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Briefly

Loraine School

Loraine School will begin classes on Wednesday, Aug. 29. Classes run from 7:55 a.m.-2:45 p.m.

Mission board

The board of the Community Mission will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the mission, located at the corner of Third and Elm streets.

Loraine School

The Loraine PTO will sponsor a breakfast for teachers in the school cafeteria from 8:30-9 a.m. Monday, Aug. 27.

All interested parents are invited to attend.

Class of '81

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

Reunion organizers need the addresses of the following classmates:

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

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

Revival

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

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

Economic board

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

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

Mom's day out

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

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

Women's tourney

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

Around Town

Happy birthday, JOHN JACKSON JR., WENDELL BRYANT searching... Happy birthday, PAM JARNAGIN... Happy birthday, CORA LUERA... BUZ RICH ready to retire... SHELLI WEBB gets scared at the park...

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LULAC, city reach agreement

The Colorado City Council Thursday approved an ordinance converting the present "at-large" system of electing council members to a system of representation based on a mayor and six single member council districts.

The ordinance settles a lawsuit filed by the League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) concerning the city's method of electing council members.

City Attorney Tom Rees said the ordinance approves the agreement reached between the city's and

LULAC's attorneys. Final approval will be by the U.S. Justice Department.

Now that the suit has been settled, an election can be held in May of 1991 at which time the terms of the mayor and all six council members will expire. The mayor and three of the council members will run for full two-year terms and the other three council members will run for unexpired terms of one year each.

Because of the lawsuit, a city council election was not held this

year. A map detailing the districts and a copy of the metes and bounds of each district can be inspected at city hall.

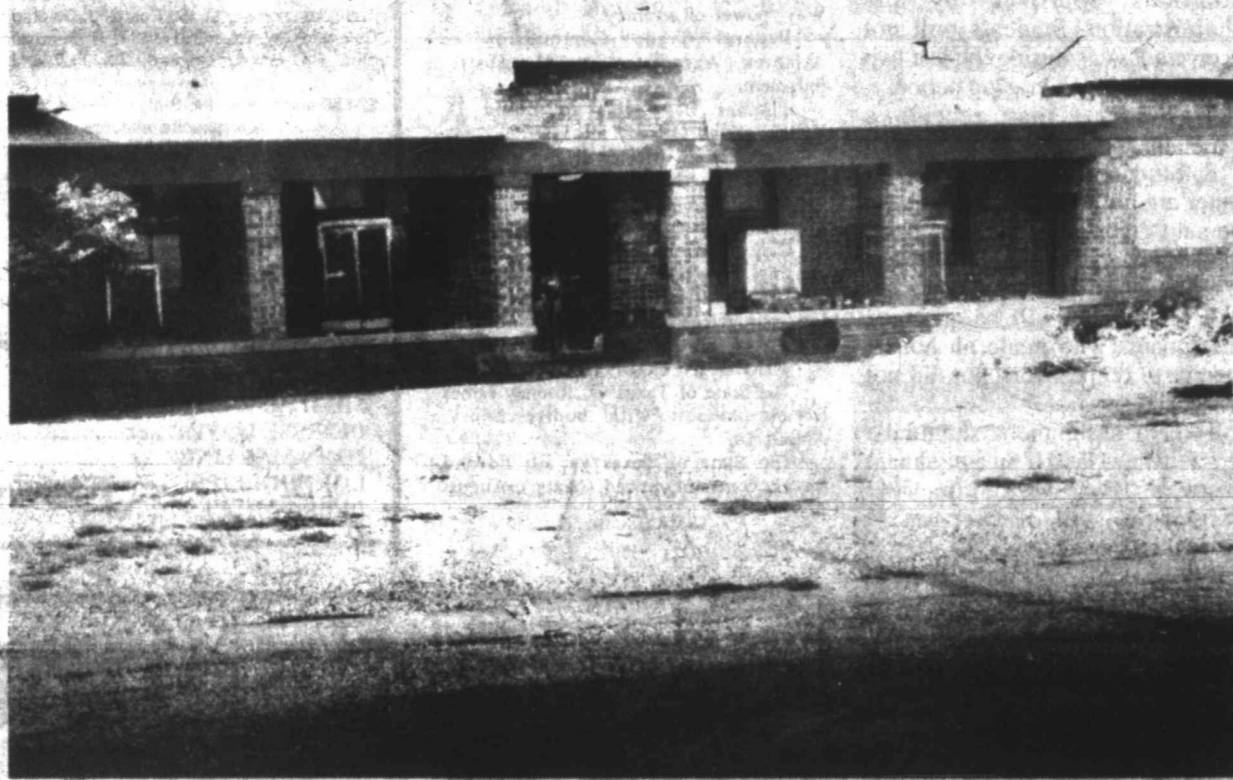
In other business, the council awarded a bid for a new landfill compactor to Caterpillar for a total of \$106,252 including trade-in and buy-back options. City Manager Brenda Hammond said Caterpillar was the only bid that met the bid specifications with the buy-back option. Hammond said the present John Deere model is to the point

where it should be replaced because of mounting repair costs.

Because of new regulations, the city's landfill will no longer be able to accept whole tires after Sept. 1. The council approved an ordinance establishing fees for split tires and for quartered and shredded tires. Cost per split tire will be \$2 each for tires up to 7:15 by 18-inch. Larger tires will be \$6 each and tractor tires \$8 each. Quartered tires will be \$4 per square yard and shredded will be \$2 per square yard. The landfill will accept tires only from county residents.

The council awarded a bid to Scott Thane Ditching Service of Odessa to install new water lines in the south part of town with funds obtained from a state grant. Thane had been second low bidder when bids were originally opened. The low bidder, Underground Utilities, quit shortly after the project got underway and its bonding company refused to complete the project. Thane's original bid was \$197,313, but change orders will be executed to

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RENOVATIONS EYED - The old Boys' Club building located at Third and Chestnut streets will soon have a new look and a new purpose if the Optimist Club has its way. The club hopes to turn the facility into a youth center and open it up for other community activities as well.

Boys' Club renovation planned

The Optimist Club of Colorado City is planning an overall renovation of the old Boy's Club building on Third Street.

"We want to turn the old building into a vital part of the community, making it a well supervised youth center and using the space for other community services," said Optimist member Lulu Boyd.

She said the club is seeking assistance from Mitchell County residents and businesses to give the old American Legion building a new face lift.

"We want to paint and fix up inside and out and provide lighting all around the building," she said, adding that "this will be a major project of the club and we need

everyone's help to accomplish this."

She said the club has met with Gerri Randle, Mitchell County probation officer, who said that the age group of youth with the greatest need is fifth-eighth grades.

"We will target the center to reach Hutchinson and middle school age youth," she said.

Goals for the center will be to:

1. Make it available as a place for youth to go that parents can feel comfortable about (well supervised).
2. Offer video games and movies.
3. Have dances (either monthly or after home football games).
4. Have a weight room and place to exercise.
5. Provide space for community services (such as toy drive, etc.).
6. Make facility available for birthday parties, etc.

She said the club needs donations such as a stereo, speakers, lighting (inside and out), windows, paint, television, VCR, cassette tapes, lumber, plumbing supplies, material for curtains, sofa, ping pong table.

"Of course, cash donations and just about anything else will be welcomed," she said. "We also need lots of elbow grease." For donations, please phone anytime, Lula Boyd, 728-8393; Renee Culpepper, 728-3155; Leigh Ann Erwin, 728-307; Boyd Griffin, 728-5886.

Parent/school partnership urged

An education consultant Wednesday urged Colorado ISD educators, parents and patrons to develop a new "partnership" between home and school.

Jack Agati of Londonderry, N.H. discussed the role of parents and teachers in what he refers to as a "delicate process called education of

children."

The meeting, held in the Colorado High School auditorium, was part of the week's in-service training for Colorado City teachers but was held at night to allow the parents and other interested persons to participate.

"Children are the customers of

public education," he said, adding that the partnership of home and school needs to address three areas:

- Teaching the three "R's".
- Conveying to children values and principles.
- Teaching self-esteem to

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CMS students to get 'zapped' this year

Colorado Middle School students will be "zapped" this year as part of a new program designed to get students to turn in their work.

Principal Jim McLean said the main idea of the Z.A.P. (Zeros Aren't Permitted) program is "we want to work." This concept is the guiding factor in the decisions of the Z.A.P. program.

"The program is not designed as a punitive program for discipline,

and the student can stop the process at any time by just turning in the work," said McLean. "Z.A.P. is not a punishment. Teachers do not administer discipline in the Z.A.P. process. It is a method of convincing students that 'we want the work.'"

"Hopefully, because of the program, we will see an increase in the success rate of the students at Colorado Middle School," said McLean.

Some of the guidelines for the program are as follows:

1. When the student does not turn in an assignment the teacher will inform the student that the assignment will be due at the beginning of the next session of the class with a 20 percent grade reduction.
2. The student may turn in the assignment before the end of the class, to the Z.A.P. center, or to the teacher at the beginning of the

next class period with a 20 percent reduction and no more penalties.

3. If a student fails to complete the assignment by the beginning of the period of the next class session, the teacher will send the student with a Z.A.P. pass to the office. The student will be issued a hall pass for the student's return to class, and the Z.A.P. pass will be placed in the sending teacher's mailbox for verification. The student may turn in the work in the

Z.A.P. center with a 20 percent grade reduction and no additional penalties.

4. If the student fails to turn in an assignment after being assigned to Z.A.P. center, the student is sent to the office the next class session with a regular discipline referral form. The student will report to the office for parent notification and assignment to the Z.A.P. center.

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TAP organization plans public meeting

A second public meeting on the proposed hazardous waste incinerator and landfill will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 6, in the Colorado High School auditorium, said Peggy Maddox, chairperson of Texans Against Pollution.

Dr. Paul Connett will address the public concerning theory versus practice in the use of incineration for disposing of waste.

Connett is associate professor of chemistry at St. Lawrence University in Canton, N.Y.

"Dr. Connett is one of the most knowledgeable persons about dioxin, one of the toxins produced in the incineration process," said Maddox. "He has presented papers on exposure to dioxin via foodchains at the last four International Symposia on Dioxin."

Connett leaves Colorado City on Sept. 7 to speak in Los Angeles and then to Germany for this year's International Symposia on Dioxin. He received the Environmentalists of the Year Award in 1989 because of his volunteer efforts to inform people of the dangers from toxic waste incinerators.

Connett has given over 500 presentations in 36 states in the United States and three provinces in Canada and the United Kingdom. His appearance will feature some of the video presentations he has produced.

"This meeting is part of the continuing effort by TAP to inform the public about the problems of hazardous waste incineration," said Maddox, adding that numerous state policy makers have expressed a desire to come and hear Connett.

More questions answered about proposed landfill

Here are some more questions about the proposed regional landfill and incinerator submitted to a citizens advisory committee. The answers follow each question.

1. The majority of the vote for this landfill was taken from 300 people voting 85% in favor. How is 300 people considered the majority of a 9,000 population county?

The initial meeting concerning the installation of the landfill in Mitchell County was publicized ten (10) days prior to the meeting taking place so that all concerned and interested citizens in Mitchell County would have an opportunity to voice their opinions and concerns. Eighty-five (85) percent of those attending that meeting voted in favor of the proposed project at that time.

2. Will you please list me just 5 save facts on a hazardous waste landfill?

The landfill will be a strictly controlled facility being overseen and monitored by three (3) state agencies-(1) Texas Water Commission, (2) Texas Department of Health, (3) Texas Air Control Board, and (1) federal agency being the Environmental Protection Agency.

3. Will this project cause an increase in highway and rail traffic in the area? Will local insurance rates be affected?

Yes! Mitchell County is in state insurance zone sixty-five (65). The rates in this zone for both liability and collision are determined by population and the accident frequency rate in this zone.

4. When an incinerator is complete and in operation, and the citizens of counties realize the dangers one proposes, the operation is almost impossible to stop. Will the same be thus in Mitchell County? Why?

It is incumbent of all citizens of Mitchell County to pose all

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Ray Mayo



I've decided that our home is worth untold millions of dollars, not because of its value in today's real estate market, but because of what we've got stored in the closets and other hiding places.

It seems that the toys of today are museum pieces of the future. Old toys, comic books and baseball cards are becoming collector's items. The older and more rare the item, the more it's worth and the more it costs to buy.

Comic book collectors are now paying thousands of dollars for early issues of Batman, Captain Marvel, Superman and Loony Tunes.

These are the same comics that I read once or twice as a kid and then tossed in the trash after enough of them had piled up in my room to make my mother mad enough to force me to throw them out.

And baseball cards! Have you bought a "rare" one lately? They can go for thousands of dollars. I had a whole pile of cards as a kid, not because I collected baseball cards, but because I liked to chew the powdery pink bubble gum that came in the package with the card.

The last time I recall seeing my baseball cards was when I was in about the eighth or ninth grade. I had moved the stack to the garage with other childhood mementos. I'm sure they ended up the garbage can after I had left home and mother sold the house.

My wife and I disagree on few things. But, we do have a difference of opinion when it comes to throwing things out. Actually, it boils down to the simple fact that if I don't see a use for something, I don't see a need for keeping it. My wife, on the other hand, is of the opinion that you never know when you might need something, so you had better hold on to it.

To be honest, since we've been married, I've probably mellowed some in my "throwing-out" habits and my wife has mellowed some in her "keeping" habits.

But, we probably still have the first toys our 14-year-old ever had. His closet is full of treasures from Christmases and birthdays past. The drawers in the chests in his room are crammed full of similar marvels. Ditto for the locked metal storage building in the back yard. Even his grandparents' house has a corner of treasures that could be priceless someday.

Somehow, I don't think we'll be throwing any of it out. After all, in 30 or 40 years, who knows what these relics from the 1970s and '80s will be worth?

Ray Mayo is editor of the Record

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questions and concerns relating to the proposed landfill facility to those agencies having the expertise to respond in addition to the developer, National Waste and Energy Development, Inc., prior to the site being built.

5. Will this committee ask for a trust fund of 100 million to be deposited in a local bank to provide for environmental concerns?

A bond will be required by the Texas Department of Health who is the permitting agency along with the Department of Agriculture, Texas Parks and Wildlife, Texas Department of Public Safety, Railroad Commission, Texas Air Control Board, Texas Water Commission and the Environmental Protection Agency. The amount of the bond would depend on the type of facility selected by National Waste and Energy Development, Inc. The Citizen's Advisory Committee does not have the responsibility nor the authority to require a bond.

Public Records

from the Mitchell County Courthouse

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Freddie Leon Everton of Colorado City to Karen Ann Roberts of Beaumont, August 21.

FILED WITH COUNTY CLERK
Gage Inc. to Chickasha Cotton Oil Company, deed of trust.
Gage Inc. to the public, consent resolution.

Sally Parker to W. K. Bigham & Sons, Inc., mechanical lien.
Est. Earl Baylor Powell to Edgar Lay Powell II et al, c/c order determining heirs.

Jeanne Vest to Joseph Robert Vest, power of attorney.
Billy G. Laminack et ux to Larnce Hicks et ux, release of lien.

Mary Frances Furlow to Monte Carver McCright, et ux, warranty deed.
Monte Carver McCright, et ux to Mary Frances Furlow, deed of trust.

Birdie Bird to Clay Strange, power of attorney.
Charles L. Snider et ux to Eddie Martinez et ux, warranty deed.

Eddie Martinez et ux to Charles L. Snider et ux, deed of trust.

G. B. Harding et ux to Beulah Lee J. Flack, warranty deed.
Cass Oil Company to R. S. Brennan Jr., 1st Trust, release of oil, gas, lease.

Nelda Joan Merket to N-J Enterprise, assumed name.
Torch Oil & Gas Co. to SASI Minerals Co., et al, assign, bill of sale, etc.

Powhatan Carter, Jr et ux to Powhatan Jr. & Beverly T. Carter Revoc Trust, assign oil, gas lease.
Randy L. Hardy et ux to Don Driver et ux, warranty deed.

Eileen A. O'Shaughnessy to Eileen A. O'Shaughnessy 1973 Revoc Tru., corr. convey.

Sweetwater Ready Mix Concrete Co. to Colorado City Front St. & College St., affidavit for contractor's lien.

Mitchell County Sheriff to Craig Johnson, sheriff's deed.
Mitchell County Sheriff to Craig Johnson, sheriff's deed.

Elmo F. Decker et ux to Fay Delwin Hurley et ux, warranty deed.
Fay Delwin Hurley et ux to Elmo F. Decker et ux, deed of trust.

E.C. Bohannon et ux to Kathryn Gail Smith, release of lien.
Merlin F. Purser et ux to Eugene McCown, mechanical lien.

Eugene McCown to City National Bank, transfer mechanical lien.
Pat Reese Ramsey to Permian Basin Acquisition Fund 88, M Royalty and OR Royalty Convey.

L. M. and Kathy Newby to Dale Dickard, power of attorney.
Charles E. Goss et ux to Leroy Billy Carr, mechanical lien.

Leroy Billy Carr to City National Bank, transfer mechanical lien.
Leroy Billy Carr et ux to Charles B. Goss, corr. warranty deed.

Charles E. Goss to City National Bank, deed of trust.
Mary Aline Way to Raymond Richard Way, power of attorney.

Raymond Richard Way to Mary Aline Way, power of attorney.
Federal Trade Commission to Atlantex Associates et al, abstr. judgment.

Thomas B. Kalish to David D. Kalish, assign OR roy int.
Hamilton E. McRae III to Hamilton E. McRae III, trustee, conveyance.

Hamilton E. McRae II to Hamilton E. McRae III trustee, conveyance.
City National Bank to May-B Leasing, Inc., release of liens.

Hibernia National Bank to MJM, Ltd., part release, deed of trust/mort.

FILED IN COUNTY COURT
The State of Texas vs. Rodney James Bryant, assault with bodily injury, August 16.

The State of Texas vs. Eli Edward Reyes, contesting speed (racing), August 22.

The State of Texas vs. Andrew Allen Garcia, theft, August 22.

FILED IN DISTRICT COURT
Virginia Helen Rogers vs. Billy Dale Rogers, divorce action, August 10.
Leisa D. Martin vs. James A. Martin, divorce action, August 23.

COUNTY JAIL ARRESTS
Vance Severyn, 28, arrested August 10 by CCPD, public intoxication.
Alfonso Vasquez, 47, arrested August 18 by CCPD, DWI.

Bobby Silva, 17, arrested August 18 by MCSO, court committal.
Daniel Copeland, 28, arrested August 19 by CCPD, public intoxication.

Carl Clark, 23, arrested August 20 by

CCPD, DWI.
Marcus Martinez, 18, arrested August 20 by CCPD, MIP.

Luis Ramon Pineda, 37, arrested August 20 by CCPD, DWI, no valid driver's license.
Thomas Sheppard, 34, arrested August 20 by CCPD, public intoxication.

Irajin Molina, 34, arrested August 20 by MCSO, motion to revoke.
Brenda Gunn, 35, arrested August 20 by CCPD, theft by check, FTA warrants.

Donald V. White, 52, arrested August 21 by CCPD, CCPD warrants.
Matthew Sarmders, 23, arrested August 21 by CCPD, DWI.

Vicente Gaona, 24, arrested August 22 by CCPD, violation of protective order.

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted
August 21
Viola Hulme, City, medical;
Kayla Rich, Westbrook, surgical.

Patients Dismissed
August 23
Joanna Garza, City, medical.

August 21
Gayla Gale, City, medical;
Matilda Limones, Loraine, medical;
Lolita Gedeo, City, medical; Elva Marie Acanziz, Sweetwater, medical.

August 22
Kayla Rich, Westbrook, surgical.

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ZAP

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5. Students who fail to turn in assignment after assignment to the Z.A.P. center may face additional action. After the third time in a six weeks period the student may be assigned to in-school suspension, required parent conference or other administrative action.

6. Zeros are permitted because of cheating, long term projects not turned in, or other individual situations approved by the administration. Students will not receive a Z.A.P. during the last two days of a six-week grading period.

7. Students may receive a Z.A.P. for incomplete work.

8. Students assigned to Z.A.P. center are not required to remain in the center for any length of time. Students may leave when work is completed.

9. Extra help will be arranged for students who made an honest attempt to do the work but did not understand it.

10. No assignment should be over five days late. If an assignment is over five days late, the assignment will receive a 30 percent grade reduction.

11. Students may only receive one Z.A.P. per assignment.

12. Parents are responsible for transportation for their children after Z.A.P. sessions. Students will bring home notices at least one day prior to their Z.A.P. assignment. This needs to be signed and returned to the child's teacher. If the students fail to return the notices, parents will be notified by phone of the situation.

14. Serious illnesses, long-term illnesses, emergency or family emergencies will get special consideration concerning make-up work.

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He said educators need to provide the best possible tools and environment in which to learn and that parents need to become models of what they want the next generation to become.

"Parents need to be involved in school work and school projects," he said. "Parents should be good models for reading."

Agati stressed the importance of communication - between child and parent, between child and teacher and between parent and teacher.

"Home and school have to work together to make sure the values and principles we believe in get passed on," he said.

He warned against creating a generation of "house guests" in which children do not accept responsibility.

"We want kids to be responsible for their part of the learning process," he said.

Also, he said, "when kids leave our schools, they should feel as good about themselves as possible."

And, there is a distinction between praising children and encouraging them, he said.

Agati said that the goal of education is not to create a generation of "data spitter outers", but rather to create a generation of responsible adults by stressing the importance of service, character and leadership as well as scholarship.

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lower the amount to the meet the city's budget with city crews doing more of the work than originally planned.

No action was taken on the ambulance service budget and request and on the appraisal district budget.

Road progr

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Road to Recovery program successful

The American Cancer Society's Road to Recovery Program recently completed the first year of operation in Mitchell County.

Road to Recovery is the name for a group of American Cancer Society volunteers who drive cancer patients to and from medical facilities located in Abilene, Lubbock and San Angelo.

American Cancer Society has been helping cancer patients with their transportation problems for many years. In the past decade, because of advances in medical research, more cancers are being cured through new forms of therapy. Therefore, more patients have the considerable problems involved in getting to the treatment facility.

Much of the time, the increasing number of cancer patients need radiation therapy and require numerous trips to a treatment center. Many will receive chemotherapy and may need to report weekly or monthly for up to a year.

Usually, friends or relatives help initially, but often, alternative

transportation becomes a necessity.

Road to Recovery volunteer drivers recognize that cancer patients and their families are burdened emotionally, physically and financially, and that is where the transportation program comes in, giving families one less thing to worry about.

Whether someone volunteers as a driver because they know someone with cancer or they feel good about helping others, the patient-driver relationship is not one-sided. The volunteer driver receives so much in return by learning through the patient's personal strength.

Any Texan who has been diagnosed as having cancer and has had radiation therapy or chemotherapy prescribed by their physician may be eligible for the transportation program.

For more information on requesting this service or on becoming a volunteer driving for the Road to Recovery Program in Mitchell County, anyone in the county may call the local coordinator at 728-2119.



GRADUATE - Western Texas College vocational nursing students Phyllis Crawford, left, of Loraine, and Julie Whitesides of Colorado City graduated during ceremonies Thursday, Aug. 23, at Trinity United Methodist Church in Snyder. A reception honoring the students and their families was held in the fellowship hall of the church following the program.

Blair-Bennett family reunion held

Ninety persons attended the annual Blair-Bennett reunion held at the Hillmon cabin at Lake Colorado City.

Those in attendance were Ed and Ouida Hillmon, Wayne, Lisa, Tyson and Bethany, all from Monahans; Dave, Ann, Julie Rogers, David, Deborah and Camson Rogers, all from Crane; Dorothy and Pam Narrell from Irving and Bruce Perkins and Wayland Bennett from Lubbock; Merlin Bennett from Plainview; Deryl Bennett from Littlefield; Jim and Patty Harden and Margaret Griffith from San Angelo; Paul, Vickie, Julie and Brooks from Midland; Joe and Olita Glass from Slaton; John, Peggy, Amy, Ahsley and Austin Wright from Clyde; Tommy, Vicki, Caci, Cody and Kyle Blair, T.J. and Ruth from Abilene; Billy and Wynona Blair; Brady Blair from Snyder.

Those attending from Loraine were Homer and Ruth Richburg, Dual and Opal Jo Blair, Larry, Fielda, Christi and Amber Blair, Klay, Tony, Kale, Elizabeth and Charlsa McMillan, Brooke and Jeremy Cooper.

Those attending from Colorado City were Buddy and Mollie Blair, Ronnie, Debbie, Tammie, Carrie and Faye Bennett from Loraine.

and Rusty Blair, Melralene Walker, Ira and Helen Williamson, John and Mary Kay Williamson, Elmer and Billie Martin, Sue, Chris and Andrea McKinney, Tim, Barbara, Brandon and Blake Oden, Demprey Dardin and Randy White.

A special guest was Toshie Haga, a student from Japan who has spent a month in the home of Ronnie and Debbie Blair. Also, Michael Hillmon from San Antonio, Lisa Ward from Lubbock, Merle and Mabel Glass from Hermleigh, Stephanie Blair and Shahala Nutt from San Angelo, Shane Nutt from Irving and Lola Faye Bennett from Loraine.

Obituaries

Prentice Hill Jones Jr.

Prentice Hill Jones Jr., 65, of Loraine died Wednesday, Aug. 22, 1990 at his home.

Graveside services were at 11 a.m. Friday at Loraine Cemetery with Andrew Purchell officiating, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

He was born July 18, 1925 in Jones County and was a farmer.

Survivors include five sisters, Pauline Hodnett of Hamlin, Doris Mitchell of Hamilton, Bea Stevenson of Colorado City, Florence Morris of Colorado City and Allene Ritchey of Loraine.

George E. Abernathy

George E. Abernathy, 72, of Christoval died Saturday, Aug. 18, 1990 at Schleicher County Memorial Hospital in Eldorado.

A memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Mertzon Highway Church of Christ in Eldorado, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born March 21, 1918 in Brady. He received his B.A. degree from Abilene Christian University in Abilene and his M.A. degree from Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

He served 20 years as an Air Force officer, retiring in 1966 as a lieutenant colonel. He taught school in Blanco and Lockhart and retired from teaching in 1978. For several years, he worked as a real estate agent in San Angelo. He was a member of the Church of Christ in Eldorado where he served as an elder.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ann Rogers Abernathy.

He is survived by his wife, the former Billie Ruth Tart of Loraine; a daughter, Dorothy Thornton of Newport News, Va.; two sons, Dennis G. Abernathy of San Antonio and Daniel E. Abernathy of Austin; his brother, Elton Abernathy of San Marcos; four step-daughters, Loretta Magee of Pineville, La., Judy Brown of Snyder, Gwen Bell of San Angelo and Karen Hamer of Midland; and 11 grandchildren.

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August 20

Monday Night

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2nd - Dot Casey and Jonisue Stiff, Snyder

3rd - Craig Jones and Phyllis Berkowitz, Big Spring

4th - Marie Hixon, Sweetwater, and Coleen Palmer

Moesser hosts coffee

On Tuesday, Aug. 21, the Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church honored Mrs. Mildred Campbell with a going-away coffee at the home of Ima Dot Moesser.

Mrs. Campbell, a long-time resident of Colorado City, will be moving to Las Cruces, N.M. with her daughter and son-in-law, John and Verna Merritt.

Mrs. Campbell was curator at the museum for many years.

Those attending were Mrs. Campbell, the honoree; Ima Dot Moesser, the hostess; Dale Greer, co-hostess; Stella Dulin; Auroa Farquhar; Mabel Galey; Ruth Grantland; Lillian Justice; Jeanette Lemons; Ruthel McKinney; Catherine Morris; Priscilla Thompson; and Imogene Webber.

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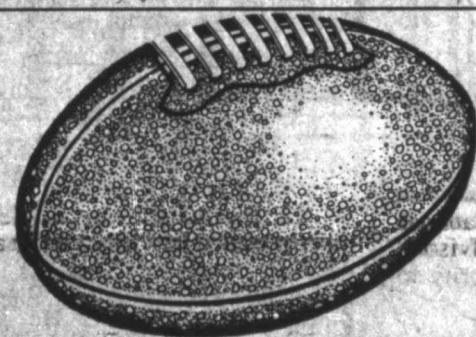


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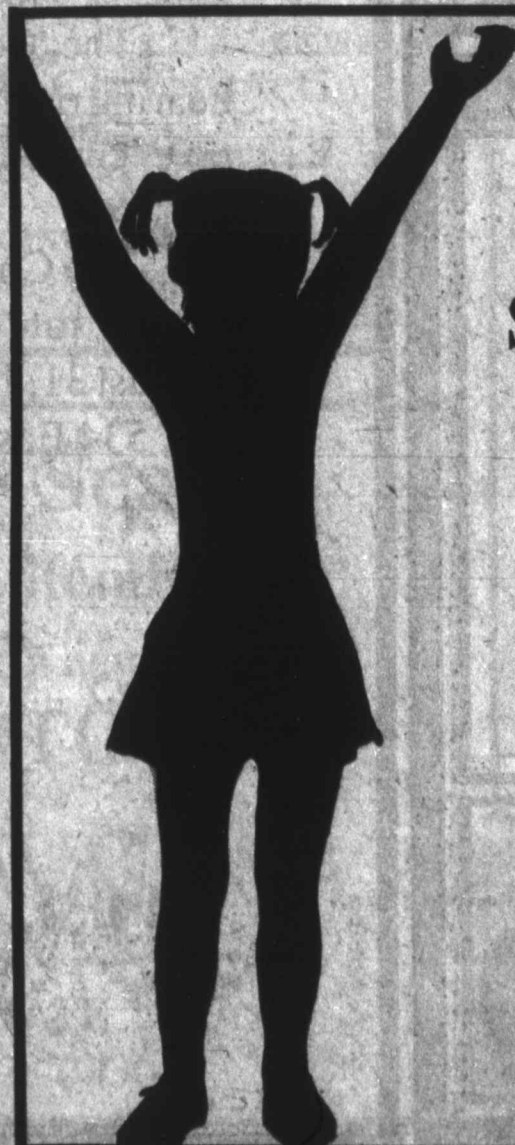
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Noon Meal, Senior Citizens.....	noon
Table games preceding following noon meal	
Wednesday	
Medicaid Transportation Available.....	8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Play Day - Lake Colorado City.....	9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Thursday	
Medicaid Transportation Available.....	8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Over-50 Exercise.....	11-11:30 a.m.
Noon Meal, Senior Citizens.....	noon
Adult Education.....	6-10 p.m.
Friday	
Senior Citizens Game Night.....	6 p.m.

- Watch for opening dates for new fall classes for adults at Wallace Community Education Center.
 - For further information, call Wallace Community Education, 728-2392.
 - New gymnastics classes will be starting Sept. 5 by J&J Gymnastics of Sweetwater. Classes on Wednesday starting at 3:45 p.m.

FmHA announces lender seminars

Neal Sox Johnson, Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) Texas State Director, has announced a series of guaranteed lender seminars to be conducted Aug. 29 in Fort Worth, Sept. 6 in College Station, Sept. 12 in Lubbock, Sept. 19 in Corpus Christi and Sept. 26 in San Angelo.

These seminars will provide a concise overview of the new and expanded uses of FmHA Rural Development Guaranteed Loan Program. Also to be discussed will be the Graduation Program to assist FmHA direct (insured) loan borrowers make the transition to private sector financing.

These seminars were planned with the assistance of the Farm Credit Bank of Texas, Texas Bankers Association, Independent Bankers Association of Texas and

Texas Farmers Home Administration.

Members of various private and public lender groups and organizations will receive a brochure with seminar registration information from their respective groups. Brochures also are being provided to members of the Texas Savings and Loan League and Texas Credit Union serving rural areas as well as to other interested federal state agencies.

Registration fee is \$515 for the seminar, which includes a working luncheon. Persons interested in attending are encouraged to register early. Seating capacity at the seminar locations is limited. For further information, call your local lender organization or the Farmers Home Administration office for this area.



POUND PUPPY - Misty, a six-week-old female Border Collie/Blue Heeler cross, is available for adoption from the city pound, located at Mitchell County Veterinary Clinic, Highway 208 South. For more information about her or other pets available for adoption, call 728-8055.

School Menus

Colorado City Schools
Breakfast
 Monday - Cereal, toast, juice, milk
 Tuesday - Donuts, fruit, milk
 Wednesday - Biscuits, sausage, juice, milk
 Thursday - Muffins, juice, milk
 Friday - Cinnamon roll, applesauce, milk
Lunch
 Monday - Pizza, buttered corn, sliced bread, fresh grapes, milk

Tuesday - Corn dogs, pork and beans, tossed salad, brownies, milk
 Wednesday - Smoked brisket, ranch beans, green salad, sliced bread, banana pudding, milk
 Thursday - Hamburger, French fries, hamburger salad, cookies, milk
 Friday - Chicken nuggets, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls and honey, milk

Loraine ISD announces new teachers

Loraine Schools have several new teachers for this school year.

Cheryl Dierschke is teaching kindergarten. She is a recent graduate of Texas Tech University. Her home town is Wall.

Karen Hackfeld will be coming back as homemaker teacher. She has taught in Loraine before. Her husband is a rancher there. They have three girls.

Bob Loy is moving to Loraine from Miami, Tex. He is the football coach and will teach history. He has a wife and two children.

Bobbie Nichols is the new fifth grade teacher. She is from McCaulley and has a daughter in college at Baylor and a son in the fourth grade who will go to school in Loraine.

Hubert Seale is the new band director. He was at Roby last year.

Domingo Rodriguez will teach social studies. He is from Sweetwater and has a wife and son.

"We want to welcome all these new teachers to Loraine and wish them the best in the upcoming school year," said Glenn Sanders, superintendent.

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 Monday - No School
 Tuesday - Cereal, juice, milk
 Wednesday - Toast, bacon, jelly, juice, milk
 Thursday - Donuts, juice, milk
 Friday - Cereal, juice, milk
Lunch
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 Wednesday - Spaghetti with meat sauce, blackeyed peas, fried okra, cantalope, garlic bread, milk
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Letters to the Editor

Stenholm commended

TO THE EDITOR: School is again upon us and I want to do something that I had intended to do months ago. That is to write an open letter expressing my appreciation to Representative Charles Stenholm. When I was a teacher in Boyd, Texas, Congressman Stenholm and I became acquainted, and although our politics did not exactly agree, I believe we developed a mutual respect - I respected him for his efforts to accurately reflect the wishes of his constituents, and he respected me for my efforts to educate the children about our nation and its government.

After coming to Northern Virginia, I discovered that it was with great difficulty that I could persuade my Virginia congressman to visit my school and discuss the issues of the day with my (very intelligent) students. In fact, it was a three year effort, despite the fact

that he could have talked to the students as early as 7:30 a.m.

Last year, I contacted Charles Stenholm to visit our school and discuss the governing process and his feelings about the difficulties facing our nation. He gladly came to J.E.B. Stuart High School and his manner reflected well on those who elected him. He did not talk down to the students in any way, and stayed for more than half an hour after his scheduled time to continue discussions with various interested students.

During these times when our elected representatives seem to have time only to speak to influential

and highly funded organizations, it is refreshing to have a few "on the Hill" who still recognize that educating our children for democracy is an important role that no one else can do quite as effectively as they. I commend Charles Stenholm and feel fortunate that I have had the opportunity to know him as a Congressman and as a friend.

Sincerely,
Doris M. MacDaniel, Ph.D.
Instructor of Advanced Placement Government
J.E.B. Stuart High School
Falls Church, Virginia

Ladies Auxiliary meets with District 8 visitors

The Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 9178 met Thursday at the post home with senior vice president

Audrey Wilson presiding. Visitors were District 8 president Rosa Guerra, senior vice president Jeanene Bell of Abilene and junior vice president Wanda Wamble of Maryneal.

Members attending were Bonnie Story, Teresa Newby, Dorothy Clark, Mary Way, Estella Rivera, Lyn Hardy, Lou Williams and Nellie Bunch.

It was reported that crocheted hand exercise balls were taken to the VA Hospital at Big Spring Friday, Aug. 17.

A check will be sent to the cancer and aid research for \$2 each member.

Ruby McFarland was re-instated as a member.

Mary Way will be enter Valley Fair Lodge Monday where she will be able to get eye treatment each day.

A love gift was given to Rose Guerra.

Next meeting will be Sept. 13 at the 8 p.m.

Holt forced to cancel speaking engagement

Agriculture expert Harry Holt of Abilene who was to have been featured speaker at Tuesday's Kiwanis Club meeting has canceled because of a conflict in his schedule, program chairman Elmer Martin said.

Holt is a television agriculture reporter and former county agent and newspaper farm reporter.

THE 'WORD'

by Rev. Dennis Prutow
Comfort from Judgement

The old saying goes, "There is nothing as certain as death and taxes." This may be true. But the Bible tells us of something just as certain. It says, "It is appointed for men to die once, and after this comes judgement" (Hebrews 9:27). Yes, that we will all face judgement is just as certain as death. Deep down we all know this to be true.

One day we will all stand before the judgement seat of Christ. To some Christ will say, "Come, you who are blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world" (Matthew 25:34). And to others Christ will speak these terrible words, "I never knew you; depart from Me you who practice lawlessness" (Matthew 7:23).

Now as awesome as the prospect of judgement may be, it is possible to take comfort from judgement. To do so, you must bow before Christ, receive forgiveness for your sins, and serve Christ as Lord. You see, Christ is not only the "Judge of the living and the dead" (Acts 10:43). He is the Savior. And if you trust Jesus Christ as your Savior and serve Christ as your Lord, you can have assurance that the day of judgement will bring this invitation, "Enter into the joy of your Lord" (Matthew 25:21).

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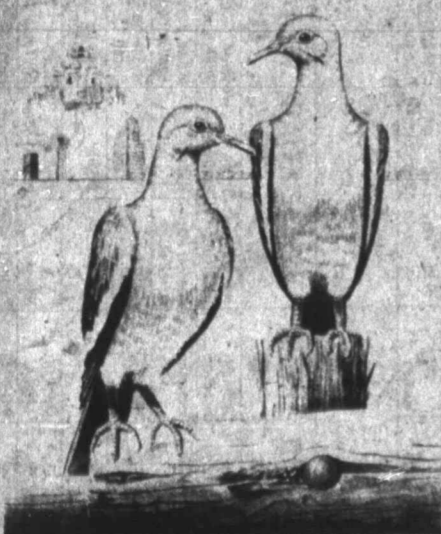
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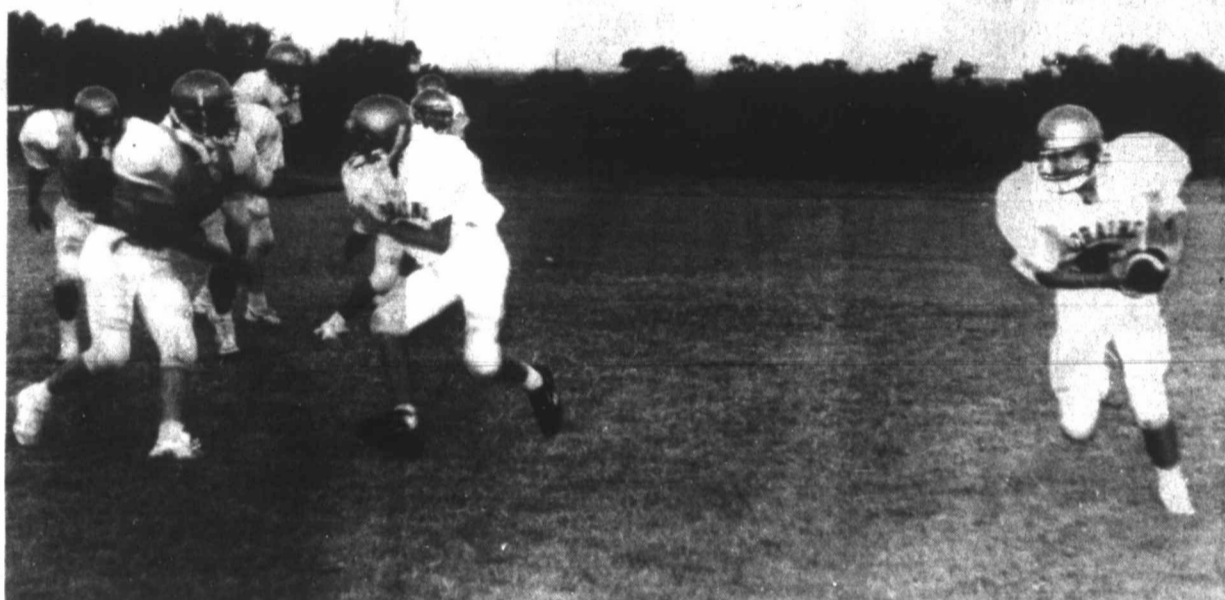
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ON THE RUN - Billy Martinez prepares to throw on the run as he receives pressure from Chris Phillips and Russell Burt.



GAINING GROUND - David Madrid, right, looks for an opening behind the lead block of Chris Phillips.

'Dogs prepare for season

The Loraine Bulldogs have been preparing for the 1990 season for two weeks and have a new head football coach from Miami, Texas - Robert Loy.

Coach Loy is a college graduate from Angelo State University. He

earned a Bachelor's Degree in physical education, economics, and health in which his duties will include all three while in Loraine. For the past couple of years, Coach Loy has been coaching for the Miami Independent School District

and finished with a 5-4 record last season just missing the play-offs by one game.

As for the Bulldogs, Coach Loy is extremely excited and optimistic for the 1990 season, "This year the district is a toss up," he said. "I don't think there will be one dominant team. It may take the last game of the season to determine the champion," he added.

The sole returning starter is senior, Anthony Williams. Williams played quarterback for the Bulldogs last season, but since has been moved to running back. Taking over the QB position is sophomore Chris Phillips. Phillips is also a returnee but saw limited action last season. A brother duo has emerged for the Bulldogs and is David and Adam Madrid. Starting in the center position is Adam, a sophomore, while David, a junior, will share time in the RB spot and the WR position.

Other team members are Russell Burt, junior; Rene Pantoja, junior; Frank Garcia, junior; Clayton Lee, junior; Dustin Jones, junior; Billy Martinez, junior; James Lopez, sophomore; Jason Shy, sophomore; Sammy DeLeora, freshman, and Kyle Baumann, freshman.

The Bulldogs are fairly young, but Coach Loy feels that the athlete's healthy attitude and enthusiasm will help the team once the season begins. Another plus for the team is its quickness, but if there is a weakness, that will be the number of athletes. Coach Loy is looking at 14 athletes, but says, "I would not regret going into the games with few players." "We have a lot of talent, it's just that the second half may take a toll on us," he concluded.

The Bulldogs lost five seniors to graduation, but this year's squad had good fundamentals which is always necessary for a successful season. Assistant coach Dan McGhee had one simple statement about the Bulldogs' final district standings, "We may surprise some people!"



VOLLEYBALL - The 1990 Lady Wolves are, kneeling, left to right, Patricia Molina, Lisa Martinez, Angela Biggers, Cynde Aguilar, Angela Ornelas, Michelle Molina, Sueann Lentz, Jennifer Ornelas, and Angie Williams. Standing, left to right, are Aletha Austin, Rosemary Rosas, Bea Rivera, Windy Bradabury, Veronica Moreno, Tracy Hoover, Laura Green, Tammy Ceballos, Elaine McKnight, and Stephanie Austin. Not pictured are Jennifer Munoz and Sylvia Melendez.

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The poor have always been in Mitchell County and from our earliest days, they've been cared for by the taxpayers. Somehow the task became the county commissioners problem and early day records indicate they took care of indigent citizens rather well.

In August of 1883 the county paid W. J. Niemseyer \$295.75 for boarding paupers. And T. P. Murray was the low bidder for burying the homeless. He was paid \$23 per body, until the county could make other arrangements.

The first physician to look after the needy in Mitchell County was Dr. B. M. Hughes, who was paid \$62.50 for services during the third quarter of 1883. The good doctor was so dedicated to his work he even requested permission to perform post mortum exams "upon such paupers as he may think will benefit him as a physician." The county gave its approval, provided there were no objections from relatives or friends of the deceased.

The county was responsible for seeing to it that paupers in our first years of existence were given a decent burial. Taxpayers bought coffins with the price ranging from \$15 to \$18 per box. Occasionally a buggy would have to be used to transport the indigent and when that happened, the vehicles were rented from "Good and Robertson," for \$8.50. (Our first taxi?)

Beef for residents of the poor house was purchased from "Ward and Wilkins" (\$13 for an unspecified amount) and W. J. Rowe sold the county water which was delivered to the poor house.

By June of 1884 the number of paupers locally had increased to the point the county commissioners decided to advertise for bids for a physician to care for the poor. Whether Dr. Hughes submitted a bid is not known (maybe he had learned all he could to benefit himself as a physician), but the winning bid went to doctors Smith and Terrell, who the court deemed "most suitable" for the chore and they were given a one year contract at \$600 per quarter.

Meanwhile, the county poorhouse was beginning to deteriorate, so A. L. Frisby was paid \$350 to rebuild the facility. And there's evidence the poor house was segregated. On August 18, 1884, A. B. Johnson was paid \$22.50 "for house rent for a negro pauper."

By 1885 the cost of having the poor in their midst was beginning to frustrate the county commissioners. They rejected two claims for payment; one by Mary Bushey who sought reimbursement for board and nursing care of a pauper at the poor house and the other claim was from "Hull and Wiscott" for the care of a pauper. The commissioners did approve an expenditure of \$1.50 to J. E. Dubose for "hauling a pauper from the poorhouse to the graveyard."

In one instance, it appears the county felt it would be less expensive to get a pauper out of town, rather than care for her. The commissioners agreed to "purchase Mrs. King, a pauper, a horse and to give her \$25 in money to enable her to go to her relatives, said amount to be paid on the day of departure."

The county, in at least one case, tried to recoup expenses following the death of a pauper. When L. D. Middleton died, apparently in jail, he was bought a coffin (\$15 from "Dunn and Glasscock") and the elected officials had Sheriff Dick Ware bury the deceased. The commissioners instructed Ware to retrieve the cost of the casket, as well as his burial fee, from any funds he might find among the dead man's possessions.

Still the expenses continued for the county. G. W. Shipman was paid \$6.50 for digging a paupers grave, and when three more paupers died, the county was stuck with buying three burial suits which totaled \$30.70. Further, Robert Fraley was paid \$3 for "dressing pauper Thomas Tolson" and J. F. Pike received \$2 in county money for "hauling the body to the cemetery."

Finally, the county determined to cut back on the flow of dollars for indigents, took steps to reduce its financial burden. The commissioners court went on record as opposing any more payments for paupers if they lived in the city limits of Colorado City. Of course the expenses continued, year after year, which substantiates "we will always have the poor with us."

But the county wanted out of the health business. And they still do in 1990.

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