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ELDORADO—SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS (76936)

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Number 1

## Cotton Crop Expected To Reach 3,000 Bales

This was the opinion of several men in the gin office Monday while the plant was standing idle on account of New Year's Day holiday. The season's total at that time stood at 2,405 bales and all expected the total to reach the 3,000 figure before the season ends.

The last gin total printed in this paper was for the date of December 18, and at that time the total was 1,687 bales. Weather conditions from that time on were ideal for stripping and continued that way for the rest of the month. Gin ran steadily for seven days a week including Sunday, but was closed for the two holidays, Christmas and New Year.

All last week the plant was running full blast processing about 60 bales a day and it seemed they were unable to catch up. As fast as trailers were ginned off additional ones were arriving on the gin yard.

At that time George Mikeska reported that cotton trailers and strippers were being brought here from Wall to help local farmers bring in their crop. This continued through the week including Sunday (Dec. 31) while football games occupied the attention of fans on TV.

This was the situation then on Monday, January 1st, when this writer found Kenith Homer holding down the office at the gin and everybody else on vacation.

The gin total was 2405 bales with quite a lot more to come. Reynolds community is nearly all ginned out but not quite.

Victor Sauer was in town Monday and went by the gin expecting to take an empty trailer home, but it was still loaded. He said he was to help Nick Jurecek with his crop. Somebody Monday mentioned Whip Faulk, a major planter at Bailey Ranch who is just getting started stripping. They said he might have as much as 500 bales yet to come. Plus other miscellaneous growers.

So there goes the 3,000 bale prediction. The next question is, "How much over 3,000 will it be?" Weather will have something to do with it.

Monday, January 1st came in cold and windy and with light sleet—no moisture but cold and uncomfortable.

Late last Friday a dust and sand storm blew in on a hard driven norther, but it contained no moisture and did not delay the harvest.

## Rash Of Grassfires

With grass and weed cover high and dry on many lots over town, and on rangelands out in the county, the firemen answered a number of grass fire alarms during the recent holiday period.

These included the following: Thursday, Dec. 21: Grassfire at Jess Koy's at 12:45; grassfire on Wilson place at 2:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 22: Walter Duff in county, at 11:45.

Saturday, Dec. 23: Bailey Ranch at 2:45 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 24: Grassfire near Sofge station at 4:35 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 25, Christmas Day: Grassfire at 1:30 near Earl Yates's.

Tuesday, Dec. 26: Grassfire at 12:30 p.m. at Tony Fay's.

Thursday, Dec. 28: Clay Porter.

Saturday, Dec. 30: Grassfire at E. Hanusch's at 1:30 p.m.

## Truman Dies Dec. 26

Former President Harry Truman died Dec. 26th and his funeral services and burial were held at Independence, Mo. He was 33rd President of the United States from 1945 until 1952.

Truman's death leaves Lyndon B. Johnson here in Texas as the only living ex-President.

## Crawford Martin Dies

Texas Attorney General Crawford Martin died just two days before expiration of his term of office of a heart attack. He has been succeeded in office by John Hill.

While serving as Attorney General, Martin sent out a number of consumer-oriented news releases the past year which were run by Texas newspapers. The final one is on page 5 of this Success issue.

## Post Script

This is our first issue in the New Year of 1973, and we extend best wishes for a Happy New Year to our readers far and near.

Our traditional review of the year just past begins on page 2, and continues on pages 3 and 7. It cites the highlights newswise of the year 1972 just ended. We hope you enjoy reading it.

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In the business district, all merchants are involved in inventory work, doing other end-of-the-year bookkeeping, compiling W-2 forms for employees, working on income tax, and otherwise closing out the old year's business and getting ready to begin the new.

On page 7, Eldorado Drug advertises their annual sale, with merchandise on hand 25% off.

On page 5, Cathy's announces a special sale of merchandise on hand. No, Mrs. Cathy Niblett states that she is not closing her store, but is just marking down items to make room for new shipments.

Also on page 5, Foxworth-Galbraith announces a special sale of interest to hunters in connection with the special Dove season set Jan. 6-21, and the Quail season that ends on Feb. 15th.

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## BANK STOCKHOLDERS TO MEET

The annual meeting of shareholders of The First National Bank of Eldorado is set for a week from today, on Thursday, January 11, at 3:00 p.m. in the banking house here in Eldorado.

All shareholders were notified officially by mail of the meeting shortly before the first of the year.

On the agenda is election of directors for the ensuing year, and any other routine business that may be brought up.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Walston and daughters of San Angelo visited New Year's Day with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Boyd.

## Miss Kniffen Bride Of Mike Hale

In a ceremony Saturday afternoon in St. Luke United Methodist Church in San Angelo, Miss Rita Danice Kniffen became the bride of Michael Vaughan Hale, with the Rev. Jack Hooper, pastor, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Clent Kniffen of Jal, N. M., are parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. "Buster" Hale of San Angelo, formerly of Eldorado, are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Roy Armstrong of Iraan sang wedding selections.

Matron of honor was Mrs. William S. Hale of San Antonio, and bridesmaids were Mrs. Gary Derrick of Eldorado, Miss Mary Margaret Hale of Iraan, Miss Annette Short of Bandera and Mrs. Rudy Zammarrappa.

William S. Hale of San Antonio was best man. Groomsmen were Tim Armstrong of Iraan, Gary Derrick of Eldorado, Mickey Pennington of San Antonio and Ricky Rylander of Iraan. David Kniffen and Keith Kniffen, both of Jal, Bill Hale of Iraan, Bobby Harrison of Midland and Wendell Rowe of Junction served guests.

The bride wore a white satin gown in a Princess style designed with five insets of organza and lace appliques, an organza yoke edged with lace, long satin sleeves and chapel train. She also wore a gold wedding band belonging to the bridegroom's grandmother, Mrs. Laura Vaughan.

A reception followed in church fellowship hall.

The bride graduated from Sonora High School in 1969, and attended Angelo State University three years. She is employed in a San Angelo jewelry shop.

Her husband is a 1968 graduate of Iraan High School, and is a senior student at ASU.

The couple will live in San Angelo. The bridegroom's parents were hosts for the rehearsal dinner in a San Angelo restaurant.

## Attend From Eldorado

Among those attending the Hale-Kniffen wedding from here were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Derrick, Miss Dena Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Mittel, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Mittel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gunstead and children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Preston.

## Local Masons Thank All Who Helped Put Over Pre-Holiday Deer Hunt

The Masonic Lodge No. 890 AF & AM at their regular meeting night in May had a proposition raised and seconded to procure hunting rights for 10 boys from the Masonic Home and School in Ft. Worth. Orval Edmiston, Elton McGinnes, and Palmer West formed the committee. Mr. L. L. Watson donated the hunting rights and housing facilities for the boys for Dec. 16 and 17. They arrived in the Masonic School station wagon about 4:30 p.m. and were fed their evening meal at the Eldorado Restaurant.

The boys were all 16 and younger and were: Mark Crumb, Rick Jolly, Chris Kelly, Billy Pierce, Matt Lock, Johnny Kuhle, Jed Haines, Bill Becker, and David Cook. Their sponsor was Larry Armstrong. There were 7 does and 4 bucks killed and were taken to Angelo for processing. Elton McGinnes and Orval Edmiston will take the venison to the Masonic Home when the meat is ready. Matt Lock, the youngest and smallest in the group, killed an eight-point buck and also a doe.

Bobby Sykes, Mike Calcote, L. C. Foster, and Pete Whitten came over and helped with the guiding

chores. Local lodge members furnished bedding, some of the food, and other necessities. Mr. Watson furnished the barbecue and beans and with Mrs. Watson helped with many of the chores. Too much cannot be said regarding the warm welcome and old fashioned hospitality extended to the group by Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

Local lodge members participating were Jack Elder, Harry Mercer, Bill Rountree, Orval Edmiston, Cramer Sofge, Palmer West, Pat Ragsdale, Jerroll Sanders, Elton McGinnes, T. P. Robinson, and Richard Jones.

Jerroll Sanders furnished the meal Friday for the boys and contributed a large quantity of groceries. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Watson furnished the rest of the groceries. Jack Elder personally financed the other costs of the hunt including expense money for the boys. He was also the one who initiated the idea to sponsor the hunt.

Frozen Foods in San Angelo processed the deer for a very nominal charge and they and Mr. Swayne Dudley deserve recognition for this contribution.

Game Warden Mack Caudle also deserves special thanks for his cooperation and help.

## Schleicher Chamber of Commerce Urges All To Help Combat Litter

The Chamber of Commerce would appreciate any and all help to combat the litter problem. Each piece thrown out or down by any person must be picked up for discard. This costs one or else it leaves our beautiful America littered.

Let's keep Eldorado a place of cleanliness and a place which we are proud to be a part of. —C of C

improvement," said Roger Spencer, maintenance engineer for the Highway Department.

The number of motor vehicles registered in Texas over the past year increased approximately 5% and in addition the number of vehicles miles traveled increased approximately 10%.

## Education Programs Help

"Although we have been striving to improve our efficiency in litter pickup, there have been no changes of a sufficient nature to explain this improvement," Spencer said. "Public education programs and increased public concern must be the cause."

Spencer explained that prior to this report there had been major increases in annual costs for litter pickup. Comparative figures for the two previous years indicated a 12% increase.

"Public concern is the only weapon against litter that can possibly be effective," said Archie Sherrod, chief engineer of the Maintenance Operations Division. "All the equipment and all the efficiency methods in the world are not going to help the litter problem if the public does not show its concern and attempt to do something about it."

## Highway Department Reports Litter Costs Down Slightly

Public concern for a cleaner environment, encouraged by the Beautify Texas Council, state agencies and community beautification organizations, is having an effect on highway littering.

Officials of the Texas Highway Department have announced a slight decrease in statewide litter pickup costs during the past year. However, they warn that the litter problem is far from solved.

The litter pickup cost estimate for fiscal 1970-71, which ended August 31, 1971, was approximately \$3.3 million, as compared to the 1971-72 estimate of \$3,285,000.

"But when we consider inflation and higher labor costs, as well as the increased number of vehicles using our highways, this is a major

## Grat Edmiston Dies; Buried Dec. 23rd

Funeral services for Leonard Gratten Edmiston, 78, were held on Saturday, Dec. 23rd, in West Side Church of Christ here with burial in Eldorado Cemetery directed by Ratliff-Kerbow Funeral Home.

Mr. Edmiston, a long time Schleicher county ranchman, died the preceding Thursday in Schleicher County Medical Center.

He was born Sept. 26, 1894 in Mason county. He had ranched in this county for many years and served 12 years as a county commissioner. He was married to Pearl Davenport Dec. 15, 1918 at Sherwood. He was a member of the West Side Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Marjorie Pope of Andrews and Mrs. L. G. Schooley of Eldorado; three brothers, Arch Edmiston and Gene Edmiston, both of Eldorado, and Jack Edmiston of Dallas; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

## Mrs. A. T. Wright, 83, Buried December 20

Funeral services were held Dec. 20 in San Angelo for Mrs. A. T. Wright, 83, widow of a long-time Eldorado businessman and former Eldorado Success publisher. Burial was in the local cemetery.

Mrs. Wright died the preceding Monday at her home.

She was born Jan. 17, 1889 in Junction and was married to A. T. Wright in October 1906 in Eldorado. He died in 1964. She was a charter member of the First United Methodist Church in Eldorado and moved to San Angelo in 1967.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. L. T. Barber, Mrs. Agnes Pontius and Mrs. Sug Montgomery, all of San Angelo; a son, Archie T. Wright of Washington, D. C.; a sister, Mrs. Lula Mae Dismukes of Uvalde; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pal bearers were Steve Carnes, Tommy Orsak, George Finley, and Richard D. Walker, all of San Angelo, and Bob Oglesby and Henry Speck Jr. both of Eldorado.

## Whitaker Given Award At Lions Club Meeting

A "Service To Youth" plaque was given to Guy Whitaker on behalf of the Concho Valley Council of Boy Scouts of America at the meeting yesterday of the Lions Club.

The plaque was presented by J. B. Ward of the San Angelo office and he cited Whitaker's achievements for serving as chairman of the fund drive put on last Fall for the council in this county.

Elton McGinnes presided at the meeting which was the first one held following Christmas and New Year's holidays. A. G. McCormack is program chairman for this current month of January and he gave a talk on history of Lionism, and history of District 2A-1, and the aims and purposes of Lionism. McCormack, a past president of the local club, is currently serving as Zone Chairman.

## CUB LEADERS TO MEET

A Cub Scout leaders round table will be held here at 7:00 p.m. at the Memorial Building on Wednesday, January 17th. All den mothers, leaders, and committeemen are urged to attend. Also any other interested adults will be welcome.

## Changes Announced In Management Of Mills

Stockholders of El Dorado Woolen Mills, Inc., held a meeting on Dec. 30, at which time Pen Barker resigned as president, and was succeeded in president and general manager's job by his son, Jim Barker. Others named as officials of the firm are: James Head, vice pres., supt. of plant engineer; Sally Head, sec., records; and Dorothy Barker, treas., office manager. More details are in the announcement ad on page 4.

The mill has been an Eldorado industry for over 30 years, having been established in 1939. It turned out its first all wool blankets a year or two later.

CARDBOARD 10c & 20c at Success

## New Year Bows In With Sleet And Moisture

Monday morning was New Year's Day, the first day of 1973, and residents awoke to cloudy, overcast skies, slight mist, cold temperatures and sleet falling intermittently.

Tuesday morning, the cold wet weather hung on, with a misty rain falling that began to collect on tree branches and power lines. That was the situation with the temperature hovering around the freezing mark. Also at noon Tuesday, the weather forecasters predicted that the cold would hang on at least through Wednesday, and there was even some possibility of snow.

We have had many dry weeks now, and some moisture would be welcomed by everyone. It would provide water for the ranges and farms, and give the firemen a respite from the grassfire alarms they have had to answer.

## Eaglettes Winners Of 2nd District Game

Thursday, December 21, the Eaglettes played Robert Lee on their home court for a district game.

Robert Lee faced the Eaglettes with a great desire to come out on top, and at the end of the first quarter, they were ahead by one point.

During the second quarter Eldorado began to score better, and at half time the Eaglettes were in the lead by 8 points. The score was 29 to 21.

The two teams scored poorly during the last two quarters. Robert Lee scored 8 points to Eldorado's 5 points in the third quarter. In the fourth quarter Eldorado scored 6 points to Robert Lee's 5 points. The final score was 40 to 34.

In spite of the many mistakes that were made, the Eaglettes managed to win.

Rosellen Maness was high point girl for the Eaglettes, scoring 17 points. Carolyn Page contributed 13 points and Kathy Page, 10. Rhonda Askins scored 20 points for Robert Lee. —Reporter, Mgrs.

## LUX WINS DEER RIFLE

De Lux was winner of the rifle given by Foxworth Galbraith to the hunter killing the largest deer in the season just ended.

Manager J. H. "Skeet" Mace reported the following contest results:

De Lux.....score 56 7/8  
Floyd West.....score 55 7/8  
Darlene Butler.....score 53 3/4  
Vickie Jones.....score 53

## Miss Womack Buried In San Angelo Tuesday

Graveside services for Miss Minnie Womack, 83, were held Tuesday in Fairmont cemetery in San Angelo directed by Robert Massie Funeral Home.

A longtime San Angelo resident, she died at 12:30 a.m. Saturday in her residence at 210 N. Madison.

Survivors include a sister, Velma Womack of San Angelo, three nieces and three nephews.

Pal bearers were Dr. W. T. Womack and Dr. James Womack, both of San Angelo, Tom Womack of San Saba, Bob Finlay of Brady and Wayne Campbell of Dallas.

## BUILDING GOING ON

A new house is being built a block north of the school for Junior Isaacs.

Work has continued on the exterior of the house being built about a mile north of town for Dr. J. B. Brame. Roofers were working last week and the structure is now almost all enclosed. Harold Ensminger of San Angelo is contractor.

Harold Susen workmen have about finished their work on Annice Murchison's house. A carport and bedroom were added.

## JONES SUCCEEDS KINSER

Thomas Richard Jones succeeded Weatherly Kinsler as Commissioner of Precinct 1 of Schleicher county on January 1st. That was the only change made as result of the elections held last year. Bob Whorter is county judge and the other three commissioners are Vi Henderson, Jo Christian and Dee Love.



Best Wishes For a Happy New Year  
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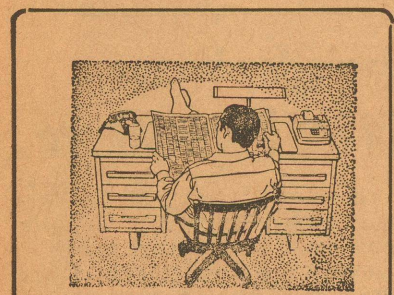
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New Kwik Thrift Store Was a Major Addition To Eldorado Business District During 1972

The year of 1972 has now passed into history and the following is our annual review of the year just ended.

The dates given are of the Success issues in which the news items appeared.

**JANUARY**

1972 was a General Election year which became apparent in the review as the year was launched with some political announcements.

6.—County Commissioners Christian and Kinser announce for re-election.

Pat Wester, Chamber of Commerce president, was busy last week removing all the holiday decorations and storing them away for another year. Now we are well advanced in the first week of the new year, and our attention now turns to end-of-the-year expenses and Uncle Sam's income tax.

Thomas Baker, 64, buried here Sunday. William M. Davis, 73, of Littlefield buried here Dec. 28.

Mrs. Anna L. Faull, 88 died Tuesday morning at the Medical Center.

The coldest temperature thus far for the winter was recorded here Tuesday morning, as residents awoke to a light snowfall and a 14-degree temperature reading.

13.—The annual Schleicher County Livestock & Bake Show and Sale is all set for this Saturday, Jan. 15th, at the Ag. Center south of town.

County Agricultural Agent Jerry Swift reports arrangements and committees complete.

Cotton crop for last year expected to reach 500 bales—one of the smallest crops in many years.

As we went to press this week the local political scene remained quiet. The two incumbent commissioners announced for re-election and there have been no others as yet. February 7th is the filing deadline.

20.—Good crowd at annual Stock Show which was kicked off January 10.

An oilfield accident near Carrizo Springs last Thursday afternoon claimed the life of Edwin Roy Swain, 24. A rig reportedly collapsed while he was on top of the derrick.

Funeral services are set for 2:00 Thursday afternoon in the First Baptist church for Mrs. Zula (Calcote) Sparks, 63, who died Friday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dolores Chancy at Tenino, Washington.

Ginning Season may linger along another two weeks. That was the opinion expressed by Karen Homer, bookkeeper at Mikeska Gin on Tuesday afternoon.

Orval Edmiston announces for re-election as sheriff.

27.—Joseph Jack Heffernan, 55, died Sunday in the Veterans Hospital at Shreveport, La.

Sam H. Nichols, 84, died about 2:30 p.m. last Wednesday in Golden Years Nursing Home in Christoval. Graveside services were held Thursday in Eldorado cemetery.

With 528 bales of cotton reported, a few more were yet to come. A visit to Mikeska Gin Tuesday revealed that many bales processed, and no one was willing to set a closing date for the Gin.

Robert Lee Waggoner, 64, died in the Medical Center.

Rash of grass fires keep firemen busy.

**FEBRUARY**

3.—Political pot beginning to boil. Hollis McCormick and Robert Bradley came out for Precinct 3 commissioner.

Thomas Richard Jones and Elmer Peters came out for commissioner in Precinct One.

Early this week we had two inches of snow following several days of foggy, damp weather, and by the time a clearing trend set in Tuesday, the moisture accumulation amounted to about 3/4 of an inch here in Eldorado.

Rangelands were getting dry, and the moisture is welcomed by ranchers, but the cotton farmers were further delayed in getting in the final bales of this past year's crop.

10.—Danny Barfield announced for County Attorney, and W. O. Faull came out for commissioner, but neither made a campaign.

Nick Robledo comes out for Commissioner of Precinct 3.

With passing of the filing deadline at 6:00 p.m. Monday for candidates to get on the Democratic Primary ballot, Orval N. Edmiston, Schleicher County Sheriff and Tax Assessor Collector, emerged as the only unopposed local incumbent.

Eaglettes winners of District crown.

17.—This past week, County Attorney, T. P. Robinson, Jr., authorized The Success to announce that he will be a candidate for re-election for a new four-year term in office, subject to the Democratic Primary.

Graveside services for Jessie David Maxey, 66, were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday at Sonora cemetery. He died Sunday in Schleicher County Medical Center after an illness. He was born Dec. 3, 1905, in Spicewood. He was a retired maintenance employee of Sutton county, with 23 years of service.

The Riding Club met recently and re-elected Horace Linthicum president. Others elected were:

Lynn Griffin, vice pres.; Earl Lloyd, sec.; Lula Mae Clark, rep.

24.—There has been no cotton processed at Mikeska Gin for a week, and this year's total still stands at 551 bales.

Down on the gin lot stand four cotton trailers still waiting to be ginned.

Kenith Homer said Monday that he is waiting to call one or two remaining growers to see if they have a final load yet to come in. After that he plans to fire up the gin this Thursday and finish up the season. Weather permitting, of course.

The filing deadline for local candidates for school trustee, hospital trustee, and city alderman, is just a few days away. Local residents who wish to file for those positions will have to do so soon in order to get on the ballots. The notices are given on pages 2 and 3 of this Success issue.

Reyes Lozano, 71, buried here Tuesday.

**MARCH**

2.—Mikeska Gin processed the last bales of the season last Saturday. The final trailers were from Ross McAngus and G. D. Pfluger.

The final season total, according to Mrs. Kenith Homer, was 560 bales, which is about one-sixth of what a good normal year would yield.

Accident claims life of Buzz Cunningham. Other deaths reported: Robert Lee Whitley, 80; and Mrs. Ernest Goens.

9.—A half block site in north Eldorado, a block off the Angelo highway, is being cleared off, leveled, and made ready for new location for C. C. Lease Service Co. Nellie Mather Hardy dies in California.

The Eldorado High School Band will march in San Angelo in the Rodeo parade this Friday, March 10th. The parade through downtown Angelo will launch the four-day Rodeo event, which is held each year early in March.

The Eagle Band will be under direction of Wayne McDonald.

16.—Death reported of Earl Parker, 58-year-old businessman.

Riding Club members announce that a calf and steer roping will be staged at the local arena here Saturday, starting at 2:00 p.m.

There will be no admission charge and all area ropers are invited. The concession stand will be open.

On Saturday, March 18th, the Plateau Relays will be held here, and it will be a two division meet.

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23.—Funeral held Sunday for Buster Gunn, 62.

Archie Nixon scored 48 points winning four events and placing second in another to pace the host Eldorado Eagles to a Division II win in the Plateau Relays here Saturday.

Ben's Abstract & Title office moved to new building.

Len Mertz to attend Legion Boys State.

School out Friday for Easter holidays.

There were 32 calf ropers on hand at the roping held here Saturday afternoon. The calf roping was won by Bob Johnson.

There were 33 steer ropers and this event was won by Sonny Holt and Logan Stevens of Mason.

30.—The Ministerial Alliance met on March 15th, and discussed plans for the Easter Sunrise Service. It will be held in the First Baptist Church April 2 at 6:21 a.m. Rev. Kenneth Vaughan is host pastor.

Local elections coming up Saturday for City Alderman, School Trustee, and Hospital District.

County equipment is at work on the airport area, on the west edge of Eldorado, grading and smoothing off the generally cleaning up.

Some effort is being made to fill in a large pit, which has become a dump ground.

Only three more days remain for vehicle owners to buy their 1972 license tags! Saturday, April 1st, is the final "day of grace" for after that date it will be illegal to drive a vehicle on any public road or highway with last year's tags.

**APRIL**

6.—Light vote in local elections. City alderman race brought out a total of 127 votes, which were distributed as follows (three to elect):

Frank Bradley	111
John Hodges	103
Ted Short	80
Edwin Jackson	74

Elected as Hospital District directors without opposition were: Ronnie Mittel, Guy Whitaker, Mike Moore and Raymon Mobley.

Elected as school trustee were John Rae Powell, Earl Lloyd and Kenith Homer.

Mrs. Otto Mund death reported.

13.—In this issue appeared a story about our hospital—in which district directors have assumed responsibility for its operation; a responsibility formerly held by the

doctors. Orville E. Conner, 86, buried here Friday.

Jim Edgar Sample dies at age of 54.

20.—Rural Electrification Administration has approved \$345,000 loan to Southwest Texas Electric Co-Operative, Eldorado, to construct distribution lines and make other system improvements. Telegram to the Success from Senator John Tower.

Funeral held Monday for E. H. (Greasy) Sweat, Sr., former sheriff.

Funeral held Wednesday for Freddie (Furr) Toler, 43.

Mrs. Lonnie McFall, 75, died last week at Park Plaza Nursing Home in Angelo.

27.—Schleicher County wool and mohair producers have been mailed their 1971 marketing year incentive payments. Payment total for both wool and mohair was \$621,079.21, in figures released by the local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office here.

High School Principal Guy Whitaker this week announced the three-honor grads of the '72 Class of Eldorado High School.

Valedictorian is Lorretta Schooley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schooley.

Jean Rountree, salutatorian, is the newly-elected Lions Club queen and during her high school career has been drum major, and a member of the basketball team.

High boy. Barry Williams, was also on the winning debate team. He is the son of Doyle Williams and was delegate to Boys State.

**MAY**

4.—Combined funeral services for Mrs. Johnnie (Leathia Anne) Isaacs, 79, of Sierra Blanca and her daughter Mrs. John (Johnnie Ferne) Luedicke, 52, of Fort Hancock, were held at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon in the First United Methodist Church in Eldorado, with burial in the local cemetery under direction of the Ratliff-Kerbow Funeral Home.

A busload of Briscoe-for-Governor boosters stopped at the El Dorado Restaurant Tuesday morning where they mingled with local backers, visited, and distributed campaign material. They were served refreshments and toured the El Dorado Woolen Mills plant nearby.

Everything is in readiness for the first Democratic Primary election on Saturday, May 6.

Leaving out all the State and District contests, the chief interest and speculation here in Schleicher county is who will be the next Commissioners in Precincts one and three.

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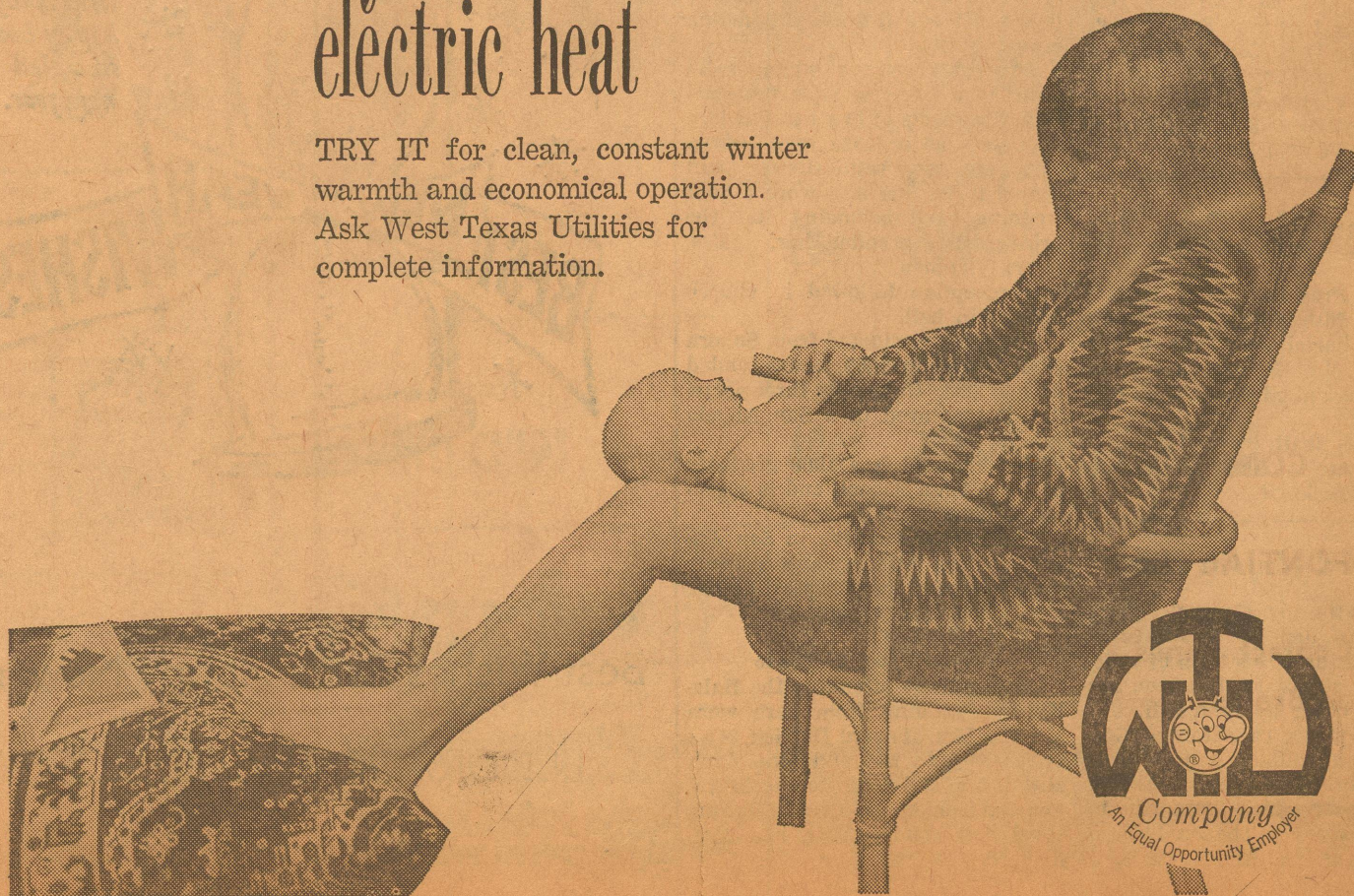
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YEAR 1972 — CONTINUED

11.—Two incumbent commissioners earn place in run-off.

Steady rains were falling in Eldorado from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. Saturday and many people in town for election returns managed to get sprinkled before they got home. In fact many of the visitors huddled in their cars seemed as interested in rain totals as in election totals. Saturday's rain had been preceded by a pretty good rain on Friday.

Bennie F. Harkey died Sunday in San Angelo's Clinic-Hospital at the age of 53, following an illness of several months. He was a former Eldorado businessman. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in First Christian Church, San Angelo, with the Rev. Michael Waco, minister, officiating. Burial was in the Morton cemetery under direction of Johnson's Funeral Home.

William Ollie Alexander died Sunday in Hudsph Memorial Hospital in Sonora at the age of 90.

18.—The 1972 grads of Eldorado High School have Baccalaureate services set for Sunday night at 8:00 in the school auditorium, and will receive their diplomas Monday night in Commencement exercises, also starting at 8:00. The Eagle Band, under direction of Wayne McDonald, will play the processional and recessional for both events.

Over the week end, we had about 6-tenths of an inch of moisture, and by Tuesday night the skies were looking threatening again.

The Schleicher County Democratic convention met last Saturday at 2:00 p.m. in the county court room with Dick Preston as chairman and Bill Gunstead as secretary. Those present voted to elect Tom Ratliff delegate to the state convention to be held in San Antonio in June. He is going as an uncommitted delegate. Delegates present were Edgar Sauer, Louella Sauer, Mrs. A. B. Ory, Kenneth Vaughan, Curtis Andrews, Mrs. Dale Preston, and Frank Barajas.

Eagle Band returned home from a trip to Tennessee.

25.—Success printers turned out the ballots this week for the Run-Off Democratic Primary set June 3rd, a week from Saturday.

Absentee voting is now under way in the office of County Clerk J. P. Enoch.

Dick Preston, County Democratic Chairman, urges all qualified voters who plan to be away June 3rd to take advantage of the opportunity to vote absentee.

Today, Thursday, the Schleicher county swimming pool is opening for the summer season, with Fred and Flora Riley again as managers. The pool was cleaned, put in order, and filled several days ago. It is located in the county park in the west part of town.

Mrs. A. L. (Pearl) Jones, 83, a resident of Eldorado since 1894, died at 1:00 p.m. Friday in the Bronte nursing home where she had been a patient for 3 months. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the First United Methodist Church here.

JUNE

1.—Third Junior Rodeo was preparing to kick off on Friday.

The new city water well drilled in the south part of town was pumping water at the rate of 830 gallons per minute at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, and already is regarded as the best well in town.

David Parker injured in accident while employed with a construction company near Fort Worth.

Funeral for Andrew Thomas Smith, 88, reported in that issue. Run-off Primary set for Saturday.

8.—Results of run-off primary given in this issue.

Screwworm alert. During this past week screwworms have begun to work in Schleicher county. Page Bros., Hensel Matthews and Elizabeth Powell all had confirmed cases Thursday, June 1.

Inside this Success issue, Billy Gene Edmiston announced he was starting a Quitting Business Sale Monday at his Handy Hardware

store. Mr. Edmiston had operated the store for about three years in the building owned by Mrs. Ida Hill and where Eldorado Hardware was previously located.

The county swimming pool was open and well patronized.

15.—While Eldorado received only a sprinkle, heavy clouds hung over Schleicher county all day Sunday and delivered a drenching to certain lucky ones.

The favored areas seemed to be southwest, west and northwest of Eldorado including the farming areas of Bailey Ranch and Reynolds.

The City of Eldorado is calling for bids—with deadline 5:00 p.m., Monday, June 26th—for installing the new permanent pumping equipment on the new water well in the south part of town.

The well was drilled last winter and in recent weeks has been undergoing tests.

Ken Braden Motor Co., new dealer for General Motors cars, is having their Formal Opening in Sonora today, Thursday, June 15th. The dealership will serve Sutton and Schleicher counties.

22.—"Keep an eye out for screw-worm cases," said Jerry Swift, the County Agricultural Agent, who added that ranchmen should report any findings of such cases to his office.

The Board of Equalization met at school last Wednesday, June 14, and were presented a Tentative Budget for the 1972-73 school year in the amount of \$559,283. Official adoption of the budget by the board will take place in November.

29.—This coming Tuesday, July 4th, will be a general holiday, with most local stores and offices planning to be closed on the day.

Summer recreation program to begin July 5.

Elton McGinness installed as Lions Club president.

Mrs. Sadie Lee Holland, 80, died in Sonora Sunday night at Hudsph Memorial Hospital. She had been a resident of Eldorado for 22 years.

JULY

6.—Jack Hext, long-time Eldorado businessman, sustained a heart attack last week and has been confined since in the local hospital. His family have been at his bedside.

Santa Fe Railroad's application to abandon their 65-mile San Angelo to Sonora line was denied recently by the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington D. C. The railroad filed the request late in 1970 and hearings were held in October, 1971, in San Angelo at which time protests on the proposed abandonment were filed by Sonora and Eldorado.

Phil Olson, treasurer of the American Legion post, was presented a check from the Band Aides, Eagle Band Booster Club, to purchase a uniform for a Little Leaguer when the new uniforms are ordered.

42nd Mias Amigas meeting well attended.

13.—Funeral services are set for Friday morning at 10:00 in the First Presbyterian church here for Jack Hext, 53, who died at about 4:30 Tuesday morning in the local hospital following an illness.

Funeral services were held at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday in the First Presbyterian Church for T. K. (Tom) Jones, 86, with burial in the Eldorado cemetery directed by the Kalliff-Kerbow Funeral Home.

Long list of screwworm cases reported.

20.—A lot north of the Butler produce house is being cleared off, and the Butlers are to build a 30-by-48-foot shop building there to house their trucks and other equipment. Foundation for the new shop and storage building has been laid out and by Tuesday was ready for cement to be poured.

John Edward Meador and others connected with the C. C. Lease firm moved equipment from the old Phillips service station building on South Main street, to the newly completed building and yard in the north part of town, over the week end. The new building features air conditioned offices, a large shop area, and the adjoining yard provides storage space for trucks and other bulky equipment.

27.—"Former Garage to be Home of New Grocery Business." This was a front page heading over a 3-column picture of the old Earl Parker Motors building.

It's not news to people here, generally that the year of 1972 has been a rathy dry one, but rainfall average statistics from the Soil Conservation Service office released recently make it official.

The month of June had just 1.50 inch of average rain, and that added to the preceding five months brings the average up to 6.56, that makes for another dry year—thus far.

Funeral services were set for 10:00 Wednesday morning in Our

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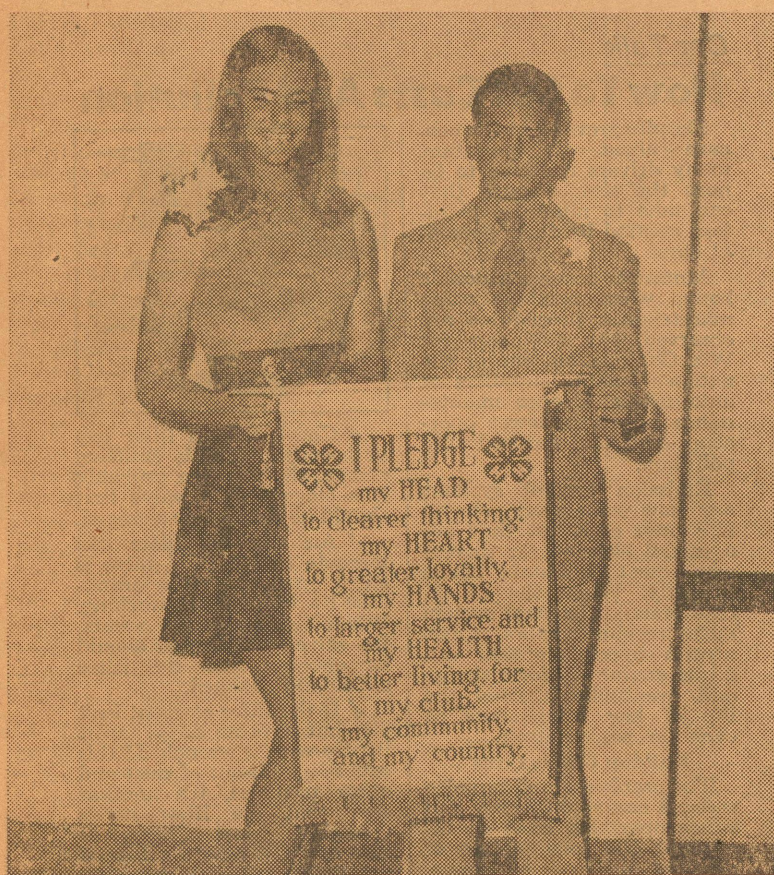
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The following events, selected by the Texas Tourist Development Agency, Box 12008, Austin 78711, are but a few of the many excellent recreational opportunities offered by communities across the state. A more complete listing of Texas events may be obtained free of charge from the Texas Highway Department, Travel and Information Division, Box 5064, Austin 78703.

Jan. 1-6 Sandhills Hereford & Quarter Horse Show & Rodeo, Odessa. Rodeo parade starts at 4 p.m. Tuesday. Rodeo performances indoor in the city coliseum are scheduled for 8 p.m. Jan. 2-6.

Jan. 12-13 Llano County Jr. Livestock Show, Llano, and Hamilton County Jr. Livestock Show, Hamilton.

Boat, Sports & Travel Shows: Jan. 17-21 San Antonio, Jan. 20-28 Houston, Jan. 25-28 Austin, and Jan. 26-Feb. 4 Dallas. On display at these shows will be the latest in

boats, recreational vehicles, and sports equipment. Also in the shows are travel destination exhibits where one may gather first hand information for planning future vacations. Many Texas destinations will be represented, and the State of Texas exhibit will be in the Dallas and Houston shows.

Jan. 25-27 The 1973 American Motorcycle Association National Indoor Motorcycle Steeplechase and Short Track Championship Races, Astro-dome, Houston. Time trials 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Jan. 25 & 27. Races 7:30 p.m. Jan. 26 & 27. Tickets \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.50.

Jan. 27 The 18th annual State Championship Domino Tourney, Hallettsville. Open to any male over 21 years of age, this event sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, last year drew over 200 contestants. A partnership, straight domino, double elimination affair, the tournament begins at 9 a.m. and winds up about 10 p.m. with the presentation of awards and prize money. Entry fee is \$3 per person.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Mainly for Mothers

by Carol Hart

Dealing With Drug Abuse

A leading drug abuse expert recently stated that parental fear and frustration is a major barrier preventing more effective community action in response to the drug abuse problem. He went on to say that all parents can and should adopt a positive attitude toward drug abuse action, both within the family and together with others in the community.

The Council on Family Health, a nonprofit organization sponsored by the manufacturers of medicines as a public service, suggests that the first step is to establish a healthy framework for the family at home. All parents should be sure they use legitimate medicines properly, for specific ailments or as recommended by their physician, and in the proper dosage. In addition to setting a good example, they should think of other ways to convey the importance of medicines in relation to good health to the younger members of the family.

At the same time, the Council urges parents to examine the drug abuse problem facing the community. To find out what is really happening, parents can talk with school, police and hospital officials, doctors, social workers and clergymen. In this manner, parents can gain insight into the types of drugs being abused, why they are being abused, their medical effects and the legal consequences of their abuse.

You can then ask, "What is my community doing?" and determine what prevention, treatment or rehabilitation programs al-



ready exist. Knowing what neighboring communities have done may aid in considering new or expanded services in your own area.

The Council suggests that you try to promote similar interest among your friends and associates. And, finally, involve the young people of the community. They may have as few real answers as parents or professionals. But their ideas are fresh and their support and assistance invaluable.



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In Those Days Compiled From Success Files

ONE YEAR AGO Jan. 6, 1972—The Football Banquet was coming up Saturday with Don Newbury of Fort Worth as speaker.

Funeral services were held for William M. Davis, 73; Thomas W. Baker, 64; and Mrs. Anna L. Faulk, 88. Gail Mittel took over the Texaco service station from Jack Etheredge.

FIVE YEARS AGO Jan. 4, 1968—A musical conference for 400 students from a wide area was to be held here. Dean Killion, director of bands at Texas Tech, was to be in charge assisted by Wayne McDonald, Eagle band director.

Funeral services were held for Frank Van Horn, 78. Fred Adkins was re-opening the coin-op laundry, H. A. Belman was opening West Texas Cafe, and Lee Halbert was re-opening her drive-in near the school.

Mrs. Sam McGinness died at the age of 71, and her funeral was held here. Miss Christy Jean Moore became the bride of Lynn Meador, in a ceremony in the Baptist church.

The year was getting under way with attention focused on San Antonio where HemisFair 68 was to open in April for a six-month run. This was a world's fair. The Rev. D. G. Salter family returned from East Texas where they visited during the holidays.

12 YEARS AGO Jan. 5, 1961—Joe Wagley succeeded Robert Martin as Precinct 3 Commissioner, for the only change at the Court House, as the new year got under way.

The Success had photos of the new Post Office building and the new City Hall building, citing them as major additions to the town during the year 1960, just ended. Bill Bowen introduced Freshman students, Barbara Johnson, Larry Blair, Jane Sanders, and John Love who gave a debate program at a meeting of the Lions Club.

Several from here attended funeral services in Comanche for William Andrew Bowman, 73. Elizabeth Ann Ballew's engagement to Sherwood Barker was announced. The couple planned to marry Jan. 27th in the Presbyterian church.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jay. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Edmiston of Kingsville spent the holidays here with home folks. The 1959 Census of Agriculture reported 225 farms in Schleicher.

40 YEARS AGO Jan. 6, 1933—Lewis Deats was in charge of remodeling the tabernacle building at Christoval into a new gymnasium. A Lions Club ladies night was held at the Eldo hotel. Rev. W. H. Marshall was toastmaster, and he was introduced by Lion Knight.

Mrs. R. D. Holt was elected new P-TA president, to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. J. D. McWhorter who moved away. Blandly Crabb was operating a beauty shop in the Van McCormick residence.

Fire destroyed the E. E. Newlin house in South Eldorado. Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Crain visited relatives in San Saba. The Eldorado schools re-opened following the holidays with practically 100% attendance; the flu epidemic was over.

Agnes Wright advertised nice frying size chickens for 35c. "Uncle John" McCormick was reported around again following a bout with the flu. The Quarterly Conference was held at the Methodist church, with the Presiding Elder, S. L. Batchelor, in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kent returned from a visit to Grapevine. J. F. Isaacs and L. T. Barber did some much needed work on the golf course last week end by burning the high grass off the fairways. Miss Mary Kathryn Williams became the bride of Frank Warren, with Rev. F. R. Keele officiating.

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CARD OF THANKS We would like to thank all our friends and neighbors and particularly the fire departments in Eldorado and Sonora who assisted in putting out the grass fire on our place. Mrs. Edgar Spencer Joe Ed Spencer \*

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF T. K. JONES: Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of T. K. Jones were issued to us, the undersigned, on the 30th day of November, 1972, in the proceeding indicated below our signatures hereto, which is still pending and that we now hold such Letters. All persons having claims against said Estate which is being administered in Schleicher County are hereby required to present the same to us at the address below given before suit upon same is barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such Estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. The post office address of the Estate is P. O. Box 53, Eldorado, County of Schleicher, State of Texas. DATED this 29th day of December, 1972. —Thomas R. Jones, Jack W. Jones and Victoria J. Ohlenburg, Independent Executors and Independent Executrix of the Estate of T. K. Jones, No. 1123, in the County Court of Schleicher County, Texas.

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DUPLICATE BRIDGE Dec. 21: Blakeways, 1st; Jan Mobley, Ethel Olson of Sonora, 2nd; Sarah Hall, Elnora Love, 3rd. Dec. 28: Mrs. Shug Montgomery and Mrs. L. T. Barber, San Angelo, 1st; Mrs. Winnie Jackson and Mrs. Agnes Pontius, San Angelo, 2nd; Sarah Hall, Margaret Frost, 3rd; The Herrmanns of Sonora, 4th.

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County Extension Agent's Column By DIANE LUBE

Important "Papers" With Appliances Save those papers in the box with a small electrical appliance. Consumers are urged to read every word before using the appliance. Read and heed registration cards first. Complete them and mail to the manufacturer.

These cards let him know where the appliance was purchased and where the product is in case a safety defect makes it necessary for him to notify the owner. Sending the registration card also may speed servicing. Guarantee or warranty cards are second on the reading list, and they mean about the same thing. Learn what they promise in writing on product performance, such as "guaranteed not to tarnish" or "guaranteed to be free of defects in material or workmanship." Some promise specific action, such as repair, refund or

replacement if the product fails to meet standards of quality or performance stated in the guarantee. Read until you find the following six points: (1) What it guarantees It should list parts covered. (2) How long it's guaranteed. The entire appliance or different parts may be guaranteed for different time lengths. (3) Manufacturer or seller promises. If product is defective, they may furnish parts and labor or parts only, and they may replace the entire product or refund purchase price. (4) Steps owner must take to receive benefits the guarantee provides. (5) Limitations or conditions of the guarantee. It may tell the owner to complete and mail the registration card. (6) Name of firm offering the guarantee and name or title of party responsible for keeping its promises.

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Announcement At a stockholders meeting held December 30, 1972, J. P. Barker resigned as president of El Dorado Woolen Mills, Inc. Mr. Barker was retained as chairman of the Board of Directors which includes J. F. Barker and James Head. The following officers were elected: J. F. Barker President, General Manager James Head Vice Pres., Supt of Plant Engineer Sally Head Secretary, Records Dorothy Barker Treasurer, Office Manager J. P. Barker will maintain office hours Monday through Thursday 1:00 to 2:00 p. m., and Tuesday through Friday from 10:00 to 11:00 a. m. Mr. Barker will spend more time amateur skiing and racing, along with compiling his memoirs in the Navy and in textiles.



Check the oil filler cap or breather. If it is emitting smoke, the problem probably is a clogged PCV valve that should be cleaned or changed. An oily air filter can indicate that a PCV valve is stuck open or that a crankcase breather is not working. When this symptom occurs, the valve and breather should be checked and the filter should be changed. If the filter element isn't oily but appears dirty, tap it lightly with a wrench. If this causes a spill-out of dust and other particles, it's another sign that the filter needs changing. Most filters, as well as PCV valves, are good for 12,000 miles or one year of service. In the event of extensive stop-and-go, short-trip driving, the filter and valve should be checked more frequently. For the pollution-conscious, or cost-conscious, driver, frequent checks of emission control systems should become a way of life. The time involved is slight, the cost is minimal even if some components need replacement, and the contribution to cleaner air and smoother car operation can be significant.



### Some Do's and Don'ts

(From the office of Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin.)

This is the final column in a series entitled "The Informed Consumer." At this time I want to express my appreciation for the warm reception these articles have received from so many readers.

I also want to give a verbal pat-on-the-back to all of the many Texas newspapers who have run the columns. By doing so you have performed a public service for your readers and your efforts are genuinely appreciated by my staff and me.

Remember, most of our Texas business men are honest, but there are sharp dealers everywhere. You should learn to spot them because once you sign the contract or complete the sale, you may be stuck. In this last column I will list some do's and don'ts to help you protect yourself.

Good rules to follow are:

Never sign anything you have not read or cannot understand. Take time to read any document. Once you sign it, you may be bound with a legal obligation even though it was not a fair or honest deal. If you cannot understand the language of the document, contact your private attorney for legal counsel.

Turn off the high pressure salesman and take time to think for yourself. Ask him to stop talking so you can read the contract and make up your own mind. Be cautious when confronted by a salesman who won't stop talking or won't let you read the contract outside his presence.

Fight the temptations of referral selling. This scheme offers the consumer the chance to make a quick killing by simply supplying names of friends and relatives as prospective customers.

Do not rely on verbal representations. Be sure that such promises can be found in the terms and conditions of the written contract.

Watch for the "sympathy" approach. It's often a "line" to get your signature. Organized crews are trained to tell sob stories. Once you sign, they move on to another locale.

Be skeptical of contests, surveys, and "free merchandise" offers. All businesses are operated for a profit, and no one stays in business long when selling "below cost" or giving merchandise away. Recognize these gimmicks as advertising campaigns and see through them to the merits of the merchandise being sold.

Refuse to sign a blank contract or a contract in which the blanks are not filled in.

Remember that guarantees are valuable only when written. If a promise is good, it can be put in writing. Find out what is guaranteed and who stands behind it.

Shop with established firms that enjoy good reputations and show appreciation of your patronage by their courtesy and good service. Give your patronage to the good ones and keep your hard earned pay check away from the easy money artists.

Don't hesitate to shop around. You may find a better price for the same product or services elsewhere.

Don't be fooled by phony prices which have been inflated so that they can be reduced for you. An item marked "regular \$80, now \$20" may have been regularly \$30, and the price tag inflated to impress you.

Figure finance charges for installment purchases on a yearly basis and add these charges to the selling price to determine what you are actually paying. Be careful when buying from salesmen who stress the "low monthly payments" and deemphasize the total selling price. You'll save a substantial amount by paying cash or making a big down payment.

Refuse to deal with stores that "bait and switch" and will not adjust your complaints fairly and promptly. If a product is advertised as "bait" to get you into the store, but the salesman offers only higher priced goods, complain to the manufacturer of that line of products and stop shopping at that store.

Be on the alert for final big payment financing. It's called "balloon note" financing—small monthly payments—then a final, unexpected big payment.

There's no "easy" way to earn money at home. You find later there is no market for what you produce, or your efforts are "not up to standards." Most schemes re-

quire you to buy something in order to earn.

Don't pay for a neighbor's package. It may turn out to be unneeded junk your neighbor hasn't ordered and doesn't want!

You may risk your life or your money on quick "cures." If you are worried about your health—see your doctor. Don't take a chance on quack medicines or mail-order cures.

Vanity can cost you money or health. No known product or service can reduce your weight by massages, belts, girdles, sweat baths, creams; grow your hair; make you taller; develop your bust; remove or prevent wrinkles.

The above rules, if followed, will help you avoid being victimized by deceptive trade practices.

### County Ag. Agent's Column

By Jerry Swift

#### Winter Care For Horses

Don't neglect your horse just because it's winter and you aren't riding it. Adequate nutrition and a parasite control program are important during winter months.

Young horses, especially those weaned this fall, need special attention because they are still growing and need an adequate ration to help them mature.

If good quality hay is fed, grain may not be needed. Dust-free leafy legume hay (alfalfa or clover) is a good feed for wintering horses. However, it's a good idea to feed a grain supplement with grass hay or other low energy hay.

Internal parasites, especially strongyles (blood worms) and bots are damaging during winter months. Such parasites can cause horses on a borderline ration to lose excessive body weight.

Strongyles attach to the intestinal wall and suck blood, reducing the vitality and condition of the horse. This could be fatal to young horses. It is advised worming and treating horses for bots during the winter. Newer drugs may be administered with a grain mixture; however, individual animals should have a separate feed box to be sure that each animal should have a separate feed box to be sure that each animal receives the correct dosage.

Bots attach to the stomach lining and remain there for many months before passing to the outside in the spring and developing into flies. Treating horses for bots during the winter will break the life cycle of this parasite.

It's colder than you think . . . When you're outside on a cold, windy day and you think it's colder than the thermometer indicates, you're right!

Nearly every winter some people in the U. S. are severely frost bitten or even freeze to death because they dress according to the thermometer and not according to the chill index temperature.

The chill index is a combination of wind velocity and temperature reading. For example, at 10 degrees above zero with a 10-mile-an-hour wind, the chill temperature to exposed skin is 9 degrees below zero.

At 30 degrees above, it only takes a 20-mile-an-hour wind to have a 4 degree chill index.

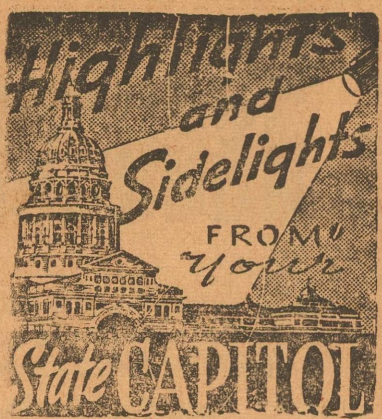
It is suggested that farmers and others who work outside dress warmer than they feel necessary when going out for any length of time this winter.

#### Mrs. Blair Has Guests

Guests in the home of Mrs. Sybil Blair for Christmas Day were her children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blair and Cody of Robert Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pennington and Blair and Stacy of Austin. Other guests were Mickey Pennington of San Antonio, Mrs. Charles Wimer, also Mr. and Mrs. John Wade of Austin. Blair and Stacy Pennington remained for a longer visit while their parents along with Mr. and Mrs. John Wade and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitis went to Ruidosa for a week of skiing.

Jimbo Overtstreet was home from Texas A&M over the holidays.

Mrs. Wilma Logan and children visited in Eldorado New Year's Day.



Austin, Tex.—Texas legislators, with new leadership in both houses and a swarm of first-term members, report here January 9 for their expected history-making regular session.

They face a mountain of problems, the magnitude of some still un-measured.

Revising the present method of financing public school education stands at the top of the list—depending on a U. S. Supreme Court ruling yet to come.

If the High Court upholds a three-judge federal court ruling in San Antonio just over a year ago, lawmakers are under orders to revise the present system which is keyed to property taxes. A reversal could allow more time, but the State Board of Education is expected to vote January 18 for a complete state financing of basic education costs spread over a period of several years, regardless of the Supreme Court decision.

Lawmakers are hopeful of avoiding a major tax fight, but again the school finance case may completely upset those hopes.

Among other major items for legislators' consideration are these:

—Reform of the legislative process itself and state government in general, including a new code of ethics law, a revised lobby control act and revision of campaign finance reporting requirements.

—Overhaul of state election laws to provide a new method of financing party primaries and possibly moving voting dates for primaries.

—Court reform.

—Redoing the legislative and congressional redistricting of 1971.

#### Pollution Major Job

Atty. Gen.-elect John Hill assigned top priority in his new administration to tackling a heavy backlog of pollution cases.

Hill said he also plans heavy emphasis of consumer protection, including a fresh package of legislation in the field, and combatting organized crime through a special, five-member task force of attorneys.

The incoming Attorney General said pollution not only damages the quality of life but is a serious economic factor, especially along the industrialized Gulf Coast.

He pledged to seek accelerated docketing of the air and water pollution cases, quicker filing of new cases submitted by state agencies and fast prosecution by his staff.

#### Campus Troubled

An "extremely volatile" situation on the campus of the University of Texas at El Paso led to sudden appointment of a new president there.

Dr. Arleigh B. Templeton was dispatched to the troubled campus from the new UT-San Antonio that he had been picked earlier to serve as president. UT regents confirmed the selection in an emergency session. Dr. Joseph Smiley resigned November 1 as UT-El Paso president.

The U. S. Justice Department advised UT Chancellor Dr. Charles LeMaistre corrective steps were needed at El Paso to prevent a campus tragedy sparked by demonstrations against the administration.

#### LBJ Park Plans Move On

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, over protest of some landowners, plans to add another 550 acres to the Lyndon B. Johnson State Park along the Pedernales River near the former president's ranch.

The P-W Commission also approved buying 554 acres at Bryan Beach two miles southeast of Freeport in Brazoria County for a third Gulf Coast Beach Park.

A master plan for development of Mustang Island as a state park is being prepared and is expected to be presented to the Commission in about two months.

#### Gas Order Expected

A Railroad Commission order setting priorities for use of natural gas when supplies are short is due to be entered by mid-January.

At a hearing here November 30, two Commission officers examined views on gas curtailment. They later made recommendations (as yet not disclosed) to the three-member Commission. Opposition to a statewide standard of priorities was expressed at the hearing. Testimony was also offered in favor of granting priorities to homes, schools and hospitals in time of drastic shortage.

#### Inaugural Dinner Set

Democrats will celebrate inauguration of Governor Briscoe and Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby at a combination fund-raising and party victory din-

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The \$25-a-plate dinner will offer entertainment by Danny Davis and the Nashville Brass and talks by Briscoe, Hobby and new National Democratic Chairman Robt. Strauss. State Democratic Chairman Calvin Guest of Bryan will be master of ceremonies.

#### Billboard Deadline Extended

License and permit deadline for signboards along interstate and primary highways has been extended by the Texas Highway Commission from December 31 to June 30, 1973.

The extension was granted on request of advertising industry and individual sign owners because the previous time was insufficient to comply with the Highway Beautification Act.

The law requires a permit for each sign, and those putting up signs within 600 feet of the major highways must get a license to engage in outdoor advertising.

No further extension of the deadline is contemplated, the Highway Department said. The license fee is \$25. Sign owners must post \$2,500 bond in each county where they have signs. Maximum bonds of \$10,000 are required of owners with signs in more than three counties.

#### Medical Limits Urged

Another House study committee chairman proposed limits on hospitalization and number of visits to

The Donnie Overstreets of Ocean-side, California, spent part of the Christmas holidays visiting their parents here, the Delbert Overstreets, and the Bob Bland family. Overtstreet is serving with the Marines.

Mrs. Wilma Jean Logan, and Bonnie and Margie, went to Paint Rock Saturday to pick up her daughter, Teresa, who was visiting her great-grandmother, Mrs. Laura Hoffman

### MEMORIAL PROGRAM

Your Memorial Gift is a fitting tribute to a loved one. This remembrance helps support the research, education and service programs of the American Cancer Society.

Memorial gift funds may be sent to your local Unit of the Society.

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### Kaye Harkey To Job In East Texas

"My primary duties will be working with 4-H leaders developing home economics projects and eventually adult projects," said Miss Kaye Harkey, who has been assistant Tom Green County Extension agent for the past 1½ years.

Miss Harkey will be leaving San Angelo Jan. 15 to become agent-at-large for Madison, Walker and Trinity counties, with headquarters in Madisonville.

She will attend Sam Houston State University to complete work on her masters degree in home economics.

Before becoming assistant agent, she worked with the Expanded Nutrition program youth phase for one year.

In San Angelo, she has worked primarily with youth groups in their organizational processes and planning club year programs and 4-H work.

She is a graduate of Eldorado High School and Texas Tech where she received a bachelor of science degree in home economics. At Tech she was a member of the American Home Economics Association and on the dean's honor roll.

Miss Harkey is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Nell Harkey of San Angelo and the late Beanie Harkey.

### Miss Gault Bride Of Scott Seely

After a wedding trip to New Orleans, La., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scott Seely will live in Greenville. The couple were married last Saturday in a ceremony in First United Methodist Church in Brady with the Rev. Lamar Leifeste officiating.

Parents of the bride, formerly Miss Jo Marie Gault, are Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Gault of 1414 South Jackson in San Angelo. The Gaults formerly lived here in Eldorado. Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Seely of Chillicothe are parents of the bridegroom.

Music was presented by Mrs. James Page of Eldorado. Miss Susan Hill was in the house party.

The bride is a 1971 graduate of North Texas State University where she was rush chairman of Delta Gamma and a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron national home economics fraternity. She is a teacher in Greenville Independent School District.

Her husband is a 1971 graduate of Texas A&M University and is an appraiser of the General Land Office for the State of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ray Stanford and family visited the Truett Stanfords here from Colorado during the holidays.

### Mrs. Eubank Takes Postal Job At Odem

Mrs. Dale Eubank (the former Dale West of Eldorado) has been hired as clerk in the Odem post office and assumed her duties November 18th.

Mrs. Eubank and her family, husband, Gene, and their two children, Scott and Leslie, moved to Odem in March of this year.

Eubank is a senior adjuster for the San Antonio division of the General Motors Insurance Corp. He and his family came to Odem on a transfer from Victoria where he had been serving.

Mrs. Eubank is enrolled in Del Mar College to complete her educational work which she began in night classes in Victoria Junior College.

Scott is 15 years of age and is a freshman in high school. His sister, Leslie is eight and a third grader.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer West were in Odem recently to visit the Gene Eubanks, to attend Leslie Lynn's school Christmas program, in which she participated, and to bring Scott to Eldorado for a visit and to hunt during the holidays.

Gene, Dale and Leslie Lynn will be in Eldorado Friday, at the Cashes W. Taylors in Sonora and Sutton county on Saturday, and at the Vance Eubanks, Gene's family, for Sunday, New Year's dinner.

Dale will attend night classes next semester commuting from Odem to Corpus Christi to work. The Eubanks' address is PO Box 778, Odem, Texas 78370.

Mrs. Elizabeth Goodwin of Hobbs New Mexico is spending the holidays in Eldorado with the Palmer Wests and in onora with the Cashes W. Taylors.

#### DRAWING AT SOFGE'S

At the drawing held at Sofge's during the holidays, J. S. Hughes won the turkey.

Ken Love of Clovis, N. M., visited here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Charles Taylor of Austin spent the holidays here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Whitaker and family spent the holidays visiting at Nacogdoches and other points in East Texas.

#### MERCHANTS' DRAWING HELD

At the Christmas Eve Merchants drawing, Moses Hill Jr. won the color T-V set. He is a truck driver for Haley.

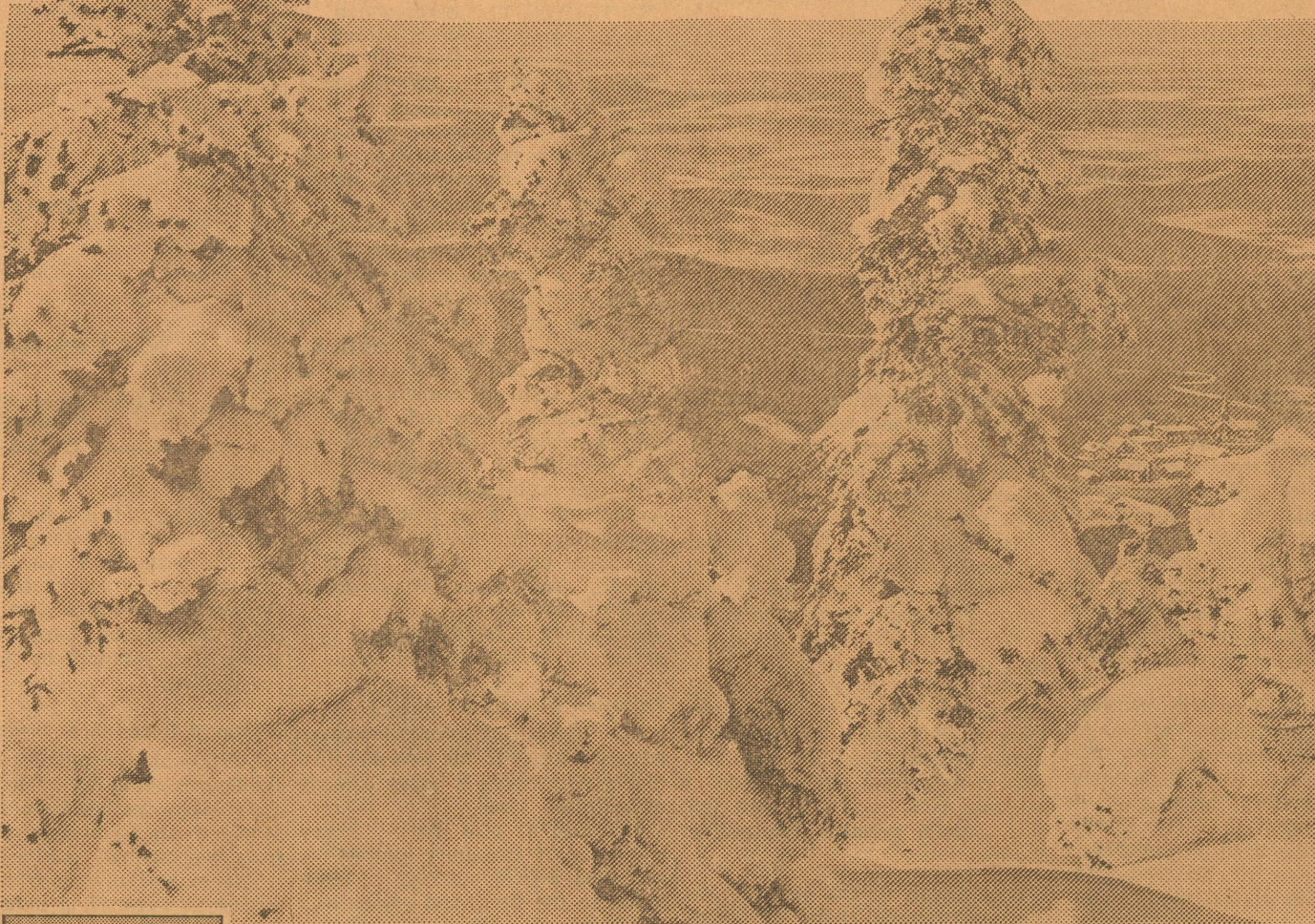
Winners of the gift certificates were: Eldorado Drug, Pancho Bradley; Hext Foods, Monroe Dacy; Western Auto, Andy Nixon; Cathy's, Dorothy Clark; and Raymon Mobley's, Manuel Bosmans.


# THE HIGH PLACES

Does the goal you're seeking seem as remote—as unattainable—as this snow-frosted mountain top? Does it seem, sometimes, as if you'll never get there? Are you on the verge of giving up?

Don't! Though your objective may seem light-years beyond your reach, if it's the right thing for you, God will help if you'll let Him. The teachings of His Church will give you the patience and endurance you need to accept setbacks . . . and still keep trying.

Don't try to climb to the top all by yourself. It's a lonely ascent. Let the Church help you, as it helped those who were here before you . . . and as it will help those who come after you.



	<b>Sunday</b> II Timothy 2:19-26	<b>Monday</b> Psalms 122:1-9	<b>Tuesday</b> Isaiah 9:2-7	<b>Wednesday</b> Micah 5:2-7	<b>Thursday</b> Matthew 1:1-25	<b>Friday</b> Matthew 2:1-10	<b>Saturday</b> Matthew 2:11-15
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Joint Methodist & Presbyterian  
Evening Service 7:00 P. M.

**West Side Church Of Christ**  
Divide Street  
Morning Service 10:30 A. M.  
Evening Service 6:00 P. M.  
Wed. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

**First Assembly Of God Church**  
Menard Highway  
Robert Sherman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.  
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 P. M.

**First Baptist Church**  
Kenneth W. Vaughan, Pastor  
W. Gillis Ave.  
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Union Youth Fel. 6:00 P. M.  
Church Training 6:00 P. M.  
Evening Worship 7:00 P. M.  
Sunday Evening Choir  
Practice 7:45 P. M.  
Wed. Prayer Service 8:00 P. M.

**First Christian Church**  
Allen Hurt, Layman  
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship 10:45 A. M.

**First United Methodist Church**  
Fred S. Cox, Pastor  
109 N. Divide  
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Worship 10:45 A. M.  
Union Youth Fel. 6:00 P. M.  
Joint Methodist & Presbyterian  
Evening Service 7:00 P. M.  
Wednesday Evening Choir  
Practice 8:00 P. M.

**United Pentecostal Church**  
Warner and Hackberry  
Walter L. Ford, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Worship 7:00 P. M.  
Services on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7:30.

**Church Of Christ—Mertzon Hwy.**  
Clarence Ware, Minister  
Classes 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Youth Fellowship 5:00 P. M.  
Evening Worship 6:00 P. M.  
Wednesday Service 7:30 P. M.  
Dinner on the Ground Each  
First Sunday  
Ladies Bible Class each  
Tuesday Morning 9:30

**Gethsemane Assembly of God Mis.**  
Nick Robledo, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Worship Service Friday, 7:30 P. M.

**Antioch Baptist Church**  
Billy Daniels, Pastor  
Callender & Mulberry  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.  
Bible Study 7:00 P. M.  
Preaching Service 7:30 P. M.  
Wed. Night Service 7:30 P. M.

**First Baptist Mexican Mission**  
El Paso St. & Concho Ave.  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Sunday Services 11:00 A. M.  
Sunda Night Services 7:00 P. M.  
Wednesday Services 7:30 P. M.

**St. Luke Missionary Bapt. Church**  
East Street  
Rev. Willie Jones, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.  
Worship Service on First and Third Sundays of each month at 11:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M.

**Our Lady Of Guadalupe Catholic**  
Highway 277 North  
Fr. Richard Gagnon, Priest  
Sunday Mass 10:00 A. M.  
Wednesday Services 8:30 P. M.

**St. Mary's Episcopal Church**  
McWhorter Ave. and Pelt Street  
The Rev. Lea Roy Aldwell, Rector  
Sunday Morning Worship: 10:00

**Primitive Baptist Church**  
Menard Highway  
Elder Carl Watson, Pastor

Service each 2nd Sunday at 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Congregational singing half hour before preaching.



YEAR 1972 — CONTINUED

Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church for Mrs. Santos Cervantes Rangel, who died Monday night in the Schleicher County Medical Center at the age of 90. She had lived here since 1924.

**AUGUST**

3.—Big fire hits northwest of town Tuesday.

Once again Sheriff Orval Edmiston's office became a command post Tuesday to co-ordinate fire fighting efforts after a large blaze broke out at about 2:00 p.m. west of town.

The San Angelo Emergency Corps as well as fire units from Mertzon, Big Lake, Sonora, and San Angelo joined local firemen in battling the blaze which apparently started near the dump ground about five miles west. An hour later it had reached the Cecil Meador place, burning cover on Paul Page, McAngus, and Meador land on the way.

27th annual meeting of Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op, set for Tuesday, August 8th.

\$1.25 tax rate set by County Commissioners.

Screwworms cover all areas of Texas.

In a brief television special report Monday night, George McGovern, Democratic nominee for President, announced that Senator Eagleton had voluntarily withdrawn as candidate for Vice President on the Democratic ticket.

10.—Auction sale set at Parker Motor Company.

In 1970, the first Amateur Rodeo was held here sponsored by the Riding Club and Chamber of Commerce. In 1971 plans for the second one had to be canceled on account of the VEE epidemic.

September 25 and 26 are dates now set for the Amateur Rodeo and plans for the event are well under way.

Band Director Wayne McDonald has announced that members of the Eldorado Eagle Band, and eligible new members, will begin practice Monday, Aug. 14, at the Band Hall.

Practice sessions will be held twice each day from 8:00 to 9:00 each morning, and each afternoon from 5:00 to 7:00.

The Robert Page oil test on the north edge of Eldorado was abandoned as a dry hole over the week end, and by early this week the rig was dismantled.

17.—Bountiful rains cover entire county with reports running all the way from 3 inches to 8.

Coach Ronnie Stephens started twice-a-day workouts this week with the Eagle football boys.

Stephens has announced plans for an ice cream supper to introduce the teams, and two scrimmage game dates.

Two hold-over directors and one new one were elected by the members of the Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op at the Annual Meeting held Tuesday night, Aug. 8th in the Memorial Building.

Joe D. Strauss and Peyton Cain were re-elected and Jerry Johnson was elected to a new term to replace Frank Bond who retired from the board.

Mrs. L. Moore buried Monday in San Angelo.

24.—The auction sale was held Friday at Parker Motor Co. building with a good crowd on hand from all over West Texas.

By Friday night, and continuing Saturday and Monday, the buyers had their trucks and pick-ups pulled up to remove their purchases.

Mrs. Parker arranged sale of the building Friday to the corporation who are buying the premises to remodel into a Kwik Thrift grocery store. They will, presumably, put workmen to work soon in order for the store to be open for business later in the fall.

Sponsored by Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce, the Second Amateur Rodeo is set for two performances this Friday and Saturday nights, August 25 and 26, beginning at 8:30.

**School Menus**

(All meals served with buttered rolls and milk.)

Thursday, Jan. 4: Roast beef & gravy, creamed potatoes, mustard greens, carrot & apple & pineapple salad, fruit cobbler.

Friday, Jan. 5: Beef stew with vegetables, cheese strips, stuffed celery (peanut butter), congealed strawberry salad, brownies.

Monday, Jan. 8: German style sausage, pinto beans, cabbage & carrot & apple salad, canned fruit.

Tuesday, Jan. 9: Chicken & gravy, buttered rice, mixed vegetables (frozen), harvard beets, chocolate pudding.

Wed., Jan. 10: Hot dogs with/without chili, potato salad, cheese strips, peanut butter cookies, orange halves.

Thursday, Jan. 11: Turkey and spaghetti casserole, green beans creole style, tossed green salad, white cake, chocolate icing.

Friday, Jan. 12: Fresh fish fillet, macaroni & cheese, mixed greens, stewed prunes, pears & squares.

ginning at 8:30.

31.—Sweetwater firm opens store here. Sweetwater Pump & Supply Co., of which Bob Atkins is owner, is in process of opening a new supply outlet here in Eldorado in the time honored Hill hardware store building near the intersection of the Menard and Angelo highways.

Local manager will be Jim Hearn who moved here this week with his wife and three children. They are in the Pat Joiner house in Glendale.

598 Enrolled. Monday of this week, one week after school opened, there were a total of 598 students in the local schools, including Kindergarten and Grades 1 through 12. Enrollment broke down as follows: Kindergarten, 27; Grades 1-6, 296; Grades 7-12, 275. Eagles all set for scrimmage game with Ballinger here tomorrow night.

**SEPTEMBER**

7.—New school term is under way.

Coach Ronnie Stephens reports arrangements complete for the Eldorado Eagle team to play the Rankin Reddevils in Rankin this Friday night. Game kick-off time will be 8:00 p.m.

The Sweetwater Pump & Supply Company did itself proud Friday night by staging a barbecue and open house in their new store located in the former Eldorado hardware building.

Bob Atkins of Sweetwater is owner and local manager is Jim Hearn who moved here last week with his wife and three children.

Class officers and sponsors were elected at school.

Jerry Tisdal was here Tuesday from Kinzland and was doing preliminary work inside the former Earl Parker Motors building, the front of which is to be remodeled into a grocery store. Tisdal, who is connected with the corporation which will put in the new Kwik Thrift store, stated that workmen would start work this week in the front of the building where the car showroom formerly was, and that the store would be open for business sometime later in the fall.

Coy Bishop is in the process of buying the former Cameron building on South Main street from Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company, to be new location for his B&B Campers, which has been operated in the Enochs building near the waterworks.

Eldorado Eagles Ozona bound after loss at Rankin last week.

21.—This Friday night the mighty Eagles take on the Braves of Iraan at the Eagle Stadium at 8:00 o'clock. This has been designated as Parents Night. The Eagle players and their parents will be introduced prior to the game, which is the first home game for Coach Ronnie Stephens' Eagles.

Walter N. Ramsay dies at the age of 90.

Around the business district S. C. Engdahl is to vacate his present location on South Main Street this week and has tentative plans to move to the metal building on the south edge of town, near the hamrock service station.

Remodeling work is well under way on the Earl Parker building to convert it into new quarters for the Kwik Thrift grocery store to be opened for business later in the fall.

28.—A photo from Success files shows Derl Griffin's building on South Main as it looked when it housed Wagley Motors many years ago; still earlier it was location of Jones Motor Company.

Derl Griffin purchased the building last week to use in connection with his Griffin Service Company. Welders and other workmen are already using the building.

W. O. (Scooter) Faull Jr. is now operator of the Shamrock service station in the south part of town. He took over from Scott Allen about two weeks ago.

General rains cover county last week. Rains that measured from 2 to 4 inches apparently covered the entire county last week, and were warmly welcomed.

**OCTOBER**

5.—Eagles to host Mason in first District game Friday.

The three taxing offices here—School, City and County—State—are in the process of sending out their tax bills to local and out-of-town property owners.

They report that already some people are coming in to pay the taxes and take advantage of the 3% discount allowed in October.

The Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce held a membership meeting recently and elected new directors for the coming year. Officers are: Billy Gene Edmiston, president; Curtis Andrews, v. pres.; Cathy Niblett, sec.; Jerroll Sanders, treas.

12.—Funeral services for Dr. Nettie Isaacs, 85, were held Saturday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Eldorado, with the Order of the Eastern Star and Rev. Kenneth Vaughan officiating.

The first bale of cotton for Schleicher county arrived at the Mikeska Gin last Friday, Oct. 6th, according to Gin Manager Kenith Homer.

The bale was brought by Santos Pina from his place near the south edge of town. It weighed out at 1920 pounds of seed cotton and made a bale of 540 pounds.

Over 300 turned out Tuesday at the local West Texas Utilities office for the Open House. Winners of the door prizes were Margaret Frost, lamp; and Blanche Barr, electric cooker.

The new Frigidaire appliances were shown on the floor, and there was a cassette-TV presentation, and refreshments were served.

19.—Success printers turned out the General Election ballots late last week and early this week delivered them to the County Clerk's office where absentee voting was to get under way Wednesday. The personnel in the Clerk's Office had already received some requests by mail for ballots. They expect a total of about 200 absentee votes to be processed during this eligible period.

Homecoming ceremonies will take place Friday night as the Eldorado Eagles take on the Junction Eagles at the Eldorado field. This game has been designated as the Homecoming for the Eagles. The Band Sweetheart and the Football Sweetheart will be crowned during the half-time activities.

Following arrival of the first bale on October 6th, Mikeska Gin in Eldorado began operating on a part time basis and by Monday, October 16, had processed a total of 42 bales.

The old Bob Evans building on Main Street was being torn down and the lumber salvaged.

Wayne McGinnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton McGinnes, went to work this week in the Eldorado post office.

26.—Here as elsewhere, interest in the upcoming General Election continues to be rather low key. If there is much active campaigning going on, we have not heard about it.

Monday morning, the County Clerk's office here had processed 48 absentee votes. But they expect about 200 by the Nov. 3rd deadline for voting absentee.

From 2 to over 3 inches of moisture fell over the county during the past week and was hailed as great benefit to winter feed crops and native ranch land.

As far as the cotton farmer is concerned the rains have delayed harvest but at the same time have not hurt the crop.

Six bales of cotton were processed at Mikeska gin on Tuesday for David Lloyd. This was cotton he had gathered before the big rains of last week end.

**NOVEMBER**

2.—Local voters are getting ready to go to the polls Tuesday, along with the rest of the state and nation, to "elect officials from the Court House to the White House." All has remained rather quiet, however, with little interest generated, and it remains to be seen how many voters turn out Tuesday.

Funeral services were held Sunday in the local Catholic church for Mrs. Sallie Fay Payne, 95, who died in the nursing home here. Interment was made in the Eldorado cemetery.

9.—The Kwik Thrift store was open for business this week. The black-top paving and a few other finishing touches were being done, and final stocking of the store was taking place.

Manager of the store will be Richard Loye Harris. Jerry Tisdal of Kingsland has also been here in recent days to assist with the opening arrangements.

A week from now, the store will have a 4-day Grand Opening. Details will be given in next week's Success issue.

American voters went to the polls Tuesday to elect governing officials from the White House down, and as the pollsters predicted, President Richard M. Nixon and his running mate, Vice-President Spiro Agnew, were re-elected. In recent days, Democrats George McGovern and Sargent Shriver campaigned actively but failed to overcome the incumbents' lead.

16.—Andrew J. "Jack" Halbert, Sr., 78, of Eldorado, died suddenly at about 1:30 p.m. Monday at his daughter's home.

Services were set for 10:00 a.m. Wednesday at First Baptist church here with burial in the local cemetery.

Nig Calcote dies in San Angelo. New store launches formal opening.

Eagles to close season at Sonora.

23.—Band earns rating of No. 1 again.

Basketball season is here again. Deer hunters converge on county. Snow and sleet was spreading across the Texas Panhandle Monday and was poised to spread southward. Weather reports late Monday night warned travelers of possible hazardous driving conditions.

But the cold did not reach this far south. Tuesday morning found Schleicher county with heavy fog and mist and mild temperatures.

Total of 377 bales reported at gin.

30.—Cotton gin running full blast. Travis Williams arrives here from Moran to be new West Texas Utilities manager.

Planning continues for C of C Christmas parade and drawing.

**DECEMBER**

7.—All set for Christmas parade and drawing.

Reported death of John West who died in Odessa at age 86.

Eldorado cotton gin was running full blast all day Sunday and loaded cotton trailers were parked all over the premises. In the past six days they had processed about 450 bales and the total late Monday was 1,114 bales already ginned or on the yard.

Elton McGinnes accompanied three amputees on a deer hunt to the Jack Brown ranch 40 miles below Marfa recently. They were his son Wayne of Eldorado and Lee Horton and Ken Wilhite, both of San Angelo. All bagged and dressed out their bucks.

14.—Because of the icy weather Monday, the Chamber of Commerce parade and drawing for prizes was postponed two days, to Wednesday, December 13th, at 4:00 p.m., in the business district. It was hoped that the weather would moderate by then to allow a larger crowd to gather, and more comfortable surroundings for the parade participants.

Mrs. Linnie Dell Kent died at 9:00 o'clock last Thursday morning in the Eldorado hospital after a short illness. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3:30 in the Church of Christ here, with interment in the local cemetery.

Ice storm hits area. Cold weather delays ginning.

21.—Jesse Luedecke, 22, of Eldorado, died at 12:20 p.m. last Tuesday in San Angelo's Shannon hospital as result of injuries suffered in an automobile accident two days earlier five miles south of Eldorado.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel for Jack Kerr, 58, of San Angelo and Eldorado. The Rev. Gordon Garlington, pastor of First Presbyterian church of Eldorado, officiated, and burial was in the Fairmount cemetery.

Success did not publish a paper for Thursday, Dec. 28. We hope all had a Merry Christmas, and now wish a Happy and Prosperous New Year to one and all as 1973 gets under way.

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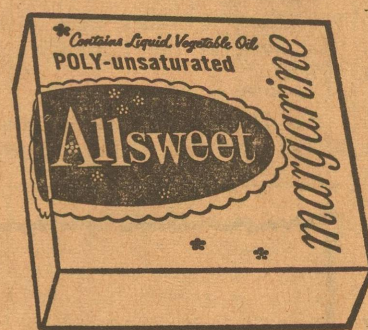
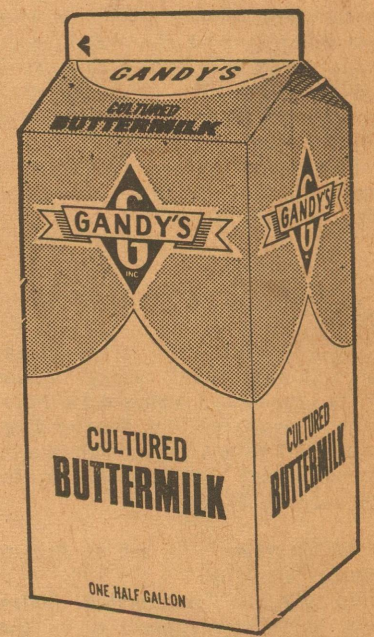
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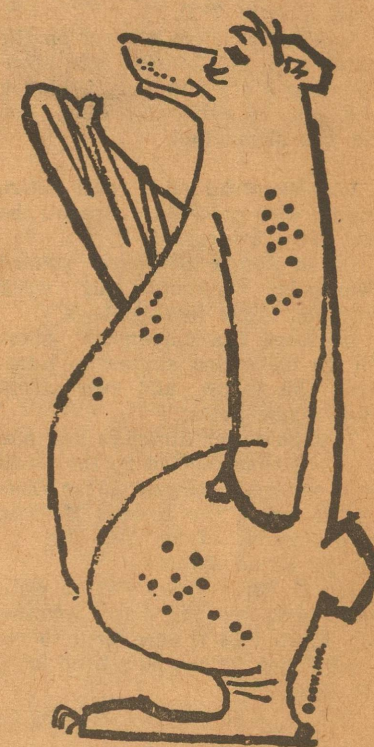
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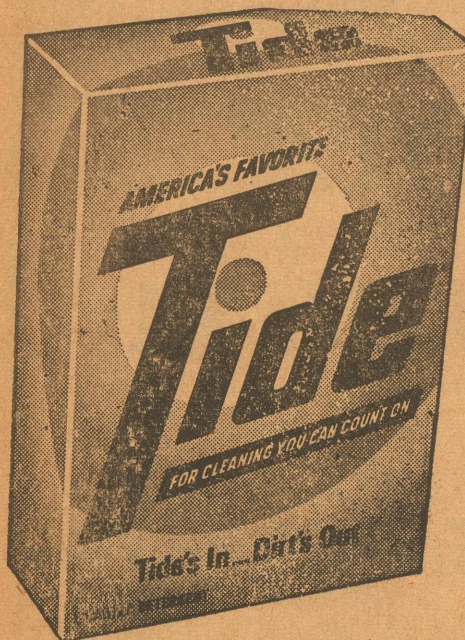
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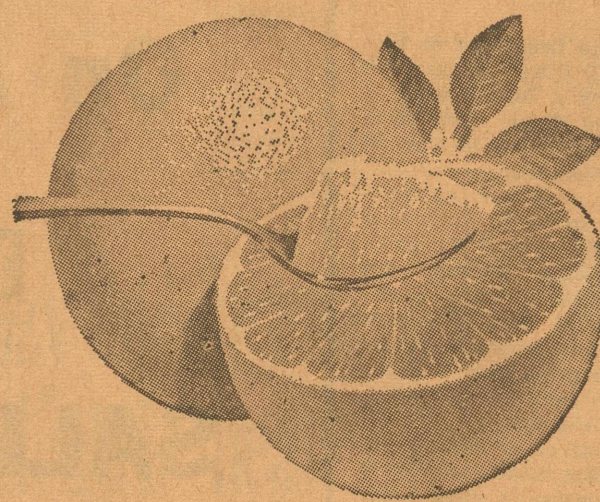
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