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Answerline

Q. When is the deadline for employers to send out W2 forms?
A. Employers must have them in the mail by Jan. 31.

Briefly

Medical Fund

Donations are being accepted for the Kevin Lamb special medical fund at the City National Bank or call 728-2867. Donations may be mailed to 328 E. 16th St., Colorado City, TX 79512. All donations go directly toward medical expenses of Kevin Lamb, who has a rare liver disease and blood disorder.

Auction Donations

Any furniture, garage sale items or auction items can be donated in Kevin Lamb's name to Mitchell Auction House, Call Doyle Mitchell and he will take care of all arrangements. All proceeds will go directly to medical expenses of Kevin Lamb.

Medical Fund

There has been a medical fund set up for Doris Pharris at City National Bank to help pay her medical expenses.

Census Employment

Employment testing for temporary Census jobs will be held at CNB at the following times: Feb. 1, 9:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.; Feb. 5, 10 a.m., 5:30 p.m.; Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m.; Feb. 15, 9:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m.; Feb. 22, 9:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m.; Feb. 29, 9:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m. Applications may be picked up at the Mitchell County Library, Dept. of Human Services and Eco. Dev. Director Windi Fuller.

Youth Revival

Westbrook Baptist Church will host a Youth Revival Fri. & Sat., Feb. 11, 12. Chris Chambers will be praise and worship leader and Marty Akins, pastor for Snyder First Baptist Church will deliver the message. For more information, call 664-3321 or 644-3801.

Immunizations Offered

The Community Health Clinic, 1602 Chestnut, will give immunizations on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, beginning in Feb. 2000. Family Planning will be at the clinic the second Tuesday of each month. Also, Prenatal Classes are still available free of charge for anyone interested.

PPI Visits

People for Progress, Inc. will be in Colorado City Feb. 15, 16 from 9-12 and 1-4 p.m. at 1325 Westpoint (behind cable office) to help with utility assistance.

Chamber Meeting

The Chamber of Commerce will meet Wed., Jan. 26 at 6 p.m. at the Civic Center Board Room.

Deaths

Crabtree, Drennan,
Hall, Kiser,
McMillian, Meador

Around Town

Welcome home 3rd Class Petty Officer Brian D. Rivera... Happy birthday Cassie Rivera (Jan. 22)... Freddie Rivera (Jan. 18)... Ask Bill Barlow about driving around town with his lights on...

Lake Levels

Lake Colorado City.....2056.42'
Full at 2,070.30'
Down 13.88'
Lake Champion.....2039.93'
Full at 2,083'
Down 43.07'
Levels courtesy of the United States Geological Service, as of 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 18, 2000

Hospital Board ponders election

The Mitchell County Hospital Board will meet at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 25, to begin planning an election to decide if a new hospital, doctors' offices and nursing home will be built.

Board member Larry DeBusk said Tuesday that he expects it to be scheduled for Saturday, May 6, when hospital board and city council elections will be held.

DeBusk said the March 14 party primaries are probably too close for the momentous hospital vote to be conducted then.

Administrator Rick Rickard is scheduled to report on his discussions since the last board meeting on Jan. 6 with Austin architect Bob Cox, who had already drawn preliminary sketches of the hospital complex.

Rickard was also asked to start gathering information about potential project managers and underwriters for the \$8 to \$10 million project on 22 acres northeast of the Wallace-Ware Units.

After months of internal debate, the board two weeks ago
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Questions about the hospital?

We know you've got questions about the Mitchell County Hospital construction project because seven Answerline inquiries pertaining to it have been called in the past several days.

So let's do this.

Call in all your questions to us at 728-3413 or mail them in to the Record at P. O. Box 92, C-City 79512.

Put "Hospital Question" on the outside of the envelope.

We'll talk to the right people, get the answer to every single question and in two or three weeks publish them in a story.

This is the most important public issue here since the construction of the Wallace and Ware Units, and we want to get it right as much as you do.

So let us hear from you today!

Junell, Fraser coming to Chamber banquet

State Rep. Rob Junell of San Angelo will attend this year's Chamber of Commerce Banquet and introduce Sen. Troy Fraser, who has been an important ally in his bipartisan work in the Texas Legislature in Austin.

Sen. Fraser will be the featured speaker at the 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 5, event at the Civic Center.

Tickets are \$13 and are on sale at the chamber office at 157 W. Second St. and from chamber board members.

Rep. Junell said in a Friday telephone interview that he re-

gretted missing last year's banquet for the first time in a number of years, so he has made sure to set aside time for this one.

Rep. Junell, a Democrat, has known Sen. Fraser since the Republican was a state representative from Big Spring in the 1980's and they served two terms together in the House.

Then they worked together "every day for the last two months of the session" last year in the House and Senate Conference Committee on the Budget, Junell said.

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U. S. REP. CHARLES STENHOLM held a town hall meeting here last Thursday, discussing Social Security, agricultural and military issues. The Charles C. Thompson Room was just starting to fill as he made opening comments at 5 p.m. About three dozen people attended.

Congressman Stenholm worries about agricultural problems

Enabling the armed services to attract more recruits and addressing the serious problems that were created by the latest Farm Bill are two of U. S. Rep. Charles Stenholm's chief concerns going into the new session of Congress this month.

In a 4 p.m. Thursday town hall meeting at the Charles C. Thompson Room downtown, the Abilene Democrat said only the Marine Corps was able to meet its recruiting needs last year.

Congress helped by raising servicemen's pay by 4.9 percent last year, he said, but further improvements are needed.

"We have to do more along that line if the volunteer Army is going to be as successful as it is today," Rep. Stenholm said.

"It's awfully important how we answer these questions be-

cause if we don't answer them right, we may not get a second chance.

"We have to spend more money on defense."

Asked what other military issues he will confront, he said, "Parts and maintenance."

"I was visiting Dyess Air Force Base where they were working on the B1-B Bombers and asked what they need the most. One of the mechanics asked me, 'Would you see if you could get us some more parts?'"

"They are undermanned at the flight control center at Dyess."

Congressman Stenholm indicated that he considers the Freedom to Farm Act of three years ago a disaster because former Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich imposed it on the House without consulting

the Agriculture Committee.

The Farm Act runs to 2002 and then legislates to be the last Farm Bill written, he said.

Stenholm, the top ranking Democrat on the committee, said he and Chairman Larry Combest of Lubbock will convene hearings in February to address commodity prices, trade barriers, crop insurance and other pressing concerns.

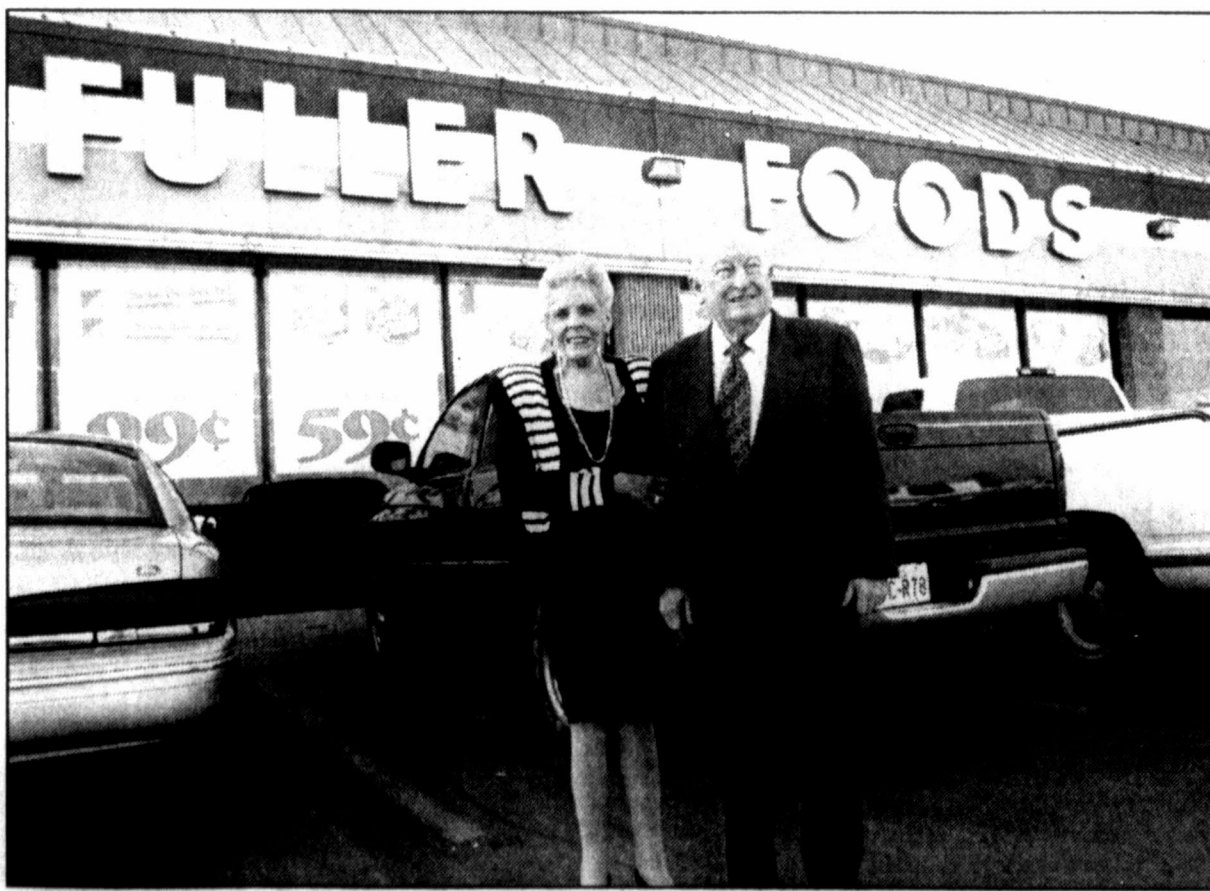
He said a supplemental income program is needed because producers have had several consecutive seasons of low prices and drought.

Chronically low prices must be improved, trade must be opened to China, Cuba and other new markets and crop insurance restrictions must be eliminated, he said.

He added that the Blue Dog Coalition of conservative De-

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\$1,000, other prizes given for Fuller Foods' 50th



JOINED BY ALL THEIR CUSTOMERS, Raymond and Virginia Fuller are celebrating the 50th anniversary of Fuller Foods in Colorado City over the next five weeks. After a \$1,000 drawing Thursday, prize drawings will be held at 6 p.m. on the next five Saturdays.

portable CD player, a Coleman cooler, a Nestle's electric train set, a Game Boy, iced tea and coffee makers and other prizes.

You do not need to be present to win at the 6 p.m. drawings on the Saturdays of Jan. 22 and 29 and Feb. 5, 12 and

19. Five \$50 bills "or more" will also be given away this Thursday morning, Fuller said.

The group photo of customers, employees and the City National Bank (CNB) Board of Directors will be added to the

Heart of West Texas Museum's collection.

Fuller and his mother Mae opened the first Fuller Foods in January 1950 in a 50 by 96 foot store across from City Hall after moving from a smaller store, and in October

1959 they went to an even bigger building at Second and Hickory Street.

Then in November 1986, after almost a year's work by noted local contractor Virgil Stone, the store was moved into its fullsize modern supermarket setting.

In an interview last Thursday, Fuller recalled that the move to a bigger store in '49 was considered risky by some grocery business observers.

A wholesale grocer from Sweetwater had heard he was moving to a new location, and the two walked over to see it.

"He asked me if I realized that there were 22 other grocery stores in Colorado City," Fuller said. "I hadn't counted them."

Fuller and his wife Virginia bought his mother's interest in the company in '68. She died in '71.

In an industry that operates with a small profit margin and depends on a high volume of sales to survive, Fuller Foods received a boost when one of its competitors, The Village, was sold to Fuller Foods in '69.

Then after the new store was opened, its other leading competitor, Safeway, closed at Sixth and Oak Street in September 1987 -- a development attributed to Fuller's having a

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FULLER FOODS

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Annie E. "Girlie" Hall 1901-2000

Mrs. Annie E. "Girlie" Hall, age 98, of Colorado City, died Wednesday in a local hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Kiker-Seale Chapel with Kerry Cain officiating. Burial will follow in the Colorado City Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hall was born August 30, 1901 in McCulloch County, Texas, and had been a lifelong resident of Mitchell County. She married William Lester Hall on November 2, 1918 in Hermleigh, TX. He preceded her in death on June 5, 1966. She was a homemaker and a member of the 22nd & Austin Streets Church of Christ.

She is survived by a son-in-law, Joe Martin of Colorado City; three grandchildren, six great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild. She is also preceded in death by one daughter, Dorothy Martin and two sons Edwin Lee Hall and William Lester Hall, Jr.

R.H. Drennan 1928-2000

R.H. Drennan, age 71, of Colorado City died Friday, January 14, 2000 at his residence. Services were at 10 a.m. Monday in the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Ted Spear officiating, burial followed in the Hermleigh Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Drennan was born to William and Sadie Drennan on February 5, 1928 in Hermleigh, Texas. He has been a long time resident of Colorado City. He worked in the oil industry and for Dow Chemical for 12 years.

He is survived by his mother Sadie Drennan of Colorado City; one daughter, Carolyn Lewallen of Glen Rose, Texas; one brother, Charles Drennan of Freer, Texas; one granddaughter Christy Kahrs of Fairfield, Texas; one grandson Cody Lewallen of Murchison, Texas; great-granddaughter Courtney Kahrs of Fairfield, Texas and a niece Sadie Meazell of Flint, Texas.

He is preceded in death by his father, and one sister Maedell Amadeo.

Van Urbin Meador 1921-2000

Mr. Van Urbin Meador, age 78, died Thursday, January 13, 2000 at Abilene Regional Medical Center in Abilene, Texas. Services were held Saturday, January 15, 2000 at 3:30 p.m. at the Eastside Church of Christ in Snyder with Roy Rossos officiating assisted by Mike Bailey of Hawley, Texas. Burial followed in the Dunn Cemetery in Dunn, Texas.

Mr. Meador was born in Erath County November 2, 1921. He came to Snyder in a covered wagon with his grandparents. He married Evelyn Wood on July 3, 1946 in Snyder, Texas. She preceded him in death in 1987. Mr. Meador was a Navy veteran of WWII where he worked as a hospital administrator. He was a Deacon at the 25th Street Church of Christ. He was an Elder at the Eastside Church of Christ and also the Dunn Church of Christ. He was a farmer and rancher and a longtime resident of Snyder.

Survivors include daughters and sons-in-law, Terry and Gaylon Dabbs of Dallas and Karen and Lonnie Terry of Temple; daughter, Michel Meador of Roswell, NM; sons and daughter-in-law, Michael Van and Jeanette Meador of Roswell, NM and Daryl and Sharon Meador of Snyder; son, Jonathan Van Burton of Abilene; one sister, Viall Goodlett of Decatur, AR; one brother, J.L. Bunch of Odessa; a very special friend, Phoebe Lewis of Hawley; and ten grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Archie Crabtree 1908-2000

Mr. Archie Crabtree, age 91, of Athens, Texas formerly of Snyder died Sunday morning, January 16, at East Texas Medical Center in Athens. Services were scheduled for 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Dunn Church of Christ. Burial followed in the Dunn Cemetery directed by Bell Cypert Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Crabtree was born February 2, 1908 in Lockney, Texas. He married Iva Byars on May 22, 1927 in Ira, Texas. She preceded him in death on May 1, 1995. Mr. Crabtree was a retired Church of Christ minister pastoring in Dunn, Athens, Palacio and Aransas Pass. He moved from Dunn to Athens in 1990.

He is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Harvey and Opal Crabtree of Port Lavaca; a daughter and son-in-law, Glenda and Paul Fulton of Athens; a son-in-law, Ralph Eades of Snyder; one sister, Juanita Burney of Sunset Beach, Texas; one brother, Lee Crabtree of Midland; eight grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Ina W. McMillian 1921-2000

Ina W. McMillian, age 78, of Big Spring, died Sat., Jan. 15, 2000, at a local hospital. Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Wed., Jan. 19 at Colorado City Cemetery, with Rev. Mike Foster, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church in Colorado City, officiating. Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. McMillian was born on Dec. 30, 1921 in Texas. She was a longtime resident of Big Spring and was affiliated with the Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Margaret Perry of California; two sons, Donald Ray McMillian and Robert Wayne McMillian, both of Texas; two sisters, Truman Reed of Odessa and Cleo Baker of Noble, Oklahoma; seven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Bobby Kiser 1931-2000

Bobby Kiser, age 68, of Midland, died Mon., Jan. 17, 2000 in a Midland hospital. Graveside funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thurs., Jan. 20, at Evergreen Cemetery with Rev. Bob Porterfield, pastor of West Kentucky Baptist Church of Midland and Rev. Jerry Murphy, pastor of Jesus Way Church of Midland, officiating. Arrangements under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Mr. Kiser was born on Sept. 14, 1931 in Mt. Vernon, Texas and married Emily Shults on Aug. 21, 1980 in Abilene, Texas. He grew up and attended school in Colorado City, where he graduated from Colorado High School. He had worked in the construction business for many years. After retirement he did yard work for various individuals. He was a Baptist and had served in the Army National Guard.

Survivors include his wife, Emily C. Kiser of Midland; a daughter, Connie Vaughn of Atoka; a son, Rick Kiser of Carrollton; three brothers, Bill Kiser of Hurst, Johnny Curry of Midland and Myrle Curry of Colorado City; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials be made to: Hospice of Midland, 911 W. Texas, Midland, Texas 78701.

better location and greater variety.

Today, Fuller Foods stocks 30,000 items and has 64 employees, 12 of whom have been with the store since it was moved to its present location.

Along with his backing of and support from the Affiliated Foods chain since '58, Fuller attributes his success to hard work, good employees and loyal customers.

"We've paid a lot of taxes in this county in 50 years, and these people have helped us pay the taxes," he said. "The customers are the ones."

Many of Fuller's customers have been with him the entire half century.

Fuller Foods employees who have been with the company

since '86 are Vice President Rene Alvarez, Manager Rick Alvarez, Assistant Manager Nellie Ruiz, Nancy Crow, Kay Barnett, Elida Fuentez, Mike Green, Ricky Davila, Janie Lopera, Lydia Selvera, Robert Quiroz and Adelina Rivera.

Like everyone in Mitchell County, Fuller hopes for rain to refill Lake C-City and Lake Champion because they are at least as important as cotton, oil and cattle to the local economy, if not more so.

"When the lakes are full, that's when I do the business," he said.

"That's why I built the store -- because of the lakes."

The store is open from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week.

With mopping crews and stockers, someone is always at work inside, and Ms. Crow and Ms. Selvera arrive at 5:30 a.m. to prepare to open each morning.

Affiliated Foods (AF) was a small chain with \$8 million in annual sales in Lubbock and Amarillo when Fuller Foods joined it, and its three dozen stores were doing \$18 million a year in each city when Fuller went onto its board of directors three years later.

He served on the board and executive committee until two years ago, considering applications from new stores and watching the chain grow to 650 stores with \$650 million in sales last year in Kansas, Colorado, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.

He finally resigned from the AF Board and Executive Committee because it was sometimes difficult to attend the required two meetings a month in Amarillo, but he always enjoyed his service and misses it now.

The chain sends three trucks of perishable goods and two or three grocery trucks here each week, and Fuller is often there to meet them in the early morning hours.

He said its line of meats has always been a strong selling point of AF affiliation.

"I've never made a nickel being smart," he said. "It's long hours and hard work in this business."

Fuller attended Texas A&M University in College Station as a student of animal husbandry.

He is now director of the A&M 12th Man Foundation and is on the university's executive committee of its Agriculture Development Council.

He went into the Army the day after he left college in 1943 and served in the Third Armored Division in Europe during World War II, receiving two Campaign Stars and a Purple Heart.

He is chairman of the board of directors of CNB.

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He also knows Fraser's family and considers him a personal friend.

Fraser left the House, ran unsuccessfully against Sen. Bill Sims of San Angelo and was elected to a four year term in 1996.

He is unopposed for re-election this year.

Asked if their relationship is exemplary of the Legislature's noted bipartisanship, Junell said the real rivalry in state politics today is between the rural and urban areas, not between Democrats and Republicans.

"Water is not a Republican-Democrat issue," he said. "Neither are boll weevils or brush control."

"These are the things that are important to folks out here in the country."

Fraser is a member of the Senate Finance Committee and Junell chairman of the House Appropriations Committee.

Fraser now lives at Horse-shoe Bay, near Llano in Central Texas. He represents the 24th Senatorial District and Junell the 72nd Representative District.

Junell has been following the Mitchell County Hospital Board's consideration of a new hospital, and he commended the panel for planning an election on an \$8 to \$10 million general obligations bond issue to build it.

The election on whether or not to build a new hospital, physicians' offices and nursing home on 22 acres donated by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice northeast of the prisons here is expected to be held sometime this spring.

Junell was the prime mover in the transfer of the property to the hospital district during last year's session.

"I think the local folks need to make the decision, and I appreciate the hospital district for putting it to a vote of the people to see what they want to do," he said.

The representative was asked if he favors converting the old hospital into a training school for prospective TDCJ correctional officers, which, as Hospital Administrator Rick Rickard reported at the last board meeting, the department might be interested in doing.

Junell said it is up to the

hospital board and the citizenry to determine what it should be used for, assuming a new hospital is approved.

If that is the desire of the board and its constituents, he said, "I'll do everything I can to make that happen, and I'm sure Sen. Fraser would also."

The Annual Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce Banquet has historically drawn about 300 people, and board members are hoping to attract a full house after something of an off year last year, when only about 250 attended.

In addition to Rep. Junell's and Sen. Fraser's addresses, highlights will be the announcements of the "Citizen of the Year" and "Farm Family of the Year."

Outgoing and incoming board members will be recognized.

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Judge hopefuls run hard

It's been 20 years since the people of the 32nd Judicial District have seen a contested race for district judge, and Glen Harrison and Jim Wilks are refreshing their memory as to what one looks like.

Their Tuesday, March 14, Democratic primary may be settled in Sweetwater, where Harrison has been the Nolan County Court at Law judge for 10 years and Wilks is an established attorney.

But they are running district wide, putting up billboards, lining up supporters and shaking every hand that reaches out to them in Mitchell and Fisher Counties as well.

Judge Harrison, 38, counters reservations about his youth by saying he would not be the youngest 32nd District judge ever elected.

That distinction belongs to Austin McCloud, who lived in Colorado City when he was appointed to the post in 1963 at age 34. He was elected to a full term the next year.

Judge McCloud served seven years, won a seat on the 11th Court of Appeals at Eastland and semi-retired in '94.

Judge McCloud said in a Monday telephone interview from Eastland that he knows both candidates in the district judge's race and is following it with interest.

Harrison was in C-City Monday to put up four by six foot signs at South Hwy. 208 and 17th Street, Oak and 17th, on East Hwy. 80 across from Gas 'n' Grub and in front of Williams Pump Co. on North 208.

"They say, 'Judge Glen Harrison for District Judge -- Experience That Counts'."

Wilks, 63, has had a billboard facing east at Hickory and East Second Street since late last year, and Harrison had one go up at the same location this week, facing west.

Harrison said his Internet website is getting 20 "hits" a day at www.judgeharrison2000.org, and he is distributing yard signs from his home at 235-1545.

"I have been going to a lot of basketball games -- Blackwell, Rotan, Loraine, Sweetwater, Roby, Roscoe and Colorado City," he said. "I plan on going to a Westbrook game before too long."

"My website has a statement of my philosophy called 'View from the Bench.' It's a statement of my values and beliefs."

Toelkes named Chamber head

The Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors met last Wednesday night and elected First Vice President Dell Toelkes president for 2000-2001.

Second Vice President Sharon Gilbreath was elevated to replace Toelkes, and board member Mike Jordan was elected second vice president.

Donna Laurens was re-elected treasurer, and following a review of chamber by-laws, incoming board member Virginia Jones was chosen to become the panel's first secretary.

Past President Paul Johnson is going off the board at the Saturday, Feb. 5, Chamber Banquet, as are Dan Morgan, Bob Reilly and Helen Edwards.

Incoming members in addition to Ms. Jones are Scott Stubblefield, Justin Harris and Bill Barlow.

Toelkes is general manager of Covenant Communities, which is overseeing the Hillcrest Addition housing development in the "Sands" area of northwestern C-City.

Ms. Gilbreath owns The Rainstick women's clothing store, and Jordan owns the Pest & Lawn Pro Co.

Ms. Laurens is on the City National Bank staff. Ms. Jones is retired.

that people should take personal responsibility for their actions.

"Where I grew up out in Pecos, if I learned anything from my folks, it was taking responsibility. Our country is pretty hypersensitive about what our rights are, but we need an emphasis on what our responsibilities are."

"If anyone comes to court, wrongdoers or those who cause problems, they need to be held accountable for their actions."

Judge Harrison said he has sometimes had parents jailed when they would not take responsibility for their children's crimes and reimburse victims for damages.

"The idea is to make the victim whole again, monetarily if they caused them to lose money or there was damage to property -- to put them back in the place they were before the problem was caused," he said.

Harrison said another concern would be to dispense with cases promptly and keep his dockets as clear as possible.

He took guilty pleas and set sentences, accepted plea bargains between prosecutors and defense attorneys and held jury trials in more than 1,200 cases last year.

That compares with 800 cases handled in three counties by District Judge Weldon Kirk, who is nearing the state's mandatory retirement age of 75 and seeking the county court at law seat versus Sweetwater attorney Rusty Hilger in the Nolan County Democratic Primary.

Harrison has adjudicated more than 400 district level cases assigned to him by Judge Kirk over the past decade, including multi-million dollar lawsuits, drug cases, a driveby shooting in Fisher County, a Nolan County murder trial and, late last year, a wrongful death suit from an automobile accident there.

He has also accepted numerous judicial assignments from administrative judges around the state, usually when the local judge recused himself because of a personal interest.

Those have taken him to cases involving a county commissioner and a nursing home administrator in Yoakum, Ward and Reeves Counties and a jury trial a day for a week in Potter County family violence court in Amarillo.

He presided over a criminal

trespassing case in Odessa in '90 in which an abortion protester had tied a six foot cross on his back and chained himself to the front door of an abortion clinic.

"We have good lawyers and good law enforcement people in the district, and I don't want the court to be an obstacle to them coming and having their day in court," Harrison said.

"To me, that's the best part of the job, being in the courtroom trying cases. That's what I really have a passion to do."

"I like a docket that moves quickly so that people can have their day in court without any undue delay. I expect, if elected, to continue to push the docket -- plea, try or dismiss."

"I'm not as concerned with how I just don't want those cases to linger on the docket."

As a court at law judge, Harrison has adjudicated civil suits involving up to \$100,000 in damages and misdemeanor criminal cases including the Class A misdemeanors of driving while intoxicated and vehicular homicide.

He is an '86 graduate of the Texas Tech University School of Law in Lubbock.



This is 7-year-old Spanky, our Pomeranian. Friends say he is one of the prettiest dogs they've ever seen. Linda, on the left, was 47 yesterday. She doesn't look too bad herself!

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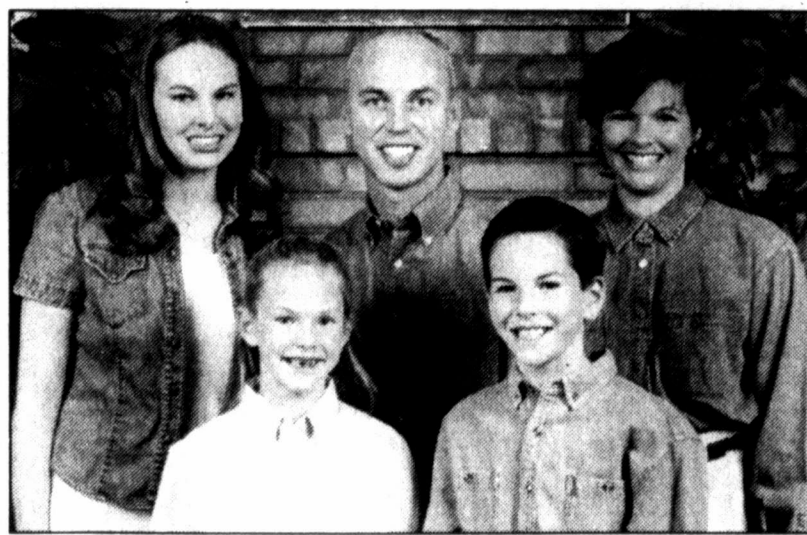
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John Fiske Ellwood Trust, Thomas J. Krupp Exec Trustee, J.F. Ellwood Trust, Towle Trust, Sheila Ellwood Skaggs, Gale Ellwood Blundell, Anne M. Ellwood Mineral Trust to Choate Company Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

Henry G. Dewitt, Marshall & Hsley Trust Company, William G. Dewitt Trust to Mary Dewitt Dia, Mark Dewitt, Henry G. Dewitt, Sarah Ganswindt, Mineral Deed.

Chrissy Coddington to Steger Energy Corporation, P/Rel of Lien. Carolyn Foster Terry to Public, I.W. Terry Estate (Deceased), Affidavit.

John William Midgett, Sandra Jean Midgett to Swartz & Brough Inc., Warranty Deed.

Stephen R. Henson President, Steger Energy Corporation to Labolsa Mineral Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

Jack L. Niemeyer to Choate Company Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

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Gary Squires to Choate Company Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

Carol A. Gage to Choate Company Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

Jesse "Pauline" Brown to Finis P. Brown, Power of Attorney.

James Irvin Terry to Terry Cinco LP, Warranty Deed.

Bankers Trust Company of Calif NA, Janine P. Clarke Asst Vice Pres to Advanta Mortgage Corp USA, Power of Attorney.

Bankers Trust Co of Calif NA, Advanta Mortgage Corp Atty in Fact, Telma Ruiz Asst Secretary to Harold H. Goode, Francis M. Goode, Release of Lien.

Frank H. Chappell Jr. Trustee, Ellwood Towle Trust, W. Ellwood Keeney Jr. Trustee, W.L. Ellwood Trust to Elise I. Tucker Exec, Frederick C. Irving III Exec, PNC Bank NA Exec., Elise Keeney Irving Estate (Deceased), Distribution Deed.

Elise I. Tucker Exec., Frederick C. Irving III Exec., PNC Bank NA Exec., Elise Keeney Irving Est (Deceased) to Elise I. Tucker, Cynthia I. Boigt, Mary I. Hartman, Robert A. Irving, Frederick C. Irving III, Distribution Deed.

W. Ellwood Keeney Jr. Succ Ttee, Elise Keeney Irving Trust to Elise I. Tucker, Cynthia I. Boigt, Mary I. Hartman, Robert A. Irving, Frederick C. Irving III, Distribution Deed.

Elise I. Tucker, Cynthia I. Voigt, Mary I. Hartman, Robert A. Irving, Frederick C. Irving III to Frank H. Chappell Jr. Succ Ttee, Ellwood Towle Succ Ttee, W. Ellwood Keeney Jr. Succ Ttee, W.L. Ellwood Trust, Mineral Deed.

V.T. McCabe to J.F. McCabe Jr., Warranty Deed.

V.T. McCabe to J.F. McCabe Jr., Agreement.

James Depalma Vice-President, North American Mortgage Company to Countrywide Home Loans Inc., Asgmt of Lien.

Paul Lindemann Vice-President, Countrywide Home Loans to Laura Browder Sub Ttee, Terry Browder Succ Sub Ttee, Kelly J. Harvey Succ Sub Ttee., Appoint Sub Ttee.

Terry Browder Sub Ttee to Countrywide Home Loans, Sub Trustee Deed.

Kelly J. Harvey to Public, Katrina Francine Bogle, ABC Mortgage Company, Affidavit.

Evans S. Pillsbury 2nd Marital Trust to Fort Worth Royalty Company, Asgmt & Bill Sale.

Small Business Loan Source Inc., Patricia Harris Exec. Vice President to Jeffrey William Clark Sub Trustee, Appoint Sub Ttee.

William R. Barlow to Royce D. Clay Trustee, City National Bank of Colorado City Tx., Deed of Trust.

Apolinar Molina, Yolanda Molina to Michael L. Riddle Ttee, TMS Mortgage Inc., Money Store (DBA), Deed of Trust.

Apolinar Molina, Yolanda Molina to TMS Mortgage Inc., Money Store (DBA), Leisa Martin Notary Public, Public, Affidavit.

Scottie Welch, Western Surety Company to Mitchell County Sheriff, Public Official Bond.

Shirley Limones to City National Bank of Colo City, Royce D. Clay President, Reinstatement Agr.

Ida Lorene Mackenzie Trustor to Ida Lorene Mackenzie Ttee, Ida Lorene Mackenzie Revocable Trust, Michael W. Blevins Second Succ Ttee, Wynona Day Succ Ttee, CC memorandum of Trust.

Ida Lorene Mackenzie to Ida Lorene Mackenzie Revocable Trust 99, Mineral Deed.

Catherine M. Broome to Choate Company Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

Obie P. Leonard Jr., Virginia Leonard Indiv & Trustee, Monarch Resources Inc. to Choate Company Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

Robert W. Rankin to Choate Company Inc., Oil & Gas Lease.

Alan Wilder to Sidney Wilder, Gift Mineral Deed.

SES Oil & Gas Inc., W. Wesley Perry President to Western National Bank, Wesley D. Bownds Sr. Vice President, Amd Deed of Trust.

Chase Mortgage Company, Debbie Golisano Vice-President to GMAC Mortgage Corporation, Mark E. Piland, Tina Piland, Asgmt of Lien.

Pharis Radiator Inc., Daniel Robert Newland President to B.C. & S.K. Fair Living Trust, Warranty Deed.

Jim Finley, Finley Resources to Timothy P. Plinsky, Power of Attorney.

Fortson Oil company, Anne Burnett Windfohr, Brett G. Taylor Atty in Fact to Finley Resources Inc., Asgmt & Bill Sale.

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Robert H. Ornelas, Janie Ornelas, Bobby Ornelas AKA to Conesco Finance Servicing Corp, Randall M. Thomas Trustee, Deed of Trust.

Robert H. Ornelas, Janie Ornelas to Public, Conesco Finance Servicing Corp, Affidavit.

Leatha Jean Brice to Phillip A. Hancock, Memorandum of Agree-

ment.

Jaynell C. Bodine Indiv & Trustee, Melinda Bodine 1987 Trust, Amanda Bodine 1987 Trust to Phillip A. Hancock, Oil & Gas Lease.

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Todd Howard, Staci Howard to Robert Green, Warranty Deed.

Robert Green to James J. Napper Ttee, Todd Howard, Staci Howard, Deed of Trust.

M.A. Altobelli Vice-Pres, EEX Operating LP, EEX Corporation Gen Print to Five Star Royalty Partners Ltd., A.S. Pollack Mgt., ASPRP LLC, Gen Print, Asgmt & Bill Sale.

Gerald R. Turner Trustee, Stella Porter Russell Trust, Stella Porter Russell Deceased to Southern Methodist University, Conveyance.

Carl Smoot Business Banker, Norwest Bank Texas NA, First National Bank Big Spring Tx to Richard T. Wright, Clarinda S. Wright, Release of Lien.

ARRESTS

Paul Anthony Sestrick, 21, MCSO, court committal, 1-12.

Raymond William Ledford, 49, MCSO, parole violation, 1-14.

Arthur Villalon, 30, MCSO, PI, 1-15.

FILED IN DISTRICT COURT

The State of Texas vs. 1991 Ford Explorer, notice of seizure and intended forfeiture, 1-12.

MARRIAGES

John Franklin Eaker, Tahoka, Tx., to Patsy Hammit Fisk, Snyder, Tx., 1-10.

FILED IN COUNTY COURT

Buddy Allen Atkinson, 1-12-00, theft >=\$20<\$500 by check.

Bobby Glenn Griffith, 1-12-00, theft >=\$20<\$500 by check.

David Gomez Gardea, 1-13-00, theft>=\$20<\$500 by check.

Ruben Molina, 1-11-00, >=\$20<\$500 by check.

Saciell L. Brito, 1-13-00, >=\$20<\$500 by check.

Mike Marvin Billingsley, 1-14-00, driving while license suspended/sr.

Fredrico Atkinson Jr., 1-14-00, Poss Alch by a Minor, 3rd Enh.

William Roy Key, 1-14-00, Perm minor to poss/consume alcho bev-retailer.

Leslie Nicole Pineda, 1-14-00, Perm minor to poss/consume alcho bev-retailer.

Roland Dwain Nelson, 1-14-00, Perm minor to poss/consume alcho bev-retailer.

Mike Marvin Billingsley, 1-14-00, driving while lic suspended/sr.

Michael Don Chumley, 1-14-00, driving while intoxicated 2nd.

Phillip Garcia, 1-14-00, poss marij < 2 oz.

Joshua Thomas Holstine, 1-14-00, poss marij < 2 oz.

Donald James Holman, 1-14-00, driving while intoxicated.

Christopher Ernes Valencuela, 1-14-00, driving while lic suspended/invalid.

Victor Allen Huff, 1-14-00, poss marij < 2oz.

Hannah Haberman Brumley, 1-14-00, driving while intoxicated.

COUNTY COURT ACTION

Carol Halton, DWI (2nd), Jan. 12, 2000, guilty, \$500, \$239.25, 6 months suspended/1 year, \$40 per month. Driver's license is suspended for 90 days.

Robert Francis Votruba, Jr., DWI (2nd), January 12, 2000, guilty, \$700, \$199.25, 6 months suspended/1 year, \$40 per month. Driver's license is suspended for 90 days.

Paul Anthony Sestric, possession of marijuana, January 12, 2000, guilty, \$100, \$184.25, 4 days.

Correction

It was incorrectly reported in last week's Record that Pct. 3 county commissioner's candidate Bruce Rich is president of the Westbrook School Board.

Rich is a member of the school board but is not its president.

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THE END OF THE LINE was prematurely reached on Interstate 20 eight miles west of Colorado City at 9:49 a.m. Tuesday by 22 year old El Paso trucker Juan M. Gutierrez, who told officers he lost control of his eastbound 1999 Volvo truck as he read a gas ticket. He was treated for a knee injury at the county hospital and released. Supervised by Field Boss Bill Hefner, 10 Wallace Unit trustees unloaded 39,000 pounds of materials to make cardboard boxes so the truck could be righted and removed. The truck was owned by Barrera Trucking.

Man's death ruled suicide

The death of a 71 year old Colorado City man whose body was found at his home last Friday morning was ruled a suicide by Justice of the Peace Kay Richmond.

City police were summoned to the 537 Oak St. home of R.C. Drennan at 11 a.m. Friday.

Chief of Police Pat Taylor said a .38 caliber revolver was found at the scene and Drennan had been shot in the head.

Judge Richmond ruled that the cause of death was a self inflicted gunshot wound and did not order an autopsy.

Chief Taylor said Drennan was believed to have shot him-

self sometime Thursday.

Other recent police business included the investigation of a motor vehicle burglary in the 900 block of East 16th Street.

Chief Taylor said someone entered an unlocked Ford Taurus owned by Cissy Miller of 944 E. 16th and stole a Nokia cellular telephone.

There was no suspect.

Police on Saturday recovered a television set and VCR that had been stolen from Patricia Morris of 928 Waco St., No. 5, by a man she knew.

Chief Taylor said a charge was pending.

The man had not been arrested.

A 1999 Chevrolet S-10 pickup truck owned by Len Hargrove of 720 E. Eighth St. was reported vandalized at 11:48 p.m. Monday at the Colorado City Apartments on North Hwy. 208.

Chief Taylor said the hood had been heavily scratched, apparently by a key, and that there were no suspects.

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TEA board election scheduled in spring

Running for a seat on the board of directors of the Texas Education Agency's Region 14 Service Center in Abilene couldn't be more different than the high profile politicking one sees for state legislative and statewide offices.

There is no campaigning, and everyone involved usually knows all the candidates.

However, there is a filing period, an election and a canvassing of votes.

Retired Snyder special education teacher Francine Allen-Noah is finishing her first three year term as the Place 1 representative of Mitchell and Scurry Counties.

Region 14 Executive Director Terry Harlow said Monday that he does not know if Ms. Allen-Noah will file for re-election, but she "has not indicated that she wouldn't run."

She has from Feb. 1 to Feb. 20 to do so, as does anyone else who would like to occupy the office.

The six school boards in Mitchell and Scurry Counties, three in each county, will be mailed ballots, and each one of the 43 school board members will have one vote to be mailed in.

Mitchell County has the Colorado, Westbrook and Loraine Independent School Districts and Scurry County the Snyder, Hermleigh and Ira Independent School Districts.

Terms for Place 3, representing Haskell, Jones and Shackelford Counties, and Place 5, representing Taylor and Callahan Counties, are expiring for Gene Shelhamer of Stamford and Gary Adams of Tuscola.

Dr. Shelhamer is a dentist and Adams a retired Jim Ned High School principal.

Eligibility requirements, filing forms and other information may be gotten from Dr. Harlow at 915-675-8600 or 1850 Hwy. 351, Abilene 79-601-4750.

You may file in person or by certified mail to Harlow's office. There is no fee.

The seven member board meets on the third Thursday of every other month to consider Service Center policy issues, contractual issues and other matters.

It will convene on April 20 to canvass votes and on June 15 to install the new members.

"There is not a lot of interest there," Harlow said.

"Most of the interest is from former board members."

The other six counties in Region 14 are Nolan, Fisher, Stonewall, Stephens, Eastland and Comanche Counties.

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voted not to build only a hospital and physicians' office building but to proceed with a general obligations bond election to add a 50 bed nursing home to the plan.

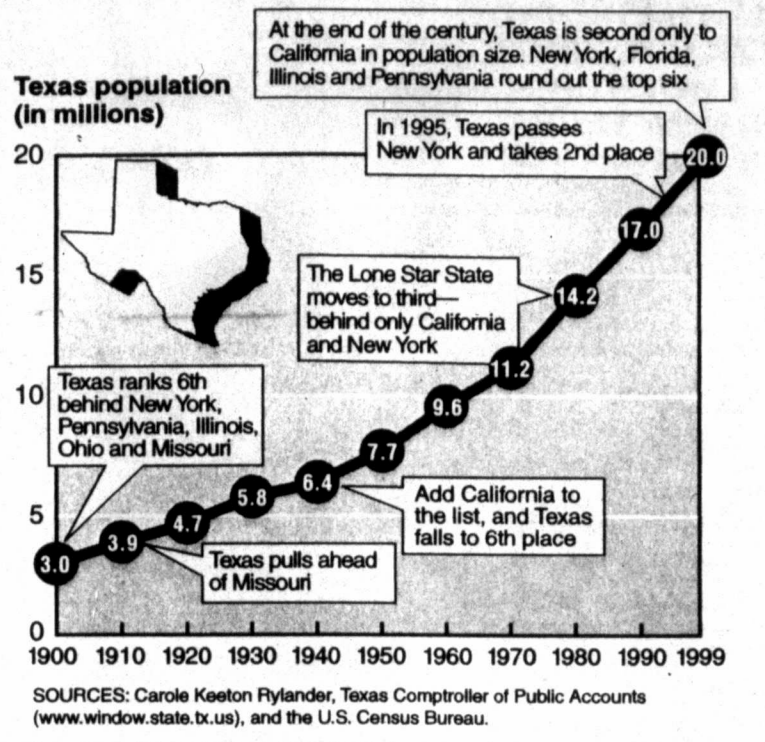
Comptroller Brad Burnett said making it a three part complex would improve the district's financial outlook and make it possible to build it without increasing the 39.6 cent per \$100 valuation property tax rate.

DeBusk said the district plans an extensive public education effort to promulgate that report and help ensure that the bond issue gains the crucial 50.01 percent support, at least, on May 6.

"I think we're going to try to show the voters that we can

complete this new construction without a tax increase, and we would like to show a drawing so that they will have a better idea of what it's going to look like," he said.

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"I feel much more hopeful than I did at one time."

DeBusk expects some opposition, although probably not in a greater percentage than was registered in the district's opinion survey last May.

"I rather imagine that those folks will be out at the polls, but no more than when they filled out the questionnaire," he said.

Questionnaires were mailed to all 5,100 registered voters in the county, and 1,852, or 37 percent, responded.

Fifty one percent favored a new hospital, doctors' offices, nursing home, ambulance center, home health agency, specialty clinic and wellness center.

17 percent wanted a new hospital and doctors' offices only, and 32 percent said "no" to any new construction.

That amounts to 68 percent who supported some form of replacement for the hospital and doctors' offices that are currently in the Family Medical Associates building at 505 Chestnut St.

"I think the election will be very similar and it will have a pretty good chance to pass," DeBusk said.

"Many of the people that I've talked to have been in favor of the new construction."

County Tax Assessor Collector Faye Lee Tuesday reported a total of 5,201 registered voters in the county.

Waco accountant Mike Oatman said at the Jan. 6 meeting that if the tax issue proceeds to a spring election and is approved, the money could be in hand to go forward with the construction by September.

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mocrats that he leads in Congress will propose a supplemental income program this year.

Speaking to about 35 people and answering questions until after 5 p.m., the congressman said he wants to see farmers, ranchers and other West Texans start enjoying some of the economic benefits that citizens of other areas of the state and nation have.

He said it makes no sense to put a damper on the agricultural economy by restricting food exports to controversial countries because it only hurts American farmers and ranchers and the average people of those countries without affecting their politics.

Stenholm said Congress will consider trade issues in three crucial areas this year -- Africa and the Caribbean, the World Trade Organization and China and Cuba.

He said China is willing now to quadruple its American cotton imports, more than triple its wheat imports and reduce its

tariff on beef from 45 to 12 percent in return for receiving "most favored nation" status.

If Cuba were finally opened up to American trade and tourism after the 40 year em-

bargo, he said, Communist Premier Fidel Castro would be out of office "within a year."

Stenholm was a leader in appropriating \$8.7 billion in disaster payments to ag producers last year.

But he regretted federal regulations that limited payments to producers who had collected on crop insurance.

"It is not working, and I am working to change it," he said.

The 11 term congressman, who is seeking re-election this year against two Republicans, a Libertarian and a Reform Party member, wants to eliminate the so called "death tax" on estates under \$5 million.

Stenholm said U. S. Sen. Phil Gramm of Texas has attempted to tar him with the accusation that he wants to require citizens to work until age 70 before becoming eligible for Social Security benefits.

He said Social Security reforms may include that option, but it would be strictly voluntary and people could still retire at 62 or 65 with no loss of benefits if they wished.

If the Social Security system is not reformed, he said, it will implode by 2014.

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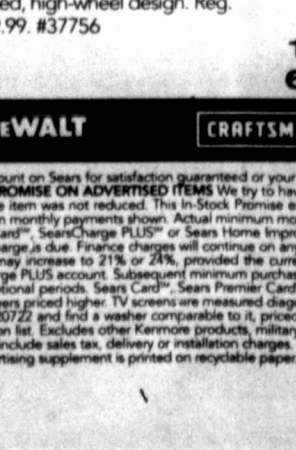
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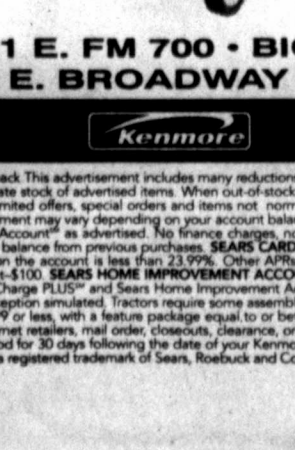
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The CCR Column

Football 40 times called questionable

By Bob Campbell

The ongoing agony of the Dallas Cowboys shows little sign of abatement with the departure of Chan Gailey.

I once wrote a column comparing Jerry Jones to Capt. Ahab, stalking the deck in quest of another Super Bowl, clomp, clomp, clomp, his wooden leg while the officers and sailors mulled his madness.

I blamed him for firing Jimmy Johnson, but Jimmy never got back to the big game himself and I think now that he should have shown Jerry more respect because the championships took both of them.

On the home scene, we look forward to competing in Class 2-A next season.

We have no idea what district we'll be in, but it should be District 1, 2 or 3.

This year, I has Iraan, Reagan County, Van Horn, McCamey, Anthony and Tornillo, 2 Sonora, Eldorado, Forsan, Ozone, Wall and Junction and 3 Stanton, Seagraves, Post, Coahoma, Tahoka and Plains.

Head Coach Gerald James says 2-A is still plenty tough, "but you don't get as many hard hits as you do in 3-A."

I followed C-City's area championship run two years ago and look forward to getting back on track because we have a good coaching staff that knows how to win -- very progressive offensively.

They want all the boys to come out for track this spring because the biggest fallacy in high school sports these days is that it takes guts to play football and speed to run track when the opposite is true.

College and pro football coaches' reporting of their players' 40 yard dash times has gotten way out of hand.

It wasn't too bad as long as they were talking about running backs and wide receivers, some of whom do have close to world class sprinter's speed.

Then last weekend I saw it alleged that a defensive end runs the 40 in 4.4 seconds.

As Winston Churchill once said, "Up with this, we will not put!"

There has only been one occasion that I know of when all six men in a 100 meter finals ran under 10 seconds.

I forget where it was, but I watched it on television about 10 years ago and read about it later.

Carl Lewis was in the field and the winning time was in the low 9.9's or high 9.8's.

It looked like a 1925 newsreel where everybody is moving about a third too fast.

Out of curiosity to compare it with football 40 times, someone broke the film down and timed the guy who was ahead at 40 yards.

The time? 4.38.

Since then, I have been told by sportswriters from throughout the nation that players do the 40 in 4.3, 4.2 and yes, even 4.1.

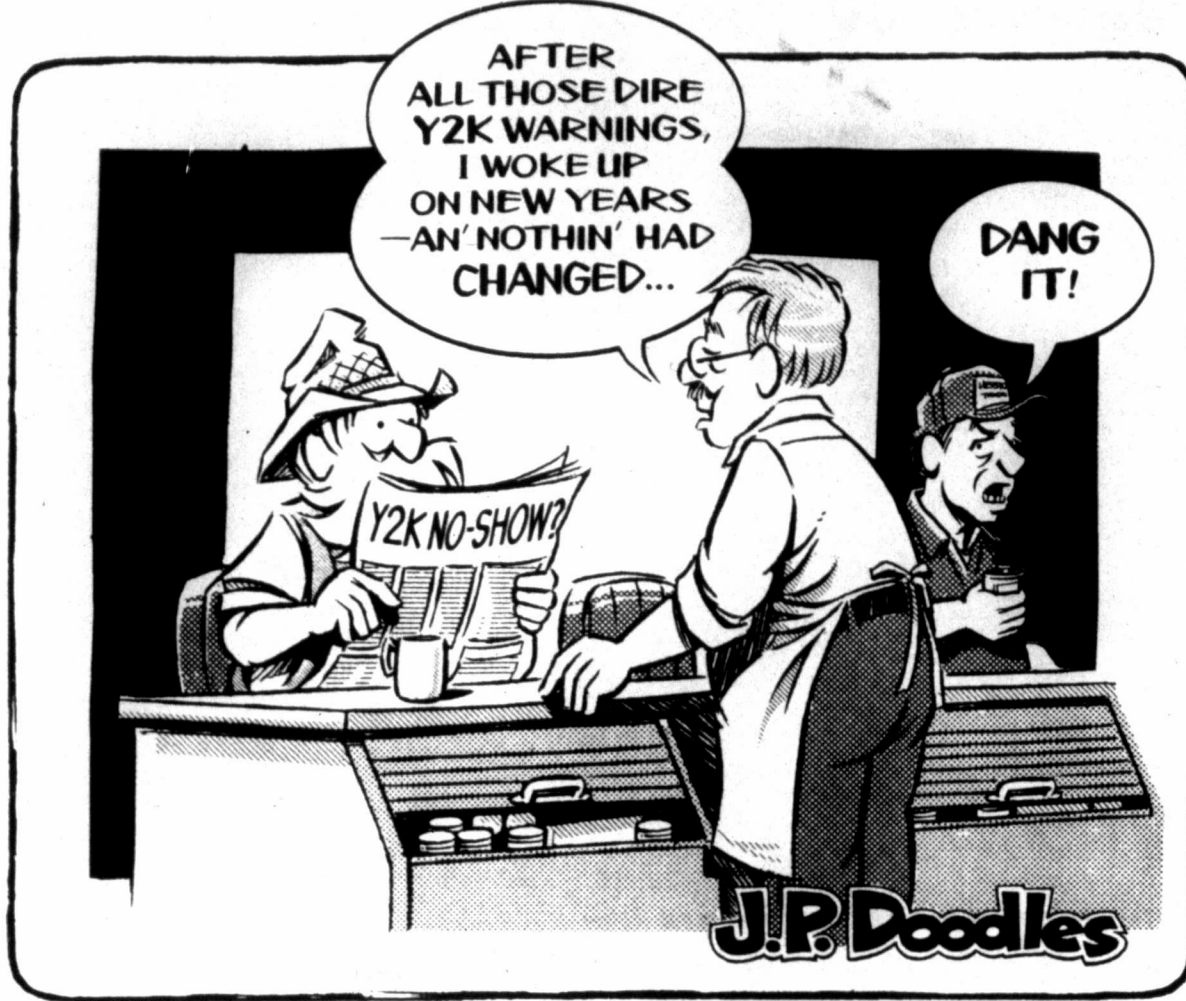
So far, we have not had a 4 flat or a 3.9.

The times are not electronic but are caught on stopwatches by coaches who must be hitting the timer before the players cross the line.

4.1's bother me, but I don't really object to the 4.3's and 4.2's because we are talking about guys who can really run.

My problem is with seeing it alleged that a man who is 6-5 and 285 pounds could stay with the fastest of the fast and be only .02 of a second behind the leader at 40 yards.

I'd pay \$100 to see that!



The back forty

by Roger Pond

One of the drawbacks of part-time farming is the high cost of equipment that you only use once a year. The part-timer or hobby farmer just can't afford the tractors and trucks a guy really needs to do things right.

Consequently the hobby farmer is constantly making do with what he has or can borrow from the neighbors. Even though a person may own two cars and an Oriental pickup, the animals are always too big or too dirty to transport in what you have available.

That's what happened to my cousin, Dean, when it was time to take Buffy the bull home home after breeding season. Dean has a small farm with some pasture and it just seemed natural to have a few cows around. Then, if you are going to have some cows it's just natural to keep a bull for a few weeks, so you'll have some calves.

I should stop here and explain that Buffy is not something you would normally name a bull. You can name your sheep, pigs, dogs, or daughters Buffy, but this is not good for a bull.

A bull needs a name like Mark Domino 707, Hillsdale Blackmar John, or simply Red -- but never Buffy! With a name like that it's a wonder the old bull wasn't totally sterile.

But Buffy had to go home, and Dean agreed to take him. So he borrowed a horse trailer and went to work getting the car rigged-up with a trailer hitch.

Of course a person wouldn't normally haul a bull in a horse trailer, either, but this was OK for Buffy. He was just a big pet anyway, and would probably ride in the car if the door was big enough.

With just a little coaxing the bull walked into the trailer like a kid's pet horse, and they were off. So here's Cousin Dean heading down the road with old Buffy in the trailer when he hears a sudden thump and starts to put on the brakes.

But before he could turn around to look back, here comes Buffy in the passing lane. The trailer hitch had come loose and the bull was wheeling it down the highway at 50 miles an hour! And being an Angus, Buffy had no horns to blow.

There was a little window in the front of the horse trailer, and all Dean could see was a big brown eye as Buffy went by. Then the trailer left the road and took out two flamingos and a cast iron lawndog before impaling its tongue in a lovely antique Desoto.

My cousin says the folks who owned the lawn ornaments and the old car were really nice about the whole thing, and the insurance agents got the forms filled out once they stopped laughing. The bright spot is that Buffy wasn't hurt -- at least not physically.

Old Buffy still sires good calves, according to the bull's owner, but every time a horse trailer goes by on the road it lengthens the calving season by two weeks.

Mitchell County stays dry

A large high pressure ridge over West Texas and Northern Mexico will keep this area dry at least through this weekend, a National Weather Service meteorologist said Tuesday in Midland.

The unseasonably warm weather will become cooler late in the week, though, said weatherman Perry Martin.

Daytime temperatures and

nighttime lows will be in the 70's and 50's Wednesday and Thursday and will cool into the 50's and 60's and low 30's on Friday and Saturday, Martin said.

"The ridge looks like it will stay in place for awhile," he said.

"It's not allowing any major fronts to make their way here."

Sometimes You Get Real Hungry

By Tumbleweed Smith

I've just returned from an interview trip through East Texas. No two interview trips are alike. This time I got 25 interviews during five days on the road. That's typical, as far as the number goes. I aim for five interviews a day and have no trouble doing that.

I spent three nights with family or friends and one night in a motel in Crockett. I arrived at the Crockett Inn around 5:30 pm and decided to do some work on my list of prospective interviewees. I usually do this around the first of the year. I got out my laptop and went to work.

I have divided the state into seven sections and when I'm traveling in a particular area I refer to my list for that part of the state and pick and choose who to interview. My list now contains more than two thousand names, almost enough to carry me through nearly eight years of daily radio programs and weekly newspaper columns. Most of the suggested names have come from listeners or readers.

After working for a couple of hours at the motel in Crockett, I got hungry. My eating is erratic, to say the least, on interview trips. There is no real schedule and I never know where I'm going to be at any given time. A couple of nights on this trip I was interviewing at midnight.

I got in my car and drove to a place called Ames Chicken to go. I looked over the menu and noticed that the more chicken you bought the less you paid. I could get three pieces of chicken for \$2.09 or 2 pieces for \$3.19. I ordered the three pieces. The lady taking my order said it would be four minutes before the chicken got through cooking. I told her I was going to the store next door for a candy bar and would return in about four minutes to pick up my order.

When I returned, the same customers who were there earlier were still there and some new ones had come in. They were all waited on and I still had not got my order. I noticed the stack of chicken on the rack diminishing. I also noticed large number of phone in orders and window orders being picked up. I left, drove around Crockett looking for a place to eat and ended up at Dairy Queen.

I ordered a basket of steak fingers and an ice cream sandwich. The girl behind the register figured my bill and I got out a fifty dollar bill to pay for it. "We don't take fifties," she said. I told her I was really hungry and needed to eat something and the fifty was the smallest bill I had. In fact, it was the only bill I had with me. "Our manager told us not to take fifties." I asked if she took credit cards and she said no. I left and went to KFC.

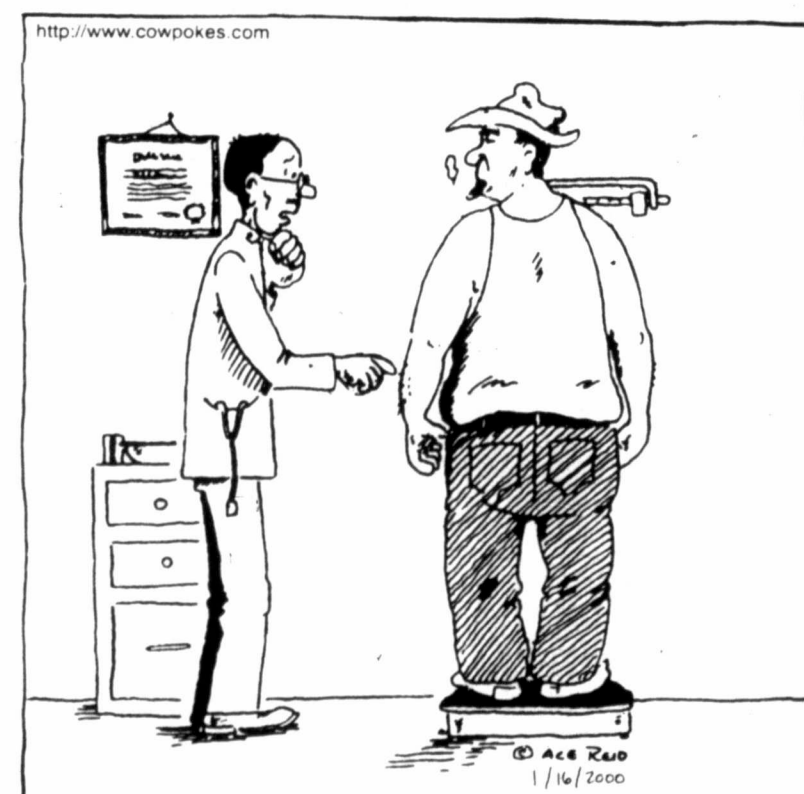
I told the lady there I wanted some dark pieces and she told me there was a special: eight pieces for four dollars. I told her I'd take it. I paid for it with my fifty. When she gave me the order, she asked me if I was going to eat all of the chicken by myself. I said probably.

I took the eight pieces to the motel and devoured six of them. After all, I had been trying to get something to eat for more than an hour. Fast food is not always fast. I was hungry.

I had the other two pieces for breakfast the next morning.

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Rock quarry gets back to work

Mitchell County commissioners Friday put the county's rock quarry back into operation by agreeing to a contract with the newly formed West Texas Recycling and Remediation Inc.

The 240 acre quarry east northeast of Loraine had been idle since early December, when Lone Wolf Resources de-

cided "to get out of the quarry business" and concentrate on its Col-Tex Refinery cleanup project southwest of Colorado City, spokesmen said.

Pct. 4 Commissioner Bill Preston of Loraine said the arrangement "is a no lose deal" for the county because all it provides is fuel and some of

the equipment for the quarry's operation.

It is a one year lease to be followed by a one year option with a 60 day nullification clause after the first year.

The county bought the rock covered property for \$58,998 last June 11 from Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Browne of C-City.

It was operated by county employees and Lone Wolf last summer, fall and early winter until the Lone Wolf-WTRR reorganization.

About 200 acres are expected to be mined during the five year life of the project.

Another benefit to the county is that it will own the quarry after the refinery cleanup is accomplished.

Lone Wolf was formed by Fina Oil & Chemical Co., Chevron Oil Co., and the county to complete the Col-Tex cleanup.

Lone Wolf is now pursuing

the project in the elevated "Tank Farm" area on the hill south of the Colorado River, where it is cleaning up 30 "ponds" of liquid and dried asphalt that were left by the refinery.

The asphalt soaked soil is mixed with crushed rock and an emulsion to make hard packing roadbase that the commissioners are using to rebuild county roads.

Commissioner Preston noted that WTRR's delivery of 40,000 tons of crushed rock, or aggregate, to the county over the next year will more than pay back the county's investment in the quarry because the rock is worth \$6 a ton.

The agreement gives the county at least two percent of gross revenues from commercial sales of the aggregate, and its share can go as high as five percent for aggregate made at lower production costs.

WTRR Operations Supervisor Scott Byrd said Friday that outside sales have already been made to Earthco of Big Spring and Texas Water & Soils Co. of San Angelo.

Texas Water & Soils recently used its rock to fortify TXU Electric & Gas Co.'s dam at its Morgan Creek Plant on Lake C-City, Byrd noted.

Consultant Dennis Patton of general contractor Arcadis, Geraghty & Miller of Midland said at the 9 a.m. called meeting that the aggregate will be sold in a wide variety of grades and vary in price from \$3.50 to \$17 a ton.

Patton will play a lead role in marketing it to outside sources, Byrd said.

WTRR is owned by Byrd, Steve Garner and Bill Julian, who work at the Tank Farm roadbase manufacturing plant.

"We're going to be aggressively hitting the market, start-

ing today," Garner said Friday. "We look for a great year."

Frank Kieffer is manager of Lone Wolf operations at the Tank Farm and Randy Shoemaker the site supervisor.

Other Lone Wolf employees there are Ronnie Clark, Raymond Goswick, Tony Wagner, Jose Perales, Jeff Foot and Alberto Martinez, along with two new men who had just signed on.

Byrd works at the quarry with Paul Conley, Wally Watkins and Clay Lloyd.

The county has provided a Caterpillar D-6 bulldozer and a loader to the quarry, and it supplies water, fuel and electricity to the operation.

Other business in the 20 minute meeting included approval of Pct. 3 Commissioner Wendy Inman's request to advertise for bids for a new or used truck.

Order for trees still being taken

The Mitchell SWCD is still taking orders for windbreak trees. Orders will be taken until Feb. 4, 2000. The district suggests not waiting till the last week to place orders due to shortage of some species.

Order blanks with list of species available can be obtained at the Natural Resources Conservation Service Office (or in the hall), of the G-Kell Building, across the street from Dairy Queen.

Hardwoods still sell for 80¢ each with the Evergreens selling for \$1.75 each, all sold individually or in bundles. Remember these are seedling trees (12" to 18" ht.).

The Afghanistan Pine, Pinon Pine, and Red Cedar also sell in the Bullet Packs, 30 for \$36.

The Wildlife Packets are also available 100 various species for \$55. Refer to order blank for type of packets.

Drip irrigation supplies are available through the Mitchell SWCD/NRCS office. Consult the local NRCS field office staff on what supplies are needed as well as cost of the supplies. Simple irrigation systems can be set up for as little as 10¢/ft.

The Mitchell SWCD also

recommends investing in a Drip Irrigation System needed to greatly increase the survival rate of your newly planted windbreak seedlings.

Payment is due upon placement of order.

KCCB slates cleanup day

The Keep Colorado City Beautiful (KCCB) Committee's "Make a Difference Day" last Oct. 23 was so successful, the committee has decided to stage a similar effort on March 25.

A dozen people attended a 6 p.m. meeting last Thursday at the Chamber of Commerce and voted to have the city wide cleanup a month prior to the annual county wide Christmas in April house refurbishment day.

Presided over by KCCB President Tom Scott, board members concurred that city and county trucks should be enlisted to collect trash at a central location and then take it to the city landfill north of town.

"We're going to try to do something similar to what we had on Make a Difference Day and encourage everyone to clean up their own yard," said KCCB Board member Bob Reily Tuesday.

Reily, who is also C-City's mayor pro tem, said there should be no problem in keeping the landfill open that day.

He said workers will also be assigned to help elderly and disabled people clean up their yards.

Board member Bob Brookshear kept records of the last Make a Difference Day, and he reported that 103 people put in 577 manhours in the previous effort.

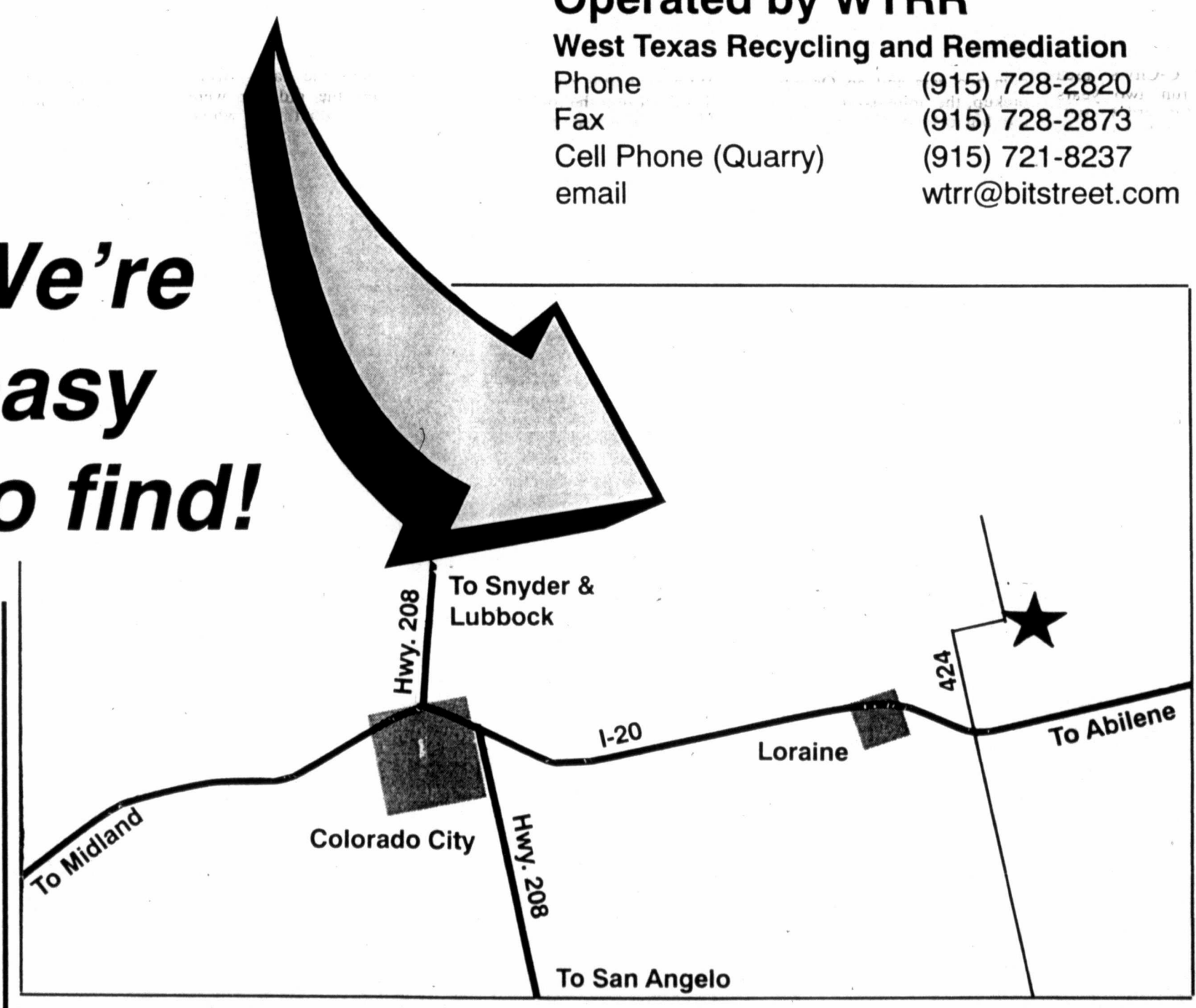
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Substance Abuse Trends

(In response to a growing concern among parents, educators and other members of the community, Colorado City Record, in cooperation with Al-Anon support groups and the Snyder Area Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, is devoting this column to your questions about the increasing threat of substance abuse.)

Codeine cough syrup abuse rising

Doctors and pharmacists should be aware of scams to obtain codeine cough syrup to get high, say officials at the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

"This is a drug of abuse," says Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Dr. Jane Maxwell, a leading researcher of drug trends. "Hospitals, doctors and pharmacies need to realize that some drug users have figured out ways to manipulate the system to get codeine syrup."

The Commission has released a study that examines the illegal use of codeine cough syrup and the ways users obtain the drug. Users with insurance or Medicaid have learned which symptoms to describe to get a prescription for cough syrup, the study says. The study was conducted by Dr. William N. Elwood, at the University of Texas School of Public Health in Houston.

"Sometimes they won't give me the codeine syrup," said one user interviewed for the study. "When that happens, I'll go back to the doctor and say it hasn't worked and I need something stronger. And then I get it. If that doesn't work, though, I'll just go to the emergency room around shift change."

Other users buy cough syrup that has been stolen or smuggled in from Mexico. The price of an eight-ounce bottle of codeine syrup averages \$200 on the streets in Houston, says Jerry Ellis, the diversion program manager in the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration's Houston office. "It's certainly still running rampant in the Houston area," Ellis says of the illegal use of codeine cough syrup. "We also have received anecdotal information that it's spreading to San Antonio and Austin." Some users buy unfilled prescriptions obtained by people with insurance. "They're coming up with more scams all the time to get this," Ellis says.

While the abuse of over-the-counter cough syrups is widespread in the United States, the abuse of prescription cough syrup appears to be limited to Texas, Dr. Elwood said. "This is a problem that really seems to have originated in Houston and is spreading to other cities in Texas," he said.

There were 14 deaths in Texas in 1998 that involved the main ingredients in cough syrups, including codeine. "Codeine cough syrup, and even over-the-counter cough syrups, can be dangerous, especially when mixed with other drugs," Dr. Maxwell says. "This is a serious problem, and we want to the public - particularly medical professionals - to be aware of this growing problem."

Please send your questions on drugs or addiction to P.O. Box 695, Snyder, Texas 79550. All questions and personal inquiries may be submitted anonymously. Twenty-four-hour confidential information is available by calling (915) 573-1141 or 1-800-658-6722. Information on help groups and individual's phone numbers may be found in the SDN Community Calendar.

C-City, Loraine rebates improve

Colorado City and Loraine made huge improvements in their January state sales tax rebates, compared to last year's totals, with a 58 percent bigger payment here and a whopping 142 percent increase at Loraine.

Westbrook is up by 3.5 percent.

Payments this year and last year were \$32,526 to \$20,633 here, \$505 to \$209 in Loraine and \$460 to \$444 in Westbrook.

Mitchell County's payment is up by 47 percent, \$13,097 to \$8,879.

State Comptroller Carole K. Rylander said the payments include local sales taxes collected in November and reported in December.

"This month's sales tax rebates are a good start to what could be another good year for the Texas economy," she said in Austin.

Ballinger is up by 23 percent, Winters by 35 percent, Big Spring by 13 percent, Roscoe by 22 percent and Sweetwater by 23 percent.

City Sales and Use Tax Comparison Summary-January 2000

City/County	Current Rate	Net Payment This period	Comparable Payment Prior Year	% Change	2000 Payments to Date	1999 Payments to Date	% Change
MITCHELL CO.							
Colorado City	1.500%	32,525.74	20,632.69	57.64%	32,525.74	20,632.69	57.64%
Loraine	1.000%	504.99	208.82	141.83%	504.99	208.82	141.83%
Westbrook	1.000%	460.06	444.34	3.53%	460.06	444.34	3.53%
County Total		33,490.79	21,285.85	57.33%	33,490.79	21,285.85	57.33%
HOWARD CO.							
Big Spring	2.000%	261,905.51	231,129.40	13.31%	261,905.51	231,129.40	13.31%
Coahoma	1.000%	2,749.66	2,398.29	14.65%	2,749.66	2,398.29	14.65%
Forsan	1.000%	1,563.46	1,005.08	55.55%	1,536.46	1,005.08	55.55%
County Total		266,218.63	234,532.77	13.51%	266,218.63	234,532.77	13.51%
NOLAN CO.							
Blackwell	1.000%	198.66	113.39	75.20%	198.66	113.39	75.20%
Roscoe	1.000%	2,422.25	1,987.20	21.89%	2,422.25	1,987.20	21.89%
Sweetwater	2.000%	136,209.70	111,049.24	22.65%	136,209.70	111,049.24	22.65%
County Total		138,830.61	113,149.83	22.69%	138,830.61	113,149.83	22.69%
RUNNELS CO.							
Ballinger	1.500%	28,893.27	23,535.21	22.76%	28,893.27	23,535.21	22.76%
Miles	1.000%	1,089.13	1,146.86	-5.03%	1,089.13	1,146.86	-5.03%
Winters	1.500%	11,078.05	8,230.07	34.60%	11,078.05	8,230.07	34.60%
County Total		41,060.45	32,912.14	24.75%	41,060.45	32,912.14	24.75%
SCURRY CO.							
Snyder	1.500%	96,010.24	107,954.62	-11.06%	96,010.24	107,954.62	-11.06%

County Sales and Use Tax Comparison Summary-January 2000

County	Current Rate	Net Payment This period	Comparable Payment Prior Year	% Change	2000 Payments to Date	1999 Payments to Date	% Change
Mitchell	0.500%	13,097.20	8,879.46	47.49%	13,097.20	8,879.46	47.49%
Runnels	0.500%	17,157.60	11,623.83	47.60%	17,157.60	11,623.83	47.60%
Scurry	0.500%	83,367.90	65,843.66	26.61%	83,367.90	65,843.66	26.61%

Mitchell Co. approved for livestock aid

Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs announced that 61 additional Texas counties have been approved by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency for the Livestock Assistance Program for a total of 161 counties.

LAP, administered by FSA, provides direct payments to eligible livestock producers in approved counties that suffered grazing losses due to natural disasters during 1999. Nationwide, \$200 million has been allocated for livestock producers for weather-related losses as part of the \$8.7 billion farm assistance package

passed in October. An extra \$10 million in funding was approved in H.R. 3194, which provides \$576 million in additional emergency funding.

For drought-related losses, LAP benefits are available in approved counties where precipitation was 40 percent or more below normal for at least four months and where there was at least a 40 percent loss of available grazing during a 90-day period due to drought.

Eligible producers must have suffered a 40 percent or greater loss of grazing for a 90-day period during 1999. Eligible livestock include beef and dairy cattle; buffalo or beefalo when maintained on the same basis as beef cattle; sheep; goats; swine; and equine animals used commercially for human food or kept for the production of food or fiber on the owner's farm or ranch.

The approved counties include Anderson, Archer, Austin, Bandera, Bastrop, Baylor, Bell, Bexar, Blanco, Borden, Bosque, Bowie, Brazoria, Brazos, Brown, Burleson, Burnet, Caldwell, Calhoun, Callahan, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Clay, Coke, Coleman, Collin, Colorado, Comal, Comanche, Concho, Cooke, Coryell, Crane, Crockett, Dallas, Delta, Denton, DeWitt, Eastland, Ector, Edwards, Ellis, Erath, Falls, Fannin, Fayette, Fisher, Floyd,

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For more information on the Livestock Assistance Program, producers should contact their local USDA-Farm Service Agency.

Retired teachers meet

The Mitchell County Retired Teachers Association held its first meeting of the year 2000 on Jan. 11 at the Wallace Community Center. After lunch with the Senior Citizens the group moved to a meeting

room for the program and business meeting.

The speaker was Bryan Limmer, who was introduced by Doris McClellan. Mr. Limmer is trust officer of the City National Bank.

He discussed the different types of trusts. He explained a living trust which can include a testamentary trust if one desires it included in his will. It avoids probate and is not a public record.

He said mutual funds are tax exempt but annuities are not. He made it clear that it is important to know and understand different options in order to decide wisely for oneself.

He added that people confuse a living trust with a living will which does not concern one's assets but is a directive to physicians and family concerning the kind of care one desires should he become terminally ill.

Flo Bodine, president, presided at the business meeting during which the importance of reporting volunteer hours was emphasized.

The Building Fund Committee reported that all the problems involved in building a Headquarters Building for TRTA on land owned already by TRTA have been worked out and work should soon begin on it.

The unit voted to participate in the project A Book for Every Deprived Child.

The next meeting will be Feb. 10 at the Wallace Center when Frank Bassham will present the program.

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Mr. and Mrs. Brian Bruner

Miller, Bruner united in December ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Miller Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bruner are happy to announce the marriage of their children, Brian and Laurie Bruner.

The couple was married on Dec. 26, 1999 at 5 p.m. in Bama's House, under the presidings of T.R. "Bear" Williams.

The bride was given away by her father. She wore a cream colored dress with gold brocade, floor-length and a tiara veil.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Samantha Miller. The best man was Richard Bruner Jr., brother of the groom.

The groom's mother, Susan Bruner, interpreted for the

wedding.

After the ceremony, a meal was catered by Bama's House, followed by a double-layer cake by D.J.'s Cakes in Odessa.

The flowers were beautifully arranged by Marsha Jordan at Colorado Floral. They were burgundy and white.

The groom is employed at the Double Tree Quarter Horse Ranch in Odessa.

The bride is a student at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin in Odessa. She is a senator for the Student Senate and an intern for the UTPB Alumni Association. She will be continuing her education there.

The couple will reside in Odessa.

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COOK'S CORNER

With all the diets out there, many people have chosen the "low carbohydrate" way to lose weight. This week, I have included some low carbohydrate recipes that are very good. If you are trying to lose weight the low carb way, try these recipes. I think you will find them very tasty!

Alfredo Chicken

4 boneless chicken breasts
Garlic and onion powder to taste
1 tbsp.
1 cup sliced mushrooms
1/4 cup chicken broth
1 tsp. sage
Pepper to taste
1 cup Five Brothers brand Alfredo Sauce
Sprinkle chicken with garlic and onion powders and brown in oil. Remove chicken and keep warm. Add mushrooms to pan along with broth and seasonings. Cook until mushrooms are tender and liquid is evaporated. Add alfredo sauce and stir until mixed and heated through. Assemble chicken breasts on a platter, top with sauce and serve.
Makes 4 servings at 3.2 carbs per serving.

Ham and Cheese Soup

1 tbsp. olive oil
1/2 cup onions, chopped
1/2 cup celery, chopped
1/4 cup bell pepper, chopped
1 tbsp. garlic, chopped
1 cup diced ham
4 cups chicken stock or water and bullion cubes
1 bay leaf
1/2 tsp. dried basil
1/4 cup cream (optional)
1/2 to 1 cup grated cheddar cheese
chopped green onions for garnish (optional)
Fry all onions, celery, bell pepper, and garlic in oil till tender. And ham and fry to release some oils and meld the flavors. Add stock or water and bullion, bay leaf, and basil. Simmer to reduce slightly (20-30 minutes). Add cream and bring back to a boil (optional). Slowly add cheese - stirring constantly. Serve immediately.

Broccoli and Chicken Casserole

4 cooked chicken breasts
1 can cream of chicken soup
1 pkg. frozen broccoli, cooked until just tender
1 tsp. lemon juice
2 cups grated cheese
1 tbsp. butter
1/4 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper
8 pieces of bacon, cooked crisp and crumbled
Mix together soup, salt, pepper, lemon juice, 1 cup grated cheese and butter. Debone chicken and cut into bite size pieces. Layer chicken and broccoli in baking dish. Add sauce. Top with bacon crumbles and bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Add remaining cheese & bake until cheese melts. Carbohydrate count: 30.5, 4 servings=7.6g each

Italian Chicken

6 boneless, skinless chicken breast halves
1/2 cup Italian salad dressing
In a shallow dish, pour dressing over chicken. Cover and marinate in the refrigerator up to 3 hours. Remove from refrigerator, bake chicken in the marinade at 425 degrees for 20 minutes or until chicken is no longer pink.

Pumpkin Cream Pie

12 packets sweet & low
16 packets equal
2-8 oz. pkgs. cream cheese, softened
1 stick butter
2 tbsp. vanilla
2 tsp. pumpkin pie spice
1 - 29 oz. can pumpkin
1 cup heavy cream (optional)
Beat everything but pumpkin til fluffy -- 1-2 minutes. Add pumpkin, beat til well blended. Spoon into buttered pie plates or nut crust. Chill 6 hours or overnight. Carbs - 86 for both pies

Linda and Rey DeLoera of Boerne, Texas would like to announce the birth of their baby girl, Katlyn Raeann DeLoera. She was born December 30, 1999 at 8:20 am at Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville. She weighed 7 lbs. 14 oz.

Maternal grandmother is Delfina Mendoza of Colorado City.

Paternal grandparents are Virginia DeLoera of Colorado City and Thomas DeLoera of Roscoe.

James and Melissa Lopez of Abilene would like to announce the birth of their son, Seth Daniel Lopez.

He was born January 10, 2000 at 8:44 pm weighing 8 lbs., 6 oz. and was 20 inches long.



Lori Kay McElvaney & Christopher Garcia

Engagement announced

Lori Kay McElvaney and Christopher A. Garcia would like to announce their engagement and upcoming wedding.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Carolyn McElvaney and the late Jim McElvaney of Colorado City.

The bridegroom is the son of Becky Brewer of Slaton and Ralph Garcia Jr. of Lubbock.

The couple will marry at 3

p.m. Feb. 12, 2000 at the First Baptist Church in Levelland.

Miss McElvaney is a graduate of Colorado High School and is employed by B. Lane Thompson, PC, CPA in Lubbock.

The groom attended Levelland High School and served three years in the U.S. Army. He is employed by Submersible Pump Specialist in Lubbock.

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7	30	Movie Hacking	Movie Above	Nurse in Chaos	Outing Light	ICW Westing	Hockey St. Rangers	Walker T. Ranger	My On the News	Barbarell Basketball	Arpaques	Honey, We Nurt	Emergency	Emergency	6A
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10	30	News Above	Betrayal Of Miller	Premier J.M. Meyer	Update News John Hages	Perspecting Fishing	TNN Motor Sports	Sportscenter Above	Movie Tennors	700 Club On the Inside	FOX News Let's Live	So Weird Above	Emergency	Emergency	6A
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7	A Team	
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3	Emergency	
4	Dragnet	Adam 12
5	A. Griffith	Beaver
6	Honeyman	Sanford &
7	A Team	
8	A. Griffith	Gomez Pyle

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4	Dragnet	Adam 12
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7	A Team	
8	A. Griffith	Gomez Pyle

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4	Dragnet	Adam 12
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STUDENTS AT LORAIN School, chosen as Citizens of the Week are: (l-r) Damian Garcia, Leslie Garcia, Edward Lujan, and Brittany Farquhar.

Loraine honor roll released

The following Loraine students were on the "A" and "A-B" honor rolls for the third six-weeks of the 1999-2000 school year.

A Honor Roll

First grade: Toby Garza, Alicia Hernandez, Addrian Lara, Raven Limones, Carlos Lopez, Celia Rico, Joe Salazar, Megan Sanchez and Adrian Talamantes.

Second grade: Elida Calderon and Megan Oliver.

Fifth grade: Annette Davila and Marisol Salazar.

Sixth grade: Brittney Farquhar and Lucy Rico.

Seventh grade: Jonathan Ellis and Anthony Esquivel.

Eighth grade: Stephanie Rich.

Ninth grade: Christina Rico.

Tenth grade: David Ellis and Veronica Garcia.

Twelfth grade: Edward Carington, Olivia Davila, Ashley Finley, Leslie Garcia, Jennifer Rich and Mike Rico.

A-B Honor Roll

First grade: Andy Limones and Breanna Williams.

Second grade: Jacyntha Brisenio, Anthony Garcia, Alex Lambaren, Mario Lopez and Daniel Talamantes.

Third grade: Candace Aguilar and Felicia Gibson.

Fourth grade: Jake Hester and Donta Smith.

Fifth grade: Zach Gibson and Nancy Talamantes.

Sixth grade: Anthony Brisenio, Pedro Pineda, Ashley Vanderpool and Michael Walker.

Seventh grade: April Bailey, Eliza Garcia, Krystal Limones and Ashley Smith.

Eighth grade: Raquel Alfaro, Sintia Calderon, George Davila, Junior Delgado, Ryan Lucas, Eliza Martinez, Stacy Parham, Trisha Sanchez and Amanda Walker.

Ninth grade: Margo Gomez and Vanessa Jones.

Tenth grade: Tabitha Casas,

Ryan Chavez, Heather Lucas, Daniel Martinez, Crystal Morris, Sabrina Neel, Nicholas Ruiz, Robert Sanchez and Victoria Silva.

Eleventh grade: Leslie French, Kody Hurst, Aaron Jones, Johnny Lopez, Carmela Pantoja and Luis Rico.

Twelfth grade: Rene Garcia, Jamie Grice, Amanda Kendall, Bea Lopez and George Luevanos.

CMS releases honor rolls

Colorado Middle School has released the "A" and "A-B" honor roll for the fourth six weeks of the school year.

"A" Honor Roll

Sixth Grade - Michael Chambers, Sagan Everett, Felicia Forbes, Sara Manning, Brik McGuffin, Jodi Owens, Tiffany Owens, Courtney Pharis, Roland Rivera.

Seventh Grade - Jamie Bonner, Joni Clay, Michael Davila, Megan Drummond, Kaleb Free, Emmanuel Garcia, Terah Lelek, Melinda Morris, Bryan Proctor, Ryan Proctor.

Eighth Grade - Adrian Arispe, Kimberly Barr, Hannah Bassham, Samuel Crockett, Richard Goodman, Amanda Guerra, David Jones, Misty Kenly, Sandra Leija, Nicole Neff, Sarah Paul, Cole Ratliff, Jennifer Rios, Nicole Rodriguez, Christopher Spear,

Patrick Spear, James Thomson, Fallon Walker, Ashley Wright, Dustin Wylie, Lauren Ziger.

"A-B" Honor Roll

Sixth Grade - Joe Arguijo, Daniell Arispe, Krisha Arispe, Daniel Austin, Logan Boyd, Mallory Espinoza, Esther Franco, Jaquelyn Guevara, Calli Haltom, Raquel Hinojosa, Cody Hubbard, Chasity Jackson, Kinsey Kirchner, Griffin Limmer, Michael Luera, David Martinez, Anissa Pineda, Henry Reyna, Kimberly Rodriguez, Edgar Roman, Adrian Salazar, Michael Sanchez, Kenneth Scott, Julianne Thompson, Megan Tolle, Virginia Tovar, Jennifer Velasquez, Jennifer Vest.

Seventh Grade - Kareem Abdur-Razzaq, Lauren Anderson, Thomasa Bocanegra, Diana Bueno, Ryan Denson, Jose Espinoza, Jessie Ferdin, Felicia Franco, Edwardo Garcia, Timothy Jones, Ashley Lefler, Theresa Molina, Hanneus Ollison, Alex Robinson, Heather Sturdivant, Tiffany Thomson, Brian Valenzuela, Jon Ventura, Joshua Wadley.

Eighth Grade - David Alvarez, Cole Arthur, Gregory Bailey, Wesley Callaway, Lori Davila, Megan Evans, Bianca Godina, Elena Gonzales, Jonathan Haralson, Tyler Kelly, Carlos Leanos, Kimberly Mansker, Chris Martinez, Sara McCombs, Candis Moore, Nicole Nichols, Brian Olson, Eric Pineda, Toni Pineda, Robyn Rodriguez, Fidel Silva, Misti Watkins, Victoria Zermeno.

Perfect attendance students are named at Hutchinson

Hutchinson Elementary has released the list of students having Perfect Attendance for the third six-weeks of the 1999-2000 school year.

Third grade: Felicia Arelano, Gavino Arguijo, Jonathan Arispe, Daniel Atkinson, Lacreasha Birmingham, Amber Campes, Joaquina Cantu, Hannah Chaney, Lance Espinoza, Jessica Frizzell, Dessie Gaddis, Daniel Gaine, Jessica Garrett, Briana Godina, Rosendo Gonzales, Tabatha Grisham, Cheyenne Guelker, Serena Guerrero, Joel Gutierrez, David Guzman, Lawson Hartwick, Samantha Herrera, Christine Jackson, Justin James, Stevie Jernigan, Carlton Johnston, Christina Leanos, Tamara Lelek, Stacy Little, and Richard Luera.

Other third graders with Perfect Attendance are: Morgan Maddox, Ima Mathers, Kari Matlock, Nathan McCright, Corey Owens, Daniel Perez, Jay Pfeuffer, Shanekia Pruitt, Mackensie Pyle, Carmen Rivera, Mary Rodriguez, Alonso Ruiz, Esperanza Salinas, Sam Shrode, Disha Smith, Desirea Thomson, Courtney Vanderslice, Kayla Vasquez, Christopher Vondra, Samuel Williamson, Dale Wooddell, Samantha Yanas and Gabriel Yanez.

Fourth grade: Haneef Abdur-Razzaq, Diego Albarran, David Arispe, Marina Arispe, Robert Arispe, Eric Atkinson, Mario Atkinson, Ricardo Atkinson, Kristal Barber, Dakota Blair, Nidia Bueno, Robert Carrillo, Shaley Chaney, Justin

Clay, Jon Douglas, Chelsea Duncan, Michael Esquivel, Armando Flores, Carina Flores, Kolby Free, Xavier Garcia, Celena Gonzales, Billy Gonzalez, Ryan Graham, Kohirry Green, Kristen Grimes, Nereida Gutierrez, Jeremiah Hart, Jessica Hernandez, Michael Hollis, Tia Huff, Lacreasha Johnson, Lindsey Kelly, and Julian Leija.

Other fourth graders with Perfect Attendance were: Alyssa Martinez, Jesus Martinez, Lucas Matinez, Sara Martinez, Valerie Martinez, Leshia McDuffie, Jonathan Miles, Orlando Moreno, Sarah Moya, Cindy Pina, Mindy Pina, Lydia Pineda, Jordan Powell, Nichol Rankin, Simon Reyna, Gregory Rodriguez, Patrick Rodriguez, Lucas Salazar, Nathan Slater, Cody Upshaw, Christa Valdivia, Alfredo Ventura, Isabel Ventura, Krystal Ventura, Tom Ventura, Kasandra Wooddell, Miguel Zermeno and Lacy Ladd.

Fifth grade: Michelle Arispe, Cecilia Barra, Veronica Beltran, Justin Cantu, Rogelio Carrillo, Amanda Castillo, Jessica Castillo, Tanner Cox, Melissa Duran, Nicholas Edwards, Dustin Espinoza, Marcus Flores, Stephanie Freeman, Christopher Gaddis, John Garcia, Eric Gonzales, Jose Gonzalez, Shawn Gonzalez, Landon Hartwick, Roxanne Hernandez, Brittany Hill, Kimberly James, Samantha Leverett, Axel Lewis, Brittany Martinez, Rafael Martinez, Kirby Matlock and Robert McGuire.

Other fifth graders with Perfect Attendance were: Amber Paige Newby, Kassie Owens, Lana Perez, Zachary Pfeuffer, Daniel Polega, Stuart Ponko, Jeremy Quiroz, Baillie Redwine, Rianna Rivera, Sonja Rocha, Erick Roman, Jaime Ruiz, Kateshia Russell, Steven Schomberg, Brittany Selvera, Hunter C. Swann, Sean Velasquez, Edgar Ventura, Jerrod Ward, Kimberly Williams and Chase Wylie.

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Holman makes SRU dean's list

Sul Ross State University named 215 students to its fall semester Dean's List, the academic honor roll.

Undergraduate students enrolled for 12 or more semester hours who maintain a grade point average of 3.3 or greater are eligible for the Dean's List.

Sul Ross Dean's List local students and grade point averages include Barry Dean Holman with a 3.929 grade point average.

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CHS CHEERLEADERS, along with Hutchinson faculty and community members, kicked off the new after-school program Club TAAS at Hutchinson Elementary, Tues., Jan. 11. Pictured are: (front row, l-r) Desiree Garcia, Hayley Stepp, Leiza Rivera, Kandon McGuffin, Jennifer Petty; (middle row, l-r) Mary Alice Hernandez, City National Bank employee, Ann May, Light Span Consultant, Elizabeth Melendez, Light Span Consultant, Jerrod Ward, Amanda Free, Keegan Douglas, Briana Bodina, Emma Godina, teacher, and Alice Moreno, City National Bank employee; (back row, l-r) Amy Merket, City National Bank employee, Elaine Abdur-Razzaq, teacher, Kim Anderson, teacher, Charlotte Upshaw, teacher, Nancy Moore, teacher, Slue Foot, Marcy Claxton, TAAS Coordinator for CISD, Royce Clay, City National Bank President and Hutchinson Principal Janey Burke.

Club TAAS is new program at Hutchinson Elementary

Hutchinson Elementary started a new after school program. It is called CLUB TAAS (Children Learning Understanding and Believing to Achieve Academic Success).

The program will involve 47 students and will be Monday through Thursday from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday and Wednesday will be devoted to math with Tuesday and Thursday reserved for reading. The curriculum will be individualized for each student.

CLUB TAAS will incorporate Lightspace Achieve Now, a research based comprehensive software curriculum. The Achieve Now program supports the Colorado ISD learning initiatives for reading and math by offering a motivational format for the students, reinforcing the TEKS and TAAS, and providing assessment with specifically designed staff development for the teachers. The Lightspace Achieve Now curriculum is

used as an extension of the classroom. The lab will consist of 20 student learning stations and one teacher presentation station.

Hutchinson Elementary staff and students would like to thank City National Bank and the City National Bank employees for providing the 20 televisions to complete the lab. Their support is greatly appreciated. The other components of the lab were provided through a state grant.



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK at Hutchinson Elementary are: (l-r) Johnathan Wright, Jessica Hernandez and Chase Wylie.

Hutchinson students of week named

Hutchinson Elementary has announced their choices for Students of the Week. The three students chosen were Johnathan Wright, Jessica Hernandez and Chase Wylie.

Johnathan Wright, son of Todd and Yolanda Wright, is a third grader at Hutchinson Elementary. His favorite subject is math and he collects toy cars as a hobby. He has a special dog named Angel and his favorite things about Hutchinson are A.R. Reading and the teachers.

Jessica Hernandez, daughter of Lisa and Jessie Hernandez, is a fourth grader at Hutchinson. Her favorite subject is also math. She has a special dog named Jasmine. P.E. is her favorite thing about Hutchinson.

Chase Wylie, son of Susan Wallis, is a fifth grader at Hutchinson. Math is his favorite subject and learning is his

favorite thing about his school. He has a special dog named Champ that he enjoys spending time with.

SCHOOL MENUS

Colorado ISD Breakfast Menu Jan. 24-28

Monday - assorted dry cereals or breakfast pizza, chilled juice, choice of milk.

Tuesday - assorted dry cereals or sausage on a stick, chilled fruit, choice of milk.

Wednesday - assorted dry cereals or cinnamon toast, chilled juice, choice of milk.

Thursday - assorted dry cereals or french toast with syrup, chilled fruit, choice of milk.

Friday - assorted dry cereals or egg & toast, chilled juice, choice of milk.

Kelley Elementary Lunch Menu Jan. 24-28

Monday - pizza, green beans, toss salad, brownie, choice of milk.

Tuesday - burrito, spicy pinto, lettuce, tomato, chilled fruit, choice of milk.

Wednesday - green chili casserole, refried beans, w.k. corn, chilled fruit, choice of milk.

Thursday - cheeseburger, french fries, lettuce, tomato, vanilla pudding, choice of milk.

Friday - beef stew, tater tots, cornbread, ice cream, choice of milk.

Colorado Hutchinson Middle & High School Lunch Menu Jan. 24-28

Monday - hamburger or chicken pot pie with biscuit, french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, chocolate pudding, choice of milk.

Tuesday - corn dog or pork chop, gravy, new potatoes, pork n beans, apple, choice of milk.

Wednesday - pizza or spaghetti & meat sauce, garlic toast, spinach, sliced carrots, sliced peaches, choice of milk.

Thursday - burrito or green chili casserole, lettuce, tomatoes, corn, apple crisp, choice of milk.

Friday - hot dog or rib sandwich, tater tots, broccoli & cheese, brownie, choice of milk.

Loraine ISD Breakfast Menu Jan. 24-28

Monday - cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Tuesday - cheese toast, bacon, fruit, milk.

Wednesday - cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Thursday - scrambled eggs, sausage, biscuit, fruit, milk.

Friday - cereal, toast, fruit, milk.

Loraine ISD Lunch Menu Jan. 24-28

Monday - enchiladas, salad, spanish rice, pears, salsa, milk.

Tuesday - chicken strips, mashed potatoes, broccoli, cobbler, gravy, biscuit, milk.

Wednesday - macaroni with meat, carrot salad, fried okra, jello with fruit, bread, milk.

Thursday - burrito with cheese, corn, refried beans, cookies, jalapenos, milk.

Friday - pizza, salad, tater tots, shape-up, ketchup, milk.

Westbrook ISD Breakfast Menu Jan. 24-28

Monday - breakfast toast sticks, fruit juice, milk.

Tuesday - biscuits, sausage, fruit juice, milk.

Wednesday - cinnamon rolls, fruit juice, milk.

Thursday - blueberry muffins, fruit juice, milk.

Friday - cereal, toast, fruit juice, milk.

Westbrook ISD Lunch Menu Jan. 24-28

Monday - chicken strips, gravy, creamed potatoes, broccoli with cheese, biscuits, syrup, honey, milk.

Tuesday - hot dogs, chili, lettuce wedge, ranch dressing, baked potato, pears, milk.

Wednesday - beef tips over noodles, corn, green beans, sliced bread, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Thursday - frito pie, tossed salad, pork n beans, gingerbread, whipped topping, milk.

Friday - barbecue on bun, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickles, french fries, chocolate pudding, milk.

CMS students have perfect attendance

Colorado Middle School has announced its perfect attendance lists for the fourth six weeks.

Sixth Grade - Joe Arguijo, Krishna Arispe, Brandon Beights, Logan Boyd, Frances Carlos, Michael Chambers, Mallory Espinoza, Sagan

Everett, Mario Flores, Felicia Forbes, Esther Franco, Ernest Garcia, Krystle Garcia, Cesar Guidos, Salvador Guidos, Calli Haltom, Cody Hubbard, Kinsey Kirchner, Griffin Limmer, Michael Luera, Sara Manning, Christopher Martinez, David Martinez, Robert Mathers, Brik

McGuffin, Derick Merket, Michael Neel, Jodi Owens, Tiffany Owens, Courtney Pharis, Henry Reyna, Roland Rivera, Kimberly Rodriguez, Edgar Roman, Joshua Ruth, Adrian Salazar, Kenneth Scott, Julianne Thompson, Jennifer Velasquez, Jennifer Vest.

Seventh Grade - Kareem Abdur-Razzaq, Nicole Aguilar, Abel Beltran, Thomasa Bocanegra, Jamie Bonner, Diana Bueno, Antonio Campos, Bryan Castillo, Joni Clay, Lacy Combs, Jeremy Crawford, Megan Drummond, Jose Espinoza, Jessie Ferdin, Felicia Franco, Kaleb Free, Eduardo Garcia, Emmanuel Garcia, Jessica Garcia, Reginald Grant, Justin Hinojosa, Evan Jackson, Joseph Jackson, Otis Johnson, Timothy Jones, Amanda Leanos, Ashley Lefler, Ricardo Lozano, Eric Martinez, Erick Martinez, Anthony Matos, Christopher Molina, Melinda Morris, Haneus Ollison, Devin Parker, Mitchell Proctor, Veronica Quiroz, Leticia Reyes, Barbara Robinson, Nikoal Upshaw, Brian Valenzuela, Jackie Velasquez, Jon Ventura, Ebony Walthall.

Eighth Grade - Adrian

Arispe, Richard Arthur, Kimberly Barr, Hannah Bassham, Wesley Callaway, Ramiro Castillo, Samuel Crockett, Bianca Godina, Elena Gonzales, Hernandez, Gonzalez, Mary Gonzales, Richard Goodman, Amanda Guerra, Jonathan Haralson, Shalynn Harris, Jeremiah Jackson, David Jones, Carlos Leanos, Sandra Leija, Chris Martinez, Sara McCombs, Arland Mentel, Nicole Neff, Arlie Ramoz, Cole Ratliff, Jeremy Regalado, Amber Ring, Jennifer Rios, Clemente Rodriguez, Ivan Rodriguez, Robyn Rodriguez, Jacobie Russell, Christopher Sanchez, Melissa Smith, Christopher Spear, Patrick Spear, Timothy Upshaw, Fallon Walker, Ashley Wright, Lauren Ziegler.

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A public hearing will be held before the City Council, during its regular session, on the 8th of February, 2000 at 6 pm at City Hall, 180 W. 3rd, Colorado City, Texas. The public hearing will be held to consider the following request for a variance: A variance for Block 3, Lot 10 in 3-4 in the Marshall Addition 1 for a side set back to accommodate a carport in the rear of the house. The request was made by Ricardo and Dolly Ann Ramirez of 845 E 7th Street, Colorado City, Texas on January 13, 2000. The public is encouraged to attend.

Elizabeth Turner, City Secretary

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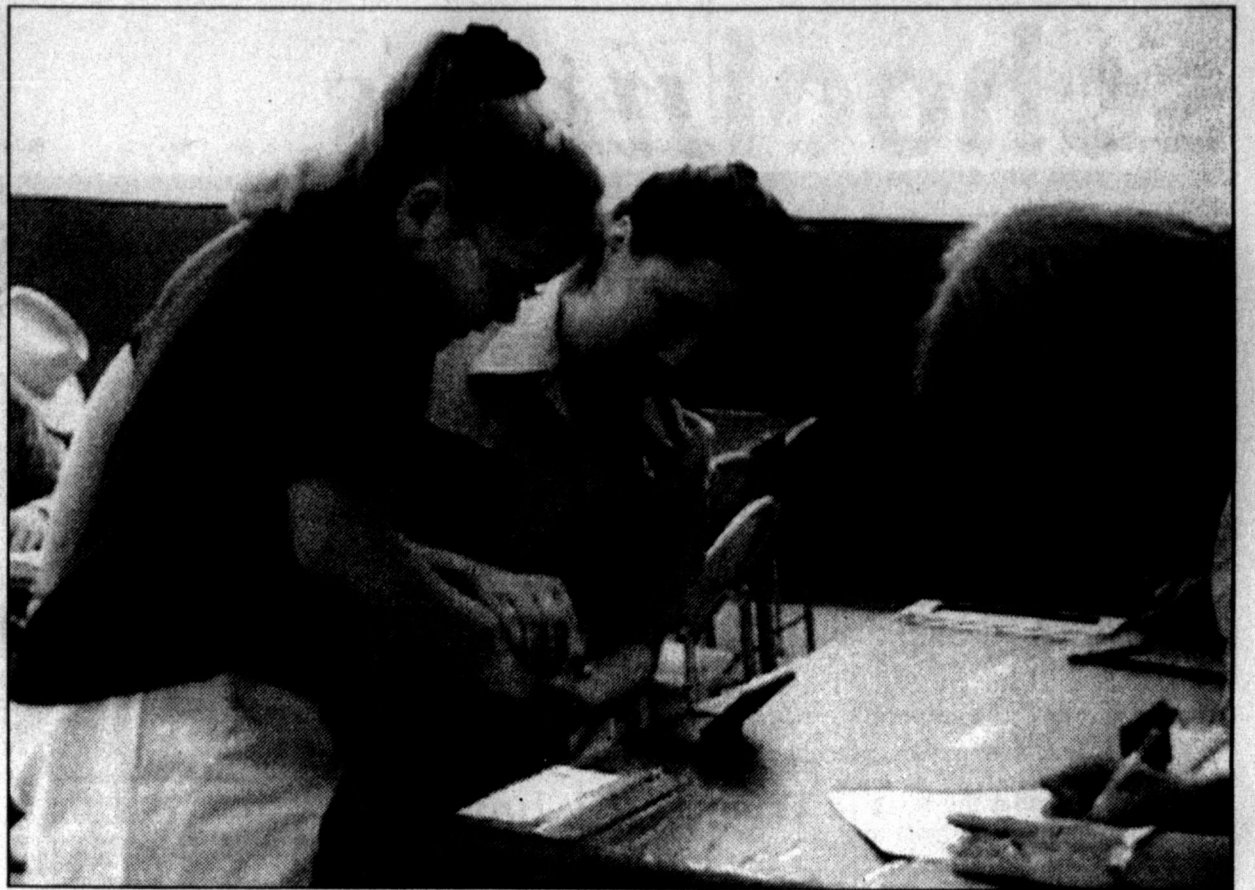
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CORYNA ROBINSON (r) helps Lauren Hartwick (l) get her fingerprints on record with the Mitchell County Sheriff's Department. The local law enforcement officers were on hand Jan. 18 to fingerprint Kelley Elementary students, which would help in identification in case of a disappearance.

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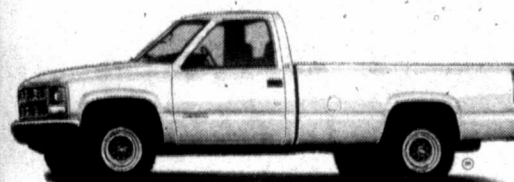
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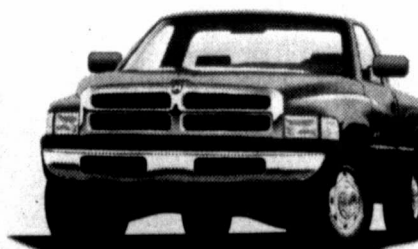
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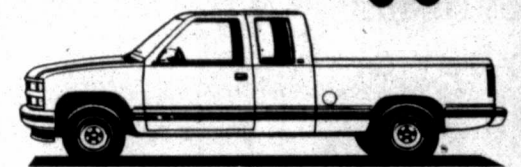
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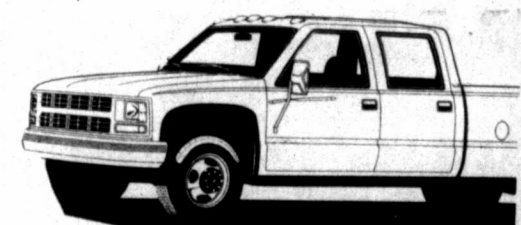
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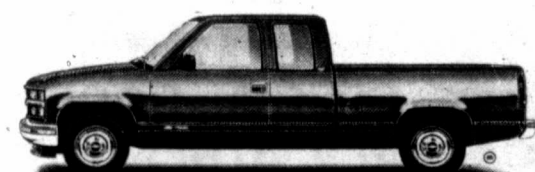
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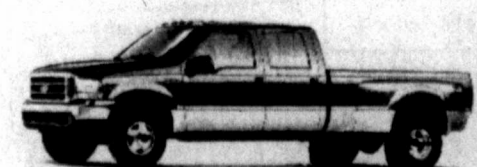
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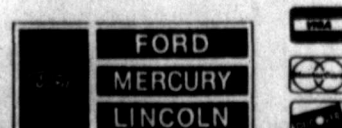
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Westbrook ISD homecoming planning begins

An organizational meeting was held January 17, 2000 at Westbrook School to plan the 2000 Homecoming for Westbrook exes.

This homecoming is an event that happens every five years. The homecoming will be held Friday and Saturday, June 16 and 17 and the church homecoming will be Sunday, June 18, 2000.

Various activities are being planned such as meals, class parties and a program that will be of interest to all, along with much visitation.

Help is needed in locating anyone who might be interested in attending. If anyone has names and addresses of Westbrook exes, they are asked to notify Bobbie Smith at 728-2717, Wilma Jean McKenney at 728-2783 or Christine Chambers at 644-3801.

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Lady Wildcats lose to Ira

The Westbrook Lady Wildcats were defeated on Tues., Jan. 11 by Ira 48-37.

Leading scorers for Westbrook were Jaci Hill with 13 points, Toni Bray with 9, Brook Dawson with 8, April Chambers with 3 and April Ginkinger and Brynn Rich, with 2 each.

Westbrook boys defeated by Ira

The Westbrook varsity boys were defeated 73-53 by Ira Tues., Jan. 11.

Leading scorers for the Wildcats were Erick Roverson with 14, Chris Matlock and James Matos, both with 8, Trey Roemisch with 7, Adam Roemisch with 5 and Derrick Polich with 3.

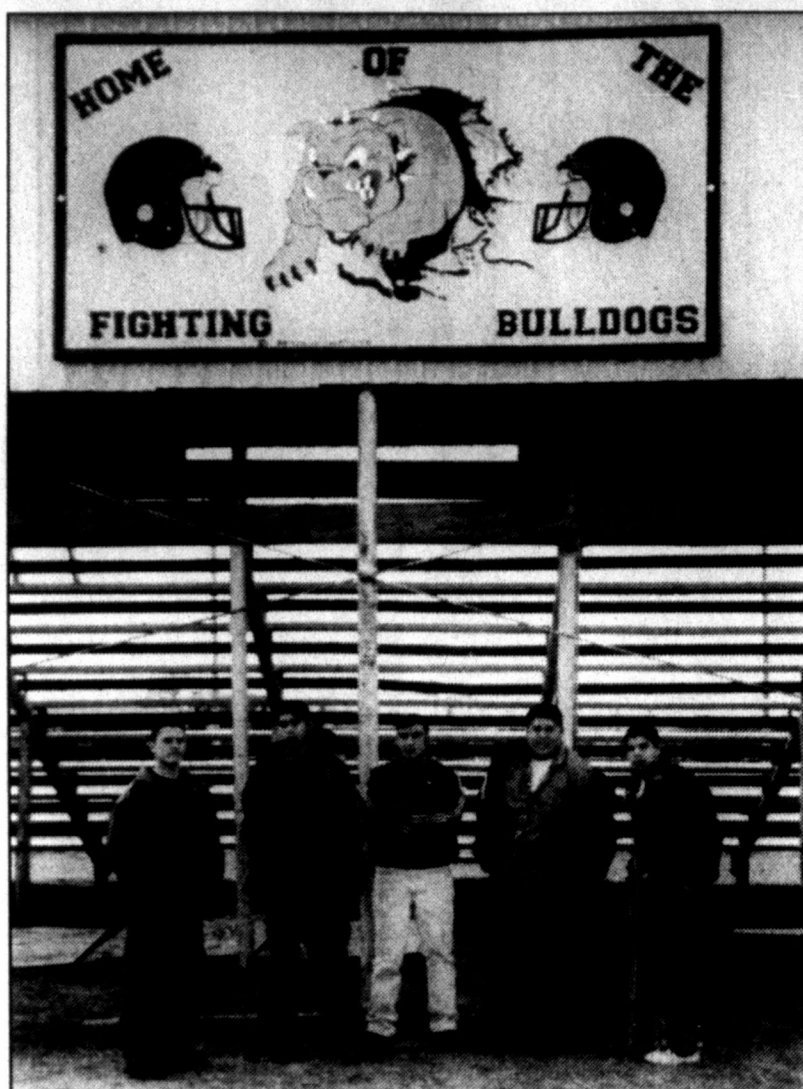
The Wildcats are 0-1 in district play.

Wildcats lose to Grady, 60-57

The Westbrook Wildcats varsity boys were defeated Fri., Jan. 14 by Grady 60-57.

Leading scorers for Westbrook were Adam Roemisch with 16, Chris Matlock with 15, Erick Roverson with 13, James Matos with 7 and Trey Roemisch with 4.

The Westbrook Wildcats are now 0-2 in district play.



LORAIN ART STUDENTS are pictured displaying the new Bulldog Stadium sign they made as a class project. They are: (l-r) Rene Garcia, Nick Ruiz, Mike Rico, Robert Sanchez and Roman Martinez.

Westbrook Jr. High girls play 3 games in tourney

Westbrook Junior High girls played this past weekend in the Highland tournament and were able to pull out a victory with two defeats.

In their first game the girls

Financial Aid Workshop to be held at CHS

So, you've decided to go to college or trade school -- now what? How will you ever pay for it?

Colorado High School Counselor Cliff Vlasin will hold a financial aid workshop for seniors and their parents at 7 p.m. January 27 in the high school cafeteria. The primary focus will be the new Free Application For Student Aid (FAFSA) form. These forms are now available to all seniors in the counselor's office.

Mr. Vlasin is also scheduling individual consultations with senior students and their parents to discuss post-secondary plans. To schedule an appointment, call 728-3424.

Westbrook JV girls lose to Grady, 36-26

The Westbrook Girls JV met up Grady at Grady and lost 36-26.

High scorers for the game were Priscilla Duran, 10, Allison Barboza, 8, Monica Barboza, 5, and Patty Bell, 2.

High school schedule allows some students to finish early

One of the advantages of the "accelerated block" schedule currently in use at Colorado High School is the opportunity for students with hardships to complete their high school coursework during the first term. Some students have a financial need for full-time employment, while others are able to start their college education a semester earlier.

Two such students are Amanda Costabile and Liliana Garcia, who have been accepted into the nursing programs at TSTC and Western Texas College respectively. Other students from the class of 2000 who have completed their coursework are Schamichah (Lewis) Bell and Olivia Hernandez.

Hernandez.

Another group of students positively affected by the new schedule are those who, for one reason or another, fail to complete their requirements during their senior year. Two such students are Billy Diaz and Chris Myers, both of whom were able to complete the necessary requirements in nine weeks.

Students who wish to finish early must apply to the high school principal by May of their junior year, stating their need and their plans. These students will still be invited to join their classmates as CHS honors the class of 2000 at graduation ceremonies May 19.

Local students make Dean's List at ASU

Area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Dean's List for the fall semester at the University.

Those listed include Jeraldene I Azlin, a Biology major; Michael Boatwright, a Finance-Real Estate Option and Management major; Maribel Gonzales, a Math & Science major; Toni Perales Gutierrez, a Sociology major; Sandy L. Lain,

an Early Childhood major; Kristin M. Moody, a Psychology major; Jana Leigh Redwine, a Biology major; Julie N. Sellers, a Psychology major; and Rebecca A. Sweet, a Kinesiology major, all from Colorado City.

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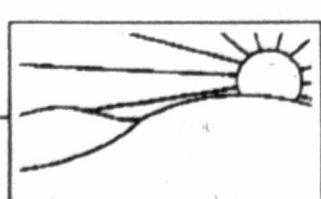
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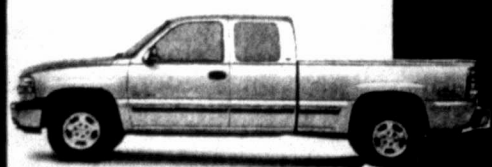
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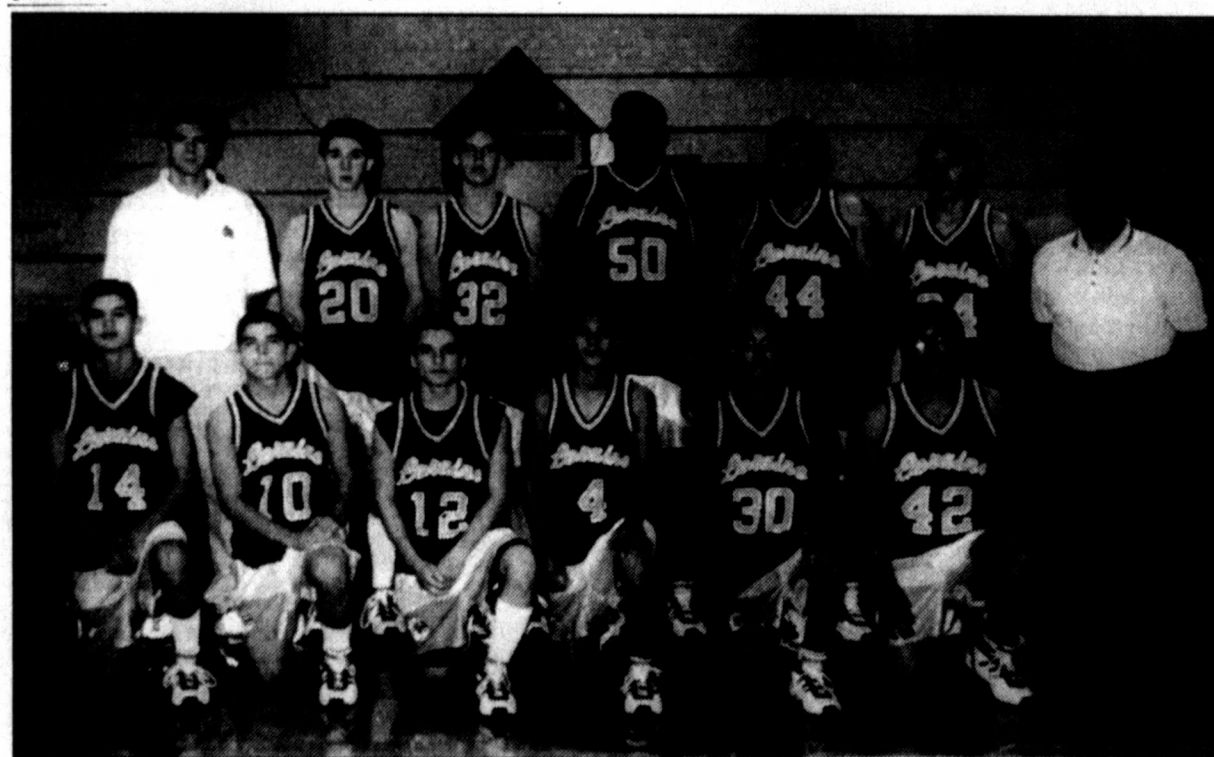
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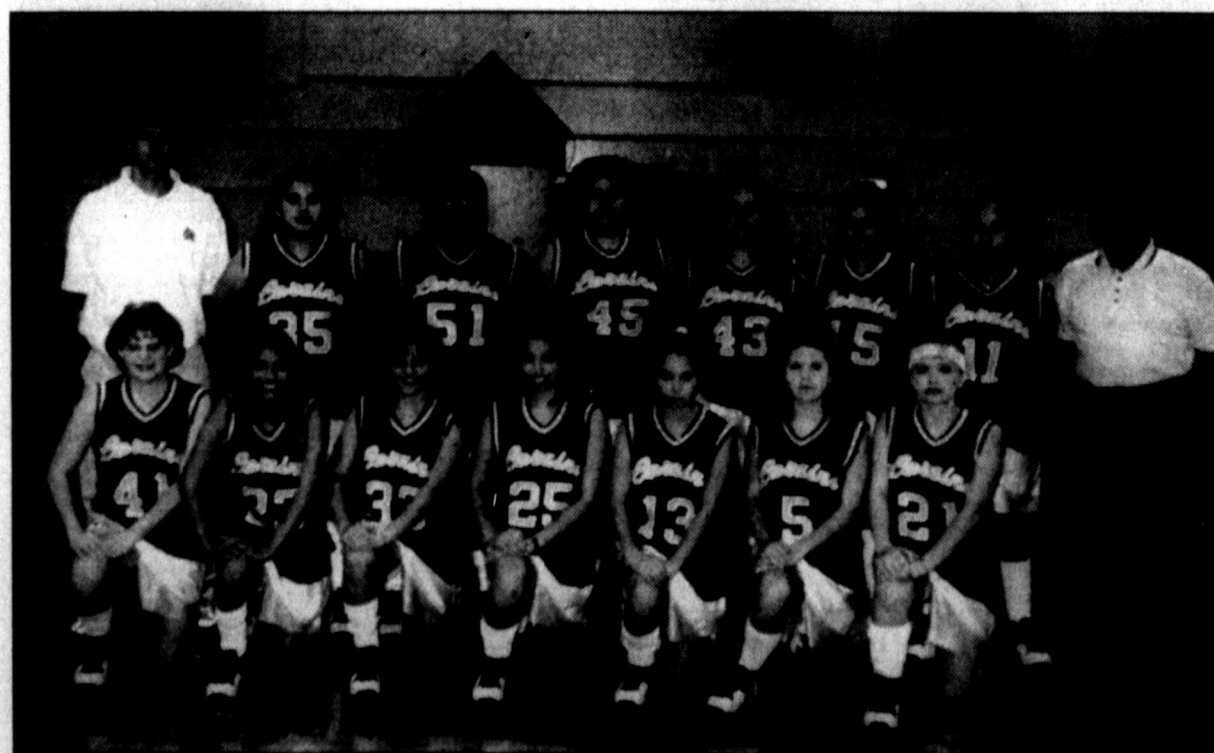
LJHS BULLDOGS placed 2nd in the Highland Tournament held Jan. 13, 15. Team members participating in the tourney were: (standing, l-r) Coach Victor Garcia, Anthony Esquivel, Ryan Lucas, Jr. Delgado, D.J. Vanderpool and George Davila; (sitting, l-r) Cloves Carrington, Cameron Smith, Anthony Briseno, Andres Calderon and Michael Walker.



THE LJHS LADY BULLDOGS placed third in the Highland Tournament held Jan. 13, 15 in Highland. Team members participating were: (standing, l-r) Coach Victor Garcia, Krystal Sanchez, Ashley Smith, Amanda Walker, Sonya Barrera, Tricia Sanchez, Sintia Calderon, Stacy Parham; (sitting, l-r) Jenny Moore, manager, Elissa Garcia, Gloria Rodriguez, Amanda Aguilar, April Bailey, Elizabeth Martinez and Stephanie Rich. Not pictured Eliza Martinez and Krystal Limones.



1999-2000 LORLAINE HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM: Coach Steve Komppa, David Ellis, Eric Wooddell, Ed Carrington, George Luevanos, Nick Ruiz, Coach Victor Garcia; front row (l-r) C.J. Madrid, Roman Martinez, Rene Garcia, Johnny Lopez, Elias Martinez, and Daniel Martinez.



1999-2000 LORLAINE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM: back row (l-r) Coach Steve Komppa, Christina Rico, Rebecca Carrington, Bea Lopez, Angela Wooddell, Tabitha Casas, Maria Chavez, Coach Victor Garcia; front row (l-r) Jennifer Rich, Leslie Garcia, Heather Lucas, Amanda Kendall, Vanessa Jones, Sabrina Neel, and Jamie Grice.

Tennis team in Big Spring

The Colorado High School tennis team played Big Spring this past weekend.

In the varsity boys singles Justin Gross lost 2-6 in 2 sets, Jeremy Raymond lost in 2 sets of 3-6, 4-6.

In the boys doubles Gross and Raymond won in a pro set 8-4, Johnny Morales and Rick Taylor lost in 2 sets 5-7, 0-6, Greger Hielper and Michael

Hembree won un three sets of 6-3, 6-7, and 7-5.

"Because some of my key players were not able to play, several teams were made up at the last minute, Justin and Jeremy looked especially good in their doubles as did Michael and Gregor," commented Coach Carolyn Walker on the boys games.

In the varsity and JV girls singles Christy Hull lost in two

sets of 3-6, Andrea Hoback won in one set of 8-2.

In girls doubles Jami Thackerson and Christy Hull lost in two sets of 3-6 and 0-6, Bridget Callaway and Samantha Maberry lost in three sets of 4-6, 6-4, and 5-7, Jami Thackerson and Andrea Hoback won in a pro set of 8-5.

In the JV girls Ashley Andrews and Samantha Guelker lost in a pro set of 2-6.

In JV boys doubles C.J. Hurst and Manuel Molina lost in a pro set of 3-8, Roger Crawford and William Bullock lost in a pro set of 0-8.

Loraine boys and girls play in Highland tourney

The Loraine JH boys and girls played this past weekend in the Highland Tournament and both came out of the tournament with some good wins.

The Loraine Junior High boys won the game against Olfen by a score of 40-39.

High scorers for Loraine were Anthony Esquivel, 19, Ryan Lucas, 11, George Davila, 8, and Junior Delgado, 2.

In their final game, Loraine fell to Ira, by a score of 42-30.

High scorers for Loraine were Anthony Esquivel, 11, Ryan Lucas and Geroge Davila both with scores of 8, and Junir Delgado, 3.

The Loraine boys finished

second in the tournament.

The Loraine girls lost their opening game against Blackwell 46-34.

High scorers of the game were Sonya Barrera, 14, Eliza Martinez and Amanda Walker, Tricia Sanchez all with 6, Sintia Calderon, 2.

In their next game the girls played Highland and started the game off with a quick lead and held on.

The final score was Loraine 31, Highland 18.

High scorers for Loraine were Sonya Barrera, 15, Tricia Sanchez, 10, and Amanda Walker, 6.

The Loraine girls placed 3rd in the tournament.

C-City boys defeat D.City

The Colorado City varsity boys defeated Denver City Friday, January 14, 60 to 49.

Leading scorers for Colorado City were Marquise Lenard, 18; Chase Phariss, 10; Heath McGaha, 8; Kevin Wright and Greg Green, both with 2 points each.

The Colorado City Wolves are 1-0 in district play, following this game.

"They outscored us 8-4 in the first quarter. We played good defense but just couldn't score. At the start of the second quarter, we hit one and took off," commented Coach Kimball.

Lady Wolves lose to Slaton

The Colorado City Lady Wolves were defeated by the Slaton Tigers 37-33 Tues., Jan. 11.

Leading scorers for the Lady Wolves were Alison Lopez with 9, Kim Rivera with 6, Teri Pharris with 6, Margaret

Ann Jameson with 4, Vanessa Quintero with 4 and Kassi Redwine and Erica Grant, each scoring 2.

The Lady Wolves are now 0-2 in district play.

Lady Wolves beat Eldorado

The Colorado City Lady Wolves defeated Eldorado last Tuesday 44 to 43.

Alison Lopez was high scorer for the Lady Wolves, scoring 15 points.

Others scoring for Colorado City were Sabine Knaute with 8 points, Kassi Redwine with 6, Kotia Russell with 6, Kim Rivera with 4 and Vanessa Quintero with 3.

Loraine girls lose to Blackwell

The Loraine JV girls lost their game against Blackwell by 2 points. The game score was Blackwell 28, Loraine 26.

High scorers for Loraine were Vanessa Jones, 10, Angela Woodell, 7, Tabitha Casas, 6, Sabrina Neel, 2, and Maria Chavez, 1.

Loraine beats Abilene Christian

The Loraine Junior High boys played Abilene Christian and won in overtime by a score of 39-37.

High scorers for Loraine were Anthony Esquivel, 12, Ryan Lucas, 11, George Davila, 9, Junior Delgado, 5, and D.J. Vanderpool with 2.

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to Dr. Gross, Mitchell County Hospital, and Joann Merket for her very efficient nursing staff. They are great! A special thanks to Loraine Manor for their loving care, the First Baptist Church, Bro. Brantly, Kiker-Seale Funeral Home, all the prayers, flowers and cards from family and friends and to the Senior Center who prepared our delicious lunch.

The Family of Stella Tillison
Lucille Lofton
Erleen Walsh
Bobby Pallersor
Virginia Bales
Marcella Wagner

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF MITCHELL

By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Mitchell County on the 30th day of December, 1999, by the Clerk thereof in the following cases to the Sheriff directed, the following properties, which are more particularly described in the judgments entered in each case, were levied on the 30th day of December, 1999, and will be sold at 10:00 a.m. on the 1st day of February, 2000, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the East door of the Courthouse in Mitchell County, Texas, in the City of Colorado City, Texas, to satisfy judgments with interest and with all costs of suit in favor of City of Colorado City, Et Al, and other taxing units and against defendants listed in said judgments and orders of sale.

CAUSE NO. 13,130

CITY OF COLORADO CITY VS. TERRY UPSHAW
Lot 5 and 6, Block 11, Hart-Costin Addition--Colorado City

CAUSE NO. 12,947

COLORADO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
VS. REAGIN S. MCALLISTER

.115000 Overriding Royalty Interest, J. Dell Barber, Sr., Trustee, Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease No. 187, out of survey 4, Cuthbert Vacant Strip -- Mitchell County.

Given under my hand this 30th day of December, 1999.

Patrick Toombs

Sheriff, Mitchell County, Texas

FILING NOTICE Board of Directors

Region XIV Education Service Center

Candidates for Place 1 (Mitchell and Scurry Counties); Place 3 (Haskell, Jones, and Shackelford Counties) and Place 5 (Callahan and Taylor Counties except Abilene Independent School District) may file between February 1 and February 20, 2000, either in person at 1850 State Highway 351, Abilene, Texas between 8 am and 5 pm Monday-Friday or by certified mail to the executive director, Region XIV Education Service Center, 1850 Highway 351, Abilene, Texas 79601. There is no filing fee. Eligibility requirements, further information, and filing forms may be received from Terry A. Harlow, Executive Director, Region XIV Education Service Center.

NOTICE DE REGISTRACION PARA

LA JUNTA DIRECTIVA DE

REGION XIV EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER

Candidatos para el Lugar 1 (los condados de Mitchell and Scurry), y para el Lugar 3 (los condados de Haskell, Jones and Shackelford); y para el lugar 5 (los condados de Callahan and Taylor menos el distrito escolar de Abilene) pueden registrarse entre las fechas del primero de febrero hasta el veinte de febrero, 2000, en persona en las oficinas del Region XIV, en calle 1850 State Highway 351, Abilene, Texas, desde las ocho de las mañana hasta las cinco de la tarde de Lunes a Viernes; o por carta certificada dirigida al director ejecutivo, Region XIV Education Service Center, 1850 Highway 351, Abilene, Texas 79601. No hay cobro para registrarse. Mas informacion sobre las formas de registracion, y sobre los requisitos necesarios para estos puestos pueden ser obtenidos de Terry A. Harlow, el director ejecutivo, Region XIV Education Service Center.

BID PROPOSAL REQUEST

Mitchell County Commissioners Court will receive sealed proposals at the office of the County Judge, 349 Oak, Rm. 200, or the County Auditor, 355 Oak, Colorado City, TX 79512 until 9:00 am, February 14, 2000, for one new or used tractor truck with minimum 38,000 lbs tandem rear axles. For more information contact Precinct 4 Commissioner, Bill Preston at 915-728-2735. Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals and/or waive any and all formalities. Susan Buckalew
County Auditor

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BID REQUESTS

The City of Colorado City is currently accepting bids for a 12-inch brush chipper. Equivalent to the Vermeer BC 1250A brush chipper. For more information, specifications, and/or inquiries, you may call 915-728-5331 or write to City of Colorado City, Attn: Rick Carver, PO Box 912, Colorado City, Texas 79512. Bids must be received by 5:00 p.m., Friday, January 28, 2000. Prepared in cooperation with the West Central Texas Council of Governments through grant funding from the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission. The City of Colorado City reserves the right to refuse any and all bids and negotiate with the apparent successful bid or bidders.

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HELP WANTED

Mitchell County Hospital, Colorado City, Texas is accepting applications for a Certified Nurses Aide and a Registered Nurse. Contact JoAnn Merket, R.N., D.O.N. at 915-728-3431, ext. 266 or 232.

Mitchell County Hospital, Colorado City, Texas is accepting applications for a Certified Nurses Aide, Registered Nurse and Licensed Vocational Nurse. Contact JoAnn Merket, R.N., D.O.N. at 915-728-3431, ext. 266.

Wanted office assistance - must have computer experience. Apply to Clark Moody at Kristi Lee Manor, Inc., 1941 Chestnut, Colorado City, TX.

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For sale: 80 acres located north east of Buford on CR 151. Nice metal shop/barn, good set of pens & sheds. Perimeter fence & water well. Phone 728-2489.

Black loveseat, like new, \$60, OBO. 728-3965.

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ANTIQUES - We have fine furniture, over 400 clocks, & numerous old lamps for you to purchase, plus many gift items. We also repair & refinish clocks, lamps, & furniture. Call us or bring in. All work guaranteed. House of Antiques, 4008 College, Snyder.

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INSIDE SALE

1838 Locust
Wed-Sat
Jan. 19-22
Lots of misc!

YARD SALE

1805 Colorado
Fri & Sat
9-5
Yard tools, lots of clothes, lots of toys, much more!

GARAGE SALE

Saturday 8-11
102 W 21st
Weather permitting!
Toys, baby bed, clothes, misc.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND: a small dog with long white, black and brown hair was found in the vicinity of Eastover and 17th. Call 728-8869 to identify.

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Large 4-2-1 house at 1919 Mattie Woods Lane, very nice condition, price reduced to \$42,900.
Very large old home at 566 E 2nd, \$20,000.
Nice 2-2-1 brick in very good condition, 110 E 9th, \$39,000.
3-1 stucco, nice condition, 3 storage buildings, cellar, 1623 Hickory, \$23,000.
3-2 nice size, new paint & tile, central h/a, 1408 Dallas, \$34,500.
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1 deeded lot in good location, \$15,000.

HOUSES FOR SALE

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loraine news

By Bessie Ann Vaughn

If it can't rain, we will take our present weather with a smile. It is beautiful and spring seems to be near.

I don't suppose the mesquite trees are budding?

All kidding aside, the fruit trees might be if it should stay warm.

Doris Peck of Grandbury spent last weekend in Loraine visiting with her sister Iva Armstrong and her husband, Gus.

Kyle Hall of Hoover, Alabama was in Houston on business and came to visit his parents, Jim and Barbara Hall and his grandmother, Chrystene Hall. He returns home on Tuesday.

We are sorry to lose our Beauty Salon owner-operator, Kay Harris. Circumstances have made Kay decide to put her salon, New Image, up for sale. She will be glad to talk to interested parties about buying the shop.

We hated to lose Kay. She did a grand job of taking care of customers and was dependable for several years.

Lanette and Larry Smallwood of Alice, Texas, visited Leona Linam and family. Lanette is Leona's niece.

Scott Irwin visited his grandmother, Juanice Butler, Thursday night. He also visited Danny and Pam Butler and Brian Butler from Alpine who was visiting his parents.

We met Jim and Dianne Sanders Monday. They have lived here a short while at 719 Main St. We hope they like Loraine.

Loree Music was in town last Wednesday and Friday. She

looked good.

I saw Marcella Kidd Griffin last week. I had not seen her since school days. She looked really well. She was here for Stella Tillison's funeral.

The following story is dedicated to Betty Bowlin who is ill and still in a hospital at Lubbock.

"The Assembly Line" On January 18, 1996, eleven naive, determined female snowbirds decided to make tamales for a fundraising event, with proceeds to go to the center.

Not one lady had any knowledge of how to begin.

We were acquainted with three ladies who knew their way around masa, meat and shucks, and they agreed to teach us the basics, a "monkey see, monkey do" approach.

When our teachers found out our goal was 200 dozen tamales in a few short hours, they just looked at each other, smiled and said something in Spanish that sounded like "loco."

It took a very long time to cook enough seasoned meat over a hot stove for such a big production.

It wasn't long before the aroma of meat was pungent and spicy. It was tantalizing.

First a merry masa maker made a thin white goo that looked like smashed potatoes but we were afraid to taste.

A shuck "expert" was washing and water bathing shucks to make them clean and pliable and patting them dry.

Someone brought along some washer gizmos that looked like hamburger presses and probably were. I don't remember using them though.

At last our assembly line was in business. All eleven little women were cheerful, talkative and determined looking.

We planned on getting

through with our line by lunchtime.

The first in line sent down a shuck which was passed to the masa spreader, who dolloped some white stuff on and spread it evenly. Next came the meat depositor, then a wrapper and and end tucker.

Great day, we were in business. What fun! Just watch our smoke as we shuck, wrapper and roll.

In no time the new wore off and the smoke died down to a faint haze.

It was getting to be hard work and very repetitious. Our stomachs began to growl.

One lady who shall remain nameless kept asking "What's the count now?" Everyone just looked at me with pity.

Almost staving now, a foreman, in this case, forewoman said, "Break for lunch."

What do you mean break, aren't we finished yet?

After counting, we learned that we were still shy 180 dozen tamales.

Before we had time to eat a soda cracker, the forewoman said, "Back to work."

It didn't take a rocket scientist to figure out that we had to cut out all unnecessary activities like going to the bathroom and drinking water.

We had to quicken the pace.

One nice lady wanted to be finished in time to go home and watch Peter Jennings. (Ha! In your dreams.) At news time, we were still 120 dozen shy, so we pressed on.

Now the 11 little women had a glazed look in their eyes, their shoulders stooped, some were barefoot. Thank goodness there wasn't a weapon lying around. I did see one lady toying around with a cast iron skillet.

If the forewoman wanted to live much longer she had better lighten up some.

Mash that meat, shuck that bale, get a little mean and land in jail - you get the picture!

It soon dawned on us, no one would kill us if we quit. At about the same time as our brainstorm, we learned we were running out of mixture and had almost reached our goal.

Have mercy! We quit! The next time you encounter a tamale maker bow and show some respect. They earned it the hard way.

Assembly line workers were: Betty Bowlin, Nora Galvan, Joan Long, Irma Romero, Valentina Martinez, Millie Powell, Yvonne Sadler, Millie Rose, Wanza Graham, Margaret Brame, Billie Schroeder, Juanice Butler, Doris Henderson and Bessie Ann Vaughn.

Senior Center Christmas decorations have come down from the walls and ceilings and we seem to be back to our regular routine at the center.

Friday, prior to the noon meal, we had several poems read and a few jokes told.

One joke in particular stayed with me so I will share it with you.

Nell Doyle told us that three elderly ladies were out driving. One lady thought to herself, "Should I tell the driver that she ran a stop sign?"

She kept quiet for a spell and the lady driving ran another stop sign.

Unable to contain herself any longer she said, "Did you know you ran a stop sign?"

The driver looked surprised and answered, "Do you mean I'm driving?"

Jan. 21 - Tina Turner
Jan. 24 - Sarah, Gus and Charles.

Jan. 26 - Old Sorehead Band and Birthday Party.

Jan. 28 - T.B.A.

Memorials directed to the center in 1999 were made in loving memory of the following: Leonard Reed, W.B. Carson, Fern Finley, Fannie Candle, "Top" Lucas, Juanita Shaffer, Benny Sims, Dorothy Gabler, Vencil Muse, George Billingsley, Virginia Hallmark, Tressia Stenson, Herman Richburg, Wayne Griffen, A.J. McCarley, Wanda Denson, Betty Marsh, B.B. Lee, Mable

Hood Logan, Max Wright, Elsie Lecroy, Price Hall, Pearl Prentiss, Bernard Hackfield, Nannie Hallmark, Wayland Bennett, Ralph Gage, Paul Hunter, Syble Walker, Marie Romaine, Clayton Hair, Lillie McGee, Stella Tillison, Gladys Gabler Johnson, Shorty Boyd, Estelle Singleton, Ray Fortenberry, Dorothy Green, Billie Derryberry and Albert Beights.

LORAIN SCORES

LHS Boys 59, Blackwell 57

The Loraine varsity boys defeated Blackwell Friday, January 14 with a score of Loraine 59, Blackwell 57.

Leading scorers for Loraine were David Ellis and Edward Carrington both with 13; Johnny

Lopez, 16; Rene Garcia, 11; Roman Martinez, 6.

The Bulldogs are 2-0 in district play.

Loraine varsity boys' next game will be on January 21 against Trent in Trent.

LHS ladies 48, Blackwell 69

The Loraine Lady Bulldogs were defeated on Friday, January 14 by Blackwell with a score of Blackwell 69, Loraine 48.

Leading scorers for Loraine were Leslie Garcia, 30; Bea Lopez, 14; Amanda Kendall and

Jennifer Rich both with two points each.

The Lady Bulldogs are 0-2 in district play.

The Lady Bulldogs next game will be January 21 against Trent in Trent.

LHS ladies 40, Hermleigh 52

Loraine's varsity girls played Hermleigh and didn't have as much luck as the guys, losing 52 to 40.

Bea Lopez was the high scorer for the Lady Bulldogs, scoring 15 points.

Other scorers for Loraine were Heather Lucas with 11 points, Leslie Garcia and Amanda Kendall with 5 points each and Christina Rico and Rebecca Carrington with 2 points each.

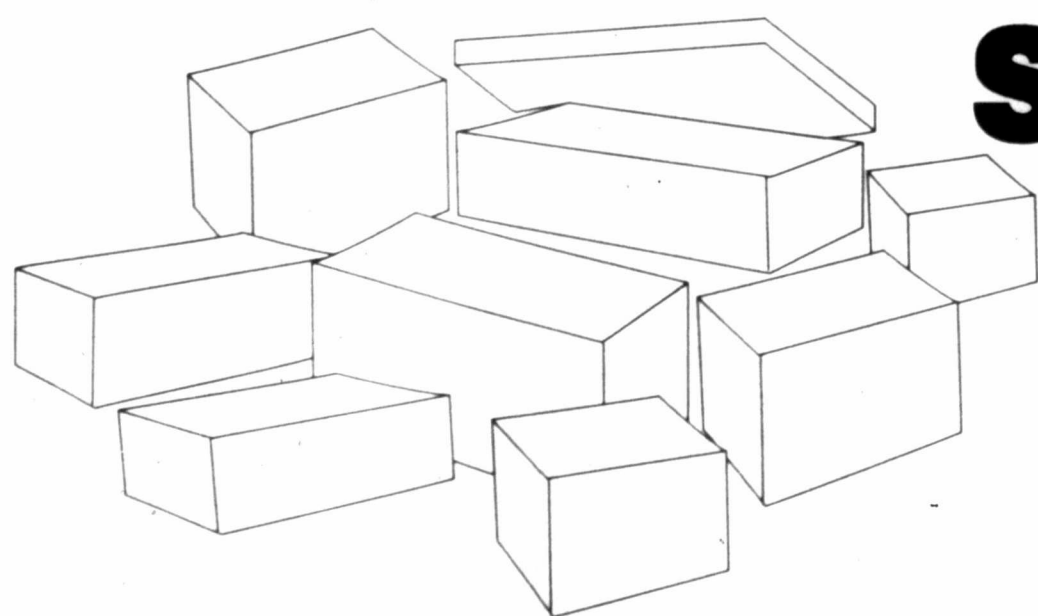
LHS boys 60, Hermleigh 58

The Loraine Varsity Boys beat Hermleigh last Tues., Jan. 4, 60 to 58 in Loraine.

Leading scorers for Loraine

were Edward Carrington with 26 points, Johnny Lopez with 14, Rene Garcia with 13 and Roman Martinez with 3.

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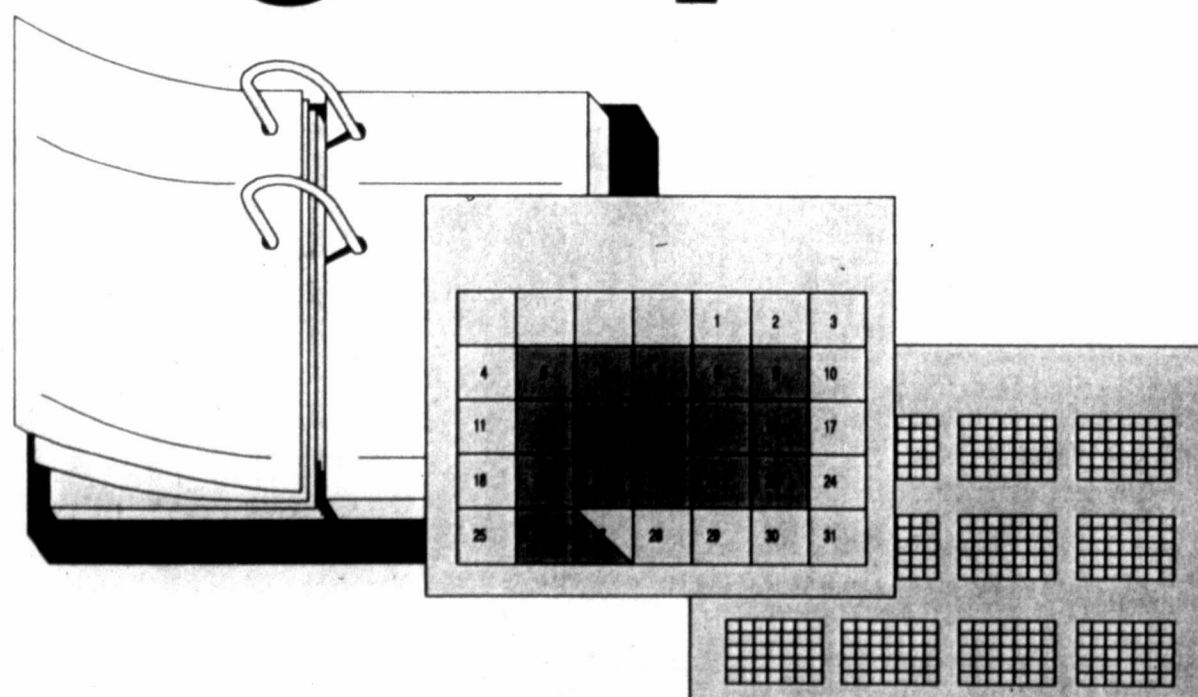
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CALENDARS

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