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Answerline

Q. What can you tell us about a scholarship fund being set up in memory of Dakota Dawson?

A. Plans are underway to create a Dakota Dawson Ag Scholarship Fund. Sandy Sheets is coordinating the event and an announcement will be made soon. City National Bank and First National Bank are accepting contributions to the fund.

Briefly

CHS Class of 1962

Colorado High School Class of 1962 will meet for a reunion at Wolf Creek Golf Links in Colorado City, July 27, 2002. Activities include golf, swimming, visiting and the evening meal. Anyone who knows of a class member who has not received an announcement is asked to call Jeneal Chambers at 728-5312. Help in getting correct addresses for all class members will be greatly appreciated.

Update on Israel Crisis

Mr. Yossi Kapach, founder/president of Amitai Heritage Foundation will be giving an update on the current crisis in Israel and the current projects of the Foundation Thursday, July 11 at 6:30 pm at the Colorado City Civic Center, 157 W. 2nd St. For more info call D'Dee Morris at 915-728-2169 or Ruth Cooper at 915-729-3584.

Country Gospel Group

Desert Reign, an award winning country gospel group from Morenci, AZ is coming to First Christian Church, corner of 4th & Elm, on Thursday, July 18 at 7 pm. This concert is free, with opportunity to contribute to a love offering for the musicians.

Car Wash & Bake Sale

The Loraine Varsity cheerleaders will be having a car wash and bake sale July 5, 2002 beginning at 8:30 am between Kelly's Deli and the Post Office in Loraine. Cars \$8, trucks \$10, donations will be accepted. All proceeds will help the cheerleaders go to camp.

CISD Tax/Business Office

Colorado ISD tax/business office will be open July 4th and closed July 5th.

First Baptist Services

First Baptist Church of Loraine July 7-11. Sunday service is regular time. Monday through Thursday will start at 6:30 pm. Call 737-2601 for information.

Vacation Bible School

Kids ages 3 through high school are invited to the Amazing Amazon at First Baptist Church, 3rd & Chestnut, Colorado City, Sunday, July 14 through Thursday, July 18, 6-8:30 pm.

Deaths

**Baucum, Black,
Dunahoo, Jones,
Moore, Myers**

Around Town

Happy birthday **Abigail Lloyd** (July 5)... **Bob Reilly** riding a scooter... Happy birthday **Nathan Slater** (July 3)... Happy birthday **Lana Perez** (July 5)... **Tony Turner** puts on his make-up to feel better... Did **Jeremy Strain** dye his hair blonde... Happy 40th birthday **Barbara Rivera** (July 10)... Happy 71st birthday **Lula Leach** (July 4)...

Lake Levels

Lake Colorado City..... 2059.93
Full at 2,070.30'
Down 10.37'

Lake Champlain..... 2032.71
Full at 2,083'
Down 50.29'

Levels courtesy of the United States Geological Service, as of 1 pm Tuesday, July 2, 2002

Colorado ISD tightening belt

Over \$1,000,000 being cut from annual budget

Faced with a declining enrollment and decreased state and federal funding, Colorado City School District will reduce its instructional staff by at least six for the 2002-03 school year, school board members were told at a special 7 p.m. Monday meeting.

"We're in a tight budget,

and we're overstaffed," said Supt. Jim White, adding that a similar reduction will need to be made next year.

With retiring and resigning staff members who won't be replaced, he said, CISD will trim by a coach and teacher at the high school, two teachers at Hutchinson Elementary School

and a teacher and an aide at Kelley Elementary.

Those include athletic trainer Sherrie Miller, who has joined Angelo State University, and TAAS coordinator-mathematics teacher Marcy Claxton, who is moving to Waco.

Middle School Assistant Principal Denise Farmer will

assume Ms. Claxton's testing responsibilities, Supt. White said.

He said the budgetary problem developed because the district's full time equivalent (FTE) staff increased while average daily attendance fell to 967 at the end of the past school year.

The district projects next year's ADA at 933.

Business Manager Geneva Ratliff took a full hour to go through the first draft of the new budget, which must be adopted in August.

Detailing \$1,031,549 in reductions, with cuts in virtually

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July 4th fun!!

Ruddick Park Fireworks

On a new mobile stage built by manager Shady Mitchell, the Colorado City Opry Stage Band and guests will perform for about three hours prior to the annual Fourth of July Fireworks Show in Ruddick Park Wednesday night, July 3.

The music begins at 6:30 p.m. at the outdoor basketball court on the southeast side of the park and continues till about 9:30, just before the fireworks start.

Mitchell said everyone who has sung at the Opry since the first show in January is invited to perform.

Band members are guitarist Henry Mitchell, bassist Tony Adams, fiddler Brian Fowler, drummer Linda Mathis, harmony singers Jeff Woodell and Kelly Bruce and Mitchell and his wife Debbie on steel guitar and piano.

Mitchell bought a trailer at the March Loraine Farm Equipment Sale and, with Cecil Long, spent 250 hours making it into an outdoor stage with a no-slip surface and an awning.

"We'll play till the fireworks start," he said.

Mitchell said people are welcome either to dance or bring lawn chairs and listen.

Swimmers will be admitted free at the city pool 4-8 p.m.,

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Annual July 4th Fly-In

An expanded golf cart service will ferry Fourth of July Fly-in spectators up the long JetStrip Airport Road they have had to walk in past years to reach the breakfast area and airplanes Thursday morning, July 4.

Colorado High School senior Shawna McGuire is organizing students to drive carts for spectators, pilots and passengers, said Chairman J. O. Dockrey Tuesday.

Ms. McGuire will be assisted by Kaci Chambers, Paige Campbell and Krystal Blankenship.

If you like eating breakfast near a runway and watching planes and helicopters land in the early morning, a City National Bank crew will start serving bacon, eggs, Texas toast, cantaloupes, juice and coffee at 7 a.m. for \$3 a plate.

They fed a record crowd of 735 people last year as 97 aircraft landed, including two Army helicopters from Oklahoma.

Go north of C-City seven miles on Hwy. 208 and turn west

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Assessor-collector nixes tax centralization idea

Responding to the County Appraisal District's (AD) initiative to become a central collection agency, County Tax Assessor Collector Faye Lee said Monday that she will not relinquish her duty to collect for Mitchell County and its commissioners' road funds.

"I've been honored to serve the people, and I feel I would not be fulfilling my responsibilities if I delegated one function of my job to others," she said.

There are more than 18,000 parcels of land on which ad valorem taxes are levied in the county, and the assessor collector's office charges \$1.02 per parcel.

However, Ms. Lee said she will go to commissioners July 8 to propose a lower rate.

AD Chief Appraiser Kaye Nell Cornutt appeared before the commissioners court last week to ask the county to join the Colorado City and Loraine School Districts, hospital district and Lone Wolf Groundwater Conservation District in the plan.

County Judge Ray Mayo

said the county's involvement was up to Ms. Lee.

Westbrook School District and the Cities of Loraine, Westbrook and Colorado City have said they will continue to collect their own taxes.

Ms. Lee currently collects for the hospital district, Loraine School District and county.

Ms. Cornutt has not reported what collections will cost the entities who have agreed to be involved if the county does not participate.

But she told the commissioners the annual cost would be \$61,342 with the county's participation.

Ms. Lee said she could beat that price, although the water district would still have to pay a per parcel rate.

Supported by the AD Board of Directors, Ms. Cornutt has said at meetings with the various governmental entities that centralization would save money in postage, equipment, personnel and other categories.

It would also make paying taxes easier for taxpayers, she said.



LIFEGUARDS Chesna Riley and Vanessa Quintero, top and bottom right, watched young swimmers Alex Salazar and Bethany Toombs Monday morning at the city swimming pool at Ruddick Park.

Discouraged on grant application, MCH still looks for sewer help

Mitchell County Hospital District is probably not eligible for a \$150,000 Texas Rural Health Initiatives grant to help finance a connection from its new hospital and physicians' clinic to the city sewer system, interim administrator Bill McKinnon said Friday.

McKinnon had just talked with an RHI official at the Office of Rural and Community Affairs in Austin who told him an application would have serious problems.

"It would contain questions about who would own the asset and who would contract out the work," he said.

"In this case, the asset

would be the infrastructure for the City sewer system and the City would contract out the work.

"Since we do not have the authority to contract the work and would not own the asset, this is not a grant we can apply for."

Hospital Board President Larry Johnson said Monday he did not know what approach the district will try next.

But the recently more cooperative tone of City-hospital dialogue has been encouraging.

Johnson said the hospital board has not decided if it will accept the County Board of Economic Development's offer

to ask the commissioners court for a loan.

Recent discussions have appeared to trend to a more extensive renovation to lay an 18 inch line from between Rogers Road and the Wallace-Ware Units 7,000 feet south to the Colorado River and the municipal sewer treatment plant south of the river.

A tentative agreement has already been reached for that \$493,000 project with \$250,000 to be provided by the City, \$143,000 by the BOED and \$100,000 by the hospital district.

The BOED supports it because

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Management scheme is next priority for water district

Lone Wolf Groundwater Conservation District directors Monday said the 10 year management plan they must submit to the Texas Water Development Board in Austin should address a number of concerns.

Those include water quality, more efficient irrigation, brush control and preserving the Santa Rosa Aquifer under eastern Mitchell County.

Bobby Lemons said the plan needs "checks and balances for the quality of water," ensuring through tests that levels of nitrates and heavy metals do not become too high.

Chairman David Stubblefield said the district should promote center pivot and drip irrigation because they are

much more efficient than sprinklers, and he said brush control will help conserve water.

"I have heard a statement that the city wells have not affected the aquifer one bit, but if you have punched a hole in it, you've affected it," Stubblefield said.

He referred to the City of Colorado City's 12 water wells west of Loraine.

District executive director Windi Fuller said the plan has to be written within two years, but she plans to submit it by February.

She said the directors should be imaginative and "think what you want the water district to do," then tell her what to

put into the plan, although it cannot conflict with the Region F state water plan or projects of the Colorado River Municipal Water District in Big Spring.

Lemons noted, for example, that the district could not dam a creek if the CRMWD did not want it dammed.

Tommy Morris was absent at the 5 p.m. called meeting at LWGCD headquarters at 130 W. Fifth St.

Other business in the 50 minute session included a brief review of the County Appraisal District's (AD) offer to become a central tax collection agency.

Ms. Fuller said Chief Appraiser Kaye Nell Cornutt has

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CISD

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every category, she projected general fund revenues of \$7,556,959 and expenditures of about \$8,336,000.

The district ended the last fiscal year with a \$2.4 million fund balance, and projected expenditures this year were about \$10,123,000.

"They say when the ADA and FTE lines cross, you're in trouble," Ms. Ratliff said.

White said the Stanton District, where he was previously superintendent, helped its ADA by giving cash bonuses to students who had perfect attendance, and he said he would consider doing the same thing here.

Stanton attendance bonuses were \$25 for six weeks, \$75 for a semester and \$200 for the year.

White said CISD needs to improve its attendance from 95 to 97 percent.

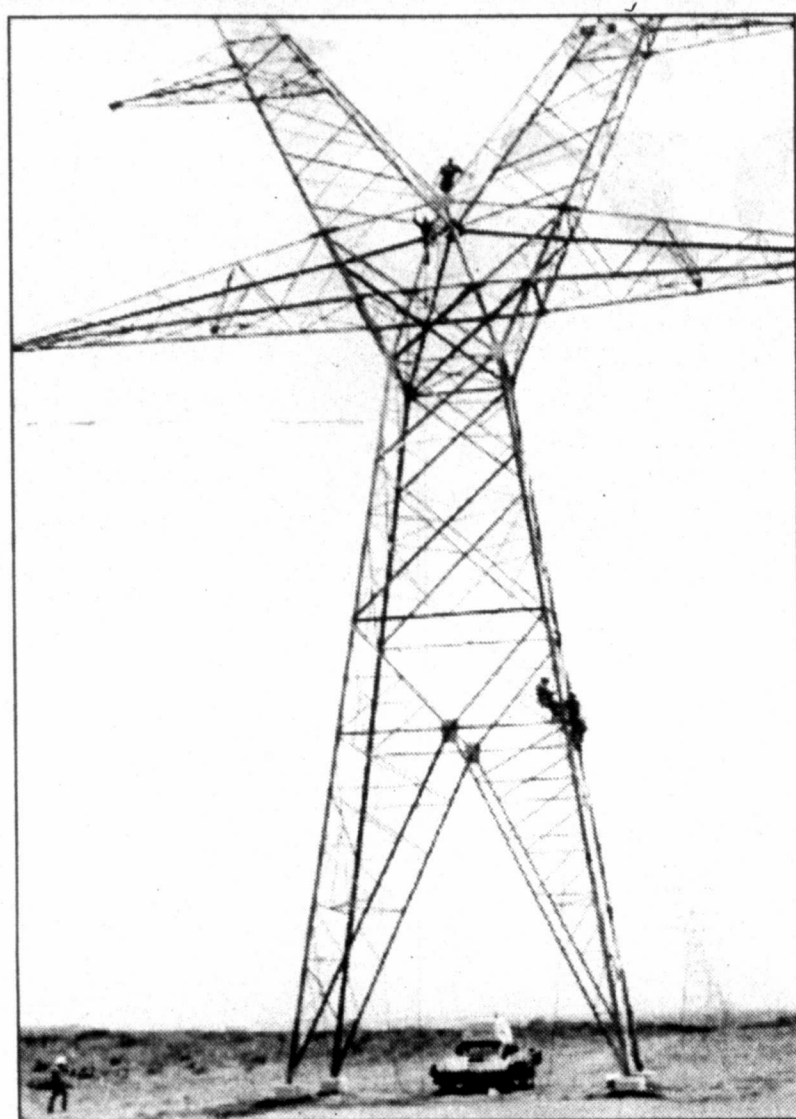
Other business in the two hour meeting included awarding more than \$700,000 in bids, financed by a Texas Education Agency grant, to rewire and update computer technology at the district's four campuses.

Lisa Hernandez was absent.

Brown's Permian Electric Co. of Midland was given a \$533,500 contract for wiring and Johnston Technical Services of Dallas a \$181,070 technological bid to be completed by next summer with much of the work to be done on weekdays between 4 p.m. and midnight.

An Abilene language arts teacher, Dana Stockton, was offered a contract to join the middle school faculty.

Ms. Ratliff held a hearing, at which no one spoke, to accept federal grants of \$285,792 for Title I math and reading instruction, \$7,425 for gifted and talented programs and \$21,275 for migrants' education.



TOWER CONSTRUCTION was underway last week in far southeastern Mitchell County, where a Dallas company was erecting towers for a new TXU Electric power line.

GROUNDWATER

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not been specific about how much the district's collections would cost, but she believes it would be less than \$10,000 a year.

She said Mitchell County will not be involved, leaving the C-City and Loraine School Districts, county hospital district and LWGCD to contract with the AD for collections.

Ms. Fuller gained approval to hire the Stovall, Grandey & Whatley accounting company of Fort Worth to audit the dis-

trict for \$2,500.

In a formality recommended by Austin water attorney Zach Brady, the board voted to ratify the rules and minutes it enacted while it was an interim board prior to Feb. 2's district ratification election.

Ms. Fuller said Brady and the Arcadis GM hydrology firm of Midland will now work on an hourly basis, rather than being paid monthly retainers, because the district is established and will be self sustaining.

It has been supported by the county and will continue to be until its first taxes are collected late this year.

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Electric distribution towers are going up in a hurry

Putting up 150 foot electric power line towers like pieces of an Erector Set, crews of a Dallas construction company had worked 15 miles across Mitchell County Thursday with 4 1/2 left to reach the county line.

Four crews of about six men each are erecting five per mile, so they had put up 75 with about another 22 to go.

All the towers have been built, and those that have not been raised lie in place, waiting to go up.

Ramiro Solis of Corsicana, foreman of a crew working at the first structure in Mile 12, said his group and another were tightening bolts and two were putting up dollies to hold lines on those that were up but not completed.

Oncor, a branch of TXU Electric Co., plans to have its part of the project finished by December.

The lines will carry 345,000 volts.

Starting three months ago, Chapman Construction Co. of Dallas built towers for Oncor from just east of TXU Electric Co.'s Morgan Creek Plant across the Thompson Ranch south-southeast to a line running due south along the east side of County Road 343.

It was an appropriate place to begin because ranch founder Charles C. Thompson, the late banker-attorney, was on the Texas Utilities Board of Directors when Lake Colorado City was created and the plant constructed in the 1950's.

CR 343 is west of South Hwy. 208, and Solis's crew was working south of the 343-CR 337 intersection in southeast Mitchell County's remote ranchland.

343 curves west south of

there, and the towers continue straight south.

Solis said all the towers had been put together and were lying on the ground, awaiting the crews, after the 15th mile.

They average putting up a tower a day.

Solis climbed down to talk while other crewmen worked all over the tower including the area near the top where a sign said "12-1" to show it was the first structure in the 12th mile.

The M. J. Thiel Co. of Cheyenne, Wyo., will pick up the project over 145 miles from Mitchell County to south of San Angelo and west of Brownwood.

Working for the Oncor Co., Chapman will do the last 50 miles from west of Brownwood to east of Comanche.

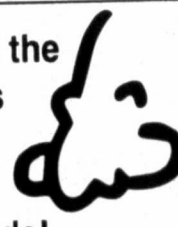
The Twin Buttes and Red Creek Switching Stations will

be constructed west of San Angelo and southeast of Comanche in conjunction with the \$135 million project.

Thiel has been hired by the Lower Colorado River Authority of Austin and West Texas Utilities Co. of Abilene and San Angelo.

Oncor is spending \$45 million and LCR-WTU \$90 million to comply with an Electric Reliability Council of Texas order to improve transmissions from West Texas to other regions of the state, particularly East Texas.

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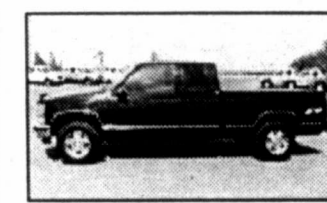
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Saturday, July 13, 2002
At 7:00 p.m.

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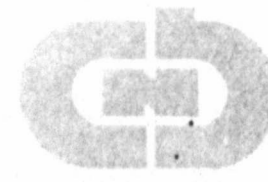
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OBITUARIES

Opal Black 1913-2002

Opal Black died June 27, 2002 in Dallas. Funeral services were held Sunday, June 30, 2002 at Meadowview Church of Christ in Mesquite, Texas with Mr. Jerry Linker officiating. Interment was held in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery in Sunnyvale, Texas.

Mrs. Black was a member of Meadowview Church of Christ. She was preceded in death by her husband Carlton Black.

She was survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Charles and Carolyn Black of Post; son, Don Black of Sunnyvale; four grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; and one brother, Edward Priddy of Odessa.

Bobby Joe Moore 1931-2002

Bobby Joe Moore, 71, who retired in 1997 as a supervisor for Martin Sprocket & Gear, died Sunday, June 30, 2002 at a Fort Worth Hospital. Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 2 at Blessing Colonial Chapel, Mansfield, Texas. Burial was held Wednesday, July 3 in Colorado City Cemetery.

Mr. Moore was born January 6, 1931 in Blackwell, Texas, the son of Hattin Marshall and Edna Mae Hannah Moore and married Gloria Anita Priddy, March 5, 1949 in Colorado City. He was a member of the Retza Baptist Church. Mr. Moore was preceded in death by one daughter, Deborah Sue Moore, in 1959 and one son, Brent Joe Moore in 1993.

Survivors include his wife of 53 years, Gloria Moore of Rendon; a daughter, Dorinda Smith and husband of Abilene; a daughter-in-law, Lisa Moore of Kennedale; grandchildren, Jarrett Smith of Creed, Colorado, Channing Smith of Fort Worth and Emily Moore and Maxx Moore, both of Kennedale; brothers, H.M. Moore Jr. of Clyde, Billy Ray Moore of Burleson, D.A. Moore of Hico and Cal Wayne Moore of Bridgeport and sisters, Mae Smith of Rhome and Margaret Judd of Azle.

Hampton E. Baucum 1931-2002

Hampton E. Baucum, died June 28, 2002 in Big Spring. Funeral services were held Monday, July 1, 2002 at the First Baptist Church in Anson with Chaplain B.W. Baucum and Rev. Paul Smith officiating. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Mr. Baucum was born March 31, 1931 in Jones Co. He was the son of the late Tom and Alice (Caffey) Baucum. He graduated from Olton High School in 1948 and was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict. Hamp married Helen Bond in 1953 in Plainview. They had two children together, Kim and Connie. Helen preceded him in death after 41 years of marriage. Hamp retired from Skelly Oil Company in 1979. He moved to Colorado City in 1942 and married Helen Ruth Webb in 1995. Hamp was a Mason and was a member of Westbrook First Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by one sister, Marie, and one brother, Eudell.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Ruth Baucum of Colorado City; two daughters and a son-in-law, Connie Hinson of Westbrook, Kim and Russell Phipps of Fredricksburg; one brother, B.W. Baucum of Seagraves; five sisters, Helen McLaurin of Garland, Alta Gardner of Cisco, Laverne Diffe of Jal, Mary Black of Granbury and Velma Youngblood of Millsap; five grandchildren, Tracy Hinson, Kevin Hinson, Kimberly Ivy, Nathan Phipps and Corrie Phipps.

Ruby Dunahoo 1900-2002

Mrs. Ruby Dunahoo, 101, of Champion, died Monday, July 1, 2002 in a local care center. Graveside services were held Tuesday in the Loraine Cemetery with Randy Feaster officiating under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dunahoo was born September 6, 1900 in Scurry County to J.T. and Annie Haggerton Kidd and had been in the Champion community for 60 years. She married Majel Alphonzo Dunnahoo in 1920 in Big Spring. He preceded her in death on November 27, 1991. She was a homemaker and farmed and ranched with "Dunahoo" for 70 years. She was a member of the Loraine Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sisters, Doris Darden and Louise Feaster, both of Colorado City and Minnie Ray of Fri. Worth.

Earline Jones 1917-2002

Mrs. Earline Jones, 85, of Snyder, died Tuesday, July 2, 2002 in a Snyder hospital. Services will be at 2 pm Friday in the Kiker-Seale Chapel with Brad Burk officiating. Burial will follow in the Colorado City Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jones was born April 28, 1917 in Comanche County to Emmitt and Mary Cunningham Jones. She married T.H. Jones on November 9, 1935 in San Angelo. He preceded her in death on July 14, 1992. She had been a resident of Snyder since 1959. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Christian Church in Snyder.

Survivors include a daughter, Sharon Hillis of Snyder, seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She is also preceded in death by her parents, a daughter, Sandra West and a son, Sonny Jones.

Dewitt Myers 1928-2002

Mr. Dewitt Myers, 73, of Colorado City died Tuesday, July 2, 2002 in a local hospital. Graveside services will be at 11 am Thursday, July 4 in Rosemount Cemetery in Commerce, Texas, under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Myers was born November 5, 1928 in Commerce to Ivor and Della Surratt Myers. He was a heavy equipment operator, a veteran of the US Marine Corp and a Baptist.

He is survived by two sons, David Myers and James Myers, both of Colorado City; a daughter, Sherry Nell Myers of Watagua; six grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

He is preceded in death by his parents, a sister, Sue Sneed and three brothers, Alton Myers, Dennis Myers and Jack Myers.

HOSPITAL

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cause it would clear the way for additional northwest C-City development, one day possibly including a new TDCJ geriatric unit for old and ailing inmates.

Asked if the bigger job would take too long to meet construction deadlines, Johnson said it could be done quicker than you might think.

The City Council and City Manager Steve Shutt say the current six inch sewer line near 17th Street, where the hospital-doctors' clinic could make a connection, is too small.

If all the parties opt for the smaller project, the hospital district will be expected to finance \$236,400 of the cost to lay an eight inch line in place of the six inch one and install a new force main at Rogers and 10th Street.

Cooper Construction Co. of Odessa, the \$8 million hospital project's general contractor, wants the sewer line problem taken care of by December so it can start testing the hospital's and clinic's 51 toilets and multitude of lavatories, urinals and sinks.

The hospital is scheduled for completion in February.

"The way it stands right now, the City wants us to pay \$236,400 for the sewer line, and I don't think we can pay

more than \$100,000," Johnson said.

"We're still negotiating and trying to see if we can come up with a plan that will be good for everybody."

"I feel sure that we will come up with some kind of solution in time to resolve this before it gets to be grand opening time."

Oil well is capped by drillers

A two week attempt to drill an oil well in Southwest Mitchell County ended last Friday when Robinson Drilling of Texas declared it a dry hole.

The daytime crew stopped at 6,615 feet and plugged the shaft at mid-afternoon off FM 2183 in the far southwestern corner of the county.

The project began Monday, June 16, on the H Ranch and continued 24 hours a day with three crews till the Big Spring company concluded there was no oil in sight.

Daytime driller Donald Holsenbeck of Big Spring said his rig's next project will start July 8 on the Powell Ranch south of Coahoma.

They are working for Bright Oil Co. of Dallas.

"Our last well was a good one," he said, explaining the company hit oil for Stan Partee on Howard County's Garrett Ranch.

Robinson Drilling of Texas is owned by Robinson Family of Big Spring, who are originally from Colorado City.

Holsenbeck leads a crew made up of John Grayson, Marshall Bowers, and Roy "Lightning" Carter, all of Big Spring.

The men have been pleased with the partial revival of the West Texas oil industry in the past few years, although they said it could still be improved.

Their company has been running three drilling rigs and staying busy, they said.



OIL DRILLERS had just capped a dry hole in southwest Mitchell County last Friday. Clockwise from top right, they are Lightning Carter, John Grayson, Marshall Bowers and Donald Holsenbeck.

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POLICE REPORT

• On Monday, June 24, 2002 at about 9:00 pm, Johnny Lee Williams Jr., 22 year old male, 245 E. Fairmont was arrested at 245 E. Fairmont for Assault Family Violence. He was transferred into the custody of the Mitchell County Jail. Arresting Officer: Mitchell.

• On Tuesday, June 25, 2002 at about 9:29 am, Angie Gomez, 1825 Fig St., reports a found bicycle at the Mitchell County Cemetery. Bicycle was later returned to the owner Ramiro Perez. Investigating Officer: Torres.

• On Tuesday, June 25, 2002 at about 12:18 pm, Manuel Real Sr., 343 Locust, reports theft. Several tires and wheels were stolen from the side of his house sometime during the night. Investigation continues. Investigating Officer: Torres.

• On Tuesday, June 25, 2002 at about 7 am, Dennis Pfeuffer, 661 FM 1983, reports a dog at large. Complainant reports neighbors dog killed his dog. Complainant did not wish to prosecute. Investigating Officer: Taylor.

• On Thursday, June 27, 2002 at about 12:20 am, Joshua Silva, 21 year old male, 336 W. 6th St., was arrested in the 1300 block of Walnut St. for having Insurance Bad Check from Mitchell County. He was transferred into the custody of Mitchell County Jail. Arresting Officer: Perez.

• On Friday, June 28, 2002 at about 1:00 am, Brian Kyle Limones, 20 year old male, 110 W. 7th St. was arrested at McD's, 101 E. IH-20 for operating an unregistered motor vehicle. He was transferred into the custody of Mitchell County Jail. Arresting Officer: Reyes.

• On Friday, June 28, 2002 at about 1:24 am, John Patrick Castillo, 19 year old male, 845 Oak St. was arrested at 2330 N. Hwy. 208 for Minor in Consumption of Alcohol. He was transferred into the custody of Mitchell County Jail. Arresting Officer: Perez.

• On Friday, June 28, 2002 at about 1:24 am, Oscar Martinez, Jr., 18 year old male, 1740 Hemphill was arrested at 2330 N. Hwy 208 for Minor in Consumption of Alcohol. He was transferred into the custody of Mitchell County Jail. Arresting Officer: Perez.

• On Saturday, June 29, 2002 at about 7:04 pm, Fuller Foods, 405 Hickory St., reports a theft. Ten unknown packages of meat were stolen. Investigation continues. Investigating Officer: Dill.

• On Sunday, June 30, 2002 at about 1:59 am, Robert Stephen Silva, 21 year old male, 1919 Boyd St. was arrested in the 200 block of South Austin for No Driver's License and Fail to Maintain Financial Responsibility. He was transferred into the custody of Mitchell County Jail. Arresting Officer: Perez.

• On Sunday, June 30, 2002 at about 1:15 am, Ray Dobson, 51 year old male, 325 W. 6th St., reports theft. Approximately \$140 was taken from his wallet. Investigation continues. Investigating Officer: Reyes.

• On Thursday, June 27, 2002 at about 2:26 pm, a collision occurred in the 1400 block of Oak St. A white 2001 Chevy pickup driven by Shawn Aaron Rees, 28 year old male, Colorado City, was backing up from his driveway at 1419 Oak St. A tan 1994 Toyota driven by Diana Reyes Acuna, 44 year old female, Sweetwater was southbound on Oak St. The two vehicles collided at the driveway of 1419 Oak St. There were no injuries and the damage was minimal. Both vehicles were driven away from the scene. Investigating Officer: Torres.

• On Friday, June 28, 2002 at about 7:55 pm, a collision occurred in the 400 block of Hickory. A green 1994 Dodge pickup driven by Gary Gene Stark, 18 year old male, Colorado City, was backing up from a parked position and struck a parked car with the passenger door that was left open. The other vehicle was a blue 1994 Chevy suburban owned by Susie Morin. Snyder. There were no injuries and the damage was minimal and both vehicles were driven from the scene. Investigating Officer: Hicks.



ANTHEM SINGER LaCresha Johnson of Colorado City will take part in a statewide talent show this weekend in Dallas. She won Big Spring competition to advance. She was photographed in front of the American flag on the gazebo in Kiwanis Park.

Local girl performs at Dallas contest

Singing the National Anthem to honor victims of last Sept. 11's terrorist attacks in New York City and Washington, D. C., an 11 year old Colorado City girl will compete against talented children from throughout the state this weekend at the Omni Hotel in Dallas.

LaCresha Johnson, daughter of John and Kathy Johnson of 912 E. First St., advanced to the state Shindig Inc. All Star Kids competition after winning a recent contest at the Big Spring Mall.

She was the only contestant in her 10-13 age division in Big Spring and ended up taking first place against 14 and 15 year olds.

She was the only singer among twirlers, tap dancers and gymnasts.

LaCresha, who will be a seventh grader this fall at Colorado Middle School, is soft-spoken but says such experiences do not make her nervous.

She has performed her cappella rhythm and blues rendition of the "Star Spangled Banner" at the County Fair, where she has won her age division's talent contest for the past two years, and at the C-City Opry.

She plays flute in the middle school band.

Asked which artist she most admires, she demurs at first but then, prompted by her father, admits it is R&B singer Alicia Keys.

LaCresha often sings duets with her 9 year old sister Kandace, and her brothers Kinji, 17, and Otis, 15, are accomplished rappers.

"Kinji had an offer to open shows for an artist in Abilene, but I told him, no, wait till you graduate," said his father, who is the City National Bank custodian.

LaCresha will compete in the All Star Kids preliminary contest Friday for the chance to sing in the Saturday finals.

Accompanied by her parents, brothers and sister, she will come home if unsuccessful Friday.

But if she makes the finals and does well in them, the Johnsons will stay for the Sunday awards ceremony.

The first place award in her age division is \$500, but the all around winner will take home \$4,000, a crown, a trophy and reservations for an all expense paid return trip to next year's contest.

Along with the patriotism it engenders and its relevance to Sept. 11, the Anthem works well because LaCresha has to finish within a strictly enforced two minute time limit.

"It's something she and Kandace both love to do," said her father. "They sing together well, real well."

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FLY-IN

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on FM 1808. The airport is three miles west and a half-mile south.

Dockrey said the only choppers this year will probably be medi-vac craft from area hospitals, but one of last year's popular attractions will return -- the Westex Sky Sports skydiving team.

Led by David Watts of Odessa, the parachutists will fly from Stanton and jump about 8 a.m. from 7,500 feet, repack their chutes, climb to 10,000 feet and tumble out again an hour later.

They'll be precision jumps on stunt chutes with the jumpers attempting to land in front of the breakfast area, between the taxiway and runway, which they were able to do last year.

Dockrey is helped in various aspects of the fly-in by Jimmy Browne, Alan Ramage, Wendy Inman, John Jordan, Bob Brookshear, Kenneth Rogers, Brad Dockrey, Don Wood and Tom Scott, most of whom are pilots.

Aviation writer Nancy Robinson Masters of Abilene will speak and then present awards about 9 a.m. for the oldest and youngest pilots, the pilot who flies the farthest and the oldest and most unusual airplanes.

"We never know what's going to show up until they arrive," Dockrey said.

"It will all depend on the weather. If it's not threatening, we may have more airplanes than ever before."

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local news

System boosts rain chance

West Central Texas is on the outer fringe of a tremendous rain system that had left up to 10 inches of rain in parts of South Central Texas Monday and Tuesday.

But that might be close enough to bring some healthy showers to Mitchell County, a

National Weather Service meteorologist said Tuesday afternoon.

San Antonio had received 5.36 inches.

There will be a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms here through Wednesday night, said Michael Young.

Temperatures will be cooler with a maximum of 90 degrees in the daytime and lows around 70 through Thursday.

Then a warming trend will take over with extremes of 95-

100 and 75 Saturday through Monday, Young said.

He said the system stemmed from an upper level low pressure front that was cut off from the main flow, stalling over South Texas and beginning to lift toward the north Tuesday.

Mideast crisis is discussed

A former Israeli governmental official and army major will discuss current events in his nation at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, July 11, at the Civic Center at 157 W. Second St.

Yosef Kapach spoke informally to a religious group here last year and was invited back to meet interested members of the general public, said organizer D'Dee Morris.

Kapach was mayor of Kedumim, Israel, in 1992-96 and worked in his country's Ministry of Finance for 27 years.

He will appear in behalf of the Amitai Heritage Foundation of Phoenix, Ariz., named for his son, who was killed by Palestinian Arabs in 1993.

Kapach, who served in Israel's three wars, said bullet proof ambulances, Jeeps, emergency medical supplies and bullet proof vests for settlers are needed during the nation's current crisis.



COLORADO HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1977 are pictured (l-r) back row, Camille Curlee Powe, Mark Apperson, Jeane Hudson Bolin, Mickey Neff, Jamie Harris Jacobs, Brad Brevard, Sally Sparks Neff, Pete Parham, Jim Jordan, Terry Culbertson, Wayne McKee, Scott Morris; second row (l-r) Cathey Golden Johnson, Kathleen Utsman, Ann Holbert Gassiot, Janice Kimmel Warren, Sherri Muncie Merket, Shirley Brown Barta, Beth Hanks Ponsetti, Melvin Coe, Kevin Herm, Craig Carter; front row (l-r) Doris Hines Sands, Terri Guelker Robben, Gerald Hill, Randle Davis, Dennis Ledbetter, Debbie Haggerton Dockrey. Also present but not pictured was Joni Holder Salminen and Tim Love. The class met for their 25-year class reunion on June 7-8 at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Grapevine.

FIREWORKS

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and food vendors will serve barbeque, fajitas, snowcones and other holiday fare.

Local volunteer firemen will have a dunking booth. Fireworks cannons with Western Enterprises of Carrier, Okla., will set up on the northwest side of C-City Cemetery and fire three inch flash salute skyrockets on the hour, beginning at 6 p.m.

Ten salutes will start the show. The shells grow from four to eight inches, sparkling and booming in bright reds, blues, greens, yellows and golds.

Some of the reports are very loud, giving the impression of a colorful artillery barrage.

The show lasts 30-45 minutes, concluded with the 25 second Golden Brocade Willow Barrage.

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Guest Editorial

Evil times require readiness

By David Thurman

Our world is in upheaval. Terrorist attacks, wars and violence fill the news.

Much of the cruelty is inflicted on people at work or in restaurants and shops.

Part of God's answer is that we be the kind of people who know how to live in this world without becoming part of it.

One of the best examples is Abram, who later became Abraham.

When Abram had lived in Canaan for only a short time, the nations around him went to war.

The war eventually caught up with him when his nephew Lot was taken captive by the belligerents.

To ensure his safety and the wellbeing of others, he had made alliances.

This is a great lesson. We must learn to be good friends and neighbors, trusted and respected for our loyalty to our friends.

When Godly people stand together, Satan has much less room to harm.

Abram went on this military mission to rescue his nephew -- the same relative who had chosen greener pastures and left him with the rougher hills on which to forage his herds.

He had 318 men, born in his household and trained for war.

We seldom think of him as keeping armed men in his camp, but he did. He never looked for trouble but was prepared to fight evil.

We, too, should be ready.

In the civil arena, many changes have occurred. We have tighter airport security and careful screening in our postal facilities.

We're engaged in a war to combat terrorism.

In the spiritual realm, we should be just as ready to fight evil. Satan will come at us, invading our homes, our churches and our hearts.

Abram marched off to battle, won a great victory and returned with Lot.

The first thing he did was go to God in worship, then give a full tenth of the spoils to the high priest Melchizedek.

Not only that, he kept none of the other nine tenths for himself!

The wellbeing of our communities should be the concern of all believers.

We cannot live in the world without raising our voices to object to the evils of society, from racial injustice to abortion and from the hungry to the homeless.

Moreover, it should be our task to relieve this pain by sharing food or donating time or money.

It will require sharing the good news of Jesus to free those oppressed by Satan, whether physically, emotionally or spiritually.

When life is good and you are blessed, come to God in humility and thank Him for the success you have experienced.

When we walk as Abram did, ready to fight evil and stopping to worship God, evil will be beaten back and God glorified.

(Editor's note: David Thurman is minister of the University Church of Christ in Denver, Colo. The foregoing was written for the Gospel Minutes publication in Fort Worth, of which he is associate editor.)

Remember, kids --
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Western National Bank, Wesley D. Bownds Exec. Vice President to SES Investments LTD, P/Rel of Lien/DT.

Joe E. Murphy to Clyde Lorene Murphy, deceased, Affidavit Heirship.

Bob M. Sutton, Jean Sutton, Ernie Joe Wood, Brenda M. Wood to Bob and Jean Sutton Living Trust, B M (Bob) Sutton TTEE, Erna Jean Henry Sutton TTEE, Transfer of Lien.

Virginia Williams Ind. Executrix, Katie D. Walton deceased to Margie Nowell, Executors Deed.

Partee Drilling Inc., Stanley E. Partee Pres. to Dorothy Garrett Family Partnership LP, Assignment Oil Gas and Mineral.

Linda Carol Small Indiv. & Ind. Exec., Jim Williams, Lou Williams, Helen L. Williams deceased to Danny Parham, Release of Lien/DT.

Danny Parham to Danny Espinoza, Rita Espinoza, Warranty Deed.

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Roy Dean Sloan, Marie Sloan to Dennis Chowning, Warranty Deed.

Martha Jane Partain Simpson, Billy John Voss to Carl Ann Preston, Corrected Warranty Deed.

Geneva Findley Ratliff Tax Coll/Bus. Mgr., Western Surety Company to Colorado City Independent School District, Public Official Bond.

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City National Bank of Colo. City, Royce D. Clay President to George A. Walker, Pamela P. Walker, Release of Lien/DT.

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Janice Babbitt, Lead Tiling Analyst, Tx. Dept. of Housing & Comm. Affairs to Aurora Loan Services, Richard T. Martin Sr. Vice Pres., Amie D. Jones, Certificate of Attachment.

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ARRESTS

Johnny Lee Williams Sr., 45, CCPD, assault, family violence, 6-24-02.

Johnny Lee Williams Jr., 22, CCPD, assault, family violence, 6-24-02.

Johnny Lee Williams Sr., 45, MCSO, peace bond, 6-25-02.

Robert Lewis Smith, 41, CCPD, #6618, agg. assault w/deadly weapon, 6-27-02.

Ronnie Dan Sumruld, 31, MCSO, court committal, 6-27-02.

Kenneth Earl Runion, 53, TE, poss. of cs, 6-27-02.

Jerry Michael Dixon, 41, TE, poss. of cs, 6-27-02.

David Ray Burch, 42, TE, violation of parole, 6-27-02.

Brian Kyle Limones, 20, CCPD, driving unlicensed vehicle, 6-28-02.

Oscar Sonny Martinez, 18, CCPD, MIC, 6-28-02.

John Patrick Castillo, 19, CCPD, MIC, 6-28-02.

FILED IN COUNTY COURT

Larry Limones Gonzales, 6-24-2002, driving while intoxicated.

Jose M. Zamora, 6-24-2002, driving while lic. suspended.

Andrew J. Criswell, 6-26-2002, criminal trespass.

Sherrie D. Bidwell, 6-26-2002, criminal trespass.

DISTRICT COURT ACTION

The State of Texas vs. Joe Flores, TDCJ #867100, order to pay court appointed attorney fees, June 20.

The State of Texas vs. Eliazar Garces, TDCJ #797555, order to pay court appointed attorney fees, June 20.

The State of Texas vs. Rodolfo Ramon, TDCJ #833535, order to pay court appointed attorney fees, June 20.

The State of Texas vs. John Roy Ortiz, order on defendants application for determination of indigency and request for court appointed counsel.

The State of Texas vs. John R. Ortiz, order to pay court appointed attorney fees, June 20.

The State of Texas vs. Elias Perez, TDCJ #736837, order to pay court appointed attorney fees, June 20.

The State of Texas vs. Susanna Torres, order on defendants application for determination of indigency and request for court appointed counsel, June 20.

The State of Texas vs. John Roy Ortiz, Nunc Pro Tunc Judgement & sentence on plea of guilty or nolo contendere before court waiver of jury trial, June 24.

The State of Texas vs. Bruce Sosa Gonzales, order on defendants application for determination of indigency and request for court appointed counsel, June 24.

A Bluebonnet Legend

By Tumbleweed Smith



The bluebonnet is known by other names such as buffalo clover, wolf flower and el conejo (the rabbit). Its most familiar name probably began when settlers moved to Texas. The blue flower they saw growing wild were thought to resemble the bonnets worn by women to shield them from the Texas sun.

Margaret Looper of Huntsville has studied bluebonnets and Indian legends that go along with the popular wildflower. Margaret supplied Tomie dePaola material for the book, *Legend of the Bluebonnet*.

"Great spirits, the land is dying. Your people are dying, too," the long line of dancers sang. "Tell us what we have done to anger you. End this drought. Save your people. Tell us what we must do so you will send the rain that will bring back life."

For three days, the dancers danced to the sound of the drums and for three days the people called Comanches watched and waited.

Drought and famine are hardest on the very young and the very old. Among the few children left was a small girl named She-Who-Is-Alone. She sat by herself watching the dancers. In her lap was a doll made from buckskin, a warrior doll. The eyes, nose and mouth were painted on with the juice of berries. It wore beaded leggings and a belt of polished bone. On its head were brilliant blue feathers from the bird who cries "Jay-jay-jay." She loved her doll very much.

The shaman went to the top of the hill to listen for words from the Great Spirits who would tell him what to do so the rains would come and the earth would be green and alive.

While the shaman was gone to the hill, She-Who-Is-Alone thought of the mother who made the doll, of the father who brought the blue feathers and her grandparents who had all died in the famine. The warrior doll was the only thing she had left from those distant days.

The shaman returned and spoke: "I have heard from the Great Spirits who said the people have become selfish. They have taken from the earth without giving anything back. The Great Spirits say the people must make a burnt offering of the most valued possession among us. The ashes of this offering shall be scattered to the 4 points of the earth. When this sacrifice is made, drought and famine will cease and life will be restored to the earth."

That night, She-Who-Is-Alone held her doll tightly to her heart. "You," she said, looking at the doll, "are my most valued possession. It is you the Great Spirits want."

After everyone was asleep, the small girl took a glowing stick from the tipi fire and crept out into the night. She ran to the place where the shaman had heard from the Great Spirits. She spoke, "Here is my warrior doll. It is the only thing I have from my family who died in this famine. It is my most valued possession. Please accept it." She then gathered twigs and started a fire with the glowing firestick and thrust her doll into the fire. In the morning, the ground was covered with flowers, beautiful flowers the color of the blue feathers on her doll.

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chant Marine Academy at Kings Point, NY and who wish to serve as a commissioned officer are strongly encouraged to contact Jayne Schoonmaker in Congressman Stenholm's Washington office.

Any individuals wishing additional information should call 202-225-6605 or write to 1211 Longworth House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515.

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local news

Fireworks safety urged

Watching wildfires devastate Colorado and Arizona should motivate West Central Texans to take fire precautions, a Texas Forest Service official says.

Officer Justin Hall of Abilene stopped in Colorado City Thursday to encourage Fourth of July fireworks safety and say grass and brush fires will be a hazard here in July and

August, despite recent rains.

"We're in better shape this early summer than we have been in five years, but the rain has grown a huge fuel bed of grass and brush," he said.

"It's waist tall and very thick in some places."

Two of the five Forest Service officers in Hall's office had been sent to fight the Ari-

zona fire.

He said people who live in or next to undeveloped areas with grass, trees or brush should clear "a defensible area," keeping lawns green and removing dry or dead weeds and shrubbery and piles of trash or brush.

Move firewood, lumber and other ignitable materials away from your house and clean the roof and rain gutters.

"If you wait to take precautions until a wildfire is moving toward your home, you'll probably be too late to significantly reduce the danger," Officer Hall said.

"Keep a water hose handy that's at least 100 feet long, and keep a covered barrel of water with a nearby bucket or two."

Dry vines and dead, drooping limbs can create a "fire ladder" into the tops of your trees, and the removal of a few trees can avoid a "crown fire" that moves from one treetop to the next and is impossible to stop.

"If you have old outbuildings, cars or piles of lumber you no longer need, get rid of them," Hall said.

"Put together a simple emergency plan for your family and make sure everyone knows it."

"This can be as simple as picking a gathering spot, maybe the mailbox, and pairing the kids in a buddy system where everyone is responsible for keeping track of at least one other family member."

Hall said 94 percent of wildfires are caused by human error.

"The threat is highest in the southern half of the state," he said.

"But even in the rest of Texas where the danger is generally low to moderate, vegetation will dry rapidly and become increasingly fire prone if hot, dry conditions persist for any length of time."

Spring rains led Mitchell County commissioners to end a county wide "burn ban" in unincorporated areas.

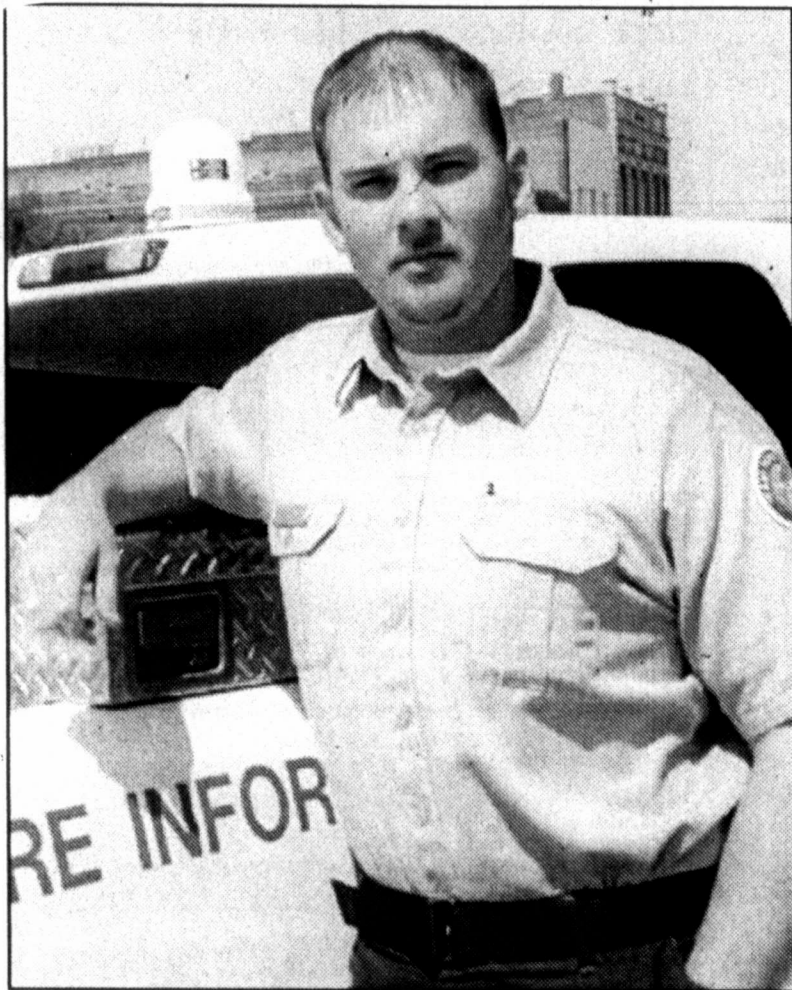
Hall said fireworks should only be used in safe areas away from dry grass and buildings.

"Follow instructions carefully with close adult supervision," he said.

"Keep a bucket of water, wet towels and a garden hose handy. Never shoot fireworks from metal or glass containers, and do not experiment with homemade or altered fireworks."

Other fire safety guidelines include establishing firebreaks around burn barrels and brush piles you plan to burn and not burning on dry, windy days.

"Avoid using welding and other spark producing equipment around dry grass," Hall said.



FOREST SERVICE OFFICER Justin Hall of Abilene stopped here last week to issue a fire safety advisory in connection with the hot, dry summer that's expected.



TEXAS LIONS CLUB HALL OF FAME MEMBER Vershel Smith of Roscoe, sixth from right, installed new officers of the Noon Lions Club Friday at the Civic Center. From left to right, they are Lion Tamer David Woods, Secretary-Treasurer Pat Cawthron, Tail Twister Frank Brownfield, Second Vice President Hollis Gainey, Past President Bob Brookshear, Membership Committee Chairman Bob Reily, President Ed Blake, First Vice President Keith Hiser, Director Kitten Arthur, Third Vice President Mike Nichols and Director Dan Gainey.

Jameson graduates from TSU

Tarleton State University conducted spring commencement exercises for its largest number of graduates ever as 730 candidates filed for the May 11th ceremony.

The record number of graduates required changes in the usual commencement format as Tarleton President Dr. Dennis P. McCabe presided over an early morning general assembly and each College hosted its own program to bestow diplomas. Dr. Nancy W. Dickey, President of the Texas A&M Health Science Center and Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs, was commencement speaker.

Joseph Ross Jameson, of Colorado City, received a BBA degree in Interdisciplinary Business.

Quintero graduates from basic

Army National Guard Pvt. Mario E. Quintero has graduated from basic military training at Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, MO.

During training, the trainee received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Quintero is the son of Alfonso and Ester Quintero of 1036 Austin St., Colorado City, Texas.

He is a 2001 graduate of Colorado High School, Colorado City.

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The proposed initial rate for the ISA is 2.05 cents per MMBtu, and is proposed to take effect as of July 1, 2002. The rate will be adjusted each year to reflect the change in costs necessitated by the pipeline safety regulations, with an opportunity for those costs to be reviewed by the Commission. The ISA will remain in effect for ten years from its initial effective date. The ISA constitutes a major change as that term is defined in Sec. 104.101, Texas Utilities Code. The proposed rate will increase the total revenues of TXU LSP by 3.7%, representing \$4.1 million of additional revenues.

The ISA will apply to the following classes of customers: 1) TXU LSP's customers with gas consuming equipment at an end-use location physically attached to TXU LSP's pipeline system or to the system of a local distribution company physically attached to TXU LSP's pipeline system; 2) entities selling gas to such customers; and 3) local distribution companies served by TXU LSP's pipeline system. The ISA will indirectly affect all residential and commercial customers served by such local distribution customers, including TXU Gas, Distribution. At the proposed initial rate of 2.05 cents per MMBtu, the bill of an average residential customer (6 mcf of gas consumption per month) will increase approximately 12 cents per month.

A Statement of Intent to implement the ISA has been filed with the Commission in GUD Docket No. 9304 and is available for inspection at the Commission's office at 1701 North Congress, Austin, Texas, and at the offices of TXU LSP at 301 South Harwood, Dallas, Texas. Any affected person may file written comments or a protest concerning the proposed changes in the rates with the Docket Services Section of the Office of General Counsel, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711-2967, at any time on or before July 26, 2002. Any person or agency that has a justifiable or administratively cognizable interest in this proceeding who desires to be designated as a party may petition for leave to intervene and request to become a party to this proceeding. The deadline for intervention in this case shall be July 26, 2002.

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Ruzicka to compete in junior teen pageant

Miss Katherine Ruzicka, age 13, daughter of Patty and James Ruzicka of Colorado City has been chosen as a State Finalist in the Miss Texas American Jr. Teen Pageant to be held August 4 at the beautiful Inter Continental-Dallas. The pageant is held for girls ages 13 through 15.

Miss Ruzicka's activities include school, painting, reading and biking.

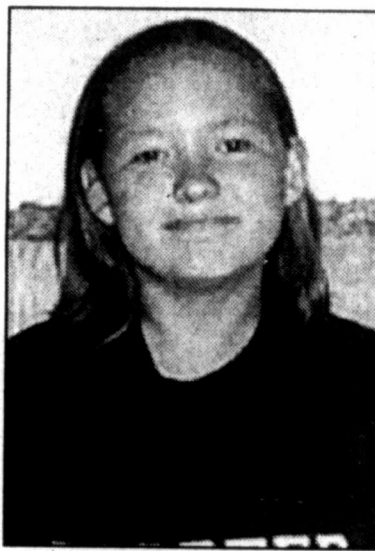
The winner of the pageant will receive a \$1000 cash award, the official crown and banner, bouquet of roses, and air transportation to compete in the national pageant at Walt Disney World in Florida. Other pageants are held for the state to include girls of other ages.

Thousands of dollars in cash awards, scholarships, trophies, and prizes will be awarded during the state pageant weekend. According to pageant officials, since 1983 the Miss American Coed Pageant System has awarded more than ten million dollars in scholarships and awards to deserving young ladies. All activities are age-appropriate and family-oriented.

Families interested in receiving information about the pageants may call or write "Pageant Headquarters", 11777 Katy Freeway, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77079 or phone 281-496-9000.

The pageants are for "Tomorrow's Leaders." They are open to girls with goals and dreams based on inner beauty, as well as poise, presentation, and an "All-

American, spirit for family, fun, and friends." Emphasis is placed on the importance of gaining self confidence, learning new skills, learning good attitudes about competition, and setting and achieving personal goals. The pageant seeks to recognize the accomplishments of each girl while encouraging her to set goals for the future.



Katherine Ruzicka

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Letter to Editor,

I want to thank *The Record* for your support of the Summer Feeding Program sponsored by CISD. It was a huge success this year. This program will not work unless we have outside support and community participation. We had both.

This year we served over 3600 meals in 20 days. Thank you to all who came and ate with us. Also I need to say thank you to the two ladies who prepared and served these meals, Sylvia Davila and Eva Martinez with some assistance from Joanna Martinez.

Pat White
Food Service Director

Twirling Camp

The CHS Twirlers will be hosting a twirling camp at the high school on August 5-8 for kindergarten age through Jr. High. Registration will be held July 29 from 4-6 pm at the high school. For more information call 728-5738.

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July 8, 15, 22 & 29
6-8 p.m.

PowerPoint-Basic
July 10
9 a.m.-4 p.m.

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July 9, 11, 16 and 18
1-3 p.m.
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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Everett

Everetts celebrated their 50th anniversary recently

Bill and Fredalyn Everett of Abilene celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a weekend retreat at the 96 Ranch home of their children Bill and Toni Everett. Also hosting the event were their children Mike and Debbie Everett of Kermit and Anne Johnson of Abilene. The couple have five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Bill was born August 1, 1931 in Putnam, Texas. Fredalyn was born November 2, 1931 in Cisco. They grew up together in Putnam and after graduation from Hardin-Simmons University they married on June 20, 1952 in Putnam.

After serving in the Army Intelligence Corp. during the Korean Conflict, Bill was a coach and history teacher, principal, superintendent of

schools, staff member at Hardin-Simmons University, and head of school at St. John's Episcopal School. Fredalyn taught in elementary and middle school for 29 years.

The couple has lived in San Antonio (Ft. Sam Houston), Loraine, Ackerly, Colorado City, Irving, Merkel, and Abilene. From 1956 to 1964 the couple lived in Colorado City where Bill was a coach and also spent two years with the Texas Highway Dept. After eight years in Irving as a coach and administrator, he became high school principal at Colorado High School from 1972 to 1978. Fredalyn taught at Hutchinson Elementary and Colorado Middle School. While in Colorado City, they were active in First Baptist Church.



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- 1 3/4 cups sugar
- 3/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 pints half and half
- 1 can sweetened condensed milk
- 4 cups milk
- 5 medium bananas

Scald 2 cups of the milk. Add sugar and salt and dissolve. Add other ingredients except lemon juice and bananas. Chill well. Add the remaining 2 cups of milk, lemon juice and bananas and freeze.

Chocolate Mint Ice Cream

- 4 eggs, beaten
- 2 cups sugar
- 3 cups whipping cream
- 2 cups half and half
- 1 (12 oz) can evaporated milk

- 1 1/2 teaspoon mint extract
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/3 cup creme de menthe
- 1 1/2 cup milk chocolate bar, grated

In large bowl, beat eggs until blended. Add sugar and beat until stiff. Add remaining ingredients. Pour into ice cream canister and freeze. Makes about 4 quarts.

Orange Pineapple Ice Cream

- 3 eggs
- 2 cups sugar
- 2 flat cans crushed pineapple
- 2 cans evaporated milk
- 2 pints whipping cream
- 2 cans orange soda
- whole milk

Beat eggs and sugar together until light. Stir in pineapple, evaporated milk, whipping cream and soda; mix well. Pour into ice cream freezer container. Add whole milk to fill line. Freeze until firm, let ripen. Makes 1 gallon.

Pina Colada Ice Cream

- 3 eggs

- 1 can sweetened condensed milk
- 2 cans evaporated milk
- 2 cups heavy whipping cream
- 1 (18 oz) jar cream of coconut
- 1 (15 oz) can crushed pineapple
- 3/4 teaspoon rum flavoring
- 3/4 teaspoon pineapple flavoring

In a large bowl, beat eggs until blended. Stir in milk, cream, cream of coconut, crushed pineapple and flavorings. Pour into ice cream canister. Freeze in ice cream maker. Makes about 4 quarts.

Tin Can Ice Cream

- 1 pkg. instant pudding mix
- 2 (6 oz) cans evaporated milk
- regular milk to fill can 3/4 full
- ice rock salt

Place pudding mix and evaporated milk in one pound coffee can. Add regular milk to fill can

3/4 full. Cover with plastic lid and tape securely with duct tape so can is airtight.

Place one pound can in three pound can. Add layers of ice and rock salt around smaller can. Cover with plastic lid and duct tape. Roll can back and forth on table or floor (the kids can do this) for 20 to 25 minutes.

Untape large can and remove smaller can. Wipe all salt from can, remove lid and stir ice cream (be sure to scrape sides of can). Reseal small can, place in large can with new ice and salt, and roll about 10 minutes more. Ice cream should be ready to eat.

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Sprays to celebrate golden anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Spray of Colorado City, formerly of Pecos, will be celebrating their Golden Anniversary on July 6, 2002 with a reception for family and friends at the Plainview Church of Christ in Colorado City.

Gerald Winford Spray and Mildred Alma Ballard were married July 4, 1952 in Monahans, Texas. They have four children and 11 grandchildren. The couple lived in Pecos for 40 years. Gerald and Mildred ran Airborn Express in Midland for nine years before retiring to Colorado City.

Hosts for the anniversary party are the couple's children and families, Chris and Lee Ann Spray, L'Ray and J'Cie of Lubbock, Texas, Debbie and Davey Beauchamp, Calli and Blake of Monahans, Ivi Shea of Midland, Sue and Andy Woodbury, Kristine, Ian and Annie of Bakersfield, California, Julie and Victor Thompson, Brian and Jessica of San Angelo.

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FLY-IN AWARDS to be presented at Thursday morning's annual Colorado City Fly-in at JetStrip Airport are shown by Rick Alvarez, left, manager of Fuller Foods, which donates the plaques, and Chairman J. O. Dockrey.

Ruzicka to compete in junior teen pageant

Miss Katherine Ruzicka, age 13, daughter of Patty and James Ruzicka of Colorado City has been chosen as a State Finalist in the Miss Texas American Jr. Teen Pageant to be held August 4 at the beautiful Inter Continental-Dallas. The pageant is held for girls ages 13 through 15.

Miss Ruzicka's activities include school, painting, reading and biking.

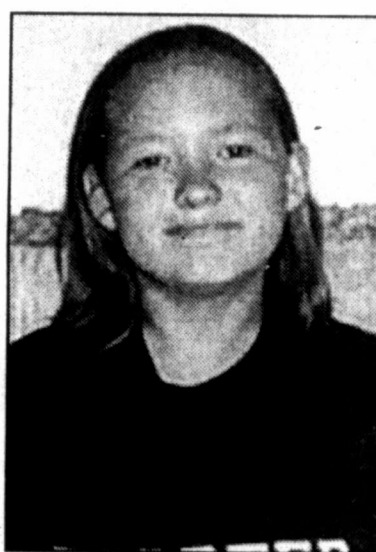
The winner of the pageant will receive a \$1000 cash award, the official crown and banner, bouquet of roses, and air transportation to compete in the national pageant at Walt Disney World in Florida. Other pageants are held for the state to include girls of other ages.

Thousands of dollars in cash awards, scholarships, trophies, and prizes will be awarded during the state pageant weekend. According to pageant officials, since 1983 the Miss American Coed Pageant System has awarded more than ten million dollars in scholarships and awards to deserving young ladies. All activities are age-appropriate and family-oriented.

Families interested in receiving information about the pageants may call or write "Pageant Headquarters", 11777 Katy Freeway, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77079 or phone 281-496-9000.

The pageants are for "Tomorrow's Leaders." They are open to girls with goals and dreams based on inner beauty, as well as poise, presentation, and an "All-

American spirit for family, fun, and friends." Emphasis is placed on the importance of gaining self confidence, learning new skills, learning good attitudes about competition, and setting and achieving personal goals. The pageant seeks to recognize the accomplishments of each girl while encouraging her to set goals for the future.



Katherine Ruzicka

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Letter to Editor,
I want to thank *The Record* for your support of the Summer Feeding Program sponsored by CISD. It was a huge success this year. This program will not work unless we have outside support and community participation. We had both.

This year we served over 3600 meals in 20 days. Thank you to all who came and ate with us. Also I need to say thank you to the two ladies who prepared and served these meals, Sylvia Davila and Eva Martinez with some assistance from Joanna Martinez.

Pat White
Food Service Director

Twirling Camp

The CHS Twirlers will be hosting a twirling camp at the high school on August 5-8 for kindergarten age through Jr. High. Registration will be held July 29 from 4-6 pm at the high school. For more information call 728-5738.

Colorado City Community Network CCNET June Class Schedule

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July 9, 11, 16, and 18
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July 8, 15, 22 & 29
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Windows98 for Seniors
July 9, 11, 16 and 18
1-3 p.m.
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July 11, 18, 25 & Aug. 1
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July 17 or 24
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All classes will be held at the Training Center located at 1132 Hickory unless otherwise noted. Registration will be held first day of class. Class size is limited. Classes will be filled on a first come first serve basis. For more information call 728-1018, or visit our website at www.coloradocity.net

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Everett

Everetts celebrated their 50th anniversary recently

Bill and Fredalyn Everett of Abilene celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a weekend retreat at the 96 Ranch home of their children Bill and Toni Everett. Also hosting the event were their children Mike and Debbie Everett of Kermit and Anne Johnson of Abilene. The couple have five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Bill was born August 1, 1931 in Putnam, Texas. Fredalyn was born November 2, 1931 in Cisco. They grew up together in Putnam and after graduation from Hardin-Simmons University they married on June 20, 1952 in Putnam.

After serving in the Army Intelligence Corp. during the Korean Conflict, Bill was a coach and history teacher, principal, superintendent of

schools, staff member at Hardin-Simmons University, and head of school at St. John's Episcopal School. Fredalyn taught in elementary and middle school for 29 years.

The couple has lived in San Antonio (Ft. Sam Houston), Loraine, Ackerly, Colorado City, Irving, Merkel, and Abilene. From 1956 to 1964 the couple lived in Colorado City where Bill was a coach and also spent two years with the Texas Highway Dept. After eight years in Irving as a coach and administrator, he became high school principal at Colorado High School from 1972 to 1978. Fredalyn taught at Hutchinson Elementary and Colorado Middle School. While in Colorado City, they were active in First Baptist Church.

COOK'S CORNER

There's nothing better on a hot afternoon than homemade ice cream. These mouth-watering recipes are a sure-fire hit for summer.

Banana Ice Cream

1 3/4 cups sugar
3/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 pints half and half
1 can sweetened condensed milk
4 cups milk
5 medium bananas

Scald 2 cups of the milk. Add sugar and salt and dissolve. Add other ingredients except lemon juice and bananas. Chill well. Add the remaining 2 cups of milk, lemon juice and bananas and freeze.

Chocolate Mint Ice Cream

4 eggs, beaten
2 cups sugar
3 cups whipping cream
2 cups half and half
1 (12 oz) can evaporated milk

1 1/2 teaspoon mint extract
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/3 cup creme de menthe
1 1/2 cup milk chocolate bar, grated

In large bowl, beat eggs until blended. Add sugar and beat until stiff. Add remaining ingredients. Pour into ice cream canister and freeze. Makes about 4 quarts.

Orange Pineapple Ice Cream

3 eggs
2 cups sugar
2 flat cans crushed pineapple
2 cans evaporated milk
2 pints whipping cream
2 cans orange soda
whole milk

Beat eggs and sugar together until light. Stir in pineapple, evaporated milk, whipping cream and soda; mix well. Pour into ice cream freezer container. Add whole milk to fill line. Freeze until firm, let ripen. Makes 1 gallon.

Pina Colada Ice Cream

3 eggs

1 can sweetened condensed milk
2 cans evaporated milk
2 cups heavy whipping cream
1 (18 oz) jar cream of coconut
1 (15 oz) can crushed pineapple
3/4 teaspoon rum flavoring
3/4 teaspoon pineapple flavoring

In a large bowl, beat eggs until blended. Stir in milk, cream, cream of coconut, crushed pineapple and flavorings. Pour into ice cream canister. Freeze in ice cream maker. Makes about 4 quarts.

Tin Can Ice Cream

1 pkg. instant pudding mix
2 (6 oz) cans evaporated milk
regular milk to fill can 3/4 full
ice rock salt

Place pudding mix and evaporated milk in one pound coffee can. Add regular milk to fill can.

3/4 full. Cover with plastic lid and tape securely with duct tape so can is airtight.

Place one pound can in three pound can. Add layers of ice and rock salt around smaller can. Cover with plastic lid and duct tape. Roll can back and forth on table or floor (the kids can do this) for 20 to 25 minutes.

Untape large can and remove smaller can. Wipe all salt from can, remove lid and stir ice cream (be sure to scrape sides of can). Reseal small can, place in large can with new ice and salt, and roll about 10 minutes more. Ice cream should be ready to eat.

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McCartney, Rock engaged

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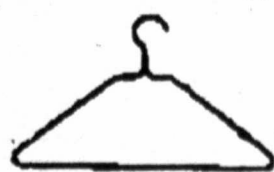
Sprays to celebrate golden anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Spray of Colorado City, formerly of Pecos, will be celebrating their Golden Anniversary on July 6, 2002 with a reception for family and friends at the Plainview Church of Christ in Colorado City.

Gerald Winford Spray and Mildred Alma Ballard were married July 4, 1952 in Monahans, Texas. They have four children and 11 grandchildren. The couple lived in Pecos for 40 years. Gerald and Mildred ran Airborn Express in Midland for nine years before retiring to Colorado City.

Hosts for the anniversary party are the couple's children and families, Chris and Lee Ann Spray, L'Ray and J'Cie of Lubbock, Texas, Debbie and Davey Beauchamp, Calli and Blake of Monahans, Ivi Shea of Midland, Sue and Andy Woodbury, Kristine, Ian and Annie of Bakersfield, California, Julie and Victor Thompson, Brian and Jessica of San Angelo.

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American Southwest Conference...

Anderson named Athlete of the Year

Former Colorado City standout athlete, Kendra Anderson, continues to reap awards even though it's been over three months now since she last donned a basketball uniform.

The senior-to-be, three-year starter, for the Hardin-Simmons Cowgirls basketball

team was named American Southwest Conference Female Athlete of the Year last Thursday. The award recognizes the male and female student-athlete whose athletic accomplishments have contributed to their sport, their institutions overall athletic program and the conference.

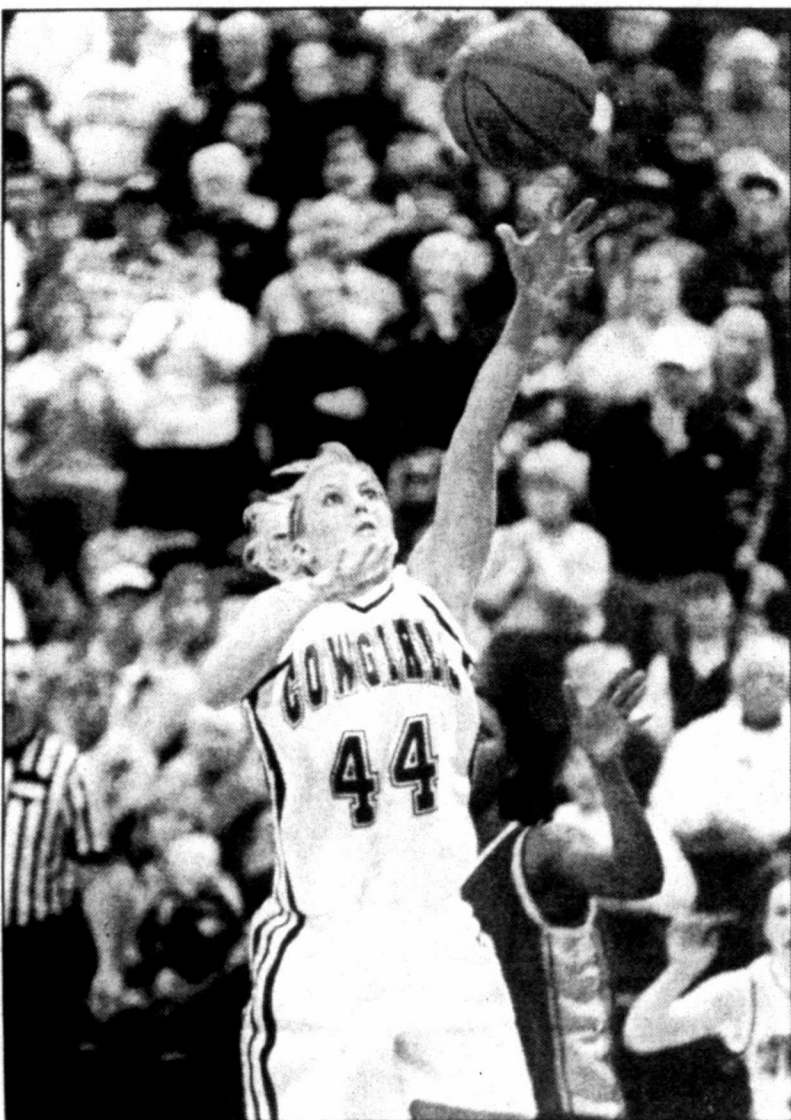
Anderson helped lead the Cowgirls to a 26-2 record this past season as they made their fourth straight appearance in the NCAA Division III Sweet 16, losing to DePaul 84-60.

Other awards for Anderson include being named the league's West Division player of the year for two years in a row as well as finishing as the runner-up this year for the 2002 Jostens Trophy given to the Division III player of the year and was also named the ASC tournament most valuable player for the third year in a row.

Anderson averaged 16.9 points per game and 9.8 rebounds per game while starting in all 28 games last season for the Cowgirls. She became only the eighth player in HSU history to reach the 1,000 point mark in scoring and this was accomplished with yet one more season left for her to play.

As if all these awards were not enough, Anderson has the distinction of being the first and only ASC women's basketball player to be named first team all-american by four different groups, including the Kodak All-American team and the Women's Basketball Coaches Association.

She will be one of four returning starters for the Cowgirls next season. There was a rumor that Anderson might transfer to Oklahoma State University where former Cowgirl head coach Julie Goodenough took her services after the end of this past season, but according to her parents, Woody and Susan Anderson, that will not be the case.



Kendra Anderson

11-12 year old All-Stars lose to Merkel

The Colorado City 11 & 12 year old traveling all-stars got off to a disappointing start last Saturday night in the first game of a scheduled four games in their five-team pool when they dropped a 9-4 contest to tournament host Merkel.

Down 3-0 after the end of the first inning and 5-0 at the end of the first inning and a half, the C-City all-stars put together their best inning of the night in the bottom half of the second inning when they batted around, plating four runs with three of those by way of walks with the bases loaded. Key offensive leaders were Jared George and brother Jacob George. At the end of the inning, Colorado City had cut into the lead and were only down 5-4, but the bases were loaded as the inning was completed.

That would also be as close as the locals could get to Merkel as that score would hold up until the top of the sixth when Merkel would add another four runs, forcing Colorado City to have to come up with five runs in the bottom of the sixth to extend the game into extra innings.

Starting Colorado City pitcher, Simon Reyna, had overcome a rough first two innings before settling down and pitching good ball the third, fourth and fifth innings, but after a Merkel batter came up in the sixth to blast a line shot over the left centerfield fence it appeared Reyna might be lifted as Coach Tommy Rodriguez made his way to the mound.

"I thought at first I might be in trouble," said the 12

year old right hander. "He just told me to be smart with my pitches and make them work for a hit and I would be ok."

Merkel did manage another two runs before the last out of the inning leaving Colorado City with the job of scoring five runs or go back home with a loss.

Though Colorado City was able to get two men on base, they could not get them home, a problem that plagued the group throughout the contest, and the team went down by a final score of 9-4.

The team was to take on Sweetwater on Tuesday before completing the round-robin tournament with games against Snyder on Friday night at 6 pm and finishing with Rotan at 8 pm on Saturday night.

Wolf JV win two in summer league

Despite still playing short-handed the Colorado Wolf JV won both of their summer league basketball games in action played on Tuesday, June 25, in Stanton.

In the first game, the Wolves handled Coahoma by the score of 52 to 37 with future freshman Kenneth Scott having a big game both on offense and defense.

The second game came against district rival Stanton but again they were no match for the talented group of players for Colorado City with the Wolves taking a 54 to 39 win.

Scott was again high point but Brik McGuffin also had a great game and stepped up his play.

The JV also won both of

their games the previous week by defeating both Big Spring and Coahoma handily in play at Midland Greenwood's gym.

With no action this week due to the fourth of July the locals will finish summer league play next Tuesday in Coahoma when they get tested by Midland Greenwood and Midland Classical.

Speaking of Sports....

By Carl Graham

Well, the World Cup of Soccer has been completed and Brazil comes away as the victor this time around by defeating Germany.

Germany, as you may recall eliminated the USA 1-0 in a heck of a match a week earlier. It was the farthest the USA has gone since 1930.

On a local note, this year's round of all-stars kicked off last Saturday in Merkel in the 11-12 year old group. They played Merkel tough through the first five innings before giving up four runs in the top of the sixth that tied the game for the Merkel team. We have confidence that the local kids

will bounce back this week with wins over Sweetwater, Snyder and Rotan.

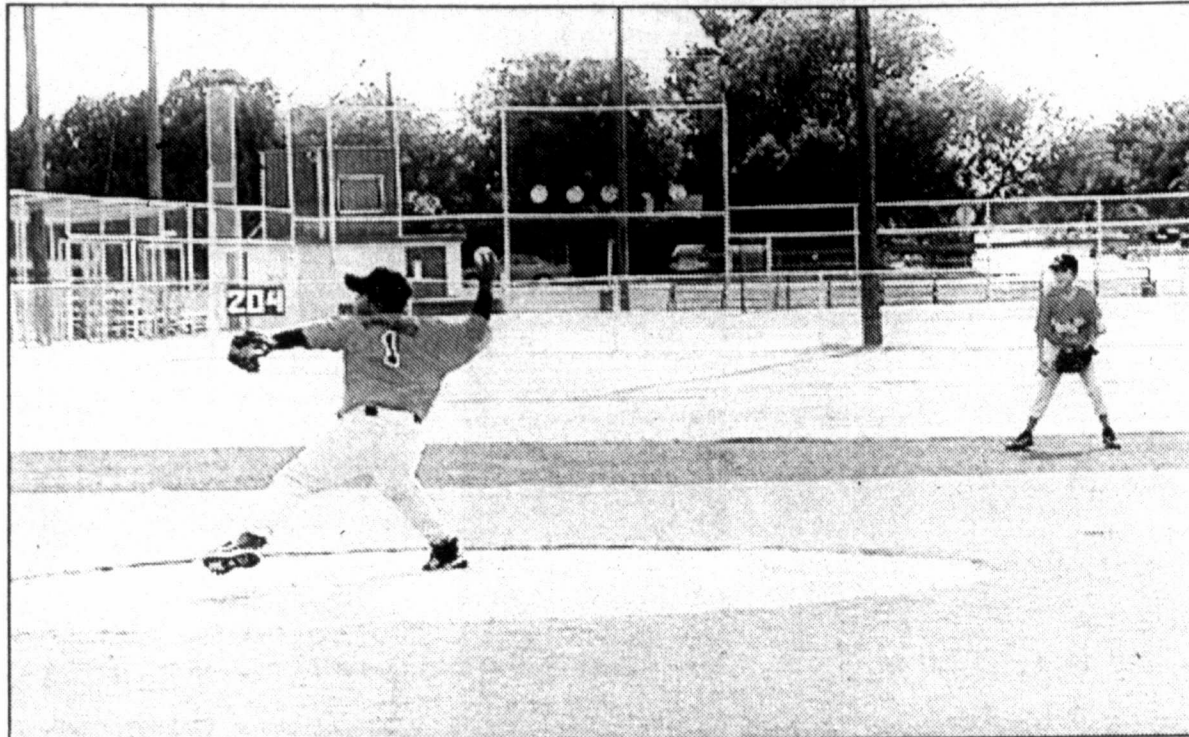
Congratulations go to former Lady Wolf Kendra Anderson as she has picked up yet another award for her basketball skills with the Hardin-Simmons Cowgirls. Last week she was named female Athlete of the Year in the American Southwest Conference (ASC) and that is quite an honor as it takes in all sports that females participate in. Way to go to Kendra! You do make Colorado City proud.

It's hard to believe that the fourth of July is already here. We hope everyone has a very

safe and happy one this year. Let's keep in mind what our freedom is all about and the

costs of those that sacrificed their lives for that freedom.

The major league all-stars have been named for the annual event scheduled this year for July 8. As always several top names are missing but it's hard not to snub someone as they limit each team to 30 players. The American League ended up with five shortstops on their team. Makes you wonder where some of them may end up playing in order to get everybody in the game which they try to do each year.



JACOB MARTINEZ, pitcher for the 9&10 year old Colorado City All-Stars, gets set to throw a pitch Monday night against Snyder as shortstop, Nick Reyna, gets set to field the ball if it is hit his way. The locals lost a 5-4 squeaker to the Snyder squad.

9-10 year olds lose to Snyder, 5-4

The Colorado City 9 & 10 year old All-Stars dropped their first game of pool play action Monday night against Snyder 5-4 in a game played at host Snyder's baseball field.

As their 11 & 12 year old counterparts had done Saturday night in Merkel, the team fell behind 3-0 in the first inning before settling down.

Colorado City cut into the lead by scoring two runs in the bottom of the second, a lead that would hold up until the fourth inning when Snyder

tacked on another run to put them up by a 4-2 count.

Colorado City bats came around in the top of the fifth inning when they plated two more runs to tie the contest at 4-4 but Snyder closed out the scoring for the night with another run in the bottom of the fifth to go back up by one at 5-4.

The locals efforts to regain the lead were unsuccessful in the top half of the sixth inning as J.C. Johnson and Nick Richburg both struck out before Derek Gainey ended the

game with a ground out to the first baseman.

Jacob Martinez went the distance for Colorado City and absorbed the loss in the 5-4 squeaker.

The All-Stars were to return to Snyder Tuesday night to play Merkel before testing Sweetwater in an 8 pm encounter on Friday night and then closing tournament play with Clyde in a game scheduled for 6 pm, also to be played in Snyder.

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FOUR LORAINE FFA CHAPTER OFFICERS attended the 2002 Area II Leadership Camp at Howard College on June 24-26. At the camp, these students were involved in several group sessions where they learned various leadership and speaking skills. The members also participated in many games and a dance every night. Tabitha Epperson received an Outstanding Participant Award plaque. Only ten students at the camp received this special honor. Pictured (l-r) Eric Wooddell, Krystal Sanchez, Stacy Parham, and Tabitha Epperson.

By Bessie Ann Vaughn

Greetings! Usually at this time of the year, on the 4th of July, many people think of barbecue, potato salad, baked beans and watermelon.

Maybe even a family reunion, but this year especially, preceding the good food and get togethers. Think about how fortunate we are to have been born in the USA. I still plan to say one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all. Have a great holiday!

Tom and Anne Palmer were in town Wednesday and went to the center for lunch and visitation. They brought along a friend, Jean Harvey of Lubbock. We enjoyed meeting her and hope she makes a return visit.

Visiting with Dorothy Halton over the weekend were Anita Hoover, Connie Hoover, and children all from Winthrop, Arkansas.

Guests in the home of Bea Looney from last Monday through Friday were Tommie Ann Clark, Kim Vibbard and her two children, all from Marshall Town, Iowa.

Paul and Dawn Kropp and daughters Danielle and Elizabeth of Conroe visited with Danny and Pam Butler also Juanice Butler over the weekend.

James and Gerrie Wooddell along with other family members attended an annual Hubbard family reunion at Glenrose this past weekend where 118 people congregated.

At Tres Rios Ranch, where three rivers meet, cabins were available for everyone. Swimming, river rafting, horseback riding, eating good food and making music were highlights of some activities. One family member brought along a Karioki machine, Dub played fiddle, Jeff Wooddell played guitar, Henry Mitchell lead guitar. Several singers including Kelly Bruce. One aunt, Joyce Shelton, 76, who lives in Baytown, Texas was the only living Hubbard member. A lot of music and singing along with picture taking took place before everyone said goodbye.

I learned that Bible School was a very good success this year at First Baptist Church in Loraine. The children wanted it to go on for another week, but I was told the workers were ready for a break, as they had worked hard and long.

Chester and Beverly Collier of Westbrook and Jimmy and Hudson Collier of Walls, Texas visited with Nell Doyle this past weekend and while here they helped her with some work around her home.

Visiting Nola Taylor last Friday were her children Kitty Gage of Lubbock and David and Darla Taylor of Midland along with Nathan and Whitney. The group had lunch at the Senior Center last Friday and visited with old friends.

George M. Lee had recent surgery, not George Jr. I spoke with George M. on Monday and he seems to be recuperating nicely and is in good spirits.

Herman Mitchell and Kellie Bruce are engaged to be married sometime this month. The tentative date is set for July 26th. The wedding will take place Dorn Community Church. We wish the couple every happiness.

Verna Mae Adkins from Ft. Worth, formerly of Loraine, is in town visiting her son Ray and other relatives and friends. She and Millie Rose have enjoyed being together, dining out and touring areas in Mitchell County.

Senior Center
Last Wednesday, June 26th, was our scheduled birthday lunch. The traditional meal of turkey and dressing was enjoyed along with the variety show prior to the noon meal. It was local talent playing in the Hillbilly Clatter band.

Taking part in the fun were Nell Doyle, Vida Mae McDaniel, Charlene Walker, Allie Ruth Wiggins, Joan Long, Juanice Butler and June Barron. Vida Mae played piano for the group and harmonica players were Nell Doyle and Allie Ruth Wiggins.

Sweetwater line dancers cut a rug last Monday. They had fun dancing and the crowd had fun watching.

A keepsake handmade quilt is still on display at the center. It was made and donated by Pat Hudgins to be given away at the upcoming homecoming in October. The quilt giveaway will be executed by a ticket drawing. Raffle tickets are \$1 each. You may buy a ticket at the Loraine Center or mail a check to Loraine Ex-Students Assn., PO Box 43, Loraine, Texas 79532. The beautiful quilt is in school colors of black and gold with matching pillows.

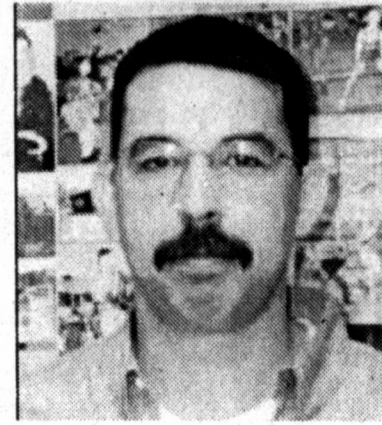
The Center will be closed Friday, July 5 in observance of the July 4th holiday.

"Things to Ponder"
Travel is very educational. I can now say "kaopetate" in seven different languages.

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By Keith Hiser
County Executive Director
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West Nile Virus (WNV), a form of "sleeping sickness," was confirmed June 18 in two dead blue jays found in northwest Houston. Veterinarians at the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC), the state's livestock health regulatory agency, are urging owners of horses, mules, donkeys and other equids to ensure that their animals have been vaccinated against not only West Nile Virus (WNV), but also against Eastern and Western Equine Encephalitis (EEE) and (WEE), two common forms of "sleeping sickness."

"The introduction of West Nile Virus into Texas isn't surprising, as we have monitored the south and eastward migration of the disease since it was first detected in North America in New York in 1999. Last year, WNV was reported in 738 equids in 20 states," commented Dr. Terry Conger, TAHC's state veterinary epidemiologist.

He explained that staff members from the TAHC and the Texas Department of Health (TDH), which focuses on human health issues, have worked jointly to share laboratory and surveillance information and educational materials about this disease which can be transmitted from infected mosquitoes to humans and equids, causing brain swelling and severe illness. Until 1999, WNV was confined to Africa, Europe, Asia, and the Middle East.

Dr. Conger said that the

cycle of disease for WNV requires two key players: birds, such as crows, blue jays or hawks, that act as a reservoir for the virus, and mosquitoes that become capable of transmitting disease after they take a blood meal from an infected bird.

According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) in Atlanta, Georgia, there have been no documented cases of person-to-person, animal-to-person or animal-to-animal transmission of WNV. "We consider humans and equids to be 'dead-end' hosts, because they can become ill but haven't been shown to spread infection."

"Late last summer, infected birds were detected in Louisiana and Arkansas," said Dr. Conger. "Now with the confirmation of infected birds in our state, the Texas Department of Health will probably find infected mosquitoes through their surveillance activities."

"Vaccines are available to protect horses, mules and donkeys against WNV and other 'sleeping sickness', but the shots are no value if they aren't given prior to disease exposure," said Dr. Conger.

"We are running out of time before we may see disease transmission, so get your equids vaccinated now. The vaccines require two doses, administered three to six weeks apart, and full protection doesn't develop until four to six weeks after the second dose. Realistically, then, it can take seven to 12 weeks for the horse to develop maximum resistance to infection. That's why it's so important to start the round of vaccinations now."

Dr. Conger reminded equid owners that an annual booster is required for continued protection of the animals. "If your horse or other equid has signs of illness, such as staggering or an inability to rise, call your veterinarian immediately. It also is extremely important to rule out other causes of sickness with similar signs, such as rabies," asserted Dr. Conger. "If it is WNV,

appropriate care must be provided quickly. Historically, about 20 percent of infected equids either died or had to be euthanized due to their illness."

"To help reduce the possibility of WNV transmission, don't give mosquitoes a place to breed," said Dr. Conger. "Keep only fresh water in birdbaths and troughs and maintain optimal chlorination in swimming pools. Drain any flowerpots or other containers that hold stagnant water and keep roof gutters clean. Control puddles that collect around stables."

Dr. Conger commended the TDH on its WNV disease surveillance, which includes testing mosquitoes, dead crows, blue jays, hawks and sampling zoo birds. He said "freshly" dead crows, blue jays or hawks can be submitted for laboratory examination, by calling the nearest regional Texas Department of Health office or the Texas Department of Health in Austin at 1-512-458-7255.

"Always wear gloves when handling a dead bird, and wash your hands thoroughly afterward," warned Dr. Conger. "The bird could have had parasites or other illnesses, and precautions are always advisable when handling animals that have died of unknown causes."

Dr. Conger reminded livestock owners that, as always, the TAHC operates a 24-hour hotline for taking reports of unusual signs in livestock, including:

1. Staggering, falling, or inability to rise.
2. Illness affecting a large percentage of animals.
3. Sudden death loss.
4. Blistering around an animal's lips, teats or hooves.
5. Unusual ticks or maggots.

"We are always on guard, watching for a potential foreign animal disease, so we ask producers and veterinarians to watch for these signs and report them immediately to us at 1-800-550-8242," said Dr. Conger. "Immediate response is our best defense in the case of any dangerous disease."

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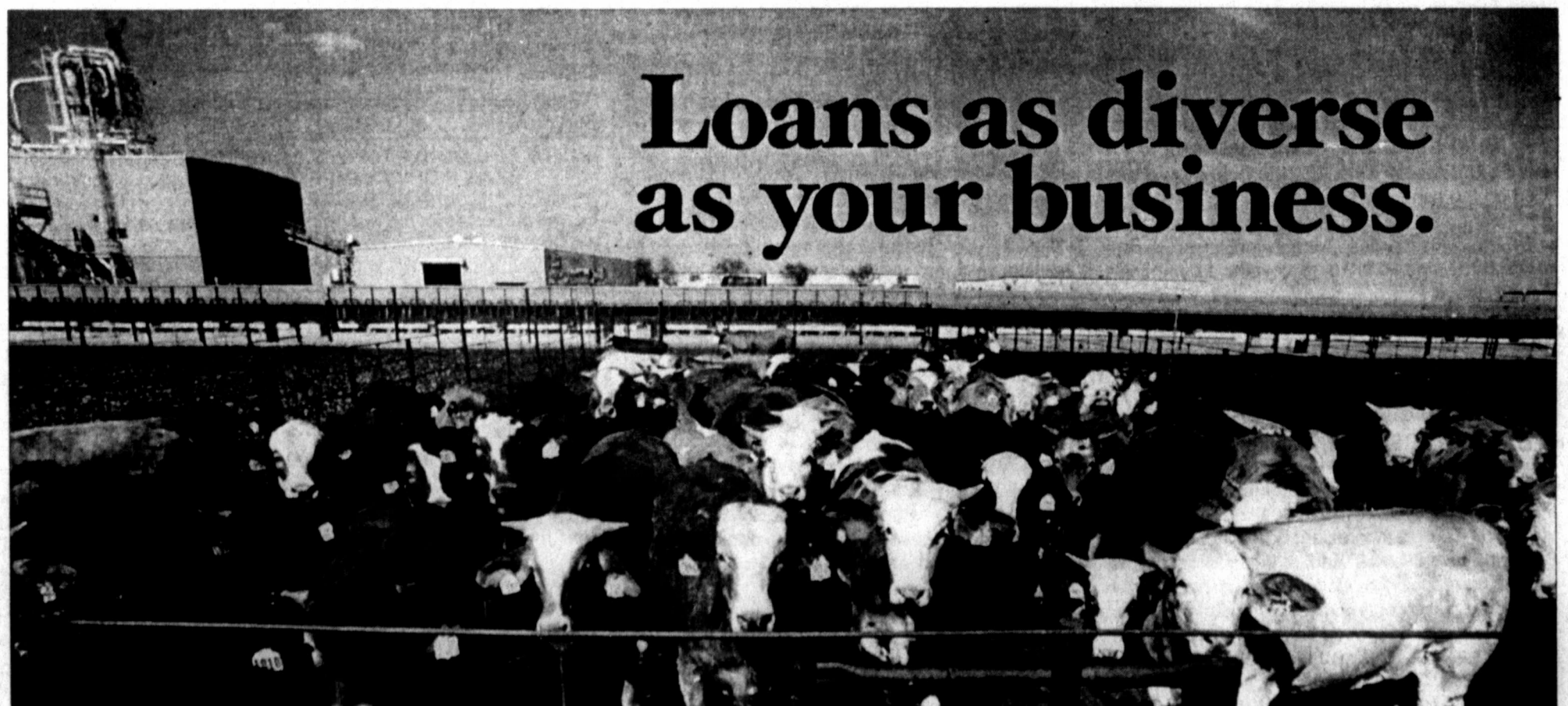
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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO CITY, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the Code of Ordinances of the City of Colorado City, Texas, consisting of Chapters 1 through 14, each inclusive, and Appendices, is hereby adopted and enacted which shall supersede all other general and permanent ordinances of the City passed on or before April 23, 2002.

Section 2. All ordinances of a general and permanent nature enacted on or before April 23, 2002, and not included in the Code or recognized and continued in force by reference therein, are repealed.

Section 3. The repeal provided for in Section 2 hereof shall not be construed to revive any ordinance or part thereof that has been repealed by a subsequent ordinance that is repealed by this ordinance.

Section 4. Unless a differing penalty is expressly provided for within the Code, every person convicted of a general violation of any provision of the code or any rule, ordinance, or police regulation of the City shall be punished by a fine not to exceed \$2,000.00 for violations of all such rules, ordinances and police regulations that govern fire safety, zoning or public health and sanitation, including dumping of refuse, and not exceeding \$500.00 for all other violations. Each act of violation and each day upon which any such violation shall occur shall constitute a separate offense. The penalty provided by this section, unless another penalty is expressly provided, shall apply to the amendment of any Code section, whether or not such penalty is reenacted in the amendatory ordinance. In addition to the penalty prescribed above, the City may pursue other remedies such as abatement of nuisances, injunctive relief and revocation of licenses or permits.

Section 5. Additions or amendments to the Code when passed in such form as to indicate the intention of the City Council to make same a part of the Code shall be deemed to be incorporated into the Code, so that reference to the Code includes the additions and amendments.

Section 6. Ordinances adopted after April 23, 2002, that amend or refer to ordinances that have been codified in the Code shall be construed as if they amend or refer to like provisions of the Code.

Section 7. This ordinance and the Code adopted hereby shall become effective upon final passage of this ordinance.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO CITY, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 2ND DAY OF JULY, 2002.

Bob Reilly
Mayor

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Siamese cat missing! Ling was lost near Gas 'n' Grub intersection on June 8th. Neutered male with all vaccinations, 9 1/2 pounds, 2 1/2 years old. Could be trying to return to home in Bronte. Ling's people are very anxious for his return. Please call (915)473-5611 in Bronte with any information.

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3 bd, 1 1/2 bath, 1416 Dallas, \$24,500.
3 bd, 2 bath, central heat & air, 1207 Oak, \$29,500.
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