 6-2 and Daphne Fowler defeated Joiner 6-2.

In girls doubles, Mistie Bentley-Sandy Lamb defeated Hudson-Jaylena Bullard 6-4; Michelle Combs-Mary Ann DeLo-

era defeated Hudson-Bullard 6-4; Fowler-Grimes defeated Lamb-Bullard 6-2 and Grimes-DeLoera defeated Bullard-

Lamb 6-2.

Girls losses were Bentley to Joiner 7-5 and Combs to Joiner 6-2.

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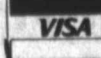
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New W-4 forms need work

By Lloyd Bentsen
United States Senator

One of the changes brought about by the new tax law is being sent back to the shop for further changes.

In that new law, Congress instructed the Internal Revenue Service to devise a more accu-

rate means of anticipating the actual taxes individual Americans will owe. In the past too many Americans have had either too much or too little withheld from their paychecks.

The IRS responded by producing and distributing a new W-4 withholding form; a four-page form to replace the old one-page

W-4.

I began to hear immediately from frustrated, puzzled Texans.

"I will do my very best to be accurate and timely, but since I am neither a tax CPA or lawyer I fully expect to make honest errors and be fined," wrote one Dallas man who said he spent 16 hours trying to comply with "the unbelievable complexities" of the form.

One resident of Bellaire wrote: "While it is possible to predict some portion of future income and liabilities, it is impossible to do so with anywhere near the precision asked for under penalty of perjury. How do I know whether my medical expenses will be more than the deductible or if I'll get married this year?"

A Dallas woman wrote that her husband's employer used to deduct \$228 for federal income taxes every two weeks. She could not believe that, according to their calculations for the new W-4 form, the amount deducted would drop to only \$32.

"We realize this is incorrect as we have two salaries," she wrote. "We need to know what to do about this as we do not want to pay any penalties, but it's hard enough paying the high taxes without being forced to hire an accountant."

After reviewing the new form I had to agree with these Texans.

As new Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, I wrote in January to IRS Commissioner Lawrence Gibbs asking that they go back to the drawing board and come up with a simpler process for obtaining withholding information. I suggested that perhaps the four-page form could be made optional or that a "short" form could be devised.

Later, in testimony before Congress, Secretary of the Treasury James Baker agreed that the new form is "entirely too complicated."

The Secretary said he has told the IRS to develop a simpler withholding form. Commissioner Gibbs advised me recently that he fully appreciates the situation, that the IRS is working on the form, and that he sees this as an opportunity to demonstrate to Americans that the IRS can be responsive.

This is good news, but a word of caution is in order here.

Although the withholding form will be revised, taxpayers in the meantime should continue filling out the present version to, as Secretary Baker put it, "avoid a lot of unpleasant surprises down the road."

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The leaves are a light green with sharp-looking spines on them that in reality are extremely soft. Growing in the form of a rosette, the leaves hide a gel that can be found by slicing one of the leaves and squeezing. By applying this gel to minor skin irritations, insect bites, sunburn and chapped hands, almost instant and total relief will occur.

When the plant reaches a certain stage of maturity, a flowering stalk will shoot from the center, about 1 foot high, and bloom in red, white, or yellow, depending on the type of aloe.

When you do slice a leaf for first

aid, save the leaf, because it will seal itself. And in a reasonable amount of time you can use the same leaf again if the leaf is hung somewhere to dry.

Aloes can live in the low 40s as well as survive in the hottest part of the summer taking on habits of the cacti. During the summer, water when the soil becomes extremely dry, and in the fall and winter water enough to keep the leaves from shriveling up. The plant grows slowly and it is not unusual to have a plant grow in the same pot up to 10 years.

When maintaining an aloe in a pot, fill the bottom with drainage material and the rest of the pot with two-

thirds loam and one-third coarse sand. You may need to put a little more soil mix on the top, occasionally, if it is to remain in the same container for a long time.

To propagate your own plants, either detach the suckers, which are small plants that grow around the base of the parent plant, or take cuttings. When planting the suckers, simply place them in pots of sandy soil and firm the soil down so as to give them a fair chance to develop roots.

If you are propagating by cuttings, sever the stem just below a joint, allow to dry up and form a skin-like texture. This should only take one or two days. The six-inch long cuttings should be placed in sandy soil like the suckers.

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Westbrook Wanderings

By Ruby Claxton

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Manning were in Lubbock Friday to be with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dawson. Mr. Dawson had surgery Friday morning. At last report, he was doing well.

Mrs. Linda Golden and children of Midland spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ranne.

Mrs. Bertha Minor spent the weekend in Odessa with her daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Golden.

The Ruth Sunday School Class

of the First Baptist Church met Thursday, Feb. 12 at the church.

Hosting the Valentine Fiesta was Rhonda Morris and Belinda Rich. They prepared a meal of Mexican food and red velvet cake.

Joyce Chambers presented a program concerning other world religions.

The business meeting was conducted by Christine Ware. Jamie Hill read the minutes and Becky Manning gave the treasurer's report. The class has recently purchased a set of "Heroes of the Kingdom" to be used in the children's Sunday School and Children's Church.

Those present were Marlena

Rice, Nell Rollins, Nell Shackelford, Christine Ware, Judy Moore, Belinda Rich, Rhonda Morris, Debra Reyes, Joyce Chambers, Jamie Hill, Becky Manning, Debbie Miller and Winnie Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stone were in San Angelo Monday. Mr. Stone attended the Shrine meeting. They also visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson of Mertzon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and son of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood of Colorado City, visited Mrs. Ruby Jackson over the weekend.

Inventors - look for good firm

By Jim Mattox
Attorney General

Inventors beware! That invention development company that promises to help get your product patented may not be so helpful after all.

If you have an invention that you would like to get marketed, but don't know how, you may be looking for help from a promoter or development company. If the person or company asks for money up front, it is probably regulated by state law. The Invention Development Services Act governs all development companies that ask for money "up front" except:

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Just as you shop around for the best plumber or the best auto mechanic, you should shop ar-

ound for just the right person or company to help with your invention. Often it is wise to seek the advice of a patent attorney first. If the attorney believes your product is patentable, he/she will run a patentability search. Such a search is to determine whether someone else has already patented the same product.

Even if your product is patentable, it may still not be worth the money it will cost to get it patented. Filing of a patent application can cost \$1,000 for a simple patent to \$10,000 or more for a complex chemical or electronic invention.

6 IMPORTANT FACTS ABOUT WHEEL ALIGNMENT

1. Extend tire life

It's happened to almost everyone: buy a set of tires, and before long one or two tires are wearing out before the others. On today's cars, this applies to the rear tires as well as the front tires. The most common cause of unusual tire wear is improper alignment. Over the years, a properly aligned vehicle can save hundreds of dollars in tire wear.

2. Spot problems early

A suspension system inspection is an inherent part of the wheel alignment operation. This gives the mechanic a chance to spot worn parts that would affect vehicle alignment. It also gives him an opportunity to spot small problems before they become big, costly ones.

3. Ensure safe driving

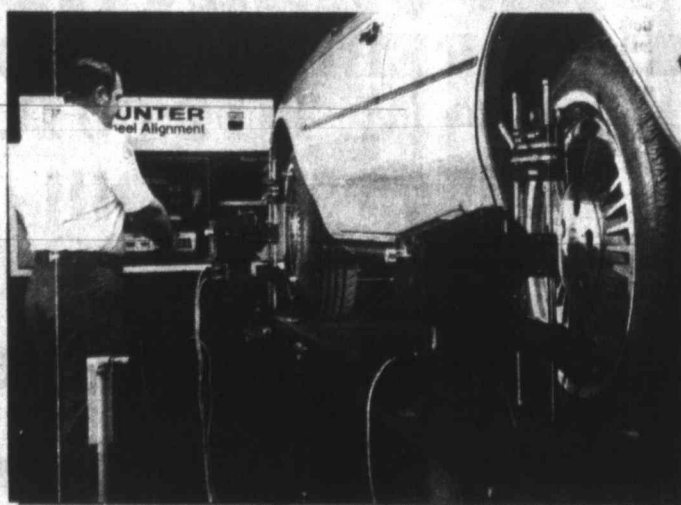
A periodic four wheel alignment makes sure your car handles properly and, more importantly, provides an opportunity for inspecting the suspension system for defective parts. In some ways, the safe driving aspect may be the most important benefit of wheel alignment.

4. Stretch fuel mileage

Fuel mileage increases as rolling resistance decreases. Proper wheel alignment sets all four wheels parallel which, in turn, assures minimum rolling resistance. This plus proper tire inflation provide top efficiency for maximum mileage.

5. Improve handling

Does your car pull to one side, does the steering wheel vibrate, do you have to constantly move the steering wheel to keep your car traveling straight ahead? These and other handling problems can generally be corrected by four wheel alignment.

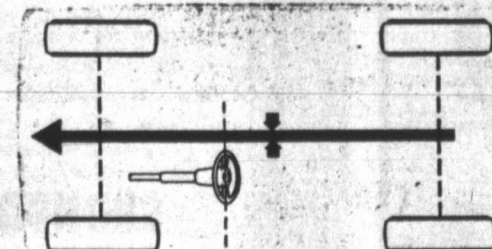


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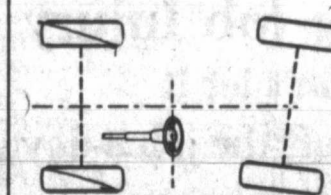


For cars with adjustable rear suspensions, the rear wheels are adjusted so the thrust line (red line in drawing) coincides with the geometric centerline. The front wheels are then aligned relative to the thrust line/centerline. This sets all wheels straight ahead and parallel, and centers the steering wheel.

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6	PM :30	Star Trek " "	60 Minutes " "	Austin City Limits " "	Fame " "	Our House " "	Movie: Disney Sunday Movie " "	Our House " "	Movie: Disney Sunday Movie " "	Movie: Disney Sunday Movie " "	(5:30) Siempre en Domingo " "	SportsCenter Sci World " "	Movie: Where Do We Go Now? " "	(5:15) The Way You Are Now (PG) (CC)	(5:30) John Dempsey (PG-13)
7	PM :30	Movie: A Bridge Too Far (PG)	Murder, She Wrote (CC)	Nature (CC)	Lifestyles of Rich " "	Easy Street (TV) (CC)	Parent Trap (TV) (CC)	Easy Street (TV) (CC)	Parent Trap (TV) (CC)	(TV) (CC)	NHL Hockey (Live) " "	Howl (TV) " "	Movie: Little Plains (R) (CC)	Movie: The Criminals (R) (CC)	Movie: The Criminals (R) (CC)
8	PM :30	" "	Design Women " "	Eyes on the Prize (CC)	Love Boat " "	Movie: NBC Sunday Night at the Movies " "	ABC Sunday Night Movie America, " "	Movie: NBC Sunday Night at the Movies " "	ABC Sunday Night Movie America, " "	National Geographic Explorer " "	" "	" "	Movie: Bonds of Sherwood Forest (NR)	" "	" "
9	PM :30	" "	Hard Copy " "	Masters of Sex (CC)	News " "	Flashdance (R) (CC)	Part 7 (CC) " "	Flashdance (R) (CC)	Part 7 (CC) " "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	Movie: Goodbye to (PG) (CC)
10	PM :30	News " "	News " "	Solo " "	Darkside " "	News " "	(20) Hansen (45) Entertain " "	News " "	(15) ABC News (CC) " "	Court Sports " "	Jacobs Zabudovsky " "	SportsCenter " "	Five Mile Creek " "	Movie: Control (NR)	(50) Mov Volunteers
11	PM :30	Voyagers " "	Cover Story " "	Mother & Son " "	Police Story " "	Wh " "	Boom Buddy " "	It's a Living " "	Wacky World " "	TBA " "	Volleyball Major League Women's " "	Movie: Some thing for the Birds (NR)	Movie: Terminator " "	(R) (CC)	" "
12	AM :30	Sign Off " "	Sign Off " "	Two Remotes Two Remotes " "	At the Movie Fame " "	Gen. Michael News " "	(15) Country (45) News " "	Business Weekend Sign Off " "	Jimmy Swagart " "	Siempre en Domingo " "	Volleyball (R) " "	Pro Skiing " "	My Blue Horse " "	(R) (CC)	(40) Love Horse