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Details of rape, shooting told

Crime index soars with past week's events

The crime index just about went off the top of the chart the past week with the aggravated assault and shooting death of the suspect, another accidental shooting, the obscene telephone incident and a host of other incidents reported to the police.

The accidental shooting involved a youth, who told police he was just cleaning his gun when it discharged, at 1543 Chestnut. Identified as Doug Smith, he was treated for the injury at the hospital but no charges were filed.

There were two other reports of car theft and a burglary, which were withdrawn.

Last Tuesday Rogene Spruell reported the theft of a her vehicle license plate from 338 East 15th.

Wednesday, a 51-year-old B/M of Colorado was arrested about See CRIME, Page 2



PAINTING THE TOWN - Employees of Texas Utilities and Morgan Creek Power Plant were busy Saturday morning painting the home of Nellie Bunch, 745 East Ninth St. The employees were participating in the TU system-wide "Paint the Town" project, designed to paint the homes of needy persons in their respective communities.

Attacking suspect shot by Officer Williamson

Details of the gory sexual assault of a local 19-year-old female and the eventual killing of the suspect by a police officer here last Friday, were released by Chief of Police Bobby Sparks Tuesday.

The tragic incident began about 11:30 p.m. Thursday. Sparks related that in her statement to the police, the young woman said she was asleep, alone, in her locked home here. She was awakened by a noise, which she got up to investigate, but finding nothing, went back to bed. A few minutes later she heard a noise at her bedroom window and saw a Mexican male climbing through the window. She ran out the front door of her residence, but the intruder caught her in the street. Her scream was heard by some neighbors, who called the police, but they did not know where the scream came from.

She said the man carried her in between some nearby houses. She saw police cars driving slowly by, but she said the man held a knife to her throat and threatened to kill her if she made any sound. Officers checked several of the houses in the neighborhood. The victim said she was held down on the ground until the police cars left the neighborhood. She was then dragged into an open garage and in a car at a residence about 2 blocks from her home, where she said she was sexually assaulted

repeatedly until about about 4 a.m. She said the man, whom she was able to see and recognize numerous times, continually threatened her with the knife. She said he seemed "high" and was often "talking out of his head." During his ramblings, she said he said at one point this would "send him back to the pen or to hell."

After the nearly five hour ordeal, the man took her back to her house and again threatened to kill her if she told the police, then left.

The police department was notified about 6:30 a.m. of the assault. Lt. Pat Taylor picked up the victim at a different residence and took her to the emergency room at Mitchell County Hospital where she was treated and released. She continues treatment and counseling from a Rape Crisis Center.

After giving her statement, the victim quickly identified Sammy Gomez, 27, of Colorado City, from a photo line-up, as her attacker. A warrant for his arrest was issued from the District Attorney's office, about 1 to 1:30 p.m. Friday.

Chief Sparks said he called in all available off-duty and reserve officers to help in the search, knowing from previous experience with Gomez, that he might try to elude the officers and could be dangerous.

Chief Sparks and Patrolman Vince Arias, talked to Gomez's mother, Minnie Gomez, who indicated she had dropped her son off in downtown Colorado City earlier. Lt. Taylor then notified the officers that the suspect was

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Jury panel dismissed after pleas entered

Fifty-three of the 130-person petit jury panel called for 32nd District Court showed up Monday morning, but were dismissed after a plea was entered by the defendant.

John Edward Green's case for aggravated assault was to be heard by the jury. However, in a plea bargain, Green pleaded nolo contendere, or no contest. Judge Weldon Kirk sentenced Green, who only recently was placed on parole, to 15 years in TDC, plus \$97.50 court costs and \$350 attorney fee.

The prospective jurors were alerted that they may be called back Wednesday afternoon for another case. However, a plea was being obtained for that case also, and Tuesday afternoon the jury was dismissed.

Police kept busy in April

Colorado City Police Department received 1,676 calls and made 50 arrests during April, according to Chief of Police Bobby Sparks.

During April there were 10 traffic accidents and 75 traffic citations issued.

Offenses reported during the month included 1 aggravated assault, 17 burglaries, 8 thefts, 2 vehicle thefts, 1 arson, 3 assaults, 5 vandalism reports, 1 felony drug violation, 9 family disputes, 7 DWIs filed, 19 other liquor law violations and 21 instances of disorderly conduct.

Carriker selected by Demo chairs

Mitchell County Democratic Chairman Tom L. Rees voted with 17 other County Chairs to name Steve Carriker of Roby, in Fisher County, as the Democratic nominee for the State Senator of the 30th Senatorial District, to replace Ray Farabee.

In a meeting of the County Chairs held in Seymour Saturday, 18 of 30 chairmen supported Carriker, who has served as state representative since 1983, and had been nominated for a new term for the post. Eleven chairmen

backed State Representative Charles Fennell of Holiday; and one, her home county chairman, voted for Mrs. Helen Farabee of Wichita Falls, among the announced Democratic hopefuls to succeed Ray Farabee. After the vote, the chairmen selected Carriker by acclamation.

At the start of the meeting, the Wichita County chair offered a motion that the County Chairs postpone their decision until after the Aug. 13 special election to fill out the remainder of Farabee's

term. That motion failed 25-5. The deadline for filing for the special election is July 13.

Carriker was supported by the chairmen of Clay, Cooke, Cottle, Denton, Dickens, Fisher, Floyd, Grayson, Haskell, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Mitchell, Scurry, Stonewall, Throckmorton and Young counties—every chairman in his House district.

Carriker will face announced Republican candidate Bobby Albert, a Wichita Falls businessman in the November general election.

Carriker's nomination as Senator has resulted in another Democrat-Republican confrontation over his 78th District Representative seat.

Secretary of State Jack Rains has issued an opinion that Carriker cannot be on the November ballot for both positions and that it is too late to name a replacement. If this should be the case, Carriker's Republican opponent for representative, former Mayor Rod Waller of Snyder, would coast into office unopposed in the general election. However, Democrats are arguing that by winning the Senate nomination, Carriker is "ineligible" for the House nomination. And an ineligible candidate can be replaced on the ballot. If this is the case, the last date the party can name a replacement is Sept. 12, and the last date the party chairmen can nominate this replacement is Sept. 9.

\$70,090 sales tax rebates received

With the addition of the 1/2 percent sales tax, Colorado City's tax rebate jumped 51.11% to \$43,996.57 and Mitchell County got \$21,951.36 from March sales.

The rebates received from the State Comptroller this week is up from \$29,115.05 for the same period last year for Colorado City. Total rebates thus far this year amount to \$138,727.86, up 33.97% over the total \$103,550.01 last year. Total received by the County in 1988 is \$41,026.84.

Neither Loraine or Westbrook levy the optional 1/2% tax. Loraine's rebates dropped by 8.86% with \$1,459.49 received from the March sales, and total \$2,288.64 for the year, down -2.93%. Westbrook's rebate more than doubled, receiving \$2,682.96 as compared to \$1,205.66 a year ago. Total for the year collected

at Westbrook is \$7,745.35, an increase of 133.56% over last year.

Total tax rebate by all the taxing entities amounted to \$70,090.38.

May's rebate, percent change and total collections for the surrounding counties and cities were as follows:

Coke—Bronte, \$7,195.91, +142.27%, \$28,963.48. Robert Lee, \$4,917.45, -2.07%, \$16,490.19. Fisher—Roby \$2,510.08, +8.60%, \$6,459.86. Rotan, \$11,958.27, +41.95%, \$31,282.78.

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For The Record . . .

by M. Gene Dow, GM

FROM THE SCRIPTURES— "They say of me, Doth he not speak parables?" Ezekiel 20:49

From some of the words thrown back at me lately, it appears readers enjoyed the Texas lingo listed here a few issues back. There's a lot of colloquialisms that we could not do without either. Wacil McNair, former editor of the Snyder Daily News listed a few:

All in the same boat, as easy as falling off a log, barking up the wrong tree, beats anything I ever saw, bent out of shape, bleeding like a stuck hog, blind as a bat, breathing down somebody's neck, butter you up, called on the carpet, can't cut the mustard, can't win for losing, catch my drift, clean as a whistle, cool as a cucumber, crazy as a bedbug, dirt cheap, don't put all you eggs in one basket, down in the dumps, down to brass tacks, down to the nitty gritty, driving me up the wall.

Also, drunk as a skunk, eat crow, elbow grease, eyes bigger than his stomach, fair to middlin', tolerably well, fat as a pig, fixin' to fly off the

handle, get it while the gettin's good, get the show on the road, going around in circles, gone to his head, got you over a barrel, grinning like a cat eating glue.

"Hard as a rock, have your cake and eat it too, high as a kite, hit the hay, in a nutshell, two peas in a pod, madder than a wet hen, making a mountain out of a mole hill, sick as a dog, skinny as a rail, wheeling and dealing ...

You probably know, and often use, many more.

THE LONE WOLF SAYS, "Many a person who can't add, certainly can distract."

Can you believe that the current school year is nearly over? All those youngun's promoted to the next grade and those who were in kindergarten just a short 13 years ago are now graduating?

Wife to husband reluctant to help his small son with his homework: "Help him now while you can, dear. Next year he goes into fourth grade."

DID YOU KNOW? Contrary to what people think bats are not vicious or filthy. They are beneficial in controlling insect problems. A single bat can eat up to 600 insects in only one hour.

Briefly

Celebration

Project Celebration, the drug-free and alcohol-free graduation party for Mitchell County students, needs contributions to make the May 27 party a success.

Mail donations to Jan Lemons, treasurer, at Rt. 1, Box 100, Colorado City, Texas 79512.

Or, persons may call the fund raising committee to pick up their donations - Carolyn Smith, 728-3188; Sandra Biggs, 728-3188; or Leigh Ann Erwin, 728-3071.

Cory Flanagan is student chairperson in charge of donations. Call him at 728-5404.

Teacher dinner

Tickets for the Teacher Appreciation Dinner to be May 21 at 6:30 p.m. may still be purchased by calling 728-8302, 728-2321 or 728-8367.

The event will feature a mariache band. Mexican food will be served. Tickets are \$10 per person. Donations are welcomed.

VFW poppies

Members of the Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post #9178 will be soliciting donation for poppies beginning Monday, May 23, in recognition of Memorial Day, May 30.

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Around town

Congratulations MEREDITH LEE, new addition to TOM & ELAINE KELLY family ... MIKE WALLA doing some serious painting ... GLENN SANDERS playing some golf Sunday ... GERALD FRIZZELL working on a house ... DON BROWNE gets a bug in the eye ... TOMMY MORRIS spends some time at an auction...

Deaths

**Gomez
Hairston**
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Weather

This Year				
Date	Hi	Lo	Prec	
May 14	84	56	.00	
May 15	87	59	.00	
May 16	96	59	.00	
May 17	87	65	.00	
Total rainfall this month				2.18"
Monthly rainfall: Jan.,				.04"
Feb.,				.52"
Mar.,				.42"
Apr.,				1.00
Total rainfall this year				4.16"
Lake Levels:				
Colorado City Lake				2064.5'
Lake Champion				2081.60'
Last Year				
1987	Hi	Lo	Prec	
May 14	88	63	1.0	
May 15	86	53	.12	
May 16	80	62	.00	
May 17	84	58	.00	
Total rainfall May 87				5.32"
Total rainfall 1987				20.64"
Record May High. 1953				108
Record May Low 1967				37
Average May Rainfall				3.19"
Heaviest May Daily Rainfall				4.45"
Heaviest May Snowfall/Sleet				.00"
(Official NWS records maintained at TU Morgan Creek Power Plant, Lake Colorado City.)				

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believed at a residence on Front Street, known as the old Gomez Candy Store.

Taylor, Sparks, Sgt. Tim Atkins and part-time officer Billy Ray Williamson approached the house about 2:45 p.m. Knowing Gomez might possibly try to escape, Chief Sparks said he and Sgt. Atkins went around to the rear of the building. Williamson and Taylor knocked on the front door. A woman answered the door and confirmed that Gomez was inside. Sparks said the officers entered the front room of the residence and Gomez came out into a hallway. He was advised that they had a warrant for his arrest. Gomez asked, "What for?" "Aggravated sexual assault," he was told. "Let me get my shoes on," was said to be his reply. However, as he turned the officers said he reached into his pocket, pulled out a knife and opened it, and began shouting at them. He advanced but then

stopped as the officers drew their weapons and warned him to drop the knife. Taylor decided to call in Chief Sparks and Atkins, hoping they could talk Gomez into surrendering peacefully. As Taylor stepped back, Gomez was said to have lunged at Williamson.

Williamson then, reportedly, backed up and again warned Gomez to drop the knife. When Gomez continued to advance, Chief Sparks said Williamson shot Gomez two times in the chest area with his .38 caliber pistol. When the wounded Gomez still tried to get to the officer with the knife, Sparks said Williamson shot him a third time in the head, and the ordeal finally came to an end.

The ambulance was called and Gomez was taken to Mitchell County Hospital where he died about 3:41 p.m. from the gunshot wounds.

Since the City officer was involved in the shooting, Texas Ranger John Billings of Snyder was called in to investigate the shooting and the case will probably be presented for grand jury investigation Friday. Gomez' body was sent to Dallas for autopsy Friday. Billings was still working on his investigation Tuesday and the autopsy report had not yet been received.

In concluding, Chief Sparks said "after thorough investigation and knowing the history and the violent tendencies of Gomez in the past, I feel that Williamson was justified in what he did and waited until he was in great danger before acting."

Although a part-time officer, Williamson, a former full time member of the police staff, is an experienced and trained law enforcement officer, Sparks said. "I believe the investigation will substantiate the facts that Gomez did not give Officer Williamson any alternative. He was given every opportunity to go peacefully, but gave the officers no other choice."

Gomez had been very troublesome to the Police Department and other law enforcement agencies in the past. He was on parole and had been sentenced to the penitentiary in a stabbing incident. Public records will reveal that "he had been involved in drugs and narcotics, eluding arrest, assault on a peace officer and other violations and now this devastating sexual assault," Sparks said. "Our department does not promote acts of violence on suspects or people we have to deal with, but sometimes they gives us no alternative but to react to aggression."

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12:34 a.m. and charged with DWI and no drivers license, and another person was arrested on a warrant.

Thursday, David Blawvelt reported a burglary of a motor vehicle. Reported taken from his 1980 yellow Ford F100 pickup, parked in Fuller Foods at the time was a Colt .22 pistol.

Then came Friday, the thirteenth. Donna Louners reported a burglary of her residence. Sometime between 12 noon and 5:45 p.m. burglars apparently entered a kitchen window in the home and made off with items valued at over \$800, including a VCR and remote, boots, hat, gold neckless and earrings.

Friday there were a report of a child abuse, but thus far nothing has been filed in the case. Then came the sexual assault and shooting death that are reported elsewhere.

Saturday, May 14, Robert Hoback reported the theft of tools valued at over \$400 at a workshop at 1110 East 18th. Reported taken sometime during the previous week were a band saw, skill saw, electric sander and two electric drills.

Sunday, a criminal trespass incident was reported by Tommy Wright at 738 East 2nd.

On Monday, Donna Boyd reported that her purse was taken from her car while parked near the field house gate at Wolf Stadium, between 12:30 and 3:30 p.m. during the Play Day events. Missing along with the purse were a bill fold, calculator, check book and personal papers and credit cards.

One traffic accident was reported last Saturday. A large

Advisory Council elects officers

The Advisory Council for Wallace Community Education Center voted to contribute \$100 to Project Celebration, elected new officers and made plans for the summer program at its regular luncheon meeting Wednesday.

The contribution is for the drug- and alcohol-free party to be held for high school students following graduation, May 27.

New officers elected for the Council for next year are Jessie Nelson, president; Lulu Boyd, vice-president; and Ethelyn Lancaster, secretary.

Mrs. Boyd presented a report on the summer activities being planned. Director Barbara Gray gave the expenses and the contributors to the program last year which served 90 children.

Mary Ann Wright expressed thanks to the group for the scholarship given to four people who were able to receive their GEDs.

Priscilla Martin reported that a role model development program is being developed for middle school and high school students. A survey form was presented which will be handed to students to get them started in the program.

Others present for the meeting were Mildred Free, Travis Monday, Tandy Curlee, Lee Woods, Bobby W. Lemons, Mary Petty, Ann Ingram, Joan Beach, Shirley Dulaney, Libbi Garnett, and Auta Doss.

Oil & Gas Report

Chevron U.S.A. of Midland has staked location for the 1603 North Westbrook Unit in Mitchell County's Westbrook Field, about seven miles north of the Westbrook community. It will be a 3,500-ft. test. Location is in a 7,929-acre lease block in the T&P Survey.

William H. Zuhone Jr. has abandoned an undrilled location in Mitchell County's portion of the East Howard Iatan Field. Located about one mile south of Iatan, the well has been designated as the No. 2 Virginia Lotspeich. It carried permit for 3,500-ft. maximum hole.

Two different operators have filed for permits to drill water injection wells in two different Mitchell County oil fields. The wells include the No. 43 Gregory "A" in the Turner Gregory Field, six miles northwest of Westbrook, and the 6705 North Westbrook Unit in the Westbrook Field, about four miles north of Westbrook.

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Howard—Big Spring, \$183,626, +3.84%, \$623,670.16. Coahoma, \$3,498.08, +22.91%, \$10,920.82. Forsan, \$2,860.85, +85.81%, \$9,387.73.

Nolan—Roscoe, \$4,807.67, +30.47%, \$53,006.53. Sweetwater, \$90,413.50, +25.73%, \$317,815.57.

Scurry—\$44,838.29. Snyder, \$75,488.05, +12.04%, \$316,571.50.

Sterling—Sterling City, \$6,265.57, +34.14%, \$22,021.46.

Emergency loans available for '87 freeze

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by freeze from March 28 through April 3, 1987 are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration office located in Colorado City, FmHA supervisor Alton R. Pyburn has Friday.

Mitchell County is one of 39 in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Richard E. Lyng as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the adverse weather.

Pyburn said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 4.5 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FmHA emergency loan," Pyburn said. Farmers participating in the PIK or Federal Crop Insurance programs will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until December 29, 1988. The FmHA office in Colorado City is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Commissioners air courthouse problems

In a special meeting called Tuesday morning mainly to approve the current payroll, the Mitchell County Commissioners Court also discussed some maintenance problems at the Courthouse.

After approving the bi-weekly payroll amounting to \$37,937.15, the Court heard a presentation by Dennis Scott with Honeywell Corp. about the possibility of automated temperature control at the Courthouse. The courthouse is experiencing problems of too cool in some offices and too hot in others. At times the air conditioning gets left on over the weekend, freezes up and the condensation causes water leaks. The Court hopes that some kind of automatic regulating system will help relieve the problem. Scott was asked to look into the situation further and project a cost estimate.

The Court also discussed some maintenance and janitorial service problems that are being experienced.

As a matter of record, the Court approved a blanket agreement letter with the State Attorney General's office, authorizing the AG to proceed with any delinquent sales tax collections. In the past each case had to be approved separately.

The Court will meet again May 25 for a special meeting to approve payment of bills due, and again on Wednesday, June 1.

Clarification

In the report of an accident on May 7, which appeared in the May 12 issue of *The Record*, a collision resulted between vehicles driven by Tenna Lynn Merket of Colorado City and Geraldine Swearingin of Dexter, NM, on the south I-20 service road. The Dexter, NM woman was cited for failure to drive in a single lane. The Merket vehicle did cross the center lane, but from all indications it was to try an avoid the other vehicle that was across the center line.

Briefly

Mop, broom sale

The Sundown Lions Club will hold its annual mop and broom sale Saturday, May 21, starting at 8 a.m. at the parking lot of Fuller Foods on Hickory Street.

PTSO meeting

The PTSO will meet Saturday at 8 a.m. at Mac-Michaels Restaurant.

All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

Fund started

A fund has been established for Audie Boyd at First State Bank in Loraine to help defray the cost of traveling expenses to Midland every week for treatment.

School awards

A special awards ceremony will be conducted at Hutchinson Elementary School Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Academic awards, physical education awards and music awards will be presented to third graders at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, to fourth graders at 2 p.m. Tuesday and to fifth graders at 2 p.m. Wednesday.

Ebony Society

The Ebony Society will meet Monday at 6:30 p.m. at 724 East Second Street to discuss a scholarship recipient.

'School's Out'

First Assembly of God is having a special "School's Out" day this Sunday for boys and girls.

Don Bell will have the puppets presentation in the morning service at 11 a.m. for the children.

Also, the church will be dedicating Rodney and Sue Fox's baby, Sheree and Starla Parshcall, who are Gladys and Cecil Fox's granddaughters. The public is invited.

Church film

First Baptist Church in Loraine will show the film, "The Witnesses of Jehovah", Sunday, May 22, at 6 p.m. Admission is free. Everyone is invited.

The church is located on the corner of Market and Lightfoot streets.

CHS reunion

The Colorado High School graduating classes of 1947-49 will have a reunion Oct. 14-15.

The addresses of the following graduates are needed:

1948 - LaRue Ballard, Charlotte Clendenen, Reece Gross, Kendall Henderson, Betty June Neel

1949 - Sue Cantrell, Patsy Darden, W. T. Drake, Robert Hodge, Jolene Campbell, Bob Bryan, Valarie Phillips, James Laster.

Please call Peggy Ratliff at 728-3285 or Janie Henderson at 728-3992.

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PROJECT CELEBRATION - Colorado High School seniors Derrick Taylor, left, and Nikki Holman display one of the jackets which will be given courtesy of Wood's Boots and Nocona Boots to each senior who attends Project Celebration, the drug-free and alcohol-free graduation party set May 27.

Recent contributions to Project Celebration, the drug-free and alcohol-free graduation party for high school students, have pushed the total to \$3,100 of the \$5,000 goal, organizers said this week.

The most recent list of contributors includes Crime Stoppers of Mitchell County, Mitchell County Law Enforcement Officers Association, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Aguillon, Georgie Tarver, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hargrove, Mrs. C.C. Thompson, Wallace Center Community Education Advisory Council, C.C. Plumbing and Refrigeration, Beatrice Garcia, V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary Post 9178, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morren, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Turner, Betty Jane Young, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rhodes, Beauty Boutique, Eppie's Mexican Restaurant, Sonic Drive-In, Beta Epsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Preston, Lujan's Restaurant, Maggie Compton CPA, Helm Alignment, Colorado City Bass Club, Chlotelle Bolon, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Strain, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bradbury, Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Clark, Colorado City Opt-Ms. Club, Les Watson Automotive, New Image, Colorado City Cattle Auction and Bob Head.

The party will be held at the County Ag Barn Friday, May 27, following CHS graduation.

A number of activities, including a dance, are planned. Some of the new activities this year include an arm wrestling contest, a pie eating contest, a guy's best legs contest and an air guitar contest.



Angela Morris
...valedictorian



Stephanie Matlock
...salutatorian

Westbrook Junior High names honors graduates

Angela Morris is the valedictorian of the graduating class of Westbrook Junior High School. She has attained a scholastic average of 93.85 for the year. She is the daughter of Bobby and Jean Morris.

Stephanie Matlock is the class salutatorian. She has earned a grade point average of 91.96 for the scholastic year. Stephanie is the daughter of Gary and Kathy Matlock.

Graduation exercises for the

class will be held in conjunction with the senior class on Friday, May 27, at 8:15 p.m. in the school auditorium.

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Juneteenth Celebration is scheduled

A Juneteenth Celebration, sponsored by the C-City Ebony Society will be held at the old Wallace Center on Front Street.

Activities will get underway with a parade at 10 a.m. followed by lunch at noon.

The lunch will cost \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children and will include barbecue brisket, sausage and goat, potato salad, beans, bread, dessert and soda or tea.

Anyone wanting to participate may phone 728-3232 or 728-5552 for more information.

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Oak Street revival is scheduled

Oak Street Baptist Church, 8th and Oak will be having Reunion Revival May 22-27. Preaching will be Jay Humphreys and leading the music will be Rick Alkire.

Sunday services will be 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Evening services Monday through Friday will be

7:30-8:30. There will be a short reception and photos each night recognizing different groups who joined Oak Street over the years.

Monday night members who joined during 1939-1948 will be honored. Tuesday 1949-1958; Wednesday 1959-1968; Thursday

1969-1978 and Friday 1979 until present. One hundred eighty-eight will be honored.

There will be a noon meal and short message each day from 12-1.

Oak Street Baptist extends to you a warm welcome.

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FRESH MEATS

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Boneless CATFISH FILLETS.....Lb. **3 69**

Parade BACON.....1 Lb. Pkg. **1 29**

Parade Ham, Beef, Chicken, Turkey THIN SLICED MEAT.....2 1/2 Oz. Pkg. **39¢**

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Colorado City AT WORK

BY BRENDA HAMMOND
CITY MANAGER

The Safe Drinking Water Act Amendments which passed by an overwhelming 95.8 percent of Congress, 476 votes to 21, and signed into law by President Reagan in June 1986, are a set of additions and changes to earlier existing legislation of the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974. The passage of these amendments is a result largely from Congress' dissatisfaction with the slow pace and manner in which the original 1974 Act was being implemented and the growing concern over contamination of drinking water supplies. One of the key elements of the 1986 amendments is the DRINKING WATER REGULATORY TIMETABLE which sets new standards for 83 contaminants by early June 1989 and will:

1. Implement and place into effect the MCL standards for eight volatile organic chemicals by January 1, 1989.
2. Implement and place into effect by January 1, 1990, MCL standards for 40 other contaminants such as synthetic organic chemicals and inorganic chemicals.
3. Implement and place into effect by January 1, 1991, MCL's for 35 remaining contaminants.

Another part of the amendment is the LEAD PROHIBITION. The U.S.E.P.A. public notice requirement compels all drinking water supply systems to notify their customers of potential sources and adverse health effects of lead in the drinking water. This notification must be provided by June 19, 1988. It is the law.

Revisions in this law will have a profound effect on our water treatment and operation. All of our water operators are certified. Certification implies a degree of professionalism. Honesty, integrity and a genuine concern for the general welfare of the public are essential ingredients of professionalism as it relates to safe drinking water. A water operator's job requires that he maintain equipment and the plant area; observe conditions; make calculations to determine the effectiveness of operations, predict necessary maintenance and facility needs; and assure continued effective operation of the plant. Adequate funding is essential for our facility.

The water supply for Colorado City is State Approved by the Texas Department of Health. It will remain safe. These are new regulations for tests. If any chemical level exceeds the safe standard, you, the water customers will be notified. We will be printing the lead notices in The Record soon. These are information notices only. The WATER quality has not changed. THE WATER IS SAFE.

Letters to the Editor

Clean stadium

TO THE EDITOR:

We would like to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to James Owens, Colorado ISD maintenance supervisor, and his people for the great job they have done at Wolf Stadium.

Both east and west banks have been cleaned up and cleared and it took a lot of hard, hot work to do this. They burned the slopes, grubbed up the bear grass and cut down dead trees to be completely removed later when the stumps have died.

This job took many hours and if you have not been by to see the difference, please go by the Stadium.

We all owe James and his crew

a big thank you. It looks better than it has in ten or fifteen years.

Sincerely,

Buddy and Lu Ann Hertenberger

Thanks

Dear Editor:

The Board of Directors and the members of the Colorado City Noon Lions Club would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your public service promotion of our "First Annual Fish Fry."

The project was very successful and we believe your promotion helped a great deal. Again, thank you!

Regards,
Ronnie Aston
President



"Yes. There is a catch to our retirement plan. First you have to get hired."

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"OH, THERE'S MY ALIMONY."

Controversial court decisions handed down

AUSTIN—In an otherwise quiet week, several controversial court decisions came down recently which will impact the Texas lifestyle, including:

- The Texas Supreme Court ruled unconstitutional the cap on medical malpractice damages set by the Legislature during the tort reform session.
- The high court also backed Attorney General Jim Mattox's claims that he can continue to represent both sides in certain telephone rate cases before the Public Utility Commission, and
- A Harris County judge said it's unconstitutional to use an intoxilyzer machine to determine whether a motorist is drunk.

Meanwhile, the bizarre news of the week came when police arrested a former Libertarian Party congressional candidate for allegedly trying to contract the murder of San Antonio Mayor Henry Cisneros and other possible targets, including Comptroller Bob Bullock, a candidate for lieutenant governor.

Murder Plot Foiled

The murder-for-hire plan was foiled after IRS agents tipped off the local district attorney, who planted an undercover policeman as the hit man.

The act was apparently planned to draw national media attention to the suspect's grievances against the tax system. When Bullock went out of town, the target was switched.

The Libertarian Party said the suspect, Parker Abell, was disassociated with them in 1985.

Malpractice Cap Struck

In the malpractice law case, justices voted 7-2 for the argument that the cap on damages violates a state constitution provision guaranteeing citizens the right to seek legal remedies for injuries.

The majority opinion criticized the Legislature's effort to limit damages "in a speculative experiment to determine whether insurance rates will decrease."

But one dissenter, Justice Raul Gonzalez, said the court majority was improperly trying to replace the Legislature.

A spokesman for physicians said their problem of obtaining affordable malpractice insurance will worsen.

Telephone Rate Clash

Consumer advocates hailed Mattox's victory against the PUC in a bitter clash. The high court overturned a previous ruling which held Mattox was in conflict of interest if he represented both a state agency and the PUC when they were opposed.

The case arose from a suit filed against Mattox by PUC members, and the two sides exchanged choice words in news reports.

Unified Primaries Urged

The Texas Secretary of State's office last week asked a panel of lawmakers to consider using same locations to hold primary elections, but the chairwoman of the House Elections Committee expressed doubts it would be wise.

Holding elections in the same building, but in different rooms for each political party, would save millions in state election aid, according to Secretary of State Jack Rains.

STATE CAPITAL



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Rep. Ernestine Glossbrenner, D-Alice, said voters might feel intimidated if they have to ask for the ballot of a particular party.

Mark White Returns

Some observers say he's launching his comeback bid for the governor's mansion, but for whatever reason, former Gov. Mark White spoke out last week against old nemesis Gov. Bill Clements' plan to legalize the current school funding formula with a constitutional amendment.

White defeated Clements in '82, but was trounced in an '86 return match. His supporters say he will make one more bid for a second term in '90, joining the list of possibilities that includes Mattox, Treasurer Ann Richards and Land Commissioner Garry Mauro.

Other Highlights

- State Rep. Dan Morales, D-San Antonio, predicts that an unexpected \$1 billion revenue shortfall will prompt tax reform in 1989. Morales is a member of the Select Committee on Tax Equity, which will make recommendations to the Legislature late this year.

- Texas Republicans are searching for a replacement for state party chairman George Strake, who will give up his gavel at the state convention in Houston next month.

One announced candidate is former Dallas county chairman Fred Meyer, and some are speculating that former Houston State Sen. Mike Richards may decide to make the race.

- Supreme Court Chief Justice Tom Phillips, a Republican, received the endorsement of former Dallas DA Henry Wade, who won his own elections as a Democrat.

- Businessman Al Hughes of Austin, resigned from the State Board of Pardons and Paroles last week amid praise from his colleagues for his work during an era marked by court-ordered prison reforms.

Alzheimer's Disease

Who gets Alzheimer's Disease?

The victims of this disease come from all ethnic, racial, and socio-economic backgrounds. It is the 4th leading cause of death in this country, claiming at least 120,000 victims each year.

The local Alzheimer's Support Group meets each fourth Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. in Wallace Center. Any person having a member of the family suffering from the disease is encouraged to attend. Contact Marge Coleman, 728-8403.

You're Invited

Neighboring Events

Fly-In and Breakfast

HASKELL - The Haskell Chamber of Commerce, in connection with the City of Haskell, is sponsoring the first Haskell Fly-In and Pilot's Breakfast. The event will be held on Saturday, May 28, 1988, at the Haskell Municipal Airport.

According to Buddy Lane, project coordinator, this fly-in is being held in connection with the world famous Breckenridge AirShow, now in its eleventh year. "It's a common practice to have a pilot's breakfast at a site near major airshows like this one," said Lane. "Nobody was sponsoring one for the Breckenridge show, so we decided to invite everybody to come over here. It's a great opportunity for us to showcase our community and the fine airport facilities we have." The Breckenridge AirShow, held every year during the Memorial Day weekend, is scheduled for Sunday, May 29.

Lane said that owners of World War II aircraft, such as those featured by the Confederate Air Force at the Breckenridge show, are being invited to bring their "warbirds" to Haskell for the fly-in. Other aircraft owners from all over Texas are also invited to fly here for the activities, set to begin at 7:30. A complimentary pancake breakfast will be served until 11:00. For those who wish to drive to the airport to view the aircraft, a \$2.00 admission fee will be charged per person. This fee includes breakfast.

As an incentive to area pilots to attend, aviation gasoline will be sold during the fly-in at \$1.00 per gallon. City manager Bob Baker stressed that this price is for visiting aircraft only, and only from 7:30 to 11:00 that morning.

Several events are scheduled during the morning, including fly-bys by the warbirds, awards for the best warbird, oldest pilot, and longest flight, and remarks by Haskell mayor Greg Melton and State Representative Rick Perry. Other activities are also planned, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Show Schedule

SONORA -- A total of 22 performances - every Friday and Saturday from June 10 through August 20 - no two exactly the same, have been scheduled at Covered Wagon Dinner Theater.

- June 10 - Pioneer Women of Texas
- June 11 - John Eaton & Carolyn Earwood School of Music
- June 17 - Joe Lane & Willena Holden
- June 18 - The Storymakers & Texas Pride
- June 24 - Living History Units from Ft. Concho
- June 25 - Living History Units from Ft. Concho

Showtime begins each evening at 6:30 p.m. with a cowboy sing-along and proceeds through a catered western meal, a storyteller and colorful entertainment.

Each evening will also feature a local character known as "Devil's River D", a pony express rider who deliver the "Glad You're Here" bag and visual displays of local heritage.

Performances are held in a picturesque little amphitheater on the grounds of the Caverns of Sonora. Listen to the sounds of nature as the day ends and the sun sets. Enjoy stories of Southwest Texas pioneers as the Lone Star proudly waves overhead.

Tickets for the theater are available at both the Caverns office and at the gate for the price of \$4.00 each. Dinner tickets are sold only at the gate for \$5.50 and \$3.75. Seven day advance notice for groups, please.

For more information contact Outdoor Drama Group, P.O. Box 885, Sonora, TX. 76950 or call (915) 387-2507.

Homecoming Set

SAGERTON -- The Sagerton Homecoming has been set for Saturday and Sunday, May 28 and 29, at the Sagerton Community Center. Registration will begin at 1 p.m. on Saturday. This is the ninth homecoming since the first one, which was held July 4, 1954.

Leon Stegemoller is chairman of this year's homecoming. Others on the steering committee are: Dorothy Clark, secretary-treasurer; Delbert LeFevre, program chairman; Allen Meier, parking chairman; Charles Clark, finance chairman; J. B. and Dorothy Toney, food chairman; Irene Stewart and Gerry Banks, publicity chairman. The committee has appointed other interested persons to assist.

A homecoming queen will be announced after the lunch on Sunday. Since no tickets are sold for the Sunday dinner, registration is necessary. Contact Mrs. Charles Clark, Sagerton, for reservations. Registration cards will be sent to those who live outside a 50-mile radius of Sagerton.

Some 300 persons are expected for this homecoming--"Home to Few--Hometown to Many."

Tennis Tournament

ROTAN -- The Rotan Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a tennis tournament on June 2, 3 and 4 (Thursday, Friday, Saturday) for all age and ability groups. The deadline for entries is Monday, May 30 at 5 p.m. Entries can be made by telephone to Don Dawes (915) 735-2508 or to Myla Black (915) 735-3091.

Three divisions will be offered: a Junior Division (junior and high school students), an Open Division (all entries eligible), and a Duffer Division (the fun division! For those of any age who enjoy playing the game and usually avoid tournament play). In each division, events will be offered for men's singles, women's singles, men's doubles, women's doubles, and mixed doubles. Three events may be entered at \$5 per event plus one can of tennis balls for each event entered.

The Junior Division will play Thursday and Friday between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. The Open Division will play Thursday and Friday nights and on Saturday. The Duffer Division is scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights after 8 p.m. and on Saturday morning. Prizes in each event will be trophies for first, second and third places.

Run in the Sun

SAN ANGELO - The 16th annual, 8-kilometer Run In The Sun will be held in San Angelo on June 4.

The course is flat and fast through scenic parkland along the Concho River in downtown San Angelo. The 8K event is divided into 20 age/sex and wheelchair divisions; a one-mile "fun run" is held at the same time. Races begin Saturday at 8 a.m.

Three-time Olympic gold medalist and Ph.D. exercise physiologist Peter Snell will conduct a health and fitness seminar on June 3 as part of the event.

The pre-race entry fee for all divisions and races is \$6; race day entry is \$10. Competitors receive a T-shirt, a copy of the results program, admission to the Snell seminar, and free health fitness screening and testing. Top finishers in each of the 8K race divisions receive bronze medals. All finishers in the mile run receive ribbons.

Shannon Medical Center sponsors the run in cooperation with the San Angelo Road Lizards Running Club and the San Angelo Recreation Department. For more information, call 915-653-6741 during the day and 915-944-7760 evenings.

Penland said outs

Connie Penland Burtner of Colorado City has been selected for the 1987 edition of Young Women of the Year.

Now in its OYMA program, Penland will honor and encourage young women of 21-36 who have achieved themselves in endeavor, such as community, professional, academic achievement, accomplishments, political participation.

The two local women who were honored by the OYMA program were Penland and another young woman from Colorado City, who was also a member of the OYMA program. Each young woman represented by entry in the annual election.

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Mrs. Cullen visited their weekend and funeral of the Scarborough. They were Harvey and Hayslip and Mrs. Terry I land.

Penland, Burtner said outstanding

Connie Penland and Christine Burtner of Colorado City have been selected for inclusion in the 1987 edition of *Outstanding Young Women of America*.

Now in its 23rd year, the OYMA program is designed to honor and encourage exceptional young women between the ages of 21-36 who have distinguished themselves in many fields of endeavor, such as service to community, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments and civic and political participation.

The two local women, along with other outstanding young women throughout North America, were selected after 150,000 nominations were received from political leaders, university and college officials, clergymen, business leaders, as well as from various civic groups and community organizations. Each young woman will be represented by her biographical entry in the annual awards publication.

Culture Club has meeting

On May 12, the Self Culture Club had lunch at the Wallace Center where those 80 years old were honored by the center.

They were given geraniums; others were given begonias.

Pictures of the group were taken in front of an antique stained glass window in the home of Elizabeth Elliott after returning to the home following lunch.

Summer plans were given by the club members; some are taking a foreign trip.

Jewell Tiller led the pledge of allegiance to the U.S. flag and read the club collect.

Later, tea was presided over by Mrs. Elliott.

Present were guests Mrs. Archie Nichols of Baird, Mesquite, District president, and Irene Felt of Arizona and members Jewell Tiller, Dona Reed, Eddie Barclay, Ida Keith, Linnie Williams, Lil Brown, Pearl Watson, Fannie Beeman and Elizabeth Elliott.

Mrs. Payne hosts weekend guests

Mrs. Cullen Payne's daughters visited their mother over the weekend and also attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Jewell Scarborough Miller.

They were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. John Hayslip and a granddaughter, Mrs. Terry Burchett, all of Midland.

Obituaries

Sammy L. Gomez

Funeral services for Sammy L. Gomez, 27, of Colorado City were at 4 p.m. Monday in the St. Ann Catholic Church with Rev. John Busch officiating. Burial was in Mitchell County Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Gomez died Friday in Mitchell County Hospital.

Born Oct. 11, 1960 in Loraine, he had lived all his life in Mitchell County. He was a member of St. Ann Catholic Church and was an oil field worker.

Survivors include his parents, Macarae and Minnie Gomez of Colorado City; and a brother, Robert Gomez of Colorado City.

Mattie Hairston

Mattie Hairston, 94, died Saturday at a Colorado City nursing home. Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Monday at the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel in Snyder with the Rev. Aeron Oden officiating. Burial was in the Dunn Cemetery.

Born in Sterling County, she moved to the China Grove community in 1901.

She was a homemaker, a member of the Dunn Baptist Church, the Order of Eastern Star and was the widow of Joe Hairston.

Survivors include a daughter, Vernice Laster of China Grove; a son, Bill Hairston of China Grove; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Morning Light group meets

The Morning Light group of the United Methodist Women met Sunday afternoon, May 15, at 4 p.m. in the church parlor.

Marie Harkins, the UMW honored member for May, was a special guest.

Peggy Ratliff led the group in their opening prayer. Chairperson Debbie Carlock narrated a film strip, "The Journey of Your Missionary Dollar" which outlined

the procedures used by UMW in the spending of members' pledges for mission work.

After the film presentation, Mrs. Carlock conducted a business meeting.

The next meeting is scheduled for a family picnic Saturday, June 4, at 6 p.m. at the church.

The meeting was concluded with the women singing "Bless Be the Tie That Binds".

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Westbrook group hosts centennial celebration

The Woman's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church in Westbrook hosted a centennial celebration Wednesday, May 11, at 7 p.m.

Theme for the celebration was "A Century to Celebrate, a Future to Fulfill". WMU director Peggy Manning led in opening prayer and presided during the program. She welcomed everyone and gave a history of WMU in Westbrook First Baptist.

The Mission Friends sang "If You're Happy and You Know It". Mission Friends present were Samantha Miller, Connie Koch, April Ginkinger, April Chambers, Jim Bob Hayes, Christa Hayes, Christina Vigil and Priscilla Duran. Other members are Jaci Hill, Crystal Rich, Jim Bob Hale, Timothy Boyd, Sheena Morris, Jenny Wright, Kaci Moody, Kayla Rich, Zack Whitesides and La Aguinaga.

Mission Friends leaders are the

Acteen girls - Lisa Putman, Sherry Putman, Glenda Wallace, Jeran Ware and Linda Cantu. Adult leaders are Belinda Rich and Selissa Hayes.

The first, second and third grade Girls in Action presented a skit entitled "How Old is G.A.?" Members present were Jenny Hines, Sandra Vigil, Amy Singleton, Kristin Moody, Laurie Miller, Billie Jean Needham, Amanda Reyes, Isabel Solice and Rosemary Aguinaga. Other members are Krisha Castillo, Kristian Morris and Marlen Rincones. Their leader is Marlena Rice, who has worked with the Girls in Action organization in Westbrook for 16 years.

The fourth, fifth and sixth grade G.A.'s, Kristi Moore, Sheila Hale, Tami Putman, Laura Conaway and Margarita Aguinaga, presented a skit entitled "Just Another Name?" about Annie Armstrong. Pepper

Hayes, Becky Hawley and Laura Conaway told about "Super Saturday", an area-wide event they attended. Other members are Angel Kelly, Jodie Duran, Patricia Alaniz and Mayola Rincones. Their leader is Joyce Chambers.

A recognition service for the G.A.'s also was held. Receiving "Missions Adventures" badge No. 1 were Margarita Aguinaga, Sandra Vigil, Amanda Reyes, Kristin Moody, Laurie Miller, Isabel Solice, Rosemary Aguinaga and Amy Singleton.

Receiving badge No. 2 were Sandra Vigil, Kristian Morris and Marlen Rincones.

Receiving badge No. 3 were Jenny Hines, Billie Jean Needham, Pepper Hayes, Jodie Duran and Krishan Castillo.

Receiving badge No. 5 were Sheila Hale, Tami Putman, Laura Conaway, Kristi Moore, Becky Hawley, Angel Kelly and Mayola

Rincones.

Bob Hayes led in a prayer of dedication for the G.A.'s.

Baptist Women present were Blanche Bell, Peggy Manning, Marlena Rice, Bessie Shaw, Lucille Stone, Naomi Williamson, Ruth Buchanan, Nell Rollins and Edith Dawson. Peggy Manning spoke on "Reflections" of the past.

Rev. Bob Manning, pastor, led in closing prayer of thanksgiving for a century to celebrate and dedication to a future to fulfill.

A reception was held in the new fellowship hall following the program. The "birthday party" theme was carried out with balloons and crepe paper streamers in the colors of each WMU organization. The refreshment table was decorated in gold and royal purple, the colors of the Baptist Women's organization. Cookies and punch were served by Sherry and Lisa Putman.

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SPIRIT LEADERS-Colorado Middle School Jamborees selected students for Spirit Awards as presented at the annual Sports Banquet last Thursday. They are, left to right, eighth grader Jeanette Sosa, sixth grader Tarsha Scott and seventh grader Monica Minyard.



BETSY MYERS, Hubcaps third baseman, listens to instructions during the opening of Mitchell County UGSA play Monday.

BASEBALL SOFTBALL RESULTS

Minor League	
Monday, May 9	
Wildcats 17	Blue Sox 10
Tuesday, May 10	
Minor League	
Mustangs 6	Cubs 3
Thursday, May 12	
Minor League	
Wildcats 11	Mets 10
Cubs 6	Lions 4
Friday, May 13	
Minor League	
Steers 7	Blue Sox 6
Mustangs 17	Colts 0
Saturday, May 14	
T-Ball League	
Angels 36	Tigers 14
Yellowjackets 21	Royals 1
Monday, May 16	
Minor League	
Wildcats 15	Lions 7
Freshman League	
Yankees 18	Pirates 9
UGSA	
I Dumplins 8	Angels 7
II Hubcaps 16	Angels 15

Lain sets world record

Kenneth Lain, former resident of Colorado City, established a world weight lifting record during the Baddest Bench in Texas competition held in Longview, Texas May 7.

Lain, 30 and a 1976 graduate of Colorado High School, was one of over 100 lifters competing at the World Bench Press Confederation meet. Lain, who weighs 272 pounds, competed in the 275 lb. division and broke the WBPC record of 590 lbs. with a lift of 593 lbs.

"I've done 600 pounds before," said Lain Tuesday from his office where he and wife Sherri own and operate Abilene's World Gym, "but I'm playing it safe. I got 593 on my fourth try. You're only allowed three tries unless you're trying for a world record."

Lain, who also judges meets, is a professional bodybuilder and has operated World Gym for one and a half years. "I'm enjoying it," said Lain. "I'm just benching during the bodybuilding off-season."

Other contests he has won this year are the Spring City Open with a lift of 525 lbs., the San Angelo Open with 535 lbs., the Lubbock Open with 551 lbs. and the Lone Star Bench Classic with 545 lbs.

He will be competing in Dallas, Texas September 24 at the World Bench Press Championships and expects to break the record again with a 615 lb. bench press.

Kenneth Lain is the son of Bill Lain of 1324 Oak in Colorado City.

SCHEDULE

Thursday, May 19	
UGSA	
II Wham vs Hubcaps, 6 p.m.	
II Angels vs Blazers, 7:30 p.m.	
Minor League	
Steers vs Mustangs, 6 p.m.	
Freshman League	
Yankees vs Astros, 8 p.m.	
Friday, May 20	
Freshman League	
Rangers vs Dodgers, 6 p.m.	
Indians vs Pirates, 8 p.m.	
Saturday, May 21	
T-Ball	
Yellowjackets vs Angels, 9 a.m.	
Tigers vs Royals, 10:30 a.m.	
Minor League	
Cubs vs Mets, 6 p.m.	
Blue Sox vs Colts, 8 p.m.	

STANDINGS

Through Monday, May 16	
Freshman League	
Yankees	1-0
Pirates	0-1
Minor League	
Wildcats	3-0
Mustangs	2-0
Steers	1-0
Cubs	1-1
Colts	0-1
Mets	0-1
Blue Sox	0-2
Lions	0-2
T-Ball	
Angels	1-0
Yellowjackets	1-0
Tigers	0-1
Royals	0-1
UGSA	
Division I	
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Division II	
Hubcaps	1-0
Angels	0-1

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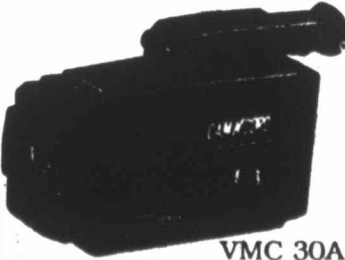
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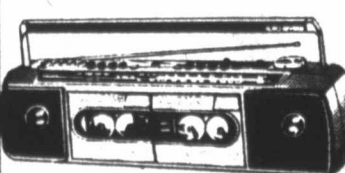
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Sports

Hutchinson School Play Days held

The annual Hutchinson School Play Days were held at Wolf Stadium last week with home-room champions crowned for three grade divisions.

Mrs. Moore's room won the fifth grade division with 50 points. The fourth grade division ended in a tie for first place between Mrs. Campbell's and Mrs. Billings' rooms. First place in the third grade division went to Mrs. Sanders' room.

Here are the complete results of the 1988 Hutchinson School Play Days:

Fifth Grade

400 Meter Dash

Girls-1. Amanda Alvarez; 2. Bethany Bridgford; 3. Lynda Ruth; 4. Jeanette Ceballos; 5. Shauna Wolford
Boys-1. David Hernandez; 2. Tyrone Ridge; 3. Daniel Silva; 4. Justin Bradbury; 5. Bobby Ruth

Trash Can Relay-1. Mrs. Nitch; 2. Mrs. Hardegree; 3. Mrs. Moore; 4. Mrs. Carroll; 5. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell

Frizbee
Girls-1. Ann Ruiz; 2. Shannon White; 3. Tracie Johnson; 4. Becky Silva; 5. Jerilyn Graham

Boys-1. Jesse Gutierrez; 2. Robbie Parras; 3. Julian Mendoza; 4. T.J. Brown; 5. Cory Carlock

4-Legged Relay-1. Mrs. Moore; 2. Mrs. Carroll; 3. Mrs. Hardegree; 4. Mrs. Nitch; 5. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell

Bat-O-Round Relay-1. Mrs. Carroll; 2. Mrs. Moore; 3. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell; 4. Mrs. Nitch; 5. Mrs. Hardegree

Papa Feed the Baby-1. Lori Dockery/Kyle Chambers; 2. Lori Martinez/Tim Edwards; 3. Melissa Bennett/Shawn Pilcher; 4. Emma Molina/Jason Castillo; 5. Cathy Pietzsch/Jeffery Stockton

Shuttle Relay-1. Mrs. Carroll; 2. Mrs. Nitch; 3. Mrs. Moore; 4. Mrs. Hardegree; 5. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell

Rhumba Toss-1. Terra Austin/Joey Mireless; 2. Meghan Pace/Jody Beavers; 3. Misty Hall/Zac Wall; 4. Lori Dockery/Rusty Blair; 5. Josephine Mendoza/Josh Franco

Tug-O-War-1. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell; 2. Mrs. Moore; 3. Mrs. Hardegree; 4. Mrs. Nitch; 5. Mrs. Carroll

50 Meter Dash
Girls-1. Traci Smith; 2. Valerie Sanchez; 3. Michelle Martinez; 4. Mikki Bolts; 5. Linda Limones

Boys-1. Brad Hartman; 2. Lewis Martinez; 3. Eli Ornelas; 4. Heath Mann; 5. Josh Franco

100 Meter Dash
Girls-1. Tracy Scott; 2. Cheryl Birmingham; 3. Nikia Jackson; 4. Kamie Lamb; 5. Bobbie Jean Richmond

Boys-1. Eddie Martinez; 2. Chris Green; 3. Freddie Lara; 4. John Forbes; 5. Jason Holloway

Catepillar-1. Mrs. Carroll; 2. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell; 3. Mrs. Hardegree; 4. Mrs. Nitch; 5. Mrs. Moore

Balloon Toss
Girls-1. Misty Sullivan/Bonnie Jernigan; 2. Sandy Garza/Stacy Jones; 3. Renee Forbes/Jaime Ward; 4. Angela Turner/Traci Compton; 5. Melissa Williams/Melissa Goss

Boys-1. (tie) Cory Carlock/Frank Casares and Phillip Garcia/Allen Rivera; 3. Jeremy Rivera/Allen Waldrip; 4. Jody Beavers/Bruce Evans; 5. Marco Mendoza/Dalton Cox

400 Meter Relay
Girls-1. Mrs. Carroll; 2. Mrs. Moore; 3. Mrs. Nitch; 4. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell; 5. Mrs. Hardegree

Boys-1. Mrs. Nitch; 2. Mrs. Moore; 3. Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell; 4. Mrs. Carroll; 5. Mrs. Hardegree

Team Standings in Order of Finish: 1. Mrs. Moore 50, Mr. Parras/Ms. Harrell 52, Mrs. Nitch 55, Mrs. Carroll 64, Mrs. Hardegree 71

Fourth Grade

300 Meter Run
Girls-1. Jessica Graybill; 2. Shannon Barton; 3. Adria Rivera; 4. Crystal Parham; 5. Amy Sanchez

Boys-1. Frank Espinoza; 2. Adam Ybarra; 3. Cole Lindsey; 4. Ryan Costabile; 5. Joey Sosa

Trash Can Relay-1. Mrs. Billings; 2. Mrs. Chesser; 3. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades; 4. Mrs. Campbell; 5. Mrs. Perkins

Frizbee
Girls-1. Sarah Santana; 2. Traci Turnbow; 3. Kim Russell; 4. Tabitha Gonzales; 5. Angie McKee

Boys-1. Michael Creech; 2. Chris Martinez; 3. Drew Finch; 4. William Golden; 5. Cade Hammond

4-Legged Relay-1. Mrs. Campbell; 2. Mrs. Perkins; 3. Mrs. Billings; 4. Mrs. Chesser; 5. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades

Bat-O-Round-1. Mrs. Perkins; 2. Mrs. Billings; 3. Mrs. Campbell; 4. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades; 5. Mrs. Chesser

Papa Feed the Baby-1. Melissa Bell/Jesse Seltera; 2. Melanie Bell/Ronnie Arispe Jr.; 3. Jaime Cox/Tony Coronado; 4. Glenda Rivera/Cade Hammond; 5. Connie Salazar/Brandon Edwards

Shuttle Relay-1. Mrs. Campbell; 2. Mrs. Billings; 3. Mrs. Perkins; 4. Mrs. Chesser; 5. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades

Rhumba Toss-1. Jennifer Smith/Stephen Hill; 2. Shannon Barton/William Hickson; 3. Crystal Wood/Michael Molina; 4. Mary Ruth/Chris Martinez; 5. Susan Hartman/Ronnie Arispe Jr.

Tug-O-War-1. Mrs. Campbell; 2. Mrs. Perkins; 3. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades; 4. Mrs. Chesser; 5. Mrs. Billings

50 Meter Dash
Girls-1. (tie) Shante Boger and Margo Tammen; 3. Angela Pharris; 4. Brandi Parker; 5. Christina Hinn

Boys-1. Dusty Robinson; 2. Jake Burson; 3. Welvin Ross; 4. Michael Hoyle; 5. Jesse Rivera

100 Meter Dash
Girls-1. Freda McKnight; 2. Alicia Key; 3. Rosland Green; 4. Shaki Ausbie; 5. Krissy Crawford

Boys-1. Jesse Dominguez; 2. Stephen Payne; 3. Jerrey Epperson; 4. Lynn Boyd; 5. Moses Lara

Catepillar-1. Mrs. Campbell; 2. Mrs. Perkins; 3. Mrs. Billings; 4. Mrs. Chesser; 5. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades

Balloon Toss
Girls-1. Leslie Turnbow/Tia Bassham; 2. Gina McCartney/Tabitha Gonzales; 3. Adrienne Hartman/Lori Martinez; 4. Connie Salazar/Deanna Regalado; 5. Carrie Perkins/Betsy Myers

Boys-1. Chris Denson/Joe Martinez; 2. Jarrod Epperson/Tony Coronado; 3. Dan Morgan/Drew Finch; 4. Chris Martinez/Anthony Lara; 5. Brad Dockery/Chip Taylor

400 Meter Relay
Girls-1. Mrs. Billings; 2. Mrs. Campbell; 3. Mrs. Perkins; 4. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades; 5. Mrs. Chesser

Boys-1. Mrs. Campbell; 2. Mrs. Billings; 3. Mrs. Chesser; 4. Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades

Eades; 5. Mrs. Perkins
Team Standings in Order of Finish: (tie for first) Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Billings 46, Mrs. Perkins 59, Mrs. Chesser 63, Mrs. Holman/Mrs. Eades 68

Third Grade

200 Meter Run
Girls-1. Jennifer Martinez; 2. Tina Pineda; 3. Caci Joiner; 4. Nicki Riggs; 5. Jessica Standifer

Boys-1. Benito Barton; 2. Junior Molina; 3. Jeremy Munoz; 4. Trey Erwin; 5. Ricky Silva

Trash Can Relay-1. Mrs. Robinson; 2. Mrs. Greenlee; 3. Mrs. Weaver; 4. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees; 5. Mrs. Sanders

Frizbee
Girls-1. Tammy McCartney; 2. Leslie Tyrec; 3. Sara Ortiz; 4. Melissa Rivera; 5. Jennifer Mendoza

Boys-1. Justin McGaha; 2. Bobby Joe McKinney; 3. Robert Garza; 4. Jerry Melendez; 5. Chris Cain

4-Legged Relay-1. Mrs. Robinson; 2. Mrs. Greenlee; 3. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees; 4. Mrs. Sanders; 5. Mrs. Weaver

Bat-O-Round-1. Mrs. Sanders; 2. Mrs. Robinson; 3. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees; 4. Mrs. Greenlee; 5. Mrs. Weaver

Papa Feed the Baby-1. Jaime Ellis/Robert Ornelas; 2. Ava Ramirez/Marcus Sanchez; 3. Georgia Martin/Jeremy Grimes; 4. Jennifer Martinez/Tony Sherwood; 5. Brooke Ritchey/Charles Lamb

Shuttle Relay-1. Mrs. Robinson; 2. Mrs. Sanders; 3. Mrs. Weaver; 4. Mrs. Greenlee; 5. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees

Rhumba Toss-1. Sarah Silva/Jason Parker; 2. Nan Bassham/Joe Ross Jameson; 3. Rita Orona/James Hearin; 4. Veronica Ruiz/Stephen Rivera; 5. Mandi Waldrip/Timothy Garrett

Tug-O-War-1. Mrs. Sanders; 2. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees; 3. Mrs. Weaver; 4. Mrs. Greenlee; 5. Mrs. Robinson

50 Meter Dash
Girls-1. Naomi Martinez; 2. Cecilia Davila; 3. Nicole Fortuna; 4. Kimberly Abbott; 5. Crystal Nelson

Boys-1. Brad Anderson; 2. Cody Carpenter; 3. Sammy Gardeau; 4. Gabriel Vasquez; 5. Buddy Huff

100 Meter Dash
Girls-1. Monica Garcia; 2. Denise Scott; 3. Sheree Pascal; 4. Kristy Martinez; 5. Victoria Turner

Boys-1. Zeke Luevanos; 2. Cole Watson; 3. Lance Dockery; 4. Tim Pierce; 5. Jason Walla

Catepillar-1. Mrs. Weaver; 2. Mrs. Greenlee; 3. Mrs. Sanders; 4. Mrs. Robinson; 5. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees

Balloon Toss
Girls-1. (tie) Velma Moreno/Jennifer Mendoza and Isabel Beltran/Patty Lara; 3. Lee Ann Ramage/Soldad Marcedo; 4. Lee Ann Upshaw/Miranda Sadler; 5. Kelly Younger/Nikki Howell

Boys-1. (tie) Jaime Gutierrez/Teddy Martinez and Brian Williamson/Wiley Forbes; 3. Eric Molina/Stephen Rivera; 4. (tie) Michael Pharris/Justin McGaha and Marvin Espinoza/Mando Garcia

400 Meter Relay
Girls-1. Mrs. Sanders; 2. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees; 3. Mrs. Robinson; 4. Mrs. Weaver; 5. Mrs. Greenlee

Boys-1. Mrs. Greenlee; 2. Mrs. Sanders; 3. Mrs. Robinson; 4. Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees; 5. Mrs. Weaver

Team Standings in Order of Finish: Mrs. Sanders 46, Mrs. Carpenter/Mrs. Rees 57, Mrs. Greenlee 60, Mrs. Robinson 61, Mrs. Weaver 68



BALLOON TOSS-Third grader Wiley Forbes (center) concentrates on Brian Williamson's toss during their first place finish at the Hutchinson School Play Days last Thursday.

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Loraine News

Loraine Personals

...by Lois Phillips

I guess to start with I should correct some things from last week. I omitted a couple of names from A. J. Barron's family. Yes, he did take his wife June and their grandson to the family Mother's Day luncheon.

Jack and Gloria Compton, their daughter Elaine and her son Kelly Ketan of Midland visited with Jack's mother, Mrs. Lynn Compton last Saturday. They also visited with Effie Wheeler and Jimmie Jacks while they were in Loraine.

Jean Fruge also came to visit with Mrs. Compton and the other relatives visiting here. They also visited Shep and Sally Compton. Jean is from Lubbock. She also spent Sunday night in Loraine and went home on Monday.

Ann Preston was in Lubbock on Wednesday and Thursday for her medical checkup. She got a fair report this time. Returning home on Friday, she stopped in Snyder to visit her mother Loretta Voss and her brother and his wife, Bill and Marie Voss. Ann came home to Loraine on Sunday afternoon.

We hear that E. B. Stewart is home from the hospital and doing much better. We hope he will soon be well and fit again.

Lester and Lela Richburg met their daughter and family in Weatherford recently and celebrated Mother's Day with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg went to Andrews on Wednesday afternoon to visit with her brother and his wife, Dennis and Lola Nix. Dennis is not doing very good.

Mrs. Opal Norman is home after a few weeks visiting with her children and grandchildren. She first went to Coleman to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Popnoe. From there she went to Irving to visit another

daughter, Irene Norman and then on to Waco to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Lee, another daughter.

Somewhere in this round she went to Brownwood to visit a grandson, Jeff Popnoe and from there she came home. We are glad she made all these trips and had a good time. It is nice when one's health permits this much going and visiting.

Mrs. Jimmie Jacks and Mrs. Effie Wheeler visited with Jimmie's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Jacks of Waco last week.

Ruby Lee Small went to Snyder last Friday to spend the weekend. While there, she and Barbara went to Barbara's church to a luncheon for the widows, then on Saturday the Senior Citizens had a barbecue, but our gals were not through yet. On Sunday morning, a friend of Barbara's called to ask to take them out for lunch. Ruby Lee reports a very busy yet enjoyable weekend.

All the Richburg clan met in Sweetwater recently to celebrate Virgil Richburg's eightieth birthday. They had their party at the Holiday Inn and enjoyed their meal and all the visiting.

Virgil, we are glad you are still up and going at this age. I sure hope I get that far.

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a picnic recently at the city park.

They had lots of food and visiting. Elnora Mitchell brought along some tapes her daughter has made. Everyone really enjoyed them and to think Judy never let us know she could sing.

Just wait until you come home again, we'll make you pay for this.

Those present were Betty Hackfeld, Elnora Mitchell, Willa Dean Forbus, Doris Graham, Chrystene Britton, Marilyn Tartt, Sally Compton, Faye Lee and the teacher Doris Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg

were in Lubbock last Tuesday visiting with a friend of long standing. She is Mrs. Flo Jenkins.

Bill, Jana and Jon Wing are coming to spend this weekend with her mother, Lela Richburg. The Richburgs will return to Plano with them and get their pickup. It is being repaired from a wreck they had the last time they went to visit the Wings.

The Ready Sunday School Class had a salad supper at the church on Monday night with salads of every description. Mrs. Dominga Galvan said the blessing.

When they had finished eating the cloud was coming in so they decided to go home and finish their program another day.

Those present were Estelle Merritt, Margaret Brame, Billie Schroeder, Mrs. Galvan, Estelle Lee, Ruby Lee Small, Billie Ruth Wiggins, who is the teacher, Bertha Faye Snyder, Geraldine Parnell and Alta Miles.

Bob Pratt of Ruidoso, N.M. came to Loraine on Tuesday afternoon of last week and spent the night with Woodrow and Hazel Pratt. On Wednesday, Carl and Woodrow went to Fort Worth and were joined there by Carl Pratt of Livingston, Texas. They all checked into the Green Oaks Motel as headquarters. Willard Pratt also joined in the visiting and remembering by-gone days. Woodrow and Bob returned to Loraine on Thursday. Bob left Friday morning to return home. They all agreed the "cousin" reunion was a huge success.

Phillip Sanders visited his parents Glen and Shirlene Sanders, Sunday night and went on to Santa Anna Monday morning to visit his high school coach, Sandy McSpadden. He will return to Alpine on Thursday night where he will work through the summer.

Elementary band receives high mark

On Saturday, May 14, the Loraine Elementary Band traveled to Snyder for the Snyder Band Festival. The band, comprised of fifth and sixth grade students, received the highest marks earned by any Loraine band for this festival. The band received a Division II in Concert and a Division II in Sightreading.

A record number of soloists, 20, also competed. They earned the following ratings.

Division I, (also receiving medals) were: clarinets: Natasha Atkins, Krystal Butler, Amber Blair and Leah Woods; trumpets: Dawn Butler and Eddie Calderon; trombone: Craig Finley; baritone: James Lopez; alto sax: Amber Chavez and on snare drum, David Gonzales.

Receiving Division II were: flute: Justin Herrington; oboe: Geory Martin; trombone: Michael Moore, Jesse Rico, Mike Stevens and David Mitchell; trumpet: Joe Leija, Adam Madrid, Steve Gutierrez and Adrian Garcia.

"The kids in the band program have shown tremendous improvement in the last few years. I hope we will be able to retain all of these students in the program so we can build a bigger high school band," said Linda Johnson, band director.

Syble Walker returns home

Syble Walker of Loraine spent 12 days in Odessa visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Jack and Mary Love Allbright, and her grandchildren and families, Jeanie and Paul D. Finn and children and Gordon and Mary Allbright and children.

While in Odessa, she received medical attention.

She had several relatives to visit her while in Odessa. Her brother Bruce and Mary Hart of Odessa, her sister Opal and Ewell Coles, a niece Jane and Charles Lafoon of Irran and niece Amy and Steven Daniel of Midland.

The Allbrights brought her home Thursday, May 12, and visited friends and relatives in Loraine.

Students honored during Spring Fine Arts Festival

On Thursday, May 12, the annual Spring Fine Arts Festival was held. The following students received awards.

Most Outstanding 5th grade band student, Krystal Butler; Most Outstanding 6th grade band students, Natasha Atkins and Dawn Butler.

Nominated into "Who's Who of High School Musicians", were Juniors Joe Alvarez and J. J. Condonco and senior Jolinda Troutt.

Most Improved junior high player, Sheryl Webb, 7th grade; Most Outstanding junior high player, David Mitchell, 7th grade.

Most Improved high school player, Angelica Garcia, 10th grade and John Phillip Sousa Band Award went to Jolinda Troutt, senior.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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Shirley Stafford, City, medical;
Edna Denise Bradbury, City, surgical;
Swenson Boyd, City, medical;
Douglas Smith, City, medical.

May 14

Charlie Harris, Odessa, medical;
Maxine Morris, City, medical.

May 15

Rebecca Merket Piatt, Denton, medical;
Tina Seals, Coahoma, medical;
Donna Diaz, City, medical;
Eddie Dawson, Loraine, medical.

May 16

William Wade Smith, City, medical;
Emilio Godina, City, medical.

Patients Dismissed
May 13

Francis Arellano, City, surgical;
Rafaila Martinez, Loraine, medical;
Cecilia Munoz, Loraine, medical;
David Steele, Whitwell, Tenn., medical;
Edna Denise Bradbury, City, surgical.

May 14

Moises Garcia, City, medical;
Jimmy Dale Worley, City, medical.

May 15

Marthalie Palmer, City, medical;
Lillian C. Vest, City, medical;
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May 16

Douglas Smith, City, medical;
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Howard Nelson

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Virgil Stone

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The Family of Sammy Gomez

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The Family would like to express their sincere thanks to Dr. Roach and the whole staff at Mitchell County Hospital for the care of our loved one during his illness, and to all the friends and relatives for food, flowers and prayers. I would like to leave these words to everyone who knew our dad. I don't know who wrote them, but I won't ever forget them. May God who calls our dear ones home and grants them peace and rest Give you the strength and faith to say that He indeed knows best. God bless each and everyone.

Sincerely,
Opal Francis

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Legal

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Retired teachers install new officers

The Mitchell County Retired Teachers Association met for the final meeting of the year on Tuesday, May 10, in the Wallace Community Center.

A brief business meeting was conducted by president Betsy Aycock. Gene Rowe, Marian Craddock, Mary Ellis and Mrs. Aycock each made a report on the District 18 Drive-In Conference in Odessa.

Dr. Wayne Bonner, District 18 president, presided in the general session. Consultants from TRTA headquarters were Dr. John McFarlane from TRTA and Bob

Keck from TRS Health Insurance. Dr. Edith Littlefield, state president, was a challenging speaker. The speakers reported on the progress made last year and reminded those attending that an increased membership and active involvement in all TRTA programs is important to both retirees and active teachers.

In a brief ceremony, retiring president Mrs. Aycock installed Mrs. Rowe as president, Peggy Ratliff (in absentia) as first vice president, Mrs. Craddock as second vice president, Minnie Lee Moore as secretary and Mrs.

Ellis as treasurer for the year 1988-89.

Mrs. Rowe, in assuming office, promised an interesting and productive year.

Two new members, Florence Bodine and Frances Godwin, were introduced.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Clorene Wiman and Lonie Pruitt.

Others attending were Bertha Minor, Dona Reed, Juanita Coker, Swan Cramer, Fern Coon, Earline Sellier, Frances Cooper, Lucy Thomas, Clara Shoemaker, Mamie Lou New, T.P. Fowler and Nadine Gordon.

Baptist women meet for mission study

The Susan Evermon Baptist Women's Group of First Baptist Church met for mission study in the home of Margaret Bodine Monday night, May 9.

The meeting was called to order by the director, Jessie Mae Merket, who read a poem, "Thanks to God", and then led in prayer.

Catharine Morris presented the calendar of prayer for missionaries who had birthdays on May 9 by using a new WMU Centennial song, "Call Thou Upon Me". The group sang it in unison as a prayer before reading the names of each missionary and praying for something specific for each one.

The WMU Centennial chairman, Billie Margaret Harrison, reported 13 WMU Centennial babies. Those born in this, the centennial, year were dedicated

by their parents in Sunday morning services.

Earlene Sellier reported that preparations are complete and she will fly to Richmond, Va., on Wednesday to represent the Mitchell-Scurry Association at the national Centennial Celebration where she will display the WMU quilt made by the First Baptist Church Colorado City WMU. She will then march in a parade and display the Mitchell-Scurry banner with thousands of other women representing their associations.

Nine women attended the prayer retreat at Circle 6 Ranch and the food allotment from the First Baptist Church was far more than the church quota. Dr. and Mrs. Lee Baggett, missionaries from Mexico, were special guests who spoke on how to pray for those people on the mission field.

The study for the meeting was "The Executives", concerning the five executive directors who have served the WMU since its organization. They are Annie Armstrong, Helen Chrane, Katherine Mallory, Alma Hunt and Caroline Weatherford. Their contributions were discussed by Billie Margaret Harrison, Joann Staley and Betsy Aycock.

Refreshments were served by hostesses Margaret Bodine and Joann Staley.

Others present were Joy Aland, Frances Cooper, Doris Carter and Louree Upton.

Births

Kyle Bradley Fox was born to Rodney and Linda Sue Fox of Colorado City on May 7 at 9:09 p.m. at Mitchell County Hospital.

The new arrival weighed 9 pounds, 4 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Welcoming him home was a sister, Sherri Lynn, 5.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Fox of Colorado City.

Silver Haired Legislature election scheduled May 24

Election day for the second Texas Silver Haired Legislature is Tuesday, May 24. Individuals may vote in their senior citizens centers throughout the area.

Voting is open to all persons who are 60 years or older, a registered voter and who reside in the district in which they are voting. Contact your local senior citizen center for the specific time when voting will be conducted.

Delegates to the Silver Haired Legislature will be elected through the 28 Area Agencies on Aging in Texas. The West Central Texas Council of Governments Area Agency on Aging covers a 19-county region. This region will be sending four delegates to the Silver Haired Legislature when it convenes in September. There will be one legislator from each of three regions and one candidate elected "at-large".

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Hwy. 87 North, Big Spring, TX
Inspection time, Friday, May 20 9-5

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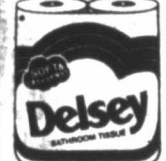
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