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Mitchell County Briefs

Joint meeting

The Wilson Wyatt VFW Post 9178 and its Ladies' Auxiliary will have a joint meeting Thursday (tonight) at 7 p.m.

The meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. All members are encouraged to attend.

CYO cleaning yards

The Catholic Youth Organization is looking for yards to clean. Anyone wishing to have a yard cleaned should contact Jesse Munoz at 728-5566 or Barbara Heredia at 728-3739.

A minimum donation of $30 for a large yard is required.

Library Closing

The Mitchell County Public Library will be closed on Christmas Eve and the week following Christmas.

The library will open up at regular time (12) on Tuesday, January 3.

1983 taxes due

Rita Espinoza, tax assessor-collector of the City of Colorado City, would like to remind taxpayers that 1983 taxes become delinquent February 1, 1984. Avoid penalty and interest by paying before this date.

Conserve water

City Manager Rick Crowley is asking all local residents to help conserve water and use it only when it is essential because of the damage caused to the water lines by the recent spell of freezing weather.

Holiday deadlines

The Colorado City RECORD will have some deadline changes because of the New Year's holiday Friday.

All editorial and advertising deadlines will be at 10 a.m. Friday. The delivery of the RECORD will be Saturday.

The RECORD business office will be closed Monday in observance of New Year's Day.

Happy New Year from the RECORD staff!!

Answerline

Answerline is a regular feature of the Colorado City RECORD. Readers with questions on any subject may write or telephone the RECORD with questions they would like to have answered. Letters must bear the reader's name, address and phone number for verification, although names will not be published. Mail inquiries to: Answerline, P.O. Box 92, Colorado City, Texas 79512.

(Q) Who is responsible for the water that is lost when water lines break?

(A) The cost is absorbed by operating expenses of the city, city manager Rick Crowley said. No resident will be billed for that water.

However, the resident is responsible for paying for the water that is lost if the break occurs past the water meter on their property or in their house.

Around Town

City employees **DAVID SANDERS, JOHN BROWN, NESTER DIAZ** and **BUZZ RICH** brave the cold and lose sleep...Was that **PEGGY ARISPE** driving a tow truck?...**HELEN ESPINOZA** and **IRENE RIVERA** get together for a "traditional" Christmas celebration...**RICKY "NOODLE" ESPINOZA** proves a good Samaritan during the icy weather...Good luck, **GENE LEWIS...JACK GREEN** and his trusty wrench come to the rescue...**MARTHA MARTINEZ** looks for some envelopes...**VERA CUPP** in the office on business.

Deaths

Herring

Cardwell

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Cold reeks havoc with water lines



WHAT LOOKS LIKE A river of ice is in reality Pine Street after one of the many water lines in the city broke. Extremely cold temperatures froze the water, creating large patches of ice.

By LUIS RIOS

Colorado City, Mitchell County and the rest of the state battled Mother Nature's chilling effects and Mother Nature won as temperatures dropped below freezing for 10 straight days and C-City water lines broke all around town.

Some parts of town were under water and ice for several days while other sections of Colorado City had no water at all.

The lone city crew battled–10 degree to five degree temperatures 12 to 16 hours a day trying valiantly to repair the some 75 broken water lines in the city limits. However, the two-man crew led by water and sewer superintendent Buzz Rich were not enough for the task that lay ahead.

The city crew received help from Mitchell County Utilities Tuesday. Mitchell County Utilities has been "a big help to us," said Rich.

It is possible that water may be cut off to certain areas of town, Rich said.

"We may have to cut it off here at the gate," he said.

The problems with the broken lines has been the worst he had seen in 30 years, Rich said.

"I have never seen

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Anderson to run for Commissioner



Warren Anderson

Native Mitchell County farmer Warren Anderson announced his intentions to run for Mitchell County Commissioner for Precinct One Thursday.

"I'd like to be involved in making decisions for the county that would up grade and maintain all county services to the people," Anderson said.

Anderson will be vying for the seat now held by County Commissioner Louise Logsdon, who took over the position when her husband, Paul Logsdon, died early this year.

In notifying the RECORD of his plans to seek the job of commissioner, Anderson said that with the encouragement of friends he had thought for some time that he would enjoy serving as County Commissioner.

"This type of action stems from the Commissioners Court and I would like to be part of it. I've always been interested in what goes on in local government as well as state and national affairs."

A veteran of World War II, Anderson has served many years on the Mitchell County ASCS Committee, as a director on the Soil Conservation Board, and the Producer's Cooperative Gin Board. In addition, he has served on the Colorado Independent School District board for seven years and the Region XIV Educational Service Center board for six years. Anderson is presently serving on the board of the First National Bank.

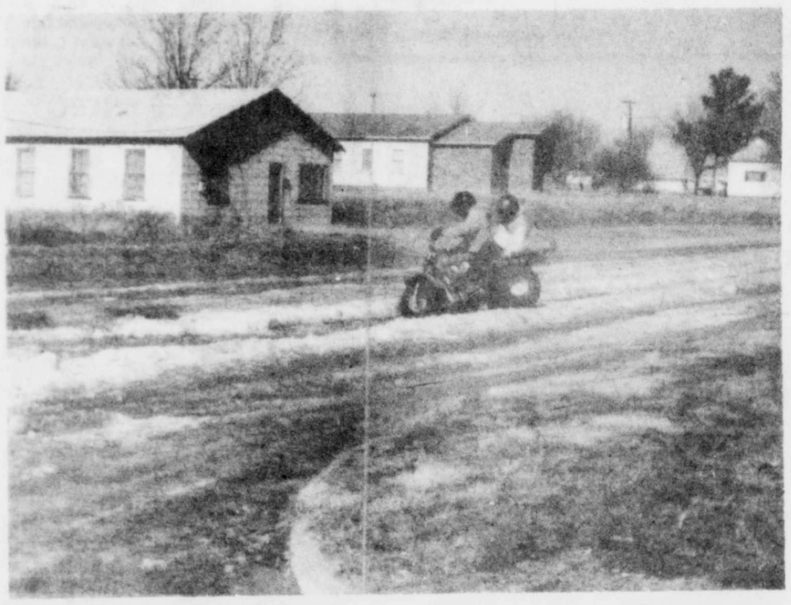
Anderson is a member of the First United Methodist Church and lives three miles east of town with his wife, Leola. They have four children, Kathy, Woody, Leslie and Randy, who live in and around Colorado City.

"I ask for and would appreciate the support of all the citizens of Precinct One," Anderson concluded, "and I want to serve you and your interests."

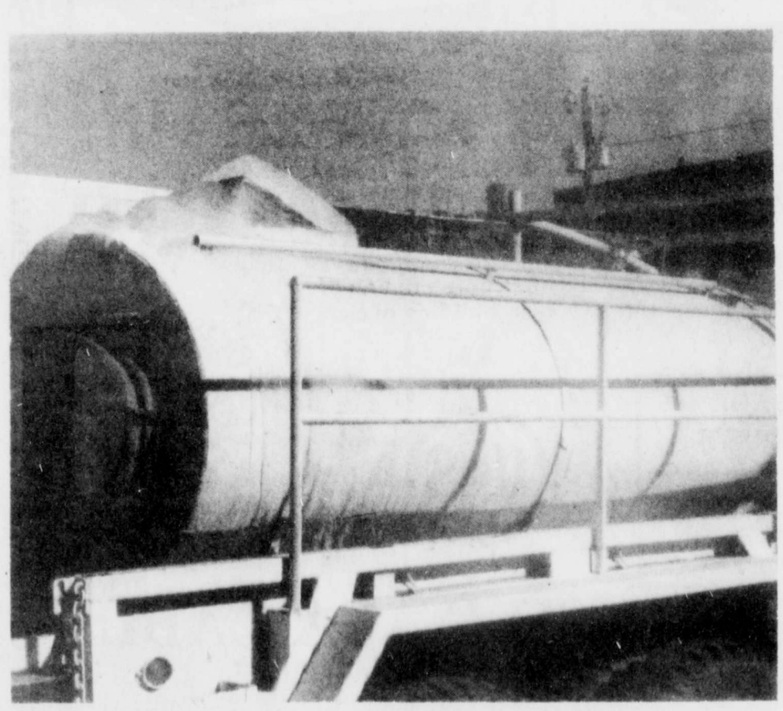
County savings bond sales up

Sales of U.S. Savings Bonds during the period January through September 1983 in Texas amounted to $202,122,865 an increase of 28.5 percent over the same period a year ago, John W. Dixon, Chairman of the Board and CEO of E-Systems, Inc. in Dallas and Volunteer State Chairman for Texas, announced. These sales represent 90.0 percent of

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WATER MAIN LINE breaks throughout the city caused several streets to ice up. Here two unidentified youngsters are trying out their new three-wheeler on Pine Street.



THE LOCAL FIREFIGHTERS were faced with many problems brought on by the severe cold. Among the problems were the two rural fire fighting truck tanks froze. The fire department is keeping the trucks inside now at Costin Implement Co., hoping they will thaw out.

Fire destroys family's Christmas

By TONY FRANCO

Christmas came and went, but for one local family the joy and happiness of the holidays ended two days before the celebration of our Lord's birthday.

Jessie and Rosa Barrera of Loraine lost their home to a fire last Friday afternoon and along with their house were lost their possessions, which included furnishings, clothing, Christmas presents and their Christmas tree.

The blaze, reportedly caused by an electrical short, occurred while the Barrera's daughter Janie and son Danny were at home and luckily neither one was injured.

For the Barreras hour of need, the citizens of the city of Loraine will hold a "miscellaneous" shower to raise financial, material and spiritual support.

All concerned citizens of the area are invited and urged to attend the shower which will be held Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Loraine Lions Club on Main Street.

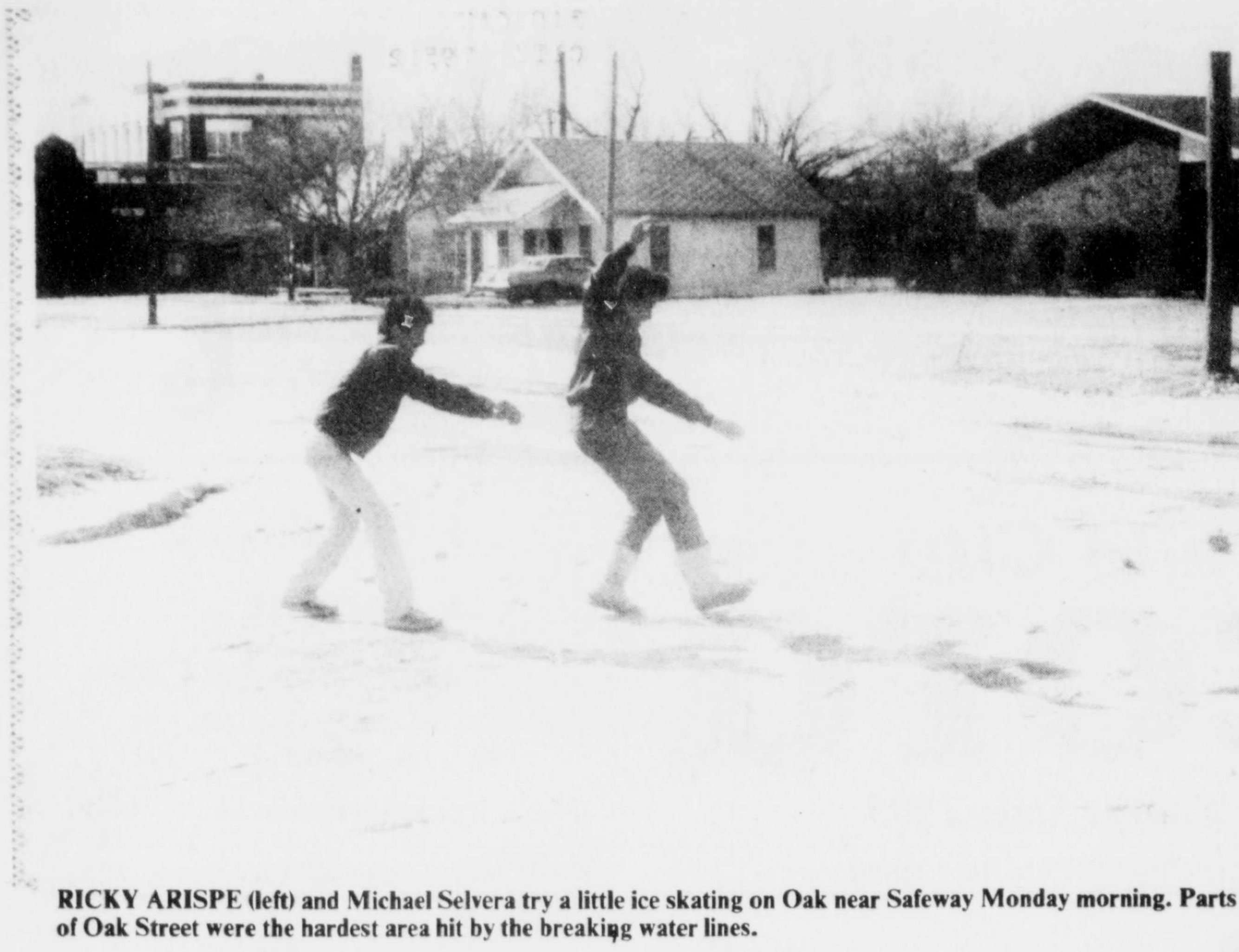
Those wishing to help the Barrera's but unable to attend Friday's shower should contact Mrs. Billy Cornutt of Loraine at 737-2484 or 737-2222.

An account in the name of the Barrera's has been opened at Loraine's First State Bank.

According to Mrs. Cornutt, lost in the fire and most needed are mattresses, bed linens, towels and furnishings.

Also lost in the blaze were the family's clothes, groceries and their ice box. Inquiries about sizes and other specifics should be directed to Mrs. Cornutt.

The Barrera's are staying with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lewis.



RICKY ARISPE (left) and Michael Selvera try a little ice skating on Oak near Safeway Monday morning. Parts of Oak Street were the hardest area hit by the breaking water lines.

Christmas holidays quiet for City police department

The Christmas holidays were fairly quiet this year, said Colorado City Police Chief Ed Wheat. Even with the icy conditions there were no major traffic accidents reported he said.

The only accident reported was a minor scrape that occurred in a parking lot. It was a very safe holiday season, Wheat said.

However, two crimes were reported. The first which was a burglary occurred December 19 around 8:30 p.m. Taken from a room at the Great Western Motel was a pair of goat-skinned Justin boots. The boots were brown and were worth approximately $140.

A Rotan man was assaulted December 24 at 2 p.m. A suspect is being held in custody with that particular incident, Wheat said.

Cold

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anything like this," Rich added. "We have been working 12-16 hours a day for about 10 days."

All the city can do is hope for the best, he added. The city will need the "best" along with some luck. The city's biggest problem Tuesday was the broken 16-inch water line leading into the city from the water treatment plant.

The broken 16-inch line was second on Rich's mind as he said that another problem was getting the parts (clamps to repair the lines.

City Manager Rick Crowley commended Rich and his crew for "working basically around the clock without any sleep."

The city is doing everything it can do, Crowley said. The length of the cold spell has been the key factor. The city has experienced such cold weather before, Crowley said, but the cold spell has never lasted this long.

The cold spell along with the problems it is causing has been the worst one as long as anyone can remember, he added.

Neither Rich or Crowley said they could guess when all the lines would be repaired.

Crowley again said the city crew needed a commendation for the work done. The city crew working on the broken water lines all around town are David Sanders and John Brown. One man refused to return to work after experiencing the harsh weather one too many nights, Rich said.

"They have done an outstanding job," Crowley said.

Bonds

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the state's 1983 assigned dollar goal of $224,700,000.

Sales of Series EE Bonds were $5,176 during September 1983, for a total of $41,712 for the first nine-months of 1983 in Mitchell County, Wayne Shawn, Volunteer County Chairman, said. These sales represent 60 percent of the County's 1983 assigned dollar goal.

Nationally, September 1983 sales of Series EE Bonds amounted to $315 million, up 22 percent over September 1982, making a nine-month total of $3.06 billion, an increase of 32 percent. Savings Bonds held by the public amounted to $70.6 billion as of September 30, an increase of $272 million for the month.

According to County Chairman Shawn, the U.S. Treasury Department has announced a market-based interest rate of 9.38 percent for the first semiannual interest period of Series EE Bonds issued between November 1, 1983 and April 30, 1984. This is the third semiannual rate to take effect since the market-based, variable rates were introduced a year ago. The combined market-based rates–11.09 percent from November 1982 to April 1983; 8.65 percent from May to October 1983 and this latest one of 9.38 percent for November 1, 1983 to April 30, 1984–make the average yield of 9.70 percent for the three periods. Older Series EE and E Bonds and U.S. Savings Notes also receive the variable rate; however, all Bonds must be held at least five years from their date of purchase or November 1, 1982 (whichever is later) to receive these rates.

Baby carries on family tradition

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Crawford received a rather unexpected and possibly expected gift on Christmas Day this year.

The Crawford's now have a new addition to their family. Justin Chance weighed 8 lbs., 7 ozs. when he was born on Christmas Day at 3:35 p.m. He was 21 inches long.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Matt Crawford parents of the proud father and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clark parents of the new mother.

Ironically, Justin Chance's great-grandfather was also born on Christmas Day. The newborn was just holding up an old family tradition.



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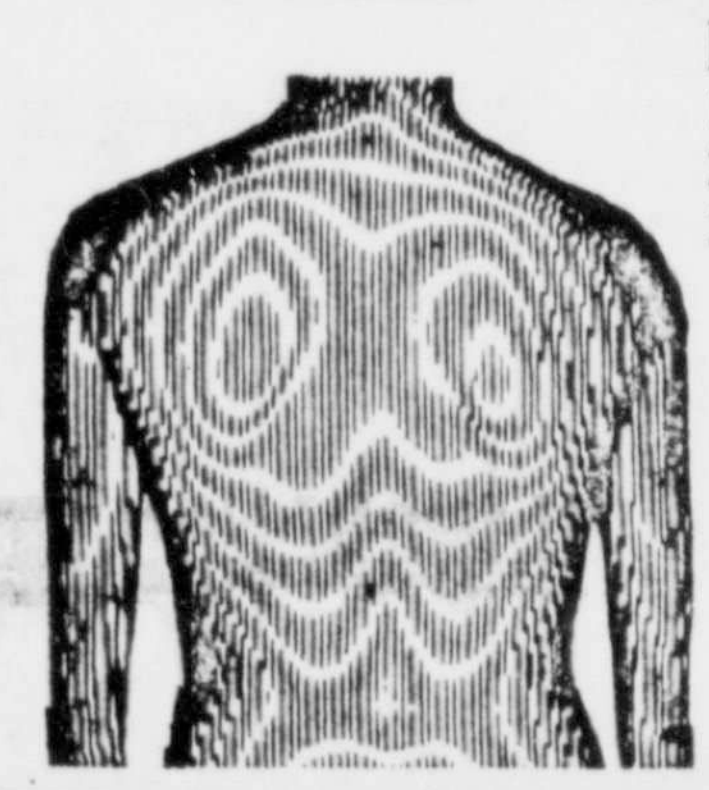
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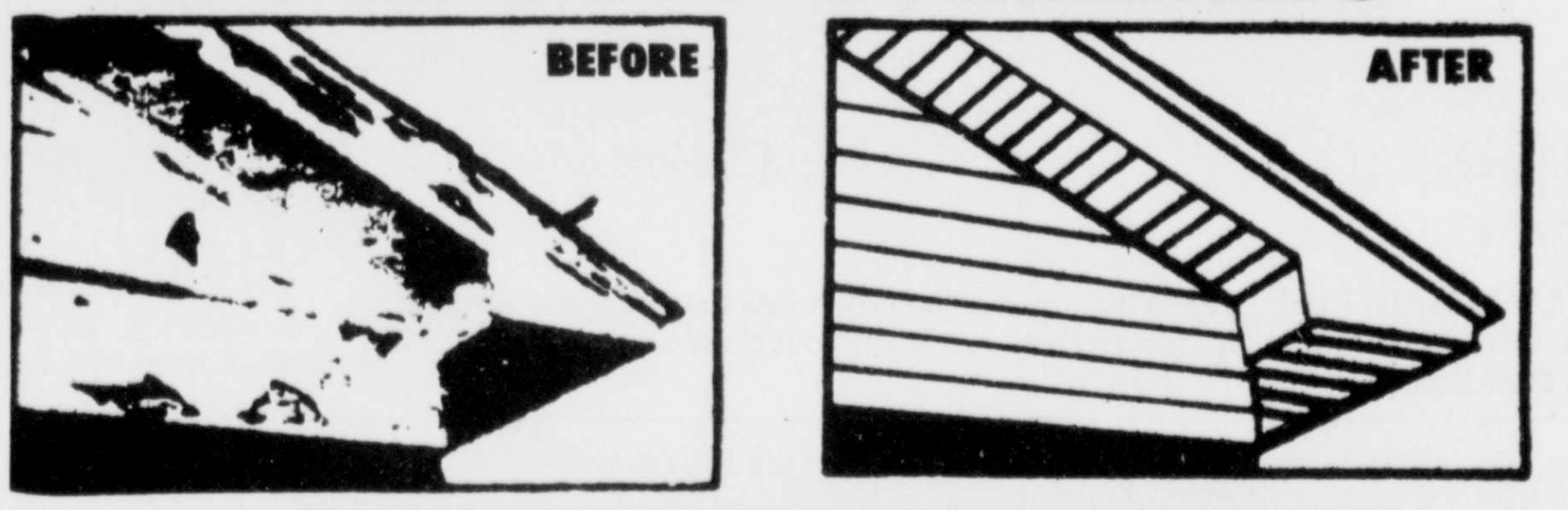
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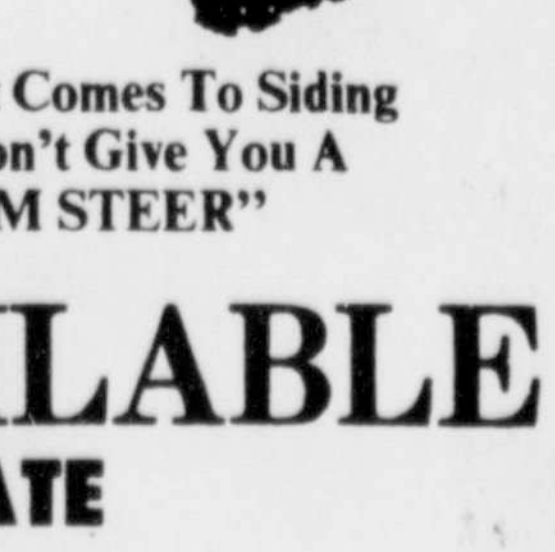
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New license law effective Jan. 1

The Texas Department of Public Safety announced that a new Driver's License law will become effective January 1, 1984.

The new law will require drivers to be licensed according to the type, weight or number of axles of the vehicle being driven and if towing a vehicle by its weight. Under the new law the use of the vehicle is not considered.

Drivers having a valid license may continue to operate according to the old law until the license expires. A person's license will be converted to the classified system when renewing, needing a duplicate or when changing name or address at a driver license office.

For the first time since 1968, certain drivers with no convictions for moving traffic voilations in the previous four years, will be invited to renew licenses by mail. To qualify for a mail renewal a driver must receive a mail invitation from the Department. Upon payment of the fee, these drivers will be sent a validation card to be carried with the old license. A vision test or new photo will not be required for mail in renewals.

Mail in applications will also be accepted for change of address only. Any other change requires an appearance at the local office. Forms will be made available at various publice places for this purpose.

Fees for the new licenses are ten dollars for all classes of licenses except a provisional license which are computed at two dollars and fifty cents per year until the persons eighteenth birthday. Except for the provisional license all classes of license will be valid for four years. The fee for a duplicate license is three dollars. An examination fee of five dollars will be required when changing from a lower class license to a higher class or when adding a motorcycle class.

A diagram of the classes of licenses is printed to help explain the new law. Information can be obtained from any driver license office.

Personals

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin over the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sanders, David, Lori and Anette of Georgetown, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ainsworth and Mary Lee Moore of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Beb Palmer and Heather of Justiceburg, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin III and Patty of Mount Pleasant, Texas and Norman Ridney of Mount Pleasant, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Buster Harris were visited by family members during the Christmas holidays. Visiting the Harris' were Beverly and Don Glaser of Snyder, granddaughter Kimberly Beery of Snyder and Amanda Beery also of Snyder. Granddaughter Andrea Glaser of Big Spring also visited the Harris'.

Also present during the holidays was Willie Preston, sister of Mrs. Harris. Amanda Beery remained with the Harris' for one week.

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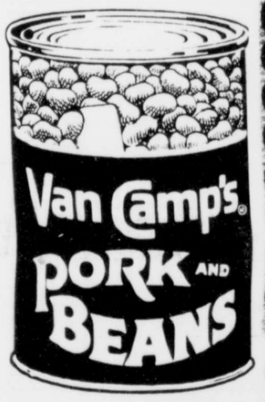
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6 00	Hawaii Five-O	News	Business Report	Barney Miller	News	News	News	News	Carol Burnett
6 30	"	Jeffersons	Wild World of Animals	Jeffersons	Family Feud	"	Tic Tac Dough	M*A*S*H	NBA Basketball:
7 00	Family	Simon & Simon	Sneak Previews	Movie: 'Goliath	James Robison	Automan	Gimme a Break	Automan	Atlanta at
7 30	"	"	Wild America	Awaits' Part 2	"	"	Mama's Family	"	Cleveland
8 00	Movie: 'The	"	Odyssey	"	Cheers	Masquerade	Cheers	Masquerade	"
8 30	Fly'	"	"	"	Buffalo Bill	"	Buffalo Bill	"	TBS Evening
9 00	"	Knots Landing	An Evening with Mark Twain	News	Hill Street Blues	20/20	Hill Street Blues	20/20	News
9 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10 00	Twilight Zone	News	MacNeil/-Lehrer Newshour	Soap	News	News	News	News	All In the Family
10 30	Thicke of the Night	Trapper John, M.D.	"	Love Boat	Tonight Show	Entertainment Tonight	Tonight Show	M*A*S*H	Catlins
11 00	"	"	Lawmakers	"	"	Nightline	"	Entertainment Tonight	Movie: 'Days of Wine and Roses'
11 30	"	Movie: 'The Kid from	Promises	Movie: 'The Top of the	Late Night with David	"	Late Night with David	Nightline	"
12 00	INN News	Left Field'	Sign Off	Hill' Part 2	Letterman	Movie: 'Mr. Music'	Letterman	"	"
12 30	Sign Off	"		"	Sign Off	"	News	Sign Off	"

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6 00	Hawaii Five-O	News	Business Report	Telethon: United Negro College Fund	News	News	News	News	Prog Cont'd
6 30	"	Jeffersons	Sports Week	"	Family Feud	"	Tic Tac Dough	M*A*S*H	Hogan's Heroes
7 00	Family	Dukes of Hazzard	Washington Week/Review	"	Movie: 'The Sound of Music'	Gator Bowl: Iowa vs. Florida	Movie: 'The Sound of Music'	Gator Bowl: Iowa vs. Florida	Movie: 'Dayan'
7 30	"	"	News Addition	"	"	"	"	"	"
8 00	Movie: 'War Wagon'	Movie: 'DIXIE: Changing Habits'	Wall Street Week	"	"	"	"	"	"
8 30	"	"	King of the Hobos	"	"	"	"	"	"
9 00	"	"	Nature	"	"	"	"	"	"
9 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	TBS Evening News
10 00	Twilight Zone	News	MacNeil/-Lehrer	News	News	News	News	News	"
10 30	Thicke of the Night	NCAA Basketball:	Newshour	"	Tonight Show	Entertainment	Tonight Show	M*A*S*H	Catlins
11 00	"	Georgetown at UN-Las Vegas	Movie: 'Indiscreet'	Twilight Zone	"	Tonight Nightline	"	Entertainment Tonight	Night Tracks
11 30	"	"	"	Movie: 'Theater of	Friday Night Videos	"	Friday Night Videos	Nightline	"
12 00	INN News	"	"	Blood'	"	"	"	"	"
12 30	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	"	"	Movie: 'L'il Abner'	"	Sign Off	"

SATURDAY

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7 00	Health Field	Biskitts	Sesame Street	U.S. Farm Report	Flintstone Funnies	Best of Scooby Doo	Flintstone Funnies	Best of Scooby Doo	Starcade
7 30	Wall Street Journal	Saturday Supercade	"	World Tomorrow	Shirt Tales	Monchhichis/-Little	Shirt Tales	Monchhichis/-Little	Movie: 'Goliath
8 00	Johnny Canales Show	"	Rebop	Rex Humbard	Smurfs	Rascals/-Richie Rich	Smurfs	Rascals/-Richie Rich	Against the Giants'
8 30	"	Dungeons and Dragons	Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood	Issues Unlimited	"	Pac-Man/Rubik Cube Hour	"	Pac-Man/Rubik Cube Hour	"
9 00	Pop'n'Rocker	Plasticman	Sesame Street	Charlando	"	"	"	"	"
9 30	America's Top Ten	Charlie Brown & Snoopy	"	Incredible Hulk	Alvin & the Chipmunks	Littles	Alvin & the Chipmunks	Littles	Movie: 'Phantom of
10 00	Hardy Boys/-Nancy Drew Mysteries	Benji/Zax/-Alien Prince Bugs Bunny/-Road Runner	Electric Company Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood	"	Mr. T	Puppy/Scooby Doo Show	Mr. T	Puppy/Scooby Doo Show	the Opera'
10 30	"	"	"	Kung Fu	Amazing Spiderman/-	"	Amazing Spiderman/-	"	"
11 00	Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea	"	Sesame Street	"	Incredible Hulk	Bionic Woman	Incredible Hulk	ABC Weekend Special	"
11 30	"	NFL Today	"	Movie: 'Wheel of Fortune'	NFL '83	"	NFL '83	American Bandstand	Movie: 'City
12 00	Movie: 'The Big Lift'	NFL Football: NFC Playoff Game/or Alternate	Moving Right Along Footsteps	"	NFL Football: AFC Playoff Game/or Alternate	America's Top Ten Movie: 'Gypsy'	NFL Football: AFC Playoff Game/or Alternate	"	Beneath the Sea'
12 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Dance Fever	"
1 00	"	Programming	Matinee at the Bijou	NCAA Basketball: DePaul vs. Creighton	Programming	"	Programming	Wrestling	"
1 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Movie: 'Appaloosa'
2 00	Movie: 'Raid On Rommel'	"	"	"	"	"	"	Movie: To Be Announced	"
2 30	"	"	King of the Hobos	"	"	"	"	"	"
3 00	"	NFL Football: NFC Playoff Game/or Alternate	Joint Custody: A New Kind of Family	America's Top Ten Soul Train	NFL Football: AFC Playoff Game/or Alternate	Movie: 'Adventurers'	NFL Football: AFC Playoff Game/or Alternate	"	"
3 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	High Chaparral
4 00	"	Programming	"	"	Programming	"	Programming	"	"
4 30	"	"	One for the Road	Breadwinner	"	"	"	"	Motorweek Illustrated
5 00	"	"	An Evening with Mark Twain	Little House on the Prairie	"	"	"	"	World Championship Wrestling
5 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Outdoors USA	"

SATURDAY

PM	KJAA CH.2 Lubbock	KTAB CH.3 Abilene	KERA CH.4 Dallas	WGN CH.5 Chicago	KWAB CH.7 Big Spring	WFAA CH.8 Dallas	KRBC CH.9 Abilene	KTXS CH.12 Abilene	WTBS CH.13 Atlanta
6 00	Star Search	Solid Gold	Newton's Apple	Magic Coupies	Hee Haw	News	West Texas This Week	Hee Haw	Prog Cont'd
6 30	"	"	Mysterious World	At The Movies	"	PM: Special Edition	Wild Kingdom	"	"
7 00	Bluebonnet Bowl: Baylor vs. Oklahoma State	Cutter to Houston	Undersea World of Jacques Cousteau	Movie: 'King Kong vs. Godzilla'	50th Annual King Orange Jamboree Parade	T. J. Hooker	50th Annual King Orange Jamboree Parade	T. J. Hooker	Movie: 'Funny Girl'
7 30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
8 00	"	Movie: 'Return of the Man From U.N.C.L.E.'	Movie: 'Lost Patrol'	"	Diff'rent Strokes	Love Boat	Diff'rent Strokes	Love Boat	"
8 30	"	"	"	"	Manimal	"	Manimal	"	"
9 00	"	"	"	News	"	Fantasy Island	"	Fantasy Island	"
9 30	"	"	Mark Russell Comedy Spec.	"	"	"	"	"	"
10 00	National Rifleman	News	Monty Python Flying Circus	Twilight Zone	News	News	News	To Be Announced	"
10 30	Switch	CBS' Happy New Year,	Morecambe & Wise	Fiesta Bowl Parade	Saturday Night Live	Dick Clark's New Year's	Comment Saturday Night Live	Dick Clark's New Year's	TBS Evening News
11 00	"	America	New Tech Times	"	"	Rockin' Eve '84	"	Rockin' Eve '84	Night Tracks
11 30	World Class Championship	"	David Susskind	"	"	"	"	"	"
12 00	Wrestling	"	"	"	Star Search	Movie: 'Meet John Doe'	Sign Off	Star Trek	"
12 30	Sign Off	Sign Off	Joint Custody:	Solid Gold	"	"		"	"

ATTENTION!!

DUE TO HOLIDAY DEADLINES, SUNDAY's TV LISTINGS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THIS ISSUE. THE JANUARY 1st EDITION WILL BE MAILED SATURDAY TO INSURE THAT OUR MAIL CUSTOMERS WILL RECEIVE THE LISTINGS BEFORE SUNDAY.

Reed presents program

The Self Culture Club met December 16 in the home of Pearl Watson with Betty Oyler as co-hostess.

Lil Brown lead the prayer and pledge of allegiance. Ida Keith presided over the business session. The club contributed to Girl's Town U.S.A.; Mesquite District Scholarship and to the Texas Federated Headquarters Building Restoration.

Dona Reed brought the Christmas program, "The Gifts of the Wise Men." She related, "Have you ever wondered what Mary and Joseph did with the gold, frankensence and myrrh which the wise men brought on that Holy Night so many centuries ago? On the eighth day after the birth, they were to carry out customs of the temple presentation. Where could they procure the money for proper offering for their child and the payment for the priest? Those gifts from the wise men could mean the end of poverty for them. They gave up the idea of owning their own shop from the gifts and used it for the presentation of the Christ Child, although they kept part of the myrrh. On the day of the execution, Mary went to Jerusalem clutching the flask of myrrh. Friends protested, but Mary attended the execution. Clutching the flask of myrrh, Mary repeated– "God will Provide."

Gifts were presented to our shut-ins Rosa Herrington, Bertie Strain and Thelma Gressett.

Present were: Fannie Beeman, Lil Brown, Elizabeth Elliott, Della Fox, Ida Keith, Dona Reed, Jewell Tiller and the hostesses Betty Oyler and Pearl Watson.

Obituaries

Herring

Lona Francis Herring, 84, a retired nurse from Colorado city, died at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Kristi-Lee Manor nursing home.

Graveside services were at 3:30 p.m. Monday at Colorado City Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

The Rev. Bob Manning, pastor of First Baptist Church in Westbrook, officiated.

Born September 20, 1899, in Terrell, she married Ray Herring November 4, 1933, in Wink. A Colorado City resident for 2½ years, she was a Methodist.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Laverne Gordon of Edinburg; three nieces, Frences Cates of Odessa, Mayme Callaway of Midland and Billie Jo Shaw of Colorado City; five nephews, Bobby Zetzman of Sweetwater, Marion Zetzman of Dallas, Tommy McGrew of San Francisco, Maxey Ware of Westbrook and Weldon Ware of Houston; three step-grandchildren and six step-great-grandchildren.

Cardwell

Myrtle Shipley Cardwell, 99, of Mephis, Texas, died at 5:30 p.m. December 22 in Memphis.

Born February 1, 1884 she was married to A. P. Cardwell.

She is survived by four sons and three daughters. Her sons include Herman Cardwell of Colorado City, Aubury Cardwell of Oklahoma City, Lonnie Cardwell of Maud, Texas and Leon Cardwell of Austin. Her daughters are V. B. Braddock of Memphis, Texas, Lillie Pitts of California and Myrtle James of Vernon, Texas.

She is survived by numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sat., (Dec. 31) at the Hall County Cemetery.

WDYKNOW?

Here are some interesting facts about your skin that you may not know:

- The skin of the average person, if it were spread out flat, would cover about 18 square feet.
- The skin is the largest organ of the human body.
- The skin of an adult weighs about six pounds.
- A piece of skin the size of only a quarter contains a yard of blood vessels, four yards of nerves, 25 nerve ends, 100 sweat glands and more than three million cells.
- It is most important to take care of your skin.
- Increasingly, men are adding after shaves and colognes to their regular skin grooming routine. That's one reason after shave gift sets, such as the Skin Bracer ® Gift Collection by Mennen, are popular holiday items. The soothing, cooling and stimulating effect of Skin Bracer After Shave is also available in Spice Scent, a product that was recently introduced and is proving popular with men of all ages.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lone Star Gas Company, in accordance with the Gas Utility Regulatory Act, hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of rates including a cost of service adjustment clause for natural gas service to be charged to the residential and commercial consumers in the City of Colorado City, Texas effective January 24, 1984.

The rate schedule is expected to furnish a 3.51 percent increase in the Company's revenues from residential and commercial customers in the City of Colorado City, Texas.

A Statement of Intent has been filed with the City of Colorado City and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 257 East Second Avenue, Colorado City, Texas.

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Westbrook Wanderings

By RUBY CLAXTON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson and family of Mertzon spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stone. They also attended the ball game in Robert Lee to watch granddaughter Diane play and also win the tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks of Abilene spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stone. They all attended church at the Westbrook Baptist Church and then went to Colorado City for lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pierce, Stephanie and Cary spent the Christmas holidays in Tampa, Florida with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pierce.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bell, Brad and Cory of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sloan, Brian and Scott of La Feria and Mr. and Mrs. Don Taylor, David, Greg and Matthew of Sanger.

Jana Shackelford of San Angelo spent Christmas with her parents Johnny and Nell Shackelford.

Home for Christmas with the Charles Rannes were Eddie Ranne of Lewisville, Amy and Natalie Ranne of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Feaster, Trey and Scott of Lufkin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Golden, Shawn and Kevin of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sexton, Lea and James of Oklahoma City and Raymond Rabb of Westbrook.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Whitesides were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Whitesides of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moody, Mrs. Gladys Richardson, and Mrs. Lillie Bishop all of Colorado City.

Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lamb were Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Skelton, Jeff and Gregg and Clifton Skelton of Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenney Briggs of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lamb of Sterling City, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Casey and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burnett, Elizabeth and Shana and Jerry McCain all of Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rhodes of Sand Springs and Rick Rhodes of Plano.

Mrs. Georgia Lankford spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pirkle, Jay, Kevin and Chris of Big Spring. They all went to Roby to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Thompson's for Christmas supper.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Byrd for Christmas were their children Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Byrd, Christi and Angela of Plano, Mrs. Juanita Candler, Joyce and Steve of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Byrd, Shana and Ryan of Snyder.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Claxton were Mr. and Mrs. George Sweatt and George Henry of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Petty, Brandon, Tracie and Josh of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Claxton and Mindy and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Claxton of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Oden and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Oden, Brandon and Blake of Colorado City and Junior Oden of Odessa spent Christmas in Stanton with Mrs. Maritha Blalock, David and Bradford of Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sweek and Billy spent Christmas in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Evans, Jason and Shannon. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Boudreau, Justin and Dustin, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Barth of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pickett of Sweetwater.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. Bob Manning were their children Mr. and Mrs. Steve Thompson, Mike and Phil of Hamblin, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Manning of Colorado City and John Manning of Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rees spent Christmas Eve in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dink Rees of Colorado City and Christmas Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jug Rees, Shawn and Craig of Colorado City. Mr. and Mrs. Jim House and Terry Wayne of Ozona were visitors in the Rees home during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Davenport had Christmas Eve supper in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bradbury of Colorado City. On Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Davenport had dinner in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shaeffer and son Richard of Lake Colorado City. Other Davenport brothers and sisters there were Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Davenport of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stokes of Snyder, Dave Davenport of Anza, California. Other relatives attending were Sue Davenport of Fort Worth, Billy Wayne Stokes of Hobbs, N.M., Shirley Bradbury of Colorado City and Robert Shaeffer of Coahoma.

Herman Minor had Christmas dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Jones spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Day in McCamey with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Roberts. Also there for the holiday was a sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Martens of Brazoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson spent Christmas with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Anderson and Crystal of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gregory had their Christmas dinner on Monday for their family and friends. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tee Knox and Cathy of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rees, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Messimer and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gregory of Westbrook and Gerald Messimer of Florida.

Gifts were exchanged.

Births

Frances Pauline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tutwiler of Colorado City, was born in Root Memorial Hospital December 20 weighing 7 lbs., 11½ ozs.

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Rebecca Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Ornelas of Colorado City, was born in Root Memorial Hospital December 22 weighing 9 lbs., 11 ozs.

News from

Root Valley Fair Lodge

By PAM JARNAGIN

The Lodge was over flowing with family and gifts. Our Christmas program was given by Leslie and Kathy Anderson. Mr. Anderson played the piano and sang a solo. He and Miss Anderson sang together, then we all joined in to sing the traditional Christmas carols.

Miss Anderson recited the Christmas story. Santa Claus was on hand to pass out the gifts and wish each one a Merry Christmas. (This is definitely news).

I got it from a good source, when Santa isn't working at the North Pole, he heads up the x-ray department of Root Memorial Hospital.

Our Christmas was everything Christmas was meant to be. We appreciate the families of our residents and the people of our community who take an active interest in our well being. They are what make us a "cut above."

To come down off our Christmas cloud, we gathered in the lobby for a hot tamale party and watch the Dallas Cowboys, Monday afternoon. We want to tell the Cowboys, they are still our team and remember, "all sunshine makes a desert."

Maybe they have enough moisture for the ultimate crop next year.

We wish each of you a fruitful and Happy New Year.

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted

December 23

Abram Garcia, Loraine, medical; Alton Liles, Bronte, medical.

December 24

Jerry Geiger, City, medical; Jenny Beth Clark, West Monroe, La., medical; Carrie Holcomb, City, medical; Dan Pfeuffer, City, medical; Mildred Martin, Loraine, medical.

December 25

Tammi Turnbow, City, medical; Suzanna Rodriguez, Loraine, medical; Michael Orona, Loraine, medical; Janie Parsons, Westbrook, medical.

December 26

Gladys E. Fox, City, medical; Wendell P. Bryant, City, medical; Manuel S. Vanegas, City, medical; Hope Holguin, City, medical; Teddie Hildebrand, Monahans, surgical; Bertha Ellis, City, medical; Lee Ruddick, City, medical.

Patients Dismissed

December 23

Ophia Thomas, City, medical; Frances Martinez, City, medical; Selestin Silva, City, medical; Mary Lou Ellett, Westbrook, surgical; Nora Richey, Loraine, medical; W. C. Crump, City, medical; Geraldine Marie Fugate, City, medical.

December 24

Donna Ellis, City, medical; Mary Beltran, City, medical.

December 25

Mildred Martin, Loraine, medical.

December 26

Paulina A. Coronado, City, medical; Jenny Beth Clark, West Monroe, La., medical; Suzanna Rodriguez, City, medical; Margaret L. Barr, City, medical.

You can make your own household cleanser for walls and floors by adding a half cup of borax, half teaspoon dishwashing liquid and a tablespoon of ammonia to two gallons of warm water.

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You can remove spilled food and odors from your refrigerator with a sponge and a solution of one tablespoon of a product such as 20 Mule Team Borax and a quart of warm water. Rinse with cold water.

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To remove stubborn coffee stains and smells you can fill any non-aluminum coffee-maker with water to full cup capacity, then add a teaspoon of borax for every cup. Let your pot percolate, then let it stand for 20 minutes and rinse thoroughly.

AFTER-CHRISTMAS SALE

Women's Fall Dress & Casual SHOES 1/3 Off

Values to $40. A select group of the finest footwear styles for every hour of the day! Now save on all your favorite dress and casual shoes, including top famous makers. All in beautiful colors for women's sizes 5-10.

Playtex Bali Bestform BRAS save 25%

Values to 17.50. Fashion starts beautifully with great savings on famous name bras! Select from our entire stock of Playtex®, Bali®, and Bestform® bras. Elegant Vanity Fair® fashions are also available in most larger Anthony's® stores. And, save 50% on many select styles!

Select Group Children's FALL FASHIONS save 30%

The best fashions for boys and girls from famous makers are now on sale! Choose from sportswear, coordinates, girls' dresses, and lots more in easy care Fall and Winter fabric blends. All their favorite styles and colors are here in girls' sizes 4-14, boys' 4-7 and 8-18!

New Store Hours
8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Women's Juniors' Children's COATS 1/3 Off

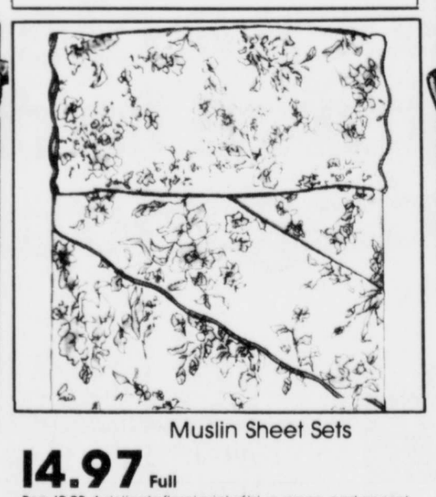
Keep warm this winter and save! This gigantic group of outerwear includes our entire stock of children's styles, plus favorites for women and juniors. Bestsellers now on sale, plus popular nylon ski-style jackets, some with fashionable zip-off sleeves. Sizes for infants, toddlers' 2-4T, girls' 4-14, boys' 4-7 and 8-18, juniors' S,M,L and 3-15, and women's sizes 8-18. Styles may vary from store to store.



Debut Bed Pillows

2 for $11 5.97 each Standard

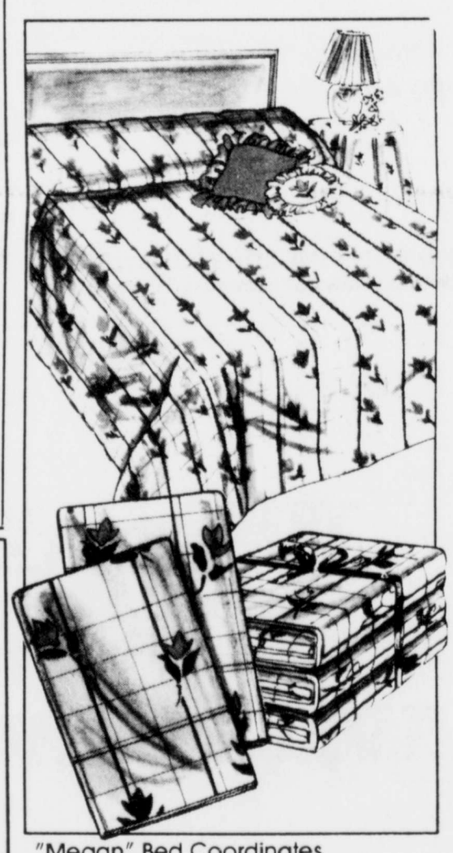
Reg. 6.99. Washable DuPont Dacron® II Hollofil® polyester with first quality ticking. Queen, reg. 8.99 - sale 7.97 each or 2 for $15. King, reg. 10.99 - sale 8.97 each or 2 for $17.



Muslin Sheet Sets

14.97 Full

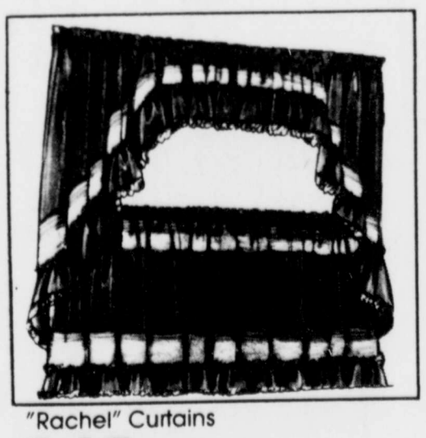
Reg. 19.99. A delicate floral print of blue, green, and apricot on a beige background. Completely machine washable in 65% Celanese Fortrel® polyester and 35% cotton. Queen, reg. 26.99 - sale 21.97. King, reg. 34.99 sale 29.97.



"Megan" Bed Coordinates

4.47 Twin Flat/Fitted Sheets

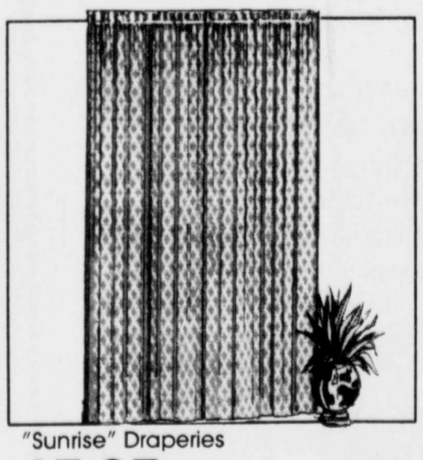
Reg. 4.47. Dan River's "Megan" percale sheets, bedspreads, and drapes are a blend of 65% Celanese Fortrel polyester and 35% cotton with a delicate floral print in soft blue, camel, and pink on a beige background. Full flat or fitted sheets, reg. 9.99 - sale 4.97. Queen flat or fitted sheets, reg. 12.99 - sale 7.97. King flat or fitted sheets, reg. 15.99 - sale 9.97. Standard cases, reg. 7.49 - sale 5.47. King cases, reg. 7.99 - sale 5.97. Full bedspread, reg. 24.99 - sale 18.97. Queen bedspread, reg. 31.99 - sale 25.97. King bedspread, reg. 39.99 - sale 31.97. Drapes, reg. 14.99 - sale 12.97.



"Rachel" Curtains

5.97 60" X 36" Tier

Reg. 7.99. Beautiful "Rachel" tier curtains are 100% polyester batiste with an elegant ruffle and handmade tuck pleat. Choose from toast or peach; blue or beige also available in larger stores. 54" X 13" Valance, reg. 4.99 - sale 3.97. 72" X 38" Swag, reg. 8.99 - sale 6.97.



"Sunrise" Draperies

17.97 48" X 84"

48" X 84", reg. 24.99. An elegant home accent in permapress polyester with a color matched polyester/Rayon® lining. Choose from coffee, flax, or blue. 72" X 84", reg. 42.99 - sale 31.97.



Kitchen Towels

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Reg. 1.37 each. Hemmed 16" X 26" kitchen towels in cotton. Scotch plaid or decorator check patterns in rust, beige, melon, blue, brown, or yellow.



3 Piece Kitchen Set

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Reg. 3.49 each. Poly-cotton kitchen accessories in several prints and colors. Set includes towel, dish cloth, pot holder.

ANTHONYS

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A LONE CITY back hoe sits by a 16-inch main water line between the city treatment plant and the city limits.

Monthly plan available to vets

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro announced that the Veterans Land Board will begin phasing in a monthly payment plan for all veterans participating in the Land Program.

"Veterans have repeatedly told me they would prefer monthly payments on land loans. A change from semi-annual to monthly payments will benefit many veterans who want to more accurately plan their finances, and will encourage more veterans to participate in the land program," Mauro said.

Land loan repayments have been semi-annual since the program first started in 1949. Over 80,000 veterans have participated in the program which offers low-interest loans of up to $20,000 for the purchase of ten acres or more of land.

The new monthly payment program will begin with veterans who obtain applications for loans after January 1, 1984. They will automatically get a monthly repayment schedule for their loans. Veterans who obtain loan applications before January 1, 1984, and veterans who are now making semi-annual payments will be offered the option of converting to monthly payments beginning in the Spring of 1984.

If veterans wish to change from semi-annual to monthly repayment of their loans, the interest rate on their original loans will not change. Full details on this new option will be provided to all present participants in the land program beginning with semi-annual statements mailed in April and July 1984.

"The start of a monthly payment program is part of my commitment to encourage all eligible Texas veterans to take advantage of the Land Program's benefits. We are offering another service to veterans by making it easier for many to participate in the program," Mauro said.

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Stenholm joins forces to aid small businesses

In the last minute rush before Christmas recess, Texas Rep. Charlie Stenholm joined forces with two other congressmen to introduce a major reform bill which could open bidding doors to small businesses seeking federal contracts.

The current onerous Davis-Bacon wage requirements effectively block many small contractors from the bidding process.

The bill technically amends three laws: The Small Business Act, the Davis-Bacon Act, and the Copeland Anti-Kickback Act. If the bill clears both houses, any contractor qualifying as "small" under Small Business Administration standards would not be subject to the Davis-Bacon wage decrees or to the heavy reporting requirements of the Copeland Act when he or she bids on contracts of $1 million or less.

According to John Motley, deputy director of federal legislation at the National Federation of Independent Business, "This is a critical bill for small business. In essence, eliminate the Davis-Bacon proviso, and you make small firms competitive; cut the Copeland requirement and you reduce the mound of paperwork. These are the largest factors blocking small contractors from bidding."

The General Accounting Office, in its 1979 report to Congress, called for a full repeal of the Davis-Bacon Act. The comptroller general explained why in the report: "(1) there have been significant changes in the economy since 1931 which we believe make continuation of the act unnecessary, (2) after nearly 50 years, the Department of Labor has yet to develop an effective program to issue and maintain accurate wage determinations, and it may be impractical to ever do so, and (3) the act is inflationary, and results in unnecessary construction and administrative costs of several hundred million dollars annually."

The GAO review of 30 federal or federally assisted projects pointed out that the majority of the wage rates issued by Labor were higher than the prevailing rates in 12 localities and lower in the other 18. In the 12 higher rated areas, wages costs paid on the projects averaged 37 percent more than the comparable wage costs in the locality's prevailing rate. These higher wage costs ranged from a low five percent over Labor's figures to 123 percent higher.

In the 18 localities that showed a lower figure than Labor's prevailing wage, the GAO report points out that local contractors were generally given the contracts. GAO's analysis? "Thus, the act's intent–to maintain the local prevailing wage structure–is carried out only when the administration of the act has no effect."

Conference to bring together 13,000 pastors

The annual Texas Baptist Evangelism Conference in Fort Worth January 9-11 is expected to draw more than 13,000 pastors and other church leaders from across the state to hear some of Southern Baptists' greatest preachers.

Under a theme of "Christ Lifted Up," the conference will focus on Prayer for Spiritual Awakening and a goal to baptize 85,000 people in Texas in 1984, said Baptist General Convention of Texas Evangelism Director Carlos McLeod.

A 42-hour prayer vigile by Texas Baptist associational directors of missions will be held throughout the conference.

Some of the speakers at the annual meeting in Tarrant County Convention Center include Richard Jackson, pastor of North Phoenix Baptist Church, Phoenix, Ariz.; Evangelist Vance Havner of Greensboro, N.C.; A. E. Campbell Jr., pastor of Temple Baptist Church, Cleveland, Ohio; B. O. Baker, pastor of Plymouth Park Baptist Church, Irving; and Winfred Moore, pastor of First Baptist Church, Amarillo, and president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Zig Ziglar, nationally-known motivational speaker and member of First Baptist Church, Dallas, will speak on "Positive Pastoring," and Bob Lilly, former Dallas Cowboy all-pro tackle, will give his testimony.

Lilly, a former beer distributor, sold his distributorship after becoming a Christian three years ago and now speaks in many churches and to many Christian organizations.

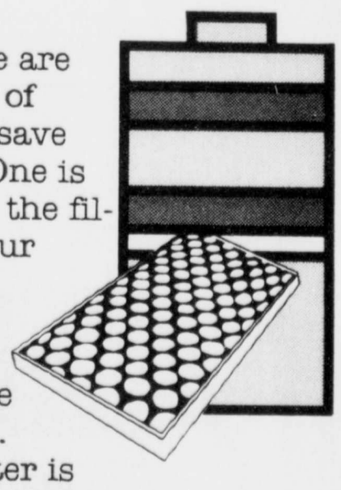
A 1,500-voice Tarrant Baptist Association mass choir directed by James Woodward, dean of the school of music at Oklahoma Baptist University, will perform Monday evening, and a 1,500-voice choir from Dallas Baptist Association will sing Tuesday evening.

Soloists will include Dean Wilder of William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo.; Jennifer Till of First Baptist Church, Dallas and John McKay of Fort Worth.

The evangelism conference will begin at 6:45 p.m. on January 9 at Tarrant County Convention Center and will conclude with the morning session January 11.

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What does a clean filter have to do with saving money?



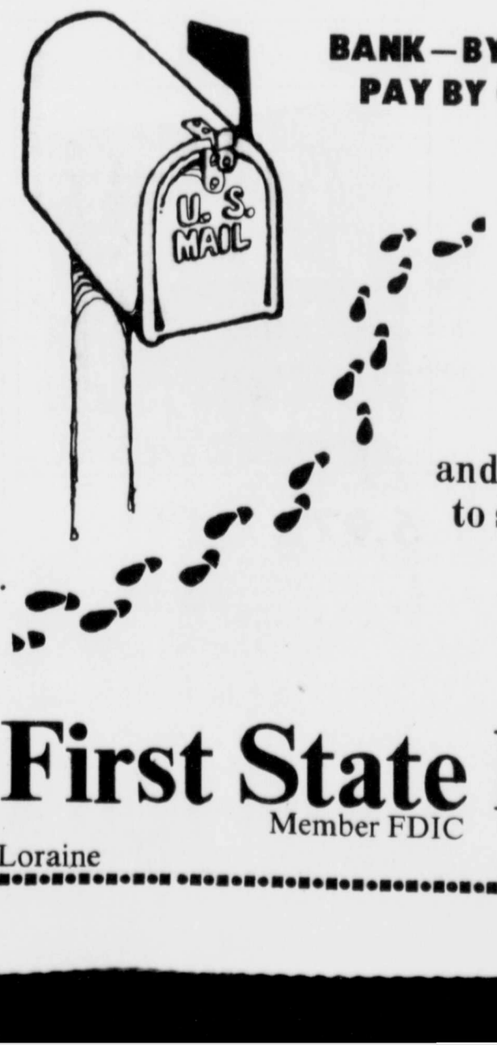
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The filter is there to collect dust and lint. But when it's dirty, your unit has to work longer and harder to heat and cool your home. And that leads to higher electric bills.

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A-7 Lost & Found

LOST: Small black female dog. White front. Answers to Missy. Please phone 728-8614.

LOST: 3 year old Brangus cow, branded RX left side. Phone Johnny Shackelford or Grady Beach.

LOST: 7 year old female Pick-A-Poo. Has had brain distemper, very sick. She is on medication. No questions asked. Reward. Answers to Pepper. Please phone 728-5829.

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Immediate openings for LVNs. 7-3 shift starting at $47 per shift; 3-11 shift starting at $49 per shift. Bonus plan, savings bond, meals, insurance plan, paid holidays, paid vacation and travel expense if eligible. Apply in person at Kristi Lee Manor, 1941 Chestnut, Colorado City.

Diamond Shamrock now hiring store operator. Apply at Westbrook Shamrock Truck Stop. Interviews on Tuesday 9-11:30 a.m., two weeks paid vacation and life insurance.

B-3 Jobs Wanted

Would like to stuff envelopes. Go by 305 Elm St.

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FOR LEASE: Service station on busy corner beside going business. Building and equipment included. Come see Frank Conard at Donut Hut, 200 Chestnut.

Commercial Building for lease. Approximately 1600 sq. foot. Overhead door, 118 Walnut. Phone Loyd Ledbetter, 728-2345.

FOR RENT: Small commercial building, suitable for gasoline, etc. See Joe Weaver or phone 728-3422.

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house in Loraine. Phone 737-2465 after 6 p.m.

One and two bedroom apartments for rent. Phone 728-3184.

House For Rent: Phone 728-2542 or 728-2610 night.

FOR RENT: Unfurnished 4 bedroom house, $400 per month. Deposit and lease required. Phone 728-2960, 728-8447 or 686-0379, Midland.

For rent or lease. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, cen. h/a. First and last months rent required. Possible lease with option to buy. Phone 728-5989 after 5 p.m.

FOR RENT: 2 room furnished apartment. Ideal for couple or single, deposit required, no pets. Inquire at 540 E. 2nd.

Rooms for rent: Kitchen and living room priviledges. Phone 728-5162, across from Western Motel.

FOR RENT: Unfurnished 1 bedroom garage apartment, 325 E. 9th. Phone 728-8265 or 728-2111.

D-3 Mobile-Home Sites For Rent

A.T.&J's trailer park, E. Hwy. 80, Colorado City, weekly or monthly rates, city water, city sewer and trash pickup, $55 month. Phone 728-3184.

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

MOBILE HOMES

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Total electric, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, game room, covered patio, storage building, 3 acres of land, shown by appointment only. Price reduced for quick sale, $87,000. Phone 728-3309 after 4 p.m.



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Cozy & cute 2 bedroom, 1 bath with attached garage, 1041 Vine, $27,000.

Need privacy? You can find it in this 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath with 6' wood fence, 509 E. 15th. $47,500.

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You wanted Pecan trees? You get 2 with this lovely 3 br., 2 b, 2 car gar. Must see this one! $79,500.00

Need Space? 3 br., 1 b. brick on corner lot. Price reduced to $45,000 for quick sale.

Retirement Home 2 br, 1 b. 625 Austin..... $20,000.00

A Handy Man could make this one a dandy, 3 br., 1½ b..... $30,000.00

Starter Home 2 br., 1 b..... $22,500.00

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2 bedroom, 1 bath in Westbrook, $5,500.

3 bedroom, 1 bath in Loraine, Looby & Crockett. Price reduced to $12,500.

2 bedroom, 1 bath, new paint, roof, panel heat, 108 Reeves, Loraine, $15,000.

2 bedroom, 1 bath, large rooms, S/cellar, garage, Rector St., Loraine, $20,000.

LAKE PROPERTY

Bargain "A" frame, deeded lot on Lake Champion, $20,000.

Elbow room with this 3 bedroom, 2 bath new home, on ¼ acre, $62,000.

Let your hair down in this 2 bedroom, 1 bath lake home on 2 lots, 100' frontage, $42,000.

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

INVESTMENT PROPERTY

20 Unit Motel W/extra lot on Hwy. 80. $135,000 terms.

3 apartments, 3 rented, $670 per month income. 544 Chestnut. $48,500.

2 tracts on Hickory, between 20 and 21. $70,000.

Mobile Home & lots in Loraine. May be sold separately.

South of City, 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath home on 3 acres. Den with cathedral ceiling, fireplace, separate dining, built-ins, carport and storage buildings. Mid 60's.

965 E. 13th--3 bedroom, 1¾ bath, brick home, separate dining. Less than 2 years old, fireplace, built-ins, storm windows, doors, heat pump. Financing available.

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3 br-1½ bth on 2 acres land NE of city for $62,000.

Beautiful 2 bedroom house and 5 acres land, 17 miles NW of Colorado City for $40,000.

950 East 15th, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, $36,000.

909 Vine, 1½ bath, 3 bedroom, $35,000.

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80 acres, 3 miles east of Colorado City, I-20 frontage a bargain, $54,000.

Nice house in Loraine, 2 bedroom, $20,000.

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2 bdrm., 1 bth, den, kitchen w/built-ins, 950 E. 13th, $29,500.

3 bdrm., 1 bth on 3 lots, 732 E. 16th, price reduced $28,000.

Large older home, 743 Chestnut, $20,000.

3 bdrm., 1¾ bth, 945 Locust, $31,000.

3 bdrm., 2 bth trailer on 126' front feet deeded land, Lake Colorado City, $29,000.

3 bdrm., 2 bth., w/large den and screened-in porch, 3 car carport, deeded land, Lake Colorado City, $48,000.

2 duplexes, great investment property, 26,000 for both.

2 bdrm., 1 bth w/den, 956 E. 16th, $27,800.

2 bdrm, 1 bth, Westbrook, $18,500.

3 bdrm., 2 bth, 2 storey lake property on leased land, price reduced from $45,000 to $38,000.

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Vacant lot, deeded land, Lake C-City, $6,000.

3 br., 2 bth on 10 acres north of town, $65,000.

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FOR SALE: 1972 ¾ ton, 4 speed Ford Pickup, new tires, new clutch, good condition. Phone 728-3060 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1983 Dodge Van, still under warranty. Must sell, best offer. Phone 394-4844.

FOR SALE: 1983 Bronco, $10,500. Phone 728-2868 or 728-2856.

H-9 Autos For Sale

FOR SALE: 1978 Gremlin in good condition, clean car. Phone 644-3161 after 7 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1979 Pontiac Trans Am, 69,000 miles, good stereo, 915-527-3508 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1983 Cadillac Coupe Deville, low mileage. Phone 394-4844.

FOR SALE: 1975 Chevy Caprice, all power, AM-FM 8 track, good shape, $1,250. Phone 728-2321.



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