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Briefly

Immunizations

The Texas Department of Health, 505 Chestnut Street, Suite A, will have an immunization clinic on Friday, Aug. 24.

Parents must give consent for minor children. The fee is based on a sliding scale.

Kelley registration

Registration for Kelley Elementary School students will be from 8:30-noon Friday in the school cafeteria.

Parents should report to the school cafeteria to register their children.

Class of '81

The Colorado High School class of 1981 is planning its reunion.

Reunion organizers need the addresses of the following classmates:

Anna Arellano, Rosie Badillo, Mike Bailey, Mike Beck, Elida Garcia, Tonya Gohlke, Melissa Gorham, Janice Green, Jay Green, Regina Green, Terry Lewis, Kay McDonald, Carlos Olivarez, Donald Owens, Rosa Ausbie, Mary Ellen Mayes, Mary Helen Mayes, Minnie Selvera, Yolanda Selvera.

If you have any of these addresses, please contact Sareesa Proctor at 728-2032 or 728-3485.

Loraine football

All Loraine Junior High School boys, sixth through eighth grade, interested in football are asked to meet Thursday at 2 p.m. in the school gym.

Baptist BBQ

St. James Baptist Church, located at 5th & Austin Streets, will begin selling barbecue, Saturday, August 25 at 11 a.m. at the church.

Beef plates and chicken plates will be available.

Revival

St. James Baptist Church, will hold a revival August 27-31 at 7:30 p.m. at the church, 5th & Austin Streets.

Rev. Floyd Green will be the speaker with Sandra Green as musician.

CMS football

All Colorado Middle School eighth grade students who plan to play football need to meet at the athletic office at 1 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 23, to receive uniforms.

Seventh grade students will meet at the athletic office on Friday at 1 p.m. to receive uniforms.

Benefit tourney

A benefit softball tournament for Mitchell County Day Care Center will be held Aug. 24-25.

Trophies will be given for first, second and third place teams, first and second individuals, 10 all-tournament and golden glove.

For more information, call Juan Molina at 728-3273.

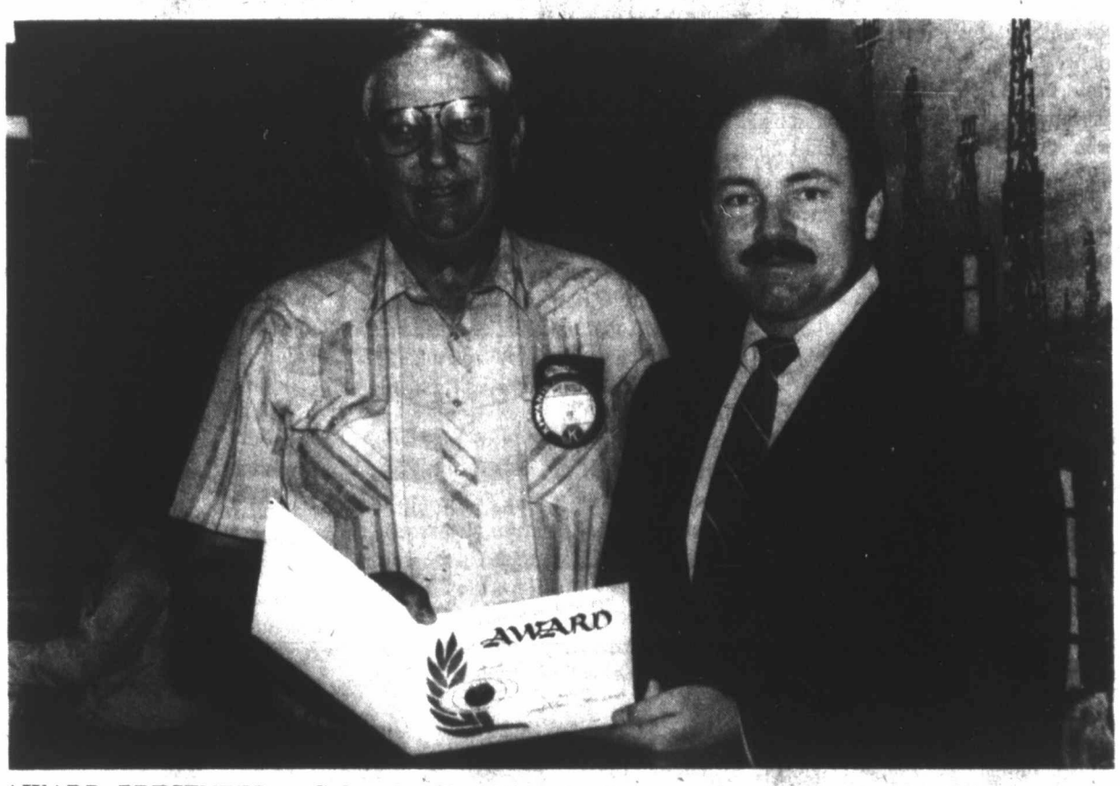
Around Town

PEGGY RATLIFF attends Kiwanis Club...KATHY WILSON sporting a new car...SUSAN ANDERSON back from East Texas...BILL HOLBERT serves up some hot peppers...ELMER MARTIN makes a short introduction...

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AWARD PRESENTED - Colorado City Kiwanis Club president Jack Strain, left, presents State Sen. Steve Carriker with a certificate of appreciation after Carriker addressed the club at its noon luncheon meeting Tuesday.

Carriker praises economic efforts

State Senator Steve Carriker (D-Roby) Tuesday praised Colorado City and Mitchell County in their efforts to attract new jobs here.

Carriker said no other county in his district is more active than Mitchell County in economic development.

"Rural communities have to be more aware of the need for economic development," he said while speaking to the Kiwanis Club.

Carriker said that the decade of the 1980s saw a dramatic change in the economy of the rural areas as compared to the 1970s when people moved from urban to rural areas.

"In the decade of the 1980s, we lost more ground in rural areas than ever before," he said.

"It's important to continue all the efforts you've started in Mitchell County," he said of economic development, adding that although every effort will not "pan out", some will.

Carriker said the legislature is looking at a $4 billion shortfall during the next session and that lawmakers will "have to make some hard decisions on how to handle" that shortfall.

"Even if we don't cut health care, highways and education, and then we do away with every other single agency in the state government, we'll still be $2 billion short," he said.

Carriker said he plans to introduce a constitutional amendment during the next legislative session which, for the first time, would require every single revenue measure to be renewed at the end of every two years.

He said his proposal would "make politicians be honest about taxes."

Every lawmaker should be obligated to know how to raise money and how to spend that money, he said.

Turning to the upcoming November general election, he said that candidates should focus on the issues rather than on "negative campaigning."

"We need straight information to make the best possible choice we can in electing public officials," he said. "Help me raise the level of public debate on issues,so we can have clear, firm choices."

DARE project awarded funds

State Rep.Robert Junell announced the awarding of $28,662 to Project DARE of Mitchell County to provide school-based DARE drug education programs. The funding is a part of over $4.4 million awarded this week by the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse (TCADA) for new anti-drug services to Texans for the Sept. 1, 1990 through Aug. 31, 1991 fiscal year.

"Only by reducing the demand for alcohol and other drugs can we rescue our society from the ravages of this problem," said Junell in announcing the funding award. "The three types of programs funded by the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse under this initiative - school-based education programs, information and referral programs, and HIV prevention and treatment services - offer our best hope in doing so."

DARE, an acronym for Drug Abuse Resistance Education, is a school-based drug education program serving students in the upper elementary grades. Uniformed policed officers provide anti-drug education one hour per week for 16 weeks using standardized curriculum. The purpose of the program is to give school children training in skills to counteract peer pressure that would otherwise encourage them to use drugs.

Texas has approximately 400 trained DARE officers, a number which will be enlarged by the creation on an in-state DARE training program also funded by the commission under this initiative.

These programs continue a dedicated effort by Texas and the nation to solve alcohol and drug problems and "signify a major commitment by the federal and state legislatures to provide a drug-free future for Texas," said Junell.

TCADA is the single state agency mandated by law to administer state and federal funds for alcohol and drug prevention, intervention and treatment services. The commission also protects the health and rights of chemically-dependent clients through licensure of all entities providing alcohol and drug treatment and rehabilitations services in Texas.

Youth accidently shot

A three-year-old Colorado City youth is in Lubbock General Hospital recovering from an accidental gunshot wound Saturday.

Family members said Matthew Ray Davila, son of Rosemary Davila, was listed in stable condition Tuesday.

Police reports indicate the youth and and a nine-year-old youth were playing in the bedroom of a local residence. The nine-year-old was holding a 22 caliber rifle when it accidently discharged, striking the younger youth in the center left back. The bullet exited through the chest and lodged in a wall of the bedroom.

The youth was taken by family members to Mitchell County Hospital where he was treated before being transferred by helicopter to Lubbock.

Head Start program planned

People for Progress in Sweetwater has established a Head Start program for a four-county area including Mitchell County.

The Head Start program will be provided at no cost to the participants for income eligible persons from Fisher, Nolan, Scurry and Mitchell counties. One or two classrooms will be provided in each county with each classroom accomodating 20 children. The children will be attending classes for six to eight hours per day and will be provided with breakfast, lunch and two snacks per day.

The purpose of Head Start is to provide children from ages 3 to 5

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Search proves fruitless

Mitchell County Sheriff's Department joined law enforcement personnel from Howard and Scurry counties in a search Monday afternoon for a robbery suspect.

Sheriff Wendell Bryant said the search centered in the Mitchell/Scurry county line area but proved fruitless.

Howard County officers had chased two suspects to the area. One suspect was apprehended when the car wrecked, but the

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School bells ring for teachers

Colorado ISD teachers reported to work Monday for a week of in-service training prior to students reporting for classes on Monday, Aug. 27.

Personnel and their assignments, by campus, include:

High School

Jerry Reynolds, principal; Nancy Hanks, secretary; Shelia Redwine, registrar; Wayne Alexander, world history/girls' athletics coordinator; Phil Anderson, automotive technology I and II; Kitten Arthur, English IV, English IV-Honors/gifted talented; Larry Blair, production systems/manufacturing graphics, construction systems (middle school two periods); Joan Bull, pre-algebra/algebra I/honors algebra I/ honors geometry; Chuck Claxton, world/U.S. history/physical education/boys' coach; Ronney Conner, world history/journalism-newspaper/English II; Brenda Crosley, English I/honors English I/CLA I/gifted talented; Christy Dockrey, U.S. history/government/FES/English I; Ray Ellis, agricultural sciences; Jerold Epperson, health/boys'

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BACK TO WORK - Dwayne Harris, president of the Colorado ISD board of trustees, welcomes teachers and administrators Monday during the first day of teacher in-service training. The remarks came during a reception hosted by the Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce. Teachers are busy this week preparing for a new school year and for the first day of classes on Monday.

County studies insurance

The Mitchell County Commissioners' Court Tuesday tentatively approved the county's health insurance program effective Sept. 1.

The county has a partially self-funded program which is designed to hold down the rising cost of health insurance.

However, county commissioners were told that total premium cost will be increasing from $146 to $172 a month for employees and from $143 to $184 a month for dependents.

One proposal, which the commissioners rejected, would have raised the total premium cost for dependents to $184 monthly, a 40 percent hike over the present rate.

In other business, the commissioners gave approval to the Westbrook Volunteer Fire Department to purchase 400 feet of new hose and a "Y" valve for $800.95. Fire department representative Steve Rollins also asked the county to purchase five additional pagers, but commissioners asked Rollins to wait until the 1991 budget to purchase pagers.

Sheriff Wendell Bryant said his department is still one car short following a wreck which left one patrol car almost totaled. He said the adjustor for the insurance company for the other party involved in the wreck has indicated he feels the car can be repaired even though the frame is bent. Commissioners advised Bryant keep them informed of developments.

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coach; Larry Hartwick, FOM/ cons. math/pre algebra/Algebra II; Connie Huddleston, introduction to geometry/geometry/trig/honors algebra II; Joan Lemons, shorthand/microapp/computer programming; Alex Martinez, band/stage band; Judy Merrell, home economics; Carl Beery Moore, speech/drama; Rick Robinson, government/'I Can'/boys' coach; Joanne Sanderson, introduction to biology/.biology/honors biology; Margaret Sellars, typing I/accounting; Sharma Smith, physical education/health/girls' coach; Walt Staats, biology/chemistry/honors chemistry/physics/golf; Edna Thompson, home economics/coop MOCT; Charles Upton, introduction to physical science/physical science/honors physical science; Cliff Vlasin, CLA II/English II honors/photo jouralism, choir; Carolyn Walker, art I and II/tennis; Kathy Wilson, Spanish I and II; David Woods, CLA IV/English III/honors English III/CLA III; Kristi Hartwick, Plan A - Resource; Golda Redwine, Plan A aide; Tom Ramsey, athletic director; Alex Martinez, band director; Debbie Blair, librarian; Sam Huffman, counselor; Lanette Ramage, counselor's secretary.

Middle School

Jim McLean, principal; Mark Merrell, assistant principal; Linda Gardner, secretary; Sonja Girvin, secretary; Thelma Blake, Plan A - Resource; Elizabeth Birmingham, seventh grade English; Larry Blair, industrial technology; Orphie Conner, seventh and eighth grade history; Paul Drosche, seventh grade science; Paula Duncan, Plan A - Resource; Ed Ethridge, counselor; Gail Evans, sixth grade science; Anita Graham, sixth and seventh grade math; Noel Guerra, band/choir; Susan Hall, reading improvement/gifted and talented; Sonja Hanks, eighth grade science; Jennifer Jenkins, sixth grade reading; Tom Kelly, sixth, seventh and eighth grade art; Katrina Long, sixth grade English; Linda Mathis, athletics/physical education/life management skills; Kim Merket, eighth grade English; Carl Moore, eighth grade speech; Gary McNiel, athletics/physical education; Patty Pharis, sixth grade social studies; Joe Pollard, sixth, seventh and eighth grade math/high school athletics; Yardy Powell, athletics/seventh and eighth grade history; John Richardson, seventh and eighth grade math/career investigation; Linda Stewart, Spanish/ESL/seventh grade reading improvement; Clifford Wilson, seventh and eighth grade girls athletics; Debbie Klepper, librarian; Mary Lou Costabile, computer room aide; Leigh Ann Erwin, language arts aide; Susie Molina, Plan A aide; and Gayle Younger, reading aide.

Hutchinson Elementary

Bobby Lemons, principal; Anita Reyna, secretary; Natalie Dennington, Martha Anderson, Jean Robinson, Janie Lou Greenlee and Margaret Rees, third grade; Annette Chesser, Connie Waldrip, Judy McArthur, Leslie Perkins, Nell Holman and Brenda Eades, fourth grade; Ruben Parras, Rita Hardegree, Carolyn Nitsch, Nancy Moore and Nancy Carroll, fifth grade; Molly Bruce and Patty Wilson, Plan A; Pat Geiger, Plan A aide; Susan Anderson, physical education; Delores Gilstrap, physical education aide; Emma Godina, bilingual/ESL; June Kimmel, music; Kelli Lancaster, migrant; Vickie Weaver, computer lab aide; Carolyn Redwine, Chapter I aide; Ed Ethridge, counselor; and Connie Stone, library aide.

Kelley Elementary School

Juan Espinoza, principal; Dixie McLean, secretary; Teresa Lemonds, Bebe Colaw, Allie Beth Beauchamp, Betty Potter and Mona Crockett, kindergarten; Barbara Hammond, Janet Mayo, Leah Daves, Lea Ann Burnett, Brenda Johnson and Susan Farr, first grade; Amy Moore, Cindy Bowen, Jeanne Ellis, Margaret Sparks, Renee Marshall and Wilma Reynolds, second grade; Delana Grant, librarian; Adele Morgan, pre-kindergarten; Pam Walker, ECH/Plan A; Emma Godina, ESL; Kelli Lancaster, migrant; June Kimmel, music; Pat Harlin, physical education aide; Jessie Alvarez, Chapter I aide for second grade; Adelita Ceballos, Chapter I aide for kindergarten; Diana Castro, pre-kindergarten aide; Mary Heredia, Plan A aide; Virginia Mendoza, Chapter I aide for first grade; Mary Petty, school nurse; Ann Kay, speech aide.

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with a comprehensive program to meet their emotional, social, health, nutritional, and psychological needs to prepare them for entrance to public schools.

Children receive a complete examination, including vision and hearing tests, identification of handicapping conditions, immunizations and dental exam. Follow-up treatment is provided for identified health problems.

Head Start children score higher than comparable non-Head Start children in preschool achievement tests that measure these abilities. Handicapped children and their families can receive Head Start Developmental services also. In addition, Head Start members work closely with community agencies to provide services to meet the special needs of the handicapped child.

Through participation in classes and workshops on child development and through staff visits to the home, parents learn about the needs of their children and about educational activities that can be carried into the home.

All interested persons should contact People for Progress at 1-800-592-7433 or go by 301 West Arkansas Street, Sweetwater, Texas by Friday, Aug. 31.

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other suspect got away.

Assisting in the search were the Highway Patrol, the U.S. Customs and dogs from the prison unit in Snyder.

Customs utilized a helicopter in the search.

Bryant said the search was called off at dusk. He described the suspect as a 48-year-old white male.

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National Hispanic Heritage Month:

Hispanic heritage celebrated

If variety is the spice of life, then the Hispanic culture has added a lot of pepper to the great American melting pot.

Currently, there are about 19 million Hispanics in the United States, a 30 percent increase since 1980. According to the U.S. Census Bureau, the Hispanic population, which accounts for 7.9 percent of the nation's population, is expected to reach 30 million by the year 2000.

Hispanic culture in America is incredibly diverse within itself—richly filled with traditions inherited from baroque Spain, the Aztecs and Mayans, descendents of black slaves who settled in the Antilles, and Central and Latin America. And in an effort to educate people and promote Hispanic culture, Sept. 15 through Oct. 15 has been declared National Hispanic Heritage Month by presidential proclamation.

As Hispanic traditions spill over into the American mainstream, their influence on foods, entertainment, art and design, sports, politics and business is adding new dimensions to this country.

Music has been greatly influenced over the years, with Latin American sounds rearranging rhythm in America. Today, the Latin-influenced sounds of Gloria Estefan and the Miami Sound Machine, Julio Iglesias, and Lisa Lisa and Cult Jam have taken America by storm. Linda Ronstadt, who is part Mexican, has recorded music and rhythms of Mexico that pay tribute to her roots. And a new form of music is emerging from a combination of rock music and Latin music—Rock en Español.

The growing number of Hispanics in America are not only adding a new beat, they are reshaping American politics and business as well. More than 400,000 Hispanic businesses now crisscross the nation. And leaders from the Hispanic community, such as U.S. Secretary of Education Lauro Cavazos, are rising to prominence.

In the world of sports, Hispanics are batting a thousand. Some of our best-loved and most admired athletes include baseball greats Roberto Clemente and Fernando Valenzuela and golfers Lee Trevino and Chi Chi Rodriguez.

Food is another area where the Hispanic culture has had a tremendous impact. Tacos, burritos, Spanish rice and paella are among the more familiar Hispanic dishes. And gourmet restaurants and recipes are featuring foods of the Southwest, spiced with lime juice and cilantro, a Mexican tradition. In fact, according to a recent National Restaurant Association survey, Mexican food is the third most popular ethnic food in America. And, as the following recipes attest, Hispanic foods can be hearty and delicious, yet easy to prepare.

Red Beans and Rice

1 medium onion, chopped
1 small green pepper, chopped
1 stalk celery, diced
2 garlic cloves, minced
2 tablespoons oil
1 can (15 1/4 oz.) dark red kidney beans
1 pouch *Minute Rice* Boil-in-Bag, cooked
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper

Cook and stir onion, green pepper, celery and garlic in hot oil over medium-high heat until tender but not browned, about 5 minutes. Stir in beans with liquid, cooked rice, salt and pepper. Reduce heat and stir gently until beans are hot.
Makes 5 servings.

Chorizo and Pepper Stuffing

8 ounces chorizo or hot sausage, cut into 1/2-inch pieces
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 medium green pepper, cut in strips
1 small onion, thinly sliced
1 1/2 cups water
1 package (6 oz.) *Stove Top* Cornbread Stuffing Mix

Cook and stir chorizo in hot butter over medium heat until browned. Add pepper and onion; stir until onion is tender but not browned. Add water and contents of vegetable/seasoning packet. Bring to a boil; simmer 5 minutes. Add stuffing crumbs; stir to moisten. Cover and let stand 5 minutes.
Makes 10 servings.

Briefly

Wolverines

A work day for the Colorado High School Wolverines will be held from 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 24, at the school.

Wolverines wanting to cheer for the freshmen and JV football games will have a clinic at the high school on Aug. 20-24, 8:30-10 a.m. Cost is $10.

Mom's day out

Mother's Day Out at First Baptist Church will begin Thursday, Aug. 30.

Parents of pre-registered children need to attend registration on Thursday, Aug. 23 from 9:30-10:30 a.m. at the church.

Women's tourney

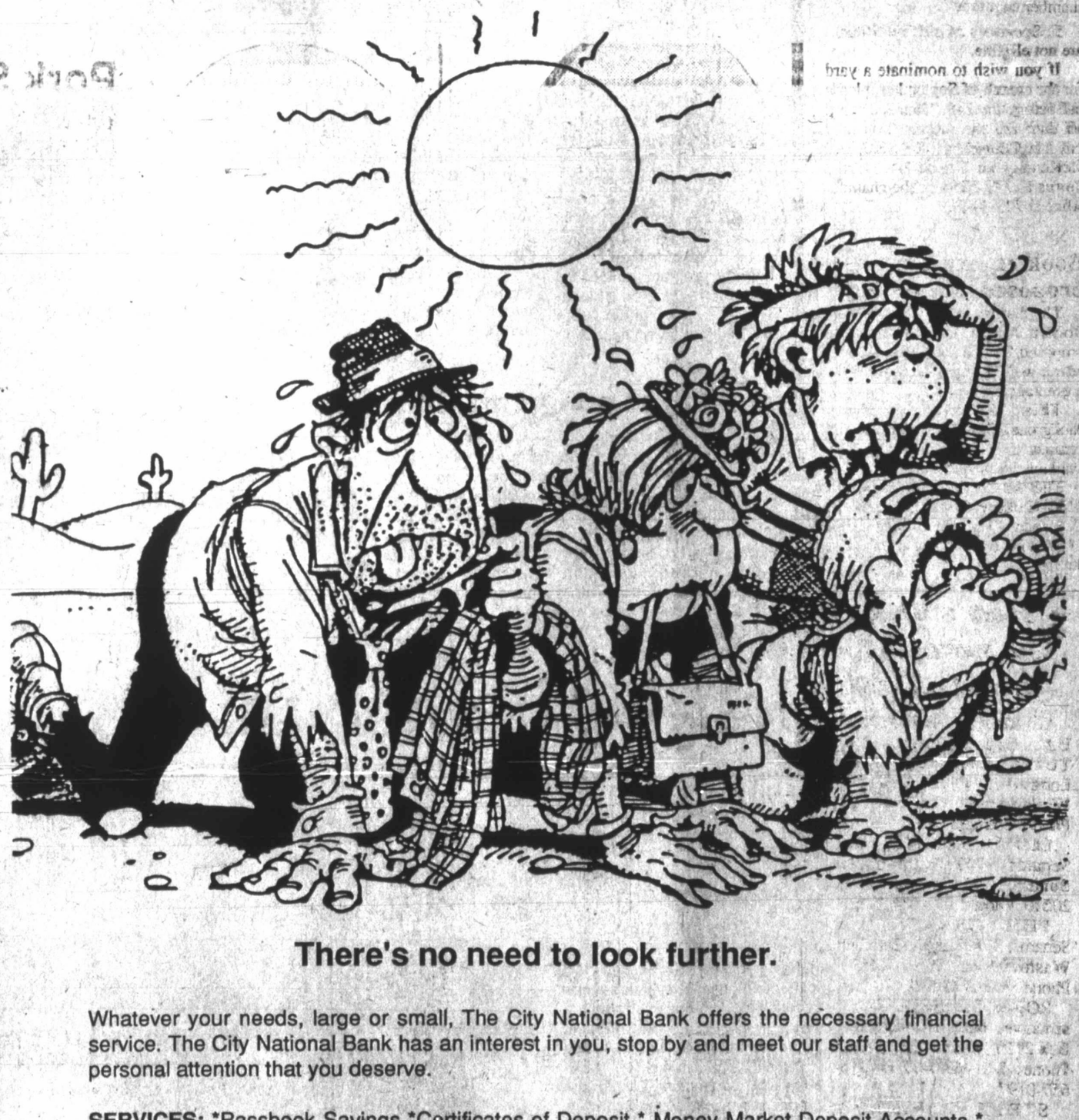
On August 31, a Women's Softball tournament will be held. Entry fee is $100 and there will be a limit of 10 players. The deadline is August 29 for the double elimanation tournament. T-shirts will be given for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, and there will be a consessions stand. For more information, contact Michael Webb at 644-5221.

Economic board

The Economic Development Board will meet the first Friday of each month at Mac-Michaels Restaurant at 7 p.m.

The board will meet the third Friday of each month at 7 a.m. at Burkhart's Villa Restaurant.

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Local Boy Scouts complete Order of Arrow requirements

Zane Graham, Cory Carlock and Ryan Costabile attended the Buffalo Trail Scout Ranch's ordeal for completion of their Order of the Arrow on August 17-19, 1990 located at Toyah Vale, Texas in the Ft. Davis Mountains.

They received the traditional Tatanka patch and white sash with red arrow and 2nd eagle claw for their necklace that has their first eagle claw on it. They also received two sets of yellow beads for attending summer camps.

On Friday, August 17, they registered for the ordeal camp and hiked up the trail to campout under the stars (except in this case it was a little cloudy and dark) and spend the night completely in silence (to give them time to think about things they had been told to think about).

On Saturday, August 18, they ate breakfast which consisted of a hard boiled egg and piece of bread on the trail before returning to camp (to teach them what little you can survive on for nutrition purposes). For dinner, they received a hot dog bun, weiner and a piece of cheese. Both days, they could have all the canteens of water they wanted or needed. All day Saturday, they were assigned to work on various jobs to clean up camp. Zane and Ryan were put on shovel duty and hauling rocks behind the dining hall. They said they were hot, tired, and "muddy." (Ft. Davis Mountains had received 14 inches of rainfall and believe you me it was muddy and wet! Cory was put on the end of a mop and said he mopped for 7 1/2 hours but he was in air-conditioning so it wasn't so bad. They had to remain in silence all day until supper (to teach them to work harder and get more done without speaking).

On Saturday night, they had to take a shower and get dressed for the ceremony that night. Then for supper, they feasted on a meal of spaghetti and the boys were famished from fasting and they enjoyed the meal. After supper, they hiked to an ampi-theatre on a torch lighted patch and this is where their flashlights came in handy. The traditional Order of the Arrow ceremony took place with the Indian dancers present and the boys were called by names to step forward and be recognized and receive their Arrow sash and become "Order of the Arrow." Afterwards, the silence was broken--they could speak again. They returned to camp to spend one more night but in their tents or huts.

On Sunday, August 19, they broke up camps, ate breakfast, had elections and were dismissed to go home.

They will be able to work on their Brotherhood patch next year and then after that, the Vigil patch.

Now the pace will slow down for the Scouts of Troop 100 until next year's summer camp begin!!!



Elmer Martin
...area committeeman

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted
August 17
Lolita Gedea, City, medical.
August 18
Gayla Gale, City, medical; Matilda Limones, Loraine, medical.
August 19
Elva Marie Alaniz, Sweetwater, medical; Wilma Womack, City, medical; Julian Mendoza, City, medical; Rex McDaniel, Loraine, medical; Alene Boone, City, medical.

Patients Dismissed
August 19
Don Brown, Dunn, medical.

Martin named county coordinator

Elmer Martin of Colorado City has been appointed area committeeman for the Cotton for Crippled Children fundraiser, according to event co-chairman F.A. (Bogus) Lollar of Anson and U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm of Stamford.

This new activity benefiting West Texas Rehabilitation Center will given cotton producers an opportunity to support WTRC by donating 25 cents per bale of ginned cotton.

Area committeemen, such as Martin, will begin distributing contribution cards and additional information to gin offices throughout the region in September.

"This program is strictly voluntary, not a checkoff," explained Lollar, "and we're confident that 25 cents per bale won't put a pinch on anyone."

After producers sign contribution cards indicating a commitment to donate, then ginners can collect the appropriate amount at harvest time this fall.

Proceeds from Cotton for Crippled Children will help provide out-patient treatment services for 13,500 children and adults served annually at WTRC facilities in Abilene and San Angelo. Patients, upon proper referral, are treated without regard for financial status. The only time individuals are charged is when specific equipment, such as hearing aids or braces, is secured for them to own.

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Yard of Month seeking September nominations

The Chamber of Commerce Beautification Committee has been working on the Yard of the Month contest for June, July, August and September. A sign will be placed in the winning yard for the month inscribed "Yard of the Month". A photograph of the winner receiving the award will be placed in the newspaper courtesy of the *Colorado City Record*. Courtesy of Costin Implement, a walk behind self propelled Snappy lawnmower will be the winner's use for the winning month.

Rules are as follows:

1. Yard of the Month must be an individually owned or rented residence.
2. Yard must be within city limits.
3. Non-winning yards can be renominated but winners cannot.
4. Yard will be selected by chamber committee.
5. Sponsors of gift certificates are not eligible.

If you wish to nominate a yard for the month of September, please call before the 24th. This is the cut-off date for the month. You may call Liz Connell at 728-8000, Flo McKenney at 728-5879, Marsha Burrus at 728-5254 or the chamber office at 728-3403.

Any persons and/or merchants who would like to give gift certificates and/or merchandise for this project, please call the above numbers.

Booklet explains proposed amendment

The district office of State Rep. Robert Junell has booklets on proposed Senate Joint Resolution 2 which will be voted on in the Nov. 6 general election.

This booklet presents background and arguments for and against this amendment and is available to the public.

The district office is located at 2135 Hickory Street, Suite D, in Colorado City. Hours are 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 10-3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Here's where to write your elected officials

CHARLES STENHOLM: U.S. Representative, 17th Texas District, 1226 Longworth Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515. Phone: 202-225-6605.

LLOYD BENTSEN: U.S. Senator, 703 Hart Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Phone: 202-224-5922.

PHIL GRAMM: U.S. Senator, 370 Russell Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Phone: 202-224-2934.

ROBERT JUNELL: Representative, 66th District, P.O. Box 2910, Austin, Tex. 78769. Phone: 512-463-0472 or 915-657-0197.

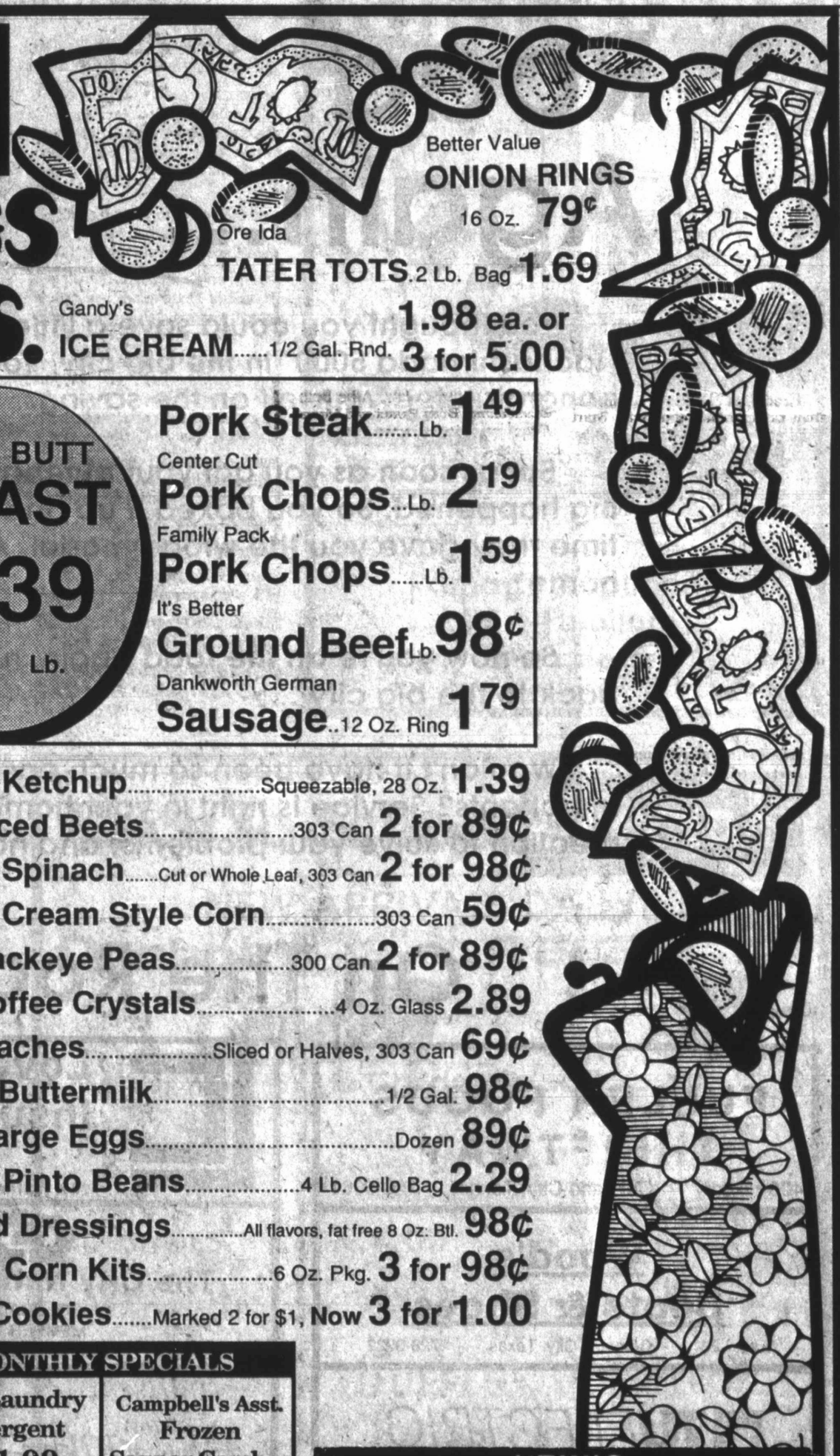
STEVE CARRIKER: Senator, 30th District, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Tex. 78711. Phone: 512-463-0130 or 915-776-2358.

GIB LEWIS: Speaker of the House, State Capitol, Austin, Tex., 78701. Phone: 512-475-3311.

BILL HOBBY: Lieutenant Governor, State Capitol, Austin, Tex. 78701. Phone: 512-475-3675.

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Del Monte Spinach.....Cut or Whole Leaf, 303 Can 2 for 98¢
Del Monte Cream Style Corn.....303 Can 59¢
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Folgers Coffee Crystals.....4 Oz. Glass 2.89
Parade Peaches.....Sliced or Halves, 303 Can 69¢
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Couple to share testimony Sunday

YoYo Collins and his wife, Sandi, will be sharing God's love through testimony and song this Sunday at 10:55 a.m. at First Baptist Church and at 7 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church.

Collins is a quadraplegic and has been confined to a wheelchair since a diving accident in 1977 which broke his neck and severed his spinal cord.

YoYo began sharing his testimony in churches in April of 1980. He and Sandi were married on Oct. 14, 1980. They have shared in churches in Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and Washington.

YoYo and Sandi were featured in the 1986 June issue of Guide Posts magazine, and have been guests on several religious television programs. YoYo served as president of the Oklahoma Conference of Evangelists in 1987 and 1988.

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YoYo Collins

Labor Day Tourney to benefit Chamber

The Colorado City Chamber of Commerce is gearing up for the second annual Labor Day golf tournament to be held at Wolf Creek Golf Course over the Labor Day Weekend.

Officials expect a field of 60 teams by the Friday, August 30 deadline. Twenty-eight teams were signed up by Friday.

Last year, thirty-three teams from throughout West Texas entered the first tournament sponsored by the local chamber.

This year's format will be the same as last year. Golfers will play low ball on Saturday, a scramble on Sunday and combination (both players score) on Monday.

Entry fee is $160 per team and includes a free meal for golfers and a guest on Saturday and Sunday night.

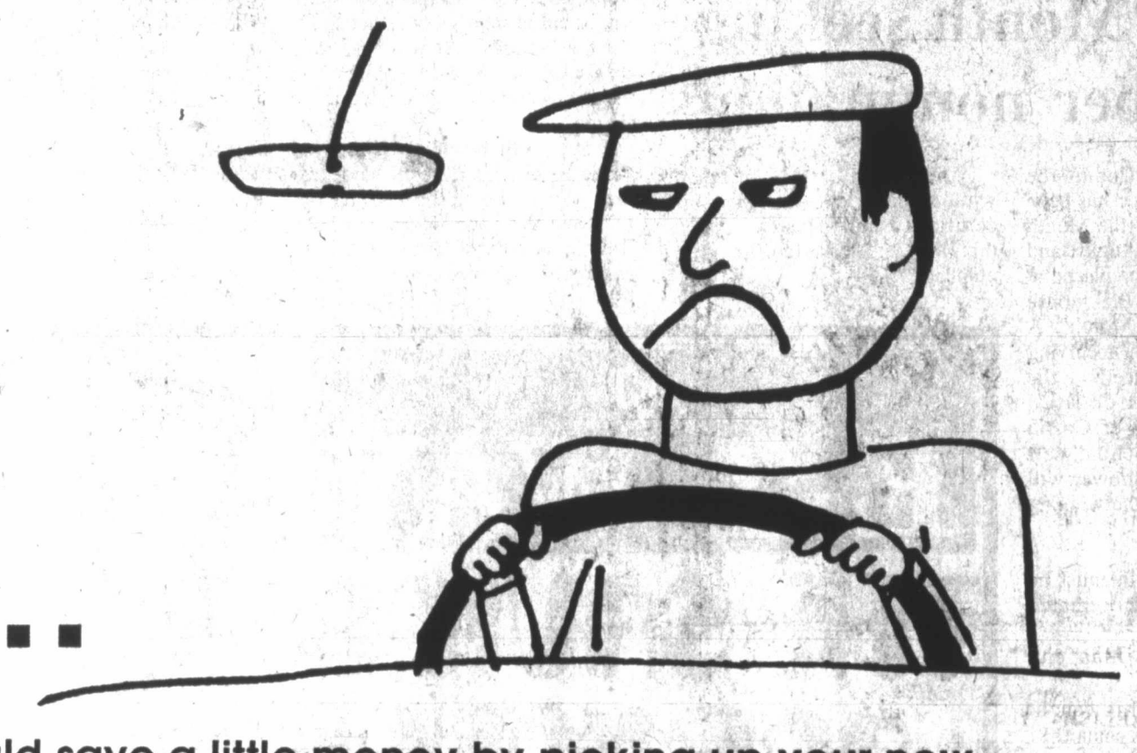
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County Agriculture

NOTES

by BRYAN LIMMER
County Extension Agent-Ag

It will soon be time to spray pecans for the hickory shuckworm. It is one of our more damaging nut pests and causes injury by tunneling between the shuck and the shell. The tunneling causes the nut to fill poorly and usually the shuck will not open in the fall. The hickory shuckworm usually appears along with our most serious nut pest, the pecan weevil.

The optimum time to spray for the hickory shuckworm is at half shell hardening. The shell hardens first at the tip of the nut and hardening progresses toward the stem end. The state of hardening is easily determined by cutting through a nut with a pocket knife. If the shell is hardening, the knife will not cut through the shell without extra pressure. The time of shell hardening varies according to variety. Some varieties are already at the one-half shell hardening stage as of August 15, while others are at least a week away.

A single spray application does not always give total control of hickory shuckworm. A second spray, 10-14 days after the first may be needed.

Effective insecticide choices and application rates for hickory shuckworm are listed below:

	Rate/gal	Rate/100 gal
Diazinon EC	1 1/2 tsp.	1 1/2-2 pts.
or		
Pydrin EC	1/8 tsp.	2 2/3 oz.
or		
Guthion 2L	1 1/2 tsp.	1 1/2-2 1/4 pts.

Pydrin or Guthion should be used only in orchards or by commercial applicators.

Yellow aphids, which are responsible for the sticky honeydew that is building up on some pecan trees, will be controlled by any of these chemicals. Diazinon and Pydrin are especially good for aphid control.

The recent rains are bringing pecan scab pressure to bear on susceptible varieties such as Wichita, Burkett and Western. To help combat scab, add Benomyl or another labeled fungicide to the shuckworm spray.

Spray time for the pecan weevil, one of our most serious nut pests, can be done when spraying for the shuckworm and aphids.

Optimum weevil spray times in past years have usually been from the last week in August through the first two weeks of September.

The rain softened soils many of us are experiencing may bring on an earlier than normal emergence so be on the alert. Left unsprayed, the hickory shuckworm and pecan weevil can destroy a large portion of our pecan crop. The crop has already taken a beating in some orchards and yard trees. The pecan nut casebearer was especially hard on us this year and the early summer heat and drought set us up for a substantial nut drop in July. Get prepared to spray before the Hickory Shuckworm, the pecan weevil and scab take another big bite out of the 1990 pecan crop.

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Local literacy volunteers attend state conference

The first State Literacy Conference was held recently at the Stage Coach Inn in Salado. It was the first annual membership meeting to be held by Texas Literacy Volunteers Incorporated. Board members, executive officers, coordinators, tutors, students and visitors were in attendance representing the five regions of the state. Louree Upton and Earline Sellier attended the meeting representing the Mitchell County Literacy Council which is part of the Western Region of Literacy Volunteers of America-Texas.

During the board meeting on Friday morning members were eligible to participate in the first annual membership meeting and to witness the ceremony making LVA-Texas a full affiliate of Literacy Volunteers of America. All affiliates are automatically members of the corporation. However, voting status is granted to full affiliate members only.

The goals of the Conference/Retreat were: 1. To reaffirm student focus of LVA. 2. To build rapport among Literacy Volunteers of Texas. 3. To network among local affiliates and with the state office. 4. To share information and concerns and develop skills. 5. To conduct regular business of LVA-Texas as a corporation.

The theme of the conference/retreat was "Stars in Literacy." Every conference, every speaker and every activity was centered around the idea in this quote, "We believe every literacy volunteer is a start!"

Literacy students also took part in the conference. Kathy Schultz, nationally recognized student advocate was the leader of the student support groups. Also, Joe Ogg, LVA-Texas student of the year from Dallas was there to share his experiences at the National Student Congress.

The closing hour of the conference was the highlight because we were able to hear the students who had been taught to read tell of their experiences before learning to read. As they told what it meant to them to have learned to read, each literacy volunteer truly felt like a "star" for someone.

The featured speaker was Ms. Julie Kimball, a business woman who had just competed in the National Toastmasters Competitions held in Dallas. She spoke to us with all the force and confidence of one who was a success in her business and in her social life.

She spoke to us about the need to be literate and about how one is handicapped when she can't read. She demonstrated how a non-reader feels when she is asked to read by giving each of us a booklet that we couldn't read. After she had presented the need for reading in a forceful way, she dropped this bombshell: "You see, I know how important it is to read, because I am a person who for many years was unable to read. But one day I was assigned to a tutor and she helped me unscramble the words and now I can read. Learning how to read is my wonderful world of Words."

The Texas Staff of Literacy Volunteers of America are: Bill Pounds, Executive Director, Dr. Barbara Alexius, Field Services Coordinator, Yolanda Nunez, Field Services Specialist, and Laura Davidson, Office Manager.

B&PW members have picnic social

The Colorado City Business and Professional Women met for a picnic social and business meeting at the home of Lovess Curlee. Eighteen members and guests were served in a backyard setting. Later the group enjoyed games of Bingo with winners of each game receiving small gifts. The hostesses were Juanita Schaefer, Sally Rogers and Lovess Curlee.

President Molly Bruce welcomed the visitors, Margaret Trulock and Patsy Bryant, asking them to tell about their business or profession. Members were given an opportunity to report job openings that are available around town. Mildred Free continued her orientation program by telling about the Goddess of Victory which is worn proudly on the BPW member's pin.

The president called for regular business items and reports were made by the various officers and committee chairmen. The new proposed budget was presented by Pauline Light and was accepted by the group.

The district meeting which will be hosted by the Colorado City Business and Professional Women was discussed and assignments were given to several committee leaders. Those who will be responsible for certain jobs are: Lovess Curlee, hospitality; Pauline Light, registration; Lovess Curlee, conference chairman; Margaret Ann Conaway, decorations; Mildred Free and Patsy Ritchey, ditty bags; Molly Bruce, publicity; Virginia Dearen and Donna Lowrance, hostesses. The District Conference will be held in the Middle School Cafeteria on September 22nd.

The club will have a booth at the County Fair and will sell wrapping paper and take orders for cakes. The executive committee will meet Thursday, September 6 at 5:30 p.m. and next club meeting will be September 13 at 7 p.m.

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Loraine Personals

by Lois Phillips

Another Tuesday morning and I don't have a lot of news for you today, but I'll tell you what I know.

That's me you know, tell everything I know and sometimes it not told to me real straight. Anyway you will get a jest of what has happened right or wrong.

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George Jr., Faye and Clayton Lee are home from their vacation in Arkansas. I believe Clayton joined the football team this week and I know they were glad, they were kinda short in numbers.

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You kids had better have fun this week "cause school is gonna start real soon, in fact next week the old bell will be ringing and you really will be busy.

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Dorothy Phillips of Odessa visited her mother Jenny Hallmark and her aunt Nannie Hallmark last week. She had her grandchildren Brent and Holly with her.

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Tressie McPeters of California is visiting in the homes of two of her children Etta Gee Williams and family and Charles McPeters and family.

Grandmother McPeters lived here years ago before she left for California.

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Nancy Davenport of El Paso visited with Nannie Hallmark at the nursing center last Thursday morning.

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I visited with the Maylon Beaty family over the weekend while Earl and Donnie went on to Fort Worth to visit a sick brother. Also going were A. W. and Louise Phillips of Colorado City and Ellis Phillips. He is much better now I believe.

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Jean Hale of Austin spent the weekend visiting her mother Irene Kidd and canning peas and making jelly. Don't you just know they had fun. Jean even cleaned the house before she left for home. I know Irene really appreciated that. You ladies all know what a mess canning makes.

I almost forgot to tell you that Billie Cornutt furnished the peas. He delivered them all picked, said he just did that for his crippled friends. Bill, you are really a nice fellow. Thanks a bunch.

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Glenn and Shirlene Sanders were in Alpine over the weekend to help Phillip and his family move into campus housing, hang drapes etc. They had a very good time I am sure because a grandchild is involved.

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J. D. Sheffield is doing his residency in Pubelo, Colorado. He will be there two years. He has done one year already in Galveston. At the end of this two years we may address him as Dr. Sheffield and he will deserve it I am sure. Congratulations J. D., we are real proud of you.

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Amanda and Shannon Doyle, daughters of Tommy and Becky Doyle of Arlington, spent two weeks visiting their grandparents Jap and Nell Doyle. Nell had a quilt up and she taught the girls how to quilt. They had a barrel of fun entertaining the girls and Nell is real lonesome this week.

Last weekend Tommy and Becky came and they all attended the wedding of a grandson and nephew, Jimmie Collier. He married a girl from Silver. You will read about it some other place in the paper.

Jimmie is the son of Chester and Beverly Collier of Roscoe. Nell tells me the wedding was very pretty.

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Ryan Kelly of Dallas spent last week with his grandparents, Atwood and Billie Sheffield while his mother Mildred was in San Antonio teaching his aunt Belinda how to take care of her new baby.

Ryan Kelly is the son of Bob and Mildred Kelly of Dallas and is two and one-half years old.

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Visiting Ira, Audrey and Joshua Beights Sunday were Larry Beights of Whittier, CA and Kelly Beights and Matt Cain, Texas Tech students and Hasseltine Compton and Wayne Redding, Angelo State student from San Angelo and Becky Beights, Loraine.

In July Rachel, Donna and Jay Watson from Oklahoma City visited here and at Snyder with her brother Frank and Fay Beights.

Rachel's husband has been in the Azore Islands for the past year. He is in the Air Force. Their son, David is in the Marines in Okinawa.

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Lamar Berkley Hailey is the new son of Tom and Belinda Haley of San Antonio and grandson of Atwood and Billie Sheffield of Loraine.

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Rev. and Mrs. Orville Brantley had as their guests recently in the First Baptist Church, their daughter and son-in-law. Bro. Brantley is helping us out while we don't have a pastor and I for one really do enjoy listening to him.

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I am sure we have several of our young people who are in our Armed Forces being shipped to the Middle East. If you have one or know of one we would like to know about it. It looks like this could be long and drawn out and we'd like to do whatever we could to help even if it is just mentioning names.

I am one of the many who remembers World War II of the 40's with four brothers involved before it was over. Let's do whatever we can if worse comes to worse.

Lions Club honors ladies

On August 14, the Loraine United Methodist Women were guests of the Lions Club for a "special luncheon". This honor was extended to the ladies in appreciation for their continuous service in serving the Lions' meals from the time the Lions organized in July 1942 until February of this year, when the ladies resigned this role. However, two Methodist ladies, namely Nelda Bruce and Dorothy Green are continuing this service as a personal business.

The Loraine Lions Club has been an outstanding service organization in the community since 1942. Among the many projects it has supported since its beginning is aid to the blind. On several occasions it has purchased eye glasses for local children. It has also been a supporter of the Little League ball teams, and other youth projects in the area. These Lions can be termed as a "Friend" in Loraine.

Money earned by the ladies in serving the Lions has also had far reaching results. Some of the money has gone to Waco Children's Home, The Mission Home in San Antonio, McCurdy School in New Mexico and support to the General Mission programs of the United Methodist Church. For several years they have made a monthly contribution to the "Helping Hand" in Mitchell County which they consider home mission. They have also been responsible for many of the furnishings and upkeep of the Methodist parsonage.

At the close of the meal a beautiful plaque was presented to the ladies. Thirteen ladies were present for the occasion. From the thirteen, there were three who had served from the beginning.

There is the old saying "a tiny seed well planted can be magnified into a mighty plant." Lions and Ladies you have proven it so!

School lunchbox hints given

HOUSTON - Picking the right lunch box is important to kids this time of year, but packing the right foods is an essential job for parents all year.

"Children take more than their lunch to school. They take their food habits," says Dr. Corinne Montandon, nutritionist at the Children's Nutrition Research Center and assistant professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "If they learn good eating habits early in life, then children will take those habits to schools."

Variety keeps lunch interesting. Including a protein, bread, vegetable, fruit and drink also helps parents pack a healthy lunch.

Meat, poultry or fish, peanut butter, cheese and leftover foods, like pizza, roast beef, or hamburgers, make excellent protein choices.

Many types of bread are available for sandwiches. Montandon suggests whole or cracked wheat, pita bread, french bread, hoagie or hamburger buns and even tortillas.

Hunks of lettuce, sliced cherry tomatoes, carrot, celery or green pepper sticks and radishes or other crunch vegetables make a good substitute for the often-packed bag of chips.

Fresh or canned fruit - apples, oranges, bananas, peaches, fruit cocktail - make good dessert choices. Many children also enjoy packaged puddings, applesauce and mini-yogurts. On occasion, parents should pack a surprise such as oatmeal cookies, gingerbread or even a piece of birthday cake.

Milk, white or chocolate, is the best drink choice. If brought from home, it should be packaged in a cold thermos. "Chill the thermos in the refrigerator overnight by adding cold water," suggests Montandon. "In the morning pour out the water and add the milk. It will stay colder that way."

For variety, boxed fruit juices work well. Parents should look for pure fruit juices which are often high in vitamin C and provide other needed vitamins and trace minerals. These boxed drinks can be frozen overnight and will thaw by noon.

Preparation also helps save time. "Lunches can be fixed the night before," says Montandon. "Chopping up extra vegetables for tomorrow's lunch or cooking double the amount of meat for dinner are little timesavers."

Montandon advises lunch packers to include a hand wipe or moistener with the lunch. "Children are often in a hurry and do not take time to wash their hands before lunch," she says. "The moistener at least gives them a chance to wipe off excess soil from their hands."

Obituaries

Nettie Lee Hodges

Nettie Lee Hodges, 79, of Colorado City died Friday, Aug. 17, 1990 at Rosewood Hospital in Houston.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Oak Street Baptist Church with Bill Hatler officiating. Burial was in Colorado City Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

She was born Oct. 8, 1910 and was a homemaker. She was a member of Oak Street Baptist Church Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Juanita Biggs of Houston; three sons, Alton Hodges of Houston, Douglas Hodges of Bellville and Bennie Hodges of Lake Jackson; three sisters, Arlene Boydston of Dallas, Ruth Hamilton of Lubbock and Mary Lou Wilson of Colorado City; four brothers, Raymond Wilson of Meadow and Vernon Wilson, Troy Wilson and Hubert Wilson, all of Lubbock; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons - Mark Biggs, Randy Hodges, Brad Hodges, Craig Hodges, Raymond Bell and Kenneth Hamilton.

Johnathan Randal Walker

Johnathan Randal Walker, 19, died Saturday, Aug. 11, 1990 in Germany.

Services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Ted Spear officiating. Burial was in Colorado City Cemetery.

He was born May 19, 1971 in Ft. Bebibg, Ga. and attended Mitchell County schools. He was in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his parents, Ernest and Linda Horn of Germany; two brothers, Jeremy Walker and Skeeter Horn, both of Germany; maternal grandfather, Virgil Hogue of Colorado City; and paternal grandfather, John Ernest Horn of Quitman, Ga.

Vernia C. Prescott

Vernia C. Prescott, 81, of Amarillo, formerly of Loraine, died Saturday, Aug. 11.

Services were Tuesday, Aug. 14, in Llano Cemetery in Amarillo.

He lived in the Loraine area until 1928 when he moved to Amarillo. He was a tailor and a veteran of World War II. He was a member of Fairview Baptist Church and the Oddfellow Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Lida Brown Prescott; three sisters, Ida Chitsey of Hermleigh, Nellie Mae Rasco of Mineral Wells and Ruby Knox of Big Spring; four brothers, Earl Prescott of Kelso, Wash., Walter Prescott of Lindale, Charlie Prescott of Fort Worth and Leon Prescott of Lockney,.

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Help Wanted

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Saturday 8-?
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Watch for signs
All day Saturday
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The Colorado High School Annual Pigskin Preview will be held Thursday, August 23, 7 p.m. at Wolf Stadium.

The Freshmen, Junior Varsity and Varsity Wolves will be introduced as well as the cheerleaders, flags, twilers, band officers, and Wolverine officers.

For any parent who is interested in taking a picture of their son, pictures will begin at 5:30 p.m.

There will be an ice cream supper for every one after the ceremonies on the basefield, north of the fieldhouse.

Oil price hikes will cost Texas farmers, ranchers $30 million

(AUSTIN)--"As tens of thousands of young Americans are being shipped to Saudi Arabia to put their lives on the line--facing 120 degree heat and chemical warfare--Exxon, Amoco, Chevron, and a handful of other multinational oil conglomerates are slipping around the backroads of rural Texas, profiteering on the families of these soldiers," Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower has said.

"By jacking up their prices on fuels used widely in rural areas--gasoline, diesel, and propane--these oil companies have gone from being self-service stations to self-serving stations, and there is no excuse for it.

"Big Oil's unseemly appetite for higher profits has left the Texas farming and ranching community between Iraq and a hard place, and that hard place is Big Oil's greedy heart," Hightower said.

U.S. gasoline pump prices since August 1 have jumped more than 16 cents to an average of $1.24 a gallon, Hightower noted. Each day those price increases cost U.S. motorists about $50 million more than before the Iraqi crisis began.

"We calculate that Texas farmers and ranchers will pay an additional $30 million over the next year in higher fuel prices," Hightower said. "And with many farmers at the peak of harvest time, the time of heaviest fuel use, oil industry greed is particularly painful. It's a ripoff and an outrage! Prices shouldn't just be frozen at current levels, they should be rolled back to reflect only the real increases in oil prices.

"When the oil conglomerates last week assured President Bush and the American public there would be no consumer price gouging, the industry probably meant that for as long as it's in the media spotlight," Hightower said. "Big Oil may play fair in Houston, where TV cameras roll at a moment's notice and more than 23,000 gas pumps compete for the customer's business. But what about in Houston County, which has only 254 pumps across a 1200-square-mile area, or Glasscock County with 12 pumps, or Loving County with two? Forty-eight percent of all the gasoline pumps in Texas are located in the state's 236 non-metropolitan counties.

"During the weekend of August 11-12, TDA inspectors surveyed 92 gas stations in rural areas and found that 11 percent of stations increased their prices by another 3-4 cents a gallon, and in one instance by nine cents a gallon. This was after oil companies had already hiked unleaded gasoline by anywhere from 10 to 20 cents a gallon and indicated they were now content to freeze or roll back price increases.

"As the state agency charged with regulating gasoline pumps, TDA's inspectors will continue to monitor prices for gasline, propane, and diesel in every section of the state on a daily basis. We will be working closely with Attorney General Jim Mattox and the appropriate congressional committees, reporting regularly on the fuel prices our inspectors encounter in downtown Dallas as well as downtown Dime Box.

"Some Texans have claimed that the Middle Eastern military maneuver will be a blessing for the Texas economy because it is boosting the price of Texas crude. The few who say that tend to be the ones who own a lot of Texas crude," Hightower said.

"It's a pretty good bet they haven't talked to Robert Green, who raises wheat and grain sorghum on 8,000 acres near Hartley," Hightower said. "Green reported to TDA that on August 4 he paid $240 more for 3,000 gallons of diesel (enough to last 10 days), than he would have paid if he had purchased it just three days earlier.

"Burton Shubert, who raises wheat, grain sorghum, and pinto beans on 2,500 acres in Spearman tells a similar tale of woe. His diesel costs are up $20 a day. Add in the cost of gasoline, and he's now paying $100 a day more for fuel than he was in late July.

"Certainly Robert Green and Burton Shubert--all Texans, in fact--appreciate the flow of oil dollars into the Texas treasury, but we don't want a boom bought with blood," Hightower said. "And, we don't want to forget that most Texans are consumers of oil, not producers.

"Farmers and ranchers, unlike the oil companies, don't have the privilege of passing along their increased costs of doing business," Hightower said.

"A 10 percent increase in fuel prices because of price gouging will cost the average grain producer an additional $180 just during the harvest period. Should the increase continue until next spring, when Texas farmers are again using fuel-driven irrigation systems, the cost of farming will go through the roof.

"It's certainly not as if oil companies are hurting. Net profits for 23 major oil companies were $14.2 billion last year, up from $6.7 billion in 1987. Last year, for example, Exxon enjoyed profits of $3 billion; Texaco reaped profits of $2.4 billion and Arco earned $2 billion; both Mobil and Amoco had profits of well over $1 billion.

"Nor can these price hikes be blamed on fuel shortages. As of June 1, storage tanks across Texas held approximately 3.4 million barrels of diesel fuel which was being sold at a wholesale price of 70 to 75 cents per gallon. Over 80 percent of that diesel fuel was held by six companies--Exxon, Champlin, Phillips 66, Texaco, Amoco and Chevron. Today, farmers must pay nearly 90 cents a gallon for that diesel--the same 894,000 barrels of diesel that Exxon had in storage in Baytown when prices were 15-20 cents lower. It's the same diesel and the same old ripoff.

"When you consider that 76 percent of a farmer or rancher's total energy cost is spent on gasoline and diesel, it is easy to see what an adverse impact any greed-motivated increases will have," Hightower said.

"Propane, used to fuel pickup trucks and for home heating in rural areas, has also risen by a nickel since August 2 and by eight cents since the end of July. Any increase in propane prices is abnormal for this time of year. Normally, prices level off in late July and early August before starting to rise again in September.

"So, whether it's the Central Texas grain farmer who must pay more for diesel to run his combine or the frozen food company in Dallas that must add a 2.5 percent surcharge to each of its deliveries to cover the higher price of fuel, these price increases are hurting Texans. They are also especially hard for Texans who were already hurting--the diabetic in Longview who spends $100 a month--out of a $400-a-month income--on gasoline driving to Dallas for medical treatment and the unemployed steelworker at Lone Star who will now pay more for propane to heat his family's mobile home this winter," Hightower said.

"TDA not only intends to continue its monitoring of gasoline, diesel and propane prices in rural areas. We will submit any information we collect to the appropriate state and federal agencies, including the Texas Attorney General's office and the three U.S. congressional committees that have initiated investigations of the price increases. These committees are: the House Subcommittee on Energy and Power, the House Subcommittee on Economic Stabilization and the Consumer Subcommittee of the Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee. We are also calling on U.S. Attorney General Richard Thornburgh to put 'the full resources of the Justice Department behind an investigation of petroleum practices.'

Hightower characterized the Iraqi oil crisis as "a wake-up call for America, an urgent reminder that this nation needs a sound energy policy."

While calling for increased domestic energy exploration, Hightower also advocated that the U.S. shift more of its foreign oil dependency from the Middle East to Mexico and Venezuela. Hightower also embraced a plank advocated by Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro and Railroad Commissioner John Sharp to replace one-fourth of U.S. oil imports by having electric utilities and other industries that generate their own power switch to natural gas as a primary fuel source.

Just as important, Hightower urged that Americans begin to deemphasize petroleum-based fuels.

"We've ignored alternative energy sources for the past decade. We need to be seriously exploring fuel alcohol, biomass, solar energy, wind energy. Those are natural resources that Texas has in abundance," Hightower said.

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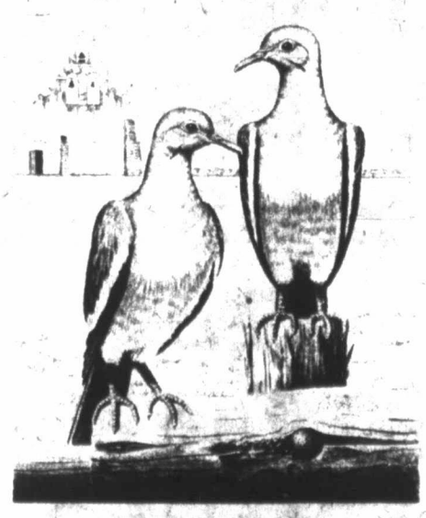
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