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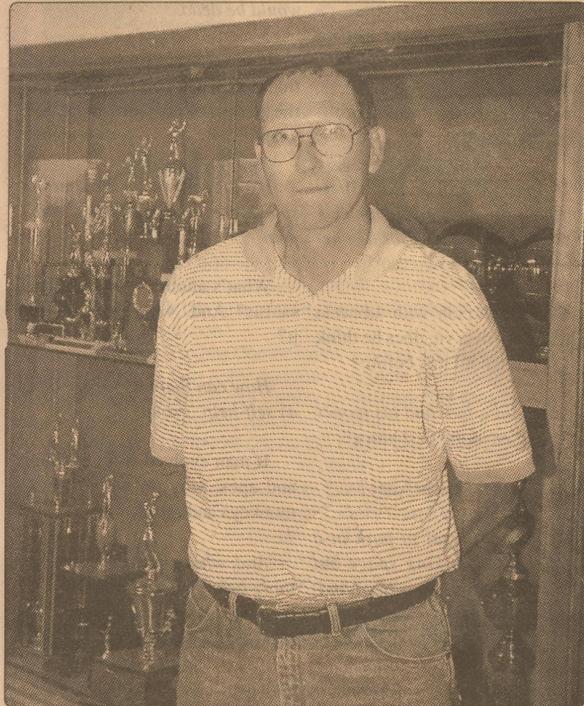


PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Coming home — Eldorado native Karl McCormack is returning home to take over as the head football coach and athletic director at Eldorado High School.

McCormack returning home to lead the Eagles

by Pat Ragsdale

Eldorado Native Karl McCormack will take the reins as the new athletic director at Eldorado High School. He was hired Monday night by the SCISD board of trustees after a three-hour-long executive session in which three candidates for the position were interviewed.

McCormack's selection follows an intensive search that began when current head coach and athletic director Jim Fryar announced his plans to leave Eldorado. A nine-person committee was appointed by SCISD Superintendent George Blanch for the purpose of screening applicants. The committee included school principals, teachers and school staff, plus a representative of the community. After weeding through resumes from 68 applicants, the committee interviewed six coaches before recommending three to the SCISD board of trustees. On Monday night the board in-

cluded, board president Phil McCormick, Jo Helen Kotsch, Steve Sessom, Kurtis Homer, Sam Whitten, Jr. and Berta Nicholson. Trustee Eddie Albin was absent. The motion to hire McCormack was offered by trustee Jo Helen Kotsch and was seconded by Sam Whitten, Jr. The measure passed unanimously.

In one other item of business, the board voted to accept the resignation of Coach Ginger Cooper. Karl McCormack has deep roots in Schleicher County. He was born and raised here and graduated from Eldorado High School in 1973. His late father, A.G. McCormack, was for years the Schleicher County Treasurer while his

grandfather Leslie Baker served many years as president of First National Bank and as secretary/treasurer of the local school board. McCormack's mother, Danell, is also well known in the community, having served in many capacities as an employee of the bank.

McCormack compiled an impressive resume after leaving Eldorado. In 1975 he received his Associate of Arts Degree from Western Texas College. In 1978 he graduated from Angelo State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Health and Physical Education.

McCormack's teaching and coaching career began in 1978 at Junction High School where he

taught various courses including Texas History, Geography, Health and Earth Science. From 1978 to 1983 he had numerous coaching assignments at Junction including: High School Track, Jr. High Track, Jr. Varsity Basketball, and Jr. High Basketball. During those years, Junction fielded football teams that advanced to the playoffs in '78, '79, '81 and '82. McCormack's football duties during that period included Junior Varsity Football for two years and Jr. High Football for three years.

McCormack then served a stint as a graduate assistant at Angelo State University. From 1983-84 he coached Tight Ends for the ASU

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Schleicher Co. Day festival and trade day set for Saturday

The Annual Schleicher County Day Festival and Trade Days is slated to get under way in Eldorado this weekend. Following an evening of western action at the Eldorado Open Rodeo on Friday night, the yearly Schleicher County Days and Rodeo Parade will wind its way down South Main Street in Eldorado at 10:00 a.m.

Parade entries are asked to as-

semble near the EHS tennis courts at 9:30 a.m. Anyone interested in participating in the parade is encouraged to contact parade chairman Jerry Jones. Cash prizes of \$100, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded to the three top parade entries.

Across town, a co-ed softball tournament will get underway at 8:00 a.m. at the county park.

At 10:30 a.m. the Schleicher

County Day Festival and Trade Day will get underway in earnest on the courthouse square.

The Schleicher County Pioneer Family Award will be presented at 11:00 a.m. This year's honorees are the family of J.W. Hill, Sr. and the family of Walter G. Powell, Sr. Accepting the award for the Hill Family will be Jo Ed Hill of Eldorado. Accepting for the Powell

family will be Lora Mae Lloyd.

Among craft booths scheduled to be present are: Silver Jewelry by Kathy Knight of Sonora; Miscellaneous gift items by Nancy Rosser of San Angelo, including horseshoe pen & pencil sets, horseshoe salt & pepper sets, decorated picture frames & chicken wire, earrings and necklaces; Rope

Historical Society to honor Schleicher Co. Pioneer Families

The descendants of J.W. Hill, Sr. and Walter G. Powell, Sr. were named this week as recipients of the Schleicher County Historical Society's Pioneer Family Award. Presentations will be made during the Schleicher County Day celebration on Saturday, June 10th. Accepting the award on behalf of the Hill Family will be Jo Ed Hill of Eldorado. Lora Mae Lloyd will be accepting on behalf of the Powell family.

The pair will also serve as Grand Marshals of the Schleicher County Day Parade which will begin at 10:00 a.m. that morning and wind its way down South Main Street in Eldorado. At 11:00 a.m. they will each be honored by the Schleicher County Historical Society on the courthouse square.

Interesting facts about each of the Pioneer Families and their lives in Schleicher County follow below:

The family of J.W., Sr. and Margaret Hill

by Jo Ed Hill

The J.W. Hill, Sr. family moved from Bosque County, located south of Fort Worth, in 1901, the move being made in several covered wagons, arriving in the small community of Eldorado after a short stop over in San Angelo. The family consisted of the oldest son, J.W. Hill, Jr., his two infant chil-

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Walter G. Powell, Sr. and Lema L. Shoop Powell family

by Lora Mae Lloyd

My parents moved to Schleicher County in 1922. Walter G. Powell Sr. and Lema L. Shoop were married August 20, 1919 at Rock Island, Texas.

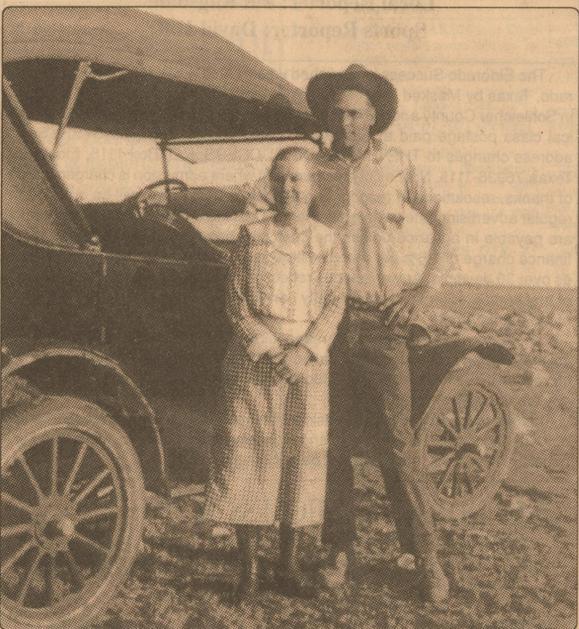
Daddy was born August 20, 1897 and deceased January 4, 1971. Mother was born April 12, 1902 in Nebraska and moved to

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COURTESY PHOTO

J.W. Hill, Sr. and his wife Margaret came to Schleicher County in 1901. They and their descendants are being honored this week as a Schleicher County Pioneer Family.



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Walter G. Powell, Sr. and his Lema L. Shoop Powell came to Schleicher County in 1922. They and their descendants are being honored this week as a Schleicher County Pioneer Family.



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Yee Haa — Rodeo Action will be fast & furious Friday Night in at the Schleicher County Rodeo Arena south of town as the 32nd Annual Eldorado Open Rodeo gets underway.

Boots & Spurs

It's Rodeo Time Again

Shine up your boots, hitch up your britches and head on out to the 32nd Annual Eldorado Open Rodeo. The dirt will fly Friday night with cowboys and cowgirls from across the area testing their skill against all manner of livestock. Even the little buckaroos will get in on the action as the ever-popular Mutton Bustin' event is slated again this year. The Friday evening performance will begin promptly at 8:00 p.m.

Rodeo organizers emphasize the importance of buying your tickets early. Tickets purchased from one of the Sweetheart candidates before Friday will sell for only \$7. The ticket sales will help the candidates in their bid to become the 2001 Rodeo Queen. Tickets at the gate will sell for \$8 with the stock producer receiving all the gate proceeds.

This year's Rodeo Sweetheart candidates are Tracy Brenner, Holly Ford and Justina Chance Rodriguez. During the Friday performance, the crowning of the 2001 Rodeo Queen will occur.

On Saturday Morning, the annual Schleicher County Days/Rodeo Parade will be held on Main

Street. The Rodeo Queen and her court are scheduled to ride in the parade.

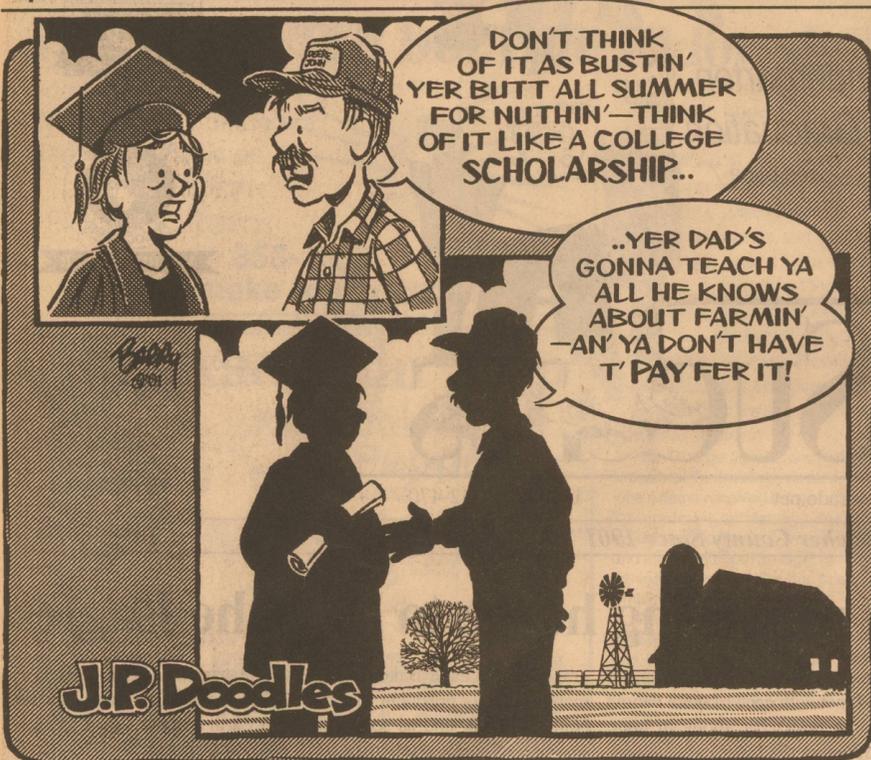
And, as if a rodeo isn't enough to get you stirred up, a bevy of food and craft booths will be set up on the Schleicher County Courthouse square for your enjoyment.

But, if your interests are more athletic, then a Co-ed Softball Tournament at the County Park will help you spend the time until the lights come on again at the Rodeo Arena south of town.

Then, at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday night the action begins again as rodeo contestants compete for a glittering array prize buckles. Among the events scheduled are: Calf Roping, Bronc Riding, Barrel Racing and Bull Riding.

Once the action settles down in the arena, it will heat up on the adjacent slab as the annual Rodeo Slab Dance will get underway. Featured performers for this year's dance are "Against the Grain."

So, you see, there really is something to do in Eldorado in the summer time. Invite your friends and neighbors and head out to the Rodeo Arena. It's where all the action is!



And, just what was the greatest thing before sliced bread?



I'm always filing away tidbits of information to be used in this column. Occasionally, the tidbits mature into full-blown ideas and you read them here. Most of the time, however, they are nothing more than random thoughts that take up space on my computer. Well, the time has come to clean out the file. So, here for your consideration, are some of those random thoughts. Some, I think, were first uttered by comedian named Steven Wright. As for the rest, I haven't a clue where they originated.

Was it somebody's cruel idea to put an "S" in the word *LISP*?

If a man says something in the woods and there are no woman

icapped stall?

Why are there 5 syllables in the word "monosyllabic"?

If you're cross-eyed and have dyslexia, can you see okay?

If the Home Shopping Channel bleeds over onto the C-Span channel, would it be possible to buy a congressman?

If life was fair, Elvis would be alive, and all the impersonators would be dead.

If you stop at a tourist information booth, can you find out about the people who were there last year?

If a jogger runs at the speed of sound, can he still hear his Walkman?

What's another word for The-saurus? And...where did you find it?

How can there be such a thing as self-help 'groups'?

If man evolved from monkeys and apes, why do we still have monkeys and apes?

And, what exactly was the best thing before sliced bread?

there to correct him, is he still wrong?

If you were going to shoot a mime, would you use a silencer?

Do cannibals avoid eating clowns because they taste funny?

Smoking cures weight problems... eventually.

If a person with multiple personalities threatens to kill himself, do the police call in a hostage negotiator?

When a person with amnesia experiences *deja vu*, does he think he's forgotten all this before?

How did a fool and his money get together in the first place?

Is "tired old cliché" one?

Why is it illegal to park in a handicapped parking space but okay to go the bathroom in a hand-

Gov. Perry has until June 17 to sign or veto bills

AUSTIN — The regular session of the 77th Legislature is history, but the legislative process is continuing.

Gov. Rick Perry has nearly 1,000 pieces of legislation on his desk. He has until June 17 to do one of two things with each bill: Sign it or veto it.

If he does neither, the measures automatically become law.

The biggest bill before the governor is the \$113.8 billion state budget. That document provides for teachers health insurance, a state pay raise and Medicaid reforms.

Here are some other bills awaiting the Governor's action:

State Capital Highlights

by Mike Cox



• Racial profiling: Bans law enforcement agencies from using race as an enforcement criteria.

• Open containers: Makes having open containers of alcoholic beverages in a vehicle illegal.

• Speed limits: Increases the speed limit to 75 miles an hour on some portions of rural highways.

• Graduated licensing: Teens could only drive during certain hours unless accompanied by an adult.

• Charter schools: Limited to 215 schools and converts at-risk charter schools to open enrollment institutions.

• Math: Creates math academies to assist teachers and provides for after-school classes.

• School start time: Classes can start no earlier than Aug. 21, though school districts can get exemptions.

• Rural Texas: Office of Rural Community Affairs will be created.

• Highways: Needs voter approval first, but would allow the state to build roads by issuing bonds through the Texas Mobility Fund.

Prison head to leave

The person in charge of 40,000 employees, 150,000 prisoners, 80,000 parolees and a \$2.6 billion budget is going to let someone else handle those numbers for a while.

Wayne Scott, executive director of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, will be retiring July 31.

During his 29-year career with the prison system, Scott came up through the ranks to head a department second in size nationally only to California. But California's prison system does not handle parolees.

"I have no regrets about a single day in the job," the 50-year-old director said when he announced his retirement plans. "But

I also have no regrets about it coming to an end. After five years (as director), new beginnings are in order, in my life and in the life of the agency."

The nine-member Texas Board of Criminal Justice will select Scott's successor.

Bushes leave books

When President George W. Bush and wife Laura left the Governor's Mansion for Austin, they didn't take all their possessions to the White House.

Left behind were 27 boxes of books given to the Bushes during his time in office.

The books are going to be donated to the Friends of the Austin Public Library, a support group for the Capital City's 75-year-old public library system.

Friends President Ken LaRonde said the group plans to sell the books, most of which are signed presentation copies, at auction. Proceeds will benefit the budget-strapped city library system and its programs, he said.

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The Joy Of Working

I interviewed an 85 year old man in Seminole one time. He worked at his real estate office every day, wore a tie and coat and walked with a lively step. When he told me how old he was, I was surprised.

I don't blame him for working way past retirement age. Consider the alternative: getting old, fat, lazy and fuzzy-brained. Looking forward to doing the yard. Staying at home. Endless, mindless television. My Army buddy in Minnesota is retired and now runs his wife crazy by staying around the house all the time. He finally got a part-time job building pallets just to get out for a few hours every day.

I have another friend who has retired and brags about how little he does every day. "I don't care how much fun you have working, retirement is better," he told me. He has just moved to Texas from Chicago. I asked him what was the high point of most of his days. "Going to get the paper barefooted," he replied.

These guys from up north just go crazy when they start enjoying our pleasant Texas climate and realize they don't have to shovel snow or do all that cold weather stuff any more.

I just realized I don't know any retired women. Interesting thought. Some of my friends have retired and that puzzles me. I don't know why they stopped working. They're perfectly healthy, have active minds and have proven themselves at whatever job they had to be able to take some time

off, to do a few things, go to a few places, and return to work. But to retire? I don't understand that.

I've seen too many people turn mushy when they no longer have the responsibilities involved in working. They put on polyester leisure suits and grow fat. Smart, witty conversationalists at work become slow and dull in retirement. They miss working.

Oh, yes, I've seen retired people who are very happy. Most of those are people who didn't like their jobs very much. They worked all those crazy years just so they could retire. They put off doing things, waiting until they retired. Now they're too old to do all the things they thought about doing while they were working.

Personally, I've never considered retirement. I'm having to much fun working. Years ago I realized I can work and still have time to do what is important to me.

The things I want to do, I do. I make time for them. Work in the yard? You bet. Travel? Sure. Family time? Of course. Write books? Yep. One is with the publisher right now and another will get there before June. I'm working on two new CD's. All that's in my spare time, apart from my "work." I put it in quotation marks because I've never considered what I do work. To me, it's fun. I get to drive around Texas and talk to people, then bring my recordings and memories back and share them. Work? Not hardly. I probably couldn't do all those spare time activities if I was retired.

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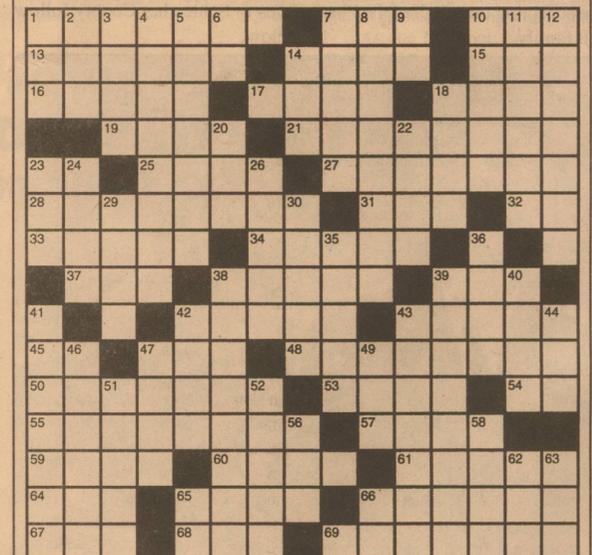
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OBITUARIES

Douglas Willhoit

Douglas Willhoit, 89, longtime resident of Eldorado, passed away in a nursing home in Barksdale on Sunday, June 3, 2001.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Tee Willhoit of Uvalde; a son, Michael Willhoit of San Angelo; a grandson, Benny Harris of Eldorado; and four sisters, Lodes-

sa Pope of Sonora, Marjorie Merritt of Rocksprings, Frances Craig of Uvalde and Mary Fowler of Corpus Christi.

He was born April 7, 1912 in Vance, Texas.

A graveside service was held Monday, June 4, 2001, in the Barksdale Cemetery.

Marianne Craig Phillips

SAN ANGELO — Marianne Craig Phillips went home to be with her Heavenly Father on June 2, 2001, at the age of 67.

Service was Tuesday, June 5, at Johnson's Funeral Home with Miguel Zuniga officiating. Burial followed in Eldorado Cemetery.

Marianne was born Nov. 6, 1933, in Eldorado to E.W. and Lola Craig. She graduated from Eldorado High School in 1952 and attended San Angelo Junior College. On June 4, 1953, Marianne married her high school sweetheart, John Phillips. Their life together took them to Abilene, Odessa and Midland, as well as Hobbs, N.M., before they settled in San Angelo in 1968.

Marianne's life was dedicated to providing a loving home for her family and supporting and encouraging her three children in all of their endeavors. She unselfishly cared for her aging parents until their deaths. Her greatest joys came in the form of her seven grandchildren. "Mema," as she was lovingly called, never missed an opportunity to love and spoil them. Her loving ways and generous spirit were a blessing to her family and friends. She was a member of the Johnson Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband of 48 years, John Phillips; a son, Doug Phillips and wife, Cindy, of San Angelo; two daughters, Loann Baker and husband, Daniel, of San Angelo, and Larnell Camus and husband, Michael, of Austin; seven grandchildren, Amanda and Matt Phillips, Joshua, Jessica and John David Baker, all of San Angelo, and Heather and Megan Camus of Austin; and a brother, Weldon Craig and wife, Carolyn, of Hobbs, N.M. Also included are two uncles, Clarence Davis and wife, Jeannie, of Augusta, Ark., and Marshall Davis and wife, Rowena, of Stephenville; her mother-in-law and dear friend, Minnie Phillips; as well as a host of brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews and friends.

Marianne was preceded in death by an infant son, Elvis Paul Phillips; her parents; and father-in-law, Paul Phillips.

Pallbearers will be Doug and Matt Phillips, Daniel, Joshua and John David Baker, Michael Camus and Kenneth Hemphill.

The family requests any memorials be made to American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 363, Mt. Morris, IL, 61054, or to West Texas Boys Ranch.

John A. Himrod

WAUCHULA, FL — John A. "Jack" Himrod, 66, of Wauchula, Florida, and formerly of Eldorado, died Sunday, May 20, 2001 at Bay Pines V.A. Medical Center. A resident of Wauchula most of his life, he was a member of Oak Grove Baptist Church, a carpenter and a veteran, having served in the U.S. Army Paratroop 82nd Airborne. He was active in his church and an avid fan of Florida Gator sports.

Survivors are his mother, Mae Frank Himrod of Wauchula; one son, Jeremy Himrod of Turner, Maine; two daughters, Eileen Forrester of Sarasota, FL, and Shelia Hughes of Jacksonville, NC; four sisters, Margaret Mactavish of Taos, NM, Mary Moore of Wauchula, Ann Fowler of Reedville, VA and Ruth Moon of North Fort Meyers FL; and five grandchildren.

Arrangements were by Robarrts funeral home.



PHOTO BY LORI STRICKLAN

Beautiful landscaping — One of the Pride Spots of the Month is the Old Hotel Lot located on the corner of Murchison and S. Main Street.

Chamber Pride Committee's "Spotlight of the Month"

by Nancy Lester

The Chamber Pride "Spotlight of the Month" shines on the Hotel Park and Gregory Fuentes! Gregory is the son of Mario and Ninfa Fuentes and is working as part of the Annenberg Summer Youth Work Program. Gregory spent his first day on the job weeding, cleaning and generally improving the appearance of the Hotel Park. He has also been busy with Finnagan Park and the Historic Main Street District. You will see Gregory

around town working as the summer progresses. In addition to his landscape skills, he enjoys music, installing stereos in cars and doing things with his family. He will be a sophomore at Eldorado High School this fall. Gregory is working out of the County Extension Office and is being supervised by Scott Edmonson, County Extension Agent and Mrs. Pat Sykes.

The residential "Pride Spot of the Week" is the home of Sam and Penny Whitten.

MILITARY NEWS

Seaman Alton Bybee

Seaman Alton Bybee graduated from basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Illinois on May 25, 2001. He is now studying to be an aviation mechanic at Naval Air Technical Center in Pensacola, Florida, from which he will graduate in about a month.

He will then be assigned to the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Nimitz, in San Diego, California.

Alton is the son of Monty and Cindy Bybee of Eldorado and is a 1999 graduate of Eldorado High School.



courtesy photo
Seaman Alton Bybee

Local Students receive ASU Carr Scholarships

San Angelo - Three high school seniors from Eldorado have been awarded Carr Academic Scholarships at Angelo State University for the 2001 -02 academic year.

The students from Eldorado High School include Lindsay N. Beach, receiving \$2,000.00, Joseph S. Bullard receiving \$3,500.00 and Jeff D. Stafford receiving \$1,500.00.

Carr Academic Scholarships are being awarded for 2001-2002, ranging in value from \$1,500 to \$6,000, to qualified undergraduates. During the current year more than 1,000 students from throughout Texas and the nation, as well as numerous foreign countries, are

attending Angelo State University on Carr Academic Scholarships.

As a general rule, entering freshmen must rank in the top 15 percent of their high school class and present either a combined math and verbal score of 1140 on the SAT I or a composite score of 25 on the ACT.

Supported by a growing multi-million dollar trust established by the late Robert G. and Nona K. Carr of San Angelo, the undergraduate scholarships may be renewed annually by the university for students who maintain the required academic record. During a four-year course of undergraduate study at ASU, Carr Academic Scholarships can be worth from \$6,000 to \$24,000.

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- Tuesday June 12**
Bar-B-Que Brisket, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Cornbread, Cole-slaw, Fresh Fruit Cup, Milk
- Wednesday June 13**
Chicken Fried Steak w/ Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Cooked Carrots, Wheat Bread, Cucumber / Tomato Salad, Tapioca Pudding, Milk
- Thursday June 14**
Glazed Ham, Cooked Cabbage, Sw. Potatoes w/ Apples, Wheat Roll, Banana Pudding, Milk
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5th Grader Jasmine Romero & Delia Herrera

The teacher I most admire is Mrs. Herrera. Mrs. Herrera is the most interesting person I've ever met. Every day I look forward to going to her classroom. During our lesson, Mrs. Herrera always has a true story to tell us. Before I met Mrs. Herrera History and Science were my enemies, now they're my favorite subjects. She makes the day interesting by expressing her thoughts and opinions. She's given me advice before that I know I will look back on in the future when I have to make important decisions. Mrs. Herrera is always encouraging her students to do their best. I feel very comfortable around Mrs. Herrera. If I'm ever feeling not so great she is someone I know I can talk to and express my feelings and opinions to. Students spend most of the day around their teachers and it's great to know that we can enjoy the day at school with teachers like Mrs. Herrera.

Jasmine Romero - 5th Grader

The reason I decided to write about Mrs. McGregor was because she was one of my cool teachers. Not that my other teachers weren't. Every time I see her in the hall she gives me a hug and asks me how I am doing. When I was in her class last year she always helped me when I got something wrong, and when I was unorganized. Even on Valentines Day she put her lipstick on and gave us a kiss. She would always make me laugh, but she never made me sad. I always just wish that I was still in her class. She always encouraged us to go for our dreams. Also she gave us treats when we deserved it even if we didn't she still gave us some. It was hard for me to decide on which teacher to write about, but I picked Mrs. McGregor because I thought nobody else would pick her and because she was probably my best teacher I have ever had. So I hope she still keeps teaching so she could make other kid's dreams come true like she did mine.



4th Grader Cassandra Buitron & Mickey McGregor

Cassandra Buitron - 4th Grader

These students were among the winners of the "Teacher I Most Admire" essay contest sponsored by First National Bank of Eldorado. Each of the winners received a \$25 prize.

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All-Star — Eagles slugger William Robledo received congratulations from his teammates upon returning to the dugout during a varsity game earlier this year.

William Robledo to play in THSBCA All-Star Game

Eagles shortstop William Robledo learned this week that he will be playing in the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association All-Star Game on June 17 in Round Rock, Texas.

Robledo, a stand out during his high school career at EHS, graduated two weeks ago. He will be joined in Round Rock by the top baseball prospects from across Texas. Once there, the athletes will be divided into 1A, 2A, 3A, 4A and 5A classes. Four teams in each class will then be divided into North and South Regions. They will be coached in their respective games by outstanding high school coaches selected by the THSBCA board of directors.

EHS baseball coach Ronnie Molina nominated Robledo for the honor. He submitted Robledo's stats to the organization at the end

of the 2001 baseball season. News came only this week that Robledo had been selected.

Robledo is the first EHS baseball player to receive an invitation to play in the All-Star Game. He is the son of David Robledo and Sandra Robledo of Eldorado.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Hole-in-One — Jim Broome of Eldorado made a hole-in-one on the 9th Hole at the Eldorado Golf Course on Sunday, June 3rd. The shot was witnessed by C.R. Sproul, Howard Ledbetter and Rhonda Blosschok.

Plateau Classic baseball tourney set for June 11th

35 games on tap for local baseball fans

It's that time again when Eldorado Youth Baseball hosts its annual "Plateau Classic" baseball tournament. The dates are June 11th through the 16th. Tournament director, David Hill said of the tourney, "As always, we really look forward to hosting this event. Interest increases each year and we have two first time participants this year in Christoval and Eden."

The tournament is again full with several teams on the "waiting list". There are three age categories, Division I is 11 & 12 year olds, Division II is 9 & 10 year olds, and Division III is 7, 8, & 9 year olds.

Communities participating and number of teams are Eldorado (3), Big Lake (3), Sonora (2), Junction (2), Iraan (2), Ozona (2), Eden, Menard, Rocksprings, San Angelo Northern, and Christoval.

Games will begin on Monday and there will be double-headers through Friday. Games will begin at 6:15 and 8:00 pm. On Saturday, games will begin at 8:00 am and

continue through 8:00 pm.

The Plateau Classic has rapidly become one of the largest spectator events held in Eldorado. "The estimated economic impact for Eldorado excellent," Hill said. "Convenience stores and restaurants always have a good week during the tournament. With 19 out-of-town teams...16 kids plus coaches, participants total 340. Then add parents, brothers, sisters, and other family members and total attendance will push 800 to 900 people during the week. In all likelihood, this is one of the largest events during the year as far as attendance."

It takes approximately 420 volunteer hours to organize and host this event. Hill said, "As always, this thing requires a lot of help and time. It just doesn't happen and it is not on cruise control. Without the volunteers, it just wouldn't happen."

Everyone is encouraged to come out and support Eldorado's All Star Team in the Plateau Classic.

Golf Play Day
 by Mabel Freitag

A hot, windy afternoon on Sunday June 3rd for our regular Play Day. We had 38 adults and 2 youths, Hannah Robledo and Cash Lane.

1st Place Score -56 - Tip Finley, Kerry Joy, Mario Robles, Charlie Bradley and Roy Guerrero

2nd Plane Score -57 - Cy Griffin, Su Scott, Gordon Hones, David Robledo and Hannah Robledo

3rd Place Score-59 - Ross Whitten, Bob Bland, George Scott and Dennis Reed.

We had three teams with a score

of 59. Score card Play - Off teams with a 59 were Barry Lane, Sam Henderson, Clint Griffin, Karen Henderson and Cash Lane - Steve Snelson, Gordon Emmons, Conor Emmons, Aaron Sanchez and Ronnie Sauer.

Jim Broome made a Hole-In-One on Hole #9. Witnesses were, C.R. Sproul, Howard Ledbetter, and Rhonda Blosschok.

West Texas Junior Championship Tournament will be on June 12th.

Our next Play Day will be Sunday, July 1st.

McCormack tapped as head coach at EHS

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 Rams.

McCormack accepted a position at Wall High School in 1984. His teaching duties there included American History, Texas History and Fundamentals of Math. During the two years he was at Wall, McCormack was the Hawks' head track coach and the Jr. High Girls basketball coach. During football season, he served as the Hawks'

defensive coordinator as well as being the defensive end coach. In 1984 the Wall Hawks won a Bi-District championship.

McCormack signed on at Llano High School in 1986. During the 15 years he was in Llano, McCormack's classroom assignments included World History and World Geography. For the first 10 years he was there, McCormack's coaching duties included: head track coach, offensive line coach, tight end coach, defensive ends and secondary coach, defensive coordinator and linebacker coach. During that period, the Llano Yellowjackets football team advanced to the State 3A Playoffs in 1988, '89, '94 and '95.

In 1996, McCormack took over

as the athletic director and head football coach at Llano. In five years he compiled a 35-22 record, including an 18-7 record in district competition from '96 to 2000. His last year at Llano, the team's fortunes took a downturn and the Yellowjackets finished 2-8 on the year.

During McCormack's tenure as the head man at Llano the team won three Bi-District championships and McCormack was named the District 25-AAA Coach of the Year by the San Angelo Standard-Times.

As McCormack returns to Eldorado, he will be taking over a resurgent football program. The Eagles have reached the playoffs in each of the past 7 years. And, Eldorado fans are eager for the winning ways to continue.



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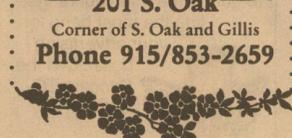
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State Division "1" Rating — Eldorado High School's Clarinet Choir received a Division "1" Rating at the State Solo and Ensemble Contest in San Marcos on May 26. Choir members are (Front L-R) Tabitha Lloyd, Brittany Key, Cristie Jo Belman, Jackie Crawford (Back L-R) Toni Martin, Samantha Smith, Quisto Gonzales, Kayla Case and Andrea Robles.

Clarinet Choir earns a "1" at State Contest

Eldorado's clarinet choir received a Division "1" Rating at the State Solo and Ensemble Contest held at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos on Saturday, May 26, 2001. The choir, consisting of Christie Jo Belman, Kayla Case, Jackie Crawford, Quisto Gonzales, Brittany Key, Tabitha Lloyd, Toni Martin, Andrea Robles and Samantha Smith, performed Mozart's "Rondo From Serenade No. 10." They received rave reviews from judge James Worman. "Well prepared and performed," said Worman.

"Everything worked well for you!"

BreeAnne Davis, Maria Hernandez and Jackie Crawford competed in solos on the French Horn, Trumpet and Alto Saxophone, respectively. They each earned a Division "2" rating.

A Horn Quartet consisting of BreeAnne Davis, Kristina Prater, Elibeth Montalvo, and Tana Williams, and a Brass Quartet consisting of Maria Hernandez, Kimberly Hight, Ashton Murr and Cole Pina, also competed and earned Division "2" ratings.

Junvenile arrested in connection with theft and vandalism at County pool

One juvenile was arrested and two others have reportedly agreed to make restitution following a break-in at the Schleicher County Swimming Pool.

Pool employees discovered the break-in on Sunday morning and notified the Schleicher County Sheriff's Department. Deputy David Olivan arrived to find that someone had scaled the pool fence and vandalized the property. Among other damage, signs had been torn down and thrown in the pool, benches and towel baskets were also tossed into the pool. The vandals also poured stabilization chemicals into the pool's filter.

A lock was broken allowing access to the pool's concession stand. Where the burglars lifted about \$60 in candy before leaving the scene.

Deputy Olivan reports that he had stopped a car in the early morning hours, occupied by three local youths. He said that although he was investigating another incident at that time, he did notice a large amount of candy in the car. So, when the candy was reported



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Cleaning up the mess — Pool employee Trey Chavez worked Sunday morning to remove benches and other objects from the water after vandals gained access to the pool overnight.

missing at the swimming pool, he had a good idea where to start looking for suspects.

One juvenile was taken into custody and charged with Burglary of a Building. He was also charged with criminal mischief in relation to another incident where windows were reportedly broken

out of a vehicle and a mobile home near the Eldorado Cemetery.

Pool manager Pam Daniels reported \$290 in damage due to the vandalism and the break-in. About \$60 worth of candy was taken in the theft, but most of that has been returned.

Schleicher County Pioneer Families

The family of J.W., Sr. and Margaret Hill

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dren, Ed and Emma, the other two sons, Enos and Robert, daughter Lottie, along with the parents, J.W. and Margaret Hill, Sr.

At the time of arrival in Schleicher County, State land was being offered for sale. The three brothers filed on their land which was located southeast of Eldora-

do and which is now known as the Jess Koy ranch. They operated the ranch until 1921 when it was sold to Jess Koy. At that time J.W. and Enos moved to Eldorado and Robert bought a ranch several miles southwest of Eldorado. He operated this ranch for the rest of his life while his two brothers lived in Eldorado and San Antonio.

Ed Hill was married to Josephine Murchison, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murchison

who ranched south of Eldorado. Three children were born to the Ed Hill family, Margaret Whitten, Jo Ed Hill and Sarah McCravery. Margaret is deceased, but her son, Ross Whitten and his family, continue to live in Schleicher County. Sarah McCravery, wife of W.E. McCravery, has raised her family in Eldorado. Jo Ed and his wife, Mary Jo, have spent their adult years in Eldorado, raising their family here.

Walter G. Powell, Sr. and Lema L. Shoop Powell family

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Texas in 1913. Deceased September 2, 1988.

They were stock farmers in the Reynolds Community. Retiring in 1966, they moved to Kingsland, Texas where they lived until his death.

Daddy was a great croppie fisherman, in the 40's we would go fishing at the Upper Lake on the Devils River every other week end

rain or shine. We didn't have a pick-up that would make a trip like that, so we loaded the old Plymouth car with everything needed for camping and fishing, a 5 h.p. Sears boat motor, food, bedding, wood for campfire and etc. Arriving at the lake, camp was set up, we rented an aluminum boat with no padded seats or anything fancy and set out to get trot lines in and baited if time permitted and try to catch some croppie.

Any time there were enough friends and relatives gathered

around Daddy would get the (pit) going with a goat cooking. Mother could always make the best (clabber milk) biscuits which were cooked in the dutch oven over mesquite coals.

These times are gone, but not forgotten. Born to this union were 5 children; Lora Mae Lloyd of Eldorado Tx., Oretta Dannheim of Mertzon, Tx., Vera Bradshaw of Eldorado Tx., Walter Powell Jr. of Eldorado TX., Edith Joyce Powell Infant Deceased December 18, 1940 - March 28, 1941.

Tumbleweed Smith to perform in One-Man show at Ft. Davis

Radio feature artist and syndicated newspaper columnist Tumbleweed Smith will perform two One-Man Shows in Ft. Davis during the last weekend in June.

The performances will be staged in the Dry Bean Cowboy Opry House.

"Montain Voices" featuring the folks and fables of the Texas Mountain Country will be presented at 2:00 p.m. and again at 8:00 p.m. on Friday, June 29th.

"Texas Stories," Tumbleweed's classic hour of family-size Texas Humor will begin at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 30th.

All seats are \$6.50. For reservations call 915-426-2675.

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Thursday, June 14

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Young beauties — (Front L-R) Sasha Rodriguez, Danielle Clark, Morgan Porter, (Back L-R) Kymberlin Conn, Courtney Espinosa and Brittani Romero posed with crowns and sashes at the Gazebo on Main Street.

Local girls sweep Diamond Miss State pageant

Five Eldorado girls competed in the Our Diamond Miss State Pageant in Abilene on June 1st and 2nd. Courtney Espinosa, Danielle Clark, Sahsa Rodriguez, Brittani Romero and Kymberlin Conn competed against girls from across the state of Texas and brought home number titles and honors.

Brittani Romero was the reigning Junior Miss Texas State Dia-

mond Girl. She handed down her title to a girl from Abilene. However, Romero landed additional honors at the Abilene pageant, winning the title of Texas State Junior Miss Modeling Queen. She was 1st runner-up in the Talent category and 2nd runner-up Glamour Girl. She won Best Talent Outfit and Best Portfolio.

Courtney Espinosa was named the 12-24 month Queen in the World of Babies Competition.

Danielle Clark was named Texas State Tiny Miss Modeling Queen and Texas State Tiny Miss Diamond Girl. She was 1st runner-up in Talent & Glamour Girl and won Best Photogenic, Best Portfolio, Best Party Dress, Best Sportswear and Best Talent Outfit.

Sasha Rodriguez claimed the title of Texas State Petite Miss

Modeling Queen. She was 1st runner-up Diamond Girl and 2nd runner-up Glamour Girl.

Kymberlin Conn won the Junior Divisional Competition Trophy, won 1st Floral, 1st Runway, 1st Party Dress, 2nd Decade and 2nd Talent.

These five girls will be traveling to Oklahoma City in July to compete in the National Our Diamond Miss Pageant.

Morgan Porter is the reigning National Tiny Miss Talent & Diamond Girl Queen. She will also be traveling to Oklahoma City to hand down her title. She has represented Eldorado and Texas for the past year and will be there to cheer on her friends as they attempt to bring home a National title. Join us in congratulating these girls and wishing them the best of

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Mrs. Droll's 2001 Kindergarten Class Posed with their diplomas following graduation ceremonies in the Elementary School gym. Class members are: (Front L-R) Samantha Ard and Roger Gehrels, (Middle L-R) Nicholas Gonzales, Mary Lou Martinez, Mark Sanchez, Kevin Solis, Aaron Conn, Michael Blibrey, Victoria Olivan, (Back L-R) Blaine Mitchell, Dylan Ramos, Brittany Galan, Sloan Lovette, Jayse Garner, Kimberly Sanchez, Ryan Espinosa, Teacher Claudia Droll.

Debbie Griffin's 2001 Kindergarten Class Posed with their diplomas following graduation ceremonies in the Elementary School gym. Class members are: (Front L-R) Edward Hernandez, Ashley Bullard, Robin Hibbs, Justin Estrada, (Middle L-R) Braylie Harris, Brian Parsley, Juan Carlos Aranda, Mirada Arispe, Daniel Guerra, (Back L-R) Teacher, Debbie Griffin, Tyler Martinez, Nancy Iglesias, Lori Escobar, Michele Collett, John Cody Brenner, Rudy Montez, Jr.



Candi Homer's 2001 Kindergarten Class: Posed with their diplomas following graduation ceremonies in the Elementary School gym. Class members are: (Front L-R) Cameron Capps, Marysa Espinosa, Nikki Herrera, M'Kenna Gillespie, Chasity Willis (Middle L-R) Gabriel Sanchez, Ashley Mettlen, Veronica Fuentes, Kasey Gonzales, Yeraldy Castro, Marcus Perez; (Back L-R) Teacher, Candi Homer, Miguel Huichapa, Lane Griffin, Hector Reyes, Beta Nava, Preston Rodriguez.

Schleicher County Days slated for weekend

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and Wood Wreaths by Carrie Colard of Sonora as well as candle holders, crafts, old country boots, assorted flowers, candles and green garland; Jewelry and Texas Barbed wire by Bill and Missy Perry of Kerrville; Cartoon Train Ride by Duderstadt Train Ride of Menard; Jewelry by W.W. Trading Co., Janelle Kothmann & Amy Gibles of Menard; Handmade outdoor furniture will be sold in a booth called Sawdust & Splinters by Clark Burns of Gaesville; Jewelry by S&S Jewelry of San Angelo; A Silent Auction by Beta Sigma Phi of Eldorado; Sports plaques, toys and novelties by Eppy Mendoza; Handmade, decorative and ornamental Texas, Southwestern and Western metal art and ironwork.

Various food booths will be sprinkled around the courthouse square, including: Turkey legs, hot dogs, Funnel cakes and Sno-cones by Norma Figueroa; Breakfast Burritos, coffee and tea by Schleicher County Medical Center; Sno-cones, Mexico Candy and Pickles by Delia Herrera; Brisket, Taquitos and Nachos by Lupe Guerrero; Barbecue Sandwiches and Big Pickles by Agape Assembly of God; Hamburgers and Corn-on-the-Cob by the Knights of Columbus; Smoked Sausage w/ Tortilla by the Overall Cookers of Eldorado; Gorditas by the Guadalupe Society; Corn Dogs, Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Tater Twister, Funnel Cakes, Nachos and Lemonade Two Guys from Gulf of Midland; Mexican Bread, Tamales, Tamale Plates and Coffee by Dora Castro of Eldorado; Cokes

and Water will be provided by the Eldorado Explorer Scouts; Baked Goods, Iced Tea & Water by the Schleicher County Senior Center; and Barbecue Brisket Plates by the Eldorado Masonic Lodge #890.

An open stage will be available during the day for anyone interested in performing.

The second performance of the Eldorado Open Rodeo will begin Saturday evening at 8:00 p.m. Trophy Buckles will be awarded after

each event.

Following the Saturday evening rodeo, a dance will be held on the slab adjacent to the arena. Live music will be provided by "Against the Grain."

For a complete list of events see schedule on Page 5. Make your plans now to attend Schleicher County Days and Trade Days and the Eldorado Open Rodeo. You can bet your friends and neighbors will be there!



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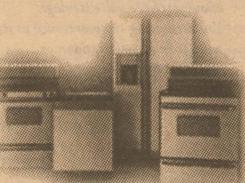
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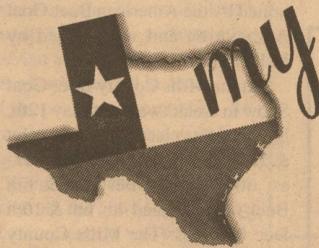
ASU releases Spring semester Dean's List

Nine Eldorado students were listed on the 2001 Spring semester Dean's List at Angelo State University. Those listed include: Kirk Allen Curtis, Communications major; Mindy D. Haynes, Interdisciplinary Studies major; Anna Regi-

na Loomis, Nursing major; Sarah Ashley Mankin, Physics major; Sara Kate Meador, Early Childhood major; Luzelvinia J. Molina, Spanish/secondary Certification major; Alana J. Oliver, Physics major; Jennie W. Swyter, History

major; Ty Bernhard Williams, Animal Science major.

To be eligible for the Angelo State University Dean's List, a student must be enrolled as a full time student and have at least a 3.25 grade point average.



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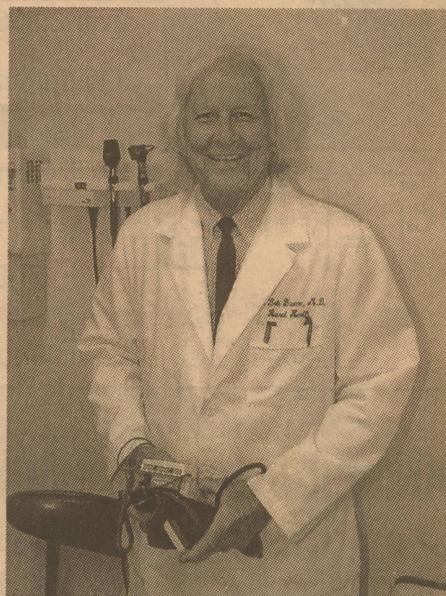
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Yes, the Doctor is in....

Dr. Jim Bob Brame is coming out of retirement, if only for a week. Dr. Brame will be staffing the Schleicher County Medical Center's clinic while Ike Whitten, PA-C, is on vacation. All of Dr. Brame's friends and former patients are encouraged to stop by and say hello.



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**Public Hearing
The City of Eldorado**

According to the 2000 census data, the City Council Wards are not of sufficiently equal population and must be redrawn in order to comply with the "one-person, one-vote" principle established by the U.S. Constitution.

The City Council of the City of Eldorado is considering new boundaries for its City Council Wards and wants to hear from you. Tell us what you think about preliminary City Council Ward plans at the Public Hearing described below:

PUBLIC HEARINGS ON REDISTRICTING PROPOSALS
June 11, 2001

Commissioners Court Room
First Floor, Schleicher County Court House
Eldorado, TX
5:30 p.m.

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**Audiencia Publica
Ciudad de Eldorado**

Según los datos del censo 2000, la población de cada uno de los distritos representativos so es suficientemente igual, y tendrán que ser reformulados para cumplir con el principio de "una persona, un voto" establecido por la Constitución de los Estados Unidos.

El Concilio Municipal de la Ciudad de Eldorado está por establecer los nuevos limites de sus distritos representativos y desea saber su opinion. Queremos que nos de su opinion de los planes preliminares para La reformalación de los distritos para miembros del Concilio Municipal. Podrá hacerlo en la audiencia pública anunciada aqui:

**AUDIENCIA PUBLICA TOCANTE PROPUESTAS
PARA LA REFORMULATION DE LOS DISTRITOS**
11 de Junio, 2001

Nombre de Localización: Commissioners Court Room
Dirección: First Floor, Schleicher County Court House
Tiempo: 5:30 p.m.

El/Los plan(es) preliminar(es) estará(n) disponible(s) en la audiencia, y además el público podrá repararlos en horas hábiles en (8 a.m. - 6 p.m., Lunes - Viernes). También puede usted llamar al número telefónico 915/853-2691 o 915/853-3353 si tiene alguna pregunta.

Dean's goats take numerous ribbons at Spring shows

Boer goat kids owned by Jack and Lois Dean of Eldorado placed well in several Spring shows. At the Lufkin Goat Show on May 5th, they won: 1st Place Pair of Buck Kids; 2nd & 6th Doe 0-3 mos.; 6th Buck 0-3 mos.; and 9th Yearling Buck. The Lufkin Show was sanctioned by the American Boer Goat Association and was judged by M.D. Shurley.

At the Mills County Boer Goat Show in Goldthwaite on May 12th, Dean's goats placed as follows: 1st & 2nd Place Pair of Kids both sexes; 6th Pair of Does; 1st & 6th Buck 0-3 mos.; and 4th, 6th & 10th Doe 0-3 mos. The Mills County

Show was also sanctioned by the ABGA and was judged by Frank Craddock.

At the Sogner Classic in Duncan, Oklahoma on May 19th, Dean's goats placed as follows: 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 7th Place Buck 0-3 mos.; 5th & 8th Doe 0-3 mos. That show was sanctioned by the International Boer Goat Association and was judged by Danny Dixon.

At the Sooner Classic on May 20th, also in Duncan, Oklahoma, Dean's goats placed as follows: Jr. Grand Champion Buck 0-12 mos.; 1st, 3rd., 4th & 7th Place Doe 0-3 mos.; 1st, 2nd & 5th Buck 0-3 Buck.



Winning goats — Jack Dean (Center) posed with two of his goats at the Mills County Boer Goat Show on May 12th. Also pictured are (L) Alan Dykstra and Joe Lee Luttrell.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letters to the Editor express the opinions of their author. They do not necessarily reflect the views or opinions of the staff, management or ownership of the Eldorado Success.

Dear Sirs!

Enclosed, please find check in the amount of \$25.00 for one year subscription for The Eldorado Success.

Give my regards to the good people of Eldorado and Schleicher County.

Yours truly,
 Bill Rountree

ASU announces Spring grads

Two Eldorado students at Angelo State University were among 440 students to receive degrees during the Spring commencement at the university.

Amanda Gail Ballew received

an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing, with a major in Nursing, and Carmen Page Preston received a Associate of Applied Science in Nursing, with a major in Nursing.



The Blotter is a summary of the previous week's activity at the Schleicher County Sheriff's Dept. For practical reasons of time and space, The Blotter does not include every call made to the Sheriff's office, nor does it include routine security checks, minor traffic stops or routine patrols. Incidents of major impact will be reported separately. Subjects reported to have been arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

ARRESTS

May 30 • Fuentes, Lee Roy, male age 23, placed in jail by District Judge to serve 180 days, charge assault.

• Oprey, Billy Jack, male age 35, arrested by SC Officer, charge Motion To Revoke/Driving While Intoxicated (2nd Offense). Released on \$2,000 Surety Bond.

May 31 • Martinez, Jesus R., male age 54, arrested by SC Officer, charge Disorderly Conduct/Enhanced. Release on \$1,000 Surety Bond.

June 1 • Martin, Brandon Wayne, male age 25, arrested by SC Officer, charge Making Alcohol Available To Minor. Released on \$1,000 Surety Bond.

June 2 • Killibrew, Quintin Lyn, male age 36, arrested by SC Officer, charge Injury To A Child. Released on \$5,000 Surety Bond.

REPORTS

May 30 • 12:00 a.m. Report of loud music on W. Fields Avenue.
 • 1:58 a.m. Nursing Home re-

ported that one of the residents had fallen and broken their hip. Complainant stated that they are unable to contact the relative by phone and advised if an officer could make contact with relative. Officer contacted subject.

• 2:51 a.m. Hospital requested a basic ambulance transfer to San Angelo. EMS responded.

May 31 • 9:00 a.m. Complainant on Murchison reported finding a black miniature Doberman Pincher in their yard. No ID on collar.

• 4:57 p.m. Complainant reported that when they went to wash their car they noticed that someone must have run into it. Officer responded.

• 5:51 p.m. Complainant requested an officer for a Civil Stand By. Officer responded.

• 9:50 p.m. Complainant requested an officer come to their residence because father was fighting with their grandmother. Two officers responded.

June 1 • 9:00 a.m. Complainant reported goats on Nance Street that were tangled up and needed assistance. Animal Control contacted and officer responded.

• 11:53 a.m. Complainant reported a female subject had fallen since 2:00 a.m. this date. When their meals from the Senior Center were delivered she was discovered on the floor. Officer and EMS 2 responded.

• 3:12 p.m. Complainant reported a Sears truck on fire 7 miles South of Eldorado on Hwy. 277 South. Motorist passing by extinguished the small engine that was on fire. Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department and officer responded.

• 5:54 p.m. Complainant at Eldorado Place Apartments reported mischief done to their apartment. Officer responded.

• 9:15 p.m. Complainant on Cottonwood reported a teenage boy driving a go cart very fast around several blocks. The male subject was not wearing a helmet and had no lights on the go cart. Officer responded and was unable to locate.

• 10:02 p.m. Complainant on W. Louis reported that someone in a white car hit the brush pile in front of house and almost hit their truck. Car had a flat tire but still kept on going. Officer responded.

June 2 • 6:12 a.m. Complainant reported a bank alarm sounding on SW Main. Dispatch spoke with teller and all was OK. Officer responded.

• 2:25 p.m. Complainant on Rudd Road reported a male subject had fallen off the roof and needed an ambulance. Officer and EMS 2 responded.

• 10:05 p.m. Complainant reported that their son had been hit with a baseball bat. Officers responded to call.

• 5:00 a.m. Complainant on Hwy. 190 West reported that someone had knocked off his car windows. Officer responded.

• 6:20 a.m. Complainant at pool requested to speak with an officer about a criminal mischief. Officer responded.

June 4 • 9:26 p.m. Sutton Country Sheriff Office reported that a vehicle will be going through the county with their flashers on. Mother is transporting son to the hospital with a broken leg. Tom Green County advised.

• No Time...Request for an officer to assist with an emergency commitment order. Officers responded.

• 8:05 a.m. Complainant requested an officer to kill a snake in their driveway. Officer responded.

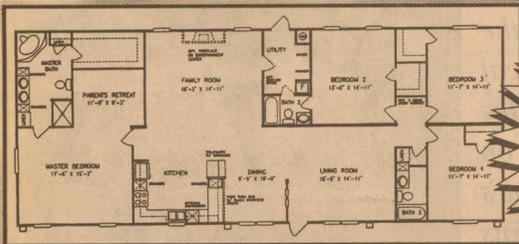
June 5 • 3:20 p.m. Complainant requested a Criminal Tresspass be put on a male subject. Officer responded.

• 9:34 p.m. Complainant reported two males subjects bothering people at the car wash. Officer responded.

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Public Hearing Schleicher County

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Audiencia Publica Condado de Schleicher

Según los datos del Censo 2000, la población de cada uno de los cuatro recintos del Condado se es suficientemente igual, y tendrán que ser reformulados para cumplir con el principio de "una persona, un voto" establecido por la Constitución de los Estados Unidos.

La Corte de Comisionados del Condado de Schleicher está por establecer los cuatro Recintos de Comisionados y desea saber su opinión. Queremos que nos de su opinión de los planes preliminares para la reformulación de los distritos para miembros del Concilio Municipal. Podrá hacerlo en la audiencia pública anunciada aquí:

**AUDIENCIA PUBLICA TOCANTE PROPUESTAS
 PARA LA REFORMULATION DE LOS DISTRITOS**
 11 de Junio, 2001

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 Tiempo: 5:30 p.m.

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Eldorado Middle School academic awards listed

Eldorado Middle School's academic awards were presented on Friday, May 24, 2001 in the EHS Auditorium with Kolby Dombroski, Student Council President welcoming the parents and guests of the EMS students. The invocation was led by Nathan MacDonald, 8th Grade Student Council Representative. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Tiffany Hernandez, Student Council Secretary.

Individual awards were presented as follows:

Mr. George Spinks presented the **Industrial Technology Awards** Charlotte Adame received the award for the 7th grade for outstanding student in industrial technology-woodworking and Manuel Arispe, an eighth grader received the award for his talents in Small Engine Class.

Perfect Attendance Awards were presented to 5th Grade: Pedro Garcia and Louie Buitron; 6th Grade: None; 7th Grade: Nestor Hernandez; 8th Grade: Laurie Almazan, Eric Garcia and Blanca Huichapa. These students were neither absent nor tardy for the entire year.

Reading Awards went to the high-

est reader in each class with the combined Middle School reading over 500,000 pages. They are: **Eighth Grade** 1st-Sheryl Alexander (8,919 pages), 2nd - Will Griffin (7,781), 3rd-Ashton Murr (7,000); **Seventh Grade**: 1st-Chelsi Rodriguez (10,004 pages), 2nd-Michael Hill (5,155 pages), 3rd-Taylor Niblett (3,569 pages); **Sixth Grade**: 1st-RidgeAnn Sudduth(6,259), 2nd-Felipe Martinez (5,036 pages), 3rd-Kristin Mittel (4,349); **Fifth Grade**: 1st-Jorge Chavez (20,206 pages),

2nd-Caleb Daniels (3,640 pages), 3rd-Leslie Cruz (3,937 pages).

Citizenship Awards winners are selected by teachers in each grade level. They are: **Eighth Grade**: Laurie Almazan and B.J. Dacy; **Seventh Grade**: Chandra Wanoreck and Joel Esparza; **Sixth Grade**: Felipe Martinez and Liz Dacy; **Fifth Grade**: Manny Gonzalez and Nancy Hernandez.

Scholarship Awards were given to the top ten students academically in each grade level. The top five re-

ceived medals and certificates and 6th through 10th received a certificate. Receiving Scholarship Awards were: **Eighth Grade**-Medalist: Kolby Dombroski, William Griffin, Daniel Guadarrama, Emily Newman and Lindsey Schwiening; Certificates: Ashley Doran, Betsy Green, Julie Hight, Ashton Murr and David Neal; **Seventh Grade**-Medalist: Taylor Baker, Michael Hill, Rachel Joiner, Allison Reynolds and Chandra Wanoreck; Certificates: Charlotte Adame, Diego Barrera, Lauren Brown, William Edmiston and Maxie Holley **Sixth Grade**-Medalists: Brittany Jennings, Richard Jones, Felipe Martinez, Kristin Mittel and Abelardo Montalvo; Certificates: Edward Dominguez, Anakaren Esparza, Tiffany Hernandez, William Higgins and RidgeAnn Sudduth; **Fifth Grade**-Medalists: Jorge Chavez, Caleb Daniels, Tyler Dombroski, Matthew Hill, Kassandra Tyler; Certificate: Blake Chatham, Macy Chatham, David Ramirez, Clayton Sauer and Rhapsody Swyter.

The **American Legion Award** was presented to a 6th grade girl and boy who were elected by their classmates for their display of good citizenship. This year's award was presented to Tiffany Hernandez and Neal Higgins by American Legion Representative Guy Crippin

Emily Newman and Daniella Guadarrama were the recipient of the **Principal's Honor Roll Award**. This award is given to the student with an A in every core subject in each class, every six weeks, from grade 5 through grade 8. It was presented by principal Julie Griffin.

The **Lion's Club Award** is awarded to the 8th grade boy and girl who had the highest cumulative academic average this year. Recipients of this award were William Griffin and Emily Newman. The award was presented by Eddie Albin a Lion's Club Representative.

The **Leadership Award** was presented to William Griffin and Selina Rojas both 8th graders who were chosen for outstanding citizenship, friendship, and sportsmanship throughout their middle school years. These students are nominated by the 8th grade and voted on by the entire student body.

Most Improved: 5th Grade-Ricki Blye and Joy Martinez; 6th Grade-Felipe Martinez and Liz Lacy; 7th Grade-Chandra Wanoreck and Joel Esparza; 8th Grade: Laurie Almazan and B.J. Dacy.

Most Congenial: 5th Grade-Pedro Garcia and Chelsey Pridemore; 6th Grade-Richmond Adame and Alicia Corrales; 7th Grade-Micaela Gonzales and Michael Ballew; 8th Grade-Nathan MacDonald and Maria Contreras.

TAAS-Students receiving Academic Recognition by answering at least 95% of the items on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills test are:

Eighth Grade: Laurie Almazan (reading); Ryan Cathey (reading); Brandie Cross (reading), Kolby Dombroski (reading, math, social studies); Ashley Doran (reading, math); Betsy Green (reading), William Griffin (reading, social studies); Daniella Guadarrama (reading, science); Bryce Leggett (reading, math); Ashton Murr (math); Emily Newman (reading, math, social studies); Christopher Roberts (math); Selina Rojas (reading); Lindsey Schwiening (reading, math, science).

Seventh Grade: Charlotte Adame (reading, math); Taylor Baker (reading, math); Diego Barrera (reading, math); Jaaron Crawford (reading), Josefina Diaz (reading); William Edmiston (reading); Joel Esparza (reading); Esperanza Fuentes (reading, math); Jimmy Gonzales (reading); Nester Hernandez (reading); Michael Hill (reading); Maxie Holley (reading); Rachel Joiner (reading); Andrew Mejia (reading); Brencce Minor (reading, math); Allison Reynolds (reading); Kali Roberts (reading); Chelsi Rodriguez (reading); Karina Sanchez (reading); Alison Sproul (reading, Autume Walton (reading, math); Chandra Wanoreck (reading).

Sixth Grade: Drew Bosmans (reading); Christopher Chavez (math); Amy Doran (reading); Candace Engdahl (reading); Anakaren Esparza (math); Holly Ford (reading, math); Anna Fuentes (math); Marcos Hernandez (reading); Tiffany Hernandez (reading); Richard Jones (reading, math); Briley Leggett (math); Kristin Mittel (math); Raul Rios (reading), Kimberly Samaniego (math).

Fifth Grade: Jose Buitron (reading, math); Blake Chatham (reading, math); Macy Chatham (reading); Jorge Chavez (reading, math); Maria Contreras (reading); Caleb Daniels (reading); Tyler Dombroski (math); Erika Estrada (reading, math); Matthew Hill (reading); John Joiner (reading); David Ramirez (reading, math); Michael Redish (reading); Mi-Ki Romero (reading); Jorge Sanchez (math); Clayton Sauer (math); Tiawna Vannett (reading).



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Perfect Attendance — Eldorado Middle School Perfect Attendance Awards went to: (Front L-R): Pedro Garcia, Laurie Almazan, Louie Buitron. (Back L-R): Eric Garcia, Blanca Huichapa, Nestor Hernandez.



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Principal Honor Roll Award — EMS Principal Julie Griffin presented Daniella Guadarrama and Emily Newman with the Principal's Honor Roll Award in recognition of their making straight A's all four years of Middle School.

Focus on the Family

by Dr. James Dobson



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Alcoholics Who Want to be Helped Have a High Rate of Success

QUESTION: You listed alcoholism as a marriage killer. My husband has that problem. It has created a great deal of pain in our home, and I am concerned about the emotional welfare of my children. Can it be treated, and is there hope for families like mine?

DR. DOBSON: Alcoholism is a devastating disease, not only for the person who has it, but for his or her entire family. Research shows that 40 percent of people living in Western nations have a close family member who is an alcoholic. That incidence is even higher in Russia and other countries of Eastern Europe. There is no way to calculate the impact of this problem on children, on spouses, and on the culture itself.

Fortunately, it can be treated successfully for those who are willing to seek that help. I discussed the issue of alcoholism with a panel of knowledgeable people on a "Focus on the Family" radio broadcast. Included were Dr. Keith Simpson, a physician who has treated this problem for 20 years, and Jerry Butler, a marriage and family therapist with 25 years of counseling experience. His own father had committed suicide during one of his drunken binges. Also with me were "Bob," a recovered alcoholic, and his wife, "Pauline," who preferred that we withhold their real names.

I did not ask these four individuals for a detailed analysis of alcoholism; our listeners already knew how serious it is. Rather, I wanted them to provide us with practical suggestions as to how family members can recognize the disease and then be of help to those they love. The answers they

gave were most encouraging and enlightening.

Dr. Simpson was asked whether alcoholism can be treated successfully today. Is it a hopeless condition, or is there a way out for the victim and his family? This was his reply:

"I specialized in the field of internal medicine for many years, but found it to be depressing work. I could help my patients with chronic lung disease and severe diabetes and heart disease, but in reality, my efforts were just a delaying action. Over time, conditions worsened and the diseases progressed. I made my rounds in intensive care each day and watched people losing their battle for life, whereas my alcoholic patients were getting well.

"That's why I deal almost exclusively with alcoholics now, and I find it to be extremely rewarding work. I see people who come in with more horrible problems than you can imagine, but they get into a recovery program, and in a few months, the difference is like going from night to day.

"So yes, not only is alcoholism treatable, but the medical community does better with this disorder than any other chronic disease. Alcoholics emerge from treatment programs more functionally integrated, more capable and more effective than before they 'caught' the disease."

That was the theme of the entire discussion: There is hope for the alcoholic! But before recovery can begin, the problem has to be acknowledged and treatment sought. That applies to your own family situation, I'm sure. Your husband can be helped if he has "the want to."

QUESTION: I've been aware of my husband's unfaithfulness for sometime now. I've taken him to task for it, which has resulted in some incredible, horrible battles. I have even made demands that he stop his infidelity, yet no changes in his attitude and behavior have happened. What am I doing wrong?

DR. DOBSON: I'm afraid you've made the common mistake of misunderstanding the difference between expressions of anger and loving toughness. Simply becoming angry and throwing temper tantrums is no more effective with a spouse than it is with a rebellious teenager. Screaming, accusing and berating are rarely successful in changing the behavior of human beings of any age.

What is required is a course of action — an ultimatum that demands a specific response and results in a consequence. Then you must have the courage to deliver on the promise.

Dr. Dobson is president of the nonprofit organization Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80903; or www.focus.org. Questions and answers are excerpted from "Solid Answers," published by Tyndale House.

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11th Grade
"A" Honor Roll: Juan Herrera, Mitzi Milby, Leigh Neal
85 and Above: Andrew Anderson,

HONOR ROLL Eldorado Middle School Honor Roll 6th Six Weeks

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"A" Honor Roll: Macy Chatham, Jorge Chavez, Maria Contreras, Caleb Daniels, Tyler Dombroski, Matthew Hill, Kassandra Tyler
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