

Goat Cookoff and Railhead Trade Days this weekend!

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Answerline

Q. Why can't Colorado City residents have trash dumpsters and pay \$14 for garbage like Loraine does instead of the \$17 we do now?

A. The city maintains its own landfill and garbage pickup while Loraine contracts out to a private company. Private companies can cut costs because they work on a large scale and C-C's additional charges pay for meeting TNRC regulations and landfill costs, according to City Manager Steve Shutt.

At last week's council meeting, an engineering firm reviewed the city's options and recommended staying in the landfill business. The council will vote on the landfill issue at their next meeting.

Briefs

Loraine Church of Christ

The Crockett & Smiley Street Church of Christ in Loraine will hold a weekend meeting beginning Friday through Sunday, July 25-27. Speaker will be Clark Johnson of Lubbock. Services will begin Fri. and Sat. evening at 7:30 p.m. with Sunday morning services at 10:30 a.m. and Sunday evening services at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Mother's Day Out

Registration for 1997-98 Mother's Day Out will be Friday, July 25 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. Anyone interested in enrolling should come and register. Returning students should also come fill out a new form. There will be a \$20 yearly supply fee payable at registration. If you are unable to attend please call the church office at 728-3442 or Gayle Cooper at 728-2005.

BPW Scholarship

The Colorado City Business and Professional Women's Club will be awarding a career advancement scholarship Aug. 11, 1997. For more information or to obtain an application you may call Christine Cooley at 728-3894 or Shirley DeLaney 728-2552 or 728-5187. Deadline for completed applications is Aug. 1, 1997.

Vacation Bible School

The First Baptist Church will have Vacation Bible School July 14-18 from 6:00-8:30 p.m., age 4 thru 5th grade (completed). All children welcome!

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Hollis, Main, Hook, Sparks, Billingsley, Pinkerton Around Town

Happy belated Birthday **AMBER WALKER...CAROL FOOTER** looking for some kindergartners **DENISE BRADBURY** looking real cute in her "maternity cheeks"...Happy Birthday **NIKOL SWANN** (July 21)... Congratulations to the C-City All-Stars (9-10 year old)... **CHRISTINA GUERRA** throws out the first pitch...Happy 2nd Anniversary **BRIAN & KAMERON EARLES**...Happy Birthday Happy belated Birthday **JERRI GARCIA...FRANKIE STEWART** ready for the Goat Cook-off...**GLENDA STINSON** ready to enjoy the Railhead Trade Days.

Lake Levels

Lake Colorado City...2,062.62'
Full at 2,070.30'
Down 7.68'
Lake Champion...2,069.43'
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Levels courtesy of the United States Geological Service, as of 9 a.m. Tuesday, July 15.

Cookoff, Trade Days highlight weekend

Cookoff in Ruddick Park

The Third Annual World Championship Boer Goat Cookoff will round out a fun-filled weekend in Colorado City as the event will provide plenty of food, fun and festivities at Ruddick Park.

The Cookoff will be held on Friday, July 18, and Saturday, July 19.

A dance will be held Friday and Saturday night in Ruddick Park with entertainment provided

each night by Colorado City's Shady Mitchell and the Keepin' It Country Band. An Old Time Fiddler's contest will be held Saturday, July 19. Horseshoe throwing contests and a jackpot beans and pork ribs contest will be held throughout the weekend along with various other events.

As of Tuesday over 30 teams had entered the cookoff and organizers think the cookoff will

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Trade Days to be held downtown

Colorado City will be alive with excitement this weekend as the Railhead Trade Days will be held downtown Saturday, July 19 and Sunday, July 20, along with the Boer Goat Cookoff Friday and Saturday.

"We are expecting about 100 vendors to come this weekend," said Mary Kay Williamson, chairperson of the Railhead Committee. "This event is really growing and a lot of that growth

is due to the high quality of crafts, antiques, woodwork, gifts and various other items our vendors bring with them to make this a great show."

Crafts, sand art, stained glass, antiques, jewelry, knives, kettle corn, woodwork and a moonwalk ride are just a few of the unique items vendors will be selling at the Railhead Headquarters in the Truss King Building downtown.

Looking forward to this weekend's activities are over 40 antique dealers, located in the various antique malls in Colorado City.

Ed Harmon, manager of the largest antique mall—"Good Ole Days", said that he and the 24 vendors in the mall have been busy preparing for the large number of visitors that will be in Colorado City this weekend.

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C-City in running for prison, nursing home

Colorado City could learn as early as Friday if it will be the site of a third prison. In addition, Colorado City is in the running for a veterans nursing home.

The board of criminal justice meets Friday in Houston and is expected to pick two sites for new high-security prisons. Other towns being considered are Lamar, Amarillo, Beaumont, Gatesville and Karnes City.

Colorado City was one of eight

towns chosen in December, 1995, but the Texas Department of Criminal Justice has built only one unit, located in Huntsville. The proposed unit would house 990 inmates.

Colorado City is also seeking to be chosen as a site for the one of four veteran nursing homes to be built by the state of Texas.

The homes, which will provide specialized care for veterans, will be built under a law passed earlier

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Rees named principal

A Colorado City native, Reagan "Beau" Rees, was named the new principal at Hutchinson Elementary School during Monday night's Colorado Independent School District board meeting.

A 1989 Colorado High School graduate, Rees earned his bachelor's degree at Texas A&M and his master's degree at Abilene Christian University.

He has been a teacher and coach at Sweetwater for the past two years and has served as summer school principal.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rees.

Beau Rees and his wife, Billie, are expecting their first child in three weeks.



Beau Rees

MODEL HOME SITE: Billy McPeters, Mitchell County employee, clears the land on the site of the model home for Hillcrest Community. The first model home on McKinney Street will also serve as the local office for Covenant Communities, Inc. A grand opening for the new housing development project is expected to be held in August.

Construction started on development

The slab for the foundation of the first Hillcrest Community home is expected to be poured today, Thursday.

"We're ready to go," said DeLynn Reeves, project assistant for Covenant Communities, Inc.

Hillcrest will provide affordable homes for moderate income people. The new housing project is a result of the combined efforts of Mitchell County, Colorado City, the Texas Department of Housing

and Community Affairs and Covenant Communities, Inc., an Austin-based company.

Ground was cleared last week for the site of the model home for the Hillcrest Community.

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Boll weevil eradication back on track

Funding approved Monday

Officials with the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation (TBWEF) met with representatives of Farm Services Agency (FSA) Monday at the TBWEF headquarters office in Abilene to sign a loan providing \$25 million in federal assistance to the grower-run program.

Congressman Charles Stenholm, who led the effort in securing the loans, officials from FSA, TDA and other state and federal officials including Senator Haywood of Wichita Falls, were on hand for the loan signing ceremony.

"We needed a loan program that would be predicable, affordable and that would fit within the cooperative spirit of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Program," said Stenholm. "We all recognize the importance of boll weevil eradication and how necessary it is to the cotton industry in this state."

The loan provides \$25 million in assistance to the grower-run, non-profit boll weevil program which relies on grower assessments to fund approximately 70-80 percent of the cost of the program. The other 20-30 percent of funding comes from grants appropriated federally through USDA/APHIS. According to Woody Anderson, Foundation

chairman of the board, last year the Foundation benefited from some \$9 million in federal appropriations.

The FSA loan is designed to be repaid in up to eight years at 6 3/4 percent interest giving cotton producers an opportunity to defer initial start-up cost.

This loan will allow the Foundation to spread start-up cost over several years making the program financially feasible for cotton producers, said Randy Weber, associate administrator of FSA.

According to the state law within which the Foundation operated, one zone will not be liable for the debt incurred in another zone. For this reason, the loan has been structured zone specific: the South Texas/Winter Garden zone will receive \$13 million; the Rolling Plains Central zone will receive \$8 million; and the Southern Rolling Plains zone will receive \$4 million.

"We are more than pleased with the cooperation and support shown by FSA," said Anderson. "Our thanks go to Congressman Stenholm, his staff and all those who worked to make this loan available to Texas cotton producers."

Growers meeting Thursday

All growers in the Colorado City district of the Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation are urged to attend a meeting this Thursday at 10 a.m.

A short presentation and the latest information on the Boll Weevil Eradication Program will be given followed by a question and answer session. The meeting will be held at the Boll Weevil Eradication office located at 2125 S. Hwy. 208 in Colorado City.

Wright named supervisor

Cherry Wright of Roscoe has recently been promoted to the position of district supervisor of the Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation (BWEF) District Office in Colorado City.

The Colorado City District Office is one of seven districts in the Rolling Plains Central Boll Weevil Eradication zone.

Wright has been with the BWEF a little over a year. She replaces Nikki Raff who submitted her resignation several months ago to move to Wichita Falls.

The district office in Colorado City presently employs 16 people but is expected to increase its staff to 35 by September 1.

The local office is currently gearing up for the start of this year's diapause program. Application usually starts when 50 percent of the cotton plants



Cherry Wright

have one open boll and that is expected to be in mid-to-late August.

Kidd Crop Dusting, with offices at the Colorado City Airport, will be doing the spraying for this area, using the

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Assessment due date is August 15

August 15 is the assessment due date for the Rolling Plains Central boll weevil eradication area.

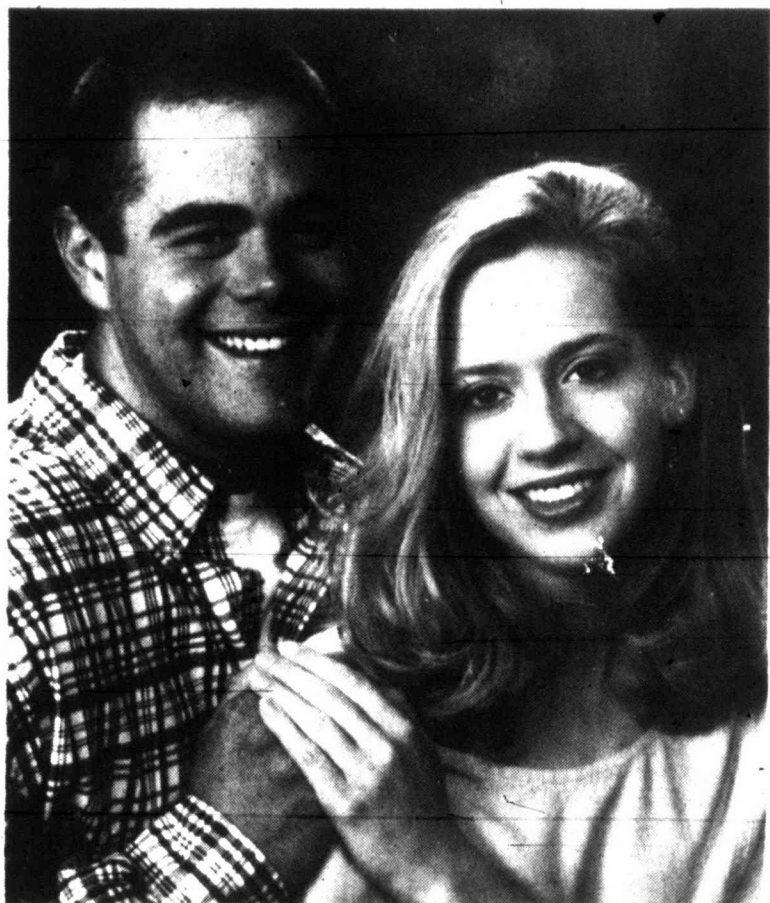
Assessments will remain at \$10 per acre, officials with the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation said. The Foundation is offering discount rates for early payments. Producers will receive a two percent discount if the payment is received 30 days in advance and a one percent discount if it is received 15 days early.

Because the Farm Services Agency certification date was Tuesday, the Foundation will not be able to issue timely billing statements to allow growers to receive early discounts. However, the Foundation suggests that RPC growers who wish to take advantage of the early payment discount should calculate an assessment estimate based on 1997 planted acres.

Failed certified acres destroyed and plowed-up prior to the first diapause application will be eligible for an assess-

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Lifestyles



Paul Ryan Galey and Leah Lezlie Alsup

Engagement announced

Leah Lezlie Alsup and Paul Ryan Galey of Lubbock have announced their engagement. The couple will unite in marriage at 6:30 p.m., August 23 in Lubbock, Texas.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Bob and Gail Alsup of Lubbock. The prospective groom is the son of Rebecca Ann Galey

of Colorado City. The bride-elect attended Texas Tech University and is employed by Jessie Enterprises. The future bridegroom attended Texas Tech University and is employed by Office Max, and he is also a member of the Texas Army National Guard/Specialist.

BIRTHS

Frank and Elizabeth Barnett of Loraine would like to announce the birth of their third child Frank Jr. He was born July 4 and weighed 7lb. 11oz. He was welcomed home by his big brother BJ, big sister Sylvia

and cousin Kristi. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Barney Barnett and the late Mr. and Mrs. Raul Guerrero of Loraine. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barnett of Colorado City.

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By Sheila Plagens
Greetings to everyone!

Anna Staats was in the other day and asked me if I would remind everyone about the annual "night" golf tournament, to be held August 1 at Wolf Creek Golf Links. This is the eighth year the local chapter of the American Cancer Society has sponsored this tournament.

Whether you are a golfer or not, it's a lot of fun to participate in. Playing at night puts everyone on the same level.

A rib-eye steak dinner beginning at 6:30 p.m. is planned for non-players who would like to support the group.

This year, a barbecue pit, donated by J&T Service and Hill Pumpjack Service of Sweetwater, will be given away. Donations for the drawing are being sold now. If interested in the pit or dinner tickets, see any Cancer Society members for details.

Monday I had a nice visit with the new manager of Burger King, Eddie Thomas. He just returned to West Texas after living seven years in Alaska.

He and his family live in Sweetwater, but wants to get to know all his Colorado City customers, so stop by and introduce yourself real soon.

Several people brought to my attention that Noah Galvan was the first Hispanic to graduate from Colorado High School in 1949. I guess Isabel Campos Willey, who I wrote about last week was the first female Hispanic to do the same.

Don Delaney said that Noah actually lived in Loraine, but he came to Colorado City every day for school.

Thanks to June Petty, Alan Miles and Don for all the information.

Received this fax from Ken and Ellen Baker...

Their son, Kevin Baker, who graduated from CHS in May is going to Chapman University in Orange, Calif. in the fall.

When they called the university business office recently, the office personnel looked up Kevin in the computer and found there were three students attending named Kevin Baker. Luckily, all had different middle initials.

Just last week, Kevin received his dorm and roommate information, and his roommate is a guy from Hawaii named... Kevin Baker!

Things might get a little confusing for Kevin Baker.

THIS 'n THAT

Suda and Wright Hock were in the office Monday talking about how much they enjoyed their buggy ride in the rodeo parade.

Suda said the horse (Dolly) pulling the rig was inexperienced, and got a little excited trying to get down the hill on Second Street. Everytime, the bar behind the horse would touch his backside, the horse would kick at it.

They both said the driver did a good job of talking Dolly out of her excitement.

A big thank you to Casey Oliver for the wonderful fresh cucumbers.

D.M. and Alma Smith shared some really good, fresh corn on the cob with us this week, also. The gardens seem to be doing quite well this year.

I can't believe school will be starting in less than one month! It's hard to believe the summer is almost gone! Watch for our back-to-school edition in the Thursday, July 31 edition of the Record.

Congratulations to Bro. Dan and Denise Marshall of Loraine. Bro. Dan announced Sunday in church that Denise is expecting. He asked the congregation to pray for a girl, there hasn't been a girl born in the Marshall family in quite some time. He said he felt like they needed all the help they could get!

We have two local cheerleaders from Colorado High School planning to go to London this winter. Amanda Thompson and Bettina Bridgford will be holding fundraisers and seeking donations for the event.

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Bob Reily was in the office Tuesday and said he was getting better after his "rib-crushing" fall during a softball match last week. He finally admitted he might be getting too old to play ball, which Charlene has been telling him for a long time!

Don't forget the adults singles pot luck meal to be held at the First United Methodist Church

Sunday at 12 noon. All local singles who are interested in meeting other single Christians are invited to attend.

For more information, call Kay Reed, 728-5296, Peggy Ratliff, 728-3285 or Lynette McWhorter at 728-2151.

If you are visiting our city for the Trade Days or the Goat Cookoff, welcome! We hope you enjoy your stay!

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Lifestyles

COOK'S CORNER



Ardell Griffin

Ardell Griffin worked most of her life cooking in cafes all over this area. She started cooking at the Best Yet Cafe for Mrs. Jimmie Lee Parker and credits Mrs. Parker with teaching her a lot about cooking. Ardell continued to work there for 16 years until the cafe closed.

Ardell also cooked at the Round Top Cafe for Earl Roberson. Because Ardell was a conscientious worker and a very good cook, almost everything she prepared was eaten by the end of the day. Mr. Roberson once told one of Ardell's friends, "You and Ardell have brought me more business than I've had since the cafe opened."

In 1940, Ardell came across a treasure of sorts. It is a hand-held chopper with two blades which run perpendicular and intersect each other. According to Ardell, it is great for chopping everything

from cabbage to pecans.

The chopper is put to use when Ardell chops up the fresh vegetables which she eats frequently. She said that she likes almost everything, but she has to watch her salt intake due to high blood pressure.

Despite her 86 years and a few health problems, Ardell keeps herself busy. While she doesn't cook as much as she once did, she sews more than ever. She enjoys quilting and makes her own bedspreads, pillow cases, cup towels and hot pads.

Ardell has lived in Loraine since 1940. She moved here from VanZandt County in East Texas. She is the mother of six children, three of whom are living, Mary Lee Mac Peterson of Loraine, Mac Arthur Griffin of Roscoe, and Ardillee Griffin also of Loraine. She also has eight grandchildren.

Her friends all know that Ardell makes delicious sweets, so she submitted us some dessert recipes. Satisfy your sweet tooth by trying some of these.

Lemon Chess Pie

2 cups sugar
4 eggs, beaten well
1 tablespoon flour
1 tablespoon cornmeal
1/4 cup milk
1/4 cup butter, melted
1 tablespoon lemon rind
Beat eggs well. Add sugar, flour and cornmeal. Stir well, then add milk and juice from one lemon. Stir well and add rind. Bake at 350° for 40 to 60 minutes.

Per recipe: 2300 Calories; 65g Fat (25% calories from fat); 25g Protein; 418g Carbohydrate; 853mg Cholesterol; 712mg Sodium

Old Time Buttermilk Pie

1 9 inch unbaked pie shell
1/2 cup butter
2 cups sugar
3 tablespoons flour
3 eggs, beaten
1 cup buttermilk
1 teaspoon vanilla
nutmeg, optional
Soften butter; add sugar; cream together well. Add flour and eggs; beat well. Stir in buttermilk, vanilla and nutmeg. Pour into unbaked pie shell. Bake at 350° for 45 to 50 minutes.

Per recipe: 2730 Calories; 106g Fat (34% calories from fat); 27g Protein; 431g Carbohydrate; 796mg Cholesterol; 1348mg Sodium

Mincemeat Cake

2/3 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
3 eggs
2 1/2 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking soda

1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup buttermilk
1 cup mincemeat
1/2 cup pecans, chopped
Cream shortening and sugar; add vanilla. Add eggs and beat until light. Sift dry ingredients together; add alternately with buttermilk. Fold in mincemeat and nuts. Bake in two 9" greased and floured cake pans at 350° for 20 to 25 minutes. Cool and frost.

Per recipe: 4253 Calories; 186g Fat (38% calories from fat); 56g Protein; 636g Carbohydrate; 546mg Cholesterol; 2503mg Sodium

Mincemeat Cake Frosting

1/4 cup margarine
1 pound confectioner's sugar
1/2 cup mincemeat
1/2 cup applesauce (or more)
1/8 teaspoon salt
Mix all ingredients except applesauce. Add applesauce for spreading consistency.

Per recipe: 2615 Calories; 52g Fat (17% calories from fat); 2g Protein; 569g Carbohydrate; 0mg Cholesterol; 1013mg Sodium

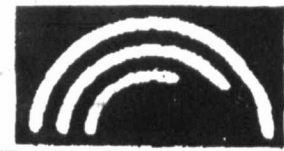


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Museum, Heritage House will be open this weekend

The Heart of West Texas Museum and the Heritage House will both be open to visitors during this weekend's Railhead Trade Days and the Boer Goat Cookoff.

A new display at the museum, "Memories of Times and Seasons", features fashions from the 1900s to the 1960s.

Mannequins will be dressed in clothing from the museum's extensive collection. One of the highlights of the display is a bride complete with trousseau.

The museum will be open

from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. On Sunday, the museum will be open from 2 to 5 p.m. The Heart of West Texas Museum is located at 340 East 3rd Street.

Visitors to the city this weekend will also be able to tour the Heritage House, designated as a Texas Historic Landmark. The Heritage House will be open by appointment from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Sunday and from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday. Contact the Heart of West Texas Museum to arrange to see the restored 1880s home.

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OBITUARIES

Waldien Hollis

1920-1997

Mrs. Waldien Hollis, 77, died Wednesday, July 9 at a local nursing home.

Services for Mrs. Hollis were held Friday, July 11, 1997, at 10:00 a.m. at the Kiker-Seale Funeral Chapel, with the Reverend Robert Bracy officiating. Graveside services were at West Hill Cemetery in Sherman, Texas, at 5:00 p.m.

Mrs. Hollis was born February 11, 1920, in Walnut Springs, Texas, to B.W. and Maude McCain. She was raised in Walnut Springs where she graduated high school in 1937. Mrs. Hollis married S.T. (Jack) Hollis on June 7, 1943, in Walnut Springs, Texas.

Mrs. Hollis was preceded in death by her mother and father, as well as three brothers: A.B., J.C., and Paul McCain.

Mrs. Hollis was survived by her husband, S.T. Jack Hollis of Colorado City; one daughter and son-in-law, Judy Hollis and Keith Lightfoot of Sherman, Texas; one brother, C.E. McCain of Midland, Texas; two grandsons and granddaughter in law, Cliff Lightfoot of San Antonio, Texas and Jeff and Jennifer Lightfoot of Sherman; and several nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews.

She was a wonderful mother and wife by all who knew her. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimers Research at Texas Tech University Medical School Department of Neurology, 3601 4th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79430, or Dorn Church of Colorado City.

Bill "Lucky" Main

1922-1997

Mr. Bill "Lucky" Main, 75, of Colorado City, died Sunday at Scenic Mountain Medical Center following a short illness. There will be private services at a later date.

Mr. Main was born on February 18, 1922, in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He had lived in Colorado City for two years; coming from Lake Elsinore, California.

Mr. Main was a member of the Christian Temple in Colorado City. He was a retired shipping and receiving clerk and truck driver; having worked for Crown Coach, in Vernon, California and Solar Manufacturing also in Vernon, California.

His hobbies were fishing and bowling. Mr. Main is preceded in death by his parents, Samuel William Main, Sr. and Rose Ella Main; one sister, Ruth Eva Main.

Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law, Linda and Dennis Stapel of Big Spring; one sister and brother-in-law, Ruby Mae and Merlin Pursher of Colorado City; two brothers, Samuel William Main, Jr. of Colorado City and John Morris and his wife Etta Mae of Disney, Oklahoma; two grandchildren, Robert Black and his wife Linda of Sand Springs, Rose Marie Bowers and her husband Russell of Midland; 11 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Stella M. Billingsley

1906-1997

Mrs. Stella M. Billingsley, 91, of Dunn died Monday, July 13 at Cogdell Memorial Hospital in Snyder.

Services for Mrs. Billingsley were at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Dunn Cemetery with Rev. C.J. Smith officiating. Burial followed at the Dunn Cemetery.

Mrs. Billingsley was born February 11, 1906, in McKinney, Texas. She married Hugh Forrest "Mack" Billingsley on January 15, 1923, in Hermleigh, Texas. He preceded her in death February 20, 1987.

Mrs. Billingsley was a housewife and a member of the Dunn United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law, Janiece and Doyle Caulder of Buford, Texas; one son and daughter-in-law, Ted and Fretta Billingsley of Snyder; five grandchildren, Ann Browne of Sterling City, Ricky Billingsley of Snyder, Randy Billingsley of Midland, Kim Billingsley of Dunn, and JaneAnn Berta of Lubbock; 12 great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren. She is also survived by five sisters and brothers including Della Wade of Lamesa.

Jordan Pinkerton

Ms. Jordan Pinkerton was born and passed away on July 14, 1997, at a hospital in Odessa, Texas.

Her parents are Mr. Chad Pinkerton and Ms. Jackie Greene of Colorado City.

Graveside services for Ms. Pinkerton will be held Wednesday, July 16, 1997, at Dorn Cemetery at 10:00 a.m. with Reverend Sammy Elliott officiating. Services were under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Jordan Pinkerton is survived by her parents, Chad Pinkerton and Jackie Greene of Colorado City; two brothers, Willy Bob and Chad Greene of Snyder, grandparents Vickie and Wendell Pinkerton of Colorado City, Carlene Webster of Dallas and Chuck Greene of Snyder, and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Applications to be taken for conservation program

Farmers and ranchers may apply for the new Environmental Quality Incentives program (EQIP) July 14, 1997, through August 1, 1997. The new conservation program, a result of the 1996 Farm Bill, offers a limited number of producers who have serious soil, water and other natural resources problems technical, financial and educational assistance.

Applications will be prioritized after August 1, 1997, according to specific criteria. After Farm Service Agency determines producer eligibility, NRCS conservationist and the producer will make an inventory of the natural resources, identify natural resource problems and concerns, determine treatment needs, and agree upon the land management and structural practices the producer will install. The extent of the conservation practice, fields and acres to be treated, and cost-share rate and incentive payment levels the producer will accept, as well as the total program payments, are included in a ranking formula.

Each application will compete with other applications in their

GPA, while those outside of the GPA's will compete with each other. Contracts will be awarded based on their ranking, regardless of location. That means some counties may not have any contracts, even though they are located inside a GPA. The applications for a single conservation practice on an individual field addressing a single natural resource concern may not be competitive in a GPA or with the state-wide natural resource concerns.

Acceptance into EQIP will require a 5 to 10 year contract, even if only one year of cost-share is needed. Contracts are for a maximum amount of \$50,000 with a maximum 75 percent cost-share. Though entire farms or operating units are not required to be included in a contract, the proposed area must include that portion with the identified resource concerns which meets the goals and objectives of the GPA or state-wide natural resource concerns. Producers may increase their chances of acceptance by submitting a lower than maximum cost-share rate, enrolling entire oper-

ating units in the contract and agreeing to fully meet treatment needs of all identified natural resource concerns on the farm or ranch.

For more information about EQIP, contact the Mitchell County USDA-NRCS office at 728-3473 or the Mitchell County FSA office at 728-2651. The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination in its programs on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, disability, political beliefs and marital or familial status. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs). Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) should contact the USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TDD).

To file a complaint, write the Secretary of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., 20250 or call 1-800-245-6340 (voice) or (202) 720-1127 (TDD). USDA is an equal employment opportunity employer.

Albert C. Hook

1934-1997

Mr. Albert C. Hook, 63, of Dunn, Texas, died Sunday at Valley Fair Nursing Home in Colorado City after a lengthy illness.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with Roy Rosson and Surry Gillam officiating. The burial followed in the Dunn Cemetery in Dunn.

Mr. Hook was born January 4, 1934, in Dickens. He married Doris Taylor on October 10, 1954 in Snyder, Texas.

Mr. Hook was a member of Dunn Church of Christ.

Mr. Hook came to Snyder in 1951 and shortly thereafter was drafted into the Korean Conflict. He served in Korea in 1952 and 1953 in the Army and attained the rank of Staff Sergeant. He returned to Snyder after his service and worked in the oil field construction business, with Universal Oil Field Construction, then later worked for Chevron. In 1977 he went into business for himself and operated that until 1990. He moved to Dunn from Snyder in 1983.

Survivors include his wife Doris Hook of Dunn; three daughters, Rose Bailey of Madill, OK, Betty Callaway of Merkel, TX, Barbara Hook of Dunn; one son, Paul Hook of Springfield, MO; four sisters, Edith Lorene Morris of Ft. Worth, Hazel Aldredge of Wichita Falls, Delores Bradley of Pampa, TX, Joe Biddle, of Paris, TX; two brothers, Cecil Lee Hook of McClain, TX, Daniel Hook of Pampa, TX; and eight grandchildren.

Joe F. Sparks

1920-1997

Mr. Joe F. Sparks, 77, of Lubbock passed away Saturday, July 12, 1997, at his residence.

Memorial services were held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 16, 1997 at Westminister Presbyterian Church with Rev. Albert Gillin officiating. Burial was at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 15, in Eastland Memorial Cemetery in Eastland, Texas under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

Mr. Joe F. Sparks was born March 7, 1920, in Gorman, Texas. He attended Eastland Public Schools and received his B.B.A. from the University of Texas in Austin in 1948. He was a member of the UT track team in 1940, 1941 and 1947. He was WWII Air Force veteran. He moved to Lubbock in 1956 to work for the accounting firm of Pratas, Smith and Moore. In 1975, he became self-employed and retired in 1996.

He married Ethel Maire Woodard on October 7, 1950 in Palestine, Texas. He was preceded in death by a son, John Sparks.

He was a member of Westminister Presbyterian Church having served as an elder, clerk of the Session, Chancel Choir member, Sunday School teacher and member of the Westminister Preschool Board.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Janie Brummett of The Woodlands, Mary Jo Sparks of Lubbock, and Lynn Lowder of Howe; two brothers, Ben Sparks of Colorado City and Richard E. "Dick" Sparks of Richardson; one sister, Patsy Sparks Butler of Bryan; and four grandchildren.

The family request memorial donations to Westminister Presbyterian Church Memorial Fund, 3321 33rd Street, Lubbock, Texas 79410.

Perkins is nursing school graduate

Lauren Perkins, R.N., the daughter of Leslie Perkins of Colorado City and Jack Perkins of San Angelo recently graduated from Methodist Hospital School of Nursing on May 30, 1997.

The graduation exercises were at First Methodist Church in Lubbock. The address was given by James H. Garrett, Sr., Vice President of Methodist Hospital. Irene Wilson, R.N., M. Ed. Dean of Nursing, presented the diplomas.

Lauren Perkins attended Texas Tech University for two

years and Methodist Nursing School for two years. She is currently employed by Mitchell County Hospital.

Exchange Students

The National Rotary Tour Bus is coming through Colorado City July 24. Local people are needed to keep Exchange Students overnight. If you are interested in having overnight guest, call Don Wood at 728-3722.

Noon Lions to celebrate 75th

The Noon Lions Club in Colorado City will celebrate their 75th anniversary with a banquet at the Civic Center Friday.

A large number of special guests are expected to attend, including Lions Club dignitaries and Congressman Charles Stenholm and his wife.

Officers and members of area

Lions Clubs have been invited. The Midland organization notified local Lions officers that they will be bringing a group of youths including exchange students.

Marshall Cooper, a past international director, will be the guest speaker.

Country Caterer will cater the banquet.

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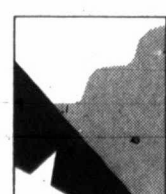
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CHIEF LONE WOLF

By JIM BAUM

Let's say you tossed a bottle with a note into the Colorado River. Chances are it would stay right where you threw it, until a good rain fell up-river. But that hasn't always been the case.

The Colorado River is the source of many memories for those who grew up in Colorado City shortly after the turn of the century. (See Lone Wolf October 12, 1995 and October 19, 1995). Those were the days when the Colorado had water in it!

It was the town swimming pool, the town baptistery and one of the town's favorite social gathering sites. It was also where Obie Avery decided to see where a bottle with a note in it might end up. So, on an April day in 1905, he chucked the bottle in the river.

We don't know how Mr. Avery was traveling that day, but it's easy to imagine he either walked to the river, or rode his horse. After launching his bottle, he probably went back to town and waited for a reply. And waited and waited.

In time, it's safe to assume he forgot the incident as weeks turned into months. Then, on a warm spring day almost a year later, the mailman delivered a letter to Avery's house. The envelope had a Kingsland, Texas, return address.

Naturally Avery must have wondered, who do I know in Kingsland, as he quickly opened the letter. It began, Kingsland, Texas. March 28, 1906. Obie Avery, Colorado, Texas.

"Dear Friend, While a party of us were fishing in the Colorado River last Monday (March 26), a young man by the name of Fenton Hoover found a bottle in a drift containing a note from the above name and place, dated April 24, 1905, which shows it was thrown into the river 11 months and two days before it was found."

The writer went on to say the bottle had been found in Llano County, 8 miles north of Kingsland on what was known as the Million place, "which is owned by A.G. Murchison."

Then, the concluding paragraph: "Please answer this at once so I will know whether you received it

or not. Please write whether you are a lady or gentleman. If a widow, I would like very much to correspond with you. Hoping to hear from you soon, I am your friend, G.K. Hale."

Amazing! The bottle had bobbed and drifted all the way to Llano County. (A distance of some 330 miles as the Colorado twists and turns).

The story was documented by the Colorado Record, which then concluded:

"Mr. Avery authorizes the Record to say to the gentleman that he is not exactly a widow but holds a fondness for them not surpassed by even Mr. Hale himself."

Of course another story about the Colorado River, the flood of 1939, has been reported on many occasions. (See Lone Wolf September 24, 1992). But there have been other times when the river has been out of its banks, here and downstream.

A story in the Record dated August



South Colorado Bridge, 1903 or 1904. Note: There's water in the river!

6, 1905, says the Colorado was three miles wide near Ballinger and a ten foot rise was on the way!

"There have been no trains running from Ballinger to San Angelo on account of the bridge crossing the river being unsafe. There has been a 30 foot rise in the Concho and Colorado Rivers in San Angelo following the incessant rainfall. A tenant, his wife and three children were drowned on the Bismark farm owned by W.D. Jones."

"The big bridge crossing the river one mile from here has been washed away. All telephone connections from neighboring towns have been cut off. The last train came over the bridge crossing the Colorado River this morning at ten o'clock from Colorado City."

"Course right now the ol' Colorado is a tad on the dry side. Oh, there's a spot here and there with water in it, but all things considered, this might not be a good time to go fishing with a note in a bottle. But, the next time it comes a good rain, you might try your luck."

Understand, there are no guarantees, who if anyone, might find your message, but who knows. If someone does, she might be a good lookin' widow!"

MARKET REPORT

The Colorado City Livestock Market sold 799 head of cattle Saturday, July 12th. Compared to our last sale two weeks ago, Feeder steers & heifers were \$1.00 to \$4.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to \$1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls steady. Bred cows steady to \$50 at head higher. Pairs steady with choice young pairs \$50 to \$125 higher. Demand very good. Trade active.

Heifers: 200-400 lbs., \$75-\$105; 400-600 lbs., \$75-\$92; 600-800 lbs. \$68-\$86.

Steers: 200-400 lbs., \$85-\$131; 400-500 lbs., \$85-\$112; 500-600 lbs., \$80-\$100; 600-800 lbs., \$76-\$86.

Young bred cows: \$675-\$740.

Medium age to older bred cows: \$450-\$625.

Young cows and calves: \$720-\$980.

Medium age to older cows and calves: \$590-\$700.

Packer cows: \$35-\$46.50.

Packer bulls: \$48-\$54.75.

OIL & GAS NEWS

Parker & Parsley Development Corp. has posted first production data for the No. 358 Mary Foster, located about nine miles southwest of Westbrook in Mitchell County's East Iatan Field.

The developmental well pumped 25 barrels of oil per day. It was drilled a total of 3,350 feet with plugback to 3,311. Production will be from 2,504 to 3,288 feet into the wellbore.

*** The No. 21 Mary Womack "A" has been brought on line in Mitchell County's North Coleman Ranch Field, about one mile east of the Cuthbert community. Allegro Operating Co. is the operator.

Bottomed at 3,350 feet, the well produced 10 barrels of oil per day. Production will be from a Clear Fork Formation interval, 3,142 to 3,204 feet into the hole.

*** An ill-fated Mitchell County wildcat has been plugged and abandoned by R.U.W.C.O. Oil & Gas Co., the operator. It was designated the No. 1 Diamond Back, about one mile east of Lorraine.

Spudded on April 16, it probed to 7,500 feet total depth with no commercial shows. Location was in the T&PRR Survey A-779.



THIS 10 WEEK OLD FEMALE Blue Heeler is available for adoption at Mitchell County Vet Clinic. To see this animal and others waiting for adoption, stop by the Vet Clinic, located on South Highway 208.

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On July 22

Stenholm aide to be in C-City

A member of Congressman Charles Stenholm's office staff will be in Colorado City on Tuesday, July 22, to visit individually with constituents. Jayne Schoonmaker, of Stenholm's San Angelo office, will be at the Chamber of Commerce office from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.

The purpose of Ms. Schoonmaker's trip is to make the Congressman's office more accessible to people in Colorado

City and the surrounding area by offering a one-on-one meeting with citizens.

This is an opportunity for anyone having a problem with a governmental agency, such as Social Security Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, HUD, etc., to seek assistance. It also provides a listening ear for persons who wish to express an opinion on current governmental issues.

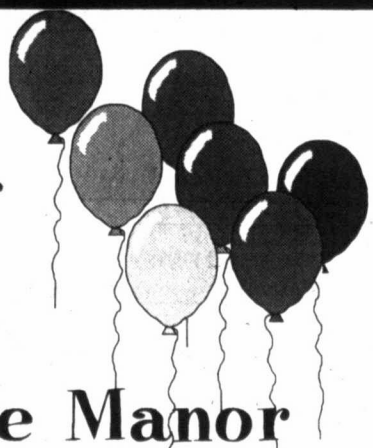
Recruit school scheduled for Sept. 22

The Texas Department of Public Safety is seeking applicants for a recruit school scheduled to begin Sept. 22, 1997. Persons who successfully complete the rigorous six-month recruit training academy in Austin will join one of the country's premier

law enforcement agencies. Applications will be accepted through 5 p.m. June 20 from out-of-state and through 5 p.m. July 11 from Texas residents. Persons interested in applying should contact their nearest DPS office or Lt. Curley Colquitt, 512-424-5903.

Congratulations...

to all the staff of Kristi Lee Manor



Kristi Lee Manor was inspected again this last week by the Texas Department of Health and Human Services. Two years ago, in April of 1995, they received no deficiencies for their annual recertification inspection. Last year, in June of 1996, they received only one deficiency regarding some paperwork. The staff is proud to announce that last week they only received one deficiency again, which was needing a policy and procedure on one procedure. We are very proud of the staff and once again thank them for their hard work.!

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Local afghans make great gifts!

Did you resolve to do your Christmas shopping early? The Pink Ladies at Mitchell County Hospital and the Heart of West Texas Museum members can help you keep that promise to yourself.

Both groups are selling afghans for their fundraisers this year. The two coverlets are very different—one shows scenes of Colorado City and the other has scenes from Mitchell County—but both will be treasured for many years by those with ties to this area.

"They also make great birthday gifts, especially for children and grandchildren," said

Gloria Erwin of the Mitchell County Hospital Ladies Auxiliary.

Organizations around the country have found that the coverlets of scenes from their particular area have been very successful fundraisers. An afghan sold by the Chamber of Commerce in Roswell, New Mexico depicts UFO's and spacemen.

The museum board members here got their idea from Friends of the Pioneer Museum in Sweetwater who are selling an afghan with pictures of Nolan County sites.

The Heart of West Texas

Museum afghans are navy blue and ivory with depictions of turn of the century historical sites in the county, including Colorado City, Westbrook and Loraine. Sixty Mitchell County brands border the afghans.

They are available at the museum for \$45.

Shirley Bradley, museum director, hopes to have their first order arrive this week in time for the Railhead Trade Days. The Heart of West Texas Museum will have a booth at the Railhead.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Mitchell County Hospital got the idea of selling the coverlets from a member, Ruth Johnson. Johnson, who is organizing the fundraiser, was a Pink Lady in Anson before moving here. Johnson reported that the Pink Ladies in Anson were on their third re-order. Their first order of 75 coverlets were sold in less than a week.

The Pink Ladies here received their sample afghan two weeks ago and have shown it at the Kiwanis and Business and Professional Women meetings. Almost immediately they received 50 orders.

Contact the Pink Ladies at the Mitchell County Hospital to place an order with a deposit.

The covers include scenes of the entrances to the Spade Ranch and Ruddick Park; the Mitchell County hospital and courthouse; the Heritage House, museum and caboose; the opera house, high school, and a wolf's head.

The 50 x 70 inch afghans are 100% cotton, two and one-half layer jacquard, pre-shrunk, color fast and machine washable. They sell for \$55.

All proceeds from the sale go back to the hospital district, which includes the hospital, nursing home, ambulance service, home health, etc.



FUNDRAISER: Helping to preserve the heritage of Colorado City are Mitchell County Hospital Auxiliary Pink Ladies Gloria Erwin and Maxine Pearson. They are holding one of the cranberry, off-white and black afghans auxiliary members are selling to benefit the hospital district. The afghans are being sold for \$55 and can be ordered by contacting a member of the Ladies Auxiliary or the Mitchell County Hospital.

COOKOFF

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exceed last year's 61 teams. Cookoff Treasurer Julie Bennett reported several food booths and over 15 arts and craft booths have already committed to Ruddick Park. Bennett expects several more craft booths will set-up, complimenting the Railhead Trade Days vendors.

The Cookoff was held in

Loraine the past two years but the lack of facilities for cooks and RV hookups played a part in the Boer Goat Cookoff committee's decision to move the event to Ruddick Park.

For more information contact the Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce at (915) 728-3403 or the Boer Goat Cookoff Association at (915) 737-2260.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, JULY 18

8:00 A.M.

Cooker check in begins

Time to be announced

Horseshoe Pitching contest

8:00 P.M.-Midnight

Dance-Shady Mitchell

SATURDAY, JULY 19

8:00 A.M.

Cook's meeting-Gazebo

Time to be announced

Horseshoe Pitching contest

1:00 P.M.

Old Fiddler's Contest (Basketball Court-Ruddick Park)

1:00 P.M.

Judging for Bean Cook-off (Gazebo)

2:00 P.M.

Judging for Ribs Cook-off (Gazebo)

3:30 P.M.

Judging for Goat Cook-off (Gazebo)

6:00 P.M.

Awards Presentation Begins (Concrete Slab)

9:00 P.M.

Dance - Shady Mitchell

ASSESSMENT

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ment refund. In order to qualify, growers in this situation will need to contact their Foundation field unit supervisor to schedule a physical inspection and then mail FSA form number 574 to the Foundation headquarters office.

"We anticipate that this year's diapause program may consist of spraying the same amount of cotton acreage as we would have with a full-season program, said Osama El-Lissy, acting executive director of the Foundation."

"The cost of this year's diapause program versus the originally planned full-season program were extremely close in comparison, therefore it was suggested that the assessment remain the same to stay within the budget. I believe the 1997 diapause program we have developed will put the zone in an ideal position to start full-season eradication in 1998."

Payments should be sent directly to the Foundation at P.O. Box 5089, Abilene, 79608.

HILLCREST

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The four bedroom model home on McKinney Street is expected to be completed by July 28 and will serve as the office for Covenant Community, Inc. staff.

The grand opening for Hillcrest Community will be held in August.

All 72 single-family houses, along with the community's center and park, are expected to be in place within three years, said Bill Lee, Covenant Communities developer.

NURSING HOME

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in the year. Tuesday was the deadline to submit applications to the Veterans Land Board. A decision could come as early as Aug. 1.

Other towns seeking a veterans nursing home are Big Spring, Abilene, Temple, Kerrville, Wilson County, Arlington, Killeen, Corpus Christi, Pearsall, Lubbock, Kingsville, Odessa, Wichita Falls, Bonham and Laredo.

Night tourney set Aug. 1 by Cancer Society

The eighth annual Night Golf Tournament will be held August 1 to benefit the American Cancer Society.

The tournament will be held at Wolf Creek Golf Links. The fee to enter the four person scramble event is \$40 per person and includes dinner and one Nightlite golf ball.

The first nine will begin at 5:30 p.m. Dinner is at 7:30 p.m. and the second nine will begin at 9:30 p.m.

The rib-eye dinner for non-players begins at 6:30 p.m. The \$12.50 per person donation will benefit the American Cancer Society.

Drawings for a variety of prizes will be held during dinner.

For tickets, call any American Cancer Society member or the First National Bank.

Budget workshops underway

Mitchell County Commissioners are holding budget workshops this week.

The workshops began Monday and will run through Friday. During the annual series of workshops, the different departments of the county meet with commissioners to discuss their financial needs for the next year.

Following the commissioner's court meeting Monday morning, DARE Officer Tommy Dill presented the commissioners with information about county DARE program finances. Part of the program is funded through a state grant and the remaining \$15,000 local funding is divided between the four local taxing entities. The state grant has been funding the largest percentage of the program but in 1999, the largest portion of the program's cost will come from local government's, said Dill.

At the end of this week's budget workshops, commissioners will consider the county's needs and discuss their decisions with the county auditor who then prepares a finalized version of the budget for next year.

The workshops are held on the second floor of the Mitchell County Courthouse and are open to the public.

Election judges are appointed

Mitchell County commissioners approved the appointment of election judges during their regular meeting Monday.

The following recommendations by Debby Carlock, County Clerk, were approved:

Precinct 1-Arlene Morris, alternate judge Frank Bassham; Precinct 2-Nell Rollins, alternate judge Naomi Williamson;

Precinct 025-Billie Ruffin, alternate judge Virginia Dearen;

Precinct 3-Brenda Kelley, alternate judge Doris McClellan;

Precinct 4-Sammy W. Billingsley, alternate judge, Yvonne Sadler;

Precinct 046-Bob Chalker, alternate judge Betty Sayger;

Early voting ballot board-Frank Brownfield, alternate judge Lovess Curlee.

Early voting begins July 21

Early voting for the constitutional amendment election begins Monday, July 21.

On Aug. 9 voters will decide about a constitutional amendment to increase the homestead property tax exemption from \$5,000 to \$15,000.

The amendment originated during this year's legislative session, when the Texas Senate and House attempted to lower property taxes. A \$1 billion surplus in state revenue will be used to fund the increased property tax exemption if voters decide to ratify the tax cut.



RODEO QUEENS at the 1997 High Plains Junior Rodeo are Sunni Shipp, Tamara Murdoch and Casi Jo Joiner. The queens in each age category were crowned during Saturday night's rodeo performance at the Mitchell County Rodeo Arena. Sunni Shipp was the winner in the 9-12 division. Tamara Murdoch was the winner in the 8 and under division and Casi Jo Joiner was the winner in the 13-18 category. Joiner will compete for the regional Miss Rodeo crown in Abilene.

CISD SCHOOL BOARD

Regular board meeting held at 7:00 p.m. on July 14.

ROLL CALL: CISD Superintendent Russell Merket; Trustees Larry Blassingame, Roxie Strain, Tony Turner, Jesse Munoz, Diana Garza and Lisa Hernandez, and Rosanne Jameson.

ACTION ITEMS:

-Approval of legal policies-adopting and rescinding of local policies according to TASS instruction;

-amendment of policy on compensation and benefits, expense reimbursement;

-approval to amend policy on base monthly salary schedule for professional personnel;

-approval of Geneva Findley as the officer to calculate the effective tax rate, rollback rate and the notice and hearing limit for 1997 taxes for Colorado ISD;

-approval of interlocal participation agreement unemployment compensation agreement with FASB;

-approval of Hobbs alternative education cooperative interlocal agreement;

-approval of interlocal agreement with education service center region 18;

-approval of Mitchell County appraisal district budget;

-approval of office lease agreement with Mitchell County appraisal district;

-approval of bid for maintenance/custodial supplies and equipment;

-approval of miscellaneous restroom revision at Hutchinson Elementary school;

-approval of lunch prices for 1997-98;

-approval of routine business;

-approval of resignations-Pam Cornutt, Cheryl Haggerton and Susan Gaona;

-approval of appointment-Becky Barnes;

-approval of appointment of Hutchinson Elementary principal.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

-two executive sessions.

INFORMATION:

-presentation of retirement plaques to Bobby Lemons and Janie Lou Greenlee;

-presentation of new employees;

-presentation on insurance by Tom Sawyer, consultant with Financial Benefits Services;

-information on request for proposal for stucco work on windows at Hutchinson Elementary School;

-information on request for proposal for carpet;

-budget training workshop.

NO ACTION:

-approval of Aramark agreement for 1997-98-further study required;

-approval of purchase of winch truck-no bids received.

COMMISSIONERS COURT

Mitchell County Commissioners' Court called meeting held at 9 a.m. on July 14.

ROLL CALL: County Judge Ray Mayo, Commissioners-Precinct 1, Ed Roach; Precinct 2, Carl Guelker; Precinct 3, Wendy Inman; Precinct 4, Bill Preston.

ACTION ITEMS:

-Approval of appointment of election judges and alternates;

-approval of 1997 tax report from tax assessor's office;

-approval of routine business-payroll, minutes, bills for payment, monthly reports.

BUDGET WORKSHOP

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

-re: acquisition of land;

Action: authorized Board of Economic Development to pursue an option on a tract of land.

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B&PW Club to award scholarship August 11

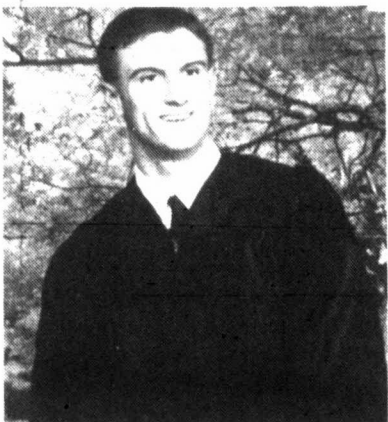
The Colorado City Business and Professional Women's Club will be awarding a career advancement scholarship August 11, 1997. Anyone needing additional training or education in order to obtain a better paying job, a position in a different field or to enter the work force may apply.

Selections will be made on the basis of financial need, evidence of career planning, and potential for reaching a goal, with special consideration given to single parents or persons who solely support a

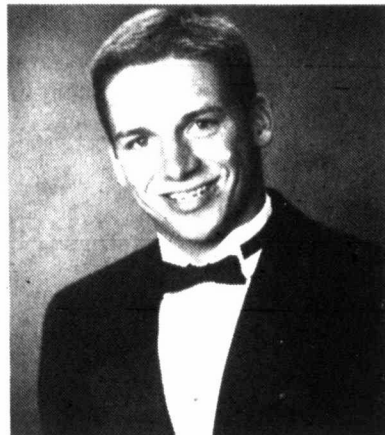
family. It will not be awarded to anyone already having a four-year degree.

This scholarship may be used for expenses such as baby sitting or transportation while attending classes.

For more information or to obtain an application you may call Christine Cooley, 728-3894 or Shirley DeLaney 728-2552 or 728-5187. Deadline for returning completed applications is August 1, 1997. Anyone applying previously is still eligible but must return a new application.



Kyle Moore



Casey Hill

Mitchell County pair fare well in All-Star tilt

For four years in high school they were fierce competitors but for a few days last week in Lubbock they were not only teammates but roommates as well.

Last Saturday night, the annual six-man All-Star basketball game was played at Lubbock Monterey Gym in Lubbock climaxing a week-long coaches clinic. Two Mitchell County athletes played in that game. They were Kyle Moore of Lorraine and Casey Hill of Westbrook.

Hill was selected to be an alternate in both the basketball and football games but ended

up as one of the ten players to suit up for the basketball contest. Coming off the bench 5-7 sparkplug began to pump life into the West squad putting up five points in a span of 48 seconds of the second half. He finished the game with 13 points, eight assists, and seven steals to his credit which was enough to garner several votes in the MVP voting.

Moore added three points, four rebounds and five assists in helping the West squad to a 74-56 victory over the East squad. Both Hill and Moore will attend Angelo State University in San Angelo this fall.

Community service work hours listed

Beginning Monday, July 21, the following is the work schedule for anyone needing to complete community service hours:

Monday	4 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Tuesday	8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Wednesday	8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Thursday	8 a.m. to noon & 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Friday	8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m. to noon or 5 p.m.

Report to the probation department on the third floor of the courthouse during business hours. If the courthouse is closed, report to the parking lot on the south side of the building. A reminder—everyone is required to do at least ten hours of community service per month and those not working at other jobs are required to work more hours.

Mitchell Co. reunion set Sept. 20

The annual Mitchell County reunion has been set for September 20, 1997 at the Civic Center. All present and former Mitchell Countians are invited to attend.

More than 300 people attended the popular event last year. Out-of-town visitors outnumbered local attendees.

Plans are underway to name a keynote speaker. Invitations are being printed and will be sent soon to a large number of out of county residents. Persons wanting to add names of interested people may contact Sissy Merritt or Shirley Delaney.

The reunion is a special event held each year for former Mitchell Countians from Colorado City, Lorraine and Westbrook, along with citizens of the surrounding communities.

Three high school reunions have already been set for the same weekend. The graduates of 1931, 1936 and 1937 plan to gather for the event.

The Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce will once again cook and serve a campfire breakfast at Kiwanis Park the morning of the reunion from 7-9 a.m. Cost of the breakfast is \$4.00.

Registration for this year's re-

London bound

CHS cheerleaders work to raise money for trip

All-Star cheerleaders, Amanda Thompson and Bettina Bridgford will be working together in the upcoming months to raise the money needed to travel to London with other cheerleaders across the nation.

Amanda is the daughter of Rodney and Gayle Cooper. Bettina is the daughter of Billy Bruce and Judy Bridgford.

To do so, the two have planned several fund raising events which will include:

- Sidewalk Paw Prints-show your support of the Wolves by having the girls paint a paw print in front of your building or on your driveway or sidewalk. One paw print is \$5.00, two are \$8.00. Individuals and businesses welcome.

- Garage Sale-donations are being accepted for a garage sale to be held in October. Call 728-2005 or 728-5991 for collection.

- Picture buttons-have your child's picture taken with Sluefoot. Other buttons (sports, extra-curricular, etc.) will be announced at a later date.

- Volleyball concessions-proceeds from the home game concessions at the volleyball matches will go toward the trip.

If you would like to donate to the girls, please call 728-2005 or 728-5991.

RPC assessment due date set

The Rolling Plains Central (RPC) assessment due date has been set for August 15, 1997, as recommended by the Foundation's board of directors and approved by the Commissioner. 1997 RPC assessments will remain at \$10 per acre. The Foundation is offering discount rates for early payments: a two percent discount if the payment is received 30 days prior to the due date and one percent if received 15 days prior.

Due to a July 15, 1997, FSA certification day, the Foundation will be unable to issue timely billing statements to allow growers to receive early discounts. However, the Foundation suggests that RPC growers wishing to take advantage of the early payment discount should calculate an assessment estimate based on 1997 planted acres and sent the payment directly to the Foundation at: P.O. Box 5089, Abilene, TX 79608. Failed certified acres destroyed and plowed-up prior to the first diapause application in the zone will be eligible for an assessment refund.

"We anticipate that this year's diapause program may consist of spraying the same

amount of cotton acreage as we would have with a full-season program," said Osama El-Lissy, acting executive director for the Foundation. "The costs of this year's diapause program versus the originally planned full-season program were extremely close in comparison, therefore it was suggested that the assessment remain the same to stay within the budget. "I believe the 1997 diapause program we have developed will put the zone in an ideal position to start full-season eradication in 1998."

Local student participates in ACU's Junior Scholars program

A Colorado City student is participating in Abilene Christian University's Junior Scholars program this summer.

David Small is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Small.

Junior Scholars enroll in freshman and sophomore-level courses with current ACU students during the two summer sessions from June 2-July 3 and/or July 7-August 7. Participating students can earn up to 14 hours of college credit by taking classes such as foreign languages, history, art appreciation, public speaking, math, science, Bible, theatre, political science, psychology, and various physical education classes.

Students have a chance to experience what college life is really like by living in a dorm, using the library, and eating in the cafeteria. Students have the opportunity to participate in social events such as movies, pizza parties, and dinner theatre. They may also take advantage of athletic facilities such as the racquetball and tennis courts and the Powell Fitness Center.

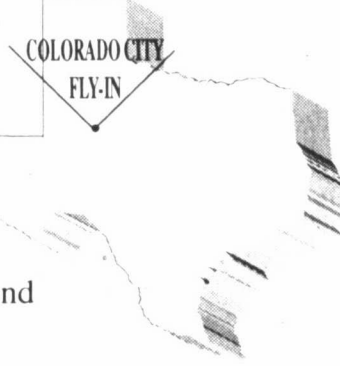
The Junior Scholars program at ACU began in 1973.

For more information about ACU, call toll-free 1-800-460-6228 or visit ACU's World-Wide Web home page at <http://www.acu.edu>.

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The volunteers who worked hard and gave of their time made this year's Fly-In a success!

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Sports



Cooper to play baseball for Wayland Baptist in Plainview

For the third year in a row, a Loraine athlete has moved on to play college baseball. This year Richard "Bear" Cooper, son of former head coach Rick and Isabella Cooper, has signed a letter of intent to play baseball for the Wayland Baptist baseball team in Plainview. Wayland coach Brad Bass said "We are looking forward to having Richard with us. Here at Wayland we stress education as our priority. Over 90% of our incoming freshmen go on to graduate."

Cooper was selected as the District 7-A Co-MVP and registered a 7-1 record this year. His only loss came at the hands of Bi-District opponent Buena Vista. He lettered in baseball all four years at Loraine and helped them advance all the way to the State Quarterfinals his sophomore year in 1995.

C-City 9 & 10 year old All-Stars advance to championship round

The Colorado City 9-10 year old All-Stars moved one step closer to the championship round by outlasting Abilene Lone Star 6-5 in a game played last Friday Night in Snyder. The local crew batted around in the 5th inning to break a 1-1 tie. Lone Star had taken a 1-0 lead in the bottom of the second inning and Colorado City scraped together a run to tie the game in the top of the fourth. Ryan Lucas started on the mound for Colorado City going the distance to record his second win of the tournament. He struck out six and issued only a single base on balls. When asked what his thoughts were in the last inning with the game on the line Lucas said, "I knew I had to get that last out so we could get to the championship round. That's all that was going through my head."

His dad coach Rick Lucas said, "I had decided to go with Ryan all the way if at all possible. Things got a little shaky in the last inning, but we managed to escape with a win."

Overseeing Bear Cooper sign letter of intent to play baseball at Wayland Baptist University is Coach Rick and Isabella Cooper and Wayland Baptist Baseball Coach Brad Bass.

Father/son team place first in scramble

A total of 22 teams entered this year's annual two-person scramble held this past weekend at Wolf Creek. Results are as follows:

Championship Flight		
First Place	Chris and Donny Phillips	59-61, 120
Second Place	Roland Powell and Jerold Epperson	63-63, 126
Third Place	Russell and Hayden Merket	62-65, 127
Presidents Flight		
First Place	Lloyd Watkins and Joe Stinson	67-66, 133
Second Place	Steve Shackleford and Terry Haggerton	66-68, 134
Third Place	C.D. Downing and George Powell	66-68, 134
First Flight		
First Place	Don-Dunn, Abilene	71-66, 137
Second Place	Jeff and Clay Hammond	69-69, 138
Third Place	Sandy McSpadden and Bo McCoury	69-70, 139

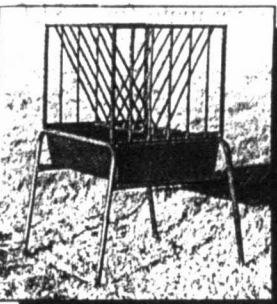
Farm and Ranch Specials

Steel Trough with Rack

- 16-gauge sheet steel construction
- Frame and Skids: 1-5/8" round tube
- Tops: 32" wide
- Bottoms: 28" wide
- Depth: 10"
- Cow Feeders: 22" tall
- Horse Feeders: 36" tall

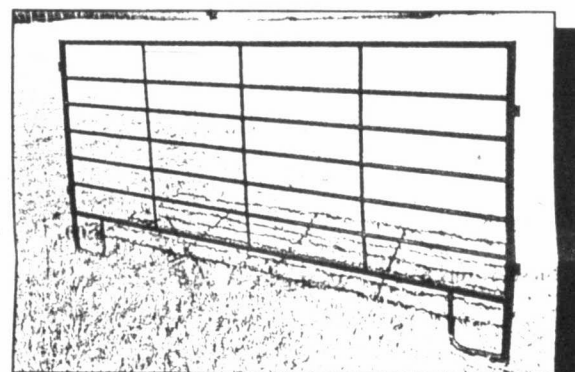
\$116⁹⁵

- Hay Rack
- Height: 31"
- Width: 35"
- Frame: 1" square tube
- Base: 1-5/8" x 1-5/8" x 1/8" angle iron
- Slant Bars: 3/4" round tube



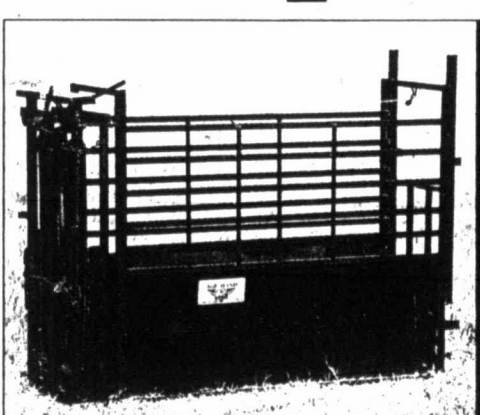
Horse-Height Model No. BF 004H

Panels



Series P2100	
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12'	\$62
Series P2200	
10'	\$65
12'	\$70

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Height:	5'6"	5'6"
Length:	10' or 12'	10' or 12'
Legs:	1 1/2" square tube	1 1/2" square tube
Top Bar:	1 1/2" square tube	1 1/2" square tube
Mid Bars:	5-1" square tube	4-1 1/2" square tube
Bottom Bar:	1" square tube	1 1/2" square tube
Braces:	2 on 10'/3 on 12'	2 on 10'/3 on 12'
Skid Shoe:	1 1/4" round tube	1 1/4" round tube
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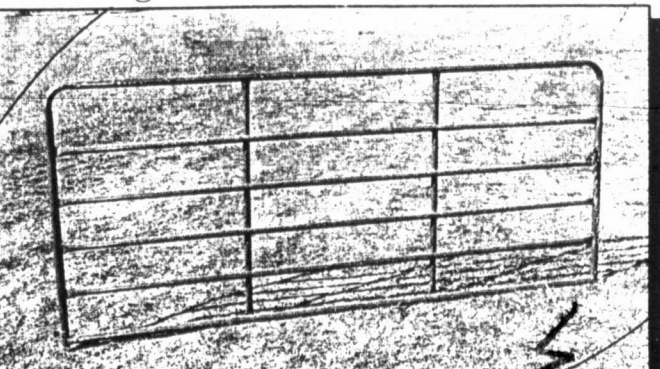
Holding Chute

- Ideal for cattlemen with smaller herds.
- Frame: 1-1/2" 1/4-gauge steel with 2" x 2" x 3/16" Bracing
- 7' L x 2'8" W x 6' H
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- Self-locking Tail Gate.
- Weight: Approx. 900 lbs.
- Self-catch Head Gate
- Driven by synchronized chain and sprocket-drive mechanism.
- Spring-loaded on one side.
- Right- or left-hand set up and/or operation
- Adjustable neck bars.
- Grease fittings at all pivot points.
- Nose Bar

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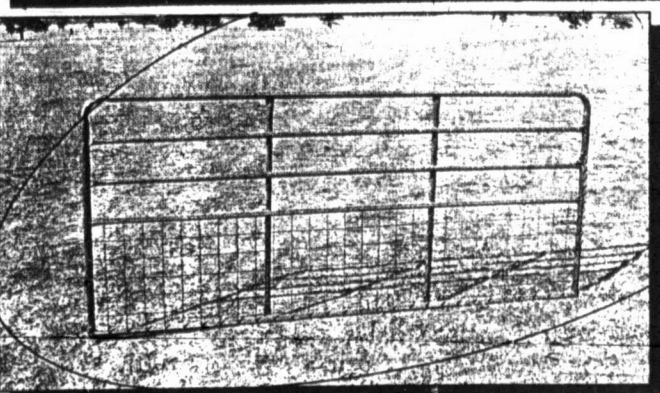
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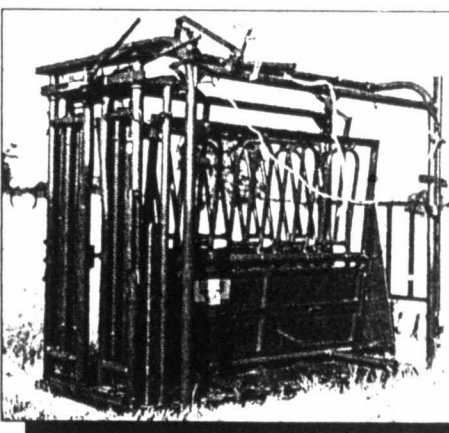


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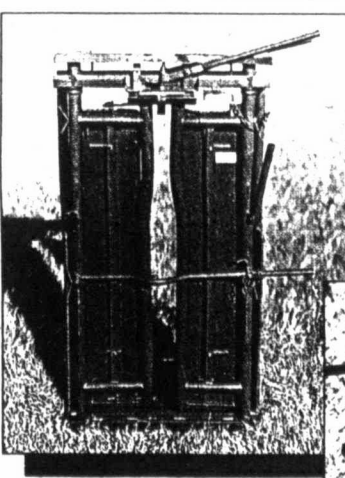
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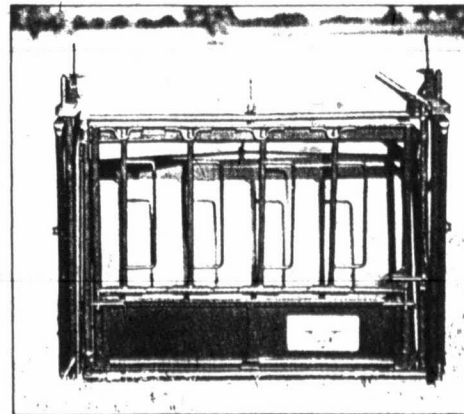


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PUBLIC NOTICE

Mitchell County Commissioner's Court will receive sealed proposals at the office of the County Judge or the County Auditor until 9:00 a.m., August 11, 1997 for one (1) mile, two (2) course with primer and three (3) miles seal coating. Specifications and locations available at the office of the County Auditor. Commissioner's Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids and/or waive any and all formalities.

Susan Buckalew
County Auditor

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Sealed proposals for 7.258 km of microsurface and seal coat on IH 20 from near BI 20-K in Loraine to Nolan County Line (WBL only) covered by CPM 6-1-81 in Mitchell County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, 200 E. Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas, until 1:00 p.m., August 5, 1997, and then publicly opened and read. It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that the sealed proposal arrives at the above location and is in the hands of the letting official, by the specified deadline regardless of the method chosen by the bidder for delivery.

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Michael Taylor, Area Engineer, Snyder, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

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Bidding documents may be examined at Jacob & Martin, Inc., 3465 Curry Lane, Abilene, TX 79606; 915/695-1070 or at TxDOT Abilene District Office, 4250 Clack, Abilene, TX 79603; 915/673-3761 and TxDOT, Aviation Division 150 E. Riverside Drive, South Tower, 2nd Floor, Austin, Texas 78704. Bidding documents may be obtained at TxDOT, Aviation Division, 150 E. Riverside Drive, North Tower, 2nd floor, Austin, Texas 78704 or mail address: Aviation Division, 125 E. 11th Street, Austin, Texas 78701-2483; 1-800-68-PILOT, upon deposit of Fifty and 00/100 dollars (\$50.00) per set. The deposit will be refunded upon return of the complete bidding documents in good condition within fourteen (14) calendar days following opening of the bids.

Minimum wage rates have been predetermined as required by law and are set forth in the specifications.

All proposals submitted must have a Child Support Statement completed with the name and social security number of the individual or sole proprietor and each partner, shareholder or owner with an ownership interest of at least 25% of the business entity submitting the bid.

Cashier's check, certified check, bank money order, bank draft on a state or national bank in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total bid price stated in the proposal, made payable without recourse to the Owner or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable corporate surety authorized to do business in the State of Texas and acceptable to the Owner, must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into a contract, and make bond in accordance with the requirements of the specifications. The Owner reserves the right to retain any check, bank money order or bank draft as liquidated damages in the event the bidder withdraws its bid after the proposals are opened and before official rejection of the bid by the Owner, or, if successful in securing the award of the contract, the successful bidder fails to enter into the contract and fails to furnish satisfactory performance and payment bonds.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and Payment Bond, each in the full amount of the contract price, executed by a surety company or surety companies authorized to execute surety bonds under and in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas.

The proposed contract is subject to the Vernon Texas Civil Statutes, Article 601.b concerning the participation of Historically Underutilized Business. HUB goal is set at 12%.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any irregular proposal and the right to waive technicalities if such waiver is in the best interest of the Owner and conforms to State and local laws and ordinances pertaining to the letting of construction contracts.

The Owner, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively assure that minority enterprises are afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

A pre-bid conference concerning this project will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 23, 1997, at City Hall, 180 West Third Street, Colorado City, Mitchell County, Texas.

COLORADO CITY (SPONSOR)

By: Jim Baum

Title: Mayor

SHERIFF'S SALE

PJ's Wrecker

877 E. 2nd

July 26, 1997

10 a.m.

1990 Olds #3M69FAR469938

1986 Pontiac IG2NE7UOGC697436

1982 Toyota JT2TE72L3CO779681

1978 Olds 3N37R8C144159

NOTICES

Mitchell County Hospital District D.B.A. Mitchell County Hospital, Valley Fair Lodge, Mitchell County Home Health, Mitchell County Ambulance Service and Family Medical Associates is an equal opportunity employment health care facility. Employment offered to qualified persons without regard to race, color, sex, age, national origin, handicap, or religion.

ALLERGIES? Need help breathing? FREE 3 days use of the World's Leading Air Purifier in your home. In Colorado City area, call 1-800-968-6037, leave message.

NOTICES

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HELP WANTED

Sonic Drive-In is now accepting applications for skating carhops and cook. Apply in person to Sonic Drive-In on I-20 in Colorado City.

HELP WANTED

Help Wanted: Babysitter needed for a 2 month child and 2-5 year old girls. For more info, call Red or Steph at 728-5079 or come by 1437 Walnut.

WACKENHUT CORRECTIONS/COKE COUNTY JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTER

in Bronte, Texas is seeking individuals to work in the following position:

• **COOK** - One to two years previous experience in an institution environment preferred.

This excellent opportunity to join a fast growing company with potential for a rapid advancement can be made by sending either a resume to: Box 700, Bronte, Texas 73933 or candidates may apply in person to 4 East Hwy. 277 S., Bronte, Texas.

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in Bronte, Texas is seeking individuals to work in the following positions:

• **CASE MANAGER** - Must have a master's degree in human service, behavioral science, social work or a related field.

• **CAREWORKER** - Must be at least 21 years of age; be willing to work rotational shifts, and have a valid Texas driver's license. Candidates should have an interest in the supervision of juveniles.

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Licensed Vocational Nursing

We are now taking applications for our September class.

Last day to test July 29

Last day to interview August 4



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Earn extra money selling Christmas Around the World. No investment to start, call 915-728-0063.

National Rail Car, Inc., 111 Cypress, Roscoe, Texas 79545. Now taking employment applications to hire experienced welders and paint sprayers. Company testing required. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer.

State Farm Office is now taking applications for future employment. Applicant should be sales and service oriented, quick learner, able to handle large paper flow, and be a people person. To fill out an application come by the State Farm Office at 137 West 2nd St., Colorado City, TX.

RN for weekend day shift, competitive pay & benefits. Valley Fair Lodge, Marsha Fickard, 728-2634.

EZ Way Plumbing needs experienced journeyman or plumber or experienced sewer machine technician. Salary based on experience. Apply in person, 140 W. 3rd, Colorado City.

Experienced cook wanted. Apply in person, Grill House Cafe, LCR 256-5342. Call for information, 728-2746.

Need someone to work in the church nursery on Sundays and Wednesdays. Call 728-2262 for interview.

Crude Oil Drivers Needed

Applications are being taken for positions in Midland, Ozone, McCamey, Colorado City & Snyder areas. Current CDL for combination/hazardous materials and some crude oil experience required. Applicant should be 25 years or older, have good driving record, be able to perform job requirements, and pass drug/alcohol test. Qualified applicants call 1-800-580-3200. EEOC.

Burger King is looking for enthusiastic people for a promising career in the fast food industry. Apply in person.

JOBS WANTED

Will mow yards & do light hauling. Call 728-3738.

JOBS WANTED

Will mow yards, weedeat, till gardens in Loraine, Colorado City and country homes, 737-2665.

General house & office cleaning. References available. Glenda or Sherry Oden, 737-2628.

Will weed-eat and mow lawns. Call Chad Morris 728-8853.

FOR SALE

2 used down draft air conditioners, 1 used upright freezer, 1 used washer/dryer, 1 couch & loveseat, 1 used TV. Call 728-3373 or 338-5255.

For sale: Winnabago motor home, runs good, all appliances work, no generator. 728-5896.

Metal Detectors by Whites Electronics. New and used. 728-2494.

Artistic Memorials ...for your loved one. Our company stands behind our product. No high pressure selling. See display at 2nd & Hickory. For more information call 728-3468, Joy Dockrey.

All sizes of portable buildings in stock now. Low prices. See at Gas N Grub.

Final Expense Whole Life Plans. Issued ages 35-85 (Age Nearest). Min Benefit - \$1000. No Medical Exams. Issued by American Home Life Ins. Co. Plans 95 FEPL and 95FEPG-TX For more info call 728-8009.

For sale: Speakeasy, 748 Concho, Building 64x30', all equipment, 10 acres of land, alfalfa, 2 water wells, rolling irrigation system, bailer & swather, hay shed holds 300 bales. Only serious inquiries, 728-8667 or 728-3717.

Queen-size waterbed headboard with heavy wood frame, 12 drawers underneath, good condition, \$125. 728-2412.

18' Glastron Carlson ski boat, 305 Chevrolet engine, excellent condition, 915-573-7271.

Cinder blocks for sale, 8x8x16 or 4x4x16, 728-5877.

For sale: 14 ft. boat, trailer, motor need work, nice, \$600, BJ Wood, 728-3722.

24 ft Pontoon boat, Ranger Bass Boat, 915-728-5914.

VEHICLES

LET US SELL FOR YOU! Consignments welcome, commission paid only if item sells! Tractors, equipment, autos, trailers, etc.

MATLOCK

I-20 C-City 728-3430

'77 Chevy Camaro, good 350 motor, transmission & paint job, \$1000 or best offer, call 644-5441 after 5 p.m.

'90 Mustang LX, red, CD, tint, alarm, \$5500, 728-8761, ask for Jason.

'87 Ford Supercab pickup, excellent condition, new tires, access, 728-5029.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST: Late Saturday night on Thompson Ranch, mixed breed, medium size dog, block with white markings, white on tummy, nose, back of neck, "Lady", \$50 reward, 728-3549, Mary.

FOUND: small lap dog found on Interstate, 728-8214.

LIVESTOCK

HORSESHOEING - Call Ken Hill 728-5723.

PETS

9 full-blood yellow Lab puppies for sale. 8 weeks old, \$75 each, 728-5063.

ANTIQUES

ANTIQUES - We have fine furniture, over 400 clocks, & numerous old lamps for you to purchase, plus many gift items. We also repair & refinish clocks, lamps, & furniture. Call us or bring in. All work guaranteed. House of Antiques, 4008 College, Snyder.

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE
Fri. & Sat.
8-12
129 W. 11th
Clothes, odds & ends, piano, snaredrum, xylophone, lots of misc.

BACKYARD SALE
950 Rusk
Sat., July 19
8-noon
Queen-size mattress set, table, futon frame, clothes, etc.

GARAGE SALE
1137 Elm
Sat., July 19
7-1
No big bills. Clothes boys & girls, shoes, toys, hanging lamp, lots of misc.

AUCTIONS

Public Auction
Tuesday, July 22 at 7 p.m.
877 E. 2nd, Colorado City
728-3950 or 728-3694
Last Auction of Summer
John Gohery TXL 12300

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE

2044 Chestnut

Fri., July 18 6-9p.m.

Sat., July 19 8 a.m.-?

Antique table, adult & baby clothes, other misc.

CARPORT SALE

1021 Locust

Fri., July 18

8-12

GARAGE SALE

1224 CR 248

Thurs., July 17 through

Sun., July 20

8-6

Little bit of everything!

Everything cheap!

GARAGE SALE

832 Chestnut

Sat., July 19

7-noon

Large size women's

clothes 42 & up, Brother,

wordprocessor, lots of

misc.

MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE

1200 block Westpoint

across from C-City

Auction

Fri. & Sat., July 18 & 19

8-?

Tack, booms, antiques, 3

piece sectional with hide-

a-bed & recliner, miscel-

aneous furniture, dishes

and glassware, swing

trainer, golf carts, bi-

cycles, collectibles, old

record albums, pictures

and frames, kingsize bed,

books, TV, kitchen appli-

ances, old school maps.

GARAGE SALE

2 miles south on

Sterling City Hwy

Fri., July 18

8-1

Lots of everything.

GARAGE SALE

408 W. Crockett St. in

Loraine

Fri. & Sat., July 18, 19

8-?

Home interior, electric

can opener, jewelry, la-

diest's clothing, men's

shirts, lots of misc.

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Jay McCollum 728-8049 • Rebecca Bird Del Real 728-5489
Loyce Phillips 263-1738

RESIDENTIAL
401 E. 11th, 2-1-2, ch/a, nice cprt/dpns, office bldgs too, SPECIAL, 1144 WALNUT, 3-2-2 cprt, nice cprt, cng fans, UNDER CONTRACT, 1945 COLORADO, 3-2-1, ch/a, nice cprt, cng fans, REDUCED AGAIN, 944 E. 8TH, 3-2-2, ch/a, brick, fncd, corner lot, PRICED TO SELL, 764 E. 7TH, 3-2-3cpr, lrg lot, fncd, refrig/washer/dryer, GOOD PRICE, 1431 WACO, 3-2-2, 2 story, cng fans, 2 lots, GOOD LOCATION, 961 E. 14TH, 3-1, carpet, fenced, w/d hookups, READY TO GO, 774 E. 8TH, 3-2-2, 2 lots, ch/a, MAKE OFFER, 1938 CHESNUT, 3-2cpr, new carpet, VERY NICE, 507 E. 7TH, 3-1-2, 2 lots, ch/a, cng fans, fncd, REDUCED, 540 HICKORY, 3-1-1 cpr, corner lot, brick, CENTRAL LOCATION, 981 E. 16TH, 2-1-2, clean, cng fans, fncd, strg bldg, HOMEY, 155 PARIS, 3-1-2cpr, fncd, strg cellar, wtr well, LARGE GARDEN AREA, 604 E. 5TH, 12' cngs, hrdwd flrs, two story, REDUCED, 220 E. 10TH, strg cellar, nice yrd, EXCELLENT FINANCING, LORAIN

OUT OF TOWN
817 KINDRED, 3-2-2 cpr, 8 acres, storage bldg., PRICED RIGHT, LOTS AVAILABLE, 23 complete or partial lots.

4738 N. HWY. 208, 2 1/2 mi. from town, 3.71 ac., beautiful large 3-2-2, nice carpets/drapes/appliances, RO unit, satellite, 30x50 insulated shop & offices, 24x48' mtl barn, 20 large trees, GREAT COUNTRY HOME, CR412, 3.8 miles So. of I-20, 40 ac., 2-1-3cpr house, wtr well, fncd, AT DUNN, 3-2, brk, brn & hrse run, patio, 4.65 acres, 2 wtr wells, NICE, 6770 E. I-20, 3-2, +7 ac., pasture, out bldgs, UNDER CONTRACT.

Call us also for Lake Property, Commercial and Land.

Member of Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce.

Owner Finance - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, fireplace, basement, central heat/air, carport, outbuilding, for sale or lease, 105 E. 10th. Call Bob Tammen for information, 915-728-8230.

For sale or trade: Large brick home in quiet neighborhood, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, inground swimming pool and hot tub, 728-2365.

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Home Phone: 915-728-8236

RESIDENTIAL
3 bd, 2 bath, living room & den, 792 E 9th, \$47,500.
3 bd, 2 bath, with den & sunroom, 1022 E 10th, \$56,000.
4 bd, 3 bath, with sunroom & swimming pool, \$125,000, N. 208.
3 bd, 2 bath, brick, w/ fireplace, 910 Walnut, \$56,000.
2 bd, 1 3/4 bath, cen h/a, 1086 E 12th, \$17,500.
3 bd, 2 bath brick, cen h/a, 937 E 9th, \$48,000.
2 bd, 1 bath, 1904 Chestnut, \$12,900.
2 bd, 1 bath, 1032 E 12th, \$12,000.
3 bd, 1 bath, double carport, corner lot, 1344 Cypress, \$25,000.
3 bd, 1 bath, cen h/a, 925 E 13th, \$32,000.
2 bd, 1 bath, 728 E 8th, \$16,000.
3 bd, 2 bath, brick, cen. h/a, 959 E 13th, \$59,000.
3 bd, 2 bath (2 story), 341 Elm, \$58,000.
4 bd, 2 bath, brick, 1014 E 10th, cen h/a, \$50,000.

LORAIN
3 bd, 2 bath, on approx 1 acre, brick, No. of Loraine, \$60,000.

HOMES IN COUNTRY
4 bd, 2 bath, brick, w/ fireplace, 2 story on approx 40 ac., \$100,000, I-20 & FM 1229 (would make a great Bed & Breakfast!)

LAND
40 ac., cultivated, \$15,000.
160 ac. Sec. 10, blk 28, \$55,000.
920 ac. mostly cultivated land, \$300 per ac.
180 ac. mostly in CRP, \$325 per ac.
402 ac. of pastureland near Spade, \$210 per ac.
44 ac. (can be divided into 11 ac. tracts), facing CR 307, \$1,000 per ac. (perfect for new home sites).
320 ac. farm land, majority in cultivation, \$325 ac.
Vacant lot for mobile home, 1744 Austin, \$5,000.

LAKE COLORADO CITY
Small cabin on deeded land, \$23,500, with lake frontage.
2 bd, living room, den, on deeded land, County Road 254, \$11,500.
3 bd, 2 bath, living room with fireplace & den, \$60,000.

HOUSES FOR SALE

TOWN & COUNTRY REAL ESTATE
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RESIDENTIAL
Large 2-1 stucco, central h/a, good paint, carpet, very nice kitchen, 209 E. 9th, \$29,000.
Nice 3-2-2, brick, fireplace, privacy fence, lovely neighborhood, 1003 E. 17th.
Large 3-1, central h/a, nicely redecorated, 943 Walnut, \$45,000.
Large beautiful older home 3-3 w/carport, 404 E. 14th, \$53,000.

COMMERCIAL
Small bldg in good condition, 644 E. 2nd, \$6,000.

LAKE COLORADO CITY
3-2 mobile home, beautifully decorated, total electric, deeded lot, not on water, 3206 CR 252, \$30,000.
Lovely 4-3 brick, two living areas, large fireplace, 150' waterfront, well & pump house, boat dock, 2946 CR 252, \$125,000.
2-2 mobile home, patio w/awning on two leased lots in Lakeview Camp, \$15,000.
Nice 3-2 mobile home on deeded lot, trees, central h/a, total electric, \$35,000.

HOMES IN COUNTRY
Large 3-2-2 brick on 80 ac. most in CRP, roping pens, out bldgs., beautiful place, near Westbrook.
Very nice 3-2 brick on 1 ac., good water well, lg. metal bldg, N. 208 LAND
480 ac., E. Howard Co., good hunting/grazing, \$65,000.
1 lot, Concho St., \$500.



Price reduced, recently remodeled, early 1900s, 2-story home, corner lot, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, large basement, hot tub, spacious modern kitchen, central heat/air, original stained-glass windows, ornate wood-carved ceiling, backyard office/apartment perfect for renting, quiet neighborhood, 445 Chestnut, 910-768-4709

House for sale by owner, will finance, 1721 Austin St., 728-2675, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Nice country home, 10 acres, fenced pastures, coral, 9 miles South 208, \$65,000, 728-8004.

Houses for sale, possible owner financing, 728-8891 or 728-3338.

RENTALS

COLORADO CITY RENTAL HOMES applications are now being processed by People for Progress, Inc. for the new four bedroom houses. Qualifications are for low and moderate-low income families with annual income below \$17,000 for a family of five or more. Rent \$390 a month. HUD approved for Section 8. Apply at 301 W. Arkansas, Sweetwater. For information call 235-8455, 21.

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Extra nice older brick home for sale. 2081 ft. floor space, central heat and air, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, formal living and dining rooms plus a den, garden room with Jacuzzi Spa, 2 outside storage buildings and 2 carports, 12x16 concrete storm cellar. Call owner 728-5789 or Fleta Lewis, broker, 728-3982, mid 50's.

For sale by owner: newly redecorated 2 bedroom, 1 bath, detached garage & storage, corner lot, 709 Main St. in Roscoe, \$25,000, call 235-2426.

RENTALS

2 bedroom house for rent, new carpet, central heat/air, 728-2542 weekdays 8:30-5

For rent: 1636 Waco, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, central heat/air, ceiling fans, carpeted throughout, electric range, 915-394-4780.

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RENTALS

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For rent: 2 bedroom, 1 bath house, fenced backyard, garage, 836 E. 13th, \$285 per month, \$150 deposit, no pets. Call 728-3616, leave message.

For rent: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, ceiling fans throughout, washer/dryer hookups, has stove & refrigerator. Call 728-3214.

LAKE PROPERTY

Very nice 3 bedroom trailer, stove, dishwasher, washer/dryer, 4 ceiling fans, large pecan trees, outdoor storage, central heat/air, at Lake Colorado City, \$300, \$150 deposit. 728-3210.

For sale on Lake Champion on leased lot: trailer house with screened porch, kitchen, bathroom on back, storage building, \$1500. Call 915-235-8114 or 915-235-1656.
For sale: 3 bedroom, 3 bath, central heat/air, sprinkler system, large deck, deeded lots, 728-8933.

Lake Colorado City, large lots for rent, Free access to the lake, \$50 per month. Large lots for sale, \$4000, free access to lake. Call 728-2738.

Lake home for sale: 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, central heat/air, lots of closets, large utility room, garden tub, deeded lot, \$48,000. Call 728-8709

Cabin, dock, deeded waterfront, 915-728-5914.

LAKE PROPERTY

Colorado City Lake home on 1 1/2 lots, recently remodeled, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, carport with storage room, 728-5098.

Lake Colorado City, two story log home, 2-2, loft, fireplace, storage, carport, dock, deeded land, 728-8879, after 5 p.m., anytime on weekends.

5 bedroom, 4 1/2 bath, brick, w/WBFP, huge waterfront deeded lot w/sprinkler system, central h/a, water softener, redwood boat deck, \$149,000, 915-728-5914.

LAND

FOR SALE: 146 acres with 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick house, central heat/air, double garage, storm cellar, barn, 40x60 metal shop building, fruit trees, pecan trees, pine trees, windmill & well for yard, city water for house, water softener RO system, satellite, located on County Road 305, 1 mile to Lake Colorado City.

172 acres, has cotton allotment, 1 1/2 miles to Lake Colorado City, located on County Road 305

21 unit mobile home park on 34.9 acres, located on FM 1983, Colorado City.

C.G. Britton
3477 County Road 305
915-728-3577
Colorado City

MOBILE HOMES

For sale: 1971 Premier mobile home, 12x73, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, in good condition, \$4,000. Call 737-2009.

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COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

In Colorado City, 4 bay shop, restaurant & warehouse, \$25,000, 915-394-4727.

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Craig Porter to The Public, affidavit.
City National Bank to Welburn Ray O'Neil et ux, Rel of Lien.
State of Texas to R. Stewart/ Hiel Inc. et al, Abstract Judgment.
City National Bank to Midland American Bank, Transfer Lien.
William E. Morren to Joe H. Morren, General Power of Attorney.
City National Bank to Fort Wood, Re of Lien.
Leon Dulin et al to Gary Don Rich

et ux, WD w/Ven Lien.
Gary Don Rich et ux to CNB of Colorado City, TX, DT.
Henry Couch, Jr. et ux to Donaldson James Halverson et ux, WD w/Ven Lien.

Donaldson, James, Halverson et ux to American State Bank, DT.

First Baptist Church, Westbrook to Jennifer Lynn Wright, WD.

Farm Credit Bank of Texas to Stanley A. Moore et ux, Rel Lien.
Steven Shawn Finley to Ricky

Wayne Bailey et ux, WD.

Ricky Wayne Bailey et ux to First Bank of West Texas, DT.
United States Army to Valerio Torres Jr., Honorable Discharge.
Thomas E. Underwood to Geary Underwood, Pow. of Atty.

Neva Dawn Underwood to Geary Underwood, Pow. of Atty.

Susie Rankin Estate to Ross W. Westbrook et al, Pl Rel Lien.

Laguna Petroleum Corp. to Laguna '79 Ltd's, Release DT etc.
Henry H. Stevenson, et ux to Sandy L. Nunez, Gift Deed.

City National Bank to Jack Robert Culppepper et al, Rel Lien.

Jesse Lynn Northcutt et al to Chase Mtg. Services Inc., Sub For Deed.

Edward James Petty to Mary Louise Petty, QCD.

Dee Bowen to Deborah Lowrance et al, QCD.

City National Bank of Colorado City to George Brian Proctor Jr. et ux, Rel. of Lien.

Bright & Company to Bright & Co. Royalty Pool Partnership, Asgmt of O.R.

Dee John Hart to RBP Land Company, OGML.

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George H. Martin et ux to RBP Land Company, OGML.

Vida Mae Riden McDaniel to Baytech, Inc., OGML.

Arvil Lindley Smith to Baytech, Inc., OGML.

Michael H. Uptergrove to Baytech, Inc., Ratification OGL.

Ann Wells to Baytech, Inc., OGML.

Richard A. White et ux to Baytech, Inc., Ratification OGL.

Sonora M. Honey to Janice Grifford, QCD.

Becky Rich to Merle Norman, Assumed Name.

Re: Otha Gray, C/C Will.

ARRESTS
Moises Garcia Jr., 52, CCPD, Family violence, assault by threat, 7-8.

Amanda Nannette Gomez, 29, CCPD, Family violence "C" assault, 7-8.

Michael Keith Gilley, 44, THP, DWLS, poss of marijuana under 2 oz., 7-9.

Dale Bauler, 39, MCSO, DWI-M, 7-9.

Luis Pineda, 44, CCPD, suety of bond, 7-9.

David Pineda, 34, CCPD, Family violence, "C" assault, 7-9.

Joe Luis Leija, 21, THP, No D.L., warrants, ride not secured by safety belt, 7-10.

David Brian Wilkerson, 18, CCPD, suspended D.L. repeated offense, 7-10.

Jesus Salazar Arguijo, 18, CCPD, No D.L. repeated offense, 7-10.

Carol Wayne Holton, 46, MCSO, DWLS-DWI 2nd, 7-11.

Jesus Martin Molina, 36, CCPD, Family violence class "C" assault, 7-11.

Jose Sanchez Gonzales III, 24, MCSO, PI, 7-12.

Moises Alfaro, 33, CCPD, PI, 7-13.

FILED COUNTY COURT
The State of Texas vs. Nicholas Karl Haag, speeding 75/60 trans. fm JP 1, 7-9.

The State of Texas vs. Richard Luera, Terroristic Threat (5-17-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Richard Luera, Criminal Trespass (5-17-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Richard Luera, Evading Arrest (5-17-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Richard Luera, Evading Arrest (5-6-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Richard Luera, Terroristic Threat (5-6-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Juan Carrillo, Assault (1-31-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Sharee Paschall, Evading Detention (1-25-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Eli Martinez, Evading Detention (1-25-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Ruben Gonzales, Evading Detention (1-25-97) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. William M. Phillips, Reckless Driving (12-22-96) 7-10.

The State of Texas vs. Dale Edward Bauler, DWL (7-9-97) 7-11.

COUNTY COURT ACTION
Richard Luera, Evading Arrest, July 11, 1997, Nolo Contendre, \$100, \$147, 6 months suspended/ 1 year, \$25 per month.

Richard Luera, Terroristic Threat, July 11, 1997, Nolo Contendre, \$300, \$147, 17 days.

Richard Luera, Criminal Trespass, July 11, 1997, Nolo Contendre, \$300, \$147, 17 days.

Richard Luera, Evading Arrest, July 11, 1997, Nolo Contendre, \$300, \$147, 17 days.

Richard Luera, Terroristic Threat, July 11, 1997, Nolo Contendre, \$300, \$147, 17 days.

Dale Bauler, DWL, July 11, 1997, Guilt, \$300, \$202, 6 months suspended/ 1 year \$25 per month.

Jack Anthony Simmons, DWI (2nd) July 11, 1997, Guilty \$300, \$212, 6 months suspended/2 years, Driver's license is suspended for 6 months.

FILED DISTRICT COURT
The State of Texas vs. Carlos David Dominguez, Judgement NISI, 7-10.

Spring seeded certification deadline extended to Aug. 1

The deadline to certify spring seeded crops has been extended to August 1, 1997. Any one that has not certified their spring seeded crops, CRP or native pasture will need to call or come by the Mitchell County FSA office to set an appointment.

Certification of planted crops are required for the following benefits:

*Production Flexibility contract payments if there are planted acres of fruits or vegetable on the farm.

*Acreage of a crop for which a commodity loan or a loan deficiency payment will be requested.

*Acreage on the farm is enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program.

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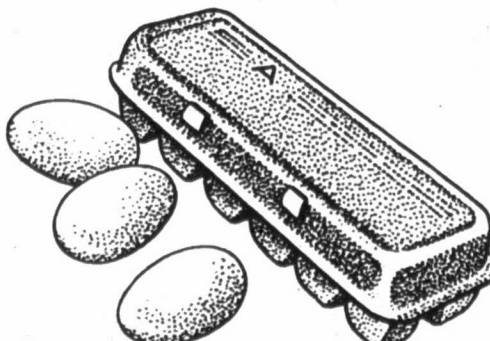
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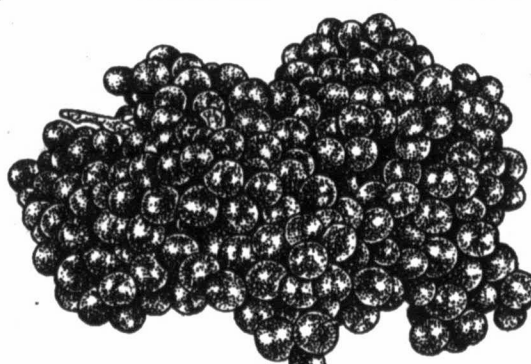
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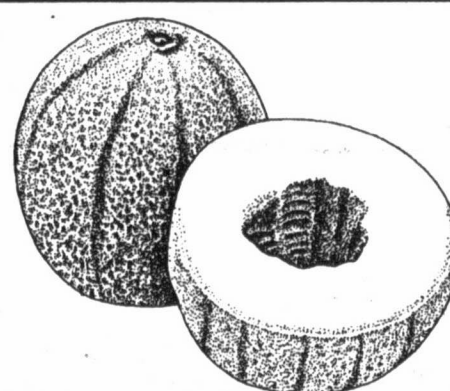
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