

THURSDAY

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Briefly

Record prints flag

In this issue of the Colorado City Record, on the very last page, you will find a reproduction of an American flag.

Please feel free to cut the flag out of the paper and use it for display in a window of your car, business, or home, or on a mirror or a wall.

Everytime you see it, let it remind you to give thought and support to our troops in the Persian Gulf.

The printing of this flag is sponsored by the Colorado City Record, VFW 9178 Wilson Wyatt Post, City National Bank and Woods Boots.

Plastic footballs

Kitten Arthur and the CHS Cheerleaders wish all Colorado City businesses to be aware that they have not endorsed the Multi Marketing Corporation of Arlington, Texas to contact anyone about purchasing plastic footballs for next season.

If you wish to purchase the footballs, the cheerleaders say, they will be happy to throw them as a promotion for local businesses, but cheerleaders do not receive any benefits from Multi-Marketing Corporation.

Football banquet

The Colorado High School football banquet will be held on Thursday, January 31, at 7 p.m. at the Colorado Middle School cafeteria.

Tickets are \$4, and can be obtained by calling Brenda Crosley at 728-3424 or 728-5721.

American Flags

American flags are for sale at Wallace Center.

The flags are 3' by 5', made of cotton, and come boxed with a pole and hardware for installation.

The flags cost \$15, which may be considered a donation to Community Education.

Purchase the flags at the Wallace Center Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

Can recycling

The Colorado High School Tennis Club will be collecting aluminum cans throughout the month of February.

Cans may be delivered to the cotton trailer which is located at Fort Wood.

Narcotics Anonymous

The Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, along with the Sweetwater Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, will be sponsoring Narcotics Anonymous meetings from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. every Wednesday afternoon.

Anyone interested in this free service for any alcohol or drug related problem can obtain more information by calling (915) 728-3953, or 235-8955.

Around Town

ELIZABETH CONNELL, ANNE ALFORD, Sissy MERRITT, MARION BASSHAM, and LOUISE DECOVIC, on an assembly line ... did MONTE McCRIGHT ever get off the roof? ... happy 8th birthday, KIM RIVERA ... happy belated birthday, EUGENE and PAUL AUSBIE ... happy 2nd birthday, ALISSA ESPINOZA.

Deaths

Davis, Erwin, Finch, Thrailkill See Page 9

Bale Count

Jan. 29, 1991
Colorado Gin.....4,401
Producers Co-op.....18,400
Mitchell Cty Gin.....9,213
Loraine Co-op.....13,092
Total.....45,106

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City manager interviews continue

Interviews have begun for the position of City Manager of Colorado City.

So far members of the City Council have interviewed four of the candidates whose resumes were chosen, in order of preference, from among all of those submitted.

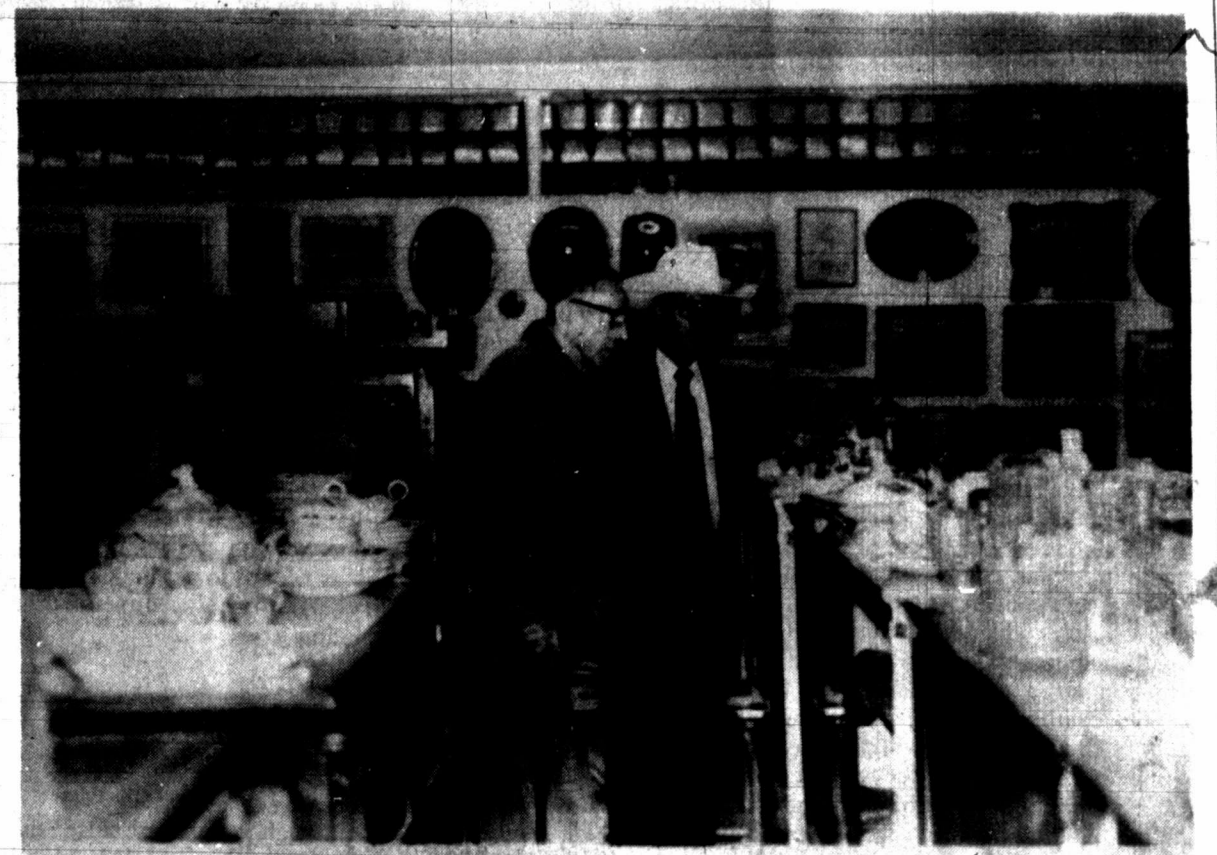
Candidates interviewed include Kenneth Neal of Anson, James H. Pratt of Ingleside, Eric Kuykendall of Gun Barrell City, and Buddy Foster of Pecos.

Three of the candidates, Joseph M. Gambill Jr. of Highland Village, Charles E. Northington of

Mineral Wells, and Tommy Phillips of Sundown, have declined to be interviewed, according to Interim City Manager Glenna Garrett. Those declining cited either a change of plans or insufficient salary offer as the basis for their decisions.

Kenneth Marin, from Lubbock, is scheduled for an interview on Friday evening at 5:30 p.m., and Bud Moore, from Madisonville, is scheduled for an interview at 1 p.m. on Saturday.

Interviews are pending on the remaining candidates.



Don Neumann, right, and L.B. Elliott study some of the artifacts which will soon be moved to the new location of the Colorado City Historical Museum. Neumann, a museum display consultant, was invited by members of the Museum Board to view the old and new facilities and to give advice on establishing and maintaining the museum.

Consultant was impressed by local museum's potential

Don Neumann, a museum exhibit consultant from Austin, offered praise, optimism, and valuable advice for the potential of the Colorado City Historical Museum during his visit to the facilities on Saturday.

Neumann received a Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree from the University of Texas and then worked for three and one half years with the University Art Museum.

For the next 16 and one half years, before embarking on his present career, he worked for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, where he was in charge of exhibits in state parks, forts, historic homes, Spanish Missions, and natural history sites.

The consultant, who was hired by members of the museum's board of directors, at no cost to the City, spent the day on Saturday dispensing advice to board members on every imaginable aspect of establishing and maintaining a successful museum.

He toured both the present and future facilities, took a rough inventory of the museum's assets, and declared that Colorado City's museum compares very favorably with other county museums.

The future location, the Kiker-Scale property, he saw as very adaptable to the purposes of the museum. He noted the availability of storage, both inside the facility in the upstairs area, and outside, in the spacious garages.

He said he saw no reason why the museum would not be a valuable asset and tourist attraction, and he mentioned that over 70% of tourists who come to Texas come to see historical sites and museums.

He recommended that signs be placed where they would be visible from I20, advertising the presence of the museum once it is ready to open.

Neumann said that there are enough items to enable the staff of the museum to change the displays on a regular basis for years to come.

A regular change, he explained, is necessary to allow items to "rest," in storage, in an environment free from dust, moisture, and light.

Items which are constantly on display have a tendency not to last as long as those which are given these periodic rests. Clothing for example, he said, can actually split from the stress of hanging for long

periods of time on display mannequins.

Until fairly recently, within the last twenty years or so, little or nothing was known about the preservation of museum items...like the need to store certain organic items in acid-free conditions, the need to provide rest from periods of hanging on mannequins, and the need to shield fluorescent lights.

Fluorescent light, Neumann said, is the second most harmful sort of light as far as deterioration of museum pieces is concerned. The first is sunlight.

Existing fluorescent lights can be shielded with ultraviolet filter sleeves, he said, but he recommends that they be replaced with incandescent track lighting. The latter can highlight certain pieces at certain times, and be turned away from them, or dimmed, at other times.

In addition to those practical safety features, incandescent track lights can also be used to set different moods for different displays, Neumann said, by being dimmed, brightened, or coated with

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County unemployment shows slight decrease

The Texas Employment Commission has released its figures for employment and the percentage of unemployment in the state for the month of December, 1990.

The figures for Mitchell County are the most favorable for the entire year of 1990, with the exception of the month of October, when this county's unemployment rate dropped to 4.5%.

Mitchell County's December, 1990 unemployment rate was 5.7%.

The complete set of relevant figures for the month of December, 1990 are: 3,570 in the civilian labor force; 3,365 employed; and 205 unemployed; for an

unemployment rate of 5.7%.

November, 1990 figures for Mitchell County were: 3,610 in the civilian labor force; 3,377 employed; and 233 unemployed; for an unemployment rate of 6.5%.

In October, the month of 1990 with the lowest unemployment rate in Mitchell County, the figures were: 3,582 in the civilian labor force; 3,421 employed; and 161 unemployed; for an unemployment rate of 4.5%.

Howard County had a 4.4% unemployment rate in December, 1990; Scurry County had a 4.5% unemployment rate; and Nolan County had a 6.9% unemployment rate.



Soon, some lucky troops in the Persian Gulf will have several boxes of delicious Girl Scout cookies. Representatives of Girl Scout Troops 244 and 250, and of Brownie Troop 152, are sending the cookies, along with a large greeting card, shown at center, inside of which are several messages and pictures of the girls. Shown left to right are, on the back row: Melissa Goss; Sara Ortiz, troop leader; Shea Ortiz and Shawne Ortiz. On the front row, from left are: Sarah Ortiz; Wesley Ortiz; and Amy DeLoera.

Mitchell County receives mixed drink sales tax

AUSTIN -- State Comptroller John Sharp Tuesday sent checks totaling \$11.7 million to 219 counties and 446 cities that tax mixed drink sales.

The checks represent the counties' and cities' share of the state's 14 percent mixed drink tax collected during October, November and December of 1990.

Sharp said that the state collected \$56.6 million in mixed drink taxes during the fourth quarter of 1990, up 23 percent from \$46 million in 1989's fourth quarter.

Counties received \$6.1 million compared to \$5.7 million received

during the same three-month period of 1989. Cities received \$5.6 million, up from the \$5.4 million received last year during those months.

The state's General Revenue Fund received \$44.9 million, up 29 percent from 1989's fourth quarter collection of \$34.9 million.

"That increase doesn't mean that Texans drank more last year than they did in 1989," Sharp said. "Revenue is up because the state raised the gross receipts tax from 12 to 14 percent, effective July

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Census figures released

WASHINGTON -- The U.S. Bureau of the Census has tallied preliminary 1990 census figures for Texas counties, U.S. Senator Phil Gramm reported.

The census figures could change from now until July 15, 1991. Some counties might contest the preliminary figures and will have an opportunity to do so.

The preliminary census figures

for Mitchell and some nearby counties are as follows:

- Mitchell - 8,051
- Howard - 32,343
- Nolan - 16,954
- Scurry - 18,634
- Midland - 106,611
- Sterling - 1,438
- Coke - 3,424
- Borden - 799
- Fisher - 4,842.

MUSEUM

various colored gels. Members of the Museum Board encountered many problems in this museum similar to those mentioned by Neumann. There is fluorescent lighting in the present facility, and several items of clothing have split from having hung on mannequins.

The talented volunteers have repaired much of the damage, however, by careful laundering of yellowed clothing items and expert, practically invisible mending of many of the splits.

Volunteers have also carefully ironed those clothes which they have laundered and mended, and many of them appear just as good as new.

Another problem the consultant pointed out was the fact that the old photographs owned by the Museum did not have back-up negatives.

Volunteers said they would begin the process of photographing the pictures in order that the museum would have the negatives in case of emergency.

Mannequins which display clothing should be covered with form-fitting muslin or clear mylar, Neumann said, and the clothing should never be pinned in place. Volunteers working at the museum have discovered several instances in which clothing was pinned, even tacked, in place, causing some of the stains and tears which they have been working to remedy.

Neumann made an interesting suggestion regarding mannequins. He told of a process by which molds can be made of the faces, even the bodies, of local citizens, and mannequins made which will resemble them, thereby giving the museum an even more regional flavor.

He noted that paper or cardboard cards should never actually touch the surface of a painting or photograph, as the surface will be discolored at the location where the card touches it.

Many museums use this system, of cards on items displayed, to state origin and content, and the Colorado City Museum was no exception.

For the most part, however, damage has been minimal and repairable.

At the new location of the museum, Neumann suggested, there should be cards, placed on pedestals, which give descriptions of several items in a given area, and individual cards should be used as little as possible, and then should be placed below or to the side of the object, and should be brief and blend into the background.

If visitors to the museum are interested in learning about donors, or about detailed history of items, Neumann said, a donor's book could provide that information.

Neumann made some suggestions regarding the cleaning and preservation of metal, leather, and wood pieces. He recommended an inert wax, used by most museums around the world, which seals, and prevents any further deterioration to items after they are cleaned to as near their original state as possible.

A bonus of this wax, known as Renaissance Wax, is that it seals wood which might contain insects, killing them and preventing them from doing any more damage.

Neumann made some recommendations regarding items which might best be left out of the new museum. Some stuffed and mounted animals, and some animal skins, for example, he noted not only were coming apart, but also did not have anything to do with the Mitchell County area.

He said that the best thing that a museum of this type could do would be to tell a story...the story of the area, the people, the industries, the chronology and development.

This covers a very wide range of possibilities and encompasses the majority of the artifacts presently owned by the museum, but there still will be some objects, Neumann said, which have nothing to do with the story, and which might be donated or traded to other museums, or sold to raise funds.

He believes that almost nothing ever should be simply thrown away.

Certain items presently owned by the museum are unidentified, and there are plans to enlist the aid of Mitchell County residents in the future to learn as much about those

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items as possible, and to see if they contribute to the overall theme.

Neumann determined that certain display cases being used at the Museum's present location would not be adaptable to the layout at the new location. Some are not airtight, for example, and some are too low for the comfort of those who would wish to view the contents.

He plans to send, in a few weeks, a written synopsis of his recommendations, to include placement of displays; and of shelves, some of which must be built; along with an estimated cost for all of the work which needs to be done.

Neumann said that in his experience working with other museums he has found that local citizens who have specific talents are usually happy to volunteer those talents for the good of the museum, and that the possibility exists that citizens of Mitchell County will volunteer to do such jobs as building the needed shelves.

Board members were pleased with Neumann's visit, and look forward to his return. He plans to return once all of the artifacts are moved from the present location to the new location of the museum, and work with the volunteers as long as needed to get the Colorado City Historical Museum in operation.

TAX

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1,1990. Although the increase raised the state's percentage of the mixed drink tax, the portion allocated to local areas stayed the same.

Under state law allowing the sale of mixed drinks, Texas cities and counties each receive a 10.7143 percent share (remittance) of the state tax collected on mixed drinks sold within their boundaries.

The mixed drink tax is collected by the Alcoholic Beverage Commission. City and county tax rebates are sent out quarterly by Sharp's office.

Here are the figures for Colorado City and Mitchell County: Total county tax revenue: \$4,117.40 County's remittance: \$441.15 Total city tax revenue: \$3,106.11 City's remittance: \$332.80.

VFW Ladies Auxiliary meets

At the recent meeting of VFW Post 9178 Ladies Auxiliary, members decided to give "love gifts" to each member who is in the hospital.

A love gift was sent to Club President Lynn Hardy who has been ill for the past two weeks.

Members were also advised that Frances Smith of Big Spring, formerly of Colorado City, is in a Lubbock hospital suffering from leukemia. They also learned that Jeremy Taylor is in a San Antonio hospital, and is expected to be there for at least three months.

The child is unable to get treatment for a bone marrow transplant at this time due to his low blood count.

Members sent love and get-well wishes to Tresa Newby, a member who is on the sick list.

Anyone who wishes to receive a yellow bow to honor service personnel was asked to call Lou Williams at 728-5503.

Members present at the recent meeting included Bonnie Story, Lou Williams, Laura Wilson, Nellie Bunch, Joan Huff, Molly Smith, Alene Hill, and Senior Vice President Audrey Wilson.

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Plague outbreak is limited to wild animals

Blood samples of wild animals from Mitchell County, tested recently by El Paso offices of Public Health Region 3 of the Texas Department of Health, have shown positive for the presence of bubonic plague.

Orville Starritt, local trapper from Coahoma, and animal damage control official for the Lubbock branch of USDA, reported to County Judge Ray Mayo recently that four coyotes trapped in the northwest portion of the County, samples of whose blood were sent to be tested, had tested positive for the disease.

According to a news release from Texas Department of Health, El Paso, Mitchell County has been one of the 14 counties out of 45 tested which has been positive for plague since 1989, when it was first reported positive.

Primarily a disease of wild rodents, the news release states, plague can be transmitted to humans by direct contact with infected animals or dead animal carcasses, and by the bites of infected fleas.

Cases of plague in humans in Texas are rare, but the disease remains a threat.

Some recommended precautions are: stay away from squirrels, prairie dogs, wild rabbits, other wild animals, and sick or dead wild animals; keep dogs and cats confined to the owner's premises and free from fleas; report any wild animal "die offs" to the Texas Department of Health/Division of Zoonosis Control.

Doctor Alfred Vardeman, local veterinarian, said on Tuesday that no domestic farm or ranch pets have shown positive for the presence of bubonic plague.

Garrett attends seminar

Interim City Manager Glenna Garrett presently is attending a Municipal Election Law Seminar in Austin, at the Doubletree Hotel.

The two and one-half day seminar, which continues through Friday, February 1, is presented by the Texas Municipal Clerks Association, of which Ms. Garrett is a member. Her attendance is sponsored by the City.

Ms. Garrett is studying to become a certified municipal clerk, a State-recognized certification which, Ms. Garrett says, takes approximately five years of study to earn.

Topics covered in the seminar include absentee voting procedures; appointment, training and duties of locally appointed elections judges and clerks; election calendars; legislative, legal, and administrative updates; and election inspectors and watchers.

Hospital Board to meet

The Board of Directors of the Mitchell County Hospital District will meet in called session at 6 p.m. on Thursday, January 31, in the Conference Room of Mitchell County Hospital in Colorado City.

The subject matter of the called session will be as follows:

Approval of "Patient's Rights: Refusing Treatment Policy" and "Patient's Rights to Refuse Treatment Procedure."

Consideration of insurance payments to Dr. Kreisinger.

Physician recruitment report.

Closed door session:

Terms of physician recruitment.

Personnel matters/QA.

Purchase and/or sale of property.

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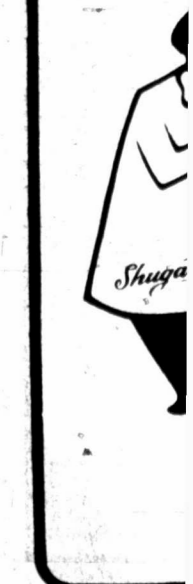
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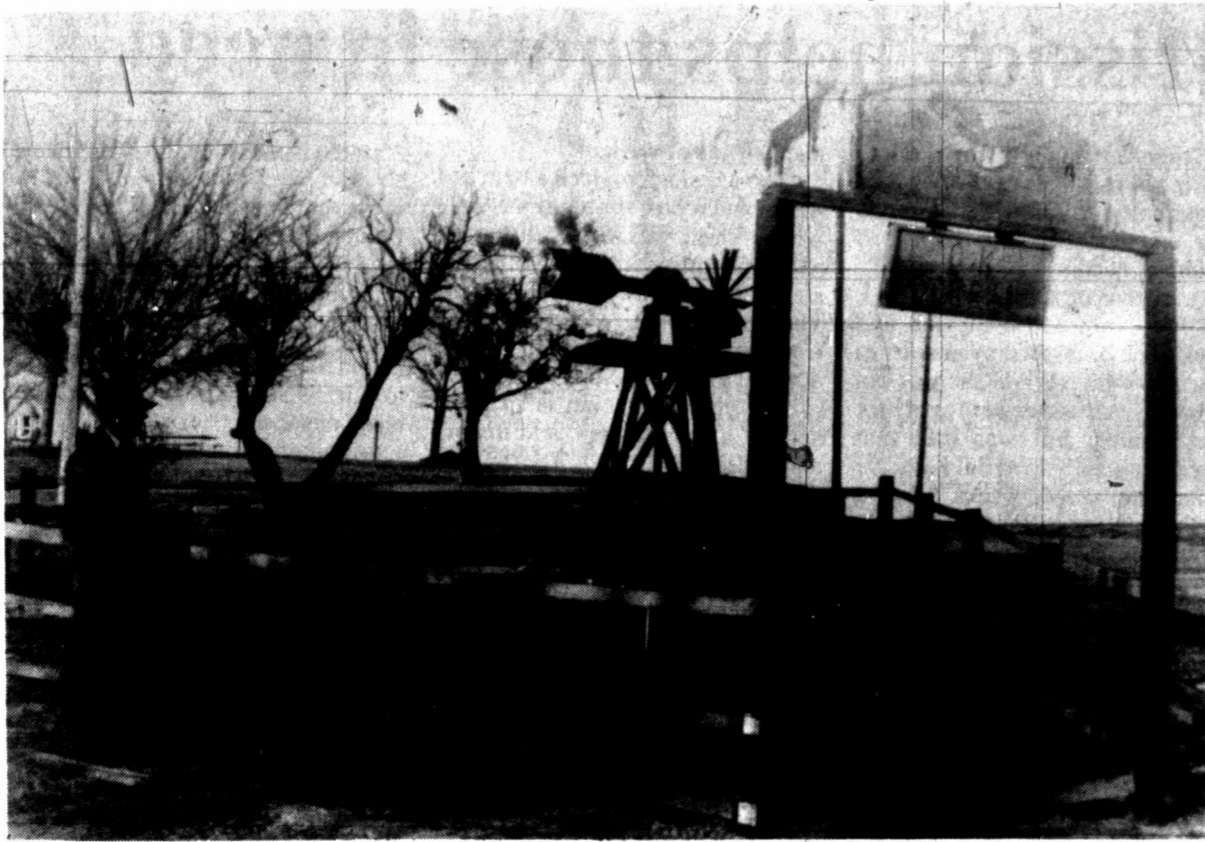
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Walter Mitchell surveys the site of the recent cattle rustling at the O.K. Corral. Mitchell, who works as a caretaker at Ruddick Park, had placed three cows and one calf in the corral, and they have been taken, perhaps by a band of hungry cattle rustlers. Since the cattle were made of wood, one can only assume that the rustlers have strange appetites. Mitchell would like to replace the cattle, and hopes that the rustlers will be considerate enough not to take the new ones. After all, if the cattle stay in the corral, everyone can enjoy them.

Native plants seminar set

The Colorado City Garden Club, in conjunction with the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce, the Mitchell County Library, and several area businesses, will sponsor a seminar on March 7th on "Landscaping With Native Plants." The seminar will be presented by Mary Buchanan of Texas Star Garden, a native plant nursery near Abilene. Ms. Buchanan will present

slides showing several different types of native plants, which do not require pesticide, fertilizer, or lots of water, and are therefore much easier to use in landscaping. Door prizes at the seminar will be wildflowers donated by Neff's Nursery. The Mitchell County Library will have on display, in conjunction with the seminar, several books on native plants and

wildflowers, and Marsha Burrus of Colorado Floral will demonstrate the creating of a dried arrangement of native plants. The seminar, which is open to the public, will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 7, in the C.C. Thompson Room of City National Bank. There is no charge for the seminar, and the public is encouraged to attend.

Barclay hosts homemakers

The Looney Homemakers Club met on Wednesday, January 23, with Eddie Barclay as hostess. Angie Harris opened the meeting by leading members in prayer. The Recreation was conducted by Ruth Holman, and Lonie Pruitt

gave the Council Report. Members responded to roll call by telling what they intended to contribute to the Club this year. Lou Ella Hall presented the lesson on "Ten Golden Rules of Time Management." The rules are as follows:

1. Understand the value of your time.
2. Make plans.
3. Prioritize.
4. List projects to do.
5. Budget your time.
6. Be flexible.
7. No way. (Learn to say no.)
8. Check your calendar.
9. Perfectly imperfect.
10. Help!

Those present were Corene Barnett, Ruth Holman, Linnie Williams, Angie Harris, Lou Ella Hall, Etta Lee Gibson, Lonie Pruitt, Madge Shepherd, Eddie Barclay, Neva Harmon, and Billie Sannheim, a new member. Neva Harmon was the hostess gift.

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted January 25
Richard Hintz, Texarkana, obsv; Abby Havner, Snyder, surgery; Kim Hoops, Snyder, medical; Juana Garcia, Loraine, medical; Dottie Darden, City, medical; Brenda Garcia, City, surgery.
January 26
Blanche Nolan, City, medical.
January 27
Cleon Williams, City, medical; Betty Lee, City, medical; Bobby Rhea, City, medical.
January 28

Andrew Faulks, Loraine, medical.
Patients Dismissed January 25
Ben Costin, City, medical; Warren Costin, City, surgery; Rachel Wallace and Baby, Snyder, obs.; Jeremy Epperson, City, medical.
January 26
Dora Guerrero, City, obs.; Richard Hintz, Texarkana, obsv.; Lola Inez Oliver, City, medical.
January 28
Abbie Havner, Snyder, medical; Brenda Garcia, City, surgery.

Births

Jonathan James Wallace, Jr., son of James and Rachel Wallace of Snyder, was born January 21, 1991, at 6:40 pm at Mitchell County Hospital. He weighed 10 lbs. 1 oz.



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Tax evasion project announced by Sharp

AUSTIN, Tex. -- "We're going to the truck stops, the convenience stores and the wholesale fuel distributors of Texas, cracking down on unscrupulous businesses which cheat both the state and federal government out of the motor fuels taxes they collect on the retail sale of gasoline and diesel," State Comptroller John Sharp said today.

Sharp announced that he has signed an agreement with the Federal Highway Administration to operate a joint "Motor Fuels Tax Evasion Project" in cooperation with the Internal Revenue Service and Texas' neighboring states.

"The taxes on gasoline are too high already," Sharp said. "For every gallon of gas a Texas motorist buys, 30 cents of that now goes for state and federal motor fuels taxes. Every year the Comptroller's office collects over \$1 billion as the state's share of those taxes."

"The illegal profits in fuels tax cases are enormous and therefore quite lucrative," Sharp said. "Often we trace the money to out-of-state investments and foreign bank accounts."

"As the foreman of one of the recent grand juries stated after hearing the evidence on a fuel tax case, 'This is more profitable than selling drugs and not nearly as risky.'"

"Well, now we're going all-out to find and prosecute those who create an unfair market advantage at the gasoline pump and cheat taxpayers in the process," Sharp said.

Sharp announced that Texas now joins Indiana and New Jersey as the first three "lead" states to enter into the five-year state-federal project to conduct motor fuels tax audits. Texas will also cooperate with neighboring New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana to investigate motor fuels tax fraud cases.

Under terms of the cooperative agreement, which includes a \$50,000 Federal Highway Administration grant to the state, the Comptroller's office will assign six auditors to investigate fuels tax violations. The IRS will also assign six auditors. The auditors will be stationed in both Comptroller and IRS offices in Dallas, Houston and San Antonio, but will operate statewide.

During a 28-month period ending August 1990, the Comptroller's office conducted over 250 fuels tax audits, discovering more than \$145 million in unpaid state taxes, an average of \$576,000 per case.

In addition, the Comptroller's Office has referred 45 criminal cases to the Travis County District Attorney's Office for felony prosecution of state fuels tax violations. Twenty-four individuals have been indicted and 12 convicted since the Comptroller stepped-up enforcement of the motor fuels tax law in 1989.

There are over 15,000 gasoline and diesel permit holders in Texas.

We salute

The Colorado City Record salutes the following men and women in the United States Armed Forces who are serving in Saudi Arabia or in the Persian Gulf during the Mideast crisis. Join us in showing our support as they serve our country. Let them know we are proud of them and that we have not forgotten them!



Alan D. Howell, the son of Annita Howell and of Jerry B. Howell, both of Colorado City, is stationed on the Saratoga.

Write him as follows:
Alan D. Howell
Strike Fighter Squadron - 81
FPO Miami, Florida
34099-6216

Mission helps those in need

There are many heartwarming stories to tell about the Community Mission of Colorado City, and those whom it has helped in time of need.

A mother of three, for instance, had been injured on the job and required physical therapy in order to return to work. While she was out of work, she was forced to apply for food stamps, but was told that governmental help would not be available for several weeks.

She applied to the Mission for help, and was given enough food to provide for her and her children until then.

In another case, a woman, whose job required her to travel, found that there was not enough money in her budget for adequate food after the recent gasoline price hike.

The Mission provided her with food, and she was able to seek

another line of work. The Mission provided a twin bed frame and a box spring to a couple whose child was being bitten by ants and other insects while she slept on a mattress on the floor. The couple also received a chair from among items which had been donated to the Mission.

Children's clothing is in short supply at the Mission, and donors are needed.

The Mission was able to provide some help for a family whose children's winter clothing had been stolen, but was able to provide only a few items of clothing for the school age children of a mother who had been injured on her job, and was unable to provide any clothing at all for the woman's three year old child.

Perhaps there are those in Mitchell County to whom the

Mission has a bad name. According to the Reverend Jon Farris, however, that bad name may well be undeserved.

The Mission's policy is to limit lodging to one night in a 30-day period, except in cases of emergency crisis. Every exception to this rule must be approved by a board member.

Another policy of the Mission is to offer assistance only to those transients who submit to and pass a criminal history check. Any who do not clear this check are told to leave town.

Also a part of Mission policy is the fact that no person using alcohol or non-prescription drugs is permitted to stay.

The Community Mission of Colorado City welcomes and accepts any donations of food, clothing, or money.

Tabor receives certificate

A certificate of appreciation was presented to former resident JoAnn G. Shackelford Tabor in recognition and appreciation of 15 years of loyal and conscientious service by the 3M Co. of St. Paul, Minn.

The 3M Plant in Brownwood, Texas is the manufacturer of reflective highway products, license plate sheeting and reflective fabrics that is distributed nation-wide.

Texas Tech releases Dean's List

LUBBOCK--More than 2,600 Texas Tech University students qualified for academic honors lists based on final grades reported for the 1990 fall semester.

Students making the President's List earned a perfect 4.0 grade-point-average. Dean's List recipients earned a 3.5-3.9 grade-point-average during the semester. To qualify for the honor, students had to be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours of class work.

The fall academic honor students include: Joel Reese Moore, major in Mechanical Engineering, Dean's list; Cary Shane Ritchey, major in Finance, Dean's list; Melinda Beth Conner, major undecided, President's list.

Local students receive degrees from Texas Tech

LUBBOCK--More than 2,000 Texas Tech University students received degrees during fall 1990 commencement exercises with keynote speaker John Scovell chairman and director of Dallas-based Woodbine Development Corp. Among the August and December graduates receiving diplomas were: Robert Edward Lemons, Bachelor of Science and Joel Lee Ritchey, Bachelor of Fine Arts.

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The year was 1890 and the Mitchell County Commissioners' Court decided to sell the Texas and Pacific Railroad. That's right, sell it! Our story begins when a dispute arose over the value of the 32.35 miles of railroad which stretched across Mitchell County.

The commissioners' court, comprised of the honorable W. C. McCallum, county judge; and R.H. Griffin, Sr.; A. Petty; J.S. McWilliams; and D.N. Arnett, commissioners, said the T&P oughta be paying more taxes. In 1889 the railroad had paid taxes on valuations of \$7,121. For the year 1890, the commissioners figured \$15,000 per mile, plus equipment and property, would be a better deal.

The attorney for the Texas and Pacific, J.D. Martin, just about went through the courthouse roof. He and the company's tax agent, H.C. Withers, couldn't believe their ears. Understandably, the two asked for a court hearing in order to get an injunction from District Judge William Kennedy. The hearing was set for February 28, 1890, which was one day prior to the county's proposed sale of the railroad.

When the proceedings got underway, Martin argued that when his company met before the Board of Equalization, on July 1, 1889, there were no questions about raising the value. The following day, Martin said, "Without any additional testimony, the value was increased to \$15,000 per mile."

"It's not just unfair, it's unreasonable, unjust and oppressive," Martin pontificated.

He claimed the county was in debt ("by about \$100,000") and he had reason to believe "some influential citizens of the county had tried to get the Board of Equalization to fix the assessment at \$25,000 per mile."

But, Martin and his T&P client were reasonable people. They had offered to pay their taxes, all \$2,021.80 of them, on values of \$6,410 per mile. Now, here was Mitchell County insisting on \$4,731.17 in taxes, or \$15,000 per mile.

In concluding this argument before Judge Kennedy, Martin pointed out "the proposed sale of the railroad will destroy the railroad's road, which is 800 miles long and is worth millions of dollars."

Responding to the railroad's accusations was local attorney, R. H. Looney, who represented the county.

"The board arrived at its values in a fair and honest means and after a thorough investigation without undue influence," Looney rebutted. As for the charges by the railroad that influential citizens tried to get the county to increase the Texas and Pacific's taxes, just the opposite was true, Looney said.

"Influential citizens presented a petition and many came in person, asking the board to reduce the T&P taxes," Looney told the court.

"They said Colorado City and Mitchell County wanted to get other railroads and we should not tax them at the value of their property, but instead, offer inducements by reducing their taxation," Looney added.

Judge Kennedy, despite the persuasive appeal by Looney, granted the injunction thus prohibiting Mitchell County from selling the railroad.

The dispute dragged on for more than four months. Then, on July 10, 1890, an agreement was reached. Court records show the case was "compromised and settled before the Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County."

How did the county fare in its battle with the railroad? It lost. Minutes of the commissioners state that \$6,500 per mile was agreed upon by both parties. That was only an increase of \$90 per mile for the county. Whereas the railroad paid \$2,021.80 in taxes in 1889, they would have to pay \$2,157.42 in 1890, an increase of only \$135.62.

Of course the county had to pay court expenses, plus whatever fee Looney charged. So, it's safe to assume the commissioners, and the taxpayers of the county, lost money on the deal.

There is a final irony to the interesting case. A note, scrawled in pencil by the railroad's tax agent, H.C. Withers, reads:

"If the court will compromise on the basis of \$6,500 per mile for road and \$910 per mile for rolling stock for the year 1890, I will agree to pay \$250 of lawyer's fees and dismiss the suit of T&P Railway versus Mitchell County." Signed, H.C. Withers.

In other words, the railroad was ready to settle in February for what the county finally agreed to in July. And the railroad would have paid the attorney's fees.

And that's what happened when the county tried "working on the railroad" in 1890.

The City National Bank

of Colorado City, Texas

CHARTER NUMBER 5276
SOUTHWESTERN DISTRICT

Report of Condition

Consolidated domestic and foreign subsidiaries of The City National Bank of Colorado City in the state of Texas, at the close of business on December 31, 1990 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number 05276 Comptroller of the Currency Southwestern District.

ASSETS

Cash and balances due from depository institutions	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	2,542
Interest-bearing balances	137
Securities	34,398
Federal funds sold	10,200
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	22,951
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	295
Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	22,656
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	643
Other real estate owned	348
Other assets	1,292
Total assets	72,216

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices	63,694
Noninterest-bearing	5,751
Interest-bearing	57,943
Other liabilities	721
Total liabilities	64,415

EQUITY CAPITAL

Common stock	250
Surplus	500
Undivided profits and capital reserves	7,051
Total equity capital	7,801
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	72,216

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Robert G. Alford Tom Rees Joe H. Morren

I, George Womack, Vice President & Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
George Womack
January 28, 1990

The City National Bank Stockholders, Officers, and Employees take this opportunity to thank you for making this progressive statement of condition possible. We pledge our continued effort to be Mitchell County's strong, progressive bank.

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February Festivals & Events

The following events, selected by Michelle Weber at the Tourism Division of the Texas Department of Commerce, are but a few of the many excellent opportunities offered by communities across the state.

February 1 - Cowboy Breakfast, San Antonio. This early morning breakfast at Central Park Mall attracts some 15,000 hungry visitors. Chow down on breakfast tacos, hot biscuits with gravy and coffee. Entertainment by the Fire On the Mountain Cloggers and Carolyn Steele and Southern Fever. For more information, contact Audrey Nelson, North San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, 45 N.E. Loop 410, Suite 100, San Antonio 78216 (512/344-4848).

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February 1-3 - 95th Southwestern Exposition, Livestock Show and Rodeo, Fort Worth. Saddle up the whole family for this western-flavored extravaganza. Will Rogers Memorial Center will be filled with prize livestock displays, horse shows, midway and specialty acts, along with innovative entertainment from around the world. Participants are eligible for more than a half a million dollars in show premiums, rodeo purses and educational scholarships. For more information, contact P.O. Box 150, Fort Worth 76101 (817/877-2400).

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February 1-3 - Icicle Cruise, Mineral Wells (20 miles west of Fort Worth). Got a boat? Come float for

three days of fun and special events on scenic Possum Kingdom Lake, 23 miles west of Mineral Wells. The rendezvous begins Friday evening with a boat decorating party. Saturday's boating bonanza kicks off with a brunch and briefing followed by a dinner and dance at a select water stop. Contact Llyoid Adams, P.O. Box 1328, Mineral Wells 78607 (817/325-9411).

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February 1-3 - 60th Texas Citrus Fiesta, Mission. An "a-peeling" celebration! Put on your boots, grab some fruit and celebrate the rich citrus harvest in the subtropical Rio Grande Valley. Thursday is the coronation of fiesta royalty. A costume

style show on Friday features original creations adorned with valley-grown agricultural products. Don't miss Saturday's parade of oranges with spectacular floats made of ruby red grapefruit, oranges, cabbage leaves, palm fronds and other exotic foliage. Saturday's costume style show, carnival, golf tourney, armadillo races and more round out the celebration. For more fruit and facts, contact the Texas Citrus Fiesta, P.O. Box 407, Mission 78572 (512/585-9724).

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February 1-3 - Texas Trail Ride Kickoff, Moulton (20 miles North West of Halettsville). Any modern-day settler can sign up and saddle up for an old-fashioned journey that winds through the central Texas hill country and ends at the San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo's grand opening. Five to six hundred riders gather Friday evening at the campsite

before the Saturday morning ride kicks off. There won't be a shoot-out if any cowpoke must end his or her ride anytime during the five-day journey. For more trail ride information, contact Harry Corliss, Route 1, Box 176, Garwood 77442 (409/758-3516).

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February 1-10 - 62nd Southwestern Livestock Show and Rodeo, El Paso. Hi-Ho- Hi-Ho! Off to the rodeo more than 45,000 fans will go. For 10 days, more than 860 of the country's top cowboys and cowgirls will gather in the County Coliseum to compete in bull, bareback, saddle and bronc riding, team and calf roping and barrel racing events. A host of livestock exhibitions and competitions, six horse shows, a chili cookoff, agricultural and commercial displays, the Southwestern Country Market and Fair featuring arts, crafts, exotic animals, children's barmyard, Western art contest and stick-horse rodeo are also a part of the rodeo agenda. Contact Livestock Show and Rodeo Office, P.O. Box 10239, El Paso 79993 (915/532-1401).

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February 1-12 - Mardi Gras, Galveston. "A Salute to Hollywood" is the theme celebrated this year by the island city. This dazzling 11-day salute to Hollywood includes tasty cuisine, dozens of parades, a fun run, a host of opulent masked balls, intriguing art exhibits, showings of Hollywood classics, glitzy costumes, celebrity look-alikes and contests along with top level entertainment. The famed Quaker City String Band of Philadelphia will be making its sixth appearance. Don't miss the glittering Momus Grand Night Parade as it winds its way through the streets from Seawall Boulevard to the historic Strand district. The Saturday evening festivities will feature a series of magnificent floats, scores of marching bands, giant walking heads, beads, doubloons and more than 400,000 expected spectators. For more information, contact Dancie Perugini Ware, 3135 Texas Commerce Tower, Houston 77002 (713/224-9115).

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February 8-10 - Cookie Chill Off, Terlingua. Terlingua doesn't stop with chili! Bake with the best at the umpteenth annual cookie-off! Treat your taste buds to no-bake pies, cookies and other desserts. Burn calories by participating in the tortilla toss, story-telling, folk singing sessions, the Chihuahuan Desert Challenge (a mountain bike race) and the Big Bend Bash car rally. For more information, P.O. Box 135, Terlingua 79852 (915/371-2489 or 2234).

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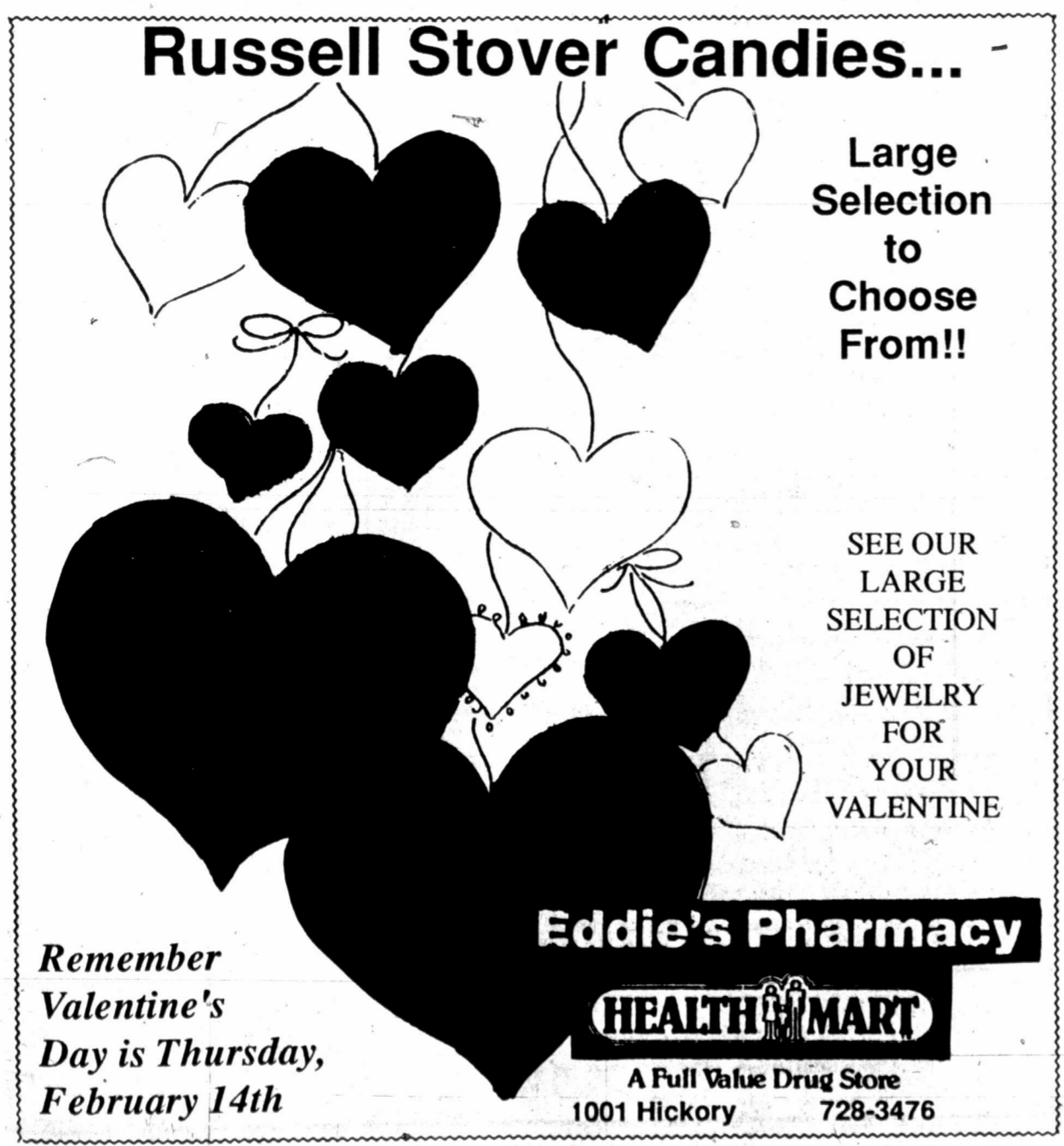
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We are finished with football for now except a few lesser games. The Superbowl is over for another year. I hate that it will be a while before we will get to see a game as good as that one was. Anyway Everson Walls and his team won, well with the help of Anderson and company. You didn't really think the Bills would win did you. Basketball is getting near the end but then we will have baseball, see you there.

Our girls beat Westbrook last week and we hope they are back on track. I feel sure they are, after that win. The sad story is that our boys got beat and guys, we don't need anymore of that. You work a little harder. We want to win district before this season ends. We know you can do it. Good Luck.

Stella Harris home from El Paso where she saw a doctor. She doesn't know the results of her tests yet but they will send them to her home town doctor as soon as they finish with them.

Billy Doyle Mayes is home this week visiting his parents, Doyle & Liz Mayes. He will be here until Friday then fly out of Midland to go back to Ft. Benning, Georgia and he will be there a little while for processing. He will be shipped overseas after that.

Tod, Debbie, John & Shannon Line are also visiting with Doyle, Liz & Billy. Debbie is Doyle & Liz's daughter and Billy's sister. After the Mayes see Billie off they will take the Line family to Temple Sunday.

Tommy Brown of Sweetwater also visited with the Mayes on Saturday. He is a son of Doyle & Liz and Debbie and Billy's brother. They said they had a good time. I am glad Billy got home.

We went to lunch in Colorado City after church Sunday with Grady & Elnora Mitchell. While there we saw Eddie & Nora Galvan, Roland & Patsy Graham and several Colorado City people we knew.

I have another item about Billy

Mayes which is probably his best news. His fiancée flew with him and met his family. Her name is Tafia Dominguez. She lives in San Martini, California.

With so many things happening, I can hardly keep my thoughts together. This ongoing war and with so many hometown young men and women being involved, it is something we must turn over to the Lord. Only he can change things through much prayer.

My information tells me that our beautiful A.D. Vasquez has been sent to Saudi Arabia. A.D., we hope for you the very best.

Joe & Lois Price of Snyder visited his Aunt Nannie Hallmark last Sunday afternoon at our Nursing center.

Ronald & Nelda Bruce spoke to their son and his wife a few times while they visited their grandson at their home in Lubbock. They probably asked how the adults were and then turned the rest of the weekend over to the grandbaby. How do I know that-I have four very dear ones.

One of Junior and Dorothy Green's granddaughters wrote them a letter telling them they had not seen them in two weeks and why didn't they come to see them. They got up early Sunday morning and spent the day in Lubbock. What grandparents won't do for the kids.

Chrystene Britton rode down to Lewisville last weekend to visit Trey, Jana and Jordan Halloway. She went with the Dwight Aston family of Abilene. The Aston took Tod to Rockwell where he took part in a gymnastic tournament on Friday. On Saturday they were in Arlington where Mark played in a tennis tournament.

Helen McLeod of Snyder brought her mother Jean Haggerton to visit Saturday afternoon. I really did enjoy their visit even though we had to sit in the pick-up as Jean cannot climb up & down steps as yet. Terry has built ramps over the steps at Jean's house so she can manage that with a little help from

Johnnie Mac. Enjoyed their visit.

Our high school ball teams will play Trent on our court tonight. Let's win.

Gene & Chrystene Britton's grandson, Scott Aston made the fall semester's Presidents List at Kerrville College. He is the son of Dwight and Carla Aston of Abilene.

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Veteran tax liability clarification announced

According to Bertie Kidd, the Veterans County Service Officer in Mitchell County, The Department of Veterans Affairs has announced a clarification of two issues concerning tax liability for veterans who are entitled to VA disability compensation and also eligible for either retirement pay or disability severance pay from the military.

Normally, military retirement pay based on age or length of military service is taxable income and reported to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). However, if all or a portion of the veteran's retirement pay is waived due to receipt of VA disability compensation, the veteran's taxable income is reduced by an amount equal to VA compensation. This means the veteran would normally pay less taxes based on a reduced gross taxable income.

However, VA officials have informed that IRS was unable to credit some veterans who had waived their retired pay for VA compensation because the award letters provided by VA did not provide sufficient information for IRS purposes.

Affected veterans should refile for the exclusion by submitting a completed VA Form 20-8993 or an official VA letter granting retroactive benefits that clearly states "in lieu of VA Form 20-8993" with their annual Federal tax forms.

The second tax liability issue concerns cases where veterans have paid taxes on the total amount of disability severance pay awarded to them by the military and are subsequently awarded VA disability compensation.

In these cases, VA is required to recoup the entire lump sum paid by the military, including the amount paid for taxes. This is generally accomplished by reducing monthly compensation payments by a set amount until the lump-sum military payment is exhausted.

Some veterans erroneously believe they are due a tax refund on that portion of the recoupment paid for taxes. IRS has determined, however, that disability severance pay is taxable income because it is received as a lump-sum payment rather than a monthly disability benefit. IRS has also concluded that no reduction in tax liability would occur if the veteran were subsequently entitled to VA disability benefits for the same disability.

Veterans with questions concerning either of these tax issues should contact the nearest Texas veterans Commission Office, Veterans County Service Office, or VA Regional Office for clarification and guidance.

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The purpose of the Energy Crisis Program is to provide assistance to eligible persons experiencing a bona fide emergency energy-related crisis or energy-related emergency. The purpose of the Weatherization Program is to assist low-income persons by helping to reduce utility bills on a long term basis and addresses only those items dealing strictly with energy conservation such as insulating the attic, weatherstripping, replacing broken window panes, etc.

Those applying for this program must be income eligible according to Income Guidelines as issued by the Secretary of Planning and Evaluations. Priority shall be given to eligible households with persons 60 years or older and/or with handicapped persons. This priority does not exclude other income eligible households.

Applicants should be prepared to furnish proof of residency and citizenship, proof of social security cards of all household members, proof of income, which may consist of: Checks, check stubs, award letters, employer statements, or other similar documents.

A person must apply at TU-Electric Service Company, corner of 4th and Walnut Street, Colorado City, TX, 79512, on the following dates:

Wednesday, January 30, 1991
Thursday, January 31, 1991
Friday, February 1, 1991
from 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

For additional information concerning this program please contact Olga Balderas, ECP Coordinator or Wilbert Gerst, Weatherization Coordinator, 301 West Arkansas Street, Sweetwater, Texas 79556 or call 1-800-592-7433.

REGULATION COPY - COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANKS
CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidiaries)

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK: First State Bank
PO Box 129
Loraine, Texas 79532-0129

STATE BANK NO: 321-27
FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO: 1113 08426

CITY: Loraine COUNTY: MITCHELL STATE: Texas ZIP CODE: 79532-0129 CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE: December 31, 1990

ASSETS	Dollar Amounts in Thousands	Bill	Mil	Thou
1 Cash and balances due from depository institutions:				
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin			202	1a
b. Interest-bearing balances			131	1b
2 Securities			8,142	2
3 Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & in IFBs:				
a. Federal funds sold			250	3a
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell			-0-	3b
4 Loans and lease financing receivables:				
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income			4,010	4a
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses			126	4b
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve			-0-	4c
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)			3,884	4d
5 Assets held in trading accounts			-0-	5
6 Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)			91	6
7 Other real estate owned			9	7
8 Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies			-0-	8
9 Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding			-0-	9
10 Intangible assets			-0-	10
11 Other assets			-0-	11
12 a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)			242	12
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)			13,456	12a
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)			13,456	12c
LIABILITIES				
13 Deposits:				
a. In domestic offices:				
(1) Noninterest-bearing			1,042	13a(1)
(2) Interest-bearing			11,203	13a(2)
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IFBs:				
(1) Noninterest-bearing			-0-	13b(1)
(2) Interest-bearing			-0-	13b(2)
14 Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & in IFBs:				
a. Federal funds purchased			-0-	14a
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase			-0-	14b
15 Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury			-0-	15
16 Other borrowed money			28	16
17 Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases			-0-	17
18 Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding			-0-	18
19 Subordinated notes and debentures			-0-	19
20 Other liabilities			131	20
21 Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)			12,408	21
22 Limited - life preferred stock and related surplus			-0-	22
23 Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding)			-0-	23
24 Common stock (No. of shares):				
a. Authorized			150 M	
b. Outstanding			150 M	
25 Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)			150	25
26 a. Undivided profits and capital reserves			250	26a
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities			763	26b
27 Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments			(95)	27
28 a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)			1,068	28a
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)			-0-	28b
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28.a & 28.b)			1,068	28c
29 Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c)			13,456	29
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:				
1 Standby letters of credit, Total			-0-	MEMO
2 Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a conveyed to others through participations			-0-	1.a
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report, and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.				1.b
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT				
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT			DATE SIGNED	
Adeline Boyd, Cashier			January 25, 1991	
We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief and has been prepared in conformity with official instructions and is true and correct.			AREA CODE/PHONE NO.	
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR			915-732-2211	
Kada Mac McDaniel			Signature Notary Public	
(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) State of Texas Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25 day of January 1991. I certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. CHRISTINE BRITTON, Notary Public, Commission Expires 8-19-94 1994				

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Optimist Basketball Results

January 18-19
Division I - Girls
Ponies, 2: Kristin Ornelas, 2
Angels, 1: Toni Joiner, 1

Stars, 13: Callie Bolin, 13
Rascals, 2: Kristen Ritchey, 2

Division I - Boys
Bees, 16: Lee Ybarra, 10; Jim Bob Hale, 4; John Castillo, 2
Blazers, 4: Cort Arthur, 2; Jerret Wilbourn, 2

Cubs, 6: Erick Petty, 4; Aaron Waldrip, 2
Gators, 0

Bullets, 11: Mario Quintero, 5; Johnny Lopez, 4; Brent Moore, 2
Rockets, 4: Kasey Herrley, 2; Andrew Spear, 2

Division II - Girls
Suns, 19: Sarah Lawson, 7; Johnnie Riggs, 6; Elizabeth Rivera, 4; Sherri Ritchey, 2
T-Birds, 8: Kimberly Sharp, 4; Felsha Biggers, 4

Dolls, 5: Margaret Jameson, 2; Amanda Rivera, 2; Sherri Mays, 1
Babes, 1: Mary Luevanos, 1

Angels, 18: Amber Morris, 14; Jaci Hill, 2; Amanda Cooper, 2
Panthers, 13: Christie Smith, 6; Edwina Ceballos, 4; Kendra Anderson, 2; Michelle Guelker, 1

Division II - Boys
Blazers, 12: Brad Hale, 8; Heath McGaha, 2; Abel Bonilla, 2
Pistons, 10: Windell Mays, 4; Thadd Rich, 2; Brett Hoyle, 2; Richie Culpepper, 2

Celtics, 17: Justin Hill, 15; George Luevanos, 2
Nets, 6: David Stone, 2; Adam Myers, 2; Matt Watlington, 2

Lakers, 11: Bubba Williams, 4; Matt Thackerson, 4; Jeff Ellis, 2; Jeffrey Babb, 1
Hawks, 2: Cade Pharis, 2

Division III
Hawks, 23: Cole Watson, 17; Blake Oden, 2; Josh Stone, 2; Jonathon Castro, 2
76'ers, 19: Jeremiah Munoz, 10; Brad Anderson, 3; Jeremy Grimes, 2; Brandon Atkins, 2; Anthony Aguilar, 2

Spurs, 30: Bear Cooper, 14; Kyle Moore, 6; Billy McKinney, 2; Adam Loy, 6; Gabriel Vasquez, 2
Warriors, 21: Joe Ross Jameson, 9; Cody Carpenter, 5; Lance Dockrey, 3; John Erwin, 2; Joey Babb, 2

Bullets, 36: Zeke Luevanos, 15; Jeremy King, 10; Joe Luevanos, 8; Armando Rivera, 2; Robert Ornelas, 1
Mavs, 20: Brian Williamson, 7; Jaime Gutierrez, 6; Robert Garza, 3; Mike Nall, 2; Ray Martin, 2

Division IV
Stars, 14: Mica Merrell, 6; Melissa Rivera, 6; Brooke Ritchey, 2
Nuggets, 11: Belinda Miles, 3; Misty Jo Perales, 2; Melissa McKinney, 2; Crystal Nelson, 2; Jamie Ellis, 2

Comets, 21: Natalia Mays, 13; Casi Joiner, 6; Krista Ziegler, 2
Diamonds, 18: Kristy Martinez, 8; Mandi Waldrip, 4; Shannon Smith, 3; Patty Lara, 2; Celeste Hargrove, 1

January 25-26
Division I - Girls
Rascals, 4: Priscilla Duran, 2; Kristen Ritchey, 2
Angels, 2: Kim Rivera, 2

Stars, 14: Callie Bolin, 14
Ponies, 6: Kristin Ornelas, 4; Shari Lentz, 2

Division I - Boys
Bees, 10: Lee Ybarra, 8; Chris Vanderslice, 2
Cubs, 8: Ian Bassham, 4; David Pineda, 2; Stan Neff, 2

Blazers, 18: Kevin Wright, 12; Jerret Wilbourn, 4; Jose Perales, 2
Rockets, 2: Ashton Anderson, 2

Gators, 12: Zac Clanton, 4; Chet Erwin, 4; Arthur Reyes, 2; Landon Hammond, 2
Bullets, 4: Mario Quintero, 4

Division II - Girls
Dolls, 8: Margaret Jameson, 2; Brooke Grisham, 2; Cristie Graham, 2; Amanda Rivera, 2
T-Birds, 2: Felsha Biggers, 2

Panthers, 10: Anjanette Morgan, 6; Michelle Guelker, 2; Kendra Anderson, 2
Suns, 6: Jennifer Birmingham, 4; Elizabeth Rivera, 2

Angels, 13: Amber Morris, 7; Amanda Reyes, 4; Samantha Ramirez, 2
Babes, 4: Mary Luevanos, 4

Division II - Boys
Pistons, 15: Thadd Rich, 8; David Huff, 3; Clay Eades, 2; Brett Hoyle, 2
Nets, 10: Matt Watlington, 6; Keith Wilkinson, 2; Adam Myers, 2

Lakers, 26: Bubba Williams, 12; Matt Thackerson, 6; Josh, 4; Jeffrey Babb, 2; Jeff Ellis, 2
Blazers, 24: Brad Hale, 13; Terry Green, 7; Michael Atkins, 2; Robbie Atkins, 2

Hawks, 18: Armando Rocha, 7; Lantz Casey, 4; Cade Pharis, 3; Chris Castro, 2; Kris Morris, 2
Celtics, 17: Justin Hill, 8; Chris B. Bolin, 4; Justin Marshall, 4; Timothy Boyd, 1

Division III
Hawks, 40: Cole Watson, 22; Blake Oden, 6; Adam Wood, 4; Josh Stone, 4; Dee Graham, 2; Javier Quintero, 2
Bullets, 34: Zeke Luevanos, 18; Joe Luevanos, 13; Robert Ornelas, 2; Jeremy King, 1

Mavs, 53: Robert Garza, 17; Jr. Molina, 9; Jaime Gutierrez, 6; Perry Noblett, 7; Sammy Gardea, 6; Ray Martin, 4; Cham Hall, 2
Spurs, 52: Bear Cooper, 23; Kyle Moore, 21; Billy McKinney, 4; Roland Nelson, 2; Bubba Limones, 1; Gabriel Vasquez, 1

Warriors, 35: Cody Carpenter, 13; Joe Ross Jameson, 11; Lance Dockrey, 5; Jebby Forbes, 4; John Erwin, 2
76'ers, 27: Robert Lain, 7; Doug Payne, 5; Brandon Atkins, 4; Jerry Melendez, 3; Jeremy Grimes, 2; Brad Anderson, 2; Charles Ketter, 2; Jeremiah Munoz, 2

Division IV
Nuggets, 21: Crystal Nelson, 9; Jessica Sanford, 4; Melissa McKinney, 4; Misty Jo Perales, 2; Belinda Miles, 2
Comets, 9: Casi Joiner, 2; Cheryl Ortiz, 2; Cinnamon Hampton, 2; Natalia Mays, 2; Amber Kelley, 1

Diamonds, 17: Shannon Smith, 12; Nikol Swann, 3; Patty Lentz, 2
Stars, 14: Melissa Rivera, 11; Mica Merrell, 2; Brooke Ritchey, 1

Team Standings
Division IG - Stars, 2-0; Rascals, 1-1; Ponies, 1-1; Angels, 0-2
Division IB - Bees, 2-0; Blazers, 1-1; Gators, 1-1; Cubs, 1-1; Rockets, 0-2; Bullets, 1-1

Division IIG - Dolls, 2-0; Angels, 2-0; Panthers, 1-1; Suns, 1-1; T-Birds, 0-2; Babes, 0-2
Division IIB - Lakers, 2-0; Hawks, 1-1; Pistons, 1-1; Blazers, 1-1; Celtics, 1-1; Pistons, 0-2
Division III - Hawks, 2-0; Mavs, 1-1; Warriors, 1-1; Bullets, 1-1; Spurs, 1-1; 76'ers, 0-2
Division IV - Nuggets, 1-1; Diamonds, 1-1; Comets, 1-1; Stars, 1-1

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Girls 4-14, Reg. \$25 to \$60. Sale \$12.50 to \$30
Boys 4-20, Reg. \$20 to \$52. Sale \$9.99 to \$25.99. **50% off**
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Toddler 2-4T, Reg. \$7.99 to \$16.99. Sale \$3.99 to \$8.50
Boys 4-20, Reg. \$11 to \$24.99. Sale \$5.50 to \$12.50
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Wolves lose squeaker to Broncos, 50-49

The Colorado City Wolves lost a match that was never so close against the Sonora Broncos, 50-49 in the district race of 6-AAA.

The Lady Wolves did manage to hold on to a first period lead at 11-10. Basket trading then took place as each team scored 15 points each to keep the same differential in the lead to one, 26-25.

The third quarter for the Lady Broncos was the most effective as they scored three more points which proved to be the deciding point factor at the end of the contest.

Controversy did run amuck late in the fourth period as Jennifer Munoz appeared to connect on a 3-

pointer. The referee only gave her a deuce and the end result was the 50-49 Sonora victory.

Scoring for the Lady Wolves were Tracy Hoover, 20; Jennifer Munoz, 8; Elaine McKnight, 8; Veronica Moreno, 5; Angela Biggers, 4; Pat Molina, 2; and Bridgett Bridgford, 2.

In the Junior Varsity contest, the Lady Wolves went into overtime as they were even at the end of regulation at 31-31. The Broncos could do no wrong in the overtime period as they held the Pack scoreless and mustered 8 of their own for a 39-31 win.



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Harlem Entertainers to appear February 15

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes presents the Harlem Entertainers.

The world famous clowns of basketball will appear Friday, February 15, at 7 p.m. at Wolf Gym, where they will play the Colorado City All Stars.

Appearing also that night will be comedians "The Wizard," "Showboat," and "Badnews."

Tickets at the gate will be \$6 for adults and \$4 for children under 12. Advance tickets will cost \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12.

Those wishing to attend are urged to buy tickets early, as a full house is expected.

Tickets can be purchased from FCA members, from the Chamber of Commerce office, at the Colorado Middle School from Mark

Merrill, or from Rick Robinson at Colorado High School.

Wolves pull off win over Sonora, 57-55

The Colorado City Wolves travelled to the desolate town of Sonora to continue their 1990-91 basketball season. Facing a 6'10", 308 pound gargantuan center, the Pack looked as if they may suffer a loss, but when the time came to play, the Wolves put together a 2-point win over the Broncos, 57-55.

The wild Broncos jumped out of the stall early taking a 19-15 first period lead, but the mighty Wolves would be the team to do all the "bucking" as they took the lead late in the second quarter to lead at half time, 30-28.

Going into the last two periods, the Wolves practically tamed the Broncos as Sonora was out scored in the second half, 27-16 for a 57-

55 Wolf victory.

Those scoring in the branding were Robbie Smith, 16; Brandon Raschke, 13; Mark Monroe, 8; Wendell Iglehart, 7; Jeremy Strain, 6; Kevin Green, 5; Jason Lawson, 2.

In the Junior Varsity competition, the Wolves fought long and hard throughout, but the relentless defense of Sonora was just a little much as they managed to domesticate the Pack by a score of 56-54.

Scoring for the Wolves were Jason Blassingame, 24; Doug Conner, 7; David Castillo, 6; Jason Lynch, 5; Jeff Potter, 5; James Franco 3; Greg Parker, 2; and Billy Robinette, 2.

Bulldog girls win big over Wildcats, 48-27

After dropping two basketball games in a row to Roscoe and Blackwell, the Loraine Bulldogs had to prove themselves against cross-county rival, Westbrook on January 25. Although playing aggressive in the first half, the Lady Wildcats felt the bite of the Lady Bulldogs by a score of 48-27.

In the first period of play, the Lady Wildcats "proved" that they could hold their own as the score was in a dead-lock of 10-10.

Going into the second period, the Lady Bulldogs began to wonder what was happening, yet due to solid defense, Westbrook turnovers enabled Loraine to get their offense rolling and slowly, the Lady Dogs began to pull away with the lead. By half-time, the visiting Lady

Bulldogs had a 26-14 advantage.

The real difference of the game came in the third quarter as the Westbrook offense was held scoreless by an extremely stingy defense, and with that, the Lady Bulldogs finished off the Wildcats by the final score of 48-27.

Michi Atkins, scoring machine for Loraine, had a remarkable evening scoring 19 points with 11 boards, and 6 blocked shots, unofficially, to aid in the sweet victory.

Other high-point contributors for the Bulldogs were Michelle Garcia and Christina Lopez who had 8 and 6 points unofficially.

The the Lady Wildcats, high scorers, unofficially, were Chrystal Kelly, 8; and Mayola Rincones, 8.

Home court advantage aids Wildcat win, 74-63

Avenging an earlier loss, the Westbrook Wildcats took the Loraine Bulldogs for a walk on January 25 as the home court advantage was a definite plus in the Wildcats win, 74-63.

Jumping out to an amazing 25-8 lead, the relentless Wildcats played defense superbly causing several turnovers in the first period.

Before Loraine could set up any type of offense, the situation appeared as if the 'Cats were heading the other way with basketball, ad by the mid-way mark, Westbrook had a commanding lead of 39-18.

Loraine did manage to cut the lead somewhat as they out scored the Wildcats in the second half, 46-39. Yet this threat was not quite enough as the Wildcat attack, carrying over from the first half, proved to be too much in the 74-63 victory.

Top scorers for the victorious Wildcats were Spencer Cannon, 21; Michael Martin, 20; and Bubba Botts, 10.

Those high contributors for Loraine were Anthony Williams and James Lopez who scored 24 and 20 points respectively.

Sports Schedule

Basketball	Division III Boys
Friday	Warriors vs Hawks.....7:30 p.m.
February 1	Saturday
Colorado City	February 2
JV boys vs Kermit, T.....6:30 p.m.	Division I Girls-Boys
JV girls vs Kermit, T.....8 p.m.	Angels vs Stars.....8:30 a.m.
Girls vs Kermit, T.....6:30 p.m.	Ponies vs Rascals.....9:15 a.m.
Boys vs Kermit, T.....8 p.m.	Cubs vs Bullets.....10 a.m.
Loraine	Blazers vs Gators.....10:45 a.m.
Friday	Bees vs Rockets.....11:30 a.m.
February 1	Division II Girls-Boys
Girls vs Highland, H.....6:30 p.m.	Dolls vs Angels.....12:15 p.m.
Boys vs Highland, H.....8 p.m.	Suns vs Babes.....1 p.m.
Optimist Basketball	Panthers vs T-Birds.....1:45 p.m.
Friday	Nets vs Hawks.....2:30 p.m.
February 1	Blazers vs Celtics.....3:30 p.m.
Division IV Girls	Pistons vs Lakers.....4:30 p.m.
Nuggets vs Diamonds.....5:30 p.m.	Division III Boys
Stars vs Comets.....6:30 p.m.	Mavs vs 76'ers.....5:30 p.m.
	Bullets vs Spurs.....6:30 p.m.

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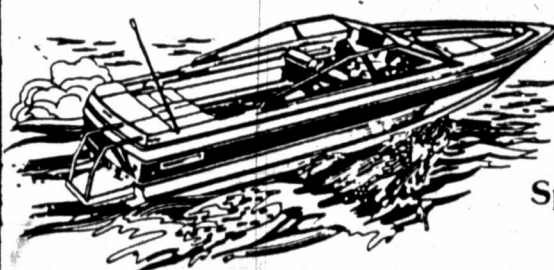
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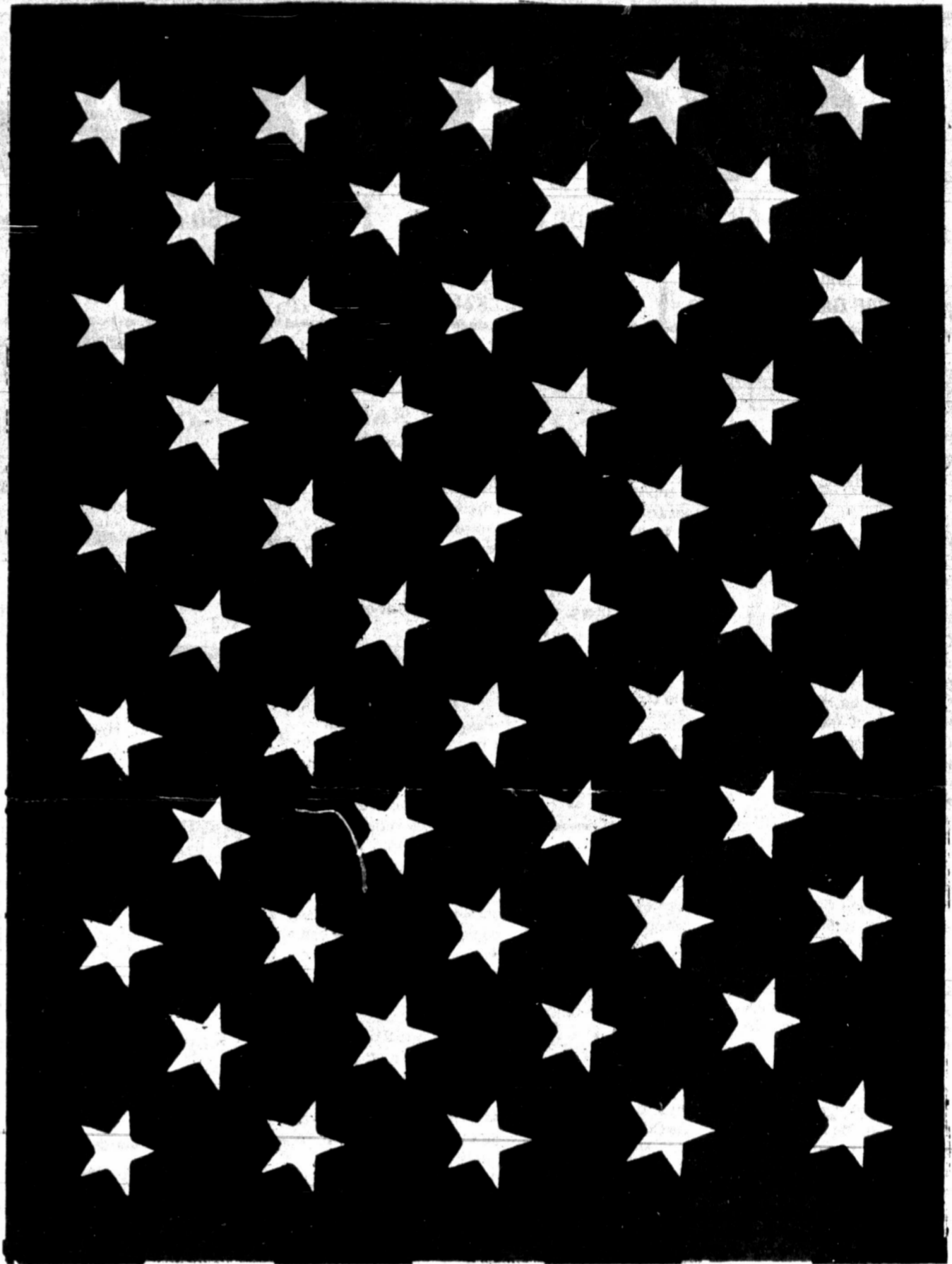
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