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Monday To Be A **General Holiday**

Since Christmas comes this year on Sunday, the following day Monday, will be taken as a holiday by many local business firms, city hall, and the court house.

Slated to be open Monday will be a few service stations, and heart" Neff's Cafe, which is taking Christmas Eve and Christmas Day off.

The following Monday, Jan. 2nd, observed as a holiday by the tude as a mere beginning. Court House and City Hall, but many local stores will be open then because it is a school day. Jan. 2nd is the day students go back to school following the holidays.

Two New Officials To Be Sworn In, Jan. 3

Precinct 4.

These are the only two changes the New Year approaches.

The present county judge, W. R. retire after serving about a dozen hustle and bustle of the crowd. years in that office.

Judge Bearce was given special recognition at the court house of this week.

High Sch. Honorees

At the High School party held Monday evening in the Memorial Building, Kaye Sanders was presented as Miss EHS, and Chris Mcular Boy, as highlight of the event.

The Spirit of Christmas Have you ever wondered exactly what someone means when they

express the wish that "the spirit of Christmas reach into every

One thing is for sure. The spirit of Christmas cannot be summed up in a single word. It encompasses the day after New Year's, will be joy, peace, faith, hope, and grati-Christians, of course, rejoice in the true meaning of Christmas. It

is the birthday of the Savior-an anniversary of the day on which the Christ Child appeared on earth to show mankind the route to

eternal salvation. We know that Christmas, is essentially, a time of peace. The coming of Christmas has never put an end to a major war or even a Tuesday, January 3rd, at 10:00 minor skirmish, but almost invariin the morning is the time set for ably it does cause men to pause, the swearing in of Tom Ratliff as to think and, more often than not, new County Judge, and Lawrence to pray for peace. If the spirit of Dannheim, as Commissioner of Christmas abounded all year long, there would be no wars.

We know that Christmas is a coming up in the court house as time of faith. It is a time when lost strength and courage may be renewed in the quiet stillness of Bearce, did not seek re-election a church, in the somber darkness in the elections this year and will of a solitary room, even in the

Hope springs eternally from the Christmas message and in the great example of the life and death of Chrsitmas party Tuesday afternoon Christ, there is for all men the Home. promise of greater and a better tomorrow.

There is no more significant time Sanders & McCravey for all of us to count our blessings and, at Christmas, they seem to be more abundant than ever. -ps-

Our Christmas Greeting Paper

Once again the Success brings to a close another year with this

annual Christmas edition today. There appear in this issue the Cravey was announced Most Pop. special Christmas greetings of local merchants, businessmen and inindividuals. These holiday greet-

Miss Sanders is the daughter of ings are presented to you as a Mr. and Mrs. Jerroll Sanders, and means of expressing their best McCravey is the son of Mr. and wishes, their thanks and appreciation to their many friends, custo Other nominees for Miss EHS mers and patrons whom it would be difficult to contact personally, but they are presented with the same thought and sincerity, with you in mind, you can be assured. We have Christmas advertising and features in this issue, along with the regular run of news. On page 2, we take a lengthy and nostalgic look at the year 1908.

Long-time residents who passed on during the year included Mrs. R. A. Evans Sr., O. B. Bradshaw, ohn Williams, Mrs. L. Wheeler, Edna Marstellar, Bill Edmiston, Mrs. Carson West, Mrs. W. L. Mc-Whorter, J. T. Jackson Jr., Jerome Mitchell, Mrs. T. W. Johnson, Miss Tom Pearl Smith, Bert Page, J. L. Ratliff, and Josh Ewing.

These, then, were a few of the news highlights of the year ending: we will carry a more detailed review in our early issues in January.

Post Script

ps The newspaper over at Menard last week devoted a good deal of space to their hospital.

It seems that the people there are very proud of their hospital, and they are concerned now that their facilities do not come up to standards set for Medicare, etc., and they are taking steps to make necessary corrections. One of the things they are considering is the establishment of a "hospital district."

How important they think their hospital is, is brought out by Bob Weddle, publisher of the Menard News, in his front page column last week:

Another important factor in Menard's future-and present-is the Menard Hospital and Retirement

County Judge John Winslow and the commissioners, with the hospital administrators, are pondering for all of us to count our blessings means of bringing the hospital up to Medicare standards.

The approach to improvement has not been determined, but one thing seems clear: the institution and its services must not be jeopardized.

The value of the hospital and retirement home to Menard is manifold. It affords employment and source of livelihood to many per-

It puts into circulation in the ation, has ranched in Schleicher community a sizeable payroll. It brings people to Menard from 9,000 acres of ranchland in this neighboring towns; they spend

Showmanship Trophy To Walter Speck



WALTER SPECK, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speck, Jr., is shown with the Showmanship Trophy he received in the show here last week.

New TS&GRA President Final Pre-Holiday



HOWARD DERRICK

Howard Derrick of Eldorado, newly-elected president, of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Associ- Friday, Dec. 23rd. county since 1950. He operates Sonora Wins State Sonora handed Schulenburg the

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Four From Here Are **TS&GRA** Directors

Four Eldorado ranchmen were re-elected directors of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association at the 51st annual TS&GRA convention in Fort Worth. They were Mont Mertz, Ford Oglesby, Henry Speck, Jr., and Bobby Sykes. Also re-elected was Walter Pope of Fort McKavett. James L. Powell of Fort McKavett is automatically a director because he is a past president

P. K. McIntosh of Eldorado was named an honorary director for life.

Drawing Is Set For 3:00 P. M. Saturday

Following many weeks of promotion, the drawing sponsored by four local merchants will take place Saturday, Dec. 24th, at 3:00 p.m. in front of the Western Auto Associate Store.

The drawing will be for a color T-V set, and holder of the winning ticket must be present to win.

Other sponsors with Western Auto are Hext Foods, the Ratliff Store. and the Mobley Enuo service stations.

Further details are in an ad inside this Success issue.

Old Steward Building Is Being Torn Down

The old Steward building on the Sonora highway is being torn down this week. J. C. Whiteley operated his blacksmith shop in the strucyears ago.

Previously, the building housed the Laird garage, and other as-



Approximately 25 bales were processed at Mikeska Gin here last week, and the total on Monday stood at 1905 bales.

Weather continues clear and dry and occasional bales continue to dribble in.

News Of The Sick



Boss Lion Wimer presided, Mrs. Teere's grade school choral group ture until his retirement a few rendered several selections, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson Page at the piano.

A gift was presented to Mr. and sorted enterprises. Mrs. rred Riley, who cook for the Lions club.

A letter was read giving information about the Mid-Winter Conference set Jan. 13-15 at Kingsland.

Judging in the Christmas decor-ating contest will take place this

Mrs. Billy McCravey.

were Norma Kay Mund, Martha Sue Page, Jacque Davis, Carolyn Wilson, and Cathy Carlman.

Other nominees for Most Popular Boy included Steve Whitten, Bob DeLong, Danny Halbert, Don Charles Taylor, and Jesse Bosman.

The Jr. High party was also held Monday night in the elementary gym, and Rusty Meador was master of ceremonies.

Class favorites presented were: 7th Grade, Archie Nixon and Judy Hanusch.

8th Grade, Roy Jones and Keith Williams, and Mary Lynn McCalla.

The pre-Christmas week found the school students busy with last minute tasks. School was to turn out at 2:30 Wedneday afternoon. Wednesday was also "dress-up' day in the high school.

The Sophomores were first, the Senior second, and the Juniors third in the door decorating contest.

Astronaut Col. Frank Borman who was here on a hunting trip recently, sent a film here for showing in the local school.

The film was shown to the elementary grades Monday, and to the high school students Tuesday.

The Amercian Legion was to deliver candy and the school socks, to Boys Ranch on Wednesday.

310 Voters Register

As of Monday afternoon, there had been only 310 Schleicher County voters who had registered to vote in 1967, in the office of Orval Edmiston.

This shows that voter registrations are continuing to lag in this county as there should be around a thousand to do so by the deadline.

The voter registration time is expand and add new lines. the same as it used to be for paying the poll tax. Deadline for registering is January 31st.

Sheriff Edmiston and his deputies reminded everyone that this month of December is last chance to pay your county and state taxes with the 1% discount. The same discounts also apply to school and city tax payments if you have not already paid them.

is here today, Thursday the 22nd, at the Court House.

No Paper Next Week

We remind our readers that we will not publish a separate issue on Dec. 29th. This Christmas paper is a "two-in-one" issue.

The next Success will go out to readers on January 5th, 1967. -ps-

Year of 1966 Is Closing

The year 1966 is fast fading into highlights:

county hospital, and the first legal steps have been taken to bring the issue to a vote.

Voters approved a bond issue tion is in excess of 75,000. This for school improvements. The new colorful land is adjacent to the Band Hall and Ag. Building are new location. Ray Morgan succeeded Earl Barnett is Eagle football coach. Curtis Humphries succeeded A. M. Whitis as superintendent of copy here at the Success. schools here.

In the business district, Raymon Mobley bought Bennie Harkey's

Enco properties, and Harkey opened a new garage and auto supply in the old Ford location. Ben Keel opened his "Star-K Kitchen" making pricklypear and mesquite jelly,

"delicacies of the Southwest." as R. V. Sheppard opened his own paint and body shop again, and started an ambulance service.

El Dorado Woolens continued to

A new East Side Lions Club was organized in the Lati-American community. Rev. Dan Sebesta moved to Big Spring and the Presbyterians here are seeking a new pastor now. The county reported

itself out of debt. A number of local people were concerned about relatives in Austin when the shootings took place in August on the campus of the University of Texas.

Mrs. A. E. Kent and Granny The Drivers License patrolman Mund observed their 90th birthdays, and Mr. J. H. Emmons observed his 97th.

county and money here for health care and county. He has finewool sheep, Another goods and services as well. True, it isn't far to another hos- cattle and raises registered Quarpital; but in dire circumstances it ter Horses. could be too far.

If the hospital saves one life, it s worth every dollar that it costs man, operating his own plane to during the last eight years it has ranching and business interests. He saved several lives.

vours.

If that should occur, how would you then determine the value of the hospital?

-ps-

"Land of the Navajos" is the title of the painting reproduced on the 1967 issue of the Santa Fe Railway calendar.

The scene depicts a group of history. As the year draws to a Navajos on horseback traveling lose, here were some of the news across their reservation which stretches across 25,000 square Some promotion was done for miles of Arizona and New Mexico. Originally founded in 1868, the Navajo Reservation was inhabited by 10,000 Indians. Today's popula-

Santa Fe transcontinental main in use as a result, and the foot- line where Navajos are a familiar ball field will be moved soon to sight to Santa Fe travelers en route to the Southwest. We are indebted to R. M. Green-

hill, local Santa Fe agent, for the -ps-

Here is a little verse that was included in one of the numerous business house messages that came over our desk in this holiday season. Thought it was worth repeating: ,

"Slow me down, Lord. I am going too fast;

I can't see my brother when he's walking past.

I miss a lot of good things day by day;

don't know a blessing when it comes my way

Slow me down, Lord, so I can talk With some of your angels. Slow me down to a walk-"

GREETINGS

Our warmest wishes to each of you at this Holy Season.

gora goats, commercial Hereford

11.000 in

He is known as a flying ranchthe taxpayer. But the truth is that help him supervise his various LEGION PARTY A SUCCESS

is a director of El Dorado Wool-The next life it saves could be ens, Inc., West Texas Wool and Mohair Association and the First fied success. National Bank in Mertzon.

ir Corps at the end of World War children.

mighter, Linda, 14.

losing end of a 41 to 14 score last week end in the Class A championship play-off.

The game was played at San Marcos and a large crowd of fans from the area attended.

The Christmas party staged by the local Legionnaires for child- Mrs. Ben Keel, has been out of ren Tuesday for the usual unquali-

Mrs. Teele's choral groups sang making some improvement now. A native of El Paso, he operated several numbers, Santa Claus made commercial fertilizer and feed his appearance and bags of candy usiness after his release from the were distributed to about 450 day by Sheppard ambulance, and

I. He moved to the ranch in 1950. Don McCormick served as mas- her home west of town. He is married to the former ter of ceremonies, and the Rev. D. aye Dell Manley of San Angelo. G. Salter gave the invocation. Mrs. home Monday night after spending He has a son, Gary, 17, and a Wilson Page was accompanist at a week in the hospital with a brothe piano.

Ray Boyer, local electrician, was taken to the Sonora hospital late in the day Tuesday. He was undergoing tests Wednesday. Richard Keel, son of Mr. and

school about two weeks with throat infection. He is reported

Mrs. T. H. Alexander was brought home from the hospital last Frishe is continuing convalescence at

Mrs. Lester Henderson came ken wrist.

Eaglettes Champions of Local Tournament

he Eldorado girls won the championship of the Eldorado Basket ball Tournament with a thrilling 31-28 defeat of powerful Forsan. Prior to that the girls took out Del Rio, Ozona, and Mertzon to get a shot at the co-favorites.

Susan Hill was voted the outstanding player of the tournament

as she scored 23 of the 31 Eldorado points in the final game. All Tournament honors went to

Chris Edmiston and Sherry Yates along with Marsha Nunley and Jimmie Wittenburg of Rocksprings; Sue Magee of Balmorhea; Valyncia Conway. Deryl Dunagan, and

Mollie Condron of Forsan; Cora Edna Poe claimed the free throw trophy making 22 of 29 for 78.8% The Sportsmanship award went to Del Rio.

Forsan Throttled

tangle for the first place trophy. ball and Eldorado got the jump. The unexpected was the defensive The ball went down court and afbattle that it turned out to be ter three tries Libby Preston tip instead of an offensive show. For- ped it in to bring it to 26-28. The hit the basket as they needed only stall and as Chris Edmiston and 39 points in the final game to Sherry Yates hemmed Mollie Con-Eldorado guards had other ideas which tied it 28 all. Forsan then about that because they went to began to play for one shot with work on the Buffalo Queens and about 35 seconds. As a forward

For the fifth consecutive year allowed them 4 baskets the first ['rom Forsan attempted to pass the half. Sherry Yates, Nancy Jurecek, Shirley Hubble, and Chris Edmison put on a defensive display that was to be admired by everyone. Forsan didn't get their usual easy shots at the basket nor could they drive effectively. The second half saw them make only 5 baskets.

> The offensive show by Eldorado failed to materialize as Susan Hill hit 3 times the first half and Libby Preston added a free shot to see the half-time score 8-12 in fa-11. vor of Forsan. This is the lowest score for either team this season.

The second half saw an improvement in the Eaglette offense as Susan Hill hit 2, Susan Mobley 1. and Libby Preston 1 and a free shot to make it 20-17 still in favor Mertzon 38-26. f Forsan at the end of the third quarter. In the final stanza connected or 10 points bringing it to The championship game as ex- 24-28 when Forsan began a stall. Yates got 11 to lead that departpected saw Forsan and Eldorado A miscue saw Sherry Yates tie the ment. san had proved their ability to Buffalo Queens again employed a break the team total score for iron on the sideline she fouled ournament games. However, the and Susan Hill took 2 free throws

ball Chris Edmiston tipped it in the air and gave Eldorado possession, she sailed it to Susan Hill who sank a lay-up making it 30-28. Then another foul occurred in which Susan Hill made a free throw to make it 31-28. The remainder of the time Forsan sought two points but never could get it and the Eldorado girls had themselves a championship. Sherry Yates had 13 rebounds, Chris 9, Nancy Kay 5, Shirley 2 and Libby

The Eaglettes had a bad third quarter Saturday morning that nearly got them in trouble before they rallied in the fourth to beat

Susan Hill got 17 points to lead the scoring and Chris Edmiston got 13 rebounds while Sherry

Scoring

Eldorado	10	21	4	13-38
Mertzon —	3	5	9	9-26

Quarter-Final Round

Eldorado beat Ozona for the 3rd time this season 57-22 with everyone getting an opportunity to play. The Eaglettes opened with a 16-1 first quarter as Libby Preston

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Semi-Finals

PAGE TWO

Thursday, Dec. 22 & 29, 1966

Back In Those Good Old Days Of 1908

Memory is the money of the mind. But unlike any other "medium of exchange or measure of value" memory is a currency that isn't devalued by the passage of years. The older a memory gets, the more it is worth to its posses

You've coined a few worthwhile memories yourself if you can look back nearly six decades to the year 1908.

Schleicher county was less than a decade old; this was the mid-way year between the Spanish American war and World War I.

I. Oppenheimer & Co. of San Antonio advertised Sunny Brook, The Pure Food Whiskey, in the Success. The firm would send four Fifths for \$4, Express prepaid.

The Trinity river flooded Dallas, Teddy Roosevelt was President, and the Panama Canal was being built.

Patent medicine ads in The Success: White's Cream Vermifuge, The Guaranteed Worm Remedy Ballard's Horehound Syrup, sold and recommended by B. E. Earle; Chamberlain's Cough Remedy; Dr King's New Discovery, for Coughs and Colds; and Wine of Cardui.

Southwestern Salvage Co. was selling out Winkler C Hudson Co.'s Tax Assessor. entire \$45,000 stock in San Angelo.

January, 1908.—Beavers & Sweatt sold for Will Finley 480 acres of land to J. M. Herring of Wood county, consideration \$1,000. Mr. Herring arrived with his family to take over the place and expected to make a crop.

J. A. Whitten announced for reelection as County Judge, a job he had held for five years. W. C. Benton announced for Clerk, and Dan Murrah and W. M. Holland were on the ticket for Sheriff and Tax Collector.

County Treasurer candidates were O. A. Savage, F. H. Watson, Rex McCormick, and D. H. Kirkland.

County voters approved a \$14,000 bond issue for a new school, by a vote of 75 to 19.

D. M. West and C. S. Dulin of the Press-News in San Angelo visited here.

A son was born Jan. 17th to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Myres. Loss was estimated at about \$15,-

went up in flames at 3:00 one Tuesday morning.

More candidates out were H. W. Finley for Tax Assessor, Lee Martin for Commissioner of Precinct ney, Leatha Milter, Rosie Ester, 3, A. T. Wright for Treasurer, and Florence Matthews, Ollie Hender-W. B. Silliman for Judge.

Watson & Elder advertised Good Wooten. Teams and New Buggies at their Feed, Livery and Sale Stable.



H. H. Whitley.

T. O. Woldert, candidates for Dis-

trict Attorney, staged a debate in

A. F. Luedecke fell 35 feet from

About 300 local citizens turned

out to hear Governor Tom Camp-

T. P. Robinson were hosts at a

C. C. West, J. B. Christian, J. E

Jones and C. H. Murphy were re-

elected school trustees. E. M. Bar-

Mrs. J. F. Smith left for Jones

Willard-Deiterich-Marlin big No-

Miss Sara Earls was graduating

bee was board secretary.

the local Court House.

tors treated him.

speech

ing relatives.

age of 23.

Clerk, and C. C. Doty came out for pens at San Angelo. A 14-pound baby boy was born

Judge Whitten welcomed delegates here for a Teachers Institute. H. L. Meredith discussed, Can Rural Schools Be Placed On a Graded Basis? Others on the program in-cluded S. D. Campbell, Minnie Hayes, J. B. Smith, Pearl Bailey, May McCormick, Kitty Chancey, W. B. Silliman, Laura Hays, Miss Alpha Murrah, and Mrs. Maud

Gattis. Edgar Bird left for Muscogee, Indian Territory, to accept a job. N. C. Hudgens advertised that he did windmill work.

the Holland ranch. Both local doc-B. F. Anderson announced for Sheriff.

D. C. Ogden returned to his ranch near Ft. McKavett after spending winter in San Antonio.

square, as he went from San An-March, 1908.—The Ladies Aid Society served oysters at the Elder by W. B. Silliman. Hotel.

Musicians from San Angelo played at a Social Hop at the Court House. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Will Whitfield, Mrs. I. H. Elder, Mrs. E. C. Haynes, Mrs. G. 000 as Barbee & Isaacs hardware L. Lewis, Misses Lizzie and Carrie store, blacksmith and machine shop McCartney, Lena Whitfield, Hattie Stidham, Clara Davis, Kittie Chancey, Cicile Elder, Ethel Williams, Chrissie and Edna Enochs, Bura Lohmann, Myrtle Smith, May Chason, Lottie Hill, Sopha Petsch and

Also: Ota Smith, Tom Bailey, eed, Livery and Sale Stable. The First National Bank adver- Holland, Orville Conner, Pomp ance at the court house. tised capital stock \$30,000. M. M. Watson, Tom McCartney, Jim Mc-McKnight was president, Wm. Bev- Cartney, Alfred Mills, Adolph and ans was vice-president, and J. B. Lewis Lohmann, Evans St. John, born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garvin. Hill, Jim Lewis, Joseph and Pat Elder, T. L. Benson, Jeff Enochs, from Baylor Female College at Martin Estes, Frank Bissett, Tom Belton. McKnight, Bob Halcombe and A. T. Wright. T. L. Benson Co. advertised Free to All Church Suppers and Society Dinners: Imported Japanese napkins with purchases of Chase & Sanborns High Grade Coffee.

nings Bryan nominated for President

William Mather, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mather of this county, drowned in the South Concho river near Christoval while swimming with two other boys. Allen Palmer, who was a member of Quantrill's band during the Civil War, moved here with his family to make his home. He bought a section of land from his brother, Tom.

Dave DeLong was given the conract for carrying the mail from Eldorado to Thorpe Judge Whitten officiated at the

Frank Murchison and Lee Down

came in from the Territory. On an excursion up Salt River were W. B. Silliman, F. C. Bates Jr., C. C. Doty, Dan Murrah, Ben Anderson, Pomp Watson, Rex Mc-Cormick, O. A. Savage, D. H. Kirkland, A. T. Wright and Tom Williams

August, 1908 .- Clyde Winrow, a tinner from Sonora, was here and F. C. Bates Jr. announced for their 1800 big steers to the stock built tanks for C. C. West, Tom Palmer, and Brice Dabney.

The County Democratic convento Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Williams, tion was held with J. H. Jackson and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. as chairman and W. O. Alexander as secretary. Tom W. Palmer was Jim McKee died at the age of 78. elected delegate to the state con-

Tom Palmer leased his ranch vention, and sold his stock, to C. C. West. Winne Winners in the Democratic Pri-Mrs. Reva DeLong died at the mary included: J. A. Whitten, line. County Judge; W. C. Benton, Clerk;

W. M. Holland, Sheriff: H. W. May, 1908.—L. H. Brightman and Finley, Tax Assessor; and W. T. Conner. Treasurer. A confederate reunion was held

> at Junction. Mrs. A. C. Zainer of Dallas, who

the top of the windmill tower on was traveling in behalf of the San Angelo College Institute, spoke at the Methodist church and the offering taken totaled \$43. S. E. Nicks was building a new

bell speak on the court house \$3,000 house in the West Addition. On August 8th, a daughter was gelo to Sonora. He was introduced born to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Roach.

The Les Scott and Charley Green M. B. McKnight, J. B. Christian, T. L. Benson, F. C. Bates Sr., Dan families fished on the Devil's Ri-Murrah, W. B. Silliman, and Mrs. ver.

Wm. Bevans, banker of Menardgathering at the Elder hotel honor. ville, was here to attend a First ing Gov. Campbell following his National Bank directors meeting. Rev. C. L. Ewing, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Miles, was to preach at a meeting starting here Aug. 28th.

Roy Ogden and his wife of Christoval visited here with Mr. and Prairie to spend the summer visit- Mrs. R. A. Evans.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mills.

velty Show gave an hour's perform-September, 1908.—— Silliman, Campbell & Evans reported sale of Mrs. J. B. Christian and Miss Lottie Hill took a group of Sunday thers to W. L. Rose of Mereta, Tom 800 acres of land for W. W. Stro-School children on a day's outing Green county. Consideration was and picnic at the Vermont pasture. \$2,500. Mr. Rose was to take pos-On May 13th, a 10-lb. boy was



R. L. Mobley ENCO Products

new two-storey building in the Eldorado business district. Ben Alexander and Tom Mc-Cartney returned from East Texas trip. where they traded some horses. Roy Ogden visited here from Christoval.

On Oct. 21, Mr. B. G. Hill and Miss Tempie Deats of Christoval were married in San Angelo. C. C. Walsh, B. C. Jackson and Mr. Sayers of San Angelo stayed at the Elder Hotel here on their way to Sonora where they were contemplating going into the banking business.

November, 1908.—— "William Howard Taft Elected President By Big Majority" was a Success head-

Miss May Wayett became the bride of Brice Dabney in a cere- leicher county cattleman, died at mony in Sonora with the Rev. P. the age of 62 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. D. Swift officiating.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nall on October 31st, a daughter. C. C. West left to attend the Fair in San Angelo.

Consolidation of Eldorado's two banks was discussed, but officials later decided against the merger. Len Cowsert of Kimble county was a guest here of his cousin, Sam the bride of Fayett Murrah with Cowsert. They attended the Fair the Rev. George Nance officiating.

The Commissioners Court met | had an entertainment in the home and certified election returns. De- of Mrs. Dave DeLong. clared elected were J. A. Whitten, county judge; W. C. Benton, dis- born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Isaacs. trict and county clerk; W. M. Hol- Tom Johnson, one of this counland, sheriff and tax collector; H. ty's stock farmers, had his leg Rae, J. T. Jones, W. D. Ake and wagon.

Taylor Neill was honored on his county came in to spend Christ-7th birthday, with several of his mas with Mrs. F. C. Bates.



little friends on hand, including Clay Adams and Troxie Harmond

Byrd, Lee, and Charley Hill, and Mr. Deats, all of San Angelo, passed through here on a fishing

December, 1908 .- On Dec. 5th, the Woodmen of the World here elected the following new officers: Council Commander, J. B. Smith; Advisor Lieutenant, W. M. Holland; Clerk, A. T. Wright; Banker, Joab Campbell; Escort, Frank Bissett; Watchman, Steve Wright; Sentry, Tom McKnight; Manager, M. B. McKnight. Holdover managers: W. B. Silliman and C. C. Doty.

Mrs. R. A. Evans left for Grapeland upon being notified that her father was very ill there.

Joseph Elder made a business trip to San Angelo.

J. D. McGannon, a former Sch-Judge J. A. Whitten officiated at

the wedding of J. F. Ervin and Miss Lela May Heflin.

Dr. P. K. Wynn and Dr. E. L. Batts of San Angelo passed thru here on their way to Sonora where they joined several others on a fishing trip to the Devil's River. Miss Florrie Sheppard became Mrs. J. B. Smith's music class

On Dec. 12th, a 9-pound son was

W. Finey, tax assessor; Joab Camp- broken while on his way home bell, county surveyor; and John from San Angelo with a loaded Lee Williams, Commissioners. Miss Lorena Schooler of Sterling

in San Angelo.

vedding of Mamie Estes and Dan proofs for sale at his store. B. E. Earle and the Masonic Order announced plans to erect a of the Rudd neighborhood.

February, 1908.-Robert Bailey, W. L. Aldwell, L. J. Wardlaw, E. M. Barbee, and R. F. Halbert were elected directors of the Eldorado State Bank. Mr. Bailey was president, Mr. Aldwell vice-president, and J. A. Whitten was cashier. Capital stock was \$15,000.

Brice Dabney left for Wallace to visit home folks.

Mrs. J. M. West advertised beds for rent, 25c each. Hector McKinzie and R. C. Ferguson, two prominent sheepmen,

were here to buy muttons. Funeral services were held at Sonora for a 16-months-old daugh-

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Logan, who was burned to death.



ANDY NIXON WELDING & CONSTRUCTION CO.



W. B. Silliman returned from Dawson and Gaines county where he looked over Schleicher county school land.

Rev. J. M. Earls helped organize to visit relatives. a Baptist church at Bailey Ranch. B. Silliman, J. F. Murchison, Fred Brannan, H. F. Thomson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ake.

lied.

April, 1908.—C. E. Morris was proprietor of the City Meat Market and Lunch Counter, which served chili and short order lunches.

Summoned for Grand Jury: W. T. Conner, A. M. Freeman, W. M. Bearce, J. T. Burleson, W. F. Clark, Carl McWhorter, W. B. Roberts, M. B. McKnight, J. H. Jackson, W. E. Baker, J. H. Brannan, T. G. Chaney, J. H. DeLong, Lee Knight, C. L. Meador, and Bob Hext. Petit Jury: J. A. Allison, B. B.

Alexander, C. S. Bramblett, J. F. Craig, O. K. Enochs, W. L. Edwards, W. W. Barbee, R. P. Hinyard, Chas. Spencer, Tom Johnson, A. F. Luedecke, John Roach, Geo. Tisdale, J. H. Dismukes, A. B. Thomerson, Frank Thomson, Jule Ramsey, T. L. Benson, Arthur Oliver, J. H. Booth, G. E. Cobb, Frank Douglass, J. E. Estes, R. A. Freeman, A. D. Hobbs, John Hill, T. M. Hunt, Geo. Neill, Otis Sims, Pat Elder, E. F. Chick, Tom Williams, Brice Dabney, Will Hill, A. E. Nall, and Pete Whitley.

D. H. Kirkland was advertising his stock of saddles for sale for eash, at his saddle and harness shop.

Mrs. Manda Spencer died. She was born in Illinois in 1851. A The program included music by charge of her school near the son, Charley, survived.

court house steps.

of coffins and hardware at his the court house. placksmith shop.

for the new building for the Woodmen of the World and Knights of Pythias. Ford & West sold the J. E. Mills ranch to W. A. Wood of Brenham for \$33,600. It comprised 14 sections.

June, 1908 .- E. C. Haynes left for Coleman, Denton, and Dallas

J. B. Word and Miss Carrie on his ranch. Attending the Stockmen's Con- Drinkard of Eden passed through [vention from this county were W. on their way to Alpine, El Paso, and other points on a prospecting Millard, M. B. McKnight, J. H. trip. They spent the night with Jim McKee.

The Menardville Messenger re-Mrs. Sara Katherine Whitten ported that an order of Free and speaking at opening exercises. The Fanciful Widowers had been organized there, with Dr. J. B. Mc-Knight, Claude Callen, E. Toepperwein, F. Luckenbach, Buddie Callan and Garland Buck, as charter members.

T. L. Benson Co. was having a sale with 25% reductions for cash. by T. L. Benson Co. On June 15th, an 11-pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. John to enroll in Baylor. Garvin.

E. P. Sweatt and family returned from a fishing trip to the Pecos.

Born, a boy to Mr. and Mrs. John Goad, and a daughter to Mr. and Monday for Junction City to visit Mrs. Al Jones.

Miss Bessie Holland became the bride of Ota Smith with Judge Whitten officiating.

S. H. Andrews reported that he had opened a new blacksmith and machine shop, next to the Success office.

Tom Palmer returned from a visit to Missouri with his brother, Allen.

On June 21st, Alfred Stevens and Miss Cora Spencer were married. Herman West, Oliver Bailey, and Willis Keeton attended a barbecue in Christoval.

July, 1908.—On the 2nd of this month, a Grand Celebration, Bar- Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin, becue and Basket Picnic was held. the Cornet Band, welcome by J. Honig ranch. J. T. (Jake) Brown and Miss A. Whitten, address by Hon. Brown Lillie Mires were married on the F. Lee, candidates' speeches, and Mr. and Mrs. John Goad, died.

ession about the first of Novemi ber.

R. S. Campbell of Kilgore, Ohio, advertised that he would be in San J. R. Griffin started foundation Pure Bred Delaine and Rambouillet rams.

E. M. and W. W. Barbee pur-chased C. E. Morris's City Meat Market and Restaurant.

Dr. Jarnigan, the Sonora dentist, advertised that he would spend ten days here.

John White completed a new residence for S. I. Nicks and started a new one for Brice Dabney

E. R. Ames was proprietor of the Sonora to Angelo' stage line. School opened for the fall term

with Judge J. A. Whitten, F. C Bates, Sr., Prof. J. B. Smith and Rev. A. F. Barnes of Sherwood

teachers were Miss Fannie Johnson, Miss May McCormick, A. O. Beavers, J. O. Conner and J. B. Smith. There were 155 pupils in school.

J. E. Estes brought in the first bale of cotton, which was bought Payne Robinson left for Waco

Frank Meador accepted a posi-

tion as clerk in Mrs. Robinson's store. W. E. Baker and family left

relatives. Mr. Baker ranches west of town about 14 miles in the Elder ranch neighborhood.

October, 1908 .- Tede Cope, 1 of Sonora's commission men, and Eli McClelland of San Angelo, transacted business here.

Capt. Charles A. Dailey died in San Angelo.

Roy Whitfield returned from Rawlanding, La., where he had been working several months. Elihu Jemeyson is having another well drilled on his ranch and will have an elegant ranch home erected in the near future.

On Oct. 3, a son was born to

Miss Stella Bird left to take

R. G. Goad, two-year-old son of races. Carsey's Orchestra was to Col. Wm. L. Black sold 2100 W. M. Bearce advertised a line play for the big closing dance in acres of land to L. H. McCrea of Roby for \$19,000. Sale was ar-

Clarence Miller was leaving for ranged by A. R. Pool. Murchison and Silliman have 13 Denver, Colorado, to attend the W. L. McWhorter was advertis men employed to help them get Convention and see William Jen- ing stove pipes, elbows, and rain



THE ROOF TOP ...

Santa's here ... he's stopping at every house leaving loads of good things.

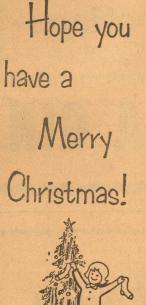
And with Santa's visit comes this special message to wish you all the happy things A Merry Christmas ever brings. May the days ahead of you find all your wishes coming true.

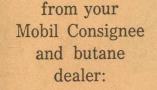




Thursday, Dec. 22 & 29, 1966 THE ELDORADO SUCCESS, ELDORADO, TEXAS

HAPPY HOLIDAYS





Jack Halbert, Jr. and family

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Patton and young daughter of Bryan will visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elder, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Barker and daughter, Jamie Lyn, of Dickinson, Texas, are spending part of the holiday period here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyonelle Ballew, and other relatives.

County Extension News W. G. Godwin, Co. Agent

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better.

much you can give, how much you can put in it? People like that are part of the answer. Some people treat life like a slot

machine, trying to put in as little as possible, and always hoping to This is the season of the year hit the jack pot. But, I believe to reflect accomplishment of the people are wiser, happier, and have past 12 months. During the past more inner peace when they think

year we have watched hundreds of of life as a solid, intelligent investindividuals grow a little more tall ment from which they receive in by having made progress by their own initiative. Schleicher county will be a better place in which free society. to live this year as the result of a

A Prayer At Christmas

co-ordinated effort to make Eldorado and Schleicher county a bet-Give us the faith of innocent ter place to live. Let us make a children, that we may look for-New Year's Resolution to do even ward with hope in our hearts to the dawn of happy tomorrows.

Reawaken the thought that our cherished desires will be realized,

celebration, let us cast aside the

Sgt. Voy J. Mitchell, who has

in England, was married this past

Keeping Christmas Are you willing to stoop down the things closest to our heartsand consider the needs and desires that we may come to an appreciaof little children; to remember the tion of the limitless joys and bounweakness and loneliness of people tiful rewards of Patience, Charity growing old; to stop asking how and Sacrifice.

much your friends love you, and Above all, endow us with the ask yourself whether you love spirit of courage, that we may them enough; to bear in mind the face the perplexities of a troubled things that other people have to world without flinching, imbued bear in their hearts; to try under- with the child-like faith which enstanding what those who live in visions the beautful and inspiring the same house with you really things of lfe . . . and restore the want, without waiting for them to happy hours and experiences so tell you; to trim your lamp so that many of us foolishly believe are

it will give more light and less smoke, and to carry it in front so that your shadow will fall behind faith in our fellow man . . . then, you; to make a grave for the ugly the treasures and beauties of life thoughts and a garden for your that make man happy will spring kindly feelings, with the gate open from an inexhaustible source.

can keep Christmas.

pretense of sturdy men and live, Have you ever asked the ques-if only for a day, in the hope and tion: If every citizen performed joy we knew as children. just as you do, where would the country be? What if every fellow worked at his job the way you Sgt. Mitchell Marries

work, showed the same interest, the same diligence, the same faithfulness, the same skill and disci- been stationed for a number of pline? What would happen to our months with the U.S. Air Force country?

Someone has said there are real- Saturday, Dec. 17th, according to ly two kinds of people: those who are part of the problem and those Further details were unavailwho are part of the solution. able as the Success went to press Do you think only of yourself, this week, but we hope to run a how much you can make, how report later. Sgt. Mitchell is a much you can get out of life? brother of Mrs. Roy Short of this Those who think that way are def- place, and his parents were the nitely part of the problem. Or are you concerned with the Sgt. Mitchell visited here on initely part of the problem.

contribution you can make, how leave early last summer.

from Eldorado

Merry Christmas

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ELDORADO, TEXAS



In Play At Canyon

Fort Worth, Tex.-Peter F. Case Ranch of Eldorado will have Cat- Eldorado appeared as Bashful, one le in competition at the 1967 of the seven dwarfs in the child-Southwestern Exposition and Fat ren's classic, "Snow White and the Stock Show, January 27 through Seven Dwarfs," presented at West February 5. Texas State University Dec. 20.

Stock Show President and Manager W. R. Watt, reports entries Alpha Psi Omega, national drama-for the 1967 exposition are still tics fraternity, for their annual eing counted, "We're hopeful '67 children's Christmas musical. will be another record breaking year for entries; of course it's still Gibson, Miss Gibson is a sophomore a little early to make any definite speech major. rediction," he said. Entries at Ft Worth have averaged over 11,000

Guest star for the 1967 Fort Worth Rodeo will be Festus Hag-gen of CBS-TV's "Gunsmoke."

First Baptist Church

Sunday School Class Coffee

The Mary Martha Sunday School board, touch hands. Class of the First Baptist church The false forget, the foe forgive, held their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Arch Crosby Dec. 16. The rooms were tastefully decorated in the Yuletide colors, with Forget, forgive, for who may say a sparkling Christmas tree and gifts.

The class voted to meet each quarter on the third Wednesday. 59.00 was given to the Lottie Moon Christmas offering, though the members had given individually to this mission fund.

The program was very good. The San Antonio. coffee and fruit cakes were deli cious. Carols were sung by the group as they were leaving. ---Rep.

Around The Christmas Board, Touch Hands Ah, friends, dear friends, as years

go on and heads get gray, how fast the guests do go! Touch hands, touch hands with those that stay.

Strong hands to weak, old hands to young, around the Christmas

for every guest will go and every fire burn low and cabin empty stand.

that Christmas day may ever come to host or guest again. Touch hands!

-William Henry Harrison Murray (1840 - 1904)

Doug Yates expects to spend a few days New Year's visiting in

Gerald Hartgraves recently sold an Aberdeen-Angus bull to J. H. Crouch, Jr., of Midland.



Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District News

What do you want for Christ-mas? This is the question that is asked children of the age that still look forward to Christmas as a time when they receive good things they want.

What would you want for Christmas if you knew your wish would there would be for things we want and some would be for things we really need.

If farmers and ranchers were asked this question and knew they would receive what they want and need most, there is no doubt that the majority of the wishes would be for good rains. They would ask for rain because they know that in a farming and ranching area, water plays a big part in the productivity and prosperity of that area. They also know that wishes are easier to fulfill in a prosperous area.

Since we can not wish for and get rain when we want and need it, the only thing we can do is farm and ranch whereby we hold and make use of all the rain we receive.

Farmers in the Eldorado-Divide Soil and Water Conservation Dis**A MERRY CHRISTMAS**

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IN 1967

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and a Happy New Year

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trict have already started getting their land ready for next year's crops. Preparation of the land for a crop can play a big part in the conservation of rainfall received for crop use. Farming operations carried out following the contour (level guide lines) always assures the farmer that more water will be held for crop use, than when farming operations are carried out with rows running down the slope. Each furrow and bed, on fields farmed on the contour, help hold the water where it falls for crop use. Each furrow serves as a basin to hold the water and give it the time needed to soak into the soil. On the other hand rows that run down the slope drain the water needed for crop production off the land

Contour farming has been recognized, by good conservation farmers, as being an important soil and water conservation practice needed in combination with other needed conservation measures. The cost of contour farming is very small as compared to benefits received. Since contour farming does not require any additional farm equipment and very little, if any, extra farming cost, it is normally the first conservation practice applied.

Where row crops are to be grown on dry cropland, contour farming should always be practiced. To make certain that the true contour is being followed and proper vertical interval is used, a good instrument is very important. Also, someone qualified to do a good job shuld assist in running the contour lines.

Contour farming, used with all the other needed soil and water conservation practices, can help make the wishes be fulfilled at Christmas time next year.

Assistance needed in planning and applying all the needed conservation practices on all agricultural land can be obtained from the Soil Conservation Service technicians, assisting the District. Cost share assistance in applying enduring type conservation practices is available through the Great Plains Conservation Program, administered by the Soil Conservation Service, and from the Schleicher County A.S.C.S. office.

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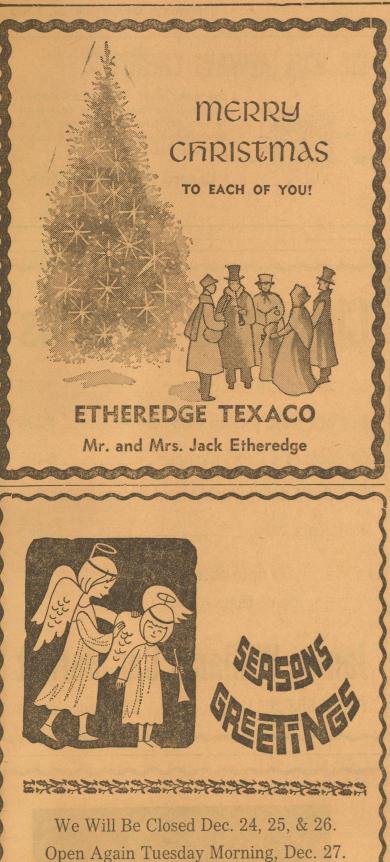


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Centuries ago, Romans decorated their homes, public buildings, and temples on festive occasions, and we have followed this ancient custom. In most communities, at Christmas there are beautifully decorated store windows, often depicting the holiday scenes.

The merchants along New York's famous Fifth Avenue vie with each other in originality and spare no expense in the creation of luxury and beauty. The final displays attract such crowds that special roped-off areas are necessary and the public is kept moving by uniformed guards. In many cases the air is perfumed with some special fragrance and music

scenes of animated figures in-

side the windows.

giant Christmas tree is set up featured its Christmas Tree with much ceremony in the Lane. This is slightly less than center of Rockefeller Plaza, 2 miles in length and is said to decorated with huge colored be the longest in our country baubles, and the lighting of the The project began on a small tree is the official opening of scale, but by 1930 the great the Christmas season. The en- cedars lining Van Ness Avenue tire length of Park Avnue is had been lighted with colored lined with its own lighted bulbs for a quarter of a mile. Christmas trees, and it is a Then, in 1959, more than 300 beautiful sight in snow. Many stately trees had been festooned New York skyscrapers, always with lights, and over 121,000 dramatic against the nightsky, people visited the unusual are also aglow with red and scene.

green lights in honor of the occasion. While New York goes all out for brilliant, sophisticated Christmas emphasizing luxury with a touch of frivolity, other cities celebrate in their way. In

some where traffic hazards do not prevent, the downtown streets are festooned with colored lights, bells, stars, candles, and other yuletide emblems. Many American cities are accompanies the changing famed for their distinctive street decorations, which visitors often drive many miles to see. For instance, since 1920, the

Weeks before Christmas a city of Fresno, California, has



For two large loaves you'll need: 1 cup milk, ¹/₂ cup sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 cakes compressed yeast, 5 cups flour, 2 eggs beaten, 1 cup seedless raisins, ³/₄ cup butter softened, ¹/₂ cup citron, ¹/₂ cup glazed cherries, 1¹/₂ teaspoons grated lemon rind, ¹/₄ teaspoon nutmeg, ¹/₄ cup butter, ¹/₄ cup sugar, ¹/₂ teaspoon cinnamon, Confectioner's frosting, nuts and condicat fruit for trim

sugar, ⁴/₂ teaspool chinamon, Confectioner's frosting, nuts and candied fruit for trim. Scald milk, add ¹/₂ cup sugar and the salt. Cool to luke-warm. Add crumbled yeast and mix thoroughly. Add one cup of flour and stir until smooth. Cover and let rise until double in bulk. Add the beaten eggs, softened butter, fruit and nutmeg and mix well. Add remainder of flour to make a dough stiff enough to knead. Knead until smooth and elastic. Allow to rise until double. Knead down and divide in two. Roll each half into a circle about 8 inches in diameter. Spread with softened butter and sugar. Make a crease down the center of the dough and fold over. Place in greased loaf pans and let rise until double in bulk. Bake in moderate oven 350 degrees, for 30 to 40 minutes. Frost with confectioners' frosting and sprinkle with nuts or fruit. Stollen will keep for a week at least. It can be cut in thin

slices and toasted, or buttered and placed under the broiler

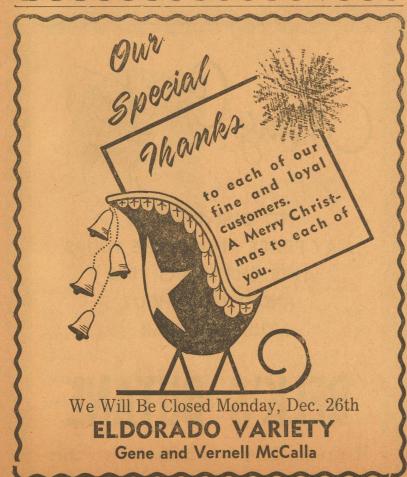


Citizens who expect to have business to transact at the Court House during the coming holidays are hereby notified that Christmas holiday will include Monday, December 26. Likewise the New Year holiday will include Monday, Jan. 2.

This will make two 3-day holidays

Thanks for your patronage of the past year, and we look forward to serving you in 1967.

Williams Fina Station No. 18 George Williams





Some cookies are for Santa, of course. Others are for holiday nibbling and snacks, the quantity of which is probably without equal.

Some of the special joy of Cl sistmas can be traced to the kitchen! This would not be as festive an occassion without the fragrance of holiday cooldies or the happy hustle of getting them ready.

Put some cookies aside for carolers and tree trimmers. Decorate some with ready made icings as well as colorful

sugars. The following is an especially good sugar cookie, for eating and decorating.

4 cups sifted enriched flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 3/4 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons nutmeg, 1 cup lard, one and 3/4 cups sugar, 2 eggs beaten, 1 teaspoon vanilla and 2 tablespoons milk. Form the dough in a ball and chill 3 to 4 hours. Roll on floured board to 1/8 inch thick. Cut with various shaped cookie cutters, bake on a greased cooky sheet. These are really good — Do shake some plain white sugar over some of them - yummy.



A holiday tradition when it was "minced" meat and not a dessert. It's a must for holidays to have Christmas pie. cups prepared mince-meat or 1 - 9oz. pkg.

- 2 cups thinly sliced pared tart apples
- 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 recipe plain pastry

Combine prepared mincemeat with apples, lemon peel and lemon juice. Line 8-inch pie plate with pastry; pour in filling. Cut design or use a fork on upper crust. Sprinkle with sugar, and bake in hot oven (400°) about 35 minutes. This pie is delicious served warm.

for the officials since the court house has long since been closed every Saturday.

Thanks,

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Judge Office.



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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyer and Danny



May the Christ of Christmas abide with each of you during this special season and throughout the coming year.

Dana Owens

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Community Calendar Jan. 2, Monday. School reconenes following holidays. LOSE WEIGHT safely with Dex-A-Jan. 4, Wednesday. Lions Club Diet Tablets. Only 98c at Eldorado meets 12:15, Memorial Building. (Dec22*) Jan. 5, Thursday. American Leg-BRACE yourself for a thrill the on post meets. Jan. 5, Thursday. East Side Lions first time you use Blue Lustre to Club meets. clean rugs. Rent electric shampoo-Jan. 9, Monday. O.E.S. meets. er \$1. Foxworth-Galbraith Lum-Jan. 12, Thursday. Merry Makber Co., Eldorado, Texas. ers 42 Club meets. ONE HOUSE FOR RENT, close to Jan. 12, Thursday. school, in good shape. -Call 853-Lodge meets. FOR RENT: 2-bedroom luxury CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES apartment; central heat and air First Insertion_____4c word Additional Insertions_____2c word conditioning. Contact Jack Hannes, phone 853-2509. 1tc 1tc Minimum 50c Each Insertion Cash In Advance SEVERAL Good Used T-V's on \$1.00 Minimum On All Small Ads Taken On Phone Or By Mail hand. -Boyer Electric. (tfc) NERVOUS? Can't sleep? Try "Slee-THE Sonora Bronco Booster Club, pers". Guaranteed results or money the Broncos, and Sonora fans back. Only 98c at Eldorado Phargreatly appreciate the support and

macy. interest Eldorado football fans **USED AUTOMATIC WASHERS \$35** up. —Boyer Electric Co.

CARD OF THANKS

I appreciate the flowers, visits, cards, and kind deeds rendered me president. while in the hospital and since I MANY THANKS have been home. Merry Christmas (1tc)

Mrs. Happy Edmiston In Those Davs

Compiled From Success Files

ONE YEAR AGO

Dec. 23, 1965-Mayor Eldon Calk was shown dialing the first call in the telephone office, as the new equipment was put into service. A school bond vote in amount of \$175,000 was called for Jan. 15 for an improvement program to include new band hall, new vocational ag. building, and re-locating of the football field.

Eluterio Guernero, Leo Prater, and Howard Derrick won the prizes in the decorating contest.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Dec. 21, 1961-Delhi-Taylor Oil Corp. was reported about to bring in an oil producer on Cecil Meador land, 7 miles north of town. Reginald Lagow was in Navy boot training at San Diego, Calif. Buster Hale presided at the final pre-holiday meeting of the Lions club.

Bennie Harkey, Jack Hext, and D. C. DuBose were decorating contest winners.

The H. A. Belk and James Alexander families were visiting for the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Minnick at Midkiff.

Paul Pena, long-time school custodian, died in the Veterans Hospital at Kerrville. His funeral was held here.

Diego for two weeks of Naval Reserve training.

Home Demonstration Agent's Column By MRS. VIDA KREKLOW When you say "Merry Christmas" to most people it is meant

in a rather general way-meant to cover all situations and conditions. Some, however, deserve special thought, not everything has gone along simply swimmingly. Such as— Merry Christmas . . . —To all young mothers who have —To all young interest tree ierked had the Christmas tree jerked down at least twice by little hands that couldn't resist temptation.

-All whose divinity stayed sticky all week, -All who burned the fruit cake in November. -Whose Christmas tree simply won't stand straight.

-Whose door decorations blew off during the last sand storm. -Who didn't get the stamps on

their Christmas cards. -Whose Christmas cards came showed through your attendance of with the name misspelled.

the Bronco playoff games. Your -Who have already gained three enthusiasm and encouragement pounds and the big day not even here vet. Helped us win. -The Sonora Bron-

-Who were notified yesterday co Booster Club, James D. Trainer, that the item which was ordered (1tc)6 weeks ago is temporarily out of stock.

to all who sent me letters and -Who drew the name of someflowers and cards while I was in one they are not "exactly crazy" the hospital for a week, and since about for the office Christmas tree but was big about the whole thing. -Merry Christmas to those who can't find the right kind of bulbs for their Christmas tree light strings, nor the short either. -Merry Christmas to all who have not yet "caught" the spirit. To those a special wish-because if you haven't got it, it's just too bad, and it could be too late.

> (150) of her Christmas cards without stamps. -Whose friends have all moved and new addresses have to be look

-To the one who mailed half

ed up. -Who rather hoped for a color T-V but only got a new picture tube for the old set.

at noon, December 24th. to last year's Christmas dress.



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Notice of entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matters not news will be charged for at the regular rates.

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Unsolicited poetry charged for at regular advertising rates.

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Front page advertising announcements to be charged for at a rate equal to three times the regular rate.



Van McCormick. Jorgi Lagow became the bride of

and Mrs. Truett Stanford. Gene Parker observed his 80th birthday.

A son, Mark Oliver, was born to Mayor and Mrs. Eldon Calk. George Ochsner visited here from Texas Tech.

Dr. and Mrs. Jack Mowrey left for Knoxville, Iowa, to spend the Christmas holidays.

Eagle Drive-In Theatre was showing their first CinemaScope picture, "How To Marry a Million-

Pvt. and Mrs. Harris Napier arrived here from Fort Knox, Ky., to spend the holidays.

35 YEARS AGO

Dec. 25, 1931—The Community barrel, to collect old toys and clothing for the poor, was at the W. H. Parker & Son store for the

holiday season. J. C. Bullion, who was attending San Angelo Junior College, passed hrough Eldorado on his way to Ozona.

Miss Ashmore and Miss Herbert had charge of a Christmas program at the Bailey Ranch school. Songs were sung and readings were given by Calvin Henderson, Alice Mund, Ruby Nell Holland, Mozelle Parks, and Bonnie Mund.

Mrs. George Joseph of San Antonio and Herbert White of Yuma, Arizona, were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. White.

Buzzy Stokes visited here on his way home to Sonora from Lampasas, where he had been on business.

Mrs. A. F. Buchanan of Dryden and Miss Kitty Buchanan of San Angelo were spending the holidays with Mrs. C. M. McWhorter. Mr. Bdchanan of Dryden was joining them Christmas Day.

Old-time mixed Christmas candy cost 10c a pound, and fancy mixed Christmas candy was 15c a pound, at the Self-Serve Grocery. Joe Hearne Moore was home for

ELDORADO LODGE

No. 890 — A. F. & A. M. Stated meeting 2nd Thursday in each month, at 7:00 p. m. from Oct. 1 to April 1, and at 8:00 from April 1 to October 1. Visiting both or understand KG for

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Jr. High Girls Win 2

7th Grade 45-Junction "B" 1 The first unit fast-breaking for-wards, Jeannie McCravey, Loretta Schooley, and Patty Page hit 6 quick baskets without a miss to The next Jr. High encounter for set a torrid pace that the second both boys and girls will be a reunit, Barbara Robledo, Thelma Bosmans, and Sherry Davis also there Jan. 2. kept as they added 4 more to end the 1st quarter 20-21. From this point on playing time was short-ened and the offensive pace cooled somewhat, but the defensive units continued to look sharp as they held the Junction forwards scoreless from the floor. In their two fumbling basketball and settled Brave Band, outings thus far the defense has not been really tested, and local fans have not been able to enjoy fully the prowess of Gay Lynn Richardson, who leads the capable guarding contingent of Leslie Martin, Jean Rountree, Eva Stigler, Marian Bland, Betty Bradley, and Judy Hanusch. Eva Stigler pulled in 3 rebounds, Jean Rountree 3, Leslie Martin 2, and Gay Lynn Richardson 2, as Patty Page and Loretta Schooley scored 12 points each, Barbara Robledo, in an outstanding game, 11, Jeannie Mc-Cravey 4, Sherry Davis 4, and Thelma Bosmans 2, connecting on 63% of their field goal attempts.

8th Grade 40—Junction "A" 11

Although they were pretty well guarded, the forwards were "off" Eagles a few extra shots and help again in their marksmanship but combined with the efforts of the guards to so dominate in ball possession that Junction never was a serious threat. Junction on offense vide the winning margin. seldom penetrated Eldorado's de-fense either of the forwards or the defensive strength and reboundguards to shooting range, but did manage one field goal. What more who has missed the last three can be said for Guards Mary Lynn McCalla, Gail Robinson, Kathleen O'Harrow, Susan Rogers, Claudia after the Christmas holidays. Next Meador, and Mona Wagoner, when game: Jan. 2 at Junction. they guard like this and accumu-late a total of only two fouls in each of their last 3 games?

The forwards were so anxious to home-court showing against Iraan going down to defeat 49-36. Most led the offense in the early stages, the ball.

scored 2 and 5 points, respectively. pectable 53% from the floor and

Jr. High Cagers Beat **Junction Monday Night**

The Eldorado Jr. High boys survived three quarters of scrambling, down in the final quarter, to outrebound and out shoot a fasttreading Junction Jr. High Monday some. No games are scheduled un-night to win 21-18. Our boys tried til January 3. to play their game the first half

and had eight points to show for it. Charles Adams had scored all Eaglettes Are 12-3 the points up to that point. Due to alert defense at stopping the foot breaks, Eldorado was trailing Iraan but just barely, 50-42. The only 8-12 at half-time. Then a couple of free shots by Adams and a field goal each by Keith Williams and Billy Hubble left the Eag-les trailing 14-16 at the end of the serious situation. They were the third quarter.

Then shortly after the 4th quarter started, Robert Porter went to work at both goals and getting almost every rebound to give the hold Junction to one field goal while, he, Archie Nixon, and Ad-ams each picked up a basket. Williams added an extra point to pro-The games due to a broken hand. He is expected to be back in action

Eagles Lose To Iraan

The Eldorado boys had a rough avenge their earlier poor offensive time of it Tuesday night before bounds and Chris Edmiston 10. that they seemed to hurry their of the game was close until the to games until December 29 when shots and press a little too hard. closing couple of minutes when they will go to Lake View for a Sheila Murr's 1st quarter 6 points Eldorado was forced to go after tough game.

and Peggy Hill, always alert on assists, screens, and rebounds, do-at half-time it was 25-21, Iraan at half-time it was the thirt minated the 3rd quarter with an ahead. During the third quarter 8 point outburst. Linda Derrick it was tied before Iraan went finally shook off the frustration ahead on a free throw and never

the 4th quarter to run her total hitting and Iraan had already **Eaglettes Champs of** to 19. Kathleen O'Harrow and Lisa found the range. Even the free McAngus, also part-time guards, throws felt the frigidness as the boys could hit only 33% whereas Still the forwards managed a res- they usually hit 60% or better.

Danny Halbert was high with 14 and Donald Rogers 10. However, Donald had 15 rebounds. The rebounds were fewer than usual as 6 points, Jesse 4, and Gary 2. The shooting percentage was poorer than usual and Iraan was red-hot. The crowd from Eldorado was practically nil and the comparatively small aggregation had a little difficulty competing with the

The Eagles will take a Christmas break although they will work out

The Eldorado girls managed to win their twelfth game Tuesday in girls were sluggish and not hitting well but after trailing the entire first half 27-18 they rallied in the about to lose to a club whom they

had earlier beaten 52-29. Susan Mobley notched 7 points, Susan Hill 8, and Libby Preston 5 plus excellent defensive play that kept the Iraan forwards from scoring more than 5 points. As the team entered the final quarter it was Eldorado 38-Iraan 32.

As the Eaglettes maintained possession most of the time they controlled the ball causing Iraan to foul. Susan Hill added 9 points, Chris Edmiston 1 and Libby 2 in the fourth. The difference in the game came at the free throw line

as both teams attempted 34 char-ity tosses and Eldorado hit 26

while the Bravettes made 18. Susan Hill was high with 24, Libby Preston 12, Susan Mobley 9, and Chris Edmiston 5.

Sherry Yates grabbed 18 The holidays bring a standstill

Tournament Here (Continued from Front Page)

and Susan Hill shared top scoring with 13 each followed by Susan Mobley with 12, Martha Sue Page 9, Chris Edmiston 6, and Stella Hubble 4.

Jacque Davis led the defensive rebounders with 9, Billie Gayl Blaylock and Shirley Hubble 5, Shane Henderson and Sherry Yates 4. Susan Mobley had 10 offensive ebounds.

First Game Class AAA Del Rio was much improved over last year and yet he Eldorado girls took a 40-26 victory. Libby got 16, Susan Hill 11, Susan Mobley 9, and Chris Edmiston 4.

Sherry Yates pulled in 21 re-bounds to lead the defensive unit. It was 23-13 at half-time and 32-17 at the third quarter before coasting to a 40-26 score.

It was an exciting tournament with many excellent players and many thrilling games

The Balmorhea Bearettes won consolation beating Del Rio in the final two minutes 43-38. Rock springs finally out-distanced Mertzon in the fourth quarter 57-47 for Third Place.

The Eldorado "B" girls participatied in the tournament and beat Christoval 43-33. Arlene Hartgraves notched 13, Randy Yates 12, but game honors went to Dale Montgomery who hit 17. Debra Murr and Donna Davis did an outstanding job on defense for Eldo-

rado The second round the "B" girls played Rocksprings "A" and did an excellent job though they were defeated 52-29. The first quarter it was 18-11 in favor of the Angoras and at half-time it was 30-22. The second half found the Eldorado forwards unable to hit but one basket and starting guard Debra Murr had fouled out. Donna Davis played the entire second half with four fouls as did Terry Martin until the game was nearly over. Dale Montgomery again was high with 14 and Arlene Hartgraves had 11.

The free throw line was the real deciding factor because the Angoras made 22 of 34 attempts Eldorado g of experience made a difference in fouling but the younger girls gave a good account of themselves in shooting rebounding and hustling. Everyone could be very proud of their performance. This is the only game these girls have lost this season. They are now 4-1. Their next game will be with Lake View B December 29 in San Angelo.

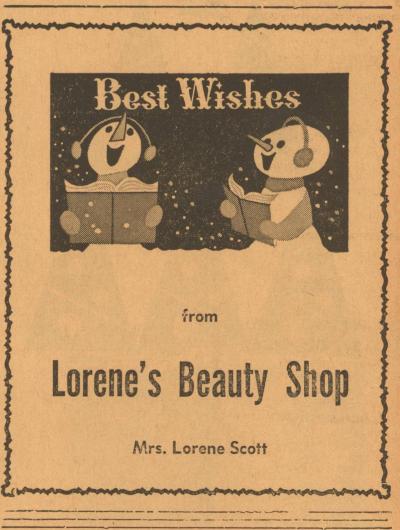


CHRISTMAS

We Appreciate the opportunity the Holiday Season brings to say

Thank You, and to wish each of you a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stigler and Family



that plagued her in the early stag- trailed. As the game entered the es as many of her shots would not fourth it was 36-27. drop, and poured in 11 points in The Eagles never could get to

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Eldorado, Texas



I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to the people of Eldorado for a most pleasant and profitable year in my business here. Your past patronage has been most deeply appreciated. I will be here permanently and am looking forward to serving you to the best of my ability in the future. My wife joins me in wishing you and yours a most joyous Christmas and Happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Patton





JOHNNY MAYO

Donald Rogers of the Eldorado Eagle football team was named a First Team Offensive End and Johnny Mayo was named First Team Defensive Guard, for honors on the 8A all district team, following the close of the season with Sonora's state win over Schunburg.

Winning honorable mention for Second Team Offense were Jesse Bosman, Johnny Mayo, Chris Mc-Cravey, Danny Halbert, Roy Davidson and Pat Childers.

On the Second Team Defense were named End Danny Halbert and Back Roy Davidson. Named for honorable mention were Donald Rogers, Pat Childers, and Jesse Bosman.

Spending the holidays here at the Arch Crosby home are Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kramm and Mr. and Mrs. E. Bagby of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Bing Crosby and daughter Karen of Christoval.

The Firemen were called out Wednesday morning to a trash fire at the Gin. It was quickly controlled.

Gerald Hartgraves spent Monday and Tuesday in San Antonio.

Eagles Clobber Christoval Friday

Friday night the Eldorado boys played a feature game during the Eldorado Girls Tournament and whipped Christoval 66-34.

The Eagles played one of their finest games taking a 19-7 lead and then exploding for 24 points in the second quarter to assume a 43-15 half-time margin.

Donald Rogers played one of his finest games hitting 18 points mostly on tip-in and follow-up shots and 13 rebounds. Danny Halbert played another fine game and totaled 16 points. Chris Mc-Cravey had 8 points and 8 rebounds, Jesse Bosmans 7, and Pat Childers 6 before fouling out in the third period. Jay Halbert got 5, and Rusty Meador 4. Gary Derrick had his difficulties hitting but he had no trouble in bringing down 17 tremendous rebounds to set up other scoring. Buff Whitten had 17 rebounds.

It was a fine effort on the part of the Eagles in claiming their 8th victory in 11 starts. The Eagles ad no games during the holidays but they will entertain Robert Lee here January 3. Score by quarters_

Eldorado — 19 24 9 14-66 Christoval — 7 8 15 4-34



THE ELDORADO SUCCESS, ELDORADO, TEXAS

Thursday, December 22, 1966



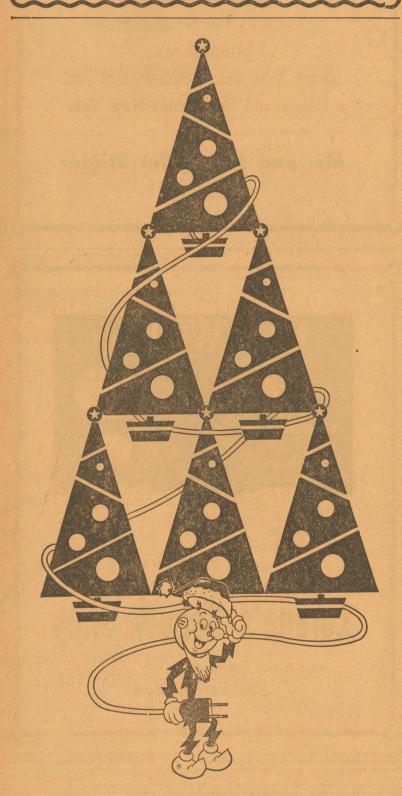
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It's not easy to put our enormous gratitude or our heartfelt good wishes into a few words. Your friendship has been, and will always be, a source of pride to us. May every blessing and joy of the season be yours!

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Re-Classifications Are Announced

Frances W. Grobe, clerk	of the
Draft Board which has its	head-
quarters in Sonora, annound	es the
following list of Schleicher	county
registrants who were classif	ied at
the board meeting on Dec.	
Earl E. Lloyd	V-A
Andres P. Villarreal	V-A
Myrl G. Sudduth	
Jerry L. Johnson	
Pete L. Fay	V-A
Joshua Hastings	III-A
Farris G. Nixon	I-A
Robert D. Sauer	III-A
Ronald W. Sauer	
Charles A. Nixon	I-A
Adan H. Guana	II-A

The Loneliness Of Christmas

I look around and plainly see, that Christmas wasn't meant for

me.

For other boys are home with their mother and father and folks who care I envy not, for I realize, I'm a different boy in those folks

eyes.

It's not supposed to mean so much, that I miss the kiss and loving touch,

of a family close and very dear, at this special lonely time of year. All year long I'm able to hide beneath a front my youthful pride that the other boys might not know, of the ache inside that musn't show. But it's so hard when the weather chills,

and snow blows in from faraway hills.

to hide the tears welled in my eyes, and my leaden heart within me lies.

Anxious for a family smile, accepting really all the while, the loneliness again this year, and brush away a Christmas tear. —by Dave Gottshall, Area Coordinator, West Texas Boys Ranch.

NOTE FROM CARL FARRAR

Dear Editor: Just a few lines to let you hear from my wife and I We sure do enjoy the Eldorado Success. You are doing a fine job and I read everything in it and keep up with our dear friends out that way. We are having a real winter here now but the farmers have had a good fall to get their cotton and corn and hay in. This county has ginned over 20,000 bales this year. It was a short crop this year. We had too much rain the past week, though.

We hope you all have a happy Christmas and a good New Year. —Carl M. Farrar, 205 Camille St., Senatobia, Miss. 38668. Mr. Farrar reports that they have bought a new home in Senatobia.

OUR THANKS ND BEST WISHES

The Christmas season will always be a time for the expression of good will and the exchange of friendly greetings. In this spirit of friendship and with genuine appreciation for the pleasant relations we have enjoyed with you, we extend the season's greetings and best wishes.

HEXT FOODS

May the spirit of this Christmas bring joy to you and yours

Merry Christmas

Best Wishes for a Bright and Wonderful Christmas... from Reddy and all of us at West Texas Utilities Company. Have Better Living throughout the New Year... Electrically!



"NACIMENTOS"

In Spain the Nativity scene is so popular that vendors set up stands before the holiday. They offer colorful clay, wood and cardboard figures which are arranged into Nativity scenes, known locally as "Belenes" or "Nacimientos".

In some villages it is custom to award a prize for the best arrangement of a Belenes.

A small carved figure of the Madonna and Child is the proud possession of the Benedictine Monastery of Monsterrat near Barcelona. It is believed that it was carved by St. Luke and brought to Spain by St. Peter in 30 A. D.

Bayberry Candles Popular Favorite

The settlers of our country found that the bayberry gave off a wax that would make fine candles. Since animal fats were important as food and for other uses, it was the bay-berry candle that was used as much as possible. It was usually the task of the children to gather the berries.

Candles have always been associated with Christmas and many legends give them a place in the observance of the ĥoliday.

In Ireland, for instance, on Christmas eve a large candle was burned which could be snuffed out only by one named Mary.

An old verse repeats the tradition, that burning a bayberry candle on Christmas eve would insure one of a long and happy life.

To learn your luck for a year, they say, Burn a bayberry dip on Christmas day.

If the flame burns bright and the light shines clear, Good-luck will be yours through out the year.

Robert «Bob» Page

Glory to God

in the highest and on earth

beace, good will

toward men.

Luke 2:1

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FRIENDSHIP IS THE FOUNDATION OF ALL BUSINESS AND WITH THE HOLIDAY SEASON IT GIVES US GENUINE PLEASURE TO EXPRESS OUR BEST WISHES TO THOSE WHOSE FRIENDSHIP WE CHERISH. WE EXTEND TO ONE AND ALL



Many Thanks

To our Faithful Old Friends, To our Cherished New Friends,

And To Those whose friendship we hope To Earn,

We wish you a Very Happy Christmas, and a Happy New Year.

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May your every wish for the Holiday Season be realized — that's

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THE ELDORADO SUCCESS, ELDORADO, TEXAS

Miss Glover Bride of Phillip Walker In Church Ceremony In San Angelo



Miss Marilyn Lida Glover, daugh-1 styled with Empire bodice and ter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon George sleeves of hand-beaded, re-embroi-Glover, 1710 S. Park in San An- dered Alencon lace. Appliques of gelo, became the bride of J. Phil-lip Walker of Mertzon Saturday evening in services in St. Luke Methodist Church in San Angelo.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman C. Walker of Eldorado. The Rev. George M. definition of ficiated, and Leo-definition of the son of Chris-toval, Mrs. C. A. Glover of Abilene, Mrs. T. E. Holcomb, Mrs. Paul B. Mrs. T. E. Holcomb, Mrs. Paul B. and Layne was soloist and Mrs.
William B. Warner, organist.
Mrs. Lewis Gardner of Orlando,
Fla., attended her sister as matron
Couple will live in Mertzon, where
Couple will live in Mertzon, where

of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Mike Ryan of Austin and Mrs. Roger Lambert of Jonesboro, Ark. Cynthia Denise Gardner of Orlan-

do was flower girl. Herman C. Walker of Lubbock served as best man. Groomsmen were Velton Taylor and Roger Tucker of Eagle Pass. Ushering were Joe Cumbie of Eagle Pass, George Forgus and Midland and Tom Bankston of Bartlesville, Oklahomo. Mark Wayne Rousselot of Sonora and Wade Allen Mayer lighted

candles.

the bridegroom is employed by a

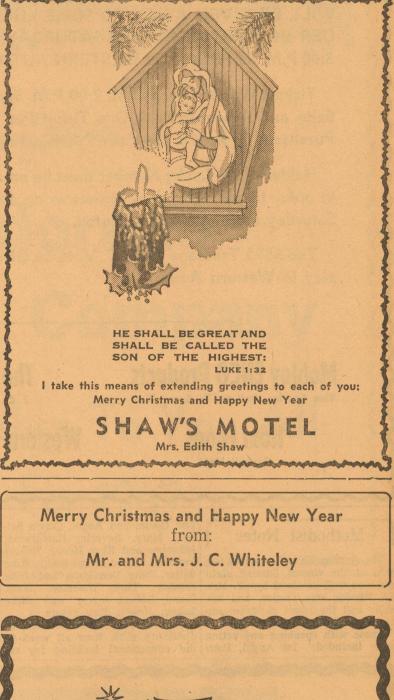
Mrs. Walker is a graduate of San Angelo Central High where she was a member of the National Honor Society. She attended the University of Texas. She is a senior at Angelo State College, where she is a member of Lambda Tau

sorority. Her husband is a graduate of Eldorado High School and of Sul Ross State College. Mr. and Mrs. Walker, parents

of the bridegroom, were hosts for



MRS. L. T. WILSON





Colonial Dames Meet

A meeting of the Colonial Dames was called last Thursday by the president, Mrs. V. G. Tisdale, to approve the amended By-Laws and to decide on a project for the Club year which will be research for Historical facts concerning the early history of this county which has not already been found. In the discussion it was noted that Mr. J. W. Alexander, father of W. O. Alexander and Mr. P. H. McCormick, father of Don McCormick, established one of the earliest stores in Eldorado; however, Mr. B. Christian, father of Mrs. E. W. Brooks and Joe Christian, and Mr. S. A. Williams, established the first store, located where the variety store is now located. Also it was mentioned that Mr. Spence attended one of the early schools in the county, the Twin Wells School 16 miles east of Eldorado. It was also noted that Mr. W. O. Alexander, then 20 fears old, was Deputy County Clerk when the big land

rush took place. The objects of this Society is to foster Education, promote Patrotism and to perpetuate the memory of the founders of our nation and their noble deeds.

To be a member of this Society one must be able to trace in a direct line to the year 1700 or earlier, to an ancestor who rendered service in one of the Colonies and must be at least 18 years of age and be acceptable to the local chapter.

The next Social meeting will be a luncheon the second Thursday in February. ---Mrs. W. O. Alexander, Publicity chairman.

DAR Holds Meeting

The El Dorado Chapter, DAR, met in the Memorial Building last Thursday with the regent, Mrs. Luke Thompson, presiding, at a Christmas Luncheon. Grace was said by Mrs. W. N. Ramsay. The table was Christmasy with

a variety of artistic holiday arrangements at the hand of Mrs. J. B. Montgomery.

The lunch, served by Mrs. Riley, was delicious with turkey and all the trimmings.

All of the plans for the social occasion were made by the second vice regent, Mrs. Elizabeth Rae Powell, and her committee.

There will be no Sunday School The regular meeting of the DAR was opened by the chaplain, Mrs. G. Salter will preach at the morn-L. M. Hoover, who presented the coming of Christ from Micah 5:2; Isaiah 9:8; and Luke 2:1-6.

During the business meeting, these names of the DAR Good Citzens were announced:

Martha Sue Page ____ _Eldorado Pamela Daugherty _Big Lake Ruth Ann Laudermilk ____Mertzon Beth Kothmann _Junction Mrs. Gerald Hartgraves is chairman of DAR Good Citizens committee. Mrs. A. Johnson, Sonora, was a guest. Fourteen members were present. The new member

Warmest wishes

fora

Happy Holiday

Season



WILL BE GIVEN AWAY TO SOME LUCKY TICKET HOL-DER IN A DRAWING THIS SATURDAY, DEC. 24TH, AT 3:00 P.M. IN FRONT OF WESTERN AUTO HERE.

Tickets Will Be Given Until 2:00 P.M. Saturday for All Cash Sales and Accounts Paid; One Ticket For Each \$1 Worth of Purchases At Any of the Four Participating Local Merchants.

Holder of the Lucky Number must be present at the drawing in order to win. As many tickets as necessary will be drawn Saturday until a winner is chosen.

The \$595 Truetone Color T. V. to be Given Away is on Display in Western Auto.

Mobley ENCO Products Two Service Stations To Serve You

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Western Auto Assoc. Store

Buddy White

Offerings were taken for the

Methodist Home at Waco and the

Services Set Christmas Day

Methodist Notes

The Sunday School program was Parker; Three Shepherds, Mike Mission Home at San Antonio. held at the church Sunday night and was well received by all. Mrs. Kimble; Three Wisemen, Mark Ed Meador was reader, and the Bland, Robert Joyce, and Mike on Christmas Day and the Rev. D. choir and the small children ren-Salter; Joseph, Ken Peters. Santa Claus made his visit to ing worship hour which will bedered musical selections.

Those with speaking and acting distribute gifts, then all went to gin at 10:30. parts included: 1st Angel, Patti the educational building for re- There will be no night service.



Yates Cleaners



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Lou Olson; 2nd Angel, Carrie Sal- freshments. ter; Mary, Beverley Hartgraves;

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Mrs. Mary I. Johnson of Sonora was presented.

Mrs. J. E. Hill, program chairman for the meeting, using the Christmas quotation, presented Mrs. J. B. Montgomery. She made everyone realize that,

after all, Christmas is for adults as well as for children. Christ came to all. -Rep.

Lt. Waldron To Be Married In Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Waldron and Miss Ricka Guitar are leaving Dec. 22nd to fly to Hawaii where they will meet 1st Lt. Robbye Waldron, who will arrive there on leave from Army duty in Vietnam.

Miss Guitar will become the bride of Lt. Waldron in a Christmas Eve ceremony in Honolulu, Hawaii. Lt. Waldron has about one week of leave before he returns to duty.



Mrs. J. Tom Williams And Billy A Charles Charles



Eagle Chevrolet-Olds

John Hodges and Paul Page Mrs. R. V. Sheppard — Johnny Hawkins Charlie Warnock — Richard Kent Lester Nixon — And Junior

In Those Days

Compiled From Success Files ONE YEAR AGO

Dec. 30, 1965-Joe Lowe was here on 30-day leave from the Navy.

Mrs. Ben Hext returned from Galveston where she underwent a series of tests in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams and Keith flew to Detroit to spend the holidays with the Skip Wiegand family.

A son was born at Midland to Mr. and Mrs. Len G. McCormick.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Dec. 28, 1961-Lloyd Johnson was commander and Bill Lester adjutant of the American Legion post which was staging the annual party for county children. Roy Jones, 9-year-old son of Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Jones, killed his first buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Banion and Miss Mary Bruton were spending the holidays in San Antonio. Miss Kitty Buchanan was in Dal-

las for mediral treatment. The Bill Rozean family were leaving on a holiday trip to Kansas and Nebraska.

12 YEARS AGO

Dec. 30, 1954-A new Commissioners Court was coming into office, headed by W. R. Bearce as judge. New incoming commissioners were Jim Williams, Walter Pope, and M. L. Potter. Carrol White of Prct. 3 was the only incumbent.

Fred Watson reported \$250 rais ed for Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation.

Eldorado Drug and Coulter's were having post-holiday Christ mas clearance sales.

L. R. Phelps, Sr., of San Antonio was here for the holidays visiting his son, Roy Phelps and family

Howard Parker was initiated into Delta Sigma Pi fraternity at Texas Tech.

J. C. Hancock, Gene Edmiston, and T. P. Robinson were winners in the Christmas decorating contest

Jimmy Perry was in the Navy stationed at Great Lakes, Illinois

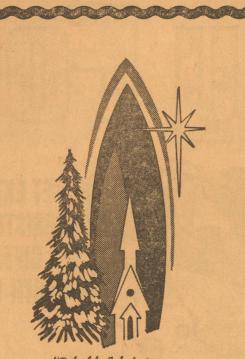
35 YEARS AGO

Jan. 1, 1932-Governor Sterling announced for re-election. Locally Miss Ruth Espy announced for county and district clerk, as a political year got under way.

In a ceremony at which Rev. J D. McWhorter officiated, Miss Lois Sharp became the bride of Jack Etheredge.

It was reported that 14 Schlei cher ranchmen donated 27 goats to the Salvation Army, for distribution to needy families. Luke Robinson promoted the project.

Miss Parker was sponsor of the newly-organized Tee Wa Hiss girls' hiking club. Girls who hiked from the school house to the Nicks oil well for a steak fry, were: Grace Ratliff, Lucile Oglesby, Anna Ruth



"Behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people." LUKE 2:10

Eldorado Drug

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Calk and Family

Drive Carefully During Holidays. The Life You Save May be Your Own. Boyer and Danny.

On this day when v gather together to cel prate the birthday of the Christ Child, let us be grateful for all the things we have enjoyed during the past year and thank God for his blessings.

We Have Enjoyed Serving You As Your Electrician, And Hope To Merit Your Friendly Relationship In The Coming Years

BLAKE'S ELECTRIC Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blakeway and David

Jerry Stigler is home for the holidays from Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Carothers coming year at the convention in and son of Waco will spend part of the holidays visiting here with ham of Sterling City is new first her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray vice-president.

Howard Derrick was elected new president of the Texas Sheep and pect their son-in-law and daugh-Goat Raisers Association for the coming year at the convention in Davis and son of Austin, to visit Fort Worth recently. Worth Dur- here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams ex-

APSCO Giant Pencil Sharpeners available at Success office.



Spurgers, Loleete Andrews, Ouida Faught, Dahlia Fae Johnson, Roberta Milligan, Alicia Burke, Cleone Morgan, Dorothy Lee King, Lola Davis, Artie Mae Woods, Pat Kent, Thelma Taylor, Bobbie Cobb, Toots Johnson, and Louise O'Harrow.

Mrs. Alice Doty, wife of C. C Doty, died at the age of 73, on Christmas eve of 1931. She was born in San Antonio in 1858.

A. R. Ashmore left for Santa Anna upon being notified that his brother, Jack, had been hurt when some cotton he was handling fell on him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Conner returned after spending the holidays at Georgetown and Field Creek. Leonard Isaacs was advertising Good Oak Wood delivered at \$7.00 per 128 cubic feet.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Brock and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bailey of Abilene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roach during the holidays.

School Menus

Monday, Jan. 2: Hamburger with noodles and mushrooms, boiled carrots, cole slaw, buttered rolls, milk, canned fruit.

Tues., Jan. 3: Swiss steak and gravy, creamed potatoes, buttered green peas, tossed green salad, but tered rolls, milk, chocolate cake with white icing. Wed., Jan. 4: Hamburgers, let

tuce and tomato slices, pickles, onions, potato chips, fresh fruit cup, cookies.

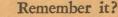
Thursday, Jan. 5: Fried chicken and gravy, creamed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, green beans, buttered rolls, milk, fruit cobbler.

Friday, Jan. 6: Tuna croquettes macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas, strawberry congealed salad, buttered rolls, milk, cherry-vanilla pudding.

LESTER HOME FROM NAVY

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lester were scheduled to meet their son, Bill, at 4:00 a.m. today, Thursday, Dec. 22nd, in Del Rio. Bill was to come in by train from Pensacola, Flor ida, where he is stationed with the Navy.

CHARGE TICKETS, special for service stations; 8 for \$1 or \$11 carton. -The Success office.



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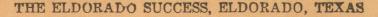
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Outside, the snow piled white and fresh and just waiting to be rolled up into a snowman

A kitchen filled with the wonderful smells of cooking; of spices and sweets and sage and the rich smell of a big turkey baking ...

A house filled with the joyous shout of children, and the smiling faces of the grown-ups...

A house filled with love and the real, undying spirit of Christmas ... In other words, an Old Fashioned Christmas, the best that ever was! That's the kind of Christmas we wish for you. We've long cherished the strong, abiding friendships we have with those we serve, and for this reason we put all the zest and sincerity possible in the two words when we say to you:



Thursday, December 22, 1966

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