THURSDAY

MARCH 30, 1989

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Answer line...

Q. Are the monthly meetings of the Industrial Team open to the public?

A. Yes, and the Industrial Team encourages participation from local citizens. The Industrial Team meets the first Wednesday of each month at the Villa Restaurant at 7 a.m. If you want to eat breakfast, come at 6:30 a.m.

Injunction halts school election

United States District Judge Halbert Woodward has granted an injunction stopping the May 6 Colorado Independent School District board of directors election.

The injunction was sought by the League of Latin American Citizens which filed a federal lawsuit against the school district seeking to have single-member voting districts instead of the present at-large method.

The lawsuit, filed in Abilene's federal court on Jan. 30, seeks an injunction forcing the school district to institute a single-member district election method and asks a federal judge to grant an injunction preventing elections until the new method is installed.

The class action suit was field by San Antonio attorney Rolando L. Rios and Dallas attorney William L. garrett. Rios is a lawyer representing the Southwest Voter Registration and Education Project.

Named as defendants are board members Dwayne Harris, Billy B. Bridgford, Kathy Bassham, Floyd Lee Ritchey, Brenda Aguillon, Eddie Gregory and Ruben Alvarez.

In an order filed March 20, Woodward says:

"The parties, through their counsel, having agreed to enjoin the May, 1989 school board elections, and defendants having requested and plaintiffs having agreed to an extension of 15 days for defendants to respond to plaintiff's interrogatories, and the Court having reviewed the Motion, the Court is of the opinion that said Motion said be granted. Therefore, it is ORDERED that the May 1989 elections be enjoined until further order of the Court. It is further ordered that the time to respond to plaintiff's interrogatories is hereby enlarged for 15 days until further order of this Court."

According to the suit, the present system of election school board members dilutes minority voting strength which "results in a denial of abridgement of the right to vote of the plaintiffs on account of their race, color or ethnicity by having the effect of canceling out or minimizing the voting strength of the Mexican-American minority" of the school district.

LULAC contends the population of the school district is about 6,903, of whom about 1,712, or 24.8 percent, have Spanish surnames. In addition, 588 of the 1,458 students in the district, or 40.3 percent, have Spanish surnames, the suit states.

School officials had proceeded with the May 6 election as law required until the injunction was granted. Nine persons had filed for election to four places on the school board including Ruben Alvarez (incumbent), Frank Bassham, Randy Erwin, Dwayne Harris (incumbent), David Lelek, Apolinar Molina, Rogene Spruell, Roxie Strain and Floyd Lee Ritchey (incumbent). Brenda Aguillon did not file for re-election.

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Briefly

Singspiration

First Assembly of God is having its monthly singspiration service Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

The Parousa Singers from Seagraves will be ministering in song.

The public is invited.

Chamber coffee

The Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce will have a coffee, sponsored by First National Bank, 2225 Hickory Street, Tuesday, April 4, from 10-11 a.m.

The public is invited for coffee and to visit with new chamber of commerce members.

Dance set

A dance is scheduled Friday from 8 p.m.-midnight at VFW Post 9178.

Trangilo band from Odessa will be playing.

Girls' softball

The United Girls Softball Assn. will have a meeting for coaches and anyone interested in becoming a coach or helping in any way.

The meeting will be Monday, April 3, at 7 p.m. in the C.C. Thompson Room of City National Bank.

Softball meeting

The Mitchell County Church Softball League will meet Tuesday, April 4, at 7 p.m. in the First Presbyterian Church.

Each team wanting to participate needs to have a representative at the meeting.

Save those cans!

An aluminum can drive has been started to help raise funds to restore and refurbish the Battleship Texas.

A cotton trailer is parked at First National Bank for those wishing to donate aluminum cans for the project.

If you have cans and wish to have them picked up, please call John Clifton at 728-3845.

Around town

MILDRED FREE enjoys a banquet...WALT STAATS playing lots of golf...Happy birthday JOHN O. JOHNSON and TRACI TURNBOW...GEORGE RIVERA in the Top 10...TRAVIS MONDAY readies for a concert...

Deaths

Beavers *Harris*
Hines

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Board agrees more doctors are needed

A recently completed long-range plan of Mitchell County Hospital prompted a hospital district board member Tuesday night to ask that the plan be tabled until at least two new doctors are recruited.

Although the other board members were in agreement that more doctors are needed and that any new construction or major renovation should not take place until there are additional doctors on staff, Gus Armstrong's motion was defeated 4-2.

Armstrong said a recently completed study of long-range plans for the hospital is giving some citizens the impression that the hospital district is planning to renovate the present facility or to build a new one in the near future, and he made a motion to table the study until at least two more doctors are recruited.

"I think we're all convinced we need more doctors," said Armstrong. "I propose that we quit fooling around with this long-range plan and concentrate our facilities and money on getting new doctors."

"I can't see spending money on a chance it might attract a new doctor," said Armstrong.

Board member Kay McCarley seconded Armstrong's motion, but the other board members - Jay Craddock, Marion Bassham, Linden Solomon and Virgil Stone - voted against it with Armstrong and McCarley voting in favor of it.

"We can't sit back and do nothing," said Craddock. "We're not thinking of building a new hospital now, but we need to look at the future."

"Nobody said we were going to build a new hospital now," said Mrs. Bassham.

Stone agreed, adding that during a recent workshop session concerning the long-range plan, he and the other board members were in agreement that new physicians have to be recruited before any action can be taken on a new hospital or extensive remodeling of the present facility.

"We're through with Cox-Croslin (the consultant firm which prepared the long-range plan)", said Stone.

Armstrong's motion came at the end of the regular monthly meeting. Earlier, the board had heard a presentation from a physician recruitment firm.

Rob Mosley of Merritt, Hawkins & Associates of California, visited with the board and told of the services his company offers in the area of physician recruitment.

No action was taken on Mos-

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SERVICE PINS PRESENTED - Preston Morris, left, chairman of the Mitchell County Hospital District board of directors, presents service pins to hospital district employees, from left, Ola Swann, 25 years; Neva Underwood, 20 years; Ola Mae Johnson, 15 years; Ester Espinoza, 10 years; Ester Garcia, 10 years; and Charlene Ainsworth, 5 years. The presentations were made during Tuesday night's board meeting. Not pictured is Marsha Rickard, 5 years.

Singer's message: stop child abuse

Entertainer Chrissy Jackson, a native South African who has written and recorded a song about a child abuse, will appear in concert Monday at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

Her appearance here is sponsored by the Mitchell County Child Welfare Board which is selling recordings of Jackson's "Kimberly". Money from the sale of the cassette tapes, which are $5 each and may be considered as a donation, will benefit the children served by the local Child Welfare Board, said Rita Latimer, chairman.

Jackson and her husband are touring the state at their own expense telling the story of "Kimberly" and what prompted them to begin their project.

While in England in 1987, Jackson read the story of Kimberly, a little girl beaten to death by her step-father. Several days later while enroute to America she wrote her tribute to Kimberly.

She has given the proceeds of the record to child welfare boards. April has been declared "Child Welfare Month".

Jackson, now a resident of Texas, said "Being from South Africa, I have always been aware of the abuse of people; however, as a parent of girls I was deeply touched by the Kimberly story. Most of the time when I write a song, I really have to work to put the music and words together. With Kimberly I feel the words and the music were just given to me. I felt this gift should benefit those for whom it was intended."

Fire destroys home

A house fire, sparked by a grass fire apparently caused by lightning, destroyed a house Sunday night south of Colorado City.

Fire Marshal Billy Ray Williamson said the home of Mrs. D.M. Mize near the Colorado River was engulfed in flames by the time firefighters arrived.

Williamson said the alarm was received about 8 p.m. Sunday and that the small frame house was considered a total loss.

Mrs. Mize was at home at the time of the fire, but managed to escape without injury as she saw the grass fire rapidly approaching her home.

Five local groups to assist in massive cleanup project

Texas cruisin' is mighty cool
So don't you be no highway fool.
It's mighty reckless to mess with Texas.
-Johnny Dee and the Rocket 88's

Some 60 Mitchell County Adopt-a-Highway volunteers will spend this Saturday picking up after the "highway fools" cautioned in the *Don't Mess With Texas* song.

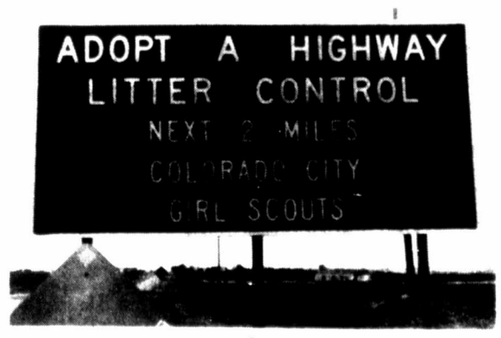
Saturday - April Fool's Day - is the date of the fourth "Great Texas Trash Off," the nation's largest cleanup effort, sponsored by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

This annual spring clean is designed to alert Texans to their state's litter problems. It will involve more than 1,300 groups combing an estimated 2,600 miles of roads, proving that the Adopt-a-Highway program is a mighty force in the battle for a cleaner state.

Local organizations, the number of volunteers and the location of their cleanup efforts include:

- J.O.Y. Sunday School Class, seven volunteers, Loop 333 in Westbrook;
- Kiwanis Club, 10 volunteers, State Highway 208 North of Colorado City;
- Tumbleweed Lioness Club, 10 volunteers, Farm to Market Road 283 from State Highway 163 northwest two miles;
- Wallace Center Senior Citizens, 10 volunteers, State Highway 208 from Interstate 20 two miles south, and;
- Colorado City Girl Scouts, 20 volunteers, Loop 377 from Country Club Road west two miles.

"When you drive around on the day of the 'Great Texas Trash Off' and see thousand of volunteers cleaning up after litterers, you can't help but get behind the anitlitter effort. Texans have tremendous pride in their state, and they just won't stand for trashy roadsides," said Don Clark, director of the highway department's travel and information division.



"By combining the energies of Adopt-a-Highway groups, we are reminding everyone that trash belongs in a trash can - not in the bluebonnets," said Clark.

The highway department's tough-talking *Don't Mess With Texas* program is credited with an estimated 60 percent reduction in highway litter in just three years.

In addition to the efforts of Adopt-a-Highway organizations, volunteers in community affiliates of Keep Texas Beautiful and the General Land Office will join forces with the highway department to clean Texas beaches, lakes and city streets and parks.

Hospital

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ley's presentation during which he said although his company could not guarantee a physician, that if one is recruited, it would cost the hospital district about $40,000.

Mosley said there is not a shortage of family physicians, but rather there is a "mal-distribution" of doctors.

He said physicians look at four factors when deciding on a career move - geographic location, financial arrangements, quality of life and quality of medicine.

He said total professional fees could range from $22,000 to $24,000 which does not include travel expenses and moving expenses plus other benefits that could be offered to induce a physician to locate here.

"You could spend $40,000 before it's all said and done," he said.

Richard Murphy, hospital administrator, said he "has no concrete possibilities now" concerning physician recruitment, but said he was to meet with the head of the Texas Tech University Family Medicine Department Wednesday morning.

"If you can do it on your own (recruit a physician), I think you should," said Mosley.

In other business, the board presented service pens to seven employees - Ola Swann, 25 years; Neva Underwood, 20 years; Ola Mae Johnson, 15 years; Ester Espinoza, 10 years; Ester Garcia, 10 years; Marsha Rickard, 5 year; and Charlene Ainsworth, 5 years.

Murphy reviewed the recent annual Medicare survey which he said went fairly smoothly this year. There were several deficiencies, although none major, and which dealt mainly with documentation.

Murphy described the Medicare survey team as "very nice and very cordial and helpful."

The board did amend the medical-staff bylaws to bring them in compliance with with Medicare standards. The change gives doctors the ability to give verbal orders which they have been doing anyway but which bylaws prohibited, said Murphy.

No action was taken on a bank franchise tax refund in the amount of $463 as requested by City National Bank until the matter can be studied further.

The board gave permission to advertise for bids for the purchase or lease of a blood gas analyzer for respiratory therapy to replace one that is no longer working.

CHS' TOP TEN - Named as the 10 most contributive seniors at Colorado High School this year are, from left, Beau Rees, Chris Perkin, Daneshu Lusk, Sandi Smith, George Rivera, Sheila Monroe, Bhavesh Patel, Oria Gonzalez, Hal Morren and Denise Lowrance. They were presented during Howl Night activities last week.

Newspaper says Gomez article was inaccurate

A recent article in the *Record* reporting a copyrighted story in the *Big Spring Herald* about the Sammy Gomez shooting contained several inaccuracies, the Big Spring newspaper has confirmed.

According to the *Herald*:

"A March 16 *Big Spring Herald* report on the Colorado City shooting of Sammy Gomez contained inaccuracies.

"Pathologist Dr. Patrick E. Beasant-Matthews was quoted as saying he had unresolved questions about statements attributed to him by Texas Ranger John Billings in an independent investigative report on the Gomez shooting; Beasant-Matthews said Thursday that is not correct.

"He said also that references throughout the article that the case should be reopened and reinvestigated are not accurate; he said Thursday he does not consider the case to have been closed and believes that it should be continued until all questions have been resolved.

"Also in the March 16 story, San Antonio attorney Ruben Sandoval, representing the Gomez family, was quoted as saying that after Sandoval 'explained certain facts that he (Beasant-Matthews) was unaware of...the way police allege, he started having serious doubts about their version.'

"Beasant-Matthews denies this, although Sandoval stands behind his statement," the *Herald* reported in its Sunday edition.

Stenholm endorses measure

Rep. Charles W. Stenholm (D-Stamford) has joined Rep. Tom Petri (R-Wis.) and a bipartisan group of 16 other members of Congress as an original sponsor of a bill expanding the federal Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC). Stenholm endorsed the measure, H.R. 1104, as "the better alternative" to requiring a universal hike in the minimum wage.

"H.R. 1104, the Family Living Wage Act, would target help to those folks who really need it," the Big Country's Congressman said at the bill's introduction, "meaning breadwinners of modest means with families to support." He criticized some other current proposals in Congress, such as a large minimum wage increase and federal labor mandates that "take a shotgun approach and damage the whole economy."

The nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office (CBO) has estimated that a leading proposal, to raise the minimum wage from the current $3.35 an hour to $4.65, actually would destroy 500,000 jobs.

Another concern arises from the practice of large labor unions negotiation contracts to maintain a hefty "differential" above the federally required minimum wage. Thus, an increase in the minimum wage would send an inflationary ripple through the entire economy.

"I want to see families earn a livable income," Stenholm said, "and I'd rather find $3 billion somewhere in the federal budget to help them than pass a minimum wage hike that raises prices and fuels inflation in our economy to the tune of $21 billion. The inflationary consequences of a large minimum wage increase more than wipe out any benefit almost immediately." The numbers referred to have been widely discussed by economists as the comparitive costs of the two alternative proposals.

In support of taking "a precise rifle shot" at the problems of the working poor, the Congressman cited government figures showing that only 4 percent of American workers earn the minimum wage.

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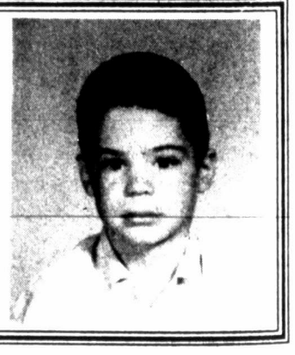

Committee OKs Carriker bill

AUSTIN - A bill by 30th District Senator Steve Carriker (D-Roby) that would give senior citizens more options to recover and live at home was passed Tuesday by the Health and Human Services Committee.

Carriker's measure, Senate Bill 482, formalizes the Texas Department On Aging's program called Options for Independent Living.

"Independence is the key ingredient in this package," Carriker said of his proposal. "Most people with relatively short-term illness or disability want to stay at home and do as much for themselves as humanly possible. And certainly, recovering at home is far less expensive than nursing home or hospital care."

A demonstration program of this type has been in operation at Texoma Area Agency On Aging, in Denison, which is considered a national model for the concept.

Carriker described the program as a cost-effective way to combine new and existing resources including respite care, homemaking, personal care and home-delivered.

SB 482 would target senior citizens who are not qualified for entitlement programs and cannot afford to pay the full cost of in-home support services. The services would be charged on a sliding scale.

If enacted by the Legislature, the bill would take effect September 1. A small amount of State money would leverage additional federal and private dollars into the program.

Weather

This Year

Date	Hi	Lo	Prec
March 25	87	53	.00
March 26	87	56	.00
March 27	83	58	.00
March 28	80	55	.08

Total rainfall this month..... 0
Total snowfall this month.....2"
Total rainfall this year ... 2.84"
Lake Levels:
Colorado City Lake... 2063.00'
(Full at ..... 2070.30')
Lake Champion..... 2082.18'
(Full at ..... 2083.00')

Last Year

1988	Hi	Lo	Prec.
March 25	90	44	.00
March 26	80	45	.00
March 27	78	52	.00
March 28	85	58	.01

Average March Rainfall ... .86"
Most March snow/sleet,1962 .....8.0"

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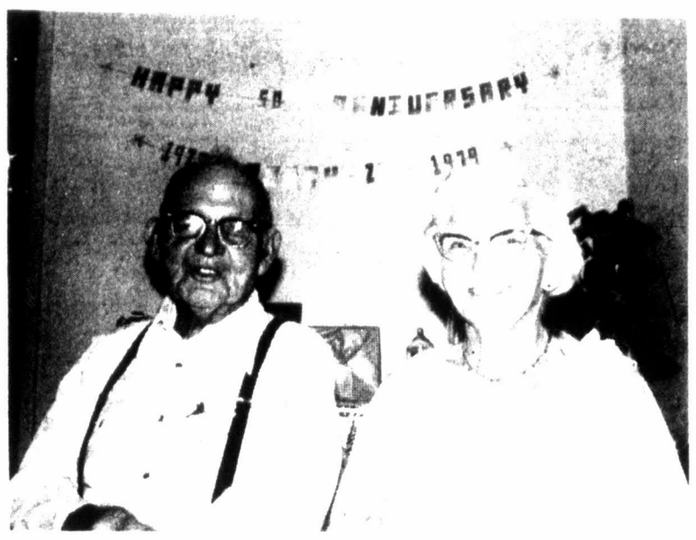

Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Ross
...celebrate 60th wedding anniversary

Mr., Mrs. Ross observe 60th wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. S.E. Ross celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon, March 26, at their home, 1201 College in Colorado City.

Hosting the party were their son Henry Ross and his children, Stephen and Rhonda Ross Sears, and their daughter Linda Ross Hale and her husband, David, and their children John-Davis and Lisa.

Sherman Ross was born June 20, 1904 in Prescott, Ark. and Ruby Atchley Ross was born July 4, 1910 in Denison. They were married March 29, 1929 in Clarksville and moved to Loraine in 1943 where Mr. Ross was engaged in farming. They moved to Colorado City in 1958 where Mr. Ross worked on the custodial staff of the Colorado City schools and later as a driver for Roberts Butane until his retirement in 1966.

Mrs. Ross worked as a cook at several restaurants and as a nurses' aide at Root Memorial Hospital. She also worked through the Department of Economic Security caring for the elderly in their homes in Colorado City until her retirement in 1979.

Out-of-town guests were from East Windsor, N.J., Sapulpa, Okla. and Flower Mound, Brownwood, Midland, Sterling City, Sweetwater, Roscoe and Loraine, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross would like to thank their friends and relatives for helping celebrate their anniversary with their gifts, phone calls and attendance.

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted
March 24
O. B. Darden, Hermleigh, medical.
March 25
Juanita Garcia, City, medical.
March 27
Reed Burchett, City, medical; Patsy Alston, Trent, surgical; Vickie Martinez, City, medical; Dorothy M. Lee, City, medical; Mark Russell, City, surgical; Narciso Garcia, City, medical; Rosa Berkley, Snyder, medical; Ruby Epperson, Loraine, medical.
Patients Dismissed
March 24
Myrtle Cummings, City, medical; Clara Walker, City, medical.
March 25
Ninfa Esquivel, Loraine, medical; Nannie Miles, City, medical; Ellie Iglehart, City, medical.
March 27
Juanita Alvarez, City, medical; Marthalie Palmer, City, medical; Mark Russell, City, medical; Patsy Alston, Trent, surgical.

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Westbrook Wanderings

Doug Chitsey of Colorado City was guest speaker when Men's Brotherhood met Thursday night of last week.

Those present were Tom Stone, John Manning, Gerald Rollins, Rev. Bob Manning, Keith Williamson, Charles Ranne, Raymond Rabb, Lester Horn, Clyde Alexander and John Buchanan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stone were in San Angelo Monday night to attend the Shrine meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rees were in Mt. Pleasant last week to visit his sister Mrs. Ruth Nelson of Washington in the home of two other sisters, Mrs. Vada Black and Velma Case.

They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkerson and Sara in Reklaw before returning home on Tuesday.

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Mrs. Bobbie Thompson of Ranger visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Bob Manning, and her brothers John Manning and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Manning and Sara last weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Plummer of Sundown visited Mrs. Ruby Claxton and Mrs. Doris Petty, Tracie and Josh over the weekend.

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Maxie Ware is home after a brief stay in Community Hospital in San Angelo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Hollis spent Easter in Lamesa with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Herndon.

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PERFECT ATTENDANCE - Kindergarten students at Kelley Elementary School who had perfect attendance during a recent four-week attendance period were recognized during an assembly recently and presented special pencils by Principal Juan Espinoza. The students include Albert Luera, Emelda Alvarado, Jamie Dockrey, April Free, Michelle Jimenez, Samantha Maberry, Meredith Stinson, Bethany Taylor, Erica Tryon, Shanika Stephenson, Wayne Valles, Marcy Espinoza, Jennifer Lokey, Chase McPhaul, Mario Quintero, Tye Randle, Christopher Hallmark, Cody Pesnell, Brandon Reed, Chad Ritchey, Quirino Selvera, Clint Brasuel, Lacy Dockrey, Toyka Green, Kimberly Sosa, Andrew Spear, Aaron Waldrip, Mark Wyrosdick, Tina Baldomino, La Kisha Emerson, Sherri Fox, Leslie Franco, Kari Lentz, Amanda Ornelas, Gloria Luevanos, Eric Martinez, Amanda Beltran, Andy Crockett, Chet Erwin, Megan Merrell, Danny Parham, Dylan Slater, Cheryl Sparks, Chris Vanderslice, Elise Williamson, Kevin Wright, Kristine Ornelas, Cort Arthur, Shari Lentz, Simon Moreno, Adan Leanos, Mindy Botts, Alva Garcia, Lisa Larkins, Patty Rivera, April Vasquez and Lisa Ferdin.

NURSERY TOUR - Children enrolled in the Mitchell County Day Care Center and their supervisors toured Neff's Nursery and Greenhouses Tuesday morning as part of their study of nature and the outdoors.

Obituaries

J.W. (Jack) Beavers

J.W. (Jack) Beavers, 57, of Colorado City died Thursday, March 2 1989 at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo.

Graveside service was at 1 p.m. Saturday at Garden of Memori Cemetery in Paducah, directed by Johnson's Funeral Home.

He was born April 10, 1931, in Paducah.

Survivors include two sons, James L. Beavers and Barry Beavers Colorado City; two daughters, Cheryl Bell and Chellye Beavers Colorado City; a brother, Gene Beavers of Canyon; two sisters, Virgi Biddy of San Angelo and Eula Mae Taylor of Plainview; and thre grandchildren.

Loneta (Hazel) Phillips Harris

Loneta (Hazel) Phillips Harris, 75, of Colorado City died Saturday March 25, 1989 at Mitchell County Hospital.

Funeral services were Monday at 2 p.m. at Kiker-Seale Funera Home Chapel with Rev. Travis Monday officiating, assisted by Dr Ted Spear. Burial was in Loraine Cemetery.

Born Oct. 5, 1913 in Comanche County, she was married to Earl C Harris Sept. 5, 1959 in Sweetwater. He preceded her in death on March 19, 1979. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Survivors include a brother, Elgie Morris of Kermit; a nephew Douglas Morris of Hereford; and several other nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Orvel Griffith, Ray Mayo, Bo Merket, Bubba Swann and Kenneth Hill.

Mabel Hines

Mabel Hines, 89, of Midland, formerly of Colorado City died Monday, March 27, 1989 at Midland Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the First United Pentecostal Church in Midland with Rev. Gaylon Chapman and Rev. Douglas Church officiating. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park, directed by Ellis Funeral Home.

Born Jan. 11, 1900 in Arkansas, near Hot Springs, she moved to Colorado City in 1920 where she married Floyd Hines on Aug. 28, 1920. They continued to lived in Colorado City until 1938 where they farmed and owned a sand and gravel business.

They moved to Stanton in 1938 and ran Cottonwood Grocery until 1942 when they moved to Midland. Mr. Hines preceded her in death on Nov. 14, 1976. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include one son, Denton Hines of Midland; one daughter, Ellna Willingham of Midland; two brothers, Harry Standefer of San Diego and Edgar Standefer of Stanton; three sisters, Reva Koonce of Stanton, Lois Church of Stanton and Hazel Lammb of Stanton; six grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Thadd Koonce, Marvin Standefer, Tommy Hurst, Mark Hurst, Dan Saunders and Hoot Leonard.

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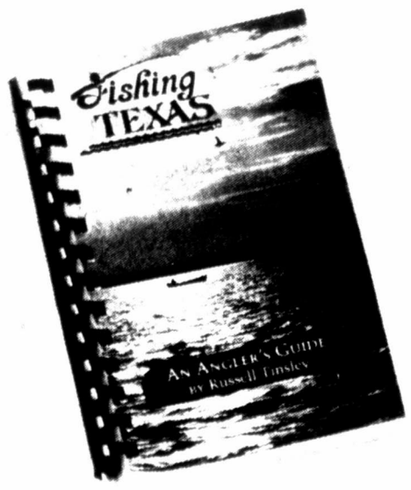

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Sports

GOLF TEAM members for Colorado High School are, front, left to right, Mike Chapman, Curtis Clemmer and Erik Hill. Standing, left to right, are Mitch Smith, Jeremy Lelek, Michael Contreras, Adrian Alvarez, Jerry Alvarez, Mike Smith, Adam Rivera, Tracy McElvaney, Ricky Westbrook and coach Walt Staats. Not pictured is Kyle Mitchell.

Crane increases golf lead

The Crane Golden Cranes used a home course advantage Monday to increase their team lead in the district 7-AAA golf standings.

The stop in Crane was the second of five district tournaments. Crane's Monty Allen and Kermit's Brian Swisher tied for medalist honors at Crane with 18-hole totals of 79 stokes. With the 79 Allen surpassed teammate Sean Watts for the district lead. Allen leads with a 160. Watts was runnerup medalist at Crane with an 82 and trails Allen by two strokes at 162.

Crane's Bryan Renfro was the third place medalist at Crane with an 83. Swisher of Kermit moved into third place in the district standings with his 79 giving him a 169 total.

Crane A won at Crane with a team total of 333 and Colorado City A was second at 356. Crane A stands at 671 after two district stops and Colorado City A is second at 710. Crane led the Wolves by 16 strokes after one tournament but now leads by 39 strokes.

Colorado City will be hosting the district teams at Wolf Creek golf course Tuesday, April 4. Mitch and Mike Smith led the Wolves at Crane with 18-hole totals of 87. Mitch Smith shot 9-hole rounds of 46-41 while Mike Smith shot 42-45. Other scores for Colorado City A were Adam Rivera 44-46, 90; Erik Hill 45-47, 92; Tracy McElvaney 49-57, 106.

For Colorado City B were Ricky Westbrook 48-41, 89; Jerry Alvarez 46-48, 94; Jeremy Lelek 53-50, 103; Curtis Clemmer 54-50, 104; Adrian Alvarez 59-48, 107.

Team scores at Crane and total standings: Crane A 333=671, Colorado City 356=710, Kermit A 352=716, Crane B 361=720, Greenwood 392=771, Colorado City B 390=772, Kermit B 396=803, Coahoma 422=818.

7-AAA top ten: Monty Allen, Crane 160; Sean Watts, Crane 162; Brian Swisher, Kermit 169; Jon Tidmore, Crane 170; Monty Rogers, Crane 171; Bryan Renfro, Crane 171; Adam Rivera, Colorado City 173; Mitch Smith, Colorado City 174; Mike Smith, Colorado City 175; Ricky Westbrook, Colorado City 177.

Finley, Atkins lead Bulldogs

Shawn Finley and Michi Atkins were the top performers for Loraine High School at a Roscoe-Blackland-Divide track meet held at Aspermont Saturday.

The meet was moved to Aspermont from Roscoe because Roscoe's track had not been completed.

Finley led the Bulldog boys by winning the 100 meter dash in 11.44. Finley added a second place in the 200 meter dash where he ran a 23.47. Finley also was sixth in the shotput with a 40'3" heave.

Donnie Vallery won fifth in the shot with a put of 41'7". Luis Leija won fifth in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:11.7.

Atkins led the Bulldog girls with second place finishes in the discus at 89'3" and in the shotput at 30'7". Atkins also took thirds in the 100 meter dash at 13.81 and in the 200 meter dash at 28.77.

Trena Williams was fifth in the 200 meter dash at 29.3.

Boys standings: Paducah 93, Roscoe 88, Aspermont 64, Rule 44, Crowell 38, Knox City 36, Haskell JV 34, Guthrie 30, Loraine 23, Woodson 23, Rochester 16, Hamlin 3.

Girls standings: Roscoe 93, Paducah 89, Knox City 78, Hamlin 50, Crowell 50, Aspermont 47, Rule 38, Loraine 31, Woodson 20, Guthrie 17.

TENNIS RESULTS

Results of Colorado City junior varsity and middle school tennis tournament held here Saturday, March 25

JUNIOR VARSITY

Boys Singles

First round: Clinton, Forson def. Botts, Westbrook 6-0,6-4; Jeremiah Wood, Colorado City def. Jackson, Coahoma 6-0,6-1; Jubal Stephens, Colorado City def. Grote, Reagan County, 6-3,6-2; Christie, Forsan def. Grigg, Coahoma 7-5,7-6(7-5); Conaway, Forsan def. Cade Camp, Colorado City 6-3,6-2; Becker, Coahoma deff. Hines, Westbrook 6-4,6-3.

Second round: Clinton, Forsan def. Wood, Colorado City 6-0,6-4; Cuba, Reagan County def. Justin Harris, Colorado City 6-1,6-1; Christie, Forsan def. Stephens, Colorado City 6-3,5-7,6-2; Conaway, Forsan def. Becker, Coahoma 6-2,6-2.

Semifinals: Cuba, Reagan County def. Clinton, Forsan 6-2,6-2; Conaway, Forsan def. Christie, Forsan 8-3.

Third place: Clinton, Forsan def. Christie, Forsan 8-4.

Championship: Conaway, Forsan def. Cuba, Reagan County 6-2,2-6,6-3.

Boys Doubles

First round: Shawn Rees/Brad White, Colorado City def. Bryant/Archibald, Coahoma 6-0,6-0; Epley/Long, Forsan def. Jeremiah Wood/Jubal Stephens, Colorado City 7-6,4-6,7-6(7-3).

Consolation: Wood/Stephens, Colorado City def. Bryant/Archibald, Coahoma 8-1.

Championship: Epley/Long, Forsan def Rees/White, Colorado City 7-5,5-7,7-6(7-0).

Girls Singles

First round: Mandrell, Reagan County def. Walker, Coahoma 6-0,6-2; Miller, Reagan County def. Smith, Coahoma 6-3,6-4; Henderson, Reagan County def. Amber Mayfield, Colorado City 6-0,6-2.

Semifinals: Debbie Gardner, Colorado City def. Miller, Reagan County 6-3,6-1; Henderson, Reagan County def. Mandrell, Reagan County 6-0,6-2.

Third place: Mandrell, Reagan County def. Miller, Reagan County 9-7.

Championship: Henderson, Reagan County def. Gardner, Colorado City 8-2.

Girls Doubles

Round robin: Evans/Patterson, Forsan (first place) def. Nicole Smith/Amy Moore, Colorado City 6-3,6-4; def. Marlyn Kay/Cara Lane, Colorado City 7-5,6-7(7-5),7-5. Moore/Smith, Colorado City (second place) def. Kay/Lane, Colorado City (third place) 8-3.

EIGHTH GRADE

Boys Singles

First round: Soto, Reagan County def. Woodall, Big Spring 8-1; Boyd, Sweetwater def. Soto, Reagan County 8-1; Leija, Reagan County def. Jay Kay, Colorado City 8-1; David Mendoza, Colorado City def. Blalock, Garden City 8-0; Henderson, Reagan County def. Meek, Big Spring 8-4.

Semifinals: Leija, Reagan County def. Boyd, Sweetwater 8-6; Henderson, Reagan County def. Mendoza, Colorado City 8-3.

Third place: Boyd, Sweetwater def. Mendoza, Colorado City 8-0.

Championship: Leija, Reagan County def. Henderson, Reagan County 6-1,6-3.

Boys Doubles

First round: Fields/Hatfield, Forsan def. Pearce/Blalock, Garden City 8-6; Nguyen/Dinsdale, Big Spring def. Harrison/Williams, Forsan 8-4; Schraeder/Brown, Garden City def. Jay Kay/David Mendoza, Colorado City 8-6.

Semifinals: Fields/Hatfield, Forsan def. Harbour/Perez, Big Spring 8-3; Nguyen/Dinsdale, Big Spring def. Schraeder/Brown, Garden City 8-3.

Third place: Harbour/Perez, Big Spring def. Schaeder/Brown, Garden City 8-2.

Championship: Fields/Hatfield, Forsan def. Nguyen/Dinsdale, Big Spring 6-1,6-2.

Girls Singles

First round: Cook, Forsan def. Ragsdale, Big Spring 8-6; Ware, Big Spring def. Wilson, Forsan 8-0; Bates, Sweetwater def. Loya, Big Spring 8-3; Birrell, Big Spring def. Michelle Molina, Colorado City 8-4; Sevey, Big Spring def. Cook, Forsan 8-0; Ware, Big Spring def. Krisha Lamb, Colorado City 8-5.

Semifinals: Bates, Sweetwater def. Birrell, Big Spring 8-3; Sevey, Big Spring def. Ware, Big Spring 8-2.

Third place: Ware, Big Spring def. Birrell, Big Spring 8-5.

Championship: Sevey, Big Spring def. Bates, Sweetwater 8-0.

Girls Doubles

First round: Griffen/Bustamante, Big Spring def. Lentz/Gaston, Forsan 6-2,6-3; McAdams/Sneed, Forsan def. Roberts/Crawford, Big Spring 8-4/7-5; Krisha Lamb/Michelle Molina, Colorado City def. Horn/Kennedy, Big Spring 8-6.

Semifinals: McAdams/Sneed, Forsan def. Griffen/Bustamante, Big Spring 8-3.

Championship: Lamb/Molina, Colorado City def. McAdams/Sneed, Forsan 8-5.

SEVENTH GRADE

Boys Singles

First round: Gannaway, Big Spring def. Patrick Stewart, Colorado City 8-1; Delgado, Big Spring def. Talamentes, Garden City 8-4; Shane Jones, Colorado City def. Smith, Big Spring 8-3.

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JV TENNIS players for Colorado High School are, left to right, Jubal Stephens, Cade Camp, Chris Lynch, Brad White, Amy Moore, Genny Forehand, Justin Harris, Nicole Smith, Cara Lane, Amber Mayfield, Marlyn Kay and Lethy Garcia.

EIGHTH GRADE track team members are, front, left to right, Artie Rivera, Pete Rivera, Michael Mayes, Doug Conner, Mark Martinez, Jesse Espinoza and Michael Humphrey. Middle, left to right, are Greg Chapman, Joey Arispe, Tanis Lara, Dustin Green, Cody Parker, Kelly Ramsey, Johnny Gonzalez, Joe Abernathy, Jeffery Haggerton. Back, left to right, are Billy Joe Robinette, Frank Briseno, David Castillo, Bryan Ritchey, Artie Rivera, Dax Deleon, Jason Blassingame, Mike Dossey, Johnny Martinez and Tracy Lentz. Not pictured is Jaime Rivera.

SPORTS SCHEDULE

TRACK
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Saturday, April 1
CHS girls at Hamlin Relays
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TENNIS
Friday-Saturday
March 31-April 1
CHS at San Angelo Lakeview tournament

Basketball Tournament

An Outsiders Basketball tournament for men and women will be held April 13-15 at Westbrook. Entry fee is $100 and must be in by April 10. T-shirts will be awarded for 1st-3rd place teams limited to 10 players per squad. For more information call Sally Parker at 644-3341 or write P.O. Box 184, Westbrook, TX 79565.

Spring Fever softball

A Spring Fever men's invitational softball tournament will be held here April 7-9. Entry fee is $100 paid before the first game. Deadline to enter is Wednesday, April 5 at 8:00 p.m.

There will be a 14 team limit and teams should furnish Blue Dot balls. Team trophies will be awarded to the 1st-4th place teams, 1st-3rd place individuals, 10 All-Tourneys, 1 MVP, 1 home run champion and 1 team sportsmanship.

ASA rules will be in effect and rosters will be limited to 15 players. Game time is forfeit time and games will have a 55 minute time limit. An extra hitter will be allowed, protests will be settled immediately, teams will be limited to 2 homeruns per game and teams must have at least 9 players to start a game.

Contact Darlene Hudgins at (915)728-5821.

Tennis

From page 5

Semifinals: Lee, Big Spring def. Gannaway, Big Spring 8-5; Jones, Colorado City def. Delgado, Big Spring 8-5.
Third place: Delgado, Big Spring def. Gannaway, Big Spring 7-6,7-6.
Championship: Lee, Big Spring def. Jones, Colorado City 6-1,6-4.

Boys Doubles

Round robin: Laws/Dennand, Big Spring (first place) def. Shane Jones/Patrick Stewart, Colorado City 6-1,6-4; def. Spencer/Bridge, Forsan 8-2. Jones/Stewart, Colorado City (second place) def. Spencer/Bridge, Forsan (third place) 8-6.
Spring 6-3,6-4.

Girls Singles

First round: Middleton, Big Spring def. Melva Mendoza, Colorado City 8-1; Ramos, Big Spring def. Conaway, Forsan 8-5; Phifer, Big Spring def. Middleton, Big Spring 8-3.
Third place: Conaway, Forsan def. Middleton, Big Spring 7-6,6-3.
Championship: Ramos, Big Spring def. Phifer, Big Spring 6-1,6-1.

Girls Doubles

Semifinals: Cunningham/Stiehl, Big Spring def. Holly Turner/Kim Cates, Colorado City 8-4. Turner/Cates took third.
Championship: Parker/Porter, Big Spring def. Cunningham/Stiehl, Big

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If you became 65 or disabled before January 1, file a new application to receive the additional exemptions.

If you haven't received an exemption on your present home, or if you've moved to a new home, make a new application for 1989.

File your homestead exemption with your local appraisal office at the address shown below.

The deadline for applications is May 1, 1989. Contact your appraisal district before then if you need more time to file.

For more information, get a free copy of the pamphlet, *Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities*, at your appraisal district office or from the State Property Tax Board in Austin.

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The deadline for 1989 renditions is March 31. You can get an extra 30 days if you ask for it in writing before the March 31 deadline.

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If your land has never received productivity valuation, you must apply to the appraisal district by May 2 to get tax benefits for 1989. You can choose from two types of productivity valuation.

If your land already receives open-space or timber (1- d-1) valuation, you don't need to reapply unless the chief appraiser requires you to. But rmemember, you must apply every year for ag-use (1-d) valuation.

For more information and application forms, contact the appraisal district office at the address shown below:

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ST CHILI MAKERS - The Chilly Kid Cookers in Mrs. Janet Moore's fourth grade class at raine were judged first place winners in a chili cookoff Mrs. Moore conducts each year in her ssroom. From left are Eliza DeLoera, Megen Stevens, Efran Martinez, Teresa Rico, Tana Hender- and Glenna Green.

RED HOT KIDS - This team of Loraine fourth graders participated in a chili cookoff Tuesday in their room. From left are Fabian Limones, Bear Cooper, James Salazar, Miguel Gomez, Mac DeLoera and Anthony Aguilar.

CHILI BLASTERS - Another team competing for best chili honors in Mrs. Janet Moore's fourth grade class at Loraine was this one consisting of, from left, Kyle Moore, Tricia Troutt, Nikki Chavez, John-Gabriel Munoz and Wendy Mosher.

Museum to mark anniversary

SNYDER - The Diamond M Museum of Fine Art will mark its 25th anniversary with a reception from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday (April 2) and invites the public to attend.

On display along with works from the museum collection will be winning entries from the annual show of the Watercolor Art Society of Houston.

The art works in the Diamond M collection originated as the private collection of the late C. T. and Claire McLaughlin. The museum collection focuses on the American West and also includes other outstanding works by renowned artists of the United States and Europe. Twelve paintings by N. C. Wyeth are an important part of the museum Frederic Remington and Charles Russell are represented by bronze sculptures.

The museum is located at 909 25th Street. It is open the year around (except for major holidays) without admission charge. Hours are 1-4 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. Information about the museum can be obtained by calling 915 573-6311.

Loraine Personals

...by Lois Phillips

Well, we got a good shower and a well behaved hail cloud, not even a storm as it didn't do any damage around our town that we heard of. We really did need the rain and a little more won't hurt anything. Be sure you watch the clouds as this is a dangerous time of year.

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We lost Mrs. Hayes last week and we are really sorry about that. She was such a nice little lady with a bunch of kids, grandkids and in-laws that really loved her. Our loss is Heaven's gain.

* * *

Linton Ray Webb and his wife Maz are in Lubbock where they are seeking answers to Linton Ray's problem. Most of you remember when he had polio, he was a little kid and now he is getting treatment of some kind I hear. His polio left his throat kinda paralized so it hampers his talking and breathing.

Linton Ray and Maz, we all wish you well and will keep you in our prayers. You'll probably be home by the time this is published.

The latest report is that he is in the intensive care unit of St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

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Kenneth Butler is in an Abilene hospital. He is to have or already has had surgery.

Well, I just found out that his surgery was Monday and he came out real well. They were planning to put him in a room yesterday afternoon. Good luck Kenneth and Juanice, we are happy you are doing so well.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Hayslip visited her mother recently. It sure is nice for the kids to come home isn't it Gladys?

* * *

Glen, Glenda, Pepper and Sunda Gay Nix of Eldorado visited their grandmother and great-grandmother recently.

* * *

Bertha Faye Snyder is home from Dallas where she visited Ross and Peggy Snyder and a niece and nephew of Peggy's while she was there. Ross had to go to Arizona on business and Peggy went along since Bertha was there and could keep the kids and send them to school. She was gone about ten days and enjoyed every bit of it.

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Last week I got a beautiful card and it said "Guess who is in Florida having a grand time." It was signed Chitsey in big letters. Now wasn't that a dirty trick to pull. She could of at least invited me to go.

Well that's our prank playing Ida Chitsey. Wish I could have slipped up on her. Ida and I were high school class mates on the same basketball team and etc. Hope you had a blast.

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Willa Dean's granddaughters came to visit her on spring break. Their mother came with them and attended some affair in Colorado City. They are Marilyn Davis, Dondra and Dodi Davis of Grape Creek.

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Mrs. Nannie Lou Miles has been real sick but I don't know anything new about her. I hope she is much better.

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Irene Stewart, Ruby Epperson and Lillie Faulkenberry are not doing so well I am told. Put them on your prayer list also.

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Willard Pratt and his wife came to Loraine recently and picked up his mother and dad, Hazel and Woodrow. They all went to New Mexico to visit Ross Pratt and family. The twins and big brother are doing nicely and they all had fun and the kids really did enjoy it. Why not, they had granddaddy

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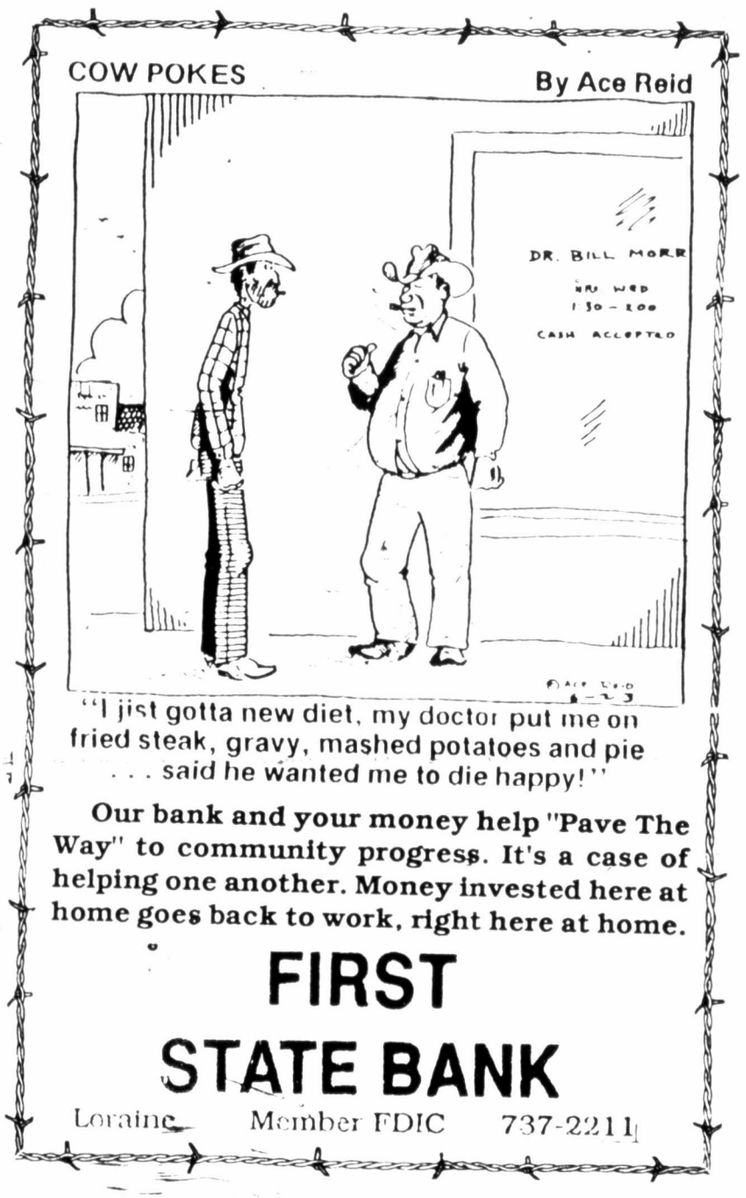

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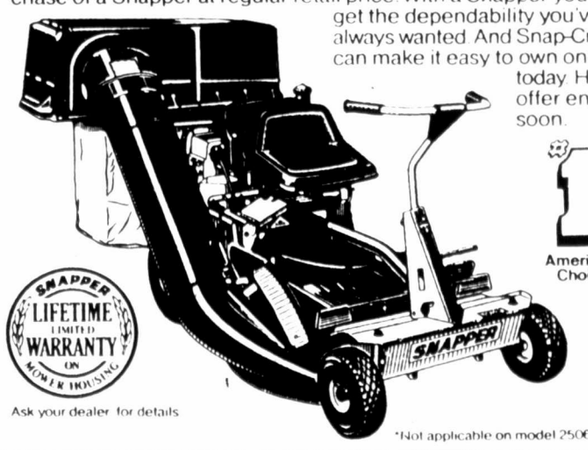

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County Auditor

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Loraine VFD upgrading radio system

One of the big jobs of the fire department at this time of the year is CLOUD WATCH. This is done to help protect you in the event of a tornado by early warning.

We are in the process of upgrading our two-way radio system. This is a costly undertaking, but we feel it is something that will help us better serve you in the event of fires, EMT calls and especially during Cloud Watch.

The Loraine Volunteer Fire Department will be having a farm implement sale on Saturday, May 6, to be held at the gin yard west of the Co-op Gin at 10 a.m. Inspection of items will begin at 8 a.m. Barbecue brisket sandwiches will be available. Left-over brisket will be sold at the end of the sale. When you come out to vote, come by the sale, look around, and eat with us.

We need your support in donating any equipment and/or cash donations to help us pay off this radio system. As soon as the new system is installed, we will publish the frequency so those of you that have scanners will be able to program in our new channel.

A list of equipment will be printed and distributed. In order to have your equipment on this list, your donations must be in by April 22. We will take donations later, but they won't make the list.

Remember all donations are deductible from income tax. You will be given a receipt at the time of the sale for tax purposes.

We will be glad to pick up the equipment if you are unable to bring it in.

If you have donations, please contact one of the following fireman:

Donnie Phillips, 737-2933; Earl Phillips, 737-2265; Donald Graham, 737-2744; Glenn Sanders, 737-2421; Clay Graham, 737-2621 and Doug Foshee, 737-2769.

Cash or checks may be mailed to:Loraine Volunteer Fire DepartmentP.O. Box 202Loraine, Texas 79532

Thank you for supporting your volunteer fire department so we can better serve you.

Loraine

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and grandmother, great-grandpa and great-grandma, what else could a child want.

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Easter has come and gone for another year. I saw lots of cute kids all dressed up for Easter Sunday. I noticed Shirley Clifton and Jennifer had the Lubbock sisters and their husband with them at church.

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Last week in the deal about two of our girls winning honors in the one-act play, I forgot to tell you who Christi is. Well she is Christi Blair, daughter of Larry and Fielda Blair, sorry Christi.

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Mabel Graham is home after spending last week with a daughter and family, Jean and Al Riley of Carrollton. She kept Dusty while he was on spring break.

Visiting the Elwood Grahams over the weekend were Wayne and Joyce Childs of Big Spring. Joyce is also a daughter.

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Here we come again to remind you of our auction sale on May 6th I think. If you have anything around your place, and don'twant it, call a Loraine fireman and we will pick it up. We are trying hard to upgrade our radio system so that we can better serve our area. Letter and notices are being scattered around so pick up one if you want it.

We will be glad to take anything that will sell and we will be glad to accept cash donations. We have worked hard on this project so if you can help in any way, please do. We will have brisket at noon so eat with us.

Tell you more later.

AIRMAN RANDALL P. HEARIN, son of Debbie E. Chambliss of Brownwood and Jim Hearin of Colorado City, has graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. During the six weeks oftraining, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations. He is a 1988 graduate of Post High School.

FIRST GRADERS RECOGNIZED - Sixty eight first grade students at Kelley Elementary were recognized for perfect attendance during a recent four-week period. Principal Juan Espinoza presented the students with special pencils during an assembly. The students include Cade Carlock, Justin Marshall, Ben McNeal, Cristi Graham, Alison Stepp, Brittany McKee, Martin Alvarado, Antonio Leanos, Adrian Barrera, Jeffery Fox, Paul Menchaca, James Matos, B.J. Patterson, Kevin Young, Jeanette Baldomino, Olivia Hernandez, Shanti Ross, Jason Graham, Jason Sanford, Carlos Silva, Windell Mayes, Rusty Medrano, Misty Blankenship, Jessica Lewis, Bryan Williams, Leslie Pineda, Bryan Casares, Cody Hill, Melvin Jackson, Bryson Johnson, Brian Limones, Ronnie Parham, Nicklus Rivera, Leman Saunders, Mark Sheets, Sheniece Bailey, Cara Dickard, Marissa Espinoza, Sonia Klein, Yuri Lozano, Tiffany Overby, Melissa Rogers, Shawna Wilking, Shalee McKee, Brian Browning, Brandon Free, James Goss, David Hernandez, Jacob Reyna, D.J. Rivera, Ricky Upham, Joseph Martinez, Sandy Diaz, Veronica Harris, Margaret Ann Jameson, Jessica Nelson, Jonothon Espinoza, Leon Molina, Lee Williamson, Christopher Castro, Amanda Costabile, Lilliana Garcia, Michelle Guelker, Lenora McClard, Kimberly Marshall, Melisa Parham, Samantha Ramirez and Lacy Watson.

Carriker is named to national committee

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Senator Steven A. Carriker, D-Roby, has been named as a member of the Agriculture, Food Policy and Rural Development Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL).

The committee is one of twelve standing committees of NCSL's State-Federal Assembly (SFA), NCSL's policymaking body. The SFA is responsible for the Conference's lobbying efforts before Congress, the White House, and federal agencies. The SFA convenes three times a year to meet with federal officials and develop recommendations and wide range of national issues that affect state-federal relations. Issues high on the committee's agenda this year include reauthorization of the farm bill, farm credit and financing, farm exports, and pesticide regulation.

Carriker represents the state's 30th district.

"As a member of the Agriculture, Food Policy and Rural Development Committee, I will be able to voice concerns specific to our state as well as the concerns of state legislatures nationwide," Carriker said. "Many federal actions have serious consequences on the states and we are able to have an impact on these issues through the SFA and NCSL. I look forward to working on critical state-federal issues with my colleagues from throughout the country."

NCSL represents the legislators and staffs of the nation's 50 states, its commonwealths and territories. NCSL has three basic objectives: to improve the quality and effectiveness of state legislatures; to foster interstate communication and cooperation; and to assure state legislatures a strong, cohesive voice in the federal system.

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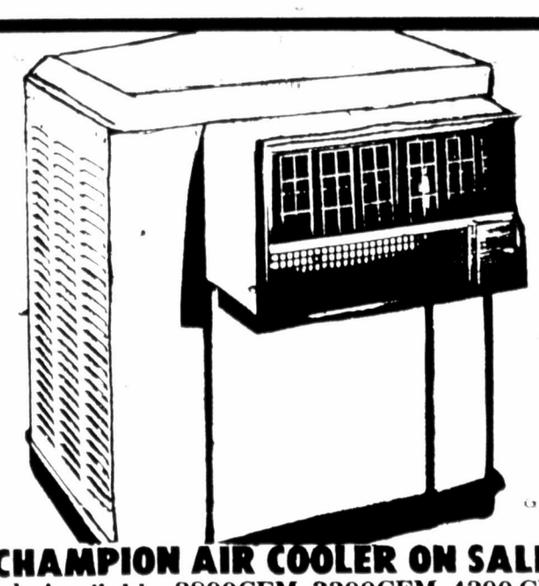
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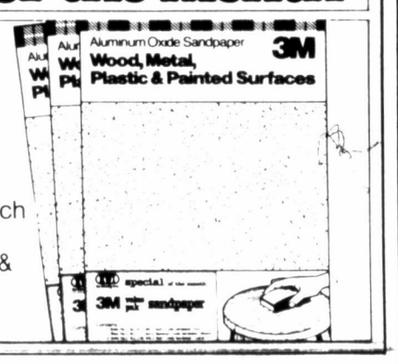

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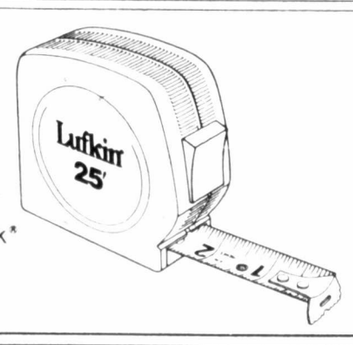

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