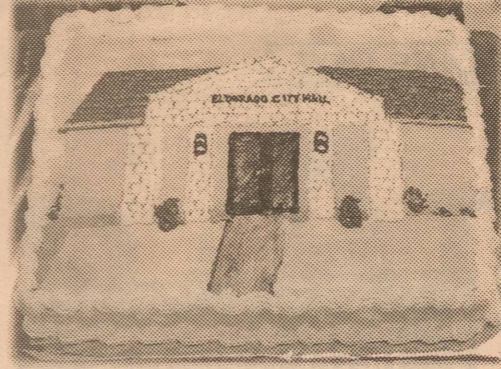
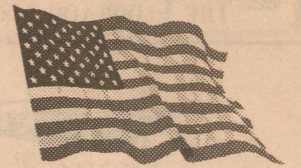




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## City Council considers school traffic problems

Traffic control on North West Street, the one-way street running between Eldorado Middle School and the school's two gyms, was main item of business Monday night for the Eldorado City Council SCISD Superintendent Mark Gesch was on hand for the meeting, as were Kara Garlitz, Middle School Principal and Bob Wanoreck, Elementary School Principal.

Council member Robert Bybee, who works as a trooper for the Texas DPS requested the discussion. Bybee explained that he had often witnessed people driving down the street the wrong direction and suggested that the traffic would flow better if the street was changed back to a two-way. Bybee said he was concerned about the congestion of traffic when people stop in the middle of the road to drop off or pick up their children.

Supt. Gesch said that he, too, was concerned about the situation, noting that he was surprised to see people parking in the middle of the street when dropping off or picking up their children.

Gesch stated that when he first came to Eldorado he was told the street was not a street at all, but a parking lot owned by the school.

Gesch disagreed, however, with changing the flow of traffic. He said that doing so would increase the danger to pedestrian school children since they would have to cross several lanes of traffic, flowing in two directions.

Mayor John Nikolauk explained that the street had been designated for two-way traffic for most of its existence. However, some ten or twelve years ago it was changed to a one-way at the request of school personnel, the Mayor added. He told Mr. Gesch that he shared his concerns for the children's safety.

At that point, Gesch suggested that the city consider abandoning the street so that the school could convert it into a parking lot. That idea didn't seem to draw much support from council members who a few years ago issued a certificate of obligation in order to raise \$350,000 in order to pay for paving the

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PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

**Keep it movin'** — Traffic seemed to flow a little better Tuesday, the day after city and school officials met to discuss traffic conditions on North West Street in front of Eldorado Middle School. DPS and County officers worked the area before and after school, preventing motorists from parking in the street while dropping off and/or picking up their children.

## FBC announces formation of bus wreck victim's fund

The First Baptist Church of Eldorado has established a Expense Fund for the victims and surviving family members of the tragic bus wreck that occurred on Oct. 13, 2003 in Tallulah, LA. Anyone wanting to help those families should mail or deliver contribu-

tions to First Baptist Church of Eldorado, Bus Accident Victim's Expense Fund, P.O. Box 458 or 109 W. Gillis Avenue, Eldorado, Texas.

It is very important that donors designate the purpose of your check and who the contribution should benefit. If

a designation is not made, the contribution will be divided evenly among the 15 passengers, either directly, or to surviving families.

For more information, you may contact the church office at 325/853-2662.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

**Double the odds** — Twin brothers Gary and Kary Gibson dropped their raffle tickets in the hopper Saturday in hopes of winning a prize during the raffle that followed the Eldorado Game Association's annual Game Dinner.

## Hunters load up on food and prizes at annual Game Dinner

Hungry hunters joined a throng of local residents last Saturday at the annual Game Dinner sponsored by the Eldorado Game Association. More than 1,000 pounds of barbecue brisket, 500 hundred pounds of sausage and 120 pounds of pinto beans were served to a crowd that EGA officials estimated in excess of 700 people. No one was disappointed, either. But as the mouth-watering meal, prepared by Steve Nelson and Felipe Pina, whetted appetites, the crowd moved under a giant blue and white tent, set up on the courthouse square especially for the occasion, in anticipation of dozens of guns and many, many other prizes being raffled away.

Serving as emcee for this year's event was Jim Runge.

There were at least 50 guns awarded, along with a number of special prizes, including a new "Raptor" utility vehicle, claimed by James Daniels of Eldorado, a "Potbelly" deer blind that went to Candi Richards of San Angelo.

The first gun was awarded to Howard (Pee Wee) McSlavghlin of Salado. Others claiming guns during the raffle were: Terry Patterson - Denton; Chris Kessler - Eldorado; Candize Ortiz - Ozona; Gale Bewley - Christoval; T.C. Hoffman - Bastrop; Nancy Doyle - Eldorado; Phil McCormick -

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## Elementary plans Veterans program next Thursday

The 14th Annual Veterans Program, staged each year by Mrs. Joella Parker and her Elementary music students, will be Thursday, November 13, 2003, at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium. The third and fourth grade will present "Promise of America" to honor Schleicher County Veterans. Everyone is invited to attend and honor our veterans.

## Three arrests made in bus theft

Sheriff David Doran confirmed Wednesday that two arrests have been made related to a theft from a bus owned by Crane ISD.

The arrests stemmed from an incident that occurred on Thursday, Sept. 23, 2003 at the EHS football field. According to investigators several items were taken from the bus while Crane's JV football team played in Eagle Stadium. A number of backpacks, "Walkman" type portable stereos, and several articles of clothing, were stolen from the bus. The incident was reported to the Sheriff's office

immediately following the game.

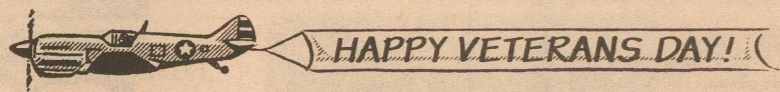
Marcelo Iglesias Romo, 17, and Ivan Garcia Iglesias, 18, both of Eldorado, were arrested last week in connection with the case. Romo was charged with burglary of a vehicle, possession of marijuana, and engaging in organized crime. He was later released on surety bonds totaling \$8,000. Igleseas was charged with theft and engaging in organized crime. He was later released surety bonds totaling \$7,000.

A juvenile from Eldorado was also arrested in connection with the case.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

**Twisted metal** — The driver of this 1988 Chrysler, Guillermo Balero Mata, 67, of Eldorado, was taken by EMS ambulance to Schleicher County Medical Center early Saturday morning, Nov. 1, 2003, after his car was struck at the intersection of U.S. 277 and U.S. 190, (Big Lake Hwy.) by a 2001 Dodge pickup truck driven by Hector Fuentes Ledezma, 64, of Rankin. Ledezma was cited by Deputy Kevin Herbert for Failure to Yield Right of Way at a Stop Sign.



**D.W. weighs in with "deep" thoughts**

While anthropologists struggle with the question of exactly when and where apes first stood erect and began to think like men, back porch philosophers such as my friend D.W. contemplate the deeper questions of life — questions like, "If man truly evolved from the apes, then why do we still have apes?"



**PHYDEAUX KNOWS**  
Why do they call it 'getting your dog fixed' if afterwards it doesn't work anymore?

**ANOTHER DOG QUESTION**  
Why does Goofy stand erect while Pluto remains on all fours? They're both dogs!

**CARTOONS AGAIN**  
If Wile E. Coyote has enough money for all those Acme products he buys, why doesn't he just go to a restaurant and buy dinner?

**LOVE - 30**  
If love is blind, how can we fall in love at first sight? Would it be on blind faith? Is that anything like blind luck? Fat Chance!

**TWINKLE TOES**  
What do you call male ballerinas? And, why would you want to?

**EGGSACTLY**  
Did you ever wonder who was the first person to watch a hen lay and egg and say to himself, "I'll bet that would be good to eat?"

**EGG HEAD**  
Speaking of eggs, where in the nursery rhyme does it say that Humpty Dumpty is an egg?

I know that only a philosopher of D.W.'s stature could appreciate the mental challenge posed by these questions. But, it was by not attempting to answer any of them that he demonstrated the true depth of his wisdom.

yourself in awe of D.W.'s superior intellect.

**STAIRS vs. STEPS**  
Why is it that steps are called stairs if they are on the inside of a structure and stairs are called steps when they are on the outside?

**UDDERLY RIDICULOUS**  
Who was the first person to look at a cow and say, "I think I'll squeeze these dangly things here and drink whatever comes out?"

**RIGHT ON THE BUTTON**  
We're pretty sure that Adam, who was the first man, had an Adam's Apple, but, did he have a Belly Button?

**CHANCES ARE**  
Why is it that "fat chance" and "slim chance" mean the same thing?

**BREAKFAST QUESTION**  
Why do toasters always have a setting that burns toast to a horrible crisp, which no decent human being would eat? Is there an inventor somewhere working on a food item that would taste good under such circumstances?

**Heritage tourism brings revenue to Texas**

AUSTIN — A tourist, the old saying goes, is a whole lot easier to pick than a bale of cotton.

The expression probably dates to the 1930s, when Texas first began to realize that visitors with money in their pockets were as beneficial to the economy as a good cotton crop, a robust cattle market and gushing oil wells.

These days tourism is a large enough industry to be categorized. One of those categories receiving growing attention is what the industry labels "heritage tourism." That, according to the Texas Historical Commission, is "travel directed toward experiencing an area's unique heritage and culture."

In other words, Texans make money when a family from Vermont decides to come to San Antonio to see the Alamo.

**State Capital Highlights**  
by Mike Cox

Texas is the nation's second-largest heritage tourism destination, with heritage travelers spending \$29 a head per day more than those traveling for other purposes. By 2005, national heritage tourism revenue is expected to reach \$200 billion. In addition to adding to the state's economic vitality, heritage tourism protects historic, cultural and natural resources; builds stronger communities; and helps Texans and others understand the state's unique history and traditions.

To learn what your community could do to increase tourism, contact THC at 512-463-6092 or go to the agency's Web site at [www.thc.state.tx.us](http://www.thc.state.tx.us).

**New state Republican chair...**

A change in leadership for the state's two mainstream political parties was completed late last week with the selection of Tina Benkiser as chairwoman of the state Republican Party.

A Houston lawyer, Benkiser succeeds Susan Weddington, who stepped down as head of the party-in-power to run a charitable foundation.

Like San Marcos attorney Charles Soechting, who became interim head of the state Democratic Party the week before, Benkiser will have to run for a full two-year term at the Texas Republican convention this June. Benkiser was elected by her party's state executive committee in a 36-27 vote over Gina Parker, an attorney from Waco. Parker has said she'll run against Benkiser again this summer.

This evaluation stems from the federal "No Child Left Behind" legislation, which will require 100 percent achievement by 2013-14.

a.m. Saturday for their lifetime achievements. For more information on the book festival, check the event's Web site at [www.texasbookfestival.org](http://www.texasbookfestival.org).

**Report cards...**

Last year, according to the Texas Education Agency, 77 percent of Texas' school districts (940) achieved what are known as Adequate Yearly Progress goals.

Eight percent of the districts (98) got an "F" in failing to reach goals. Another 15 percent of the districts (charter schools) were listed as separate campuses.

In campus accounting, 74 percent (5,709 campuses) made satisfactory progress while 26 percent (1,000) got "Needs Improvement."

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**Texas Book Festival...**

During the regular session this spring, followed by three called special sessions, Texas lawmakers certainly found plenty to disagree about in the Capitol. But starting Thursday, the big granite building at the head of Congress Avenue will be filled with people who agree on at least one thing: They believe books are important.

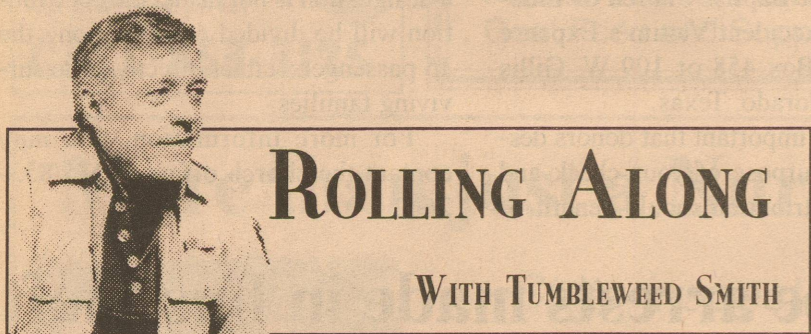
The eighth annual Texas Book Festival, started by Laura Bush when she and her husband George W. lived in the Governor's Mansion, will feature authors from across Texas and the nation.

Two writers with strong Texas roots, novelist Shelby Hearon and San Angelo western writer Elmer Kelton, will be honored at 9:45

**Speaking of schools...**

Looking for a career? According to the federal Bureau of Labor Statistics, Texas will need 82,000 new teachers by 2008. Those qualified to teach math will be in high demand.

Right now, incidentally, the average teacher salary in Texas is almost \$39,000.



**A Long Walk Home From Football Camp**

B. J. Chapman lives at Klondike, a small community near Commerce. His nickname is Knob.

"About sixty years ago when I was in high school we used to go to football camp," says Knob. "I was sixteen. I'd get up in the middle of the night with a pair of scissors and take a gap out of somebody's hair. My dad was a barber and I had a pair of his scissors in my suitcase, so I thought I'd use them. One night they put up a guard to see who was cutting their hair while they were asleep. They caught me and shaved my head and started calling me Bald Knob. Finally it just came down to Knob."

That football camp took place in 1941 when Knob played football for Sulphur Springs High School. "We went to Mineral Wells every year. They had an old Army Camp out there and we stayed in the barracks. They'd take the football team for about two weeks prior to the season and work out twice a day. Most schools did something like that."

One member of the team thought camp was too tough. "A boy named S. M. McDowell got all of it he wanted in the first day or two and he packed his suitcase one night and started home. The rest of us stayed the whole fourteen days at football camp, then got on a school bus to go back home. "About ten miles from Sulphur Springs, somewhere around

Brashear, we saw S. M. walking along side the highway lugging that suitcase. We picked him up and got him on that school bus. He had walked about a hundred miles in twelve days carrying that suitcase. The soles of his shoes were nearly gone."

Knob says S. M. came out for football that fall. "He was in better shape than any of us, after walking a hundred miles carrying a fifty pound suitcase."

Knob played football in junior college and after the season was over he and some friends were in a honky-tonk on the Oklahoma border. "The men's room was outside and next to it was a cage with a bobcat in it. Just before midnight a guy started taking bets, saying he could kiss that bobcat in the mouth."

Knob started betting on him, too. "I thought he could do it."

The event took place at midnight. "We all went outside and that guy got in the cage with that bobcat. All at once he grabbed that bobcat and kissed it right in the mouth. I saw him. When he got out of the cage, he didn't have any shirt on hardly, it was just in shreds. When they got him to the hospital in Hugo it took 200 stitches to sew him up. That cat hit him with all four feet and it was a bloody looking sight. But he did kiss it in the mouth. He won the bet. I've never heard of anybody else who wanted to do that."

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# OBITUARIES

## J.L. "Buck" Buchanan

ELDORADO — J.L. "Buck" Buchanan, 92, died Monday, Nov. 3, 2003, in a local nursing home. Service will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at Mertzon Highway Church of Christ with burial in Eldorado Cemetery. Arrangements are by Kerbow Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Dale Buchanan of Eldorado; daughters, Wanda McDermott of Eldorado and Judy Gayle Baker of Granite Shoals; brother, William Terrell Buchanan of Rankin; and sister, Virgie Mae Buchanan Davis of San Angelo.

## Charles Edward Simpson



Retired Air Force Lt. Col. Charles Edward Simpson, 81, of San Angelo, Texas, passed away early Thursday morning, Oct. 30, 2003, in Shannon Hospital. Interment services were held Monday, Nov. 3, in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens in San Angelo with military honors provided by Goodfellow Air Force Base, followed by a memorial service at First Christian Church with the Rev. Ben Herbert.

Charles was born on Dec. 13, 1921, to Edward Simpson and Clara Louise Senn Simpson in Rotan, Texas. He graduated from Ackerly High School in 1939. He attended San Angelo Junior College. He married Martha Jane Womack of San Angelo, Texas, on Feb. 16, 1945. He graduated from the University of Texas in 1947. Charles enlisted in the Army Air Corps in January 1942.

During World War II, he was a fighter pilot serving in North Africa, Sicily, Italy and the southern European theater of operations. He was awarded the silver star for valor in combat. He was discharged as a captain in December 1945 and returned to college to

complete his education.

In 1951, during the Korean conflict, he was recalled to active duty by the U.S. Air Force at Goodfellow Air Force Base. He remained in the Air Force for 28 1/2 years until he retired in 1970. He was a pilot in B-36 and B-52 bombers for the Strategic Air Command. Following his retirement from the Air Force, he was a licensed real estate agent and broker in California and a rancher with his wife in Schleicher County.

Charles made many friends during his military service. He served as the president to 1st Fighter Group Association and attended many military reunions with the 1st Fighter Group, 71st Fighter Squadron and the Altus Air Force Base bomber wing.

Charles was preceded in death by his parents, Edward and Louise Simpson; brother, Donald; and sister, Gwendolyn Johnston.

He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Martha Jane Simpson of San Angelo; his son, Thomas C. Simpson and wife, Cheryl, of Anchorage, Alaska; daughters, Nancy J. Sardon and husband, Rick, of Sacramento, Calif., and Susan A. Simpson-Kuzma and husband, Ben, of Tucson, Ariz.; four grandsons, Blaine C. Simpson and wife, LeAnne, of Austin; Anthony and Christopher Sardon of Sacramento, Calif., and Max A. Kuzma of Tucson, Ariz.; granddaughter, Sarah M. Simpson of Houston; and one great-granddaughter due next year to Blaine and LeAnne. He also is survived by his sister, Evelyn Wild and husband, Art, of Long Beach, Calif., along with numerous nephews and nieces.

## Helen Kirkpatrick

Helen Louise Powell Kirkpatrick was born Feb. 16, 1921, in Ozona. She was married to John Arthur Kirkpatrick on May 22, 1937, in Ballinger. They first ranched in Schleicher County and later moved to a ranch in Edwards County near Barksdale and then on to Water Valley in 1945. Later in life, she worked as a manager of the Tejas Motel in San Angelo and then at the MHMR facilities in Carlsbad. She returned to ranching after retiring from MHMR.

Helen loved the company of friends, family and neighbors. One of her most favorite gatherings was the big event of her 80th birthday. It was a wonderful occasion to her, as she celebrated her life with so many who she loved and those who loved her. Helen loved life and people! She was a passionate gardener who transformed her home into a beautiful oasis with flower, rose and vegetable gardens.

She was strong in her Christian faith. She inspired many with her gift of counsel and wisdom. Everyone who knew her felt blessed by her kindness and love. Many of her children's friends called her Mom, as she made them feel special and loved just like a mother would.

She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents and brother. Helen is survived by her children, Jack Kirkpatrick of Lubbock, Dr. Marillyn "Bitsy" Odum Ed.D. of Midland, Charles Kirkpatrick of Austin, Dan Kirkpatrick of Sarasota, Fla., and Nan Kirk-

patrick Montague of Austin; brother and sister, Sudy Bedford of Midland and Harry Wright of San Antonio; grandchildren, John Arthur Odum, Christopher Odum, Melody Kirkpatrick, Kirk Montague and Cade Kirkpatrick; sister and brothers-in-law, Hallie Black of Ozona, Elizabeth Wright of San Antonio and H.G. Bedford of Midland; and lifelong friend, Marillyn Treadway of Granite Shoals.

Johnson's Funeral Home of San Angelo, Texas, provided the services. Family visitation was held Friday, Oct. 31. Graveside services were held Saturday, Nov. 1, in Water Valley Cemetery with the Rev. Dan Dunavant officiating. A memorial service followed at Water Valley United Methodist Church.

The family requests that memorial donations be made to the following: Water Valley United Methodist Church, West Texas Boys Ranch, Leukemia Society and/or the American Heart Association.

## Scripture

**There will be tribulation and distress for every human being who does evil, the Jews first and also the Greek, but glory and honor and peace for every one who does good, the Jew first and also the Greek. For God shows no partiality.**  
Romans 2:9-11



Mr. and Mrs. Santiago Bara

## Martinez/Bara exchange vows

DeeAnna Martinez and Santiago Dominic Bara of San Angelo were married October 11, 2003 at Agape Assembly of God in Eldorado, Texas with Pastor Walt Griggs officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Martinez, Sr. of Eldorado. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Rambo of San Angelo.

Maid of honor was Kristy Adame of Eldorado. Bridesmaids were Veronica Martinez and Hannah Robledo of Eldorado, and Mary Adame of San Angelo. Flower girl was Tiffany Hoxsey from Snyder, Texas.

Best man was the groom's brother, Angel Bara of San Angelo. Groomsmen were Tony Martinez of Eldorado, Jason Escarzaga, and Israel Echevarria of San Angelo. Ring bearers were Tony Rey Martinez of Eldorado and Jonathan Rambo of San Angelo.

Ushers were Ramon Adame and Michael Adame of Eldorado. The bride graduated from Eldorado High School and attended ASU. She is employed by Myrtlewood Estates in San Angelo.

The groom graduated from San Angelo Central High School and is employed by Terrill Manufacturing in San Angelo.

The couple will make their home in San Angelo.



COURTESY PHOTO  
Pvt. Todd Overstreet

## Todd Overstreet completes Marine Corps basic training

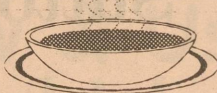
Pvt. Todd Overstreet recently graduated from Marine Recruit Depot on October 31, 2003 at San Diego, California.

Attending the graduation were his parents Donnie and Marian Overstreet along with his brother Lee Overstreet and his wife Amy of San Angelo.

Todd is an 2003 graduate of Eldorado High School.

After a brief visit with his family in Eldorado he will complete 27 days of intensive combat training at Camp Pendleton in California. After combat training Todd will be stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina where he will attend combat vehicle repair training school.

## Meals for Friends Menu



### Monday, November 10

Beef Stew, Sweet Peas, Crackers, Canned Peaches, Choc. Pudding, Milk

### Tuesday, November 11

Baked Ham, Glazed Carrots, Summer Squash, Wheat Rolls, Fresh Fruit Cup, Milk

### Wednesday, November 12

Meat Loaf w/Tomato Sauce, Mashed Potato, Corn, Wheat Rolls, Fruit Cocktail, Sugar Cookies, Milk

### Thursday, November 13

Chicken Fried Steak w/Cream Gravy, Mashed Potato, Mixed Vegetable, Dinner Roll, Fresh Fruit, Milk

### Friday, November 14

Fried Catfish, Corn Tomato Casserole, Seasoned Spinach, Dinner Roll, Fruited Gelatin, Milk

## Eldorado Forecast

Thu 11/6	Fri 11/7	Sat 11/8	Sun 11/9	Mon 11/10
75/55	62/49	57/43	60/49	70/52
A few showers early with ample sunshine later in the day. High around 75F.	Showers possible. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the upper 40s.	Few showers. Highs in the upper 50s and lows in the low 40s.	Few showers. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the upper 40s.	Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the low 50s.

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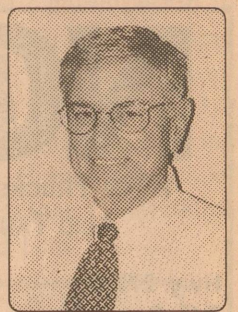
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## Wall rolls over Eagles on way to District title

by J.L. Mankin

The Eldorado Eagles took to the field last Friday in hopes of upsetting the Wall Hawks, the district 2-2A front-runner. But, as in weeks past, the Eagles offense sputtered in the first half, only to roar to life after the intermission. And, as in weeks past, the comeback attempt would prove to be too little, too late.

Part of the problem was the Eldorado's inability to find the endzone but most of the loss, or the win, as seen by Wall's fans, was attributable to the Hawk's high-powered offense.

The Hawks started the scoring with 6:09 remaining in the first quarter when Jason Haney went on a 20 yard scamper that ended in the end zone, giving Wall a lead it would never relinquish. The Eagles answered early in the 2nd period when quarterback Frank Edmiston connected with Terrell Boysaw on a 25 yard TD pass. Eldorado's kick failed, however, leaving the Hawks with a 1-point lead.

Wall wouldn't sit on the lead for long, as they added four more touchdowns before the half making the score 33-6 at the half.

The Hawks struck again early in the 3rd quarter. Eldorado answered with time winding down in the quarter when Frank Edmiston found Homer Hernandez on a 16 yard TD pass. Simon Duran added the PAT making the score 40-13 in favor of Wall.

But the Hawks offense wasn't through as Jake Halfmann broke loose through the middle and went untouched for a 70-yard TD run as time expired in the period. The extra point gave the Hawks a 47-13 lead.

Coach Gary Grubbs' Eagles weren't through, either, and they would pound out two more scores as Trey Chavez ran in from 1-yard out with 7:44 left to play and 8 yards out with 58 seconds left on the clock. Chavez pounded the ball up the middle and stretched to push ball over the goal line for the 2-point conversion after the last TD to make the finals score 47-28.

This Friday night the Eagles will travel to Ozona for the final game of the season. Coach Grubbs challenged his team to step up and make it a big game. "To my seniors, all I can say is just play hard and have the best game of your life," Grubbs stated.

"They will have a stout run game that we must shut down," Grubbs said of the Ozona Lions. "They have a great running back in Taylor and will be looking to use him as a weapon to secure their victory."

Look for the Eagles to line Trey Chavez up at running back again this week. That means another start at QB for Frank Edmiston.

The Eagles faithful are encouraged to make the trip to Ozona to support the team. Kick off is at 7:30 p.m. Remember to wear your green!

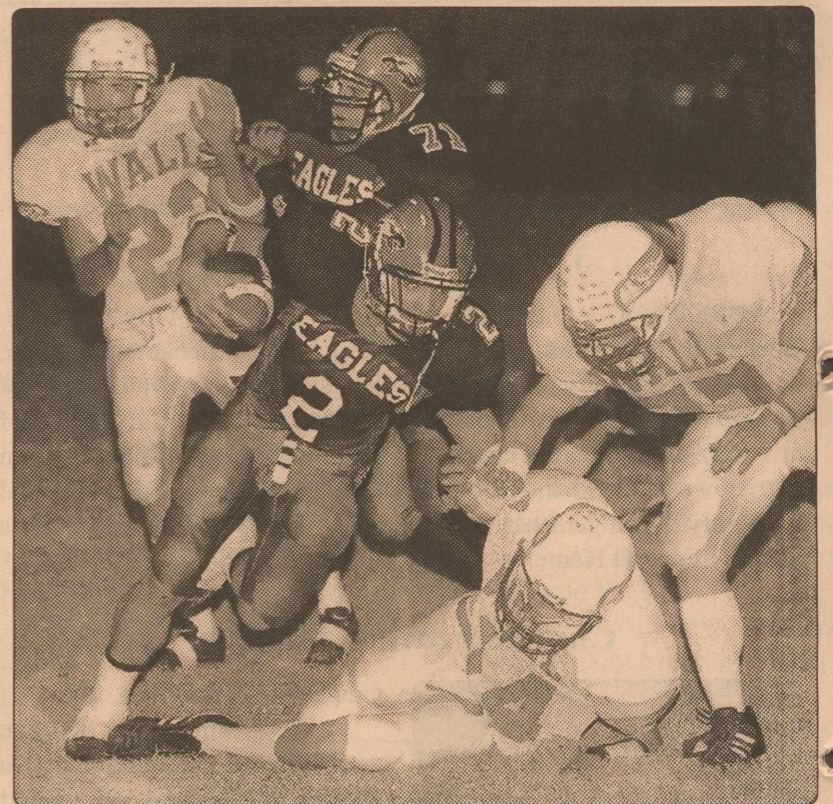


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**Lower a shoulder and deliver the blow** — Eagles running back Trey Chavez looked ahead for extra yardage even as Wall Hawk defenders converged to force him out of bounds Friday night. The Eagles managed 28 points against the district-leading Hawks, not enough, however, to overcome their 47 point onslaught in the first three quarters.

## 8th grade Eagles down Hawks

The Eldorado Eagles 8th Grade team won 10-6 against the Wall Hawks at Eagle Stadium Thursday evening.

Lewis Huichapa scored a 3 yard touchdown. Manny Gonzalez scored the 2 point conversion. Lilo Sanchez ran back the Hawks extra point for two more points.

Manny Gonzalez and Justin Garcia team up to make a big play

to end the game. Manny getting quarterback sack and caused a fumble and Justin recovered the ball.

Coach Richters stated "This win was a great team effort."

The offensive line played very well. Clayton Sauer, Gabriel Vasquez, Tyler Dombroski, Justin Garcia, Jordan Gesch, Jorge Chavez, Caleb Daniels and Steven Trevino.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN  
**Eagle on the loose** — Manny Gonzalez found running room against the Wall defense during 8th grade action here last Thursday. Eldorado's 8th grade defeated Wall 10-6.

## Eagles JV falls 34-15 to Wall

The Eldorado JV team traveled to Wall on Thursday where a big first half by the Hawks left Eagles with a 34 point deficit at the half. Eldorado regrouped in the 2nd half to score 15 points and the game would end 34-15.

Michael Ballew caught a 45 yard pass from Ryan Cathey. QB David Hernandez had a couple of big runs and completed a 20 yard pass to Luis Hernandez. Russell Cathey scored both TD's for the Eagles on runs of 35 and 5 yards.

He also ran in one 2 point conversion. Kicker Armando Guzman tagged on one extra point with Ryan Cathey holding and Caleb Nixon snapping.

The Eagles next game will be at 6:00 at Eldorado on Thursday night against the Ozona Lions. Joe Garcia is out with a broken finger, Josh Chavez is out with a severe ankle sprain, and Tony Garcia will not play for the 2nd week in a row due to a severe muscle strain.



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	Eagles	Hawks
First Downs	18	13
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Passing Yards	184	155
Comp-Alt-Int	20-41-3	6-10-0
Total yards	341	423
Fumbles-lost	2-1	3-1
Punts-avg.	4-39	4-34
Penalties-Yds	10-75	6-40

SCORE BY QUARTERS					
Eldorado	0	6	7	15	28
Wall	7	26	14	0	47

SCORING SUMMARY	
<b>First Quarter</b>	Wall - 6:09, Jaron Haney 20 run (Brian Rasberry kick)
<b>Second Quarter</b>	Eldorado - 11:06, Terrell Boysaw 25 reception from Frank Edmiston (kick failed) Wall - 9:46, Haney 50 run (kick failed) Wall - 7:43, Aaron Smith 1 run (pass failed) Wall - 2:54, Luke Cauley 79 reception from Rasberry (Bryce Leggett reception from Rasberry)
<b>Third Quarter</b>	Wall - 10:51, Cauley 21 reception from Rasberry (Rasberry kick) Eldorado - 1:29, Homer Hernandez 16 catch & run from Edmiston (Simon Duran kick)
<b>Fourth Quarter</b>	Wall - 0:00, Jake Halfmann 70 run (Rasberry kick) Eldorado - 7:44, Trey Chavez 1 run (Duran kick) Eldorado - 0:58, Chavez 8 run (Chavez run)

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Ryan Rathmann and Kayla Kohls

### Kohls/Rathmann to marry

Kayla Kohls and Ryan Rathmann, both of College Station, will be married Dec. 13, 2003, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Rockne, Texas.

Parents of the engaged couple are Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Kohls of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. James Rathmann of Rockne.

Kayla is a 2000 graduate of Eldorado High School. She received a bachelor's degree in agriculture development in 2003 from Texas A&M University and is pursuing her master's degree in Education from Texas A&M University. She

is employed by TAMU as a graduate teaching assistant in the Department of Agriculture Education.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Bastrop High School. He received an associate's degree in science from Connors State College in Warner, Okla., and a bachelor's degree in animal science in 2002 from Texas A&M University. He is working on a master's of science degree at Texas A&M University. He is employed by Texas A&M University as a graduate teaching assistant in the Department of Animal Science.

## Nov. 8th Clean Up Day slated at EOBOC Hysterical District

The Eldorado Olympic Bid Organizing Committee has set November 8, under the direction of Jim Runge, has the date for their fall clean up day at their showpiece facility in southern Eldorado. The Hysterical District has made dramatic strides in the past two years, slowly being transformed from an overgrown mesquite and prickly pear forest into a groomed, landscaped park with informational signs and other items of interest. Starting time will depend on the weather...if it expected to be warm that day, we will start at 9 a.m. If it is expected to be cool that day, we will begin at 1 p.m.

The district doubles as a Tagoo bird refuge and sanctuary, with two different sized nests being constructed to try to attract at least two different varieties of this rare specimen. Tourists and passers by can often be seen slowly circling the triangular tract, or even out with their cameras taking photos of the various display. Each month has brought additional signs and/or improvements to the popular attraction. Some of the signs announce upcoming events, while others are for entertainment purposes only.

This clean up day not only continues the ongoing grooming of the grounds, but will also serve as a recruiting tool for new EOBOC members. One does not need to be a card carrying member of the EOBOC to participate. And one needn't have any tools, but of workers have any of the following, they are certainly welcome. Items needed include rakes, lawn mowers, weed eaters, prickly pear

leaf snatchers or spears, chain saws, tree saws, clippers, grass seed, trashbags and any other item that will help improve the site. The primary purpose of this clean up day is to remove the final vestiges of the prickly pear remnants, but the whole plot will be spruced up. Also needed will be pickup to help transport the accumulated rubbish to the landfill.

After this clean up, small sections of the land will be available for adoption for continual upkeep by individuals, clubs, churches, businesses or other entities. The adopters will be assigned a designated area to maintain after the clean up, and a sign will be placed on site with their name. Two spots have already been adopted, but the park will be subdivided into as many areas as there are adopters. One adopter has already planted four pecan trees on his spot, and other trees are welcome. Also, the official plant of the EOBOC is the century plant, so they are certainly welcome. We figure it might take a century to nab the Olympics so the plant will become our symbol. About the only growth not welcome are mesquite trees and prickly pear.

For more information about helping with the cleaning, adopting a spot, joining the EOBOC, helping with other EOBOC events, or any other questions that might pop into your brain, contact Jim Runge at 853-2434. He'll have an answer for any question. It may not be correct answer or the answer you want to hear, but he will have an answer. Or e-mail him at eoboc@hotmail.com.



PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Mighty Eagle Band Loading Crew: (L-R) Chris Minor, Brittany Olivarez, Marcela Huerta, Mito Vallejo and Rolando Gonzalez. Not pictured Kaleb Murr and Lindsay Pridemore.

## Eagle Band finishes 10th at Regional marching contest

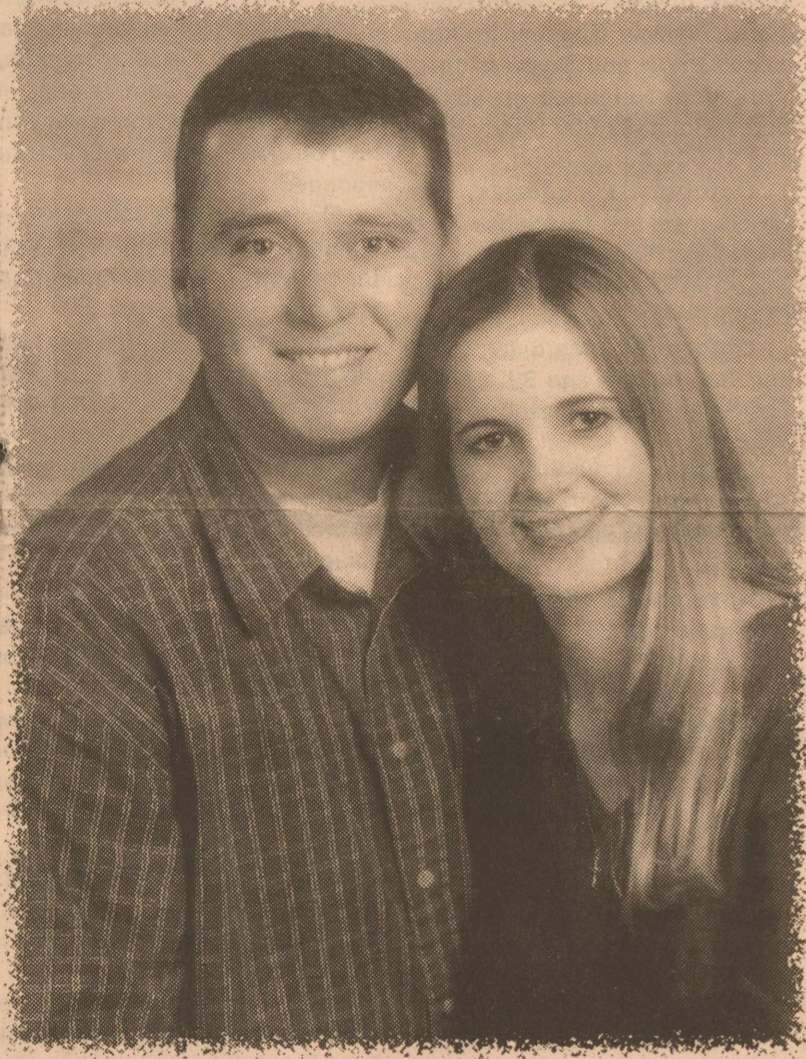
The Mighty Eagle Band advanced from district in Brady to Regional in Conference 2 A Division placing 10th in a field of 16 contestants in Waco on Saturday, October 25. Bands advancing to state were Lexington 1st, Reagan County 2nd and Kerens, 3rd place.

Fourth place went to Hamilton, 5th Somerville, 6th Clifton, 7th Wall, 8th Elkhart, 9th Mason, 10th Eldorado, 11th Leon, 12th Centerville, 13th Salado, 14th Maypearl, 15th Junction, and 16th Lago Vista.

Band Director Walter Reneau

reflected by stating "We had a good day, but not a great day, but I'm not at all disappointed, this gives us plenty to work for."

The state marching band contest was this Monday, November 3rd in the Alamo Dome in San Antonio. Argyle High School Band won the Championship in Conference 2 A Division. Cooper High School placed 2nd and Hemphill High School placed 3rd with Forsan High School taking 4th place and Crane High School placed 5th. Reagan County High School placed 10th.



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John William Chancellor and Laura Ann Rambo

### Rambo/Chancellor engagement

Laura Ann Rambo of Midland and John William Chancellor of Eldorado are planning to be married at 7 p.m., Jan. 17 at St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Midland.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis H. Rambo, Jr. of Midland. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry G. Connell of Midland and Darlene Holliman of Odessa and the late Dennis H. Rambo. She is

a graduate of Texas A&M University

The groom-elect also graduated from Texas A&M University. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chancellor of Eldorado. He is the grandson of Gale W. Pugh of Midland and the late Christine Pugh, and Margaret Chancellor of Odessa and the late J.L. Chancellor.

## Golf Play Day

by Su Scott

The Eldorado Golf Club held the monthly Play Day Sunday, November 2, 2003. There were 26 people playing in the Play Day.

The results were:  
1st Place - score- 56 Moises Hill, Don Richters, David Robledo, and Gordon Jones  
2nd Place - score - 58 Jon Cartwright, Bill Wells, Robert

Bybee, and Lyn Griffin  
3rd Place - score - 61 Barry Lane, Gordon Emmons, Albert Torres, Alvin Terry, and Roland Vasquez

The next Play Day will be Sunday, December 7th.  
Also, the Eldorado Golf Club will have a 3-Person Turkey Shoot on November 15th.

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**Snip, snip and it's open** — Current and former members of the Eldorado City Council in a ribbon cutting ceremony last Thursday during dedication ceremonies of the newly renovated Eldorado City Hall.

## Ribbon cutting held at City Hall

Current and former members of the Eldorado City Council gathered with guests and friends on Thursday evening, Oct. 30, 2003 to officially open the newly renovated City Hall.

Mayor John Nikolauk and former Mayor Bob Lester were joined by current council members Dora Bosmans, Toni Sudduth and Robert Bybee, as well as former council members John Callison, Jeri Whitten and Barbara Jackson in a ribbon cutting ceremony to officially open the building.

Prior to the ribbon cutting, David Griffin, a legislative aide to State Representative Harvey Hilderbran, read a proclamation from the legislator in honor of the occasion.

A reception followed the ribbon cutting with guests touring the facility.

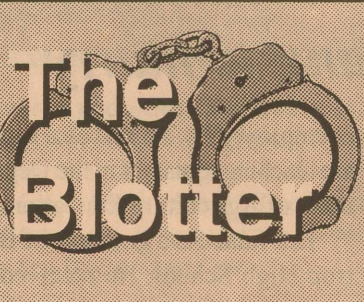
The expansion of City Hall represents the first major upgrade of the facility since it was built in 1960. At that time, W.L. Brown of San Angelo was hired to build the original structure for \$5,760. The city council awarded the bid on Sept. 20, 1960. That price did not include heating and air conditioning, however, and the City Council voted to add those items one month later.

The 2003 City Hall expansion cost \$117,987.05. Plans for the project were drawn up by architect Henry Schmidt of San Angelo. McCrea Construction was the general contractor.

The renovation project doubled the amount of space available in City Hall. The front of the building was reoriented and turned to face south, toward the Post Office and a parking lot was built for City Hall customers. A white Austin rock facade was installed, giving the building a distinct appearance. Inside, City Secretary Carolyn Mayo has a private office that

opens onto the Main business office. A Birch wood counter separates the lobby from the business office that makes up the main part of the new building. A kitchenette occupies the end opposite Ms. Mayo's office.

The old part of City Hall was converted, too. The old front office now serves as a council chambers, municipal court and an all-purpose meeting room. The old back room, city council's met for 43 years, now serves as an office for City Administrator Randy Mankin.



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

### ARRESTS

**October 29** • Romo, Marcelo Iglesias, male age 17, offense Burglary of Vehicle, Engaged in Organized Crime and Possession of Marijuana. Released on \$5,000 Surety Bond, \$2,000 Surety Bond and \$1,000 Surety Bond.

**October 31** • Iglesias, Ivan Garcia, male age 18, offense Theft, Engaging in Organized Crime. Released on \$5,000 Surety Bond and \$2,000 Surety Bond.

**October 31** • Marquez, Diana Escobar, female age 32, offense Theft of Service. Released on \$100 PR Bond.

**October 31** • Estep, Victoria Jean, female age 19, offense Theft by Check. Released on \$500 Surety Bond.

**November 3** • Guerrero, Joey Ray, male age 23, offense Public Intoxication. Released on citation.

### INCIDENTS

**October 29** • 8:26 p.m. Convenience store reported a gas drive off in the amount of \$22.68. Subject went back and paid amount.

**October 29** • 9:17 p.m. Complainant reported loud music on Hill Street. Officer responded.

**October 30** • 9:31 a.m. Hospital requested an ambulance for a ACLS transfer. EMS 1 responded.

• 6:28 p.m. Female complain-

ny Mayor Nikolauk thanked the former mayors and council members who served the city in the past. "Our work here is a continuation of your labors. This City Hall expansion was long overdue and we tried to build it in such a way as to conserve the taxpayers dollar, yet still provide an efficient and long-lasting facility."

"The citizens of Eldorado can be proud of this building," Nikolauk added. "And, best of all...it's paid for."

A day-long open house was held for the public prior to the dedication ceremony.

ant requested to speak with an officer. Officer responded.

• 7:47 p.m. Female complainant wanted to speak with an officer about a caller making threats. Officer responded.

• Subjects came into the Sheriff Office to file statements in regard to running over a dog on Dixie Dr.

**October 31** • 7:30 a.m. Complainant on Bluebonnet reported their vehicle broken into. Officer responded.

• 10:00 a.m. Complainant from San Angelo reported their daughter had been assaulted. Officer responded.

• 10:29 a.m. Complainant on Mulberry reported someone had dumped shingles on their property. Officer responded.

• 7:00 p.m. Complainant wanted an officer to meet them at convenience store. Officer responded.

• 11:20 p.m. Complainant on Murchison reported three kids running outside their home. Officer responded.

**November 1** • 3:44 p.m. Complainant on Fields requested assistance from a officer. Officer responded.

**November 2** • 9:40 p.m. Complainant on Highland reported kids running in the alley. Officer responded and was unable to locate.

• 2:19 a.m. Complainant on W. Gillis reported that someone had hit their car. Officer responded and issued a blue form.

• 6:06 p.m. Complainant on County Road 302 reported a suspicious man with a gun. Officer and game warden responded.

• 8:23 p.m. Complainant called 911 and needed an ambulance on Door Key Road outside of San Angelo. Dispatcher contacted Tom Green's Sheriff Office.

**November 3** • 4:30 a.m. Complainant reported that a man was sleeping outside of convenience store. Officer responded.

• 4:19 p.m. Complainant requested an ambulance for a basic transfer to San Angelo hospital. EMS 1 responded.

• 8:00 p.m. Complainant requested an ambulance for a basic transfer to a hospital in San Angelo for a 3 month old female on cardiac monitor. EMS 1 responded.

**November 4** • 12:46 p.m. Subject on Dixie requested a welfare check. Officer responded and found everything OK.

• 1:29 p.m. Complainant on Dixie Dr. reported someone had burglarized their son's home. Officer responded.

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**8th** Jonathan Gray, Russell Clark, Matt Brown, Kade Creek, Courtney Brown, Shane Criswell, Cindy Spinks, Angie Bownds, Elizabeth Griffin, Sam Henderson Jr.

**9th** Julia Martinez, Cody Arendt, Anita Jones, Sarah Clark, Jasen Escarcega, Gary Hanusch, Todd Schwartz, Jan Barton, Emma Torres, Jr. Gonzalez, Shelsea Rojas

**10th** Jose M. Fuentes, Courtney Whitten, Casey Lozano, Kerry Joy, Lee Roy Hanusch, Danny Pina, Tina Galiendo, Rose Hernandez, Katie wheiles, Martin Luther

**11th** Luke Wideman, Sergio Lee Arispe, Ashley Paulson, Daniel Mata, John Paul Fuentes, Francie Freeman, Sonny Dean, Stacy Jurecek, Delfina Dominguez, Kemper Aylor, Lindsey Edmiston  
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### NOVEMBER

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## New parent support group forming now

Parents of young children (0-3) are invited to attend an informational meeting November 6th at 6:30 p.m. in the Methodist Church Annex Building. We seek to form a support group where parents can help each other face the challenges of raising children. The venture is a cooperative effort by members of the Schleicher County Child Welfare Board, the First United Methodist Church of Eldorado, and other citizens of the community who realize that it is not always easy to live with and care for young children. The program is based on materials developed by the Methodist Healthcare Ministries in cooperation with the Texas Cooperative Extension and the A&M University System but leaves a lot of flexibility for participants to shape the meeting according to their needs. Free childcare and snacks will be provided.

If you suffer from parenting fatigue, are eager to learn or shape coping skills, or are just curious, come to the information meeting November 6th. you might even go home with a door prize. FMI contact Ilse Williams 853-2460, Connie Wells 853-3235, or Dora Arispe 853-3336.

## City council discusses traffic around school

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North West St., as well as and Fields St. that runs adjacent to the school. Currently the city is repaying the money with tax revenue. In fact, some 27 cents of the city's tax rate goes directly to repay the debt that won't be retired for another three years.

There was also a brief discussion of rerouting traffic around the Elementary School. Supt. Gersch advised that the school had received a grant with which to fund an off-street pick up and drop off zone. Mayor Nikolauk advised that the city is willing to work with the school on that project and to help any way it can to alleviate traffic problems on North West Street.

It was suggested that the city's new municipal court might be utilized. Traffic tickets written on city streets, other than state highways, may be referred to the court for prosecution. Robert Bybee stated that he could help keep the traffic moving and said he would enlist the help of the Sheriff's Dept.

(Editor's note: The following morning, Trooper Bybee and Sheriff's Dept. officers were working the school zone. By the time school turned out that afternoon, traffic appeared to be flowing smoothly.)

The meeting was the council's

regular monthly session, had been moved up a week due to the Veteran's Day holiday next week. Council members in attendance were Dora Bosmans, Toni Sudduth, Robert Bybee, Tommy Minor and Mayor John Nikolauk. Also present were City Administrator Randy Mankin, City Secretary Carolyn Mayo and Utility Supt. Floyd Fay.

Following the discussion of streets around the school, the council met with Peggy Williams who asked if the city still intends to install a sewage lift station in her neighborhood. She was advised that materials for the job were being procured and that work should begin soon.

Utility Supt. Floyd Fay then updated the council on work in the various departments he oversees. He explained that water valves installed to help isolate sections of town have not helped during recent breaks on the 8 inch water mains near the County Museum and behind the newspaper office. Fay explained that when the valves were closed, water continued to pour from the mains, indicating there are cross-connecting lines that are not on the city's maps.

Next, City Administrator Randy Mankin reported to the council that work at the city's wastewater treatment plant is complete and that the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality will be notified as soon as the city's engineer, Steve Dennis inspects and signs off on the work. Mankin went on to explain that new regulations from TCEQ will make it difficult, if not impossible, for the sewer plant to operate in compliance with state regulations, despite the recent improvements. Mankin then updated the group on progress the City of Menard has made in recent months with their sewer problems. He noted that Steve Dennis is also Menard's engineer and suggested that Dennis come to the council's December meeting in order to update them on the Menard project.

Mankin briefly discussed the

position of code enforcement officer and recommended pay raises for three employees, one who had recently earned two state certifications and two new employees who had completed their 90-day orientation period. Mankin also advised that Harris Napier, working with the Chamber of Commerce, will be repairing the Centennial Sidewalk along the first block of South Main Street. He noted that the city is assisting by supplying workman's compensation insurance for the workers, including volunteers and purchasing supplies. The Chamber will reimburse the city, Mankin said.

Next, as the council was reviewing the minutes of the previous meeting, as well as the city's monthly bills, Council Member Toni Sudduth questioned Mayor Nikolauk about three new tables used by the council for their meeting. The tables, built by Master's Cabinet Shop in San Angelo, came with a \$2,700 price tag. Ms. Sudduth asked the Mayor if he had approved the purchase and why the council had not voted on the matter.

Mayor Nikolauk replied that he had indeed authorized the purchase and said that the council had discussed the matter at several meetings. He said he thought he had been granted the authority to make the purchase, although no specific mention of it could be found in the council's minutes.

At that point, Ms. Sudduth noted that the council held a special meeting in order to approve the expenditure of a similar amount of money for the white Austin stone on the City Hall facade. She said that the same rule should have applied in regard to the tables.

At that point, Nikolauk offered to pay for the tables if the council felt he had exceeded his authority. He offer wasn't necessary. The council voted to pay for the tables, along with the rest of the monthly bills. Toni Sudduth cast the only dissenting vote. With no further business on the agenda, the meeting adjourned.

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**Monday, November 10**  
 NO School !!!!

**Tuesday, November 11**  
 Biscuits/Sausage, Orange Juice, Milk

**Wednesday, November 12**  
 Waffles/Syrup, Pineapple Tidbits, Orange Juice, Milk

**Thursday, November 13**  
 Cinnamon Rolls, Apple Juice, Milk

**Friday, November 14**  
 Buttered Rice, Toast, Orange Juice, Milk

**Cafeteria Line**  
**Monday, November 10**  
 NO School !!!!

**Tuesday, November 11**  
 Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Potato Chips, Peaches, Lime Jello/Topping

**Wednesday, November 12**  
 Turkey/Giblet Gravy, Dressing/Cranberry Sauce, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Sweet Potato Pie/Topping

**Thursday, November 13**  
 Cheese Pizza, French Fries, Tossed Salad, Mixed Fruit/Topping

**Friday, November 14**  
 Cheeseburger, French Fries, Lettuce/Tomato/Pickles, Apples

**Fast Food Line**  
**Monday, November 10**  
 No School !!!!

**Tuesday, November 11**  
 Burrito, French Fries, Pork-N-Beans, Choc. Pudding/Topping

**Wednesday, November 12**  
 Chef Salad/Ham & Cheese, Crackers, Pineapple Slices, Sweet Potato Pie

**Thursday, November 13**  
 Crispos, French Fries, Tossed Salad, Mixed Fruit/Topping

**Friday, November 14**  
 Cheeseburger, French Fries, Lettuce/Tomato/Pickles, Apples

## Game Dinner winners named,

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Eldorado; Wilbert Lehnert - San Angelo; Robert Bates - San Angelo; Isaac Hernandez - Dallas; Joey Jones - Eldorado; Duane Boy - Dallas; Wil Wood - San Angelo; Mike Doyle - San Angelo; Mike Pridmore - Eldorado; Jason Corbell - Eldorado; Mark Crocker; Jaymie O'Harrow - Eldorado; Edward Vajdak; Johnny Mayo - Eldorado; Richard Jones - Lamesa (2); and Ernest Perkins.

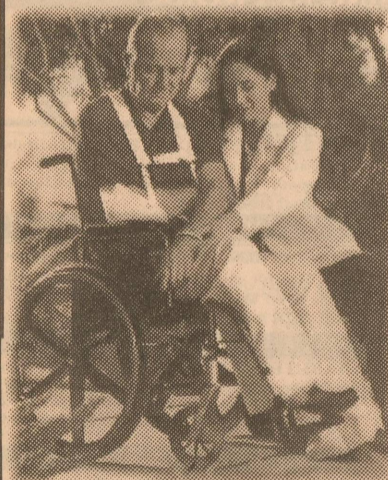
Also, Jim Arnold - San Angelo; Russell Smith - San Angelo; Clint White - Vernon; Ken Owen - Denton; Garry Adams - Burnet; Joe Tucker - Duncanville; J.B.

Hoffman - Bastrop; Loren Cantrell; Pat O'Grady - Amarillo; Kati Robbins; Kehl Robbins; Michael Sanchez - San Angelo; Bill Bray - San Antonio; Richie Rose - Pulaski, Tenn.; Coy Lechow - Liberty Hill; Brandon Dewbre - Burnet; Hunter Preston - Eldorado; Jerry Williams - Buda; Curtis Griffin - Eldorado (2)

Also, Dean Ferguson - Taylor; Rodney Bellett - Orange; Wayne Vajdak - Summerville; Harvard Schroeder - Houston; Bonnie Gosling - Van Vleck; Ruth Smith-Concas; Howard Mc Slavghlin - Salado; and T.J. Rodriguez - Eldorado.

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