

Loraine budget hearing set

The Loraine School Board set Tuesday night August 28 as the date for a public hearing on the 1984-85 budget.

Also during that meeting the board will adopt a budget, set the 1984-85 tax rate and amend the 1983-84 budget.

The good news came when board members were told that the new tax rate would be only a 2.99 percent increase from last year.

The proposed new tax rate is 1.2643 per \$100 valuation, a 2.99 percent increase over the effective rate of 1.2276.

The public hearing will be held at the school cafeteria starting at 7 p.m.

In other action the board:

- Employed Joe Morren as auditor;

- Purchased \$1,900 worth of classroom furniture and three new typewriters;

- Hired three bus drivers—Janet Moore, Kent Boyd and Bill Epperson;

- Awarded the gasoline bid to Brookover Col-Tex Service Station and awarded Gandy's the dairy and milk bid;

- Approved the employee health insurance plan;

- Approved the contract with ESC Region 11 for support service.

Mitchell County Briefs

Car wash

A benefit car wash for St. Ann's festival queen candidate Christabel Molina will be held Saturday, August 18 at St. Ann's Church from 9 a.m. to 2.

Bass tourney

The Colorado City Bass Club will hold an open black bass tournament beginning Sunday, September 9. Headquarters will be at Lake Colorado City with fishing at Lake Colorado City and/or Lake Champion. Trophies and large cash prizes will be awarded. Mail entries to 625 Cedar or contact Walt Staats or Ronnie Connor.

Benefit dance

A dance to benefit St. Ann's queen candidate Christabel Molina will be held at the Mitchell County Boy's Club Friday August 17 from 7-11 p.m. Preceding the dance will be a demonstration by the Colorado City Breakers.

Wolverines

Attention all Wolverines! Clinic date has been changed from August 17-25 at 9 a.m. at Colorado High School. All members must attend to be eligible for Wolverines.

Band practice

The Loraine band students, grades 7 through 12 are to report to the band hall, Thursday August 16 at 9 a.m.

Answerline

(Q) What is the salary of our hospital administrator and is he furnished a car and an expense account?

(A) Root Memorial Hospital administrator Ray Dillard is paid an annual salary of \$44,000. He is furnished a car but not an expense account.

An annual survey of hospital administrators with master's degrees shows that 66 percent make equal to or more than the local administrator.

Around Town

Happy birthday NORMA GUERRERO...CARL MOORE has a new name...RITA ORONA getting ready for school...JOHN PATRICK learns how to moon walk...RITA HUMPHREY looks forward to school starting...MAXIE and LAURA HANEY in town for a visit.

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Board hears hospital pleas

By RAY MAYO

The Mitchell County Hospital board Monday heard impassioned pleas from Colorado City Mayor Elmer Martin and from Mrs. Marion Bassham for a solution to the current crisis at Root Memorial Hospital which has lost its certification for Medicare funds.

A standing-room only crowd of over 200 at the C. C. Thompson

Room of the City National Bank annex listened as Martin and Mrs. Bassham addressed the board.

"Our purpose in coming before you tonight is in an effort to turn our community's thought in a positive direction," said Martin. "We all share the concern about the need to have our hospital recertified."

"We all share a common

concern that all parties involved be treated fairly and with respect. We encourage that the involved parties look very seriously at efforts to bring about reasonable compromise," said Martin. "Positions that are unmovable will not lead to solving our problems. Whatever our position—we must all live in the real world—and reason must prevail."

Continuing, Martin said "We have a good hospital in Colorado City—we have good nurses—we have good doctors—and we don't want to lose any of them."

"Our hats are off to the medical personnel of our community and we very much want to keep our nursing staff, Dr. (Joe) Terry, Dr. (Thomas) Aguilon, Dr. (George) Lindsey, Dr. (Thomas) Noonan, Dr. (Wil-

liam) Jones and Dr. (Pat) Thomas in our community," he said.

"Again, we all share the concern about the need to have our hospital recertified," he said. "Let us pull together—and do this."

"We're confident that you will come up with a solution we can all live with," he told the board.

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COLORADO HIGH SCHOOL twirlers, left to right, Marsha Barnes, Shannon Perkins and Julie McPhaul practice under the watchful eye of former CHS twirler Kakai Calloway. Miss Calloway was featured twirler for Sul Ross State University last year.

CISD sets new tax rate

The Colorado Independent School District board of trustees Monday adopted a new tax rate but postponed action on the 1984-85 budget.

The new tax rate is .84933 per \$100 valuation, a three percent increase over the effective rate of .82933. The effective rate is the rate needed to generate the same amount of revenue that the previous rate of 75 cents generated for the present budget before the loss in the school district's valuation.

Following a workshop session on the proposed 1984-85 budget, board member Dr. Billy B. Bridgford suggested that no action be taken until board members have more time to study the latest totals of anticipated revenues and expenditures as presented by business manager Geneva Findley.

Bridgford said he thinks there are more places in which the budget can be cut, but he needs

more time for study. Another budget workshop session was scheduled for this Monday.

In other business, board members approved the implementation plan for instruction in essential elements for grades kindergarten through 12.

Dr. Walter Bingham, administration supervisor, presented the plan to the board, explaining that new law requires the district submit the plan to the Texas Education Agency.

Board members accepted the resignation of one teacher, hired five new teachers and reassigned four others.

Hutchinson fifth grade teacher Teresa Stephens' resignation was accepted. New appointments include Leanne Ferguson, business teacher at the high school; Deborah Ottaway, third grade teacher at Hutchinson; LaDonna Carpenter, fourth grade teacher at Hutchinson; Mark Paul Levin, physical edu-

cation teacher and coach at the middle school; and Rojean Hicks, special education teacher at the high school.

Superintendent Charlie Uselton said a counselor is still needed for the high school.

Mark Merrell was reassigned from the middle school to the high school as physical education teacher and girls coach. Jerold Epperson was reassigned from the middle school to high school as a health teacher and high school coach.

Other reassignments include Deborah Goforth who will have no coaching duties for 1984-85 except for tennis in the spring and Anita Jorasz Graham who will be the girls coach at the middle school in addition to teaching a full load of math classes.

Board members also approved the transfer of five students from other school districts. They

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County approves budget

The Mitchell County Commissioner's Court Monday adopted a budget of \$2,129,356.15 for 1985 and set the tax rate at 29.87 cents per \$100 valuation.

The new budget is an increase of \$169,121 over the 1984 budget while the tax rate represents a three percent increase.

Commissioner Paul Hunter made the motion to adopt the 1985 budget as presented with Bill Preston seconding it.

Prior to adopting the budget, County Judge Bill Carter read a letter from County Attorney Pat Barber requesting that the court reconsider its decision to eliminate a secretarial position in Pct. 1 Justice of Peace Charles Ray Watlington's office effective Jan. 1. Barber noted that because the secretary handles the bad check complaints, her position is needed.

Watlington said that last week, his office handled 96 office visits and 191 phone calls.

No action was taken on the request and the budget, which includes a five percent average pay increase for county employees, was approved as presented.

The new tax rate includes 22.66 cents per \$100 valuation for the general fund and 7.21 cents for the road fund.

In other business, the commissioners heard from Colorado City Manager Brenda Tarter and Mildred Free, chairman of the city's clean-up campaign.

Mrs. Tarter requested the commissioners' help in cleaning up the south and east entrances into the city, calling the areas, which are outside the city limits, "bad eyesores" to visitors.

Hunter explained that the county does not have the authority to require persons to clean up their property unless there is a health hazard.

Carter agreed, saying that without an ordinance, the county

can't require someone to clean up their property and "we can't go on private property to pick up trash."

"Let's go out and contact the property owners and request their participation in the Colorado City clean-up," said Carter. "A lot of times you just ask, and they'll cooperate."

The court also heard a presentation by John Edwards who was requesting the closing of part of the Cuthbert roadway in exchange for the right-of-way for a proposed roadway.

Edwards said he wants part of the roadway closed to help curb erosion in the area. "The erosion has got to be stopped," he said.

Because of time limitations, Carter asked Edwards to return at a later meeting so the commissioners can study the matter further.

In other business, the court:

-Approved a right-of-way
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WITH A SMILE on their faces, Colorado City Mayor Elmer Martin, left, and CISD Superintendent Charlie Uselton help clean off a lot on Hickory Street Saturday. The clean-up project, part of Colorado City's Sparkle Week, was a project of the Kiwanis Club.

Hospital

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Mrs. Bassham said she volunteered to speak because "our hospital is having problems. Those problems have become more complicated than they should be because of unkind words and rumors."

"I have spoken with many Mitchell County citizens about our problems," she said, "and my feelings have swayed to and fro with each conversation. Finally on Saturday, I heard something in my heart—'Be still, and know that I am God'—why do we so often forget to listen to Him?"

"Root Memorial Hospital is one of the best equipped small hospitals in Texas," Mrs. Bassham said. "We want to continue to be just that."

"We do not aspire to compete with larger, more specialized hospitals," she said. "Certainly we are progressive and want to learn, but not beyond our limits. The nursing care is excellent," she continued. "JoAnn Merket has seen to that."

"Specialized care of every kind is easily available north, south, east and west," she said. "Patients and nurses are grateful when the attending physician recognizes the need for such care."

"Root Memorial Hospital wants to continue to care for our people—local and out-of-town," she continued. "We want to continue working with the cooperation and trust we have always had among patients, doctors, nurses and administrators."

Mrs. Bassham said that the administration, a sometimes lax

board of directors, a possibly over-ambitious doctor, the MD-DO dilemma and the loss of Medicare certification all attributed to the growing friction.

"The only good available from the past is recognizing our mistakes and profiting by the realization that they were mistakes," she said.

"Dr. Bill and Dr. Oscar (Rhodes) were considered young upstarts by some when they set up practice here," she said. "They settled down to work and were accepted."

"Dr. Bill brought Dr. Thomas to town. We welcomed him—he quietly fit in and soon was snowed in with OB cases."

"Dr. Lindsey and Dr. Jones came. We and Dr. Thomas welcomed them and they fit right in. They brought Dr. Noonan in and welcomed him, and soon we realized he was different from any doctor we had worked with before."

She told the crowd that every

department at the hospital is getting ready for the September 4th inspection by Medicare and that "our deficiencies will be corrected."

Concerning hospital administrator Ray Dillard who was ill and did not attend the meeting, Mrs. Bassham said "I truly believe that whoever asked Ray Dillard to be administrator of Root Memorial Hospital did him a misfavor."

She said the board of directors has been "apparently unconcerned about some hospital difficulties. We must have a more forceful board."

About the MD-DO dilemma, she said, "This is one I do not understand. Dr. Terry, Dr. Aguilon, Dr. Thomas, Dr. Lindsey, Dr. Jones and Dr. Noonan are fine, dedicated, men in their chosen field."

Concluding, she said "Please Lord, help us all to work together for our Mitchell County hospi-

tal and for those who need us."

Following the meeting, Mrs. Bassham said "I do not want Dr. Noonan's privileges revoked." She said she hopes the doctors and employees will "work together for the good of the hospital and the people who need it."

At the start of the meeting, the hospital board set the tax rate at 16.37 cents per \$100 valuation compared to the present rate of 15.90 cents. The new rate will generate \$947,927, said board chairman Bobby Lemons.

The board also amended its policy concerning X-ray procedures. Medicare requires that all X-rays state the purpose of the X-ray from the physician. The board agreed that the policy reflect that.

The board also approved a request from the radiologists that they be allowed to use signature stamps in signing required hospital forms. The stamps will be kept under lock and key and used only by the physicians.

CISD

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include Troy Erwin, 11th grade, transfer from Westbrook; Georgia Martin, kindergarten, transfer from Snyder; Crystal Lane, 9th grade, Cara Lane, 6th grade, and Coral Lane, 4th grade, all transfers from Loraine.

In other business the board: —Awarded the bid for dairy products to Gandy's Dairies of San Angelo;

—Awarded bid for bread products to Mrs. Baird's Bakeries, Inc.

—Awarded bid for gasoline to Col-Tex Stations;

—Awarded bid for sale of 1969 Chevrolet bus to Haskell Ball for \$1,105; and sale of 1972 International bus to Hutchins Ford for

\$1,150;

—Adopted the free and reduced income guidelines for determining eligibility for free and reduced price meals;

—Approved the 13 bus routes for the 1984-85 school year;

—Delayed action on employment of auditor until the August 27 meeting;

—Approved a resolution to continue with the medical transportation program at Wallace Center for the 1984-85 year, and;

—Approved request from Barbara Gray to apply for a grant for a new 15-passenger van for the Wallace Center. Local part of the 80-20 grant will be paid from sale of present van and from donations and fund raising projects.

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Munoz, Hoback and Hearn voted in favor of the ordinance with Mason voting against it.

The council also discussed the lease of Fisher Park at Lake Champion. The late J. W. Rich was the last caretaker appointed by the council, but that contract expired in 1980 and no lease agreement has been made since that time.

Mrs. Rich attended Tuesday's meeting and said she is at a "standstill" as far as taking care of the park because the estate has not been settled. A mobile home, contents of the store and the old fish-a-rama are included in the estate, she said.

The council authorized the city attorney and city manager to draw up a new contract and advertise for bidders.

Chief of Police Kenneth Farrow addressed the council concerning his department. He said at least one more patrol officer is needed for the remainder of this year, but is not budgeted for one.

A comparison of his \$249,000 budget with other cities of similar size shows the Colorado City police department below the

others except for Sonora which only has a population of about 3,800.

Farrow explained his present schedule allows for only one patrol officer per shift right now.

"We need to have two cars out all the time, one for business and one for residential," he said.

Mayor Elmer Martin appointed a committee to study the situation and report back at a later meeting.

In other business, the council: —Authorized a 1982 Ford LTD formerly used in the police department to be used by the water and sewer department. (Money originally approved for a new vehicle for the water and sewer department will be used for other projects in that department);

—Agreed to advertise for bids to install two new pumps already purchased for the north water works;

—Agreed to advertise for bids for 700 feet of 10-inch pipe and 400 feet of 8-inch pipe for the water department; and

—Appointed a committee to study the possible sale of a city lot at the end of Locust Street.

Pageant postponed

The Miss Mitchell County pageant has been postponed until late February or early March, according to Virginia Fuller, pageant coordinator.

"Although we had eleven girls to sign up," she said, "there were so many time conflicts with cheerleading, flag corps, and band practices, the girls were handicapped in preparing for the pageant."

Those eleven girls who have signed up and those who might consider it during the next few months are asked to keep in touch with Virginia Fuller and Mac Perkin so the pageant date can be set with as little conflict as possible with school activities.

The out-of-town judges selected have agreed to come back and the pageant committee hopes to add cash prizes and trophies to the regular prizes.

"We are aiming at state competition," Mrs. Fuller said, "and we'll be ready with a few more Miss Mitchell County pageants under our belt."

It would be an unforgettable experience for a young woman to represent Mitchell County in the Miss Texas pageant and the confidence to compete for that honor can be gained through the local competition. Girls ages 15 through 18 are eligible to enter although Mrs. Fuller hopes to include college age young women in the future.

Attempted murder charges filed

A 54-year-old Colorado City woman was charged with two counts of attempted murder following a shooting incident early Monday morning, according to Police Chief Kenneth Farrow.

Farrow said Mrs. Ollie Deese was charged and released on two \$3,500 bonds following the incident during which 13 shots

were fired between her and Chelvie Beavers, also of Colorado City.

The shooting spree started about 12:15 a.m. Monday near Anthony's and continued on East Second Street.

Farrow said there were no injuries and only minor property damage was reported.

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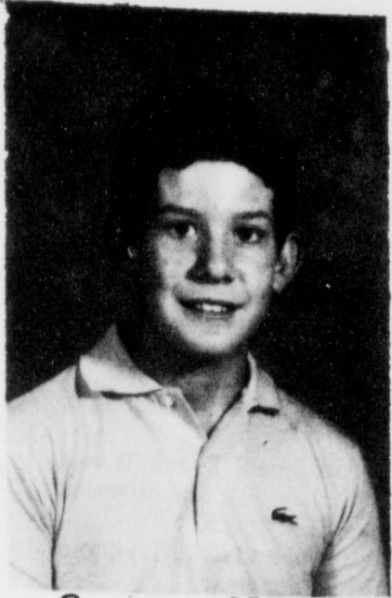
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Scooter Hines

Hines completes course held at Texas Tech

Scooter Hines, Westbrook 7th grader, has completed a two-week gifted-talented residential program at Texas Tech University stressing academic and social experiences for the students.

Scooter participated in the math, geology, and finance "quests."

Dr. Ali R. Amir-Moez, Texas Tech, a well-known author for Highlights for Children, Inc., playwright as well as mathematician, taught the recreational math class.

The Egyptian method of multiplication, which is comparable to our modern computer, was discussed. String math was used to show how the Navajos worked and paper cutting was used to show how other people derived geometric figures. Included was a study in different bases, clock arithmetic, and elementary probability.

The finance class covered such topics as bank accounts, check writing, consumer purchasing, and investment. The students "bought" stocks and watched their performance.

Through laboratory work, slides, and field trips, the geology class learned about rocks, fossils, erosion, land forms, and maps. An exciting trip was made to a real volcano and the museum of "Folsom" man in New Mexico.

"Shake Hands with your Future" is a summer enrichment program for 5th-12th grade students provided by the College of Education of Texas Tech University.

Scooter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bass Hines of Colorado City.

Sanders slated to speak to Loraine B&PW

Glen Sanders, superintendent of Loraine Independent School District will be guest speaker for the Loraine Business & Professional Women at their regular meeting Monday at 7 p.m. in the Loraine Lions building.

"He has a very important message he is anxious to get before the people," a club spokesperson said, "and therefore, the public is invited to attend."

Sanders plans to explain the new curriculum set out in House Bill No. 246 and the legislation concerning the school which was passed during the special Congressional session this summer.

Residents and parents are invited to bring their questions and concerns to the meeting where they will be addressed by Superintendent Sanders. Printed information on the subject will be given out also.

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7 year old aids donor cause

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announced the House of Representatives paid tribute to a 7-year-old organ donor Wednesday, August 8, and in doing so, took another step towards raising national awareness of the organ donor system.

The Stamford Democrat said H. J. Res. 420 was an effort to recognize and honor Chad Knutson of Wrenshall, Minn. The resolution came about after Stenholm learned of Chad's "generosity and sense of responsibility" in the months prior to the accident which claimed his life. The bill was co-sponsored by 227 of Stenholm's colleagues in the House.

"Chad became interested in the possibility of donating his organs when he learned of a young girl who had received a

liver transplant," Stenholm said. "When he heard of the need for organs he told his mother, 'When I die, I'd like to be able to do that.'"

"Tragically," Stenholm said, "several months later, Chad, his 4-year-old brother Trent, and their 16-year-old neighbor, Carol Jo Zack, were killed when the all-terrain vehicle in which they were riding collided with a train less than a quarter-mile from their homes."

Chad's mother recalled her son's statement from several months earlier and donated Chad's heart, kidneys and corneas for use in five life and sight-saving operations.

Stenholm said he became aware of Chad's story when he was leading the search for a liver for a young Clyde resident. "I be-

came personally involved in the organ donor system and the problems facing that system when I was contacted by the family of 10-month-old Ashley Bailey," he said. "The child was suffering from biliary atresia and needed a liver transplant to survive."

"Her parents had been unable to locate one and contacted me. During the next six months," Stenholm said, "my staff and I contacted all of the major organ transplant centers, organizations and arranged for telegrams to be sent to every hospital in the country. I also contacted President Reagan and he mentioned Ashley in his weekly radio show."

It was during that time Stenholm noticed the story about Chad. "It hit home," he said. "Here was a seven-year-old boy who showed a sense of understanding and caring that many of us as adults would do well to emulate. Out of the tragedy of his death, he managed to share life and health with five people he never knew."

Booster Club

offers free ice cream

Free homemade ice cream will be served at the Athletic Field House Friday night following the Wolves workout.

The ice cream supper is sponsored by the Wolves Booster Club and will probably start at approximately 9:30 p.m.

All students and the public is invited to attend.

Westbrook Wanderings

By RUBY CLAXTON

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Moore visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore and family in Leander from Friday until Monday of last week.

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Mrs. Mary Sweatt and son, George Henry and Mrs. Samantha McFatters of Snyder visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Claxton on Wednesday.

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Mrs. Geraldine Holtkort of Lubbock visited with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell over the weekend.

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Mrs. Pandora Prather of Conroe visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Moore, from Thursday until Sunday.

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Mrs. Wanda Cooper of Houston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Andrews last weekend.

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Visiting with Mr. and Mrs.

Marvin Claxton on Sunday were Mrs. Alta Bart and Mrs. Betty Birchfield, Scottie and Stacie of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Petty, Brandon, Tracie and Josh of Loraine; and Mr. and Mrs. George Sweatt and George Henry of Snyder.

Mrs. Bart and Mrs. Birchfield and children will visit until Tuesday.

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Bill Sweek, Jr., started to school at Abilene Christian College on Monday.

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Bill Sweek was home for the weekend from Hillsboro.

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Mr. and Mrs. Warren Zant and Don and Donald Burnett are vacationing in New Orleans at the World's Fair this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Hollis visited over the weekend with her father S. E. Brown, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Herndon in Lamesa.

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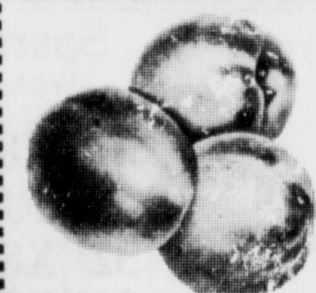
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Library to show films

The Mitchell County Public Library will show the following films at 2 p.m. on August 18. These will be the last films to be shown this summer.

Miss Esta Maud's Secret, 10 minutes, color. Esta Maud is a schoolteacher who lives in a tall thin house and drives a little old black car. The whole town knows that Esta Maud's life is dull. The truth is that Esta Maud owns a red racing car; her secret adventures will delight everyone who likes secrets.

Twas the Night Before Christmas, 24 minutes, color. It's a sad Christmas Eve for the little town of Junctionville—Santa Claus isn't coming! It all started with a letter in the local paper that was highly insulting to Santa. The good will and hard work of a few win back Santa's affection just in time for Christmas Day.

Monkey's Paw, 19 minutes, color. Sometimes, the worst thing that can happen is to get what we want. In this classic horror story by W. W. Jacobs, a mysterious monkey's paw opens the door to a family's desires. An old couple lost their beloved son. The mother will do anything to get him back. But when the father hears a knock on the door...

Frank Conard honored during class fellowship

Frank Conard, teacher of the Department 6 Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church was honored Thursday evening, August 9 with a fellowship in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jackson.

Fred Butts was invited to present the devotional, choosing for his subject I Peter 5:1-11. His topic was humility, and enlarging on this theme, Butts instructed the group on the teachings of Christ concerning submission of the younger to the elderly and the proper attitude of humility in service.

The passage is a further exhortation to "humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you in due time," with the element of trust that "the God of all grace, who called us to his eternal glory by Christ Jesus...may perfect, establish, strengthen, and settle you." (I Peter 5:6, 10 revised KJV).

Applying the scripture, Butts told the group that we need the help of each generation, the older and younger, and it is the working together in mutual, humble service to the Lord and our fellow man which will make the difference in the world.

Each one enjoyed the devotional and ensuing discussion. The class then presented Frank Conard with an engraved

Cross pen in appreciation for his years as their teacher. Conard recently resigned to take up work in another place of service.

The class nominated Frank Smith to take his place.

Refreshments of homemade ice cream, provided by Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, cake, made by Mrs. John Bell, and donuts, brought by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conard were enjoyed.

50 attend Robertson family reunion Aug. 5

The descendants of Luther and Bonnie Robertson met August 5 at the Housing Authority community room for a family reunion.

A total of 50 attended the get-together including children, grandchildren, cousins and friends. Games, food and visiting were enjoyed by everyone.

Children attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Ovella) McAdams, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. (Fay) Adams, Brazoria; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Robertson, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Lester (Connie) Singleton, Kemp; Mr. and Mrs. Claud Robertson, Big Spring; Vivian Davis, Beaumont, Ca.; Lillian Dossey, Colorado City; Floy Robertson, Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Shorty (Edna) Pace.

Grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Glyndon Bradley, Joel, Janice and Joann, Early; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Dossey and Rolanda, Odessa; Jerry Dossey, Billy, Mike and Vanessa, Colorado City; Patti Robertson, Arlington; Kelsey Robertson, Andrews; Vicci and Christopher Moore, Big Spring; Sherri, Colleen and Yogi Szocs, Las Vegas, N.M.; Jeanie and Timothy Garrett, Colorado City.

Cousins joining the festivities were Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Wiggins, Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Medford, Lamesa;

Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conard, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butts and daughter, Courtney.

The class would like to thank Fred Butts for the time he spent in preparing the devotional and to wish a speedy recovery to the number of members of the class who missed the social due to illness.

Loyd Wiggins, Lamesa; Ruth Anderson, Lamesa; Julia Walraven, Julia Kahler and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Robertson, all of Colorado City.

Visiting with the family were friends, Bob Harrington of Hemet, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Ron Davis of Abilene; and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Fuller of Colorado City.

Hospital Report

Patients Admitted

August 10
Mike Palmer, Snyder, medical.

August 11
Raul Santana, Loraine, medical; Aubrey Krenik, Farmers Branch, medical; Dick Wistrand, Roscoe, medical; Buddy Brumit, Jr., Snyder, surgical.

August 12
Kevin Geiger, City, medical; Janet Mitchell, City, medical.

Patients Dismissed
August 10
John McMath, City, surgical; E. C. Russell, City, medical; Cora Dodd, City, medical; Ray Elder, City, medical.

August 11
Mike Palmer, Snyder, medical; Charlotte Knowlton, City, medical; Dianna Franco, Odessa, medical.

August 12
Aubrey Krenik, Farmers Branch, medical; Raul Santana, Loraine, medical; Kino Selvera, City, medical.

Gibsons attend reception

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gibson attended a surprise 25th anniversary reception for their daughter and son-in-law, Ken and Marvlyn Deatherage at Elmcrest Baptist Church fellowship hall in Abilene Saturday, July 28.

Marvlyn and Ken were married August 1, 1959 at Payne Baptist Church by the Rev. Fred Smith. They have lived in Abilene since their marriage.

The Deatherages have two daughters, Rhogenia Edwards and Rholynnda Deatherage, a son, Blake Deatherage, and a grandson, Kyle Edwards.

Their children, along with son-in-law, Mark Edwards and several friends were hostesses for the occasion. Ninety-four guests were registered.

A beautifully decorated cake was served with lime punch, nuts and white bell mints. Silver appointments were used. Many gifts were received and displayed at the reception.

Others attending from Colorado City were Alma Rene Claxton and L. W. Compton.

For The Record

By RAY MAYO

People often ask me how I got into the "newspaper business." I usually reply that I majored in journalism in college and let it go at that.

But, as commentator Paul Harvey would say, here's the rest of the story.

The story begins more years ago than I care to admit and involves two principle characters. I hope they won't be offended by this story.

I was a sophomore at Colorado High School and I was trying to decide what electives to take during my junior year.

Now, having an older brother four years ahead of you in school had its advantages as well as disadvantages. One of the disadvantages was that I spent a lot of my high school years answering to the name of Jerry, my brother. An advantage was that Jerry could help guide me through those years, showing me the way so to speak.

Jerry, who is now a middle school principal in Palestine, took me aside and said, "If you want to make a good grade in English III, you'd better sign up for journalism, because Mrs. Gordon teaches both and her journalism students all make good grades in English."

The Mrs. Gordon he referred to is Mrs. Nadine Gordon of Colorado City, now retired from teaching.

Of course, Jerry will be the first to admit that English was never one of his better subjects in high school, and I suppose it never dawned on him that journalism usually attracts good English students.

Not one to question his wisdom, I signed up for Journalism I, not really knowing what to expect since the only thing I knew about journalism was that it had something to do with newspapers.

Mrs. Gordon had a knack for making learning fun, and journalism was no exception. Working on the junior-senior edition of the HOWL, at the end of my junior year proved to be one of the highlights of the year.

I was hooked.

Journalism II was at the top of my electives list for my senior year, and I was named "Page Two" editor of the HOWL.

When I got to college, the journalism bug was still with me and I spent the next four years being everything from staff reporter to sports editor of my college newspaper.

Since college, I've had a variety of newspaper jobs, everything from reporter to editor, and all because I wanted to make a good grade in high school English III.

Thank you, Mrs. Gordon.

xxx

I was fortunate that two years of journalism was offered when I was in high school, because those two years had a profound effect on my life.

A lot of schools our size didn't offer journalism at that time, partly, I suppose, because their budgets wouldn't allow it.

I have a difficult time just balancing my checkbook, so I can imagine the problems facing the Colorado Independent School District board of trustees as it tries to come up a workable budget for the coming year.

Superintendent Charlie Uselton, Dr. Walter Bingham, administrative supervisor, and Geneva Findley, business manager, really have their job cut out for them as they try to interpret the new laws which have resulted in massive changes for Texas school districts this year. It's like going into a ballgame and having the rules changed at halftime.

Board members S. L. Morris, Joe Kirschbaum, Eddie Piland, J. C. Britton, Dwayne Harris, Dr. Billy Bruce Bridgford and Dr. Pat Thomas should be commended for their diligence in trying to trim as much fat from the budget as possible. It's going to be impossible to please everyone when it comes time to adopt the budget and set the tax rate, but it's apparent they really are concerned about how the budget changes will affect the taxpayers as well as the students.

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The public hearing will be held on August 27, 1984 at 8:00 P.M. at Westbrook High School at Westbrook, Texas.

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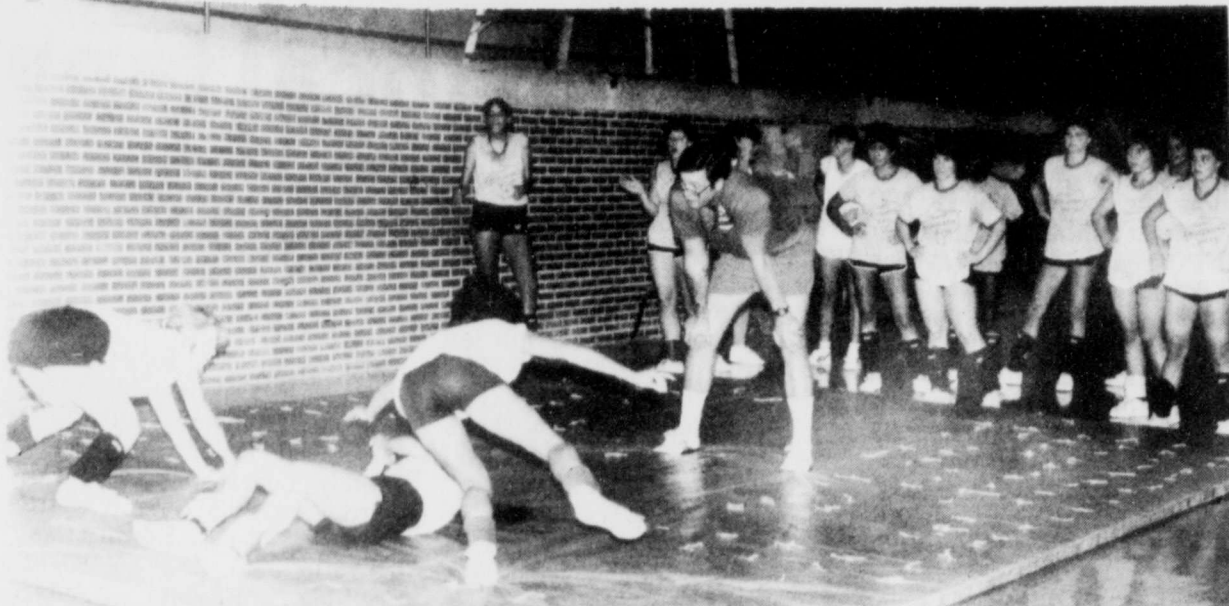
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THE COLORADO HIGH SCHOOL volleyball team tumbles for coach Mark Merrell during a practice session last week. Following a scrimmage today at Irion County, the volleyball team officially starts the season by hosting Odessa next Tuesday.

Volleyball teams work out

"We won't lose because we're out of shape or because of not

working hard," said new varsity girls head coach Mark Merrell of the upcoming 1984 Colorado High School volleyball team.

The move from junior high to the high school ranks by coach Merrell is only one of the side notes of the CHS volleyballers,

who began workouts two weeks ago and already have a scrimmage against powerhouse Bronte under their belt.

Gone are last years head coach George Martin and All-District selections Laura Baum, Lynn Scott and Robin Turner.

What this year's volleyball team will have is not only proven coaching ability but experience in the form of seven returning varsity letters and numbers—a total of 54 girls, including eight seniors, 12 juniors, 15 sophomores and 19 freshmen.

Merrell, who coached at Colorado Middle School last year, humbly said of his move to high school and girls athletics "My strong points are basketball and track so coach Mathis (assistant coach Linda Mathis) will be helping me a lot during volleyball."

Merrell and Mathis plan to use multiple offenses and defenses this year and plan to go farther in post season playoffs than last year's first round loss to Fabens.

Last year's team went 9-4—ex-

cluding tournament results that included the championship of their own Lone Wolf tournament and a place in an Abilene tournament.

Back from last year's campaign are seniors Traci Blackwell, Jody Mann, Sherri Morris and Julie Waid. Juniors back for another year of varsity are Sherry Fite, Denise Jackson and Diane Gregory, who saw limited action as a sophomore.

Other seniors out for the squad include Rebecca Erwin, Staci Free, Juanita Green and Margie Oliver. Other juniors are Yvette Camp, Janie DeLoera, Jody Huff, Carmon Longley, Yvonne Lujan, Lynda Walker, Ashley Weaver, Sandra Williams and Yolanda Lee.

Sophomores are Tammie Ashford, Mary Ann Bailey, Kellie Beights, Robin Edwards, Daphne Fowler, Andrea McKinney, Sally Mendoza, Elizabeth Molina, Carmen Reyes, Audy Rivera, DeAnna Salley, Jennifer Selvera, Holly Tarter, Lee Anne Parker and Shana Lowery, a new student from Plains.

Making their move to high school are freshmen Kathy Albin, Mary Badillo, Margie Beltran, Michelle Casey, Naomi Franco, Jennifer Holguin, Cindy Ingram, Lisa Lamb, Laura Ledesma, Debra Luera, Christy Mitchell, Christabel Molina, Jennifer Monroe, Billie Muncrief, Gloria Rivera, Melissa Selvera, Misty Strain, Tori Weatherly and Amy Harrison, a new student from Westbrook.

The Colorado High School volleyball travels to a scrimmage against Irion County today before their first game against Odessa, set for August 21 here.

As for the scrimmage against Bronte, last year's state finalist and state champion seven years in a row prior to that, Colorado City started off slow but hustle made for a good finish.

"We need to work in individual things such as serving and spiking," said Colorado City coaches.

Methodists take title in church tournament

First United Methodist won last week's Colorado City Church League softball tournament the hard way—losing its first contest then rebounding to win five straight games, including two in the finals against previously unbeaten Christian Temple.

First Methodist opened play last Tuesday night with a 25-5 loss to Calvary Baptist No. 1 to fall into the loser's bracket. First Methodist followed the loss with a 12-1 victory over the Over 40 Gang and a 14-0 victory over First Baptist to gain a rematch against Calvary I in the loser's bracket finals.

First Methodist got its revenge by defeating Calvary 7-5 to move in to the winner's bracket finals against Christian Temple. A Christian Temple victory in the first game would have given Christian Temple the title, but First Methodist had other ideas as they downed Christian Temple 14-10 then again 12-4 to take the title.

One big inning in each of the two title games proved to be the difference in First Methodist's victories for the championship.

In the first game at 9 p.m. Friday night, visiting First Methodist rode three Christian Temple errors for a 4-0 lead after one inning then in the top of the second, Methodist exploded for nine big runs to put the game out of reach.

In the inning, five First Methodist batters received bases on balls and of the seven base hits registered by Methodist only two were clean, and not the result of errors.

They were a single by center fielder and second baseman Tom Rees and a run scoring double by third baseman Brian Bassham.

The big inning for Methodist made the score 13-0 and though Christian Temple made a game of it by scoring 10 runs in the late innings behind infield homeruns by David Silva and Oscar Martinez, Methodist's lead was too much to overcome.

Since the loss was Christian Temple's first, a second game between the two teams immediately followed.

In the second game Christian

Temple scored two runs in the first and second innings and seemed well on its way to proving the victory by Methodist in the first game was a fluke.

From there on though Methodist shut the door on Christian Temple and kept them from scoring through the remainder of the game.

Methodist's big inning in the game came in the bottom of the fifth when they exploded for seven runs to again put themselves out of reach.

In the inning, Methodist rode four Christian Temple errors and base hits by Randy Anderson, Bassham, David Jones and Fred Dakan, whose hit scored Rees for what turned out to be the winning run.

Following Methodist's gutsy performance numerous awards were handed out.

Named to the All-Tournament team were catcher Dakan, third baseman Bassham, and outfielder Bill Baum from Champion First Methodist, shortstop Joe Silva and outfielder Bobby Matlock from runner-up Christian Temple, first baseman Ronnie Womack from third place Calvary No. 1, second baseman Bo Merket from the Over 40 Gang and outfielders Ricky McPhaul from First Baptist, Urdu Wulfjen from Calvary No. 2 and Bim Ritchey from Calvary No. 3.

First Methodist pitcher Woody Anderson was named the tournament's MVP.

Also receiving recognition and awards were church league board members, umpires and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blassingame, who were rewarded a dinner at Mac-Michael's restaurant for their help.

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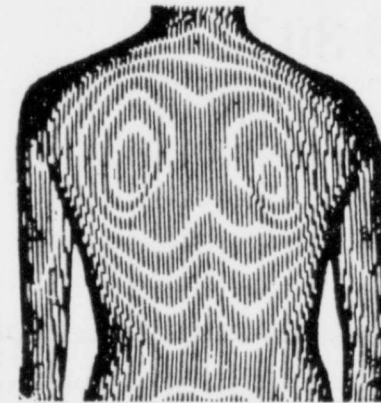
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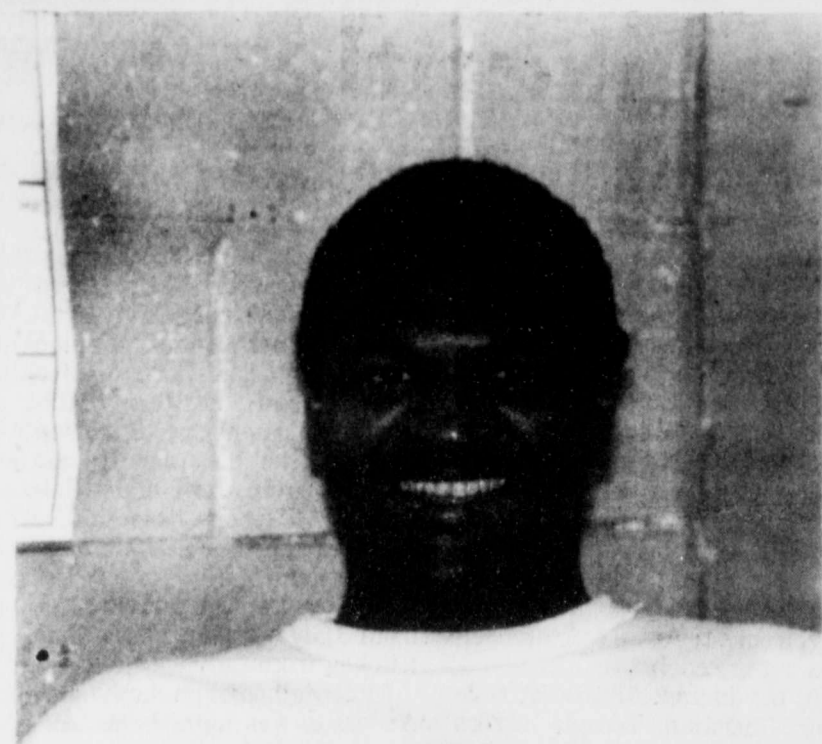
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NEW LORLAINE Bulldog assistant coach Ronald "Ronnie" James.

Bulldogs have support of local fans

"I Believe Loraine Bulldogs." There's a bumper sticker circulating around the town of Loraine that proclaims just that, and for first year coaches Sandy McSpadden and Ronnie James, the installment of a winning attitude and a commitment to turn the program around are the only sure things for the coming 1984 Loraine High School football season.

McSpadden and James learned through returning lettermen that the 1983 season was one that is better off just being forgotten. With some 26 players out for this year's squad, last year's main problem has been solved. With only 12 or 13 players last year, the Bulldogs even had to cancel a few games because of failure to even field a team.

The Bulldogs opened training with their first official practice this past Monday and head

coach McSpadden said, "We have some fantastic young men and I'm really surprised at their quickness and speed."

During the practice, the coaches put the players through timed sprints and took a look at different quarterbacks, centers and receivers.

Loraine's new coaching staff didn't inherit a particularly strong weight program, something that has caught their attention.

"We'll have to rely on our quickness and have to strengthen them as quickly as possible," said McSpadden.

"They're lacking in fundamentals—the little things that

make good football players. We have a lot of work cut out for us."

McSpadden said that the season will depend on how fast the players come along and felt optimistic about the individual talent they have to work with.

"I'm pleased with them. We're going to be overcomers. I just hope we can get there fast," said McSpadden.

"As far as morale, fear of failure may be the cause of lack of motivation."

Believers on the Loraine Bulldog's roster include returning letterman Aundra Rose (5'11"-155), Tracy Rose (5'11"-130), Donny Vasquez (5'11"-160), Ar-

mando Castro (5'10"-210), Ricky Bailey (5'10"-190), Phillip Sanders (5'9"-210), Joe Espinoza (5'10"-150) and John McAdams (6'1"-210).

Others include Tony Morris (5'9"-145), Charles McPeters (6'1"-185), Duane Linam (5'7"-135), Dell Haltom (6'1"-150), Freddy Lopez (5'9"-150), Edward Garza (5'8"-155), Richard Barnett (5'7"-135), Edward Castro (5'10"-155), Joe Vasquez (6'2"-160), Freddie Benitez (5'5"-120), Bert Garcia (5'8"-125), David Sanchez (5'8"-165), Roger Henderson (5'10"-190), Quentin Merket (5'3"-110) and Billy Mayes (5'11"-135).

James looks forward to winning

Loraine sports are in for big changes this year and not the least of which are the hiring of head coach Sandy McSpadden and assistant coach Ronald "Ronnie" James to replace B. D. Trice and Jack Petty.

McSpadden accepted the position of head football coach and athletic director this past spring while James was hired soon after during the summer.

For James, accepting the job at Loraine is a homecoming of sorts—James previously coach-

ed at Loraine during the '82-'83 school year but then left for a coaching position at Greenville last year.

A native of Okmulgee, Oklahoma where he was an all-state running back, James will make Loraine home along with wife Monica and six year old daughter Monica.

Ronnie, 29, was also a two-time All-American running back at East Central State in Ada, Oklahoma. In 1977 Ronnie led the nation in rushing and two of

his records still hold—that of the schools all-time leading rusher and most yards gained in one season.

Also included in his illustrious career are induction into the Oklahoma Hall of Fame, being drafted by the Kansas City Chiefs and spending the '79-'80 season with Vancouver's British Columbia Lions.

"Coach McSpadden and I spoke at a track meet once and he promised to give me a job whenever he got a head coaching position," said James of his Loraine connection.

On Loraine and what he expects this time around, James said "I'm looking for better discipline and more dedication. They're coming along as far as confidence and I expect a lot of them."

James, who will be the head basketball and track coach said, "I'm looking forward to the coming year and a promising career. Coach McSpadden is a well known and successful coach. I expect to gain valuable experience and hope to benefit."



EDDIE BENITEZ form runs during the Loraine High School football team's first workout this past Monday. The Bulldogs scrimmage Santa Anna next Friday before kicking off the season against Big Spring's junior varsity the following week.

Beans & jeans party honors future couple

Kym Peterson and Rusty Merket were honored with a Beans and Jeans Party, July 28 at the home of the Corky Houstons.

A western theme featuring baled hay around an outdoor dance area, country and western center pieces on the patio and deck tables, and country food highlighted the evening.

Special guests were the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Peterson of Ackerly and the bride's sister, Sharon of Big Spring. Also, the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindy Merket and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andie Kilpatrick of Lubbock.

Approximately 30 other guests attended.

Host couples for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Corky Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Craddock, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ratliff, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Reynolds.

Miss Peterson and Rusty Merket will be married in a garden ceremony Saturday morning, August 18.

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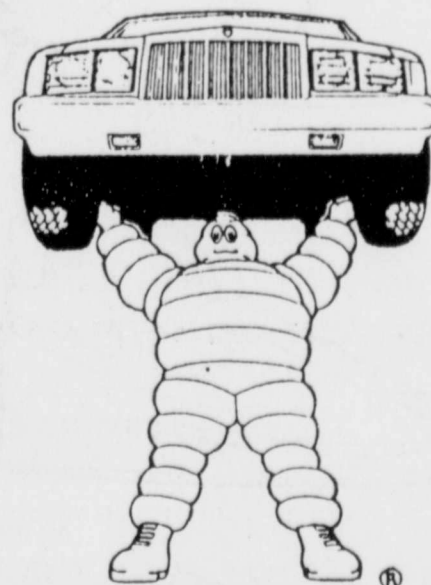
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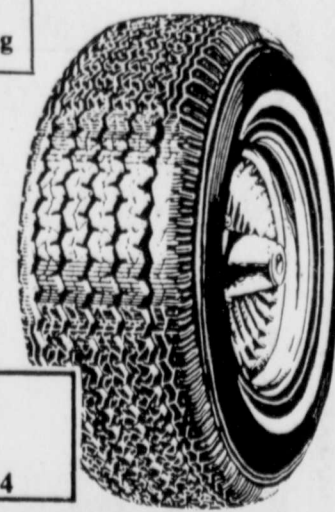
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One hundred fifty called to congratulate Mrs. Clara Butler when she was honored with a party on her 90th birthday Sunday from 2-4 p.m.

The party was held in the Loraine Senior Center and hosted by her two sons and daughters-in-law, Kenneth and Juane Butler of Loraine, Truitt and Betty Butler of Houston and her daughter and son-in-law, Doris and Harry Dockrey of Colorado City.

Also present were her two sisters, Elizabeth Wilson Elliott, Colorado City and Minnie Wilson Martin of Abilene, her two brothers, Dwey Wilson and Edison Wilson and wife, Frances of Fredericksburg and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Rhonda Wilson of Abilene.

Her daughter, Doris and two daughters-in-law, Betty and Juane greeted and registered guests. Granddaughters Sue Irvin, Judy Figoski, Pam Butler and Christy Dockrey served the beautifully decorated birthday cake with punch and nuts. The refreshment table was laid in white crocheted cloth centered with a lovely floral arrangement in pastel colors, a gift from the Dockreys.

Mrs. Butler wore a wine crepe dress and a white orchid shoulder corsage.

Mrs. Butler, the former Clara Wilson was born in Landersville, Ala., and came to Loraine with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wilson in 1906 from Parker County, Texas. She married Dan Butler July 17, 1912 and has lived in Loraine since.

The relatives and friends expressed wishes for the occasion and for many more happy anniversaries for her and she was called away from the party several times during the evening to accept long distance calls wishing her happy birthday. Among them, Fred and Adeline Witta, who now live in Wisconsin sang the Happy Birthday song to her after their congratulations.

She received many cards, gifts and phone calls, and several relatives visited through the weekend.

Those calling were from Houston, San Antonio, Midland, Aus-



Clara Butler

tin, Fredericksburg, Baird, Sweetwater, Abilene, Fort Worth, Monahans, Colorado City, Loraine and Roscoe.

Trip to Europe highlights Summer

On July 29 Billie Ruth Tartt, with her daughter, Judy Brown, and grandson, Ben Brown, drove to Abilene to meet the Abilene Reporter News tour group. Mrs. Tartt went with them by bus to Dallas where she met Dorothy Johnson.

They boarded the Lufthansa, German Airlines, at 5:30 p.m. and arrived in Frankfurt, Germany at 11:25 a.m. the next day. There they caught a tour bus with a driver, Benny, and a tour guide, Erna, who stayed with them during the entire trip.

They took a sightseeing boat down the Rhine River for two and a half hours while viewing the castles, vineyards and the Lorelei Rock where a legendary golden maiden lured medieval rivermen with her siren song to destruction.

As the German people were on vacation, many of them crowd-

ed the boats along with vacationers from all over the world. There were as many orientals as Americans, they reported.

The Loraine ladies spent the first night in Mainz, Germany where Gutenberg invented the printing press. They stopped in Heidelberg where they had a guided tour through the castle and surroundings.

Salsbourg, France was next on the tour. Here the group visited the beautiful La Cathedral Notre Dame de Strasbourg. They traveled through the Black Forest to Baden Baden. As a side trip they stopped in the medieval town of Requevihr, a walled city from 1535.

They traveled through many tunnels and by many picture book lakes as they approached Lucerne, Switzerland. They learned that the legendary Will-

iam Tell supposedly lived in this area and was represented in the Swiss National Holiday parade in Engelberg, Switzerland. He carried his cross-bow and his son carried an apple with an arrow through it. The West Texas group really got rained on while watching this parade.

They stopped in Brienz, Switzerland, to visit a famous wood carver's shop. Then on to Trumelbach, which was seven water falls in the mountain and Interlaken which means between two lakes. "No Swiss people visit here," they said, "only tourists."

In Lucerne they stayed in the Europe Hotel which had many flowers in the yard, on the porch, and in window boxes. Geraniums bedeck most of the chalet-type houses in all of the countries which were visited. After a shopping spree at Bucherer's in Lucerne, they took a boat ride, enjoying a floor show with folk dancing and yodelling on Lake Lucerne.

They drove through Heidi country in Liechtenstein which is a tiny country where they had to pay in order to get their passports stamped. This country has no soldiers and only 21 policemen. Their stamps are collectors' items and crime is rare here.

They spent the next night in Innsbruck, Austria, where they enjoyed sightseeing and another

folk dancing, wood chopping, yodelling Tyrolean family group.

They visited Ludwick's castle "Linderhof" near Garmisch then on to Ober Ammergau, German to spend the night in private homes and to spend all of Sunday viewing the Passion Play in which the townsfolk re-enact the drama of Christ's final days on earth. This is the 350th anniversary of the play. It is the most renowned religious spectacle in Europe.

They spent the next night in Munich where they enjoyed viewing the 1972 Olympics stadium. They watched the glockenspiel in the new city hall and heard more yodelling in the four hundred year old Hofbrauhaus there.

Rothenburg was another walled medieval city in which the West Texans spent the night. They learned that Protestant churches have a rooster on top of them, while Catholic Churches have a cross.

They sent their last night in the fairy-like city of Heidelberg on the Neckar River. Early the next morning they caught the 747 Lufthansa in Frankfurt, Germany for the 10 hour nonstop flight back to Dallas.

The Loraine ladies were met by Dorothy's daughter, Beverly, at the airport. After visiting with her in Irving for a short time, they drove home.

Loraine Personals By Ida Baird

Mrs. Ken Albus of Midland came in last Thursday and visited until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mearse. The Albus children, Kendra and J. D. returned with her after spending the week with the Mearses.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Meadows vacationed four days last week in Ruidoso and went from there to El Paso and visited their daughter and son-in-law, Marla and Tony Davis, who were settling in their new home there. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Billie Ruth Tartt met her daughter, Mrs. Doug Bell and little son, Cody in Midland Monday. While in Midland they visited with another daughter, Mrs. Mitch Hamer. Mrs. Bell lives in Lafayette, La., and will be spending a week here with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Martin and children, Dana, Daniel and Darin of Lubbock spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Harold Martin and Dana and Daniel remained to spend the week.

Raymond Wheeler went to Midland August 10 to accompany his daughter and family, the Jack Comptons, for a weeks vacation at Alamosa, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Lee spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock visiting a daughter, Billie Rutherford and also Mrs. Lee's sister, Mrs. Tommy Hasley, a patient at Lake Side Nursing Home.

Mrs. Clara Butler entertained with a dinner Saturday for relatives here to attend her 90th birthday party planned for Sunday. Those present for the noon meal were Mr. and Mrs. Edison Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gillian of Fredericksburg; Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Butler, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dockrey, Colorado City; Mrs. Al Figoski and Ama and Allison from Austin.

Others visiting Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Butler, Houston and son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Butler and children, Keith and Kevin from Richland.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wheeler and daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Jacks, returned on Tuesday August 6 from a visit with another daughter and family, the Neal Nichols, in Overland Park, Kansas. Enroute to Kansas they spent one night with the Winston Wilsons in Chandler, Oklahoma. Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Wilson are sisters.

Mrs. Jacks is visiting in the Wheeler home since returning from Kansas.

Mark McDaniel of Monahans spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar McDaniel.

Mrs. Bernice Hallmark accompanied Mrs. Al Walker, Mrs. Harvey Leach and Mrs. Ruby Peck of Crane and attended the Foreign Mission session at Glorietta Baptist Assembly last week, arriving home Wednesday.

Teresa Clifton left Monday for Lubbock where she will be entering Texas Tech for her senior year at the beginning of the fall session.

Mrs. Roger Crippliver of Fort Worth is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. S. E. Meadows. Others visiting during the

weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Meadows from San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Coston from Haskell.

Mrs. Nannie Hallmark had as her guests Friday until Tuesday her sister, Mrs. Fannie Lyons and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bogoseki from El Paso. Mrs. Hallmark, a patient in the Loraine Nursing Home since breaking her hip, got to come to her home for the visit while they were here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayes of Dallas came in Tuesday for a visit with his sisters, Mrs. Woodrow Pratt, Mrs. Harry Hallmark, Mrs. Mattie Neely and Mrs. Mary Coffee and with his brother, Olen Mayes.

Melissa Clifton joined a group of young people from Snyder and is spending this week in Glorietta attending a session for college students.

Luncheon given for Liz Terry

Miss Liz Terry, bride-elect of Rick Peebles was honored at a bridesmaid luncheon Saturday, August 11 in Abilene.

Hostess for the event was Mrs. Harold Preston, sister of the bride-to-be. It was held at the Crystal Confectionary.

Those attending with the honoree were Miss Valoria Parnass, Mrs. Harold Preston, Brownwood; Mrs. Steve Ford, Mrs. Randy Myus, Mrs. Don Ludlum, mother of the prospective bridegroom, all of Sweetwater.

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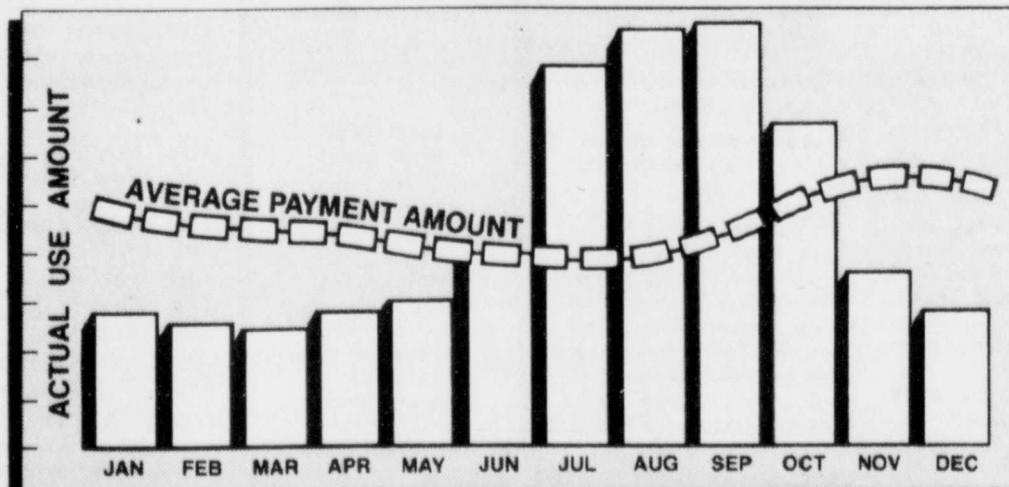
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NOTICE OF AP-
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MIT

Tuthill & Barbee, 900 Fisk
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79101 has applied to the
Railroad Commission of
Texas for a permit to dispose
of produced salt water or
other oil and gas waste by well
injection into a porous for-
mation not productive of oil or
gas.

The applicant proposes to
dispose of oil and gas waste in-
to the Wichita Albany,
Ellwood Estate, Well Number
1. The proposed disposal well
is located 8 miles Northwest
from Silver in the Jameson
NW (Miss) Field in Mitchell
County.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chap-
ter 27 of the Texas Water
Code, as amended, Title 3 of
the Natural Resources Code,
as amended, and the Statewide
Rules of the Oil and Gas
Division of the Railroad
Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing
from persons who can show
they are adversely affected, or
requests for further infor-
mation concerning any aspect
of the application should be
submitted in writing, within
fifteen days of publication, to
the Underground Injection
Control Section, Oil and Gas
Division, Railroad - Com-
mission of Texas, Drawer
12967, Capitol Station,
Austin, Texas 78711
(Telephone 512/445-1373).

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To: JIMMY C. MCBROOM
and wife, LINDA Mc-
BROOM

Defendants, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to
appear by filing a written an-
swer to the Plaintiff's Petition
at or before ten o'clock A.M.
of the first Monday after the
expiration of forty-two days
from the date of the issuance
of this citation, same being
Monday the 24th day of Sep-
tember 1984, at or before ten
o'clock A.M. before the Hon-
orable 32nd Judicial
District Court of Mitchell
County, Texas, at the Court
House of said County in
Colorado City, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was
filed in said court, on the 2nd
day of July A.D. 1984, in this
cause, numbered 10,649 on the
docket of said court, and
styled, FRANCISCO ORTIZ
AND FRANCISCA ORTIZ
Plaintiffs, vs. JIMMY
CHARLES MCBROOM and
wife, LINDA MCBROOM
Defendants.

The names of the parties to the
cause are as follows:
FRANCISCO ORTIZ AND
FRANCISCA ORTIZ are
Plaintiffs and JIMMY
CHARLES MCBROOM and
wife, LINDA MCBROOM are
Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature
of this suit is as follows, to wit:
Plaintiffs and Defendants en-
tered into Contract of Sale
covering the following
described property. Plaintiffs
paid Defendants in full and
Defendants have not provided
a Deed to Plaintiffs covering
the following described prop-
erty, to-wit:

Lots 4 and 5 in the C. S.
THOMAS SUBDIVISION
of the North part of Lot 1,
Block 4, WADDELL AND
MARTIN ADDITION to the
City of Colorado City, Mit-
chell County, Texas, being
that property more par-
ticularly described in Volume
143, Page 251, and Volume
138, Page 466 of the Deed
Records of Mitchell County,
Texas, as is more fully shown
by Plaintiff's Petition on file in
this suit.

If this citation is not served
within ninety days after the date
of its issuance, it shall be
returned unserved.

The officer executing this
process shall promptly execute
the same due return as the law
directs.

Issued and given under my
hand and the Seal of said
Court, at office in Colorado
City, Texas, this 10th day
of August A.D. 1984.
Bill H. Erwin, Clerk
District Court, Mitchell
County, Texas

LOST & FOUND

LOST: 6 month old black and
white male Border Collie in
vicinity of high school. Phone
728-2071 or 728-7358.

Found: Small white billfold on
flatbed trailer by Colorado
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RECORD Office and identify.

LOST: Large grey cat. Vicin-
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offered at 1 p.m. sharp. REAL ESTATE: Ap-
proximately 1750 sq. ft. 2 bedroom, 1 bath
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in rear on 70 ft. x 217 ft. lot to be offered at
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SHOP THE CLASSIFIEDS



HEATHER SHIPP, seventh grade student at Colorado Middle School was selected "Most Conscientious" from among more than 1,200 students at the 51st Texas Tech Band Camp July 13-17 in Lubbock. Heather is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shipp and will play the cornet in the middle school band this year.

Obituaries

Pond

Floyd W. Pond, 58, of Missoula, Mont., and a native of the Spade community, died July 26 in a Missoula hospital of cardiac arrest.

Memorial services were July 28 at the First United Methodist Church in Missoula. The Revs. Bob Phelps and Hugh Herbert officiated. Cremation was under the direction of Squire Simmons & Carr Funeral Home.

The retired Forest Service official was born July 21, 1926, in Spade, the son of Harry A. and Cammie Pond. He was a graduate of Colorado High School.

During World War II he served with the Army Air Corps. Following the war he attended Texas A&M University and earned bachelor's and master's degrees in range management. He received a Ph.D. from the University of Arizona at Tucson in 1968.

He married Dorothy McCorkle March 21, 1953, in Colorado City.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and

sang in the church choir and with the Mendelssohn Club. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Sheridan, Wyo.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Pond of Missoula; two sons, Everett Pond of San Pedro, Calif. and Greg Pond of Missoula; a daughter, Lisa Pond of Missoula; a sister, Ruth Echols of Kingsland, Tex.; several aunts, uncles, a niece and a nephew.

Local survivors include an aunt, Mrs. Wilma Wornack; a cousin, Raymond Fuller; sister-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Oyler; and niece, Mrs. Margaret Ann Conaway of Westbrook.

Hays

Mrs. P. P. (Winnie Mae) Hays of Loraine died Monday, August 13 at 5 a.m. at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She was 82.

Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) at the Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel at 10:30 a.m. with the Rev. Glenn Roenfeldt, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will follow in the Loraine Cemetery.

Born August 6, 1902, in Calahan County to John and Ada Evans Crowmover, she married P. P. Hays August 8, 1922 in Sulphur, Oklahoma. Her husband survives.

Mrs. Hays had lived in Loraine for 40 years and was a member of the Assembly of God.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Doris McGuire, Seattle, Wash.; two sons, V. J. Hays of Huron, Calif. and Elmer Hays, Lubbock; 13 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Her grandsons will be pallbearers.

News from

Loraine Nursing Home

On Sunday evening the dining room of the Loraine Nursing Home was decorated with birthday balloons and streamers. The Nursing Home came alive with family members, friends, residents and staff. It was a surprise 90th birthday party for Nannie Swafford.

Mrs. Swafford was surrounded by her two sons, her daughter and their families. Some had even come from as far away as Florida.

There was cake, ice cream and punch served to all in attendance. Everyone enjoyed the refreshments and also pinata that was filled with all kinds of treats. Everyone had a good time.

Thanks to all the volunteers for your continued support.

Get well wishes go to our residents in the hospital, Madeline Clyne, Cora Dodd and Eula Taylor.

Low income family health important to governors

By GOVERNOR MARK WHITE

Border governors from the United States and Mexico are searching for a common prescription to treat the health care service ills plaguing low income communities clustered along our two countries' common border.

Hundreds of our poorest citizens have been denied access to medical care due to soaring medical costs, a nagging high unemployment rate, and a shortage of doctors, nurses and health care clinics in South Texas and northern Mexico.

Although Texas' border area ranks among this country's population boom centers, it remains one of its poorest. In the 13 Texas counties along the Rio Grande River from Brownsville to Laredo, last decade's 40 percent population growth rate shows no signs of slowdown and half the population still lives below the poverty level.

To spotlight this problem, I encouraged health care leaders to meet with the governors of three Americans and six Mexican states for a Border Governors' Conference on July 23 in Tucson, Ariz. I co-chaired a health care panel with the Mexican governor of Baja, Calif., and encouraged the development of a binational agenda to bring affordable medical care within reach.

We must join forces to develop health and human service training programs for nurses, doctors, allied health professionals, and social service workers in Mexico and American border states.

Texas needs another 100 primary care physicians in the Rio Grande Valley alone to meet minimal health manpower standards, along with half again more nurses and medical technicians.

Dr. Michael Lauderdale, director of the University of Texas' Center for Social Work Research, has received federal funds to compile an inventory of available programs in American border states and Mexico to deal with juvenile delinquency, child abuse, infectious disease control, and prenatal and primary health care needs. Members of my staff arranged a meeting between Dr. Lauderdale and Dr. Guillermo Soberon Acevedo, the Mexican Secretary of Health and Public Assistance, and helped secure Mexico's support for promoting more efficient international exchange and use of available health care and human service programs.

Texas universities are leaders in international programs for research and health studies. The University of Texas, Baylor College of Medicine, and the University of Houston have worked closely with the University of Nuevo Leon and the National Autonomous University of Mexico to further medical research.

To lower infectious disease rates in the Rio Grande Valley, we must emphasize early detection and treatment. Despite gains in the quality of health care available in the Valley, infant mortality remains 125 percent higher among migrant farm workers compared to the rest of the nation. Half of the Hispanic women living in the Valley do not receive prenatal care.

Collaborations between the medical communities and governments of our two countries are producing results. Birthing centers have opened in several border cities to upgrade the care provided by midwives. The Binational Health Council, supported by state agencies and universities in Texas and Mexico, is working to improve health conditions by pooling resources and medical research findings.

Our health as a nation depends in large part upon providing equal access to affordable health care and, in Texas, we intend to meet that challenge.

Medical benefits requirements changed

By LLOYD BENTSEN

It's a sad turn of events when aid from neighbors to a family in need can cause the family to lose needed medical benefits.

That's just what happened to Anne Marton of Houston and her two children, but it will never happen again to them or any other family trapped in a similar situation.

Ms. Marton is alone in caring for her 10-year-old son Leslie and her teenage daughter Linn. Leslie has adrenoleukodystrophy, a rare and fatal brain disease that affects only males.

His lungs must be kept drained of fluid by a machine, and he can only be fed distilled water, baby cereal and medication. He requires his mother's constant attention and 20 hours of home nursing care a week.

Last fall, the Martons were receiving \$368 in monthly benefits from the Social Security Administration and Aid to Families with Dependent Children, which made them eligible for Medicaid coverage.

When their plight was publicized in a local newspaper, members of the community opened their hearts and their pocketbooks, sending \$1,670 in contributions.

Ms. Marton planned to buy a blood pressure kit, a suction kit and a machine to help her son breathe. She wanted the state-supplied machine being used for Leslie to be freed for another patient.

Federal caseworkers at first told Ms. Marton that the contributions would not affect her family's benefits, but then they did an about-face. They told her she had to put the money in a trust fund or her son's medical coverage would be cut off until her income fell back below eligibility standards.

When I heard of the Marton family's plight, I requested an explanation from the agencies involved. Officials explained that if the contributions from neighbors are counted as income, it would make the Marton family ineligible for Aid to Families with Dependent Children

and for Medicaid.

After consultation, these officials agreed with me that this outpouring from friends and neighbors should not be counted as income, and the Marton family benefits were restored.

That wasn't all. Ms. Marton had been contacted by other mothers caught in similar dilemmas and passed along their anguish.

I resolved to change the law and succeeded in winning approval of my proposal in the Senate Finance Committee, of which I am a senior member. It was included in the deficit reduction package recently signed by the President.

Now, when a family receives contributions to help with a medical crisis, the gifts will not affect federal benefits as long as they are used to pay medical expenses.

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LISD announces list of 1984-85 teachers

Glenn Sanders, superintendent of Loraine Schools, announced Tuesday the names of faculty and teachers for the 1984-85 school year.

Recently appointed principal is Mickey Rundell. Other office personnel includes Erlinda Pantoja, principal's secretary and Darlene Givens, superintendent's secretary.

Teachers are: Sharon Clifton, kindergarten. Brenda Martin, 1st grade. Almaz Webb, 2nd grade. Patsy Walker, 3rd grade. Janet Moore, 4th grade. Charlene Reilly, 5th grade. Kent Boyd, junior high and high school science. Mike Chunn, junior high and high school math.

Mike Herrington, vocational agriculture. Diana Gustin, home economics.

Cindy Huffman, High School English.

Donna Mize, business and computers.

Cinda Stewart, junior high language arts and social studies. Sandy McSpadden, head coach and social studies.

Ronald James, assistant coach and physical education. Marsha Moore, junior high school language arts.

Eddie Nash, band and social studies.

Lee Nell Horton, chapter one reading.

Susan Peachey, Plan A special education. Aides are Dorothy Green, Penny Mitchell, and Connie Rodriguez.

Lunchroom personnel includes Betty Hackfeld, Susie Morris, Manuela Pantoja, Gail Troutt, Rataila Martinez. Custodians are Bill Epperson and Matias Lara.



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6:00	Beverly Hills Solid Gold	News Jeffersons	Nightly Business Report Wild World of Animals	Alice Carol Burnett	News Family Feud	News News	News Tic Tac Dough	News Three's Company	Sanford and Son Major League Baseball
7:00	Movie: Andrea Doria: The Final	Magnum P.I.	Sneak Previews Great Parks of the World	Movie: Shoot Out	Andrea Doria: The Final Chapter	20/20	Gimme a Break	20/20	Pittsburgh at Atlanta
8:00	Chapter	Simon & Simon	Unknown War			NFL Pre-Season Football: Pittsburgh	Cheers	NFL Pre-Season Football: Pittsburgh	
9:00		Knots Landing	Mystery	News	Hill Street Blues	at Dallas	Hill Street Blues	at Dallas	Movie: King Creole
10:00	Twilight Zone Thicks of the Night	News Hart to Hart	MacNeil/ Lehrer Newshour	Twilight Zone Cannon	News Tonight Show		News Tonight Show		
11:00			Special Presentation		Late Night with David	Entertainment Tonight	Late Night with David	M*A*S*H	
12:00	Sign Off		Sign Off	the Sun	Letterman	Nightline	Letterman	Entertainment Tonight Nightline	Movie: Lady in a Cage

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6:00	Beverly Hills Major League Baseball	News Jeffersons	Nightly Business Report Wild World of Animals	Alice Major League Baseball	News Family Feud	News News	News Tic Tac Dough	News Three's Company	Sanford and Son All in the Family
7:00	Houston at Pittsburgh	Dukes of Hazzard	Washington Week/Review News Addition	Chicago at Cincinnati	NFL Pre-Season Football: New England	Benson	NFL Pre-Season Football: New England	Benson	All in the Family Major League Baseball
8:00		Dallas	Wall Street Week World War II: G.I. Diary		at Washington	Blue Thunder	at Washington	Blue Thunder	Atlanta at St. Louis
9:00	Hawaii Five-O	Falcon Crest	Survival Special	News		Matt Houston		Matt Houston	
10:00	Twilight Zone Thicks of the Night	News Movie: Butch and Sundance	MacNeil/ Lehrer Newshour	Cannon	News Tonight Show	News Entertainment Tonight	News Tonight Show	News M*A*S*H	Merchants of War
11:00		Sundance: The Early Days	Austin City Limits	Movie: The Unforgiven	Friday Night Videos	Nightline Movie: Pal Joey	Friday Night Videos	Entertainment Tonight PGA Championship	Night Tracks
12:00	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off					Nightline	

SATURDAY									
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7:00	Healthfield Wall Street Journal	Charlie Brown & Snoopy Saturday Supercade	Sesame Street	U.S. Farm Report World Tomorrow	Flinstone Funnies Shirt Tales	Monchichis/ Little Rascals/ Richie Rich	Flinstone Funnies Shirt Tales	Monchichis/ Little Rascals/ Richie Rich	Starcade
8:00	Johnny Carnes Show	Dungeons and Dragons	Search for Solutions	Rex Humbert	Smurfs	New Scooby- Doo Pac-Man/Rubik Cube Hour	Smurfs	New Scooby- Doo Pac-Man/Rubik Cube Hour	
9:00	This is Your Life America's Top Ten	Tarzan: Lord of the Jungle Bugs Bunny/ Road Runner	Sesame Street	Charlando	Alvin & the Chipmunks	Littles	Alvin & the Chipmunks	Littles	Movie: Darby's Doo
10:00	Hardy Boys/ Nancy Drew Mysteries	Show	Electric Company Mr. Rogers Neighborhood	Wild Kingdom	Mr. T	Puppy/Scooby Doo Show	Mr. T	Puppy/Scooby Doo Show	Rangers
11:00	Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous	Biskitts	Sesame Street	Movie: The Virginian	Incredible Hulk Campus on Review	Bionic Woman	Incredible Hulk Thundarr	ABC Weekend Special American Bandstand	
12:00	Movie: The Adventures of Frontier Fremont	New Fat Albert Show Children's Film Festival	Sesame Street	Manana Today Vide Nueva	Movie: Sam Cade	Fabergé Futurity	Putt Putt Golf	Movie: Savage Wilderness	
1:00		Solid Gold Salutes the Songs of Summer	Nature of Things	Movie: A- Haunting We	Major League Baseball: California at Atlanta	Major League Baseball: California at Atlanta	National Rifle Assoc. Dallas Cowboy Weekly		
2:00	Movie: The Concrete Cowboys		Anatomy of a Libel Case: Business vs. the Media	Will Go	Baltimore/or Atlanta at St. Louis	Wide World of Sports	Baltimore/or Atlanta at St. Louis	Wide World of Sports	Movie: Gunpoint
3:00		Shooting for the Stars Steppelchase Day		America's Top Ten Soul Train		PGA Championship		PGA Championship	
4:00	Cinema: La legende de Fourest		Search for the Super	Tony Randall	World Championship of Women's Golf	Golf	World Championship of Women's Golf	Golf	Fishin' w/Or- lando Wilson Motorweek Illustrated
5:00		This Week in Country Music CBS News	Odyssey	Phyllis	Solid Gold	Wanted: Dead or Alive NBC News		World Championship Wrestling	

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6:00	Fame	Solid Gold	Wild World of Animals Sneak Previews	Major League Baseball: Chicago at Cincinnati	Hee Haw	News	West Texas This Week Wild Kingdom	Hee Haw	Prog Cont'd Down to Earth
7:00	Star Search	Airwolf	Jane Goodall & the World of Animal Behavior		Diffrent Strokes Silver Spoons	T.J. Hooker	Diffrent Strokes Silver Spoons	T.J. Hooker	Movie: The Last Valley
8:00	On Stage America	NFL Pre-Season Football: San Francisco	Movie: A Slight Case of Murder		Bosom Buddies	Mama's Family	Bosom Buddies	Mama's Family	
9:00		at San Diego	News	Boone	Boone				
10:00	Too Close for Comfort World Class Championship		Monty Python Flying Circus Dave Allen at Large	Twilight Zone Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous	News Saturday Night Live	Movie: The Hot Rock	News Saturday Night Live	News Entertainment Tonight	Charbusters
11:00	Wrestling Rock Palace	News Barbara Mandrill Show	New Tech Times David Susskind	Famous	Twilight Zone			Star Trek	Tracks
12:00	Sign Off	This Week in Country Music	Vietnam: A Television	Solid Gold	Star Search	Movie: Bunny Lake Is Missing	Southwest Championship Wrestling	Twilight Zone	Movie: Blondie Plays Cupid

How to get a bargain and not a dud from seconds

By DEBBIE CHRISTIAN
Careful shopping for seconds and irregulars can save consumers money, if they know how to look for signs of quality.

Many manufacturers set standards for their products. When those standards aren't met, they don't discard the items. Instead manufacturers label the imperfect product a

"second" or an "irregular" and direct stores to sell it below regular retail price.

A factory irregular is usually only slightly below the manufacturer's standards. Irregular stockings, for example, may not be quite standard size. Irregular towels may not be quite perfect in color or weave and there may

be a slight oil spot on an irregular shirt.

Often you won't be able to spot the defect in a factory irregular.

In general, you're more likely to find damaged goods among products labeled as seconds. A second is often broken, torn or poorly made and the defect is easily identified.

But it can pay to carefully examine seconds, because sometimes they are perfect. Occasionally a company wants to clear out some goods at sale prices without having to lower prices on similar items. So the company calls the goods seconds and sells them at a lower price.

To get irregulars or seconds that meet their needs, consumers should determine the marks of quality for the product they're buying.

Whether the product is a kitchen appliance, sweater or carpet, there are specific indicators of quality that can guide the purchase decision. Reading about the product in consumer books or magazines and comparison shopping in person or by catalog can help consumers discern these quality features.

TAES seminar to teach cotton commodity trading

Mitchell County cotton producers as well as others in the cotton industry will be able to learn more about the trading of cotton commodity options at an upcoming seminar.

The seminar on Agricultural Commodity Options for the Southwestern Cotton Industry is slated for September 7-8 at the Fairmont Hotel in Dallas, announces Bob Benson, county agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Purpose of the seminar is to acquaint cotton growers, merchants and agricultural lenders with agricultural commodity options, in particular cotton options, says Benson.

An option is a contract that gives the buyer the right, but not the obligation, to buy or sell a particular commodity at a specified price for a specified period of time, explains Benson. It gives farmers another pricing tool to assist in price risk management—a type of insurance against sudden price drops.

Among seminar speakers will be officials with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, New York Cotton Exchange, Merrill Lynch Futures, Republic Bank Corporation, Toyo Cotton Co. and Easterwood Farms.

U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm of Stamford will give an update of agricultural issues in Congress at a noon luncheon.

The seminar is a joint effort of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Extension Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Texas Cotton Association, New York Cotton Exchange and the Commodity Futures Trading Commission. Persons planning to attend should make room reservations at the Fairmont Hotel by August 16.

Polar sets community homecoming

The annual Polar Community homecoming will be held August 18 and 19. An old-timey undernominational community singing is scheduled for Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. at the tabernacle.

Former residents, family and friends are invited to enjoy a day of visiting Sunday, swapping stories of the "good ole days," following dinner on the church lawn.

"The tabernacle is always cool and comfortable," a spokesman said, "and the public is invited to attend."

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7:00	LBS Child- ren's Theatre That Teen Show	Kenneth Copeland	Sesame Street	Dr. D. James Kennedy Robert Schuller	Jim Bakker	Shopping Smart Robert Schuller	Victory in Jesus Herald of Truth	Prog Cont'd World Tomorrow Bible	Cartoon Carnival Starcade
8:00	Old Time Gospel	Jimmy Swaggart	Brthers Grimm	Mass for Shut-ins Heritage of Faith	Jimmy Swaggart	Kaleidoscope	Just Passing Thru Amazing Grace Bible Class	Jerry Falwell	Leave It to Beaver Andy Griffith
9:00	Jimmy Swaggart	Baptist Church Sunday Morning	Sesame Street	Tarzan	Larry Jones Show World Tomorrow	James Robison This Week with David	Expect a Miracle Faith for Today	Baptist Church Hour of Power	Good News Movie: Hud
10:00	PTL Club		Electric Company Mr. Rogers Neighborhood	Rawhide	Kenneth Copeland	Brinkley	Faith Baptist	Rex Humbard	
11:00	Dr. James Kennedy Religion	First Baptist Church	Sesame Street	Wild, Wild West	First Presbyterian Church	Hour of Worship	Sunday Devotions Meet the Press	Methodist Church	
12:00	Movie: The Incredible Rocky Mountain	To Be Announced	Sesame Street	One Step Beyond This Week In Baseball	America's Top Ten To Be Announced	World Tomorrow Nuestro Dia	It's Your Business That Teen Show	This Week with David Brinkley	High Chaparral
1:00	Race		Firing Line	Lead-Off Man Major League Baseball: Chicago at Cincinnati	NFL's Best Ever: The Teams	Reporters Roundup Adam 12	Nashville Music 1983 Houston Oiler Hites	Between Life and Death	Pre-Game Show Major League Baseball: Atlanta at
2:00	Steel Cowboy	NFL's Best Ever: Coaches	Tony Brown's Journal Oberammergau	Cincinnati	World Championship of Women's Golf	Long Driving Championship PGA Golf Championship	World Championship of Women's Golf	Long Driving Championship PGA Golf Championship	St. Louis
3:00		CBS Sports Sunday	Movie: A Slight Case of Murder		NFL Pre-Season Football: Miami at Los		NFL Pre-Season Football: Miami at Los		
4:00	Wanted: The Sundance Woman		It's One Family	Movie: Batman	Angels Raiders		Angels Raiders		CNN Headline Jacques Cousteau
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6:00	Greatest American Hero	60 Minutes	Real Thing	Prog Cont'd	Star Search	News	Summer Sunday, USA	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	Best of World Championship Wrestling
7:00	Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous	One Day at a Time Jeffersons	Survival Special	Wall Street Journal In Search of...	Movie: Enola Gay: The Men, the Mission and	Hardcastle and McCormick	Movie: Enola Gay: The Men, the Mission and	Hardcastle and McCormick	Movie: Texas Across the River
8:00	How the West Was Won	Alice	Saudi Arabia	People to People Odd Couple	the Atomic Bomb	Movie: The Main Event	the Atomic Bomb	Movie: The Main Event	
9:00	Switch		Masterpiece Theatre	News					Sports Page
10:00	Twilight Zone	News	Monty Python Flying Circus Dave Allen at Large	Twilight Zone	News	News Entertainment Tonight	News The Night the	News ABC News Movie: Rio	Jerry Falwell
11:00	Fame	Announced	Dave Allen at Large Dick Emery Show	Bridge Fell Down! Part 1	Movie: The Oklahoma		Bridge Fell Down! Part 1	Lobo	Open Up
12:00	Sign Off		Sign Off	Kid			Sign Off	Sign Off	Movie: Blondie Plays Cupid