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Elections scheduled Saturday

Mitchell County voters will be deciding on a number of city, school and hospital district elections Saturday when polls open at 7 a.m. at the various polling places.

One of the most closely watched elections will be the Mitchell County Hospital District board of trustees race which has eight candidates seeking election to four board spots.

The Colorado City council election sees Mayor Elmer Martin seeking re-election in an uncontested race while four candidates are seeking election to three seats on the council.

The Colorado Independent School District board of trustees election has one uncontested race for a one-year unexpired term while four others are seeking election to two three-year terms.

In Loraine, Mayor Tommy Green is being challenged by council member J. C. Hall Jr. and by Mrs. Lillian Hallmark. Seven candidates are seeking election to three two-year council terms.

The Loraine Independent School District has one uncontested race as well as another race which sees three candidates seeking election to two board spots.

The Westbrook School Independent School District board election is uncontested this year.

The candidates and the positions they seek election to include:

Colorado ISD

One-year unexpired term - Ronnie Aston

Two three-year terms - Kathy Bassham, Dr. Billy Bridgford (incumbent), Bobby Callaway and Joe Weaver.

Colorado City Council

Mayor, two-year term - Elmer Martin (incumbent).

Three two-year council terms - Tom Carlock, Jack Green, Dee Hearn (incumbent) and Don Webb.

Loraine City Council

Mayor, two-year term - Tommy Green (incumbent), J. C. Hall Jr. and Lillian Hallmark.

Three two-year council terms - Joel Ray Atkins (incumbent), Wendell Banks, Kent Boyd (incumbent), Bobbie Graham, Roy Price, Rick Rickard (incumbent) and Jackie Walker.

Loraine ISD

One-year unexpired term - Frank Garcia (incumbent).

Two three-year terms - Danny Butler (incumbent), Richard Cooper and Donnie Phillips.

Westbrook ISD

Two three-year terms - Larry Casey (incumbent) and Donnie Hale (incumbent).

Hospital Board of Directors

Four two-year terms - Gus Armstrong, Marion Bassham, Jay Craddock, Marie Jackson, Preston Morris (incumbent), Rhonda Slater, Virgil Stone and Lee Woods.

Here's where to vote

Colorado City voters wishing to vote in all three elections Saturday will have to go to three places to cast their ballots.

Voting place for the Mitchell County Hospital District board of directors will be at the courthouse while the Colorado City council election will take place at the civic center. Persons voting in the Colorado Independent School District board of trustees election will cast ballots at the school administration building, 1132 Hickory, in the curriculum room. Voters should use the west entrance to the CISD building and the curriculum room will be on the left as they enter.

In Loraine, persons wishing to cast ballots in the city council election will vote at city hall. The school district and hospital district polling places will both be at the Lions Club building.

Westbrook voters will have an easier time casting ballots with both the hospital district and school district voting places located at the tax office. There is no Westbrook city election this year.

Polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

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Briefly

Bake sale

The Loraine 4-H Club will hold a bake sale Saturday, April 6 starting at 9 a.m. and lasting until sold out. The sale will be down town on the corner just south of the First State Bank.

Pies, cakes and all kinds of pastries will be offered. Proceeds will benefit activities of the Loraine 4-H Club.

Cemetery work-day

The annual Good Friday cemetery work-day will begin at 9 a.m. at Teeville Cemetery and then proceed to Cuthbert where there will be a basket lunch at noon.

Anyone interested in working is invited to attend and bring a basket lunch.

Officer election

The Ladies Auxiliary to Wilson Wyatt VFW Post 9178 will hold election of officers for the 1985-86 year on Thursday, April 25 at 7 p.m.

All members are urged to attend.

Bad check seminar

A bad check and shoplifting seminar will be held Friday, April 5 at 7 p.m. at the Civic Center.

Merchants and interested citizens are urged to attend the meeting. The program will be presented by Officer Sherry Martin of the Colorado City Police Department.

Garage sale

The Wallace Center senior citizens are sponsoring a giant garage sale and bake sale to raise funds for the meals program at the center.

The sale will be held on Saturday, April 13 from 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Wallace gym.

Articles will be accepted Monday through Friday from 8-4:30 p.m. Receipts for donations for the sale will be given for tax purposes.

Rest stop

The Colorado City Jaycees will be sponsoring a rest area at the Gulf service station at the intersection of Highway 208 and Interstate 20 for Easter holiday travelers.

They will be serving coffee, soft drinks, donuts and cookies.

Car wash

The Colorado High School chapter of the Future Teachers of America will hold a car wash Friday at the Pizza Hut, 2215 Hickory.

The car wash will start at 9 a.m. Small cars and regular pickups will be $6.50 each. Larger cars and small vans will cost $7.50, and larger pick-ups and vans will be $8.50.

Appointments aren't necessary, but you may call 728-2164 or 728-3331.

Barbecue

St. James Baptist Church at 5th & Austin Street will be selling barbecue beginning at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 9 at the church. Beef plates are $3.50 and chicken plates are $2.50 Sausage plates will also be available.

Around Town

Have you seen **JACK GREEN** cruising in his Caddy?...**NELL CLAXTON** arranges some roses... **JOHN SANDERSON** ends his tenure as program chairman...**JOHN JACKSON** gets into some 50 year old dust...**MORLEY (MICKEY) GREEN** almost winds up in the wrong pickup...**JOE SHERRILL** sees how a newspaper works... **EMMA BRACY** asks for directions...Welcome home **STEVE OYLER** and **FAMILY.**

Deaths

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THESE THREE LVNs at Root Memorial Hospital were recently honored by the hospital for their service. Friday Moore, Inez Howell and Dorothy Forbes, from left, each have over 40 years of service to the hospital. They were presented pins and corsages prior to the last hospital board meeting.

In Merkel . . .

Hendricks named postmaster

D. C. Hendricks, superintendent of postal operations in Colorado city for the past three years, has been appointed the new postmaster at Merkel effective Saturday, April 27, sectional center manager/postmaster Norman R. Adamson Sr. of Waco has announced.

Hendricks, 49, is a native of Merkel.

Postmaster selections are made on the basis of merit from a list of qualified candidates submitted to the sectional center manager by a review committee. The review committee, composed of a district director from the same district, a sectional center director or postmaster from the same sectional center and a sectional center manager or postmaster from a different district, review the applicants for the position and recommend to the sectional center manager those candidates who best meet the position requirements. The sectional center manager then selects and recommends to the postmaster general the best qualified person for appointment to the vacancy.

Hendricks graduated from Merkel High School and attended Cisco Junior College. He served three years in the U.S. Army. He is a member of the Lions Club, the Chamber of Commerce and the Masonic Lodge.

He and his wife, Wanda, have two children: Kathy James of Taylor and David of Merkel. He is the son of Burr and Madie Hendricks of Merkel.

The oath of office will be administered on Thursday, April 18, at 1 p.m. at the Merkel Post Office.

Property tax value listed

Local property taxes for Colorado City in 1983-84 ranked 72nd in a sampling of 350 Texas cities and towns, according to the Texas Research League, an Austin-based poublic policy research group.

Local property taxes were highest in Crystal City and lowest in Brenham, according to the league. The average tax on all types of taxable property was 2.3 percent of market value (selling price) in Crystal City but only 0.7 of one percent in Brenham.

In Colorado City, property taxes totaled 1.69 percent of value. That rate consisted of .59 percent levied by the city, .72 percent levied by the Colorado Independent School District, .18 percent by the Mitchell County Hospital District and .24 percent by Mitchell County.

For a single-family house that would sell for $80,000, the highest tax was $1,935 in Pasadena and the lowest was a $251 tax bill in Dumas. Homestead exemptions cut the tax in Dumas to $220 and Sweetwater was highest with $1,601. Additional exemptions for homeowners aged 65 or over reduced the property tax bill to $1,425 in Sweetwater and to $105 in Dumas.

In Colorado City the tax bill on an $80,000 house in 1983-84 averaged $1,166 or $1,127 if a homestead or $1,029 if owned by a senior citizen. The report points out that many elderly homeowners would pay less because school taxes are frozen at the level existing when the taxpayer turned 65.

Sweetwater ranked 28th on the tax burden list while Snyder was at the lower end of the scale at 331. In Snyder the tax bill on an $80,000 house in 1983-84 averaged $597 or $537 if a homestead or $464 if owned by a senior citizen.

The report cites two reasons for the wide range of taxes: First, local officials adopt budgets and set tax rates and homestead exemptions. Second, unless all property is appraised uniformly, tax burdens will vary. Houses in Dumas are valued at only 35 percent of market value while minerals are valued at 97 percent and utilities 112 percent of market value according to the State Property Tax Board, the report states. While the legislature has prohibited the old practice of fractional assessing for tax purposes, the goal of equitable treatment of all taxpayers has not been reached in many localities the report concludes.

Equitable appraisals among different types of property are significant in attracting new industry to a community. The 1983-84 property tax on $80,000 of industrial equipment and inventories ranged from $558 in Gatesville to $2,160 in Alvin. Commercial and industrial properties are taxes at about the same level as other property in Abilene, but in Arlington industrial property is taxed 49 percent higher and commercial 25 percent higher than the average for all types of property. For $80,000 of value in Colorado City the report shows a tax of $1,082 for industrial equipment and inventories and $899 for commercial inventories and fixtures as compared to $1,350 for an average for all types of property.

Project costs $30,000 more than expected

By Ray Mayo
Editor

The Colorado City Council, during a called meeting Tuesday night, agreed to transfer $29,768.55 from the water and sewer fund to the general fund in order to make final payment for the work done at the waste water treatment plant.

The action came after Lee Head of Freese and Nichols Engineering, Inc., the city's consulting engineers for the project, told the council that the project ran over by approximately $30,000.

Calling the $30,000 overrun a "lack of communication" between himself and the city, Head said that total cost of the project came to $854,245.86. He further explained that the sale of general obligation bonds totaled $750,000 and interest on the bond money came to $74,000 for a total of $824,000, some $30,000 short of the total cost.

Head said the project is virtually complete except for a few minor clean-up items.

Head said that he had expected the interest on the bond money to total closer to $100,000 rather than the $74,000 it actually earned.

He further stated that there were several items that could have been left out of the project, but that the city would have had to come back and do those things in the near future.

"We try to keep track of the money as we're going," said Head when questioned by councilman Jessie Munoz.

Councilman Dr. Don Bennett suggested that Freese and Nichols pick up half of the cost overrun. Head said he would pass on the suggestion to his company but added that Freese and Nichols is not in the business of paying for water and sewer improvements for cities.

Bennett said he thought Freese and Nichols "has done an excellent job" with the project.

Head said there was a total of $31,840 in change orders for construction and that there were other expenses not anticipated.

City Manager Brenda Tarter explained that the project began in 1983 and is just now complete. She said that with a project that takes that long to complete, it is natural for things to cost more than originally anticipated.

"We all share some responsibility," said Mrs. Tarter. "We should have watched it more closely."

She recommended that the council approve transferring the funds from the water and sewer fund which has a balance of about $161,000 to the general fund so that a final payment of $45,472.50 can be made to Gracon Construction.

"I think we can financially stand it (the transferring of money)," said Mrs. Tarter. She said unless there is a major problem this summer, "we might be able to scrape past."

The motion to transfer the $29,768.55 from the water and sewer fund to the general fund so that the final $45,472.50 payment can be made was made by Bennett and seconded by Dee Hearn. The motion was unanimously approved.

In other action, the council approved a contract with Freese and Nichols in the amount of $51,000 for engineering services for the city landfill in order to obtain a permit as required by the state. Head said the work should take three to six months.

In other business, the council conducted a public hearing on possible uses of the $10,000 in motel/hotel occupancy tax receipts.

No action was taken, but the council heard requests from eight representatives of various organizations and civic groups including:

--Woody Anderson, chairman of the city park board, asked for $8,500 for improvements to Ruddick Park. He said a sprinkler system, landscaping, hydro mulching and a water well are on thelist of things that need to be

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Teacher appreciation

A fund-raising campaign is under way for the Second Annual Teacher Appreciation Banquet to be held next month at the Civic Center. This year's theme will be western with Texas-size trimmings, according to organizers.

A volunteer parents' committee will be calling on all businesses and organizations in Colorado City starting Monday to help fund the event.

Organizers say the banquet is to say "thank you" to teachers for their dedication and to let them know that the community and parents appreciate them.

Any individual who would like to donate time or money is welcome to do so.

For more information, or to make a contribution, call one of the parent volunteers at 728-2321, 728-3580 or 728-5727.

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done at the park;

--Walt Staats, representing the Colorado City Bass Club, requested $500 to help with the club's annual bass tournament;

--Pat McKinney of the Colorado City Volunteer Fire Department, asked for $1,500 to help fund a $4,000 fireworks display planned for the Fourth of July this year.

--Vince Gaona of the Mitchell County Boys Club asked for $575 to help with the annual boxing tournament hosted each year by the club;

--Walter Hearin of the Colorado City Playhouse asked for $4,000 which is needed to make needed repairs to the restrooms, dressing rooms and concession area at the Playhouse;

--Horace Caldwell, representing the Chamber of Commerce, asked for $1,000 for a new electric typewriter for the chamber office.

Jim Baum of the Mitchell County Historical Commission said that organization "would appreciate any amount you can earmark for us."

Mrs. Tarter read a letter from the Colorado City Museum asking for $500.

Mayor Elmer Martin said the council will allocate the funds at its regular meeting scheduled this Monday night.

The council also agreed to make a decision Monday night regarding a request from Lone Star Gas Co. for its annual cost of service adjustment. Bryon Swank of Lone Star Gas said no action is needed on part of the council in order for the rate adjustment to take affect. He said the new rate will go into effect in May and will increase the average customer's bill $3.38 annually, or 29 cents a month. He said the rate adjustment will bring in an additional $6,152.64 annually to Lone Star Gas.

Swank said the rate will go into effect automatically if the city does not take any action. To deny any part of the adjustment will take action on the city's part, he added.

In other business, the council appointed Larry Hearn to the cemetery board and approved a zone change as recommended by the zoning committee on property owned by Carolyn Walker so that she can open an art studio.

Farmland prices in Texas decline

COLLEGE STATION--After bucking the trend of declining farm real estate values over the rest of the country, farmland prices in Texas finally slipped a little the past year.

Texas farmland is now worth about $725 per acre in nonirrigated areas, a decline of almost 7 percent from the past year.

Irrigated cropland, at the same time, declined slightly to about $980 per acre, and ranchland dropped in value by about 2 percent to nearly $600 per acre.

"Until last year, Texas had experienced a basically stable farmland market for irrigated cropland and an increasing value in dryland cropland," points out Dr. Forrest Stegelin, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. "Prospects for 1985 indicate that Texas farm real estate values will continue to slip despite urban sprawl and potential income streams from natural resources."

How will this decline in farm real estate values affect landowners?

"Since real estate accounts for roughly three-fourths of all farm assets, landowners have suffered a substantial paper loss in their next worth," notes Stagelin. "Despite this loss, equity per farm still remains fairly high, but this masks a wide range of situations. A small but growing number of farmers and landowners now have little or no equity in their farm assets."

The economist points out that the loss of net worth may have relatively little consequence on the farming operations of landowners with little or no farm debt. However, the loss does represent a disheartening blow to their finanical nest egg.

"Farmers who rely heavily on farm debt are the ones really hurt by this erosion in farmland values," Stegelin emphasizes. "This loss in equity, unless offset by favorable earnings, can lead to a substantial reduction in their borrowing capacity."

The economist notes that farm real estate values may have retreated to levels that offer higher rates of income return than were required by land buyers over the past several years. Some recent farm real estate transactions have offered positive cash flow prospects for the purchasers. But whether the improved relationship between land values and income returns will soon arrest the current downtrend is doubtful, Stegelin says.

"For instance, the growing number of financially-strapped farmers who need to liquidate assets to reduce their debt to acceptable levels adds considerably to the amount of land available for sale," he points out. "At the same time, the tendency of potential land buyers to wait for evidence that land prices have bottomed before buying results in an inordinately weak demand for land relative to the supply available.

"Such an attitude by potential land investors has undoubtedly been reinformed by the Reagan Administration's proposals to reduce government farm program benefits," notes Stegelin. "At a minimum, these proposals cast considerable uncertainty about prospective income returns on land ownership over the next few years. Within this environment, agricultural lenders are quite pessimistic about current trends in farmland values."

Chamber plans welcoming committee

The Colorado City Chamber of Commerce board of directors Monday night gave chamber manager Penny Solomon the go-ahead on establishing a welcoming committee for newcomers to Colorado City.

Solomon said she hopes to prepare a package of gifts, coupons, etc. from local businesses. The package will be handed out to all newcomers moving into town.

Also a committee was formed to begin preparation on a local business directory of all chamber member businesses. The directory will contain each business name, address phone number, and products or services offered. Joy Morris will head up the committee and other committee members include Becky Manning, Cecil Oursbourn, Jim Baum and Earl Plagens.

Another committee was formed to review the chamber policies. The polices were adopted by the board of directors in 1979. Reviewing the policies and making recommendations will be Ronnie Aston, Horace Caldwell, Tom Lovell and D. M. Smith.

In other business, the directors heard from Becky Manning, co-chairperson for the upcoming D&O Production Gospel Show. Manning reported that $3,916 had been pledged and the Chamber will probably get $400 for the event. The gospel show is scheduled for Saturday, April 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Hot water heater uses lots of energy

The hot water heater is the second largest consumer of energy in your home. Water heating accounts for about 13 percent of residential energy consumption. The hotter the water, the more energy it takes to heat it, and thus, the more it costs you.

Texas Electric Service Company recommends that you set your hot water thermostat on 140 degrees if you have an automatic dishwasher, and 120 degrees if you do not. Depending on the number in your family, the temperature setting may need to be slightly higher or lower. However, each 10-degree reduction in water temperature will save about 6 percent in water heating energy.

Additionally, a lower stored water temperature can increase the tank life of your water heater.

Sediment build-up in the bottom of your hot water tank can also lower the life of your water heater. In addition, it lowers its efficiency and costs you money. Sediment can be removed by drawing several buckets of water from the tank through the heater's drain faucet.

Most people are not aware of the costs for heating water. Consequently, they are not concerned about conserving. One way to save is to take a shower instead of a bath. The average shower requires about 10 gallons of water, whereas a bath calls for about twice that amount.

There are many other ways you can save energy by saving water. A dripping faucet, for instance, can cost more than you might imagine. A drippy faucet is a nuisance, wastes water, wastes energy, wastes money, overworks the water heater, can erode valve seats and often causes unsightly sink stains. A faucet that leaks 90 drops of water a minute adds up to about 200 gallons of water per month. Usually, this can be corrected simply by replacing a washer.

Another savings can be realized by using cold and warm cycles as much as possible when using your washing machine or dishwasher. Your gas or electric bill could be lowered significantly by switching entirely to cold cycles.

Yet another energy efficiency step may be taken by adding an insulation jacket to your water heater. Be careful, however, to install the jacket according to its manufacturer's instructions.

If you need to purchase a new water heater, select a unit with high heating efficiency and with thick tank insulation. Units with these features may cost a little more initially, but the reduced operating costs over a period of time can more than make up for this additional initial cost.

Texas farmers under severe financial stress

COLLEGE STATION--The story of agriculture in Texas is the same as in other states--farmers are under severe financial stress.

While gross farm income in Texas stood at about $11 billion in 1984 (the same as in 1979), net income totaled only about $1 billion-half of what it was five years ago. Thus the purchasing power of Texas agriculture is about 25 to 30 percent of what it was in 1979.

The current farm financial stress in Texas and across the nation stems largely from depressed crop and livestock prices, steady increases in costs, adverse weather conditions and high real interest rates that not only increase costs but also strengthen the dollar's value, points out Dr. Carl Anderson. Anderson is an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, an agency of the Texas-A&M University System.

"Agricultural prices have suffered from abundant supplies and weak demand," says Anderson. "While average prices farmers have received for crops and livestock have fallen slightly during the past five years, prices they paid for supplies and machinery increased about a third.

"Increased debt and production losses due to adverse weather (such as last year's drought) have put heavy financial stress on many Texas farmers," the economist points out. "Texas farm debt has risen nearly 50 percent since 1979. Debt was about five times greater than net farm income in Texas in 1979; since 1982 it has been running close to 15 times greater."

At the same time net returns, which traditionally are around 3 to 5 percent, have dropped to less than 1 percent or have been negative over the last several years. These low returns to investment are showing up in lower land values in less populated areas where agricultural production is the main land use.

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Former resident discovers skeleton

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following article was published recently in the Odessa American and concerns the discovery of a skeleton by former Mitchell County resident Bonnie Miles who graduated from Loraine High School in 1949. She is married to James Miles who works for El Paso Natural Gas in Jal, N.M. James Miles is the brother of Helen Morgan and Frances Brooks of Colorado City. The Miles have three daughters, one son and six grandchildren. Mrs. Miles' father, the late Tom Rankin, ran a laundry in Loraine for many years. Mrs. Miles' mother now lives near Coahoma.

JAL, N.M.--Bonnie Miles said she knew the human skeleton she discovered while hunting arrowheads near here "was real old and it wasn't some murder or something."

"I just used my stick and dug around" the old remains found March 13 while "walking the sand hills," the 53-year-old Jal resident said Thursday. "I didn't really think much of it."

After a brief discussion with her hunting partner--her 57-year-old husband, James--they "covered the bones back up and reported them," she said.

Lea County Medical Investigator Paul Mallory speculated Thursday that the sekelton is a genuine Indian artifact because of the traditional Indian-style fetal position in which it was discovered.

Mallory sent the bones to the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque, where an anthropologist will further study the skeleton, he said.

Mrs. Miles said she would like to add to her 600-piece collection of Indian arrowheads, pottery, rocks, but the skeleton is a contribution she doesn't want.

"When you're out like that, you're always finding bones," she said. "What would I do with a bunch of old bones?"

"I much would rather find an arrowhead than a skeleton."

Miles said she began her collecting artifacts about 15 months ago when she went arrowhead hunting with a neighbor.

"My friend that used to live (in Jal) would always ask me to go out with her," she said, adding, "Back then, I didn't see any good in going out there and walking my legs off."

About the time her friend moved away and with only 17 arrowheads in her personal collection, Miles said she found an arrowhead by hserself while her grandsons were shooting at a rifle range.

"And ever since then, I go out by myself or with my husband or with my son-in-law and look in sand dunes. I have even fixed a dune buggy to go out in," she boasted.

"I mainly do it for the exercise," she said. "It takes a lot of walking just to find one arrowhead, but when you find one, you forget all about being tired."

Miles said she wished she "would have started all of this when I was younger."

"It's a lot harder to climb those sand hills when you're old," she explainedc.

Even though she doesn't "know as much about Indian cultures as most collectors," she can match the experts in other ways, she said.

"I guess we're probably the only people in the world that like to see it come a sand storm," she said.

"Because after a sand storm, it's a good time to go out and find arrowheads that have been uncovered by the wind."

Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guzman of Loraine announce the birth of a daughter, Bonnie Marie, born March 27 at Cogdell Hospital in Snyder weighing 7 pounds 7¼ ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William D. Stanley of Loraine and Mrs. Carmen Guzman of Snyder.

Local Brownie Troop attends Brownie Day

First grade Brownie Troop No. 152 attended Brownie Day at Camp Booth Oaks in Sweetwater last Sunday. Those attending the annual Girl Scout event were Shakei Ausbie, Tammy Baker, Kim Belvin, Amanda Monroe, Monica Orona, Carrie Perkins, Lesli Turnbow; leaders Pat Howell and Sara Ortiz, and guest Sarah Ortiz. Brownie Cystal Parham was unable to attend.

After a picnic under the trees, the girls toured the camp facilities, learned to tie a square knot, witnessed trail signs, climbed Rattlesnake Ridge, used lemme sticks, and walked over the suspended "swinging bridge."

As a special treat to end an afternoon of fun, the Brownies were treated to an early supper at McDonald's in Sweetwater before heading back home.

Four month extension available from IRS

The Internal Revenue Services says you may receive an automatic 4-month extension of time to file your 1984 federal tax return. The application for the extension, Form 4868, must be filed by April 15.

The IRS stresses that this is an extension of time to file your return--not an extension of time for payment of taxes due. When filing for the extension, the taxpayer must estimate their tax owed for 1984 and send that amount with the Form 4868 to avoid interest and late payment penalties.

The IRS notes that a deduction for an IRA contribution can be claimed on a 1984 tax return only if the contribution is made on or before April 15, even for those electing an extension to file.

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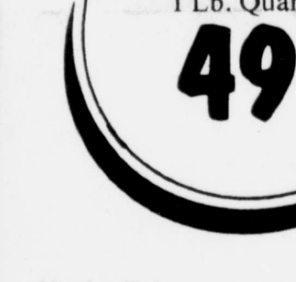
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Stewart, Jackson united in Lockney

Sidney Stewart of Lubbock and Dwight Keith Jackson Jr. of Lockney exchanged wedding vows Saturday, March 30 at the First United Methodist Church in Lockney.

Rev. Russell McAnally, pastor of Pioneer United Methodist Church of Merkel, grandfather of the groom, performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart of Colorado City. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Jackson of Lockney.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a dress of silk brocaded white satin with a "V" neckline featuring leg of mutton sleeves and a dropped waistline. The scalloped skirt was waltz length. The fingertip length veil was a silk flower circlette tulle.

She carried a nosegay of daisies with white roses and gypsohplia.

For something "old," she wore her late great-grandmother's (Mrs. Oda Oats) wedding band. Her something "blue" was a garter and something "borrowed" a handkerchief from Trudy Bodine. Her something "new" was her dress.

Tammy Bodine of Granbury was maid of honor. She wore a fuchia chiffon with blousson bodice tied at the side. The dress had a dropped waistline with a tea length straight skirt. She carried a silk nosegay of white roses.

Wade and Boyd Jackson, brothers of the groom, served as candlelighters.

Best man was John Fortenberry of Lockney.

The church decorations featured two brass candle trees flanking a kneeling bench and unity candle. Greenery and white bows decorated the candelabra.

A reception followed at the church fellowship hall. The bride's table featured a white lace over a white cloth, crystal candelabra with white tapers and a daisy flower arrangement. Crystal appointments were used.

Serving at the bride's table were Noel Sparkman of Slaton, cousin of the bride, and Kelly Sparkman of Slaton, aunt of the bride.

The groom's table had a white cloth with a pewter service. it featured a candelabra and a bowl of daisies.

Serving at the groom's table were Terrisee Sims of Snyder, and Lujean Eckert of Snyder, both cousins of the bride.

The bride is a 1981 graduate of Colorado High School and is a senior food and nutrition major at Texas Tech University. The groom is a 1981 graduate of Lockney High School and is a senior at Texas Tech.

After a wedding trip to Amarillo, the couple is at home in Lockney. The groom farms in Providence, a community near Lockney.



Mrs. Sidney Jackson

Obituary

Werner

Addie Mae Werner, 90, of Colorado City, died at 1:50 p.m. Sunday at Root Memorial Hospital. Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

The Rev. Donnie Crowson, pastor, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Loren Gardner, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Coahoma. Burial was in Hillside Memorial Gardens in Snyder, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 1, 1894, in Mansfield, she married Finis A. Werner on June 19, 1916, in Hermleigh. She had lived in Colorado City since 1955 and was a member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

Her husband died Feb. 4, 1962.

Survivors include a son, Finis of El Paso; two sisters, Mrs. G. L. Stevenson of San Antonio and Mrs. Pat Bullock of Dallas; a brother, H. S. Appleton of Dallas; and two grandsons, Andrew D. and Stafford M., both of El Paso.

Pallbearers were O. J. Stevenson, Billy Jack Scott, Gordon Stevenson, Vaughn Brown, Bob Pate and Dale Mathis.

April 30 is deadline for applications

Students wishing to transfer into the Colorado Independent School District for the 1985-86 school year, from another school district must make a transfer application on or before April 30, 1985.

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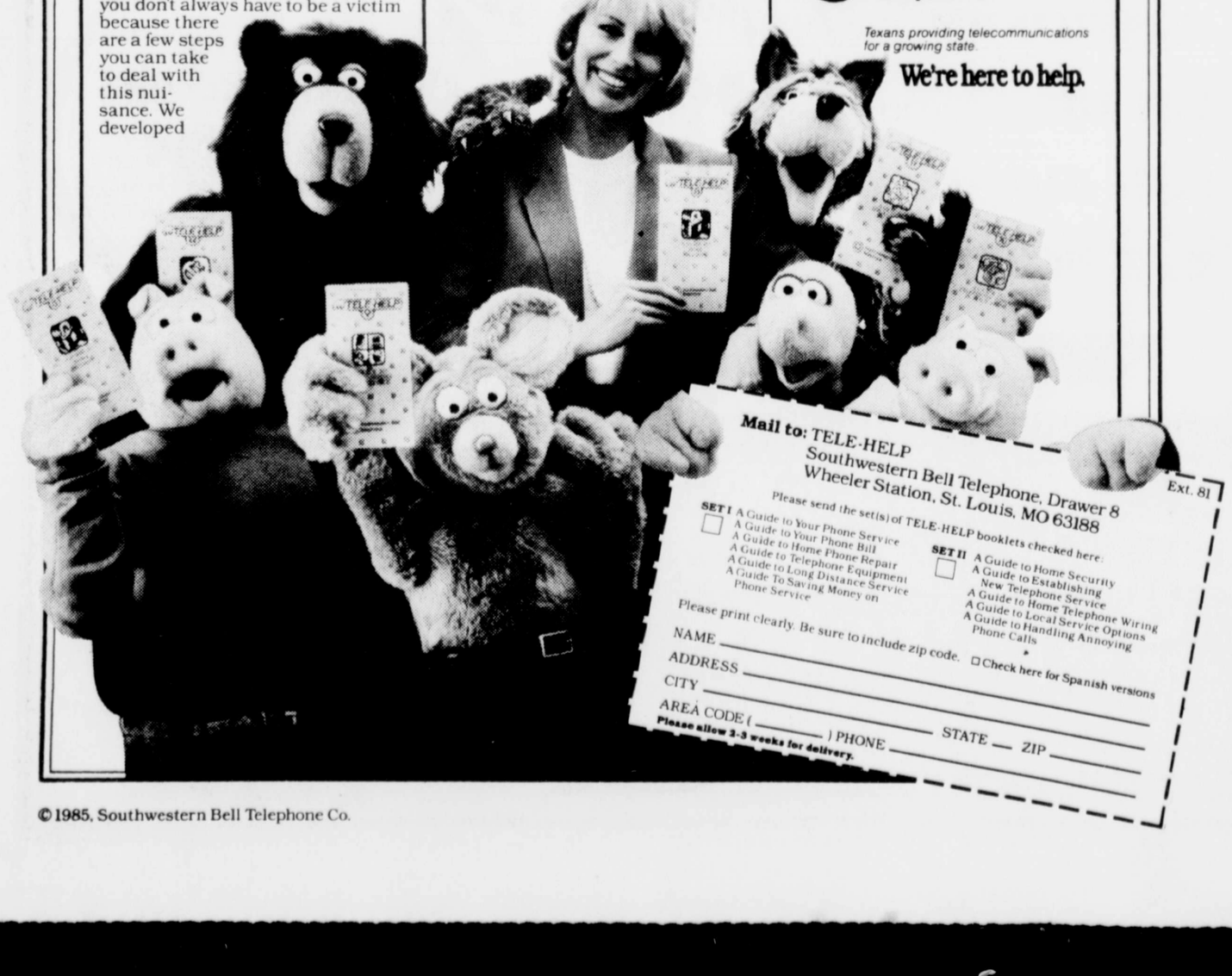
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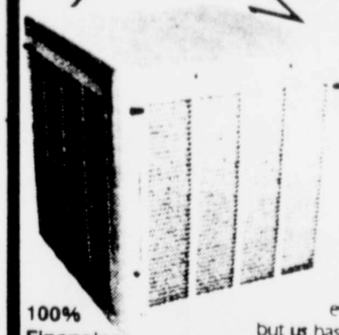
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Westbrook Wanderings

By Ruby Claxton

Mrs. Tennie Hays and Mrs. Frankie Pelton of Coahoma visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Anderson. Mrs. Tennie Hays went on to Colorado City and visited with her sister, Mrs. Willie Sneed.

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Herby Pelton of Hanford, California visited week before last with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Anderson.

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A newphew, Bill Hanna, of Corsicana visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Anderson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Claxton visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Claxton and Mindy and Mrs. Allen McGee and Chris of Big Spring.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Anderson were in Odessa Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday where Mrs. Anderson received treatment for her eyes.

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Mrs. Marvin Claxton received word Thursday of the death of her cousin, Bob Brinkley, who lived in Abilene.

Other cousins here are Mrs. W. D. Whitesides, A. C. Wilson of Colorado City and Mrs. Charles Powell of Sweetwater.

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Mrs. Marlena Rice and Mrs. Merle Currie and Mrs. Mildred Campbell both of Colorado City were in Odessa Saturday to see Sharla Currie perform in the ballet "Spring Gala." She also tap danced in the "Fiesta Del Arte," held in the colisum. Mrs. Currie and Mrs. Campbell are grandmothers of Sharla and Mrs. Rice is an aunt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Manning and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bursell, both of Bonham, visited over the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Bob Manning and family. Mr. Manning and Mrs. Bursell are brother and sister of Rev. Bob Manning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Claxton visited in Colorado City Sunday afternoon with a sister-in-law, Mrs. Willis Sneed.

Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McMahan of California, Mrs. Tildon Smith of Bryan, Mrs. Mary Hines of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wilson of Colorado City.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dawson visited last weekend in Odessa with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Webb.

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Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought, should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-1221 for teletypewriter for the deaf within 15 days of this notice.

A complete copy of the Notice of Intent is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas at Austin, Texas.

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Art contest slated for 17th District

Congressman Charles Stenholm has announced plans for the fourth annual art competition for high school students, grades 9 through 12, in the 17th Congressional District. The contest will culminate May 25, with an awards luncheon in Abilene. The winner will be displayed in a corridor leading to the United States capitol for one year. All winners in the local contests will receive a Congressional Certificate of Appreciation.

"Over 30,000 students from all over the nation have participated in this contest during the past three years. We have had outstanding talent from the 17th District and I believe it is very important to encourage these creative energies which are so vital to our cultural traditions," said Stenholm.

This nationwide search for excellence, conducted with no Federal funds, is open to every high school student. Artwork must be no larger than 30" x 30" (unframed), and two-dimentional. Landscapes shall portray Texas scenes. Eligible categories are paintings, drawings, collages, and prints.

The regional show scheduled in Snyder will be on Friday, April 26, in the art room, shop building, of the Snyder High School. Counties to be included are Fisher, Mitchell and Scurry. All entries must be in place by 1 p.m. on Friday. If convenient, entries may be brought by the art room anytime during the week beginning on Monday, April 22.

This is one of seven regional shows being held over the vast 17th District. Five top winners from Snyder will compete with those from similar contests in Abilene, Big Spring, Gainesville, Graham, Stephenville and Weatherford.

Additional information may be obtained from any of Congressman Stenholm's offices or from Ned Moore in Snyder, 915/573-4496.

National Honor Society

Induction held at CHS

The National Honor Society of Colorado High School held its annual induction of new members Thursday evening, March 28 in the high school auditorium.

Staci Free, president, presided and welcomed the members and guests. The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was given and a prayer was led by Julie Waid.

Beth Smith, vice president, introduced the program by giving the requirements for membership in the National Honor Society and introducing Dianne Jones and Richy Womack who spoke on scholarship, leadership, character and service, the attributes of the National Honor Society. Beth introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Walter Bingham, assistant superintendent of schools. Dr. Bingham complemented the members and inductees on their many accomplishments and fine work.

Staci Free led the new members in the Pledge of Membership and Jerry Reynolds, principal, handed out membership cards and certificates.

A reception for the new members and their guests followed in the cafeteria. Light blue and gold colors were used in the table decorations and flowers.

New members are Chris Aguillon and Rebecca Jil Erwin, seniors; Adam Alvarez, Rhonda Barber, Cheryl Bently, Blake Bingham, Cindi Calloway, Sherri Fite, Lisa Garner, Robert Lemons, Michael Ligon, Yvonne Lujan, Shannon Perkin, Melanie Rees, Cody Stice, and Staci Wood, juniors.

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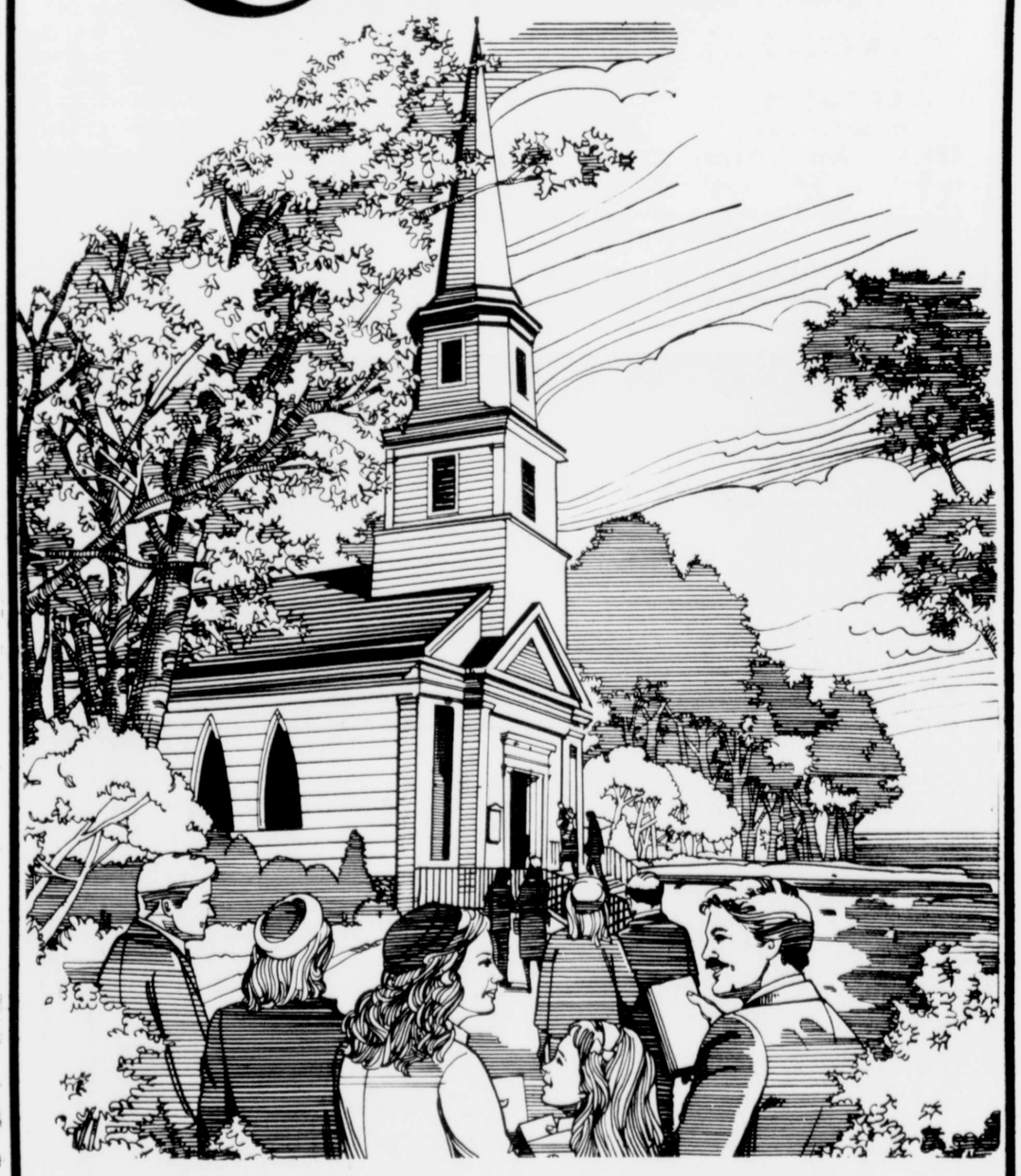
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A.A.R.P. Chapter holds meeting

The American Association of Retired Persons Chapter No. 1461 met for its regular luncheon and business meeting recently at the C. C. Thompson Room.

The meeting was called to order at noon. Rochelle Smith gave the invocation. Members were seated at decorated tables using the St. Patrick's Day theme.

After the luncheon, Juanita Schafer, president, welcomed those present including new members Addie C. Smith and Pearl Watson and guest LaDell Franklin. The group was led in the pledge to the flag and "America" was sung with Pearl Wood at the piano.

Elizabeth Elliott, program chairman, introduced the speaker, Lewis Elliott, who presented an informative talk about investments and answered questions about investments.

Following the program, Elliott was presented with a gift from the A.A.R.P. organization.

A business meeting was called to order by Mrs. Schafer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Elnora Barber and approved. Juanita Coker presented the treasurer's report.

Those present included members Pearl Wood, Lonie Pruitt, Faye Spivey, Annie Dixon, Jeanette Lemons, Thelma Howell, Fannie Cooper, Christena Morren, Della Mae Salley, Herman Salley, Eddie Barclay, Velma Moseley, Shorty Pace, Edna Pace, Jane Edge, Scotty Edge, Juanita Schafer, L. O. Schafer, Ivan Barber, Elnora Barber, Juanita Coker, Wilma Reynolds, Thelma Matlock, Dora Winn, Garvice Craghead.

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Cummings, Baird attend convention

Mrs. Gene Cummings of Colorado City, Mrs. Ida Baird of Loraine and Mrs. Allene Baird of Big Spring attended the State Federation of Porcelain Art Clubs of Texas when they held their 27th annual Convention at Hyatt Regency Hotel in Fort Worth March 27-31.

The Fort Worth China Decorators Club hosted the welcoming party Wednesday night and also the Carnival Thursday night when the Shriner Clowns of Fort Worth entertained. Theme throughout was "CArnival."

There were 811 registered artists from Texas and noted teachers from Texas and out of state. Ninety demonstrations were given and 93 commercial booths set up with blank china and all needed supplies.

The exhibit included paintings from clubs from over the state.

The next year's convention will be held in San Antonio.

Mrs. Baird and Allen Baird visited Friday night and Saturday in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Baird.

Loraine Personals

by Ida Baird

Mrs. Gertrude Simms had as her weekend guest a friend, Mrs. Ruth Akins from Happy, Texas.

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Mrs. Doyle Mayes visited her daughter and husband, Debbie and Todd Line in Midland Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Parnell have as their guests this week her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sartain from Newnan, Ga. They are also visiting her brother and wife, James and Kaynell Herm in Colorado City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Graham had their daughter and husband, Wayne and Joyce Childs of Stanton with them for the weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Willie Taylor, Mrs. Eathel Mearse and Mrs. Nannie Lou Miles visited their sister, Mrs. Clara Tidwell of Sweetwater who is a patient in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wells had as their guests Wednesday an aunt, Fannie Caudle and a cousin, Hazel Strange from Dublin.

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Mrs. Charlie Harris returned home Thursday after spending a week in El Paso with her sister, Mrs. H. J. Lofton.

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Mrs. Cullen Payne had her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Hayslip of Midland and grandson, Byron Pringle as her guests over the weekend.

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Rev. Clarence Minton of Snyder, suffered a massive heart attack last Monday and was treated at Cogdell Hospital in Snyder and sent to the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock on Monday of this week for further tests and treatment. He was former pastor of First Baptist Church in Loraine.

Green honored with Post-nuptial gift tea

Sharla Green of Midland, recent bride of Tim Green was honored at a post-nuptial gift tea in the home of Mrs. Frankie Stewart from 2-3 p.m. Saturday, March 30th.

The honoree and her mother, Mrs. Barbara Jameson of Eola and the groom's mother, B. D. Green of Loraine were introduced by the hostess.

The honoree's chosen colors, navy and rose were carried out in table decor. The refreshment table was laid in lace with overlay of pink. The floral centerpiece was an arrangement of flowers in rose pink and navy in ceramic navy basket. Karen Hackfled served punch, nuts, mints and cookies.

Guests registered from a table laid in pink cloth and held a vase of pink and blue flowers.

Teresa Gale registered gifts which were displayed from adjoining party rooms.

The honoree was presented a rose pink carnation shoulder corsage and the two mothers presented white carnation corsages.

Out of town callers included her mother Mrs. Barbara Jameson of Eola and her sister, Brenda Jameson from San Angelo.

Co-hosting the affair with Mrs. Stewart were Mmes. Lois Phillips, Sue Linam, Pearl Smith, Willadena Forbus, Patsy Walker, Karen Hackfeld, Billie Sheffield, Amaz Webb, Christene Britton, Patsy Ritchey, Stella Raney, Bea Looney, Melba Hackfeld, Charlene Walker, Teresa Gale, Doris Graham, Dot Oliver, Inez Stewart, Dorothy Finley, Eloise McDaniel, Margaret Brame, Darlene Givens, Kaye Nell Cornutt, Ann Hallmark, Ann Preston, Nelda Bruce, Joan Merket, Sue Lankford and Brenda Martin.

"Ready" Class meets in Fellowship Hall

Margaret Brame and Estelle Lee were hostesses for the "Ready" Class of First Baptist Church Loraine when they met at the Church fellowship hall Monday evening.

A supper of salads was served buffet. Mildred Sartain gave the Invocation.

After the meal, the group sang "The Old Rugged Cross," with Alta Miles accompanying on piano.

Bertha Fay Snyder brought the devotional on the subject "He is Risen." She read scriptures John 11—25-26 and Matt. 25:28. She closed her talk with the poem, "I am the Light of the World," and Ms. Lee led the closing prayer.

Those present were Gladys Hart, Lorene McNeill, Virgil Parnell, Bertha Fay Snyder, Estelle Merritt, Juanice Butler, Estelle Lee, Allie Ruth Wiggins, Alta Miles, Christene Mearse, Ruby Lee Small, Margaret Brame, and one visitor, Mildred Sartain from Newnan, Ga.

Taylors return from trip

Willie and Corinne Taylor arrived home Thursday after a two week sightseeing trip in Florida. They made the trip in their motor home and visited in Orlando for two days, spent one day at Disney World, one day at Busch Garden in Tampa, Florida and spent some time at Epcot "The Ecology of the World of Tomorrow," which was very interesting.

They also visited a Tupperware factory in Kissemmee, Fla.

Returning home they visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Pearson in Marshall and her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bell in Sulphur Springs.

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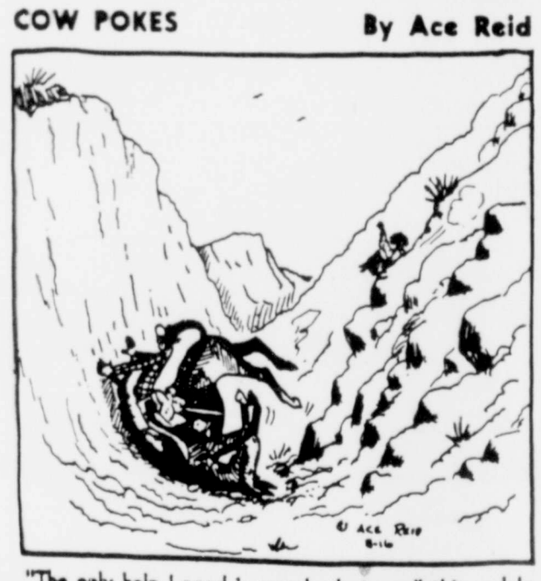


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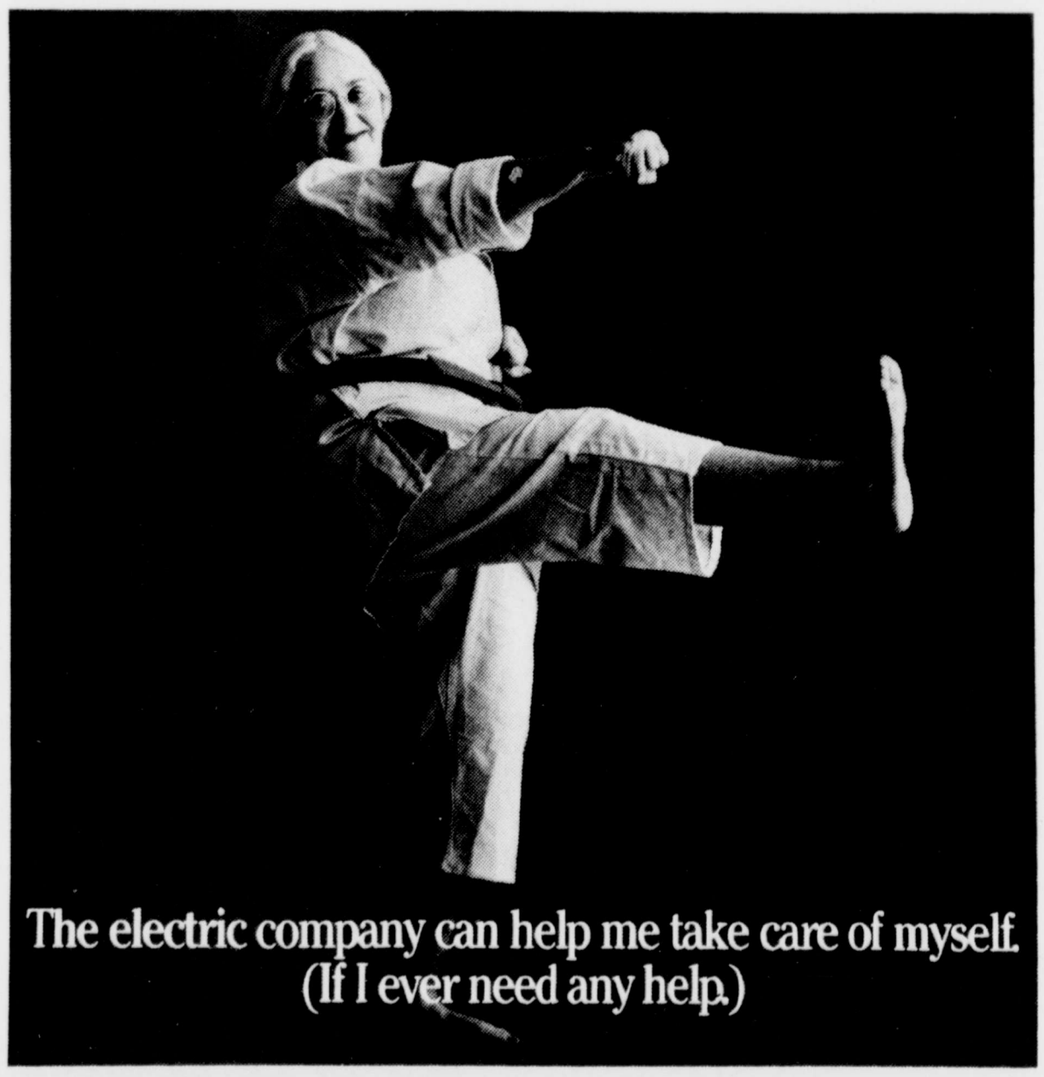
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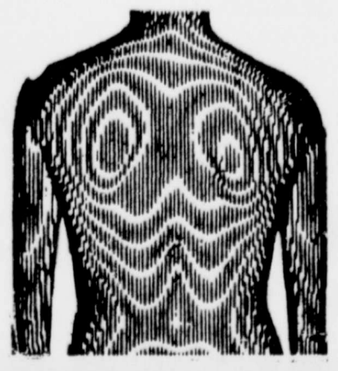
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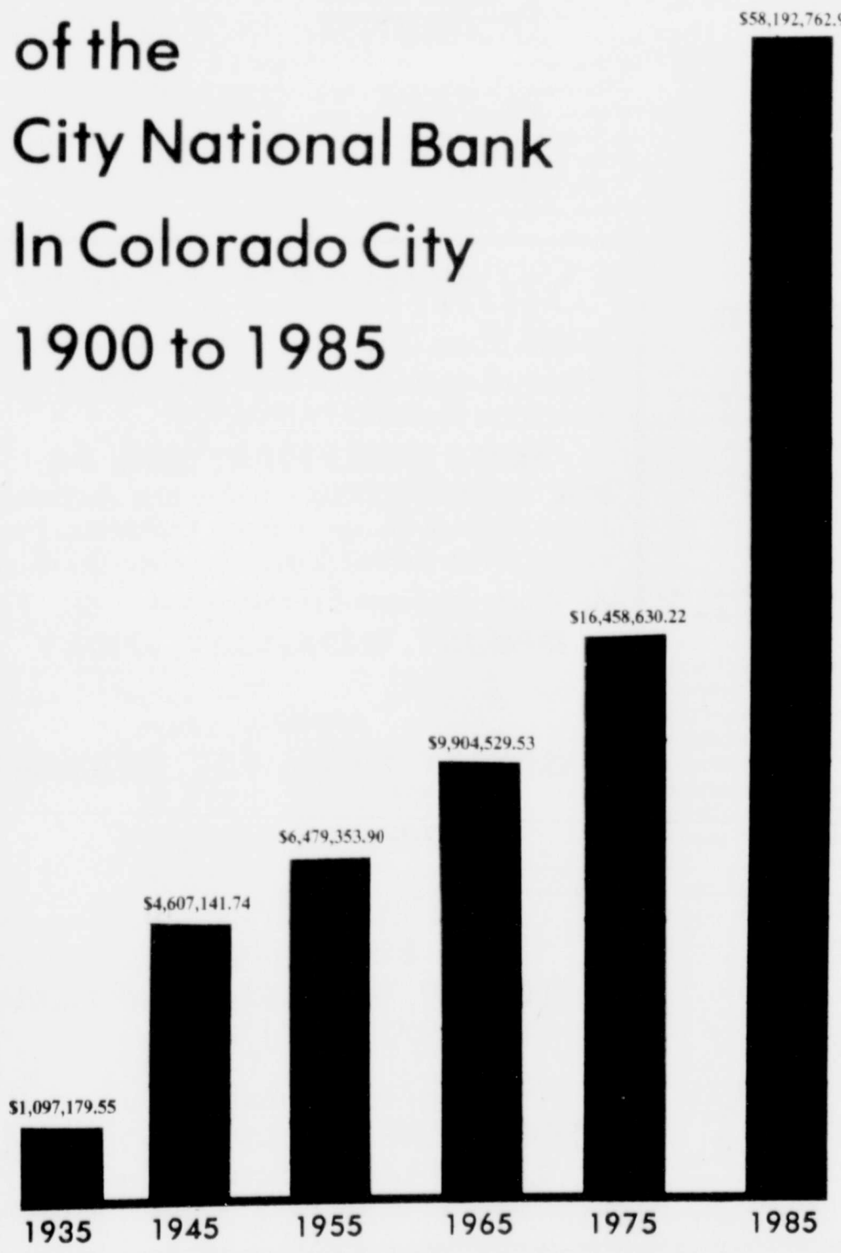
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Piland finishes no. 2; fold team places 3rd

Senior Jay Piland finished second in the individual standings to lead the Colorado High School golf team to a third place finish at a Big Lake tournament played last Saturday.

Stanton won the 18th annual Reagan County High School Invitational with a team effort of 332. Ozona, led by medalist Diron Holt, took second with a 335 and the Wolves took third with a 341.

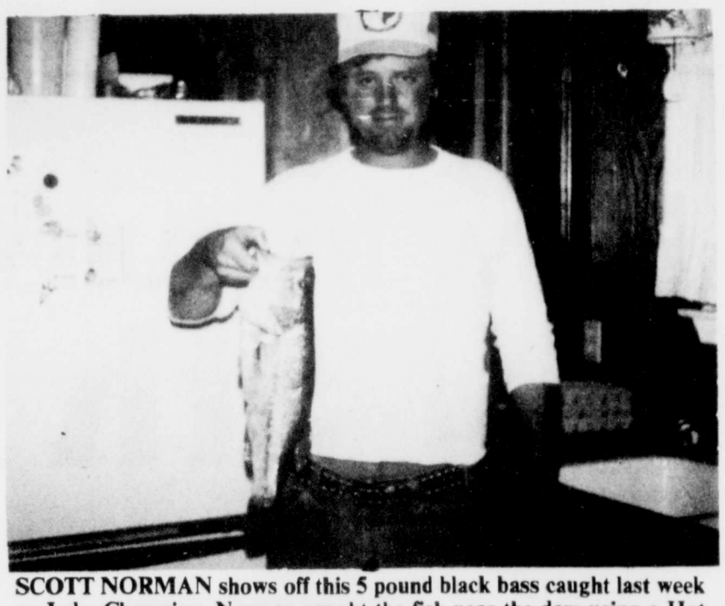
"I saw tremendous improvement," said coach Walt Staats.

Piland recorded nine hole totals of 38 and 39 for a 77 total to finish just one stroke behind medalist Holt. Piland actually tied for second along with Stanton's Mark Gonzales but then won a playoff in just two holes.

Other Colorado City scores include junior Gary White's nine and eighteen hole score of 43-84, junior Blake Bingham's 41-87, sophomore Blaine Lemons' 43-93 and junior Robert Lemons' 47-96.

The Wolves, who next compete at a Brady tourney April 13 and at district April 19 and 20, also finished second in the "low ball" competition with a 71 to Stanton's 69.

Team totals: Stanton 332, Ozona 335, Colorado City 341, Rankin 344, Kermit 346, Sonora 349, Reagan County and Wink 354, Alpine 356, McCamey 402 and Midland 418.



SCOTT NORMAN shows off this 5 pound black bass caught last week on Lake Champion. Norman caught the fish near the dam using a Hot Sport. The city park at Lake Champion expects to be busy this Easter weekend. Eighty permits were issued last weekend. According to J. K. Norman at the city park, the fish are spawning in about three to four foot of water and he expects fishing to be good.

C-City tourney goes to Slayton Tigers

The Slaton Tigers captured championship honors of the Colorado City Invitational golf tournament played last Tuesday while the host Wolves took fourth place.

Medalist Collin Edwards paced the Tigers over the 18 hole Country Club course with nine hole scores of 35 and 39 for a 74.

The Tigers finished with a team total 322 to edge Breckenridge and Kermit with respective scores of 326 and 327.

"Those three were pretty good golf teams," said CHS coach Walt Staats. "I guess we were lucky to finish fourth."

In fifth place was the team of Abilene Wylie, which had defeated the Wolves in their own tourney last week.

Kevin McLean led the Wolves with nine and 18 hole totals of 39-81--just seven strokes off the leader.

Defending district medalist Jay Piland was one stroke back with a 38-82.

Other scores for the Colorado City A team were Gary White's 48-85, Blake Bingham's 51-95 and Robert Lemons' 49-98. Lemons' score, being the group's highest, was not counted in calculating the team score.

In last place among the 14 team field was Colorado City's B team. Blaine Lemons led it with 47-97.

Also for the B team was Lonnie Clary's 49-101, David Davila's 54-104, David Ashford's 51-112 and Marty Davila's 56-121. The group put together a 414.

In the medalist race behind the Tigers' Edwards, Yellow Jackets Dan Michel and Corey Bates of third place Kermit shot 39-78 to finish in a three way for second place along with Thomas Tennison of Breckenridge.

Team totals: Slaton 322, Breckenridge 326, Kermit 327, Colorado City 343, Wylie 347, Bronte 361, Sterling City 368, Merkel 370, Baird 371, Robert Lee 374, Winters 393, Forsan 404, Coahoma 411 and Colorado City B 414.

Don't miss the Lone Wolf Relays Saturday April 13

JV boys place 2nd in Ozona meet

Showing strength in both the running and field events, the Colorado High School junior varsity boys track team finished as runner-up at an Ozona meet held last Saturday.

Ricky Salazar and Danny Salazar captured the lone first place finishes for Colorado City by winning the shot put and discus.

Ricky Salazar won the shot with a put of 41'5" while Bill Dossey and Corey Flanagan finished in second and third with respective puts of 40'2½" and 36'4".

Danny Salazar threw the discus 118'9" to take first place in that event while Flanagan added a second place 107'9" and Derek Ramsey took sixth with a throw of 99'.

Guy Compton high jumped 5'6" for second place and in the long jump Ken Woods, Reggie Gardner and Randy Hernandez took second, fifth and sixth with respective leaps of 18'4½", 17'7" and 17'4¾".

In the running events, the Wolves were paced by second place finishes in both the 400 and 1600 meter relays.

The sprint relay of Gardner, Terry Jackson, Michael Swann and Woods ran a 47.74 while the 4x400 relay of Jackson, Hernandez, Compton and Swann ran a 3:55.4.

Other second place finishes were by Gardner in the 100 dash (12.73) and by Swann in the 300 hurdles (45.48).

Bruce Gonzales won third in the 3200 (11:56.46) and another third was Marty Cleckler's 2:18.9 in the 800.

In the 100 meter high hurdles Hernandez and Woods took third and fourth with respective times of 17.88 and 18.7.

Gardner placed fifth in the 200 (25.58) and Cleckler and Gonzales placed fifth and sixth in the 1600 with 5:31.15 and 5:37.44.

The JV Wolves will be competing at a Brady meet this Saturday along with the varsity.

Wolves face tough competition - place 3rd

The Colorado City Wolves finished a strong third in the 20 team division III field of the San Angelo Relays run last Friday and Saturday.

Competing against most of the schools that will be at regional, the Wolves enjoyed their best outing at San Angelo since winning it in 1978.

Colorado High School track coach Rick Robinson felt "good" about his team's performance.

"The kids competed well," said Robinson. "The ones that made the finals placed high. Frienship didn't beat us that bad but we didn't have the depth to stick with Vernon."

Vernon, state semifinalists in AAA football, won the meet with 102 points while Frienship and Colorado City were second and third with 70 and 64 points respectively.

Joey Ritchey gave the Wolves their lone first place finish by winning the 200 meter dash in 22.6 seconds.

It broke the school record of 22.73 he set in the prelims of an Eldorado meet three weeks ago and was only one of three school records established at the meet.

Ritchey also took second in the 100 with an 11.64 while teammate Kevin Norman took third with an 11.67.

In the 400 relay, run during Saturday's cold, windy conditions, the team of Ritchey, Norman, Perry Conner and Don Randle won second place with a 44.72.

In the Friday preliminaries, ran under much better conditions, the same foursome qualified for the finals with a 43.50--erasing the school record 43.51 they set last week at Sonora.

The 1600 relay of Norman, Randle, Conner and Mike Ligon was third in 3:27.67--the third straight week they've been under 3:30.

The same 4x400 relay team qualified for the Saturday finals by running a 3:25.47 in the Friday prelims. It broke the school record of 3:27 they set two weeks ago at Wall.

Randle took second in one of the few events concluded Friday by high jumping 6'2". He and Roosevelt's Rick Willis shared second behind Tracy Turnbow of Frienship.

Randle also added a fourth place finish in the open 400 with a 51.83 while Conner took sixth in 52.55.

The fleet-footed Wolves continue their season at Brady this Saturday before hosting next week's Lone Wolf Relays.

San Angelo team totals: Vernon 102, Frenship 70, Colorado City 64, Breckenridge 53, Idalou 42, Muleshoe 39, Sonora 31, Floydada 26, Dalhart 21, Merkel 13, Brownfield 12, Denver City and Llano 10, Ballinger eight, Brady and Roosevelt seven, Canadian four and Central J.V. one.

Big Spring varsity sweeps JV tourney

Big Spring High School brought its varsity team to the Colorado City junior varsity tennis tournament held last Friday and the result was four Big Spring champions in four divisions.

The Steers not only won every possible first place but also collected three of the four second place finishes.

Ashly Weaver and Julie McPhaul won third place in the girls doubles division for Colorado City's best showing. Weaver and McPhaul defeated Coahoma's Logsdon and Kinman 6-1, 6-0 in first round action then beat Suarez and Warren of Snyder 6-2, 6-2 in second round action.

Weaver and McPhaul then lost to Grimes and Arroyo of Big Spring in the semifinals before defeating Snyder's Srna and Veazey 6-2, 6-4 for third place.

Also playing in girls doubles were the teams of Margie Oliver and Andra McKinney and Renae Whalen and her partner Mary Alice Davila.

Oliver-McKinney lost 6-1, 6-1 to Grimes-Arroyo while Whalen-Davila lost 6-0, 6-0 to Srna-Veazey.

In boys doubles, Joel Mikow and Craig Rees defeated McMahon-Lawhorn of Coahoma 6-0, 6-0 before losing to Sweetwater's Dent-Rowan 7-5, 6-1.

Tony Selvera had the best showing in boys singles by defeating Coahoma's A Gutierrez 6-0, 6-2. Selvera also beat Snyder's R. Greer 6-0, 6-1, before losing 6-3, 6-3 in quarterfinal action against Big Spring's T. Wennik.

Singles player James Wood defeated Coahoma's T. Gardner 6-2, 6-3 then lost 6-0, 7-5 to C. Rich of Sweetwater. Also playing singles were Jody Webb, who lost 6-1, 6-1 to T. Foreman of Snyder, and Raymond Craighead who lost 6-0, 6-1, to Sweetwater's M. Romine.

In girls singles, Daphne Fowler lost 6-2, 6-2 to J. McSpadden of Snyder; Linde Grisham lost 6-2, 6-3 to T. Haladay of Snyder; Belinda Grisham lost 6-4, 6-0 to Ronda Echols of Snyder and Traci Blackwell lost 6-2, 6-3 to S. Fenton of Snyder.

Correction

In J. S. (Jay) Craddock Jr.'s response to a question included in a questionnaire of hospital district board candidates printed in Sunday's RECORD, a typographical error altered the meaning of his answer. The complete question and the answer as it should have been printed follows:

(Q) What do you feel should be the main concern of the newly elected board members?

(A) The newly elected board member should immediately review and learn the present policies of the hospital charter. They should strive to work with all board members, administrator and staff in keeping the best hospital possible. There must be cooperation and understanding between all.



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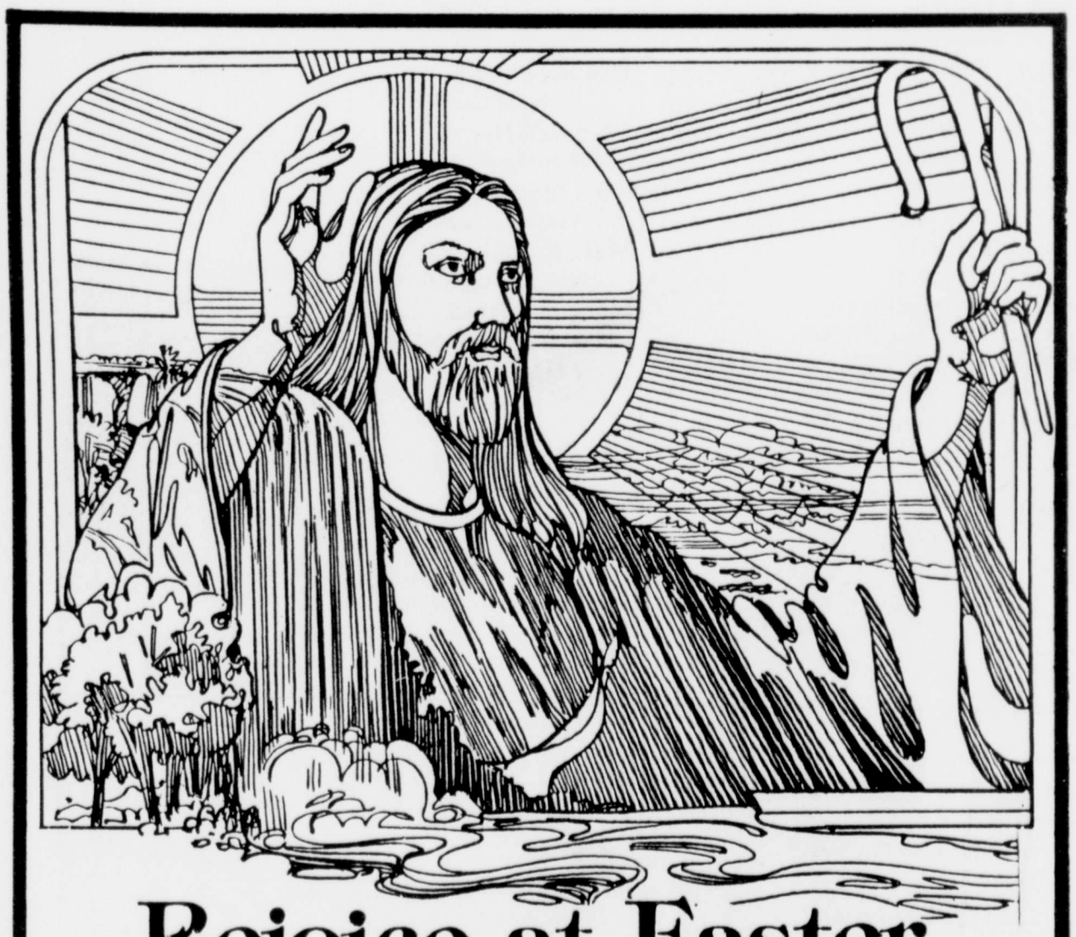
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Opti-Ms. basketball final results

Here for the final results of the Opti-Ms. Club basketball tournaments.

DIVISION I

Rams-23 (9th) Lobos-5 (10)

Scoring for the Rams were Lewis Martinez with 14 points, Adam Ybarra six and Terry Dixon three.

Scoring for the Lobos were Becky Hawley and Brian Smith with two points each and Travis Lynch one.

Broncos-22 (7th) Eagles-16 (8th)

Scoring for the Broncos were Ashton Weatherly 12 and Tyrone Ridge 10.

Scoring for the Eagles was Dwayne Riggs with 16 points.

A-Team-25 (5th) Tigers-16 (6th)

Scoring for the A-Team were Jerrod Goff with 15 points, Chad Morris six, Brady Robinette and Homer Matlock with two each.

Scoring for the Tigers were Alan Rivera with 14 and Brad Hartman two.

76'ers-38 (3rd) Stars-24 (4th)

Scoring for the 76'ers were Daniel Silva, 22 points and Robbie Parras 16 points.

Scoring for the Stars were Jeremy Dennis, 16, Dominick Molina six and Jesse Rivera two.

Owls-23 (1st) Jets-18 (2nd)

Scoring for the Owls were Jessie Gutierrez with 15 points, Joshua Holstine four, Rusty Blair and Danny Cook with two each.

Scoring for the Jets were Eric Mays 14, Krystal Butler and Zane Graham with two points each.

DIVISION II

Cobras-26 (7th) Panthers-18 (8th)

Scoring for the Cobras were James Franco with 20 points and Chris Beaty with six.

Scoring for the Panthers were Cynde Aguilar 6, Nikko Biggers and Mickey Kelley with four points each, Greg Gaona and Kim Cates with two points each.

Cougars-25 (5th) Mavs-7 (6th)

Scoring for the Cougars were Justin Zamarippa with nine points, Johnny Martinez and Jason Shy with four points each, Stephen Baker, Suean Lentz, Kevin Gill and Scott Lamb with two points each.

Scoring for the Mavs were Frank Briserio four, Ryan Galey two and Carrie Blair one.

Blazers-25 (3rd) Rams-16 (4th)

Scoring for the Blazers were Shane Lentz eight, John Ybarra six, Jody Sheets five, Mannix Ridge four and Richard Gomez two.

Scoring for the Rams were Pete Rivera nine, Artie Rivera six and Kayla Lamb one.

Wolves-43 (1st) Suns-23 (2nd)

Scoring for the Wolves were Jason Blassingame with 22 points, Curt Shaw 12, Zachary Findley seven and Kyle Shaw two.

Scoring for the Suns were Scott Dyer 12, Chris Phillips 11 and Heather Wulfjen one.

DIVISION III

Elks-29 (5th) Bucks-13 (6th)

Scoring for the Elks were Mark Monroe 18, Jason Lawson six and John Jackson five.

Scoring for the Bucks were Jesse Gonzalez five, Jeremiah Wood four, James Turner and Chris Williams with two each.

A-Team-54 (3rd) Lions-30 (4th)

Scoring for the A-Team were Bobby Silva 25, Rudy Melendez 11, Alex Ridge and Cade Proctor with eight each and Shayne Anderson with two.

Scoring for the Lions were Gabriel Salazar 10, Brandon Raschke and Doug Koch with six points each and Steve Williamson and Silver Haro with four points each.

Bullets-39 (1st) Spurs-32 (2nd)

Scoring for the Bullets were Scott Galey 19, Gabriel Gutierrez six, Cody Roberts and Cody Ridge four each, Kendall Beasley, Jerry Lemons and Shawn Rees two each.

Scoring for the Spurs were Spencer Cannon 18, Kevin Green six, Gary Ginkinger four, Justin Sullivan and Jeremy Lelek with two each.

DIVISION IV

Dolls-25 (3rd) Red Hots-22 (4th)

Scoring for the Dolls were Tracy Hoover and Angela Biggers with 10 points each, Aimee Bauman four and Kerre Hulme with one point.

Scoring for the Red Hots were Marlene Tucker 12, Jennifer Munoz eight and Dalia Franco two.

Rebels-24 (1st) Wildcats-21 (2nd)

Scoring for the Rebels were Pat Molina 12, Amber Mayfield six, Nikki Findley, Priscilla Rivera and Bea Rivera with two points each.

Scoring for the Wildcats were Glenda Wallace 10, Shanna Burnett five, Angie Morris four and Chrystal Kelley two.

CHS girls place 2nd in Ozona

Colorado High School's varsity girls track team showed it's not just a one person show at last Saturday's Ozona Relays.

Junior Sandra Williams, who leads or is among the area leaders in the 100, long jump and triple jump, did not compete because of an nagging injury and has been undergoing therapy with a Midland doctor.

The Wolves, however, still racked up 87 points to finish as runner-up to Iraan's 130.

Colorado City was led by first place finishers Sherry Fite and the 400 meter relay.

Fite won the high jump competition by clearing 4'10" and teamed up with Juanita Green, Staci Free and Robin Edwards to win the 400 relay in 53.27.

Free added a second place 27.59 in the 200 meter dash while another individual second was Sheri Morris 17.63 in the 100 meter hurdles.

Also placing second was the 800 meter relay team of Yvette Camp, Jennifer Monroe, Free and Fite. They ran a 1:54.4.

The 400 meter dash saw Fite take third in 1:09.

Green, Camp and Edwards finished fourth, fifth and sixth in the 100 dash with respective times of 14.25, 14.58 and 14.66.

Mary Ann Bailey ran a 2:35.94 for fourth place in the 800 while Sally Mendoza placed fifth in both the 1600 (6:24.05) and 3200 (13.54.20).

Holly Tarter jumped 4'4" to take fifth in the high jump and a sixth place was posted by the 1600 meter relay.

Camp, Bailey, Denise Jackson and Billie Muncrief ran it in 4:45.73.

The Wolves continue their season at a Post meet tomorrow.

Ozona team totals: Iraan 130, Colorado City 87, Ozona 67½, Sonora 64½, Eldorado 54, Ballinger 53, Reagan County 51, Crane 30, Rankin 15, Water Valley four, McCamey two and Junction zero.

Weather puts stop to tennis play

Colorado High School's tennis team hosted Coahoma last Tuesday but weather was the big news as rain again halted play.

Shannon Perkin defeated the Bulldogs' Kim Kreidel 6-2, 6-2 in the only girls singles match that was completed.

The only other victory was recorded by Tim Nowell and Kerry Herm in boys doubles. They defeated Hall and Dent 6-2, 6-3.

Also in boys doubles the Wolves duo of Jamie Moore and Larry Raschke lost to Mendoza and Daniels 6-2, 7-5 and Joel Mikow and Craig Rees dropped a 6-3, 7-6 decision to the Bulldogs Collins and Taylor.

In boys singles Mark 'Walker took a 7-6, 6-2 defeat at the hands of Coahoma's Hall.

The lone girls doubles match completed was 6-4, 4-6, 7-5 victory by Sepeda and Hendon over Colorado City's Lisa Garner and Staci Wood.

When the rain arrived the doubles team of Julie Waid and Rebecca Erwin had taken a 7-6 set from Rasco and Thomas of Coahoma. The Wolves team of Ashly Weaver and Julie McPhaul was trailing Sepeda and Hendon 6-4, 1-0.

Also incompleted were singles matches of Tony Selvera, Traci Blackwell and Daphne Fowler.



LOCAL STUDENTS who participated in the Texas Federal Junior Festival are back row left to right Jody Webb, Cole Marie Latimer, Kara and Robin Kirschbaum. Front row left to right are Rose and Tia Bassham. All the students received superior ratings.

Local piano students receive superior rating

Local piano students received superior ratings at the Texas Federated Junior Festival held at Texas Tech University Saturday, March 23.

The festival was conducted under the jurisdiction of the State Federation of Music Clubs. The regulations are national. Pupils that are members of a federated junior music club are eligible. Entrants performed a required piece and a choice piece. Ratings are superior, excellent, very good, good and poor were given.

The students included Jody Webb, Cole Marie Latimer, Kara and Robin Kirschbaum, Rose and Tia Bassham. They are students of Bethel Studio of Music in Snyder.

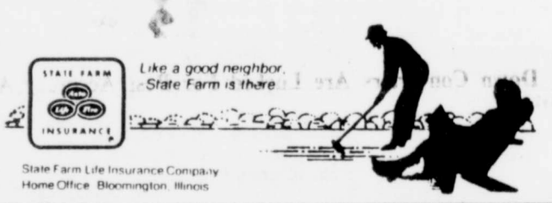
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Local students attend VICA skill olympics

The Texas Association of The Vocational Clubs of America 1985 State Skill Olympic was held in the Dallas-Convention Center on March 28-29-30.

The students from the Colorado High School Automechanics VICA Club that attended included Troy Erwin, Kevin McLean, Cody Scott and their instructor Glenn Dunn. Each student entered an automotive project that they had rebuilt along with a notebook showing and describing each step in rebuilding their entry. Each student had qualified to enter the state competition by earning a blue ribbon at the district meeting held in Odessa in February.

Each student also won at the state level as listed:

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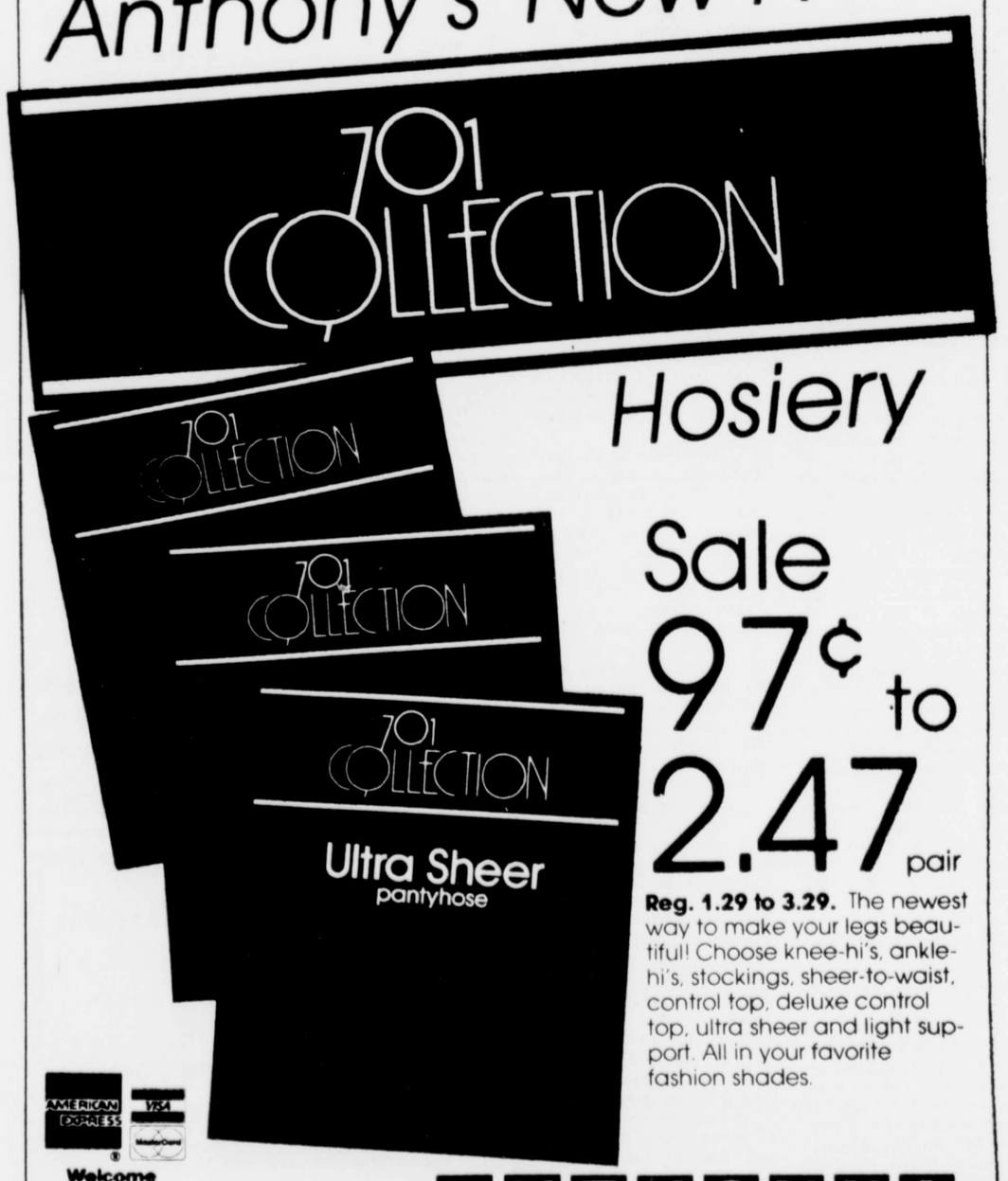
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There will be a public hearing held before the City Council of the City of Colorado City, Texas at a regular meeting on the 8th of April, 1985 at 7:00 P.M., in the City Council Chambers, City Hall, 180 West 3rd Street, Colorado City, Texas. The public hearing will be to consider adopting an ordinance approving the City's budget including the uses of General Revenue Sharing Funds for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 1985. The 1985-86 Budget includes General Fund, 1,397,590.00, Water and Sewer Fund 892,500.00, Revenue Sharing Fund (estimated balance 4-30-85 .00) 33,400.00. Expenditures: General Fund 1,373,550.00, Water and Sewer Fund 868,890.00, Revenue Sharing Fund 33,400.00. The proposed budget may be examined on weekdays at the City Manager's office between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 Noon and 1:00 P.M. and 5:00 P.M. All interested citizens are urged to make any written or oral comment concerning the budget and uses of revenue sharing funds during this meeting. Senior Citizens are encouraged to attend and comment.

Signed: Brenda Tarter, City Manager
Date: March 28, 1985

Dear Customer:

The City of Loraine has been notified by the Texas Department of Health that the water being supplied by our system exceeds the maximum constitutent level for Fluoride established by the Department's "Drinking Water Standards" which were promulgated as required by the "Safe Drinking Water Act," Public Law 93-523 (U.S.).

The limit for this area has been set at 1.6 milligrams of Fluoride per liter of water. The samples of water from our system contained 1.9 milligrams of Fluoride per liter. There is no immediate health hazard for drinking water containing Fluoride at this level.

The excessive Fluoride content of the water may cause mottling of the teeth in children under 14 years of age. All dentists in this area are aware of the Fluoride level.

The City of Loraine has applied to the Texas Department of Health for either a variance or exemption from the Fluoride requirement while we search for alternate sources of supply and investigate available treatment techniques to lower the Fluoride to allowable levels.

City of Loraine Water Department
Fluoride Level 1.9
Adam Merket, Water Department

Notice Affording Opportunity for Public Hearing

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation is planning the construction of a highway from I.H. 20, South 0.7 mile on Rogers Road, east 0.3 mile on West 10th Street, and South 0.6 mile on Cherry Street to Loop 377.

The 1.6 mile highway will have two 12' lanes and two 10' shoulders with an additional 6' wide flat bottom ditch paved with asphalt on the east side of Rogers Road. There will be an additional strip of right of way 20' wide and 4000' long on the west side of Rogers Road.

Maps and other drawings showing the proposed location and design, and the environmental studies, and any other information about the proposed project are on file and available for inspection and copying at the Resident Engineer's office located on S.H. 350 at the Junction of I.H. 20 at Big Spring, Texas. Also the maps and drawings showing the proposed location and design have been placed on file with the City Hall in Colorado City, Texas.

Information about the State's Relocation Assistance Program, the benefits and services for displacees and information concerning the relocation assistance office as well as information about the tentative schedules for acquisition of right of way and construction can be obtained at the Resident Engineer's office.

Any interested citizen may request that a public hearing be held covering the social, economic and environmental effects of the proposed location and design for this highway project by delivering a written request to the Resident Engineer's office on or before May 6, 1985. The address of the Resident Engineer's office is P.O. Box 511, Big Spring, Texas 79721. If such a request is received, a public hearing will be scheduled and adequate notice will be publicized about the date, time and location of the hearing.

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Separate sealed bids for Park Improvements for the construction of a bathroom facility, shelter/pavilion, multi-purpose concrete surface, volleyball/basketball court, and a tot lot will be received by the City of Colorado City at the office of the City Manager, City Hall, 180 W. 3rd St., Colorado City, Texas 79512 until 2:00 P.M., Thursday, April 25, 1985, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond, Performance and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at City Hall, 180 W. 3rd, Colorado City, Texas. Copies may be obtained at the above office between the hours of 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, upon payment of $25.00 for each set. Any unsuccessful bidder, upon returning set promptly and in good condition, will be refunded his payment, and any non-bidder upon returning such set will be refunded $10.00.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Elmer Martin, Mayor
City of Colorado City.

LOST & FOUND

LOST: Set of car keys. Phone 728-3239 after 6 p.m.

PERSONALS

Alcoholics Anonoymous will meet every Tuesday night at 8 p.m. in the All Saints Episcopal Church.

Rainbow Land Daycare, 4 spaces available. Drop-ins welcome. Phone 728-8004 or 728-8250 after 6 p.m.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Restaurant for lease. Excellent location, off I-20, Colorado City, Texas. Contact Brian, 713-350-3103.

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I will do concrete work, sidewalks, patios, floors and cellars. Phone 728-5120 or 728-3786, Joe's Concrete.

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Local insurance agency seeking two solicitors. Part-time, own hours. Must be honest and dependable. No experience necessary. Send resume and four character references to P.O. Box 29, Colorado City, TX 79512.

Senior Citizen in poor health needs live-in help. Salary, small apartment and board furnished, given qualifications, references and phone number. Write Box 3427, Odessa, TX 79760 or phone 915-337-0819.

The Colorado ISD needs substitute bus drivers. Apply at School Bus Barn, 630 E. 3rd, Colorado City, or phone Coy Adams, 728-5281.

HELP WANTED: Now taking applications. Come by 3 Point Quick Stop, 1066 West Point.

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Will do house cleaning, even for singles, reasonable rates. Phone 728-3257 or 728-8054.

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Will mow, weedeat and edge yards this summer. Phone Hollis Browne, 728-5509.

RENTALS

HOUSE FOR RENT: Phone 728-2542 or 728-2610.

Apartments for rent. Phone 728-5190.

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2 bedroom unfurnished, 2 story and 1 story luxury townhouse apartments for rent. Kitchen appliances including dishwasher and washer and dryer. 928 Waco Street. Phone 728-2642, Andrea Garden Apartments, ask for Cindy or phone 728-8007.

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FOR RENT: 3 bedroom house. 1060 Pine, $265 month. Phone 728-2211 or 728-2114.

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FOR RENT: 2 large bedrooms, 1½ baths, fireplace. 728-8278 after 5 except on weekends.

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FOR SALE: 2 bedroom Mobile Home, 14'x46', furnished, king size waterbed, central heat & air, $8,000. Phone 728-5814 after 5 p.m.

MOBILE HOME SITES FOR RENT

Mobile Home lots for rent for total electric, or other. Phone 728-8993.

FOR RENT: Mobile Home Space. Hill Top Trailer Park. Phone 728-3577 or 728-3247.

Mobile Home spaces for rent: Phone 728-2542 or 728-2610.

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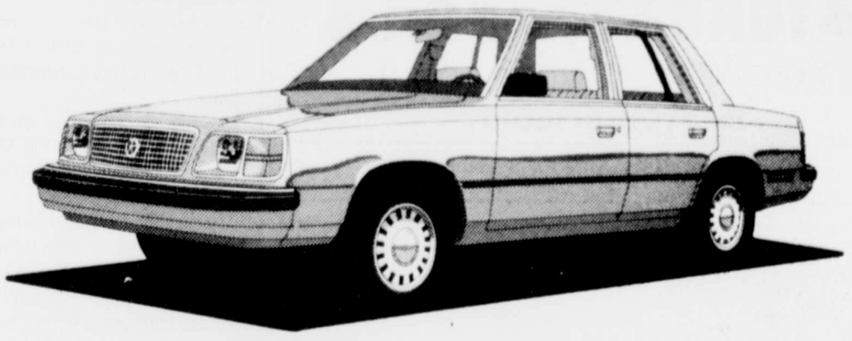
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HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1 bath with large den, 2151 Locust. Phone 728-3939 after 5 p.m. and on weekends.

FOR SALE: A Frame cabin and lot on Colorado City Lake, $50,000 firm. Phone 915-697-8677.

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom house on corner, recently remodeled, repainted and new roof. Phone for appointment, 728-2104.

FOR SALE: 62 ft. waterfront, deeded lot, Lake Colorado City, west side, nice 2 bedroom, 2 bath central heat & air, new carpet, connection for washer, dryer, dishwasher. Phone 728-8486.

House For Sale In Loraine: 3 bedroom on corner lot with adjoining lot, garage, pecan and fruit trees, ceiling fans, all appliances and furniture, lots of extras, $19,000. 819 Main. 728-5146 or 737-2417.

MERCHANDISE FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Used washer in good condition. Phone 728-3067.

FOR SALE: 1 rocker recliner; 1 brown swivel rocker; 3 decorative wood posts; 1 hobby horse; 4 solid wood, white, 32"x80" interior doors. Phone 728-5453 or 728-3259.

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Concrete shelters--one style partially above ground and other below ground, 7'x10'x6' high. Display always open. R. A. (Buddie) Moore, 728-8010.

FOR SALE: Morgan Portable Buildings, slightly damaged, 12x24, make offer. See at Gas N Grub.

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10' standard satellite system complete and installed, $1,366, total price. Phone 728-2494 or 378-4041, free demonstration.

FOR SALE: One acre, water well, septic system, trees, six miles north of Westbrook on paved road, $2,500. Phone 644-3131 mornings or 644-2371 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: Bantam Easter chickens, Silver Sebright Golden Sebright. Watkins Little Acres-Southside, 140 Central Ave.

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FOR SALE: Doberman puppies. 573-5063, Ira, TX.

FOR SALE: Nearly new equipment trailer, priced well below Blue Book. Phone 728-2104.

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FOR SALE: Nice clean 18' inboard boat, $4,000. Phone 728-2101.

LAND FOR SALE: 3 and 6 acre tracts, 8 miles from town located on paved road. School bus route, good water, restricted community, low down payment, owner will finance. Phone before 8 a.m. or after 6 p.m., 728-2281 or 728-2519.

FOR SALE: Registered female Pit Bulldog. See Bobby Layfield, Kristi Lee Manor.

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE
946 Pine
Friday, April 5
new merchandise that's been discontinued.

GARAGE SALE
845 Hickory
Sat., April 6 8-3
childrens clothes, toys, misc.

CARPORT SALE
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Little bit of everything

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620 Walnut
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FOUR FAMILY GARAGE SALE
West on old Hwy. 80 to edge of town, turn south on FM 1983, South-¼ mile.
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dirt bike, tread mill riding lawn mower, 1978 Monte Carlo, stereo, vacuum, TV, water pressure tank, mattress & springs, much, much more.

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Want to buy low mileage 1978 350 Chevrolet motor. Phone 737-2404 after 4 p.m.

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FOR SALE: 1982 Honda Night Hawk, under 1,200 miles, $2,000. Phone 728-5814 after 5 p.m.

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FOR SALE: Nice clean 1975 26 ft. Invader camper trailer, sleeps 6, new carpet, micro and freezer. 728-2276, see at 521 Vine St.

FOR SALE: 1965 Ford 1 ton Dually flat bed with 1982 Lincoln welder. 44,000 original miles on truck, 60 actual hours on welder. $4,800. Phone 915-644-2253 before 8 a.m. or after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1982 Chevrolet, diesel, ½ ton, 6.2, Silverado, assume loan at bank. Phone 728-3922.

AUTOS FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1977 Buick. Price reduced to $1,300. Phone 728-5559.

FOR SALE: 1976 Buick Riviera, sun roof, tinted windows, 455, V8, all power, $1,150. Phone 644-2071.

FOR SALE: '78 Chrysler Le Baron, good stereo and air. Phone 728-5588 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1982 Chrysler 5th Avenue, $500 down and take up payments of $282 a month. Must have approved credit. Phone 728-5254 after 5 or 728-8646 and ask for Sandra.

Sell your unwanted items in the classifieds.

Phone 728-3413

Stenholm calls for report on Medicare payments

WASHINGTON, D.C.--A federal report concerning Medicare payments made to rural hospitals is long overdue, Congressman Charles Stenholm said last week in a speech in the House of Representatives.

Speaking on behalf of small hospitals, Congressman Stenholm called for "the prompt delivery" of a report being conducted by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). The study, which was due to be released seven months ago, will determine how the Diagnosis Related Group (DRG) payments affect rural hospitals. Congressman Stenholm, and other rural area representatives, believe the current reimbursement system favors urban area and is unfair to small town hospitals.

"The payment system assumes that rural wages and other costs are lower than those in urban areas," Stenholm said. "Because of this theory, rural hospital reimbursements currently are 25 to 47 percent less than those to their urban counterparts for precisely the same services. I am convinced this is entirely unfair."

Congressman Stenholm, who presented President Ronald Reagan with a work paper on the same subject at a private meeting two weeks ago, said the report should have been released by Secretary Margaret Heckler's office in August, 1984. The delay is costly to rural hospitals, which have had to operate under the unfair system. The group of congressmen has asked that the system be modified as soon as possible. When the study is released, the administration will have the option to rectify the system.

The Stamford Democrat citied several imbalances in the DRG program during his special order address. He said the DRG formula does not take into account that in order to provide quality care, rural hospitals must pay competitive salaries, and sometimes must pay even more than urban hospitals to draw employees to the sparsely-populated areas. Hospitals in small towns also do not have the opportunity to buy goods in quantity, at discount prices, like larger hospitals do.

Rural areas, Stenholm continued, also have a disporportinately higher percentage of elderly residents than metropolitan areas. On the average, elderly patients require more care and a longer hospital recuperation period. The higher percentage of elderly citizens should be considered in the DRG formula, Stenholm said. Such a consideration would greatly aid the rural hospitals.

The congressman gave a brief sketch of the 17th District to make his point. According to the 1980 census figures, the median age in the country was 30.0. At the same time, the median age in 27 out of the 35 counties in the 17th District was higher than the national average. Coke County had the highest median age of 44.3. The median age for Mitchell County was 34.1 in 1980.

Along with a high median age, the percentage of residents aged 65 or over is higher in the district than in the nation. The national rate of elderly citizens was 11.3, but in the district that percentage is 15.6. Coleman County has a population of 10,439, of which 25.6 percent is at least 65. Mitchell County has an elderly population that make sup 19.3 percent of the residents here.

"In my district, this situation is coupled with the fact that my constituents live in areas where many have to travel quite some distances to receive health care. The sparcity of the population and the size of the hospitals may not be typical for the nations, but that makes those West Texans no less deserving than other Americans of access to quality health care. The only way they're going to continue receiving that care is if the DRG formulas are adjusted to allow the rural hospitals to survive," Stenholm said.

Drilling activity continues

One well has been completed and several more are planned as Mitchell County drilling activity continues.

Texaco Inc has completed the No. 3-U Sterling Fee in the Conger southwest field, 16 miles southwest of Sterling City. The well produced 160 barrels of 46 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 1,250-1 with perforations from 7,962-8,231 feet. Location is in Section 39, Block 32, T5S, T&P survey.

Mrs. Earl Hays will drill the No. 4-A. G. A Boykin in the Coleman Ranch field, 13 miles north of Westbrook. Planned for a depth of 3,500 feet, location is in Section 86, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Robert C. Wash will drill the No. 1 Nobles in the Iatan East Howard field, six miles southwest of Westbrook. Planned for 3,750 feet, location is in Section 13, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Robert C. Wash will drill the No. 2 Jones in the Iatan East Howard field, six miles southwest of Westbrook. Planned for a depth of 3,750 feet, location is in Section 13, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted

March 29
Hazel Smart, City, medical.

March 30
Paul D. Wright, City, medical.

March 31
Matilda Beinhauer, City, medical; Sandra Jones, Loraine, medical.

April 1
Johnnie Vaughn, Midland, medical; Ione Read, City, medical.

Patients Dismissed

March 29
Cody Stice, City, medical; Edna C. Bell, City, medical.

March 30
Alice Lopez, Westbrook, medical.

April 1
Rosalio Lopez Sr., City, medical; William Neff, City, medical.

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3 bd., 1¼ bt., den with fireplace. Total electric. 724 E. 16th, $40,000. Can be bought on lease purchase.

4 bd., 2 bt., brick on about an acre. Den with fireplace. Very spacious and lots of large closets. Several trees, $78,500.

Neat 2 or 3 bd., 1 bt., brick. Close to town. 344 Walnut, $26,500

Neat 2 bedroom, 1 bath in lovely neighborhood, 1436 Dallas, price reduced to $25,500.

2 bd., 1 bt., nice neighborhood, 1041 Vine, $26,500. Small equity and assume loan.

Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath w/basement, central heat/air, 2 car carport, fenced backyard, $32,000. Would consider lease purchase.

3 year old 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick with attached 2 car garage on large corner lot, 113 E. 22nd. Reduced to $69,000.

2 bedroom, 1 bath, 616 Locust with apartment in back, needs some repairs, $20,000.

Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath with separate den, good location, spacious kitchen and large corner lot at 509 E. 14th, $50,000.

What more could you want--this one has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage, patio, central heat and air, fireplace. Owner financed with approved credit, $45,000.

How about one of the landmarks of Colorado City--3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 story, office, dining room, basement, patio, central heat and air, nice 6 ft. fence, $55,000.

Almost new brick has large walk-in pantry plus 4 bedrooms and 2 baths, office, central heat & air, nice storage building, price reduced to $39,500.

A darling 2 bedroom, 1 bath on about 2 acres, 11 pecan trees, several fruit trees, good well, large cement cellar, price reduced to $35,000.

3 bedroom, 2 bath with barns and pens, fenced on 3 acres, $68,500

About 7 acres with 2 bedroom, 1 bath house, out buildings and concrete cellar, $24,000.

Country living at its best. 3 bd., 3 bt., brick on 2 acres with 3 car carport, 2 car garage, nice storage & shop bldg., $75,000.

1½ year old brick, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, central heat & air, 6 ft. privacy fence, price reduced to $36,500.

2 bedroom, 1 bath Mobile Home, take small down payment and assume loan.

Very neat 3 bedroom, 1¼ bath, 3 year old brick home with central heat & air. 967 E. 16th, $60,000.

742 E. 10th, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, framed, good investment property, $10,600.

2 bedroom, 1 bath, needs some work, 737 E. 8th.

LAKE PROPERTY

4 bd., 2 bt., 2 story at Lake Colorado City on leased land, $31,500.

Elbow room with this 3 bedroom, 2 bath new home on ¼ acres, $57,000.

3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home, fireplace, w/bar, 1-50' deeded lot, 1-50' leased lot, $20,000.

2 bedroom, 1 bath, with dock on deeded water front lot, $45,000.

1 bedroom, with den on deeded land with nice view of lake, $30,000.

INVESTMENT PROPERTY

3 apartments, 3 rented, $670 per month income. 544 Chestnut. Price reduced to $39,000.

Very nice comm. bldg. ideal for shop, in good location, price reduced, make offer.

RESIDENTIAL

2 bd., 1 bt., central heating/cooling, 831 Chestnut, $23,000.

2 bdrm., living room & dining room, 1 bt., central heating/cooling, 826 E. 7th, $22,000.

3 bd., 2 bt., dining room, with hot tub, 1443 Chestnut, $63,500.

2 bd., living room, den, 1 bt., 2044 Chestnut, $19,000

3 bd., 2 bt., 812 E. 6th, $27,000.

2 bd., 1 bt., 929 Locust, $23,000.

Very neat 3 bd., 1 bt., w/basement, 133 W. 8th, $25,000.

3 bd., 2 bt., brick, 944 E. 8th, $49,900.

Small 3 bd., 1 bt., 220 W. 7th, $18,000.

3 bd., 3 bt., living room, dining room, study and den, 2 car garage and double carport. 1315 Chestnut. Reduced to $82,500.

Nice large vacant lot on 18th, $7,000.

2 bd., 1 bt., at 897 E. 8th. This is qualified for licensed kindergarten, $15,000.

3 bd., 2 bt., recently completely remodeled, 542 Vine, price reduced $46,300

Very pretty large, brick, 3 bd., 3 bt., den with fireplace, living room with fireplace, upstairs with balcony, $132,000.

Very nice 3 bd., 2 bt., with fireplace, 105 E. 21st, $75,000.

2 bd., 1 bt., 303 E. 19th, possible owner financing, $25,000.

LAKE COLORADO CITY

2 bdrm., den & living room, deeded land, $27,000.

3 bd., 2 bt., mobile home with deeded lot, $26,000.

3 bd., 1 bt., with fireplace. Storage building and carport. Deeded land, $48,000

100' deeded lot with furnished Mobile Home with garage, $30,000.

2-50 ft. lake frontage, deeded lots, $10,000 each.

LORAINE

2 bd., 1 bt., large living-dining room on 2 lots with cellar, large pecan trees. 800 Kindred, $16,500.

COMMERCIAL

Large bldg., on E. Hwy. 80, formerly Agri-Supply, $57,000.

HOMES WITH ACREAGE

Large 3 bd., 2 bt., brick on 4.6 acres, approx. 1 year old w/water well, North of town, $135,000.

3 bd., 1 bt., on 20 acres, $55,000.

Great country atmosphere, 2 story home with many amenities, lots of storage room, 4 bd., 3½ bts., with fireplace and study, located on 5 acres, $220,000.

Lovely 4 bd., 4 bt., swimming pool-hot tub-on 2½ acres, $198,500.

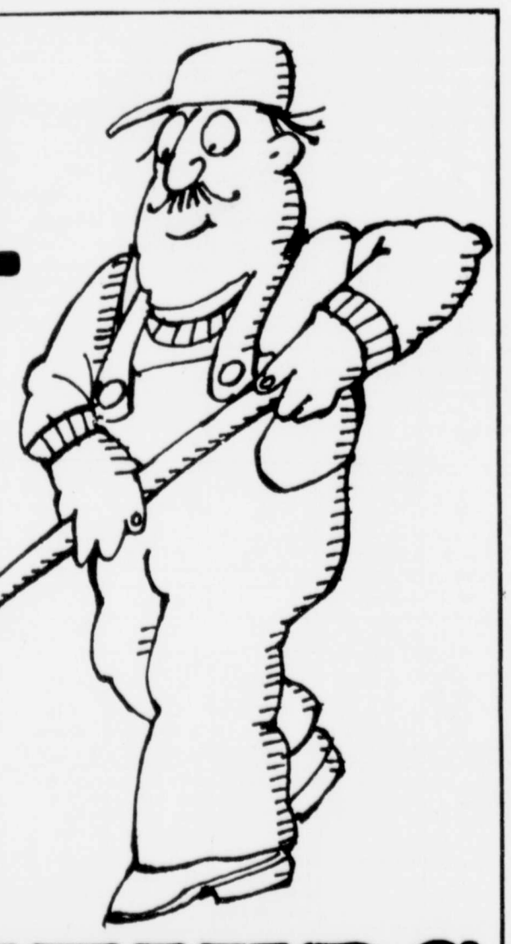
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6 00	Alice	News	Nightly Business Report	Barney Miller	Dallas	News	News	News	Sanford and Son
30	Too Close for Comfort	Wheel of Fortune	Wild World of Animals	Benson	"	News	Name That Tune	M*A*S*H	All In the Family
7 00	Hawaii Five-O	Magnum, P.I.	Wild America	Free At Last	Movie: 'A.D.'	Wildside	Movie: 'A.D.'	Wildside	NBA Basketball: Detroit at Milwaukee
30	"	"	This Old House (CC)	"	"	"	"	"	"
8 00	Movie: 'Peter and Paul' PART I	Simon & Simon	Living Planet (CC)	Martin: The Emancipator	"	Eye to Eye (CC)	"	Eye to Eye (CC)	"
30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
9 00	"	Knot's Landing	Mystery! (CC)	News	"	20/20 (CC)	"	20/20 (CC)	"
30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Baseball: Behand the Seams
10 00	Taxi	News	MacNeil/-Lehrer Newshour	WKRP in Cincinnati	News	News	News	News	
30	Anything for Money	Jeffersons	"	Love Boat	Tonight Show	Entertainment Tonight	Tonight Show	M*A*S*H	
11 00	Big Valley	Newhart	Old Time Radio	"	"	ABC News Nightline	"	Entertainment Tonight	
30	"	Harry O	I Miss the Sun	Movie: 'No Man Is an	Late Night with David	Movie: 'My Friend	Late Night with David	ABC News Nightline	Movie: 'The Nanny'
12 00	Missing From Home	"	Principles of Management	Island'	Letterman	Irma'	Letterman	Eye on Hollywood	"
30	Sign Off	"	Principles of Management	"	Sign Off	"	Sign Off	News	"

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30	Too Close for Comfort	Wheel of Fortune	Wild World of Animals	NBA Basketball:	"	News	Name That Tune	M*A*S*H	All In the Family
7 00	Hawaii Five-O	Detective in the House	Washington Week/Review	Chicago at Philadelphia	Knight Rider	Webster (CC)	Knight Rider	Webster (CC)	Movie: 'The Big Land'
30	"	"	News Addition	"	"	Mr. Belvedere (CC)	"	Mr. Belvedere (CC)	"
8 00	Movie: 'Peter and Paul' PART II	Movie: 'Stormin' Home'	Wall Street Week	"	Half Nelson (PREMIERE)	Benson (CC)	Half Nelson (PREMIERE)	Benson (CC)	"
30	"	"	Here's to Your Health	"	"	Off the Rack (CC)	"	Off the Rack (CC)	"
9 00	"	"	Frontline (CC)	News	Miami Vice	Me and Mom (PREMIERE)	Miami Vice	Me and Mom (PREMIERE)	Movie: 'The Night Walker'
30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10 00	Taxi	News	MacNeil/-Lehrer Newshour	WKRP in Cincinnati Love Boat	News	News	News	News	"
30	Anything for Money	Jeffersons	"	"	Tonight Show	Entertainment Tonight	Tonight Show	M*A*S*H	"
11 00	Big Valley	Movie: 'How Sweet it Is!'	Movie: 'The Hidden Room'	"	"	ABC News Nightline	"	Entertainment Tonight	Night Tracks
30	"	"	"	Movie: 'A Man Called	Friday Night Videos	Movie: 'With Six	Friday Night Videos	ABC News Nightline	"
12 00	Movie: 'The King of Comedy'	"	"	Peter'	"	You Get Egg Roll'	"	ABC Rocks	"
30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Sign Off	"

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7 00	Transformers	Prog Cont'd	Write Course	U.S. Farm Report	Snorks	Superfriends	Snorks	Superfriends	Cimarron Strip
30	Hardy Boys/-Nancy Drew	Get Along Gang	Communicating Thru Lit.	World Tomorrow	Pink Panther and Sons	Superfriends	Pink Panther and Sons	Superfriends	"
8 00	Mysteries	Muppet Babies	American Government	Garner Ted Armstrong	Smurfs	Mighty Orbots	Smurfs	Mighty Orbots	"
30	Lifestyles of the Rich and	Dungeons and Dragons	American Government	Issues Unlimited	"	Turbo Teen	"	Turbo Teen	Championship Wrestling
9 00	Famous	Bugs Bunny/ Road Runner	Sesame Street (CC)	Charlando	"	Dragon's Lair	"	Dragon's Lair	from Georgia
30	Wall Street Journal	"	"	People to People	Alvin & the Chipmunks	New Scooby Doo Mysteries	Alvin & the Chipmunks	New Scooby Doo Mysteries	Movie: 'Shane'
10 00	Fishing with Roland Martin	CBS Storybreak	Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood	Wild Kingdom	Kidd Video	Scary Scooby Funnies	Kidd Video	Scary Scooby Funnies	"
30	Fishing Show	Pryor's Place	Reading Rainbow	Kung Fu	Mr. T	Littles (CC)	Mr. T	Littles (CC)	"
11 00	WWF Championship Wrestling	Bugs Bunny/ Road Runner	New Literacy	"	Amazing Spiderman West Texas World	Peppermint Place Movie: 'Rollerball'	Amazing Spiderman Incredible Hulk	ABC Weekend Special (CC) American Bandstand	"
30	"	"	New Literacy	Movie: 'Flight of					"
12 00	Smurfs & the Magic Flute	Saturday Supercade Pole Position	American Story American Story	the Lost Balloon'	America's Top Ten Forum	"	Zane Grey Theatre To Be Announced	"	Exhibition Baseball: Atlanta vs Montreal
30	"	"		"	"	"		Bill Dance Outdoors	
1 00	"	To Be Announced Bowling: National	American Government American Government	"	To Be Announced	"	"	World Class Championship Wrestling	"
30	Movie: 'The War Lord'			Movie: 'Here Come the Co-	"	"	"	"	"
2 00	"	Doubles Tournament Saving Social Security	Everybody's Business Everybody's Business	Eds'	Conservation	PBA Tour: Old Spice Classic	"	PBA Tour: Old Spice Classic	"
30	"			"	Pre-Season Baseball	"	Pre-Season Baseball	"	"
3 00	"	CBS Sports Saturday	In Our Own Image In Our Own Image	Soul Train	Special	"	Special	"	Tennis: Ford Cup Top-Seeded Women's
30	"	"		"	LPGA Golf: Nabisco-	Wide World of Sports	LPGA Golf: Nabisco-	Wide World of Sports	"
4 00	Greatest American Hero	"	Growing Years	Safe Harbor	Dinah Shore Invitational	"	Dinah Shore Invitational	"	Challenge
30	"	"	Growing Years	Robotman and Friends	"	"	"	"	Motorweek Illustrated
5 00	Too Close for Comfort	This Week in Country Music	America: Second Century	Little House on the Prairie	Solid Gold	Adam-12	Wild Kingdom	Joy of Gardening	Georgia Championship Wrestling
30	Puttin' on the Hits	CBS News	America: Second Century		"	ABC News (CC)	NBC News	ABC News (CC)	"

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6 00	Fame	Solid Gold	Here's to Your Health	Puttin' on the Hits	Hee Haw	News	West Texas This Week	Hee Haw	Fishin' w/Orlando Wilson
30	"	"	Sneak Previews	At The Movies	"	Whiz Quiz	Let's Go To The Races	"	"
7 00	Star Search	Daffy Duck's Easter Show	All Creatures Great and Small	Movie: 'Peter and Paul' Part 1	Diff'rent Strokes (CC)	T.J. Hooker (CC)	Diff'rent Strokes (CC)	T.J. Hooker (CC)	Movie: 'Firecreek'
30	"	Bugs Bunny's Bustin Out	"	"	Double Trouble	"	Double Trouble	"	"
8 00	Movie: 'Villa Rides!'	Airwolf	Movie: 'Born Yesterday'	"	Gimme a Break	Love Boat (CC)	Gimme a Break	Love Boat (CC)	"
30	"	"	"	"	Under One Roof	"	Under One Roof	"	"
9 00	"	Cover Up	"	News	Hunter	Finder of Lost Loves (CC)	Hunter	Finder of Lost Loves (CC)	International Winter Special Night Tracks-
30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
10 00	"	News	Movie: 'Phffft!'	Twilight Zone	Eyewitness News	News	News	News	-Chartbusters
30	World Class Championship	Big Country Reporter	"	Movie: 'Barabas'	Saturday Night Live	Movie: 'The Greatest	Saturday Night Live	Entertainment This Week	Night
11 00	Wrestling	Cimarron Strip	"	"	"	Story Ever Told'	"	"	Tracks
30	Movie: 'Captive	"	Dave Allen at Large	"	"	"	"	Star Trek	"
12 00	Wild Woman'	Sign Off	Monty Python Flying Circus	"	Star Search	"	Sign Off	"	"
30	"		Monty Python Flying Circus	"	"	"		Twilight Zone	"

Maddox warns unwary of careful catalog shopping

By Jim Mattox
Attorney General

Catalogue shopping can be a rewarding experience for the careful shopper. For the unwary impulse buyer it can be very frustrating.

If you've decided to enhance your wardrobe through catalogue sales, here are some tips to remember:

1) Learn to read between the lines. For example, if you see a skirt advertised as "wool gabardine with shiny, black belt, kick pleat," you will know that the skirt is not lined. That's because the catalogue would be sure to mention it if the skirt were lined.

2) Learn the language of catalogue sales. One fashion writer has warned that "body-conscious" may mean too tight, while "easy-cut" can well mean shapeless. "Faux" means fake, and there's no guarantee it will look real.

3) Be a comparison shopper. Talk to friends who do catalogue shopping and find out which are the most reliable. Then, look through several catalogues before making a decision on what you want. Start with items like gloves and purses if you're not sure about the company.

Remember, some catalogue companies will sell you fancy words for a high price, while others may sell you the same item, perhaps described differently, for a lower price.

Some companies are more prompt than others in sending merchandise. If the company does not tell you how long it will take, it is required to send your items within 30 days. If the company cannot ship your order within the time it has promised, it is required to notify you and ask whether you prefer to cancel your order.

A reputable mail order house will be prompt and courteous if you ask for a refund on merchandise you don't like. If you don't like what came in the mail, write to the company as soon as possible. If you haven't dealt with the company before, or if you have other reasons to doubt it's honesty, you should consider keeping the merchandise until you hear that you are going to receive a refund.

If you are unable to get the company to give you a refund, our Consumer Protection Division mediation service will help you. It's always better to avoid these problems, of course, by dealing only with reputable companies. If you have a question about a particular company, call the Better Business Bureau or the Attorney General's Office nearest you.

If you need more help or information on this or other consumer problems, contact your nearest Attorney General Consumer Protection Office (in Austin, Dallas, El Paso, Houston, Lubbock, McAllen, and San Antonio). The Attorney General's Office is the people's law firm. We're here to help you.

Hester is hostess of Fairview Club

The Fairview TEHA Club met March 28 in the home of Mrs. Velma Hester, hostess.

Roll call was answered by an interesting fact about Texas. Plans for the district meeting to be held in Colorado City on April 18 were discussed.

Mary Womack presented the program on Texas heritage. Parts were prepared by club members on history of the Alamo, Texas Ranger Museum in Waco, Old Fort Davis near Marfa, LBJ Ranch, Fort Griffin, the Pala Duro Canyon and others. "The Eyes of Texas" was sung and poems about Texas read.

Refreshments of punch and snacks were served to Sherry Atury, Wilma Womack, Muriel Thurman, Versie McMillan, Mary Womack, Nellie Grace Haley, Edna Pace and Mrs. Hester, hostess.

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7 00	Richard Roberts Show	Kenneth Copeland	Write Course	Dr. D. James Kennedy	Jim Bakker	Shopping Smart	George Weeks	Prog Cont'd	Alvin Show
30	"	"	Communicating Thru Lit.	Robert Schuller	"	Robert Schuller	Herald of Truth	World Tomorrow	Bugs Bunny & Friends
8 00	Jerry Falwell	Jimmy Swaggart	Principles of Management	Mass for Shut-Ins	Jimmy Swaggart	"	Just Passing Through	Jerry Falwell	"
30	"	"	Principles of Management	Chicagoland Church Hour	"	Kaleidoscope	Amazing Grace Bible Class	"	Andy Griffith
9 00	Jimmy Swaggart	Baptist Church	Sesame Street (CC)	Cisco Kid	Larry Jones Show	James Robison	Expect a Miracle	Baptist Church	Good News
30	"	Sunday Morning	"	Lone Ranger	World Tomorrow	This Week with David	Urban Rhythms	Hour of Power	Movie: 'This Earth Is
10 00	PTL Club	"	Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood	Rawhide	Kenneth Copeland	Brinkley	Bible Treasury	"	Mine'
30	"	"	Newton's Apple	"	"	Oral Roberts	Living Bible	James Robison	"
11 00	Dr. James Kennedy Religion	First Baptist Church	Faces of Culture Faces of Culture	Wild, Wild West	Presbyterian Church	First Methodist Church	It's Your Business Meet the Press	Methodist Church	"
12 00	Movie: 'The Love God?'	NBA Basketball Doubleheader: New York at	Focus on Society Focus on Society	Movie: 'The Bible'	Easter Is To Be Announced	World Tomorrow Nuestro Dia	NBC Religious Special: Easter is for Everyone	This Week with David Brinkley	This Week In Baseball Ford Challenge Cup
1 00	"	Boston and Portland at Los Angeles Lakers	Firing Line	"	SportsWorld: Superstars	Reporters' Roundup USFL Football:	SportsWorld: Superstars	Fishing Texas USFL Football:	Tennis: Women's Team to be Announced
2 00	Movie: 'Swashbuckler'	"	Wall Street Week News Addition	"	"	Teams To Be Announced	"	Teams To Be Announced	"
3 00	"	"	New World Visions	Movie: 'The Mark of	LPGA Golf: Nabisco-Dinah Shore Invitational	"	LPGA Golf: Nabisco-Dinah Shore Invitational	"	Fishin' w/Orlando Wilson High Chaparral
4 00	Big Valley	"	Great Performances	Zorro'	"	"	"	"	Best of World Championship
5 00	Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous	Sportsman's Friend CBS News	Back of the Book Back of the Book	Fantasy Island	Perspective Puttin' on the Hits	Shopping Smart Black Horizons	Nashville Music NBC News	Sunday Edition ABC News (CC)	Wrestling Wild World of Animals

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6 00	Movin' On	60 Minutes	Wonderworks (CC)	Prog Cont'd	Silver Spoons	Walt Disney World's Happy Easter Parade	Silver Spoons	Walt Disney World's Happy Easter Parade	Mid-South Wrestling
30	"	"	"	Movie: 'Peter and Paul'	Punky Brewster		"		"
7 00	Voyagers	Murder, She Wrote	Nature (CC)	Part 2	Movie: 'Florence Nightingale'	Movie: 'Superman II' (CC)	Movie: 'Florence Nightingale'	Movie: 'Superman II' (CC)	NBA Basketball: Houston at San Antonio
30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
8 00	Eischied	Crazy Like a Fox	Connections	"	"	"	"	"	"
30	"	"	"	In Search of...	"	"	"	"	"
9 00	Switch	Trapper John, M.D.	Masterpiece Theatre (CC)	News	"	"	"	"	"
30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Coors Sports Page
10 00	Tales from the Darkside Fame	News	Natural History of Good Neighbors	Tales from the Darkside Lou Grant	Eyewitness News "Police Story	News Sports Special Entertainment	News	News	Day of Discovery Jerry Falwell
30	"	CBS News Carol Burnett		"	"		Sunday Sports Page	ABC News (CC) Movie:	
11 00	"	Sanford and Son	Good Neighbors	"	"	This Week	Star Search	'The King's Thief'	"
30	Dr. Gene Scott	"	Dave Allen at Large	Movie: 'The King's	Sports Machine	Movie:	"	"	Open Up
12 00	"	"	I, Claudius	Thief'	Jim Bakker	'More Than a Miracle'	Sign Off	"	"
30	"	"	"	"	"	"		Sign Off	Movie: 'April in Paris'