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FINALLY, I WANT TO AGAIN RE-EMPHASIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF PUTTING THE PERSON'S TEXAS DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER ON ALL CHECKS. With this information, it is sometimes possible for the County Attorney's Office to locate the issuer of the check. Without this information, it is often impossible to have an out-of-county Defendant arrested, even if we know his correct address and he is almost always impossible to locate him if he has moved.

By following the foregoing rules, you should receive results, and make it easier to prosecute these matters once they are brought to the attention of the County Attorney's Office. It is a criminal complaint concerning a worthless check.

**Procedures In Filing**  
1. Once it becomes necessary to file a bad check complaint, please bring the check and a signed postal receipt or the returned uncashed check to the County Attorney's Office, in which you advised the issuer of the check that he had ten (10) days in which to make payment of the check.

Please remember that the County Attorney's Office may not accept the following types of checks:  
a. Checks where no tax (10) day notice was given by registered or certified mail.  
b. Post-dated or "hold" checks.

c. Checks given in payment of pre-existing debts.  
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e. "Replacement" checks in this regard you should never accept another personal check in exchange for the worthless check which you hold, since this would simply amount to the payment of a pre-existing debt, under your ability to handle this as a criminal matter.

f. Generally, checks drawn on out-of-state banks, unless you are willing to pay (or transport the bookkeeper of the bank here from the state where the bank is located, in order to prosecute this case).

g. Checks not presented to your bank in due course of business; and  
h. Checks received in the mail, since it will be impossible for anyone to identify the issuer of such check.

4. After the check has been turned over to the County Attorney for handling, a letter will usually be sent demanding payment within ten (10) days. If the person pays, the money will be promptly forwarded to you, and, unless the person is a repeat offender,

end of fine foods, music and dancing, and all sorts of special entertainment in the best Czech tradition.

The big spring celebration begins at noon on Friday, April 15 and continues through mid-night on Sunday, April 17. The Rosenberg-Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce, the sponsor of the event, expects a crowd of over forty thousand to gather at the fairgrounds during the three-day event.

Inquiries or requests for a detailed schedule of events should be directed to the Rosenberg-Richmond Area Chamber of Commerce, 1939 Avenue H, Rosenberg, Texas 77471. The telephone number is (713) 342-5466.

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# FHA-Hero Week To Be Observed Mar. 27-Apr. 2

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Future Homemakers of America throughout Texas will observe Texas FHA-Hero Week March 27-April 2. Using the theme "FHA Shapes an Unfinished World," the more than 75,000 young men and women will be demonstrating projects that have real value for youth in preparation for future responsibilities.

Future Homemakers of America is one of six vocational education youth organizations. A part of the junior and senior high school homemaker curriculum, it provides meaning and motivation for youth working toward educational goals related to consumer home-making and home economics for gainful employment and reaches beyond the classroom to the home and community.

State President Phyllis Cierro explained that the overall goal of the organization is "to help youth assume their roles in society through good citizenship, family life, vocational preparation and community involvement." In other words, she said, "it helps us develop leadership, good citizenship, and prepare for the vital work of our country. In our FHA and HERO chapter meetings we analyze member concerns and then develop projects that are related to our home economics classroom studies.

Many people have no idea that is taught in homemaker classes today. It isn't just cooking and sewing. It's learning about living, teaching us how to cope with the dual role of homemaker and wage earner in today's fast paced society. During this week we want to impress on people the importance of vocational education and of Future Homemakers of

America as a part of homemaker education in preparing us for future living."

Future Homemakers of America was founded June 11, 1945 as an incorporated, nonprofit organization supported by membership dues. There are two types of chapters: FHA chapters place the major emphasis on consumer education, homemaker and family life education combined with exploration of jobs and careers. HERO chapters, taking the lead from home economics related occupations, place major emphasis on preparation for jobs and careers with recognition that workers also fill multiple roles as homemakers and community leaders.

Nationwide in membership and effort, Future Homemakers of America is the U.S. Office of Education through the Division of Vocational and Technical Education and the American Home Economics Association. High school home economics teachers, members of the state home economics education staff and leading home economists serve as advisers to chapter, state and national youth officers, giving guidance and counseling to the program.

The national headquarters is located in Washington, D.C.

The Texas Association is sponsored by the Texas Education Agency, Austin, Texas. Mrs. Elizabeth F. Smith is the State Director of Home Economics Education and Mrs. Betty Roman is the State-Adviser of the Texas Association.

Very truly yours,  
Donald N. Bondy  
County Attorney of Colorado County, Texas

**Mrs. Douglass Named To Okla. Council**

Governor David Boren has appointed Marilyn Sue Lacy to the Arts and Humanities Council. The council is an informational, coordinating and finding arm of the State Government that is charged with encouraging the arts and humanities in the state.

Mrs. Douglass, the former Marilyn Sue Lacy, is a graduate of Altus High School. She is a Magna Cum Laude graduate of Oklahoma Baptist University where she received the Bachelor of Music Degree. She is listed in the 1976 edition of Outstanding Young Women of America. A leader in church, community, and civic life, Mrs. Douglass is a former missionary to Brazil. She is the mother of a son, Brooks, and a daughter, Leslie. She is married to Richard B. Douglass, pastor of Putnam City Baptist Church of Oklahoma City and president of the Baptist General Convention of Oklahoma. They reside at 9205 Brentford Avenue in Oklahoma City.

# Free Car Wash

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The Columbus girls' golf team fired a 359 total to win first place in the Rice High School golf tournament held Saturday in misty weather on the Eagle Lake Inter-County Center course. Dadeville's girls dropped to fourth, 408. Second place in the meet went to the Louise girls for a 384 total, third to Industrial for a 391 total, and fourth to the Houston girls for a 401 total.

Technical golfers and medalist honors with Marlene Herick the team's top scorer with an 87 and Laura Anderson with 92. Tammy Trapp of Dadeville shot a 94 and Kaylie Calhoun a 95, top scorers on the individual score.

Herick's earlier hole-in-one scored for the girls' golf team a 359 total, 10 strokes ahead of Dadeville's 369. Peggy Leopold, 155, and Kaylie Calhoun, 160, finished the team's top scorers in the individual event. Dadeville's 369 total was 10 strokes ahead of Industrial's 379.

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# Winners In Track Meet Sat.

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A game between Rice and the Alief Elsie JVs scheduled for April 7th was cancelled. In the final games of the non-district competition, the Raiders lost to Columbia in the Raider diamond last Friday by a score of 8 to 1. Monday they dropped a 7 to 0 decision at Bellville, and on Tuesday lost to Katy in Katy, 4 to 0.

In the Columbia contest John Grammer started on the mound and was relieved in the sixth by Steve Epps. Six errors hurt the Raiders.

The only Rice score came in the third when Grammer got on first on an error and scored on another error, Columbus scored three times in the first, 2 in the second, 1 in the fourth, added 2 in the fifth to win the game.

The Raiders picked up three hits, one each by Wayne Briscoe, Tom Balusek, and Steve Epps. Ricky Kraystyn, catcher for the Raiders, is out of action for the season with a broken finger. Tommy Balusek is filling the catcher's position for the Raiders.

The Raiders dropped a 7 to 0 decision to Bellville in Bellville Monday. Steve Epps struck out 6 and walked 6, but he was tagged for ten hits. Coach Garza played good ball defensively but were unable to get hits. Grammer collected one hit and Bruno Shinek two.

Columbia was first with a time of 10:17, Johnson of Rice was second and Wicks fifth. In the 400 yard run, Lester Pettus of Rice won first with a time of 5:74. Gus Moreno of Rice was fourth. In the 250 yard intermediate hurdles Johnson of Rice won first with a time of 2:23. Johnson of Rice was third and Wicks fifth. In the mile run, Amione of Edna won first in the time of 5:23.9 and Ernest Ramirez of Rice was third. Jim Hest fourth and Robbie Cook fifth. In the mile relay won by Rice in the time of 3:45.5, members of the Rice team were Appell, Long, Moreno and Pettus. Columbus finished second, Wharton third and Edna fourth.

**TROPHIES PRESENTED**  
Individual trophies were presented to first, second and third place winners in each event by cheerleaders Brenda Kallins and Julia Thomas. Also large trophies went to the winners of the 400 and mile relays and also to the top team in each division.

Due to the wet weather, a square meet was on hand for the meet activities. Coaches Rice and Mackey extended thanks to all who assisted as timers and judges and to the school's table, and to those who braved the bad weather to come out to cheer their favorites in the events of the meet.

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