



**DECISIONS, DECISIONS** — Sabrina Jarrett, right, is getting a lot of advice from mother, Mrs. L.B. Jarrett, left and Shirley Trimble as she shopped for material to make school clothes this week. Sabrina and her mother

have been very busy sewing for beginning of school. The picture was taken in Mrs. Trimble's sewing shop here.

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## At Cattle Breeders Hall of Fame Ranchers Urged To Take Active Part In Politics

Ranchers and others connected with agriculture were urged to take a more active part in politics in the near future by house speaker Bill Clayton during the opening of the Cattle Breeders Hall of Fame Saturday.

About 300 persons gathered at the hall's museum to hear Clayton after a burst of rainfall interrupted the ceremonies begun outdoors.

"Rain's better than a speech anytime," laughed Clayton who is in the ranching business himself.

But more seriously, he told the group this hall of fame was "a tribute to those who devoted their time, lives and fortune to the cattle industry in Texas."

He told the crowd that agriculture is the basic heartbeat in America and that is time for farmers and ranchers in this country to begin to speak up and become more actively involved in the political arena. He said they need to show people unfamiliar with agriculture business what their problems are and that they are "not all rich."

"This gives you an opportunity to show what true Americans are," he said emphatically, adding "and this is the last opportunity to do this."

He reminded the group that in 1980, the state will be redistricted according to the new federal census. "The overwhelming majority of politicians will be in the big cities where they are not sympathetic to the rural people," he said.

"Get your neighbors to get involved with you and pass on to future generations a better Texas," he urged them. "Help us and we will help you."

Clayton's address met with loud applause from the large group which numbered close to 300.

His talk came after a ceremony where 45 men and women were inducted into the hall of fame. Each were instrumental in the development of the cattle industry. Six persons were honored with memorial and six persons received citations.

Those being inducted as active members were Wayne Stephens, of Eden, Vernon Holcomb of Klondike, Dewitt C. Ramp of Montgomery, Fayette Yates of Abilene, Marjorie Linn Holmes of Perryton, Noel S. Higgins of Texline, Robert Halbert of Sonora, Robert O. Andrews of Olney, Howard Fowler of Levelland, Humberto Garza of Hibronville and Marvin B. Edwards of Florence.

Others were Sutton P. Crofts of Cisco, L. Earl Breeding of Miami, J.M. Burkholder of Eernal, Lee B. Haynes of Petersburg, Foster Sims Price of Sterling City, Albert Henry Spreen of Ballinger, Bob Krueger of New Braunfels, Holvey Enoch of

Eldorado, Joe Brown of Fort Worth, E. E. Lokey of Lubbock and C. W. Adams of San Angelo.

Others were J. L. "Happy" Shahan of Bracketville, Bob Lokey of Lubbock, Gov. Dolph Briscoe of Uvalde, Bill Clayton of Springlake, Tom C. Massey of San Angelo, Jerry Lackey of San Angelo, Jack Williams of San Angelo, Danny Stewart of Sterling City, Leo A. Jasik of Pleasanton, Billie Yates of San Antonio, James H. Finley Jr. of Claude and F.W. "Fritz" Weber of Charlotte.

Also inducted were Irvin Brown of Hallettsville, Jodie G. Bender of Jefferson, J.W. Issacs of Alvin, Hebert Clubb of Hamshire, T.D. Williams of Jacksboro, Jess Stephens of Eden, William O. Poole of Alice, Seth S. Bryson, Jr. of Bertram, Geraldine Arledge of Robert Lee, Clayton Stribling of Llano and M.A. Rambo of Rosebud.

Memorials were presented in memory of C.H. Adams of San Angelo, William Leonard Foster of Sterling City, H.T. Boyd Jr., of Lubbock, Wadkie Fowler of Levelland, George Paul of Del Rio and B.H. O'Neal of San Angelo.

Citations were issued to six persons who have promoted the cattle industry, Travis Parker of Christoval, George Green of Miles, Floyd Butler of Eldorado, Stuart O'Neal of San Angelo, Ben O'Neal of San Angelo and James May of Miles.

Guests milled through the museum and viewed many antiques on loan to the hall of fame, in addition to a collection of western art by Christoval resident Jimmy Cox, Lorenzo and others.

In the future, the museum will be open to the public on weekdays.

All of the men and women inducted this year were Texans, but in years to come, there will be one man per breed of cattle per state inducted into the hall of fame. C.W. Adams, organizer of the hall of fame, published a book on the Texans inducted into the hall of fame Saturday and is planning a national book for inductees next year.

Adams also announced that an arena is being built on the hall of fame land. When the next group of persons are inducted into the hall, there will also be a hall of fame cattle sale, said Adams. The arena is scheduled for completion by the end of the year.

Representative Tom Massy was a guest speaker at the special event. Also present was Nelson Wolfe, candidate for representative of the 21st District.

## Fire School Scheduled

The Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department is sponsoring a training school supplied by the Texas Forest Service, beginning Sept. 12. Training sessions will be held each Tuesday for four weeks at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Building.

There will be four instructors from the forest service, one for each meeting.

According to Bill Radle, local fire marshal, the training sessions are for anyone interested in learning about firefighting and would be especially helpful to farmers and ranchers.

## School Bells Put End To School Vacation

After a long, hot and on the most part enjoyable summer, school will start here Sept. 5, with about 500 students registering.

School superintendent Guy Whitaker has released the names of the teachers who will be involved through the year with school activities.

In the elementary grades, principal will be Walter Wallis. Teachers will be Donna Mikeska, and Gloria Rodriguez, kindergarten; Myrta Rathbone and Jenella Crippin, first; Billie Jones and Nancy Doyle, second; Beth Whitaker and Joann Edmiston, third; Melissa O'Harrow and Becky Moore, fourth; Lexie Hodnett and Imogene Edmiston, fifth and Jo Callison and Julie Griffin, sixth.

Others in the elementary school will be Denise Smith, music; Shannon Harber, elementary girls physical education; Betty Robinson and Delia Herrera, plan A; Janet Curtis, Jill Preston and Debbie Williamson, Title I and Melonie Reynolds, special education.

Aides will be Mary Ruth Wallis, Ester Torres, Pat Pitts, Juanita Igo

and Torchie Curry.

High school principal is Clifford Curry. Teachers will be Su Scott, business and commercial; Fred Igo, vocational agriculture; Dana Ray Owens, homemaking; Maureen Hodges, junior and high school math; Randy Mitchel, girls athletics physical education, and high school English; Bobby Helmers, health, junior and high school English and girls athletics; Shirley Jackson, high school English, Spanish and art; Wayne McDonald, band.

Others are Larry Mitchel, social studies and high school athletics; Janice Routh, history, speech and English; Jeneva Leifester, librarian; Linda Ingle, civics, history and English; Pat Moore, English, math and journalism; Mike Williamson, athletic director, coach, physical education and social studies; Tim Terry, coach, biology, math, junior high science; Kenneth Thomas, coach and math; Winston Leifester, coach, reading, physical education and health; Robert Jay, math and science and Jimmy Marshall, coach and science.

Francis Edmiston is school nurse.

## Just Talking

By NELL EDMISTON

I guess most of you know by now that our most talented column writer, Jannette Wilkerson, has moved to Odessa and will not be writing her column for us any more. Needless to say, we will be missing her humor, insight and imagination on the front page of this newspaper.

But maybe it's a good thing, because when Jannette brought her column in, there was always a fight to see who was going to "edit" it — that is get to read it first. In fact, it got so bad for a while Jannette was afraid to bring it herself for fear of getting mobbed, so she would send her daughter Cody. Cody was smart enough to slip it under the door.

But one time, Jannette sent a copy of an article she had written years ago with Cody. The piece of paper was not seen on the floor and the next day, it was thrown in the trash. When the deadline came, there was not a "Something to Think About" column and the entire place went into a panic.

Thank goodness we finally reached Jannette by phone and she could tell us what to look for. The next week, she brought it in herself.

Jannette has a wonderful talent for making people laugh, not only from her column but in person as well. Even when everything is wrong, even when you're the bluest she can make you smile.

She has made the day for the staff here at the paper more than once, just by opening the door and yelling, "Look at all the slaves working themselves to death." But not only can she make people laugh, she can see inside them to see how they really feel and then put all the humor, warmth, togetherness and emotion into words. And that, friends, is talent.

Not that I think I can equal her as a column writer — I cannot and I know it. However, as editor of the paper, I see a lot of people and hear a lot of things that are not necessarily news stories, but are still interesting to the public. That is what I will be writing about in this column, in addition to some things that I am "just thinking about."

I only hope it will be half as interesting as Jannette's "Something to Think About."

## Hwy. 277 Due Repairs

Work on U.S. 277 in Runnels, Coke, Tom Green, Schleicher, and Sutton Counties will begin after the Labor Day weekend.

Prismo Universal Corp. of Parsippany, New York is the general contractor on the 121 mile project.

The work will consist of placing a yellow thermoplastic center line and white edge line and reflectorized pavement markers according to James R. Evans, District Maintenance Engineer for the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation in San Angelo.

The work crews will have a barricades, warning and directional signs that move as the work progresses along the highway.

The contractor is expected to complete the project in two to three weeks.

"When completed the new thermoplastic lines and reflective markers will make the roadway more visible and safer, especially at night," said Evans.

The public should watch for the men and equipment, slow down and drive with caution.

## Money Is Main Topic As Councilmen Meet

Money was the main topic during the Eldorado City council meeting Tuesday night, as aldermen discussed the 1978-79 budget. The budget was approved.

With Mayor Pat Ragsdale presiding, the council agreed to a five per cent pay raise for city employees, effective Sept. 1. In an effort to keep employees, the council agreed to give an employee longevity bonus. Under the plan, a bonus will be \$50 a year for each year of continuous service, paid in December. Employment must be continuous, without any breaks.

The council also voted to retain the one per cent sales tax on utilities. They also retained the tax rate, set at \$1.50 per \$100 valuation.

After a short discussion, the monthly trash fees were increased from \$3 to \$3.50 for residents and from \$3 to \$4 for businesses. Additional pickups for businesses will be 50 cents each. Reason for the increase is because the trash fund was in the red last year, and the council hired a new employee to help improve trash pickup.

During the meeting, the mayor encouraged the townspeople to meet with the council and voice their opinion to the council. Therefore, he said the city leaders would know what people want.

Present at the meeting were aldermen Jimmy Doyle, Billy McCraver, Ray Lewis Ballew, and Vida Mercer.

## Letters For AFS Will Be Mailed Soon

The newly formed American Field Service chapter here is beginning to receive donations to help pay transportation expenses for the foreign exchange student, Franck Boulmer of France, now residing here.

In a few days, Schleicher county citizens will be receiving letters from

members of the AFS asking them for donations to the chapter. The chapter needs \$975 to cover transportation, but members are hoping to raise over that amount so he would be able to take "a bit of Texas" back home with him.

Boulmer will be living with the Kenith Homer family here and attending high school here until school is out next spring.

The AFS began during World War I to drive ambulances and furnish medical and nursing help. They functioned the same during World War II. After the second war, they organized a student exchange program with the hope of promoting international understanding and lessening the chances of another world war.

The AFS program has sponsored over 90,000 foreign exchange students from 84 countries during the past years and receives no governmental assistance but is financed by donations.

An account for the AFS International fund has been established at the First National Bank and some businesses and individuals have already contributed. Contributors include the bank, Eldorado Jaycees, Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative, Mrs. Jack Wade, Donnie Danford, Louise Kuykendall, Damon Wagoner, Elton McGinnes and A.T. Turner.

## Electric Storm Dumps Shower

Schleicher County residents were rudely awakened Monday night by one of the largest electrical storms in the past few years.

After about an hour of constant lightning and loud thunder, the storm dropped from one and one-half to three inches of rain on the county. Electricity was cut off in some areas of the county, but were soon repaired. The next morning, several residents and businesses discovered that their phones were also out. However, they also were repaired quickly.

Some of the rainfall reported Monday night include: Bob Faught, 2.4; Peyton Cain, 2.3; Weatherly Kinser, 2.65; Milton Faught, 1.5 and H.A. Belk, 1.8.

The county was blessed with another shower Tuesday afternoon.

## Lions Club Sponsoring Telethon

The Eldorado Lions Club has volunteered to man a local phone center as part of the Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy telethon over the Labor Day weekend. Pledge center coordinator Bill Gentry announced the phone center will be at the fire station and will be open from 8 p.m. Sunday until 6 p.m. Monday.

The telethon will be aired locally over KTXS-TV cable channel 13. The numbers to be called locally will be aired on television. Persons wishing to contribute call these numbers at the phone center and a pledge form is filled out.

Those wishing to help man the phone center should call Gentry at 853-3085 or 853-2837.

"To our knowledge this is the first year we have manned a telephone pledge center in Eldorado, and we would like to make this first year a good one. For such a great cause, wouldn't it be great if Schleicher County could produce an over-all pledge that showed one dollar pledge for each and every person living within this county," said Gentry.

He said 83 per cent of the money collected during the telethon goes to program services this way: 44.1 per cent for research, 31.4 per cent for medical services, 2.7 per cent for

professional education and training and 4.8 per cent for public health education. The remaining 17 per cent is used for fund raising, management and general expenses.

## Eagles Looking Good After Scrimmage

The Eldorado Eagles are looking good, after their first scrimmage with Sterling City last week, even after a little bit of hard luck with their coach.

Head football coach and athletic director Mike Williamson is in San Antonio Community Hospital with a muscular ailment and will be there for an indefinite time.

In the meantime, assistant coach Jimmy Marshall has assumed his duties. Marshall said the Eagles "had a real good scrimmage" with Sterling City adding the defensive looked better than the offense.

The Eagles scored four times,

whereas their opponents scored only once. The Eagles had a total of 396 offensive yards, compared to 146 for Sterling City.

"We were real pleased with their effort, but the team needs to be more aggressive with the offense," Marshall said.

The team will be facing the Sonora Broncos in a scrimmage Friday night. Freshmen will play at 6 p.m., and the varsity will scrimmage at 7:30 p.m.

School superintendent Guy Whitaker said a substitute teacher would take Williamson's place in the classroom until his return.



**WHAT ELSE DO I NEED?** — Judy Pitts, left, seems to be in a bit of a quandry as what she needs for registration in high school last week. Meanwhile, Debbie Patton completes her forms. Registration was held last week, and school begins bright and early Tuesday morning.



# LOOK AT THE CLASSIFIED ADS

## Calendar Of Events

Thursday, Aug. 31 — Booster Club meeting, 7 p.m., Corral room of the Memorial Building.  
 Friday, Sept. 1 — Dove season opens.  
 Sunday, Sept. 3 — Sunday devotional at nursing home, 3:30 p.m.  
 Monday, Sept. 4 — Labor Day Holiday.  
 Tuesday, Sept. 5 — School starts, 8 a.m.; Volunteer Firemen, 8 p.m., firehall; City Council, 7:30 p.m., city hall.  
 Wednesday, Sept. 6 — Lions Club, noon, Memorial Building; Jayces, 8 p.m., Memorial Building.  
 Saturday, Sept. 9 — Country Western Jamboree, 8 p.m. Memorial Building.  
 Sunday, Sept. 10 — Sunday devotional at nursing home, 3:30 p.m.  
 Monday, Sept. 11 — Commissioners Court, 9 a.m., courthouse; Reading hour for children, 10:30 a.m., nursing home.  
 Tuesday, Sept. 12 — Fire fighting training session, 7:30 p.m., Memorial Building; School board, 7:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday, Sept. 13 — Lions Club, noon, Memorial Building; Bingo at Golf Club, 7:30 p.m.

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### Eldoradoans Earn Degrees

Four students from Eldorado were among 191 students to receive degrees during summer commencement at Angelo State University Friday evening. Featured speaker for the evening's program, which was held in the Physical Education Complex, was Alan W. Ostar, the executive director of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities. Graduating were Kenneth Lee Wilson, M.A.T.; Allen Jerrel Kuykendall, MED; Kenneth Charles Perers, B.S.; and Janice Rogers, B.S.

### Sonora Man Hurt In Wreck

James Glenn Meyers of Sonora was injured during a traffic mishap about 7:30 a.m. Tuesday on Highway 277 just north of Eldorado. Highway patrolman Dale Cavaness said Meyers was headed toward Eldorado when he must have hit a slick spot, causing the accident. Meyers was driving a pickup truck belonging to Halliburton. He was taken by the local ambulance service to Schleicher Medical Center and then transported to Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

### Mrs. Roy Jones Earns Degree

Mary Lyn Jones of Eldorado was among 200 graduates receiving degrees from Sul Ross State University at the close of the second summer session. Mrs. Jones received her MED degree in physical education. Degrees were conferred at the President's Reception for Summer Graduates Aug. 18. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene McCalla of Eldorado and is married to Roy Jones.

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Sliced Beets  
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**WEDNESDAY SEPT 6th**  
Spaghetti & meatsauce  
Whole kernel corn  
Sliced peaches  
Sugar cookies

**THURSDAY SEPT 7th**  
Fried chicken and gravy  
Creamed potatoes  
Buttered spinach  
Carrot, pineapple, raisin salad  
Apricot cobbler

**FRIDAY SEPT 8th**  
Barbecue beef-on-a-bun  
French fries  
Ranch style beans  
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Banana pudding

**BREAKFAST**  
**TUESDAY SEPT 5th**  
Banana  
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**WEDNESDAY SEPT 6th**  
Orange juice  
Hot biscuits and jelly  
Sausage

**THURSDAY SEPT 7th**  
Grape juice  
Buttered rice  
Toast

**FRIDAY SEPT 8th**  
Apricot halves  
Waffles and syrup

### Barber -Kelton Team Wins High

Sue Barber and Gary Kelton of San Angelo were first place winners in Duplicate Bridge Club play last week. Margaret Frost and Pete Finley were second, with Frankie Williams and Candy Richards coming in third. Fourth place winners were Helen Blakeway and Jack Bebe, and fifth place went to Bobby Sanders and Clay Porter.

A mistake was made in last week's Schleicher County Leader. The article should have stated that Pete Finley and Hollis McCormick tied with Elnora Love and Sarah Hall for third place. The Leader regrets the error.

The bridge club players donated \$20 to the American Cancer Society last week.

### Tennis Club Winners Named

Jim Grimsrud and Richard Preston were high men during the Tennis Club pay this week.

Frankie Hardy was high woman.

The club meets each Monday night.

### Weather Log

date	high	low
Aug. 21	94	65
Aug. 22	92	65
Aug. 23	94	63
Aug. 24	94	67
Aug. 25	94	67
Aug. 26	91	66
Aug. 27	90	65

A total of 1.42 inches of rain was recorded Aug. 26.

### Local Residents Win In Tourney

Five Eldoradoans placed in the Bob Milburn Memorial Tennis Tournament in San Angelo Aug. 20.

Selene Willoughby of Eldorado and her partner, Jonnie Barrows of San Angelo placed second in the womens regular doubles.

In the girls high school singles, Toni Fatheree of Eldorado defeated her school mate Lorrie Powell for first place. The duo teamed up in the girls high school doubles to defeat Mary Stell and Lisa Huling of San Angelo for first place.

Victoria Powell and her partner, Susan Templeton of San Angelo won second place in the girls junior high doubles, defeated by Gwen Landess and Takoma Jackson of San Angelo.

In the open mixed doubles, Larry Fatheree of Eldorado and his partner Carolyn McKee of Big Spring were defeated by Yvonne Berryhill and John Berryhill of Amarillo for first place.

### Mrs. Stanford Host 42 Club

Mrs. Truet Stanford was hostess for the 42 Club last week in her home. Three tables of players were present.

Present were Rose Brannon, Lillian Mikeska, Zelma Henderson, Annie Speck, Jake Spencer, Virginia Griffin, Margaret Grey, Viola Finnigan, Opal Parks, Etta Ruth Dannheim, Bessie Doyle and the hostess.

Officers for next year are Virginia Griffin, president and Bessie Doyle, secretary, treasurer and reporter.

### In Those Days

(Compiled From Eldorado Success Files)

**ONE YEAR AGO**  
Sept. 1, 1977 — This was the final separate Eldorado Success issue as it was merged with the Eldorado Express News.

Robert Pena completed an air conditioning and refrigeration mechanics course at Sweetwater.

Mrs. Hixie Potter died at age 96 in the local nursing home and was buried at Eden.

**FIVE YEARS AGO**  
Aug. 30, 1973 — Services were held in the Episcopal Church in Sonora for Mrs. Ala Marie Aldwell, who died at age 90.

School Supt. Guy Whitaker reported 575 students enrolled in the local schools.

Coach Mike Quimby's Eagle football teams were going to Ballinger for scrimmage games.

Funeral services were held in San Angelo for Mrs. R.T. Crain, 71. Her husband had operated a gin here.

**12 YEARS AGO**  
Sept. 1, 1966 — El Dorado Woolens acquired the former William Cameron building on South Main street and moved part of their equipment and operations to it.

Funeral services were held for F.E. "Bill" Edmiston, who died at age 66.

The Eagle football team had their final scrimmage set with Colorado City and were to host the Eden Bulldogs on Sept. 9th in the season's opening game.

Mrs. L.D. Ochsner resigned as school tax collector and was succeeded by Mrs. Jack Hext.

The Success had a straw vote ballot to test public opinion for and against the establishment of a new hospital here.

The San Angelo Standard-Times hiked their single issue price from 5c to 10c per copy.

Mrs. Carroll Ratiiff and Mrs. Bob Bland were hired to the school faculty.

Mrs. A.E. Kent was being honored on her 90th birthday.

**35 YEARS AGO**  
Sept. 3, 1943 — School Supt. C.A. Reynolds reported that G.B. Green of Eden was to be new high school principal here.

Funeral services were held for John Whitfield Langford, who died at the home of his sister, Mrs. W.E. Bruton.

Mrs. Luke Robinson called a meeting of Red Cross knitters on Sept. 4th at the Eldo Hotel.

Pvt. Ovid Wade, Jr., was stationed in South Africa.

Mrs. C.A. Russell visited here in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Amos Shiver and family.

A picnic supper on the C.N. Shaw ranch honored Pfc. Calvin Henderson who was home on furlough.

Delbert Edmiston was promoted to technical sergeant and was transferred from Caster, Wy., to Scott's Bluff, Neb.

### Sofge Brothers Earn Degrees Recently

Kenneth James "Jim" Sofge and his brother, Steven, have recently received bachelors degrees. Jim received his degree in business administration from the University of

Texas in July, and Steven received a bachelor of science degree in May from Texas Tech University. He will be associated with the teaching system at Odessa Junior College.

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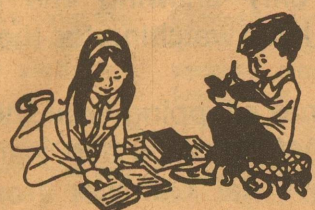


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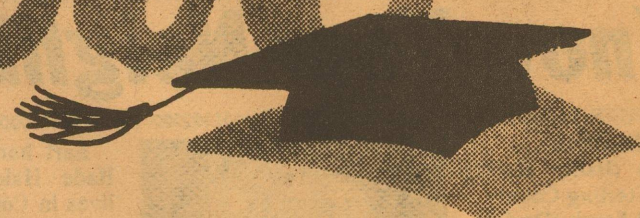
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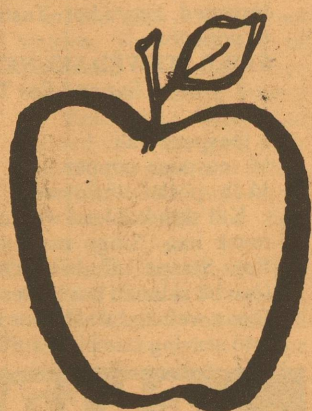
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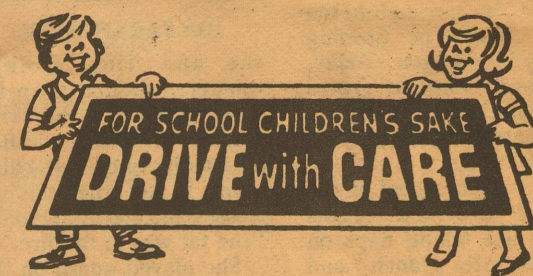
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# CHRISTOVAL ★ News and Views

## Know Your Neighbor

By SUNSHINE

Ida Sarah (Bade) Hale was born in Sterling County to Henry and Sarah (Davis) Bade.

Henry Bade had settled in Sterling County in 1890. In 1898, about the time Ida's parents were married, Henry bought a bookcase and desk unit in San Angelo. He carried it to the ranch home in Sterling county in a wagon. Today, this lovely antique graces the Hale living room and still contains some of Ida's father's things.

Ida started school at the age of five and recalls things like taking naps on pallets after lunch and carrying lunches in a lard bucket with a handle on it.

"We took fried chicken, homemade bread, or whatever else there was and a whole family of children carried their lunches in one bucket," Ida says. She added that she can't remember her family ever arguing over what was whose because she had three older brothers, one older sister and a sister five years younger than she was so they had a pretty full bucket.

When Ida was a junior in high school the school began giving more than one test in a school day, which was a terrible idea according to Ida and about ten other girls, so they played hooky.

Ida's mother had gone to San Angelo for the day so



IDA SARAH HALE

she and Tiny Phillips wandered around town for a while then went home scared. Mr. Helms called all the parents and clued them in on the skipped classes and according to Ida "the fat was in the fire."

She played guard on the basketball team and won a box of chocolate covered cherries for jumping 48 inches when she was in the seventh grade.

After graduating, Ida worked in the county clerks office in Sterling City for a year and then in a bank there before going to San Angelo to attend San Angelo Business College.

While on vacation one summer, Velma Barnes, Christovals telephone operator, introduced Ida to Lewis Hale.

After two years of courtship Ida and Lewis were married on June 2, 1928. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary this year.

They suffered the loss of two sons, one at birth and the other, Earl Bade, to polio at the age of 20.

Earl had one son, G.S. Bade Hale Millsap, who lives in Corpus Christi and frequently visits his grandparents.

For many years, Lewis owned and operated Hales Service Station (now Green's Gulf) where he provided many of the Christoval youths with jobs through the years.

Ida Bade was an Independent Insurance Agent for fifteen years. She says she tripled her business when she decided to wear purple altogether. Everyone identified her and her business with the color. She is known all over the state of Texas in the Federation of Women's Clubs as the "purple lady."

Her home is tastefully decorated in tones of "her color" and she admits to having many of her clothes made to stay within her chosen colors.

Ida is a charter member of the El Concho Study Club and her name is up for State Life Membership in the fall. She was also a charter member of the Christoval Cowbelles and was Past Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star, Christoval Chapter 761.

Ida and Lewis are active members of the First Baptist Church in Christoval.

When Lewis married Ida and brought her home to Christoval, we gained a lovely, civic-minded lady for our neighbor.



Mr. and Mrs. John Conrad Clark

## Clark, Profitt Exchange Wedding Vows Friday

Local couple, John Conrad Clark and Teresa Kay Profitt, were married Aug. 25 in San Angelo.

Teresa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Profitt of Knickerbocker. She is a 1978 graduate of Lohm High School and is presently employed by Golden Years Nursing Home.

John is the son of Lorraine Parker of Christoval and the late Robert Clark.

He is a 1978 graduate of Christoval High School and is presently employed by Tucker Drilling Co. He will be attending A.S.U. in the fall.

The couple are now living in Christoval at 2nd and Denny.

## Nursing Home News

The residents of the Golden Years Nursing Home enjoyed bingo Monday night.

Mrs. Swartz attended church at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Swartz attended church at the First Baptist Church in Christoval Sunday.

Attending church ser-

vices at the Methodist Church was Lois Stuart.

Activities Director, Ruth Ann Callihan, instructed the residents on butterfly craft last week.

Mr. Logan entered the hospital Saturday, however, he is expected to return home in a few days.

We have a new resident. He is Mr. Roy Levia of Del Rio.

## Recipe Corner

by Liz Clark

### TOASTED GRASSHOPPERS

1 gallon grasshoppers  
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Place grasshoppers in a mesh bag and dip in boiling water for about 1 minute, remove quickly and quickly dip in cold water. Drain thoroughly. Place in shallow pans and put in 300 degree oven until grasshoppers are thoroughly dry; stirring often. Then place in jars to keep. To serve, place in shallow pan, sprinkle with bacon fat and salt. Return to oven and serve lightly browned. Serve hot. Taste is similar to popcorn.

### FRIED STEWED SKUNK

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1 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1/4 lb. pork (salt) diced

Kill skunk, bleed well and remove musk bag. Singe over small camp fire. Scrape off dried charred hair (can be skinned but loses its flavor). Clean well and wash thoroughly. Cut into serving size pieces. Place in cold

water to cover and add 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tsp. vinegar and let boil 5 minutes.

Meanwhile, fry diced salt pork until slightly brown. Drain skunk meat and rinse with cold water, again cover with water, add pork and fat from pork, salt and pepper and let cook until has evaporated and meat is brown on both sides.

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# CHRISTOVAL ★ News & Views

## Short Notes

Steven Burress has returned home to Pensacola, Fla. He will be missed by all of us. He says he will return after the up-coming school year.

Ann (Lady Hummingbird) Rogers is back in her nest after a stay in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo. She is reported to be feeling fine.

The Mother's Club picnic was held in Christoval Park and they reported a record crowd.

The senior cake auction was a great success. This cake sale was the kick off for fund raising projects for the senior trip.

Todd Arthur's leg injury has improved, much to the relief of his Cougar teammates.

Don't forget the upcoming scrimmage this Friday. The Cougars scrimmage Trent at Blackwell.

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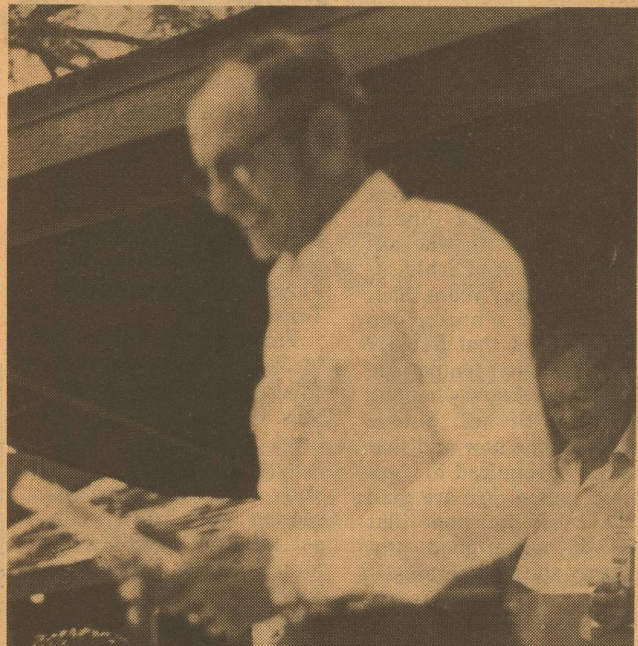
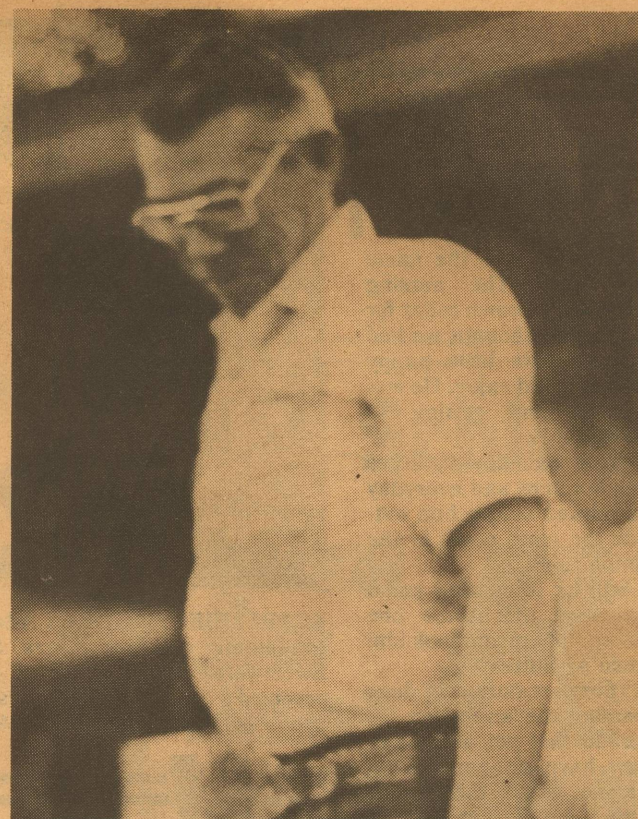
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## Just Jogging Along

By ED MEADOR

Those long hoped for rainy days have changed the appearance of things in the good country. The grass is turning green, and milo and cotton that showed no promise a few days ago is beginning to take on the semblance of a crop after all. It's a little late for some, but if frost holds off, who knows, Mother Nature might come on through and pay off after all.

We really don't appreciate the place in which we live as much as we should. Traveling through West Texas and parts of New Mexico last week gave a pretty good view of a lot of little towns such as ours. You couldn't help but notice how much nicer and cleaner our town is as compared to some of the ones along the way. Which isn't to say that we're that good. We have a long way to go. But we're a lot closer to being there than some of our comparable communities. A few

lots cleaned off, some junk cleared away from certain areas, and we could dress Eldorado up pretty good. A little civic pride can go a long way.

The doves got a break with the advent of this weeks rains. Open season on the feathered friends opens tomorrow, Friday. But with waterholes scattered all over the place, there won't be much too much concentration of the birds, and they may be a little hard to find. Then of course you have to be able to hit them... on the wing that is. There just isn't much sportsmanship in blasting away at the little fellows sitting on the ground.

Which is another way of saying that Fall is just around the corner, and hunting and football and school activities, along with cool, crisp days will be mighty welcome to a lot of folks. Hope you're ready to enjoy it all.

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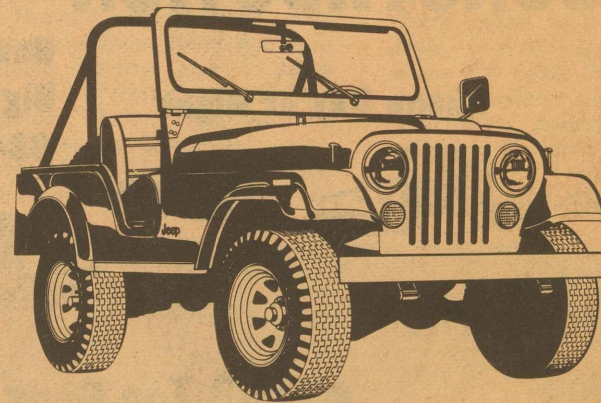
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# Nursing Home News

About a month or so ago a cute, pretty little black puppy appeared outside our dining room doors one day. All of us who love dogs, and especially puppies, enjoyed it so much. Mrs. Kroeger liked it too, and she asked the girls in the kitchen to save the scraps after meals were served and give it to the puppy. She thought the residents would enjoy having a puppy here all the time.

As time passed we be-

came more attached to him and he seemed happy here, and would lie in the shade for a nap and if the sunshine reached him he would get up and move into the shade again.

Ruthie went from room to room asking each resident to suggest a name for the puppy. It narrowed down, after a poll was taken to three names, "Chico", "Potlicker" and "Fred", then those three names were placed in a hat and Miss Kroeger drew one out, and

"Potlicker" was the name she drew. The nursing home got a brown collar for him, so we thought we had a really cute little puppy that we could enjoy. He was growing and getting so plump.

Well, one day Potlicker was not here and everyday we missed seeing him outside the glass doors in the dining room.

Still he is missing and I feel sure that some one picked him up and took him home with them.

There are dozens of dogs roaming the streets in Eldorado that act as though they have no home, that anyone could take home with them if they want a dog, instead of coming here and taking the little one that we were enjoying so very much.

We surely wish we could have him back here with us again.

We acquired a new resident last week. She is Mrs. Victor Kent, who has been a resident of Schleicher County many years. She, too, suffered a broken hip and I told her that I surely know how to sympathize with her as I know what she has ahead of her. She is walking some now and that is what is required to "get going" again. We are glad to have her and hope that she will make good progress as she recuperates.

We had a few visitors last week. Jack Wilkinson of Menard visited his mother Mable Wilkinson; Maxine Howton of San Angelo visited Fannie and Hattie Blaylock; Mrs. Cash Taylor of Sonora, visited Beulah Harris, Zeral Holland, Lester Garrett and others last week.

The West Side Church of Christ conducted the service here Sunday afternoon. A large number of the members from that church attended the service, so the dining room was almost full of visitors. That is the way I enjoy having it every Sunday.

Next Sunday the First Presbyterian Church will conduct the service here.

Bingo winners last Wednesday were: Urel Holland, 1; Beulah Harris, 1; Fannie Blaylock, 2; Elva Daniels, 1; Frank Reed, 1; Rafela Tambunga, 1; La-Vita Brooks, 1. Friday's winners were: Erna Rexroat, 1; Juanita Sanchez, 1; Urel Holland, 1; Elva Daniels, 1; Mabel Wilkinson, 2; Lester Garrett, 1; Beulah Harris, 1.

Home Economics teacher: "When the sauce begins to boil, put in a tablespoon of water."

Novice, who was not at home on the range: "Level or heaping?"

Reporters, LaVita Brooks Beulah Harris



SC PRESIDENT — Derrick Adams of Eldorado addresses the graduating class of Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater as president of the student council. Adams received a degree in electronics from TSTI Aug. 24. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams.

# Home Front News

Coach Mike Williamson will be in Community Hospital in San Antonio for an indefinite time for treatment for a muscular disorder. His address in Community Hospital, Medical Intensive Care, 8026 Floyd Curl, San Antonio, Texas, 78229.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams this past week were Mrs. Ruth Knott of Garden City, Kans., Mrs. Jeffie Adams of Haskell, Denise and Mandy Sorrells, Marion and Arron Gallagher, all of Dilly and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Adams of Sonora.

Dorothy Dacy and her children, Russ and Tina, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Dacy last week while her husband, Monroe Dacy was attending school in Sherman for the Western Company. Russ was honored on his tenth birthday with a party at the park.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crump of Abilene spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Teele. Also visiting in the Teele home recently were Mrs. Ronnie Stephens and children, Terri, Tami and Matt of Fort Worth. Mrs. Stephens received her masters degree Aug. 11 from Texas Christian University.

She will be an educational diagnostician in the Castleberry school system in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolfe and children Angie and Tony from Memphis, Ark. visited Mrs. Winnie Griffin and family last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Griffin, Ron, Todd and Shanie from Fort Stockton joined the group over the weekend for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. K.B. Hallmark, Jr. of Lampasas visited with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Porter over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lambert were in Temple last week where their daughter, Mrs. Jan Gower, underwent surgery at Scott and White Hospital. Lambert returned home Aug. 24 and Mrs. Lambert stayed in Temple. Mrs. Gower is doing well and is expected to go home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Sterling and Mr. and Mrs. E.C. "Pete" Peters were in Austin Saturday where they visited with Mrs. Raymond Hall, whose husband is a patient at Breckenridge

# Diabetes Group Slates Meeting

The Concho Valley Chapter of the American Diabetes Association will have their regular monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Texas Room of the First City National Bank of San Angelo. John L. Barnes, M.D. Ophthalmologist of San Angelo will be guest speaker. The public is invited.

The Diabetes Association will conduct a five-week program on the management of diabetes beginning Sept. 12. The course will be held in the Academic Building on Angelo State University campus from 7-9 p.m. each Tuesday through October 3 and an all day Seminar on Oct. 7. The Saturday morning meeting is planned for the general public with the afternoon geared to medical personnel.

Students will be divided into two separate groups for instruction adult-onset and juvenile-onset diabetes, which are classified by many physicians as two separate diseases.

For further information concerning the Diabetes Management programs contact your local hospital, or your local Diabetes Memorial chairman, Mrs. Francis Edmiston at 853-2479.

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