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## PAGE ONE Headlines From Around The World

# Firefighters Respond To Blaze In Barrio

### Washington, D.C.

Deputy Treasury Secretary, Roger Altman faced a marathon ten hour grilling by Senators Tuesday as he appeared before the Senate Banking Committee's hearing into the Whitewater affair. Altman offered his apologies to the Senators for "inadvertently misleading" them in a previous hearing.

The controversy surrounding Altman centers on a February 24, 1994 hearing at which he told Senators that there had been only "one substantive contact" between the Resolution Trust Corporation (REC) and White House officials. Conflicting information has since been made public which details upward of 40 contacts between the REC and senior members of the Clinton administration. New York City

The United Nations Security Council voted 12-0 Sunday to authorize the use of force in Haiti. The U.N. vote clears the last hurdle the Clinton administration had set for itself before becoming involved militarily in the Caribbean island nation.

Diplomats, hoping to ratchet up the pressure on the military regime controlling Haiti were openly predicting that a U.S. led invasion was imminent. Mean-



Pictured Above, Eldorado Volunteer Firefighters move in on a fire that consumed an abandoned building last week at the corner of Colorado and Del Rio Streets.

### SWTEC Annual Meeting & Barbecue

The Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative has scheduled it's event. annual business meeting and barbecue for Tuesday, August 9th at 7:00 p.m. on the lawn of the Schleicher County Courthouse. Jim Martin, manager of the Coop, reports that the meeting will begin with the serving of barbecue and continue with a drawing for door-prizes. A brief business Eldorado. Sheriff Report

meeting will conclude the annual

The Co-op was chartered in 1941 to provide the people of southwest Texas with electric power. Since that time, SWTEC has grown considerably. Today, the Co-op serves 8000+ meters and services over 4800 miles of line. Employees of the Co-op number 36 with 24 of those in

## Abandoned Grocery Store Destroyed

of Colorado and Del Rio Streets was reported to the 911 operator at the Schleicher County Sheriff's Sheriff's Deputy, George Arispe Department, Wednesday Evening, July 27th. Units of the Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department were store operated by Sylvester dispatched.

Arriving on the scene, firefighters found one building completely involved. A second structure caught fire moments after the first units arrived. Fire Chief Jerry Jones reported at the

A structure fire on the corner scene that the buildings were vacant and had been for quite some time. Schleicher County reported that one of the buildings had years ago housed a grocery Vasquez. The second building was reported to be a storage building. Both buildings were a total loss.

> Berta Nicholson, who lives next door to the blaze, arrived to find the firefighters spraying her

house down. "The wind was blowing the flames toward my house. They saved my home." said Nicholson. "I want to say thank you to the firemen for coming as quickly as they did. I want to thank them all from the bottom of my heart."

Although commenting that the fire was of a suspicious nature, authorities at the scene offered no assessment of the cause of the fire and no estimate as to the dollar amount of damage was available.

### **Overstreet Opens New Law Offices**

Local Attorney, Marian Bland Overstreet has opened her new Law Offices at 103 Southwest Main Street in Eldorado. The building housed several businesses through the years and maintains its historic outward appearance but, has been completely refurbished on the inside.

Marian is a native Eldoradoan. She graduated from Eldorado High School in 1972 and attended Angelo State University and The University of Texas Permian Basin before earning her law degree from Baylor Law School Marian was licensed by the Supreme Court of Texas to practice law in 1991. She is also licensed to practice in the Northern U.S. District Court of Texas. Marian and her husband, Donnie, moved home to Eldorado in 1991 where they now live and raise their family. Their oldest son, David, 20 lives at home and attends Howard County Junior College in San Angelo. Kati, 16 and Lee 15 are students at Eldorado High School while Todd, age 9 attends Eldorado



while, deposed Haitian President, Jean Bertrand Aristide was calling for the junta to leave Port-Au-Prince immediately or, "Be thrown out by the Americans."

Washington D.C.

Mickey Kantor, U.S. Trade Representative, announced Sunday that the Clinton administration had given the Japanese government a 60 day notice to ease U.S. companies access to the Japanese telecommunications and medical markets. According to Kantor, the administration will impose higher tariff's on certain Japanese imports if an "equitable arrangement" cannot be worked out. Goma, Zaire

Over 250,000 Rwandan refugees continue to pack refugee camps in Zaire despite attempts by United Nations officials to get them to return home. Relief supplies trickle through the lone airport in the region with death from starvation, cholera and dysentery reported to be widespread.

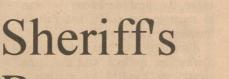
American troops began arriving in Rwanda this week to assist in returning the refugees to their villages. One U.N. aid worker said it was imperative that the refugees go home. "They must return and plant their crops before the season passes." she said "They can only starve here."

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Schleicher County Sheriff, Richard Harris monthly summary July noted a total of 160 complaints. A breakdown of that total is as follows: 3 larceny thefts with 2 of those being solved; 4 burglaries with 2 being solved; 1 assault, solved; 35 disturbances, all solved; 4 vehicle accidents; 7 reports of loose livestock, 12 complaints of suspicious persons;

18 motorists assisted; 10 reports

The Centennial Walk Commitreference on the Main Street used on the granite pavers.



of criminal mischief; and 53 other complaints.

During the month of July, 10 males and 1 females were arrested; there were 8 city fires and 9 county fires handled by Sheriff's Department 911 dispatchers; 19 civil processes were served; and 2 out of county warrants were served

Sheriff Harris noted that \$8650.00 was received for housing out-of-county inmates.

Also, the committee is seeking

parents and grandparents to place

children's names on the pavers.

Don't disappoint these little ones

who will look for their names to

be represented. This is a unique

opportunity for early birthday or

Christmas gifts.

Centennial Walk Committee Seeks More Names

submitted by Jackie Napier

tee is seeking names of businesses, organizations and ranches to be used on pavers for historical Sidewalk. Brands may also be

Pictured above, Marian Bland Overstreet, Attorney at Law in her new office at 103 S.W. Main Street. Marian recently rennovated the interior of the building. She invites everyone to stop by and say "hello"

Elementary School. Donnie is employed with Foxworth-Galbraith

Since returning to Eldorado, Marian has been active in the Way-Off-Broadway Players, the Eldorado Lions Club, the Chamber of Commerce and First United Methodist Church. She says she enjoys being back in

Eldorado, "Where I know most people by name and where we can raise our children in the safe environment of a small and friendly town."

Marian and her secretary, Angela Sanchez invite everyone to stop by for a visit and see their new offices.

### Schleicher County Days Fast Approaching

submitted by Sherry Lux

Plans are shaping up for the Schleicher County Days celebration. Currently more than 30 booths have been reserved. The Eldorado High School class of '84 is having it's 10 year reunion and the Rodeo with Lester Meier Rodeo Company always offers two nights of excitement.

The Schleicher County Rodeo Association has a superb concession stand planned. Through community service work the arena has a new paint job and is waiting to show off.

Saturday, August 13th, booths can set up at 7:00 a.m. Everyone should meet at the Memorial Building for assignment of booth spaces. The parade will begin at 9:00 a.m., after which, the fun Schleicher County" contest. and games begin.

There are five Rodeo Queen contestants this year. Amy Clark, Jennifer Lively, Shay Blackwell, Rose Marie Torres and Kati Overstreet will be presented at

the Friday night performance. The Sweetheart will be crowned that evening. The next morning, the Sweetheart will be in the parade, driven by Bill Dakan, The Sweetheart and Duchesses will host the "Little Mr. and Miss

Saturday, after the parade, games will begin at 10:00 a.m. on the Courthouse lawn. So, come sign up early. Contact Sherry Lux or Patsy Kellogg for booth spaces or more information.

**Immunization** Clinic Monday, August 8th **Community Resource Center** 

School Registration Middle School – August 11th Elementary – August 8th – 11th High School - August 11th

**SWETC Barbecue** Tuesday, Aug. 9th 7:00 p.m. **Courthouse lawn** 

### **Editor's Page**



to provide health insurance for your family all those years until it became necessary for you to use it. I am also happy that you received the care of a competent physician that you think you chose. Maybe you did not get a referral but went directly to Dr. Reid, but you did not choose him he chose you and he chose you because you had insurance. I am sure that Dr. Reid and other medical professionals have done work for which they were not paid. Many people who practice the professions do "pro-bono" work. Now all of those things are facts but it is your opinion that we have the finest medical services delivery system in the World. There may be many people who feel otherwise.

Ask yourself if you could afford the medical insurance you provide if you were being paid minimum wage limited to forty hours a week. What perce of your disposable income would go to providing private medical insurance for your family if you worked for a company that did not have a group plan? Your right we should get our facts straight but we also must differentiate between fact and opinion. Is is fact that many wage earners do not have and cannot afford medical insurance. It is opinion that the Texas State Managed care plan is a "fiasco"

Randy, I am glad that you were able business so today they argue that universal health coverage will ruin health coverage. It simply is not true.

> It appears to me that the defenders of the free market approach to health coverage are the doctors, the insurance companies and those who can already afford private health insurance.

You may brand me a liberal if that is what you call a person who feel the poor. feeble, poor elderly and the underpaid should be able to obtain adequate health care. When the only health care I care about is my own and my families then I do not care.

The socialist systems in eastern Europe did not fail because of universal medical coverage just as total health care has not felled the democracies of Canada, Sweden or Norway. Now those are facts. The free market clearly has its place in determining the kind of car or type of clothes each of us needs but it should not determine whether we go naked. When your son needed medical care you expended every effort to get the best you could get and that is as it should be. The problem is there are people who, if their child had such a fracture, would not get any care or the very minimal care and their child might limp the rest of his or her life. I plead guilty to the liberality that no child should have to limp because his parents are poor and cannot afford insurance. Debate is fine and so is argument but minimum health care for everyone in the richest nation in the world aught not to be beyond our reach. 

Gordon Bankston

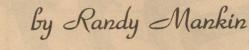
Over The Back Fence

How two seemingly intelligent people can look at the same facts and arrive at entirely opposite conclusions is a mystery we'll probably never solve. Those who expect Tom Giovannitti or I to ever persuade the other to change his views is going to have to wait a very long time. Tom is as committed to his beliefs as I am to mine. Maybe it goes back to our upbringing, maybe even farther back than that.

I think the basic difference in our positions is rooted in how we view government and what government's role in our lives should be. Tom sees problems and looks to government to solve them. I see problems and view government as the cause of most of them. When Tom sees a person who has less material wealth than another, he looks to the government as an agent to rectify the imbalance. I, on the other hand, see government as a thief which strips wealth away from everyone.

Now I'm not proposing that we abolish government. It has it's function. But, in my opinion that function should be narrowly defined and closely monitored by an informed and educated electorate. And, to make monitoring that government easier, as much government as possible should be as near to the citizen as possible. The more local a governing body, the more responsive it is to the needs of it's people, the more responsible it is with the resources it is given and the easier it is for the people to influence. That distant legislators tend to forget who they were elected to represent is not even arguable. It happened in ancient Greece. It happened in ancient Rome. It's happening in Washington and Austin right now.

Today, when all levels of government are taken into account, including federal, state, county, city, school district, water district, hospital district, etc., more people in this nation work for a government than work outside government. If that didn't quite sink in, I'll say it again. More people work for government in this country now than work outside government. The Federal government is this country's single largest employer. And, any government that is large enough to care for all our needs, is large



enough to take everything we have.

We all know that government doesn't create wealth. It doesn't produce a crop or mine any ore. It doesn't manufacture a product. So, what does it do? It taxes, to raise money, to fund studies, to propose more taxes, to raise more money, to fund more studies, ... well, you get the idea.

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Many of us in this county have served on various local governing bodies. It has been one of my great frustrations to serve on the city council. Not a frustration to deal with our people or our local problems, that after all, is what we're elected to do. The frustration comes from the fact that we're saddled with one State or Federal mandate after another that make no sense and cost us a tremendous amount of money. The problems facing us on a daily basis just to keep the landfill open boggle the mind. Not to mention the sewer plant. And, the river that one enlightened bureaucrat in Austin decided flowed through our fair city. But then, that's another column.

No, Tom and I will never agree on some things. President Clinton's health care reform is one of them. Tom looks at the President's initiative and sees a solution. I look at it and see more red tape, fewer doctors; and a medical system that looks a lot like our V.A. hospitals. We know how efficient they are. Right?

Tom mentions the much ballyhooed Canadian health care system. Trouble is, American hospitals in our northern states are packed with Canadian's who have grown tired of waiting for even simple medical procedures. Just ask our hospital administrator, Jim Blum, he's from Rochester, Minnesota. And, I can't remember anyone ever mentioning a flood of U.S. patients going to Canada for treatment.

I've been told I'm too narrow minded. (That's probably the only part of me that anyone will ever call narrow.) Maybe they're right. But, the way I see it, the federal government should defend our shores, deliver our mail and stay the heck out of our lives. And, it should do a better job delivering our mail. Let's master that little trick before we tackle brain surgery



The fact that Stiles is chairman of the Calendars Committee and a member of the Legislative Budget Board and the Legislative Criminal Justice Board drew criticism from government watchdog groups, which called for a change in the law that would prevent legislators from being involved in state projects over a Houston furniture business owner which they have legislative influence. House Speaker Pete Laney, D-

Hale Center, in 1993 appointed Stiles chairman of the Calendars Committee — the body through which all bills must pass before state budget will be his focus. they go to the house floor for a vote.

Bullock received a \$100,000 campaign contribution from Daniel Robinowitz of Dallas, who owns an interest in casinos in New Orleans and Colorado. It also was reported that Bullock received \$60,000 from James "Mattress Mac" McIngvale, who has said he would like to build a gambling establishment in Texas.

Bullock said casino gambling legislation would be an "extrancous matter" in the 1995 Legislature, adding that the education code and

A ruling is pending from Attorney General Dan Morales on whether the legalization of gambling casinos should be done by the Legislature or by constitutional

Earlier, newspapers reported that and loans in Texas could make home equity loans, though the Texas Constitution prohibits them. The state then appealed the appellate court's decision to the U.S. Supreme Court, which has not decided whether to hear the case.

Meanwhile, if the House and Senate approve the bill after a vote expected by mid-August, the court ruling would become moot.

**Sessions Pulls Stinky Stunt** Republican congressional candidate Pete Sessions last week pulled a trailer load of horse manure on his campaign stops to dramatize his 🛋 stand on the health-care issue.

"I know what's in this horse

There is nothing in the Clinton health plan that will keep those wealthy enough from buying more insurance for better coverage. Just as the conservatives argued that Social Security would ruin

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AUSTIN - Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock last week made known his desire to clear up in the 1995 Legislature the hazy provision in the Texas Constitution forbidding legislators from having indirect

interest in state business. "A number of senators have said it ought to be clarified, and I agree. I don't see any problem in defining 'indirect.' " Bullock said.

Attention to the issue erupted after an Austin American-Statesman story revealed that a concrete company headed by state Rep. Mark Stiles, D-Beaumont, is a subcontractor on state prison construction projects.

His involvement in prison construction is legal, Stiles claimed, citing a 1987 attorney general's memo saying that legislator's companies may be subcontractors on state projects without violating the Texas Constitution.

"As members of a part-time Legislature, we are challenged to make the best decisions we can to separate our public and private amendment. business," Laney said.

According to the American-Statesman, Bullock said the issue should be handled by passing a constitution, which would require a statewide vote.

**Bullock Denounces Casinos** Meanwhile, Bullock says he op-

poses casino gambling but if lawmakers want to consider a casinolegalizing bill, he would treat it like any other bill, regardless of his opinion.

His opponent in the Nov. 8 election, Dallas lawyer Tex Lezar, accused Bullock of being "bought" by casino interests. "... Anyone who knows the power of the lieutenant governor realizes that his greatest power is to stop something from being considered by the

Legislature," Lezar said.

**Equity Loans From Bill** 

U.S. House Banking Committee chairman Henry B. Gonzalez last week attached an amendment new law, rather than changing the cutting home equity loans out of a compromise bill by U.S. House and Senate negotiators that would allow banks to operate across state lines.

> The amendment, by Gonzalez, D-San Antonio, passed on a 4vote. U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, however, opposed the measure saying the home equity debate should be resolved by the courts and the Texas Legislature.

> Gramm, a member of the Senate Banking Committee, said he had the backing of 43 organizations in Texas. The Austin-based Texas Bankers Association also criticized the Gonzalez amendment.

Earlier this year, the 5th U.S. Court of Appeals said the savings dollars to finance abortions.

trailer smells awfully bad, but the Clinton House Ways and Means Committee health-care plan smells even worse," he told a crowd in Tyler, where he launched a twoday, 12-city "Manure Tour" in his challenge to incumbent U.S. Rep. John Bryant, D-Dallas, to represent an 11-county area that stretches from Dallas to Bryan.

Carlton Carl, a spokesman for Bryant, called Sessions' tour "childish," and Lorrie McHugh, a White House health care spokeswoman, suggested that "perhaps (Sessions) should tell the 108,000 members of working families in his own district who don't have health insurance why he is not fighting for real health care reform with universal coverage."

Sessions, the son of former FBI director William Sessions, accused Bryant of supporting the Clinton plan, which he said would raise taxes on businesses, increase the federal budget deficit and use tax

southern border, Texas taxpayers are forced to pay billions of dollars in federally-mandated benefits to hundreds of thousands of illegal aliens.

There are an estimated 500,000 illegal aliens in Texas -- and the number is growing. A 1992 Rice University study calculated the net costs to Texas taxpayers of providing federally-mandated benefits to illegal immigrants is \$1.2 billion per year. Then there are associated costs -- such as those associated with crime.

It's bad enough that some illegal immigrants commit robberies, murders, and other felonies in our state. But Texans also must pay to apprehend and maintain these criminals in prison. Today there are about 2,500 illegals in state prisons and local jails, and it costs Texas taxpayers more than \$40 million a year to keep them there.

I recently sponsored an amendment with Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole that would cut \$350 million from federal appropriations for the United Nations peacekeeping fund and use the money instead to reimburse states for the costs of locking up illegal aliens who commit felonies in the U.S. If the House will agree to this, Texas taxpayers will benefit enormously.

Sen. Dole and I won on our amendment by a vote of 52-44. We won because we made two common sense points:

First, its hard to justify the United States acting as the U.N.'s global policeman -- particularly when our government can't even police its own borders.

Second, if the federal government can't police our borders and this failure allows dangerous criminals to enter our country, the affected states shouldn't be stuck with both the crime and the prison bills.

The costs of illegal immigration are a huge burden to our state, and prison expenses are only a fraction of the total. The costs of providing federally mandated benefits -- educating the children of illegal residents, providing unemployment benefits, health care, and other services -- are staggering and are increasing exponentially. The Hutchison-Dole amendment is only one step of many that must be taken to protect taxpayers' interests.



### U.S. Must Help States Cope with Border Problems

ongress has discovered a miracle solution for every special interest group's legislative agenda. The huge federal budget deficit precludes spending all of the federal money required to stroke these special interest groups, but some very sharp minds on Capitol Hill have figured out an alternative: Congress can pass new laws and rules, and require that state and local governments carry them out. Congressmen get to claim credit with their special interest group friends, and state and local taxpayers get stuck with the bills.

As far as Washington is concerned, federal-state cooperation is a one-way street. When it comes to paying for federal mandates, the answer from Washington is always "no."

For states like Texas, however, the situation is particularly unfair. Because the federal government is failing in its responsibility to secure our



What's the deal here? It doesn't have a seat or a steering wheel! Ow, that's our new oil man's special, the manufacturers figured the oil man has already lost his rear and he don't know which way to turn so he won't need um, and too, it will save him some



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# Angus Cattle Group Awards Area Rancher

Our Sympathy

### Lawrence Oliver Bell

**ELDORADO** - Lawrence Oliver Bell passed away Wednesday, July 27, 1994, in Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo. He was born July 23, 1932, in Colorado City, Texas. He was retired from Enron and was a Methodist.

Services were conducted Saturday, July 30th at the First United Methodist Church of Eldorado and burial followed in the Eldorado Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife, Nadine bell of Eldorado; two sons, Dale Storie and wife, Sharon, of Longview and Larry Lynn Bell and wife, Pam, of Sanger; one daughter, Lori Dykstra and husband, Bill, of Eldorado; one granddaughter, Pamela Whitten of San Angelo: six grandsons, Chad Alan and Chase Storie of Longview, Alan and Kevin Dykstra of Eldorado and Danny and Tony Bell of Sanger; three brothers, Leo Bell of Odessa, Earnest Bell of Andrews and David Bell of Snyder; three sisters, Helen Ruth of Colorado City, and Evelyn Whitlock and Dorthey Walraven of Fort Worth; and a very special aunt and uncle, Sonny and Florene Ward of Colorado City.

Pallbearers were Don Rinehart, Bill Friend, Lloyd Rinehart, Fred Morrison, Donnie Bale and Felipe Pina.



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Duncan Wilson, Coralina Ranch, Ft. McKavett, Texas, received the Highest - Feedlot Performance and Highest Combined Score awards in the 1994 Certified Angus Beef (CAB) Program Value Discovery Project. The awards ceremony was held July 20 in Denver, Colo., in conjunction with an educational symposium and EXCEL-Ft. Morgan, Colo., plant tour.

For the Feedlot Performance Award, Wilson's consignment placed first with an average daily gain of 4.05 pounds. The Combined Score Award is calculated using feedlot performance and carcass merit per day on test scores.

A first-year project participant, Wilson also received an Achievement of Excellence award, presented when two or more carcasses within a consignment meet CAB Program specifications. Three carcasses in his consignment of six steers met CAB Program specifications.

Based on carcass merit per day on test, Francis & Lou Ann Lueken, Lueken Angus Farm, Ferdinand, Ind., received grand champion honors, and Ralph Bridges, Bridges Angus Farm, Lexington, Ga., received reserve champion honors.

The CAB Program sponsors the Value Discovery Project to provide cattle producers the opportunity to retain ownership of a small number of cattle in a commercial feedlot environment and increase industry awareness of the Program's specifications.

Currently in its fourth year, the 1994 Value Discovery Project focused on producer education by sponsoring an EXCEL plant tour and symposium at Colorado State University. Project results were announced at an awards breakfast where Darrell Wilkes, Integrated Beef Technologies, and selected producers emphasized the importance of discovering cattle's

end-product value.

All project steers were sired by registered Angus bulls and met the CAB Program live animal specification of predominantly black hair color (at least 51 percent of the hair coat is black). While five or six steers could be entered in each consignment, awards were based on the best five.

In December, 547 project steers were delivered to Decatur County Feed Yard in Oberlin, Kan. The cattle represented 97 project entries sponsored by a total of 67 producers from 20 states.

Nine processing dates were selected based upon when feedyard management determined groups of steers had reached an optimum marketing point of 0.5 inches of backfat. Steers were processed at EXCEL's Ft. Morgan plant.

Of the 538 steers completing the project, 111 head, or 21 per-

### Landowners Confront U.S. Fish & Wildlife

The state administrator for the U.S. fish and Wildlife Service received a clear message Thursday night, July 28th, from about a thousand Hill Country landowners vehemently opposed to the federal agency's plan to designate all or parts of 33 counties as critical habitat for the Golden Cheeked Warbler.

Those attending the informational meeting, arranged by the Llano County Farm Bureau and the Hill Country Livestock Raisers Association, lashed out at Sam Hamilton, who attempted to outline the proposal's designated area that stretches from north of Waco south to San Antonio and west to Menard County.

Hamilton said his agency's goal is to have a proposal ready for consideration by late fall or win- U.S. congressman to thwart the ter. The state administrator drew federal agency's plan.

will affect only those citizens that intend to carry on some activity on their land that requires federal authorization or funding.

About three dozen incensed ag producers came to the microphone to express their disenchantment with the federal plan. Their comments ranged from "It's a done deal," referring to their belief that the agency will execute it's plan regardless of mounting public opposition, to one woman's remark about, "Why is this particular bird so important anyway?"

Danny McFadin, who trekked the 160 miles from his Uvalde sheep and goat ranch, said,"We need to stop this socialistic movement." He urged the audience to contact their state legislator and

Antonio corridor, where "prime habitat" for the warbler exists.

Arthur Nagel of Kendall County stated that 97% of all lands in Texas are privately owned. He claimed that the federal plan would cause property values in the 33 county region to plummet.

As the overflow crowd poured into the meeting hall, they received a petition addressed to U.S. Representative J.J. Pickle of Austin, stating "Texas Is Not For Sale." The petition was referred to as the "Private Property Bill of Rights."

The 33 counties affected by the proposed plan include: Bandera, Bell, Bexar, Blanco, Bosque, Burnet, Comal, Corvell, Edwards, Erath, Falls, Gillespie, Hays, Hill, Hood, Johnson, Kendall, Kerr, Kimble, Lampasas, Llano, Mason, McLennan, Medina, Mills, Palo Pinto, Parker, Real, San Saba, Somervell, Travis, Uvalde and William son.

cent, met CAB Program carcass specifications, which include modest or higher marbling score, "A" maturity, Yield Grade 3 or leaner and medium to fine marbling texture. The Program's current nationwide average percent of identified cattle meeting these specifications is 18 percent. Results booklets are available from the CAB Program Executive Office by calling (419) 853-4066.



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the howls of the irate audience when he explained that critical major problem entails urban exhabitat for the endangered bird pansion along the Austin-San

Hamilton contended that the





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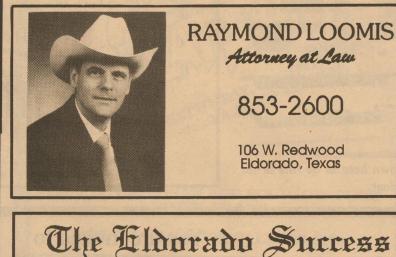
Someone told me the other day that installing a propane water heater actually benefits the Texas economy. Is that true?

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Fay Gibson, Co-op Cashier and Receptionist greets all who enter the Co-op office with her friendly smile.

The South West Texas Electric Cooperative is an integral part of Eldorado. Although, electric power inside the city is provided by WTU, the Co-op's main office is located in Eldorado, and most of it's employees make their homes here.

Currently, the SWETC has 35 employees with 24 of those working out of Eldorado. The Co-op's annual payroll is \$1.2 million, which makes it the third largest employer in Eldorado, topped only by the Schleicher County ISD and the Schleicher County Medical Center.

Many of the Co-op's employees are active in the community. Currently, Eddie Albin, Consumer Services and Environmental Supervisor for the Co-op serves on the school board. Ronnie Sauer, Engineering Superintendent is immediate past-president of the Chamber of Commerce and remains active in the Chamber's many projects. Tommy Minor,

Accountant is a member of the Eldorado City Council. Jim Martin, General Manager and Rojelio Adame, First Class Lineman are on the board of directors of the Senior Citizens Center. And, many other Co-op employees give their time to various organizations such as the Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department and various youth oriented groups.

Eldorado Mayor, John Nikolauk said, "The Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative is a good neighbor to Eldorado. The Co-op is the kind of business any town would want. Eldorado is fortunate indeed to have the Co-op and it's people."

Schleicher County residents, outside the Eldorado city limits know the Co-op even more intimately. For the past 48 years the Co-op has provided electrical service to the rural residents. "I can remember not having electricity," said one Schleicher County citizen, "wouldn't have ever happened without the Co-op."

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Founded in 1938 by a group of far-sighted West Texas businessmen and ranchers with the support and organization of the Eldorado Lions Club, the SWETC was made possible by legislation enacted in 1935 by the United States Congress which created the Rural Electrification Administration. Among the men who began the Co-op were Ed Willoughby, Ernest Hill, W.R. Bearce, F.B. Gunn, Joe Edens, Forrest Runge and P.K. McIntosh. Charged with bringing electric service to rural West Texas, the Co-op began small in 1946 with barely 200 miles of line and 58 meters. Today, the SWETC serves all or part of 11 counties, covering 72,000 square miles and provides service to more than 8000 customers.

There are many types of customers served by the Co-op ranging from the typical ranch or farm to gas plants, compressor

Eddie Albin, Consumer Services Supervisor and Ronnie Sauer, Engineering Superintendent taking care of business at a computer stations, and even Eldorado Air Force Station (Pave-Paws). Currently Conoco is the Co-op's largest single customer. The Co-op's

> members span the spectrum of daily life in West Texas. What's in store for the future? Well, the folks at SWETC are planning today for the services that will be demanded by the electrical consumer of the next century. Securing a stable and affordable supply of electrical power is essential to the continued growth of this region. Agreements are currently in place which will provide a stable supply of electricity well into the 21st century.

What's it like to work for the Co-op? "It's like family." said Dobs Lively. "It's one of the few jobs I can think of where people actually look forward to going to work on Monday morning." Making it plain that he enjoyed his job with the Co-op, Mack Redish summed it all up, "It's just a great bunch of people."

### Be a friendly critter! Pick up your litter!

a reminder from the Chamber Pride Committee and the Eldorado Success

SCHLEICHER COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER is proud to announce its association with

> A. Price Burdine, M.D. Orthopedic Surgeon West Texas Medical-Associates San Angelo, Texas

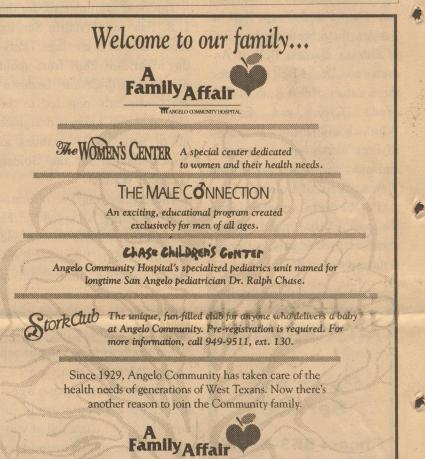
Specializing in General Orthopedic Surgery Arthroscopic Surgery Total Joint Replacements Shoulder Injuries Sports Medicine

Dr. Burdine will conduct an Orthopedic Clinic at the Schleicher County Medical Center 400 W. Murchison Ave.

> Thursday, August 11, 1994 **By Appointment Only**

For more information or appointments please call: 1-800-749-9862 Ext. 4256 (915) 949-9555 Ext. 4256

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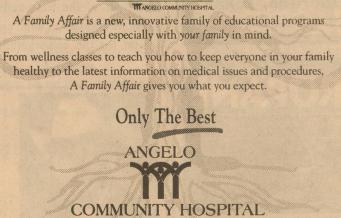
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C.F. Dacy, Data Processing Supervisor and Sherry Belk, Computer Specialist take care of the day to day bookkeeping at SWTEC.



Dobs Lively, Field Superintendent shown here as he fills in for Jack Williams, Operations Superintendent.



For more information about Angelo Community's A Family Affair program, contact The Women's Center at 949-9511, ext. 130. Angelo Community Hospital • 3501 Knickerbocker • San Angelo



Mack Redish, Second-class Lineman, climbs a pole to change out a transformer. Mack, a native of Brooklyn, New York has worked for the Co-op for 10 years. When not up in the air, Mack spends his free time working with Eldorado youth basketball, baseball and various other activities.

You are invited to Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative's 49th Annual Membership Meeting

Tuesday, August 9, 1994

### Schleicher County Courthouse Lawn Eldorado, Texas Program 7:00 p.m. Barbecue for members and their guests 8:00 p.m. Business Session Call to order by President Case Proof of Notice of Meeting & Declaration of Quorum Reading of Minutes of previous meeting Report of General Manager

Other Reports Report of the Nominating Committee **Election of Directors** Unfinished or New Business Awarding of Service Pins Drawing for Door Prizes Adjourn

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Dorothy's Movie Time by Dorothy Dacy

My two films for you this week are Grumpy Old Men and Silent Tongue. One is good and the other is bad in my opinion.

The first movie, Grumpy Old Men, is rated PG-13 and stars Jack Lemmon and Walter Matthau. The original "Odd Couple" pair are up again in this hilarious and heart-warming story of next door neighbors who have been life-long friends as well as grumpy rivals.

Max, (Walter Matthau) thinks John, (Jack Lemmon) stole his girl years ago, and he's held a grudge ever since. Their long-running feud becomes an all-out rivalry when an attractive and vivacious widow, (Ann Margaret) moves into the house across the street. Snowy Minnesota provides the setting to their snow packed shenanigans, practical jokes and zingers. Burgess Meredith, Daryl Hannah and Ossie Davis add starpacked support. This movie will cure your summer blahs and make you laugh a lot. Grumpy Old Men is currently available at Meyer's and Shot's.

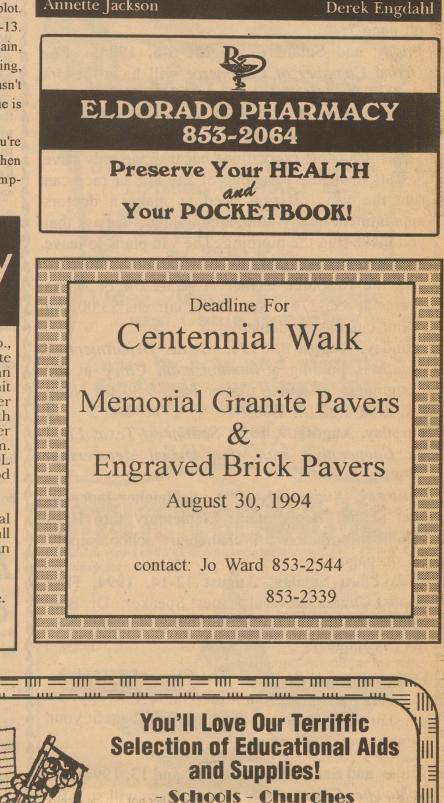
The second movie is Silent Tongue, starring Allan Bates, **Richard Harris and River Phoenix** (one of his last films). This was produced and directed by Sam Shepard. I had trouble following the story-line. Basically it is a western set in the late 1890s,

complete with indians and a traveling medicine show. Indian spirituality, slave trade and mental madness all play a part in the plot. Silent Tongue is rated PG-13.

I thought about watching it again, thinking I had missed something, but then I decided it just wasn't worth my time. Silent Tongue is currently available at Shot's.

Until next week: "When you're young, it's called sassy. When you're old, it's known as gumption."

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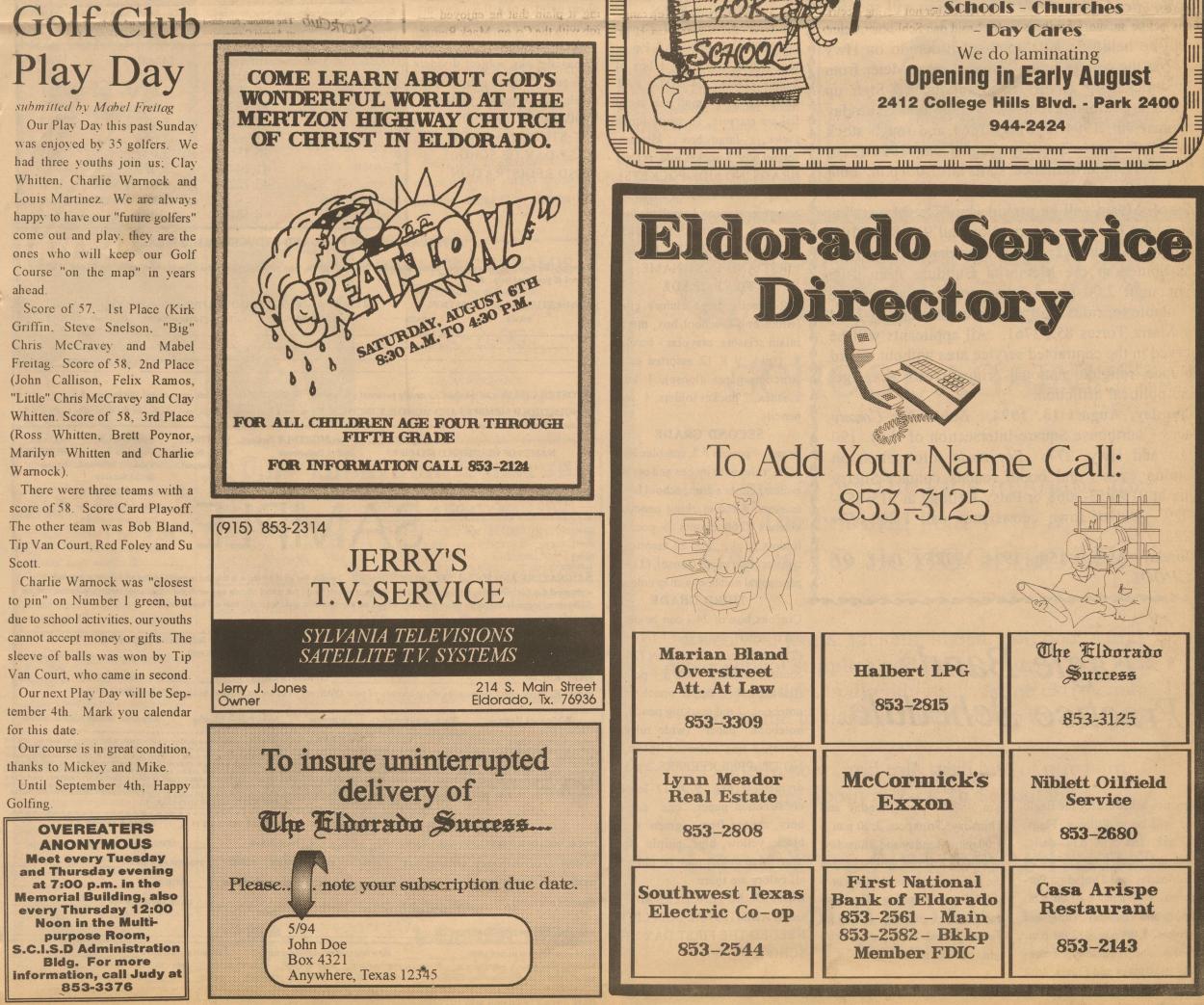
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Pictured above are Dr. Pat Johnson, his wife, Jane Mullick and their three children, Tommy age 10, Christina 7 and Katherine 4. The Johnson family were in Eldorado this week for a visit and stopped by the Schleicher County Medical Center where a reception was held in their honor. Dr. Johnson practiced medicine in Eldorado for five years before moving to Missouri, two years ago.



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: 1111 : Eldorado Service Directory To Add Your Name Call: 853-3125 The **Eldorado Halbert LPG** Success 853-2815 853-3125 **McCormick's** Niblett Oilfield Service Exxon 853-2680 **First National Casa** Arispe Bank of Eldorado Restaurant 853-2561 - Main 853-2582 - Bkkp 853-2143 **Member FDIC** 

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Saturday, August 6, 1994, Mertzon Highway Church of Christ presents "God's Wonderful World" a one day Vacation Bible School. See story on page 7.

Friday and Saturday, August 5-6, 1994, The Ozona Chamber of Commerce will have the 5th Annual David Crockett Birthday Festival.

Friday August 5, 1994 and August 17, 1994 The Rural Transportation Van is going to San Angelo, Texas. Call for reservations because we only have 9 seats available. Anyone of any age or race can ride the van. If you need to make a doctors appointment or any other appointments we ask that you make it in the morning. The van plans to leave at 9:00 a.m. and hopes to return around 5:00 p.m. Call the Resource Center at 853-2574 or Maria Torres at 853-2761. Non senior citizens \$3.00 and senior citizens by donation.

Monday, August 8, 1994, Texas Department of Health is holding a Immunization Clinic at the Community Resource Center from 9:30 till Noon and from 1:00 till 4:00.

Tuesday, August 9, 1994, Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. 49th Annual Membership Meeting.

Thursday, August 11, 1994 Schleicher Independent School Registration: Elementary thru High School information and elementary school supply list on page 6.

Friday thru Sunday, August 12-14, 1994, First Baptist Church Revival. Guest Speaker: Dr. Bert Dominy. Services start at 7:00 p.m. nightly. See story on page 7.

Friday, August 12, 1994, The Class of 84' will be sponsoring a dance from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. on the slab at rodeo arena. Proceeds will benefit your local ambulance service

Friday and Saturday, August 12 and 13, 1994, The Schleicher County Rodeo Association will sponsor the 25th annual Eldorado Open Rodeo. The rodeo will be held one mile south of Eldorado on Hwy 277 at the county rodeo arena. Lester Meier from Fredericksburg is the rodeo producer. Sign up times are timed events 7:00-9:00 p.m. Tuesday August 9th, 1994 (210)997-1864 and rough stock 6:00-7:00 p.m. Tuesday August 9th, 1994 (210) 997-1864. Performance starts at 7:00 p.m. both nights. Saturday, August 13, 1994 there will be a dance. Music will be provide by "The Movers" at the slab. For more information call 915-853-3109. Friday, August 12, 1994, Commodities will be distributed at the Memorial Building from 1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. Transportation van will be available for ride. Call Resource Center 853-2574 or Maria Torres 853-2761. All applicants will be served in the contracted service area without regard to race, religion, national origin, creed, sex, age, and political affliction. Saturday, August 13, 1994, Schleicher County Days Courthouse Square-Intersection of Hwy. 190 East and Hwy. 277. For more information on coming events and booth rentals contact Sherry Lux at 915-853-3068 or Patsy Kellogg at 915-853-2079. Out of town guests may call 1-800-657-9225

### School Registration Slated

### **ELEMENTARY**

Elementary registration for the 1994-95 school year will be held Monday through Thursday, August 8th thru 11th. You may call Mrs. Whitten at the Elementary Office at 853-2770 from 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. and 1:00-3:00 p.m. Parents of all new students to the district need to come by the Elementary Office to register. Please bring the following: Birth Certificate, Immunization Record and Social Security Card.

Class lists will be posted Friday, August 12th at 4:00 p.m. at these locations: Field Avenue in the Mulit-Purpose Room Window; One-Way Street on the doors to the new wing. Parking lot at the Elementary Gym entrance. School will begin at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, August 15, 1994. **MIDDLE SCHOOL** 

On August 11th, 1994 Middle School students (5th through 8th grade) will meet with Mr. Steele in the Eldorado Middle School Library at the scheduled time and bring a pencil.

# Eldorado Elementary School Supplies List

### SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST 1994-95

**KIDS KAMPUS** Scissors (metal Fiskars are best). glue (meduim size), colors-box of 8, construction paper (loose), kleenex, school box.

### KINDERGARTEN 1 Small bottle of glue, (2) #2 pencils-NOT FAT PENCILS, Pencil top erasers, crayolas - 1 box of 8 and 1 box 24-NOT FAT CRAYONS, 1 small pair metal fiskars scissors, 10 white lunch sacks, 1 large box kleenex.

### Schedule

9:00 a.m. -10:30 am. 5th Grade 10:30 a.m. - 2.00 p.m. 6th Grade 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. 7th Grade 2:30p.m. - 4:00 p.m. 8th Grade

#### Agenda Library: Mr. Steele

Student handbook Class schedule overview Classrooms: Teachers Individual Schedules & Registration Packet Textbooks and books covered Lockers Gym: Coaches

P.E. Uniform Height and Weight

HIGH SCHOOL REGISTRATION High School registration will be Thursday, August 11, 1994

Check in at the office for a schedule and registration packet. Registration for grades 12th through 9th are as follow

Schedule

9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. 9th Grade 10:30a.m.- 12:00 p.m. 10th Grade 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. 11th Grade 2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. 12th Grade

FOURTH GRADE

3 Ring notebook, NO TRAPPER

KEEPERS, notebook paper (no

college or narrow ruled), eraser,

crayolas (large box), map colors,

ruler both metric and american

standard, glue, scissors 6 " or 7"

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notebook and pocket folders...

### **Public Notice** School Lunch Program The Schleicher County I.S.D. school

serves meals each school day. Children may buy lunch for K-4 - \$1.10, 5-8 -\$1.20, 9-12 \$1.30, and breakfast for \$. 50. Adult teachers may buy lunch for \$1.75 and guests may buy lunch for \$3.45. Children may also get meals free or at a reduced price

If you now get food stamps or AFDC for your children, your children can get free meals. If your total household income is the same or less than the amounts on the Income Chart below, your children can get free or reduced price meals. A foster child may get free or reduced price meals regardless of your income. The reduced price is \$ .40 for lunch and \$ .25 for breakfast.

TO GET FREE OR REDUCED PRICE MEALS FOR YOUR CHIL-DREN, YOU MUST COMPLETE AN **APPLICATION AND RETURN IT TO** THE SCHOOL. WE CANNOT AP-PROVE AN APPLICATION THAT IS NOT COMPLETE

#### HOW TO APPLY

If you now get food stamps of AFDC for the child you are applying for, the application must have the child's name. a food stamp or AFDC case number for that child, and the signature of an adult household member. If you are applying for a foster child, the application must have the child's name and the child's "personal use" income, and an adult signature. If you do not list a food stamp or AFDC case number for the child you are applying for, then the application must have the child's name, the names of all household members, the amount of income each person got last month and where it came from, the signature of an adult household member and that adult's social security number or the word "none" if the adult does not have a social security number.

Verification: Your eligibility may be checked any time during the school year School officials may ask you to send papers showing that your children should

get free or reduced price meals. Fair Hearing: You may talk to school officials if you do not agree with the school's decision on your application or the results of verification. You may also ask for a fair hearing. You may do this by calling or writing:

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Scott Barton, Superintendent P.O. Box W

Eldorado, Texas 76936 Phone number: (915) 853-2514

Reporting Changes: If your children get free or reduced price meals because of your income, you must tell the school if your household size decreases or your income increases by more than \$50 per month or \$600 per year. If your children get meals because you get food stamps or AFDC, you must tell the school when you are not getting AFDC or food stamps for them. You may then fill out another application giving income information

Confidentiality: School officials use the information on the application only to decide if your children should get free or reduced price meals.

Reapplication: You may apply for meals anytime during the school year. If your are not eligible now but have a change in status, like a decrease in household income, an increase in household size, become unemployed or get food stamps or AFDC for your children, you may then complete an application. Handicapped: Meal substitutions at no additional cost for children who meet the definition of "handicapped" will be served, provided a physician has submitted a statement attesting to this fact and prescribing a substitute.

IN THE OPERATION OF THE CHILD FEEDING PROGRAMS, NO CHILD WILL BE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST BECAUSE OF RACE, SEX, 🏈 COLOR, NATIONAL ORIGIN, AGE OR HANDICAP. IF YOU BELIEVE YOU HAVE BEEN DISCRIMINATED AGAINST, WRITE IMMEDIATELY TO THE SECRETARY OF AGRICUL-

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Eagle Band **Practice Schedule** 

Practice schedule for the Eagle band will be as follows: Flags, 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. daily; Horns and Saxes, 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Monday and Thursday; Percussion, 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Monday and Thursday; Tubas and Clarinets, 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Monday and Thursday; Trombones, Baritones and Flutes, 2:00

p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Monday and Thursday; Trumpets, 3:00 p.m. -4:00 p.m. Monday and Thursday. Marching Practice will be held at the following times: 10:00 a.m. -11:30 a.m. Monday, Thursday and Friday; 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Tuesday; and 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. on Wednesdays.

FIR school box, 3 pocket folders (NO BRADS, NO SIDE POCKETS), 1 pkg. 9 X 12 assorted construction paper (loose); 1 small plasitic cup, ALL SUPPLIES SHOULD **BE LABELED WITH CHILD'S** FIRST AND LAST NAME. **FIRST GRADE** 

# 2 Pencils, large elmer's glue (white only), school box, metal inlaid scissors, crayolas - box of 8, 1 pkg. 9 X 12 assorted construction paper (loose), 1 box kleenex, 2 pocket folders, 4 red pencils

#### SECOND GRADE

Eraser, 4 pencils # 2, crayolas box of 24, ruler with inches and centimeters, elmer's glue, school box, scissors, 4 red marking pencils, kleenex (200 count), 6 pocket folders, 1 pkg. 9 X 12 assorted construction paper (loose), (2) 60 page spiral notebooks, map colors. THIRD GRADE

Crayons box of 24 ( can be oldold is better), white glue 1 1/4 oz., (2) two pencils #2, kleenex (200 count), scissors sharp point (fiskars only), zipper pouch for notebook, 2 red marking pencils, notebook paper (wide ruled, loose), 3 ring notebook (plain), NO TRAPPER KEEPERS, 2 pkg. dividers, 1 pkg. 9 X 12 loose construction paper, one color only, choose from: green, red. black, yellow, blue, purple, orange. Map colors may be old if all colors are there. INDIVIDUAL TEACHERS MAY

**GIVE ADDITIONAL SUPPLIES** NEEDED THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

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#### APPLICATION FOR FREE AND REDUCED-PRICE MEALS

To apply for free and reduced-price meals, complete this application, sign your same and return the application to the school. Call the school if you need help. #

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5 SIGNATURE AND SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: I certify that all of the shove is true and correct and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is being given for the receipt of federal funds; that school officials may verify the information on the application; and that deliberate misrepresentation of the information may subject me to prosecution under applicable state and federal laws.

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## Church of Christ VBS

A special Saturday is coming for all the children from age four through grade five! The Mertzon Highway Church of Christ presents its one day Vacation Bible School on Saturday, August 6th, 1994. The time will be 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and the place is the church building located on the Mertzon Highway one block west of Highway 277. This year's program will include a special class for all preschool children. The theme this year is "God's Wonderful World." The creation as revealed in Genesis chapter one is the background for this theme. The children will be involved in active learning and "hands-on"

and power of God's creation. The noon meal will be provided without charge for all the children who attend this special day.

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Jamie Wooten, a ministry student at Sunset School of Preaching in Lubbock, will be here to help us with this special VBS. For more information or to arrange transportation for your children call the church office at 853-2124.

### Justina Saunders Receives Scholarship

Justina Marie Saunders, a graduate of Eldorado High School, has been awarded a scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League

**FBC Schedules Revival** 

First Baptist Church will be holding a revival Friday - Sunday August 12th through 14th. Dr. Bert Dominy, professor of Theology at Southwestern Seminary will be the guest speaker. Dr. Dominy has been the pastor of churches in Texas and is a frequent speaker and Revival leader.

Services are scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m. nightly with a

Sunday morning service at 10:55 a.m. A covered dish luncheon will follow the Sunday morning service. A nursery will be provided for children under 4 years of age.

The congregation of First Baptist Church invites everyone to attend. Don't miss this end of summer opportunity.

### Adrienne Pina-Gamez Awarded UIL Scholarship

Adrienne Noelle Pina-Gamez, a graduate of Eldorado High School, has been awarded a scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation.

Adrienne received an Abell-Hanger Scholarship in the amount of \$3,000, payable \$750 each semester of the first two years. This year the Abell-Hanger Foundation awarded a total or 31

grants to students who have participated in UIL Academic State Meet Contests and who compiled an outstanding record or academic and extracurricular achievement. Of those 31 grants five were awarded to students who have chosen a career in nursing.

Adrienne plans to attend Angelo State University and major in nursing.



County Agent's Report

submitted by Jerry Swift

The Prussic Acid in Plants Test is useful as a screening test to determine the presence of prussic acid in dangerous amounts in forage to be grazed. The test can be no more accurate than the sample taken to be tested. The youngest leaves or plants should be sampled from the area of the field that shows the greatest amount of moisture stress. Also keep in mind that prussic acid may form quickly. So, at best, the test can be only an indication of freedom from prussic acid at the time the sample was taken.

Materials needed for test: 1. Solution made by dissolving one half gram picric acid and five grams sodium carbonate in one hundred cubic centimeter of distilled water. Store in brown bottle and keep in cool place. 2. Strips

### of blotter paper 1/2 " X 1 1/2 " spells. Some grasses can survive 3. Chloroform

To run test: 1. Moisten filter paper strip in picrate solution and partially dry by waving in air for five minutes. 2. Add a teaspoon of chopped plant material to small wide-mouth bottle and moisten with a few drops of chloroform. 3. Place test blotter strip in a split cork and stopper bottle. Strip must not touch side of bottle. 4 Place container against body to warm to body temperature. If large amounts of cyanide are present in the plant material, the filter strip will turn red in a few minutes. A test cannot be considered completely negative unless no color change occurs in three hours.

Also attention home owners who are concerned about your grass turning brown during hot dry

the summer heat with little or no water making the summer watering ritual a waste of time, money and water resources. Green is the color we like to see in our lawns, but that green color has its price.

Few of us like to see our lawns turn brown, but by accepting the fact that brown is not a color that should alarm us, then we won't use more water than we really need. If the grass turns brown, it's not dead, it is just in early dormancy. During a 95 degree day, lawns can use up to a quarter of an inch of water reserves. So if you don't mind spending the time and money to keep the lawn green soak the yard with an inch of water every 4 to 5 days. Also raising cutting height of your grass will help conserve moisture.



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### Meditation of My Heart- Psalms 19:14

In Mark 14:1-9, We read the account of a woman anointing Christ with a very costly ointment of spikenard. This beautiful, simple act caused great indignation among several people present when the woman bestowed her gift. These people were concerned over the "waste" of this costly gift.

Jesus rebukes them for their murmuring and says something very interesting about this woman in verse 8. "She hath done what she could." He also states that wherever the gospel is preached her act would be spoken as a memorial of her.

The statement "She hath done what she could" issues forth a challenge to all believers today. We tend to be a generation of apathetic pew potatoes, leaving the job of spreading the gospel to ministers and missionaries. The Great Commission was issued to all not just the seminaries and the head office of

Justina received a Louise P. and Joe B. Cook Memorial Scholarship in the amount of \$2,680, payable \$1,000 the first year and \$560 for each of the next three years. this year the Cook Memorial Scholarship Fund awarded eight grants to students who have participated in University Interscholastic League Academic State Meet Contests and who compiled an outstanding record of academic and extracurricular achievement. Justina plans to attend Angelo State University and major in

physics.

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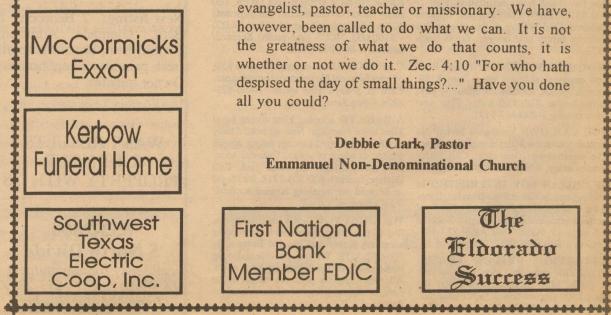
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denominational headquarters.

I realize the above statements are a bit blunt and maybe a bit not fair. I believe that deep in our hearts we have a desire to participate in spreading the gospel. The problem is our limited vision of what God desires to do through us.

God does not require everyone to go to some foreign country or everyone to be a pastor, teacher or evangelist. God does, however, ask us to do what we can. Doing what we can, could be going to some foreign country but it also could be a small act of kindness. Just because our deed is not a grand thing in the eyes of men does not mean it is not grand in the eyes of God.

Sometimes our doing what we can may bring outrage and indignation from others. But when the act is done from the heart yielded to God, the outrage and indignation should not matter. God alone is our judge.

The boy with the loaves and fishes did what he could when he gave his lunch to Jesus. Jesus then took it and fed the multitude. Jesus noticed the widow with the small offering rather than the men with their large offerings. Why? Because she did what she could. Suzanna Wesley raised her sons to love the Lord with all their hearts. Those sons touched our nation for God in its infancy. Suzanna

Wesley did what she could.

We probably will not be called to be a great evangelist, pastor, teacher or missionary. We have, however, been called to do what we can. It is not the greatness of what we do that counts, it is whether or not we do it. Zec. 4:10 "For who hath despised the day of small things?..." Have you done all you could?

**Debbie Clark, Pastor Emmanuel Non-Denominational Church** 

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### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for .500 miles of landscaped development on US 277 at intersection of US 190 covered by C 159-4-24 in Schleicher County, will be at the Texas received Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., August 10, 1994, and then publicly opened and read.

specifications. Plans and including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the Office of Paul Chevalier Area Engineer, Sonora, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas Plans are available 78701. through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the groung of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

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#### **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed bids, addressed to the Commissioner's Court will be received by the County Clerk, Courthouse, Eldorado, until 10:00 A.M. August 8, 1994, until when such bids will be opened in the County Courtroom for:

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The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Helen Blakeway, County Clerk Drawer 580, Eldorado, TX 76936

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#### **REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY** CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 0.001 miles of constructing curb sidewall ramps, miscellaneous construction at various locations covered by CAD 907-11-3, CAD 907-13-3, CAD 907-14-2, CAD 907-15-1, CAD 907-17-1, CAD 907-18-1, CAD 907-19-1, CAD 907-20-1, CAD 907-22-1, CAD 907-23-1, CAD 907-24--7, CAD 907-25-1 and CAD 907-26-1 in Sterling, Runnels, Coke, Concho, Edwards, Glasscock, Irion, Kimble, Menard, Reagan, Tom Green, Real and Schleicher County, will be received at the Department Texas Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., August 11, 1994, and then publicly opened and read. Plans an specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Karl J. Bednarz Area Engineer, Junction, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Division of Construction and Contract Administration, D. C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder. Department of The Texas Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race,

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Plateau Underground Water Conservation & Supply District will hold a budget hearing for the 1994-1995 budget on Thursday, August 18, 1994 at 12:30 p.m. in the Schleicher County Annex. 81009



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81002 **SEEKING DIRECTOR** The Schleicher County Senior Citizen Center is taking applications for the position of Director of Meals for the Senior Center. Dead line for applications is August 15, 1994.

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This position is an employee of the Kimble County Senior Center of Junction, Texas and not associated with Schleicher County.

#### BOOKKEEPING POSITION

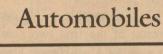
Bookkeeping position available at John E. Meador Accepting Construction. Applications beginning August 8. Please apply in person at office located on Hwy 190-1 1/2 Miles East of Eldorado. Computer knowledge helpful.

### Garage Sales

708 Hall Street, Saturday August 6, 1994, Walter Donaldson residence. 8:00 a.m. till ??? 12 x 12 Tent, Camping Equip., Gasoline hole digger, Tables, Shotgun, Police scanner, Dinette set, King bedspread, linens, Ceiling fan, Tools, Swing and Hammock stands, pressure canner, toys and lots of miscellaneous. Come and see.

#### 81005

**GARGAGE SALE** 407 E. Hill Street, Saturday, August 6, 1994, D. Williams residence. Lots of household items, couch and clothing. 8 A.M.-4 P.M. 81007



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#### CLASS **Swimming Party** August 8, 1994 8:00-10:00 P.M. **County Pool** Eldorado Jr. Class ONLY! Information call : Janet Felver, Glenda Harris, Sandy Clark, Sherry Lux, June Whitten, or Connie Andrews

**TAAS CELEBRATION ELDORADO MIDDLE** SCHOOL SWIM PARTY Thursday 6:00 - 8:00

August 11th Students who are currently in the 5th grade through the 9th grade are invited to a Back to School and TAAS Celebration Swim Party at the swimming pool. will Refreshment be served.

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

#### August

4th Kimberley Beach, Pepper Nix, Steve Sykes 5th Felipe Pina, Debbie Fritz, Traci Paxton 6th Mike Belman III, Mike Marsh, Austin Nixon 7th Bill Dakan, Sharon Mittel, Lucille Littlepage, Duwaine Sauer, Joey Hernandez, Marzel Herrera 8th Angie Bownds, Curtis Griffin, Linda Peters, Elaine Marsh, Charles Ray Pfluger,

Kathy Doty 9th Buddy White, Randy Mitchel, Zach Steele, Christy Taylor, Dan Pfluger, Johnny Griffin, Sonja Richards, John Ray Espinosa, Hannah Nixon, Justin Paxton, 10th Timothy Lemons, Whitney (Edmiston) Jones, Peggy Williams, Cory Lloyd, Amy Robinson, Cory Reeves

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY** 

August 12th Phil & Abbie McCormick,

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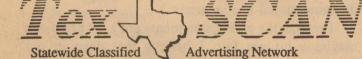
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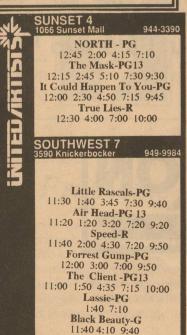
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