

## Texas Crop Weather Report

Hot and dry conditions continued throughout the state with scattered showers in South Texas and the Panhandle.

Cotton continued to progress in the High and Low Plains as harvest continued in the Coastal Bend and Lower Valley as weather permitted.

Corn continued to progress in some areas of the state as harvest for silage was in full swing in most areas of the Panhandle.

The pecan crop was looking strong in the Blacklands and South Central Texas, but problems with limb breakage and pecan scab were evident.

Soil moisture was adequate in most areas of the state. The Panhandle and South Texas received the most rain with 0.25 to 3.0 inches of rainfall. Trans-Pecos received 0.01 to 2.0 inches of rainfall.

South East Texas received 0.01 to 0.25 inches of rainfall. The Blacklands, North East Texas, and Central Texas received the least amount of rainfall with zero to 0.01 inches of rainfall.

Hay cutting and baling was in full swing across most areas of the state. Ranges and pastures continued to be in good condition with some areas of the Blacklands and Trans-Pecos starting to dry out.

Livestock remained in good to excellent condition in most areas of the state.

### Field Crops Report Cotton

Cotton remained in good condition in the High Plains as it continued to progress and set bolls.

Cotton was blooming and setting bolls in some areas of the Southern Low Plains with some reports of fall army worms becoming a concern.

Harvest continued in the Coastal Bend and the Lower Valley as weather permitted with good yields reported. Cotton condition was mostly fair to good statewide.

Corn: Harvest for grain continued to be in full swing in the Blacklands and South Central Texas with good yields reported.

Statewide, corn condition was mostly good to excellent. Sor-

ghum: Sorghum was doing well as irrigation continued in the Northern High Plains.

Sorghum remained in good condition in the Southern High Plains as it was approaching harvest.

Harvest continued in most areas of the Blacklands. Harvest continued in South Central Texas with high yields reported, but the quality was a concern due to excessive wet weather.

Harvest continued in South Texas. Sorghum conditions were mostly fair to good statewide.

### Fruit, Vegetable and Specialty Crop Report

Pecans continued to look good in the Cross Timbers despite some reports of scab.

The pecan crop was looking strong in the Blacklands, but problems with limb breakage and pecan scab were evident.

Pecan growers were shaking trees to trim the load in South Central Texas to reduce limb breakage.

### Livestock, Pasture and Range Report

Livestock continued to be in

good condition across most areas of the state.

Hay cutting and baling was in full swing across most areas of the state, but quality was a concern in some areas.

Ranges and Pastures remained in good condition in most areas of the state as some pastures were beginning to turn brown and dry up in some areas of Trans-Pecos and the Blacklands.

Statewide, range and pasture conditions were mostly fair to good.

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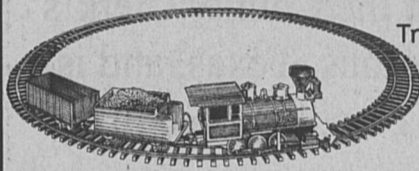
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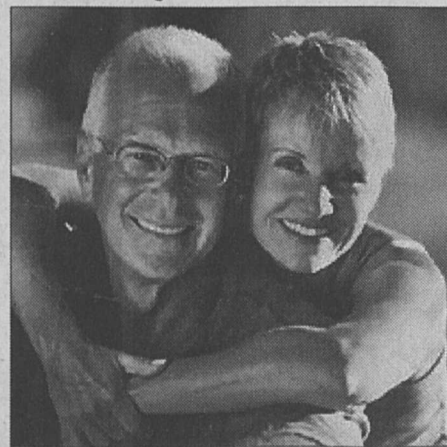
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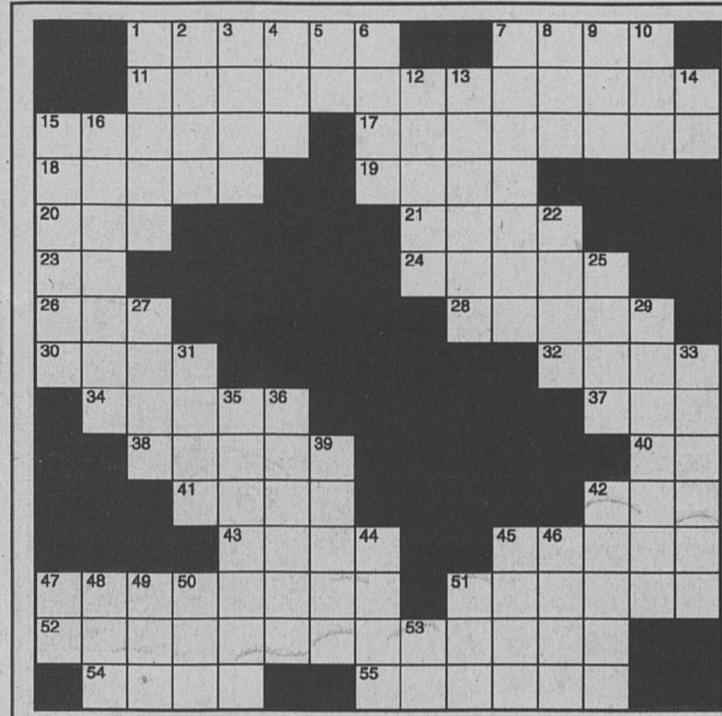
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### CLUES ACROSS

- Abilities
- Restaurant
- Settled conclusively
- Flew alone
- Fragrant
- Activities prior to painting
- itation: irregular beat
- Radioactivity unit
- Missing soldiers
- Indicates position
- Artery
- A quantity of no importance
- Roebuck's partner
- Usually used with gobby
- Spoken in the Dali region of Yunnan
- Approaches
- Car mechanics group
- Scottish hillsides
- One thousandth of an ampere
- Accelerated Strategic Computing Initiative
- Foot (Latin)
- Glass in a window or door
- Rope knot used to catch small game
- To be next to
- Deviates
- Portable timepieces
- Trade name for daminozide
- Esprit de corps

### CLUES DOWN

- Repaired shoe
- TV station in N. Platte, NE
- Frosts
- A type of digital display
- Laker's city (abbr.)
- Clothing fastener
- Represent as similar
- Famous coach Parseghian
- Obese
- Lilly, drug company
- Not a comedy
- Portable cases
- Not caps
- Bounded
- Address
- Knife thrust
- Son of Poseidon, T
- Jacques, German physiologist
- Far East domestic cat
- 1/100 of a Yugoslavian dinar
- Terminates
- Rougher voice
- Ratio of the hypotenuse to the adjacent side
- Tendon
- Composure under strain
- Mild yellow Dutch cheese
- Ryukyu Islands city (Japan)
- Russian city
- Associated press
- Arrived extinct
- IBM mainframe language
- W. Russian river
- A tape recorder and player for TV
- Not from

## Fine Art Deadline Sept. 7

Residents of Colorado County are invited to enter the Art Show, Photography Contest and the Western Art Contest to be held in conjunction with the county fair, September 13-16.

The Art Show will offer divisions for pre-school, youth art from elementary through high school and for adult amateurs. The show is open to all subject matter and media, including sculpture.

All work will be judged on its own individual merit. First, second and third place ribbons will be given.

All blue ribbon works in each division will compete for a Best of Show rosette to be awarded the most outstanding entry in each division.

Further information can be obtained from Art Show Chairman Deborah Petrosky at 979-732-3564.

The photography contest is open to youth and adults. The youth will be divided into three groups for judging: primary, ages 4-8; junior ages 9-13; and senior ages 14-18.

The adult entries will be grouped into three sections amateur, semi-professional and professional.

Color and black and white photographs will be accepted. Adult entries must be enlarged to 8x10 inches or larger. Youth entries need not be enlarged but must be mounted or matted so they can be hung.

Additional information is available for Photography Contest Chairman Patsy Warschak at 979-732-3823.

All elementary, junior and senior high school students attending Colorado County schools are eligible to enter the Western Art Contest.

All work must depict a western theme. Elementary, junior high and high school work will be judged separately.

There will be three sections in the contest illustrations, cartoons, and three-dimensional work such as sculptures made of clay or other types of constructions. Students may enter one piece in each section, if they so desire.

There is no entry fee for the Western Art Contest. Chairman Melissa Kilpatrick can be reached for additional information at 979-732-8781.

Entry forms and fair catalogues with complete rules for all three contests are available at the County Extension Office and Potter's Western Store in Columbus, Weimar City Hall, First National Bank in Eagle Lake, Heinsohn's Store in Frelsburg, Bernardo Farm and Ranch Supply, Larry's Super Service in Garwood, Nada Grocery and Sandy Creek Drive-In in Sheridan.

The deadline to preregister entries in all three contests is Friday, September 7, with no exceptions.

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