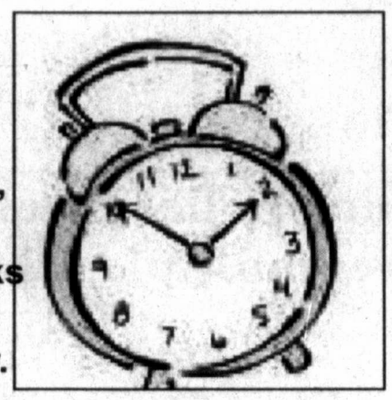
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Filing deadline for May election draws near

Election day on May 10 will carry a full slate of candidates running for seats in district councils, area city councils, area school boards and the hospital district.

Running for re-election as Colorado City council members are Marcelo Alvarez Jr. in District 3, Carol Sue Dakan in District 4 and Robert Brookshear in District 6.

Westbrook City Council also has three seats open. Ken Andrews is running against incumbent mayor Romero Fuentes. Elida Fuentes has filed for re-election, but Sue Hawley has not yet filed for the seat she holds.

In Loraine's city council race, three seats are open. Thus far, only Jimmy Ruth has filed. Mayor pro tem Jennifer Zuniga and Scott Edwards have yet to file for their council seats.

Early voting begins Monday April 28 and ends Tuesday May 6, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. for all elections. Early voting for Colorado City will be at City Hall, 180 West Third. Early voting for Loraine council seats will be at City Hall. The May 10 elections will be held at the courthouse, 349 Oak Street in Colorado City and at the Loraine Senior Citizens Center in Loraine.

Currently, no one has filed for the three seats available on the hospital board. Those seats are held by Bobbie Banks, Hollis Gainey and DeLynn Hackfeld. Early voting will take place in the hospital lobby from Monday April 28 to Tuesday May 6 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

All three area school boards have openings in the May 10 election. Colorado ISD has three places open for three year terms. Place 1, currently held by Cliff Schiller; Place 2, held by John Martinez; and Place 5 held by Mike Ratliff are all open. To date, only Cliff Schiller and Mike Ratliff have filed.

Place 7 is a two year unexpired term. Sally Neff was appointed to Place 7 when it was vacated by Cecillia Scott. Neff has filed for place 7.

In Westbrook, Donnie Hale, Jason Morris and Loy Hahn have filed for the three seats that are open.

The three open seats in Loraine

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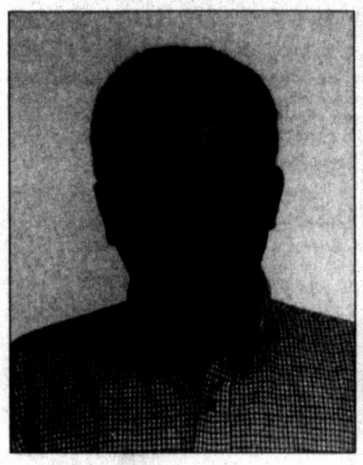
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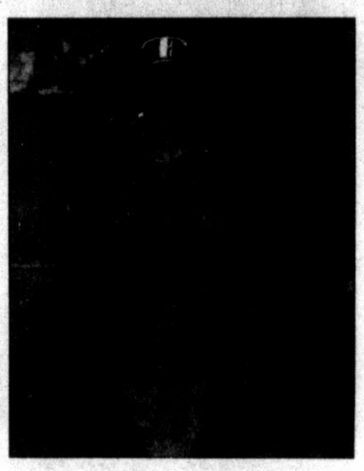
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JESSE MUNOZ



RANDY ANDERSON

Winds of change swept through Mitchell County Tuesday night, as voters elected new faces to local offices.

In the County Commissioner races, Randy Anderson defeated Les Watson in the democratic primary for Precinct 1. Jesse Munoz defeated Wendy Inman for Precinct 3 in the democratic primary.

The races for county and district attorneys heated up with Ty Wood overcoming Tom Rees for county attorney; while Ann Reed defeated Frank Conard in the race for district attorney, 4,100 to 1,563 district wide.

State wide, Sam Houston swept his opponent Baltazar Cruz in the race for Chief Supreme Court Justice Place 7. Houston had 2,010,200 votes to Cruz's 886,373 according to Texas Election Division website early Tuesday morning, with 96 % of the precincts reporting.

Out of 4719 registered voters, 1585 voted in Tuesday's elections. 1232 Democrats voted for their favorite candidate; while 353 Republicans cast their ballots.

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Local Democrats helped give Hillary Clinton Texas; while the Republicans chose John McCain.

Over 70 people attended the democratic caucus in Colorado City Tuesday evening., according to Geory Martin, democratic county chairperson. The caucus elected 19 delegates; 16 for Clinton and 3 for Obama. They will meet in two weeks on March 29 at 10 a.m. on the third floor of the Mitchell County courthouse for the county convention.

Local Republicans elected 20 delegates and 20 alternates to the county convention on March 29. They will meet at 9 a.m. at the Housing Authority. "We do things a little differently from the Democrats," said party county chairperson Teresa Beckmeyer. "At the precinct conventions, we vote on the platform, rather than the candidate. We're more about ideas than people."

Election returns were slow due to software problems with the counting machines and improperly marked ballots, which had to be corrected.

Final totals were released at approximately 12:45 a.m. Tuesday.

"I'm excited and overwhelmed at the support I got," said Ann Reed. "I'm glad it's over. We will continue to have an aggressive District Attorney's office and do things the best we can."

"It's a great feeling knowing residents of Mitchell County put their faith in me to take over from the current attorney who has done an excellent job. It's a real honor to step up and try to fill his shoes," said Ty Woods.

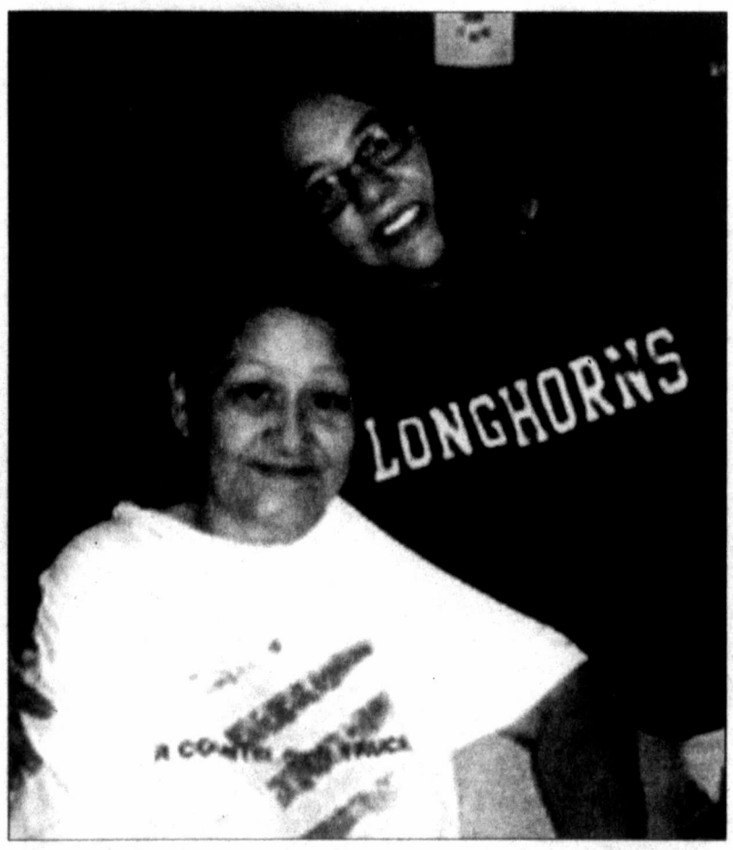
For complete totals on how Mitchell County residents voted, turn to page 3.

Jury sentences Gilbert to 20 years for possession

A Colorado City jury handed down a guilty verdict late last Wednesday afternoon for Allen David Gilbert, after an hour and fifteen minutes deliberation. The jury found the Big Spring resident guilty of possession of cocaine, in an amount of 4 grams or more but less than 200 grams, after a day and a half of testimony.

Gilbert, who was arrested Nov. 1, 2006 during a traffic stop by drug interdiction task force member Billy Sides, was sentenced February 28 to 60 years in Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Prior penitentiary time for Gilbert was instrumental in the jury's decision during the punishment phase, which took less than one hour.

District Attorney Mark Edwards commended the jury. "It is a strong statement that the citizens of Mitchell County do not tolerate drugs in their county," he said.



"TOGETHER FOR LIFE", Alice Martinez and daughter Kristina Guerra after a successful kidney transplant.

Prolific Texas author holds book signing

Prolific western writer Elmer Kelton will be at the Civic Center March 10 for a book signing. The event is sponsored by the Mitchell County Public Library.

Kelton, who has lived in San Angelo for 60 years, said he spent 42 of those years writing for three publications.

"I retired in 1990 from a regular job and have been writing full time ever since," Kelton said. His newest novel, Hard Trail to Follow, was released in January. His next book, Many a River, will be available in May. Kelton's memoir, Sand Hills Boy, was released last year.

Kelton primarily draws his ideas from history. Most of his stories are based on some time period or situation in history, primarily Texas history, in which there is a logical ground for conflict between people with good intensions on both sides.

"Hardly anybody is perfect or completely unredeemable," he said. " I don't' try to analysis the characters. I do try to make major villains come alive. If I can't explain their motivations, I try to show where they come from."

Kelton started writing when he was eight or nine years old. "I loved stories. "I loved it when my mama read stories to me. When I was able to read myself, I was a voracious reader. I think that led me to wanting to write."

The author of over 40 books said he knew pretty much throughout boyhood that he wanted to

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TEXAS AUTHOR ELMER Kelton visits Colorado City

Daughter gives gift of life to mom

Life has not been easy for Alice Martinez this past year. But a gift from her daughter has given her a new lease on life.

Last week Martinez received a kidney transplant from Kristina Guerra which literally saved her life.

"My kidneys were down to 13 percent functioning," said Martinez. "When they get to 10 percent, there's nothing the doctors can do. She saved my life."

Martinez had called her daughter when she first received the news, never dreaming her daughter would volunteer. "The boys couldn't due to health problems," Martinez said.

"When Mom called me after her appointment with the doctor the last week of December, she was hysterical," said Guerra, who is married to Geroge Guerra.

Guerra then talked with her mother's kidney doctor who explained the various options available including dialysis and transplants.

"I said I'd never get on dialysis," said Guerra, explaining it was too stressful and too much of a sacrifice on the family. "I didn't want to intrude on their lives."

Normally, the process for obtaining a kidney transplant takes nearly a year. Martinez received hers in just a little over a month and a half. The mother of four, Guerra took it upon herself to track down information on transplants from co-workers and the internet.

Every time she took her mother in for an appointment, things worked out where she got her testing done at the same time.

"I give credit to Tamey Fleischhauer, our transplant coordinator,for getting everything done quickly,' Guerra explained. Fleischhauer is a post-transplant coordinator with Covenant Hospital in Lubbock.

However, the process did not go smoothly. Guerra's blood sugar tests continued to come back abnormal. "I wanted to cry," she said. "The hardest part was having to tell Mom. I just cried and cried. She had to comfort me," Guerra said.

The doctors scheduled one more test – a four hour blood sugar test. "We had to wait all weekend for the results," Guerra said. But on Monday they received a good report, causing the family to celebrate.

Guerra also had to undergo a psychological evaluation. "The joke going around the family was the psychologist would decide I was crazy and tell me no," said Guerra.

The surgery was harder on Guerra than her mother. Guerra has to take two months' leave from her job at the state prison where she's worked 14 years, to allow her body to recover fully.

But her mother was up and

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Around Town

Happy birthday **Michael Kinnan,** Mar. 5... Ask **T-Rod** about his tractor driving skills... **Ricky McPhaul** enjoying Austin... Happy 88th birthday. **Mike Burt** Mar. 5... **Callie McPhaul** winning a blue ribbon in Austin.... Happy birthday **John Martinez** Mar. 6... **Ginny Harman** enjoying election day...

Obituaries

Marion Bassham, Colorado City
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Dora Willbanks, New Braunfels
W.J. Fuller, Brownwood
Charles Walker, Odessa
Huston Lindsey, Colorado City
Mabel Wilson, Florida

Answerline

Q. Have the local county gins ginned over 100,000 bales yet?

A. Yes, the gins have ginned approximately 103,000 bales with Prodcers still having about 2000 bales to gin. A final bale count will be available next week.

Briefs

Gospel Singing

On Sun., Mar. 9, The Moodys, a gospel singing group, will perform at First Baptist Church in Colorado City at 6 p.m. A love offering will be taken.

Fundraiser

There will be a benefit meal and silent auction for Dee Dee Rice and family March 8 at First Baptist Church, Westbrook. A medical fund has been set up at City National Bank. Donation items for the auction can be dropped off at Coffee Cup Café or contact Belinda Rich, 242-0458 or Verla Johnson, 236-7058. The meal will be served beginning at 5 p.m. with the auction following the meal.

Immunization Clinic

The Texas Dept. of State Health Services will hold an immunization clinic Mon., Mar. 10 from 10 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 3 p.m. at the Wallace Center, 149 W. Hwy. 208. Immunization records, Medicaid cards and CHIP insurance cards should be brought to the clinic. For more information, call 325-754-4945.

Thought of the Week

You can be pleased with nothing when you are not pleased with yourself.

Lady Mary Wortley Montagu

Lake Levels

(as of Mar. 4, 2008)

Lake Colorado City...2066.92
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Lake Champion...2050.96'
Full at 2083' Down 32.04'

LOCAL NEWS

OBITUARIES

Marion Bassham 1918-2008



COLORADO CITY – Mrs. Marion Bassham, age 89, passed away Wednesday, February 27, 2008, in a local hospital. Services were held Saturday in the First United Methodist Church with Revs. Bob Ford and James Edwards officiating. After the service, her body was cremated and her cremains will be buried on the Spade Ranch at a later date. Kiker-Seale Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Mrs. Bassham was born May 6, 1918, in New London, Connecticut, to Frank and Jessie Jean Ellwood Chappell and had been a resident of Mitchell County since 1946. She married Byron "Dee" Bassham on September 21, 1946, in Lubbock. He preceded her in death on April 26, 1971. She was a retired registered nurse working at Mitchell County Hospital for 20 years and was a member of the First United Methodist Church. She was also very active in civic activities in Mitchell County serving as a board member of the hospital, the Mitchell County Library and the Woodland Activitiy Center. She was also the mayor of Colorado City in the 1970s and was a board member of the First National Bank until the time of her death.

She is survived by two sons, Frank and wife, Jessica Bassham of Mitchell County and Brian Bassham of Colorado City; one daughter, Ida and husband, T.J. Goss of Nacogdoches; 11 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Frank Chappell.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to the Mitchell County Library, Heart of West Texas Museum, Mitchell County Hospital Auxiliary or your favorite charity.

Carolyn Jordan 1944-2008



GRANBURY -- Carolyn Jordan, 63, passed away Sunday, February 24, 2008 in Granbury. Services were held on Tuesday at Acton United Methodist Church. Burial followed in the Granbury Cemetery.

Carolyn was born July 20, 1944 in Colorado City to Robert and Maxine Sweatt Morris. She married George Welch III in 1967 in Lubbock. She later married Walter Jordan in 1994 in Big Spring. She was a pianist and an educator at Stanton ISD who loved her children and grandchildren. She really loved people. Survivors include her husband, Lordell Jordan; son, Robert Wesley Welch and wife, Allison of Prosper; daughter, Ami Carol Murphy and husband, Patrick of Granbury; grandchildren, Geoff, Matthew, Logan, Ryan, Alysia, Eva, Jacob and Caralyne; and brothers, S.L. "Mac" Morris of San Angelo and Grady Morris of Colorado City.

Gayle Ruth Beights 1916-2008

LUBBOCK -- Gayle Ruth Beights, 68, passed away Tuesday, February 26, 2008.

She was born in Midland to Charlie and Marchie (McBride) Adams and was a graduate of Western Texas College in Snyder.

She is preceded in death by her husband Virgel Rex Beights.

Gayle is survived by sons, James, Brandt and Tim Beights; daughter, Kellie Hearn; six grandchildren; sister, Helen Culp and brother, Clyde Adams.

A celebration of life her life was held 10:00 am Saturday, March 1, 2008 at Unity Church with Rev Alice Langley officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

Dora Willbanks 1916-2008

NEW BRAUNFELS -- Dora Paul Willbanks passed away on Saturday, February 23, 2008, at Christus Santa Rosa Hospital in New Braunfels. Funeral services were held Saturday, March 1, 2008 at 1:00 PM at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel in Big Spring, with Royce Clay, officiating. Interment followed at Colorado City Cemetery.

She was 91 years young, born on August 10, 1916, in Colorado City. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snively. On May 26, 1946, she married Maberry Willbanks, of Rotan. They were married for 57 years, and had two children, Robert and Rhonda. Before having her children, Dora Paul was a service representative of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. She was a homemaker and taught Sunday school at the Colorado City Church of Christ. She was also a talented seamstress, painter, and cook. In 1968, a job transfer moved Dora Paul and her family to Big Spring, where the family was active in the 14th & Main Church of Christ. In 2001, Maberry and Dora Paul moved to Oaktree Assisted Living, in New Braunfels..

She is survived by her daughter, Rhonda Ester and husband Mike of New Braunfels; two granddaughters, Stacy and Michelle; one sister Anna Don Hardison of Houston; one sister-in-law, Mary Jo White and husband Glenn of Abilene; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband Maberry Willbanks, who died on January 15, 2004. Also preceding her in death were her son, Robert Willbanks; brothers, Laurence and R.C. Snively, and her parents.

W.J. Fuller 1925-2008



BROWNWOOD -- Funeral services for W.J. Fuller were held at 2 pm on Saturday, March 1, at the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel in Snyder. Interment followed in the Dunn Cemetery. Mr. Fuller passed away on Wednesday, February 27, 2008, in Brownwood Regional Medical Center at the age of 82.

W. J. was born April 26, 1925 to Thomas Jesse and Viola Moon Fuller in Dunn. On February 24, 1946 he married Jerry Pitner at Dunn. He and Jerry continued to live on the family farm engaged in farming and ranching. He was a member of the Dunn Baptist Church for 74 years where he served as a Deacon and was also a member of the Gideons International.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Jerry Fuller; son and daughter-in-law, Lynn and Sheri Fuller of Willow Park; daughter and son-in-law, Linda and Ed Bessent of Brownwood; grandchildren, Shanna and husband Mitch Stovall of Corinth, Brian and wife Sonja Bessent of Abilene, Justin and wife Julie Fuller of Boulder, Colorado, and Jared Fuller and fiancee Michelle Rabey of Ft. Worth; one nephew, Tommy Fuller of Colorado City; and two nieces, Leesa McNeese of Colorado City, and Kathy McCormick of West Chester, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and sister-in-law, Odell and Mildred Fuller; one sister, Ola Fay Fuller and an infant brother.

Memorials may be made to the Dunn Cemetery Association P.O. Box 512 Dunn, Texas 79516 or to Gideons International.

Charles Lee Walker 1917-2008

ODESSA – Charles Lee Walker, 90, passed away on Saturday, March 1, 2008, at the Hospice House in Odessa.

A memorial service was held Tuesday, March 4, at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Bailey Stone officiating and Dr. Byron McWilliams assisting. The service was preceded by a private burial at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Walker was born in Navarro County near Dawson to William S. and Allie Roloff Walker. He moved with his family to Mitchell County in 1924. He attended the Longfellow Community School and graduated from Colorado High School in 1935. He married his childhood sweetheart, Florence McCarley, in 1939 and they enjoyed 58 years of marriage until her death in 1998. He was blessed to enjoy a second marriage to Frances Esmond Gilliland Walker from 2002 until her death in 2005.

He is survived by his daughter, Virginia Chisum and her husband, Doug of Odessa; brother, Virgil Walker and wife, Mary Lou of Bass Lake, California; sister-in-law, Maxine Miller of Lamesa; brother-in-law, A.K. McCarley, Jr. and wife, Sue of Colorado City; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; eight nieces and two nephews.

Huston Connie Lindsey 1912-2008

COLORADO CITY – Huston Connie Lindsey, age 95, passed away Wednesday, February 20, 2008, in a local nursing home. Funeral services were held at Calvary Baptist church on Monday, February 25, with Rev. Paul Smith officiating. Burial followed in Colorado City Cemetery.

Mr. Lindsey was born August 26, 1912, in Fannin County. He married Charlie Selma Roach on September 3, 1932, in Mitchell County. She preceded him in death in 1976. He was a farmer and a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

He was also preceded in death by a daughter, Patsy Jean Hall; four brothers; two sisters; one grandchild and one great-grandchild.

Survivors include daughters and sons-in-law, Jan and Mike Minkina of Colorado City and Kay & C.N. Sparks of San Angelo and Ann Williams of Colorado City; 10 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Mabel Earnest Cooper Wilson 2008

FLORIDA -- Mabel Earnest Cooper Wilson, age 90, of Village on the Green, Longwood, Florida, died on Tuesday, January 29, 2008. She was born in Colorado City to Mabel Earnest and Stewart Cooper. Her maternal grandparents were Judge and Mrs. Charles H. Earnest. Her paternal grandparents were Dr. and Mrs. Will Cooper.

Mabel and her husband, Olin Wilson, had been residents of the Longwood retirement community since 1996. She taught in the Bay County school system for 23 years. She was an active member of St. Andrews Episcopal Church and Grace Episcopal Church in Panama City.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Colonel Olin Lloyd Wilson and her son, Steven C. Whitley.

Surviors include her children, Judith W. Holliday of Columbia, SC, Jack A. Whitley of Austin, David J. Whitley of Miami Shores, FL, Robert M. Wilson of Panama City, FL; her son-in-law, Robert K. Holliday; daughters-in-law, Arlene Drexler and Carol W. Wilson; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A memorial service was held at the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, Longwood, Florida, on Saturday, February 16, 2008. In lieu of lowers, offerings may be sent to the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection Memorial Fund, 251 East Lake Brantley Drive, Longwood, FL 32779.

Ongoing police investigation resolves multiple case load

On going investigations by the Colorado City police department paid off with the break up of an automobile burglary ring last week. Tom Ventura and Weston Wulfjen were both arrested after a lengthy investigation by Detective Chris Pearson.

"It was a two month process," said Chief Eric Foerster. "He backtracked the use of a stolen credit card through a store, and used surveillance video from the store to clear the case."

The arrest of Ventura, age 18, and Wulfjen, age 17, February 27 and 28 closed over 10 cases of burglary of a motor vehicle in connection with the burglaries east of Hickory and north of Fifth Street.

"Detective Pearson did an excellent job," Foerster said. "His case closure rate is well over 955, which is almost unheard of in today's times."

Sergeant Cary Hale made a significant drug seizure and arrest on February 21. During a narcotics investigation, 21 year old Heather Wilburn was arrested for manufacture/delivery of a controlled substance. Wilburn was arrested while allegedly delivering a substantial amount of cocaine inside Colorado City. The second degree felony carries a 2 to 20 years sentence if convicted.

Wilburn is the wife of Randall Dewarren Wilburn, who recently was sentenced to 20 years for child pornography.

"We've had several people under surveillance, including her," said Foerster, who added that this case will tie into future ones. "Our objective is to stop the behavior," he said.

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Lack of new farm bill could change USDA programs

At the request of senior House and Senate agriculture committee staff, the U.S. Department of Agriculture recently provided a detailed document developed from Administration analysis of impacts to current USDA programs – in the absence of enactment of a new farm bill or an extension of the 2002 farm bill past March 15, 2008.

As stated in the USDA analysis, the provisions of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 and the Agricultural Act of 1949, which have been repeatedly suspended by several farm bills, would again become legally effective if a new farm bill is not enacted or Congress fails to extend the 2002 farm bill by March 15, 2008. Often described as a reversion to "permanent law," such a result would "dramatically narrow the universe of producers who receive support, and would do so in a way that most producers will view as irrational," according to the 14 page paper prepared by USDA and approved by the Office of Management and Budget.

For instance, only those wheat producers who happen to have wheat acreage allotments would be eligible for minimum price support of $7.80 per bushel, as compared to the current price support loan rate of $2.75.

Price support rates for corn would almost double, from $1.95 to a minimum of $3.78 per bushel, while the upland cotton price support rate would go from 52 cents per pound to a minimum of $1.34 per pound. Dairy price support would more than triple from $9.90 per hundredweight to over $30. No price support could be offered for sugar or oilseeds.

The 1938 Act is a supply control statute with marketing quota provisions that are applicable when the supplies of wheat and cotton are excessive. For the 2008 crops of these commodities, the Secretary has already announced that these quotas would not be in effect. But, for the 2008 crop of wheat, the 1938 Act still requires the Secretary to establish acreage allotments since these allotments are part of the price support program established for wheat under the 2949 Act. One of the critical factors which the 1938 Act requires the Secretary to take into account when establishing a farm's 2008 wheat allotment is whether or not the farm had an allotment in 1958. Acreage allotments for wheat have not been declared since 1971 and USDA does not possess acreage reports dating back to 1971. Accordingly, it is unclear how USDA could meaningfully translate these historical allotments, while taking into account other required provisions in the 1938 Act, into 2008-crop price support benefits.

The permanent authority for price support to producers of agricultural commodities is provided in the Agricultural Act of 1949. The date when permanent law becomes effective for a commodity is not uniform across commodities. The 1938 Act operates on a marketing year basis, rather than a crop year basis. Price support rates under the 1949 Act, in contrast, are crop year specific.

Commodities

- Wheat – To receive price support benefits, producers must have a 2008 acreage allotment and must plant wheat in an amount no greater than then size of the allotment. Only farmers able to produce records of 1958 wheat allotments as well as having wheat plantings in crop years 2005, 2006 and 2007 would be eligible for price support benefits.
- Sugar and oilseeds (including soybeans) – Due to the manner in which the 1949 Act has been amended, price support may not be offered with respect to oilseeds (including soybeans, sunflower seed, and canola, rapeseed, safflower, flaxseed and mustard seed), sugar beets and sugarcane.
- Cotton, feed grains, honey and rice – Because marketing quotas are no in effect for the 2008 crop of upland cotton, all upland cotton is eligible for price support as well as all production of 2008 crops of rice, corn, oats, rye, barley and grain sorghum. All production of honey would also receive price support.
- Dairy – Price support would be offered with respect to dairy products through government purchase of dairy products.
- Other commodities – Price support for other commodities such as peanuts, wool and mohair would be at the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture.

Other Programs

The mandatory programs that would be most severely impacted would be conservation and trade programs. However, in general, for programs that receive annual appropriations, the impacts would be less severe if new law is not enacted by March 15, 2008.

Conservation

New enrollment in most conservation programs would cease as of March 16, 2008. Producers currently enrolled in both the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) and the Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP) would continue to receive technical assistance and program payments. Enrollment and payments for the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) and the Conservation Security Program (CSP) would continue.

Trade

Mandated funding for certain trade and international development programs would expire on March 16, 2008: export credit guarantees, export credit guarantees for emerging markets, market access, foreign market development cooperator, technical assistance for specialty crops, food for progress, dairy export incentives and facilities credit guarantees. Authority to finance sales and provide additional international food aid under Public Law 83-480 ("PL 480") would expire. The authority to release assets from the Bill Emerson Humanitarian Trust continues, yet, the authority to replenish the Trust expires. However, McGovern-Dole Food for Education program authority is permanent, using appropriated funding available through September 30, 2008.

Food Stamps and Nutrition

Most child nutrition programs (including school lunch, school breakfast, WIC) are controlled by child nutritional reauthorization, which is on a different schedule from the farm bill and does not expire until the end of FY 2009. Basic functions of providing assistance under the Food Stamp Act will continue in the 50 states and the District of Columbia. However, the authority to provide food assistance to Puerto Rico and American Samoa under the Food Stamp Act would expire at the end of March.

Rural Development

Nearly all of the rural development programs would continue.

FSA Farm Loan Programs

The basic farm loan program activities would continue. However, a number of farmers currently eligible for farm loan program loan guarantees would cease to be eligible because term limits on the number of years for these guarantees would be reinstated without a new farm bill. Beginning farmers and ranches would no longer benefit from set-asides of direct loan funds.

Crop Insurance

The core insurance activities of the federal crop insurance program are not affected.

HOW MITCHELL COUNTY VOTED

All precinct totals include early voting and election day results.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION

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PRESIDENT							
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Alan Keyes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fred Thompson	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
Ron Paul	2	0	0	0	3	6	12
Hoa Tran	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mitt Romney	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duncan Hunter	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Rudy Giuliani	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Mike Huckabee	33	15	22	36	15	16	137
John McCain	30	16	27	56	44	23	196
Uncomitted	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
UNITED STATES SENATOR							
Larry Kilgore	14	8	10	23	16	6	77
John Cornyn	44	19	32	62	35	30	222
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 11							
Mike Conaway	54	26	37	78	46	33	274
RAILROAD COMMISSIONER							
Michael L. Williams	47	24	35	69	40	27	242
CHIEF JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT							
Wallace B. Jefferson	46	22	36	71	35	27	237
JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 7							
Dale Wainwright	46	22	36	70	38	27	239
JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 8							
Phil Johnson	44	22	32	71	36	28	233
JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 3							
Tom Price	45	21	33	70	36	28	243
JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 4							
Paul Womack	35	18	28	60	25	23	189
Robert Francis	9	4	8	14	14	4	53
JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 9							
Cathy Cochran	44	22	35	70	37	26	234
STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 28							
Robert Duncan	46	25	33	72	37	30	243
STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 72							
Drew Darby	56	26	38	74	48	37	279
JUSTICE, 11TH COURT OF APPEALS DISTRICT, PLACE 2							
Rick Strange	43	24	33	70	38	26	234
DISTRICT JUDGE, 32ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT							
Glen Harrison	47	23	37	74	40	33	254
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1							
Les Merket	46						46
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3							
Larry Johnson				72			72
COUNTY CHAIR							
Teresa Beckmeyer	49	27	32	71	42	34	255

All precinct totals include early voting and election day results.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION

	PCT. 1	PCT. 2	BOX 025	PCT. 3	PCT. 4	BOX 046	TOTAL
PRESIDENT							
Christopher J. Dodd	2	2	1	3	0	1	9
Hillary Clinton	175	31	71	196	100	92	665
Joe Biden	2	1	0	1	1	2	7
Barack Obama	92	10	26	82	39	31	280
John Edwards	24	3	10	26	10	11	84
Bill Richardson	11	0	5	10	4	0	30
UNITED STATES SENATOR							
Richard J. (Rick) Noriega	49	6	32	84	46	31	248
Rhett R. Smith	59	10	20	44	15	22	170
Ray McMurrey	44	4	13	50	17	14	142
Gene Kelly	78	11	20	82	44	38	273
RAILROAD COMMISSIONER							
Dale Henry	65	7	28	58	32	24	214
Art Hall	23	3	9	28	12	13	88
Mark Thompson	142	17	45	167	77	66	514
CHIEF JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT							
Jim Jordan	222	25	77	238	107	94	763
JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 7							
Baltasar D. Cruz	25	6	24	56	33	14	158
Sam Houston	316	34	88	271	118	124	951
JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT, PLACE 8							
Linda Reyna Yanez	45	6	32	97	50	27	257
Susan Criss	206	25	57	174	75	83	621
JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 3							
Susan Strawn	223	26	74	230	110	93	756
JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, PLACE 4							
J.R. Molina	219	28	75	222	116	91	761
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 32ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT							
Frank Conard II	121	12	43	138	49	44	407
Ann Reed	245	34	75	202	110	102	768
COUNTY ATTORNEY							
Tom Rees	136	24	50	131	82	44	467
Ty Wood	238	25	69	223	78	129	762
SHERIFF							
Patrick Toombs	316	43	98	309	142	133	1041
COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR							
Faye Lee	314	42	94	204	146	129	1029
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1							
Les Watson	159						159
Randy Anderson	206						206
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3							
Jesse Munoz				225			225
Wyndell (Wendy) Inman				125			125
COUNTY CHAIR							
Geory Martin	272	29	80	264	138	118	901

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OPINION & COMMENTARY

TUMBLEWEED SMITH

The Girvin Social Club



Several years ago I interviewed a man in Girvin who had a donkey that could do tricks. He could lie down, turn over, smile and nod his head.

The donkey was extremely talented. The man who owned the animal, Paul Zeitner, actually lived in Old Girvin, a nearby ghost town. He would play his harmonica and the donkey brayed in accompaniment. It was amazing.

Some years later, I visited with Mildred Helmers, who owned the Girvin Social Club. It's a beer joint that serves ranchers, oilfield workers and folks who erect wind turbines. Girvin is near the Pecos River between McCamey and Fort Stockton. The Girvin Social Club is the only going business there since the post office closed some time ago.

The beer joint was closed for a while. Jason Jones bought it two years ago. He says he got it primarily for his bride-to-be. He is in the electrical business.

You would not believe how busy that place gets. It is in a remote location, to say the least. Some people would say it is the middle of nowhere because there's not much within miles of it. But it's on U.S. Highway 385, which carries a lot of traffic.

The Girvin Social Club is rustic. If it didn't have cars and pickups around it, you would swear the place had been abandoned. Inside, patrons put their names and clever sayings on the rafters and wall studs. There is a lot of old stuff around. The huge Satellite TV looks out of place. This is a drinking establishment. There is no food for sale. Occasionally Jason or some of his customers will broil steaks outside on a cooker. People make donations to cover the cost.

The place outside has a jukebox and a pool table. When a good danceable song comes on, people get up and dance and the pool game has to wait until the song finishes. It is a small place. Some folks play dominoes or cards. You can relax there. Nobody is stressed out at the Girvin Social Club. It's open seven days a week.

Jason sometimes entertains his customers with his singing and guitar playing. Occasionally a visiting DJ will drop in and play for a dance.

Saturday night it's standing room only. A few dogs, goats and donkeys roam the premises just outside the door. The place has lots of character.

"We get all kinds of folks in here," says Jason. "The first timers always say they'll come back because they feel so comfortable here. Most of them do, if they live within a reasonable distance."

Every once in awhile someone will drink too much. If they live in McCamey, 11 miles away, or on a nearby ranch, Jason or somebody from the club will take them home.

"We're wanting to build an RV Park so people can stay overnight," says Jason. "We might even make a resort out of this place."

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Recently Kristina Guerra donated a kidney to save her mother, Alice Martinez's, life. Mrs. Guerra is married to George Guerra and has four children: Jana, Jessie, Amanda and Erick.

The positive outlook in the future for the donor is that if ever the donor becomes a diabetic and would eventually need a kidney, I would not have to be on a waiting list. They automatically would move me to the top of the list just because I was a donor before. I think this is amazing.

Thanks for everyone's phone calls, concerns, visits, food, cards and most of all, keeping us in your prayers.

Kristina Guerra and family and Alice Martinez

PUBLIC RECORDS

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Edward D. Cole, Vicki Cole to Kristi Beauchamp, Wesley Beauchamp, Warranty Deed.

Kristi Beauchamp, Wesley Beauchamp to State Farm Bank FSB, Gary J. Sommerfelt PC Ttee, Deed of Trust.

Truman Carol Millhollon Affiant, Roland Ray Millhollon Affiant, Billy Milam Affiant to Public, Jimmie Caroline Millhollon Deceased, Affidavit Heirship.

Internal Revenue Service, R.A. Mitchell Director to Daphne P. Fowler, Release/Federal Tax Lien.

Leon Jeffcoat Ind Executor, Clyde W. Turner Deceased to Robert I. Turner, Donald W. Turner, Distribution Deed.

Trunk Bay Royalty Partners Ltd, Benny D. Duncan Mgr to Bitter End Royalties LP, Oil Gas & Mineral Convey.

Austin McCloud to Luke Musselman, Conveyance.

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Delmer Gene Prescott to Lelda Pauline Prescott, Power of Attorney.

Lelda Pauline Prescott to Delmer Gene Prescott, Power of Attorney.

Airtricity Inc., Andrew Bowman Sr. Vice-Pres to Airtricity Roscoe Wine Famr LLC, Patrick Woodson Vice-Pres, Airtricity Champion Wind Farm LLC, 1st Amendment Operations.

Airtricity Roscoe Wind Farm LLC, Airtricity Champion Wind Farm LLC, Patrick Woodson Vice-Pres to Airtricity O&M LLC, John Franklin Vice-Pres, Memorandum of Agreement.

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Cody B. Scott to Susan Farr, Special W/D.

Susan Farr Individ & Ind Executrix, Wright T. Hock Deceased to Nolan Cornutt, Warranty Deed.

Nolan B. Cornutt to First Bank of West Texas, Loraine, Tx., Bill Crockett Ttee, Deed of Trust.

Helen E. Larson Indiv/Ind Exec, Blaine Francis Larson Estate to Wayne Thomason, Warranty Deed.

Andrew M. Lange to Kimberly A. Hudnall, Barbara A. Lange Succ Agent, Power of Attorney.

Washington Mutual Bank FA, Homeside Lending Inc Successor, Bancplus Mortgage Corp Succ Merger, Jocelyn Tate Lien Rel Asst Sec to V.T. McCabe, Betty J. McCabe, Release of Lien.

Alan B. Celoria, Celske Enterprises LLC to Skeet's Texas Grill, Assumed Name.

Connie Jean Goldston aka, Connie Goldston to Connie Jean Goldston Trust, Connie Jean Goldston Ttee, Conveyance and Assignment.

Bill Collins to Frances Mabry Collins, Asgmt & Bill Sale.

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Joseph L. Kirschbaum, Mary Kirschbaum to First National Bank of Baird, Scotty W. Lindley Pres/CEO, Loan Modification Agreement.

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Dennis R. Wilson to Mark Giles, Warranty Deed.

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Terry C. DeBusk, 2-26-08, Speeding/Appeal from Lower Court.

MARRIAGES

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ARRESTS

Christopher Starling, 22, MCSO, #18613 MTR, Capias Pro Fine, 2-27-08.

Cale Weston Wulfjen, 17, CCPD, Credit Card Abuse, 2-27-08.

Michael Wayne Scott, 43, CCPD, Asslt w/ Bodily Injury, 2-27-08.

Tom Ventura, 18, CCPD, Credit Card Abuse, 2-28-08.

David Wayne Huff, 26, CCPD, Wrnt, Theft $50<$500, 2-29-08.

Toni Jo Haynes, 43, THP, Theft <$50>$500, 2-29-08.

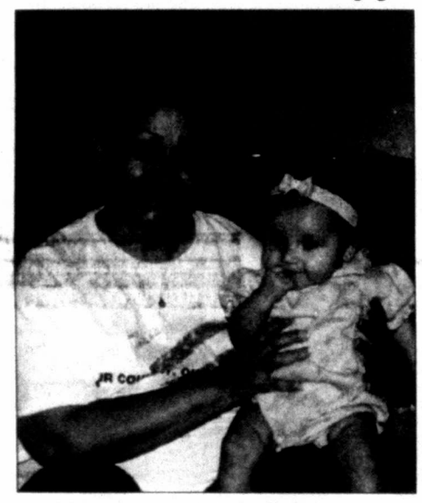
David Allen Smith, 52, CCPD, Theft <$50>$500, 2-29-08.

Bernardo Perez III, 18, THP, POM >2 oz., 2-29-08.

Robert Michael Arispe, 18, CCPD, PI, 3-2-08.

GIFT

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ALICE MARTINEZ AND great granddaughter, Neveah Martinez.

about the day after surgery.

"We met a stranger in the hospital who got to talking with her as she was walking the halls," said grandson Erick Martinez. "They couldn't believe she'd just had a kidney transplant. She was amazing," he said of Martinez who was out of the hospital and back home after one week.

Martinez plans to move to San Angelo with her son, where she'll be closer to her doctors. "I plan to enjoy my grandchildren and family more and go to church," said the great-grandmother of five.

"I feel different already. My body feels different. Before, everything felt tight and weak. Now I feel good," said Martinez.

"I would not change or doubt myself ever," said Guerra. "If it means giving my mom ten more years of life, I would do it again. She is my best friend and we need each other."

Rotary cruise raffle benefits everyone

The 2008 Rotary International District Cruise raffle will be to the spectacular scenery of Alaska. The Southbound "Voyage of the Glaciers" will travel from Whittier, Alaska to Vancouver, British Columbia August 16-23, and include visits to Skagway, Juneau and Glacier Bay.

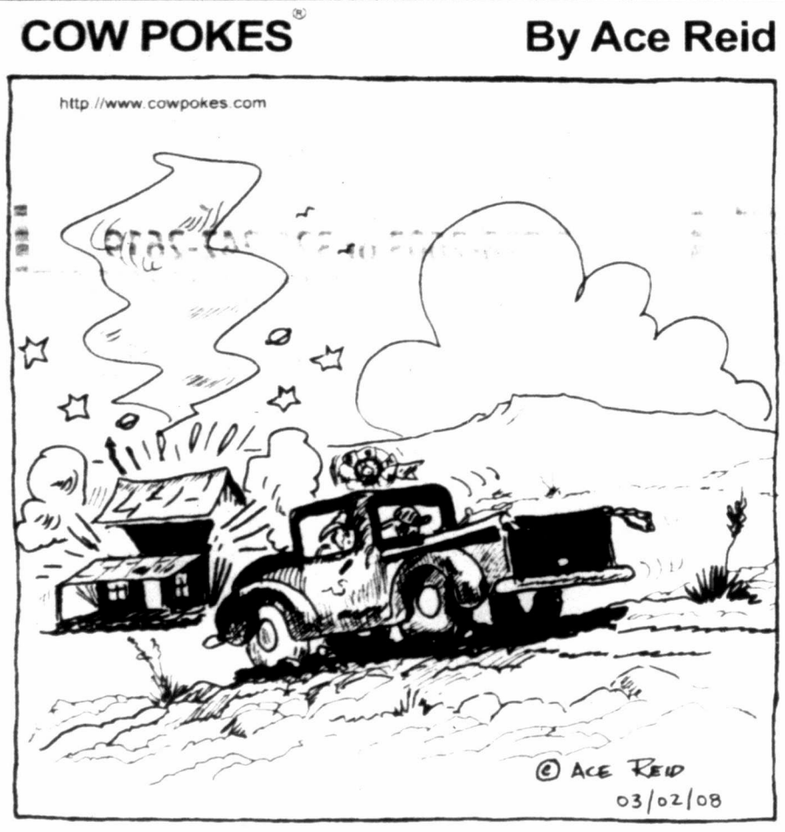
Winners will travel on the Sapphire Princess, one of the Princess Cruise lines' mega-ships.

The winning raffle ticket includes a cruise for 2 (inside cabin), including port charges, taxes and fees. Air fare and transfers between the ship and the nearest airport are not included.

Tickets are available for $10 donations from any Rotarian. The raffle ends March 31.

Proceeds from the raffle goes to help continue the eradication of polio; while half of the proceeds comes back to the district in the form of grants to help fund local scholarships, according to Margo Connel, board member.

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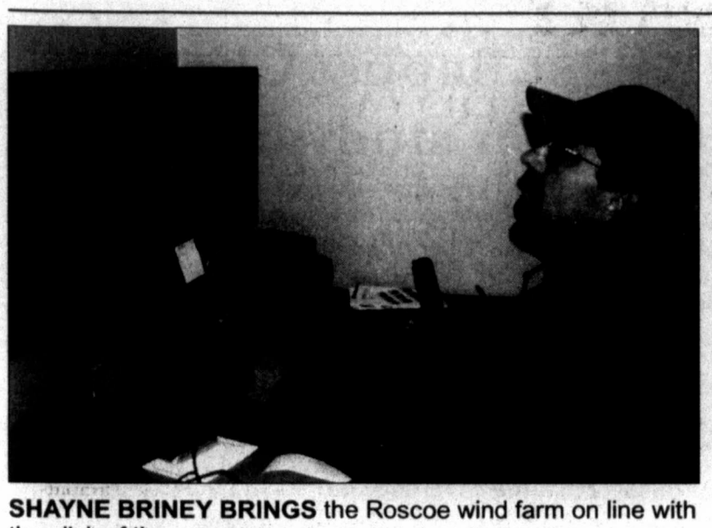
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LOCAL NEWS



SHAYNE BRINEY BRINGS the Roscoe wind farm on line with the click of the mouse.

Roscoe wind farm comes on-line

The Roscoe and Champion wind farms officially came on line Sunday, March 2, according to Donnie Brennan, Airtricity's director of operations and maintenance.

"We worked 14 to 17 hour days to complete the project," said Brennan. "Our goal was March 1. We had everything visible, but not working by then."

Currently the wind farm has 264 wind turbines; 55 Siemans turbines and 209 Mitsubishi turbines.

"We use different manufacturers depending on turbine availability at the time of building the plant," said Brennan. Airtricity plans to construct around 400 more turbines at a future date, with GE providing 190 and Mitsubishi providing an additional 197.

The combined Roscoe-Champion wind farm produces 335 megawatts, sufficient to run around 13,400 homes.

The turbines operate best within the parameters of wind speeds beginning at 7.1 mph and not exceeding wind speeds of 56 mph. "Any faster and it's too hard. They can't regulate their speed," Brennan explained.

The worst problems come on days that are still, with misty, freezing rain which freeze the wind vanes and amenometers.

But take a day like last Monday, with 7.4 mph winds and snow, and the turbines steadily do their job.

Brennan compared the huge 70-80 meter turbines to cars. "If we keep them greased, oiled and the filters changed, they'll run forever," he said; although they do have to replace different electrical components that short out from time to time.

The 69 foot Siemans turbines have 140 feet blades which fluctuate up to 200 miles per hour at the tip when spinning

The shorter Mitsubishi 96 foot blades have an 1800 mph speed at the rotor. "Which also works out to about 200 mph at the tip," said Shayne Briney, Roscoe Wind Turbine site supervisor.

Grass fires continue to plague fire fighters

Various grass and brush fires kept the Colorado City fire department busy over the weekend, according to Chief Rufino Martinez.

Monday morning, the volunteers rolled out early at 4:50 a.m. to handle a grass fire on Highway 163 by the power plant.

"It burned around five acres," said Martinez. "It was possibly caused by high lines popping together, as windy as it was."

Friday the department responded to a grass fire on I-20 at mile marker 202.

Last Thursday, the department sent three trucks, along with three trucks from Westbrook, to extinguish a 25 acre fire at Brennand ranch. The fire surrounded a pump jack, which is assumed to be responsible for starting the fire.

"We had a lot of mopping up to do," said Westbrook fire chief, Brandon Hale.

Westbrook also sent two units to help with the Snyder fires last week, working from 12 to 14 hours to help contain the blaze. "We're pretty wore out," Hale said.

Loraine's volunteer fire department also stayed busy helping out with the Snyder and Robert Lee fires, sending three trucks to each location.

This past week, they handled routine calls, handling everything from first responders at the wreck on I-20 near Lucas Road to EMT calls, in addition to grass fires.

"Eighty percent of our calls are due to the Big Bridge," Donnie Phillips, Loraine fire chief said. The bridge in question is the long Loraine bridge overpass at the 266 exits.

"If there's bad weather or rain, I guarantee we're going to have wrecks," he said.

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KELTON

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"I started with the idea that newspaper work would be one way into writing. I didn't know I'd stay with it for 42 years; which ways a lot about the financial aspect of it," he said with a chuckle.

He started out with pulp magazines during his early fiction writing. "Pulp magazines were still fairly numerous in the 40s until t he mid 50s," he said. "It was a good sideline, a good place for a beginning writer to learn the craft and earn a little money. There's no such place for a beginning writer today. Fortunately, I had the advantage."

Kelton added that it is harder and harder to get into publication today. "It's much harder now than when I started. AT that time, so many publications were going and chewing up a massive amount of material every month. Now we don't have that," Kelton said, sadly.

"The only outlets for fiction are in novel form and there's a limit for how many get published each year." He said it was especially tough in the western field.

For aspiring writers, Kelton said he gives his usual advice, "Read, read, read, and read some more; then write, write, and write some more. Reading feeds you inspiration and ideas, but you have to put your fingers to the keyboard."

"It's just like when you learn to drive the car, there's only so much you can get out of a book. You have got to put your hands on the wheel. You have to write and fill those white pages with words. Over time, you get as certain proficiency in the use of language and how you build images you want to have in the readers mind," Kelton said, adding it only comes with practice and work.

"Newspaper work was really useful. It required a tremendous amount of wordage under time pressure. You learned how to do it," he said.

Kelton will be available to autograph copies of his novels from 4 to 6 p.m.

"Elmer Kelton is truly a Texas legend."

Texas governor Rick Perry.

FILING

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ISD are currently held by Frank Sanchez, Don Boyd and Jeff Oliver.

Early voting in all three school districts is from Monday, April 2 8 through Tuesday, May 6 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Early voting will be held in Colorado City at the ISD business office and in Westrbook at the administration office. The May 10 elections will be held at the courthouse in Colorado City and at the ISD tax office in Westbrook.

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SOCIETY



Shana Lorenz and Erick Roberson

Engagement announced

Shana Lorenz of Weatherford and Erick Roberson of Westbrook would like to announce their engagement.

The couple plans to marry on March 15 at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Colorado City.

BIRTHS



Vianese, J'Lynn and Myla would like to announce the birth of their baby sister, Marley Lee-Ann, born February 6, 2008 at 8:41 a.m., weighing 9 pounds, 12 ounces.

Proud parents are Sterling and Amie Goldston of Del Rio.

Proud grandparents are Georgann "MeMe" Smith and Veloria "MawMaw" Jones. Also welcoming Marley are her Uncle David and Aunt Miranda Sevier, Uncles James Smith and Stedman Jones and cousin Brayden Coronado, all of Colorado City.

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Maddix Salazar would like to announce the birth of his baby brother, Hendrix Morrison Glass, born February 20 to Adrian Glass.

Hendrix weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Kevin and Pat Parker of Colorado City.

Dinner, auction to benefit Rice family

A benefit dinner and silent auction will be held at the Westbrook Baptist Church, Saturday, March 8 from 5 -7:30 p.m.

Dinner will feature a brisket plate, including beans, potato salad and dessert, for $7 a plate. To go orders will also be available.

Proceeds from the benefit will go to Dee Dee Rice and family to help defer medical expenses. All donations are welcome. Monetary donations can be made at City National Bank – Dee Dee Rice Medical Fund.

Items for the auction may be dropped off at the Westbrook Baptist Church, located at 205 N. McKenny Street in Westbrook. Auction items may also be dropped off at the Coffee Cup Café in Colorado City.

For more information, please contact Verla Johnson at 325-236-7058; Tracie Funderburg at 325-933-0384; Belinda Rich at 325-242-0458; Wendy Scott at 325-575-8586 or Tammi Hardegree at 728-5833.

KCCB slates next clean up for Apr. 9

Keep Colorado City Beautiful members met last Thursday evening at First Methodist Church.

Old business centered on working with the city council concerning the large recycling trailer at the corner of 3rd Street and Elm. KCCB asked the council at last month's meeting for help in towing the trailer to Abilene once a month. The topic was postponed by the council.

KCCB members are urged to be at the next council meeting.

Hochheim Prairie Insurance Company donated $275 to help with KCCB's beautification efforts.

Club members put in a total of 60 hours last month on their February Second Saturday clean up. The next Second Saturday cleanup day is scheduled for March 8 at 8 a.m. on Hickory between 2nd and 3rd Streets.

Based on recommendations by James Rose, KCCB has offered to help several homeowners clean up their properties.

The City Wide Clean Up event is slated for April 9; while KCCB bonfires will not resume until the burn ban has been lifted.

Diabetes class to be offered

Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital Diabetes Outreach will offer a class by Wesley Stafford, M.D. on Tuesday, March 4 from 2 – 3 p.m.

The class, "Learn Why Physical Activity is Important to Your Health and Your Diabetes", will be held in the emergency room classroom on Jenny George Lane.

BRIEFLY

Seneca L. Lee, Church of God in Christ, Christ's Christianity Party, will be at 5th & Hickory Mar. 7-15 at 3 to 4 p.m. daily, searching for witnesses.

On March 15, he will be at Ruddick Park at 3:30 p.m. to share a prophetic warning message entitled, "Warning to Unavowed Brides and Bridegrooms".

Supporting scriptures are Matt. 24:24-26, Matt. 25:1-13, Ezek. 21, Rev. 11:1-19.

For more information, call 325-242-4895 or 325-436-9921.

First Baptist Church to offer study courses

The First Baptist Church in Colorado City will hold Parenting Classes of Younger Children beginning April 3. The six-week study will be held each Thursday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and will conclude on May 8. Child care will be provided.

A Grief Support Group will be started after thé Colorado ISD spring break. This will be an eight-week study for those working through the process of grief.

For more information or to sign up, call the church office at 728-3442.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
LONE WOLF GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

The Lone Wolf Groundwater Conservation District will hold a public hearing at the District offices at 131 West 5th Street in Colorado City, Texas on Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at 7:00 a.m. The purposes of the public hearing are to consider amendments to District rules and to adopt a Drought Contingency Plan. The public is invited to attend.

Mitchell County Youth Basketball

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SCHOOL NEWS

Students to compete Friday in FFCLA

Six teams from Colorado High School will be heading off Thursday evening for the FFCLA regionals in Wichita Falls early Friday morning.

The teams will be participating in STAR events at the Family Career Community Leaders of America competition, according to Ann Nobles, who teaches at CHS.

Freshman Macall Maddox, Emma Leanos and Andrew Munoz will participate in the junior division of Focus on Children. Their project focuses on healthy eating.

In the senior division, Tia Huff and Christa Valdivia have entered their presentation on stranger safety and how germs are spread. Huff and Valdivia are seniors at CHS. Both groups have used their presentations in working with children at Kelley Elementary this year.

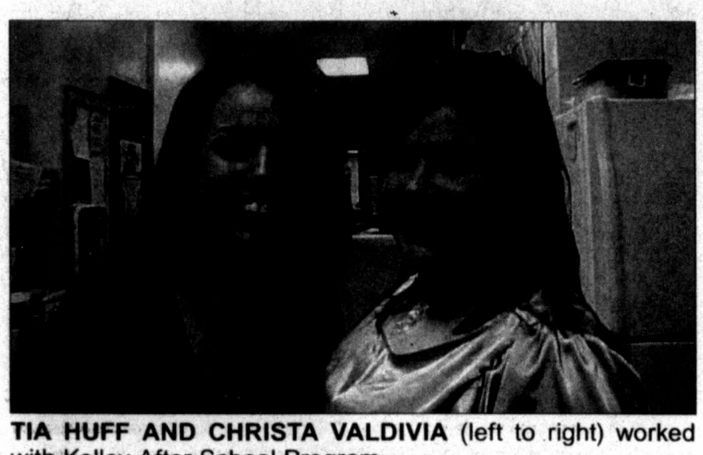
Sophomores Kyle Lemons and Kirk Leverton are entered in the national programs in action with the topic of financial safety and how banks work. Lemons and Leverton sponsored a field trip to First National Bank for Kelley second graders.

Seniors Sarah Smith and Cody Upshaw join forces with junior Morgan Maddox to compete in the Chapter Service Star Event. They have educated the public, through posters and displays, about cotton, cattle and sheep and the household items made from each. Their project is on display at local banks.

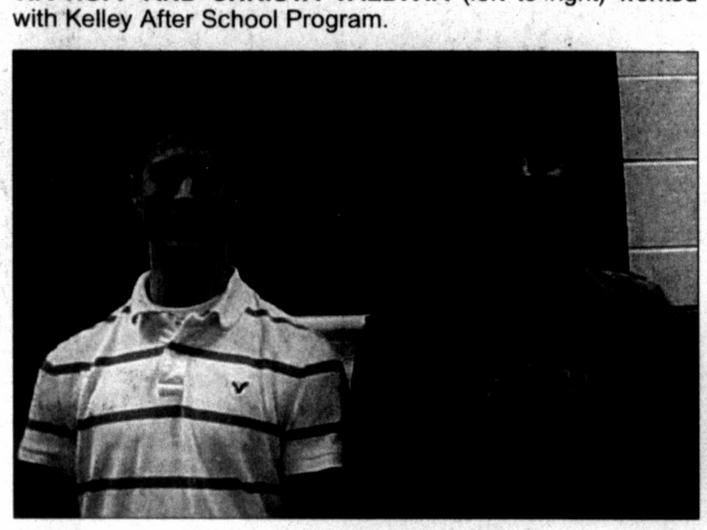
Amber Simer will compete in the Careeer Investigation Star Event. She has researched aspects of film making as a career. Their project was to convert a garage into an apartment for an elderly couple.

Students from Ann Nobles' Interior Design Class, Sara Martinez and Crystal Wilson, are entered in the Design for Living event.

"If we place in the top six, we will advance to the state competion in Galveston, Texas, in early April," Nobles said.



TIA HUFF AND CHRISTA VALDIVIA (left to right) worked with Kelley After School Program.



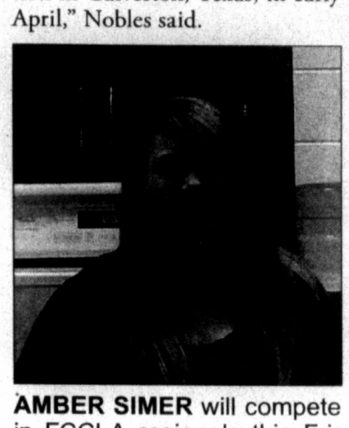
KYLE LEMONS AND KIRK LEVERTON (left to right) are entered in FCCLA regionals with their money management project.



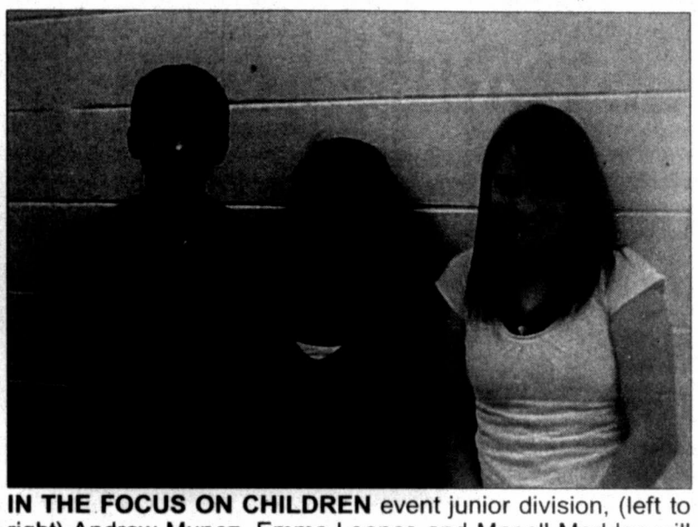
COMPETING IN THE Chapter Service Star Event are (left to right) Sarah Smith, Cody Upshaw and Morgan Maddox.



CRYSTAL WILSON AND SARA MARTINEZ (left to right) will compete in the Focus on Children Star Event.



AMBER SIMER will compete in FCCLA regionals this Friday.



IN THE FOCUS ON CHILDREN event junior division, (left to right) Andrew Munoz, Emma Leanos and Macall Maddox will present nutritious foods.

FAFSA workshop to be held

There will be a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) help meeting at Colorado High School in the Computer Lab, Room 114, on Monday, March 10, at 6 p.m.

Each student will need to bring his/her Social Security card, driver's license and tax returns for students and parents. Parents should attend this meeting to provide necessary information.

This will be a great opportunity to get some expert help in filling out the FAFSA. For more information, call 728-1066.

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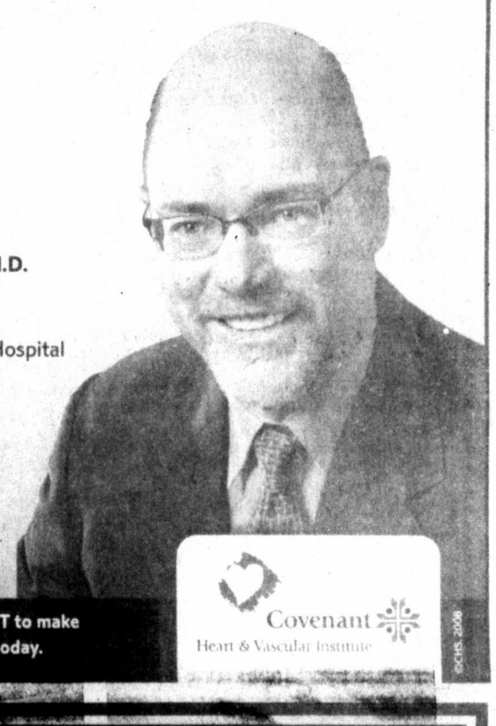
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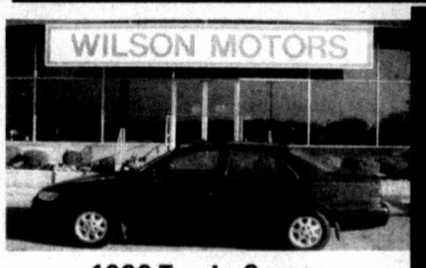
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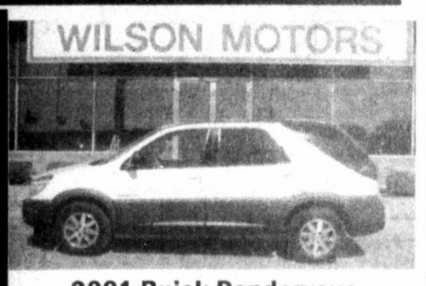
Mar. 28	**Fish Ophthalmology Clinic, M.D. and Larry Fish, M.D.** will be seeing patients at Specialty Clinic. Call 1-800-542-5058 for appointments.
Mar. 6	***NEW!* Abilene Hematology Oncology Group**, will be seeing patients at the Speciality Clinic. Call 325-673-0100 for appointments.
Mar. 13	**Covenant Cardiology Associates, Dr.Jason Bradley, M.D.** and **Dr. Walters** Call 800-692-4313 for appointment.

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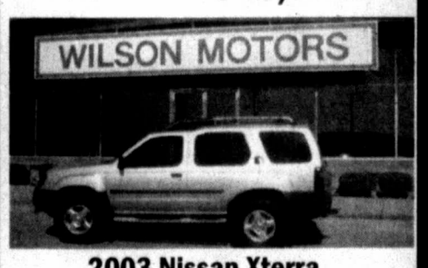
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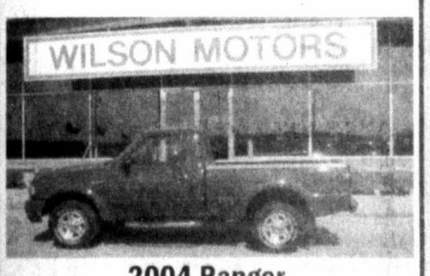
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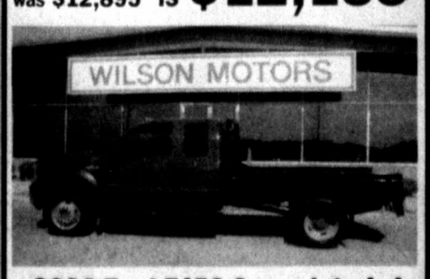
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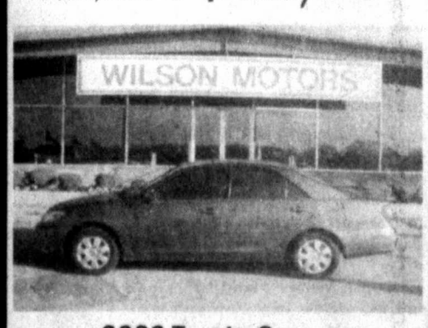


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SCHOOL MENUS

Colorado ISD Head Start
Breakfast Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – dry cereal, toast, chilled juice, milk.

Tuesday – Cream of Wheat, toast, chilled juice, milk.

Wednesday – scrambled eggs, toast, chilled juice, milk.

Thursday – oatmeal, toast, chilled juice, milk.

Friday – sausage, toast, chilled juice, milk.

Colorado ISD Head Start
Lunch Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – mac and cheese, mixed vegetables, orange pieces, milk.

Tuesday – steak fingers, gravy, golden corn, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday – pizza, sweet peas, peaches, milk.

Thursday – corndog, green beans, crushed pineapple, milk.

Friday – hamburger on a bun, potato salad, chilled pears, milk.

Kelley & Hutchinson Elem.
Breakfast Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – sausage, toast, chilled fruit, choice of milk.

Tuesday – French toast sticks, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Wednesday – breakfast burrito, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Thursday – scrambled egg, toast, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Friday – dry cereal, toast, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Kelley & Hutchinson Elem.
Lunch Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – pizza, green beans, glazed carrots, cookies, canned fruit, choice of milk.

Tuesday – grilled ham and cheese, pork n beans, pickle spears, canned fruit, choice of milke

Wednesday – chicken nuggets, half of baked potatoes, sweet peas, hot rolls, canned fruit, choice of milk.

Thursday – spaghetti with meat sauce, garlic toast, golden corn, canned fruit, choice of milk.

Friday – wolf burger, lettuce cup, French fries, fresh fruit, choice of milk.

CMS & CHS
Breakfast Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Tuesday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, pancake with syrup, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Wednesday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Thursday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, breakfast bites, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Friday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, potato & egg burrito, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

CMS & CHS
Lunch Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – taco salad, tasty rib basket, grilled ham and cheese, French fries, green beans, cookie, canned fruit, choice of milk.

Tuesday – chef salad with chicken, grilled ham and cheese, chili beans, chilled tomatoes, cornbread, canned fruit, choice of milk.

Wednesday – chef salad with ham, birdie on a bun, ham and cheese calzones, glazed carrots, sweet peas, canned fruit, choice of milk.

Thursday – chef salad with turkey, burrito with cheese, soft tacos, pinto beans, golden corn, canned fruit, choice of milk.

Friday – garden salad, Philly steak sandwich, French fries, veggies & dip, fresh fruit, choice of milk.

Westbrook ISD
Breakfast Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – cinnamon roll, cereal, fruit juice, milk.

Tuesday – blueberry muffins, cereal, fruit juice, milk.

Wednesday – scrambled eggs, toast & jelly, cereal, fruit juice, milk.

Thursday – sausage, gravy, biscuit & jelly, fruit juice, milk.

Friday – morning sausage roll, cereal, fruit juice, milk.

Westbrook ISD
Lunch Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – chicken fajitas, refried beans, seasoned corn, orange smiles, chocolate pudding cup, milk.

Tuesday – pigs in a blanket, pinto beans, baked chips, pineapple orange salad, milk.

Wednesday – chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, bread stocks, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Thursday – meat & bean chalupa, Spanish rice, lettuce & tomato, rosie applesauce, milk.

Friday – submarine sandwiches, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, tater tots, baby carrots with ranch, brownie, milk.

Loraine ISD
Breakfast Menu Mar. 10-14

Monday – cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Tuesday – sausage, biscuit, jelly, fruit, milk.

Wednesday – eggs, potatoes, flour tortillas, juice, milk.

Thursday – oatmeal, toast, fruit, milk.

Friday – bagels, juice, milk.

Loraine ISD
Lunch Menu Mar. 10-14

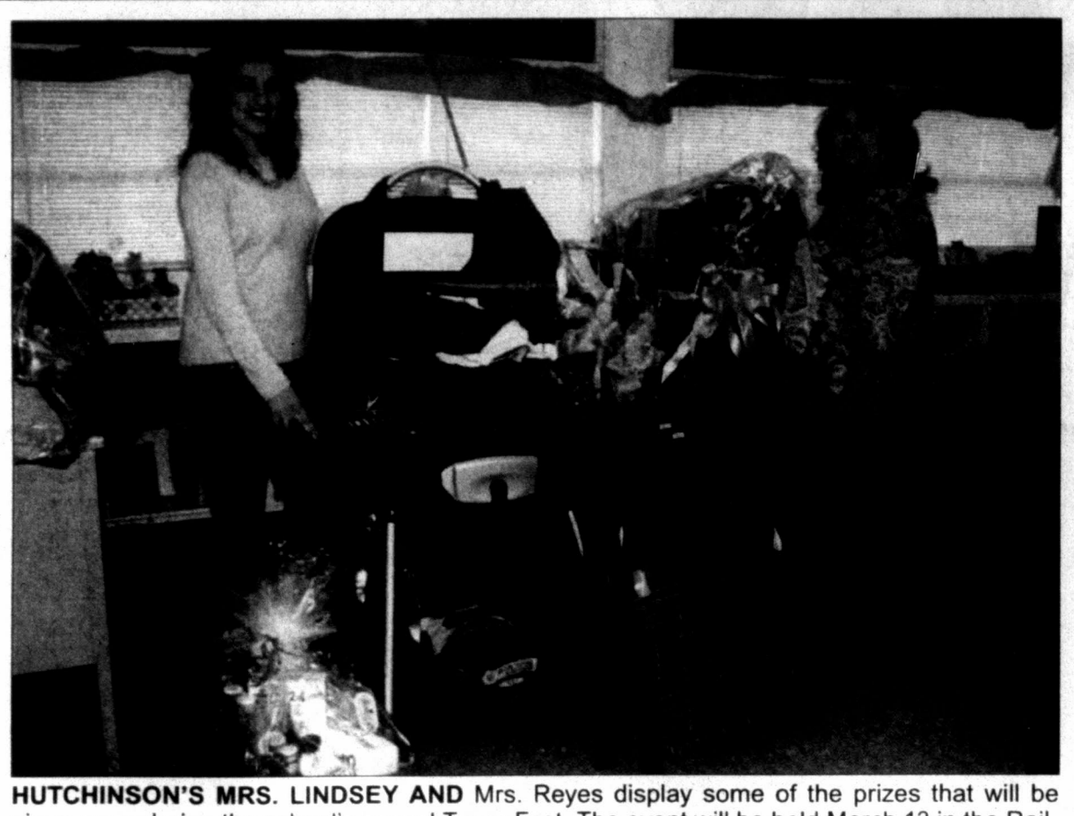
Monday – nachos, beans, Spanish rice, Mexican corn, shape up, milk.

Tuesday – chicken rings, ketchup, chef salad, dressing, baby carrots, apple, brownie, milk.

Wednesday – meat and beans, salsa, celery sticks, hushpuppies, orange pineapple salad, milk.

Thursday – turkey pot pie, whole potatoes, broccoli florets, dressing, jello with topping, milk.

Friday – burritos with cheese, pickles, carrots, peanut butter, shape up, milk.



HUTCHINSON'S MRS. LINDSEY AND Mrs. Reyes display some of the prizes that will be given away during the school's annual Texas Fest. The event will be held March 13 in the Railhead Building in downtown Colorado City.

Annual Texas Fest slated March 13 at Railhead Bldg.

Hutchison Elementary is gearing up for Texas Fest; scheduled for Thursday, March 13 from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at the Railhead Building.

Featured attractions include a hamburger dinner. Tickets are $6 for adults and $3.50 for students, according the principal Kitten Arthur. "The dinner will be cooked by the Kiwanis Club, so it's delicious," she said. Tickets go on sale Monday, March 10.

Other attractions include the Texas gift baskets for silent auction. "Each class does a different theme-based baskets," said Arthur. "This year we have thirteen baskets, with themes ranging from Fitness to Summer Fun. It's one of our biggest money raisers." Arthur said $1500 to $2000 was common for the baskets.

"The community donates a lot. Curves is donating a free month's membership and Escape by Eva has offered a free massage," she said, mentioning just two of the community- sponsored baskets.

"Texas Fest has turned more into a community festival than a school festival," Arthur said.

Games, like the softball throw and a speed stacking booth, prizes, and an air castle are all part of the festivities. "My favorite is the bucking bull," Arthur announced.

The mechanical bull, provided by Rafter J Mechanical Bulls, has a rotating base on which helpers can stand beside riders for stability. The bull, which blows smoke and has flashing eyes, is surrounded by a walled inflatable airbag. It can also "stop on a dime", if needed by the rider.

"It's absolutely hilarious," said Arthur, who said that the average riding time for the bull was a thrilling 20 seconds.

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To be considered for the scholarship, students must have been admitted into Angelo State University and have completed the General University Scholarship Application, which can be found on the ASU website at www.angelo.edu/services/financial_aid/forms.html.

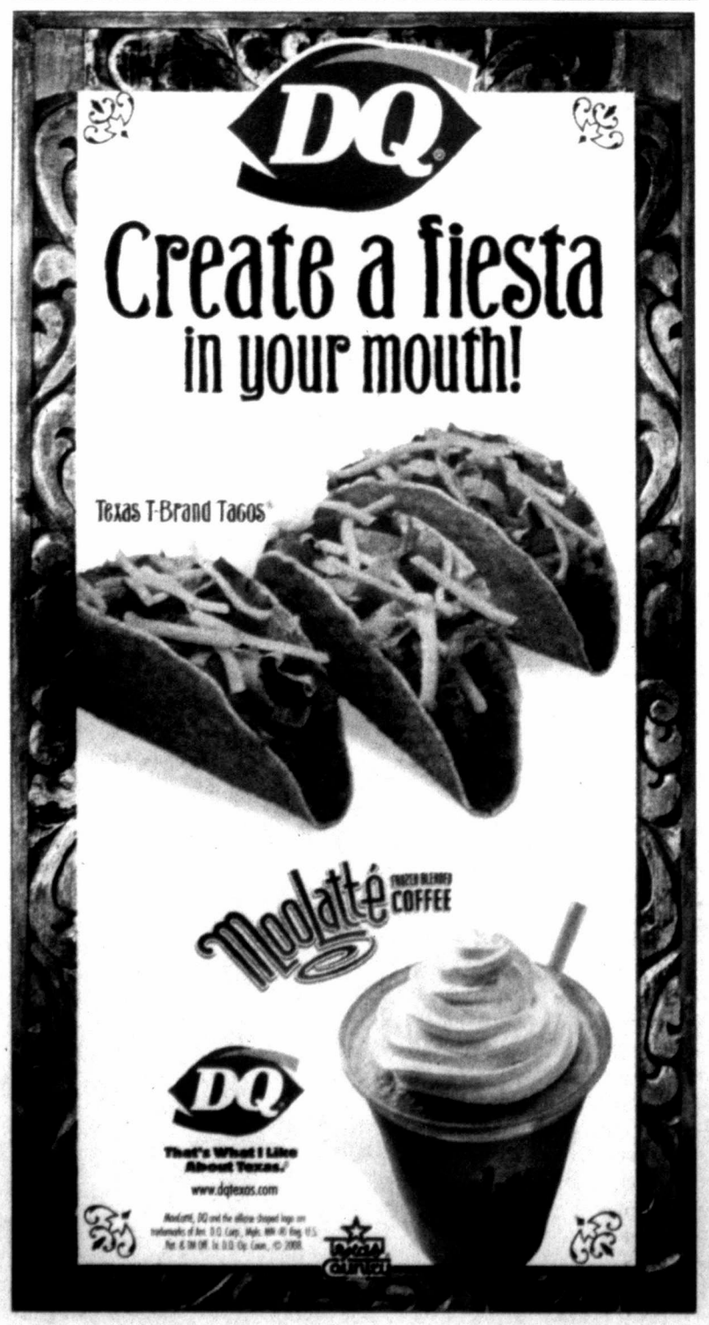
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Thurs., Mar. 13	Chicken Enchiladas, Rice, Beans, Salad, Chips & Hot Sauce

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Card of Thanks

Words are inadequate to express our sincere thanks for all the ways you have shown your concern during this past year as we made so many trips to MD Anderson. Thanks for all the cards, phone calls, visits, food and especially the prayers. The outpouring of your love and support has been overwhelming. May God bless each one of you.

Bob & Joan Lemons

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JUDY ANN WILLIAMS
MITCHELL COUNTY COURT
MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS
DOCKET NO. 5155

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
TO: All persons or entities interested in the Estate of JUDY ANN WILLIAMS, Deceased, whose addresses cannot be ascertained and the unknown heirs of JUDY ANN WILLIAMS, Deceased, whose names or whereabouts are unknown.
On the 28th day of January, 2008, THOMAS L. WILLIAMS, filed an Application to Determine Heirship in a proceeding styled in the Estate of JUDY ANN WILLIAMS, Deceased, and bearing the number 5155, in the County Court of Mitchell County, Texas.
The Court will hear the aforesaid Application at 10:00 a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of 10 days, exclusive of the day of publication, from the date this citation is published, which will be Monday, the 10th day of March, 2008, I the County Court Room of the Mitchell County Courthouse in Colorado City, Mitchell County, Texas.
All persons interested in the aforesaid estate are commanded to appear at or before the time set for said hearing by filing a written contest to or answer to said Application, should the desire to oppose or contest it.
Said written contest or answer shall be filed in the office of the County Clerk of Mitchell County, Texas in Colorado City, Texas.
The officer serving this citation shall, in compliance with the law, serve it by publication once in a newspaper of general circulation in this, the county in which such proceeding is pending, for not less then ten days before the return day hereof, exclusive of the day of publication, and the date of publication said newspaper bears shall be the day of publication.
If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
Dated this the 21st day of February, 2008.
Debby Carlock
Clerk, County Court of Mitchell County, Texas
By: Debby Carlock, Deputy

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT
Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado, P.O. Box 140907, Irving, TX 75014-0907 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas to amend their permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.
The Applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Clearfork Westbrook Southwest Unit, Well Numbers 1520W, 1522W, 1525W, 526W, 532W, 143W, 140W, 1526W, 1527W, 1528W & 1529W.
The proposed injection wells are located 3 miles southwest from Westbrook, in the Westbrook field, Mitchell County.
Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2300 to 3300 feet.
LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.
Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

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LEGAL NOTICES

SAMPLE FOR OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS
NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)
To the Registered Voters of Mitchell County, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Mitchell County, Texas:)
Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on May 10, 2008, for voting in a general election to elect Trustees to the Mitchell County Hospital District, Mitchell County Courthouse – Colorado City, Westbrook ISD Tax Office – Westbrook, Loraine Sr. Citizen Center – Loraine.
(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillaselectorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7 a.m. hast alas 7 p.m. el Mayo de 10th de 2008 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir Junta directive Mitchell County Hospital District, Mitchell County Courthouse – Colorado City, Westbrook ISD Tax Office – Westbrook, Loraine Sr. Citizen Center - Loraine.)
LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)
Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at
(La votacion adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en)
Lobby of the Mitchell County Hospital/Salon de entrada del Hospital
Between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on April 28, 2008
(entre las 8 de la manana y las 5 de la tarde empezando el Abril 28, 2008)
and ending on May 6, 2008. (y terminando el Mayo 6, 2008.)
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May 2, 2008/ Mayo 2, 2008
Issued this the 26th day of February, 2008.
(Emitada este dia 26 de Febrero, 2008)
Bobbie Banks
Presiding Officer, Mitchell County Hospital Board of Trustees

BID NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TxDOT) CONTRACTS
Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read.
CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)
Dist/Div: Abilene
Contract 6177-10-001 for MOWING HIGHWAY RIGHT OF WAY in HOWARD County, etc. will be opened on March 26, 2008 at 1:30 p.m. at the District Office for an estimate of $126,620.00.
Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at ww.dot.state.tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.
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Constr./Maint. Division
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Austin, Texas 78704
Phone: 512-416-2540
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Abilene District
District Engineer
4250 N. Clack
Abilene, Texas 79604-0150
Phone: 325-676-6800
Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

Mitchell County Commissioners Court will receive sealed bid proposals for excavating, crushing and purchasing rock from the Mitchell County Rock Quarry. Proposals will be opened at 9:00 a.m. on March 10, 2008. Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept to reject any and all bids and/or waive any and all formalities.
Susan Buckalew
County Auditor

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March 18, 2008

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JOB OPENING
Job Title: Deputy
Department: Tax Assessor-Collector
Position Summary: Responsible for daily interaction with Mitchell County taxpayers in person, by mail and by telephone in collection of current and delinquent tax payments; vehicle registration, title transfers and voter registration.
Minimum Education: High school diploma
Special Knowledge/Skills/Abilities: Typing, 10-key by touch, computer comprehension.
Deadline for acceptance of applications: March 20, 2008
Please contact Faye Lee, Tax Assessor-Collector at 438 E. 2nd, Mitchell County Tax Office, Colorado City, Texas
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The City of Colorado City is accepting applications for employment for one **Landfill Supervisor.** Qualifications include High School Diploma or GED equivalent; Class C with Heavy Equipment experience; Class C-Certification in Solid Waste from TCEQ (or ability to obtain license); must be dependable and prefers knowledge in solid waste management. Benefits include health and life insurance, holidays, vacation, sick leave and a retirement plan. Applications may be picked up at City Hall, 180 West 3rd Street, Colorado City, Texas 79512. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. The City of Colorado City is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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COLORADO CITY - LAKE PROPERTY

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New Listing... 653 LCR 313, 2-1-2-CP. Waterfront, great weekend place. Lots of potential.
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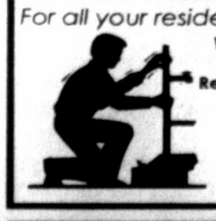
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SPORTS

Wolves place 3 on all-district team

By Carl Graham

The Colorado Wolves' young basketball team failed to make the post-season playoffs for the second year in a row; but when the post-season accolades came, the Wolves received their fair share out of a very tough district in 6-2A.

Junior Lance Espinoza, a 5'11"wing, was selected to the first team. Junior Clint White, a 5'10" guard and 6'3" sophomore post Tyler Higgins came away with second-team honors.

Despite the return of former head Wolves basketball coach Barry Kimball, the young Wolves were not able to keep up the pace with teams, like Haskell, which were eliminated in post-season by the Jim Ned Indians. The Indians are headed this weekend to the state final four. The Coahoma Bulldogs, who has a distinct height advantage over the Wolves, also made it to state.

Coach Kimball still must be looking forward to next season when all three of those athletes, as well as junior-to-be Jamarcus Denson return next season. Denson missed the entire season due to an injury.

Also returning will be the fifth starter, junior Matt Sowa, who saw lots of playing time at the post position. Ryan Gainey, a junior, and freshman J. C. Johnson, should help give the Wolves some much needed depth as they come up from the junior varsity.

The Wolves were thrown into a very tough basketball district with the recent UIL realignment. They will be competing with two strong basketball programs in Jim Ned and Wall, as well as their old nemesis Coahoma.



Whitney Martin

Martin headed to regional

Loraine High School seniors Whitney and Lindsey Martin made a return trip to the regional powerlifting meet this year. Both ladies competed in Clyde in the 198 lb. weight class.

Lindsey placed eighth and Whitney placed second in their division. The second place finish qualifies Whitney for the state power lifting meet in Killeen on March 14, 15.

This will be Whitney's third trip to the state powerlifting meet. Last year she placed second in state in the Class 1A 198 lb. division. This year she is hoping for gold.

Pharis will represent CHS at state

The Colorado High School powerlifting team will send a representative on to the state competition in Killeen, on March 14, according to Coach Tony Cavazos.

Krystal Phariss became a regional champ last weekend in Clyde, winning a first place medal by lifting 830 lbs.

The win earned her a second place ranking in class 2A competition. Phariss will compete in the state meet in Killeen on March 14.

"With solid effort, she may come home with a state medal," said Cavazos.



KRYSTAL PHARISS placed 1st at the regional power lifting competition in Clyde. Phariss will represent Colorado High School in the girls division state power lifting competition on March 14 at Killeen, Texas.

Two new teams added to CHS volleyball district

New volleyball district realignments for 2008 through 2010 were announced by the UIL recently.

The Colorado City Lady Wolves will add two new teams to its present district. Joining Colorado City, Bangs and Grape Creek will be Dublin and Eastland.

Loraine, in District 5-A, will be facing teams from Aspermont, Benjamin, Knox City and Rotan.

The volleyball schedules for 2008 will be released later.

CHS tennis teams place at Snyder tournament

The Colorado City tennis teams participated in the Snyder Tennis Tournament last week.

In girls' singles, Catherine Dolan won first place and Morgan Maddox placed fourth.

Boys' doubles partners Matt Wilson and Ashton Raschke won all their matches and were slated to play in the semifinals but had to scratch due to a baseball conflict.

In girls' doubles, Macey Owens and Melanie Jones won two matches and lost one, and freshman Blaze Alford won his first match but lost his second.

Coach Zeb Burleson was pleased with the tennis team. "All the kids played well and are improving," he said.

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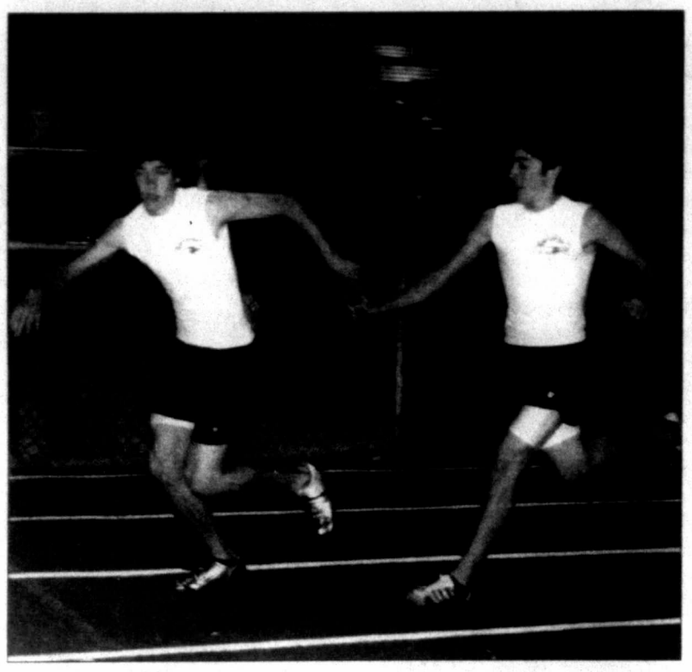


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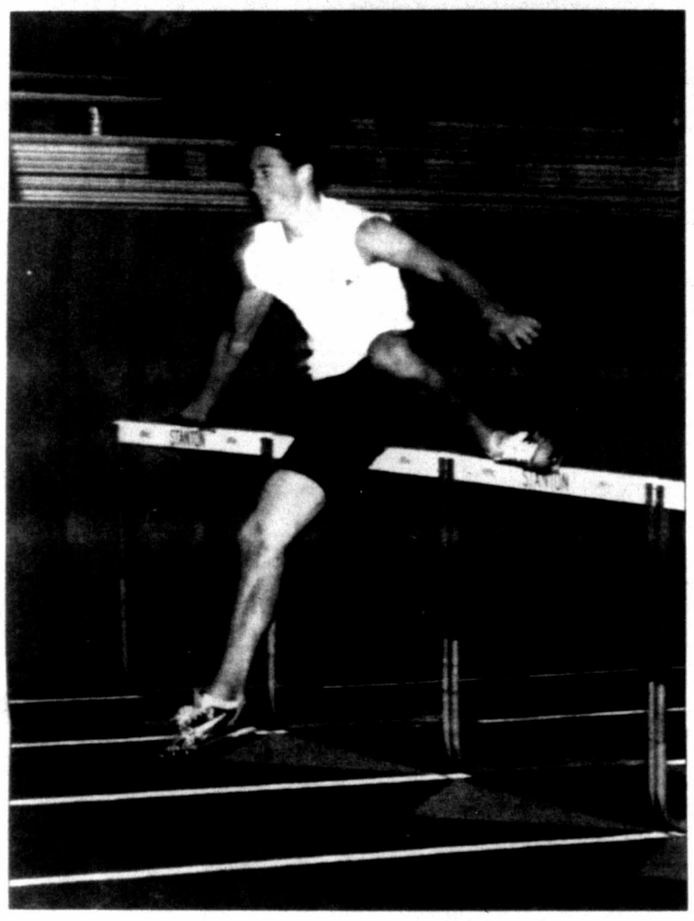
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SPORTS



CHS 1600 METER RELAY team J. C. Johnson and Nick Reyna placed third at the track meet in Stanton. Manuel Garza and Richard Luera make up the rest of the relay team.



KYLE LEMONS PLACED 1st in the 110 meter hurdles last Friday at the Stanton track meet.

CHS junior varsity 2nd, varsity 5th in Stanton

The varsity and junior varsity boys' Wolves track teams participated in the Stanton Relays last weekend. The JV boys totaled 111 points for a second place finish while the varsity totaled 70 points for a fifth place finish.

Placing for the Wolves were:

Junior Varsity

High Jump – 1st, Corey Owens, 5'4"; 2nd, Lance Espinoza, 5'.

110m Hurdles – 1st, Kyle Lemons, 18.26.

Shot Put – 1st, Frankie Atkinson, 38' 1/2".

800m Run – 2nd, Chris Madrid, 2:25.85.

400m Relay – 2nd, Michael Mauldin, Corey Owens, Ryan Gainey, Lance Espinoza, 48.51.

Discus – 3rd, Frankie Atkinson, 99'11".

3200m run – 3rd, Michael Hernandez, 12:26.35; 6th, Joe Salazar, 13:13.02.

Triple Jump – 4th, Jessie Guerra, 33'5 ½".

1600m Relay – 3rd, Guerra, Owens, Gainey, Espinoza, 4:08.34.

300m Hurdles – 3rd, Kyle Lemons, 48.71.

800m Relay – 4th, Guerra, Owens, Gainey, Espinoza, 1:45.79.

400m Dash – 2nd, Chris Madrid, 1:03.46.

1600m run – 5th, Gabriel Yanez, 47.11.

Varsity

110m Hurdles – 2nd, Matt Sowa, 18.09; 6th, Clint White, 19.55.

Shot Put – 4th, Mario Atkinson, 39'4".

400m Dash – 3rd, Manuel Garza, 55.19.

300m Hurdles – 3rd, Nick Hart, 46.94.

1600m Run – 3rd, Ricky Davila, 5:13.21.

1600m Relay – 3rd, Nick Reyna, J.C. Johnson, Richard Luera, Garza.

3200m Run – 4th, Ricky Davila, 11:49.42.

800m Run – 4th, J.C. Johnson, 2:08.67.

High Jump – 4th, Matt Sowa, 5'4".

Discus – 5th, Mario Atkinson, 106'6".

Triple Jump – 5th, Richard Luera, 39'4".

400m Relay, 5th, Reyna, Johnson, Luera, Garza, 46.48.

200m Dash, 6th, Richard Luera, 25.02.

800m Relay – Reyna, Nick Hart, Sowa, Whitem 1:42.38.

LORAINE NEWS

By Bessie Ann Vaughn
Loraine Correspondent

Charlene Walker had two of her children visit lately. Ricky Walker of Lubbock came and stayed to chat with his mom a while, and Teresa Hughes from Abilene came and ate out with Charlene last Friday.

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Hank Millering had surgery on his neck and upper spine last Wednesday in San Angelo. Dr. LeGrand kept him overnight, then let him return home Thursday. Jan says his is feeling fairly well.

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A reminder that The Brook's Brothers, gospel singers, are scheduled to be at the First Baptist Church Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. We've had very good reports about their talents.

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Connie Ponko, our city secretary, and her husband, Stuart, along with her parents, John and Nellie Jordan of Colorado City, made a trip to Sheffield in the Guadalupe Mountains for a small family reunion. Other siblings and family members met them there, totaling 18.

They stayed in a huge, remote home camp 45 minutes from a main road. There were no telephones or televisions, just a good place to be together, visit and eat good food. They did do some hiking, enjoying the area and beautiful sunsets.

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We congratulate Jay Bell as he passed his Class C Water Test at the TCEQ office in Abilene. We understand it is a very hard test, so we are happy for him.

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Vida Mae McDaniel, Louella Crockett from Colorado City, Bonnie West Duke of Rotan, Marie Jarratt Hare and Doris Henderson visited Phanette Jean Bauman at the Sweetwater Healthcare Center. Mrs. Bauman is formerly from Fort Worth but is in the healthcare center due to health problems.

Although Marie Hare's sister, Lucille Frazier, was unable to go with the group, she treated all the ladies to a great Chinese dinner in Sweetwater.

All six ladies were classmates and graduated from Loraine High School in 1944. A wonderful time was had by all.

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Mike and Rachel Britton spent the weekend with Christene Britton and had a nice visit.

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Danny and Pam Butler went to Temple to see their children, Dawn and Paul Kropp, and granddaughters recently.

The Kropps have bought a new house and the Butlers helped them some with their moving.

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Last week, the Butlers went to New Mexico to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marian Hughes. They all went to the Guadalupe Christian Camp where they attended church and, later, a musical event starring The Brooks Brothers.

Pam's brother, Brad and his wife, Kathy, from Eunice, joined the other family members to enjoy the gospel singers as well.

The three singers were Bill and Randy Brooks and Randy Page who at one time sang with the Oakridge Boys and also the Chuckwagon Gang.

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Remember to attend the men's breakfast March 8 at 7 a.m. There will be good fellowship, good food and a short devotional. Everyone is urged to attend and bring a friend.

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Special music was provided Sunday by Rod and Sharon Mayberry at the Methodist church. They sang, "In the Garden".

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Bloopers from the church bulletin:

"Next Thursday there will be tryouts for the choir. They need all the help they can get."

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Visitors last week were Frank and Christi Conard, Ty Wood and Peggy and Ray Harmon.

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On Monday, Charles Dunn, Durwood and Ina Vay McAdams donated their time and talents with senior citizens with their music and singing. They are always received well.

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Debbie Mitchell and Charlene Hays were scheduled to entertain Wednesday and were enjoyed.

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Last Wednesday, the seniors had a birthday lunch. Senior citizens having birthdays in March are: Ina Vay McAdams, Tommy Palmer, Connie Rodriquez, Charlene Walker, Jack Hollis, Kiefer Cauble, Mary Fincher, Edgar Haltom, Kay McCarley and Brenda Linam.

Happy birthday to all our friends.

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The menu for Friday, March 7th will be ham and pineapple, macaroni and cheese, broccoli salad, rolls, and strawberry cake.

CHS girls come in 3rd

The Colorado City Lady Wolves' track team got the 2008 season off with a third place finish in the Stanton Relays last Friday. Local girls placing in the relays are as follows:

LaCresha Johnson took first place in the 200 meter race with a time of 26.77.

Laura Warren jumped 31'4" to claim second place in the triple jump. Janna Guerra took home two second place finishes; on in the pole vault with a jump of 8'6" and another in the 200m with a time of 27.7. Michelle Billingsley placed second in the 800m race with a time of 2:46 and Breshnae White took second in the 100m with a time of 13:64.

Briana Ortiz placed third in both the 800m with a time of 2:49 and 400m with a time of 68.49.

Billingsley and White also jumped their way to fourth place. Billingsley jumped 4'6" in the high jump and White jumped 13'4.25" in the long jump. White also placed fourth in the 200m race with a time of 28.21.

Amanda Arispe finished fifth in the high jump and Felicia Arellano placed fifth in the shot put.

Emma Leanos finished sixth in the 3200m race with a time of 14:47.

The sprint relay team took third place, finishing in 55.74. Relay team members are White, Warren, Sarah Campos and Guerra.

The 1600m relay team also placed third with a time of 4:41. Billingsley, Ortiz, Leanos and Campos make up the team.

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