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## Junell here for Representative announcement

Rob Junell of San Angelo was in Colorado City Friday to formally announce his candidacy for State Representative for the 66th District, subject to the Democratic Primary election, March 8.

Dick Burnett, 4-term representative, who has decided not to seek re-election to the office, accompanied Junell here for the announcement before a gathering of local Democratic supporters in the C. C. Thompson Room. Junell has supported and worked actively for Burnett. "After Dick elected not to run, many friends in San Angelo and through District 66, encouraged me to seek the representative post," Junell said.

"There are many tough issues facing the Texas Legislature that I don't have the answer to, but I am willing to work hard to try to resolve," Junell said.

Some of the issues mentioned included:

- Loss of 200,000 jobs in the State of Texas.
- A 3 per cent drop in state revenues, which amounts to more than $500 million.
- I believe Texans are taxed to the limit and we must find alternate sources of revenue and cut down on spending.
- The question of AIDS prevention and treatment.
- Education reform and financing problems.
- Workman's Compensation unrealistic rise in cost to the businessmen.

"I would like to have the opportunity to help resolve these and other challenges to the State and District. I will work hard for you and listen to you," he concluded.

Junell, who is married and has three children, moved to San Angelo in 1966. He attended Texas Tech where he played football and coached. He received his law degree

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ROB JUNELL (left) was in Colorado City Friday to announce his candidacy for State Representative for District 66, the office currently held by Dick Burnett (right) who is not seeking re-election.

## Helen Mahon, 86 dies in home here

Mrs. Helen Stevenson Mahon, 86, widow of former U.S. Cong. George Mahon, died Thursday, Dec. 10, at her home in Colorado City.

Funeral services were Saturday at 11 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Mark Rickman and Rev. Julius Early, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Loraine Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 15, 1900, in Floresville, she married George Herman Mahon, her high school sweetheart, on Dec. 21, 1923 in

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Helen Stevenson Mahon

## *30,418 bales ginned; harvest 75% complete*

Cotton continues to roll into Mitchell County gins and modules are accumulating in large numbers in the fields.

Local ag officials now estimate that the total yield from the current cotton crop may hit has many as 55,000 bales.

As of Friday the six gins operating in Mitchell County reported that 30,418 bales had been ginned. Through this week last year, only 2,660 bales had been ginned.

Yields have been running at least one to one and a half bales per acre and the grades have been reported very good.

The weather had remained extremely favorable and it is estimated that the harvest is about 75 per cent complete, but it will be several more months before the ginning is completed.




HAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN as cotton module No. 200 (smiling) stands among hundreds throughout Mitchell County waiting for its trip to the gin. As of Friday, 30,418 bales had been ginned and the stripping operations are reported to be about 75% complete.



Mark Fambro

## Fambro new Lake Park superintendent

Mark Fambro, 35, has been named park superintendent of Lake Colorado City State Park.

Fambro, who has been employed with the Texas Park and Wildlife Department for 14 years, comes to Colorado City from Brownwood where he was superintendent of the Lake Brownwood State Park.

He replaces Bill Griffin.

A native of Breckenridge, Fambro and his wife, Glenna, have three children - Marka, 9, Chris, 7, and Luke, 5.

## 2 accidents here past week

Two traffic accidents were investigated by the City Police the past week.

Last Thursday, Dec. 3, about 11:28 a.m. a 1979 Mercury sedan driven by John Leslie Rees of Westbrook, backed out of a driveway and collided with a 1988 Plymouth Voyager van, owned by Melody Edwards Stubblefield, Rt. 1, Box 318, parked across the street and unattended.

Monday, Dec. 7 at 2:36 p.m. a 1981 Olds Sedan driven by Wende Eulene Frost of Odessa, and a 1980 Cadillac sedan, driven by John Levi Jones of Robert Lee, were involved in a rear-end collison at Second and Hickory Streets. The ambulance responded but both drivers turned down medical assistance for slight injuries.

## Fire destroys hay and barn

A haybarn on the Roy Williamson place northeast of Colorado City was destroyed and about 2,500 bales of hay lost in a fire Tuesday afternoon.

The fire was reported at 4:41 p.m. Nineteen local firemen responded in addition to the Loraine Fire Department, but the structure and contents could not be saved. An electrical short in a nearby water well pump is believed to have started a grass fire, which spread to the barn.

Wednesday, the firemen were called three times to extinguish a fire in a cotton module on the Rob Holman farm, 16 miles south on 208. Firemen were first called at 8:20 a.m. then had to return at 12:46 and 4:08 p.m. to finally douse the smoldering cotton blaze. Twelve firemen responded.

Thursday about 8:43 p.m. 16 firemen answered the alarm to help extinguish a trash fire reported at Third and Cherry Streets.

**Bale Count - Dec. 11, 1987**

| | |
|---|---|
| Independent Gin | 1,786 |
| Colorado Gin | 2,606 |
| Producers Co-Op | 7,850 |
| Westbrook | 2,630 |
| Loraine Co-Op | 8,883 |
| Mitchell County | 6,663 |
| Total | 30,418 |

## *For The Record . . .*

by M. Gene Dow, GM

*FROM THE SCRIPTURES— "And so Joseph when up to Judea...to register at Bethlehem...and with him went Mary...She was expecting a child, and while they were there the time came for her baby to be born, and she gave birth to a son, her first-born. She wrapped him in his swaddling clothes and laid him in a manager." Luke 2:3-7*

* * *

With politics and Christmas gearing up about the same time, political party loyalties tend to surface, even at Christmas. There's a Republican who has a nativity scene out in front of his house. In one part of it, Joseph is leading Mary into the manger, but she isn't on a donkey. It's an elephant. Why not? For all we know it might have been a camel, oxen, some other animal, or none at all.



Gene Dow

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With the City considering more stringent controls in its Animal Control Ordinance in reference to vicious dogs, did you see the sign at one guy's house that read, "This property protected by a PIT BULL-DOG with AIDS." Now that's protection!

*THE LONE WOLF SAYS, "Life can only be understood backward, but it must be lived forward."*

* * *

Egotism is the quality that causes a person to think he's in the groove when he's actually in a rut. So what's your point of view:

When the other fellow acts that way, he's *ugly;*
When you do it, it's *nerves.*
When he's set in his ways, he's *obstinate;*
When you are, it's just *firmness.*
When he doesn't like your friends, he's *prejudiced;*
When you don't like his, you are simply *showing good judgment of human nature.*
When he tries to be accommodating, he's *polishing the apple;*
When you do it, you're using *tact.*
When he takes time to do things, he is *dead slow;*
When you take ages, you are *deliberate.*
When he picks flaws, he's *cranky;*
When you do, you're *discriminating.*

* * *

*DID YOU KNOW? There is no First Street in Colorado City. The East/West streets are number 2nd to 24th. Park Street is the most use street name in the U.S.*

## Answer line...

*Q. It was reported that the hospital had a net profit of $431,500 last fiscal year. Did this figure include tax dollars and, if so, how much? Also what was the operating revenue and operating expenses?*

A. Business manager Richard Murphy said that the reported figure was a NET GAIN in fund balance, rather than a net profit, and it did included taxes of approximately $1.2 million that supports the hospital. Total revenue for the year was $2,147,127 and total expenses were $2,855,415 resulting in a loss of approximately $708,000.

## Briefly

### Toy drive

The Opti-Ms. Club is accepting toys for its annual toy drive to benefit needy children in Mitchell County.

More toys are needed for children through 15 years old.

If you have toys to donate, call 728-8393 or 728-8891 for pickup or drop them off at 968 East 16th Street.

All donations are needed by Dec. 18.

### Santa Pics

Santa Claus will be at the Chamber of Commerce office form 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, December 19, for a picture-taking session with local children.

The pictures will be placed in a commemorative card. Cost of the pictures are $3.00 for one or $5.00 for two.

### Ornaments

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

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

For more information call 723-2065 or after 5 at 728-8610.

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## Around town

**SAM HUFFMAN orders the 12 days of Christmas ... Ask Mayor JIM BAUM about his red toupee ... RONALD BRUCE in town for announcement ... SENIOR CITIZENS doin' lots of dancing ... ROBERT ALFORD gets served...**

## Deaths

*Andrews*
*Laster ... Enis*

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## Weather

**This Year**

| Date | Hi | Lo | Prec |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. 8 | 77 | 35 | .00 |
| Dec. 9 | 68 | 28 | .00 |
| Dec. 10 | 69 | 29 | .00 |
| Dec. 11 | 66 | 35 | .00 |

Total Dec. rainfall ..... 0.00"
Total rainfall this year . 19.43"
Lake Levels:
Colorado City Lake..... 2066.9'
Lake Champion..... 2081.0'

**Last Year**

| 1986 | Hi | Lo | Prec |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. 8 | 74 | 39 | Tr. |
| Dec. 9 | 49 | 39 | Tr. |
| Dec. 10 | 41 | 30 | Tr. |
| Dec. 11 | 33 | 27 | .00 |

Total rainfall Dec. '86 .... 2.00"
Total rainfall 1986 ..... 31.55"
Record Dec. High. 1954..... 88
Record Dec. Low 1953 ..... 2
Average Dec. Rainfall ..... .95"
Heaviest Dec. Daily Rainfall, 1968 ..... 2.20"

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

# Public Records

FROM THE MITCHELL COUNTY COURTHOUSE

**WARRANTY DEEDS**

Michael S. Gorman to Gergory W. Stuckey, et ux, E/20' of S/100' and S/25' of N/50' of Lot 4, Block 90, Town of Colorado City.

Bryron Jay Lee et ux to Thomas E. Green, et ux, S/5' of Lot 2 and all Lot 3 and 4, Blk. 5, Templeton Addition, Town of Loraine.

Hobie Bolin et ux to T. J. Cattle Co., 78.091 acres in Sec. 49, Blk 26, T&P survey, Mitchell County.

**OIL & GAS ACTIVITY**

R. E. Gregory Jr. to Roca Resource Co., assign interest in 640 acres of Sec. 19, Blk 26, H&TC survey, Mitchell County.

J. A. Aldridge to Santa Fe Energy Co., et al, assign overriding royalty in SW/4 of N/2 of NW/4 of Sec. 196, Blk 3, H&GN survey; and E/2 of Lot 12, and all Lot 11, of C. A. O'Keefe Subdivision, Mitchell County.

Constance Morrison to same as above.

Eleanor Wheeler to Kohler-Stephens, Ltd., OGML in N/2 of Sec. 6, Blk 26, H&TC survey, Mitchell County.

W. Maxwell Thomas to same as above.

Gertrude Person Trust to same as above.

Robert C. Wash to Stephen W. King, et ux, partial assign OGL, NW/4 of Sec. 30, Blk 18, SP survey, Mitchell County.

Renee Wash, et al to Charles Wash, et al, OGML in E/2 of SW/4 of W/4 of SE/4 and W/2 of SW/4 of Sec. 27, Blk 17, SP survey, Mitchell County.

C. R. Wash, et al to Charles Wash, Inc., et al, assign OGL of 113.98 acres in NW/4 of NW/4 and NW/4, NW/4 of NE/4, and S/2 of SW/4 of NW/4, and NW/4 of SW/4 of NE/4 of Sec. 118, Blk 29, W&NW survey.

Ronney Moser to Sharp Image Energy, Inc. assign interest in 20 acres in W/2 of SE/4 of Sec.39, Blk 29, T-1N, T&P survey, Mitchell County.

Dona Spur to A. A. Production, Inc. assign OGL in NW/4 and SW/4 of SE/4 of NW/4 of Sec. 9, Blk 27, T&P survey, Mitchell County.

Mrs. Cecil C. Meskimen to George S. Galbraith, OGML in E/2 of Sec. 20, all Sec, 21, and E/2 of Sec. 29, 1280 acres, Blk 28, T-1-S, T&P survey, Mitchell County.

Waterflood agreements from Coalinga Corp. to Phillips Petroleum Co., Exxon Corp, Wesley R. Edmondson, Edna E. Schumpel, Bruce Hart, A. B. Ohlenbush, Estate of C. L. Wann, Marinda F. Robertson, et al, Boy Scouts of America, Episcopal Foundation of Texas, and The Salvation Army.

Harold J. Griffin Trust, et al, to Fina Oil & Chemical Co., assign OGL in S/2 of NE/4 of SE/4 of Sec. 27, Blk. 28, T-1-N, T&P survey, Mitchell County.

**FILED IN COUNTY COURT**

State of Texas vs Ronnie Thomas Pinkerton, charge of DWI 2nd, filed Dec. 2.

State of Texas vs Jesse C. Barrera, charge of DWI, filed. Dec. 2.

State of Texas vs Robert Sanchez Garcia, charge of possession of marijuana, filed Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Carl Wayne Whitehead, possession of marijuana, filed Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Arthur Martinez, possession of marijuana, filed Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Sammy Garcia Sanchez, possession of marijuana, filed Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Christopher N. Morales, possession of marijuana, filed Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Darrell Mack Edge, charge of DWI, filed Dec. 7.

State of Texas vs Curtis W. Reynolds, traffic violation transferred from JP #1, Dec. 8.

**COUNTY COURT ACTION**

State of Texas vs Thomas Rivas Castillo, charge of DWI filed Aug. 6, dismissed, Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Luther Taylor Avery, charge of DWI, filed Nov. 24, plea of guilty entered, fined $700, plus $96.50 costs and 60 days in jail, probated two years, Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Thomas Rivas Castillo, charge of public intoxication, filed Nov. 25, plea of guilty entered, fined $122.50, Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Gilbert Barrientez, charge of theft filed Nov. 25, plea of guilty, fined $100 and 50 days in jail, probated 1 year, Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Gilbert Barrientez, charge of theft, filed Nov. 25, plea of guilty, fined $100, $96.50 costs, 60 days in jail, probated 1 year, Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Bobby Gene Farley, Jr., traffic violation transferred from JP #2, Nov. 30, plea of nolo contendre, fined $100, plus $63.50 costs, Dec. 3.

State of Texas vs Ronnie Thomas Pinkerton, charge of DWI 2nd, filed Dec. 2, plea of guilty entered, fined $500, $96.50 costs, 30 days in jail, probated 2 years, Dec. 3.

**FILED IN DISTRICT COURT**

Robert W. Sparks, Jr. vs Karen Elaine Sparks, divorce action, filed Dec. 3.

Christi Ann Robinson vs Robby Eugene Robinson, divorce action, filed Dec. 3.

First State Bank vs Edward Beaty, suit on note, filed Dec. 7.

**DISTRICT COURT ACTION**

First Western Savings & Loan vs Jim Law and Jimmy D. Law, default judgement for plaintiff on $224,679.09 note principal, $11,424.79 and $9,985.82 interest, and $23,600 attorney fees, Dec. 4.

Terrilyn Fay Green and Travis Green, divorce granted, Dec. 3.

Aetna Casualty and Surety Co. vs Jack J. Merritt, judgement for payment of $28,000 in full settlement to defendant, Dec. 3.

St. Paul Insurance Co. vs Gracie L. Brown, judgement for plaintiff in amount of $5,000, Dec. 3.

First Western S&L vs Joe Anderson, judgement on notes of $10,691.79 principal and interest; $8,255.28 principal and interest, plus separate interest charges of $1,552,06, $1,[illegible]6.34 and $390.82, plus $4,500 attorney fees, Dec. 4.

**COUNTY JAIL ARRESTS**

Hurbert Tutiller, 27, W/M, arrested Dec. 2 by City Police, charge of public intoxication.

Plas Majed, 49, W/M, arrested Dec. 3, by City Police, charge of DWI.

David Gonzales, 25, W/M arrested Dec. 3, by City Police, warrants.

David Ayala Martinez, 28, W/M, arrested Dec. 4 by City Police, charge of PI.

Timothy Beights, 22, W/M arrested Dec. 4 by Sheriff's Office, revocation of probation.

Otis Heilmon, 44, W/M arrested Dec. by Highway Patrol, charge of no DL and no license.

Frank C. Brooks, 52, W/M arrested Dec. 4 by City Police, charge of theft.

Clifton H. Loper, 37, W/M arrested Dec. 4 by City Police, charge of theft.

Ronny Pinkerton, 25, W/M arrested Dec. 4 by Sheriff's Office, Court commital.

Leslie Lee Williams, 30, W/M arrested Dec. 4 by Highway Patrol, charge of DWI.

David Alvarez, 32, W/M arrested Dec. 5 by Sheriff's Office, charge of injury to a child.

Ronald W. Porter, 32, W/M arrested Dec. 5 by Sheriff's Office, court commital.

Royce R. Davis, 57, W/M arrested Dec. 5 by Sheriff's Office, court commital.

Charles Edward Green, 36, B/M, arrested Dec. 5 by City Police, charge of disorderly conduct.

Adam Salinas, 30, W/M, arrested Dec. 6 by City Police, charge of PI and DOC.

Tommy Lee Emerson, 32, B/M, arrested Dec. 6 by City Police, charge of DOC.

Roger Ray Parker, 32, W/M, arrested Dec. 6 by Sheriff's Office, indecent exposure and DOC.

Joe Martinez, 30, W/M, arrested Dec. 5, Highway Patrol, charge of DWI 3rd.

Ruben Aguilar, 23, W/M arrested Dec. 7, by City Police, DOC warrant.

Randy Don McPhaul, 24, W/M arrested Dec. 8 by City Police, charge of assault and possession.

Billy Royce Elliott, 50, W/M, arrested Dec. 8 by City Police, DWI warrant, Lubbock.

Roxie V. Hodnett, 47, W/F arrested Dec. 9 by City Police, charge of DWI 2nd, revocation of probation, Howard County.

## MAHON

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Fort Worth. He preceded her in death Nov. 19, 1985. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Mahon graduated from Loriane High School and received a degree from San Marcos State Teacher's College.

Mrs. Mahon was often referred to as the "First Lady" of the South Plains. The Mahons lived for many years in the Washington, D.C. area where Mr. Mahon became one of the most powerful and most influential members to ever serve in the U.S. House of Representatives. First elected to the House in 1934, he served 44 years in Congress, retiring in 1978 as dean of the lawmakers.

The George and Helen Mahon Library in Lubbock was named in honor of the couple in 1974. A scholarship at Western Texas College in Snyder is also named in honor of the couple.

Survivors include a daughter, Daphne Mahon Holt of Dallas; and three grandchildren, George M. Holt of Durham, N.C., Betsy Davis and Laural Ann Luper, both of Dallas.

## JUNELL

From Page 1

from TTU in 1976 and practiced in El Paso for a couple of year before returning to San Angelo.

Thus far, he is the only Democratic candidate to announce, but will face Republican opposition in the general election. District 69 includes Mitchell, Sterling Coke and Tom Green counties.

COMMISSIONER
Mary Scott Nabers



**TEXAS BUSINESS TODAY**

Dear Commissioner Nabers: I have a salesman working for me who is just not producing. His sales are low and I am going to have to let him go. Will he be eligible for unemployment benefits?

G.M.

**Dear G.M.: Most likely. Before a person will be disqualified from receiving unemployment benefits the employer must prove that the person was fired for work connected misconduct. If your salesman is giving the job his best effort and following whatever rules you have established, then it is highly unlikely that you can show his low sales to be a result of misconduct. A more likely conclusion will be that it is currently a tough market for even the best of salespeople.**

## Briefly

### Library to close

The Mitchell County Public Library will be closed Dec. 20-28 for the Christmas holidays.

Wednesday morning storytime will not be held on Dec. 23 or Dec. 30 but will resume on Jan. 6.

On Wednesday, Dec. 16, a special musical storytime will be held at 10 a.m.

### Senior dance

A senior citizens dance will be held Monday, Dec. 14, at the Boy's Club, Third and Chestnut streets, from 8-10:30 p.m.

Benny and the Ranchhands will be playing.

### Dance slated

A senior citizen dance will be held Tuesday, Dec. 15, at the Civic Center from 7-10 p.m.

The Porky Proctor Band will provide country and western music.

The public is invited.

### Financial program

The First Baptist Church of Loraine will present a seven-week video series entitled "Financial Freedom Seminar" beginning Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 6 p.m.

Each video is 45 minutes long. Seminar leader is Dr. John Morgan, pastor of Sagemont Baptist Church in Houston.

Admission is free.



### *Santa letters welcomed*

**Hey kids!**

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

**So, make out your list and bring your letter by the *Record* office or mail it to:**

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# Local News

## Hospital Report

Patients Admitted
December 8
John Preston, Loraine, medical; Shayla Murphy, Sweetwater, medical; John Green, City, medical.
December 9
Charles Harris, City, medical; Terry Munoz, Loraine, medical; Francis Emerson, City, medical; Verna Devorce, City, medical.
December 10
Daisy Jackson, City, medical.
Patients Dismissed
December 8
Henry Boyett, Loraine, medical; Shelia Turner, City, medical; G. W. Geiger, City, surgical.
December 9
John Preston, Loraine, medical; Lee A. Matlock, Loraine, medical; Cindy McBride, City, medical; Eldred Long, City, medical.
December 10
Terry Munoz, Loraine, medical; Don Banta, City, medical; W. H. Cox, City, medical; John Green, City, medical.

## Birth

Chrystal Anne, daughter of Sammy and Cindy McBride of Colorado City, was born in Mitchell County Hospital, December 7 weighing 7 pounds, 13 ounces.



POUND PUPPY - Duchess, a two-month-old female German Shepherd, is available for adoption from the city pound located at the Mitchell County Veterinary Hospital, Highway 208 South. For more information about her or other pets available for adoption, call 728-8055.

## Christmas arts, crafts show underway

A Christmas arts and crafts show is being held at 850 East Labelle again this year, according to organizer Dorothy Bell.

The show, designed to let local residents display and sell their arts and crafts, includes the works of several Mitchell County artists and craftspersons. On display are oil paintings by Betty Frizzell and photographs by Ben Bell. Connie Simpson has needlework, Christmas decorations, gold and silver leaf pictures and ceramics. Wanda Suggs, Judy Clare and Dorothy Bell also have ceramics.

Iola Young has all kinds of wooden toys, miniature furniture, Christmas decorations and many more wooden items. Shirley Thompson has decorative baskets and bandana collars and Dot Childers is displaying crochet.

Ben and Dorothy Bell have carved leather and exotic skin, mostly diamondback rattlesnake, items. Larry Williams is displaying carved leather items also. Ben Bell has his "Rings of Wood" for sale. These are rings cut from wood and designed into bowls, clocks, candlesticks, lamps and other items. Barbara Geiger will have Christmas cookies for sale.

The craft show will be each day from 1-6 p.m. until Dec. 24, said Mrs. Bell. She said anyone interested in showing their arts and crafts should call her at 728-2002.

## American flags are available

American flags are available for sale at the Wallace Community Education Center.

The flags, which will make ideal Christmas gifts, are 3x5-feet, made of 100 percent cotton and come boxed with pole and hardware for installation. The flag cost of $16 can be considered as a donation to the Wallace Community Education Center.

Proceeds will go toward community projects through the center.

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## Harrison, Hardee host Baptist women

The Susan Evermon Baptist Women of First Baptist Church met Monday, Dec. 7, for a salad supper at the holiday decorated home of Billie Margaret Harrison. Jean Hardee was co-hostess.

Group leader Jessie Mae Merket opened with the quote "for a better Christmas, practice goodwill, the goodwill of God toward men".

Catharine Morris presented the calendar of prayer for the missionaries with birthdays. She also urged everyone to send a Christmas card to a missionary by providing addresses for them. Various reports on past activities were given. About 90-100 participated in the Korean supper and book study. Also, the prayer commitment cards were well received.

A thank-you note from Del Norte, Col., for a donation toward a church steeple was read.

The special program for the Christmas season, "Pray That All May Hear", was directed by Jean Hardee as Catharine Morris, Earline Sellier, Jo Ann Staley, Margaret Bodine, Mary Lloyd, Francis Cooper and Joy Piland told of missionary work - past, present and future - by the South American countries of Brazil, Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay, Ecuador, Colombia and Venezuela.

The 1987 Lottie Moon Christmas offering goal is $75 million for combined Southern Baptists and is $12,000 for the First Baptist Church.

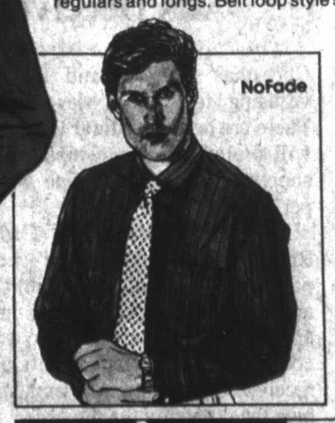
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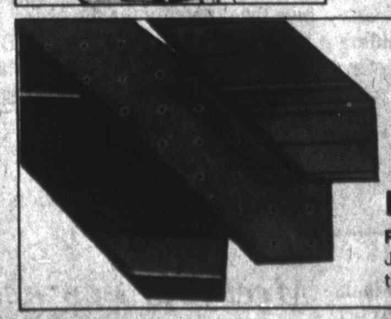


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# Opinions

## Ray Mayo



My friends know I'm not a superstitious person. That's why I was surprised when I received an unsigned chain letter in the mail the other day.

Chain letters are suppose to bring good luck and fortunes to the receivers if they continue the chain by sending out more letters.

I must admit I had never seen a chain letter quite like this one before.

"Kiss someone you love when you get this letter and make magic," it proclaimed.

And, unlike most chain letters, this letter did not ask me to send money to other people. It just asked me to send 20 copies of the letter within 96 hours after promising "you will receive good luck within four days of receiving this letter providing you send it back out."

The letter went on to say that bad luck will be my fate if I break the chain.

Some interesting examples were given including the Air Force officer who received $70,000, and the man who received $40,000 and lost it because he broke the chain. One man received the letter and died nine days later, because, I suppose, he didn't bother to send out 20 copies of the letter. I wonder what would have happened if he had sent out 10 copies - a paralyzing stroke perhaps?

Walking under ladders, stepping on cracks and coming upon black cats have never causedme any worry. Whenever I've been blessed with good luck, I consider it a blessing. If I've had bad luck, I just chalk it up as part of life - taking the bad with the good sort of thing.

Still, I can't help but wonder if good luck can be helped along by this sort of thing. What harm could be there be in mailing out 20 copies of a harmless chain letter? Could it be any worse than entering those countless sweepstakes entries that seem to pop up in my mail box several times a month?

Probably not.

Of course, when I enter a sweepstakes, I know there's a one in a million chance of winning something. The odds of winning are printed on the contest form. And, even though the odds are against me, Iusually enter anyway, hoping that I might be the lucky one this time. I'm only out the cost of a postage stamp because I don't order whatever merchandise the sweepstakes contest is advertising.

But, with chain letters, odds are I'll never gain riches or luck - good or bad. I'll be out the cost of the postage, the copying of the letters and whatever money is requested.

So, it's without hesitation that I'm breaking the chain and throwing away the letter.

Um'm, now what did I do with my lucky rabbit foot?

*Ray Mayo is editor of the Record*

# Community Calendar

## This Week

**MONDAY**

1 p.m.—Regular meeting of Mitchell County Commissioners Court.
5 p.m. - TOPS TX 691 meets each Monday at the Housing Authority at Fifth and Oak streets.
5:05 p.m.—Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting, Board Room.
7:00 p.m.—Duplicate Bridge Club, Bridge Center, 260 Walnut.
8-10:30 p.m.—Senior Citizen dance, Boy's Club, 3rd and Chestnut.
6:30 p.m.—Sundown Lions Club, MacMichaels Restaurant.

**TUESDAY**

12 Noon—Kiwanis Club Meeting, Civic Center
6 p.m.—Mitchell County Hospital Board meeting.

**WEDNESDAY**

10:00-10:30 p.m.—Story time for preschoolers at Mitchell County Library.

**THURSDAY**

1:30 p.m.—Duplicate Bridge Club, Bridge Center, 260 Walnut.
Residential Christmas Lighting Contest, sponsored by Chamber of Commerce. Entry deadline Wednesday, Dec. 16.

**FRIDAY**

12 Noon—Noon Lions Club regular meeting, Civic Center.
Deadline for toy donations to Opti-Ms. Club toy drive. Call 728-8393.

**SATURDAY**

10 a.m.-12 noon—Colorado City Post Office open.
9 a.m.-11 a.m.—Loraine Post Office open.
1:30 p.m.—Westbrook Fire Department to escort Santa Claus through town.

**December 24**

8 a.m.-12 noon—Refreshments served to patronsat Colorado City Post Office.
Christmas Wagon Train and Trail Drive to arrive in Colorado City, enroute from El Paso to Abilene.

**January 4, 1988**

Political candidate filing deadline.

**March 8, 1988**

Political party Primary Election.
(Please submit your event schedule for this Calendar by noon each Friday.)

## Art Lawler

It was early in the first year of our marriage. My wife, who weighs roughly half of what I weigh, had been shoved to the edge of the bed.

The prospect of spending the rest of her married life trying to sleep in that position, didn't set well. She realized, too, for her own safety, she must exercise one of several options:

She could demand separate bedrooms, and then put a double-bolt lock on her bedroom door.

She could insist on twin-beds, placing a steel wall between the two of us.

She could go to the gym, take steroids, double her weight and grow a beard.

She could buy firearms and use them.

She could grow hair.

It shouldn't be hard to figure out why she passed on the first four options and exercised the fifth.

A double-bolt lock is worthless as long as there are sledge hammers. Women don't look good in beards and you can call me a sexist pig, if you like.

No couple since Ozzie and Harriet, who had three children by divine intervention, has really taken the idea of twin beds seriously. As for using firearms, you can go to jail for murder - even if it's only a husband.

Hair growing is a different matter altogether. A woman of only five feet in physical height, can grow hair five feet in both directions and another five feet north of her.

Long hair is the great equalizer - provided you're not a woman who tends toward baldness.

Long hair can be braided and flipped at a husband who would invade a wife's bed space, for example. My own wife has proven more than once her willingness to flip first and ask questions later and I've got the scars to prove it.

"I've seen less hair on a horse's tail," I told her once. "I believe you," she said. "You're living proof of it."

Having been relegated to the far end of the bed, and hoping you won't sway and fall to the floor should you, heaven forbid, relax, you are nonetheless content in the knowledge that it is impossible to pull your wife's hair accidentally from that distance.

This, of course, is a foolish notion. My wife's hair waits until we're both asleep, then quietly crawls over to my side of the bed. It then threads its way carefully between my arm pit and the rest of my body. It tickles my body, much as does a stinging scorpion, forcing it to flinch ever so slightly.

The flinching causes a pull of the wife's hair, followed by a blood-curdling scream, followed by a wife taking a pillow and attempting to suffocate her beloved.

The husband gives up and sleeps on the floor.

The wife, a perfect five-foot circle now, sleeps comfortably and alone in her king-sized bed.

I laugh bitterly when I think of the fairy-tale story of Rapunzel, who was imprisoned and escaped by letting her hair grow long enough for her guy friend to climb her braided hair all the way to the tower window. Anybody who pulled on a woman's hair that hard would be instantly hair-whipped to death - rescue or no rescue.

No question, long hair has been a symbol of feminity for centuries and remains so, even among some feminists. Men married to short-haired wives may even possibly fantasize in a creative manner about spending exotic evenings with such women.

What happens in fantasy, unfortunately, rarely happens in the real world, though there is one oft-repeated four-letter word which is uttered with distinct passion in the direction of the long-haired woman's mate.

That word is, "ouch."

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# Remember when...

**ONE YEAR AGO**
**December 14, 1986**

A standing-room crowd of 42 citizens jammed into the small board room and outside hallway of Colorado Independent School District Monday night to air complaints about school discipline policies.

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United Christian Youth of the First Christian Church won first place for organizations and Cooper's Saddle Shop first in the commercial division of the annual Christmas parade.

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Donna K. Graham has been sworn in as the new postmaster at Westbrook and Donna Kruse of Ira as postmaster at Dunn.

**FIVE YEARS AGO**
**December 16, 1977**

Homes included in the Christmas Tour of Homes are those of A. W. Rowe, Robert Hoback, J. O. Dockrey and H. J. Steakley.

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Numerous local groups, citizens and school children have decorated the Kiwanis Park and Gazebo to make it one of the top Christmas decoration attractions in Colorado City.

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Mrs. Pauline Griffin has been installed as chairman of the Mitchell County Extension Homemakers.

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Walter Mitchell, Street and Sanitation Department foreman was named Employee of the Year, at the City's annual Christmas Party at the Civic Center.

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Brian Bassham was named "Fireman of the Year" at the Colorado City Volunteer Fire Departments annual Christmas party.

**TEN YEARS AGO**
**December 15, 1967**

Mitchell County bale count is presently at 65,000 at local gins with another 11,300 bales expected.

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A grass fire at Iatan interrupted the Firemen's Banquet Friday night. When the party resumed, Jack Green was honored as Fireman of the Year.

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B&PW Club took top honors with the first place float in the Christmas Parade.

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Colorado City Playhouse is featuring the production "Godspell" with cast members Dennis McMeamy, Bill Martin, Luter Williams, Ivy Johnson, Pam Steakley, Malenda Cook, Majorie Maddox, Mary Ann Sanderson, Kirk Williams and Cindy Holdridge.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO**
**December 14, 1967**

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Prescott, 2044 Chesnut was heavily damaged by fire.

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Local game wardens searching for hunting violations intercepted a car loaded with 62 cases of bootleg beer, whisky and wine, purchased in San Angelo and headed for Sweetwater which recently voted "dry".

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Elected to the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors are J. C. Britton, Western Auto Store; John T. Merritt, Pond and Merritt Cleaners; Joe Morren, CPA; and Don Benson, manager of Texas Electric. Holdover directors are A. C. Benson, Mrs. Edwin B. Carlock, Eddie Piland, Jimmy Harrison, Dr. Elton Berkman, James Kelley and Trevlyn Kelley.

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Mrs. Dee Bynum is retiring after 14 years as Supervisor of dining facilities at the Civic House. Replacing her will be Mrs. Burl Cox.

**THIRTY YEARS AGO**
**December 12, 1957**

Two Webb Air Force base pilots were killed when their T-33 jet trainer crashed and burned near the auxiliary air strip, 5 miles northwest of Colorado City.

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Bob McMillian has been hired as Jr. Hi. social studies teacher; and two teachers resigning are Mrs. Bill Quimby and Mrs. Benton Cain.

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Miss Betty Sweet of Blackwell was chosen Sweetheart of Lone Wolf FFA District. Miss Sarah Pratt of Loraine was runner up from 15 contestants.

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New directors elected to the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors are James Boyd, Max Caddell, Paul Hunter and H. E. Maniss.

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The schedule for Coach Bob Reily's Class 3A Wolves football team next season will include San Angelo, Ballinger, Monahans, Kermit, Winters and Andrews, with district games with Snyder, Lake View, Lamesa and Sweetwater.

**FORTY YEARS AGO**
**December 12, 1947**

The new fire truck which cost $7,500, has been put into service, Fire Chief Leonard Henderson has reported.

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A new Mod O'Day dress shop will be opened in Colorado City next week in the Jordan Building on Second Street with Mrs. Ora Denning as manager.


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# Letter to the editor...

## Thanks

TO THE EDITOR:

We want to thank each and every one who donated to our poppy program this year. It was a good year for us and the money can only be used to help any veteran or their families who are in need.

We especially want to thank Mrs. Sarah Ortiz and her Girl Scout Troops 250 and 240 for their help. These youngsters had the energy to get the poppy sales done promptly.

Nellie Bunch
Ladies VFW Post 9178



## CONSUMER ALERT

by
**Jim Mattox**
Attorney General

### Ads Deceive holiday shoppers

This is the season for Christmas shopping and TV advertising for mail order goods. There are certain federal laws that will protect you as a mail order shopper, but the telephone shopper has no such protection.

The so-called "Mail Order Rule," which requires the company to ship you items within the advertised time period does not apply to telephone order. So you could order a Christmas gift but receive it in February—and still owe the company for the order.

If you actually order BY MAIL, the company must ship your order within the promised time period (or 30 days, if no time is stated). If unable to ship, the company must notify you of a delay and give you the option of cancelling.

- If you order by phone, you should make a note of the date you ordered, the name, address and phone number of the company, and a detailed description of your order. If you order by mail you should make a copy of your order.
- If the merchandise you receive by mail or phone order is substantially different from what you ordered, you have a right to cancel your contract and get your money back.
- If you receive something in the mail that you didn't order, consider it a gift.

If you need help or information on consumer problems, contact your nearest Attorney General Consumer Protection Office.

## Meet your new neighbors ...

New residents of Colorado City, according to new water connection applications at City Hall the past week, include:

Carol Barrera, 701 Concho.

Arvelia W. White, northwest of city.

Norma Eliza Quinonez, 745 Cypress.

Mike Ballard, 220 East 10th.

Buddy Miller, 2205 Hemphill.

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# School News

## 'Whose Life Is It Anyway' set Friday, Saturday

Colorado High School's fall production is putting on its finishing touches and will be ready for performances on Friday and Saturday of this week. Curtain time will be at 8 p.m. each night.

"This year's play is a social drama centered around the very controversial question of the right to die," said Carl Moore, CHS speech and drama teacher and director of the play.

The story focuses on a bright, young sculptor, Ken Harrison, who has suffered incredible trauma from an automobile accident. When he discovers the extent of his injuries and the permanence of his disabilities (he is totally paralyzed below the neck), he decides that life, as he chooses to define it, is over. He wants to be discharged so that he may die. His doctor, Michael Emerson, staunchly believes that any life is worth saving, and at any cost. Harrison's attending physician, Clare Scott, is caught within the struggle between her patient and her superior.

*Whose Life Is It Anyway?* by Brian Clark has had two successful runs. Tom Conti played the role of Harrison both in London and on Broadway. After seeing his performance, Mary Tyler Moore requested the author to write a version with a female as Harrison. He did and Miss Moore starred on Broadway in that production. A film of the play was made starring Richard Dreyfuss as the patient.

"Though the play has a very serious theme," said Moore, "Mr. Clark has created a sharp and witty character in Harrison. His focus is on the social question created by Ken Harrison's situation and not on whether we feel terrible about his dilemma. There is much humor in the play for us to enjoy while we are asked to reconsider the controversy of quality of life versus quantity of life; and more importantly, whose choice should be predominant."

Moore noted that he has a very strong cast comprised of members of the Speech and Drama Club. Ken Harrison, the patient, will be played by Bhavesh Patel, Dr. Michael Emerson will be played by Dwight Upton and Dr. Clare Scott will be played by Sandi Smith. Other members of the cast are Tamara Powell as Nurse Anderson, Tammy Loving as Kay Sadler, Clay Yancey as John, the orderly, Mandi Farris as Mrs. Boyle, the social worker, Carla Hammond as Patricia Hill, Ken's lawyer, Ricky Mendoza as Peter Kershaw, Hill's law partner, Coley Ramage as Dr. Paul Travers, a psychiatrist, Wesley Brown as Dr. Barr, another psychiatrist, James Maberry as Andrew Eden, the hospital's lawyer, Crystal Lane as Judge Millhouse and Candy Hudson and Kerre Hulme as the nurses.

Admission will be $3 for adults and $2 for students and children.

## Book fair underway at CMS

The Colorado Middle School library is conducting a book fair through Thursday, Debbie Denson, librarian, said.

Mrs. Denson said books, bookmarkers, bookcovers and a variety of other items which will make ideal Christmas gifts are on sale to students and the public. Items, are priced from 25 cents up.

Parents wishing to view the books may do so during regular school hours anytime through Thursday.

Mrs. Denson said profits from the book fair will be in the form of paperback books for the library.

Sunshine Book Company is conducting the fair.

## School Menus

**Colorado City Schools**

**Breakfast**

Monday, Dec. 14 - Cereal, juice

Tuesday, Dec. 15 - Cinnamon rolls, applesauce

Wednesday, Dec. 16 - Biscuits, sausage, juice

Thursday, Dec. 17 - Donuts, fruit

Friday, Dec. 18 - Cereal, juice

**Lunch**

Monday, Dec. 14 - Hot dogs with chili, potato salad, lettuce wedge, brownie

Tuesday, Dec. 15 - Meat loaf, tomato sauce, buttered corn, spinach, scones and honey

Wednesday, Dec. 16 - Beef stew, vegetables, stuffed celery, cornbread squares, rice krispie bar

Thursday, Dec. 17 - Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, tomato, pickles, onion, orange slice

Friday, Dec. 18 - Turkey and gravy, cornbread dressing, fruit salad, sliced bread, pumpkin pie, whipped topping

**Westbrook Schools**

**Breakfast**

Monday, Dec. 14 - Cereal, juice, milk

Tuesday, Dec. 15 - Biscuits, butter, bacon, juice, milk

Wednesday, Dec., 16 - Donuts, juice, milk

Thursday, Dec. 17 - Oatmeal, toast, jelly, juice, milk

Friday, Dec. 18 - Cereal, juice, milk

**Lunch**

Monday, Dec. 14 - Hamburger steak, gravy, potatoes, English peas, biscuits, butter, syrup, honey, milk

Tuesday, Dec. 15 - Spaghetti with meat sauce, fried okra, spinach, garlic bread, mixed fruit, milk

Wednesday, Dec. 16 - Pizza, buttered corn, tossed salad, peaches, milk

Thursday, Dec. 17 - Chalupas, taco sauce, new potatoes, carrot and celery sticks, ginger bread with whipped topping, milk

Friday, Dec. 18 - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, French fries, strawberry icies, milk

**Loraine Schools**

**Breakfast**

Monday, Dec. 14 - Cereal, juice, milk

Tuesday, Dec. 15 - Honey buns, fruit, milk

Wednesday, Dec. 16 - Cheese toast, fruit, milk

Thursday, Dec. 17 - Oatmeal, toast, juice, milk

Friday, Dec. 18 - Cereal, juice, milk

**Lunch**

Monday, Dec. 14 - Pizza, corn, buttered potatoes, milk and fruit delight

Tuesday, Dec. 15 - Chicken patties with gravy, English peas, buttered rice, milk, butter, hot rolls and syrup

Wednesday, Dec. 16 - Beans and hamburger meat, fried okra, spinach, onions, milk and butter, cornbread and cookies

Thursday Dec. 17 - Hamburgers, catsup, French fries, onions, pickles, lettuce, tomatoes, milk, strawberry shortcake

Friday, Dec. 18 - Sausage on a stick, gravy, mashed potatoes, pork and beans, carrot sticks, bread, milk and white cake.

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## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

### *Colorado City*

MONDAY

National Honor Society Induction, 7 p.m. HS Auditorium.
9th Grade Boys and Girls vs Cooper Red Team, there, 6 and 7 p.m.

TUESDAY

Basketball, Boys Varsity and JV teams at Sands, 6 and 8 p.m.; Girls JV and Varsity play Coahoma,there, 6:30 and 8 p.m.
Senior rings to be delivered, 11:45 p.m. Payment needed.

WEDNESDAY

Faculty Christmas Party, HS Cafeteria.
FHA Christmas Party, 7:45 a.m. in Homemaking Lab.

THURSDAY

Boys and Girls Varsity team in Roscoe tournament, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Carl Moore's Play, Friday and Saturday night in HS Auditorium.

### *Loraine*

MONDAY

6 p.m. Jr. High plays Ira, here.
7 p.m. School Board Meeting.

TUESDAY

5 p.m. JV and Varsity Boys and Girls at Robert Lee.

WEDNESDAY

11 a.m. PSAT and TEAMS results for Juniors.
2:09 p.m. Classes dismiss early for faculty meeting.
Curriculum guidance for Teachers by Vicki Adkins, REgion IV Center.

THURSDAY

7:30 p.m. Band Christmas Concert.
Borden County Basketball tournament, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

FRIDAY

7 p.m. Faculty Christmas Party, Holiday Inn, Sweetwater.

### *Westbrook*

MONDAY

Junior High Basketball games vs Hermleigh, here, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY

High School games vs Garden City, there, JV boys, 5 p.m., Varsity girls, 6:30 p.m., Varsity boys, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

High School team in Borden County Tournament, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. First round: Girls vs Borden County, 5:30 p.m., Boys vs Borden County, 7 p.m.

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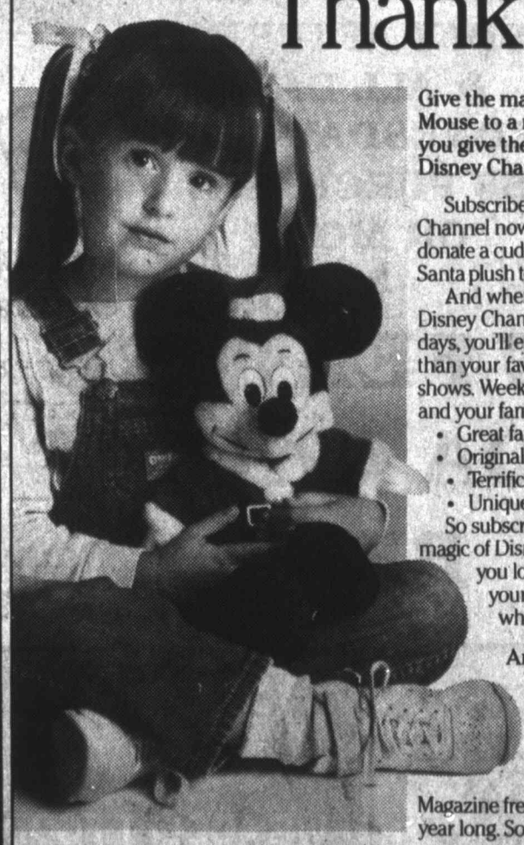
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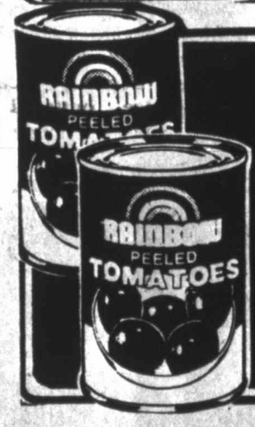

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# Obituaries

## Andrews

Myrtle Andrews, 96, of Azle died Dec. 8 at Azle Manor Nursing Home in Azle.

Funeral services were Friday, Dec. 11, at 2 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Colorado City with Rev. Julius Early, pastor, and Rev. H.D. Walker of Abilene officiating. Burial was in Colorado City Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mrs. Andrews was born April 1, 1891 in Hope, Ark. She had been a resident of Azle for two years. She had lived in Colorado City 30 years and was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Colorado City. She was married to Frank Andrews May 17, 1911 in Okemah, Okla. He preceded her in death Dec. 22, 1949.

Survivors include five daughters, Lorena Jackson of Azle, Helen Crenshaw of Washington state, Florice Matthews of San Angelo, Ruth Walker of Abilene and Mary Robertson of Graham; three sons, M.L. Andrews of Andrews, Hoyt Andrews of Lovington, N.M., and Fred Andrews of Midland; a sister, Florence Rackley of Modesto, Calif.; a brother, Roy Niemeyer of Modesto, Calif.; 21 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers.

## Enis

Funeral services for R.C. (Carl) Enis, 84, of Midland were Thursday at 1 p.m. in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland.

He died in Lubbock Methodist Hospital Monday afternoon.

Born Jan. 29, 1903 in Claiborne Parish, La., he moved to Eldorado, Ark. at an early age. While living in Arkansas, he began working in oil fields as a roughneck and driller. In 1946 he moved to Odessa. In 1948 he joined Perforating Guns-Atlas Corp. which later became Dresser Atlas. He served as district manager from 1951-57 and in the Laurel, Miss. office from 1957-58. At that time he was transferred to the Houston office and retired in 1969. He moved to Midland in 1978 to be near his children. He was a member of the Christian Church in Midland.

Survivors include his wife Virginia of Midland; a son, Bill Enis of Midland; two daughters, Mrs. Artie Crabtree of Colorado City and Mrs. Jo Holler of Seminole; a sister, Rubye Pollard of Cooper; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

## Laster

O.N. Laster Jr., 77, of Hermleigh died Friday, Dec. 11, at Mitchell County Hospital.

Funeral services were Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Aaron Oden, pastor of Dunn Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Dunn Cemetery.

Mr. Laster was born Oct. 24, 1910 in Eastland County. He was a retired farmer and ginner. He was a member of Dunn Baptist Church and Dunn Masonic Lodge. He married Vernice Hirston Jan. 25, 1936 in Coahoma.

Survivors include his wife, Vernice of Hermleigh; two daughters, Gerry L. Ray of Midland and Helen Stubblefield of Odessa; two brothers, C.E. Laster of Dunn and Ben Laster of Snyder; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Nephews were pallbearers.

# WALLACE CALENDAR

**MONDAY, DEC. 14**

After-school Program, Kelley School ..... 2:20-5 p.m.
Weight Watchers ..... 6 p.m.
Body Control Class, Adm. Gym ..... 6-8 p.m.

**TUESDAY, DEC. 15**

Over-50 Exercise ..... 11-11:30 a.m.
Noon Meal, Senior Citizens ..... noon
Table games preceding and following noon meal
Joe Training Representative ..... 1:30 p.m.
After-school Program, Kelley School ..... 2:30-5 p.m.
Body Control Classes ..... 6-8 p.m.
Cub Scouts, Burson and Costabile ..... 6-7:30 p.m.
Defensive Driving Class ..... 6-10 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16**

Adult Education Classes, all levels ..... 9 a.m.-noon
Duplicate Bridge ..... 1:30 p.m.
After-school Program ..... 2:30-5 p.m.

**THURSDAY, DEC 17**

Guy Hackleman Hearing Tests ..... 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Adult Education, All Levels ..... 9 a.m.-noon
Over-50 Exercise ..... 11-11:30 a.m.
Christmas Meal, Senior Citizens ..... 11:45 a.m.
Children's Handbell Choir,
First United Methodist Church
Table games following noon meal
After-school Program ..... 2:30-5 p.m.
Body Control Classes ..... 6-8 p.m.
Adult Education, GED, Reily & Conner ..... 6-10 p.m.
Defensive Driving Class ..... 6-10 p.m.

**FRIDAY, DEC. 18**

After-school Program ..... 2:30-5 p.m.
Senior Citizens Game Night ..... 6 p.m.

Medicade Transportation available 8-4 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

New Classes and Activities: Gymnastics classes will start Jan. 9. All participants must register at Wallace Community Education office before classes begin.

# Woods hosts lake club

The "C" City Lake Extension Homemakers Club met Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 11 a.m. at the home of Billie Woods for a Christmas luncheon.

Members were given their Christmas gifts and secret pals were revealed. Bea Harlow led the prayer before the meal was served.

After lunch a short business meeting was held. Billie Woods led the club prayer. Inez Richardson gave report on the last meeting. Marie Harlow gave the treasurer's report. After gifts were exchanged, members took gifts to the nursing home.

Roll call was answered with "how to give Christmas" by Bobbie Norman, Dorothy Sneed, Lily Farrar, Belle Snider, Vada Carlile, Billie Woods, Helen Oglesby, Opal Long, Anne Myers, Bea Harlow, Rosa Barron, Marie Harlow, Esther Driver, Inez Richardson and special guests Libbi Garnett, extension agent, and Lily Farrar's mother, Lily Banks from England.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Jan. 12, at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Billie Woods.

# Hutchinson Super Stars named

The Hutchinson Super Stars for the second six weeks has been named, said Susan Anderson, physical education teacher.

She said that during the six weeks, PE classes began football skills, and in gymnastics, the students are perfecting frog stands, head stands and cartwheels.

The Super Stars include:

Third Grade - Tony Sherwood and Sarah Silva, room 14; Mondo Garcia and Shannon Smith, room 15; Lance Dockrey and Brandi Arnett, room 16; Robert Garcia and Velma Moreno, room 17; Brad Anderson, Monty Clark and Jaime Rayburn, room 18; and Michael Phariss and Miranda Sadler, room 19.

Fourth grade - Michael Hoyle and Sonia Garrett, room 1; Dusty Robinson and Alyssa Findley, room 2; Josh Holstein and LaFrench Hill, room 3; Eloy Salazar and Esmeralda Prado, room 4; Brian Rivera and Shannon Barton, room 5; and Stephen Payne and Lindsay Cathey, room 6.

Fifth grade - Phillip Garcia and Linda Limones, room 8; Julian Reyes and Melissa Williams, room 9; Rusty Blair and Shauna Wolford, room 10; Brad Hartman and Shea Ortiz, room 11; Shane Kelly and Kam Ramage, room 12; and Tyrone Ridge and Lori [illegible]

# Loraine school board to meet

The board of directors of the Loraine Independent School District will meet in regular session Monday, Dec. 14, at 7 p.m. in the board room.

Items on the agenda include:

- Principal's report
- Approval of 1986-87 audit
- Resignation of teacher
- Employ teacher for second semester
- Approval of annual performance report
- Consideration of increasing driver education fees
- Executiive session to consider superintendent's contract
- Take action on superintendent's contract


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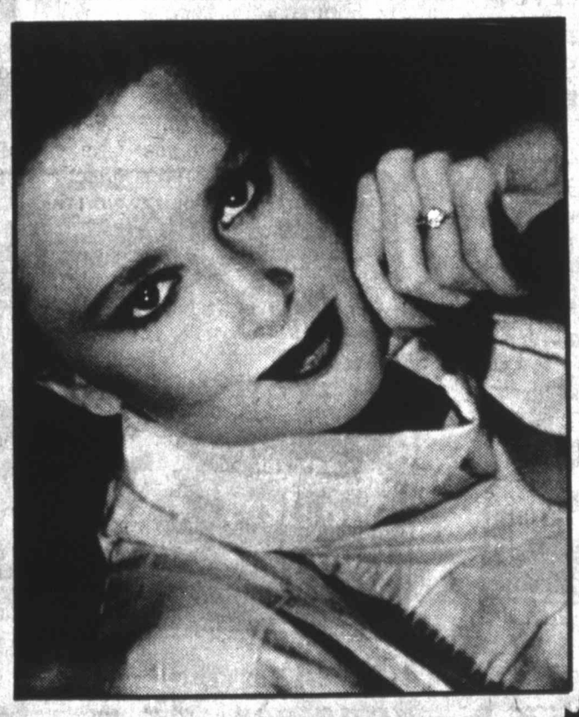
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# Local News





**PIANO RECITAL - Bethel Studio of Music of Snyder, under the direction of Mrs. Lynn Bethel presented "Christmas Memories" Saturday, Dec. 5, at 7:30 p.m. at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Each pupil told their own stories of what Christmas means to them and one funny or unusual thing that happened in their family while three sets of slides picturing them from infancy to the present were shown. Each played Christmas songs as pictures and narration were being shown. Immediately following was a reception for 300 pupils and guests. In the top picture are Colorado City students Lauren Perkins, second row, far right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins. In the bottom row are Colorado City students Carrie Perkins, bottom row, second from left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins; Nicki Riggs, bottom row, far right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Riggs; Cole Latimer, second row, eighth from right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Latimer; and Andrea Helm, back row, far left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Helm.**

## County Oil and Gas Report

A new production zone has been added at the No. 2 Kohler-Brennand, a developmental venture of Kohler Energy of Wichita Falls in Mitchell County's Westbrook Field. The well is located five miles west of Cuthbert in a lease in the H&TC Survey, Sec. 19, Blk. 26.

From an open-hole interval in the Ellenburger Formation at 8,195 to 8,205 feet, the well potentialed at 187 barrels of oil per day. It also made 150,000 CF casinghead gas and 159 barrels of water per day. Production tests were run on 12/64-in. choke.

The well also produces from perforations in the Pennsylvania Formation at 7,394 to 7,689 feet into the hole. This zone potentialed at 50 barrels of oil per day when completed in February of 1985 by the original operator, Sydson Doro Exploration. The well was originally bottomed at 8,100 feet. Kohler Energy deepened the hole to 8,205.

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Parker & Parsley Petroleum of Midland has revealed plans to drill an 8,300-foot developmental well in the Westbrook Field. The operator has 320 acres leased, with drillsite in Mitchell County's T&P Survey, Sec. 7, Blk 28. The well has been designated as the No. 1 Brennand. Drillsite is five miles northwest of Westbrook.

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Dr. R. B. Wilchar of Fort Worth is planning to conduct a re-entry operation at the No. 2 Brennand "A", a wildcat well in Mitchell County. The operator originally completed the well as a dry hole earlier this year.

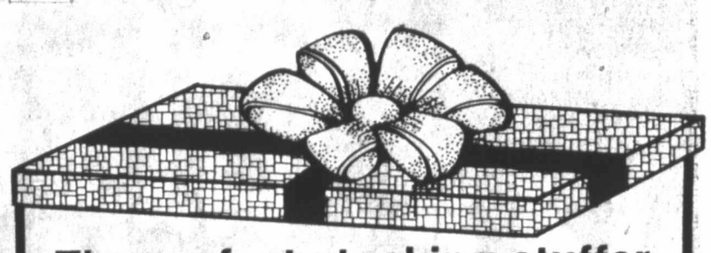
The well is located in a 479-acre lease in the H&TC Survey, Sec. 20, Blk. 26. Location is four miles southwest of Cuthbert. Dr. Wilchar plans to seek production in the Ellenburger Formation at approximately 8,236. feet.

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The same operator is reported to be drilling below the 5,500-foot mark at the No. 3 Brennand, located in Mitchell County's Coleman Ranch Field. The well was spudded Oct. 21, and carries permit for 8,500-foot TD.

Drillsite is four miles west-southwest of Cuthbert in a 320-acre lease in the H&TC Survey, Sec. 20, Blk. 26.

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## Defensive driving course scheduled

A defensive driving course has been scheduled for Dec. 15 and 17 at the Wallace Center in Colorado City, sponsored through Western Texas College in Snyder. The classroom sessions offer pointers in preventing accidents in spite of the incorrect actions of others and adverse driving conditions.

The course will have two sessions on Tuesday and Thursday nights from 6-10 p.m. Films and other visual aids will be used to demonstrate how to improve driving skills.

Persons completing the course will be eligible for a reduction in insurance premium rates, also for possible ticket removal. The fee for persons 65 and over is $17. Others pay a fee of $25.

Register at the Wallace Center or WTC by Dec. 14.

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# Sports



JUNIOR VARSITY WOLVES for 1987-88 basketball are, left to right, Danny Luera, Ricky Westbrook, Dennis Smith, Mark Alvidrez, Bruce Williams, Heath Watlington, George Rivera, John Phariss, Tracy Ausbie, Tracy McElvaney and Ronald Appling.

## 'Ragin Tigers hoop Wolves

The class AAAA Snyder 'Ragin Tigers handed the Colorado City Wolves their second loss of the 1987-88 basketball season with an 86-53 blitz at the Scurry County Coliseum Tuesday.

Snyder led 25-8 after one period, 51-22 at halftime and 69-38 after three periods.

The AAA Wolves, 5-2, were led by Ken Woods' 11 points and Dane Hoover's 10.

Also scoring for the Wolves were Guy Compton 6, Ismael Silva 6, Steve Smith 5, Bubba Bailey 4, Chris Perkin 3, Mark Russell 2, Pat Ridge 2, Paul Ausbie 2 and Gary Jackson 2. Ausbie also had four rebounds.

The Wolves made 18 of 29 free throws for 62 percent and 15 of 58 field goal attempts for 25 percent shooting from the floor with 23 total rebounds and 20 turnovers.

Snyder took the junior varsity 68-33.

Scoring for Colorado City were Dennis Smith 3, George Rivera 8, Mark Alvidrez 4, Heath Watlington 8, Tracy Ausbie 4, John Phariss 4 and Danny Luera 2.

Clinkenbeard with 12 and Franklin with 16 led Snyder.

## Bearcats beat Lady Wolves 42-38

"We played well enough to win," said coach Wayne Alexander "but we just didn't do it."

Those were coach Alexander's thoughts on Colorado City's close 42-38 loss to Ballinger here Tuesday night that evened the Wolves at 1-1 in district 5AAA girls basketball.

Colorado City led 10-8 after one period, 22-21 at halftime and held a 31-28 lead after three periods.

The Lady Wolves took a 5 point lead in the fourth quarter but ended up with only 7 fourth period points.

"That three-point shot they hit(made a difference)," said Alexander. The Lady Wolves held a 5 point lead at the time but lost the momentum on Ballinger's 3-point shot. "Then we came back and took a bad shot," said Alexander. "It was a real bad shot that really hurt us but Ballinger played pretty good."

"It was a game I felt we should have won," said Alexander. "We're hurting with injuries. We're getting thin. If we had to play this weekend we'd be in trouble."

The Lady Wolves continue to make an improvement in their ball handling. The team had only 14 turnovers Tuesday. "We don't run a whole lot," said Alexander. "Our shooting has got to improve."

The Lady Wolves made 6 of 18 free throws for 33 percent and only 15 of 66 shot attempts for 22 percent. A very cold start in the second half kept the Lady Wolves from building a significant lead. "I'm not comfortable unless we have a 20 point lead," said Alexander.

Scoring for the Lady Wolves were Jennifer Monroe 13, Priscilla Mayes 10, Denise Lowrance 4, Cami Redwine 3, Sheila Monroe 3, Michelle Combs 2, Carla Hammond 2 and Brittany Bridgford 1.

Lowrance added 11 rebounds and 4 steals. Redwine had four steals and J. Monroe had 4 rebounds.

Vernay Kleypas led Ballinger with 15.

The Lady Wolves continue the district schedule at Coahoma Tuesday. "They're tough, quick and play good defense," said Alexander "but we'll give them a better game than we did in our scrimmage."

In other games Tuesday Ballinger won a 53-28 junior varsity game and the Wolves picked up their first freshmen win with a 42-25 victory.

Scoring for the JV girls were Mendy Conner 8, Kendra Ritchey 6, Lyna Yott 6, Patricia Molina 3, JoAnn Ornelas 2, Priscilla Rivera 2 and Melissa Rivera 1.

Ritchey and M. Rivera made 7 and 6 rebounds. Yott made 3 steals.

Scoring in the freshmen win were Bridgett Bridgford 16, Priscilla Rivera 7, Amber Mayfield 6, Bea Rivera 6, Dalia Franco 4 and Kerre Hulme 3. Bridgford added 10 steals and B. Rivera 9. Franco, Hulme, Mayfield and B. Rivera were the leading rebounders with 5, 5, 4 and 4, respectively.

### BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

**Monday, December 14**
**Colorado City**
9th boys vs Cooper, T, 7:30 PM
9th girls vs Cooper, T, 6 PM
8th boys vs Greenwood, H, 6 PM
8th girls vs Greenwood, H, 6 PM
7th boys vs Greenwood, H, 5 PM
7th girls vs Greenwood, H, 5 PM
**Westbrook**
Junior high boys, girls vs Hermleigh, H, 6 PM
**Tuesday, December 15**
**Colorado City**
Boys vs Sands, T, 8 PM
Girls vs Coahoma, T, 8 PM
JV boys vs Sands, T, 6 PM
JV girls vs Coahoma, T, 6:30 PM
**Westbrook**
Boys, girls, JV boys vs Garden City, T, 5 PM
**Loraine**
Boys, girls, JV girls vs Robert Lee, T, 5 PM

### BASKETBALL STANDINGS

**Through Thursday, December 10**
**Season, district records**
**Colorado City**

| | |
|---|---|
| Boys | 5-2 |
| Girls | 3-5, 1-1 |
| JV boys | 3-2 |
| JV girls | 1-4, 0-2 |
| 9th boys | 0-4 |
| 9th girls | 1-3, 1-0 |
| 8th boys | 2-4 |
| 8th girls | 4-3 |
| 7th boys | 2-4 |
| 7th girls | 3-4 |

**Loraine**

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|---|---|
| Boys | 1-6 |
| Girls | 0-7 |
| JV girls | 1-2 |
| Junior high boys | 2-1 |
| Junior high girls | 3-0 |

**Westbrook**

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|---|---|
| Boys | 4-5 |
| Girls | 1-8 |
| JV boys | 5-0 |
| Junior high boys | 4-2 |
| Junior high girls | 1-4 |

### BASKETBALL RESULTS

**Monday, December 7**
**Westbrook**
**Junior high**

| | |
|---|---|
| Ira | 42 |
| Boys | 28 |

Wildcats: Doug Koch 11.

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|---|---|
| Girls | 38 |
| Ira | 16 |

Wildcats: Angie Morris 24, Angie Martinez 4, Sheila Cates 4 and Deanna Graham 2.

**Tuesday, December 8**
**Westbrook**

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|---|---|
| Sterling City | 58 |
| Boys | 48 |

Wildcats: Clayton Cannon 14, Ramiro Fuentes 14, Scooter Hines 10, Marty Browne 3, Wayne Carter 1 and Neal Ginkinger 6.

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|---|---|
| JV boys | 46 |
| Sterling City | 35 |

Wildcats: David Botts 22.

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|---|---|
| Sterling City | 63 |
| Girls | 35 |

Wildcats: Katie Walls 9, Crystal Kelly 6, Glenda Wallace 5, Sherry Putman 5, Lisa Putman 4, Shanna Burnett 4 and Custodia Rincones 2.




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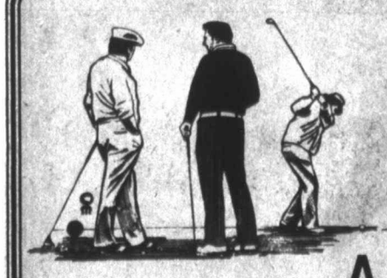
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## Bridge Results

**Thursday, Dec. 3**

1st - Jane Hinton and Sue Carter, Snyder

2nd - Warren Costin and Margaret Costin

3rd - Billiesue Stuard, Snyder, and Coleen Palmer

**Monday night, Dec. 7**
**Handicap Game**
**Raw Score Winners**

1st - Sassy Furlow and Coleen Palmer

2nd - George Stewart and Shirley Stewart, Snyder

3rd - Josie Ree Randle and Thelma McSpadden

4th-5th - Julian Jones, Snyder and Howard Hendrix; Polly Ballard and Bonnie Myers, Snyder

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**Monday**
Comprehensive (Health Cards).....8 a.m.-noon, 1-4 p.m.
Appointment needed

**Tuesday**
*WIC Card Issuance.....9 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
Appointment needed

**Wednesday**
*WIC Adds and Recerts.....8 a.m.-noon, 1-4 p.m.
Openings available, call for appointment

**Thursday**
Prental Medical.....10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Appointmend needed

**Friday**
Newborn WIC adds.....8 a.m.-noon

Fee may or may not be required based on sliding scale of household income.

* WIC Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children

# Humorist-preacher to speak at Oak Street Baptist Church

Christian comedian-musician Dan McBride of "Tiptoe Through the Tithers" fame will be at the Oak Street Baptist Church Sunday, Dec. 13, at 7 p.m.

"Dan McBride is a modern miracle of contemporary church humor. When we begin to take ourselves too seriously, he is a natural and salubrious antidote," W. A. Criswell, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Dallas says of the Jacksonville man.

McBride, a native of Dallas, began singing professionally during his teens, when for two years he appeared weekly on both television and radio. He is a graduate of Howard Payne University and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He and his wife, Barbara, are the parents of two sons, Michael and Nathan, and three daughters, Debbie, Becky and Susan.

McBride, referred to as the "Will Rogers of the religious world", is an ordained Baptist minister.

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# Story presides at meeting

The Ladies' VFW Post 9178 met last Thursday at 7 p.m. with President Bonnie Story presiding. Others present were Alene Hill, Audrey Wilson, Ada Johnson, Estella Rivera and Nellie Bunch.

Checks were sent to the VA Hospital for the birthday fund and coffee to be serve in the recreation room.

Ice cream was sent to the McDonald Home for the month and cake was sent for Thanksgiving. Ice cream has also been set for December and a cake bill be sent for the Christmas holidays. This is just one of the club's monthly projects.

Estella Rivera visited Kelley School recently during lunch to help monitor the small children during the education week observance.

Kay Craighead was winner of the turkey given by the Auxiliary Post during the Thanksgiving holidays.

A brunch will be held in Abilene December 22, at 10 a.m. for the Rehabilitation Center, a local annual project. It is hoped a large group from the local post can attend.

The Auxiliary's membership dues for the district are being sent this month.

A Christmas party for the Disable American Veterans at the McDonald Home will be held December 19 at 4 p.m.

The VFW Post and Ladies Auxiliary will join with other groups in delivering food baskets for Christmas.

A scroll of the Constitution was presented to Colorado Middle School by Mrs. Riveria for the Auxiliary.

1988 Ladies Auxiliary dues need to be paid by December 31 to keep your insurance valid for the coming year.

Ann Ingram has been ill and is in an Odessa Hospital. She has been able to return home and we hope her a fash and complete recovery.

The Ladies Auxiliary send best wishes to everyone for the coming holidays.


**Attend the church of your choice!**

**Central Baptist Church**
Pastor - Jim Lively
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Evening Worship 7 p.m.

**St. Ann's Catholic Church**
2003 Walnut 728-3252
Sat. Evening 6:30 p.m.
Sun. Morn. Spanish 8 a.m.

**St. James Baptist Church**
5th & Austin Street
Robert Bracy - Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service & Bible Study 7 p.m.

**St. Luke Methodist Church**
1635 Walnut
Jack Abendschan
Sunday School 9:40 a.m.
10:50 Morning Worship
Evening Service 7 p.m.

**Mission Bautista Calvario**
Felix Silva - Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m.

**All Saints Episcopal Church**
Priest Frank Swindel - Vicar
Sun. Morn. Service 8:45 a.m.
Wednesday Service 12:10 p.m.
Wed. School 4 p.m. at Church
1st & 6th grade.

**Hickory Street Missionary Baptist**
2145 Hickory
Roscie Williams - Interim
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

**Payne Chapel C.M.E. Church**
700 E. Front Street
Rev. James R. Galbreath
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
C.Y.F. 5 p.m.

**Mt. Olive Baptist Church**
Principle & McKinney St.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.

**Christian Temple Church**
204 East 5th
728-2876
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Evening Meeting 7 p.m.

**First Assembly Of God**
Rev. Fred Johnson - Pastor
839 E. 17th 728-2187
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Ser. 10:55 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Night 7:30 p.m.

**First Christian Church**
4th & Elm
Rev. Jack Ward - Pastor
Sunday Bible School 10 a.m.
Worship w/communion 11 a.m.
Bible Study Wed. 7 p.m.

**Kingdom Hall Of Jehovahs Witness**
East 6th Street

**First Presbyterian Church**
5th & Chestnut
Roy Byrd - Minister
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

**Mt. Zion Baptist Church**
1402 College Street
Rev. E.H. Shelton - Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Meeting 7 p.m.

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Friday 7:30 p.m.
Sunday 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Rev. Guadalupe Salazar

**Primitive Baptist Church**
Pastor - Elder Edward Kirkpatrick
College & Terrell
Sun. Morn. Service 10 a.m.

**Dorn United Methodist Church**
Jack Abendschan
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 9:00 a.m.
Tues. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**Westbrook Baptist Church**
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

**Westbrook Methodist Church**
David Stevens - Pastor
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

**Loraine First Baptist Church**
Loraine, Texas 737-2206
Rick Alkire - Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Worship 7 p.m.

**First United Methodist Church**
Loraine 737-2903
David Stevens - Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.

**Crocket & Smiley Church Of Christ**
Loraine
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 8 p.m.

**Christian Fellowship**
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Jake Chaney 728-5871

**Emmanuel Baptist Mission**
4th & Pine
Andres Rodriguez
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Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
Training Union 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed.Worship 6:30 p.m.

**King Solomon Baptist Church**
Rev. H.H. Lee - Pastor
1st & Bolden Street
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

**Jesus Name Pentecostal Church**
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Rev. James Sander - Pastor
Morning Worship 10 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Tues. Youth Service 7 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**
3rd & Chestnut 728-3442
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sun. Morn. Wor. 10:55 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Fellowship Meal 6:30
2nd Teacher Meeting 7 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal 8 p.m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**
Travis Monday - Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sun. Morn. Wor. 10:55 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Ladies Bib. Study 9:30
Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

**First United Methodist Church**
333 Chestnut 728-5296
Rev. Julius Early - Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Bell Choir 6 p.m.
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Morn. Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Even. Meeting 7 p.m.

**Plainview Baptist Church**
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# From around the world, toasts to the holiday

Around the world, Christmas is celebrated joyously. Festivities are planned at which family and friends gather together to share the holiday spirit—and, often, to raise a toast to each other, as they have for centuries past.

The spirits of Christmas—those festive beverages which are served traditionally during the holiday season—are many and varied. Some are mulled and spiced, to entrance the palate and warm cold bodies.

Eggnog, which can be served either hot or chilled, is perhaps the most famous of all Christmas drinks. It is a descendant of the old English Sack Posset.

Fragrant with grated nutmeg, it is a sweetened mixture of sherry (once known as "sack") with milk or cream, which has been further enriched by the addition of eggs.

Wassail, another perennial British favorite, was served warm to carolers (singing, it is to be presumed, "Here we come a wassailing"), who roamed from house to house (often quite long distances in the age of isolated manors and farmhouses), in anticipation of being greeted with brimming Wassail cups.

The classic beverage for drinking toasts with, Wassail literally means "be well" or "be whole."

Often, toasted bread was put on top of the Wassail as a floating garnish (perhaps where the other meaning of the word "toast" originated?).

With toast on top, the spirited beverage which resulted was nicknamed Lamb's Wool, because of its appearance.

Among the other ingredients of both traditional Wassail and Lamb's Wool are ale, sugar, cinnamon and roasted apples, though additional spices were often used.

Athole Brose hails from Scotland. A concoction of Scotch whiskey, honey, cream and oatmeal water, it is customarily served to toast in the New Year, known to the Scots as "Hogmanay."

Mexican *Atole*, a distant relative of Athole Brose, substitutes cornmeal for the oatmeal—and eschews alcohol in favor of the tantalizing flavors of cinnamon and chocolate, especially seductive in combination.

*Atole* is served in Mexico throughout the holiday season, and is a standard accompaniment to King's Cake, the centerpiece of the Epiphany table.

*Glögg*, a Swedish treat, stands out for a special reason—in many recipes for it, the liqueur which is added (traditionally though not exclusively aquavit) is often ignited before serving, usually as part of a New Year's festivity, typical not only of Sweden, but of Scandinavia as a whole, and Germany as well.

Below are recipes for some of these time-tested Christmas beverages. Try one or more—and continue a long-standing tradition, while establishing a new tradition of your own! Here's to you and yours!

The following two recipes, for Holiday Eggnog and Wassail, are reproduced from *John Clancy's Christmas Cookbook* (Hearst Books). From Mimi Sheraton's classic compendium of Yuletide recipes, *Visions of Sugarplums* (Harper & Row) come the recipes for Athole Brose and Mexican *Atole*. And, finally, from *Classic Scandinavian Cooking* (Charles Scribner's Sons) by Nika Hazelton, is culled the recipe for Swedish *Glögg*.

### HOLIDAY EGGNOG

**Yield: Approximately 2 quarts**

**8 egg whites**
**¼ cup sugar**
**8 egg yolks**
**3 cups heavy cream, chilled**
**4 teaspoons superfine sugar**
**2½ cups blended whiskey**
**8 ounces Jamaica rum**
**1½ cups cold milk**
**½ teaspoon freshly grated nutmeg**
**2 tablespoons grated lemon rind**
**2 tablespoons grated orange rind**

1. In a large bowl, beat the egg whites with a wire whisk or electric beater until frothy. Gradually add the ¼ cup sugar, and continue beating until the egg whites form soft peaks when the beater is lifted.

2. In another large bowl, beat the egg yolks until they run off the beater in thick ribbons. With a large rubber spatula, fold the egg whites and yolks together thoroughly.

3. Beat the heavy cream with the 4 teaspoons superfine sugar until the cream holds soft peaks.

4. Gently pour the egg mixture and cream into a large punch bowl or storage container. Slowly add the whiskey, rum, and milk, beating gently all the while.

5. Grate about ½ teaspoon of the nutmeg over the top of the eggnog, then sprinkle with the lemon and orange rind. Chill for at least 2 hours before serving.

### WASSAIL

**Yield: 8 to 10 servings**

**½ cup water**
**2 cups granulated sugar**
**1 teaspoon grated nutmeg**
**1 teaspoon ground ginger**
**Pinch ground mace**
**4 whole cloves**
**2 allspice berries, crushed**
**1 stick cinnamon**
**6 eggs, separated**
**1 bottle sherry**
**1 cup brandy**

1. In a medium-sized saucepan, combine the water and sugar and place over low heat until the sugar dissolves. Add the nutmeg, ginger, mace, cloves, allspice, and cinnamon. Bring the mixture to a boil and let it boil for 5 minutes. Remove from the heat and strain; discard the contents of the strainer.

2. Beat the egg whites until they hold soft peaks. Beat the egg yolks until they are a light lemon-yellow in color.

3. In a large saucepan, heat the sherry and brandy until very hot.

4. In a large bowl and using a rubber spatula, fold the egg whites and yolks together thoroughly. Then stir in the spiced syrup.

5. With a wire whisk, slowly beat in the hot sherry and brandy and serve immediately.

### ATHOLE BROSE OR HOGMANAY

**1 cup honey (preferably heather honey from Scotland)**
**1½ to 2 cups heavy sweet cream**
**2 cups Scotch whiskey**

Heat honey, and when it thins slightly, stir in cream. Heat together but do not boil. Remove from heat and slowly stir in whiskey. This may be served hot or thoroughly chilled. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

Variation: If you feel that you must try the oatmeal version, soak 1 cup oatmeal in 2 cups water overnight. Strain and mix liquid with other ingredients, to taste.

### MEXICAN ATOLE OR CHAMPURRADO

**½ cup masa flour (Mexican corn flour used for tamale dough and available packaged in Mexican neighborhoods and some supermarkets)**
**2 cups water**
**1 stick cinnamon**
**4 cups milk**
**2 cups brown sugar, firmly packed**
**3 ounces unsweetened chocolate**



**HEARTY ELIZABETHANS raise a toast to each other, as they enjoy that traditional English Christmas spirit, Wassail. Illustration courtesy: The New York Public Library Picture Collection.**

Stir masa into water, add cinnamon and cook over low heat, stirring frequently until thick. Add milk, sugar and chocolate and cook slowly, beating with a wire whisk until smooth and well blended. Bring to a boil once more and serve. To make a thicker, richer drink, beat 2 egg yolks with 3 tablespoons water and beat them into the hot chocolate just before serving. Heat, but do not boil after adding egg yolks.

Makes about 6 servings.

### SWEDISH GLOGG

**About 2 quarts**

**3 whole cardamom pods**
**8 whole cloves**
**1 cinnamon stick**
**One 4-inch strip of orange rind (yellow part only)**
**1½ cups water**
**¼ cup blanched almonds**
**½ cup golden raisins**
**1 bottle Bordeaux wine**
**1 bottle port wine**
**½ bottle Cognac**
**Sugar to taste**

Tie cardamom pods, cloves, cinnamon, and orange rind in a cheesecloth bag. Place in the water and bring to a boil. Simmer, covered, 10 minutes. Add almonds and raisins and simmer 10 minutes longer. Add Bordeaux wine, port wine, and Cognac and bring to a quick boil. Remove from heat immediately. Cool and store, covered, overnight. At serving time, remove spice bag. Heat *Glögg* but do not boil. Add sugar to taste. Serve in heated mugs or glasses, with a few almonds and raisins in each glass.

# New gymnastics class to start

A new class in gymnastics will be starting on Jan. 9 in the Hutchinson Elementary School physical education building with Kay Porter as certified instructor.

Classes will be held on Saturday mornings for children age three and over. Ages 3-5 will meet from 9:30-10:30 a.m.; ages 6-8 from 10:30-11:30 a.m.; and ages 8 and over from 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. There must be 25 enrolled to start the class.

Fee is $25 ($10 for each additional child) for four weeks. Students must register at Wallace Center.

Basic instruction in tumbling and floor exercises will be offered. Classes will advance to other instruction later in the year. This is an excellent class for cheerleaders and future cheerleaders.

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

Classes will be held on Jan. 9, 15, 16, and 22. Some of the sessions must be held on Fridays due to gymnastics meets held out of town.

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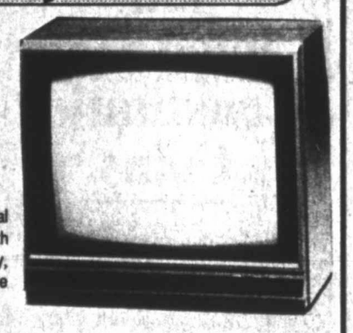
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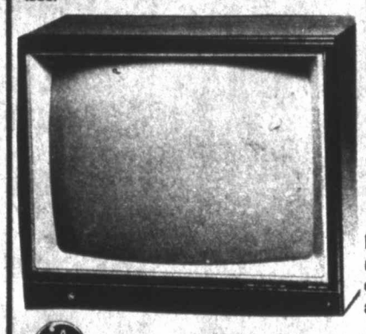
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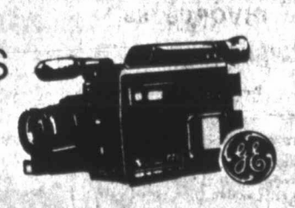


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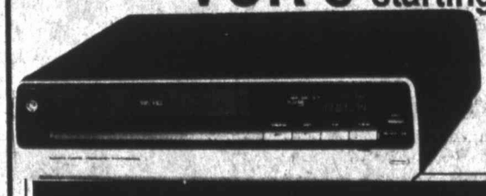


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## Loraine Senior Citizens

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 14**

All regular activities.
Bingo with Laura Lewis ..... 11:15 a.m.

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15**

Covered dish supper ..... 6 p.m.
The regular meeting for the Senior Citizens Inc., hosts and hostesses will be Winnie and Nuke Richburg and Bobby and Darlene Hamrick. There will be a special Christmas program.

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16**

All regular activities.
Movies ..... 11:15 a.m.

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18**

All regular activities.
Movies ..... 11:15 a.m.

## Loraine appoints department head

The Loraine City Council Thursday night, meeeting in regular session, appointed council member Stanley Moore to head the water and sewer department.

In other business, the council instructed city attorney Maxie Cain to make inquiries about possible group insurance for the city's four employees.

The council also agreed to rent the city-owned house at $150 a month with a $100 deposit and to install a new fire plug to replace one that is leaking. Estimated cost of the new plug is $515.

The council also agreed to employee D.C. Fowler beginning Feb. 1.Fowler holds a Class C Water and Sewer License from the state which is required by the state. Fowler will be paid $100 a month to assist the city in water and sewer problems.

The council agreed to close city Dec. 24-25 for Christmas and Dec. 31-Jan. 1 for New Year's.

# Dear Betty Crocker

**Q. What's the best way to store turkey and stuffing?**

A. First, be sure to store them separately. Divide turkey into serving-size packages and freeze what won't be used within three days. It will keep in the freezer up to a month. Stuffing can be stored in the refrigerator for one to two days and will keep in the freezer for three to four weeks.

**Q. What's the measure of one small onion, chopped?**

A. A small onion, chopped, will measure about ¼ cup; a medium onion will yield about ½ cup of chopped onion and a large onion will measure about 1 cup when chopped.

**Q. After the holidays, there is an assortment of breads left over. What are some delicious ways to use them?**

A. Slice into cubes and saute in herb butter for croutons. Layer cubes with cheese and milk for a baked strata. Stir cubes together (especially fruit and nut breads) with raisins, milk and eggs for bread pudding. Butter the slices and season with cinnamon-sugar or with garlic and bake them until golden brown for rusk. Or simply toast the bread, crumble and use as bread crumbs in your favorite recipes.

**Q. Why are nested measuring cups best for measuring flour?**

A. Flour is measured by dipping the cup and leveling with a straight-edge spatula. Nested measuring cups make this possible. Measuring cups for liquid have extra space between the measurement point and the top of the cup and it isn't possible to level the flour.

# Anderson to direct Christmas cantata

SWEETWATER - "Heaven Rejoices", a Christmas cantata, will be presented Sunday, Dec. 13, at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary of First Presbyterian Church, Sweetwater.

The combined choirs of First United Methodist Church, First Presbyterian Church, First Christian Church and Highland Heights United Methodist Church will sing of the birth of Jesus Christ.

Comprised of approximately 40 voices, with a narrator, pianist and organist, the choir will include soloists Jo McCoy, Millie Lawrence, Dan McCoy, Byron Putnam, Kathy Pogue, Paul Fritz, Lori McCoy and Lou Ann Pyburn. Organist will be Jeona Julian, organist for First Presbyterian Church. Martha Taylor, organist/pianist for First United Methodist Church, will be pianist.

Director for "Heaven Rejoices" is Leslie Anderson, youth, education and music director for First United Methodist Church, Sweetwater. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Anderson of Colorado City.

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