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Answerline

Q. When is the first day of fall?
A. Fall officially arrives Thursday, September 23.

Briefly

NOTICE

 **Mandatory Water Rationing** is in effect in Colorado City

Trap Shoot

There will be a Trap Shoot, benefiting Mitchell County Livestock Association, Sat., Sept. 25 beginning at 10 a.m. The trap shoot will be held north of the rodeo arena at the bottom of the hill. Cost is \$4 per game, 50% payback to winner. For info, call Nub Morris, 728-5425.

VFW Meeting

There will be a VFW meeting Thurs., Sept. 23 at 7 p.m. District Commander present. All members in good standing please attend.

Open House

Hutchinson Elementary is having open house on Mon., Sept. 27 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. They will also have a hot dog supper from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$2 in advance and \$2.50 at the door.

Golden Age Club

The Westbrook Golden Age Club will have their annual barbecue on Sat., Sept. 25 from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Golden Age Club Building. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children.

Hutchinson Fundraiser

Holiday and gift shopping at home? Hutchinson Elementary School is sponsoring a fundraiser which has many gift items for our homes, offices, our friends and relatives, Sept. 23 - Oct. 4.

Chili Supper

The Westbrook Senior Class will sponsor a chili supper Thurs., Sept. 30, 5-7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Cost is \$4.50 for adults and \$3 for children. Meal includes chili, beans, cornbread, dessert, drink. The traditional bonfire and pep rally will take place afterward on the practice football field.

Loraine Parade

There will be a Loraine Homecoming Parade Oct. 1. Set up begins at 2:30 p.m. at the Horseshoe. Parade begins at 3 p.m. Anyone wanting to enter, call Loraine High School at 737-2225.

Medical Fund

There has been a medical fund set up for Doris Pharris at City National Bank to help pay her medical expenses.

Deaths

Dillard, Phillips

Around Town

Happy 10th birthday **Claudia Barrera** (Sept. 26)... Happy 2nd birthday **Andrew Burrola** (Sept. 26)... Happy anniversary **Tooter & Rossanne Jameson** (Sept. 24)... Happy birthday **Cherry Hoback** (Sept. 27)... Happy 23rd anniversary **Carmen & Manuel Gonzales** (Sept. 25)...

Lake Levels

Lake Colorado City.....2057.84'
Full at 2,070.30'
Down 12.46'
Lake Champion.....2043.81'
Full at 2,083'
Down 38.19'
Levels courtesy of the United States Geological Service, as of 10 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 21, 1999

New tax rate approved by CISD board

The Colorado School Board Monday night gave final approval to the school district's 1999-2000 property tax rate and okayed a projected total of \$9,577,786 in revenues.

The rate was lowered from \$1.53 to \$1.50 per \$100 in valuation because more than \$300,000 in indebtedness associated with computer purchases has been paid off.

With board members Rosanne Jameson and Elizabeth Hernandez absent at the 7 p.m. special meeting, Business Manager Geneva Ratliff reported that projected expenditures of \$9,751,291 will leave a deficit of less than \$200,000.

The meeting began with a public hearing on the budget and tax rate, but no members of the public attended.

Supt. Buddy Compton's recommendations for salary supplements for extra duties were approved, including \$5,400 for the head football coach, \$2,500 for his first assistant and \$2,300 and \$2,100 for his second and third assistants.

Other supplements are \$1,700 for the volleyball coach, \$2,000 each for the boys' and girls' basketball coaches and \$1,400 each for the coaches of boys' and girls' track, baseball, softball, golf, tennis, cross country running and power lifting.

The meeting lasted 30 minutes.

Hospital discussion slows down

Mitchell County Hospital Board President Kent Boyd said Monday night that he does not expect any dramatic action regarding the possible construction of a new hospital at the board's 6 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 28, meeting.

Contacted at his home in Loraine, Boyd said the board's next initiative will probably be to review studies of the hospital and its future needs that were done in 1989, '91 and '96.

He explained that newly impaneled board members Corky Houston and Lee Roy Miller Jr. want to familiarize themselves with information that has already been developed.

He said those analyses dealt with possible remodeling, the

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MITCHELL COUNTY REUNION SPEAKER Johnny Adams regaled his audience of about 300 people with a deep bag of stories that were highly amusing and at times touching. He graduated from high school here in 1944.

Stories spice reunion

Mitchell County Reunion speaker Johnny Adams Saturday related some distant but vivid memories to the 300 participants and some colorful ones from his career as a Shell Oil Co. executive.

The 1944 Colorado High School graduate's address... peopled with legendary CHS English teacher Gladys Miller, Chief of Police Dick Hickman.

rock and roll singer Roy Orbison and a man who threatened to burn a school down when Louisiana was being integrated.

Humorous and picturesque, Adams told his Civic Center audience about being prohibited by... father from going out as night because other C-City boys might get him into trouble.

He was once with a boy who rolled a rock onto some men who were shooting dice on a creek bank in the 1930's, and he described being "terrified" by Ms. Miller when he was unprepared to be called on in class.

... and another boy found 54 1874 lead nickels buried at Ruddick Park, and Chief Hick-

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Boll weevils tour topic

Mitchell County Farm Tour participants will visit two cotton farms and two Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) sites and then hear a report on recent boll weevil eradication on Wednesday, Sept. 29.

Thirty to 40 people are expected to take part.

The group will meet at the Colorado City Civic Center at 157 W. Second St. at 8:30 a.m. for coffee, doughnuts and registration and board buses at 9.

Steve Shrode of the United States Natural Resources Conservation Service said the tour is open to the public.

The only cost is \$8 for a barbecue lunch catered by David Stubblefield.

Tony Turner's drip irrigation system will be inspected southeast of town, where a representative of Paymaster Seed will discuss seed varieties.

Tommy Morris's technique of planting Roundup Ready

cotton in ultra narrow rows will be reviewed at his farm northwest of the city.

Keith Hiser of the U. S. Farm Service Agency will discuss current farm programs at the stop.

CRP land owned by Jack Long off South Hwy. 208 and Woody Anderson at Buford north of town will be visited.

Brush control methods will be the main topic at the Buford

See TOUR, page 5A

Goat cookoff fires burning

Replete with bands, booths, \$1,750 in cash prizes, jackpot cooking contests and other attractions, the sixth annual World Championship Boer Goat Cookoff is getting ready to start smoking on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 1-2, in Ruddick Park.

Cookoff Association Presi-

dent Linton Ray Webb of Loraine said Monday that the number of entries had topped 40 with teams from Houston, San Angelo, Lubbock, Abilene and Caldwell, near Bryan-College station.

The cookoff will be limited to 50 teams this year, the first time it has been held in the fall

instead of summer.

"It's looking pretty good," Webb said. "It's drawing closer and closer, and we're filling up with entries."

"We've also got teams from Sweetwater, Roscoe, Sterling City, Ballinger and of course Colorado City."

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Corridor talk gets serious

The Texas, Mexico & Asia Corridor Association has been doing everything on the 13th of the month lately, but superstitions notwithstanding, it appears to be on a roll.

At least four foreign countries are interested in putting warehouses, distribution centers and processing plants in six area counties, including Mitchell, and the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) is committed to helping.

Chairman Ricky Fritz of Snyder, Scurry County judge, presided over an organizational meeting on Sept. 13 in Sweetwater and will lead a delegation to a rural develop-

ment seminar at the Federal Reserve Bank in Dallas on Oct. 13.

Corridor leaders have been talking with Southern California businessmen and trade representatives from Japan, China, Liberia and Korea in an effort to create a "trade corridor" in the association's six counties -- Mitchell, Howard, Nolan, Fisher, Jones and Scurry.

It would involve warehousing and distribution along with processing plants for poultry, pork and beef and possibly a lens-grinding plant and a non-alcoholic beer brewery, among other things.

"We are learning how to work together as an effective

CNB directors name Clay new president

City National Bank directors named Vice President Royce D. Clay president and chief executive officer of the 228 Elm St. institution last Thursday, replacing Don R. Jones.

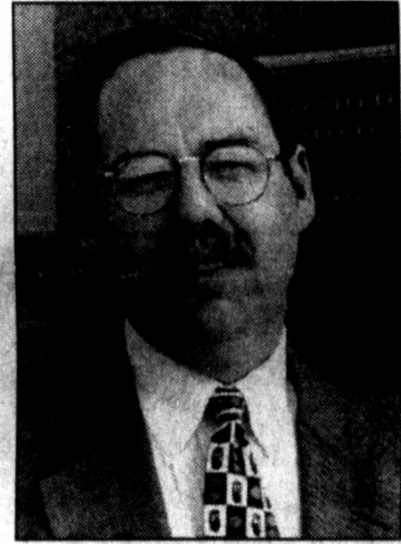
"We are delighted that we had a qualified and experienced officer within the bank to assume this position," said J. R. Fuller, board chairman.

Jones left on July 31 to join a bank in Longview, Wash., after a seven-year tenure here.

Clay, 39, graduated from Muleshoe High School in 1978 and earned an associate's degree at Odessa College.

He took a bachelor's degree in finance at Texas Tech University in Lubbock in 1982 and then worked at banks in Lubbock, Austin and El Paso.

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Royce Clay

Loraine ISD lowers its property tax

LORAINE -- The Loraine School Board lowered its property tax rate by 12 cents to 1.38 cents per \$100 in valuation Monday night.

Supt. David Lewein said the district was able to cut taxes "due to a reduction in force of employees, restructuring employees' tasks and implementing a cost benefit program."

It adopted a decreased budget for the new fiscal year in the amount of \$1,417,721 on Aug. 31.

"Even with a lower tax rate and a slightly lower budget, the students will receive more services, especially in the enrichment areas of art, music, computer usage, Spanish and physical education," Supt. Lewein said.

See DEVELOPMENT, page 8A

Two hurt in wreck with city police car

A man and a woman were injured, although not critically, in a Tuesday night collision between a Colorado City police car and a motorcycle at 10th and Hickory Streets.

According to reports, Officer Pete Torres was eastbound onto Hickory from a stop sign on 10th when his 1997 Ford patrol car was hit broadside by a southbound motorcycle driven by Mikel Morales, 28, of C-City.

Morales suffered a broken pelvis and was taken to Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock

after being treated at Mitchell County Hospital.

He was reported in stable condition.

Michelle Franco, 34, of C-City was riding behind Morales on the motorcycle, and she was held for observation at the local hospital with cuts and bruises.

She was not believed to be seriously injured.

Officer Torres, 28, was not hurt. The investigating officers are Trooper Carlos Diaz of the

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local news

Interstate projects wrap up

Having dealt with the never-ending problem posed by bad soil at Rattlesnake Gap near the Mitchell-Howard County line, the Texas Department of Transportation is nearly finished repaving Interstate 20 through Mitchell County.

It is now planning work on Hwy. 163 south of Colorado City and on FM 644 north and south of Loraine.

Area Engineer Art Barrow of Big Spring said, however, that the 163 and 644 projects have not yet been funded.

The same contractor who is working on I-20 east of C-City, Price Construction Co. of Big Spring, finished an \$8 million job 16 miles east from the Mitchell-Howard County line in early August.

That one covered the east and westbound lanes west of here.

The current project is to repave nine miles of the eastbound lanes from just east of C-City and 4.5 miles of the westbound lanes for \$2.9 million.

Barrow said it will probably be completed around Thanksgiving.

TxDOT calls them "The Westbrook Project" and "The Loraine Project."

"Other than being a little behind schedule, the Loraine Project has run very well," the engineer said.

"The big problem has been that Price has so many projects, trying to get them all manned has been difficult."

"They have two in Nolan County -- one on I-20 that they're just finishing and one on U. S. 84 six miles north from the interstate. They also have projects at Laredo."

Price Construction put in a hot mix plant and gravel pit on

the south side of I-20 east of Narrell Road, east of Loraine, to support the Loraine Project.

Barrow said 12 miles of Hwy. 163 south from C-City "is a big one" in his plans because "there are two lanes without shoulders and we need to bring it up to state highway standards -- add shoulders."

"We have to solve these funding problems."

He also wants to rework FM 644 from FM 2319 5.2 miles south of Loraine to eight miles north of Loraine at the Mitchell-Scurry County line.

"We might divide that one into two projects," he said, adding that FM 2836, which runs around the west side of Lake Colorado City from I-20 to 163, is the third job he wants to tackle here.

Barrow transferred to Big Spring from Austin last October, and one of the first things he learned about was Rattlesnake Gap in western Mitchell and eastern Howard County.

The problem is not Rattlesnake Gap itself -- a big hill or a small mountain with a gap in it.

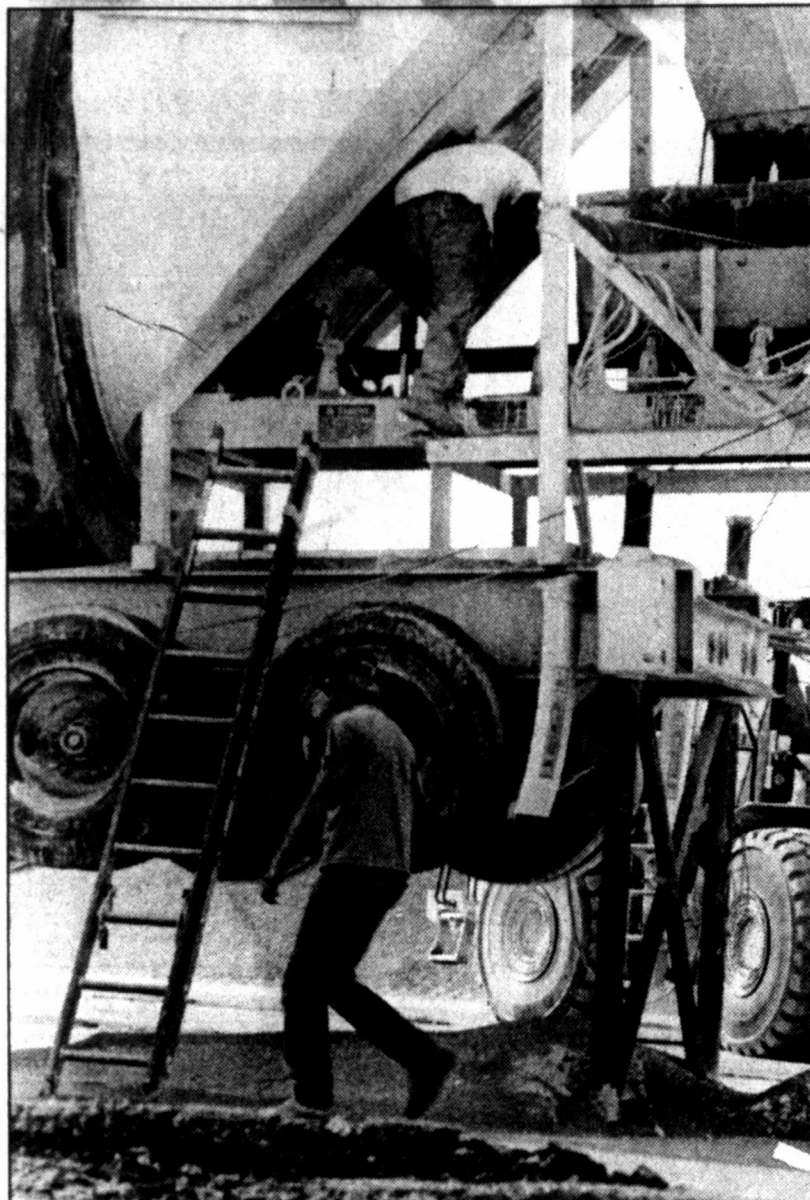
The quandary is posed by two or three miles of I-20, evenly divided in each county, under which clay soil destabilizes the asphalt.

An interstate highway can go from five to 15 years between resurfacings, but the Rattlesnake Gap area always needs it every five years.

"The soil conditions are such that the road is rather unstable," Barrow said. "If it gets moisture, it swells a lot and can move."

"If the sub-surface moves, the surface moves, and it can cause problems."

"The real trouble spot is only a couple of miles."



HIGHWAY WORKMEN were repairing machinery at Price Construction Co.'s hot mix plant east of Loraine, which is being used in Interstate 20 reconstruction across Mitchell County.

OBITUARIES

Billy Phillips

1926-1999

Billy Phillips, age 73, of Sand Springs, died Sat., Sept. 18, 1999. Graveside services were held at 4 p.m. Wed., Sept. 22, 1999, at Trinity Memorial Park with Rev. Ben Neel, pastor of Salem Baptist Church officiating. Arrangements under the direction of Myers and Smith Funeral Home and Chapel.

Mr. Phillips was born June 27, 1926, in Llano County, Texas. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps from 1946 to 1947, where he was an aircraft mechanic stationed in Biloxi, Mississippi. He was a retired carpenter and a resident of Howard County for 40 years. He was a Baptist. He was preceded in death by one son, Terry Phillips and one grandson, Joshua Phillips.

Survivors include two sons, Gary Phillips and his wife, Karen of Big Spring and Rusty Phillips and his wife, Mona of Sand Springs; three daughters, Nancy Ward and her husband, Joe of Colorado City, Cindy Graves and her husband, Glenn of Big Spring, and Vicki Scott and her husband, Jeff of Andrews; two sisters, Lois Durst of Mason and Violet Durbin of San Marcos; and 13 grandchildren.

Wallace E. "W.E." Dillard

1918-1999

Wallace E. "W.E." Dillard, age 81, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, died Sun., Sept. 19, 1999 at Landsun Health Service Center, Carlsbad, New Mexico. Funeral services will be held Fri., Sept. 24 at 1 p.m. at Denton-Funchess Funeral home Chapel with Pastor Frank Hodnett of Garden Street Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Gardens Memorial Park, Carlsbad, New Mexico with honor by the Carlsbad Veteran's Honor Guard. Arrangements under the direction of Denton-Funchess Funeral Home.

Mr. Dillard was born July 15, 1918 in Lamesa, Texas to Daniel Boone Dillard and Mary Elizabeth Williams Dillard. He spent most of his younger years in Three Rivers, Texas, attending Three Rivers High School. He worked for Ball Glass Factory after high school. He then entered the Army Air Corp during World War II where he earned the Distinguished Flying Cross, flying 77 missions in China, Burma and the India Theatre. He married Nellie M. Venus June 22, 1945 in Abilene, Texas. They moved to Carlsbad in October 1945. He went to work for PCA where he worked until 1975. He was a member of Garden Street Baptist Church and VFW #2. He enjoyed his family and was an avid fisherman.

Survivors include his wife, Nell Dillard of Carlsbad, New Mexico; two daughters, Karen Graham of Santa Fe, New Mexico and Kendra Mayes of Carlsbad, New Mexico; one sister, Pat Glanzer of Lakeview, Oregon; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers include Dwayne Stubblefield, David Stubblefield, Kirk Stubblefield, Kim Colwell, T.A. Mayes, Buddy Marcom, Wade Dillard and Daniel Lopez.

County grand jury issues forgery, cocaine indictments

Two Loraine men were indicted on felony charges by a county grand jury last Thursday.

Robert Silva, 19, was true-billed on a forgery charge and released on a \$2,000 bond.

He was arrested on Sept. 17 by Deputy Mike Redwine.

Trinidad Chavez, 43, was in-

dicted for possession of a controlled substance, cocaine.

He was taken into custody on Aug. 15 by Colorado City Policeman Steve Evard and released on a \$2,500 bond.

Four other defendants were also indicted, but their names were not released because they had not been arrested.

Piland gets a raise

Texas county attorneys have traditionally been underpaid, so Mitchell County Attorney Mark Piland is pleased that a three-year lobbying effort paid off with substantial state raises this year.

The increases range from \$50,850 for attorneys in one-county judicial districts to \$25,425 for those in two-county districts and \$16,950 for attorneys whose districts encompass three counties.

Because Piland works in the three-county 32nd Judicial District, his annual salary will increase by \$16,950 from \$29,393 to \$46,343.

The 32nd District includes Nolan, Fisher and Mitchell Counties.

Piland is allowed to continue his private practice because he still will not earn 80 percent of what a state district judge makes -- \$101,700.

The legislation, House Bill No. 804, was filed three years ago by State Rep. Pete Gallego of Alpine, a former county prosecutor who continued to pursue it in the legislative session in Austin last spring.

It was also supported by the Texas District and County Attorneys Association.

"It was great," said Piland Monday. "What can you say? Thanks."

"It's a traditionally underpaid position, but this will increase interest in it statewide. I think it was fairly done, and fair treatment, based on the volume of work."

County attorneys are commissioners courts' primary legal consultants on personnel matters, land purchases and other things, and they handle misdemeanor prosecutions for driving while intoxicated and other offenses, juvenile cases and protective orders to stop family violence.

They also help adjudicate cases involving mental problems and commitments and the state Mental Health-Mental Retardation agency.

Piland said the raises are a

means of returning money that the counties pay in state filing fees.



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Tax assessor promises notices in October

Mitchell County Tax Assessor-Collector Faye Lee told county commissioners Tuesday morning that she expects to mail the annual property tax notices late next week.

Ms. Lee said Loraine Independent School District was scheduled to notify her of its 1999-2000 tax rate and she

would then be ready to send the tax bills.

She said they will be mailed by Saturday, Oct. 1.

The only other business in the 9 a.m. called meeting pertained to filling a job vacancy in Pct. 3.

That item was tabled at the request of Pct. 3 Commissioner Wendy Inman.

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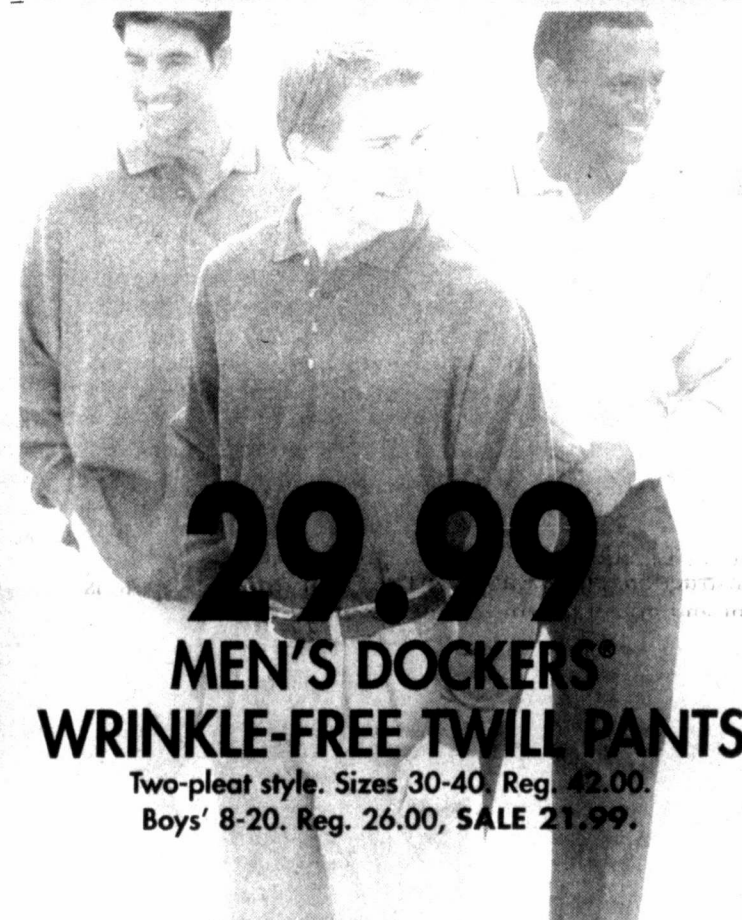
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local news

Fina sells area properties

Fina Oil & Chemical Co.'s recent sale of its big oilfield north of Westbrook is part of a plan to sell most its Permian Basin assets and concentrate on its petrochemical plants in Southeast Texas and other operations, a Fina spokesman in Dallas said last Friday.

Those plans include selling Fina's Big Spring Refinery, she said, adding that it is not known if the refinery will continue to be operated.

The deal is expected to lead to a large amount of new drilling in the Westbrook field after the first of the year.

"We have retained an investment banker to assist in the sale of our southwestern refining and marketing assets," Carla Meadows told the CCR in a telephone interview.

"The planned sale of the Southwestern Business Unit is part of our overall strategy to

focus on construction of the world's largest naphtha steam cracking facility with BASF at Port Arthur and our recent polypropylene and polyethylene plant expansions in Southeast Texas at La Porte and Pasadena."

Polypropylene and polyethylene are used to manufacture plastics.

The Westbrook Southeast Unit No. 701 field was part of a \$96 million transaction earlier this year between Fina and the First Permian Co. of Midland.

It has 149 producing wells, 64 injection wells and 21 shut-in wells on 3,700 acres.

First Permian, a merger of Parallel Petroleum Co. and Baytech Inc., bought 821 wells in 24 oilfields in Garza, Ector, Gaines, Yoakum and Mitchell Counties.

It also got five non-pro-

ducing fields in Borden, Yoakum and Gaines Counties.

A First Permian spokesman said in July that the company will start drilling in-field wells at Westbrook after Jan. 1.

"Where we have 20 acres between wells, we may go down to 10," she said.

She said the number of wells will not actually be doubled because of flood plain considerations but that a substantial amount of activity is planned.

City National Bank Vice President Bobby Lemons said Friday that when the field was developed as one of the early day oilfields in the Permian Basin, companies were restricted to four wells per quarter section, or 160 acres.

In many cases, they only drilled three per 160 acres, but those restrictions have since been relaxed, he said.

Lemons said in-field drilling

is much more likely to meet success than a "wildcat" venture, which is undertaken without any other wells in the vicinity.

He said most of the wells in the Westbrook field hit oil at about 3,000 feet, which is not a difficult depth to reach.

The Big Spring Refinery has a strong Colorado City connection because much of the equipment and many of its employees here at the old Col-Tex Refinery were transferred to Big Spring after Col-Tex was closed by Fina in 1968.

Fina is a division of the new global corporation of Totalfina Inc., and on Monday, Sept. 13, it announced plans to merge with a France-based company called Elf Aquitaine, which will make it the fourth-largest oil company in the world when the merger is completed this winter, Ms. Meadows said.

WRECK From page 1A

Texas Department of Public Safety and Chief Deputy Mike Redwine of the Mitchell County Sheriff's office.

The investigation had not been completed Wednesday morning.

Deputy Redwine is the chief investigator.

Others at the scene of the 8:10 p.m. accident were Chief of Police Pat Taylor, Sheriff Patrick Toombs, Police Investigator Charles Rice, members of the C-City Volunteer Fire Department and personnel from Mitchell County EMS.

Morales and Ms. Franco were both taken to the county hospital by ambulance.

Chief Taylor said he would await the completion of the officers' investigation before drawing any conclusions about the accident.

However he said Wednesday morning, "In addition to any traffic enforcement penalties which may be charged by the investigating officers, Officer Torres would also face administrative sanctions."

Westbrook barbecue is this Saturday

WESTBROOK -- Members of the Golden Age Club will serve their annual barbecue dinner from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, delivering anywhere in Mitchell County for people who call 644-2271 and place an order.

Club manager Lula Leach said Monday that the group sold out of barbecue last September and raised more than \$800 to help fund its activities.

Meals are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children.

Brisket, chicken, ribs or sausage are served with beans, potato salad, coleslaw, fruit cobbler and coffee or tea.

Deliveries are made routinely in Colorado City and Westbrook, and Ms. Leach said the club will also deliver in Lorraine if asked.

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REUNION

man drove up and took the coins from them.

Adams said a woman who was a friend of his family later told him she had two of the nickels and gave him one that he still has.

He then took it out of his pocket and showed to the reunion celebrants, who applauded.

"You know how you see officers putting people in a car and they always make sure they don't hit their heads?" he asked.

"Chief made it a point, when he got somebody out of that '36 Ford, to hit his head on the top and both sides of the door."

After working at the Snyder Post Office for three years following his service in World War II, Adams said, he found a job with Shell and was told to report at Wink, west of Odessa.

"There was a sandstorm blowing, and we could hear Wink rattling before we could see it," he said.

"Roy Orbison lived next door to us, and when his mother would get to throwing dishes at his daddy, he would go out on his back porch and play his guitar."

He said a UIL award was taken away from the Wink High School Band because a parent from another school complained that Orbison was a

professional musician.

Adams, his wife Bettye Sue and their children were living in Ascension Parish alongside the Mississippi River in Louisiana when the area was integrated.

"The west side of the river was 70 to 80 percent black, but the east side was dominated by the Ku Klux Klan," he said.

"They were still running around in their sheets and pointed hats."

Affecting a Louisiana accent, he told of a huge Cajun who came to the front of the room at a school board meeting and said in his mild-sounding patois that the school would be burned down before it was integrated.

"Then I got a call from Shell asking if I would like to go to Midland, Texas," he said. "I didn't even ask what I was going to be doing!"

Adams said he developed a great affection for Ms. Miller after initially being intimidated by her, and he described falling "in love" with an elementary school teacher and being devastated "when she married a coach named Pratt."

"I was the last kid in the first grade to count to 100," he said.

Adams, who retired at Cross Plains after serving as Shell's Midland district superintendent, was introduced by last year's reunion chairman, Arlene Morris.

The annual Cowboy Breakfast was held from 7 to 9:30 a.m. Saturday in Kiwanis Park downtown, and registration was from 9:30 to noon at the Civic Center. A band called The Has-Beens played from 10:30 to 11:30.

Emcee Bob Campbell introduced Reunion Chairman Shirley Delaney, who gave the wel-

come before a chicken fried steak lunch was served by caterer David Stubblefield and the Deli Dolls.

Ernest Porter of Ocala, Fla., was recognized as the Mitchell County native who had traveled the farthest and L. B. Elliott, 102, as the oldest participant.

Tom Palmer of C-City, a 1948 Loraine High School graduate, identified 34 school photos that he and Bob Ratliff used on the placemats.

They included infrequently seen pictures of Ms. Miller, Margaret Mahon and Junior Sadler, both of Loraine, and C-City residents Sarah Gohery, Raye Ann Carlock, Ernestine Odell, Marjorie Hardegree, Warren Anderson, Ed Roach, Bob Motley, George Womack, Gus Armstrong, Ruth Cooper, Raymond Fuller, Juana Jean "Sug" Bynum, Ruth Cooper, Reta Banks, Billie Marie Long, Newby Pratt, Amor Lee and Bobby Rhea.

The CHS Classes of 1939, '44 and '49 held reunions in conjunction with the reunion and were asked to stand and be recognized during the luncheon.

Civic Center decorations were by the C-City Garden Club, which put letters on the south wall saying "Friends Are Forever."

Ms. Carlock was publicity chairman, and Sissy Merritt, Mary and R. J. Lloyd and Anne Palmer sent invitations.

Verta Hardegree took reservations while Gloria Erwin handled tickets, Janie Henderson, Catherine Morris and Shirley Scott registration, Betsey Aycock and Flo Bodine hospitality and Kent Womack arrangements.

Prizes awaiting the winners of Kiwanis Kids' Day parade

The Annual Kiwanis Club Kids' Day Parade is set for Sat., Sept. 25.

First, second, third place and honorable mention prizes will be awarded in the three categories wheels, costume and pets.

Additional prize money has been added to each category. Also, free watermelon will be served following the parade at the Kiwanis Park in downtown Colorado City.

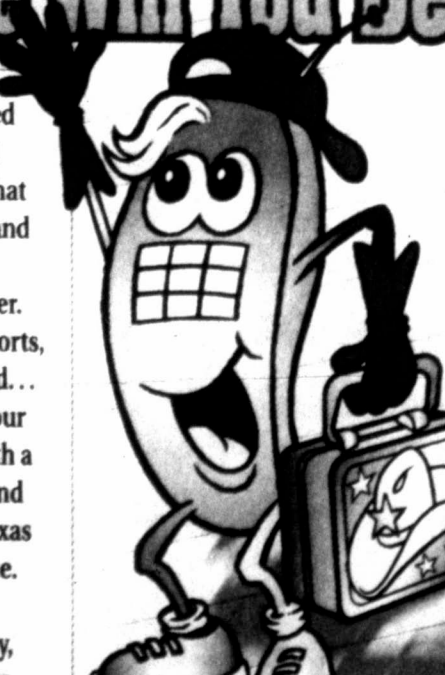
The parade is open to all kids through the sixth grade.

The parade will start at the Mitchell County Courthouse and end at the Kiwanis Park.

All you have to do to enter is make a costume, ride something or dress up your favorite pet.

Registration will be on the courthouse lawn starting at 9 a.m. parade day. Parade starts at 9:30 a.m.

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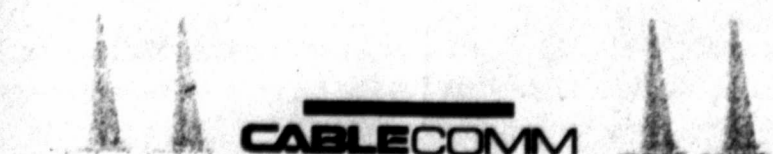
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Boyd said the reviews will help the board determine "where we stand and where we need to go."

Major merchant fleets

The top five merchant fleets, by capacity in gross tons:

Flag	Number of ships	Capacity (gross tons)
Panama	4,406	91,927
Liberia	1,609	59,070
Bahamas	990	24,854
Greece	769	24,096
Cyprus	1,461	23,340

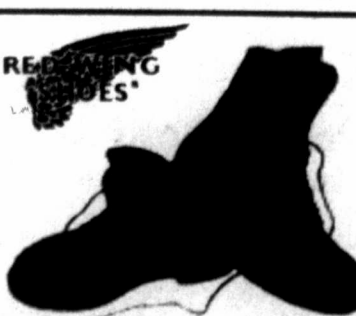
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More merchant vessels fly the flag of Panama than that of any other nation. Gross tonnage is a measurement of volume; one gross ton represents 100 cubic feet of enclosed space.

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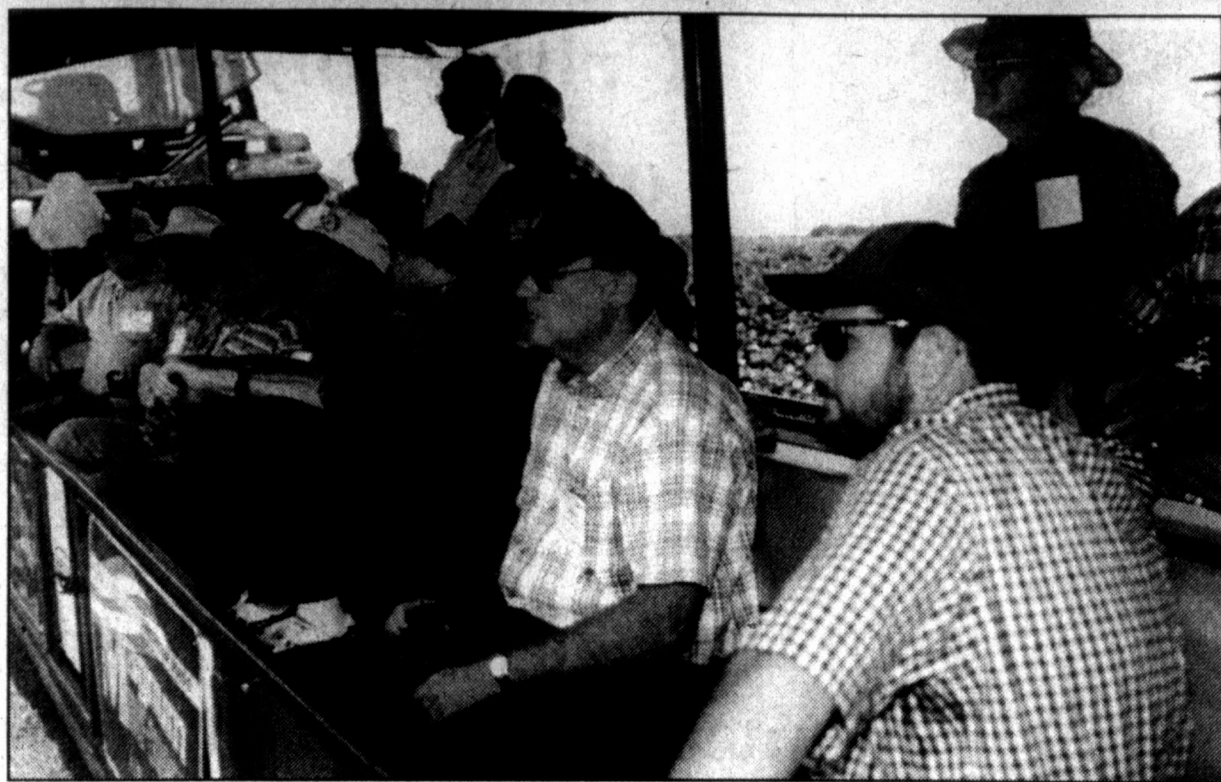
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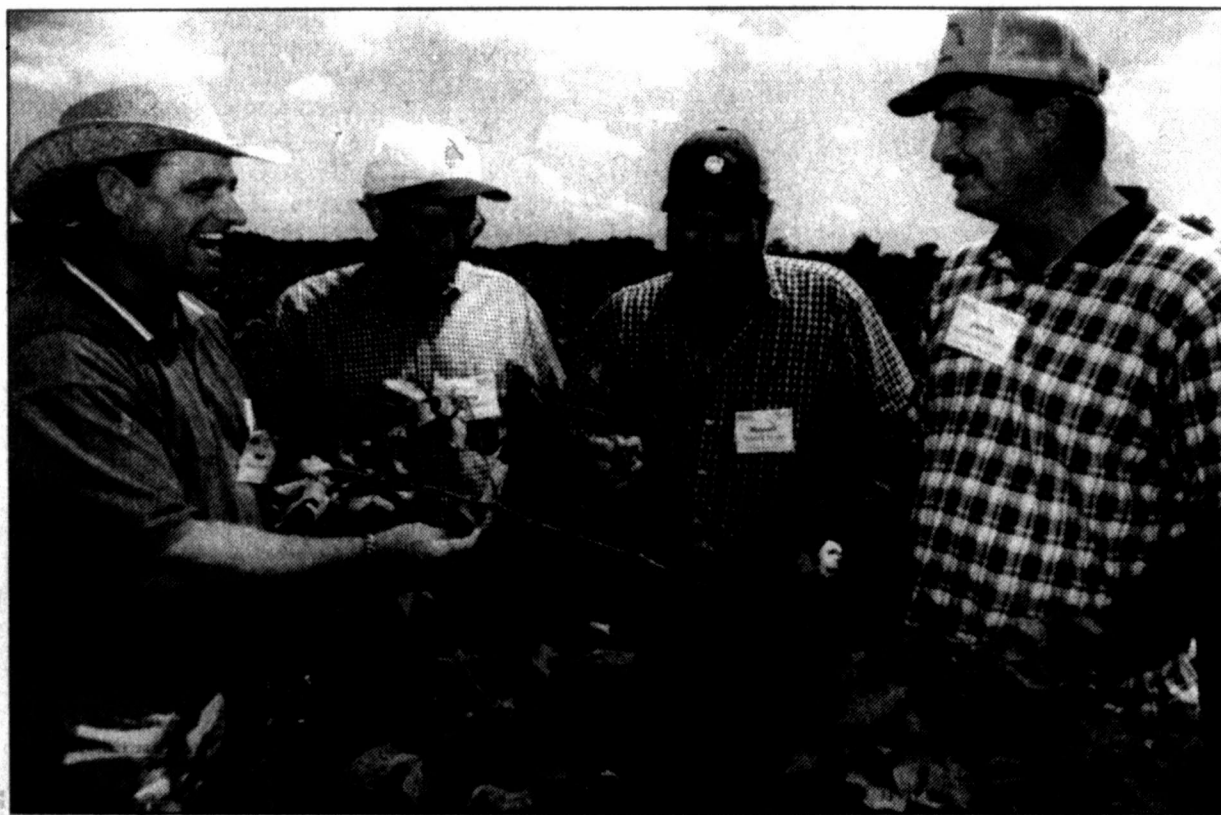
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THE PRODUCER INFORMATION EXCHANGE (P.I.E.) cotton producers from Texas and Oklahoma were given a tour of a Georgia extension service research farm. Closest to the camera is Russell Erwin of Westbrook, who is concentrating on the research presentation. The P.I.E. program is organized as a show and tell experience with local growers hosting out-of-state growers; it is a Cotton Foundation program managed by the Cotton Council and sponsored by FMC Corporation.



A DOZEN COTTON PRODUCERS from Oklahoma and Texas traveled in Georgia and Alabama during the Producer Information Exchange (P.I.E.). Texas producers checking a Georgia cotton plant are: (l-r) Mark Frysak, Garden City; Tony Multer, Rowena; Russell Erwin, Westbrook; and James Schwartz, Garden City. The P.I.E. program is organized as a show and tell experience with local growers hosting out-of-state growers; it is a Cotton Foundation program managed by the Cotton Council and sponsored by FMC Corporation.

Russell Erwin returns from tours of southeastern areas

Russell Erwin of Westbrook was one of 12 Texas and Oklahoma cotton producers chosen to participate in the 11th annual Producer Information Exchange (P.I.E.) program. Erwin recently returned from a week-long tour of agriculture in Alabama and Georgia.

Erwin came away impressed with how different it is to grow cotton in the Southeast compared to Texas. He was one of ten Texas cotton producers and two Oklahoma producers who participated in the Southeast tour.

The P.I.E. program is managed by the National Cotton Council's Field Services staff and made possible through a grant from crop protection supplier, FMC Corporation, to the Cotton Foundation.

"The Producer Information Exchange is organized as a show and tell experience," says Dr. Ed Cherry, FMC Director, Government Relations and Agribusiness Affairs. "There is a lot of one-on-one interaction between host cotton growers and out-of-state guests. Everyone gets out in the fields and sees things first hand."

"Cotton growers are eager to learn from each other. They see what other growers are doing and evaluate the potential for incorporating new ideas into their own operations."

Besides cotton farm tours, including tours of P.I.E. alumni cotton farms, the group of Oklahoma and Texas producers were educated about various types of agri-

culture along the way. They saw and learned about peanut, tobacco, small grains and vegetable production.

The P.I.E. group was briefed about Intelli-Gin Technology for cotton ginning at the BCT Gin, the environmental research being done at the Jones Ecological Research Center, denim manufacturing at the Marubeni Denim Mill, and textile processing at a Russell Corporation plant.

A highlight of seeing crop production research was an extensive tour of the Sunbelt Agricultural Exposition grounds at Moultrie, Ga. where an overview of Georgia's cotton industry also was presented. On the same day, the group checked a cotton variety test plot.

The P.I.E. tour program divides the nation into four regions so that four groups of growers are hosted outside their region of the country each summer. Nearly 500 cotton growers have participated in cotton P.I.E. tours since its beginning.

"It is important for cotton producers to share information about growing cotton and to learn from each other. It is also extremely important for growers to understand the trials and tribulations that each of them goes through," says David L. Burns, president of The Cotton Foundation.

"The P.I.E. tours allow a lot of discussion about marketing philosophies, export news, government affairs, association business and agriculture in general. All of this is important as cotton growers work together for the good of the U.S. cotton industry."

Rep. Junell to be honored for services to medicine

State Rep. Rob Junell was honored by Texas Medical Association on Saturday, Sept. 18 for his efforts on behalf of patients and health care during the 76th Texas Legislature.

Junell is one of 12 Texas lawmakers who will receive the Texas Medicine's Best Award during ceremonies at TMA's Fall Conference. The presentation will be made at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Renaissance Austin Hotel.

As chair of the House Appropriations Committee, Junell worked diligently to ensure that money from the state's tobacco lawsuit settlement was dedicated to health care. Because of his leadership, Texans will benefit from a number of important health care programs.

The Texas Medicine's Best Award is presented during legislative years to state legislators who exemplify the highest standards of public service on behalf of the health of all Texans.

Other honorees this year

include Lt. Gov. Rick Perry, Rep. Garnet Coleman (D-Houston), Rep. Craig Eiland (D-Galveston), Rep. Patricia Gray (D-Galveston), Sen. Chris Harris (R-Arlington), Rep. Kyle Janek, M.D., (R-Houston), Rep. Brian McCall (R-Plano), Rep. Glenn Lewis (D-Fort Worth), Sen. Jane Nelson (R-Flower Mound), Rep. John Smith (R-Amarillo) and Rep. Barry Telford (D-

DeKalb).

Texas Medical Association is a professional organization of more than 36,000 physician and medical student members. It is located in Austin and has 118 component county medical societies around the state.

The Association represents 85 percent of the doctors of medicine licensed and residing in Texas. TMA's key objective is to improve the health of all Texans.

Inmates show art

The Third Annual Inmate Arts and Crafts Show is entering its fourth week at the Scurry County Museum. The public is invited to view the arts and crafts.

The Price Daniel, John Wallace and Preston Smith Units are participating. The arts, crafts and poetry are varied.

Museum director Charlene Akers said that wood and leather items are very numer-

ous and popular this year. Many of the paintings and drawings have western themes.

The display will end October 21.

The museum is located on the southwest corner of Western Texas College campus, 6200 College Avenue, Snyder. Its hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday during the week of October 19-23.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONDUCT WEATHER MODIFICATION OPERATIONS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

Date of the first of three weekly publications of this notice: September 26, 1999, in the *Colorado City Record*, published in Mitchell County.

1. Notice is hereby given that the Colorado River Municipal Water District, P.O. Box 869, Big Spring, Texas 79721-0869, has filed an application with the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission for a State permit to conduct weather-modification operations to change, or attempt to change, the natural development of clouds for the purpose, objective, period, and by the method summarized herein below.

2. The Colorado River Municipal Water District has a valid Texas weather-modification license that was originally issued in 1975 and has been renewed annually. The most recent license renewal was granted by the Commission on October 16, 1998 and expires on August 31, 1999. An application by the District for renewal of its license for 2000 was filed by the CRMWD on June 15, 1999 and is now being considered by the Commission.

3. The purpose of weather-modification operations is to increase rainfall to affect the inflow of fresh water into the J.B. Thomas and E.V. Spence reservoirs located in Borden, Coke, and Scurry Counties of Texas. The requested period of the permit is four years from the date of issuance by the TNRC.

4. The proposed weather-modification operation is to be conducted by and on behalf of the Colorado River Municipal Water District, P.O. Box 869, Big Spring, Texas 79721-0869.

5. The proposed weather-modification operation is to be carried out in both an "operational area" and a "target area". The operational area is that area described by being between an outer boundary, defined by a line that encompasses the block of counties of Lynn, Garza, Kent, Fisher, Nolan, Coke, Sterling, Glasscock, Martin and Dawson, and an inner boundary which is that of the target area.

6. The area to be affected by the proposed weather-modification operation is the target area. The target area is that area described as bounded by a line beginning at a point of origin at Big Spring, in Howard County, and running along Highway 87 in a northwesterly direction to Lamesa; thence, north-northeast on Highway 87 to the north border of Dawson County; thence, east along the northern boundary lines of Dawson, Borden and Scurry Counties to Highway 84, thence, southeast along Highway 84 to Roscoe, in Nolan County; thence, south-southeast to Maryneal; thence, southerly to Robert Lee, in Coke County; thence, westerly to Highway 87 at a point approximately thirteen miles northwest of Sterling City, in Sterling County; and thence, northwesterly along Highway 87 to the point of origin at Big Spring, Texas. That is, the target area includes all or part of Howard, Dawson, Borden, Scurry, Nolan, Mitchell, Coke and Sterling Counties.

7. The methods and materials to be used in conducting this operation include a licensed meteorologist who will select cumuliiform or other appropriate clouds for seeding, using a weather-radar display, standard meteorological analyses, forecast techniques, surface weather observations, and pilot reports. The licensed meteorologist will direct one or more aircraft equipped with flare racks or generators to dispense either glaciogenic or hygroscopic seeding material into the updraft portions of selected clouds to perform seeding operations.

8. Persons interested in knowing more about the technical aspects of the proposed operation should contact George Bomar, MC-160, TNRC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-0770.

9. A public hearing on this application may be called by mailing a petition that requests a hearing to the Executive Director, Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. The petition must contain (1) the signature, full name, address and phone number of each person requesting the hearing; (2) a statement that each person is at least 18 years of age and resides or owns property in the operational area; and (3) a description of each person's interest and how that interest would be adversely affected. Requests for hearing must be received by the Commission within 30 days of the last date the Notice of Intention is published in week one of the mandatory three-week period required by 289.17 (j) of Commission rules. If at least 25 eligible persons make written request, the Commission shall hold a public hearing on an application prior to issuance of a permit.

Individual members of the public who wish to inquire about the information contained in this notice, or to inquire about other agency permit applications or permitting procedures, should call the TNRC Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. For more information concerning citizen participation, contact Blas J. Coy, Jr., Public Interest Council, MC-103, TNRC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 239-6363.

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PUBLIC RECORDS ... FROM THE MITCHELL COUNTY COURTHOUSE

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Nationsbank Mortgage Corporation, Sue Hadfield Asst Vice President, NCNB Mortgage Corp as Atty In Fact, Federal National Mortgage Assoc. to Ronnie J. Dossey, Lubbock National Bank, Release of Lien.

Raymond Webb, Jane Webb to Lone Wolf Land Comp., Warranty Deed.

Mitchell County, Loraine Independent School District, Mitchell County Education District, City of Loraine to Ricky Bailey, Teresa Bailey, Tax Resake Warranty, City of Loraine, Catrino Martinez Mayor, Christine Britton City Secretary to Public, Ordinance.

Catherine M. Butler Estate (Deceased), Richard Dulaney Executor to B.J. Cooper, Charlotte Ream Cooper, Quitclaim Deed.

Catherine M. Butler Estate (Deceased), Richard Dulaney Executor, CC Agreement.

Delmar McDaniell, Eloise McDaniell to Stuart D. Ponko Sr., Connie Ponko, Warranty Deed.

Stuart D. Ponko Sr., Connie Ponko to Texas Savings Bank SSB, J.B. Tate Jr. Trustee, Deed of Trust.

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Willard Douglas Welch Estate to Public, Stephen Mark Welch Ind Executor, CC Probate.

Blazer Financial Services Inc., Jose Leal Jr. Vice President/Operations to Barbara Johnson, Release of Lien.

Sibyl Jeanne Whittington Estate to Public, Sara E. Whittington Ind Executrix, CC Probate.

West-Texas Telecommunications Inc., J.R. Wilson Exec Vice President to Westex Wireless, Assumed Name.

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Texas Savings Bank SSB, J.B. Tate Jr. President, Kendra H. Stephens Secretary to Vance Christie, Release of Lien.

Mack W. Pyle, Christine Pyle to Beatrice Gonzales, Warranty Deed.

Royce W. Beights, Neysa Beights to Kenneth Kendall, Shirley Kendall, Release of Lien.

Harry Don Redwine, Ann E. Redwine to Charles E. Batchelor Jr., Marcia K. Batchelor, Release of Lien.

Harlingen National Bank, Doak Dunkin Chrmn of the Board to North American Mortgage Company, Michael L. Nichols, Donna K. Nichols, Transfer of Lien.

Veterans Land Board of State Texas, Paul E. Moore Asst Exec Secretary to Woody A. Scott, Release of Lien.

Jane Webb, Raymond Webb to Danny R. Kite Vice-President, Lone Wolf Land Comp, Bill of Sale.

Raymond Webb, Jane Webb to Fina Oil & Chemical Company, Danny R. Kite, Release.

Veterans Land Board, State of Texas to Bill Millhollon, Deed.

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Cotford I. Ltd., M&D Interests Inc., J.C. Sanford President to Jerry T. Russell Trustee, Don E. Holland, Founders National Bank, Deed of Trust.

Freddie Diaz to Cecilia Garcia, Gift Deed.

Lulu Boyd Secretary, Mark Fambro President, Colorado Wolves Booster Club to Public, Non-Profit Organization.

Pioneer National Resources USA Inc., W.T. Howard Sen Vice President to Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC, Robert W. Floyd President, Asgmt & Bill Sale.

Robert W. Floyd President, Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC to Black Family Partnership Ltd., Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC to Black Family Partnership Ltd., Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC, Asg. Orr Roy Intr.

Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC, Robert W. Floyd President to Black Family Partnership Ltd., Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC, Conveyance.

Robert W. Floyd President, Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC to Black Family Partnership Ltd., Asgmt & Bill Sale.

Black Family Partnership Ltd., Black & Crump Inc., Michael E. Black Vice President to Crown Oil Partners LP, Crown Ventures LLP, Michael E. Black Manager, Assignment and Convey.

Michael E. Black Manager, Crown Oil Partners LP, Crown Ventures LLC to Bank One Texas NA, Deed of Trust.

Timothy M. Dunn Chairman & CEO, Enerquest Oil & Gas LLC to Marcia L. Bateman Trustee, Bank of

America NA, Deed of Trust.

Michael D. Whorton to Poco Partners Ltd., Petra Olum Corp General Partner, George M. Hover President, Asgmt & Bill Sale.

Willis Cornutt, Era Cornutt to Robert Lee Austin Jr., Joanna Lorraine Austin, Warranty Deed.

Norman J. McMahan to Cross Roads Auto Ltd., Assumed Name.

Mike Hemphill President, Glendon T. Hemphill Chairman, Hemphill Contracting Company, Mitchell County Utility Co. to First National Bank of Colorado City Tx, Extensn of Lien.

ARRESTS

Larry Limones Gonzales, 33, MCSO, court committal, 9-15.

Adolfo Lopez, 24, MCSO, parole violation, 9-14.

Robert Silva, 19, MCSO, forgery, 9-17.

Anthony George Garcia, 35, MCSO, theft, 9-17.

Martin Herrera Gomez Jr., 45, MCSO, DOC, 9-18.

MARRIAGES

John Paul Rogers Jr., Colorado City to Julie Ann Dillon, Colorado City, 9-17.

FILED IN DISTRICT COURT

Colorado ISD vs. Nolan W. Bird, et al, tax, 9-13.

Colorado ISD vs. Eugene Kelly, tax, 9-13.

Colorado ISD vs. Elizabeth Reyes, et al, tax, 9-13.

Colorado ISD vs. Lorenzo Vasquez, et al, tax, 9-13.

The State of Texas vs. Robert Santibanez, AKA Bobby Santibanez, judgement, NISI, 9-16.

FILED IN COUNTY COURT

Larry Don Dawson, 9-16-99, asstt causes bodily inj.

Alfonso Vasquez, 9-16-99, driving while intoxicated 2nd.

Kurt Eric Dunn, 9-16-99, asstt causes bodily inj.

Timothy Wyatt Beights, 9-16-99, driving while intoxicated.

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John Tillis, 9-16-99, asstt causes bodily inj.

Dennis Ray McMurphy, 9-16-99, driving while lic suspended/sr.

Stephen Crisp, 9-16-99, driving while lic suspended/invalid, on

COUNTY COURT ACTION

Silverio Guerrero, violation of protective order, Sept. 15, 1999, guilty, 250, 229.25, 6 months suspended/2 years, 40 per month.

Silverio Guerrero, violation of protective order, Sept. 15, 1999, guilty, 250, 229.25, 6 months suspended/2 years waived.

Jamarr Tarrell Smith, possession of marijuana, Sept. 15, 1999, guilty, 250, 199.25, 6 months suspended/1 year, 40 per month.

Minerva Villanueva Fuentez, Sept. 15, 1999, guilty, 500, 204.24, 6 months suspended/1 year, 40 per month.

Larry Gonzales, assault, Sept. 15, 1999, guilty, 250, 199.25, 30 days.

Crimestoppers offers reward

On Sept. 2, someone shot three deer on the eastern outskirts of town. Two of the deer died instantly and the third died later. No shell casings were found and it is believed that the deer were shot by someone from the road in an automobile.

Crimestoppers will pay up to \$1000 reward for information leading to the indictment of the person(s) responsible for this senseless act. Call 728-TIPS (8477). You will not be asked your name and no one will know who called.

Retired Teachers Assn. meets at Wallace Center

The Mitchell County Retired Teachers Association met Sept. 14 at the Wallace Community Center for a dutch treat luncheon and the first meeting of the 1999-2000 club year.

Buddy Compton, CISD Superintendent, was the speaker for the meeting. He said he was happy to be back in his hometown and school after being in a large city school system.

He assured the members that though this school has problems, they are not as great or as difficult to deal with as in city schools. The 101-member faculty and 29 aides are dedicated to seeing that each child achieves to the limit of his or her ability.

Florence Bodine, newly elected president, presided over the business meeting, at which time members received new year books.

There was a discussion of the importance of membership in the TRTA to both active and retired teachers, since this is the only organization that is legally allowed to speak to legislators and government officials for Texas Retired Teachers.

The next meeting will be October 12 at the Wallace Community Center at which time Rick Rickard, administrator of the Mitchell County Hospital District will be the speaker.

Stenholm sponsors program to supplement ag incomes

WASHINGTON -- U. S. Rep. Charles Stenholm has introduced legislation to create a program that he says "has the potential to put American agriculture back on its feet."

The Abilene Democrat said his Supplemental Income Payment Program would require payments to producers of certain crops for years in which the national gross revenue of a crop is below a certain percentage of its five-year average revenues.

"I am pleased to report that there is growing support for my proposal," Rep. Stenholm said Friday.

"The economic farm crisis has reached emergency levels, and that's why I introduced the SIP Program -- to protect the American farmer against price volatility."

Ag Secretary Dan Glickman testified before the House Agriculture Committee last week, saying the Freedom to Farm Bill of 1996 should be revised because it fails to protect farmers' income when commodity prices fall.

"Secretary Glickman outlined the steps that he believes USDA should take to provide adequate relief," Stenholm said.

"These include developing emergency farm income support, continuing the single year portion of last year's crop loss disaster program, funding additional farm loans and emergency loans, reforming federal crop insurance and increasing exports."

"Agriculture needs a comprehensive risk management safety net, and it is time to revisit U. S. agriculture policy so our producers won't have to wait on Congress to react each and every time problems arise as a result of weather and prices."

Stenholm said a wide range of producers' groups testified during the ag committee's two days of hearings.

Stenholm is the top-ranking Democrat on the committee, which is chaired by U. S. Rep. Larry Combest of Lubbock.

"In 1998, Congress provided almost \$6 billion in assistance to farmers," he said. "This year, we are considering a package of over \$7 billion."

"It is still not clear what the final figure will be. Whatever assistance is provided must be cost effective and go to those who are actually producing the crop and truly need it."

BIRTHS

Kayla Rose Browne was born on April 23, 1999 to Marty and Mistie Browne of Denver, Colorado. She was welcomed by her big brother, Austin.

She is also welcomed by grandparents, Jorden and Nelda Liscomb and Jerold and Linda Epperson.

MITCHELL COUNTY HOSPITAL SPECIALTY CLINIC CALENDAR

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Oct. 12 & 26

DR. JOHN GREGG, General and Vascular Surgeon, will be seeing patients during the morning at the Specialty Clinic. Call 915-235-3099 for appointments.

Oct. 14 & 28

DR. ROBERT HAYES, Orthopedic Surgeon, will be seeing patients at the Specialty Clinic at 9 a.m. Dr. Hayes specializes in joint replacement and sports injuries. Call MCH 728-3431, Ext. 220 for appointments.

Oct. 7 & 21

DR. JEFFREY BRAATEN, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, will be seeing patients at the Specialty Clinic. Call MCH, 728-3431, ext. 220, for appointments.

Oct. 7 & 21

DR. RUDY HADDAD, Urologist, will be seeing patients at 10 a.m. at the Specialty Clinic. Dr. Haddad specializes in the treatment of prostate and kidney diseases. He accepts Medicare assignments. Call MCH at 728-3431, ext. 220 for appointments.

Oct. 4 & 18

DR. LANOARD BAYOUTH, Cardiologist, will be seeing patients at the Specialty Clinic beginning at 1 p.m. Call 1-800-291-5455 for appointment.

Oct. 13 & 27

DR. DONALD WHEAT, Podiatrist, will be seeing patients at the Specialty Clinic. Call (915) 676-3338 for appointment.

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John Dean M.D., Orthopedic Surgeon, will be seeing patients at the Specialty Clinic. Call (915) 682-0433 for appointments.

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B&PW Club meets in regular meeting

The Colorado City Business and Professional Women's Club met on Thurs., Sept. 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Civic Center for their regular monthly business meeting. Hostesses were the Membership Committee, Molly Bruce and Mary Beth Love.

Mary Beth Love led the Pledge of Allegiance and Molly Bruce led the Club Collect.

Speaker for the evening was Donna Clark, LSW, Adult Protective Services Specialist I of the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services.

Thirteen members and one guest attended. After a delicious meal was served, Donna Clark gave a very educational talk on her work with Adult Protective Services.

After she showed a short video tape of the surroundings and lives of some of our citizens, she then went into detail about the process she went through to aid our citizens who are still competent and want to remain in their homes as long as possible.

It was an eye-opening experience to learn of some of the abuse, neglect and exploitation of some of our senior citizens. The social workers go through a special process of determining the best possible services for these people.

There are about 1.7 million Texans who are over 65; of these, 250,000 are over 80. It will increase in the next five years.

After a brief recess, President Barbara Stahl opened the business session by thanking Mrs. Clark for her program and all the members attending.

The last minutes were read and approved. Treasurer's report was read, approved and filed for audit. Reports were given by committees and Shirley DeLaney.

Plans were made to visit the Fina project site at the next meeting. Mildred Free, Civic Participation Chair, said the club would help serve at the Old Settlers Reunion meal.

The club will also help with the beans and cornbread supper to benefit the Multi-

Purpose Building for the prison on Sept. 18.

World Affairs Chair Virginia Dearen talked about global wars. Good Cheer Chair Mary Beth Love presented a birthday gift to Urdine Morgan; Pauline Light gave a report on the Club's 70th Anniversary.

Finance Chair Donna Laurens gave a report on homemade ice cream sold at the fair and thanked those who worked and made ice cream.

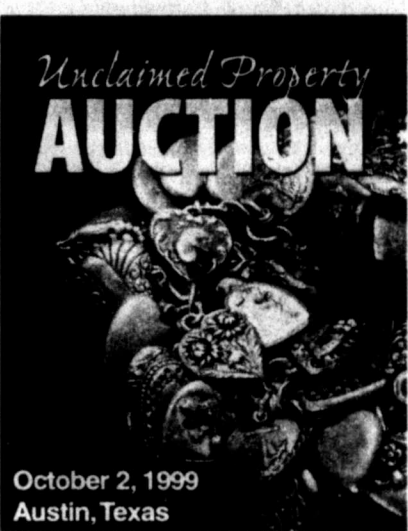
The Treasurer Chair Lovess Curlee gave a report on the proceeds from the ice cream sale.

The meeting adjourned. Donna Clark was a guest. Members attending were: Shirley DeLaney, Molly Bruce, Mary Beth Love, Barbara Stahl, Pauline Light, Louise Logsdon, Mildred Free, Urdine Morgan, Nancy Crow, Lovess Curlee, Sue Womack, Virginia Dearen and Donna Laurens.

Going, going... gone

Unclaimed property goes on the auction block at 10:00 a.m., October 2, at Travis County Exposition Center, 7311 Decker Lane, in Austin, Texas. More than 90,000 items, including jewelry, coins, and antiques, are valued in excess of \$315,000. For more information call 1-800-321-2274, or go to: www.window.state.tx.us.

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October 2, 1999
Austin, Texas

J.O.Y. Sunday School class meets September 10

J.O.Y. Sunday School Class members of Westbrook Baptist Church met in the fellowship hall on Sept. 10.

Frances Ranne voiced the opening prayer followed by Mexican Fiesta Pileup meal. The room and tables were decorated with Mexican decor.

After the meal, Marcil Moody, president, presided over the meeting. Members recited the class flower, colors, and scripture, II Timothy 2:15. Blanche Bell gave the devotional on "Prayer."

During the business meeting, officers were elected for the new year as follows: Nell Rollins, teacher; Wilma Jean McKenney, assistant teacher; Marcil Moody, president; Clola Whitesides, vice-president; Frances Ranne, secretary-treasurer; Betty Brumley, historian; Blanche Bell, reporter.

Telephone committee includes: Marcil Moody, Wilma Jean McKenney, Irene Ed-

wards and Gladys Hayes.

Program committee members are: Charlotte Clemmer, Judy Moore and Naomi Williamson.

Class voted to buy a gift for any class member who has surgery and to give Naomi Williamson \$25 to buy cookies for GAs and RAs.

Nell Rollins and Frances Ranne gave reading "The Strange Lady" and "Old Folks are Worth a Fortune."

Members exchanged gifts and revealed secret pals. Marcil Moody and Nell Rollins directed games.

Those attending were: Frances Ranne, Wilma Jean McKenney, Marcil Moody, Charlotte Clemmer, Pauline Brown, Gladys Hayes, Irene Edwards, Betty Brumley, Judy Moore, Mollie Warren, Nell Rollins, Naomi Williamson, Helen Baucum, Marlena Rice, Alma Fulton, Blanche Bell, Janie Woodward and Ruby Chambers.

The next meeting will be in December. Nell Rollins is teacher of the class.

Blackstock, Morrow wed in Ozona

Michelle Blackstock of San Angelo, Tx. and Shawn Morrow of Ozona, Tx. were wed Sat., July 4, 1999 at 1:30 p.m. at the Ozona Firestation.

Mother of the bride is Judy Mosher of San Angelo. Herman and Gracie Cardwell of Colorado City are grandparents of the bride.

Shawn is the son of Tom and Lue Morrow of Ozona.

Matron of honor for Michelle was Kandy Hadley of San Antonio, Tx. Best man for Shawn was Larry Sanchez of Ozona.

The bride is a 1993 graduate of Central High School in San Angelo.

The groom graduated from Waxahachie High School in 1994, Waxahachie, Tx.

The couple now make their home in Ozona.

During the wedding ceremony, the Cardwells also renewed their wedding vows, at the request of their grandchildren.

Matron of honor for Gracie was Melissa Raspberry of Lubbock and best man for Herman was David Hadley of San Antonio.

COOK'S CORNER

By Sheila Plagens

I found some more pie recipes on the internet and these sound really easy, as well as tasty.

As some of the names of these recipes imply, the preparation time is short which leaves more time to enjoy your creations.

9 MINUTE FRESH FRUIT PIE

4 cups blueberries OR
4 cups halved strawberries OR
4 cups peaches, peeled and sliced

2 Tbsp. cornstarch
2 Tbsp. water

1/2 cup corn syrup
2 tsp. lemon juice
1 cup heavy cream
baked pie crust

In covered blender, blend 1 cup of fruit at high speed for 30 seconds. In a 2-quart saucepan, mix cornstarch and water until smooth. Add mashed fruit, corn syrup and lemon juice. Stirring constantly, bring to boil over medium heat and boil one minute. Turn into bowl, cover surface with waxed paper. Cool one hour. Fold in remaining fruit. Spread cream onto bottom and sides of pie crust. Fill with fruit mixture. Chill 3 hours or until set. Serves 6-8 people.

10 MINUTE GERMAN SWEET CHOCOLATE CREAM PIE

1 German chocolate cake mix
1/3 cup milk
2 Tbsp. sugar, optional
1 package cream cheese
3 1/2 cups Cool Whip
8" graham cracker crust

Thaw Cool Whip. Heat 1 package (4 oz.) Baker's German Sweet Chocolate and 2 Tbs. milk in saucepan over low heat, stirring until chocolate is melted. Beat sugar into cream cheese; add remaining milk and chocolate mixture and beat until smooth. Fold chocolate mixture into whipped topping, blending until smooth. Spoon into baked 8" graham cracker crust. Freeze until firm, about 4 hours. Garnish with chocolate curls, if desired. Store any leftover pie in freezer.

BOB HOPE'S LEMON PIE

1 cup sugar

2 Tbsp. sugar
3 Tbsp. cornstarch
1 cup boiling water
2 tsp. butter

1 pinch salt
4 Tbsp. lemon juice
4 egg yolks
grated rind of 1 lemon

3 egg whites
baked pie shell
2 tsp. sugar

Combine cornstarch and sugar, add water slowly, stirring constantly, until thick and smooth. Add slightly beaten egg yolks, butter, lemon rind and juice and salt. Cook 2-3 minutes. Pour into baked shell. Cover with meringue made from 3 egg whites, beaten stiff and 2 Tbsp. sugar. Bake in slow oven 15 minutes until brown.

CHOCOLATE COCONUT PIE

1 pkg. instant pudding, chocolate flavor
2 2/3 cups cold milk
1 baked coconut crust

1 cup thawed Cool Whip

Combine pudding mix and milk in bowl. Beat slowly at lowest speed of electric mixer for 1 minute. Pour immediately into crust. Chill 1 hour. Garnish with whipped topping and chocolate curls (if desired). Quick coconut crust: Combine 1/4 cup melted butter or margarine and 2 cups coconut. Press evenly into ungreased 8 or 9 inch pan. Cool. For ease in serving, dip pan in warm water for a few seconds before cutting.

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HUTCHINSON ELEMENTARY STUDENTS OF THE WEEK (l-r) are Samantha Yanas, Jessica Castillo and J.D. Clay.

Hutchinson announces Students of the Week

Hutchinson Elementary has announced their choices for Students of the Week. The three students chosen this week are Samantha Yanas, J.D. Clay and Jessica Castillo.

Third grader, Samantha Yanas is the daughter of Mario and Stephanie Yanas. Her fa-

vorite subject is math and the new playground is her favorite thing about Hutchinson. Her special pet is her cat.

Fourth grader, J.D. Clay is the son of Royce and Linda Clay. Math is his favorite subject and he likes everything about Hutchinson Elementary.

He has a cat named Binx and enjoys playing baseball. Fifth grader, Jessica Castillo is the daughter of Nancy Martinez. Her favorite subject is P.E. and recess is her favorite thing about Hutchinson. Her dog named Roxie is her special pet.



FFA OFFICERS at Colorado High School are, from left on top of the pickup, advisor Jessica Chaney, president Stan Neff and reporter Rose Ann Mills; and bottom row, secretary Zach Wylie, treasurer Brody Redwine, chaplain Nathan Shrode, sentinel Chuck Vondra and vice president Mark Sheets. Parliamentarian Samantha Miller is not pictured.

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Former CHS student enlists in Air Force

Jesse Michael Rios Jr. of Snyder, son of Kari Jarka of Snyder and Jesse Rios Sr. of Sweetwater, enlisted in the Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program on Aug. 30, according to Sergeant Wade Roberts, Air Force Representative.

Jesse, a 1998 graduate of Colorado High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the Regular Air Force on Nov. 23.

Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the Aircraft Armament Systems Apprentice career field.

He will be earning credits toward an Associate Degree in Applied Sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

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SCHOOL MENUS

Kelley Elementary Breakfast Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - assorted dry cereals or breakfast pizza, chilled fruit, choice of milk.
Tuesday - assorted dry cereals or pancakes with syrup, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Wednesday - assorted dry cereals or donuts, applesauce, choice of milk.
Thursday - assorted dry cereals or sausage on a stick, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Friday - assorted dry cereals or biscuit, gravy, juice, choice of milk.

Kelley Elementary Lunch Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - chalupa, lettuce, tomato, spanish rice, cake, choice of milk.
Tuesday - grill cheese sandwich, tator tots, green beans, fruit, choice of milk.
Wednesday - chili beans, stewed tomatoes, cornbread, jello, choice of milk.
Thursday - spaghetti, meatsauce, green beans, garlic toast, peaches, choice of milk.
Friday - chicken pot pie, mashed potatoes, dinner roll, pineapple tidbits, choice of milk.

Hutchinson Breakfast Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - assorted dry cereals or donuts, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Tuesday - assorted dry cereals or pancakes, syrup, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Wednesday - assorted dry cereals or cheese toast, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Thursday - assorted dry cereals or french toast, syrup, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Friday - assorted dry cereals or biscuits, gravy, chilled juice, choice of milk.

Hutchinson Lunch Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - hamburger or meatloaf, lettuce, tomato, pickles, mashed potatoes, chilled fruit, choice of milk.
Tuesday - corn dog or chicken spaghetti, pork n beans, biscuit, pineapple, choice of milk.
Wednesday - pizza or macaroni & cheese, garlic toast, sweet peas, carrots, cookies, choice of milk.
Thursday - burrito or soft taco, lettuce, tomato, corn, pudding, choice of milk.
Friday - hot dog or frito pie, tater tots, corn, brownie, choice of milk.

Colorado Middle School Breakfast Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - assorted dry cereals or donuts, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Tuesday - assorted dry cereals or pancakes with syrup, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Wednesday - assorted dry cereals or toast with jelly, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Thursday - assorted dry cereals or breakfast burrito, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Friday - assorted dry cereals or biscuit, gravy, chilled juice, choice of milk.

Colorado Middle School Lunch Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - hamburger or meatloaf, sliced bread, lettuce, tomato, spinach, chilled fruit, choice of milk.
Tuesday - corn dog or chicken pot pie, mashed potatoes, biscuit, pineapple, choice of milk.
Wednesday - pizza or taco salad, pinto beans, lettuce, tomatoes, rice krispie treat, choice of milk.
Thursday - burrito or chicken tetrazzini, green peas, lettuce, tomato, cake, choice of milk.
Friday - hot dog, pizza, or soft taco, spicy pinto, totter tots, gelatin, choice of milk.

Colorado High School Breakfast Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - assorted dry cereals or

donuts, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Tuesday - assorted dry cereals or pancakes, syrup, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Wednesday - assorted dry cereals or breakfast pizza, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Thursday - assorted dry cereals or biscuit sausage, chilled juice, choice of milk.
Friday - assorted dry cereals or biscuit, gravy, chilled juice, choice of milk.

Colorado High School Lunch Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - hamburger or meatloaf, lettuce, tomato, spicy pinto, chilled fruit, choice of milk.
Tuesday - corn dog or chicken pot pie, mashed potatoes, biscuit, pineapple, choice of milk.
Wednesday - pizza or taco salad, lettuce, tomato, ranch style beans, fruited gelatin, choice of milk.
Thursday - burrito or hot ham & cheese sandwich, baked beans, french fries, brownie, choice of milk.
Friday - hot dog or beef stew, cornbread, fried okra, fruited gelatin, choice of milk.

Westbrook ISD Breakfast Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - donuts, fruit juice, milk.
Tuesday - biscuits, sausage, fruit juice, milk.
Wednesday - apple muffins, fruit juice, milk.
Thursday - marshmallow rice krispie bars, fruit juice, milk.
Friday - cereal, toast, fruit juice, milk.

Westbrook ISD Lunch Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - steak fingers, creamed potatoes, english peas, biscuits, syrup, honey, milk.

Tuesday - roast, gravy, new potatoes, green beans, sliced bread, jello, milk.
Wednesday - barbecued meat balls, french fries, pinto beans, cornbread, cherry crunch, milk.
Thursday - burritos, mexican salad, corn, peaches, milk.
Friday - beef stew with vegetables, cheese or peanut butter sandwiches, banana pudding, milk.

Loraine ISD Breakfast Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - cereal, toast, fruit, milk.
Tuesday - donut, toast, fruit milk.
Wednesday - cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Thursday - scrambled eggs, sausage, toast, fruit, milk.
Friday - cereal, toast, fruit, milk.

Loraine ISD Lunch Menu

Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Monday - burrito, chili, chili beans, pears, cake, milk.
Tuesday - chicken dippers, jello salad, mashed potatoes, pudding, biscuit, barbecue sauce, milk.
Wednesday - chef salad, sliced potatoes, carrot sticks, crackers, brownie, milk.
Thursday - lasagna, corn, fried okra, cantaloupe, toast, milk.
Friday - nacho grande, salad, pinto beans, frozen shape-up, milk.

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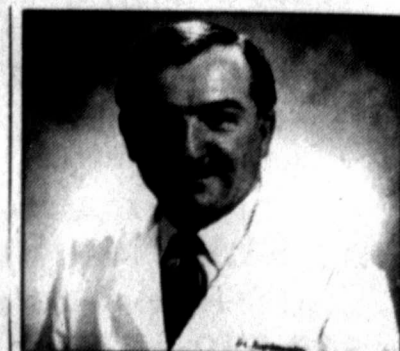
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LORAINE 7TH GRADE Career Investigation class will be visiting Loraine Manor weekly to learn about health care careers and spend time with the residents. Those enjoying their first trip to the manor are: (l-r) Krystal Sanchez, Edward Martinez, resident Alice Lopez and Stephen Wooddell.



WITH TUBAS GLEAMING and drums clicking, the Fightin' Wolves Band was marching off the field following its halftime show at the Friday night home game against the Stanton Buffaloes.



Ward to compete

Christie Ward, a high school freshman in Hale Center, Tx. was recently selected 1st runnerup in the 1999 Miss Texas American Junior Teen Pageant. She is the daughter of Jerry and Susie Ward of Hale Center and the granddaughter of Elsie and Herman Bendele of Colorado City. Miss Ward was among the 153 contestants competing for the title of Miss Texas American Junior Teen crown. The pageant was held last week in Dallas at the Westin Hotel. With her finish as 1st runnerup, Miss Ward now qualifies for the Miss American Teen contest to be held in Orlando, Florida.

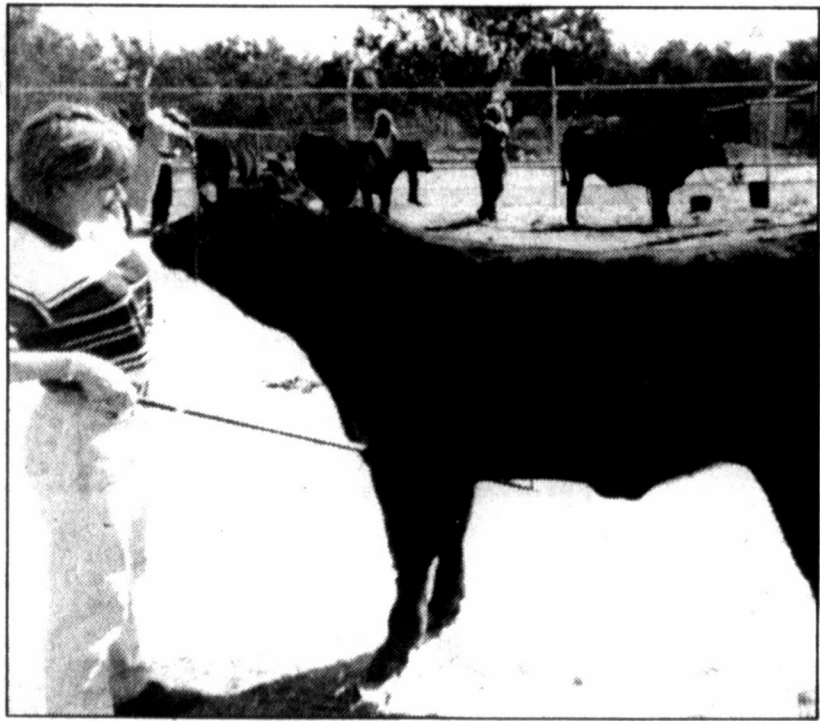


BEAU PRESTON is pictured with his 4th place goat from the Dawson County Fair. Beau has worked with his goats and they were exhibited at the fair on Sept. 11.

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Senior T-Shirts
1999 Senior t-shirts are still available for \$10. These are the ones with the seniors' names written on them. Anyone interested in purchasing one, should call 728-9009 or 728-5453, or come by 440 East 5th.

Loraine Homecoming
Loraine Homecoming will be October 1. Exes will meet Saturday morning, Oct. 2 at 10 a.m. in the school cafeteria. Special recognition will be classes of '49 and '69. For info, call Gloria Lucas, 737-2225 or 737-2635.



LORAINE HIGH SCHOOL Senior Jamie Grice prepared her Red Angus steer for the Howard County Fair and Stock Show, which was held in Big Spring, Sept. 4.

Delta Kappa Gamma local chapter meets

The Beta Epsilon Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International initiated the 1999-2000 year with a meeting at the home of Margaret Sparks. Members enjoyed a salad supper served on the patio and eaten in the flower garden by lamplight. Jodi Darr read an inspirational thought as an invocation. Janet Mayo, president, introduced Terri McAdams who applies for grants for the Mitchell County Hospital District. She spoke on Grant Writing and What it Can Accomplish, especially her experience in obtaining a grant for a program on abstinence among teenagers. For the project Each One Reach One, members brought toilet articles to be given to the Noah Project.

Members attending were: Mary Rose Bowen, Betsy Aycock, Jodi Darr, Frances Godwin, Anne Nobles, Kelli Lancaster, Janet Mayo, Margaret Rees, Vickie Weaver, Adele Wilkinson and Debbie Shaw, who was reinstated as a mem-

ber. The hostesses for the meeting were Earline Sellier, Vickie Weaver and Margaret Sparks. The next meeting will be October 11 in the home of Janie Lou Greenlee.



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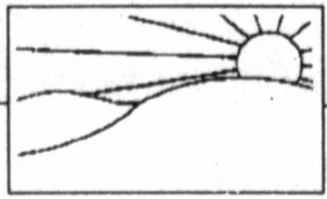


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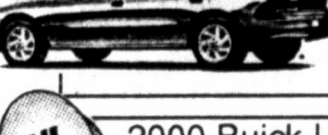
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FOOTBALL				
District 3-3A				
Overall				
	W	L	PF	PA
Lamesa	3	0	141	15
Brownfield	1	2	34	99
Denver City	1	2	17	56
Seminole	1	2	35	44
Slaton	0	3	42	95
Colorado City	0	4	33	132

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS
Muleshoe 48, Brownfield 14; Stanton 37, Colorado City 13; Greenwood 35, Denver City 0; Lamesa 50, Kermit 0; Crane 16, Seminole 7; Littlefield 33, Slaton 16.

FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE
Dimmitt at Brownfield, 8 pm; Colorado City at Clyde, 8 pm; Alpine at Denver City, 7:30 pm; Lamesa at Littlefield, 8 pm; Seminole at Snyder, 8 pm; Floydada at Slaton, 7:30 pm.

District 10				
Overall				
	W	L	PF	PA
Loraine	3	0	122	78
Blackwell	3	0	149	57
Trent	3	1	169	84
Paint Rock	2	1	132	54
Highland	1	2	88	86
Verbest	0	2	6	84

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS
Paint Rock 47, Brooksmith JV 0; Borden County 26, Highland 14; Trent 55, Plainview Evangel Temple Christian 39; Blackwell 60, Lueders-Avoca 12; Loraine 55, Lefors 44; Rochelle 28, Verbest 6.

THURSDAY'S SCHEDULE
Blackwell vs Grandfalls at Sands, 6:30 pm.

FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE
Highland at Paint Rock, 7:30 pm; Trent at Hermleigh, 7:30 pm.

District 6				
Overall				
	W	L	PF	PA
Ira	3	0	152	6
Borden County	2	0	74	14
Grady	2	1	104	60
Sands	2	1	141	122
Hermleigh	1	2	108	92
Westbrook	0	3	21	146

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS
Hermleigh 58, Klondike 12; Jayton 45, Westbrook 0; Ira 54, Paint Creek 6; Grady 48, Buena Vista 16; Sands 60, Sanderson 38; Borden County 26, Highland 14.

FRIDAY'S SCHEDULE
Trent at Hermleigh, 7:30 pm; Ira at Three Way, 7:30 pm; Westbrook at Paint Creek, 7:30 pm.

VOLLEYBALL				
District 4-3A				
	Season	District	W	L
Denver City	15	5	0	0
Lamesa	12	5	0	0
Lubb. Cooper	13	9	0	0
Brownfield	9	8	0	0
Seminole	6	9	0	0
Colorado City	5	10	0	0

THIS WEEK

COLORADO CITY VOLLEYBALL

Sat., Sept. 25
JV Red, Seminole, H.....2:00
JV Black, Seminole, H.....3:00
Varsity, Seminole, H.....4:00

Mon., Sept. 27
7th, Snyder, H.....5:30
8th, Snyder, H.....6:30

Tues., Sept. 28
JV Red, Denver City, T.....5:30
JV Black, Denver City, T.....6:30
Varsity, Denver City, T.....7:30

CROSS COUNTRY
Sat., Sept. 25
High School teams, Big Spring.....10:30

FOOTBALL
Thurs., Sept. 23
7th, Clyde, T.....5:30
8th, Clyde, T.....7:00
JV, Clyde, H.....6:00

Fri., Sept. 24
Varsity, Clyde, T.....8:00

WESTBROOK FOOTBALL
Thurs., Sept. 23
Jr. High, Paint Creek, H.....5:00

Fri., Sept. 24
Varsity, Paint Creek, T.....7:30

LORAIN FOOTBALL
Thurs., Sept. 23
Jr. High vs. Highland, H.....6:00
Varsity -- Open Week

Wolves improve in Stanton setback

Last Friday's game at Wolf Stadium between the Colorado City Wolves and the Stanton Buffaloes was a good high school football game, filled with both good news and bad news for C-City.

The 37-13 Wolf loss certainly falls into the "bad news" category, as does the 0-4 mark for the season.

The good news for the Wolves is "building" as the season progresses.

First, there have been no significant injuries, which allows everybody to concentrate on getting better.

Also, until district play begins, the record doesn't count. The four non-district games so far have provided a great opportunity for the Wolf coaching staff to look at all the players on this young team.

Players like Aaron Waldrip are stepping up and making key plays. Waldrip had two catches for 21 yards and was responsible for two first downs in key third down situations.

Players like Chase Phariss, a talented athlete who is playing both sides of the ball with a great impact.

Julian Macedo, Kevin Wright, Will McAdams, Luke Fambro and Albert Luera are all making valuable contributions as well.

Nick Rodriguez, Michael Atkins, Leon Molina, Danny Torrez, Lee Ybarra and Ben McNeal are becoming more consistent in their roles as the season progresses.

Marquise Lenard, Andrew Spear, Archie Goodman and Adam Ramos have also played well at times.

The Wolves' offensive linemen put the Buffaloes on their backsides several times in the contest, opening holes for

Leanos and giving Phariss more

time to throw the ball.

The Wolves' rushing attack improved this week as the Pack broke the 100-yard plateau with 101 total yards rushing.

The Pack's passing game produced 140 yards, that's about 50 yards less than their 187-yard average in four games, but that indicates the Wolf offensive attack beginning to balance out.

The Wolves received the opening kickoff in Friday night's game and Phariss got picked off on the third play by Stanton's Clay White who returned it 27 yards for a touchdown.

The play was the result of a Stanton stunt, which, according to Coach Gerald James, was not a stunt Stanton had used this season.

"That was a bad call on my part," said James Monday morning.

"Stanton called a stunt in the flat, and took a chance which paid off for them."

The remainder of the first quarter was an even ballgame, as the Wolves and Buffaloes held each other scoreless.

Phariss connected with Fambro three times for 19 yards, Leanos picked up 10 yards on six carries and Atkins caught a five-yard pass for a first down deep in Wolf territory at the end of the quarter.

Each team turned the ball over once in the opening period including White's interception return for a TD and Atkins' timely fumble recovery at the Wolf eight-yard line to end Stanton's hopes for an offensive touchdown in the first quarter.

The Buffaloes led 6-0 at the end of the first quarter, but the first play of the second quarter provided the game's third turnover as Phariss was forced to make a bad pitch under



WOLVES' DEFENSIVE BACK Tony Leanos #20 hits Buffalo receiver Brady Cook to knock the ball loose in Friday night's 37-13 loss to Stanton.

pressure.

Stanton recovered the fumble at the Wolf 21-yard line, but fumbled themselves on their second play from scrimmage and the Wolves' Rodriguez recovered at the 14-yard line.

The Pack's offensive unit went three and out and forced a Phariss punt. Phariss hit a nice punt, but Stanton speedster Jeremy Hull ran it back 65 yards for an apparent touchdown.

The Buffs were called for holding on the runback at the Wolf 38-yard line.

Two plays later, Stanton quarterback Will Harris hit receiver Courtney Scurlark for a 36-yard touchdown pass. After a successful two-point conversion, the Buffaloes led the Wolves 14-0 at 8:58 left in the half.

The remainder of the Wolves' first half of play saw the team net 41 yards and seven points in three possessions as Stanton's Hull scored twice, once from five yards and once from 64 yards.

Leanos picked up 44 yards in 13 carries in the first half and Phariss passed for 51 yards, 12 of them on a touchdown pass to Spear with four seconds left in the half. Ybarra's kick was good and the Wolves went in at halftime down 27-7.

The Wolves' scoring drive at the end of the first half created some momentum for the Pack, which carried over to the second half.

The Buffaloes received the opening kickoff in the third quarter. Starting at their own 34-yard line, the Buffaloes took almost six minutes off the clock and made a 32-yard field goal as the Wolf defense stiffened and held them out of the endzone.

The Wolves fumbled on the third play of their next possession, but once again immediately got the ball back as defensive back Phariss

recovered a Stanton fumble on the Wolves' 34-yard line.

At 4:27 of the third quarter, the Wolves started a momentum-changing drive that forecast the team's true potential, and put a scare into the Buffaloes.

Phariss hit Fambro for 13 yards and nailed Spear for a 25-

yard pickup to the Buffalo 22-yard line.

On third and six, Waldrip got open for a crucial first-down catch at Stanton's 12-yard line.

An illegal procedure call put the Wolves back to the 17-yard line and on second and 15, the offensive line opened a great hole for Leanos who ran in the 17-yard touchdown.

The Buffaloes felt the Wolves gaining the momentum though, and started to "air the ball out" on their next series. But then they handed the ball to Hull with 11:51 left in the game and the junior running back raced in from 48 yards out to give Stanton a 37-13 lead.

On the Wolves' next series, the team drove 44 yards in 12 plays before Hull intercepted a Spear pass intended for Luera and end the Pack attack.

But the drive saw some inspiring Wolf play by Waldrip. The 5-6, 135-pound junior

receiver made a block on the left side for Phariss and allowed the quarterback to make a first down on third and seven and keep the drive alive.

The Buffaloes were forced to go three and out on their next series and the Wolves got the ball back with five minutes left in the game, down 37-13.

On the Pack's final drive, Phariss hit Waldrip for 15 yards and Luera for 14 yards and rushed for 27 yards. Leanos busted loose for 12 yards and a first down in the series.

But the game's final turnover belonged to the Buffaloes who scooped up a fumble at their 15-yard line with 50 seconds left and ran the clock out.

The Wolves came out of the game with no injuries and should be full strength for this week's practice and game at Clyde.

STATISTICS

Colorado City Wolves - Four game total				
WOLF STATISTICS			Michael Atkins	15-0-171
	Us	Them	Lee Ybarra	4-0-37
Yards Rushing	311	1062	Luke Fambro	16-0-160
Yards Passing	749	333	Albert Luera	1-0-15
Total yards	1060	1395	Marques Lenard	1-0-64
First downs	63	64	Danny Torrez	<u>2-0-14</u>
by Passing	33	13		55-1-749
by Rushing	23	49	Kickoff Returns	
by Penalty	7	2		No.-Yards-TDs
Rushes-Yards	127-311	173-1062	Chase Phariss	1-10-0
Passing Yards	749	333	Andrew Spear	2-27-0
Passes			Tony Leanos	1-20-0
(Att-Comp-Int)	136-55-11	49-19-2	Michael Atkins	3-26-0
Fumbles-Lost	10-8	13-7	Lee Ybarra	3-20-0
Penalties-Yards	24-173	34-202	Luke Fambro	1-3-0
			Kevin Wright	1-4-0
INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS				
Rushing			Punt Returns	
	Rushes-Yards-TDs			No.-Yards-TDs
Windell Mays	2-0-0		Andrew Spear	2-9-0
Chase Phariss	54-67-1		Lee Ybarra	3-3-0
Andrew Spear	6-15-0		Punting	
Tony Leanos	61-217-3			No.-Longest-Total Yds
Mickey Green	1-<1>-0		Chase Phariss	20-52-689
Nick Rodriguez	<u>3-14-0</u>		Field Goals	
	127-311-4			Att-FGs-Distance
Passing			Lee Ybarra	1-0-33
Att-Comp-Int-TDs-Yards			Extra Points	
Chase Phariss	129-53-9-1-720		Att-Made	
Andrew Spear	<u>7-2-1-0-29</u>		Lee Ybarra	5-3
	136-55-10-1-749		Defense	
Receiving			FumbleRec.-Interception	
	No. receptions-TDs-Yards			
Aaron Waldrip	3-0-48		Scoring	
Gregg Green	1-0-43		Chase Phariss	6
Andrew Spear	12-1-187		Andrew Spear	6
Tony Leanos	1-0-10		Tony Leanos	18
			Lee Ybarra	3

STATISTICS

Colorado City Wolves vs. Stanton Buffaloes - September 17, 1999				
WOLF STATISTICS				
	Us	Them		
Yards Rushing	101	251	Michael Atkins	6-32-0
Yards Passing	140	118	Luke Fambro	4-36-0
Total yards	226	369	Danny Torrez	1-0-0
First downs	15	14	Albert Luera	1-15-0
by Passing	8	5		Kickoff Returns
by Rushing	6	9		No.-Yards-TDs
by Penalty	1	0	Andrew Spear	2-27-0
Rushes-Yards	39-155	30-251	Lee Ybarra	2-30-0
Passing Yards	140	118	Michael Atkins	1-9-0
Passes				Punt Returns
(Att-Comp-Int)	34-15-2	13-6-0		No. - Yards - TDs
Fumbles-Lost	3-3	4-4	Andrew Spear	1-7-0
Penalties-Yards	5-35	9-60		Punting
				No.-Longest-Total Yds.
INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS			Chase Phariss	7-43-240
Rushing			Field Goals	
Rushes-Yards-TDs			Att-FGs-Distance	
Chase Phariss	11-20-0			Extra Points
Andrew Spear	3-6-0			Att-Made
Tony Leanos	24-76-1		Lee Ybarra	2-1
Passing			Defense	
Att-Comp-Int-TDs-Yards			Fumble Rec-Int.	
Chase Phariss	33-15-1-1-140			
Andrew Spear	1-0-1-0-0			
Receiving			Scoring	
No. receptions-TDs-Yards			Points	
Aaron Waldrip	2-22-0		Andrew Spear	6
Andrew Spear	2-11-1		Tony Leanos	6
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LORLAINE HIGH SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY TEAM top row (l-r) are Cody Hurst, Jennifer Rich, Heather Lucas, Jamie Grice, Nick Ruiz; front row (l-r) Jessica Rodriguez, Vanessa Jones, Rene Garcia, Maria Chavez.

Russell leads young Wolves

The Colorado City eighth grade Wolves, led by running back Jacobie Russell, demolished the Stanton Buffaloes at Wolf Stadium last Thursday night 48-8.

The Wolves accumulated 257 yards of rushing, 185 of those yards and four touchdowns came from the legs of Russell.

Russell scored on runs of 18, 40 and 97 yards from scrimmage. Russell also returned a kickoff 70 yards for a score.

Wolves running back Richie Goodman rushed seven

times for 42 yards, including a 21-yard touchdown romp. Goodman also scored two times for the PAT.

The Pack racked off 299 total yards, 42 through the air. Quarterback Chris Spear was four for five passing for 42 yards and a touchdown. Spear hit Bubba Bailey for a 20-yard touchdown strike, then hit Cole Arthur for the two-point PAT.

Defensively, the Wolves were mighty also.

Chris and Pat Spear each picked off the Buffalo quarterback. Goodman had two quarterback sacks and Arthur

and Willie Davila each sacked the quarterback once.

The balanced Wolf attack would not be possible without good blocking, tackling and a solid team effort.

"The whole team had another good game both offensively and defensively," Coach Jerrold Epperson said Monday morning.

"We executed well on both sides of the ball."

The Wolves travel to Clyde this Thursday, September 23 for a 7 p.m. battle with the Bulldogs.

7th graders give Stanton trouble

The Colorado City seventh grade Wolves held Stanton's young Buffalo team scoreless through three quarters of play last Thursday in Wolf Stadium, but allowed Stanton to score twice in the final quarter to fall 14-0.

The Buffaloes' squad was a

little bigger than the Pack, and the size difference finally took its toll, dropping the Wolves' record to 1-1 after their opening game victory over Stamford the week before.

"We were a little outsize overall," Coach Jerrold Epperson said Monday

morning.

"Their fullback finally wore us down in the fourth quarter."

Eric Martinez led the Wolves' rushing attack with 70 yards on five carries. Teammate Otis Johnson had five carries for 22 yards as Erick Martinez carried four times for five yards.

Erick Martinez was 0-2 passing with one interception and Brian Proctor was 0-1 passing.

A great defensive battle for the young teams, Coach Epperson's kids never gave up.

"I was proud of the way they kept getting after them."

The Wolves travel to Clyde this Thursday, September 23 to play the Bulldogs at 5:30 p.m.

Surprising Bulldogs 3-0; Rico rolls over opponents

The Loraine Bulldogs go into their open week 3-0 after beating Lefors 55-44 in Guthrie last Saturday evening.

Lefors was ahead by 10 points with 9:46 left in the game but Loraine reeled off three straight scores in four minutes to win the game.

Unlike last week's see-saw battle with Leuders Avoca, Lefors led throughout until the fourth-quarter Bulldog ambush.

Although Lefors fields a strong rushing team who gathered 337 yards on the ground, their 10-yard passing effort could not overcome the balanced Bulldog attack which had 222 yards on the ground and 273 yards through the air.

Bulldog quarterback Luis Rico reeled off 204 yards rushing and was 14 of 29

passing for 229 yards and four touchdowns. Rico also rushed for two scores from 41 and 65 yards late in the fourth quarter to put the Bulldogs in the lead. Rico made the San Angelo Standard-Times football honor roll last week for his performance against Leuders Avoca.

Three of Rico's touchdown passes went to his favorite target, Rene Garcia, who had TD receptions of 38, 31 and 16 yards. Garcia had one other catch for 29 yards to bring his total for the night to 114 yards in pass receptions. Garcia rushed six times for 13 yards and was three of six passing for 42 yards.

Roman Martinez rushed once for five yards and Johnny Lopez caught a pass for 13

yards and threw a touchdown pass for two yards.

Mike Rico caught seven balls for 76 yards including a two-yard TD pass from Lopez.

Defensively for Loraine, Mike Rico led the 'Dogs with 22 tackles. Jesse McDaniel had 15 tackles, including a quarterback sack.

Luis Rico and Roman Martinez had 14 tackles each and Garcia had 13.

Matt Munoz had seven tackles and one fumble recovery as Lopez and John Bishop each had four tackles.

Daniel Martinez had two tackles in the Bulldog victory.

Loraine has a week off before their Homecoming matchup with Victory Christian October 8 at 7:30.

Wolves cross country in Lubbock, form boys' team

The Wolves' Cross Country teams traveled to Lubbock for the Kings X-Country meet last Saturday, September 18 and came home with satisfying results for Coach Becky Barnes.

With over 100 runners in each division, the Wolves fared well in the competition.

Sara McCombs represented Colorado City in the two-mile JV and Jr. High girls' division and finished around 40th place in a time of 15:37.14.

In the boys' JV and Jr. High division, Sam Crockett finished 23rd in the three-mile race in a time of 21:18.93.

For the varsity girls' division, the trio of Vanessa Quintero, Alison Lopez and Amanda Ponko all finished in the top forty of the 100-runner field.

Quintero finished 29th in 13:47.71, Lopez came in on Quintero's heels at 14:29.39 in 30th place and Ponko slipped across the line less than thirty

seconds later at 14:51.32 in 40th place.

The Wolves' cross country ranks are growing.

The CHS boys have put together a team of six runners. They are Greg Green, Rodney Green, Marquise Lenard, Albert Luera, Oscar Martinez and Danny Torrez.

The boys' and girls' high school teams will run in Big Spring this Saturday, September 25 at 10:30 a.m.

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Wolves get their last chance to work out pre-district bugs

The last non-district football game of the 1999 season is upon the Pack and will be the last game the Wolves have to work out the kinks that have plagued their 0-4 season thus far. The Wolves have an open date next week before traveling to Denver City Oct. 7 for the district opener.

The Wolves travel to Clyde this Friday night to face a Bulldog team that is much improved over last year's bunch that lost to Colorado City in Wolf Stadium by a 45-7 margin.

Last season's Wolf victory over Clyde was at the 1998 CHS Homecoming game. This year, C-City will play in Clyde for the Bulldogs' homecoming game.

Coached by first-year coach Jeff Merket, son of former CISD superintendent Russell Merket, the Bulldogs are 2-1.

Clyde beat Stamford 25-20 in the season opener, then trounced on Merket's alma mater Hamlin 33-14. Their only loss of the season was last week's 43-17 beating by Bangs.

Merket was offensive

coordinator at Stephenville for the last 11 years before taking the reins at Clyde.

He feels that the game with Colorado City is crucial for both teams.

"It is an important game for both schools," he said Tuesday afternoon.

"With the district schedule upon us, it is important that we get some momentum going this week."

Last year's loss to the Wolves was the beginning of the end for the Bulldogs, who lost all but one of their games following the C-City defeat.

This season, two very different teams will take the field in Clyde and anything could happen.

The 1999 Wolves are struggling to achieve a complete game, with eleven men giving it everything they have on every down.

"There are some kids trying, they're competing. Some of them are hitting and we just have to get 11 of them hitting and playing hard at the same time," Coach Gerald James said Monday morning.

There are several Wolves

who lay it on the line every play and some who seem to be playing half-speed.

"That's all you can ask when there are those who are giving that much effort. We just have to find 11 that are giving that same kind of effort."

Coach James feels that the Ballinger and Stanton ballgames were the best played by the Wolves.

"I thought this game (Stanton) and Ballinger we played with more intensity than in any other ballgame."

"So we just have to duplicate that every down. We just need to get the same kind of effort each week and be consistent with what we do."

"Once we do that, I think we can be a pretty good football team."

The Wolves-Bulldogs contest begins at 8 p.m. in Clyde this Friday night.

In other 3-3A action, Dimmitt visits Brownfield, Alpine goes to Denver City, Lamesa hosts Littlefield, Seminole goes to Snyder and Slaton hosts powerful Friona.



WESTBROOK SOPHOMORE Chris Matlock, No. 40, was breaking up a pass during the Wildcats' Friday night game against the Jayton Jaybirds. The home team showed some ability to move the ball but is searching for more defensive consistency.

Tough Jayton Jaybirds paste the rebuilding W'brook Wildcats

The Westbrook Wildcats hosted the Jayton Jaybirds in Westbrook last Friday night and lost the game 45-0.

The Westbrook team, in a rebuilding year, has struggled in 1999, posting an 0-3 start.

Jayton, at 3-0, are currently in first place in six-man district

4 after having been picked to finish fourth in their district in pre-season polls.

In last Friday's shutout in Westbrook, the Wildcats and Coach Jim Hill endured being forty-fived for the second week in a row in the third quarter.

The good news is that this is pre-district play and nothing counts until October 8 in Borden County.

The Wildcats were down 16-0 after the first period of play, and went in at the half down 30-0, but the game started out on a good note for Hill's Wildcats.

"We started out playing pretty well defensively," Hill said Tuesday afternoon.

"We held them to punts on their first two series. We had some good sticking and playing hard."

"(Then) we made some mistakes defensively and we couldn't put any points on the board."

Coach Hill sees through the mistakes of his team and is confident that the Wildcats will improve.

"Fumbles, dropped passes, not wrapping up. We just need to start putting some drives together and score. We will get better," he added.

This week the Wildcats go to Paint Creek to face the winless Pirates.

The Pirates are from district 11 and were picked in the pre-season to finish last.

This week's game starts at 7:30 in Paint Creek Friday night.

Miss Newby takes Week 3 in Jackpot Football Contest

Paige Newby of Colorado City has won the Record's Jackpot Football Contest for week three.

Newby missed four picks and took first place after winning the tie-breaker.

Newby will receive \$50 in football bucks which can be used at any of the contest's sponsoring merchants.

This week's second-place

winner was Loraine's Daniel Benitez, who also missed just four games.

Benitez wins dinner for two at Nix's Barbecue in Colorado City.

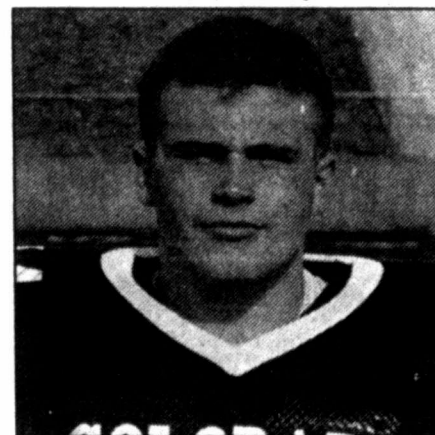
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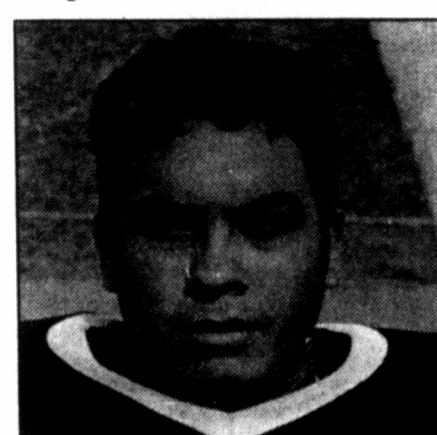
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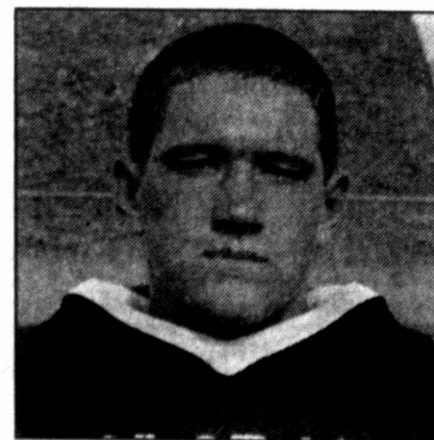
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Lady Wolves struggling, start district Saturday

Call it a slump if you like, or call it a young team working out the bugs. Either way, the seven-match losing streak the Lady Wolves are currently going through could not come at a better time - during pre-district competition.

The Lady Wolves traveled to Bronte Tuesday, September 21 for their final non-district clash and will open at home against Seminole this Saturday, Sept. 25.

Currently sporting a 5-10 record for the season, the young team has played some tough competition, getting wins over Albany, Mineral Wells, Lubbock Estacado and Miles (twice).

The losses, some close, some not so close, have come to tough teams - some state-ranked.

Tuesday, September 14, the Lady Wolves hosted Water Valley at the Pit and came up short 4-15, 12-15.

As a team, the girls had four kills and were 29 of 39 on attacks, with a 34 of 42 serving effort.

Margaret Ann Jameson was

seven for nine on serve and 38-39 on sets.

Leiza Rivera was four for four on service and 12 of 14 on serve reception.

Kassi Redwine was three for three on serve and six for six on serve receptions, going one for two on attacks.

Vanessa Quintero was five for six on serves, six for six on serve receptions and four of eight on attacks with one kill. Quintero also had four blocks.

Terri Phariss went six for eight on serve, eight of eight on serve receptions and was seven of eight on attacks with two kills. Phariss also had three blocks.

Alison Lopez was four for five on attacks with three assisted blocks.

Lacy Dockrey was eight for nine serving with one ace and she was seven of eight on serve receptions. Dockrey was also two for four on attacks and assisted three blocks.

Kim Rivera was seven for nine on attacks and Jennifer Petty was one for one attacking with one kill.

This past - Saturday,

September 18, the Lady Wolves hosted Lubbock Christian and Tahoka at the Pit.

The ladies lost to Lubbock Christian in two games, 9-15, 5-15, but had some decent statistics.

As a team, the Lady Wolves were 26 of 32 on serve, 34 of 38 on sets, 23 of 30 on attacks and had 16 digs.

Jameson was seven for seven on serves, 31 of 33 on set plays and made good on one attack.

Leiza Rivera was four for five on serve and 10 for 17 on serves received with four digs.

Redwine was two for two on serve, five for six on serve reception and was good on one of two attacks.

Quintero made good on two of three serves and was successful on nine of 11 attacks.

Phariss was five for six on serve, four for five on serve reception and six for seven on attacks.

Dockrey went six for seven on serves, three for five on serve reception and three for five on attacks.

Kim Rivera was five for six on serves and two for three on attacks with three digs.

The Lady Wolves took on Tahoka also last Saturday and lost in two games, 10-15, 6-15.

As a team, the Lady Wolves served 35 of 44 with four aces. The team was 27 of 37 on attacks with four kills and 17 digs.

Jameson was four of six serving and 29 of 30 on sets.

Leiza Rivera was two for four serving with one ace and six for 15 on serve returns.

Redwine was solid with a five for five serving effort, 12 of 14 serve returns, five for five attacking with five digs.

Quintero was nine for 10 serving, eight of 11 service

returns, seven of seven attacks with two kills and two digs.

Phariss served five for five, was five of six on serve returns, was four of eight attacking with one kill and had two assisted blocks.

Lopez was three for four attacking with one kill.

Dockrey was four for 10 attacking, six for seven on serve return with three assisted blocks.

Kim Rivera was five for six on serve with two aces, four of five on service returns and was one for one on attacks.

Heading into this weekend's district play, the six 4-3A teams are 60-46 overall as of Tuesday afternoon, but will begin the 10-game district schedule with a clean slate in the race for one of three playoff spots.

Favored to be one-two in the district in late October are Lamesa's Lady Tors and Denver City's Phillies, but the third spot should be a "dog fight" between Colorado City, Cooper, Brownfield and Seminole.

Head Coach Karen Trent's troops are young and growing quickly on the varsity squad.

"Right now I feel like most of them are feeling the pressure of being on varsity for the first time," Trent said Monday morning.

"It's tough on them right now on the mental aspects of the game."

"We're just going to have to keep plugging and working hard," she added.

Saturday's district contest with Seminole at the Pit will be crucial, even though it is only the first of 10 district games.

"I am going to tell them that what they do Saturday is going to set the tone for the rest of district play," said Trent.

"If they come out and they work hard and play hard against Seminole and take a win against the Maidens, that will set the tone."

The key to the post-season is once again - winning at

home. If the young Lady Wolves are to succeed at home, they must have strong fan support.

The Seminole match is slated for 4 p.m. at the Pit this Saturday, September 25.

MCSA soccer alive and kicking

The kids and parents involved in the newly formed Mitchell County Soccer Association finally got to get the ball rolling last weekend, with over 100 kids playing in the first eight games of the inaugural MCSA soccer season.

The field at Colorado Middle School began filling with kids and parents about 8 a.m. Saturday morning for team pictures, then at 9 a.m. the dreams of many Mitchell County soccer enthusiasts became reality as the games began.

To see hundreds of kids, parents, coaches and other volunteers involved in this mainly European sport is a common sight across the country, but soccer is relatively new to West Texas.

The 8 and 9 year old kids play at Colorado High School and had two games also last weekend, at 9 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

If you want to see a fast, high-energy sport with full team participation, then check this week's soccer schedule below and make plans to attend a game.

SOCCER	
September 25, 1999	
Colorado Middle School	
Under 6 Division	
9:00 am	Sunkist vs. Nighthawks
	Leaping Lizards vs. Rockets
10:00 am	Yellowjackets vs. Wolves
Under 8 Division	
9:00 am	Rockets vs. Sidekicks
10:15 am	Comets vs. Taz
11:30 am	Sidekicks vs. Twisters
Colorado High School	
Under 10 Division	
9:00 am	Comets vs. Hurricanes
11:30 am	Comets vs. Roadrunners

1999 Optimist Pee Wee Football Schedule

	10 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
September 25	Jets vs. Wolves	Red Raiders vs. Broncos
October 2	Broncos vs. Wolves	Red Raiders vs. Jets
October 9	Jets vs. Broncos	Wolves vs. Red Raiders
October 16	Broncos vs. Red Raiders	Wolves vs. Jets
October 23	Super Bowl (Time to be announced)	
November 6	All Star Game (Time to be announced)	

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Saturday's Results

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Wolves 1-1	
Jets 0-2	
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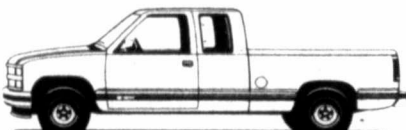
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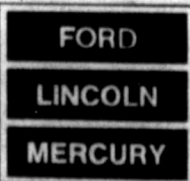
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CARD OF THANKS

Thank You

The Robert T. Henderson family would like to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the close friends and family that supported Dana and Robert. A special thanks to the Joe Arrington Cancer Center in Lubbock, Dr. Jon Figueroa, Dr. Peddacia, Dr. Anderson, Dr. Smith and their staffs. Locally, we would like to express thanks to Dr. Rakov, St. Mary Family Health Clinic, Dr. Karr, Dr. Burleson and staffs. We thank Home Health Care, Big Spring Hospice and Snyder Independent School District Administration office and faculty. We have great appreciation for the many caregivers and teachers from Stanfield Elementary and Colonial Hill Baptist Church that stayed with Dana. A special thank you to the day-to-day, in-home, bedside caregivers. We also thank all the teachers, faculty and close friends (Stanfield girls and men). We give much thanks to all the supporters, merchants, business entities of Snyder and McWilliams Pharmacy that supported the young people in Scurry County that Dana tried to raise funds for. Thanks to Bell-Cybert-Scale Funeral Home, the CSO School Insurance (Paul Jones) of Abilene, the Joe Williamson Insurance Agency, the Stealy Insurance Agency (Gayle Erwin and Elaine Steakley) and the Snyder Police Department. We offer thanks to the many out of town family and friends. Appreciation goes to the Snyder Country Club for the food and fruit platters, to Friendly Flowers, Debra's Flowers and Countryplace for the beautiful floral arrangements. Also thanks to Colonial Hill Food Service, West Texas State Bank, T & T Transports of Colorado City, 1st American Bank, Snyder National Bank and American State Bank.

Always,
R.T. Henderson

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank the Loraine Fire Department as well as the Ambulance Service for their assistance when Bernard passed away. Also we wish to thank all who held us up in their prayers.

Thanks again,
Family of Bernard Hackfeld

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to our caring friends for making the benefit dance a huge success. Our deepest appreciation to Simon and Margie Barrera for organizing the dance, to Steve and Dora Morris and Gavin Barrera for donating the raffle items. Once again, from the bottom of our hearts, Thank You!

Manuel (Krow) & Reyna DelReal

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SOLICIT BIDS

The United States Department of Agriculture (Farm Service Agency) Mitchell County is presently seeking Janitorial Service. The lessor shall keep the leased premises. The lessor shall provide supplies & equipment and clean premises at least twice a week. For more information or to obtain a bid packet please come by the FSA Office or call 728-2651. Bids must be submitted to the Mitchell County FSA Office by 5 pm September 24, 1999. The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination in all its programs and activities on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, disability, political beliefs, sexual orientation, and marital or familial status.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTOR OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

CSJ No. 6049 14 001

Sealed proposals for: Crack Pouring at various locations in Howard, Mitchell and Borden Counties will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation located at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas until respective bid opening time Friday, October 15, 1999 then publicly opened and read. All prospective bidders are advised that there will not be a pre-bidders conference for this contract. Bidding proposals and plan viewing will be available ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1999 at the Texas Department of Transportation District Office located at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas, Telephone 915-676-6852. Contact: Sandra J. Collins. Usual rights reserved.

BID NOTICE

RFP 00-5068

Sealed proposals addressed to the Colorado ISD will be received at the District's Post Office Box 1047, Colorado City, Texas 79512 or at the District's Business Office, 1132 Hickory Street, Colorado City, TX until 5:00 pm on October 11, 1999 for printing of yearbooks. Bids and/or proposals will be opened in the School Business Office. Awarding of the bids will occur within 10 days of RFP opening. Specifications can be obtained from the School Business Office. All bids must substantially comply with specifications. The Colorado ISD reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to award the bid considered most advantageous to the school district. Geneva Findley
Business Manager

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NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE

**STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MITCHELL**
By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Mitchell County on the 7th day of September, 1999, by the Clerk thereof in the following cases to the Sheriff directed, the following properties, which are more particularly described in the judgments entered in each cause, were levied on the 7th day of September, 1999, and will be sold at 10:00 a.m. on the 5th day of October, 1999, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the East door of the Courthouse in Mitchell County, Texas, in the City of Colorado City, Texas, to satisfy judgments with interest and with all costs of suit in favor of Loraine Independent School District, et al, and other taxing units and against those defendants listed in said judgments and orders of sale.
CAUSE NO. 13,168 LORAIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. LARRY HALL
Tract 1: Lots 3, 7, and 8, Block 28, White's Residence Addition to the City of Loraine, Texas.
Tract 2: Lot 9, Block 29, White's Residence Addition to the City of Loraine, Texas.
Tract 3: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 30, Whites Residence Addition to the City of Loraine, Texas.
CAUSE NO. 13,248 LORAIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. CHARLES RAY CARRINGTON.
Tract 1: Lot 12 and the West Half of Lot 13, Block 15, T&P Addition to the Original Town of Loraine, Texas.
CAUSE NO. 13,529 MITCHELL COUNTY VS. BETTY S. MARSH.
North Half of Lots 8 and 9, Block 9, Templeton Addition to the City of Loraine, Texas.
CAUSE NO. 13,474 MITCHELL COUNTY VS. J.L. DOUGLAS, ET AL.
Lots 11 and 12, Block 29, Amended Addition to the City of Westbrook, Texas.
Given under my hand this the 7th day of September, 1999
Patrick Toombs
Sheriff, Mitchell County, Texas

BID NOTICE

Westbrook ISD is accepting bids to fill position for responsibility of Westbrook ISD's water testing and reports. Person for position must be certified. Bids may be submitted to Westbrook ISD, P.O. Box 99, Westbrook, Texas 79565 marked bid until 4:00 p.m. October 1, 1999. Westbrook ISD has the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

BID NOTICE

The City of Colorado City will be receiving bids for one 1999 or 2000 1/2 ton regular cab pickup with 2-wheel drive. Specifications include: vinyl bench seat, 139" wheel base, 3.08 regular rear axle, V-6 engine, standard transmission, rear hitch, AM/FM radio, white in color, and air conditioning. Sealed bids marked "1/2 Ton Pick-up Bids" must be received at City Hall, 180 West 3rd Street, PO Box 912, Colorado City, Texas 79512, no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, October 1, 1999. The City of Colorado City reserves the right to refuse any and all bids and negotiate with the apparent successful bidder.

NOTICES

HELP WANTED

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

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

Carry-out and delivery pizza franchise. Financing available for qualified individual. Call Lance or Neil. 1-800-310-8848.

HELP WANTED

Wanted manager trainees, resumes required. Starting salary \$350 week, lifetime opportunities. Also needed cooks, fountains & carhops, Sonic Drive In, Colorado City.

New hair salon needs nail technician (with a following) and a hair stylist (with a following). Call or come by Nan's Beauty Salon, 248 Walnut, 728-4211.

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Someone needed for disabled person for housekeeping. Call 728-3210 after 4 pm.

Welders needed. Apply in person at Browne Bros.

HELP WANTED

Sonic Drive In is now accepting applications for all positions, day-time & night-time. Apply in person.

Mitchell County Hospital is taking applications for a Business Office Director. Previous hospital business office experience and a 4-year college degree in business is preferred. Applications will be accepted through October 1, 1999. Hours will be Mon.-Fri. 8 am- 5 pm. Please send resumes to Brad Burnett, CFO, Mitchell County Hospital, 1543 Chestnut Street, Colorado City, TX 79512.

Needed -registered nurses aides for the 11 to 7 shift. Apply at Kristi Lee Manor, Inc., 1941 Chestnut, Colorado City, TX.

Home Health attendants needed for Colorado City. If interested, please call 1-800-658-9569 and ask for Diana.

Wanted two hands for roofing work. Call 661-1046 and ask for David.

Security Finance has \$1 million to lend. Come see your friends for a loan between \$100-\$467. Phone applications welcome. Call 728-2281 or come by 162 Walnut. Established in Colorado City since 1996.

Mitchell County Hospital District Wallace Medical Unit is accepting applications for a full-time Correctional LVN, experience preferred. Contact Darlene LeMaster, R.N., D.O.N., at 915-728-2162, extension 4265.

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For Sale: commercial 2 door refrigerated box, 3 door refrigerated box, bun warmer, ice dispenser, 2 electric deep fryers 14 lb 220, 728-2746.

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1991 Ford Explorer, Eddie Bauer Edition, 4 dr, 4x4, pl, pw, leather interior, new transmission and new brakes. Asking \$6500 or OBO, call Glen or Rebecca at 915-728-4227.

1987 Oldsmobile Cutlass Supreme, 737-2430.

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PARTIAL LISTING ONLY!
Lawyer style stacking bookcases (one w/drop front desk), baby grand piano, 9 pc. Duncan Phyle Dining Room Suite, 1920's Dresser w/ matching chair, French style bedroom suites, 2 old cedar chests, game table & chairs, Thomasville table, old accordion, beautiful old silverplate items, old hats & hat pins, lots of old quilts, Roseville pottery, Griswold skillet, 1939 C. of P. walking stick, old bayonet, old tools, beautiful China, crystal & etc. INSPECTION TIME 8:30 a.m. Sale day. Combination of 2 estates to be sold. Call for free sale bill. 1-915-728-8292. Food & seating available.
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8-7
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Fri., Sept. 24
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Q & A

Substance Abuse Trends

In response to a growing concern among parents, educators and other members of the community, the Colorado City Record, in cooperation with Al-Anon support groups and the Snyder Area Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, is devoting this column to questions about the increasing threat of substance abuse.

Be Wary of Bodybuilding Products

Student-athletes won't find competitive edge in a dietary supplement, experts at the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse warn. But such supplements may lead to dehydration, kidney problems, strokes and other serious health problems.

"Young athletes and their parents need to be aware that there are some dangerous products masquerading as performance enhancers," says Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse's Dr. Jane Maxwell, a leading researcher of drug trends. "We also worry about our high school athletes using products that we just don't know a lot about."

Many workout products are sold as dietary supplements, which are not required to be tested for safety or effectiveness before entering the U.S. market. "It's really a buyer beware situation," Dr. Maxwell says. "It pays to do your homework on these products before becoming a human guinea pig."

Dr. Maxwell says ephedrine presents a special danger to athletes. Ephedrine, which is similar to amphetamines, stimulates the heart and raises blood pressure. Texas health officials have received more than 1,400 complaints of adverse effects from ephedrine since 1993, and eight Texas deaths in the past four years have been linked to the substance.

"The last thing you want to do is take ephedrine before working out or participating in sports," Dr. Maxwell says. "That's certainly a way to increase your risk of having a stroke or heart attack." Ephedrine is sold in several forms and may be listed in the ingredients as ephedra, ma huang, sida cordifolia or ephedrin.

Very little is known about the long-term effects of creatine, one of the most widely used workout supplements. Creatine has been linked to kidney problems, seizures and muscle cramps and injuries, but there have been few scientific studies into the product's safety.

"We do know that creatine can cause dehydration," Dr. Maxwell says. "Creatine and two-a-day workouts in the Texas heat definitely do not mix."

In response to the increasing use of creatine among high school athletes, the Texas Legislature passed legislation prohibiting school district employees from selling, distributing or endorsing dietary supplements that contain performance enhancing compounds to students. The new law has been in effect since Sept. 1.

Androstenedione, the active ingredient in Andro-6, is marketed with claims that it promotes muscle growth. However, the first scientific study of androstenedione found that the product did not enhance physical strength but instead raised the level of the female hormone estrogen. In men, estrogen has been linked to increased risk of heart disease, pancreatic cancer and breast enlargement.

There also are a number of bodybuilding products that contain 1,4-butanediol, or tetramethylene glycol. These products, such as Thunder Nectar, Revitalize Plus, Enliven and SomatoPro, can cause dangerously low respiratory rates, vomiting and seizures. The death of a Williamson County man has been blamed on one of these products.

People who have heart problems or high blood pressure or who are seizure prone may be more susceptible to serious adverse reactions from dietary supplements, particularly ephedrine. Dr. Maxwell cautions people to visit their doctor before taking a dietary supplement containing a performance enhancing compound. Just because the label says natural doesn't mean that it is safe.

Please send your questions on drugs or addiction to P.O. Box 695, Snyder, Texas 79550. All questions and personal inquiries may be submitted anonymously. Twenty-four hour confidential information is available by calling (915)573-1141 or 1-800-658-6722. Information on help groups and individuals phone numbers may be found in the SDN Community Calendar.

OIL & GAS NEWS

Good production was recorded in the 77-year-old Westbrook Field when the No. 5 Earl Morrison was recompleted about six miles northwest of the Westbrook townsite.

The Mitchell County well pumped crude oil at the rate of 81 barrels per day on an open choke.

It was plugged back to 2,800 feet from an original 3,110 ft. bottom. New production is in the Upper Clear Fork Formation and ranges from 2,356 to 2,772 feet into the wellbore.

Chevron U.S.A. is the operator.

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Platinum Exploration has completed a new pool wildcard near proven pay in Mitchell County's Enterprise Field. It is designated as the No. 1 Enterprise.

The well showed ability to pump 17 barrels of oil per day on an open choke.

Located about eight miles north of Lorraine, the new producer was drilled to total depth of 7,491 feet. It will produce from a perforated interval in the Mississippian Era, 7,164 to 7,212 feet into the hole.

MARKET REPORT

The Colorado Livestock Auction sold 887 head of cattle Sat., Sept. 18.

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers were steady. Slaughter cows and bulls held steady. Bred cows and pairs were steady. Trade active, demand good.

Bulk supply medium and large 1-2 were 300-600 lb feeder steers and heifers. Supply included around 30 percent slaughter cows and bulls, 15 percent feeder cattle over 600 lbs with balance mostly feeder cattle under 600 lbs. The feeder supply consisted of approximately 47 percent steers and 53 percent heifers.

Feeders steers medium and large 1: 400-500 lbs, 85.00-91.50; 500-600 lbs 80.00-85.00; 600-700 lbs 75.00-76.00.

Medium and large 1-2: 400-500 lbs, 77.00-86.00; 500-600 lbs, 73.00-81.00; 600-700 lbs, 71.50-76.00.

Feeder heifers medium and large 1: 300-400 lbs, 86.00-91.00; 400-500 lbs, 77.00-84.00, replacements 87.00-90.00; 500-600 lbs 71.50-77.00, replacements 89.00; 600-700 lbs 71.50-73.00.

Medium and large 1-2: 300-400 lbs, 74.50-82.50; 400-500 lbs, 70.00-77.00; 500-600 lbs, 68.00-73.00; 600-700 lbs, 64.50-71.50.

Slaughter cows, breakers, 75-80 percent, 1000-1250 lbs, 34.00-39.00; boners, 80-85 percent, 1000-1200 lbs, 36.00-40.00; boners high yielding, 80-85 percent, 1150-1350 lbs, 38.00-42.00; lean, 85-90 percent 900-1200 lbs, 33.00-38.00; 85-90 percent, 800-1000 lbs, 31.00-36.00; 85-90 percent, under 750 lbs, 27.00-32.00. Slaughter bulls: yield grade 1-2, 1300-2100 lbs, 44.75-48.25; high dressing, 1000-1300 lbs, 37.50-43.00.

Replacement cows medium and large 1-2: 3-6 year old 1120-1340 lb cows 3-6 months bred 475.00-595.00 per head; aged 915-1380 lb cows 3-7 months bred, 490.00-490.00 per head.

Cow/calf pairs medium and large 1-2: 3-6 year old 1000-1300 lbs cows w/200-400 lb calves 690.00-820.00 per pair; aged 900-1100 lb cows w/200-300 lb calves 620.00-660.00 per pair.

Crickets wear out welcome

It's a good thing that Jiminy Cricket was more charming or Walt Disney would have missed a paycheck.

The legions of crickets that have infested Mitchell County -- and most of Texas -- in recent weeks are more in the pest

category.

Hungry birds are happy, but storekeepers and homeowners who have had to contend with them will be glad to see them go.

The bad news is that they're probably going to be around for another couple of weeks.

Mike Jordan of Pest & Lawn Pro said Tuesday that crickets had their breeding season eight weeks ago and the nymphs, or little ones, hatched two weeks ago in perfect conditions -- for them.

"They had a good hatch,

and the rains have been just right for them to be prolific," he said.

"What they're doing now is looking for places to overwinter. That's why you're seeing them in the cracks and crevices of the sidewalks.

"Most of them overwinter in the ground. They burrow."

Jordan said most of the crickets hatched two weeks ago and have now reached adult size.

A female cricket lays 150 to 400 eggs a year.

Texas counties declared disaster area by Clinton

On Sept. 1, President Clinton declared an emergency disaster declaration in Texas. As a result of this declaration, 227 Texas counties including Mitchell County were declared eligible for Emergency Loans.

These loans are available only as direct loans offered by the Farm Service Agency. Emergency loans are to assist farmers who have suffered physical or production losses.

For production loss loans, applicants must demonstrate a 30% loss in a single farming or ranching enterprise and may receive loans up to a maximum of 80% of total production losses.

The maximum indebtedness under the emergency loan

program is \$500,000. Contact the Mitchell County FSA office located in the G-Kell Bldg. for further details.

TOUR

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Cherry Wright, director of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation here, will be the luncheon speaker at the Civic Center.

Sponsoring agencies include the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Mitchell Soil & Water Conservation District, the Farm Service Agency and the Natural Resources Conservation Service.



SHIRLEY SCOTT, Director of the Heart of West Texas Museum, is shown with the latest donation from ex-UT Coach Darrell Royal to the museum's new "Legends of West Texas Sport" section. The grand opening for the exhibit is scheduled for October 11-15. Royal donated a football and several pictures of Earl Campbell and Ricky Williams.

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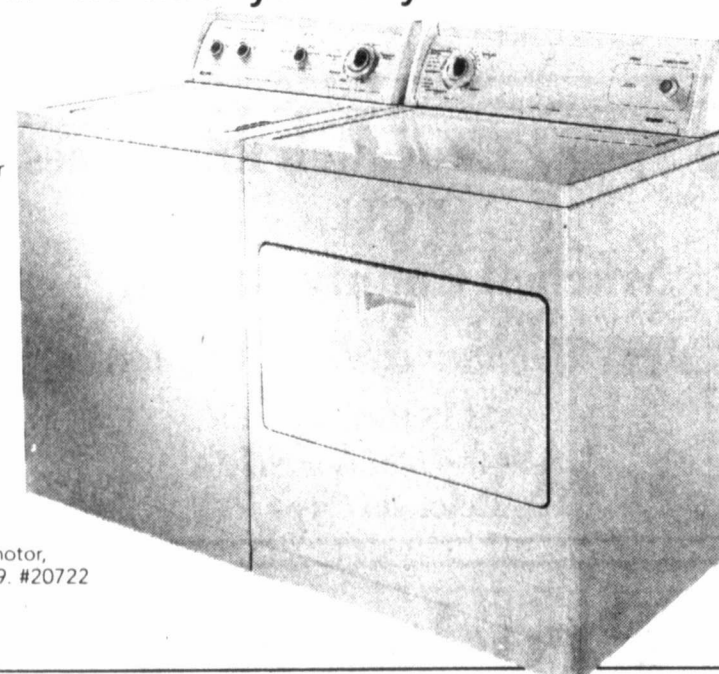
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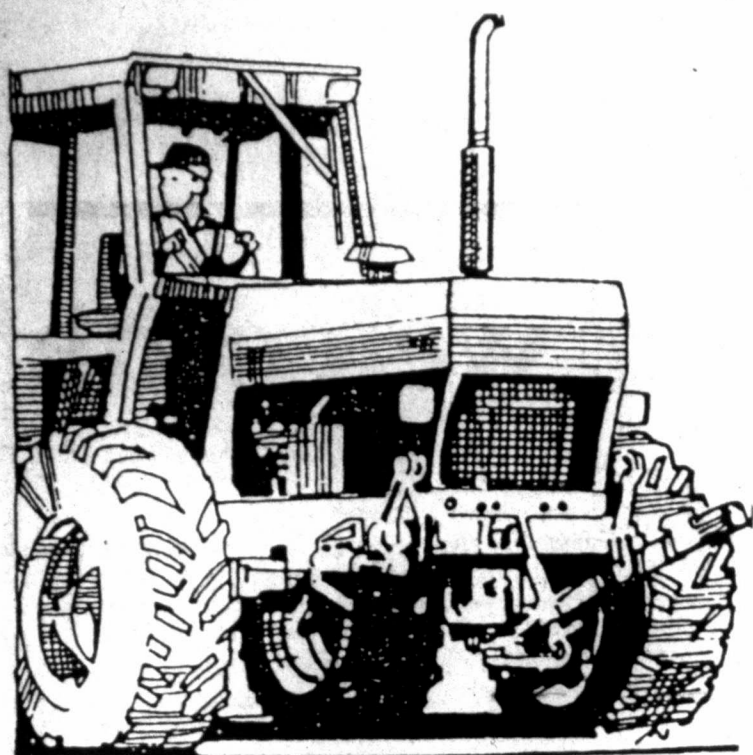
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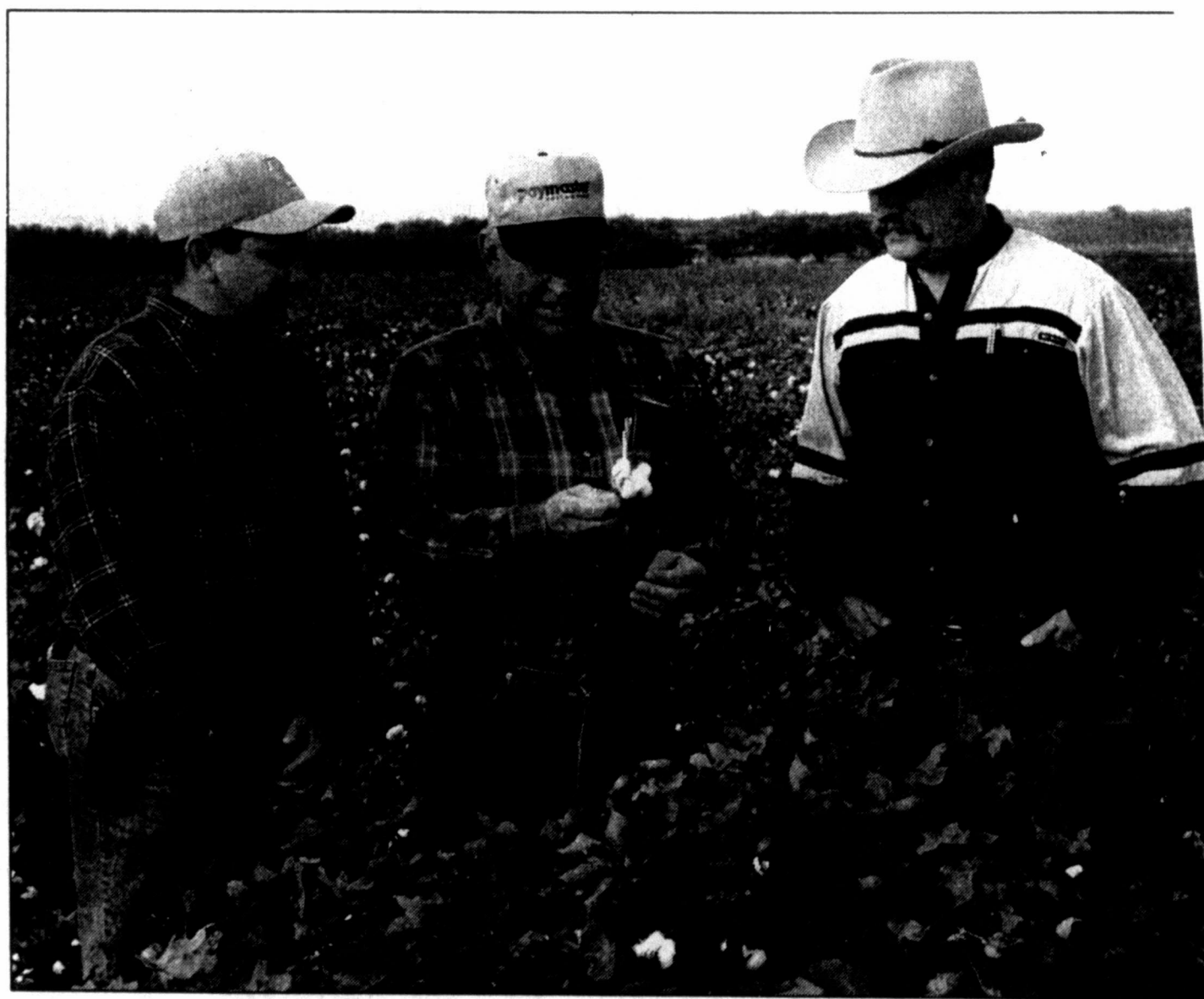
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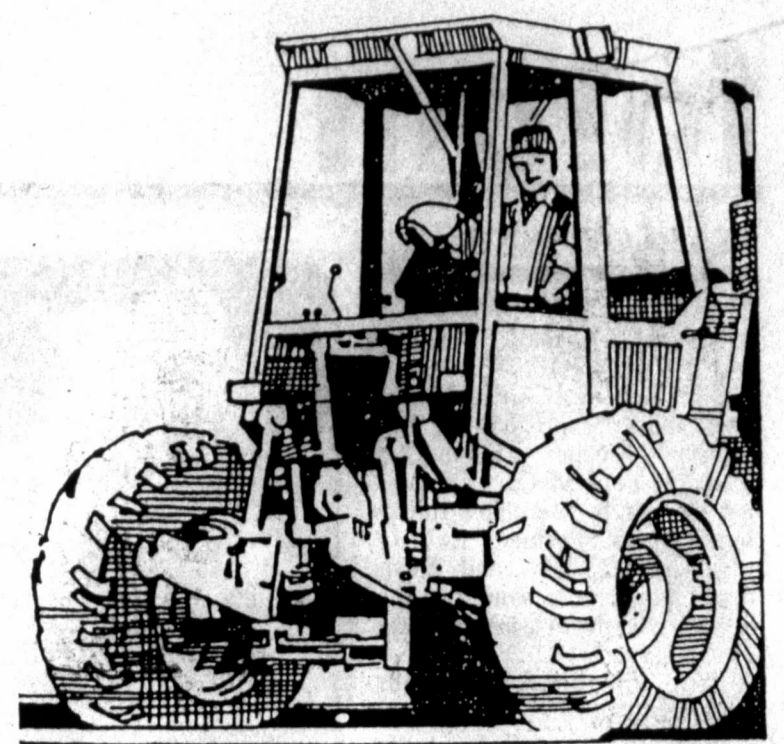
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| 9:30 - Stop #1 | Jack Long, CRP
Review CRP and EQIP programs |
| 9:50 - 10:30 - Stop #2 | Tony Turner Farm
Drip irrigation on cotton
Eric Best will talk about cotton variety test on Turner farm. |
| 10:45 - Stop #3 | Morris Farms
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Keith Hiser with the Farm Service Agency will review current farm programs |
| 11:30 - Stop #4 | Woody Anderson Farm
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| 12:00 | Lunch - Colorado Civic Center
Cherry Wright with the Texas Boll Weevil Foundation will give a program detailing the status of the boll weevil eradication efforts in the area. |



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DEVELOPMENT

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moderate a panel discussion with Fritz, Director J. B. Cooper of Roscoe, General Manager Jerry Stapp of the Big Country Electric Cooperative in Roby, Paul McCann, principal partner in Merchant Banking Venture Partners Ltd. in Los Angeles, Calif., and President Dennis Prewett of the Texas Northwestern Railway Co. in Dallas.

That will run for an hour beginning at 9:15 a.m., and then Wilks will lead a discussion on "Transportation Economics for NAFTA and Asian Trade: Southern California Association of Governments."

McCann helped to bring about an ambitious economic development program in Liberia, on the west coast of Africa, for which that country gave him its most prestigious civilian award.

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs will speak about state resources before Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas President Robert D. McTeer Jr. makes the luncheon address.

Dick Crill, director of economic development for the Big Country Electric Cooperative, was involved in getting the new Loeber Industries textile plant built southeast of Snyder by its base corporation in Los Angeles.

He said SCAG unsuccessfully approached leaders in Houston, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Denton, Kansas City, Tulsa, Okla., and Oklahoma City to cooperate in creating a trade corridor before the Loeber connection led SCAG here.

"We've got some key players who can really make things happen," Crill said in a Friday telephone interview.

"Stenholm is the key politician," he said, referring to Congressman Charles Stenholm of Abilene.

He said the backing of State Rep. Kob Junell of San Angelo in getting House Bill 2416 approved last spring to allow the establishment of the corridor was also crucial, as is the cooperation of the major railroad companies.

"They unload four ships a day in Los Angeles with 4,000 to 6,000 containers on each one," he said. "In the next 20 years, they anticipate at least twice that much."

In shipping lingo, a container is a tractor-trailer truck load.

Crill said the commercial city of Vernon, in North LA, and three other such cities there are stretched to the maximum with their packing, assembly and distribution centers and that Southern California is most lacking in what West Central Texas has plenty of -- space.

"The connection points of the four railroads in Vernon -- Burlington Northern, Santa Fe and the Missouri and Texas Pacific, which merged to make Union Pacific, recross in Sweetwater," Crill said.

Because of the ever-worsening congestion in Los Angeles, he said, "By June 2005, this has to be in place."

"We'll start small. There's no reason to take chances. If it grows, it could get as big as all outdoors."

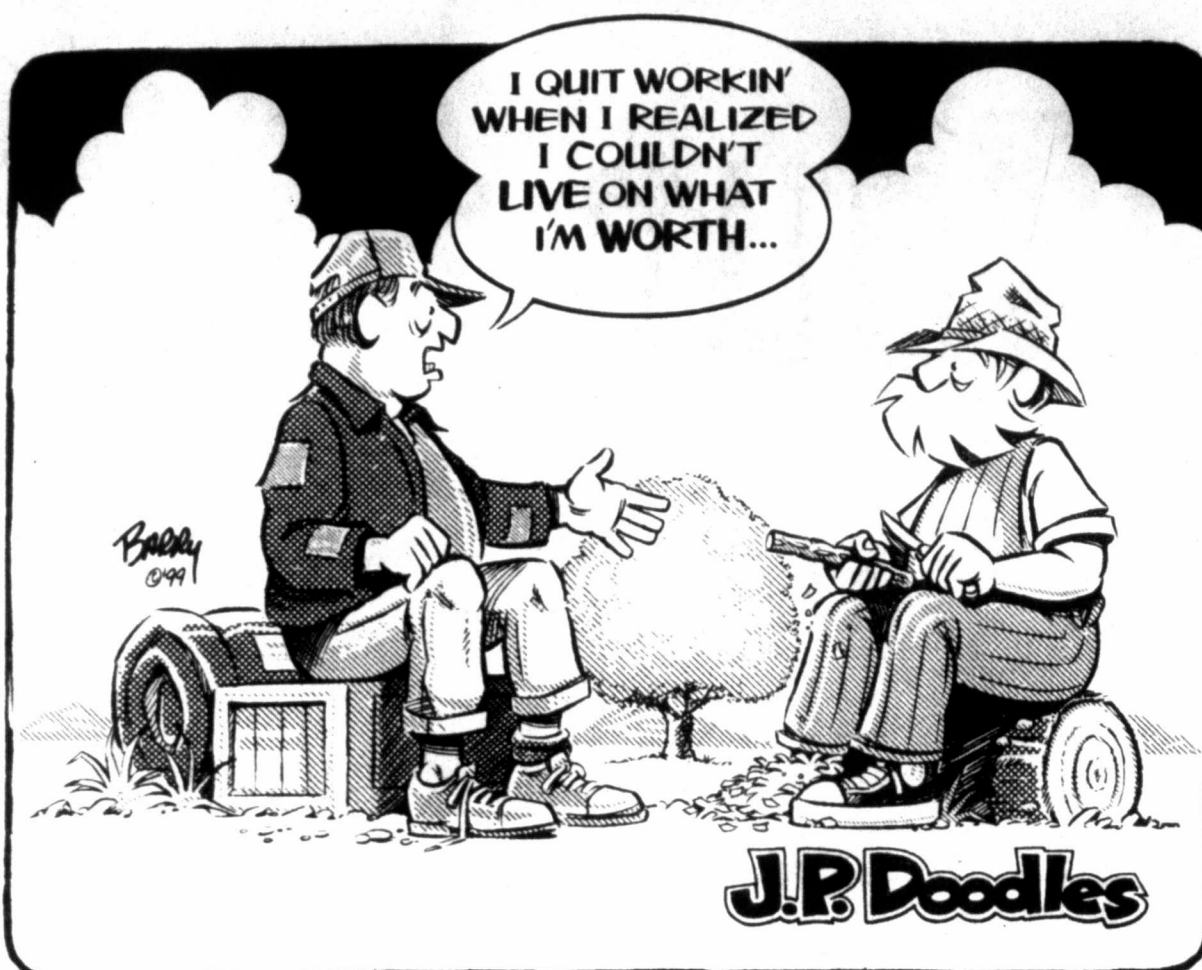
He said companies want to build plants to process meat and soybeans, grind lenses for cameras and eyeglasses and brew non-alcoholic beer, which looks like a huge new growth industry because of the increasing prevalence of designated drivers at places where alcohol is consumed.

The corridor association envisions laying rail spur lines from Sweetwater to the plants.

Mitchell County Judge Ray Mayo, who serves on the corridor association board, said he has been impressed with the response of Southern California businessmen and the foreign countries.

"To me, it's promising any time we have interest shown in our area," he said. "I think the trade corridor will be a good thing because of the interest."

"If we can get our stuff together, hopefully something will happen."



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letter to the Editor:

We have all read in the newspaper "Shop at home, the job you save may be your own." This does not seem to be the case where our hospital is concerned.

With them, the job you save will most likely be someone's from Snyder. Most of the letters written in the newspaper in regard to a new hospital, were from Snyder residents that are employed by our County Hospital.

I believe they work here because of the pay, (especially since they say the working conditions are so bad) in most cases they make, by themselves, what a two-income family that does live here makes.

They don't pay taxes here, they don't shop here and usually don't even use this hospital while those of us who do pay taxes here, shop here and use the hospital, have to drive out of town to work. Not because we want to, but because the positions we are qualified for are filled by out of county residents.

Now, I hear they are cutting the hours of the nursing staff. Why not cut the pay of these out of town residents doing paper work and leave the nurses, who do not make near what these others make, alone?

It seems that while we are good enough to live here, shop here and pay taxes here, we're not quite smart enough to work here, no matter how much experience you may have in the medical field.

When you cut the hours of

nurses, in essence what you're saying is: "We need you, but you're not as important as the ones doing the paper work." Do you think the patients would agree? I don't!

It is insulting to the intelligence of our county and city residents when the hospital continues to hire out of town

people when there are so many here who are out of work and who would be more loyal employees, but we can't find a job here. It's been filled by someone from out of town.

Valerie Redwine
Colorado City

CLAY

FROM PAGE 1

He was an officer with Bank One in Fort Worth and transferred with the same company to Houston for five years before coming to CNB as vice president and senior credit officer in May 1991.

He and his wife Linda, who live at 541 Locust St., have two children, Joni, a seventh grader at Colorado Middle School, and J. D., a fourth grader at Hutchinson Elementary.

Mrs. Clay is a special education teacher and band assistant at the middle school.

Clay said he is "very excited" about his new job and that he is looking forward to CNB's 100th anniversary observances next April.

"The bank is going to continue to meet the financial needs of our customers in the Mitchell County area," he said.

"We'll do our best to bring the most recent financial products to our customers with friendly, hometown banking services."

Clay is past president of the Colorado City Kiwanis Club, a board member of the Christmas in April organization and Crimestoppers Inc. and a district level advisory committee member with the Colorado Independent School District.

COOKOFF

FROM PAGE 1

The three-member teams each pay a \$100 entry fee that buys them a half-goat to be barbecued or otherwise cooked in above-ground pits.

First place is worth \$1,000 and three silver belt buckles, and the second and third place teams will earn \$500 and \$250.

Elias y Los Chuys of Lorraine will play for a Friday night, Oct. 1, dance at the

nearby fenced outdoor stage and dance floor.

Then Shady Mitchell and Kickin' Kountry of Colorado City will perform there Saturday night.

Entries must be turned in by 3:30 p.m. Saturday for the judging to start at 4. Beans and pork ribs will also be submitted then for the jackpot beans and ribs contests.

Mountains

By Tumbleweed Smith

In the movie, Runaway Bride, Annapurna is mentioned as a honeymoon destination. Something clicked in my mind at the time, but I didn't give it any more thought until yesterday when I woke up with the tune of the old song, Annapurna, running through my mind. My high school band played it.

I went to the internet, the dictionary and the encyclopedia and found all sorts of stuff about Annapurna, the mountain in Nepal. It is named for the Goddess of Plenty.

It is the eleventh highest mountain in the world at 26,504 feet. It is in the Himalayas. Annapurna was the first of the world's tallest mountains to be climbed. In 1950 a French team, led by Maurice Herzog, made it to the top. Before then, there was no map of the mountain. Until the conquest of Mount Everest in 1953, Annapurna held the record as the highest mountain climbed by man.

There is an "Annapurna Circuit" starting in Katmandu and taking trekkers over a 200 mile route. Ten thousand people take the 22-day trip every year. October and November are the best times to go.

I thought to myself, if Annapurna is the eleventh highest mountain, what are the top ten and where are they? I like geography, anyway, so here goes. The world's tallest mountains are pretty much in the same neighborhood.

1. Mount Everest	Nepal-Tibet	29,028 feet
2. Mount Godwin-Austen	India	28,250 feet
3. Mount Kanchenjunga	Nepal-Sikkim	28,168 feet
4. Lhotse I	Nepal-Tibet	27,890 feet
5. Makalu	Nepal-Tibet	27,790 feet
6. Lhotse II	Nepal-Tibet	27,560 feet
7. Cho Oyu	Nepal-Tibet	26,867 feet
8. Dhaulagiri	Nepal	26,810 feet
9. Nanga Parbat	India	26,660 feet
10. Manaslu	Nepal-Tibet	26,658 feet

The highest peak in South America is Aconagua in Argentina, 22,834 feet. The highest mountain in North America is Alaska's Mount McKinley at 20,320 feet. Canada's highest is Mount Logan at 19,850 feet. The highest mountain in Africa is Kilimanjaro in Tanganyika at 19,590 feet.

Mexico's highest peak is Orizaba at 18,696 feet. Turkey's Mount Ararat is 16,946 feet. The tallest mountain in the Alps is France's Mont Blanc at 15,781 feet. Switzerland's Matterhorn is 14,685 feet. California's Mount Whitney is 14,495 feet. The highest peak of the Rocky Mountains is Mount Elbert in Colorado, 14,431 feet.

Washington's Mount Rainier is 14,408 feet. Pike's Peak is 14,110 feet. Japan's Mount Fuji is 12,388 feet. Mount Hood in Oregon is 11,245 feet. Mount Etna in Sicily is 10,868 feet. Mount Olympus in Greece is 9,550 feet. The tallest mountain in Texas is Guadalupe Peak, 8,751 feet. Mount Washington in New Hampshire is 6,288 feet. Mount Rushmore in South Dakota is 5,725 feet. Italy's Mount Vesuvius is 3,842 feet.

Most Alpine peaks range in height between 6,000 and 8,000 feet. From that, I guess you could say the tallest mountain in Texas is taller than most mountains in the Alps.

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By Ace Reid



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- TXism: "quick as a York minute"
- gazelle bred in TX
- TXism: "best I ever wrapped around"
- TXism: "ugly as homestead"
- Amarillo's "State Fair"
- TXism: "fillies"
- TX B.J.'s "Play"
- Somebody Done Somebody Wrong Song
- TXism: "if true, there ain't a cow in Texas"
- let out of the "pokey"
- Laguna Madre is a big one
- longer version of TX film: "Director's Cut"
- lawman Wyatt
- TX VP Garner said his job "worth a bucket of warm spit"
- TXism for "boss"
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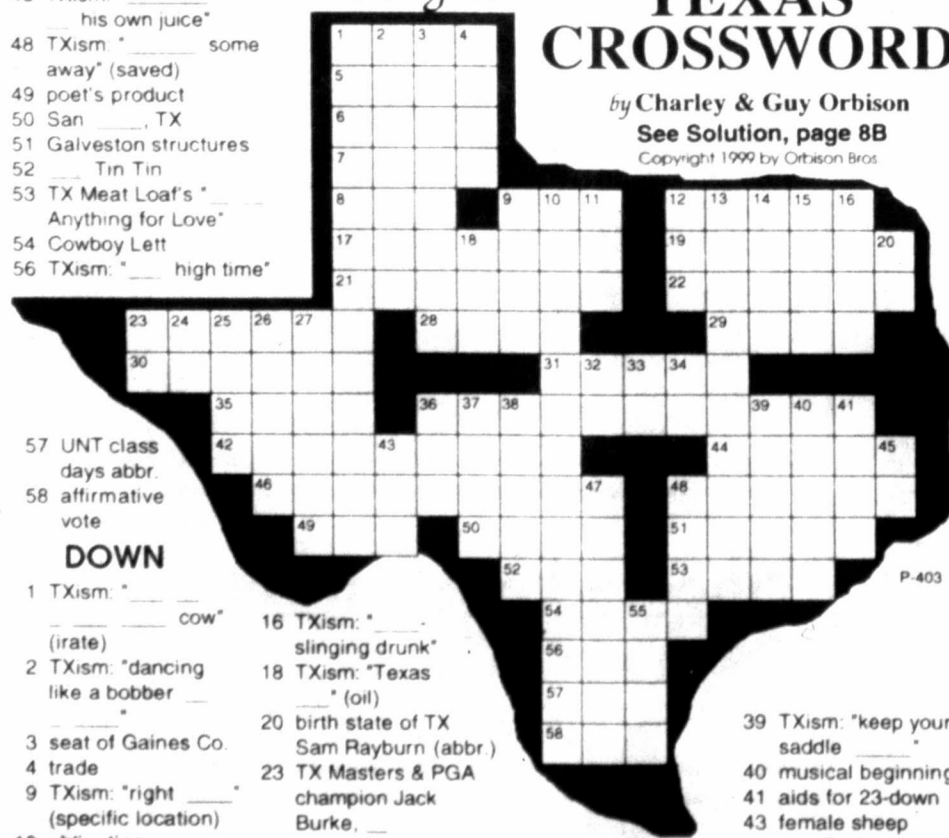
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- San, TX
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- Cowboy Lett
- TXism: "high time"
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- Cola
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- musical beginning
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- female sheep
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Lorraine news

By Bessie Ann Vaughn

Greetings. I hope you are partial to crickets, since we have a bumper crop of them this year.

I've heard it said that crickets bring good luck. If this is true, I should win a lottery any day now.

I don't even know they are in the house until dark, then when it's time to drift off to sleep, here comes the chirpers, all singing off key.

I had one that sang so loud I named him Elvis. I just know he is singing "Love Me Tender" to all the lady crickets.

When I find my fly swatter, there may be another service conducted at Graceland.

Robert Dale and Debbie Finley recently made a four-day trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico and had a great time.

Debbie reminds us that the first football home game of the season will be on the eve of Oct. 1st, which will be starting festivities for homecoming. Go Bulldogs!

Ronnie and Sheila Womack of Abilene and their three children were in Lorraine and went to United Methodist Church Sunday.

Sheila's parents are George and Brenda Martin. Mr. Womack is stationed at Dyess in Abilene.

Gregory Brenner, a hearing aid specialist, was peeking in our ears last Monday at the Center.

His company, Texas State Hearing Aid Co., has locations both in Abilene and San Angelo.

We Lorainians send congratulations to Dr. Dee and his wife, Margaret Roach on the birth of their baby girl.

We will have green enchiladas to eat for lunch Friday, Sept. 24 at the Lorraine Center. The line dancers from Sweetwater will also be here.

Yvonne Sadler went to Anadorka, Ok. with her granddaughter Amy Hudgins last Thursday and stayed until Sunday, Sept. 19.

The ladies went to Brittany Sadlers' (another granddaughter) school for grandparents day.

They enjoyed the trip, visiting with family members and doing some shopping while there.

Fred and Barbara Bowlin of Del Rio and Roger and Bobbie Graves of Stanton visited with Lela Bowlin this past week.

I saw a real cute picture of Jordan Graham who is 8 years old and in the third grade at a Sweetwater school.

Mary Helen Price, a proud grandmother showed the picture where Jordan had been elected student of the month.

Jordan's parents are Roger and Dayla Graham of Lorraine.

Margaret Brame had Brame family members to visit last week.

Visitors were Lanthus and Jean Brame of Irving, Dianne and Eugene Hall and Zackery Hall from Clearlake, along with two sons from Tech, Brian and Andy Hall. Don Brame of Irving was also in attendance.

The fellows went hunting while here, with everyone having a good time.

Iva Armstrong's sister paid her a visit this past week. Her name is Billie Jo Cole and she is from Splendora, Tx. She came last Thursday and left on Sunday.

While Doris was here the ladies attended the old settlers reunion and had a great time. Gus had a role at the reunion. He played drums during the entertainment segment.

We have concerns for Billie Sheffield this week. While on vacation, she broke one ankle and fractured the other.

We are so sorry to hear about her misfortune but wish her a speedy recovery.

Senior Center

Last Friday, we had a treat at the Center when the ladies gospel group of Canaan Baptist Church sang for us. It was great gospel singing.

Playing piano was Elizabeth Rose and singers were Bennie Starling, Millie Rose, Etta G. Williams and Evelyn Jones.

We want a return visit.

It is always a joy to have Irene Hester, her nephew Don Hester, Bess Hendricks Miller and her husband, Bob Miller, visit at the Center.

When the date comes around for the old time settlers of Mitchell County to have their annual reunion, we begin looking forward to a get together with old time Lorainians at the Center.

These friends never seem to age. It must be the Texas wind.

Irene Hester still resides in Fort Worth, her nephew lives in Dallas and the Millers live in Austin.

Last week Joan Long resigned her post as manager at the Taylor-Witt Apartments for seniors. She held the position since 1993 and did a sterling job as manager.

The vacancy will be filled by Oscar Singleton, beginning Oct. 1. Oscar is now semi-retired and resides in Lorraine.

I had a nice visit last week with Vida Gage. She stays busy and enjoys living in Snyder.

We had lunch at Collums and toured Colorado City, stopping to shop the new Alco store.

I spoke with Dot Oliver Monday morning. She reports that she is now feeling better and wants to tell everyone who sent cards, letters and made inquiries, a big thank you.

Saturday afternoon, I had a call from Carl Graham, letting me know that Bill Epperson is now in the VA Medical Center at Big Spring.

He resides on the sixth floor in the nursing home facility. He asks about friends and neighbors in Lorraine.

Please visit Bill if you have time during your next trip to the VA or send a card to Bill Epperson, VA Medical Center, 6th floor Nursing Home, Big Spring, Tx. 79720.

He would certainly appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Lorraine Manor

On Sept. 20, Mr. Chunn, a teacher for the Lorraine Independent School District, brought his seventh grade Career Investigations class to visit and entertain the resident of Lorraine Manor.

The residents, along with the students, bounced a ball on the parachute while listening to music. Then the students danced the Macarena and the Hokey Pokey.

Johnnie White was the "life of the party" as she decided to join in on the dancing.

Needless to say, our residents had a terrific time and even made a few new friends. When it came time for the students to leave, one of our residents, Alice Lopez, felt it was too soon.

But not to worry Alice, Mr. Chunn and his seventh grade class will be visiting on alternate Mondays and Tuesdays for the duration of the school year as part of the Adopt a Grandparent Program.

Minnie reports that there will be bowling on Sept. 21.

The Womacks will entertain Sept. 23.

We will see a movie, "Seven Alone" and have popcorn, Sept. 24.

Passages Taken from Lincoln's Journal

May I from every act abstain, that hurts or gives another pain.

Still may I feel my heart inclined to be the friend of all mankind.

Take care and see you around town.



THE GILLETTE BROTHERS of Crockett perform traditional cowboy music, sponsored by the Texas Folklife Resources Association in Austin. They are making arrangements to come to Colorado City in early November.

Cowboy musicians planning shows, seeking assistance in C-City

The Texas Folklife Resources Association of Austin is making arrangements for a week-long visit to Colorado City by a western music duo called The Gillette Brothers from Crockett, in East Texas.

Leslie Scott and Faye Ross are helping to arrange transportation to performances for the musicians, and they may be reached at 728-3326 and 728-5473.

Sammy Contreras and Joe Wayne Harper are also helping to organize the schedule at 728-5246 and 728-8778.

Ms. Scott, Ms. Ross, Contreras and Harper are on the organizing committee.

The Gillettes will be here Nov. 9-15.

"This residency celebrates one of the core traditions of Texas music, cowboy songs from an earlier era," said association spokesman Pat Jasper.

"While spending summers on their grandfather's ranch, Pipp and Guy Gillette learned the traditions and lore of Texas' cattle industry.

"They took over the running of the ranch in 1983, and along with working cattle, they have become master interpreters of cowboy music, some dating from the late 19th Century."

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clubs, senior centers and other sites.

The Gillettes have performed at the Western Heritage Classic in Abilene, Cowboy Symposiums in Lubbock, Chuck Wagon Gatherings at the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City and the Cherry Blossom Festival in Macon, Ga.

"They also enjoy cooking at their chuck wagon both on the ranch and at demonstrations and cookoffs around the state," Jasper said.

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