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Eagle Band Takes a U.I.L. Meet, Brady

For those of you who were not at Brady for the Region VII U.I.L. Marching Contest, you missed a fantastic show. Mr. McDonald and his "Goin' Band from Eagle land" brought home another trophy for their One rating. This is 23 years of ones in marching for Mr. Mac.

We do want to thank all of the parents and interested fans who did go to Brady. Certainly their trip was worthwhile.

Last but by no means least we want the Band to know how proud we are to have them represent Eldorado. So we wish them good luck as they will now prepare to compete in concert and sight reading contests for Sweepstakes.

All of the twirlers who competed in solo competition rated well, also.

Warmer And Wetter

Temperatures and precipitation above normal over a broad area of the nation are indicated by maps based on the Weather Service outlook from mid-November to mid-December, including West Texas.

According to the maps those of us in West Texas (Schleicher county) can expect temperatures above normal; and our rains can be expected to be above normal.

It rained pretty hard Monday, remember. We had half an inch.

People Moving

Earl Tacker moved a house trailer to Fred Watson's lot across from the school.

C. R. Allen to Hubert Coy Hight house;

Jim Johnson to the Bud Davidson house;

Clay Burleson has bought the Ebba Finley house.

Trimbles have bought the Alderman house.

Lost Boy Found Late Sunday Evening

A search was conducted Sunday afternoon in eastern Schleicher county for 11-year-old Dennis Polaski of Austin, after the boy became separated at about 11:00 that morning from the hunting party that he was with.

Sheriff Edmiston and his deputies were called to join the search. The dense brush and other heavy cover hampered efforts of searchers, and at 4:00 p.m. the fire alarm was sounded in Eldorado for more men to join the search party.

The hunting party were hunting on the John Irvin King ranch and the boy climbed over a fence to the Carl Cahill ranch where he was found late in the day, and then returned to his father and the other hunters.

New Babies

A daughter was born in Clinic Hospital on November 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Pair. The baby weighed 6 lbs. 6 oz., and has been named Amy Alyson. The mother is the former Jan Wagley of this place.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Wagley and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pair, all of San Angelo.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hicks of Portales, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harden of Llano, Texas; and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pair of Lorenzo. Mrs. Addie Hazlette of Llano is a great-great grandmother.

Medical Center Notes

Admissions:
Guadalupe Guerrero, Sonora
Effie Butler
Frank Joe Wipff, Mertens
Ruth Chancellor, Sonora
Antonio Mejia
Lupe Noriega, Sonora
Anita Jones
Henry Wyatt, Sonora
Sadie Santellano
Mary Castilleja, Sonora
Baby Girl Castilleja, Sonora
Kitty Buchanan
Lionel Samaniego, Sonora.

Discharges:
Rosa Martinez
Blanca Michelle Martinez
Nova Olenick, Sonora
Effie Butler
Lupe Noriega, Sonora.

Post Script

A General Holiday

Today—Thursday, Nov. 25th—is a General Holiday for Thanksgiving.

The El Dorado Restaurant and Java Junction are open to serve traditional fare to those who don't care to cook a big dinner, and a few service stations are open, but otherwise most stores and offices are closed for the day.

The school, as well as Court House offices and City Hall are taking Friday off as a holiday.

But for everyone else, it will be back to work Friday morning.

—ps—

A Time For Thanks

This is a time when it seems that most human energies are devoted to kicking or complaining. It is therefore doubly satisfying to welcome, once again, that good old traditional holiday—Thanksgiving. Giving thanks on the fourth Thursday in November always conjures up a picture of the Pilgrims and other early settlers and the legendary hardships they faced in the wilderness of North America.

It well to remember that North America in the early 1600's was not the United States, and the people who came here then knew only that they were in a hostile wilderness. With this same historical experience, our Canadian neighbors to the north also observe Thanksgiving Day, although their day of thanks is the second Monday in October. At any rate, Thanksgiving is a day when the kickers and complainers should make themselves scarce while we take stock once more of the many blessings that are part of living in this great land we now call the United States. We have material blessings in abundance for which we should duly give thanks. But, our greatest blessings are beyond measuring on the scales of monetary value. Some of these are religious and political liberties, the right to our day in court, the sanctity of homes, persons and property.

Many of the complainers hold these things in low esteem, perhaps because they take them for granted or are too poor in spirit to appreciate them. Thanksgiving, however, is a day that helps to enrich the lives of everyone, and there is nothing like an old-fashioned Thanksgiving turkey to stimulate appreciation of the good things we are privileged to enjoy.

—ps—

1621-1971—A Thanksgiving Prayer

We give thanks that thirty-five decades ago the Pilgrims landed in the new world.

We give thanks that they persevered and established principles of liberty and opportunity which formed the basis of our society.

We give thanks that they solved the monumental problems of their day in what must have seemed a cruel and hostile land.

We give thanks that they saw their problems, not as barriers, but as opportunities to build a better life for themselves and for future generations.

We pray that we of this generation will have as great courage and resourcefulness as our Pilgrim forefathers to solve the problems of today.

—ps—

As a country weekly publisher, I read, but don't try to comment on National politics, but I can't help but admire our former Texas Governor, John Connally, who as a Democrat is now Secretary of the Treasury in President Nixon's cabinet and is now Nixon's foremost supporter on the 10% surcharge on foreign goods. Here is his recent quote, in part:

"There are many here tonight as familiar with the substance and symbols of our complaints as I. As I indicated to the press in Japan, an American cannot help but be surprised that, while a Ford Pinto sells for \$2,200 in the United States it sells for more than \$5,000 in Japan because of high tariffs and discriminatory commodity taxes. Its Japanese competitor, the Datsun, sells for less than \$2,000 in this country, even with the surcharge added."

—ps—

As of Tuesday morning, there had been 507 voter registrations in Sheriff Orval Edmiston's office.

Everyone 18 and older must now register to vote, Sheriff Edmiston reminds local residents.



We Join The Other Spirited Merchants In This Thanksgiving Greeting Issue in Wishing For All Readers Everywhere A Most Joyous Thanksgiving Holiday!

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Football Season Summary

Summary of the 1971 football season for the Eldorado Eagles brings a poignant quotation to mind. It goes like this: "The saddest words of tongue or pen consist of these: 'It might have been.'" The same quotation is true of certainly one other 9A school and possibly two, these schools being Mason and Robert Lee.

Had Mason, Eldorado, or Robert Lee been members of District 10A, comparative scores indicate that any one of the three would have been in all probability in competition with Sonora rather than De Leon which team Sonora crushed 47-0 last Friday night. Yet De Leon was a district champion, no small honor in itself. Mason and Eldorado, both better teams in comparison, could not get off of District 9A although either could have scuttled DeLeon.

Then again, Eldorado and Llano tied in a bitter 6-6 struggle. Llano went on to defeat Burnet for 9AA district honors but lost 21-0 to Clifton last Friday night in bi-district competition. Eldorado tied a Class AA district champion.

Iraan topped Eldorado last October 1, 21-12, or three touchdowns to two, and then went on to win their district championship. Last Friday night, Iraan defeated Plains High School 46-6. Now, again, in regard to Eldorado...

No person can explain the "waves" or "surges" of manpower that schools and communities enjoy every generation or so. Certainly, Football District 9A has been a tough place in which to exist the past several years with member schools Sonora, Junction, and Mason fielding teams that are listed consistently in the top ten Class A football teams in Texas, all season long, and year after year.

When it comes time to summarize the efforts of the Eldorado Eagles, it's hard to avoid a sense of sadness as well as admiration because of the gallant, season-long struggle these seven seniors, seven juniors, and eight sophomores staged. If there were ever anything to Grantland Rice's famous "bit" about "the importance of how you play the game," these Eldorado "kids" deserve the affection and respect of their parents, patrons, and fans. Remember, they scored on Sonora in the closing seconds of that game when Sonora had a 27-0 lead; but the Eldorado lads were competing just as hard as

Bulletin Board

How They Came Out Last Friday Night:

Sonora 47 DeLeon 0

Other Games of Interest:

9AA bi-district play-off:

Clifton 21 Llano 0

7A and 8A bi-dist. play-off:

Iraan 46 Plains 6

Where Sonora Plays Tomorrow Night:

Sonora versus Nocona High School in Abilene, Dec. 3, at 7:30 p.m.

Note: Nocona High School is in Montague county. This school has a total enrollment of 638 pupils with an evaluation of \$9,473,000.

they were all the way—no give up, quit, lie down, here. Nobody had to sit in the stands and be ashamed of them. They competed all the way.

A review of games and scores runs like this:

| | | | |
|----------|-----|------------|-----|
| Eldorado | 20 | Rankin | 19 |
| Eldorado | 8 | Ozona | 63 |
| Eldorado | 6 | Llano | 6 |
| Eldorado | 12 | Iraan | 21 |
| Eldorado | 6 | Junction | 15 |
| Eldorado | 8 | Mason | 34 |
| Eldorado | 19 | Robert Lee | 14 |
| Eldorado | 83 | Bangs | 6 |
| Eldorado | 6 | Sonora | 27 |
| Eldorado | 24 | Menard | 12 |
| Totals: | 192 | Opponents | 217 |

Combined game statistics for the season reflect how desperately hard the Eagles competed:

| Eldorado: | Opponents: |
|----------------------------|------------|
| 172 First downs | 148 |
| 2,071 Yards rushing | 2,304 |
| 304 Yards passing | 497 |
| 2,875 Total yards | 2,801 |
| 187 Passes attempted | 105 |
| 56 Passes completed | 31 |
| 12 Passes intercepted | 12 |
| 46 Number of punts | 41 |
| 38.2 Av. yds. per punt | 36.4 |
| 40 Fumbles | 35 |
| 25 Oppon. fumbles recov. | 22 |
| 41 for 404 Pen. & yds lost | 61/553 |

Of all the preceding figures, perhaps the most significant one is

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News of the Sick

Miss Kitty Buchanan fell Sunday and broke her hip. She received treatment in the local hospital and was transferred Monday to Shanon where she underwent surgery Tuesday morning.

The Eagle Band

Made It 6 Years . . .

in a row Saturday at the U.I.L. Marching Contest in Brady.

The Band did an outstanding job and won much praise from the judges as well as the audience.

Some comments from the judges were: "best fanfare they heard all morning", "fine alignment and spacing", "very spirited and confident performance", "outstanding band" and "best show seen all year by a band in any class."

Twirlers earned 1st division medals for solo performance. They were Jean Rountree, Marian Bland, Judy Hanusch, Denise Adams, and Sharon Garlitz.

Miss Turnbow, D. Boyer To Be Married Saturday



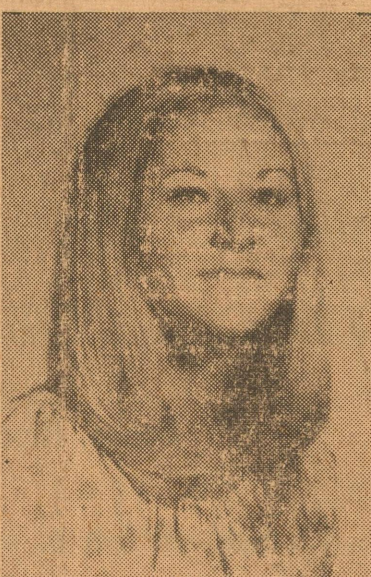
PAULA TURNBOW

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Turnbow have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Laverne, to Danny Ray Boyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ray Boyer of Eldorado.

Miss Turnbow is a 1971 graduate of Reagan County High School. Her fiancé is a 1970 graduate of Eldorado High School, and is now employed by KCRS Radio Station in Midland.

The wedding will be Nov. 27 at West Side Church of Christ in Eldorado.

Miss Bland Engaged To L-Cpl. Overstreet



MARIAN BLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Bland of Eldorado announce the engagement of their daughter, Marian Elizabeth, to L/Cpl. Donnie F. Overstreet, USMC.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Overstreet of Eldorado are the parents of the prospective bridegroom.

The bride-elect is a Senior in Eldorado High School where she is active in Band, speech, and magazine staff.

L/Cpl. Overstreet formerly attended Eldorado High School and is now stationed at Camp Pendleton, California.

A May 27 wedding is planned at the First United Methodist Church in Eldorado.

STAPLES to fit standard staplers, \$1.50 per box at The Success.

Chime System Given To 1st Baptist Church

An electronic chime system has been installed in the belfry of the First Baptist church in memory of Johnny Meador, who died earlier this year. The memorial was given by family members.

The electronic chimes are programmed to play at certain hours and strike the hour like a clock. They are controlled and programmed by a special tape recorder.

The chimes have already been heard by a number of local people since they can be heard from many blocks in all directions from the church.

The electronic chimes have the clarity and power of genuine carillons costing scores of thousands of dollars—at a fraction of the cost.

Go-To-Church Ad Series To Start

The Eldorado Success plans to begin soon running of the Go-To-Church co-operative advertising service with art work by the Keister Advertising Service of Strasburg, Virginia.

The No. 1 religious feature in America's newspapers is noted for high standards, and is carried in 1,000 newspapers from coast to coast.

The Success plans to run some of the series the first two issues in December, hold it out for the Christmas greeting papers, and then to resume the ad series in January. It should promote appreciation from readers and community, too.

Hunting Still Lags

Granvil Hext reported Tuesday that his cold storage game locker was practically empty, and that hunting still lags in this area.

More hunters were expected in the area by Wednesday, and still more may come during Thanksgiving week end.

While mornings have been cool, they apparently are still not cold enough to really bring the deer out. We had a wet norther blow in Monday which dumped about half an inch of rain on the area.

Phase 2 Information Available At ASCS

The County ASCS Office will continue as a public information center during Phase II of President Nixon's new Economic Program, says Ronald A. Mittel, the County Executive Director. County residents can get answers to their questions based on guidelines received from the Pay Board, Price Commission and Cost of Living Council. ASCS Offices can also give assistance by forwarding more complex inquiries to the District Office of the Internal Revenue Service. Call phone No. 853-2838 or visit the County ASCS Office at the Meador Building (105½ East Callendar Street) for further information.

Residents of Schleicher county are reminded that Wage-Price-Rent guidelines are in effect under Phase II of the President's Economic Stabilization Program. These have been established by the President's Pay Board, Price Commission, and Cos of Living Council. The County ASCS Office will continue to serve as the County Information Center for townspeople, farmers, and business representatives who have questions concerning Phase II. Inquiries may be made by calling phone No. 853-2838 or persons may stop in at the County ASCS Office.

ON HUNTING TRIP

Floyd McGinnis of Crosbyton, and Elton McGinnis and son Wayne of this place, and Ken Wilhite of Houston and Lee Horton of San Angelo, the latter three amateurs, are on a hunting trip on the Jack Brown ranch south of Marfa.

TROOP 91 MEETS

Troop 91 of Girl Scouts met Wednesday, the 17th. Six members were present, with two absent.

We made plans to deliver Thanksgiving cards to the nursing home. Cleve Clark served refreshments.

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Arrangements Complete For Sen. Snelson's Day

Austin, Tex.—The program of activities has been finalized for Senator Pete Snelson's "Governor-for-a-day" ceremonies, slated to be held at the State Capitol on Saturday, December 4.

Highlights of the day's events include Senator Snelson's swearing-in ceremonies in the Senate Chamber at 9:00 A.M. followed by a Press Conference where the new governor will be interviewed by members of the press from all parts of the state. Governor and Mrs. Snelson will greet their friends and constituents at a reception in the Chief Executive's Chambers.

A feature of the day which promises entertainment at its finest will be the gala inaugural luncheon, beginning at 12:30 p.m. at the Commodore Perry Hotel. All

guests are invited to join Governor and Mrs. Snelson in attending this festive event. Admission to the Inaugural Luncheon will be by ticket only; tickets may be purchased in your home county. Requests for tickets may be sent, along with purchaser's name, address, and payment of \$5.00 per ticket, to "Snelson Governor For a Day Committee," Box 13332, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

Many other interesting events and opportunities will be provided throughout the day to ensure that this will be a memorable and enjoyable occasion for all attending.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison Jr. and Leslie and Billy of Corsicana will be here to spend Thanksgiving week end with the Arch Mittels and the Ronnie Mittels. Mrs. Harrison is the daughter of the Arch Mittels and the sister of Ronnie.

Health Workers Are In Short Supply In Texas

Texas is facing a severe shortage of health workers in almost every health field, and the shortage is expected to mushroom to critical proportions by 1980. Texas State Department of Health officials and private health authorities are voicing increasing concern over the shortage and its effects on health care available to Texans in the 1970's.

The severe shortage of health workers in Texas is outlined in a recent survey conducted by the Texas Health Careers Program of the Texas Hospital Association in cooperation with the Governor's Office of Comprehensive Health Planning. "The survey leaves little doubt that a critical shortage exists right now in an industry vital to the welfare of every man, woman and child in the state," said Dr. James E. Peavy, Texas Commissioner of Health.

In fact, at a time when Texas unemployment rates are very high, nearly 18,000 jobs in the health fields go unfilled.

The study shows some 136,992 allied health professionals and technicians were at work in Texas in 1970, but jobs were available for an additional 7,364 people. In 1971 that figure jumped to 17,700 unfilled positions.

By 1980, health officials estimate more than 52,000 allied health personnel above and beyond existing requirements will be needed to meet health demands of Texas' burgeoning population.

The shortage may be even greater than these figures indicate. The survey called on employers to list the number of budgeted vacancies in their institutions. But in many cases, employers do not budget for workers who are not available. In addition, these figures do not reflect private industry and private laboratories or lesser employment categories.

In assessing how such gigantic needs are being met, Dr. Peavy noted that 457 allied health education programs throughout the state are turning out increasing numbers of graduates.

But the supply, in all cases, continues to be outdistanced by demand.

Hardest hit by current shortages are the state's hospitals, which accounted for 4,448 needed personnel, or 60% of all budgeted vacancies in 1970. Hospital officials estimated 6,301 workers were needed this year.

The greatest need for personnel, the survey disclosed, is in the field of nursing. Some 4,700 jobs for registered nurses, licensed vocational nurses, aides and orderlies went begging last year (two-thirds of all the budgeted vacancies in 1970.) Another 6,514 became available in these areas in 1971.

Led Delegation

Senator Pete Snelson, Austin, President Pro Tempore of the Texas Senate, led the delegation from Texas to the National Conference of State Legislative leaders in San Diego, California, Nov. 16-19.

Legislative leaders from the 50 states were in attendance at the annual meeting. Speakers scheduled included Honorable Melvin Laird, Secretary, Department of Defense; Robert H. Finch, Counsellor to the President; William D. Ruckelhaus, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; Mayor Henry W. Maier, President, United States Conference of Mayors; Governor John Bell Williams, Mississippi, President, Southern Governors Conference.

The Texas delegation made a bid to have the conference in the Lone Star State in 1972. Senator Snelson made the presentation of the site to the selection committee.

The Reynolds Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. R. W. Reynolds for the Christmas party on Dec. 14th at 2:00.

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- Buttered Asparagus Spears
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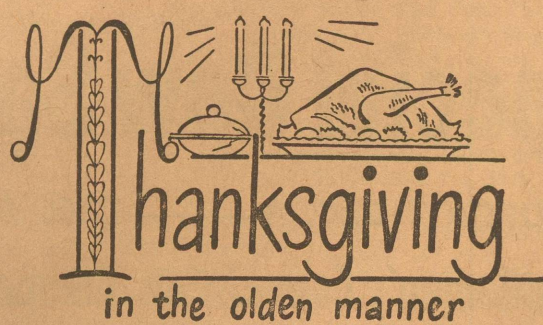
THANKSGIVING TIME — 1971

In the traditional spirit of Thanksgiving let us give thanks for the many blessings we enjoy.

We extend our thanks to our many customers for their patronage and wish for them and friends a Happy, Healthy Day.

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Lions Of The Week From The Senior Class



GARY DANFORD AND SHERRY DAVIS were scheduled to attend the November 24 meeting of the Eldorado Lions Club. They were introduced by Lion Guy Whitaker, who is High School principal.



A DAY TO PAUSE AND COUNT BLESSINGS

—Let us stop on this Thanksgiving Day to express our thanks for the many blessings we enjoy in this great nation of ours.
—We here, are especially thankful to you, our customers, for the friendship and patronage you have shown us throughout the years.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL!
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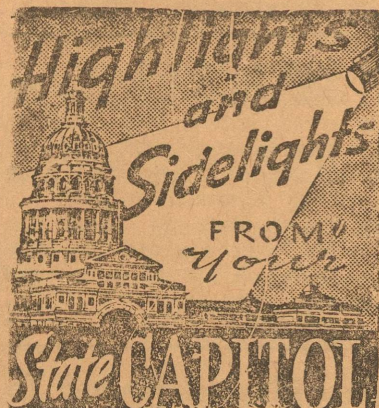
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THE CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

CITY OF ELDORADO
Water and Gas Departments



Austin, Tex.—Almost 100,000 state employees and 140,000 school teachers will get the pay raises the Legislature voted for them—effective November 14.

President Nixon's Pay Board and the Cost of Living Council notified state officials all wage, salary and other benefit increases provided in the 1971-72 state appropriations act will be permitted on end of Phase 1 of the President's wage-price freeze.

For most state employees, the 6.8% increase they expected to get September 1 will reach them on a supplemental payroll for the November 14-November 30 period. Teachers will receive a 5% per year boost in line with a 1969 long-term compensation plan approved by the Legislature.

State employees and teachers lost about \$19 million of their scheduled raises between September 1 (start of the state's fiscal year) and November 14, date of the un-thaw. They continued to sweat out federal agency ruling as to whether their benefits could be made retroactive because they actually were ordered by state lawmakers before the August freeze order.

State Commissioner of Education J. W. Edgar notified local school districts that compensation benefits such as travel expenses and supplements for insurance premiums may also be put into effect. State funds will be disbursed to school districts in line with the programmed increases beginning with the December foundation fund payments.

School districts with 1,000 or more employees will have to report raises to the Pay Board. Districts with fewer than 1,000 employees are not required to make the reports, although they must operate within board rules.

Allowable Increased

After seven months of declining oil production allowable, the Railroad Commission set the December production figure at 63% of potential—an increase from 62.5%.

Commission Chairman Byron Tunnell cited declining stocks of crude oil. He said the stocks stood at 99.8 million barrels on November 12, down 11 million from 1970.

The commission's production allowable will permit a maximum output of 3,339,400 barrels a day, 21,341 more than for November. Actual production is estimated at 3,060,846 daily for December, just over what major crude purchasers asked.

Foreign oil stocks are up 8.6 million barrels from 1970, Tunnell reported.

Food Stamp Program Altered

Changes in the food stamp program for the needy approved by the Board of Public Welfare last week will double the number of participants and increase cost.

Changes ordered by federal legislation will liberalize eligibility standards based on a scale of maximum income.

Board also adopted these policy changes in event federal court cases are decided against the Welfare Department:

—To permit welfare aid to non-citizens lawfully admitted to this country for permanent residence or to those seeking old age assistance who have lived in the U. S. at least 25 years.

—Eliminate a provision that criminal charges must be filed against a parent who deserts a child before aid to families with dependent children can be paid.

—Wipe out forced establishment of guardianship before aid can be paid to those permanently and totally disabled due to mental impairment.

Appointments . . .

Gov. Preston Smith named Robert L. Thornton Jr. of Dallas to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, succeeding Alfred Negley of San Antonio.

Smith also appointed Dr. Dan J. Anderson of Fort Worth and Dr. John E. Wilkins Jr. of Greenville to the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners.

Sen. O. H. Harris of Dallas was elected chairman and Lamar Golding of Huntsville vice-chairman of a senate committee studying feasibility of the pari-mutuel horse racing in Texas.

Fritz Lanham of Austin, an aide to Smith, was placed on the Criminal Justice Council executive committee.

Attorney General's Opinions

A local police and fire civil service commissioner may serve as an

assistant postmaster or a city tax board of equalization member at the same time, Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin held.

In other recent opinions Martin concluded:

—Taxable property valuation as used in the education code is synonymous with "assessed valuation," and only the last assessed valuation as determined by county government in "the next preceding year" may be used as one of the criteria for establishment of a county junior college district.

—Taxes and fees paid the state comptroller under protest may be refunded on his determination within the period in which he may assess a deficiency of a law suit.

Secretary of State Bob Bullock, as chief state election officer, ruled senatorial district political party conventions next May must be held in Senate districts created by the Legislative Redistricting Board.

Courts Speak

A district court retrial was ordered by the Texas Supreme Court of a \$470,000 judgment against Sharpstown State Bank of Houston in litigation concerning two surety bonds.

Third Court of Civil Appeals approved shutting St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company stations in Addison and Grapevine—and a business shift to Carrollton.

Supreme Court judges heard oral arguments from the Alcoholic Beverage Commission in a case in which the agency attacks a district court ruling that its suspensions of offending taverns' licenses are appealable.

Bank Bids Studied

The State Banking Board may act next week on a dozen applications for "phantom bank" charters.

Board must decide whether authorizing such procedures for larger banks to absorb smaller ones is a step toward prohibited branch banking.

Charter applications for new state banks in Magnolia, White Oak and Port Neches received board approval. Applications were turned down for other banks in San Antonio, Wimberley and Texas City.

Short Snorts . . .

State Sen. Wayne Connally of Floresville announced his candidacy for lieutenant governor.

The State Highway Department received permission to excavate the site of its proposed new \$20 million headquarters building here.

State Securities Commissioner Truman Holladay stopped stock trading by three Sherman firms promoting a kind of "electronic checkbook."

Former U. S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough says it's 10-to-one he will run for governor or U. S. Senator next year.

Bids on more than 600 tracts of oil and gas leases will be opened December 7 by the School Land Board.

Undercover Alcoholic Beverage Commission agents will check private clubs for violations of a new law allowing issue of temporary membership permits for \$2.

Hunting license sales are near a record—at more than 290,000 for September and October alone—reports Parks and Wildlife Dept.

December 1 is the deadline for new car dealers, distributors, manufacturers and factory representatives to get licenses under the Texas Motor Vehicle act.

The State Bar of Texas has approved a new code of professional responsibility for lawyers.

Reps. Tom Moore Jr. of Waco and Grant Jones of Abilene are candidates for the state senate in the new 24th district.

A major Democratic fund-raising dinner is scheduled here Dec. 6, with Sen. Hubert Humphrey and Congressman Wilbur Mills as drawing cards.

Consumers Urged To Buy More Texas Eggs

This is no yolk; you can be a good egg by eating an egg a day. You'll eat your way to health and you'll also be helping egg producers get out from under a surplus egg situation.

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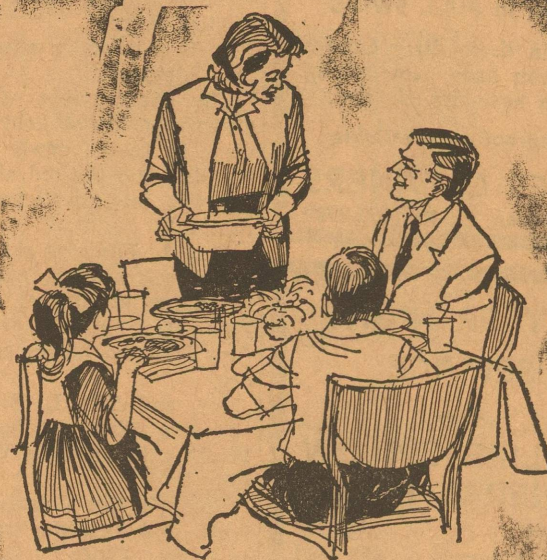
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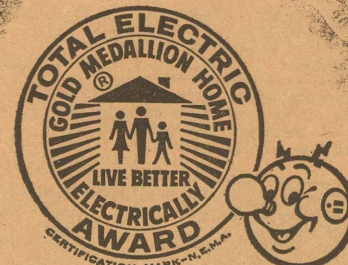
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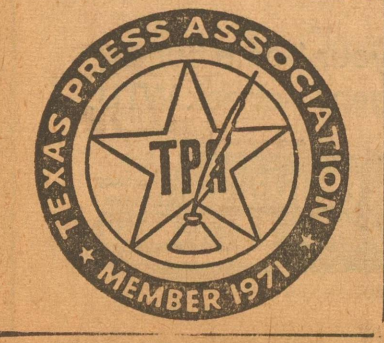
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In Those Days
 Compiled From Success Files
ONE YEAR AGO
 Nov. 26, 1970—Loretta Schooley was announced the 4-H Gold Star Girl for this county.
 Johnny Dutton and the Johnny D Band were to play for the Firemen's Ball.
 A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Preston II of Hondo, Tex.

FIVE YEARS AGO
 Nov. 24, 1966—The Community Thanksgiving service was held with Rev. Dan Sebasta delivering the sermon and Mrs. Maxine Page in charge of music.
 Beth McCalla and Molly Phillips were given scholarships to Abilene Christian College.
 Funeral services were held for O. B. Bradshaw, 51; and for Mrs. R. A. Evans, Sr.
 S. C. Engdahl was new mechanic at Bennie Harkey's garage on S. Main Street.

The engagement of Ruthella Jane Nicholas of Ozona to C. F. Dacy of this place was announced.
 The Twin Mountain District annual recognition dinner for Boy Scout workers was set Dec. 2 in San Angelo with Norm Cash to be the speaker.
 The Ministerial Alliance elected new officers and Rev. D. G. Salter was president; Rev. Kenneth Vaughan, vice president; and Mike Love, treasurer. The young people collected \$118.22 for the Christian Rural Overseas Program.
 Gordon Schrank was editor of The Talon yearbook in the high school. Co-editors were Richard Keel, June Deaton, Maggie Stockton, Kathy Robinson, Jimmy Mercer, and Carolyn O'Harrow.
 Mrs. L. T. Wilson was visiting relatives at Concord, California.

12 YEARS AGO
 Nov. 26, 1959—Billy Frank Blaylock was appointed as new permanent carrier on the local mail route.
 Ken Love was called to Kerrville to the funeral of his father, R. T. Love, 77.
 Martha Graham was crowned as Football Sweetheart.
 Rev. Hal C. Wingo of San Antonio was evangelist at Revival services getting under way at the Baptist church.
 T. H. Alexander observed his 80th birthday.
 The congregation of the Rock Church of Christ held initial services in their newly completed building and the old church building was sold to Victor Sauer for removal.
 Pete L. Fay was serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Lexington off Taipei, Formosa.
 Sam Oglesby III, age 7, shot his first deer and turkey south of Sonora.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Burk were spending Thanksgiving in Fort Worth with the Jody Whitten family.
 Snider's Hot Catsup was 10c a bottle and Avocados were 10c each at Parker Foods.
 Funeral services were held in Odessa for Hiram Edwin Sharp, Jr., brother of Mrs. Lois Etheredge.

50 YEARS AGO
 Nov. 25, 1921—Dr. E. B. Newsom of San Saba, but for 20 years of Coleman county, came in Friday night to make his home in Eldorado. He has his office in the Drug Store but has not yet received all his office fixtures. His wife and two children are to join him here in the Spring.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCravy of Haggerman, N. M., on Thursday, Nov. 17, a son, Mrs. McCravy is with her sister, Mrs. H. W. Finley on the ranch near Eldorado.
 G. W. Scales of Crowell, Ford county, was here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. A. J. Butler.
 Woman's Club members held a Thanksgiving party at the Holland Hotel with Mmes. S. W. Holland, Fred G. Smith and Sam Oglesby as hostesses.
 Born, Friday, Nov. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Grat Edmiston, a girl, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Edmiston. A daughter was also born that day to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Robbins advertised Cord Wood for \$8.00 per load.
 The Merton Star reported the death of Gus Thomas of Sherwood on Nov. 15th. He was an early settler at Knickerbocker.
 Miss Ruth Baker was teaching at Wingate, Texas.
 A subscription to the Dallas Semiweekly Farm News cost \$1.00. The Success was \$1.25 per year.

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Community Calendar

Nov. 25, Thursday. Thanksgiving holiday.
 Dec. 1, Wednesday. Lions Club meets 12:05, Memorial Building.
 Dec. 2, Thursday. Am. Legion.
 Dec. 2, Thursday. Jaycees supper and ladies night, 7:00 p.m., at El Dorado Restaurant.
 Dec. 9, Thursday. Merry Makers 42 Club meets for luncheon in the home of Mrs. Zelma Henderson.
 Dec. 9, Thursday. Senior Citizens party, 2:30 p.m., at Mem. Bldg.
 Dec. 9, Thursday. Masonic Lodge.
 Dec. 13, Monday. Christmas parade, 4:00 p.m., by C of C.
 Dec. 14, Tuesday. Woman's club.
 Dec. 14, Tuesday. Reynolds Home Demonstration Club meets with Mrs. R. W. Reynolds, 2:00 p.m.
 Dec. 16, Thursday. DAR meets for Christmas luncheon.
 Dec. 30, Thursday. Social Security man at Court House, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.
 Dec. 30, Thursday. Snowflake Ball, Memorial Building.

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CARD OF THANKS
 I have been in and out of the Hospital for several weeks. I wish to thank each one for the cards and letters, flowers and visits, and any act of kindness, for your good wishes and prayers. It means so much to know you are being thought of. I especially thank each one who helps take care of the fire phone.
 Bertha L. Wilson *

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 Mrs. Ernest C. Hill *

Miss Blaylock Named To Baylor Student Founda.



BILLIE GAYLE BLAYLOCK
 Physical Education Major
 Waco, Tex.—Billie Gayle Blaylock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Blaylock of Route 1, Eldorado, has been named to the Baylor Student Foundation for 1971-72.

Miss Blaylock, a 1968 graduate of Eldorado High School and a senior physical education major at Baylor, was one of 50 young men and women chosen from 115 applications for foundation positions.

Final selections were approved by Baylor President Abner V. McCall. The foundation is composed of 63 outstanding junior and senior students described by McCall as representing the "highest quality and potential of all the fine students at Baylor." Members are dedicated to achieving the best welfare of the university through close working relationships with the Office of University Development and other administrative offices and with various departments and schools of the university.
 Miss Blaylock will serve in one of the school's two-year-old foundation's three major work areas—student scholarships, student recruitment and public relations.
 McCall said of the foundation, "We feel that enthusiastic, capable student leaders dedicated to better understanding of Baylor and working with all the constituent groups closely associated with Baylor will be of enormous benefit to all concerned."

Oil News

Field Gains Confirmer
 A Schleicher county field gained a confirmation recently.
 The Cody Bell (multipay Canyon gas) field of Schleicher county gained its third Canyon "B" producer and a 1½ mile northeast extension to that pay with completion of Natural Resources Group, Midland, No. 1 West, 12 miles north of Eldorado, for a calculated, absolute open flow of 3.35 million cubic feet of gas per day, with gas-liquid ratio of 73,700-1.
 Production was through perforations at 6,258-263 feet, which had been fractured with 21,000 gallons and 26,000 pounds of sand.
 Location is 1,320 feet from the north and 870 feet from the east lines of 4-TT-TCRR.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE
 We will not play this week — Thursday, 25th, because of Thanksgiving.
 Remember next week at 7:00. Winners for November 11th: Ethel Olson and Vivian Mears, Sonora, 1st;
 Dinsmores, and Ruthie Dacy and Helen Blakeway, tied for 2nd and 3rd.
 Winners for November 18th: Doyle Nichols, Kerrville, and Alan Dinsmore, 1st;
 Blakeways, 2nd;
 Andrews and Cheatham, tied for 3rd.

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Neills' Granddaughter Marries In Alabama

Ozark, Alabama.—Miss Rebecca Anne Mabrey and James Johnson Sollie, Jr., were married at 2:00 p.m. Oct. 2 at the Independent Methodist Church in the presence of their immediate families.
 Daughter of Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. L. E. Mabrey of Ozark, the bride was given in marriage by her father.
 The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Sollie of Ozark, had his father as best man.
 Miss Cindy Mabrey of Ozark was her sister's bridal attendant, and Frank Dagastin of Ozark lighted the candles.
 The bride's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mabrey of Boaz, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Neill Sr. of Eldorado, Texas.
 Following a wedding trip to Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Sollie are at home in Ozark.

Eldorado-Divide District News

A grazing system is the manipulation of livestock grazing to accomplish a desired result. There can be almost any number of grazing systems. A ranch operation in which a producer brings about improvement of his range to the extent that the needs of grass plants are met, is called a grazing system.
 A good grazing system should provide for the carrying out of a deferment or rest over a period of years so that key plants can complete their full growth cycle uninterrupted or replenish their food reserves. It isn't to compensate for overuse of the rangeland. The nonuse of pastures in a given system is to restore plant vigor, permit seed production, and aid seedling establishment. Other objectives should be to obtain uniform range forage use within each pasture, thus preventing selective grazing, and to aid in the judicious management of livestock and forage plants in other parts of the ranch.
 In the final analysis, the grazing system should be an integral part of an overall range management plan. The major goals are to improve or maintain the grazing resource and to increase livestock production.
 According to Bill Rountree, District Conservationist assisting the Eldorado-Divide Soil and Water Conservation District, there is an increasing number of operators in the district that are working out grazing systems on their places.
 Grazing systems over the country have produced numerous benefits. The most common benefit is improved range condition and that is what most of the rangeland in this district needs.
 Producers who have given different grazing systems a good try are finding that fewer acres per animal are required over the continuous grazing system.
 Numerous other benefits are attributed to specialized grazing systems. They are said to improve distribution of animals, to prevent selective grazing, to foster closer supervision of livestock, and to permit incorporation of range improvement practices in the ranch management program, such as brush control, reseeding, and protection of new seedlings. Although these practices are or can be supported by a grazing system, they do not require specialized grazing systems. They are valuable range improvement practices in themselves.
 Range plants are intended to be grazed, that is the crop. They withstand grazing, even occasional over-grazing, but they cannot live and produce well with continuous grazing. Stock must graze and be somewhere, but not necessarily in all pastures at once.
 Perennial plants need to store food to use for regrowth after drought and dormancy. Grasses generally store food from early foot stage to seed ripe stage. Time of storage is a critical stage in a plant's life. This is a key consideration in designing a system to favor certain plants. Rest periods should permit storage and seed production as often as possible.
 Producers that have had experience with grazing systems claim that the stock numbers should be in balance with the forage produced at the system starting time.

Nursing Home Notes

Mrs. Nettie Clevenger of Ono, California, Mrs. L. T. Wilson, Mr. Sam McGinnes and Mr. and Mrs. Elton McGinnes were guests of Mrs. Ruth McGinnes this past week. Mrs. W. T. Mills of Big Lake took her mother Mrs. Hallie Parker for a drive. E. R. Kinser of Ozona was here to visit his wife, Faye Kinser. Other guests from Ozona were Mrs. Ross Huffstetler and Mrs. Sam Beasley. Mr. and Mrs. James Sterling and Elizabeth and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Sterling were visiting from Baytown. Mrs. Roy Short and children, Sandra and David, were here visiting Mrs. Ammer Carter and Mrs. Annie Clark. Mrs. A. A. Bizet of San Angelo was here visiting her mother, Mrs. Katie Striegler. Victoria Arispe of Greeley, Colorado visited with Mrs. Dolores Gauna. Guests of Mr. Candelario Peredes was his wife, Maria, and Mrs. Dora Arevalo of Sonora.
 Mr. George S. Finley of San Angelo visited with Mrs. Sam E. Jones. Other guests of Mr. Jones were Mrs. Fenna Whitten and Mrs. Frankie Williams. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McCalla visited his mother, Mrs. Lizzie McCalla. Mrs. Mike Moore and Michelle visited Mrs. Waxie Mund. Mr. and Mrs. James Baethge and children of Doss and Mrs. Bob Faught visited with Bob Faught. Other guests of Mr. Faught were Mr. Clemens Sauer, Milton Faught, Mrs. Bertie Faught, and Mrs. H. A. Belk. Mr. and Mrs. Bill McWhorter and Mr. Bob McWhorter visited with Mrs. Eugenia McWhorter and Miss Kitty Buchanan. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Teele visited her mother, Mrs. Hixie Potter. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Andrews visited with Mr. and Mrs. John L. Davis. Mr. Richard Jones and Mrs. Jack Jones visited Mr. T. K. Jones. Mr. J. T. Casbeer and Mr. A. L. Casbeer visited with their mother, Mrs. Ella Casbeer. Mrs. Norman Hodges and Mrs. L. D. Mund visited with Mrs. Annie C. Clark and Mrs. Ammer Carter.
 Mrs. Anna Faulk had as guests Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Faulk, Mrs. Bertie Faught, Mrs. Clemens Sauer and Mr. Milton Faught.
 Church services were held in the dining room of the Medical Center Sunday afternoon by Bro. A. C. Knight of the Rock Church of Christ. We welcome all guests to these services.
 All the residents and the staff were saddened by the transferring of Miss Kitty Buchanan to the hospital, due to a hip injury.

FOOTBALL SUMMARY—

(Continued From Front Page)

that the Eagles got fewer penalties and lost fewer yards this way than their opponents.

A glance at the records of the lads who piled up the 2,071 yards on the ground shows that Archie Nixon who broke the 100-yard mark three times this past season led the way with 634 yards in 142 carries but Ricky Griffin was close behind with 544 yards in 105 carries. Reduced to a table by Coach Ronnie Stephens, these records are as follows:

| | carries—yds.—ave. |
|------------------|-------------------|
| Archie Nixon | 142—634—4.5 |
| Ricky Griffin | 105—544—5.2 |
| Billy Hubble | 92—436—4.7 |
| Mike Manning | 40—185—4.6 |
| Hunter Henderson | 55—152—2.8 |
| Terry Clingan | 27—88—3.3 |
| Chris Pena | 9—22—2.4 |

Gene Nixon grabbed 21 passes to lead in this department while Ken Peters came next with 12. But Coach Stephens's records are more graphic and go as follows:

| | catches—yds.—ave. |
|---------------|-------------------|
| Gene Nixon | 21—339—16.1 |
| Ken Peters | 12—164—13.7 |
| Terry Clingan | 9—68—7.6 |
| Ricky Griffin | 5—142—28.4 |
| Chris Pena | 3—32—10.7 |
| Timmy Farris | 2—28—14.0 |
| Archie Nixon | 2—18—9.0 |
| Billy Hubble | 1—8—8.0 |
| Mike Manning | 1—5—5.0 |

Hunter Henderson threw 115 passes while Archie Nixon threw 72. Henderson completed 28 of these for a 25% completion rate for 423 yards and three touchdowns. Nixon completed 28 also

DAR Met Nov. 18th

The El Dorado Chapter NSDAR met November 18, 1971, at the Memorial Building, with the regent, Miss Ruth Baker, presiding.

Mrs. W. N. Ramsay, chaplain, opened the chapter using Scripture indicative of Thanksgiving, followed by a prayer of gratefulness. The members joined in pledging allegiance to the Flag of the United States and the singing of the National Anthem.

The October minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Rae Powell. They were approved.

The highlights of the President General's Message were given by the regent.

Mrs. Mary Davis Coupe, National Defense Chairman, gave an extensive report of the condition mostly of the Western Hemisphere, summing up that of the United States by quoting from Stalin that the Communist would take the United States without ever firing a gun.

Substituting for Mrs. Ernest C. Hill, Mrs. Goens announced that the program was "Patriotic" reading this quotation, "Liberty and justice for all."

Mrs. Luke Thompson, substituting for Mrs. J. E. Hill, out of town, gave the program: Liberty's Light is Getting Dim. Miss Baker and Mrs. Powell added to the program with patriotic themes.

Mrs. Ramsay, hostess for the social hour, served traditional American apple pie and toasted pecans and coffee to Mrs. Thomas Arnold of Nashville, Arkansas and Mrs. Edwin Jackson and the members.

The Christmas program and luncheon will be held December 16 at the Memorial Building with the Social Committee, Mmes. Luke Thompson, Elizabeth Rae Powell, and J. E. Hill, hostesses.

for a 39% completion rate and for 381 yards and for three touchdowns also. Each Eagle passer had six of his tosses intercepted.

Coach Stephens's records show that Archie Nixon scored five touchdowns, 9 extra points, and one field goal for a total of 42 points for the season. Terry Clingan scored 4 touchdowns and two two-pointers to total 28 points scored. Gene Nixon scored four touchdowns for 24 points as did Ricky Griffin and Billy Hubble, each scoring 24 points also. Mike Manning scored three touchdowns as did Chris Pena, each scoring 18 points. Hunter Henderson scored two touchdowns for 12 points, and Ken Peters completed a forward pass for two extra points following a touchdown.

Archie Nixon intercepted four enemy passes while Timmy Farris captured three. Ricky Griffin, Chris Pena, Gene Nixon, Billy Hubble, and Terry Clingan each captured one enemy aerial.

Timmy Farris distinguished himself by recovering 5 enemy fumbles and Gary Danford and Roy Lloyd came close behind with four recoveries each. Ricky Griffin captured three while Manuel Martinez, Mort Mertz, Len Mertz, and Ken Peters, each captured two, and Mike Manning recovered one.

Coach Stephens's defensive statistics show that Mike Manning led the way with individual tackling honors from his linebacker's spot. Manning recorded 144 tackles for an average of 14.4 for each game. Roy Lloyd came next closely followed by Gary Danford, Lloyd averaging six tackles per game or 60 for the season, and Danford. 4.9 or 49 for the season and Ricky Griffin tabbed 47 for a 4.7 average tackles per game and Len Mertz came next from his line-man's spot with 42 for 4.2 average per game. Tim Farris racked up 37; Mort Mertz, 35; Oscar Martinez, 34; Ken Peters, 32; Archie Nixon, 31; Billy Hubble, 31; Gene Nixon, 30; Chris Pena, 24; Manuel Martinez, 21; Garry Wester, 20; Terry Clingan, 19; Hunter Henderson, 12; Karl McCormack, 13; John Powell, 8; Mark Bland, 4; Robert Parker, 4; and Lonnie Reynolds, 2.

Seniors Gary Danford, Ricky Griffin, Oscar Martinez, Archie Nixon, Billy Doc Hubble, Manuel Martinez, and Terry Clingan ended high school playing careers. There may be many words of wisdom apropos to what participants get from football; but the facts remain that at least one lesson is that of getting up again after misfortune and struggling on in adversity while observing some rules.

Certainly these seven seniors will never forget their years of participation; and those people who love sports and football in particular like to believe that the boys who endure the game's "ups and downs" emerge better balanced physically and mentally, stronger physically, with an understanding of loyalty to teammates and school easily transferred to country, an understanding of rules and corresponding laws; and probably best of all, they emerge with a knowledge and respect for their bodies and its strength and durability, all of this being good armor against many kinds of moral as well as physical hazards in their years to come.

Only possible negative thought is possibly the idea that all that counts is winning at any price necessary. If this were true, football teams do not belong in school or educational endeavor but should be armed and only a limited number of survivors would be honored. Supposedly football trains its participants to win graciously and lose bravely, so small accomplishments anywhere or any time.

Snowflake Ball Set For December 30th

The annual Snowflake Ball is set for Dec. 30. Music will be furnished by George Chambers of San Antonio.

Those who have participated in the past or have been contacted this year are reminded to turn their money in to Frances Peters at the bank by Dec. 1.

This is the highlight of the Christmas season, and in order to have this each Eldorado student is asked to participate as a host and hostess. Invitations will not be handed out to anyone except hosts and hostesses.

Out of town guest lists are to be turned in to Mrs. Paul Page by Dec. 1, also. These invitations are to be presented at the door.

MERRY MAKERS 42 CLUB

The Merry Makers 42 Club were entertained last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Mildred Stanford.

Three tables of players were present: Mrs. Mable Griffin, Annie Spack, Zelma Henderson, and Viola Finnigan;

Rose Brannan, Mary Joiner, Lula Mae Alexander, Allie Cheatham; Bessie Doyle, Opal Parks, Natalea Stockton and the hostess, Mildred Stanford.

Everyone reported a very enjoyable afternoon.—Rep.

County Ag. Agent's Column

By Jerry Swift

Aphids

Several kinds of aphids or plant lice become active in the fall when days are warm and nights are cool. These small, soft-bodied, sucking insects rapidly multiply when most gardeners think their problems are over.

A sharp eye and persistence will find aphids before they cause extensive damage. The insects often take on the color of the foliage or plant parts they are feeding on or they feed under the leaves or in developing leaf and flower buds.

Some of the aphids' favorite plants this time of year are pansies, stock, calendulas, chrysanthemums and carnations. Check these plants frequently during periods when daytime temperatures are mild and night time temperatures are mild and night time temperatures are colder.

Since aphids are sucking insects, their injury is not too obvious. Be suspicious of plants that are not growing as actively as they should. If leaves, stems or flowers are curled or deformed, look closely for aphids.

To prevent aphid damage, you may treat the areas where you are setting out bedding plants or bulbs with a granular systemic insecticide before you plant or soon after you plant. Follow directions on the label carefully.

If aphids are already a problem, spray them with malathion, Cygon (dimethoate), diazinon or Meta-Systox-R (MSR). Choose a warm, still day for spraying and apply the spray as a very fine mist.

DES Withdrawal Time

The withdrawal time of diethylstilbestrol (DES) from livestock rations prior to slaughter has now been extended to seven days. Withdrawal time for the growth promoting hormone had previously been 48 hours.

The extension of the withdrawal time stems from recent findings of DES residues in beef liver samples. However, no residues have been found in muscle tissue from these cattle.

The use of DES is regulated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Food and Drug Administration. DES residues are prohibited by law in meat for human consumption.

The hormone is used in many young animals to stimulate growth and is used as a feed additive in most feedlot operations. Feedlots have come under close scrutiny recently regarding the use of DES. Feedlot managers shipping cattle to slaughter must now certify that the animals have been withdrawn from DES for the prescribed length of time.

Violations of this directive can result in legal action against beef cattle producers.

Screwworms

Wilson Page of Eldorado had a case of screwworms last Thursday in the navel of a calf.

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School Menus

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Thursday and Friday: Thanksgiving holidays.

Monday, Nov. 29: Baked ham, boiled lima beans, buttered carrots, stuffed celery, canned fruit.

Tuesday, Nov. 30: Chicken fried steak & gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, shoestring beets, banana pudding.

Wed., Dec. 1: Chili with/without beans, cheese strips, cabbage & apple & carrot salad, fruit cobbler.

Thursday, Dec. 2: Fried chicken and gravy, creamed potatoes and gravy, buttered broccoli, tossed green salad, gingerbread.

Friday, Dec. 3: Sandwiches—tuna salad, pimento cheese, ham salad; macaroni salad, fritoes, orange slices, plain cherry jello.

HOMEMAKERS 4

met Tuesday, Nov. 16, at the Memorial Building. Members present were Carolyn Killebrew, Sharon Watson, Jayne Smith, Elizabeth Niblett, Donna Talbot, Sandra Kreie, and Judy Reynolds. Sharon Watson was absent. Leader was Mrs. Killebrew. We discussed table settings.—Rep.



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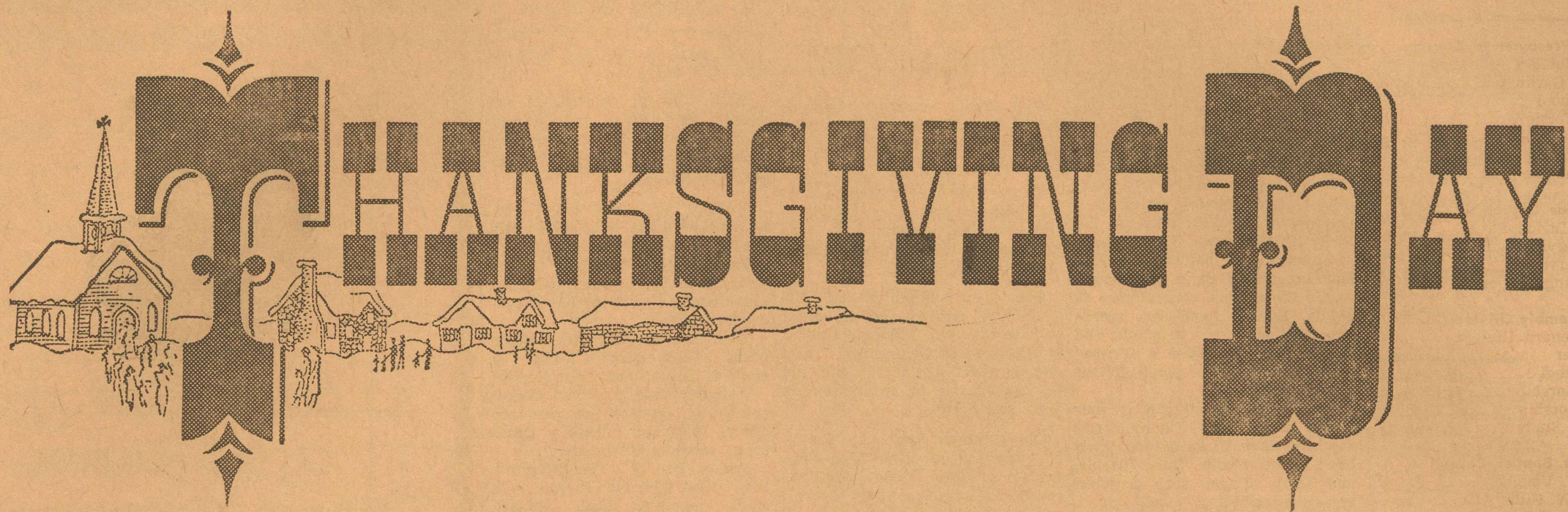
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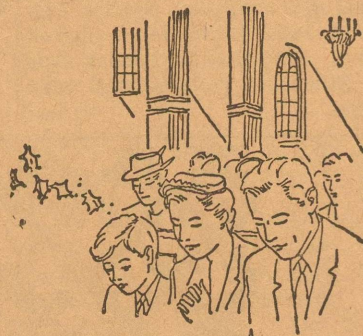
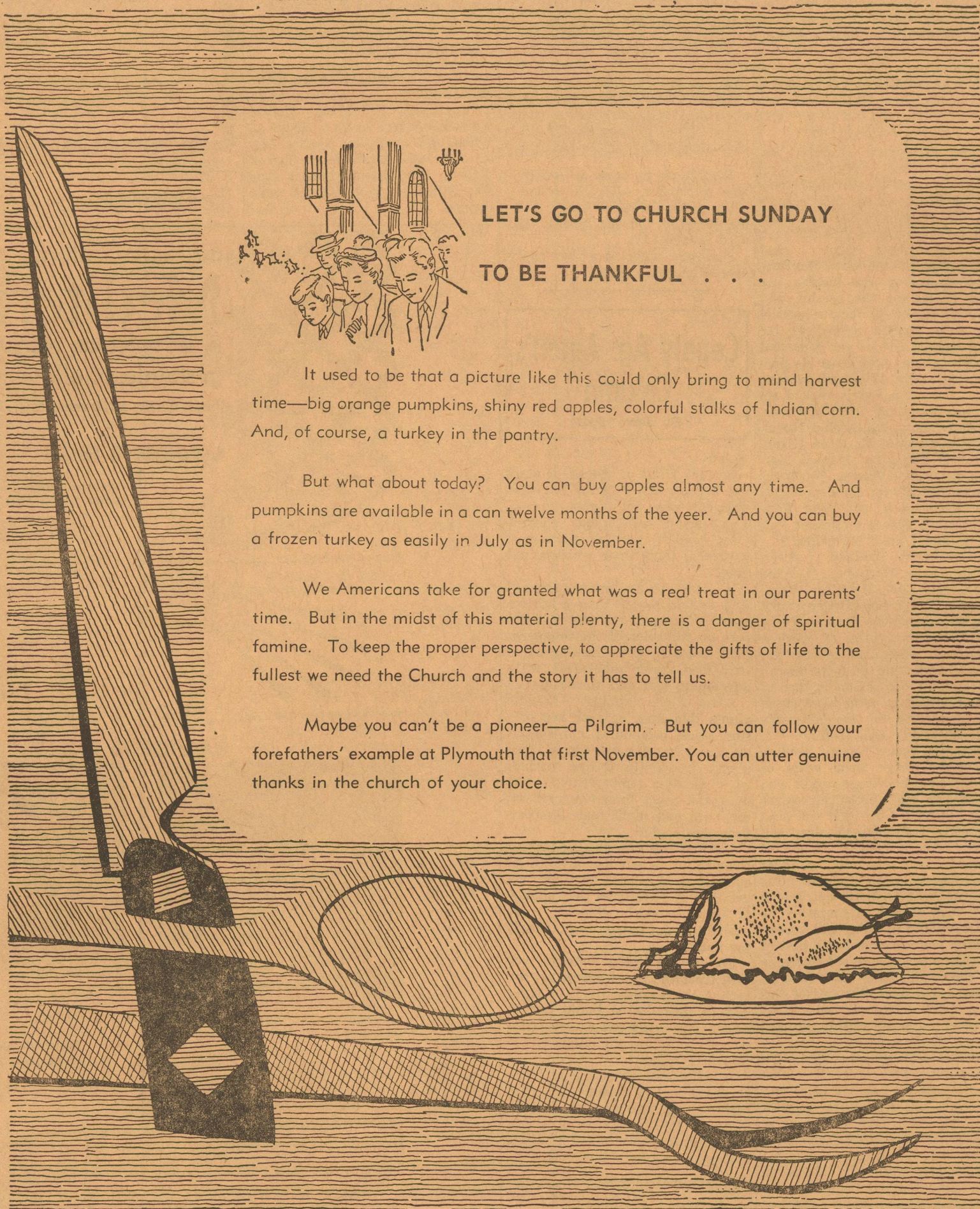
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**Big Fort McKavett Rising Again As
State Preserve, Tourist Attraction**

By MICHAEL O. WESTER
(reprinted from The Dallas News)

Fort McKavett, Tex. (UPI)—The largest U. S. military fort in the Southwest has stood in ruins for years, but now restoration is under way and there are hopes it will be one of the main tourist attractions in West Texas within two years.

Fort McKavett, established March 14, 1852 by the United States War Department as a protection to frontier settlers against hostile Indians, was finally abandoned by troops on June 30, 1883.

It was named in honor of Capt. Henry McKavett, who fell at the Mexican War battle of Monterrey on Sept. 21, 1846. Federal troops evacuated the fort on March 22, 1859—then reoccupied it on April 1, 1868.

It was founded as Camp San Saba along the natural hill-lands of the San Saba River. Unlike most of the frontier posts in West Texas it has been relatively untouched by time.

The Texas Historical Society and the Texas Parks and Wildlife department are working together to restore as much of the original fort's 80 acres as possible into a state park.

"We are in the midst of obtaining the remaining land and buildings which we at this time do not

own," said James Cross, the executive director of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. "When we are completed with that, we will finish our master plans for restoration and then get to work. We hope to have it ready within two years."

When the last of the soldiers marched away nearby settlers moved into the vacant frame and stone buildings, modified them to suit civilian needs, and organized the nucleus of the present day village.

The fort is located in southwestern Menard county about 65 miles from San Angelo. Five companies of the 8th infantry under command of Col. Thomas Staniford established the camp.

The fort once contained about 40 permanent buildings. Some 14 of these remain standing today, of which some are still lived in by Indian families who moved into them when the fort was deserted.

Built on a high hill on the south bank of the San Saba river, the fort had an ample water supply, a pleasantly diversified landscape and a healthful climate. Native limestone and oak and pecan groves provided basic building materials, although finished lumber had to be freighted from the supply depot at San Antonio.

Large gardens were cultivated in the rich soil of the valley, fishing was excellent, and there was en-

ough game to delight hunters and occasionally supplement the routine army diet of beef and pork. An important Comanche war trail crossed from north to south near Fort McKavett, and numerous bands of Comanches and Lipan Apaches infested the area. In addition to serving as a deterrent to hostile raids, the fort was a connecting link between the inner and outer lines of defense and provided protection for the upper road—by then an important artery for traffic across West Texas into New Mexico and on to California.

"In the fall of 1854 companies of the 2nd dragoons replaced the 8th infantry but a year later the 1st infantry took over," said Gully Cowsert Jr., son of a retired Texas Ranger who majored in history and joined the parks department as a warden over three years ago.

"My hope was in Junction, and when the job as head of this fort opened I asked for it," Cowsert said. He has been on the grounds about two years.

It was not until the post-civil war period that cavalry units were dispatched to the fort. And, following

a temporary decrease in Indian activity the fort was abruptly abandoned March 22, 1859. The 4th cavalry, under command of Capt. E. B. Beaumont, gave the fort a new lease on life in 1864. And, Col. Ranald S. Mackenzie took command of the post March 15, 1869.

Mackenzie and his Negro troopers of the 41st infantry and 9th cavalry engaged in four major scouting expeditions during his year of command, and it was at this post that the preliminary training for his later famous Indian fighting began to shape Mackenzie's career as an Indian fighter.

The roster of commanding officers at Fort McKavett includes many other leaders of dynamic caliber: Col. Charles A. May; Col. Henry Bainbridge; Lt. Fitzhugh Lee a nephew of Gen. Robert E. Lee; Beaumont, who captured Jefferson Davis at Macon, Ga., in 1865; Lt. Henry W. Lawton; Lt. Col. William R. Shafter; and Col. Abner Doubleday, inventor of baseball.

And there were illustrious civilian visitors as well—among these, young Elliott Roosevelt, a brother of Theodore Roosevelt and father

of Eleanor Roosevelt, cousin and wife and Franklin D. Roosevelt. He spent a month at the fort in 1875 and enjoyed his stay so thoroughly that he returned the following year bringing with him his cousin John Roosevelt.

By 1880, Fort McKavett was no longer completely military. Shops and residences, a church and a school had been erected. In the fall of 1882 the main body of troops departed for reassignment, with only a small remnant remaining to staff the post and, ultimately, the dispose of government and turn the Fort over to civilians.

By June 30, 1883, Company of the 16th infantry had completed its official duties at the Fort—including the moving of the cemetery to Fort Sam Houston which allowed the official shutting of the gate.

"You can feel history as you walk the grounds here," Cowsert said. "Once it is completely restored, it will be an attraction people in the Southwest will have to see."

Already restored are two barrack buildings, and the schoolhouse. Work will soon begin on the re-

ently purchased officer's quarters. "We hope to have a flag pole flying the U. S. Flag of that time upon completion of the restoration. We already own the parade ground where the pole was located—but most of it is still obscured by untamed vegetation," Cowsert said.

Some of the natives still living in the standing buildings survive on legends and seldom talk about them. However, they say a ghost still walks guard nightly, and in one room a headless woman jerks the covers off anyone sleeping in the room.

The last troops, known as the Buffalo soldiers, were all-Negro.

The regimental flag was hauled down long ago, but the site was never totally deserted. Today there remains an aura of past days when the beautiful little post on the San Saba was a vital link in the chain of frontier defense.

Soon, hopefully, the U. S. flag will again fly and the fort will be restored as a state park and tourist attraction.

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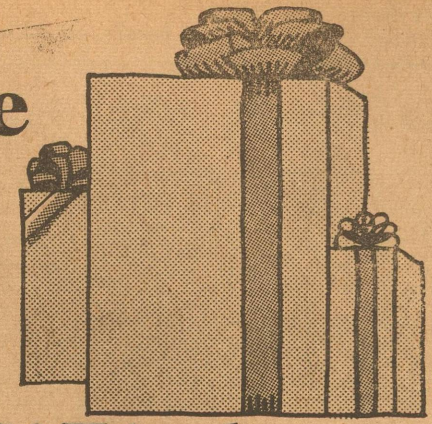
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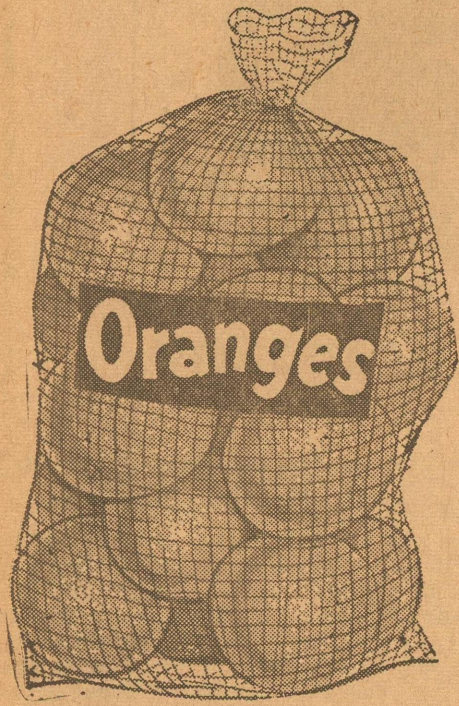
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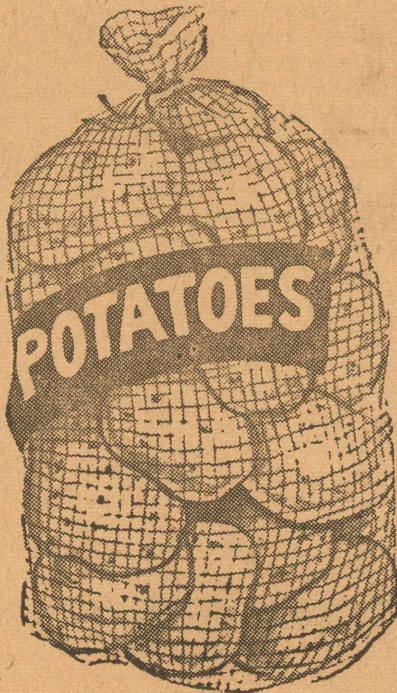
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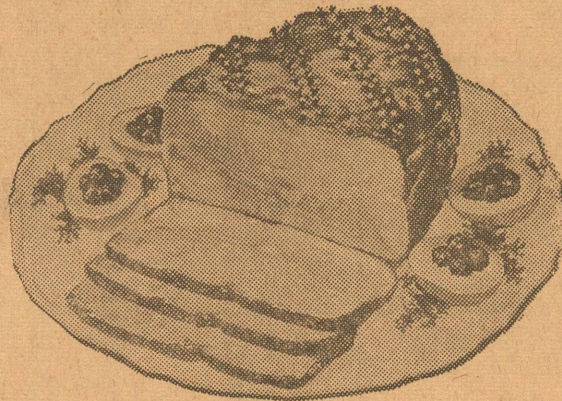
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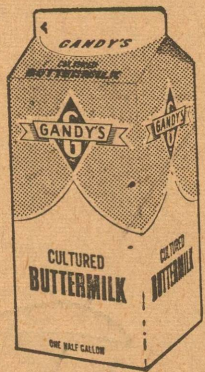
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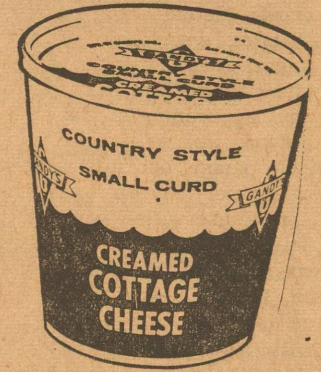
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