

Q. How much is a bale of cotton worth, anyway?

A. A lot depends upon staple and grade, but the producers will get somewhere around \$300 per bale. By the way, that bale will make 666 long sleeve shirts, valued at \$13,986, or about 300 pair of jeans worth \$5,985.

Briefly

Thanksgiving

The "Come as You Are" mission will be serving a banquet meal on Thanksgiving day from 3-7 p.m.

All are invited to attend. If you know of someone without family or homebound, call Midge at 728-8606 and meals will be delivered to them.

Chili supper

The Noon Lions Club will sponsor its annual chili supper Saturday, Dec. 5, from 11 a.m.-8 p.m. at the Civic Center. Cost is \$3.50 per person for chili and dessert. Tickets may be purchased at the door or from club members.

Carry out service is available the day of the supper. Call 728-2072.

Wallace reunion

The family of Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Wallace will have a reunion on Saturday, Nov. 28, at the Housing Authority Building on Oak Street.

All friends are invited to come by and visit.

Ornaments

The Tumbleweed Lions Club is selling limited edition Christmas ornaments again this year.

The 1987 ornament features a picture of the first railroad station in Colorado City.

For more information call 728-2065 or after 5 at 728-8610.

Library

Mitchell County Library will be closed Thursday, but open at regular hours Friday and Saturday.

Around town

The C-CITY GIRLS see the Chippendale dancers ... DAVE JANCA helping to install Christmas decorations ... Judge BILL CARTER goes back-to-school ... LARRY BRISCO of Dora Roberts Rehab Center in town ... CHARLES WOODS, talking about deer hunting ...

Deaths

Moates ... Hale

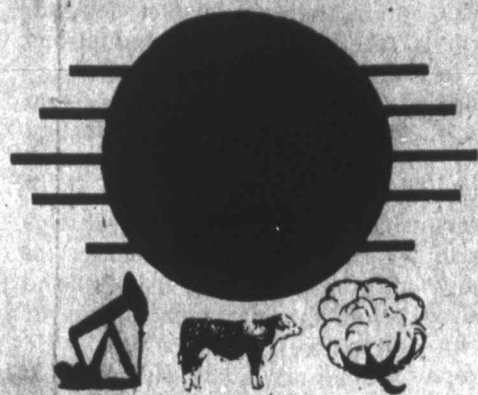
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Weather

This Year				
Date	Hi	Lo	Prec	
Nov. 21	71	28	.00	
Nov. 22	71	51	.00	
Nov. 23	74	38	.00	
Nov. 24	75	45	.00	
Total rainfall this month 0.03"				
Total rainfall this year 19.43"				
Lake Levels:				
Colorado City Lake	2067.4'			
Lake Champion	2081.7'			
Last Year				
1986	Hi	Lo	Prec	
Nov. 21	64	35	.00	
Nov. 22	68	39	.00	
Nov. 23	77	45	.00	
Nov. 24	55	35	.00	
Total rainfall Nov. '86 10"				
Total rainfall 1986 31.55"				
Record Nov. High	1952	91		
Record Nov. Low	1950	16		
Average Nov. Rainfall	1.11"			
Heaviest Nov. Daily Rainfall	1968	2.25"		

(Official NWS records maintained at TU Morgan Creek Power Plant, Lake Colorado City.)

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What does Thanksgiving mean to you?

Thanksgiving - what does it mean to you?

Thoughts of eating turkey, having a holiday and watching football games on television come to mind as we pause to give thanks for our blessings.

A sampling of Kelley Elementary students reveals they have different thoughts on the subject, too.



SKYE FARRIS, 6, first grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Farris - "We have Thanksgiving because the Pilgrims sailed to America."



SUMIKA PIERCE, 6, first grade daughter of Mrs. Jonelle Pierce - "Indians taught the Pilgrims how to plant corn at the first Thanksgiving."



JAY COX, 6, first grade son of Mrs. Deborah Watson - "The Indians killed the turkeys and they all ate lunch."



CARLOS SILVA, 6, kindergarten son of Mr. and Mrs. Fernin Silva - "Thanksgiving means Pilgrims and Indians."



LACY WATSON, 6, kindergarten daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Les Watson - "Thanksgiving is about Pilgrims and turkeys."



JAMES GOSS, 6, kindergarten son of Mrs. Esther Goss - "Thanksgiving means we get to eat turkey."



BUBBA LIMONES, 7, second grade son of Mrs. Shirley Limones - "Thanksgiving means praising the Lord."



ARRON EMERSON, 8, second grade son of Carolyn Salina - "Thanksgiving means fun and going to visit auntie to eat turkey."



CINNAMON HAMPTON, 7, second grade daughter of Mrs. Honey Hampton - "Thanksgiving means having lots of fun and praying."

Frank Conrad to run for Dist. Attorney

Sweetwater attorney Frank Conrad Jr., 39, has announced he will seek election as district attorney of the 32nd judicial district which includes Mitchell, Nolan and Fisher counties.

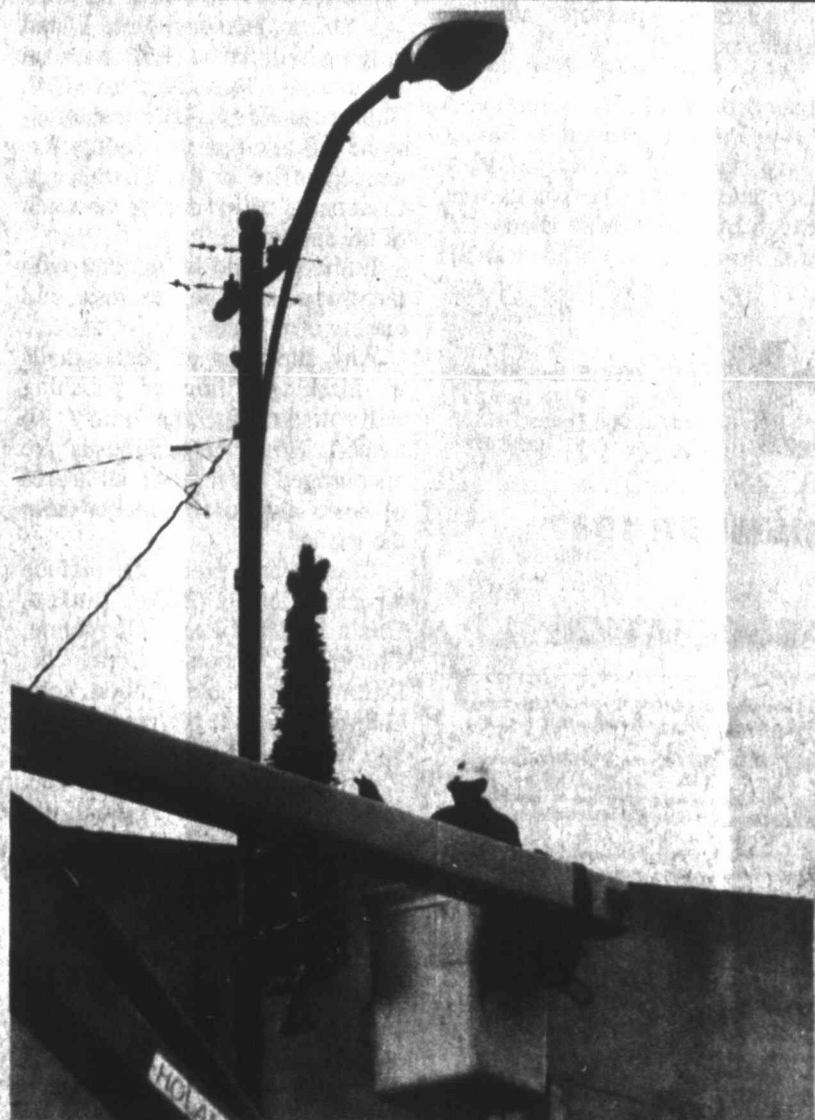
The position is currently held by Norman Amett.

Conrad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conrad of Colorado City, is a 1966 graduate of Colorado High School. He served in the U.S. Army from 1967-70 and graduated from Texas Tech University in 1973 with a bachelor of science degree in animal science. He served as deputy sheriff in Nolan County before receiving his law degree from Baylor University in 1981. He practiced law in Colorado City for two years before moving to Sweetwater.

In making his announcement, Conrad said that his previous experience as a deputy sheriff gives him "a different perspective" of law enforcement from that of most lawyers.

"I've long had an interest in serving in that capacity (as district attorney), and I decided now is the time to do it," he said.

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YULETIDE TRIMMINGS - It is beginning to look a lot like Christmas in downtown Colorado City after workers from Texas Utilities and Landmark Cable installed the festive decorations on light poles. The Christmas decorations went up Tuesday.

12th Annual Mitchell County Pecan Show slated Dec. 1-2

The 12th Annual Mitchell County Pecan Show is scheduled for Dec. 1-2 at the C.C. Thompson of City National Bank.

County Extension Agent Mike Mauldin said the show is sponsored by the Horticulture Committee of the County Program Building Committee, the Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce and the City National Bank.

All pecans entered must have been grown in 1987. Growers are limited to one entry of each improved or papershell variety. If only one entry is entered in any class, the entry will be judged with "open varieties". There is no limit on the number of seedling or

native pecans. Nuts must have been grown by the person showing them. All entries become the

property of the Mitchell County Pecan Show and will be given to

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4th Commissioner 3 aspirant

Lonnie C. Robertson, operator of Thomas Bros. Texaco Service Station here, is the fourth person to indicate his intention to seek the office of Mitchell County Commissioner, Precinct 3, in next year's elections.

He filed his campaign treasurer designation with County Clerk Joan Beach Monday. Also planning to seek the post are Roy Beach, Larry Hale, and Buford (Buz) Rich, Jr.

Others that have indicated their

intentions to seek office, thus far, include: incumbent Ed Roach, Commissioners Precinct 1; incumbent Wendell Bryant, Vince Ariaz, and David S. Ginkinger for Sheriff; and incumbent, C. C. (Mike) Burt, County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Other local offices that will be up for election in the March 8, 1988 primary are County Attorney, District Judge, District Attorney, and County and Precinct party chairmen.

For The Record...

by M. Gene Dow, GM

FROM THE SCRIPTURES—"Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him and bless his name; for the Lord is good and his love is everlasting, his constancy endures to all generations." Psalms 100:4-5

Thanksgiving Day greeting cards were as common during the late 1800's as the Christmas Card is today. The attractive cards featured Pilgrims and settlers, families gathered around a table laden with food, patriotic motifs. The star of many scenes was the turkey in full splendor complete with ruffled feathers. Other scenes often showed youngsters feeding turkeys and even riding on their backs. The sentiment on this card read, "May you always ride on the wings of prosperity." Another one read, "Health a la Wealth, Prosperity Garnished with Joys, True Love, Happiness and Long life."

Today, the telephone has replaced the mail system for this purpose and a Thanksgiving Day card is a rare item.

THE LONE WOLF SAYS, for Thanksgiving in Yesteryear:
The deep-dish pie was deeper that day,
The roasted turkey was plumper;

The afternoon was spent face-to-face
Instead of bumper-to-bumper.

A woman bought a parrot that turned out to have a gutter vocabulary. After she became aware of this, she took it back to the pet shop, where the shop owner talked her into giving it another chance.

"The next time you hear any vulgarity from this bird," he said, "put it in your freezer for a few minutes."

The woman took the parrot home again, but no sooner had she put it in its cage, the bird let out a string of four-letter words.

Into the freezer it went—for five minutes. When the woman took the parrot out of the freezer, it was subdued and stayed that way for a week. Then the vulgarities began again. This time the parrot's mistress popped it into the freezer and vowed to keep it there for 15 minutes.

As the parrot shook with the cold and ice began forming on its feathers, it looked around and was startled to see a frozen turkey that had been purchased the day before.

"Holy smoke!" said the parrot, "what the heck did you say, anyway?"

DID YOU KNOW? The town of Turkey, with 644 residents, is located in Hall County in the lower Texas Panhandle.

City police have busy week

Colorado City Police Department has been kept busy the past week.

Last Friday a 30-year-old man was arrested at The Great Western Motel for disorderly conduct, and a 26-year-old local man was picked up on DPS warrants.

CONRAD

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If elected, Conrad says he plans to maintain his private practice in Sweetwater where his office is located at 107 East Third St.

Conrad currently serves as president of the 32nd Judicial District Bar Association and is a member of the Texas Bar Association, American Bar Association, Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association and the Texas Trial Lawyers Association. He also is a member of the Sweetwater Lions Club.

He and his wife, Sharon, have two children, Jess, 10, and Alison, 6.

Saturday a 29-year-old Silver City, N.M. man was picked at 17th and Chestnut for soliciting without a permit; also a local man was taken to Mitchell County Hospital for treatment of head injuries received from a blow with a pool cue stick during a fight at the local VFW Club about 11:20 p.m. A second person involved in the fracas is still being sought.

Monday, Nov. 22, two local men, aged 23 and 30, were involved in a fight and both were charged with assault.

Tuesday, Nov. 23, two cars owned by Manuel Deloera and Janie Deloera, located in the 1000 block of Hickory were burglarized. Reported taken were a large selection of cassette tapes, two Jensen speakers and an equalizer.

Also one wreck was investigated by the Police Saturday. A 1974 GM sedan driven by Eunice Long Hamilton, 82, of Colorado City; and a 1986 Chevrolet sedan, driven by Lynn Debra Brady, 25, of Colorado City, collided at SH

208 and north IH 20 service road about 4:50 p.m.

In the accident reported a week ago in which three persons were injured, the Ford pickup driven by Timothy Wyatt Beights was stopped at a stop sign at 12th and Hickory when struck in the rear by a 1984 Mazda pick driven by Sack Allen James of Andrews, rather than vice versa as previously reported.

PECANS

From Page 1

a charitable organization. Each entry must consist of 43 nuts with the nuts to be displayed on a paper plate.

Entries will be taken between 1-3 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 1, and judging will be at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 2, at the C.C. Thompson Room. Pecans may also be left at either the County Extension office or the Chamber of Commerce office during the week of the show.

Entries should be marked with the owner's name, address, and variety of pecan.

Any alteration of pecan shells by marking, filing or polishing will disqualify the entry so treated. However, exhibitors are encouraged to remove all traces of husks and foreign matter from the shells.

Classes and premiums include Apache, Barton, Brake, Burkett, Caddo, Cherokee, Cheyenne, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Comanche, DeLmas, Desirable, Halbert, John Garner, Kincaid, Mahan, McCulley, Mohawk, Onliwon, Perique, Ranger, San Saba Improved, Schley, Shawnee, Shoshoni, Sioux, Squirrel's Delight, Stuart, Success, Tejas, Texas Prolific, Western, Wichita, in-shell known hybrids, in-shell variety seedlings, other in-shell varieties, shelling known hybrid, shelling variety seedlings, other shelling varieties, natives, smallest pecans and largest pecans.

The champion in-shell pecans, reserve champion in-shell pecans and champion native pecans will be awarded rosettes.

OIL AND GAS NEWS

Texas Oil & Gas production down

AUSTIN—Railroad Commission Chairman John Sharp announced that Texas oil and gas wells produced 454,627,494 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas in August, compared to the July gas production total of 441,821,516 Mcf. August 1987 production was

down 2.92 percent compared to August 1986 production of 468,286,923 Mcf.

Marketed gas production in August totaled 370,920,790 Mcf and reflected a 4.89 percent increase from the July volume. In August 1986, the state produced 380,287,183 Mcf of gas in this category.

Marketed gas production is the gas left after liquid hydrocarbons have been separated on the lease from the "wet" gas that is usually produced at the wellhead. It also does not include gas that is reinjected into the producing reservoir to maintain pressure, gas that is used to fuel production-related equipment on the lease site, or gas that is otherwise not marketed.

Exports of Texas-produced gas in August totaled 112,333,612 Mcf and reflected a 8.15 percent decrease from July. August 1986 exports of Texas-produced gas totaled 144,089,162 Mcf.

The state's top producing counties, rank ordered by preliminary August production were: Zapata, 24,447,222 Mcf; Webb, 23,174,605 Mcf; Hidalgo, 18,590,310 Mcf; Pecos, 17,694,248 Mcf; Panola, 9,465,587 Mcf; Live Oak, 7,709,965 Mcf; Hemphill, 7,697,248 Mcf; Brazoria, 6,333,768 Mcf; Kleberg, 5,934,790 Mcf; and Henderson, 5,626,925 Mcf.

Texas gas production in August came from 195,914 oil wells and 45,564 gas wells.

Oil production stays at 100%

CORPUS CHRISTI—The Railroad Commission has continued the Texas oil production rate for December 1987 at 100 percent of market demand.

Chairman John Sharp and Commissioners James E. (Jim) Nugent and Kent Hance continued the top production allowable after reviewing oil companies' nominations to buy a total of 2,023,041 barrels of Texas oil

per day. The December nomination total, an increase of 6,536 barrels daily when compared to November purchaser nominations, indicates market demand. December 1986 nominations totaled 2,064,566 barrels daily.

The commission first went to the ceiling level for oil production in April 1972. It applies to all fields in the state except those that are assigned lower legal rates of production so that reservoir pressures will not be depleted before the maximum amount of oil has been recovered.

Chairman Sharp also reported that December nominations for the purchase of Texas gas totaled 21,578,844 Mcf/d (thousand cubic feet per day). November nominations totaled 20,975,844 Mcf/d. December 1986 nominations amounted to 21,704,422 Mcf/d.

The next statewide oil and gas production allowable hearing will begin at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, December 16 at the Railroad Commission in the William B. Travis Building, 1701 N. Congress, in Austin.

Major purchasers filed these December nominations from the floor at the hearing: Amoco Production Company, 183,000 barrels daily, up 500; Conoco, Inc., 72,800 barrels, up 1,400; Exxon Company, U.S.A., 200,000, down 1,000; Mobil Oil Corporation, 145,000, down 1,000; Phillips 66 Company, 77,200, down 700; and Unocal Corp., 27,500, unchanged.

Significant changes in December nominations, when compared to November totals, were filed by these other companies: Arco Oil & Gas Company, 71,995 barrels daily, up 1,340; Koch Oil Company, 165,000, up 5,000; and Tesoro Crude Oil Company, 28,263, up 1,038.

Chairman Sharp reported that crude oil and petroleum products imported into the U.S. averaged 6,774,000 barrels per day for the four week period ending Oct. 30, 1987, an increase of 643,000 barrels per day from the same period a year ago.

The best of show and reserve best of show will each be awarded banners.

Classes will be judged on size, color and appearance, shell thickness, cracking quality, kernel quality, attractiveness and other factors, said Mauldin.

Man indicted here 4 years ago arrested

A man who was indicted by a Mitchell County grand jury more than four years ago on a charge of theft has been arrested in Oklahoma City, Sheriff Wendell Bryant has reported.

Larry Allen, 41, who also used the name, Larry Vogel, was arrested Nov. 5, by the Oklahoma City Police Department on a warrant which was issued after his local indictment on November 30, 1984.

He is accused of manipulating a small savings account at City National Bank and absconding with approximately \$1,400, then disappeared.

Sheriff Bryant said they are now starting Governor Warrant proceeding to extradite Allen back to Mitchell County for prosecution on the charge.



Santa letters welcomed

Hey kids!

Christmas is fast approaching and Santa Claus is waiting to hear what you want to see under the tree on Christmas morning. If you haven't written your letter yet, it's not too late - just send it to us here at the Record and we'll forward it on to the Northpole. Also, we'll be printing the letters in our annual Christmas edition.

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Westbrook Wanderings

...by Ruby Claxton



Mrs. Waunda Sanders of Andrews is visiting her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Whitesides and Zack.

Several ladies from the First Baptist Church attended the book review on "Korea" presented by the First Baptist Church in Colorado City Tuesday night.

A supper of oriental food was furnished by the host church.

Ladies attending were Peggy Manning, Lucile Stone, Ruth Buchanan, Ethel Clawson, Blanche Bell, Ruby Claxton, Bessie Shaw, Marlena Rice and Nell Rollins.

Mrs. Phyllis Tucker and son of Ozona visited Mrs. Alva Ruth Hollis Tuesday afternoon and also spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Conaway and Laura Beth.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ward and April of Abilene spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hollis. They all were in Lamesa Satur-

day and Sunday for Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herndon.

Men's Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church met Thursday night, November 19 at the church.

Bob Hayes was the guest speaker.

During the business meeting the following officers were elected for the coming year. Gerald Rollins, president; Keith Williamson, vice president; John Manning, secretary; and Steve Rollins, treasurer.

Those present were Tom Stone, Raymond Rabb, Quan Bryant, Charlie Ranne, Wayne Pierce, John Manning, Steve Rollins, Johnnie Shackelford, Bro. Bob Manning, Bob Hayes, Keith Williamson and Gerald Rollins.

Cookies and soft drinks were served.

Mrs. Laverta Halsey of Canadian and Mrs. Emily Meier of Logan, Oklahoma is spending Thanksgiving with Mrs. Julia Moore.

Retired federal employees meet

The Rollings Plains Chapter No. 701 of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees met in regular session for business and fellowship.

Charles Reeves, president, brought out points on health insurance benefits as well as the unified dues system which becomes effective Jan. 1.

Mildred Shackelford gave a report her serving as citizens advocate for state inspection of the Holiday Retirement Home.

Officers were re-elected for another year.

The next meeting will be Dec. 9 at K-Bob's in Sweetwater. All retired federal employees are invited to attend.

Among those in attendance was Margaret Brame of Loraine.

THANKSGIVING COOKING - Kindergarten students of Bebe Colaw at Kelley Elementary School Monday gather around the table as she distributes cranberries. The class prepared a variety of traditional Thanksgiving foods including dressing in anticipation of the holiday.

There's still time to order your personalized Christmas Cards at PLAGENS PRINTING & OFFICE SUPPLY

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Research data is presented

Dr. E.W. Stokes of Sterling County presented research data on "Abdominal Pain and the Findings of Out-Patient Upper Endoscopy: Does Age Make a Difference?" to the gastroenterology section of the annual meeting of the Southern Medical Association.

The meeting, held in San Antonio Nov. 1-4, attracted physicians from throughout the United States including nationally and internationally known gastroenterologists.

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted

November 20

John Baldwin, Fort Worth, medical; O. N. Laster, Hermleigh, medical; Elia Aguilar, City, medical; Raymond Molina Jr., City, medical; Darlene Hudgins, City, medical.

November 21

Grace E. Moore, City, medical; Maurine H. Oaks, City, medical; Tom Frison Jr., Midland, medical; Max Bryan, City, medical.

November 22

Leonard Henderson, City, medical; Max Bryan, City, medical; Shane McCartney, Loraine, medical.

November 23

James Richmond, City, medical.

Patients Dismissed

November 20

Thomas Goss II, City, medical; Myrtle Callaway, City, medical.

November 21

Elia Aguilar, City, medical; Mary Johnson, Snyder, surgical.

November 22

Maurine H. Oaks, City, medical.

November 23

Douglas Barber, Westbrook, medical; Nancy Harrison, City, medical; Shane McCartney, Loraine, medical; Darlene Hudgins, City, medical.

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Local turkey winners listed

Twenty four turkeys were given away Monday in Thanksgiving drawings sponsored by Colorado City merchants and Radio Station KVMC/KAUM.

Lucky winners of the turkeys from each of the merchants were as follows:

Martha Holstein, Colorado City; Rockwell Bros.
Mike Mauldin, Colorado City; Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber.
Barbara Westbrook, Colorado City; Sears.
Elbert Spann, Colorado City; Tumbleweed Furniture.
Richy Womack, Colorado

City; C. C. Fashions.
Elizabeth Riggins, Snyder; B&J Liquor Store.
Bea Hale, Colorado City; Hutchins Ford.
Margaret Lipps, Colorado City; Free's Fashions.
Mary Ellis, Colorado City; Gene's TV & Satellite.
Katy Morris, Colorado City; Eddie's Pharmacy.
Zilpha Holdren, Snyder; Panda Patch.
Jessie Crowson, Colorado City; Oxford Square.
Elva Smith, Loraine; First State Bank, Loraine.
Sharon Smith, Colorado City;

Wood's Boots.
Mrs. Ross Hargrove, Colorado City; The Nut House.
Michael McGuire, Colorado City; Fort Foto.
Vince Ariaz, Colorado City; First National Bank.
Yvonne Martin, Snyder; Cee Jay's.
Mary Heredia, Colorado City; Ramage Appliance.
Delia Franco, Colorado City; C. C. Athletics.
Josie Lara, Colorado City; City National Bank.
J. D. Harris, Colorado City; Perkins.
Dale McCombs, Colorado City; Ratliff Insurance.
Boone Campos, Colorado City; Joe Weaver Chevrolet.



RIBBON CUTTING - Gerald McGaha, owner, cuts the ribbon marking the grand opening of Sun Country Medical, 2135 Hickory, Suite D, as family and friends and members of the Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors look on. The ribbon cutting was held Saturday, Nov. 21.

Relatives, friends visit over weekend

Helen Boyce of Midland, Beulah Cox of Colorado City and Joan Merket visited with relatives and friends in Clifton and Waco over the weekend.

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RECORD

'Ark-Angels' sought for project

Noah Project, the Snyder shelter for families whose lives have been disrupted by violence in the home, has announced plans for an "Ark-Angels" fund raising campaign to culminate prior to Christmas.

Services are provided to battered women and children, abused children, the elderly, or any victim of family violence in Scurry, Nolan, Mitchell, Fisher and Kent counties.

To become an Ark-Angel, the Noah Project advisory committee is asking for pledges of support. Those who contribute will be honored at an event on Sunday, Dec. 6, from 1:30-3 p.m. in the student center on the campus of Western Texas College.

Each Ark-Angel who gives a \$25 or more donation will be recognized and will receive a commemorative token of appreciation. Reservations for the event may be made by sending tax-deductible donations to P.O. Box 425, Snyder, by Dec. 3.

The Noah Project provides shelter (up to six weeks) where victims may live in safety, emotionally, as well as physically.

The Noah Project provides a supportive atmosphere where victims may re-think their lives and plan for a more positive future. Other service activities include a 24-hour crisis hotline (573-1822), provision of food and clothing, medical assistance, counseling, legal help and advocacy, employment and day care referrals.

The Noah Project is entering its

fourth year of operation in Snyder. Since Jan. 1, 1987, shelter-based services have been provided to 80 families (159 children). These service statistics reflect a 40 percent increase over the number of families helped during this same period last year.

Noah Project Advisory Committee members include Marsha

Krenak, chairman, Evelyn Davies, vice chairman, Pam Zeck, secretary, Keith Collier, treasurer, Gussie Gray, Billie Brice, Maxie Cain, Bobby Sparks, Deanie Mills, Carl Dillaha, M.D., Jeana Duke, Kenny Ballinger, Yvette Sickler, Keith Hackfeld, Jim Kelley, Jodie Grisham and Steve Warren.

Obituaries

Moates

Olive Warner Moates, 67, of Montgomery died Nov. 14 in Conroe.

Memorial services were Tuesday, Nov. 17, at 3 p.m. in the April Sound Interdenominational Church with Down Johnson officiating.

Mrs. Moates was born Feb. 4, 1920 in Laredo. She was a graduate of Colorado High School. She was a member of April Sound Church and Lake Conroe Ladies Auxiliary.

Survivors include her husband, Gilliam C. Moates of Montgomery; a daughter and son-in-law, Ruth Ann and Pat Myers; a sister, Mildred Fuller of Colorado City; a grandchild, Carra Kiener; and two great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Building Fund of April Sound Church of your favorite charity.

Hale

Sam B. Hale, 94, of Colorado City died Monday, Nov. 23, at Mitchell County Hospital.

Graveside services were Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Colorado City Cemetery with Foy Forehand officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. hale was born Feb. 20, 1893. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Church of Christ. He married Alma Walker Sept. 22, 1912 in Seven Wells while sitting in a buggy. She preceded him in death July 6, 1983.

Survivors include three nieces, Josie Feaster of Colorado City, Dorothy Daves of Austin and Juanita Young of Rotan; and three nephews, John Morgan Hale of Big Spring, Joe Worth Hale of Tow and Arl D. Berry of Midland.

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GROUP PICTURE - Kindergarten students of Mrs. Betty Gorham, standing at left, are all smiles Friday afternoon as they prepared for a birthday party to honor Mrs. Gorham and six of the students. The students with birthdays included front row, from left, Candy Cain, Raymond Gonzales, Christopher Castro, Temple Ann Latimer, Michelle Guelker and Jennifer Petty.

Crop, livestock reports being compiled by service

AUSTIN - Texas pioneers used to brag that "other states were carved or born, but Texas grew from hide and horn". They saying is fairly accurate, because in the minds and hearts of many - Texas is cattle country.

But what's been happening to cattle country lately? In fact, the entire picture of Texas agriculture has undergone some drastic changes over the past few years, and just where producers go from here is anybody's guess.

To help bring this picture into focus, the Texas Agriculture Statistics Service will begin contacting farmers and ranchers across the state in late November for 1987 acreage, yield and production totals and end-of-year livestock and poultry inventories.

The confidential interviews conducted by mail, telephone or in person by field enumerators provide information used by producers to make their plans for the coming year.

"A sound marketing plan requires good, reliable information and some advanced planning. Information from our reports provides producers with solid facts and figures they can incorporate into their marketing plans for the coming year," state statistician Dennis Findley reported.

The Texas service will be trying to keep survey costs at a minimum this year because of budget cuts made by the Texas Legislature, so Findley is urging producers to return their mailed questionnaires as soon as possible.

"Despite these cuts, we still plan to do our best to provide Texas farmers and ranchers with accurate, unbiased information they can use in making their day-to-day production and marketing plans," Findley added.

Funds OK'd for project

WASHINGTON--A total of \$35 million has been earmarked for the Superconducting Super Collider (SSC) as part of the Energy and Water Development Appropriations bill approved by the Senate, U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm has reported.

These funds are to be spent to continue the SSC research and development program and site selection studies.

"Four Texas bids for the Super-collider project are pending with the Department of Energy, two state-sponsored bids for sites in the Panhandle and the Ellis County area and two independent bids for sites in the Midland-Odessa and El Paso areas," Gramm noted.

"This action marks a continuation of research funding for the Supercollider program, which will grow into a multi-billion-dollar investment," the senator said.

Gramm also noted that Texans gave the SSC project their stamp of approval by approving Proposition 19, a bond issue that will provide key support the state bids.

Businesses should be collecting new sales tax

AUSTIN - State Comptroller Bob Bullock today reminded information and credit reporting businesses that they should be collecting the new sales tax on services now.

"Anyone who's not sure if they should be charging the new sales tax ought to give us a call," Bullock said, adding "we've got guidelines about who should be collecting it."

Examples of taxable information services include newsletters and mailing lists; scouting reports and surveys; financial market reports; data retrieval and research (such as stock quotations and court cases); newsclipping services and wire reports; and multiple listing services.

Some services that are not taxable are polygraph testing, account balance information, seminars and information sold to a newspaper, radio or television station.

Any business relaying a credit report by telephone, in writing or by computer should be charging sales tax for that service, Bullock said.

Credit reporting businesses should also know that sales tax applies to some out-of-state customers. If an out-of-state customer who does business in Texas requests a credit report on someone applying for credit in Texas, then tax is due on the service.

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Plan ahead for holiday spending

COLLEGE STATION--As the number of shopping days until Christmas decreases, it's easy to run out of money, as well as time. "Christmas is the biggest spending season of the year, yet few families plan ahead for the added burden on their income," says Bonnie Piernot, a family economics specialist. "A common strategy is to resort to credit spending for holiday expenses, although that may just postpone the financial problem until after the first of the year."

But it's not too late to evaluate your financial situation and gain some control over holiday spending, according to the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economist. "Figure out the amount of money you have available for

holiday expenses, including money from paychecks you will receive between now and Christmas," she advises. "Then estimate your remaining expenses, including holiday food and entertaining, cards, decorations, party clothes, gifts and other costs."

If your estimated costs exceed available funds, Piernot suggests enlisting the entire family's help in curbing costs. Some options include establishing dollar limits for entertainment, clothing and

holiday foods. Since gifts are a major expense, she also advises setting dollar limits for each gift, making gifts and giving services, limiting gifts to certain members of the family or exchanging names to reduce the number of gifts.

"Once you know what gifts you plan to buy, go shopping with a list," says the specialist. "That will allow you to comparison shop for items at a specific amount and will reduce impulse buying."

"If you decide to use your credit cards, set limits on how much you'll charge, and keep track of credit purchases so you won't run up large bills that are difficult to pay off in a reasonable amount of time," cautions Piernot.

"Remember too, that the finance charges on any unpaid charge card balances will actually add to the cost of your gifts."

The home economists suggest keeping accurate records of all holiday expenses this year, so you'll have a good estimate of expenses for planning ahead next year.

Dear

Betty Crocker

Q. What's the secret to chewy cookies?

A. Most cookies have similar basic ingredients, but the proportions of ingredients and the method result in a dizzying array of cookie choices. Cookies are higher in sugar and especially cookies made with honey and molasses tend to be chewier.

Q. How can cookies be stored so that the crisp ones stay crisp and the soft ones stay soft?

A. Store crisp ones in a container with a loose-fitting lid. Cake-like cookies can be kept in containers with tight-fitting lids. Either kind can be frozen, sealed in moistureproof, vaporproof wrap, for three to four months.

Q. What's the best way to wrap cookies for holiday mailing?

A. Start with plain or lightly glazed bars or sturdy drop cookies. Wrap pairs in plastic wrap and arrange in a can, carton or other strong container. Pad the top with crushed paper and pack containers in cartons. Pad the containers from each other and from the side of the carton. Secure carton with strapping tape and wrap with heavy paper.

Q. The same candy recipe is completely different on a rainy day than on a dry sunny day. Why is this?

A. Heat, humidity and altitude each affect candy. A cool, dry day is optimum. When conditions outside are damp, cook candy to a temperature a degree or so higher than the recipe directs.

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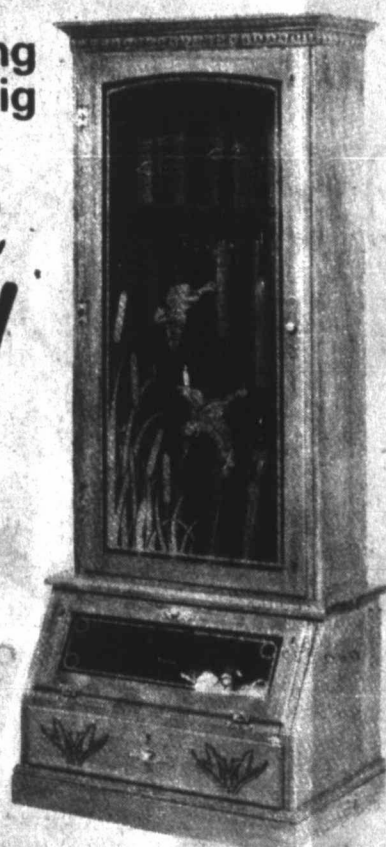
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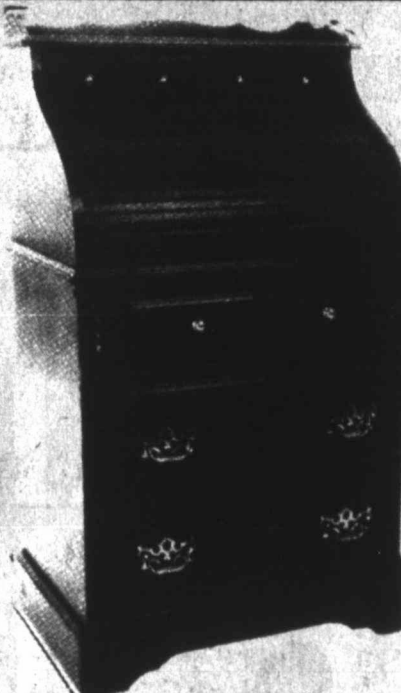


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Tender venison easy to prepare

COLLEGE STATION--If the venison's tough, don't blame the cook. It could be due to what the hunter did -- or didn't do -- in the field, says a wildlife specialist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

"In addition to the age and sex of the animal, hunting and field dressing practices are extremely important in determining the quality of venison," says Don Steinbach.

"An undisturbed animal which is cleanly shot will yield more tender meat than a stressed animal. Field dressing the carcass as soon as possible and letting it hang for a full 48-hours will also increase tenderness by allowing muscles to stretch."

He adds that aging the carcass in cold storage just above freezing for about a week will add to the tenderness and possibly the flavor of the venison.

According to TAEX home economist Marilyn Haggard, the key to preparing tender venison is to cook it as you would lean beef.

"Most game has little fat and so is very similar to lean beef. The naturally more tender cuts, such as the loin and rib can be pan fried or roasted. But round steak, meat from the leg and the less tender cuts are best when cooked by braising, stewing or pot roasting," she says.

Haggard cautions against overcooking game meat. "It has short fibers that toughen quickly if overcooked or cooked at too high a temperature. Plan to serve it medium - to well-done rather than rare or overcooked."

Marinating venison for stir-fry, or fajitas and before pan-frying or roasting will also make it more tender. She advises marinating the meat in an acid-based sauce for at least 24 hours.

"If you use a sauce with the venison, reduce the amount of sugar in the recipe. The natural flavor is sweeter than other meat, so sauces made for domestic meats may be too sweet," notes the home economist.

Haggard also recommends removing all visible fat before cooking, since it will exaggerate the gamey flavor. If some fat is required, ground pork or beef fat can be substituted.

"Some people like to add chunks of beef fat or bacon to self-baste and moisten venison as it roasts," she says. "If you're trying to cut back on your intake of fat, however, you'll be better off sticking to low-fat cooking methods such as marinating and stir-frying the meat."

Both specialists agree that venison has an undeserved reputation for toughness. Yet, in a recent research study using taste panels, Texas A&M University graduate student Dan Moczygemba found that venison was rated as tender as lean beef and only slightly less tender than lean pork.

When the beef, pork and venison were compared for fat and cholesterol levels, Moczygemba says preliminary analyses indicated no significant differences.

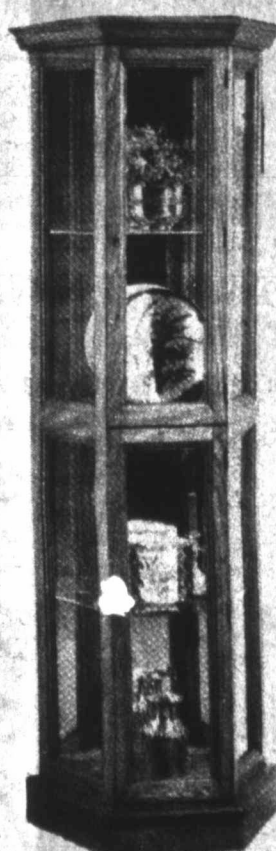


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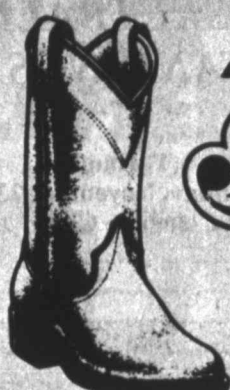
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Sports

Lady Wolves chill Blizzards

Colorado High School's varsity girls basketball team is only two games into the 1987 season but has already matched the number of wins posted by last year's squad.

The Lady Wolves overcame a first half deficit here at "The Pit" Friday night to beat the Winters Blizzards 56-48. The win improved the Lady Wolves to 1-1. Last year the Lady Wolves beat only San Angelo Central's junior varsity.

Three players scored in double figures for the Lady Wolves, who begin district 5AAA play by hosting Sonora Tuesday. Jennifer Monroe and Monica Hamilton scored 16 points and adding 12 was Denise Lowrance.

J. Monroe scored 7 of her 16 points during the first quarter which ended with the Blizzards leading 14-11. Providing the offensive spark for the Lady

Wolves during second period play was Hamilton.

Hamilton came off the bench to score 12 points in the period to keep the Lady Wolves within three points at halftime, 29-26.

Colorado City's defense held Winters to 6 points in the third period while the Lady Wolves scored 14 to take a 40-35 lead.

Lowrance scored 8 points in the third period. The Lady Wolves kept Winters at bay in the fourth period by outscoring the Blizzards 16-13.

"We didn't play exceptionally well but we played good enough to win," said head girls coach Wayne Alexander. "We went to a zone. It's not quite as hard to pick up. We did a little better on the boards and on defense. We made them shoot from outside."

"I'm still looking for the right people to get on the floor," said Alexander. "I'm looking at a lot

of people. We're improving. They're starting to adapt to may system and they're hustling. That's good. They're showing want to play. We got good scoring from three or four players and that's a lot tougher to stop than just one."

"If I can get everybody to pitch in we can at least be competitive," said Alexander. "If we hustle we're going to be able to play with almost everybody if we can continue to improve. We made a lot of mistakes but they're starting to get an idea of what's going on."

Also scoring for the Lady Wolves were Carla Hammond 4, Michelle Combs 4, Brittany Bridgford 2 and Lisa Lamb 2.

Sonya Belk and Tracey Grantham led Winters with 18 and 13 points, respectively.

Lowrance and Lamb had 13 and 6 rebounds for the Lady Wolves. Hammond had a team high 6 assists. Colorado City committed 22 turnovers.

The Lady Wolves made 23 of 73 goal attempts for 31.5 percent shooting. The Wolves made 10 of 23 free throws for 43.4 percent. Colorado City was called for 21

fouls while Winters was whistled for 19 infractions. Winters made 14 of 25 free throws.

Winters won the junior varsity game 42-36. Scoring for the Wolves were Amy Chitsey 13, Kendra Ritchey 8, Stacy Miles 5, JoAnn Ornelas 4, Melissa Rivera 4 and Mendi Conner 2.

Lisa Farsias led Winters with 16 points.

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YOUNG HUNTER'S FIRST DEER...Donnie Wood(left), a seventh grader at Colorado Middle School, bagged his first deer recently during the first day of deer season. Wood bagged a doe and a 4 point buck. At right is father Charles Wood.

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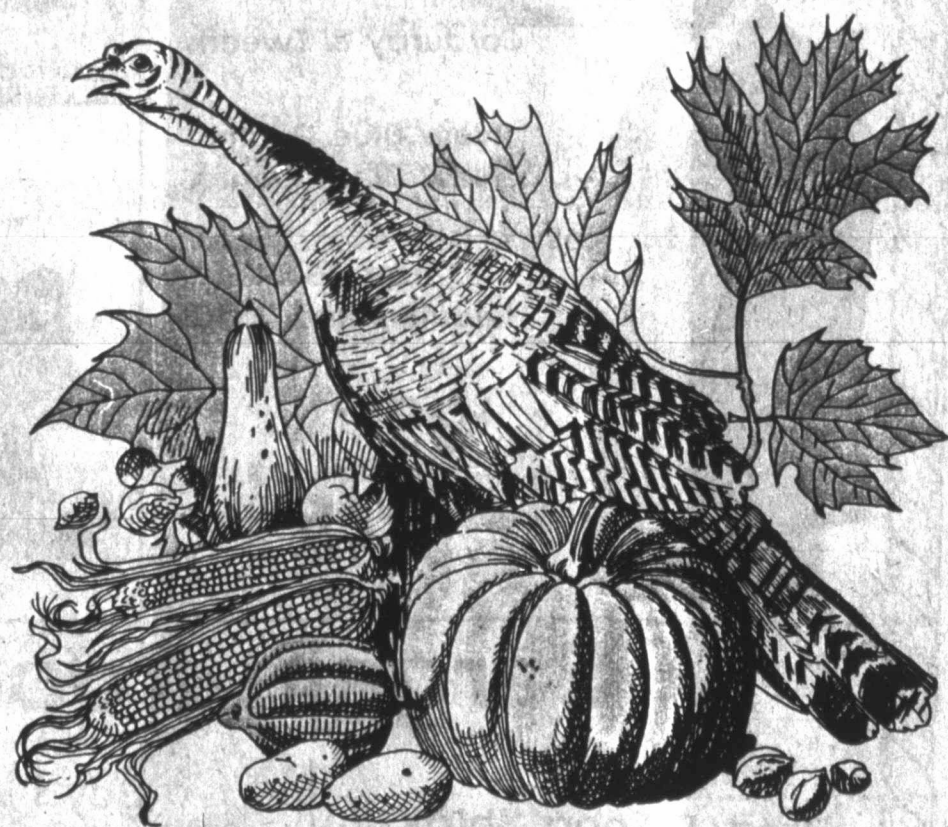
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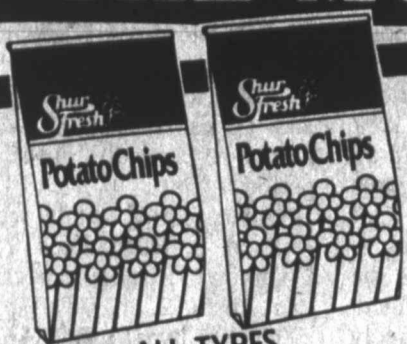
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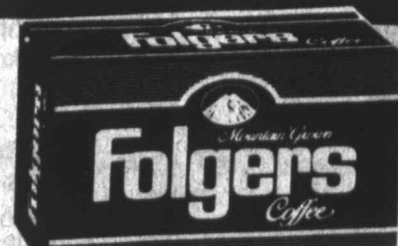
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Sports

Colorado City slams Winters

Slam dunks and three point goals were unveiled by the Colorado City Wolves Friday night as they opened the 1987 basketball season with a 78-59 win over the Winters Blizzards here at "The Pit."

The Wolves led from start to finish. The final margin was the biggest lead the Wolves mounted. Colorado City substituted freely throughout the contest.

Senior Ken Woods, who delighted the fans with a break-away slam dunk, led the Wolves with 14 points and 9 rebounds. Also scoring in double figures were Dane Hoover 12, Chris Perkin 10 and Pat Ridge 10.

Ridge led the Wolves during the first quarter with 6 points. The Wolves led 19-13 after one period then broke the contest open with 25 second period points for a 44-33 lead.

Hoover led Colorado City with 6 second period points after scoring two points in the first period. Hoover got his first 8 points on perfect 8 of 8 shooting from the free throw line.

The University Interscholastic League added a three-point shot for high school basketball this season and the Wolves' Ridge and Mark Russell to advantage of it with back-to-back three pointers.

Ismael Silva and Perkin scored 4 points in the third quarter. The

Wolves added two points to their lead during third quarter play for a 63-50 score. Woods, Hoover and Perkin scored 5, 4 and 4 points, respectively, in the fourth period.

Other scoring totals were D. Jackson 8, Beau Rees 7, Guy Compton 6, Russell 5, Silva 4 and Paul Ausbie 2.

The Wolves made 46 total rebounds. Adding to Woods' 9 were Ausbie 7, Jackson, Hoover and Compton 6 and Rees 5.

The Wolves made 41 fast break points. Woods led in defensive grading while Silva and Compton made 3 assists. The Wolves committed 33 turnovers.

Colorado City made 29 of 66 field goal attempts for 45 percent while making 18 of 35 free throws for 52 percent. Winters made 20 goals and 19 of 36 free throws. The Wolves were called for 27 fouls to 26 for the Blizzards.

Wayne Poehls led the visitors with 15 points and James Self added 14.

The junior varsity Wolves travelled to Midland Friday where they lost to the Midland High Bulldogs 102-40.

Scoring for the Wolves were Bubba Bailey 12, George Rivera 8, Dennis Smith 6, Heath Watlington 5, Tracy Ausbie 4, Mark Alvidrez 3 and Tracy McElvany 2.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

Friday, November 20		Dawson 18 32 46 59	
Westbrook		Girls 4 14 23 28	
Garden City 13 25 35 53	Boys 10 24 37 49	Bulldogs: Jolinda Troutt 10,	Michelle Garcia 9, Cheryl Alvarez 6, Terry Munoz 2 and Leticia Garcia 1.
Wildcats: Marty Browne 12, Clayton Cannon 10, Wayne Carter 10, Neal Ginkinger 6, Ramiro Fuentes 5, Scooter Hines 3 and Jason Morris 3.	Garden City: Jessie Lopez 15.	Monday, November 23	
Garden City 13 24 40 57	Girls 16 24 36 48	Westbrook	
Wildcats: Katie Walls 4, Veronica Lopez 6, Elizabeth Wright 4, Crystal Kelly 11, Shanna Burnett 3, Glenda Wallace 3, Lisa Putman 2, Sherry Putman 13 and Jeran Ware 2.	Garden City: Becky Pinkard 17, Dana Hillger 16, Mary Schaefer 11.	Junior high boys 44	Blackwell 40
JV boys 83	Garden City 38	Wildcats: Doug Koch 30, Kendal Beasley 4, Randal Petty 3, Chris Majors 3, Gary Ginkinger 2 and Billie Joe Robinette 2.	Blackwell: C. Escobar 12.
Wildcats: David Botts 18, Jason Morris 17, Spencer Cannon 17, Francisco Rincones 10, Chad Casey 6, Luis Aguinaga 5, David Hines 4, Felix Vigil 4 and Callon Turnage 2.	Garden City: Darren Jost 10.	Blackwell 30	Junior high girls 18
Loraine		Wildcats: Angie Morris 10, Sheila Cates 1, Stephanie Matlock 4 and Angie Martinez 3.	Blackwell: T. Hindman 13.
Boys 19 25 36 54	Dawson 15 29 41 51	Loraine	
Bulldogs: Shawn Finley 24, Luis Leija 17, Quentin Merket 8, Rudy Sanchez 4 and Casey Cooper 1.	Dawson: V. Cruz 13 and D. De La Rosa 10.	Junior high girls 31	Rule 18
		Bulldogs: Michi Atkins 23, Cristina Lopez 6, Joanna Gonzales 1 and Natasha Atkins 1.	Rule: Williams 10.
		Rule 59	Junior high boys 21
		Bulldogs: David Madrid 5, Chris Phillips 4, Clayton Lee 2, Donnie Vallery 8 and Steve Gutierrez 2.	

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Mrs. Bessie hosted the N.T.E.H.A. Club for ing on Wednesday at 2:30 p.m.

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Loraine News

Slide show highlights meeting

Mrs. Bessie Ann Vaughn hosted the North Loraine T.E.H.A. Club for a regular meeting on Wednesday, November 18 at 2:30 p.m.

Program for the day was a presentation of slides by Libbi Garnett, the Extension Agent. The slides were taken by Ms. Garnett while she lived in Italy for six months after her graduation from Texas Tech.

The slides plus her comments reflected the historical background and culture of the Italian people from the Northern border

of the country to the Southern tip. She lived with eight different "adoptive" families accounting for the diverse coverage in the slides. She spent three weeks with each family. It was a very interesting program. Irene Graham was also present for the program.

Roll call was answered with "Something I enjoy doing." For recreation two club members, Veida Gage and Bessie Ann Vaughn acted out a skit "Please pass the butter," as a follow up on a recent health program.

During the business, the club

voted to change the club meeting time from 2:30 to 2 p.m. Assignments were also made on the food to be furnished at the annual T.E.H.A. Christmas luncheon on December 10. The club voted to have their local Christmas party on December 17 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gage.

Mrs. Vaughn served refreshments to the following members: Mmes. Veida Gage, Jimmie Jacks, Billie Schroeder, Eva Wells, Margaret Brame, Ruth Holman and Effie Wheeler.

Loraine Personals

...by Lela Lucas

Joe and Lois Price of Lubbock visited his aunt, Mrs. Nannie Hallmark in the Loraine Nursing Home.

Mrs. Bernice Hallmark made a short trip home on the weekend

and returned to Houston where she is undergoing treatment at M. D. Anderson.

Jenny Hallmark will accompany her grandson to Odessa where she will spend the holiday with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg visited in the home of a friend, Mrs. Alma Coonrod in Odessa Saturday afternoon.

Earnest and Audrey Mitchell of Purdon visited their aunt, Mrs. Nannie Hallmark in the Loraine Nursing Home Saturday.

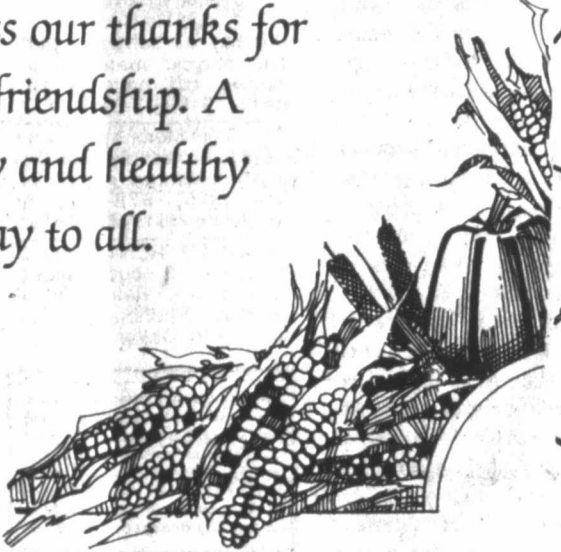
Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bryant of Big Spring visited his mother, Mrs. Eldie Bryant last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Richburg of Lubbock spent the weekend in the home of his father, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Redmon and family of Odessa visited her grandmother, Mrs. Eldie Bryant last week and Mrs. Johnny Bryant of Mansfield visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. Eldie Bryant.

Thanksgiving

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Q. Today I heard about a new drug that will lower cholesterol. I think it is called Lovastatin. If I have a high blood cholesterol level, should I ask my doctor about using the new drug?

A. The level of blood cholesterol in the blood, which may be considered high, varies with age. For a young person, a cholesterol level over 200 may be high. For an elderly individual, over 260 is considered high. If your blood cholesterol level is high, and you have not been able to reduce the level satisfactorily by reducing the fat and cholesterol in your diet, then you should ask your doctor about using drugs to control blood cholesterol. Lovastatin, a new drug approved by the Federal Drug Administration in Sept. 1987, should offer some significant advantages to

lower cholesterol levels, including an increased effectiveness when compared to older drugs.

Q. I'm a 31-year-old woman, and although I feel I am attractive, I've always felt my breasts were too large. What are my options for breast reduction?

A. The only medically effective way to reduce the size of your breasts is thorough breast reduction mammoplasty. This procedure involves surgical removal of breast tissue, fatty tissue and overlying skin. If a woman is overweight and has very large breasts, she should first try to lose weight to reduce breast size without surgery. If weight loss is ineffective, then surgery may be indicated. Reduction mammoplasty is usually performed by a plastic surgeon.

Activities scheduled

While much of the country is preparing to button up for winter, Texans are planning fairs, festivals and fiestas for the coming months.

The brand-new Texas Events Calendar, just issued by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, shows how Texans plan to enjoy the cool months ahead.

Spanning the winter months of December, January and February, the Calendar includes a variety of holiday celebrations in December: from majestic performances of "The Messiah" to fun visits from Santa Claus. And even Santa's visits are typically Texan.

In Gruene, Santa arrives on horseback; by boat in Corpus Christi; on a Coast Guard cutter in Port Aransas and in a sleigh pulled by Texas Longhorns in Goliad. Santa brings his elves to Farmers Branch and Brady, goes on hayrides with the young folks in Denton, and brings his sleigh and reindeer to Mount Vernon.

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GREETINGS:
You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 7th day of December, A.D., 1987, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 32nd District Court of Mitchell County, at the Court House in Colorado City, Texas. Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 23rd day of October, 1987, the file number of said suit being No. 11,389. The names of the parties in said suit are:

GRAND BANKS ENERGY COMPANY, as Plaintiff, and ANDREW BATTLE HOLMES, as Defendant.
The nature of said suit being substantial, as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff prays for the appointment of a receiver to execute an assignment of Defendant's leasehold interest in and to the following described property pursuant to Section 64 of the Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code:

E/2 of Lot 12 of the C. A. O'Keefe Subdivision of the J.P. Smith Survey (also known as the George J. Reiger Survey) being 93.8 acres of land, only as to rights down to and including a depth 3,000' below the surface.

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AUTOMOTIVE

Rural medical revolution possible

By Lloyd Bentsen
United States Senator

From Sierra Blanca, population 758, it's a 35-mile drive down Interstate 10 to Van Horn, site of the nearest hospital. It has 35 beds. Those needing more specialized care must drive 75 miles in the other direction, to El Paso.

This is a situation that's found in many rural areas of Texas. If you want specialized health care—sometimes even basic health care—you have to get in the car and drive to the nearest city.

However, innovations in computer and satellite technology at the Texas Tech Medical School could make things easier.

Imagine a pathologist, at work in one city, but able to look at a microscopic piece of tissue and make a diagnosis—via satellite—for a patient in a distant county.

Or, your doctor thinks you may need a very difficult operation. To help determine whether it's necessary, he consults with a renowned heart surgeon, gets his counsel and advice as they sit miles apart and talk with each other.

While some of these scenes are still on the horizon—in the developmental stages—Texas Tech researchers already are moving computer link-ups into the operational stages.

These computer link-ups will bring to many doctors in small towns the advantages of the education and the training of the medical school's specialists in various lines of medicine. Satellite connections will improve on that.

The Texas Tech program builds on an earlier project,

funded by the Kellogg Foundation and AT&T, that provided computer services to small hospitals in Morton and Muleshoe and to a nursing home in Morton. In a project that shows the urban uses of this technology, the Texas Tech researchers also are installing a computer hookup between Lubbock and some areas of El Paso.

To make it easier to advance this technology, I am working on legislation that would set aside some of the money in the Medicare medical education fund. Perhaps we also can change some of the Medicare reimbursement arrangements to cover the cost of consultative services.

These innovations also could help resolve some of the problems that have accompanied Peer Review Organization (PROs) recommendations that some doctors, because of some of their methods, not be allowed to bill Medicare for treating patients. Many of the doctors recommended for these sanctions practice in remote, rural areas, and at least some of them have lacked access to the latest medical advances.

I'm excited about these innovations, which allow doctors to consult more easily with specialists during each stage of treatment, faster examinations of tissue and blood samples, and may ultimately permit rural doctors to sit in their offices and—through a satellite hookup—have "face to face" consultations with specialists or teaching physicians.

With these new computer and satellite hookups, we are looking at a medical revolution for rural areas. It means better medical care in rural areas and less driving, and I want to speed the progress along.

Highway research pays safety dividends

The English call such things "roadside furniture." Texans prefer "highway safety devices."

Few people realize that a lot of thought and effort go into the design of such seemingly mundane things as sign and lighting supports, guardrail systems, and supports for rural mailboxes along Texas roadsides.

Texas, through efforts by its highway department and cooperating state universities, is a world leader in the development of safer highways through research.

The Texas highway research program is one of the nation's best and has attracted worldwide attention. This year, the department is spending about \$9 million on the effort, including support of studies by university researchers, administration, and implementation, according to Jon Underwood, engineer of research and development.

Sometimes research completely reverses old, accepted thinking. Take highway sign supports as an example.

Years ago, highway builders installed signs on rigid supports along the highway, literally set in concrete.

They were pretty unyielding if a car hit them. Most often car, driver, and passengers came out second best in those accidents, illustrating what happens when an irresistible force meets an immovable object.

This bothered a lot of people, including a highway department engineer named Leon Hawkins who decided that posts holding the signs ought to yield, eliminating or reducing the effects of a collision.

Borrowing a phrase describing the flimsy chairs that brawling movie cowboys splinter on the black-Stetsoned heads of their enemies, the engineer called them "breakaways."

Careful engineering allows the supports to give way on sharp impact, but stand steadfast against sustained pressure. That's why the support flips up and away harmlessly when struck by a stray vehicle, a sharp impact, but remains upright in the more or less sustained pressure of high winds.

The design has been adopted nationally and, indeed, throughout the world since it was developed in the mid-1960s. Thousands of them are in use in Texas. Depending on the size of the sign, the supports may cost from \$100 to more than \$5,000 per installation, yet using breakaways adds only about 10 percent to the initial construction costs.

So effective are these devices in reducing destructive forces of a collision, though, that engineers say there is a 300-to-one benefit-cost ratio, or \$300 saved by the traveling public in injuries and property damage to one dollar invested in the installations.

Given that success, the highway department looked at other potentially dangerous pieces of "roadside furniture," such as the metal poles that support lights. This time, they developed a breakaway base, made mostly

of aluminum instead of iron or steel. When an errant vehicle runs off the road and strikes one of these, the base shatters and the support is flipped up and over the vehicle, falling harmlessly to the ground.

The cost of installing light poles with cast aluminum bases ranges from \$1,000 to \$3,000, depending on the height of the support and the number of lights mounted on it. The breakaway base costs only \$200 to \$400 and the benefit-cost ratio exceeds 120 to one.

Texas had a hand in the development of another life- and injury-saving design that recently was adopted by the federal government as standard for all federal-aid highways. This is a multiple-mailbox support. Highway people call it a "coat hanger" support because it looks like a giant upside-down hanger.

Collisions with post-mounted mailboxes can produce severe accidents. But instead of rigid steel or wood, the new support is made from thin-walled steel tubing. As many as five mailboxes can be supported on each one.

Upon impact, the tapered slope of the support causes the frame to be freed and projected upward and forward, leaving the vehicle only slightly damaged, if at all.

The supports are being installed alongside new highways and on a replacement basis on older ones. They are becoming a familiar sight along Texas highways.

They, too, offer a high benefit-cost ratio—only about \$60 per installation. That is about the same as a wooden post, but even on a moderately traveled highway, engineers figure benefits outweigh costs by 60 to one.

Another product of the highway department's research program is the Texas Crash Cushion. In engineering, they are "impact attenuators," placed between traffic and rigid obstacles such as concrete railings where roadways divide on bridges or overpasses.

The cushions are designed to crumple, absorbing the momentum of an errant vehicle—a better alternative than another meeting of immovable object and irresistible force. Originally, cushions were made from 55-gallon paint barrels. (The highway department has a lot of these. It takes a lot of paint for the lines on 74,000 miles of highways.) The empty barrels were clustered together and secured by steel cables.

Paint barrels still are used sometimes, but now, other cushions are constructed with plastic barrels, plastic tubes, or old tires and may be filled with sand, plastic foam, or water.

It has been estimated that Texas Crash Cushions have reduced fatalities in fixed-object accidents by 78 percent and injuries by 27 percent. Depending on their design and location, a crash-cushion installation can cost from \$3,000 to \$15,000.

Buyers, beware of special sales

Every day thousands of Texans get flyers or mailers advertising a "special sale."

"Buy one for \$10, get the second for half price."

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These are examples of price comparison advertisements and they can be effective. Most retailers who advertise this way are doing so legitimately. Some abuse the technique, however, and could be in violation of the TEXAS DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES ACT. A common violation is raising the price just before the sale—the non-sale price must have been in effect for a reasonable period of time prior to the sale and the product must have been sold regularly at that price for the sale to be legal.

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O.C. Garza, media chief, tourism division
Texas Dept. of Commerce

The holiday season is a time to count our blessings, and Texas certainly has a lot to be thankful for. Following are just some of the phenomenon that Texas should be thankful for.

Indians: They were the original Texans, enjoying a nomadic life as early as 12,000 years ago. They preyed on giant armadillos, mastodons, buffalo and deer. Later, when many tribes were driven west by the expansion of white settlers, Texas became a haven for Indians. Now there are only three reservations left: the Tigua in El Paso, the Alabama-Coushatta in the Big Thicket and the Kickapoo in Del Rio.

Spanish Explorers: They first saw Texas in 1519 and explored it almost 100 years before the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock. From Spanish, and later Mexican rule, Texas acquired some of its unique heritage, and just as important, "Tex-Mex" food. Spanish missions in San Antonio, Goliad and El Paso still offer inspiring looks at the missionary system.

The Texas Revolution: If it weren't for Gonzales, the Alamo, Presidio La Bahia and San Jacinto, the map of the United States would be considerably different, amigo. A "tiny" war as wars go, but a significant one nonetheless as it solidified United States' efforts toward Manifest Destiny.

Texas Pride: Born from the fact that Texas became an independent republic for almost a decade, the saying goes like this: Don't ever ask a man if he's from Texas; if he is he'll tell you, if he's not, why embarrass him?

Cowboys: Following the Civil War, the Texas cattle industry sprang to life trying to supply beef to the meat-starved North. Someone had to drive millions of Texas longhorn steers to northern markets. The ideal candidate would have been good looking, well-mannered around women, at home on a horse, and be willing to fight Indians, rustlers and Mother Nature along the cattle trails to the north. And if he answers to the name "the Duke," all the better.

Timber: There is more timberland in East Texas than all of New England combined. That's all that need be said.

Oil: Forget today's glut, back in the early 1930s, oil was 15 cents a barrel. The oil industry, however, carried Texas through the early 20th century, the Great Depression and all the way up to the eighties. And guess what? Oil's economic impact still accounts for over \$34 billion spent in Texas. What glut?

Cities: What other state can boast major cities as diverse as Houston, Dallas, Austin, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Corpus Christi and El Paso? None.

People: Texans are the friendliest people in the world and Texas women are the most beautiful in the land. Case closed.

Good times: Texans have always loved rodeos, county fairs, livestock shows and cattle auctions. But Texans are also experts at thinking up new good times: chili cookoffs, jalapeno eating contests, Christmas posadas, a Mosquito Festival, cowchip throwing contests, historic home tours, fall foliage, washer tosses, a Fire Ant Festival and armadillo races. No place but Texas.

Water: There wouldn't be a Texas without water and, consequently, Texas has more inland water than any other state except Alaska. Unlike Alaska, very little Texas water is in the form of icebergs. Rivers, lake and streams are common throughout the state with rafting, tubing, skiing, snorkeling and fishing just some of the more popular water sports. There is also the Gulf of Mexico lying due east of Texas with over 350 miles of beaches free for public use. Galveston, Corpus Christi and South Padre Island are havens for those who like the sand, surf and sun.

Weather: "If you don't like the weather, stick around; it will change in five minutes." For the most part, however, the weather in Texas changes for the better. There's rarely a shortage of good, sunny weather, and that makes life in Texas much more tolerable and makes trips to lakes, rivers and coast much more enjoyable.

Indeed, a lot of elements make up this state we call Texas. And we should be thankful for them all.

Happy Holidays!

Investigate before buying into life care facility

You may have heard of "life care communities" built and funded by elderly people who

want the convenience and security of a well run condominium. You may also have heard that some of these communities have gone bankrupt, leaving their clients with shattered dreams and empty pocketbooks.

If you are considering a life care community, check out the sponsor or developer. An organization's claim of church sponsorship, for example, or the word "Christian" in its name guarantees neither church affiliation nor management expertise.

Make sure you have a thorough understanding of the fee structure. Be suspicious of one time only payment plans, or guaranteed fixed monthly fees. It would be wise to get the community's audited financial statement and have your own lawyer or accountant examine it and do further investigations.

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Home heating systems need checking

Government safety experts are cautioning homeowners to have home central heating systems inspected this fall, even though the heat has already been turned on.

According to the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, consumers should rely on a qualified heating contractor to check the system. Regardless of the age of your system, electrical and mechanical components, including valves, thermostat controls and automatic safety switches, should be inspected. Special attention should be paid to heavy soot buildup in the furnace or its venting system.

While venting systems are not always examined during routine servicing, consumers should ask the contractor to inspect the flue and chimney. Blockages can be caused by mortar and other materials loosening from chimney walls, bird nests or other debris. Chimneys and flues should be clear at all times so exhaust gases, including carbon monoxide (CO), are properly vented outside the home. Flue and flue connections should be checked for a tight, secure fitting, and for signs of rust or corrosion which could al-

low exhaust gases to spill into the house.

CPSC said carbon monoxide exposure in the home is of special concern. Consumers exposed to harmful levels of CO often show symptoms similar to having flu-like illnesses, including dizziness, fatigue, headaches, irregular breathing and nausea. Exposure to continued high levels of carbon monoxide could be fatal. CPSC estimates that some 200 deaths occur each year from carbon monoxide associated with gas heating equipment.

Homeowners who have recently converted their heating system from oil to gas also were cautioned by CPSC to have the chimney inspected. After converting to gas, soot and debris which may have accumulated over the years on chimney walls may loosen and fall; if enough falls, it could block the exhaust and cause a buildup of dangerous levels of exhaust fumes in the house. If the heating contractor finds soot in the flue, a chimney sweep should be called to clean the chimney and flue each fall until no more soot is detected.

If you plan on converting from

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