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Briefs

The Tacky Toilet Is Back
The embarrassing tacky toilet is back for a fundraiser for CHS Color Guard. If you are unfortunate to find it in your yard you can have it removed for \$15. If you would like to send it to someone else it will cost \$20. Contact Tina 242-7231, Malisha 242-3905, Hailey 242-4323 or Dillon at 242-3841.

Golf Tourney
The 13th annual TDCJ Wallace & Ware Complex Golf Tournament, benefiting the SECC, will be held Fri., Sept. 25th at Wolf Creek Golf Course starting at 9 a.m. Cost is \$60 per person for the four-man scramble. For more information, contact Stefani Easter at 254-718-0372, Amy Rodriguez at 325-242-1321 or Georgiana Guerra at 325-242-6083.

Loraine Homecoming Parade
Anyone interested in being in the Loraine Homecoming Parade needs to call the school and let Micki Hernandez know or they can call Zula Cornutt at (325) 668-5023. The parade is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 8th and the deadline will be Monday, September 21st.

Split the Pot Fundraiser
The CHS Color Guard Team is having an on going split the pot fundraiser. Drawing will be held November 1st. Cost is \$3 for a ticket or 2 \$5. Tickets can be purchased by Malisha Payne (325) 242-3905, Dillon Atkins (325) 242-3841 or Hailey Hulme (325) 242-4323.

Krispy Creme fundraiser
CHS Color Guard is taking orders for Krispy Creme Donuts through September 22 with pick up available September 28th. Glazed is \$3 per dozen and chocolate \$10 per dozen. Contact Hailey Hulme 242-4323 or Malisha Payne 242-3905 or Dillon Atkins 242-3841.

CHS Parade
The CHS Homecoming parade will be held Friday, September 25th at 4:30 p.m., downtown. The theme is "Can the Bearcats". If anyone is interested in having a float in the parade, gather around the First Baptist Church and First Methodist Church about 4 p.m. If you have any questions contact Ann Bazany at the High School 728-3424.

Stock Show
The Mitchell County Livestock Association will meet Tues., Sept. 22nd at 6 p.m. in the CC Thompson Room to begin planning the 2016 Mitchell County Livestock Show.

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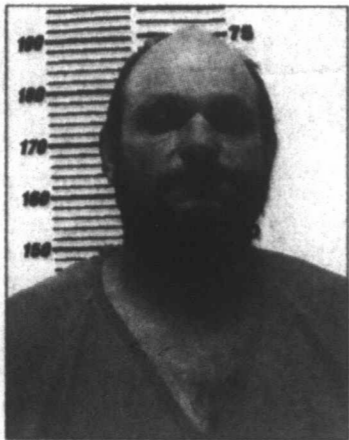
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Man arrested after attack on Hale

Community shows support through various means



Stony Ray Wilson

One of the county's most active volunteers was stabbed seven times while he was helping depu-

ties with a domestic situation a week ago Tuesday. Stony Wilson of Westbrook has been charged with two felonies and several misdemeanors. His bond has been set at \$1.75 million.

Westbrook Fire Chief Brandon Hale was the first to arrive on the scene of what was called in as a man brandishing a shotgun on a street in Westbrook.

Deputy Jeremiah Witte was on a grass fire call out in the southeastern part of the county when dispatch reported a call about a man with a shotgun in the street in Westbrook. Because Hale knew that Witte was far away, he called his friend to say that he would respond to the call while

Witte made his way to the scene.

It was a move that Hale has made so many times, but this time it would put his life in danger.

By the time Hale got to the scene, Wilson was nowhere to be found. There was evidence that the situation was that of a domestic nature. Witte arrived soon after Hale and entered a house where it was speculated Wilson might be hiding.

While Witte was inside, Hale talked to a passing motorist that turned out to be Wilson's wife. As Hale was talking to the woman, Wilson came out of the bushes and stabbed Hale seven

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A SERVANT OF THE COUNTY - Brandon Hale was stabbed seven times and lost his left eye while helping with a domestic disturbance call in Westbrook last week. He is seen here with his sons, Brennand and Brooks, in a Lubbock Hospital.

Citizens urge court to continue with FGE Texas negotiations

Several Mitchell County citizens, business owners and individuals attended the Mitchell County Commissioner's Court meeting Monday morning, offering their support for the continuation of negotiations with FGE Texas LLC.

FGE is proposing to build a gas-fueled power plant south of Westbrook. The ongoing negotiations include changes in the contract with FGE and the county that both parties are trying to

work out. Woody Anderson of the Board of Economic Development said that the plant would take three to five years to build with a \$13 million to \$15 million payroll during that period.

"It's gonna' create a lot of economic activity in the county," Anderson stated, and he went on to say that construction workers would need a place to stay and will be spending some of that payroll money on food and other

necessities while they are here.

Speaking in support of the project was Hospital Administrator Robbie Dewberry, as the hospital, through the tax abatement, would receive \$18 million over the next 20 years.

"One of the things that really put this project to the forefront for me is when we got the construction bids for our new rural health clinic, and we bought Kristi Lee Manor thinking we

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FFA students going to national convention

Two Colorado FFA students attended the Monday night meeting of the Colorado ISD Board of Trustees to request permission to take an overnight trip to Kentucky in order to attend the National FFA Convention there. Nadia Devila and Kane Russell made a convincing case that was not only approved but also funded.

The two Colorado High students received the board's permission for five FFA members to travel to Louisville, Kentucky, in October to attend the national convention. Along with four officers, Isabel Salazar would be attending the convention to receive the prestigious American FFA Degree.

Over the course of the last 72 years, only 24 CHS students have received the award, and Salazar will be the 25th. My Monday, Tony Fisher, Robert Cox, Jennifer Morris and more. According to the FFA See CHSD, page 5



WELCOME TO MCHD - Karen Holman (left) and Minnie Macedo welcomed over 200 visitors to the 2015 MCHD Health, Wellness & Safety Fair Saturday morning. Guests enjoyed visiting booths, getting flu and pneumonia shots, participating in first aid classes, getting lab work done, and eating the abundant snacks at the fair. See related story and pictures, page 6.

Pumpkin Patch offers variety of fun events

The Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce has a couple of new fundraising events planned for this fall to suit the entire family. The Railhead Pumpkin Patch & Holiday Shoppe will be held at the Railhead Building on two consecutive Saturdays, September 26th and October 3rd.

citizens plenty of time to come out and take part. The Railhead Building will be filled with pumpkins of all shapes, sizes and colors, so that citizens can find just the right one to buy for all their fall décor needs.

According to chamber board member Audra Hoback, the event will be held in the afternoon and evening, giving local

Lots of delicious treats will also be available at the event, including turkey legs, roasted pumpkin seeds, drinks and sweet treats. There will be games for the kids, a bouncy house and the Cham-

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Sip, Savor & Shop offers fun, food, and shopping

The Colorado City Main Street Program has a special event planned for Colorado City Homecoming weekend. The board, director and merchants will host a Sip, Savor & Shop event on Saturday, September 26th.

to 4 p.m. that Saturday.

Sip, Savor & Shop is an activity that features the downtown merchants located in the Main Street District. Merchants will provide light snacks, tasty drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) and shopping fun from 2

Director Carla Kern said that the event is being held on the same weekend as the Mitchell County Reunion and homecoming to provide extra activities for those who may be visiting Colorado City.

Other activities nearby that day will include a pumpkin patch at the Railhead Building from 3 to 8 p.m., and the 3M Palace Theatre will show a matinee movie at 4 p.m. for \$3 per ticket.

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Kelley, Graham file for spots on Loraine council

Another Lorainian has thrown his hat into the city council ring, as Billy Kelley has submitted his application to be placed on the ballot for the upcoming November 3rd election. So far, Kelley and Irene Graham are the only citizens to file for the two open seats on the Loraine City Council.

Deadline to apply as a candidate is Thursday, September 24th.

City Secretary Jamie Muñoz said that anyone interested in running for a place on the ballot should come down to city hall to pick up an application. Once filled out, the applications can be returned to city hall as well.

When city officials were plan-

ning to hold an election at the end of August, there were four candidates throwing their name into the ring. Loraine citizens Carmen Evans, Shelly Diaz, Irene Graham and Lewis Muñoz had filed to run for a place on the council.

However, since the election See COUNCIL, page 5

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LOCAL NEWS

OBITUARIES



NEW GAME IN TOWN – The first event of the Rock Hard Jeep Club of Colorado City was held last Saturday. The group has been newly organized and Jeep enthusiasts around the area are encouraged to join.

Jeep Club begins in Mitchell County

A new organization has formed and anyone owning a Jeep may be interested in joining. The Rock Hard Jeep Club of Colorado City held its first event last weekend.

The Jeep enthusiasts held the first Jeep Takeover at the Mitchell County Sports Complex on Saturday, September 12th. Jeeps from different parts of West Texas came to Colorado City to join in the fun.

Those participating had the opportunity to drive on an RTI ramp to test their vehicle's articulation, door prizes were awarded and drawings for raffles were held.

After a morning of getting to know one another, those attending gathered as a group to drive some local trails. While some of those attending were seasoned "Jeepers", some were new to the sport.

Rock Hard Jeep Club has members from Mitchell County, as well as some from Robert Lee and Snyder.

"As a club we host many benefits and are looking into doing more community projects," Thomason said.

Anyone interested in becoming a club member can contact Wayne Thomason at 432-268-3979. Also visit the club's Facebook page and check out the website at www.rockhardjeeps.com.

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Charles R. Dockrey 1930-2015

COLORADO CITY—Mr. Charles R. Dockrey, age 85, died Thursday, September 10, 2015, in a local hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, September 12, 2015 at the First Baptist Church in Colorado City with Rev. Larry McAden officiating. Burial followed in the Colorado City Cemetery.

Charles was born June 21, 1930 in Colorado City to James Oscar and Sadie Miller Dockrey and had been a lifelong resident. He married Betty Frances Morris on July 8, 1951 in Colorado City. He was retired from farming and ranching in Mitchell County and a member of the First Baptist Church in Colorado City.

He is survived by his wife, Betty Dockrey of Colorado City; two daughters, Rhonda and husband, Thomas May of Hermleigh and Larisha Dockrey of Colorado City; two sons, Rodney and wife, Sharon Dockrey and Bruce and Marsha Dockrey, all of Colorado City; two sisters, Mary Ethel Garrett of Pasadena, and Lucille Dee of Austin; five grandchildren, Jody and husband, John Chaney, Jamie and husband, Kyle Hammond, Tabatha and husband Jason Stone, Lacy and husband, Blake Oden and Bryant and wife, Sandy Roberson; and 11 great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his parents, a grandson, Brad Dockrey; brother, J. O. Dockrey; and a sister, Louise Valdez.

The family received friends 6-8 p.m. Friday, September 11, 2015 at the funeral home.



nam and a member of the Christian Fellowship Church.

He is survived by his wife, Becky DelReal of Colorado City; three daughters, Eva DelReal, Amy Trevino and Ana DelReal, all of Fort Worth; two sons, Leo DelReal of Colorado City, Sol DelReal of Fort Worth; three sisters, Rosa Glass of Midland and Lydia Selvera and Carmen Horner, both of Colorado City; two brothers, Manuel (Krow) DelReal of Colorado City and Refugio DelReal of Snyder; 13 grandchildren, Jackie DelReal, Armando Fabela, Jesse Herrera, John DelReal, Robert DelReal, Kathleen DelReal, Andres Trevino IV, Antonio Trevino, Aaron Trevino, Alexis Trevino, Julia DelReal, Ian DelReal and Aaliyah White; two step-sons, Douglas Blauvelt of Big Spring and David Blauvelt of Greenwood and two step-grandchildren, Lacy Childs and Laura Chaney.

He is preceded in death by his parents, a sister, Ambrosia Molina and a brother, Bernardo DelReal.

The family received friends from 6-8 p.m. Monday, September 14, 2015 at the funeral home.

Robert D Haggerton Sr. 1951-2015

COLORADO CITY—Robert D Haggerton Sr., age 64, passed away on Sunday, Sept. 13, 2015. He was born to the late Robert J Haggerton and Reba Faye Jackson, and Gerry (GeGe) Owens Haggerton on September 12, 1951.

Robert D Haggerton attended school at Colorado High School before working in the oilfield in 1967, where he excelled and soon made a name for himself as an industry leader. He traveled the world and eventually settled back in his hometown of Colorado City.

Robert's family and his lifelong love for the oilfield filled his life with joy and purpose. He grew up spending summers and vacations with his family on their family farm in Colorado City, where he was influenced by the late Burt and Addie Haggerton; his father, Robert J Haggerton; and his aunt, Omadele Haggerton. Robert passed his time working and fishing on the Colorado River. He was a dedicated family man and took pride and joy in the presence of his family.

Robert is survived by his wife, Mary Louise Haggerton; and their three children, Pamela and Howard Hatch, Shelia and Jim Kirk, and Robert and Jennifer Haggerton; 11 grandkids and 12 great-grandkids; his brothers and sisters, Darla Viohl, Darlene Henderson, Steve Owens, David Owens, James Owens, Jana Barr, and Ronnie Owens.

Robert was preceded in death by his father, Robert J. Haggerton; mother, Reba Faye Morgan; step-mother, Gerry (GeGe) Haggerton; brother, Jerry Dean Haggerton; and nephew, Kevin Phil Ball.

A celebration of his life will be held at the Christian Temple Church, in Colorado City, on September 17, 2015, at 2:00 p.m.

Juanita Ramirez Gonzales 1950-2015

COLORADO CITY—Mrs. Juanita Ramirez Gonzales, 65, died on Saturday, September 12, 2015 in San Antonio.

Mrs. Gonzales was born on May 20, 1950 in McLennan County to Luis and Felice (Sanchez) Ramirez.

She is survived by husband, Ricardo Gonzales of Colorado City; two daughters, Amy and husband, Remy De La Cruz of San Antonio, Marjorie Rivera of Dallas; three sons, Javiel and wife Mona Gallardo of San Antonio, Juan and wife Veronica Gonzales of Dallas, Paul Gonzales of San Antonio; 17 grandchildren, Cassie and husband Roman Martinez of Abilene, Kimberli and husband Jakob Jeter of Abilene, Christopher Lima of Dallas, Justin Gallardo of San Marcos, Ashton Gallardo of Dallas, Enrique Gallardo of Dallas, Hannah Gallardo of Dallas, Jevin Gallardo of San Antonio, Sophie Stone of San Antonio, Joni Stone of San Antonio, Juan Gonzales Jr. of Dallas, Jailene Gonzales of Dallas, Yizzel Peralta of Dallas, Yamilex Peralta of Dallas, Sarah Gonzales of Dallas, Karin Gonzales of Dallas, Ashley and husband Manuel Garza of San Antonio; 10 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mary and husband Willie Garcia of Dallas, Valentina Molina of Snyder.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one sister and one brother.

Visitation was held Tuesday, September 15, 2015 from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Funeral services for Mrs. Gonzales were held on Wednesday, September 16th at 10:00 a.m. at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home with Pastor Juan Andrade officiating. Interment followed at Hillside Memorial Gardens. Services were under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be posted at www.bellcypertseale.com.



Alice Silva 1950-2015

COLORADO CITY—Alice Silva, 65, passed away at her home after a long illness surrounded by her family on Saturday, September 5, 2015. She was born on July 2, 1950 in Loraine the daughter of Jesus and Jesuista Cienega Molina.

Alice was a hard working woman, who put in over 20 years as a custodian for the Colorado ISD. She was a woman who always put her family first always making sure to show her children and grandchildren all she could while reaching them valuable life lessons. When not at home with her family or at work, Alice could be found taking long walks, shopping, or playing bingo. She will be remembered for her kind heart, warm smile, and joker like quality.

Alice is survived by her children, Katrina Lopez of Big Spring, Jessica (John Garcia) Silva of Colorado City, Joseph Molina of Colorado City, Ben Turnbow of Colorado City, and Carlos Silva of Colorado City; and by her siblings, Judy Molina of Colorado City, Mary Campbell of Colorado City, Ruth Ybarra of Odessa, Louis and wife Brenda Molina of Colorado City, Manuel and wife Mary Molina of Colorado City, Danny Molina of Odessa, Aurthur Molina of Odessa, Martin Molina of Colorado City, and Raymond and wife Suzzie Molina of Brianna Turnbow, Maegan Green, Marissa Robinson, Raven Silva, Gaven Silva, Adriana Martinez, Aiden Martinez, Mia Silva, and Joseph Molina Jr., as well as by her great-grandchildren, Mylia Houston, Mayson Green, and Maddox Green.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Fermin Silva and by two brothers, Ruben and Juan Molina.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Colorado City on Thursday, September 10, 2015 at 10 a.m. A visitation was held on Wednesday, September 9, 2015 from 6-8 p.m. with a Rosary at 7 p.m. at the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home. Burial followed in the Mitchell County Cemetery.

John DelReal 1949-2015

COLORADO CITY—Mr. John DelReal, age 66, passed away on Friday, September 11, 2015, at his residence. A funeral service was held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, September 15, 2015, at the Christian Fellowship Church on FM 2836 in Colorado City with Larry Chaney and Mack Moyea officiating. Burial followed in the Mitchell County Cemetery.

John was born July 24, 1949 in Colorado City to Manuel and Isabel Vasquez DelReal and had been a lifelong resident. He married Rebecca Bird on February 5, 1993 in Colorado City. He retired after 40 years as a welder for Union Pacific Railroad. He was a veteran of the US Army who served in Viet-



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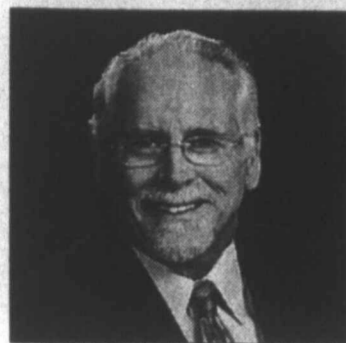
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LOCAL NEWS

Wall of Honor inductees to be honored at homecoming



Dan Steakley

Dan Steakley graduated from Colorado High School in 1969. He is among Colorado ISD alumni being inducted onto the Wall of Honor during halftime of the Wolves' Homecoming football game.

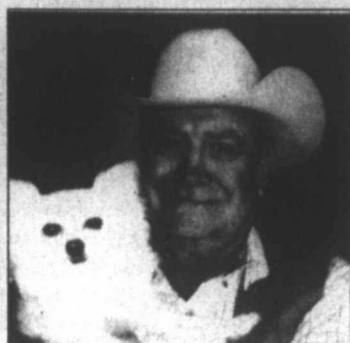
While attending CHS, Steakley actively participated in football, track, National Honor Society and Student Council. Due to his athleticism, he was recruited to play football by legendary coaches, Emory Bellard and Darrel Royal.

Steakley attended college at University of Texas in Austin. One of the highlights of his college years was when Freddie Steinmark of "My All-American" personally presented him an invitation to be in the Texas Cowboys, a UT social and benevolent support organization that has the dubious honor of taking care of Bevo, the UT mascot.

After receiving his degree in business from UT, Steakley went to work for Centex Corporation in 1972. He continued his career there, eventually becoming the vice president of the company.

When Centex sold, Steakley started his own home building business, Dan Steakley & Associates. He was also vice president of Title Agency of Austin, which was purchased by Alamo Title Insurance Company in 1996.

Ever since, Steakley has been in the real estate business, making a name for himself in that industry too. His service to the community included helping build homes for Habitat for Humanity, Angel Tree Program and becoming a member of the Austin Blood Bank 20 Gallon Club.



Royce Carter

Royce Eugene Carter and his wife, Vera Lee Carter, are both inductees onto Colorado ISD's Wall of Honor. The pair will be honored, along with several others, with a ceremony and introduction at halftime of the CHS Homecoming football game.

Carter graduated from Colorado High School in 1955 and married Vera Lee Northcutt in 1956. He went to work for an oil exploration company soon after graduating from high school.

In the early 1960s, Carter began working for Texas Instruments, Inc. as a scientific glassblower, fabricating glassware for various departments in TI. He is one of 650 people in the world classified as scientific glassblowers.

One of his first jobs at TI was fabricating the glass package (Dewar) housing, a single element infrared detector used to guide heat-seeking missiles to enemy jets. In 1969, Carter built the first multi-element Dewar to house a 112-element detector array known today as the FLIR (forward looking infrared) system.

While working at TI, Carter worked on numerous other projects including an infrared detector program used to detect skin cancer three to five years sooner than normal methods.

Carter later went to work for the University of Texas at Dallas where he performed work for physics, chemistry and space science labs making lasers, vacuum systems and numerous other projects.

One of his most satisfying projects was for the space science

labs that were involved in space programs at the time. Carter had parts in every mission that landed men on the moon. These parts were in the mass spectrometers used to sample the atmosphere of the moon.

Recent projects have involved building and processing helium magnetometer cells used to detect enemy submarines. Recently, NASA sent a satellite around one of the moons of Jupiter using Carter's glassware to check the magnetic field of that particular moon.



Mark Waldrip

Colorado City citizen Mark Waldrip is among 10 CHS graduates being inducted onto the Wall of Honor. A ceremony will be held for the inductees who will be introduced during halftime of the Wolves' Homecoming football game September 25th.

Waldrip was born in Bryan in 1954. His father, Dr. William J. Waldrip, was a Range Science professor at Texas A&M University. When he was only two, his family moved to Saltillo, Mexico for two years where his father completed a teaching assignment at the University of Saltillo and worked on his PhD.

In 1967, Frank Chappell, brother of Marion Bascham and co-owner of the Renderbrook Spade Ranch, attended a meeting in Lubbock where Waldrip's father was the guest speaker.

After the meeting, Chappell approached his father about becoming the General Manager of the Spade Ranches. He accepted the position and the family moved to Colorado City.

Mark met his future bride, Connie, the first week he was in Colorado City. They dated from that time until they completed their first semester of college at Texas Tech University when they married. The couple have been married 42 years.

After graduating from Texas Tech in 1977 with an Agricultural Education Degree and business minor, Waldrip had numerous jobs including ranching, farming, janitorial, grocery store, grocery warehouse and homebuilder. He served as Presi-

dent and CEO of First National Bank in Colorado City for more than 30 years and is currently employed by FirstBank & Trust, Lubbock as Regional President, overseeing branches in Colorado City and Snyder.

"Connie and I are thankful we had the privilege of growing up in Colorado City. Our three children also grew up in Colorado City and graduated from Colorado High School. There were many teachers, Sunday school teachers and friends who helped us raise our children and motivate them to be successful," Waldrip said.

The Waldrips have three grown children, Allen, Mandi and Aaron. They also have nine grandchildren.

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Military convoy to travel Bankhead Highway; coming through C-City

The Military Vehicle Preservation Association is planning a convoy using the old Bankhead Hwy. route, which means the group will be coming through Colorado City. The convoy is set to travel through on Thursday, October 8th at 8 a.m.

The event is being called the MVPA Bankhead Historic Military Vehicle Convoy and organizers are expecting to bring about 60 vehicles through town that morning. Since the convoy will use the old Bankhead Hwy, it will be coming through town on Bus. 20.

The convoy will begin in Washington, D.C. on Saturday,

September 19th and will end in San Diego, California on Saturday, October 17th. Most days, the convoy will travel approximately 100 miles.

According to a calendar of the trip itinerary, the group will eat lunch in Abilene on October 7th and spend the night in Sweetwater that night. October 8th shows an early stop that morning, but no word has been given that the stop will occur in Colorado City.

Anyone interested in checking out the vehicles in the convoy can come downtown on the morning of October 8th and pick a spot along 2nd Street.

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OPINION & COMMENTARY

TUMBLEWEED SMITH Looking for alligator eggs

The blades of the helicopter started with a soft whirr, then became a whomp whomp which dissolved into the usual helicopter clatter as the aircraft headed skyward. The pilot is Dusty Holt of Holt Helicopters in Uvalde. He is taking two of us over marshes near the Anahuac National Wildlife Preserve. The person with me is Herbert Oreschnigg who is diligently looking for alligator nests.

He and Dusty have been doing this for 11 years. Dusty's dad did it before he joined the company after college. Herbert hires the Holt company a week at a time to hunt for the nests in late summer. They are hard to spot. They look like a hunk of hay that has washed up near a small lagoon. "They look a lot like muskrat nests," says Herbert. As we fly low over the marshes, I hear Dusty or Herbert say, "muskrat" when they see a clump of hay.

Herbert's partner in the enterprise is Clay Dean. "We got the bright idea of doing this about 25 years ago. We started stumbling through the marsh together and figuring out how to collect alligator eggs. We locate the nests first. Doing it from the air is best. Alligators don't like to build nests where you can find them easily, so they're located in river bottoms, canal banks, marshes, all areas that are difficult to get to."

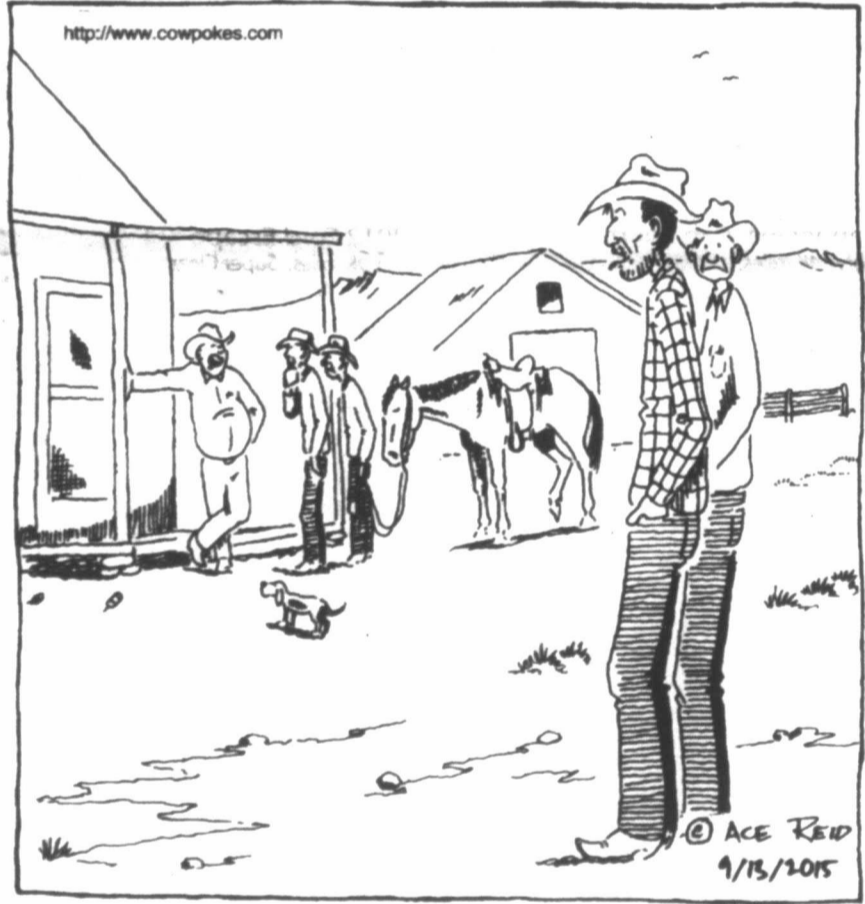
After they spot a nest they'll mark it on a GPS graph which allows them to come back to it later. "We'll have the coordinates laid out on a map, which we print to guide us, then we'll go back on the ground to get to the nests. Sometimes we'll drop a marker from the helicopter when conditions are favorable to do that. We get to the nests the best way we can, using airboats, ATVs, whatever it takes to get to them."

Herbert says they often carry a basket of hay to the nests. "Sometimes there's not much vegetation and the alligators make nests out of mud and sticks so there's a lot of fire ants. We take the eggs from the nest and put them in the fresh hay. The average number of eggs in a nest is around 30, but I've found as few as five and as many as 60. They're about the size of a grade A chicken egg. The baby alligators are wrapped around the membrane inside the eggshell and they just unwind once they're out. They're about eight inches long when they hatch."

Once the eggs are collected they are placed in an incubator to hatch. The young gators are then dispatched to farmers who raise them for their hides and meat. Most of those farms are in Louisiana. Herbert and Clay know of only two other alligator egg collectors in Texas. It is a limited fraternity.

Alligator moms don't like the idea of their eggs being taken. They are very protective. "Sometimes we run," says Herbert. "Sometimes we have to keep her away with a pole or rope her and tie her to a tree or ATV, just anything to keep her off of us." Herbert has been bitten twice. Clay says the most dangerous part is the equipment, having problems with the helicopter or airboat. "It gets a little hairy sometimes."

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Freedom...

what does it mean to you?

By Teresa Beckmeyer

My daughter and I were recently honored and privileged to become members of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Nathaniel Davis Chapter of Odessa. To become a member, one has to be able to trace back to an ancestor who fought in the American Revolution. My ancestor that did such was Isaac Newton Ellis who was the great-great grandfather of my great-great grandmother Mary Elisabeth Browne who came to Mitchell County in the late 1800s. I was asked by members of the chapter to write a short article about the Constitution of the United States informing others about Constitution Week. Please join with the Daughters of the American Revolution as they celebrate one of the most important documents ever composed during Constitution Week, September 17th through September 23rd.

FREEDOM.....what does that word mean to you? Does it mean that you are free to speak your mind? Free to associate with whomever you want? Free to go where you want? Free to live as you want? Free to own a gun?

It is all of this and so much more, but where did this freedom come from?

What makes us free—more free than any other country? Much of the freedom that we enjoy comes from a document that was drafted over 200 years ago by a group of 55 men on September 17th, 1787. It's The Constitution of the United States.

This founding document is the most wondrous document ever drafted by men and contains articles and amendments that protect our freedoms such as freedom of speech, freedom of religion and the freedom of the press. You see, the men that drafted this document had lived under tyranny (the government or ruler of a tyrant or absolute ruler) and could stand it no longer. They believed that God gave men the right to be free, inalienable rights (unable to be taken away from or given away by the possessor) as they are called. These men, farmers, bankers, lawyers and those of other professions, came together, and through much debating, compromise, agreement, lows and highs, our constitution came into being; thereby creating the freest society that the world has ever known.

Over the past few years, it seems that our freedom has come under attack from within. It seems that our freedom is slowly slipping away and that some

in this day and age are forgetting that we have a constitution. Some of our leaders are going outside of its precepts and making laws as they believe they should be made, separate and apart from what is prescribed in the Constitution. We, the people, have the ability to stop this. It is within our power, but we must engage.

Our country and our constitution is much too important to let a few trample our freedoms. We must make an effort to educate ourselves and our children about the importance of our constitution and make sure that our elected leaders understand and respect the founding documents of our country as well.

Please take this time to acquaint or re-acquaint yourself with the Constitution. It's really a short and simple document to read and quite easy to understand. You can find it here: www.constitution.find-law.com If we do not understand what our freedoms are, how will we preserve them? It's up to us to live in freedom or become shackled in tyranny.

Please join with the Daughters of the American Revolution, Nathaniel Davis Chapter of Odessa by educating yourself and others about the Constitution of the United States during Constitution Week. Your freedom depends on it.

Events Calendar

Sept. 18	Westbrook Homecoming	Westbrook
Sept. 25	Kiwanis Barbeque	Kiwanis Park
Sept. 25	Wolves' Homecoming	Around Town
Sept. 26	Mitchell Co. Reunion	Civic Center
Sept. 26	Railhead Pumpkin Patch	Railhead Bldg.
Sept. 26	Sip, Savor & Shop	Downtown C-City
Oct. 2, 3	Boer Goat Cook-Off	Ruddick Park
Oct. 3	Railhead Pumpkin Patch	Railhead Bldg.
Oct. 9	Loraine Golf Tournament	Wolf Creek Golf
Oct. 9	Loraine Homecoming	Loraine
Oct. 10	Loraine Ex-Students Reunion	Loraine School
Oct. 24, 30, 31	Haunted Baker Hotel	Baker Hotel
Oct. 29	Trick or Treat Around Town	Around Town
Oct. 31	Adult Costume Monster Mash	Civic Center

To add an event to the calendar, please call 325-728-3413.

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Martin A Brooks, Dixie Brooks to Carolyn Ann Jeter, Gift Deed.

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Abilene Teachers Federal Credit Union, James Lee Boyd Pres to Rebecca A Benivamondez, Sunny Benivamondez, Release of Lien/DT.

Rebecca A Benivamondez, Sunny Benivamondez to Abilene Teachers Federal Credit Union, James Lee Boyd Pres, Home Equity Security.

Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, Cheryl Cordero Director Specialty Collections to Clifford McLeod, Myretta McLeod, Release/Federal Tax Lien.

B&KW LTD, WMKG LLV Gen Prtn, WKKA LTD, EMNG LLTD Gen Prtn, William M Wallace Mgr & Ind to Frost Bank, Jack R Herndon Sr VP, Dan J Guarino Ttee, Deed of Trust.

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Basa Resources Inc, Michael N Foster Jr Pres to Lone Star NGL Pipeline LP, Lone Star NGL Asset GP LLC Gen Prtnr, Robert Rose VP Land & Right of Way, Amendment of Easement.

Lorianne Toombs, Patrick Toombs to Onco Electric Delivery Co LLC, Easement & R/W.

Fredda Stubblefield, Charles D Stubblefield to Onco Electric Deliver Co LLC, Easement & R/W.

Nobles Road Construction Inc, Bobby Nobles Pres to Barry Orr Ttee, FirstBank & Trust, Deed of Trust.

Patricia Lyle Ind Admin, Estate of Leon S Light to Belinda Toland, Warranty Deed.

Belinda Toland, Barry H Orr Ttee to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems Inc (BENE), PrimeWest Mortgage Corp, Deed of Trust.

Greg Burnett, Kevin Burnett to Rickey Dale Andrews, Regina Andrews, Warranty Deed.

Rickey Dale Andrews, Regina Andrews to City National Bank of Colorado City, Royce D Clay Ttee, Deed of Trust.

J B Padgett Jr, Karen Yvonne Smith, Gary Daniel Barnfield, Brian Craig Gregory, Scott Gregory, Marie Whitekiend, Cinnamon Hennington, Pamela Recker to Lone Star NGL Pipeline LP, Pipeline Easement.

Tresa K McMillan to Loving Pets Crematory DBA, Assumed Name.

Ann Sheridan Watson Trustor/Ttee, Ann Sheridan Watson Revocable Trust DTD 3/11/92, Marcia Elizabeth Meiring Ttee to Public, Memorandum of Trust.

Phillip Tyler Yenzen, Amy Elise Yenzen to Majestic Minerals & Royalty LP, Phillip Tyler Yenzen Pres, Asgmt & Bill of Sale.

Attorney General Office, Child Support Office 0105E, Laura Millican Agent, Travis Sawyer to Janie Mae McFall, Child Support Lien.

Juan Beltran, Maria Beltran to Preferred Credit Inc, Financing Stmt.

Roscoe State Bank, Bryan R Studdard V Pres to Douglas Don Narrell Ttee, Dolores Dean Narrell Ttee, Douglas Don Narrell Family Trust, Release of Lien/DT.

James F Dockrey Per Rep, James Beeman Dockrey Estate to James F Dockrey, Warranty Deed.

MARRIAGES

Anthony Nathan Withroder to Donna Nicole Jewell on 09/11/15.

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Jessie R Olguin, Driving While Lic Invalid w/Prev Conviction, 09/09/15.

Jessie R Olguin, Proh Weapon Knuckles, 09/09/15.

Steven Duane Grayson, Driving While Intoxicated, 09/09/15.

Mark Anthony Lopez, Driving While Intoxicated, 09/09/15.

Chad Alan Robison, Driving While Lic Invalid w/Prev Conviction, 09/09/15.

Ricardo Gomez, Driving While Lic Invalid w/Prev Conviction, 09/09/15.

Joseph Erin Hernandez, Poss Marij <2 oz, 09/09/15.

Juan Salomon Mendoza, Poss Marij <2oz, 09/09/15.

Gabriel Ash Avila, Poss Marij <2oz, 09/09/15.

Michael Scott Swann, Assault Causes Bl-Fam Violence, 09/09/15.

Mark Douglas Hill, Driv While Intox BAC >=.15, 09/09/15.

Dakota C Blair, DWLI w/Prev Cov/Susp/W/O Fin Res, 09/09/15.

Richard Alan Ensey, Driving While Intoxicated 2nd, 09/09/15.

Edward Martinez, Evading Arrest/Detention, 09/09/15.

Edward Martinez, Interfere w/Emergency Call, 09/09/15.

ARRESTS

Dwayne Green, 34, CCPD, No DL, Exp. Reg, Reckless Driving, No Ins., 09/06/15.

Rudolfo Rocha, 58, CCPD, PI, Poss Para, 09/07/15.

Carlos Almonte, 40, DPS, Larceny, 09/07/15.

Robert Chappa, 59, Sterling Co., DWI 3rd, 09/06/15.

Roland Olguin, 26, CCPD, DWLI w/Prev, 09/06/15.

Craig Nelson White, 47, CCPD, Warrant x2 Lubbock Co, 09/09/15.

Jimmy Ray Madrigal, 42, Nolan Co., DWI 3rd or, 09/09/15.

Stony Ray Wilson, 49, MCSO, Attemp Capital Murder, Agg Asst on Public Servent, Deadly Conduct, 09/09/15.

Auendrea Blueford, 47, NCSO, MTR, Theft, 09/09/15.

Victor Glen Wells, 60, DPS, Wrnt Scurry Co., 09/10/15.

Frank Fitzpatrick, 60, MCSO, 7571 Assault, 09/10/15.

Nicholas Austermann, 28, Nolan Co., Exp Reg x4, 09/09/15.

Eddie Clark, 20, CCPD, Poss Marij <2 oz, 09/12/15.

Richard Atkinson, 26, CCPD, PI, 09/13/15.

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LOCAL NEWS

FGE

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were going to combine Valley Fair and Kristi Lee and build a new facility. Those costs came in around \$3 million dollars for the new rural health clinic. When you start thinking about building a new nursing home, you start thinking how you're going to pay for these projects. The cost of a new nursing home would be about \$17 to \$18 million dollars. The \$18 million dollars we (the hospital district) would get off this project would go toward building a new nursing home," Dewberry said. "That really put this project toward the forefront for me."

David Stubblefield also spoke on behalf of the water district, telling commissioners that the district could forgo taxes from county residents, as the district's payment from FGE would come to \$300,000 per year for the next

20 years. "Our budget runs about \$260,000 a year for what we do," Stubblefield said. "We have to take out an ad to say this is our tax. I'd love to take out an ad in *The Record* saying we don't have a tax. I think this could be a great opportunity for the citizens of the county as a whole."

David Hoover agreed with the others and spoke on behalf of the City of Colorado City. Sale of the city's effluent water to FGE would generate approximately \$240,000 per year.

"FGE could be the key to continuing our growth in the county," Hoover said.

The construction of four hotels/motels is underway which would generate more revenue for the city. One of the owners of a hotel being built has said that the construction of the power plant

could help pay for his motel, according to Anderson.

"I think the hotels are going to be a huge gain to the county and to the City of Colorado City," Anderson said.

Mitchell County stands to gain \$100 million in taxes from FGE in the next 30 years. "That would go a long way in supplementing funds for the county budget or where ever you saw fit to expend those funds," Anderson said.

Teresa Beckmeyer approached the court about the project. She said that she works in Austin all the time and is skeptical about things. She and her husband, John, took it upon themselves to start researching FGE.

Beckmeyer said that she has associates in Tarrant County who spent four days researching the energy company. "From

what we can tell, they (FGE) are everything they say they are," she said. "We are confident that this company that is coming to you; they are being honest with what they are trying to accomplish here."

Commissioner Jeremy Strain, Judge Ray Mayo and Commis-

sioner Jesse Munoz expressed concern about the county's legal fees already generated, which total approximately \$30,000. Another concern was the fact that the \$1.2 billion project is behind schedule.

Commissioners Randy Anderson and Bill Preston both ex-

pressed their support to continue with negotiations because of all the tax money the county would receive.

No action was taken during the meeting, but it appeared both parties are going to sit down again and try to work things out.

HALE

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times on the chest, arms and head. Unfortunately, one of the places wounded was Hale's left eye.

Because of the trauma, Hale was flown to University Medical Center in Lubbock. It was hoped that Hale's eye might be saved, but, unfortunately, that did not turn out to be the case. Eye surgeon Dr. Corona from Plano will remove the eye in two to three weeks, according to Hale's wife, Mindy.

The suspect, Stony Ray Wilson, 49, was arrested early Wednesday morning and arraigned Thursday by Justice of the Peace Rick Grissam. Bonds were set on each charge.

Wilson was charged with attempted capital murder of a public servant, a first-degree felony, with a bond of \$1 million. He was also charged with aggravated assault, a first-degree felony worth \$750,000 in bonds.

Other charges against Wilson were: Terroristic threat of domestic violence, Class A misdemeanor, \$7,000 bond; deadly conduct, Class A misdemeanor, \$3,000; and evading arrest, Class B misdemeanor, \$2,500.

All who know Hale know how dedicated he is to Mitchell County. He has served on the Westbrook Volunteer Fire Department for many years and has been actively involved in many public service areas around the county.

Because of all the Hales have done for the people in this area, Mitchell County citizens responded overwhelmingly to help the Hales.

CCPD Sgt. Traven Berrie set up a gofundme account first thing on Wednesday morning. Accounts have also been set up by FirstBank & Trust, the local credit union and City National Bank. Donations will help defray medical expenses.

Mindy said that the response from the community has been "amazing, overwhelming in a good way and unbelievable." Mindy and Brandon are more familiar with rallying around others, not having the community rallying around them.

Hale was released from UMC on Friday and received a royal welcome when he got back to Mitchell County. He was picked up from the hospital by Sheriff Patrick Toombs and as they entered Colorado City, citizens, firefighters, law enforcement officers, EMS and others lined the streets to welcome the Hales home. As they left Colorado City headed west, the vehicles formed a convoy of sorts and the Hales found the streets of Westbrook packed with people showing their support too.

"It's been amazing," Mindy said Tuesday. She and her family have been touched by the outpouring of love and donations. "There are no words to describe

how much we appreciate all the calls, texts, prayers, messages, donations and kind gestures we've gotten," she said. "It's just amazing and overwhelming, in a good way."

When asked about Brandon's morale, Mindy said that he is getting back to being himself. "Oh you know him, he's worried about everybody else," she said. That's not a surprise to those who know him; the guy who's always thinking of others.

PATCH

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ber Choo Choo will be making rounds.

Along with pumpkins and entertainment for the kids, there will be plenty of eye-catching fall decoration for sale as well.

On September 26th, the event will begin at 3 p.m. and last until 8 p.m. On October 3rd, the fundraiser will start at 3 p.m. and last until 9-ish.

For more information, contact the chamber office at 325-728-3403.

COUNCIL

had to be canceled, all would-be candidates must resubmit an application to be put on the ballot.

Early voting begins Monday, October 19th, at City Hall, located at 111 S. Main in Loraine. Early voting will continue from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday until Friday, October 30th.

For more information, call city hall at 325-737-2222.

SIP

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Merchants participating include Anchored Soul, D&B Antiques, The Dragonfly, Good Ole Days Antique Mall, Desert Rain, Eclectiques, Heart of West Texas Museum, Sparks Trading Post, Tip Nails & Spa, Stacie's Creations Floral & Gifts, Bigg's Pizza & Grill and Mary's Café.

Snacks will be available at Anchored Soul, Colorado Floral, Desert Rain, The Dragonfly, Eclectiques, Heart of West Texas Museum, and Stacie's Creations.

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website, approximately 3,500 American FFA Degrees are handed out each year at the National FFA Convention & Expo. That number represents less than half of one percent of all FFA members, making it one of the organization's highest honors.

Davila and Russell said that they, as FFA members, strive to promote leadership, and attending the convention in the last week of October will help them continue to do just that.

The young ladies said that they expect to gain travel experience, leadership skills, learn about other FFA chapters and learn about colleges and universities from all over the country.

In other business, board members heard a presentation by Compass Builders' Charlie Price.

He said that installation of the sub-floor for the new gymnasium will begin Monday, and the wood flooring will be installed soon.

Superintendent Reggy Spencer said that once the wolf head on the front of the building is finished, it will project the shape of a wolf head into the night sky.

Weights are in for the new weightroom that will be housed in the multi-purpose building, and Price said he expects those to be put in around the end of September. Carpeting is also ready to go into the band hall inside the large multi-purpose building.

Price said that 99% of the Pre-K through 8th grade campus is now dried in and sheetrocking is underway. He said that construction of the campus is "progressing nicely."

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LOCAL NEWS

Health fair another successful event for MCHD

By Audra Hoback,
MCHD Marketing Director
Mitchell County Hospital
District's 5th Annual Health,
Wellness & Safety Fair was held
this past Saturday, September

12th. An estimated 300 people
came out to take part in several
free health screenings and learn
about health-related products
and services from local and area-
wide vendors.

According to Jean Dagondon,
BSMT(AMT), MCHD Laboratory
Manager, 145 free lab
screenings were conducted, com-
pared to 128 last year and 101 in
2013. Residents who took part in
the lab tests can expect their re-
sults in the mail this week.

The flu clinic saw a good turn-
out as well with an estimated 161
flu vaccines being given, com-
pared to 150 last year and 146 in
2013. Over 20 pneumonia vac-
cines were administered as well.

Participants of the fair had the
opportunity to learn basic first-
aid and CPR for both child and
adult, check blood pressure and

blood sugar, learn about cancer
awareness, hospice, home health,
health supplements, nursing
homes and much more.

"The health fair is one of the
biggest productions Mitchell
County Hospital District puts
on in an effort to give back to
our community. We also use
the health fair as a platform to
encourage our community to be
more conscious of their health,
and we are encouraged by the
fact that the turn-out and num-
ber of residents taking part in the
free services offered continue to
increase every year," said Robbie
Dewberry, MCHD CEO.



COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT – FirstBank & Trust employees Sareesa Proctor (right) and Janie Davila (center) served refreshments to those attending the 2015 MCHD Health, Wellness and Safety Fair. Rhonda Roark (left) enjoyed her time working at the event, as well as checking out the 30+ vendor booths.



EDUCATION THAT COULD SAVE A LIFE – Employees of the hospital (l-r) Marla Bell, Kaley Molina and Michelle "Mo" Molina, taught basic first aid and CPR fundamentals to those attending the MCHD Health, Wellness and Safety Fair last Saturday morning.



HOSPITALITY AT ITS FINEST – City National Bank employees Mary Alice Hernandez and Julie Rodriguez provided free nutritious snacks and drinks at the hospitality booth sponsored by the bank at this year's health fair. The event was held at the hospital Saturday morning, with over 200 people attending.

Boer Goat Cook-off to be held Oct. 2, 3

A new category has been added to the list of cooking contests up for judging in the World Championship Boer Goat Cook-off. The annual fundraising event is set for Friday and Saturday, October 2nd and 3rd in Ruddick Park.

This year the Colorado Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary added a youth desert category for would-be cooks ages 16 and under. Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places, and cost is \$10 per entry.

All cooking must be done on site, and turn in time will be 10 a.m. Saturday morning. All proceeds will go to the scholarship fund of the CCVFD Auxiliary. The scholarship is awarded to a graduating Colorado High or Wallace Accelerated High School senior planning to attend college.

CCVFD Fireman Tom Carlock said that anyone who likes goat should make plans to serve as a judge at the cook-off. He said if you know you're going to judge, call the fire station at 325-728-5252 or you can just show up at the west pavilion near the swimming pool about 10:30 on Saturday morning.

Just as in year's past, the team cooking the best goat will garner \$1,500 in prize money donated by Fuller Foods and three belt buckles donated by Wood's Boots. 2nd place will get \$750 sponsored by TLR Welding & Fabrication. 3rd place wins \$500 donated by Sendero Sales & Rentals, 4th place finishers receive \$125 compliments of PJ's Wrecker Service, and 5th place goat cooks get \$125 compliments of Red Rock Oilfield Services.

Spots for cooking goat are limited to the first 55 teams who pay the fee and turn in an application. Carlock said applications will be mailed to teams who have competed before, and any new teams can stop by the fire station to pick up an application.

Cooks can begin designating their spots in Ruddick Park after September 28th. Registration will be held on Friday, October 2nd from noon to 7 p.m. If any spots remain unfilled after 7, teams on the waiting list will be called.

Contestants, their families or any team member may begin setting up camps in the park on Friday, October 2nd. Each participant is asked to limit the amount of space they take for the cooking team to a reasonable amount and to be courteous to fellow cooks.

CCVFD will furnish half of a boer goat at check-in time. Cooks must cook and turn in the boer goat provided for judging. All cooking must be done in the designated area.

No firearms, no glass containers or gambling will be allowed in the cook-off areas. Violators will be asked to leave and will not be allowed to participate.

Anyone without a valid driver's license is not permitted to operate any of the following: four-wheelers, ATVs, golf carts, motorized scooters, mules or vehicles in the park during cook-off dates. This rule will be strictly enforced.

The cook-off will be held rain or shine, and there will be no refunds, no exceptions, regardless of circumstance.

For more information, call the fire station at 325-728-5252.

Merrell to speak at Mitchell Co. Reunion to be held Sept. 26

Colorado High School Principal Mark Merrell will be the featured speaker at this year's Mitchell County Reunion, and anyone who lives or has ever lived in Mitchell County is welcome to attend the reunion which is planned for Saturday, September 26th.

Registration will begin that morning in the Colorado City Civic Center at 10 a.m., and refreshments will be available. A catered lunch will be served about noon, and cost is \$10 per person.

Anyone planning to attend should call the Heart of West Texas Museum before September 26th to make organizers aware. The museum is located at 340 E. 3rd Street and the phone number is 325-728-8285.

For those coming in from out of town, overnight accommodations can be made at Hotel Texas by calling 325-728-4100.

Make plans to attend the reunion. There will be plenty of familiar faces of friends new and old.

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Explanatory Statements for the November 3, 2015 Constitutional Amendment Election

Proposition Number 1 (SJR 1)

SJR 1 - Current law provides an exemption of \$15,000 from the ad valorem taxation for public school purposes of a residence homestead. The proposed amendment would increase this exemption to \$25,000, starting in the tax year beginning January 1, 2015. In order to reflect the increased exemption on the homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or a disabled person, the proposed amendment would provide a reduction to the current limitation on the total amount of ad valorem taxes. The proposed amendment would protect school districts from all or part of the revenue loss by authorizing an appropriation of funds according to formulas set by the legislature. In addition, the proposed amendment would authorize the legislature to prohibit a political subdivision from reducing or repealing a homestead exemption adopted by the political subdivision. Finally, the proposed amendment would prohibit the imposition of a tax on the conveyance of real property, but would not prohibit the imposition of a business tax measured by business activity, a tax on the production of minerals, a tax on the issuance of title insurance, or a change in the rate of a tax in existence on January 1, 2016.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment increasing the amount of the residence homestead exemption from ad valorem taxation for public school purposes from \$15,000 to \$25,000, providing for a reduction of the limitation on the total amount of ad valorem taxes that may be imposed for those purposes on the homestead of an elderly or disabled person to reflect the increased exemption amount, authorizing the legislature to prohibit a political subdivision that has adopted an optional residence homestead exemption from ad valorem taxation from reducing the amount of or repealing the

exemption, and prohibiting the enactment of a law that imposes a transfer tax on a transaction that conveys fee simple title to real property."

Proposition Number 2 (HJR 75)

HJR 75 - In 2011, voters approved a constitutional amendment to allow a surviving spouse of a 100 percent or totally disabled veteran an exemption from ad valorem taxation from all or part of the market value on the disabled veteran's residence homestead, as long as the surviving spouse had not remarried. The amendment did not apply to surviving spouses of veterans who died before 2011. This amendment would extend the exemption in such cases. The proposed amendment would apply only to ad valorem taxes imposed for a tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2016.

The proposed amendment would appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of a 100 percent or totally disabled veteran who died before the law authorizing a residence homestead exemption for such a veteran took effect."

Proposition Number 3 (SJR 52)

SJR 52 proposes a constitutional amendment to repeal the requirement for the Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Commissioner of the General Land Office, the Attorney General, and any other officers elected statewide to reside in Austin, Texas, the state capital. Under current law, these statewide elected officers are required to reside in the capital of the State of Texas while in office. This amendment would not apply to the residency requirement for the Governor.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment repealing the requirement that state officers elected by voters statewide reside in the state capital."

Proposition Number 4 (HJR 73)

HJR 73 proposes a constitutional amendment that would grant the legislature the authority to pass statutes to allow a professional sports team charitable foundation to conduct charitable raffles under the terms and conditions imposed by general law. The laws passed under this authority may provide that the professional sports team charitable foundation may use proceeds from such charitable raffles to pay reasonable advertising, promotional, and administrative expenses. Any law enacted by this provision only applies to entities defined as professional sports team charitable foundations on January 1, 2016. Additionally, any law enacted by this provision may only allow charitable raffles to be conducted at games hosted at the home venue of the professional sports team associated with a professional sports team charitable foundation.

The proposed amendment would appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit professional sports team charitable foundations to conduct charitable raffles."

Proposition Number 5 (SJR 17)

SJR 17 proposes a constitutional amendment which would increase from 5,000 to 7,500 the maximum total population threshold of a county that is allowed to construct and maintain private roads as long as the county imposes a reasonable charge for the work.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize counties with a population of 7,500 or less to perform private road construction and maintenance."

Proposition Number 6 (SJR 22)

SJR 22 proposes a constitutional amendment that would add the right to hunt, fish and harvest wildlife, including by use of traditional methods, in the Bill of Rights of the Texas Constitution. This right would be subject to laws and regulations intended to conserve

and manage wildlife and to preserve the future of hunting and fishing. The proposed amendment would establish hunting and fishing as the preferred method of managing and controlling wildlife in Texas. The proposed amendment is not intended to affect any law or provision related to trespass, property rights or eminent domain, and would not prevent the legislature from authorizing a municipality to regulate the discharge of a firearm in a populated area in the interest of safety.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment recognizing the right of the people to hunt, fish, and harvest wildlife subject to laws that promote wildlife conservation."

Proposition Number 7 (SJR 5)

SJR 5 proposes a constitutional amendment to dedicate a portion of revenues from (1) the state sales and use tax, and (2) the tax imposed on the sale, use, or rental of a motor vehicle, to the State Highway Fund (SHF). Under current law, these funds would be deposited to the General Revenue Fund. Money deposited to the SHF is intended to be used only to construct, maintain, or acquire rights-of-way for public roadways other than toll roads; or to repay certain transportation-related debt.

The proposed amendment would appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment dedicating certain sales and use tax revenue and motor vehicle sales, use, and rental tax revenue to the state highway fund to provide funding for non-toll roads and the reduction of certain transportation-related debt."

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SCHOOL MENUS



INCOMING OFFICERS – The Mitchell County Retired School Personnel group held their kickoff barbeque recently, and officers were elected for the year. They are: (l-r) Joan Lemons, Martha Anderson, Leslie Geiger, Janet Mayo, Patty Pharis and Susan Farr.

Retired teachers elect officers

The Mitchell County Retired School Personnel met September 8th for the annual kickoff barbeque, and officers were elected for the upcoming year. The group gathered at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Colorado City last week for the regular meeting.

Officers elected were: Joan Lemons, Martha Anderson,

Leslie Geiger, Janet Mayo, Patty Pharis and Susan Farr. They will serve the group for the 2015-16 school year.

Farr welcomed the group and Phil Anderson said a prayer to get the meeting started. Those attending enjoyed a barbeque meal with all the trimmings, as well as visiting with friends and getting reacquainted.

Following musical entertainment by Colorado High School student Emily Ballard, Geiger provided information on the upcoming book project that will be undertaken by the former school faculty organization.

Former school district employees are welcome and encouraged to join the group.

Casino Night planned Oct. 17th

By **Andra Hoback**
MCHD Marketing Director

The Mitchell County Hospital District Charitable Foundation Board and Committee are currently planning the 2nd Annual Casino Night Fundraiser scheduled for Saturday, October 17th from 6 to 10 p.m. at the Copper Press on Oak Street.

This year's theme is Masquerade. Tickets for the event are \$75 and include a hors d'oeuvre buffet, two beverage tickets (beer or wine), and \$2,000 of playing chips. A Lubbock-based company will provide the dealers and gaming tables with casino

favorites such as Texas Hold'em, Blackjack, Roulette, and Craps. Additional playing chips can be purchased the night of the event should your luck run out.

At the end of the evening, guests may cash their chips out for raffle tickets that can be used to enter them in drawings for prizes donated by several local merchants. A silent auction will also be held.

All attendees are encouraged to dress in costume or elegant attire.

"Last year this event was a huge success and everyone enjoyed a fun evening out. We hope to

build upon last year's success and continue to grow this fundraising event each year," said Robbie Dewberry, MCHD CEO.

The MCHD Charitable Foundation was established to support special projects of the hospital and all proceeds from this event will benefit the new building and expansion of Family Medical Associates, MCHD's Rural Health Clinic.

For more information, to purchase tickets, or to donate, please contact Carla Sauer @ (325) 728-3431 ext. 7602 or csauer@mitchellcountryhospital.com. Tickets are limited.

Colorado ISD Breakfast

Sept. 21st-28th
Monday – Waffles, sausage or dry cereal, toast, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Tuesday – Dutch waffles, bacon or dry cereal, toast, fruit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Wednesday – Breakfast boat or dry cereal, toast, fruit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Thursday – Stuffed bagel, sausage or dry cereal, toast, fruit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Friday – Pancakes, bacon or dry cereal, toast, fruit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Colorado ISD Lunch Menu

Sept. 21st-28th
Monday – Cheese pizza, garden salad, baby carrots with ranch, mixed fruit, choice of milk.
Tuesday – Hot ham and cheese on pretzel bun, fresh veggie cup, steamed broccoli, snow ball salad, choice of milk.
Wednesday – BBQ on a bun, garden salad, baby carrots with ranch, apple slices, double chocolate chip cookie, choice of milk.
Thursday – Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, apple pineapple d'lite, choice of milk.
Friday – Hamburger, coleslaw, pinto beans, orange smiles, choice of milk.

Loraine ISD Breakfast Menu

Sept. 21st-28th
Monday – Waffles, sausage, oatmeal round, yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Tuesday – Biscuit, scrambled eggs, cereal, toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Wednesday – Cinnamon roll, bacon, cereal, toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Thursday – Sausage, egg, cheese pretzel, cereal, toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Friday – Breakfast burrito, cereal, toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Loraine ISD Lunch Menu

Sept. 21st-28th
Monday – Pizza choice, garden salad, baby carrots with ranch, mixed fruit, milk.
Tuesday – Hot ham and cheese on pretzel bun, tomato cucumber cup, steamed broccoli, snowball salad, milk.
Wednesday – Chicken alfredo, breadstick, garden salad, carrot coins, apple slices, fruit cup, cookie, milk.

Thursday – Chicken bowl with gravy, savory green beans, apple-pineapple d'lite, roll, milk.
Friday – Barbeque on a bun, coleslaw, pinto beans, orange smiles, milk.

Westbrook ISD Breakfast Menu

Sept. 21st-28th
Monday – Morning sausage roll or cereal with toast, chilled pears, fresh whole fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Tuesday – Breakfast pizza or French toast sticks, chilled peaches, fresh whole fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Wednesday – Breakfast taco or chicken biscuit, chilled apricots, fresh whole fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Thursday – Pancake bar or pop tart, chilled mix fruit, fresh whole fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Friday – Home style cinnamon rolls or cereal with toast, mandarin oranges, fresh whole fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Westbrook ISD Lunch Menu

Sept. 21st-28th

Monday – Beef stroganoff, fun lunch sloppy joe with sun chips, totally cheesy chef salad, green beans, blackeye peas, romaine garden salad, blushing pears, cornbread, milk.
Tuesday – Zesty orange chicken, fun lunch mini corn dogs with curly fries, chef salad with tuna, steamed rice, glazed carrots, oriental blend vegetables, blushing applesauce, fortune cookie, roll, milk.
Wednesday – Home style pizza, grilled chicken salad, seasoned corn, baked Italian zucchini and tomatoes, chilled mandarin oranges, milk.
Thursday – Taco pie, fun lunch burrito, beefy taco salad, Spanish rice, southwest broccoli with cheese, lettuce and tomato salad, chilled peaches, milk.
Friday – Cheeseburger or crispy chicken salad, French fries, burger salad, baked beans, chilled mixed fruit, milk.

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KING CANDIDATES—Westbrook's homecoming will be this Friday, September 18th. Homecoming king candidates are Tanner Strain, Rowdy Morris, Bryson Dominguez, Zane Clemmer and Seth Burleson. Photo courtesy of Kaci Rainbolt.



QUEEN CANDIDATES—Westbrook's 2015 queen candidates are Taylor Webb, Danye Vigil, Shannon Morris, Brianna Lathers and Kelsey Allen. Westbrook's homecoming will be Friday, September 18th. Photo courtesy of Kaci Rainbolt.

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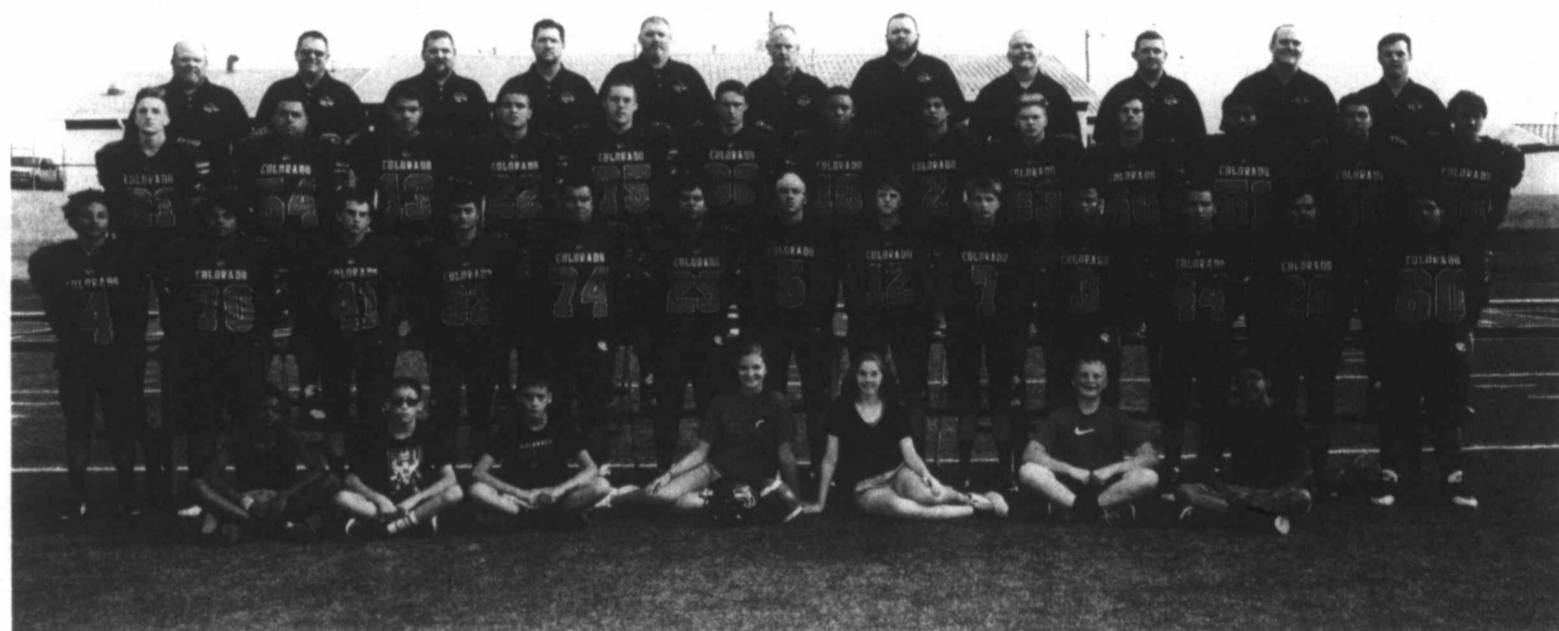
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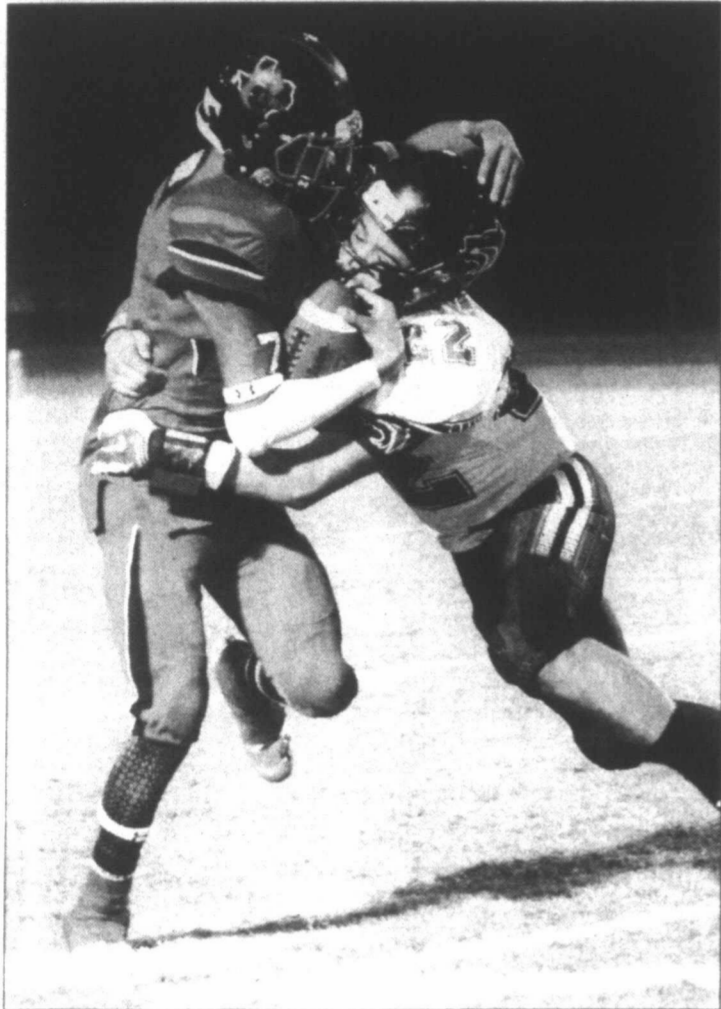


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SPORTS

Early miscues help Cubs put bite on C-City



TACKLE-- The Wolves Andrew Burrola puts the hurt to a Brownfield runner in last weeks game in which the Wolves lost. Burrola had another good game defensively and was named defensive player of the week.

Wolves face another tough opponent Friday in Clyde

It doesn't get any easier for Wolf nation this week. A much improved Clyde Bulldogs team awaits the Wolves Friday in Clyde. Returning eight starters on offense and six on defense, Clyde easily defeated Holiday last week 48 to 21 and have two wins and one loss this year. "They are better than Brownfield," head coach Dan Gainey said earlier this week. "A big and strong veteran offensive line and consistent running and passing game make the Bulldogs a formidable opponent."

Defensively, the Bulldogs have a really good linebacker that could be one of the quickest in this area. Meanwhile, the Wolves will try to regroup following a non-impressive outing last week in Brownfield. Getting the offense untracked is a priority as the Wolves near the end of the non-district schedule. Several key players are bruised and as of Monday the coaching staff was unsure who can play Friday and who cannot. Game time in Clyde is 7:30 p.m.

BROWNFIELD – The Colorado High School Wolves got a major lesson in how Murphy's Law operates on Friday night in front of a large crowd in Brownfield. In fact, despite a Herculean rushing effort from senior running back De'Ante Adkison, that probably earned a doctorate degree in all matters of what can go wrong will go wrong.

Turnovers, along with the poor field position that it left the Wolves' defense in for much of the first half, and a lackluster passing game played a huge role in Brownfield's ability to claim a lopsided victory in non-district action. As a team, the Wolves put the ball on the ground four times – losing two – and failed to complete an offensive pass en route to dropping a 55-20 decision.

With the loss, Colorado City slipped to 1-2 for the season. Brownfield remained unbeaten at 3-0.

Difficult times started early for the Wolves. Real early.

After Andrew Burrola had opened the game by returning the opening kick to the Brownfield 49, the CHS offense misfired. The team failed to gain a single yard on their first three plays from scrimmage and found themselves facing a 4th-and-10 situation.

The news got worse. On the punt attempt, the ball struck one of the Wolves in the back and was covered for a 1-yard loss.

The Colorado City defense appeared to squelch the Cubs' hopes of converting the miscue into points moments later. Shadow Cansler and the Wolves defense held Brownfield in check on their first three plays and forced the Cubs into a punting situation.

Bad luck hit C-City hard from there. The Wolves coughed up the ensuing punt, giving Brownfield new life at the CHS 14.

Four plays later, BHS running back Ezequias Morin pushed his way into the end zone from

a yard out to put the Cubs up, 7-0, with 8:44 left in the opening frame.

The Wolves' luck didn't get any better from there. Colorado City saw its second possession end in tragedy as Brownfield managed to block a low punt and scoop of the loose ball at the CHS 6.

Quarterback Jaelyn Nolan turned the miscue into points on Brownfield's first play by scampering around the right side for a touchdown. The Cubs' second rushing TD in a 1:15 span staked Brownfield to a 14-0 cushion.

The first quarter nightmare was far from through for the Wolves. The Cubs partially blocked a punt on the Wolves' next punting attempt, recovering the ball at the CHS 32 and setting up another short strike opportunity for its offense.

Nolan didn't disappoint the BHS crowd. He capped the Cubs' 7-play, 32-yard march by scoring on a 9-yard run that staked Brownfield to a 21-0 advantage with 3:21 left in the opening stanza.

After rolling up minus-23 yards on their first 13 plays, Adkison and Colorado City quarterback Tommy James finally gave C-City something to smile about early in the second quarter. Keyed by a 38-yard run on the next to last play of the first quarter, the Wolves managed to post an 8-play, 74-yard march on their fourth possession. James' 38-yard romp moved the ball to the Brownfield 18.

After an offside penalty on the Cubs had advanced the ball to the 13, Adkison put Colorado City within striking distance by taking a pitch off the right side and sauntering to the BHS 1. One play later, James called his own number and plowed into the end zone from a yard out on a quarterback keeper.

James' TD cut Brownfield's lead to 21-7 with 10:24 left in the first half.

The Cubs answered right back – quickly.

Just 21 seconds after James had put the Wolves on the board, Nolan gave Brownfield the momentum back by tossing a 75-yard scoring strike to Alex McCrary on first down.

Nolan closed out the first half by throwing TD passes of 16 and 15 yards to McCrary and Jezreel Griffin.

As a team, Brownfield outscored Colorado City by a 19-7 clip in the second quarter and took a 40-7 advantage into the half.

Nolan helped the Cubs pick up right where they left off in the second half. He capped a 6-play, 82-yard drive to open the third quarter by breaking free on a 42-yard scoring play at the 9:31 mark.

Nolan's third rushing TD of the contest upped the Cubs' lead to 46-7 with 9:31 left in the third quarter.

Tragedy struck the Wolves again later in the third. Facing a 4th-and-26 situation from their own 5, Colorado City's special teams misfired again. A high snap on the punt attempt sailed over the punter's head and out the back of the end zone for a safety.

Brownfield took a 48-7 lead into the start of the fourth quarter.

The Cubs tacked on a 43-yard score early in the fourth to build their lead to 55-7.

Adkison refused to let the Wolves go down quietly. One of the top rushers in the area, he exploded offensively in the final 10:25 of play.

Following Brownfield's final TD, Adkison gave C-City's offense a huge lift by capping a quick 2-play 65-yard strike. On

second down from the CHS 35, he took a handoff from James and darted through the middle of the offense line before cutting behind a downfield block by Isaiah Jennings and bolting 65 yards for a score.

Adkison wasn't through creating fireworks for the Wolves. On Colorado City's next possession, he raced 73 yards on a 2-and-14 play for a touchdown.

Adkison finished the game with a career-high 228 yards rushing on 17 carries – 138 of which came in the fourth quarter.

Colorado City will return to action on Friday when they travel to Clyde. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m.

STATISTICS

C-City	0	7	0	13	-20
Brownfield	21	19	8	7	-55

Team Statistics

CHS	Stats	Crane
12	First Downs	16
36-274	Rush-Yards	42-236
0-11-0-0-0	Comp-Att-Yards	7-1-154-3-0
274	Total Yards	390
5-45	Penalties	11-75
7-18.7	Punts/Ave	4-35
4-2	Fumbles-Lost	1-0

Points Scored

De'Ante Adkison	12
Tommy James	6
Josh Salazar	2

Passing

Tommy James,	0-11-0-0-0
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Individual Rushing

De'Ante Adkison	17-228
Tommy James	14-38
Alex Trujillio	2-(-1)
Brandon Molina	3-9

Extra Points

Josh Salazar	2-3
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SEASON STATISTICS

C-City	0	13	0	40	0	-53
Opponents	35	47	15	14	0	-111

Team Statistics

CHS	Stats	Opponents
29	First Downs	41
103-486	Rush-Yards	112-423
12-35-75-1-3	Comp-Att-Yards	24-57-394-7-3
554	Total Yards	817
16-131	Penalties	25-200
16-28.9	Punts/Ave	12-31.8
9-5	Fumbles-Lost	3-1

Points Scored

D. Adkison,	26;	T. James,	18;	M. Munoz,	6;	J. Salazar	3
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Field Goals

NA

Passing

T. James,	12-35-75-1-3
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Individual Rushing

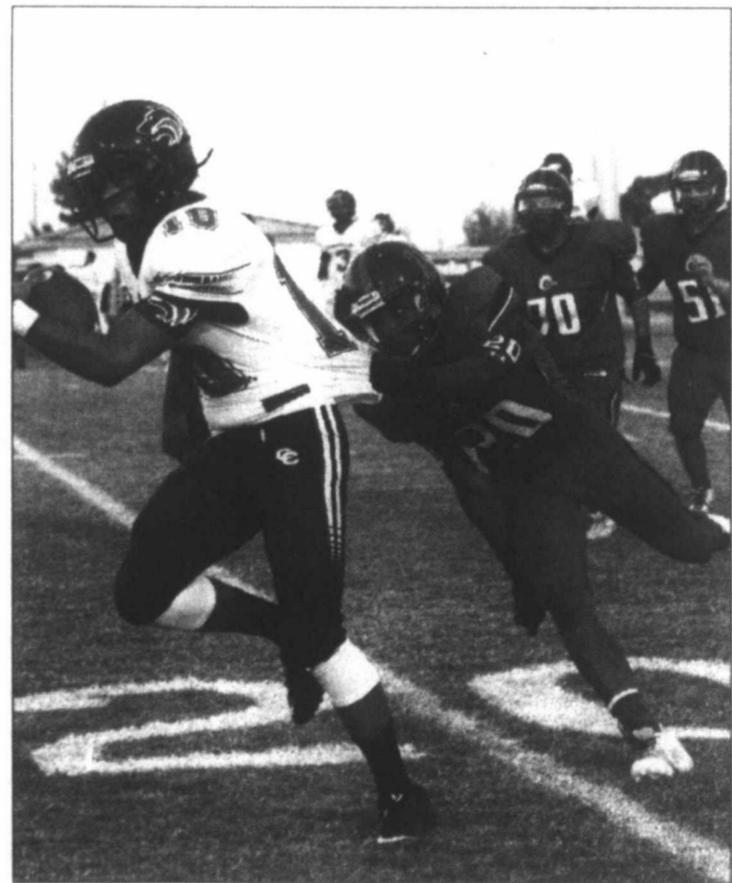
D. Adkison,	49-467;	T. James	46-20;
B. Molina,	3-9;	A. Truillo,	4-(-7);
I. Jennings,	1-(-3)		

Receiving

M. Munoz,	4-56;	I. Jennings,	5-14;
A. Burrola	2-12;	D. Adkison,	1-(-1)

Extra Points

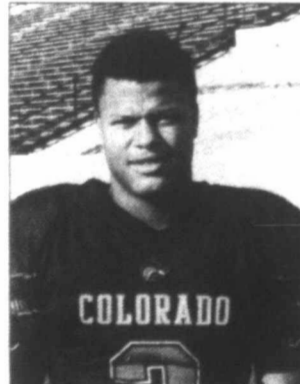
J. Salazar,	3-6
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RUN-- Wolves quarterback Tommy James scampers for good yardage against Brownfield as several Cubs try to catch him.

Colorado City Wolves PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

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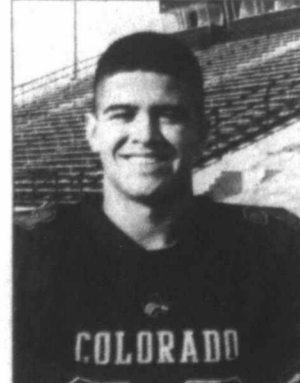


De'Ante Adkison
Offensive Player of the Week

Great job against Brownfield



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SPORTS

Westbrook Wildcats win big over Blackwell Hornets, 58-8

The Wildcats went to the air last week and quarterback Bryson Dominguez threw for 6 touchdowns as Westbrook beat a good Blackwell team 58-8.

On the receiving end of Dominguez's passes were Zane Clemmer with 1 touchdown,

Cutter Williams hauling in 2 touchdown passes, Robert Booth catching 1 touchdown pass, while Michael Watson had 1 touchdown pass. Williams added his 3rd touchdown of the night on an interception return. Jayden Lopez recorded two fumble re-

coveries for touchdowns and Tye Erwin kicked 5 out of 7 extra points in the big Wildcat win.

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Friday night against Veribest

Wildcat homecoming this week

It's homecoming this week in Westbrook. Veribest comes to town Friday night for a 7:30 p.m. contest.

The Wildcats are coming off an impressive 58 to 8 victory

over a good Blackwell team while Veribest beat Panther Creek 43-38 last week.

It was Westbrook's second victory this season as they continue to improve as the season progresses.

Veribest has half their starters returning from last year's 0-10 season. New coach Jack Shelby has little experience but the falcons already won more games this year than they did last year.

Loraine JH topples Titans, 32-7

The Loraine Junior High Bulldogs beat the Lubbock Titans last Friday at Johnson Field 32-7.

Two first quarter touchdowns put the Bulldogs up 16-0 at the end of the 1st quarter. Gio Benivamondez scored first on a 65-yard punt return and a successful extra point kick by Cadon Walthall had the Bulldogs up 8-0 midway through the first quarter.

Tony Williams added another touchdown late in the first quarter and a successful kick by Walthall had the Bulldogs up 16-0.

Williams scored twice in the second quarter, a 20-yard run and a 15-yard touchdown run and with both extra-point kicks by Walthall, the Bulldog had a good lead at the half 32-0.

Lubbock added a late fourth quarter touchdown for their only

score. Christian Diaz, Gio Benivamondez and Jaxson Phariss led the Bulldog defense with four tackles. Walthall and Williams recorded three tackles while Angel Lopez, Jeffrey Punam and Daniel Finley each had two tackles. Finley also caused a fumble and recovered a fumble.

The Junior High Bulldogs will play St. Ann's in Loraine this week.

JV Wolves squeak by Cubs

The JV Wolves held on last week to defeat Brownfield 28-26 in a thriller at Wolf Stadium.

The Wolves ate up four and a half minutes late in the 4th quarter to secure the win, converting a crucial fourth and one that iced the game.

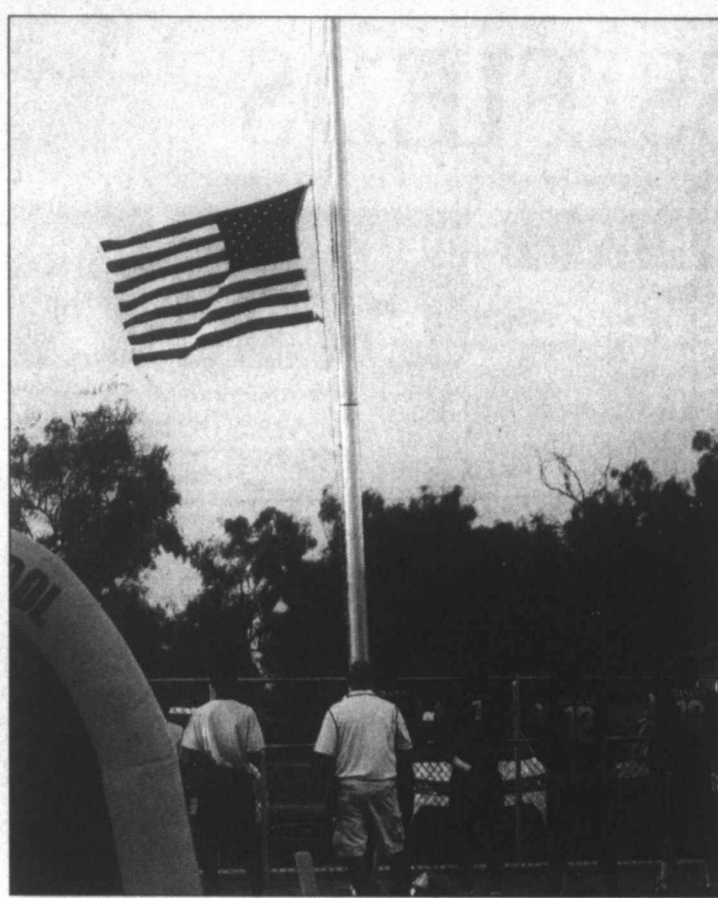
Markis Monroe scored two 1st quarter touchdowns to give

the Wolves an early lead. After a Brownfield touchdown early in the second quarter, Monroe hit Tracy Smith on a 31-yard pass and after a Monroe to Smith successful PAT, the Wolves were up 20-6 at the half.

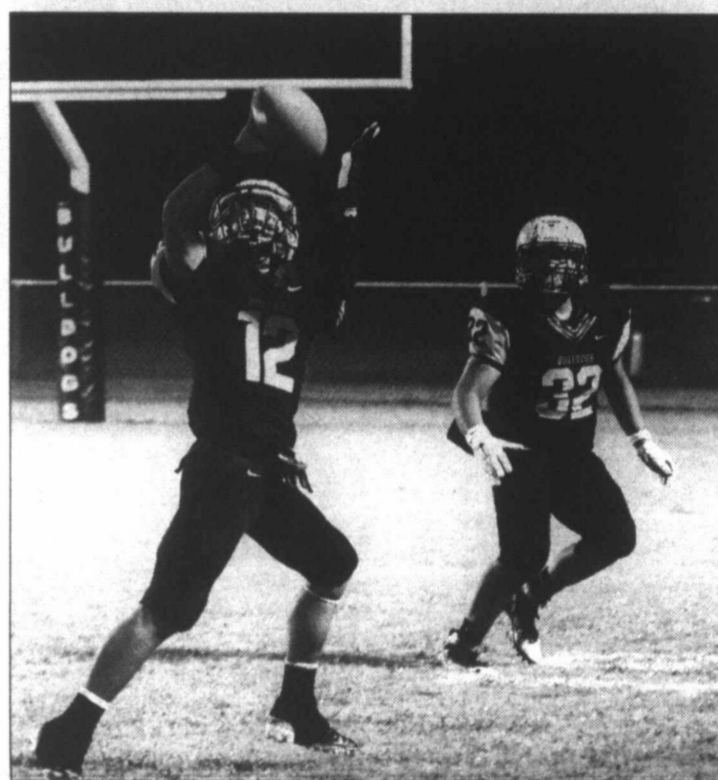
A Brownfield touchdown cut the lead to 20-14 when Jaquelin Spraglin returned a kick 72

yards for a Wolves score. After a successful 2 point conversion by Braylin Williams the Wolves were up 28-14.

Two Brownfield fourth quarter touchdowns cut the margin 28-26 as the JV Wolves held on for their second victory of the year.



REMEMBRANCE-- A flag at half-staff was raised last Friday night at the Loraine - Lubbock Titans game. The flag was at half-staff in remembrance of 9-11. Photos courtesy of Jana Edmonds.



GREAT CATCH -- J.T. Cooper (12) of the Bulldogs hauls in a pass for a nice gain in last Friday night's Loraine victory over Lubbock Titans. Oscar Gonzalez (32) prepares to block.

'Dogs enjoy win over Titans

The Bulldogs got a win last week beating the Lubbock Titans 68-22 at Johnson Field in Loraine.

Patrick Tillis scored twice in the 1st quarter for the Bulldogs on a 50-yard run and 9-yard gallop. Oscar Gonzales was good on one extra point.

The second quarter was huge for the Bulldogs as they scored seven touchdowns. Tillis ripped off two touchdowns on runs of 35 and 15 yards. He also scored on a 80-yard kickoff return, 35-yard fumble recovery and passed to J.T. Cooper for a 45-yard pass and also hit Jaxon Walthall on a 45-yard pass.

Tillis ended the Bulldogs' scoring early in the third quarter from 3 yards out. Gonzales was good on the extra point running it in.

Tillis rushed for 167 yards on 10 carries and scored five touchdowns.

Defensively, Sonny Benivamondez recorded seven tackles, had one hurry and a fumble recovery for 10 yards.

Tillis recorded six tackles, one hurry, two passes broken up, one fumble caused and one fumble recovery.

Cooper had five tackles, Dakota Smith recorded three tackles, one fumble caused and one blocked punt.

Walthall recorded two tackles, Gonzales recorded one tackle and one hurry while William Smith had two hurries.

The Bulldogs' record is 1-2 and they have an open date this week and will travel to Sierra Blanca September 26th for their next game.

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2015 LORAIN BULLDOGS -- (back row, left to right) Coach Kyle Hauk, Coach Monica Hauk, Patrick Tillis, Abram Hernandez, Jacob Lomas, Assistant Coach Eric Sanchez; (second row, left to right) Manager Gio Benivamondez, Sonny Benivamondez, Oscar Gonzales, James Thomas Cooper, Manager Cadon Walthall; (third row, left to right) Manager Tony Williams, Michael Garcia, Jaxon Walthall, Dakota Smith, Andrew Nieto, Manager Daniel Finlay; (front row, left to right) Manager Christian Sanchez, Royce Angel, Zackary Garcia, William Smith and Manager Christian Diaz.

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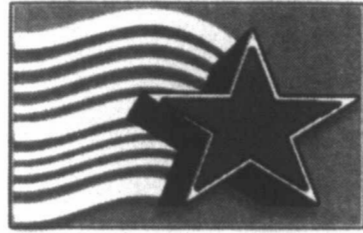
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1241 Austin - Move in ready! 3 Bedroom, 2 bath.
1032 Cedar - 3 Bedroom, 1 1/5 bath. Priced to sell. Call Cheri.
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City	Sept. '15	Sept. '14	+/-	Year '15	Year '14	+/-
Abilene	\$3,224,801.43	\$3,363,569.42	-4.12%	\$31,264,630.01	\$30,382,334.46	2.90%
Big Spring	\$725,616.46	\$792,991.42	-8.49%	\$7,552,196.47	\$6,923,601.33	9.07%
Colorado City	\$71,981.38	\$64,321.69	11.90%	\$568,978.76	\$658,049.18	-13.53%
Lamesa	\$128,422.64	\$142,013.74	-9.57%	\$1,257,185.06	\$1,249,119.23	0.64%
Loraine	\$1,312.06	\$1,370.72	-4.27%	\$21,306.57	\$15,101.18	41.09%
Lubbock	\$5,095,054.98	\$4,967,547.85	2.56%	\$48,865,779.51	\$46,570,128.19	4.92%
Mitchell Co.	\$52,508.36	\$39,271.93	33.70%	\$315,785.77	\$373,920.77	-15.54%
Post	\$56,782.43	\$119,332.80	-52.41%	\$772,097.34	\$977,835.08	-21.04%
Roby	\$3,010.51	\$2,726.64	10.41%	\$28,183.43	\$28,571.28	-1.35%
Rotan	\$15,913.58	\$16,218.00	-1.87%	\$158,439.66	\$159,554.10	-0.69%
Snyder	\$243,708.95	\$381,069.61	-36.04%	\$2,728,235.81	\$3,126,939.18	-12.75%
Sweetwater	\$322,816.49	\$310,391.78	4.00%	\$2,853,300.23	\$2,757,667.36	3.46%
Westbrook	\$2,648.85	\$2,046.08	29.45%	\$46,289.69	\$22,651.87	104.35%

Sales tax shows slight rebound

After several straight months of falling sales tax rebates, the City of Colorado City has seen an increase the last two months. As a matter of fact, September's payment of over \$71,000 is up by almost 12% when compared to September of last year.

City officials don't have an explanation for the increase, but City Manager David Hoover said he hopes the payment is accurate. At some point last year, the city received a sales tax rebate totaling over \$100,000 but was later contacted by the state and had to return a portion of the money due to an accounting mistake on the state's part.

Hoover said even though he doesn't know why the increase is being seen, he's happy to see the economic indicator taking a turn for the better. Overall, the city's rebates are down over 13% for the year.

Westbrook's September rebate was also up from this time last year by over \$200. Thanks to the sale of an oilfield business earlier in the year, the city's rebates have increased by over 100% in 2015.

Loraine has been seeing increasing allocations almost all year, but the September payment was down by a little over 4%. That amounts to about \$60 less than was received at this time last year. Loraine has received over \$6,000 more in 2015 than was received by September of 2014.

County officials were pleased to see an increase in the September payment to Mitchell County. The \$52,000+ allocation is up by more than \$13,000 when compared to 2014. Because of the sharp decrease in oil and gas activity, the county has seen payments fall more than 15% this year.

Comptroller Glenn Hegar said that state sales tax revenue in August was \$2.6 billion, down .4% from August 2014.

"The slight decline in sales tax revenue was due to reduced receipts from oil and gas-related sectors, offset by growth from other sectors," the comptroller said. "Higher collections from retail trade, restaurants and services indicated continued growth in consumer spending, while receipts from construction also grew."

Fundraiser planned for Wallace Meals on Wheels

Funds are needed for the Wallace Meals on Wheels program, and volunteers are planning a fundraiser. A Sunday lunch meal will be held on Sunday, September 27th, and everyone is encouraged to join the volunteers to help raise money for the worthy program.

The Wallace Senior Citizens Center serves between 120 and 130 people each day that the center is open. This total includes about 60 people who are unable to get out because of poor health and get the meals delivered to their homes.

Meal Manager Ivy Johnson said that all the food that is cooked and served at the center comes from Fuller Foods and a company called Hartnutt. The money to purchase the food comes by the way of donations and funding from the government.

In recent years, funding has been reduced drastically for food programs such as the one at Wallace, so the local center relies heavily on donations. Green said that most seniors that come to eat donate \$3 for meals, and younger visitors often pay \$5.

Beyond those regular donations, the Wallace Center benefits from all donations. The center serves and delivers meals on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays each week. Anyone needing meal delivery can call the center to get signed up.

On the last Sunday of the month, a brisquet meal will be served from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Wallace Center. The menu includes brisquet, sausage, potato salad, beans, coleslaw, homemade rolls, peach cobbler, along with tea and water.

Cost is \$10 for adults and \$6 for kids under 12 years of age. To go orders are welcome and may be picked up at the center that is located at 149 S. Hwy. 208.

Proceeds from the fundraiser will help support the Meals on Wheels program.

For more information, call the center at 325-728-1089 or Program Director Cherie Dockrey at 242-0828.

Seven vie for seat on board

Seven citizens have thrown their name into the hat to run for seats on the Mitchell County Hospital District Board of Directors. A November 3rd election will be held to fill four at-large seats on the board.

Incumbents Jerry Reynolds, Patty Pharis, Florence Bodine and Cheryl Warren filed to retain their seats. The incumbents are being challenged by Melinda Alexander, Brodie Harris and John Beckmeyer.

Early voting begins Monday, October 19th, and lasts through Friday, October 30th. Those wishing to vote before the election may do so in the lobby of the Mitchell County Courthouse Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. each day.

Applications to receive ballots by mail must be received in the office of the County Clerk by Friday, October 23rd and must be returned by Tuesday, November 3rd.

Questionnaires are being sent to each candidate, and responses will be run in the Record in upcoming editions.

POLICE REPORT

On September 4th at 11:37 p.m., while an officer was on patrol in the 800 block of East 10th Street he observed a vehicle traveling in excess of the posted speed limit. A traffic stop was initiated in the 1000 block of Rusk Street. While speaking with the driver the officer could detect a strong odor of alcohol coming from the vehicle. The officer observed the driver's eyes to be glassy and bloodshot. A consensual search of the vehicle resulted in the officer finding a small amount of marijuana and drug paraphernalia. The 27-year-old male was arrested and taken to the Mitchell County Jail where he was booked accordingly.

On September 6th at 4:03 p.m., an officer was dispatched to the 1800 block of College in reference to a fight in progress. Upon officer arrival, the fight had been broken up and several had left the area. The officer met with a male subject there. While speaking with him, he had police dispatch run a records check. The 34-year-old male was found to hold a Mitchell County warrant for no driver's license. He was arrested and taken to the Mitchell County Jail.

On September 6th at 5:52 p.m., an officer responded to the 200 block of East 5th in reference to a male subject who had called the police department stating he was intoxicated and needed to be arrested. Upon officer arrival, he found a male subject standing in the street who told the officer he had been drinking throughout the day and arguing with his girlfriend. He felt he was so intoxicated he may harm himself or others. The officer felt that this statement was correct and arrested him for public intoxication. The 58-year-old male was taken to the Mitchell County Jail and booked accordingly.

On September 6th at 6:51 p.m., while an officer was on patrol in the 100 block of East Front Street, he observed a vehicle driving recklessly. A traffic stop was conducted. A records check showed the driver to have no license, no insurance and to be displaying an expired license plate. The 34-year-old was arrested and taken to the Mitchell County Jail.

On September 8th at 4 p.m., an officer was dispatched to a local business in the 400 block of Hickory in reference to a theft that had already occurred and been viewed on video surveillance. A male subject on several occasions had removed items from the store without rendering payment.

LOCAL NEWS

Anderson speaks to Lions Club

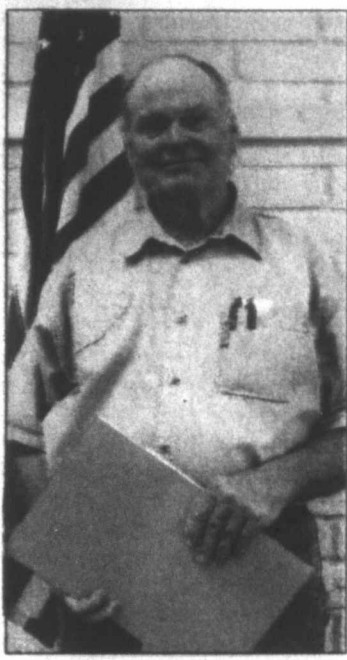
The Colorado City Lions Club welcomed Woody Anderson, board member of the Board of Economic Development, as the featured speaker at the weekly meeting Friday. Anderson spoke about the BOED and some of the past and ongoing projects.

According to Anderson, the BOED was formed 20+ years ago in the early 1990s. "Sales tax was in the ditch, there had been a downturn in oil, agriculture and cattle," he said. The economic development board procured the construction of a state prison that helped turn the economy around.

Anderson said that after the Wallace and Ware TDCJ prison units were built, staffed and opened, sales tax payments immediately turned around, as officers stimulated the economy with purchases in businesses in Colorado City.

The BOED also successfully acquired and transformed the old Loraine Manor into bachelor's quarters for TDCJ officers who come in from out of town to work and only need a place to sleep and shower for a few days per week. The manor offers 27 rooms that are rented for \$125 per month by 50 officers on alternating schedules.

The Mitchell County Sports Complex is another major undertaking of the BOED. The county had applied three times for grants to build a sports complex but had been turned down. After consulting state personnel, it was decided that an environmental component had to be added to the grant application.



RALLYING FOR THE COUNTY - Woody Anderson of the Mitchell County BOED spoke to local Lions about past, present and future projects the development board has brought to the area.

And so was born the poppy mallow conservation area, as Mitchell County is one of two counties where the endangered flower grows. Bobby Lemons, also a member of the BOED, takes great care in tending to the flower's habitat.

The wind energy effort is another project that paid off for the BOED. Anderson estimated that there are over 300 turbines inside county lines. The county owns a 200-acre tract of land with four wind turbines on it, netting the taxing entity \$20,000 in revenue annually.

Anderson reported that the

total income in the wind industry in 2014 came in around \$1.7 million. He said that many citizens here work in the industry, and there are plans to work on expanding the industry soon.

While the construction of the desalination plant has not yet come to fruition, Anderson said that the project has been like the Texas Two-Step, two steps forward and one step back. He said that the plant is back on track, and the construction will be completed by Lone Wolf Resources.

The planned FGE power plant hasn't seen much activity lately, but Anderson said he hopes to see the county work with FGE Texas to finalize negotiations on the \$1.2 billion project. The plant will employ 25-27 full-time skilled workers with a \$4 million per year payroll once construction is complete.

Anderson said that the motels going up around Colorado City are being built to help house the 400-450 workers it will take to build the plant. The city has negotiated a deal with FGE to sell effluent water, generating at least \$240,000 per year for the city.

If negotiations go through, the county stands to gain \$102 million over the course of the next 20 years. Anderson said that the hospital will receive \$900,000 over 20 years with the construction of the plant.

He went on to say that the Lone Wolf Groundwater Conservation District will not have to collect taxes for at least 20 years, thanks to payments that will begin when construction of the plant starts.

Before adjourning, Anderson said that the Board of Economic Development voluntarily offered to cut 25% out of its budget, lowering its budget by \$180,000 to help the county cut costs in the face of an economic downturn.

Los Banger Broz need your vote!

Colorado City native, Freddy Salazar, is part of the band Los Banger Broz which has been nominated for two Tejano Music Awards. Salazar is looking to his hometown to help support the band by voting.

Los Banger Broz out of San Antonio consists of Salazar and brothers, Mark Hernandez and Martin Hernandez Jr. Martin has been nominated for New Male Artist of the Year and the band has been nominated for New Group Artists of the Year.

The sound of Los Banger Broz has been described as unique, as it incorporates several styles including Tejano, Rock, Conjunto and more.

"This is such an incredible

achievement. Very few people get to live their dreams and less of those people are blessed with the opportunity to win an award for chasing them," Salazar said.

He needs the help of citizens of Colorado City. Salazar would like everyone to visit the website www.tejanomusicawards.com/ma-general-ballot and cast a vote for the band and Hernandez. Voting ends at midnight central time on Friday, September 25th. Until then fans can log on each day and vote for Los Banger Broz.

The band also has a Facebook page that will have a link to vote. "Let's band together, go vote and put this Texas town on the map," Salazar said.

Abilene man killed in one car accident

According to the Texas Department of Public Safety, an Abilene man was killed in a one-vehicle crash in Colorado City on Monday, September 7th. Troy Gene McMillian was killed when the vehicle he was driving struck the cable barrier in the median, became airborne and fell off the overpass onto S. Hwy. 208.

The 30-year-old was west-bound on I-20 in his 2000 Ford F-350 pickup at about 1:25 a.m. when the vehicle veered into the

median. When the pickup struck the cable barrier, it went up in the air and came down between the overpasses crossing S. Hwy. 208 near Santiago's Restaurant.

McMillian's pickup struck the concrete culvert and guardrail below the overpasses and caught fire, according to the investigating DPS Trooper Michael Doan of Colorado City. The man was pronounced dead at the scene by Judge Rick Grissam and his body was taken to Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

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