

THURSDAY

September 14, 1989

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Briefly

Game canceled

The Loraine Junior High football game with Sands Thursday night has been canceled.

Tourney set

There will be a fun mixed volleyball tournament Sunday, Sept. 24.

Entry fee is \$35 with deadline to enter Sept. 23. To enter, call 728-3294.

There will be first, second and third place T-shirts given.

Early dismissal

Colorado City students will be dismissed an hour early from school Friday afternoon, and buses will run an hour early.

Volleyball

The Westbrook senior class will sponsor a mixed volleyball tournament Saturday, Oct. 6, at the Westbrook High School gym. Entry fee is \$10 per person or \$60 a team. The first eight teams will be taken.

Those who need practice time on Thursday or Friday should call 644-2311 to reserve a time.

For more information, contact Jim Hill, 644-2311, or J.W. Schlee, 644-2151. All proceeds will benefit the Westbrook senior class.

Diabetes group

The Diabetes Support Group will meet Thursday, Sept. 14, at 7 p.m. at the Home Health Building, 505 Chestnut. Speaker will be Charla Cain. Her topic will be hidden sugar in the diet.

Yard of month

This is the final month for the "Yard of the Month" contest. If your selection is not a previous winner, call to renominate.

Deadline for nomination for the month of October is Sept. 26. Contact Marsha Burrus, 728-5254; Flo McKenney, 728-5879; or the chamber of commerce, 728-3403.

Car wash

The Christian Fellowship youth will hold a car wash Saturday, Sept. 16, at First National Bank starting at 9 a.m.

A donation of \$5 or more will be accepted.

Around Town

Happy birthday, DR. DON BENNETT...and SUSIE MOLINA...DEBBIE BLAIR sewing, sewing, sewing...MARGARET LATIMER taking in the middle school pig-skin review...ED WILSON introducing the players...

Deaths...

Gray Pineda Woods See Page 4

C-City woman dies in wreck

A 22-year-old Colorado City woman was killed and three of her children injured in a one-vehicle accident early Sunday morning.

Teresa Garcia Pineda died when she was thrown from the

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1984 Chevrolet S-10 Blazer which rolled over two and a half times, said DPS Trooper Frank Costabile who, along with Trooper Don Massey and

Colorado City Policemen Jeff Deaver and Charles Rice, investigated.

The mishap, which occurred .7 of a mile east of the city limits on Loop 377 (old Highway 80), was reported at 4:43 a.m. Sunday. Costabile said the woman was traveling westbound and had just exited from Interstate 20 onto Loop 377 and had crossed the overpass when she apparently fell asleep. The vehicle struck a road sign, causing it to roll two and a half times before coming to rest

on the driver's side.

Costabile said the woman was thrown from the vehicle as it was rolling and was apparently killed instantly when she struck the pavement. She was pronounced dead at the scene at 5:28 a.m. by Justice of the Peace Keith Rud-dick.

Two of the children, David Pineda Jr., 6, and Misty Pineda, 4, also were thrown from the vehicle into a bar ditch. The third child, Michael, 1, remained in the vehicle.

All three children received injuries with Misty hospitalized at Mitchell County Hospital with head injuries. She was dismissed Monday.

Costabile said Monday he was still trying to pinpoint the time the accident happened. Apparently it happened sometime between 2:30 and 4:43 a.m. He said neither the woman nor the children were wearing seat belts.

A fund to help defray funeral expenses has been established at City National Bank.



Teresa Pineda

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Sales tax payment dips again

Colorado City's sales tax allocation took another nosedive this month with the check for \$25,882 some 14.43 percent less than a year ago.

Last year's payment for the same period totaled \$30,247. However, the 1989 payments to date are \$284,667, 4.53 percent more than the 1988 payments to date of \$272,325.

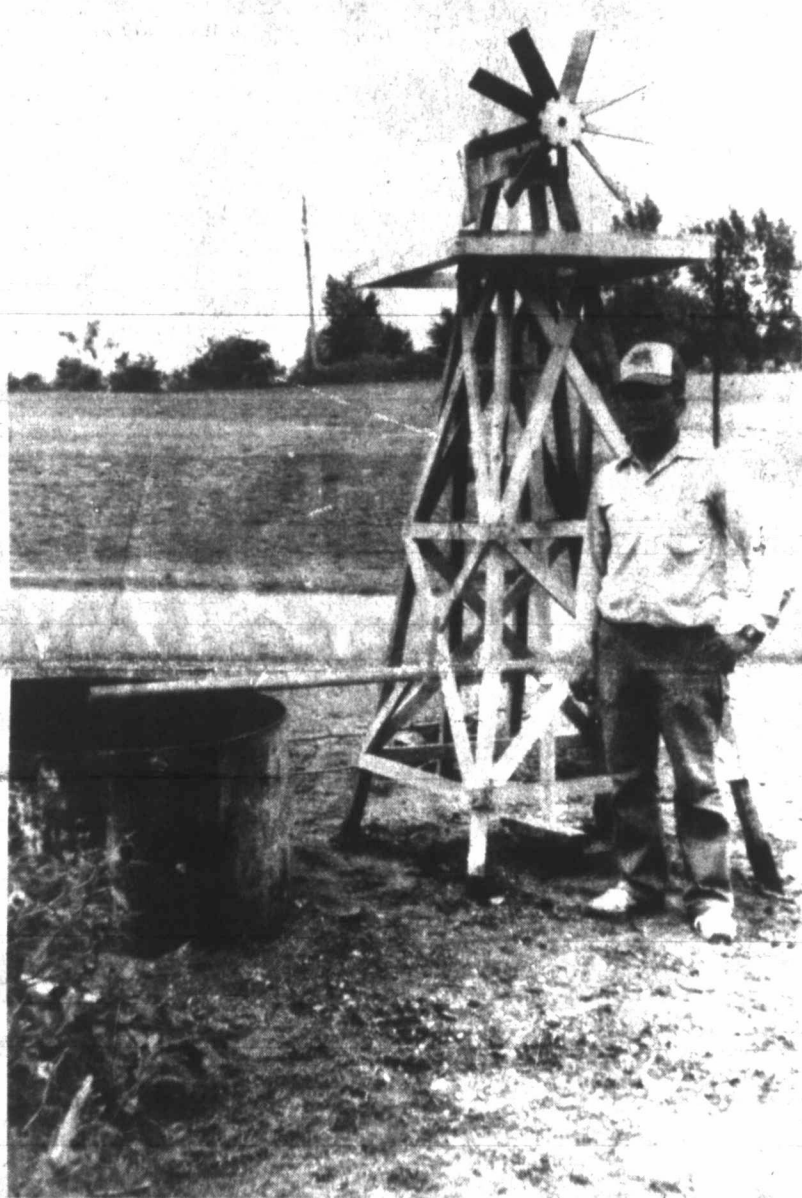
September's checks represent taxes collected by monthly filers in July and reported to the state Comptroller's office by Aug. 21.

Neither Loraine nor Westbrook received a payment this time. Westbrook's payments to date total \$3,610, down 65.30 percent from a year ago when the payments to date total \$4,539, 7.73 percent more than last year's.

Mitchell County received \$10,218 this time, down 21.92 percent from a year ago when the payment was \$13,087. The 1989 payments to date are \$108,752, up 2.57 percent from a year ago when payments stood at \$106,024.

Area cities and the amounts they received this time include Snyder, \$55,921, down 9.23 percent; Sweetwater, \$51,931, down

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WINDY ADDITION - Walter Mitchell, caretaker at Ruddick Park, stands beside the wooden windmill he constructed and placed just east of the swimming pool area and west of Lone Wolf Creek.

County to place ad valorem tax before voters

Mitchell County voters will be asked to decide upon an economic development ad valorem tax during the Nov. 7 constitutional amendment election.

Mitchell County Commissioners' Court Monday afternoon approved a request from the recently formed Mitchell County Economic Development Commission to place the proposition on the ballot.

If approved by voters, the referendum allows the county to assess up to 5 cents per \$100 valuation with the funds to be used to advertise and promote growth and development of the county. The money would be put into a separate fund to be known as the board of development fund and would be used only for board purposes.

A letter to the court from economic development commission members Elmer Martin, Mike Hemphill, Gayle Houston, Bobby Lemons and Woody Anderson said "this action would allow Mitchell County to apply for any state and federal grants or matching fund projects. It would

also allow the county to contract with the federal government, the state, a political subdivision of the state, a nonprofit organization, or any other person or entity for the administration of the program. It also allows the county to accept contributions, gifts, or other resources to administer the program."

County Judge Mac Morris said if approved by voters, collection of the valorem tax will start in next year.

Morris said the tax could not be any more than 5 cents per \$100 valuation and said the commissioners would have to set the amount following the recommendation of the economic development commission.

Morris said that an industrial prospect will be meeting with local leaders Monday.

In related business, the court approved an order establishing a Community Justice Council as appointed by District Judge Weldon Kirk. Morris said the council is necessary if the county is to be eligible for acquiring a prison

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City eyes water distribution improvements

Colorado City Council members were told Tuesday night that the city has a sound credit rating should it decide to initiate some type of bond program with which to finance water distribution system improvements.

Joe Smith of First Southwest Company, which has handled the city's bond programs in the past, said the city continues to be "well managed" and exercises sound "financial discipline" which should help if it decides to sell bonds to finance a water distribution improvement program.

The council discussed at its last meeting the need for improve-

ments in the water distribution system, especially the replacement of old cast-iron pipes that are now corroded to the point that water pressure is extremely low in parts of town.

Smith pointed out that the city will be out of its current bonded indebtedness by 1993 and that by next May 1, the city will pay off the final amount owed on the last water improvement project which included improvements to the sewer treatment plant in 1976.

Smith said there are two or three alternate financing plans available to cities including general obligation bonds, grants

and low interest loans.

He said the Farmers Home Administration offer a loan program with the lowest interest rate, especially if the city qualified under the poverty guidelines established by the agency.

Smith suggested, and Mayor Jim Baum agreed, that the city contact an engineering firm to obtain an estimate on the needs and anticipated cost of such a program.

Baum asked City Manager Brenda Hammond to contact engineering firm to "get a ball park figure on a price" for the water improvements.

In a related matter, following a public hearing, the council gave authorization for the city to apply for a \$199,000 Texas Community Development grant for water distribution improvements. The project calls for some 7,800 feet of new six- and eight-inch water lines in area in the central part of town. The city's share of the project, if granted, will be \$46,000 with \$23,000 of it in money and \$23,000 in in-kind services.

The council also agreed to apply for a \$30,000 grant for mapping of the city as well as planning studies for the downtown

business district and for economic development. The city's share of the grant, if approved, will be \$6,000.

Councilman Dee Hearn said in preparing for the application for the \$30,000 grant, she conducted a survey of the downtown area which shows that there are 94 buildings in the area, 64 of which are occupied, 30 unoccupied and 13 listed as substandard structures.

The council also approved a budget amendments totaling \$21,500 which will be used to

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Constitutional amendments told

Texas voters will be asked to decide on 21 constitutional amendments during the special Nov. 7 election this year.

The proposed amendments range from raising legislators' salaries to providing a bill of rights for crime victims.

A brief explanation of each of the 21 proposed amendments are included in today's Record. The list will run again in the Thursday, Sept. 21 Record.

Trustees hear reports, open bids

Colorado City school trustees Monday night heard updates on asbestos abatement and construction projects.

Don Nimmo, assistant superintendent, said the asbestos abatement at Kelley and Hutchinson elementaries and at the CVAE building at middle school is completed, but that cleanup is continuing.

Nimmo said that the air quality was verified following the abatement and that there is

no problem in that area. However, he said the contractors have been neglectful in cleaning up after new ceilings were blown in and new floor tile installed. Nimmo said that new floor tile will have to be installed in the CVAE building after the old tile started buckling following the asbestos abatement from the ceiling.

Nimmo said that there was some water damage at middle school following an early

Monday morning rainstorm. He said that the new roof had been put on the school, but that the areas around the air conditioning units and the firewall had not been sealed. He said it will be up to the contractor to repair the damage caused by the leaks.

In other business, the trustees opened bids for a copier and two stencil

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Benitez wins football contest

Eddie Benitez of Loraine was the first place winner in the Record's Jackpot Football contest last week by missing only four games.

Second place went to Jerry Graham of Loraine, who missed five of the football games, and third place honors went to Cara Lindsey of Colorado City, who missed six.

This week's list of games and entry blank can be found on page 6 in today's Record.

**CITY**

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 pay for new water lines on Vine Street to relieve an emergency situation in that area. The action came at the recommendation of the capital improvement committee.

Hammond said that the Vine Street improvements, the proposed grant application area and the major water improvement program under study will all coordinate with one another when and if they are all approved.

Ricky Thompson, a candidate in the last council election, asked the council to consider a referen-

dum election to let citizens decide whether or not they want single member voting districts. At the last council meeting, the council declined to take action to convert the present at-large system of electing council members to single member districts.

"We need to get people involved," said Thompson, adding that an election "would let the citizens have a say in the single member districts."

Tom Rees, city attorney, said he had never heard of such an election and told the council that "the people have elected you to

make that decision."

Local LULAC president Oscar Ortiz said that a single member district issue could not be settled by such a referendum, because "you would get a more negative output" from the voters.

Ortiz also was at the meeting to represent a citizen who has a complaint against the police department. Ortiz said Michael Diaz was arrested by Colorado City police officers Tim Atkins and Billy Ray Williamson recently and Diaz claims to have been beaten while he was handcuffed in the backseat of the

patrol car. Diaz's father, Neston Diaz, asked Ortiz and LULAC to represent him in filing a complaint against the city. Ortiz and the Diaz family was to meet with Hammond Wednesday morning concerning the matter.

"I do have the facts in my office and I'm certainly willing to discuss them with you," Hammond told the older Diaz who was at the meeting.

The council took no action on a request from the Industrial Team which asked for a variance of the fire code in order to allow National Foam to store raw products in the old Truss King Building. Fire Marshal Billy Ray Williamson said the material requires that a building as large as the Truss King building be equipped with venting and a sprinkler system. Williamson said he will not grant a variance, but that the council has the authority to do so. The council turned down a similar request from the Industrial Team several months ago when it asked that a variance be granted in order that cotton might be stored in the downtown building.

In other business, the council agreed to refinance the remaining \$69,000 owed on a Caterpillar motor grader which the city has had for three years. The machine was bought in 1986 for \$80,000 for a three-year term. The balance will be paid over a five-year period at \$5,000 a year. Hammond said the machine is in good condition and is cheaper than having to buy a new one or a used one in as good condition.

Hammond updated the council on changes in landfill regulations and suggested that the council start thinking about long-term plans for the landfill - whether to continue with it or to consider using a regional landfill. She said operation of the landfill will be-

come more costly as new regulations take affect.

No action was taken concerning Director of Public Works Buz Rich's request that he be paid \$1,000 a month as a part-time employee for a maximum of 700 hours a year in the event he decides to retire. Rich said at the last meeting that he wants to retire and may do so by the first of the year.

Hammond said that water superintendent David Sanders is resigning to accept the position of water and sewer superintendent for the City of Andrews.

In other business, the council:  
 • approved on third and final reading an ordinance granting renewal of a community television system franchise and granting consent to the transfer of the franchise from Landmark Cable to Tele-Media Company of Mid-America;  
 • approved an ordinance naming the *Colorado City Record* as the city's official newspaper, a step necessary in applying for some of the grants available to cities; and;

• heard City Secretary Glenna Garrett tell about new regulations for government entities concerning record keeping.

**Weather Report**

Date	High	Low	Pct
Sept. 9	95	69	.15
Sept. 10	91	60	.00
Sept. 11	83	62	.00
Sept. 12	76	65	.10

Rainfall this month ..... 25  
 Lake Levels:

Colorado City Lake ..... 2063.00'  
 (Full at ..... 2070.30')  
 Lake Champion ..... 2070.30'  
 (Full at ..... 2083.00')

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

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 facility here. Members of the council are Kirk, Donna Starr, Wendell Bryant, Gerri Randle,

Clay Strange, Ed Roach, Dr. Dee Roach, Richard Murphy, Bobby Sparks, Tom Rees, Gerold Epperson, Rev. David Shaw, Bob Rei-

ly, David Casey and Bill Crockett.

In other business, the court:  
 • denied a request from the Permian Basin Square Dancers to use the county ag barn for square dances because of the county's policy in the past not allowing dances at the facility;

• accepted the annual audit report by Joe Morren, CPA, and approved a contract for him for next year in the amount of \$4,700 plus the cost of postage and supplies;

• approved the school bus routes as presented by the Colorado City, Loraine and Westbrook school districts;

• approved changes in the commissioners in-county travel allowance from \$250 a month plus 100 gallons of gasoline to \$350 a month and no gasoline;

• approved a fee schedule for the sheriff's office as recommended by the sheriff and the state; and;

• approved a cooperative agreement with the Mitchell County Hospital District to expand a driveway past the new heli-pad.

**CISD**

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 duplicating machines but tabled action until the administration can study the bids and make a recommendation. Six bids, ranging from \$4,000

to \$10,675 were opened for a copier, and four bids, ranging from \$10,942 to \$20,990 for the two duplicators, were opened.

The board gave permission to proceed with seal coating the high school parking lot. Bids were opened in July for the project, but were too high, the board determined. Since then, Business Manager Geneva Findley negotiated the price with various contractors and Nobles Construction of Colorado City said it will do the job for \$9,950, the least amount of any of the original bidders. Since the total cost is less than the \$10,000 bid requirement, no action was required from the board.

In other business, the board:  
 • approved changes in attendance policy;  
 • approved teacher appraisers for 1989-90; and;  
 • amended the 1989-90 budget.

**SALES TAX**

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 15.77 percent; Big Spring \$96,966, down 2.57 percent; Robert Lee, \$3,522, up 33.2 percent; and Sterling City, \$2,784, down 27.04 percent.

The only area county that collects a sales tax is Scurry which received \$32,484, up 5.40 percent from a year ago.

**Kids' Day event slated**

The Kiwanis Club annual Kids' Day parade and watermelon feast will be Saturday, Sept. 23, with registration starting at 9:30 a.m. on the south parking lot of the courthouse.

Children must have a number before they are eligible to win a prize. Total prize money is \$200.

The parade route will be south on Oak Street, east on Second Street and end at the Kiwanis Club park.

Categories will be costumes, pets and wheels. First prize winner in each category will win \$25 while second place prize winners receive \$15 each and third place, \$10 each.

A grand prize winner will receive \$50.

For more information, contact Elmer Martin at 728-5226 or Don Henderson at 644-2001.

The event is open to all children of Mitchell County.

**A Reminder... Please Attend this year's Annual Farm Tour**

Thursday, September 14, 1989

**Civic Center**

Registration 8:00-8:30 a.m.

**Free Coffee & Donuts**

BUSES WILL LEAVE AT 8:30 A.M.  
**BARBECUE LUNCHEON-12:00-1:00 P.M.**

RETURN 11:30 A.M.  
**AT THE CIVIC CENTER**

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

TICKETS FOR THE BAR-B-QUE AVAILABLE AT THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Stop 1: Alton Rascke and Kevin Wright will be observing a 1989 CRP planting of Jack and Ross Strain. Proper seedbed preparation, early weed control, and management on CRP will be discussed.

Stop 2: A plant population demonstration on the Mark Rascke farm will be discussed. Seeding rates of 17 plants/foot, 4 plants/foot, and 6 plants/foot will be evaluated.

Stop 3: A cotton variety, plant population, and a flat breaking verses ripping demonstration will be evaluated on the Carl Guelker farm. Cotton varieties planted were Cascot 2910, Delta Pine SR383, DES 119, Acola 90, and PR 80.

**WATERMELON BREAK!**

Stop 4: Perennial Wind Stripcropping and associated management will be discussed along with other conservation compliance options on the Bob and Mike Ratliff farms.

Stop 5: A cotton variety demonstration will be reviewed on the Todd Shaw farm in the Buford community. Varieties planted were Cascot 2910, Acola 90, DES 119, and Delta Pine 20.

Stop 6: Another cotton variety demonstration will be observed on the Alton Rascke farm northeast of Colorado City. Several different varieties were planted with interesting results.

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### Bridge Results

Thursday, Sept. 7		Monday night, Sept. 11	
North-South		North-South	
1st - Sassy Furlow and Bobbie Steakley	2nd - Josie Ree Randle and Thelma McSpadden	1st - Marie Hixon and Bette Byrd, Sweetwater	2nd - Warren Costin and Margaret Costin
3rd - Billiesue Stuard, Snyder, and Coleen Palmer	East-West	1st - Rogene Spruell and Coleen Palmer	2nd - George Stewart and Shirley Stewart, Snyder
1st - Warren Costin and Margaret Costin	2nd - Willie Brown and Fayrell Boney	3rd - Dot Casey and Polly Ballard, Snyder	East-West
3rd - Novella Haney and Mary B. Gracey, Roscoe		1st - Sassy Furlow and Bobbie Steakley	

### Livestock Report

The market was \$1-2 higher at the Sept. 9 sale at Colorado City Livestock Auction, Inc.

Heifers - 2-400, \$82-94; 4-600, \$77-81; 6-800, \$72-75.

Steers - 2-400, \$95-115; 4-600, \$82-92; 6-800, \$74-80.

Bred Cows: \$550-600.

Pairs: \$625-800.

Packer Cows: \$47-54.

Packer Bulls: \$58-66.

## Members hear retirement tips

The Beta Epsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, an international organization of women educators, met Tuesday at Wolf Creek Golf Club for a salad supper and program as its first meeting of the year.

Hostesses were Janie Lou Greenlee, Frances Godwin and Patty Pharis.

Theme for the program was "There's No Business Like No Business". Gaye Carpenter, program director, introduced panel members who spoke on various aspects of retirement. Speakers were Jay Craddock, guest, and chapter members Mabel Merritt, Dale Geer, Betsy Aycock and Marian Craddock.

Topics included Mrs. Geer's clever presentation of "More Years to Live, Laugh and Love" and Mrs. Aycock's on important legislation affecting retired

teachers and, ultimately, all teachers. Mrs. Merritt spoke on "Maintaining the Educator Image in Retirement".

Mr. Craddock presented information on various forms of investments, retirement plans and insurance. He stressed the importance of always having a savings and retirement fund and of beginning early in life.

Mrs. Craddock opened and closed the panel discussion. She told about some steps to take in preparation for retiring, the advantages of belonging to AARP and NRTA. She quoted Dr. Paul Costa of the National Institute on Aging who says the following statement is typical of the personality type who usually has a successful retirement:

"These people don't think of retiring so much as they do to

moving on to something else. Their common personality characteristics are: They are active; gregarious, maintain activity levels, generally focus on the more positive things in life and are not apt to be moody or blue."

Mrs. Janet Mayo, president, presided at the business meeting following the program. Routine chapter business was conducted,

and Wilma Reynolds, program chairperson, presented new year-books for the 1989-90 year.

Others present were Carolyn Weaver, Sonja Hanks, Linda Mathis, Kitten Arthur, Jean Robinson, Barbara Hammond, Earline Sellier, Ethelyn Lancaster, Margaret Rees, Debbie Denison, Peggy Ratliff and Margaret Sparks.

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# Seth Cowan named physician of year

Seth S. Cowan, M.D., of Garland, formerly of Colorado City, has been named "1989 Family Physician of the Year" by the Texas Academy of Family Physicians (TAFP).

Cowan, a member of the medical staff of Memorial Hospital of Garland and Garland Community Hospital, was selected by the Public Relations/Publications Committee of the TAFP, which consists of other family physicians.

Selection for this award was based on Cowan's activity in the academy and his rendering of care to patients with a caring attitude which personifies what a family physician should be.

In addition to Cowan's award, he is now a nominee for the "Good Housekeeping's National Family Doctor of the Year" which will be selected in the fall.

Committed to the community, Cowan has served on the Garland City Health Board, the Child Medical Care Panel and is a

member of the Garland Chamber of Commerce. He currently serves as elder of the Austin Street Church of Christ of which he has been a member 25 years.

Within the TAFP, Cowan has been president and chairman of the board. He has chaired various committees and has been appointed to several national committees. He was a charter diplomate of the American Board of Family Practice and has been recertified three times. Cowan has been a delegate to the American Academy of Family Physicians since 1986 and serves on the board of the Texas Academy of Family Physicians Foundation.

He received his bachelor of arts degree from the University of Texas in Austin, his medical degree from the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston and performed his rotating internship in the University of Oklahoma Hospitals.

He has been married to his wife, Tommye, for 33 years and has three children, Cathy, Elizabeth and Lauren, and three grandchildren.

The TAFP says, "Dr. Seth Cowan has been able to maintain a wide variety of personal and professional activities out of an attitude of service. Serving his family, his patients and his fellow community members, he has emerged as a leader in medical organizations."

## Births

Johnny Dusten, son of Linda and Billy Joe Thurman of Snyder, was born in Mitchell County Hospital, September 8 weighing 5 pounds 12 ounces. He was 19 1/2 inches long.

## Obituaries

### Teresa Garcia Pineda

Teresa Garcia Pineda, 22, of Colorado City died Sunday, Sept. 10, 1989 in a one-vehicle accident one mile east of Colorado City on Loop 377 (old Highway 80).

Services were at 4 p.m. Tuesday at St. Ann Catholic Church with Rev. John Busch officiating. Burial was in Mitchell County Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Nov. 24, 1966 in Loraine, she was a member of St. Ann Catholic Church. She was a waitress.

Survivors include her husband, David Pineda of Colorado City; two daughters, Leslie Pineda and Misty Pineda, both of Colorado City; two sons, David Pineda Jr. and Michael Pineda, both of Colorado City; her parents, Juan Espinosa and Amelia Rosa of Colorado City; two sisters, Joann Garcia and Rosemary Rosas, both of Colorado City; a brother, Henry Garcia of Colorado City; her grandmothers, Alifonsia Garcia and Margaret Lucera, both of Colorado City; and her grandfathers, Santiago Lucera and Ben Garcia, both of Colorado City.

### Claude Lee Woods

Claude Lee Woods, 77, a long-time resident of Loraine, died Monday, Sept. 11, 1989 at Mitchell County Hospital.

Services will be Thursday at 3 p.m., at Crockett and Smiley Church of Christ in Loraine with A.C. Polk of Dallas officiating, assisted by Andrew Purcella. Burial will be in Loraine Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Aug. 6, 1912 in Grand Saline, he was a retired Church of Christ minister. He was a member of the Crockett and Smiley Church of Christ. He married Faye Carpenter Aug. 13, 1932 in Plain Deling, La. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Fay Woods of Loraine; four sons, Wesley Woods of Waco, Jerry Woods of Loraine, Laddie Woods of Monroe, La. and James Woods of Dallas; two sisters, Vera Carpenter and Ruth Moore, both of Loraine; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Nephews will be pallbearers.

### Barbara Ann Gray

Barbara Ann Gray, 57, a resident of Colorado City since 1957, died Saturday, Sept. 9, 1989 at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

Services were Sunday at 2 p.m. at the First Baptist Church with Dr. Ted Spear, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Colorado City Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 10, 1931 in Ownesboro, Ken., she recently retired as director of the Wallace Community Education Center. She was a member of the First Baptist Church. Very active in civic affairs, she had served on various chamber of commerce boards as well as the Business and Professional Woman's Club board.

She married Carroll D. Gray Dec. 24, 1952 in Ownesboro, Ken. Survivors include her husband, Carroll Gray of Colorado City; a son, George Gray of Corpus Christi; two sisters, Doris Earussi of Weatherford and Bonnie Leach of El Paso; a brother, Bill Wornica of Weatherford; and two grandchildren, Caleb Smith and Hallie Smith, both of Abilene.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Jean Ann Smith. Pallbearers were Bob Chalker, Robert Henderson, Bim Carlock, Emmett Banks and Elbert Spann.

### Ulysses Littleton Ballard Sr.

OWENS - Ulysses Littleton Ballard Sr., 78, died Saturday, Sept. 9, 1989 at his home.

Services were at 10 a.m. Monday at the Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel in Brownwood with the Rev. Danny Doyle officiating. Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Monday in the Bronte Cemetery.

Born in Snyder, he lived in Brown County for 18 years. He was a carpenter and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Vera Ballard of Owens; two daughters, Frankie Chung of Annapolis, Md., and Patricia Brooks of Bruceville; three sons, Johnny Haechten of Brownwood, U.L. Ballard Jr. of Gilmer and Larry W. Ballard of Longview; a sister, Addie Martin of Colorado City; a brother, Jesse Ballard of Lubbock; 16 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

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A "Parent Help Kit" is being placed in the Learning Resource Center of each Drug Free Schools coop district as part of the regional intervention plan.

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# Senate resolution honors Gregory

A resolution was adopted in the Texas Senate in memory of the R.E. (Dick) Gregory Jr., former sheriff of Mitchell County.

The resolution, introduced by Senator Bill Sims, reads:

"WHEREAS, the Senate of the State of Texas joins the citizens of Midland in mourning the loss of R.E. (Dick) Gregory Jr. who died Aug. 2, 1989; and

"WHEREAS, Born Aug. 24, 1924 in Colorado City, he had lived in Midland since 1966; and

"WHEREAS, He attended high school in Colorado City and served his country in the infantry during World War II with distinction; and

"WHEREAS, following his discharge in 1945, he returned to

Colorado City and served as sheriff of Mitchell County for more than 10 years; and

"WHEREAS, A dedicated and diligent worker, he began work with the Cactus Drilling Company in 1966 and later became an independent oil and gas operator; and

"WHEREAS, A faithful Christian, he attended First United Methodist Church in Midland; and

"WHEREAS, His wise counsel and good judgment will be sorely missed and forever gratefully remembered by those who knew

him; now, therefore, be it

"PROCLAIMED, That the Senate of the State of Texas hereby extend sincere condolences to his bereaved family; his wife, Charlsa Marie Gregory; his daughter, Charlsa Ann Hillman; his sons, Jack L. Waldrep Jr., and David Waldrep; his brother, Clyde Gregory; his sister, Jo Knox; and his seven grandchildren; and, be it further

"PROCLAIMED, That copies of this Proclamation be prepared for those held dear by R.E. (Dick) Gregory Jr., as a token of sympathy from the Senate of Texas."



SNAKES ALIVE! - Otha Gray shows what she describes as an unusual rattle snake she killed on her place south of town last week.

## Price family holds annual reunion

The family of D. H. and Elizabeth (Badgett) Pace held its annual reunion in August at the Colorado City State Park. They are descendants of William Henry Badgett who settled in the Cuthbert area in 1890.

The children attending were Shorty and Edna (Robertson) Pace and Versie (Pace) McMillan of Colorado City.

The grandchildren attending were Averill (Hale) Badgett, Stanton; Bob and Doris (Peterson) McMillan, Portland, TX; Lura (Hale) and Dave Davis; Bernice (Hale) Vannoy, Midland; Linden and LaJuana (McMillan) Solomon, Weldon and Edna (Joiner) McMillan, Horace Pace, Colorado City; Claudine (Pace) and Charlie McCormick, Odessa; Betty Sue (Hale) and Sonny Crocker, Big Spring.

Great-grandchildren and great-grandchildren were Sandra McCormick, Odessa; Brian and Kathy (Davis) Chandler and Lucas of Midland; Klay and Tonya (Williams) McMillan, Kole and Eliabeth of Loraine; Karlton and Robyn (Wilkins) McMillan and Brandon, Ira; Don and Karalee (McMillan) Forte, Jamie and Kaleb, Kristie McMillan, Kræig McMillan, Colorado City.

The next reunion will be August 1990.

## Hardin reunion held

The annual Labor Day reunion honoring the late Henry and Mary Bell Hardin was held at Camp Pearl Christian Center in Reeves, La., near Kinder.

The reunion was sponsored by the five surviving children - Thelma Hardin Noris, Eddie Hardin Denton, Verline Hardin Long, Archie C. Hardin and Thomas R. Hardin - and nieces, nephew, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

There were 106 in attendance who enjoyed food, games, swimming and visiting. They came from Cleveland, Texas, Netherland, Texas, Groves, Texas, Port Arthur, Texas and Kinder, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin had five children who are deceased. They are Berry Hardin, Iva Hardin Caldwell, Ida Fay Hardin Miller, Marie Hardin Donchoo and James Carl Hardin.

## Watson reports for new duty

Air Force Chief Master Sgt. Clarence E. Watson has arrived for duty in Portugal.

Watson is an aircraft manager with the 1605th Military Airlift Support Squadron.

His wife, Rachel, is the daughter of Ira L. and Audrey Beights of Loraine.

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# Sports

## Bulldogs win big

The Loraine Bulldogs whipped Lueders-Avoca Friday night at Loraine, 51-6.

Lueders scored first on a 45 yard pass from Lee Lopez to Benny Jarvis. The extra point was no good.

Loraine scored next by Shawn Finley on a five yard run. The extra point was no good and the score was tied 6-6.

On the next scoring drive, Anthony Williams threw a seven yard pass to Rudy Sanchez and Finley kicked the extra point.

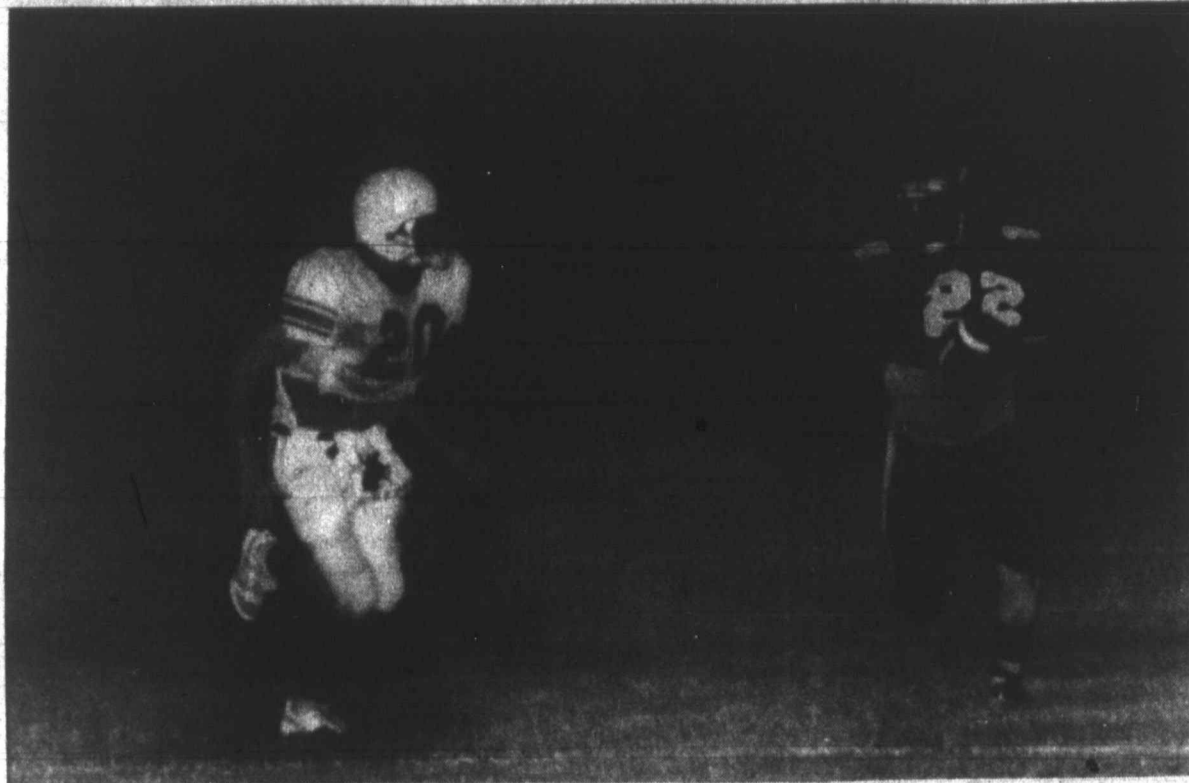
Sanchez scored the next touchdown with a four yard run and Finley kicked the extra point.

A 29 yard touchdown run for Finley and extra point by him made the half-time score 30-6.

The third quarter started with Sanchez scoring two touchdowns, a 15 yard and two yard run. One of the extra points failed and a one point conversion from Anthony Williams to Munoz was made.

In the fourth quarter, Sanchez ran for a five yard td and Finley kicked the extra point.

With nine minutes left, the 45 point rule took effect and the



RUDY SANCHEZ of the Loraine Bulldogs breaks a long one against Lueders-Avoca. The Bulldogs posted a 51-6 victory last Friday night.

game ended.

Leading rushers for the Bulldogs were Sanchez with 246 yards on 23 carries and Finley 147 yards on 13 carries.

Tacklers were Williams with 10; Finley, nine; Sanchez and Munoz, both with eight.

The next game for the Bulldogs will be Friday at Johnson Field at 7:30 p.m. They will play Dawson.

## Wolves beat Apline, 21-6

The Colorado City Wolves fresh off a season opening 21-6 victory over Alpine travel to Seminole Friday night to take on the always tough Indians.

The Indians will be a strong test for the Wolves. In last Friday's season opener against Coahoma the Bulldogs were shut-out by Seminole and allowed Coahoma only 29 yards rushing.

However, the Wolves looked good in their season opener Saturday night in Odessa against Alpine. The Wolves 21-6 victory marked the second year in a row Colorado City knocked off Alpine in Odessa.

Coach Tom Ramsey said the Wolves had some bright spots in their big victory. "It was a team effort. Our defense played pretty well and we had over 400 yards in offense," Ramsey added.

Seminole will be a tough test

for the Wolves. They have six kids over 200 pounds.

Injured in last Saturday's game were Sam Walker and Mark Alvidrez. Neither will see any action Friday night against Seminole.

Game time in Seminole will be 8 p.m.

### Schedule

**FRIDAY**  
**COLORADO CITY**  
**FOOTBALL**  
 Wolves vs. Seminole, T, 8 p.m.  
**LORAIN**  
 Bulldogs vs. Dawson, H, 7:30 p.m.  
**VOLLEYBALL**  
**SATURDAY**  
 Middle School volleyball teams play in Big Spring tournament.  
**FIRST GAME**  
 7th grade, Big Spring Goliad, 8:30 a.m.  
 8th grade plays Runnels, 8:30 a.m.

## CMS volleyball teams play Hamilin

The Colorado Middle School volleyball teams traveled to Hamlin Monday night. The results are as follows:

Seventh grade B team lost 4-15 and 0-15 with Nikia Jackson has high point server.

The seventh grade A team won their two games with scores of 15-6 and 15-12. High point server was Bethany Bridgford.

The eighth grade A and B teams lost their games. Scores for the B team were 7-15 and 8-15.

Maggie Espinoza and Laura Green were high point servers.

Scores for the A team were 15-10, 2-15 and 12-15 with Veronica Moreno and Kim Cates as high point servers.

Next games for the teams will be Monday night at The Pit with games starting at 5 p.m.; 6 p.m.; 7 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Coach Linda Mathis said the girls played real well in spite of the scores. She said their goal is to teach overall volleyball of passing, setting and hitting and consistent serving.



SHAWN FINLEY, of the Bulldogs, rounds right end for a good gainer in action last Friday night.

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## Mrs. Wells hosts Loraine homemakers

The North Loraine Homemakers met for a regular meeting on September 6 in the home of Mrs. Eva Wells.

Mrs. Veida Gage, club president, was in charge. The club creed and prayer were recited in unison and Mrs. Margaret Brame brought the recreation.

The roll call was answered with "A way to save time in housekeeping."

During the business session various reports were given and club members were told what their responsibilities would be at the food concession during the fair.

Libbi Garnett, extension agent, brought a program entitled "making your world a better place." All

club members were able to participate in the program.

Each stated a dream they had for a better world, and then gave answers as to why these dreams were not fulfilled. Example of dreams were: a drug-free world, peace, no battered children or elderly, etc. Some reasons given for not solving the problems were: apathy, fear, too busy, hurt feelings, loss of friends, etc. The program was well received.

The hostess served refreshments to Libbi Garnett, extension agent, Jimmie Jacks, Blondie Hamilton, Effie Wheeler, Mildred Rose, Margaret Brame, Darlene Hamrick, Bessie Ann Vaughn, Bertha Fay Snyder, Veida Gage, Nina Meadows, Billie Schroeder and one guest, Julie Meadows.

## Loraine Personals

...by Lois Phillips

Reba Green came in from Lake Buchanan Monday afternoon to visit with Donnie, Sandy and Chris. Reba is Sandy's mother.

We saw Homer and Gladys Hart at the Cree-Mee last week. It really looked good to see them out since they have been sick lately. We are glad they are on the road to recovery.

The Phillip Sanders and their son Justin were in town Friday night and attended the Bulldog game. Saturday they went to Brownwood to watch Sul Ross and Howard Payne play. Phillip is a member of the Sul Ross team.

Recently Jana Wing of Dallas and her son Jon Bearor came to Loraine to visit with Jon's

grandparents. Lester and Lela Richburg. Jana went on to Andrews for the 10 year reunion of her high school class. On Sunday Jon met her in Big Spring and they returned to Andrews where the class had a picnic for their families. After an enjoyable weekend they returned home to Dallas. Jana is Lela's daughter.

Gus and Iva Armstrong took a short weekend trip last weekend. They went to Big Spring to Amy McKey's auction then on to Midland and Odessa visiting. They went in their mobile home so they traveled on to the State Park at Monahans and spent the night, returning home Sunday.

John Horton and wife Virginia and daughter Kristen of Atlanta, Texas were in Big Spring over the weekend to attend his mother's Amy McKey's auction sale. John will return on Friday to attend the remainder of the auction. Amy has moved back to Loraine since her husband, Doyce McKey's death several months ago.

Well the Bulldogs and the Wolves did alright last weekend and we are proud of them. Somebody had to do a good job since the Cowboys and Oilers made such a terrible mess. I guess I had better not criticize too much. All of

our teams might fall by the wayside. Let's everybody go out this week to see the kids play, both high school and junior high. It helps them to know that the town is behind them. See you at Johnson Field.

Clovis and Jean Hale came last weekend to their mother's, Irene Kidd of Loraine is Jean's mother and Clovis' mother lives in the Valley Fair Lodge in Colorado City. She is Punk Hale, formerly of Loraine.

Those from Loraine attending the funeral service for Veda Williams last Wednesday were Dual and Opal Jo Blair, Larry and Fieda Blair and Ronnie and Debbie of Colorado City. Mrs. Williams was a sister-in-law of Opal Jo's.

Charlie and Stella Harris attended the Harris reunion August 7 in Starnes Hollow State Park in Indiana. There were 133 relatives and 20 visitors present. There was boating, swimming and visiting enjoyed by all. Six states were represented.

## Directories not always good

Businesses, like consumers, can fall victim to fraud and, because advertising is a vital part of doing business, the fraud often involves deceptive ad schemes. Business "directories," for example, can be a good way for local merchants to introduce their products to new customers. Unfortunately, they can also be a good way for merchants to get ripped off.

Recently a few unscrupulous operations have bilked Texas businesses of hundreds of thousands of dollars. As a result, the Attorney General's Office has filed deceptive advertising lawsuits against some publishers of business directories, "coupon books" and so-called "Yellow Pages."

In one case, a company sold ads and published a coupon book the first year of business, then continued selling advertising for directories that were supposed to be published over the next three years. Our Consumer Protection Division alleged that at least \$140,000 was collected from local businesses for directories that



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by Jim Mattox  
Attorney General

were never published.

Another company sent solicitations to businesses for "Yellow Pages" ads. Our office alleged these advertising solicitations were deceptive because they created the impression that they were from Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages, when they were not. We also alleged that the solicitations created the impression they were "invoices" for ads that had been placed in the past, when they were merely solicitations for publications in which the businesses had never advertised before.

Some business directory companies have collected advertising money from merchants, then gone out of business before publishing a directory. If the company files bankruptcy, merchants might recover a portion of the money by filing a claim with the bankruptcy court.

Prevention is the Best Protection

Before advertising in a directory, investigate the track record of the company.

--How long have they been in business?

--Have they previously published a directory?

--What is the quality of their product?

--Are the owners/managers known in the community?

--Are they financially solvent?

Don't be fooled by an ad solicitation in the mail that is in the form of an invoice. If it looks like an invoice, be sure you already have an agreement for this particular advertising.

Beware of directories with names similar to well known advertising outlets -- such as "Yellow Pages."

If you have a complaint about business directories or any other consumer complaint, call your nearest Consumer Protection Office.

## 400 attend Patterson family reunion

The Patterson family held their reunion July 29-30 in the northeast community in Scurry County.

There were 40 people who attended. Games, visiting and good food were enjoyed.

First place winners in the horseshoe contest were Ronnie Wagner and Charles Kidd for men.

First place winners for the women were Charla Flowers and Donie Patterson.

First place winners in the domino contest were Wendy Wagner and Stella Harris. The ones who came the longest distance were Hubert and Lucille Lofton of El Paso. The oldest one there was Ruby Reese of Snyder. The youngest was Casey Wagner of San Angelo.

Door prizes went to Mike Graves and Dina Schmid. The children had their little games too.

Officers elected for 1990 were: Ronnie Wagner, president; Charla Flowers, vice president; Mike Kidd, treasurer; Tonya Graves, secretary; Stella Harris, chairman for dominoes and Tommy Fenell, chairman for horseshoes.

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# Deer hunter shortcourse set

SAN ANGELO - Deer hunting, the top avocation of many Texans during the fall and winter months will be the topic of discussion September 30 at a special deer hunter's shortcourse here. Site for the event, dubbed the Concho Valley Deer Hunter's Shortcourse is Angelo State University's Management Instruction and Research Center located just off Hwy. 87 north of San Angelo.

Dale Rollins, San Angelo based Extension Wildlife Specialist and coordinator of the event said the shortcourse will feature points of interest for the old pro or the aspiring nimrod.

"One of the highlights of the program will be Horace Gore, White-tailed Deer Program Leader for Texas Parks and Wildlife, sharing his forecasts for the upcoming season," said Rollins. "Others include Dr. Steve Demarias, wildlife researcher from Texas Tech University reporting on buck behavior dur-

ing the hunting season; and Bob Ramsey from Hunt, a legendary outdoorsman and "deer ratter" providing tips on antler rattling and other means to call deer.

"Also included will be rules and regulations, tips on shooting with a camera, deer biology and venison processing."

Rollins added that a trade show will round out the course featuring commercial exhibits of everything from deer calling paraphernalia to hunting leases.

## Labor Day visitors here

Visiting in the home of Mrs. P.E. Clawson and Lillian Sullivan over the Labor Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Oklahoma City, Sybil Sparks of Wills Point, Mr. and Mrs. Lateral Sullivan of Odessa, Vicki, Brian and Casey Reed of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bryant, Terry and Wendy of Odessa, J.C. Claw-

The shortcourse is being sponsored by the Extension Service, The Outdoorsman and Field and Stream Sporting Goods. A \$2.50 registration fee is being charged with the proceeds going to benefit the 4-H Field and Stream program and the San Angelo Nature Center.

For further information, contact Dr. Dale Rollins, Extension Wildlife Specialist, 7887 North Highway 87, San Angelo, Texas 76901, (915) 653-4576.

son of Albuquerque, N.M. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clawson and Larry of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Findeisen of Corpus Christi, David Sullivan of San Angelo, Dan Sweeny of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jarnagin of Lake Colorado City and Drucilla Board.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 7, 1989

#### PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 102 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the salary of members of the legislature to one-fourth of the Governor's salary and increase the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to one-half of the Governor's salary. The annual salary of members of the legislature, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is currently \$7,200. Under this provision, the annual salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker would be \$46,716, and the annual salary of members of the legislature would be \$23,358, based on the Governor's current annual salary of \$93,432. The increase for the Lieutenant Governor would take effect when the term of that office begins in 1991. The salary increase for the Lieutenant Governor would not make members of the legislature ineligible to run for the office of Lieutenant Governor.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to limit the salary of the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the house of representatives to not more than one-half of the governor's salary and to limit the salary of a member of the legislature to not more than one-fourth of the governor's salary."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 5 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Texas Water Development Board to issue an additional \$500 million of Texas water development bonds. The additional bonds are to be used as follows: \$250 million of the bonds are to be used for water supply loans and facilities acquisition; \$200 million of the bonds are to be used for water quality enhancement projects; and \$50 million of the bonds are to be used for flood control. The legislature may provide that \$100 million be used for subsidized loans and grants to economically distressed areas of the state for water and wastewater facilities.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of an additional \$500 million of Texas water development bonds for water supply, water quality, and flood control purposes."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 51 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds to provide money to establish a Texas agricultural fund, a rural microenterprise development fund, a Texas product development fund, and a Texas small-business incubator fund in the state treasury. The Texas agricultural fund would be used to provide financial assistance to develop, increase, improve, or expand the production, processing, marketing, or export of crops or products grown or produced in Texas by Texas agricultural businesses. The rural microenterprise development fund would be used to stimulate the creation and expansion of small businesses in rural areas. The Texas product development fund would be used to aid in the development and production of new or improved products in this state. The Texas small business incubator fund would be used to stimulate the development of small businesses in the State.

The principal amount of bonds outstanding at one time could not exceed \$25 million for the Texas agricultural fund and \$5 million for the rural microenterprise develop-

ment fund. The financial assistance offered by both funds could include loan guarantees, insurance, coinsurance, loans, and indirect loans or purchases or acceptances of assignments of loans or other obligations. To carry out the Texas product development fund, the legislature could authorize loans, loan guarantees, and equity investments, and the issuance of up to \$25 million of general obligation bonds for initial funding. To carry out the Texas small business incubator fund, the legislature could authorize loans and grants of money, and the issuance of up to \$20 million of general obligation bonds for initial funding.

Bonds authorized under this amendment would be paid out of the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in any interest and sinking account at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the recovery and further development of the state's economy, with goals of increasing job opportunities and other benefits for Texas residents, through state financing of the development and production of Texas products and businesses."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 13 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature, by general law, to exempt from ad valorem taxes property owned by nonprofit veterans organizations that are chartered or incorporated by the United States Congress. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt property of nonprofit veterans organizations from ad valorem taxation."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 11 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide an exemption from ad valorem taxation for goods, wares, merchandise, other tangible personal property (including aircraft), and ores (other than oil, gas, and petroleum products) if the property is acquired in or imported into the state and is destined to be forwarded out of the state, regardless of whether the intention to forward the property existed when the property was acquired or imported into the state, if it remains in Texas for 175 days or less for assembly, storage, manufacture, processing, or fabrication. The proposed amendment would authorize the governing body of a county, municipality, school district, or junior college district to prevent the exemption of this tangible personal property from taxation by taking official action before April 1, 1990. A county, municipality, school district, or junior college district could rescind a decision to tax the property, in which case the exemption would become effective in the year of the rescission and the property could not thereafter be taxed.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment promoting economic growth, job creation, and fair tax treatment for Texans who export goods to other states and nations by restoring and allowing, on a local option basis, an ad valorem tax exemption for certain personal property that is in Texas only temporarily for the purpose of assembling, storing, manufacturing, processing or fabricating."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that

would enable the legislature to provide, by general or special law, that members of a hospital district board may serve terms not to exceed four years. Currently, hospital district board members' terms are two years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"Authorizing the members of a hospital district governing board to serve four-year terms."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 40 proposes a constitutional amendment that would change the format of the oath of office for officeholders in this state. All elected and appointed officers would be required to take an oath or affirmation swearing to faithfully execute the duties of office and to preserve, protect, and defend the constitution and laws of the State and the United States. In addition, each elected and appointed officer would be required to sign a sworn statement that he or she had not paid, offered, or promised anything of value for a vote or to secure appointment to an office, as applicable. The written, sworn statement would be filed with the secretary of state. The information in the statement is currently contained in the oaths of office taken by elected and appointed officials.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to require that a member of the legislature, the secretary of state, and an elected or appointed officer, before assuming office, sign a written oath stating that the member, the secretary of state, or the officer did not engage in bribery to obtain the office."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 24 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the issuance of up to \$400 million in general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the bonds could be used to acquire, construct, or equip new corrections institutions, mental health and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for projects relating to facilities of corrections institutions, youth corrections institutions, mental health and mental retardation institutions and for the expansion of statewide law enforcement facilities."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 101 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to pass laws to organize and combine state agencies that perform criminal justice functions. The legislature could combine into one or more agencies all agencies that have authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, that set standards for or distribute state funds to political subdivisions with authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, and that gather information about criminal justice administration. Agencies that could be combined would include the Texas Department of Corrections, the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and the Texas Adult Probation Commission. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to pass laws authorizing the appointment of members of more than one department of government to serve on the governing body.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to organize and combine various state agencies that perform criminal justice functions."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to enact laws requiring or permitting judges to advise juries that a defendant convicted of a criminal offense can receive credit for good conduct that results in a shorter prison term and that eligibility for parole or mandatory supervision can also affect the length of time a convicted criminal serves in prison.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to require or permit courts to inform juries about the effect of good conduct time and eligibility for parole or mandatory supervision on the period of incarceration served by a defendant convicted of a criminal offense."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 102 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the per diem of members of the Legislature. The amount of per diem allowed during a calendar year would be equal to the maximum amount allowed for federal income tax purposes as of January 1 of that same year as a deduction for living expenses incurred by a state legislator. The per diem of \$30 would increase to \$81, which is the current maximum living expense deduction.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to set the amount of per diem received by a member of the legislature at the amount allowed for federal income tax purposes as a deduction for living expenses incurred by a state legislator in connection with official business."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 53 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to provide for the use of the permanent school fund and the income from the permanent school fund to guarantee bonds issued by the state for the purpose of providing loans or purchasing the bonds of school districts to acquire, construct, renovate, or improve instructional facilities. If the permanent school fund were required to make payment as a result of its guarantee of bonds issued by the state, the fund would have to be reimbursed immediately from the state treasury. The amount of bonds guaranteed by the permanent school fund could not exceed \$750 million unless a higher amount was authorized by a two-thirds vote of both houses of the legislature. If a school district were to become delinquent on a loan, the amount of the delinquency would be offset against other aid to which the district was entitled.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to provide for using the permanent school fund and its income to guarantee bonds issued by the state for the purpose of aiding school districts."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 19 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide a bill of rights for crime victims. This constitutional amendment would give crime victims the right to be treated with fairness and respect and to be reasonably protected from the defendant. On his request, the crime victim would have the right to notification of court proceedings, the right to be present at all public court proceedings unless a court determines that the victim's testimony would be affected by hearing other testimony, the right to confer with a representative of the prosecutor's office, the right to restitution, and the right to information about the conviction, sentence, imprisonment, and release of the defendant. The legislature would be authorized to enact laws to define the term "victim," to enforce the rights of crime victims, and to provide that certain public officers and agencies are not liable for a failure to protect a victim's rights.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment

providing a bill of rights for crime victims."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 71 proposes a constitutional amendment that would require the district attorney in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve terms at the same times as criminal district attorneys in the state. Currently, criminal district attorneys are elected in gubernatorial election years and district attorneys are elected in presidential election years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment requiring a district attorney serving in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve a term in the manner provided by general law for criminal district attorneys."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 32 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature, by general law, to permit charitable raffles conducted by qualified nonprofit organizations. The amendment would require that the raffles be conducted, promoted, and administered only by members of the qualified nonprofit organizations and that the proceeds from the sale of raffle tickets must be spent for the charitable purposes of the organizations.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit and regulate raffles conducted by certain nonprofit organizations for charitable purposes."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment allowing the legislature to pass general laws authorizing the creation of hospital districts upon approval of a majority of the qualified voters of the district. The amendment would also permit the legislature to authorize the creation of hospital districts by general or special law in counties with populations of 75,000 or less and to authorize the commissioners courts of such counties to levy ad valorem taxes and issue general obligation bonds for the support and maintenance of such districts.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment granting to the people the right to decide whether to create and maintain hospital districts to protect the public well-being in a manner independent of the legislature."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 17 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 33 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature, by general law, to authorize the use of public money to provide local fire departments and other public fire-fighting organizations loans or other financial assistance to purchase fire-fighting equipment and to aid in complying with federal and state law. The legislature would also be allowed to authorize the use of public money for scholarships and grants to educate and train members of these organizations. Part of the money could be used for administrative costs of this program. The legislature would provide for the terms and conditions of all such scholarships, grants, loans, and other financial assistance.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the state to provide scholarships, grants, loans, and other financial assistance to local fire departments and other public fire-fighting organizations to purchase fire-fighting equipment, to aid in providing necessary equipment and facilities to comply with federal and state law, and to educate and train their members."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 18 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 44 proposes a constitutional amendment that would repeal subsection (e) of Article III, Section 50-d of the constitution. Article III, Section 50-d currently allows the Texas Water Development Board to issue and sell Texas agricultural water conserva-

tion bonds in an amount not to exceed \$200 million, if two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature approve. Under subsection (e), this authority will expire in November, 1989. Repeal of subsection (e) by passage of this amendment would continue in effect the authority to issue and sell the bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to eliminate certain time limitations relating to the issuance of Texas agricultural water conservation bonds."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 19 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 59 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow local governments to invest their funds as authorized by the legislature. Currently, the constitutional prohibition against a grant of public money to an individual, association, or corporation or against becoming a stockholder in a corporation, association, or company prevents local governments from making some kinds of investments. This proposed amendment would allow local governments to make any investments authorized by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to authorize local governments to invest their funds as provided by law."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 20 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 16 proposes a constitutional amendment which, if passed, would abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties. A majority of the voters in an affected county must vote in favor of this proposed amendment before the office is abolished in that county. If the office of county surveyor is abolished in any of these counties, the powers, duties, and functions of the office are transferred to a county officer or employee designated by the commissioners court of the county in which the office is abolished.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties."

#### PROPOSITION NO. 21 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 74 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to enact laws authorizing the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to provide for, issue, and sell an additional \$75 million in general obligation bonds as college savings bonds. The form, terms, and denominations of the bonds would be prescribed by law. The interest rate and installments would be prescribed by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor. The maximum net effective interest rate would be set by law. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds would be credited to the Texas opportunity plan fund, which is used to make loans to students to attend institutions of higher education in Texas. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be payable from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not already appropriated by the constitution, less the amount remaining in the sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:  
"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds as college savings bonds to provide educational loans to students and to encourage the public to save for a college education."

*Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el día 7 de noviembre de 1989. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.*

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## Tickets on sale for carnival

Tickets are now on sale for the carnival rides during the annual Mitchell County Fair, Sept. 28-30.

Carnival ride tickets are half price (2 for \$1) if purchased in advance at the chamber of commerce office, 157 West Second Street.

Booths for the fair are still available. An 8x8-foot booth is \$30 and an 8x16-foot booth is \$50. Call the chamber at 728-3403 to reserve a booth.

The fair will open on Thursday, Sept. 28, at 6 p.m. at the agricultural barns west of downtown Colorado City on old Highway 80. The fair will be open Thursday from 6-10 p.m., Friday, 4-10 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.

Included in the activities this year will be the

Freeze-Off to determine who makes the best home-made ice cream. Joy Morris is chairperson of the event.

Freeze-Off entries will be accepted at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 28, with judging at 7 p.m. Homemade ice cream must be entered in the ice cream freezer container in which it was frozen. Containers must be labeled with contestant's name, address and telephone number. All ice cream entered becomes property of the chamber of commerce for judging and then to sold by the cup for the remainder of the fair. Following judging, ice cream will be placed in plastic containers belonging to the chamber and freezer containers will be returned to contestants.

## Program set for cotton farmers

LUBBOCK - The use of futures and options markets to manage agricultural price risk will be taught Sept. 20-21 during a workshop especially designed for area cotton farmers.

The program will be presented by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center. The center is on FM 1294, just east of I-27 at the Shallowater exit. Training will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day.

Participants must register by Sept. 14, said Stanley Young, Lubbock County Extension Agent. The registration fee is \$20. That covers both the participation and their spouse, who is encouraged to take part, Young

said. The course consists of approximately 12 hours of training led by Dr. Carl Anderson, Extension Service agricultural economist and cotton marketing specialist from College Station.

Material presented will include an introduction to how futures markets operate and how to use them; use of commodity options as price insurance; how to figure your local price from future prices; how to work with a broker; market prospects for cotton, and when to use different pricing strategies.

The group will work examples using futures and options to gain understanding of how to forward price using these markets.

"Agricultural prices vary more

today than in the past," said Dr. Jackie Smith, Extension Service agricultural economist and management specialist. "Selecting an acceptable price and 'locking in' can reduce price risk and substantially enhance cash flow."

"For example, cotton prices have varied by more than \$100 a bale during recent marketing seasons. In most years, a profitable price can be established by skillful market analysis and pricing plans. Often, the attractive price level happens far ahead of harvest."

Additional information about the workshop may be obtained from Young at telephone (806) 741-8084; from Smith at (806) 746-6101, or from local county agents of the Extension Service.

## Pesticide workshop set

SAN ANGELO - September 18 is the date set for the 1989 commercial and non-commercial pesticide applicator recertification workshop at the Texas Agricultural Research and Extension Center here.

Registration will be from 8:30 to 9 a.m. The workshop is free and no pre-registration is necessary.

"State law requires commercial and non-commercial licenses of

restricted pesticides to earn a minimum of five continuing education credits each calendar year in order to renew their license for the following year," said Dr. Tom Fuchs, San Angelo based Extension Entomologist. "The necessary continuing education credits are earned by participating in this type of course."

This course is offered jointly by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX) and the

Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA).

Fuchs said the course applies only to commercial and non-commercial applicators. Private applicators he said, do not need to attend.

For further information, please contact Dr. Tom Fuchs, Extension Entomologist, (915) 653-4576; Rex Jones, County Extension Agent, (915) 653-2385 or Eddie Sosa, TDA, (915) 949-6051.

## Garden Club has luncheon meet

The Colorado City Garden Club began the new year with a luncheon meeting at the Country Club on Wednesday, September

6. The members were pleased to view the horticulture entry which last year won an award for the

club at the Texas State Convention last spring. The award was based on plants and trees planted by the club members and participation in other horticulture activities.

There was a brief business meeting presided over by Mary Ellis, the new president and a review of the projects planned for this year. The president reminded the members that everyone should be at the county barn on Thursday, September 28 at 7:30 a.m. to accept and prepare horticulture exhibits for the Mitchell County Fair.

Members attending were Gene Rowe, Peggy Ratliff, Frances Myers, Jenny Moore, Marjorie Kolman, Dorothy Johnson, Nadine Gordon, Mary Ellis, Louise Decovic, Faye Daniel, Elizabeth Connell, Billie Faye Conrad, Alice Coles, Erna Lou Burt, Dovie Brownfield, Marian Bassham, Betsy Aycok and Mrs. Sims Palmer.

## TEAMS tests scheduled

During each regular exit level test administration, individuals who are no longer enrolled in school and have not previously passed both sections of the TEAMS test, but have met all other graduation requirements, may retake the section(s) not passed.

During the fall administration, the English language arts test will be given on Thursday, Oct. 26, and the mathematics test will be given on Wednesday, Oct. 25. Anyone wishing to register for either examination may pick up a registration packet from the counselor's office at Westbrook, Colorado or Loraine high schools.

Registration forms must be completed and returned in the pre-addressed envelope and must be received in Iowa City, Iowa no later than 5 p.m. on Oct. 4.

## Bentsen seeks changes

Washington, D.C. - Senator Lloyd Bentsen, charging that Agriculture Department rules "jerked the rug out from under" farmers seeking disaster relief, introduced legislation Wednesday to change those rules.

Bentsen said his legislation will bar the department from deducting 75 percent of the gross value of second crops when calculating disaster payments and require instead that only the net value of the second crop be deducted.

"Just before the August recess a disaster law was enacted to help farmers who have lost crops to drought, hail and a wide variety of other extreme weather conditions which have hit major parts of our country this year," Bentsen said in remarks accompanying his legislation.

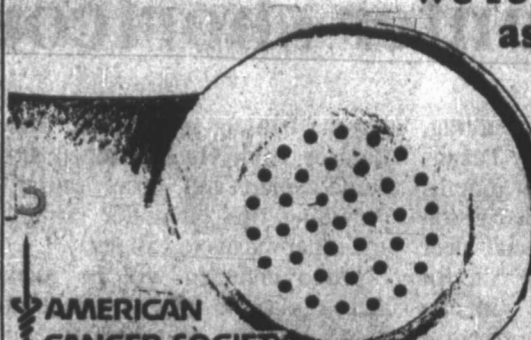
"One of the provisions of that bill, section 110, provided that the value of any second crop, planted after the first crop was lost, should be deducted from the disaster assistance payment."

"The President had a signing ceremony to announce that help was coming to our hard-pressed farmers, but last week the Secretary of Agriculture jerked the rug out from under many of those farmers when he issued rules for implementing section 110."

"I had urged the Secretary to use the net value of second crops in making adjustments in disaster payments and his decision to, instead, cut the payments by 75 percent of the gross value of second crops is itself a disaster. It penalizes hard-working farmers who made an effort to grow a second crop and creates a very real hardship."

"These rules are unacceptable to me and I am introducing legislation to correct this inequity by requiring that only the net value of these second crops be deducted," Bentsen said.

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# Cotton prices going up

COLLEGE STATION — With U.S. stocks dropping, foreign supplies tight and weather threatening the cotton crop at home and abroad, domestic cotton prices are rising. Skillful marketing while prices are high can mean premium payoff for American producers, says a cotton marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"The market has a mind of its own, and it's hard to anticipate how high it will go, when it will top out and how much it might drop," said Dr. Carl Anderson, Extension Service agricultural economist. "The estimated supply and demand numbers may change as the crop season progresses."

As the market moves up, skillful marketing becomes more critical for the producer, the Extension Service specialist said. Put options and forward contracts provide price insurance, he said.

"The put options are particularly useful, as they allow you to sell for a possible higher price. There are no margin calls on options you purchase. You pay a premium and commission charges."

"Forward contracts, if available, establish a price; but the price is fixed. Put options can be purchased out-of-the-money (below the futures price) for a

lower premium. The insured price is lower.

"The higher futures go, the higher the price you can insure for your money. Then, should the market continue, you can still forward contract or sell, depending upon your situation."

The Commodity Credit Corporation cotton loan at 50 cents a pound doesn't appear to be a good alternative for the 1989 crop, Anderson said. "The market price will likely exceed the loan rate enough to make that a poor choice," he said.

"Speculating in the cash market by doing nothing is taking a big chance that the market will stay up until you can sell. With the flexibility of options, you have many marketing alternatives to work with," Anderson said.

The July crop report from the U.S. Department of Agriculture shows fewer acres planted than expected.

"That means the new U.S. crop may fall some three million bales short of expected usage," Anderson said. If that happens, the 7.5-million-bale stock on hand this July would drop to around a 4-million-bale supply a year from now.

Planted acreage for U.S. upland cotton is estimated at 10.2 million acres, 500,000 acres less than March estimates. If 9.2 million acres—or 90 percent—is harvested and yields about 580 pounds an acre, the upland crop would provide 11.1 million bales. Last year the yield was 15.1 million bales.

The total domestic and export demand for cotton this year is estimated at 15.5 million bales, the largest use in 10 years, Anderson said.

"The Sept. 12 (USDA) crop production report will be a better

look at the 1989 crop potential," Anderson said. "Whichever way the crop size goes, the market will try to run ahead of the USDA report."

The U.S. export market is bright, the Extension Service economist said. "Foreign cotton stocks have declined from 38 million bales at the end of 1984 to only 22 million bales for this season. Meanwhile, consumption has steadily increased to 77 million bales, 13 million more than five years ago."

A foreign crop of 69 million bales is predicted this year. This is eight million less than the estimated foreign demand.

"Under these conditions, the market usually outruns supply and demand," Anderson said. "In short crop years, the market tends to peak early."

A high price discourages use, makes prices of synthetics more competitive and encourages cotton production, he said.

"The Southern Hemisphere countries will plant more cotton this fall. And next year, everybody will plant more cotton," he predicted.

## Hospital Report

### Patients Admitted

September 8  
Linda Thurman, Snyder, medical; Floyd Hemphill, City, medical.

September 10  
Misty Pineda, City, medical.

September 11  
Jesus Santana, Loraine, medical.

### Patients Dismissed

September 8  
Antonia Silva, City, medical; Madlin King, City, medical.

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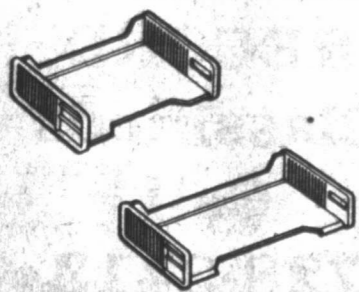
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