SKUNKS NUMBER ONE CARRIER LOCALLY

Rabies no stranger to Schleicher County



BY TERRY B. NEILL

Skunks star in cartoon strips as stinky but cute little animls or draw wrinkled noses and disdane from most Texans. Actually they should be viewed with caution and considered potentially dangerous.

Skunks are the number one carrier of

discovered this summer. Two members of that to a new law passed in April. "Texas has a expensive (\$1,000 per person), but do not cause family are now taking rabies shots, although neither was bitten by the skunk or family dog it attacked.

Most people do not realize that rabies virus can be transmitted through an infected animal's body fluids -- saliva, blood or urine. "The virus lives in the animal's nerve tissue," Eldorado veterinarian Dr. William Edmiston points out. The local people had to take the shots

because one had an open sore on his feet, and the skunk spray was held down low to the ground that night by damp, humid weather.

"Luckily, rabies virus is not very tough, however. If you think you have been exposed go wash, with lots of soap. This will many times kill the virus before it gets started," Edmiston related.

All domestic animals must now be vaccinatrabies. as one Schleicher County family ed by a veterinarian once each year, according

severe rabies problem -- as does West Texas," Edmiston added. "We've sent two cats' heads off this year to be analyzed, and we've heard of several crazed skunks running around on folks'

porches in the country." While skunks are the number one carrier, coons and fox are also dangerous. "Skunks will incubate rabies for up to three years. Of all the skunks killed, probably 50 percent could be found to be carrying rabies virus," Edmiston said.

Skunks are dangerous enough as carrier, but they are dumb and slow animals, while infected fox and coons are triple-dangerous because they are faster and smarter.

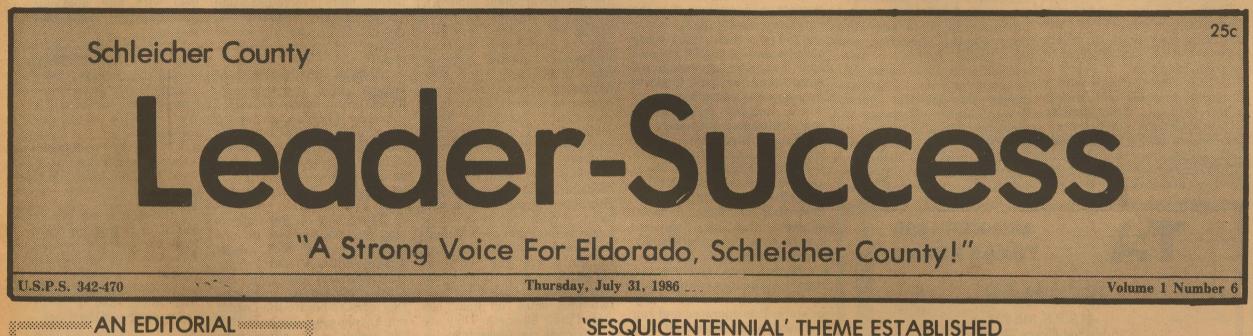
Progress has been made on the medical treatment front for humans, however. People no longer have to take the old, painful shots. Now they take four doses, which are extremely

the painful side affects the old serum perpertrated.

'We have seen one goat blinded by skunk spray from a rabied animal." Edmiston said. The local vet says cases of rabied skunks have gone down in the Lone Star State since the 'epizootic" which occurred in 1980. Over 945 cases were reported then in Texas, compared to only 404 cases in 1985.

Treatment for humans has been successful. Rabies in humans has decreased from an average of 22 cases a year from 1946 to 1950 to zero to five cases a year since 1960. However, the likelihood of exposure has risen. Approximately 28,000 persons in the United States and Canada have been immunized.

Rabies has been around since ancient times and is caused by a bullet-shaped virus which See RABIES Page 6.



Leave us alone!

BY TERRY B. NEILL Leader-Success Editor

This is a request, made on behalf of the citizens of Eldorado, Texas. We hereby ask the San Angelo Standard-Times to leave us alone! If you cannot say something positive. then please adopt the posture you take during football season every year and just ignore us.

Last Sunday's article in our neighboring daily did little to enhance Eldorado's image in West Texas. Two public figures, one elected and the other paid by taxpayers, were quoted saying things that embarrassed anyone who lives, loves or ever cared about our community.

'SESQUICENTENNIAL' THEME ESTABLISHED **Celebration plans firming up**

There is something planned for everyone at this year's Sesquicentennial version of Schleicher County Days, planned here Saturday, August 9.

A parade, rodeo, melodrama, and lots of games and good food are on tap, as Schleicher County residents celebrate their Texas

Sponsored by the Schleicher County Rodeo Association, the 17th Annual Eldorado Open Rodeo will kickoff the events Friday night at 8 p.m.

Bareback bronc riding, team roping, bull riding, girls barrel racing, steer wrestling, saddle bronc riding and calf roping will be held. Books open at 9 a.m. Wednesday, August 6 and close at 2 p.m. on the same date. Skyline Trophy Buckles, valued at \$750, will be given for each event. Lester Meier of Fredricksburg will produce the rodeo.

Horsemanship will be judged on Thursday night August 7 at the arena, beginning at 7 p.m.

Saturday will be the big day, with events starting at 8:30 a.m. with the "Fun Run". The run will begin from in front of First National Bank and take runners over a two mile course, ending up back at the courthouse.

At 9 a.m. the parade will be held and persons can start setting up their booths on the courthouse lawn. The local American Legion Post will lead the parade with the United States, Texas and Sesquicentennial flags.

Rodeo Association riders and floats entered by the Women's Club, Sewing Club, Historical Society Schleicher County Library and local sororities will follow. All parade participants should be at the tennis courts near the hospital. by 8:30 a.m.

women's washer pitching, the watermelon seed spitting contest and the flag ceremony will be held at that time.

At 10:30 dominoes will begin, along with '42" and the coronation of the Old Settler King and Queen. At 10:45 the town band will play, and women's horseshoes and mens washers will be held.

At 11 a.m. the Little Mr. and Miss Schleicher County contest will be held. Entries should be residents of Schleicher County and between the ages of two and five. No entry fee is required.

The Texas Tumbleweeds Gymnastics team m San Angelo will perform at 11:15 a.m. and from 12 until 1 p.m. the melodrama, a new event for this year's celebration, will be staged.

The public officials do not seem to remember making the statements that were attributed to them and maybe they did not. The damage is already done, and it comes at a time when Eldorado can least afford it.

For years we have watched dailies like to Standard-Times jump on bad news--wrecks, murders, rapes, etc. in its smaller sister communities and ignore the many positive things that make life in Eldorado, Mertzon, Christoval, Ballinger, etc. a darned sight better than the Concho City.

From a journalist's standpoint we were horrified that a daily newspaper, and supposedly a responsible one at that, would publish an article complete with quotes and pictures that was researched six months ago.

Things tend to change a lot in six months fellers! One of those Eldoradoans so abundantly quoted has died since the story was researched and he made his quotes.

We realize that big city newspaper folks sometimes have a "we're a little better than you" outlook when it comes to the "podunk" little towns out in the boonies and their papers.

Perhaps it would do Harte Hanks Communications good to realize that its San Angelo newspaper's continuing spiral downward in circulation over the last few years might have something to do with less news coverage and such smug little pieces as was printed last Sunday.

It might also be good for the powers to be to remember that their San Angelo paper has a lot of readers in "podunk" little Eldorado, Mertzon, Ballinger, etc. Most of their advertisers are interested in reaching that market because they realize we spend millions of dollars in San Angelo, Texas every year.

For the last several years the Standard-Times has been cutting back on personnel, etc. in the face of declining advertising sales and a worsening West Texas economy.

We respectfully suggest that even San Angelo people might be more willing to buy ads if their paper was a little more optimistic. A "good news" story or two might brighten our day and help us keep our heads above water in troubled times.

At the Leader-Success we are certainly proud of Eldorado and Schleicher County. We have our problems right now, but we are not facing anything that tough old West Texans cannot handle. We would like positive publicity from our neighboring daily, however, not articles written by

See EDITORIAL Page 6.

A dance will follow performances of the rodeo on Friday and Saturday night, with music provided by Bob Blandford and the Rodeo Men.

Candidates for Rodeo Queen are also being sought. Interested young women should call Kirk Jones at 853-2497. Candidates must be between 14 and 17 years of age and residents of Schleicher County for at least one year.

They will be judged on appearance and horsemanship and will also sell rodeo tickets. Ticket sales will continue until the Saturday night performance of the rodeo, when the new queen will be introduced.

Parade trophies will be awarded to entries for the best overall float, best theme and most original, best decorated bicycle and most unusual antique car.

Floats, old cars, bicycles, boats, trucks, wagons or just about anything can be entered in the parade. People interested in entering should call Bill Hodges, 853-2408, or Bill Dakan, 853-2416. "We would love to have your participate," Dakan said.

Jim Hardy's horses will be pulling a covered wagon.

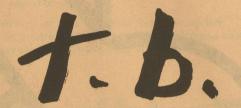
Games will commence at 10 a.m. on the courthouse lawn, where many booths will also be open to the public. Mens horseshoes,

Eagle schedule for '86 campaign told

While Coach Armando San Miguel's Eagle footballers continue to visit the weight room and work out on their own in preparation for the upcoming season, Eldorado coaches are at coaching school this week.

Eldorado will open its pre-season slate on August 22 when the War Birds host Brady in a controlled scrimmage on the local field. The locals will then travel to Rocksprings for their last scrimmage on August 29. Times for both outings are not set.

San Miguel's squad will open the 1986 campaign September 5 against Mertzon on the Irion County field. The remainder of the non-district schedule is as follows:



BY TERRY B. NEILL

DOC SAYS.....

Doc Sofge, when not teaching others how to fish, is also a decent gardener. Doc says there's one easty way to tell plants from weeds: "Just pull them all up. The ones that come back are the weeds," Sofge said.

LOOKING 30....

In the interest of our personal safety we won't say who we overheard saying this at The Diner last Friday, but a couple of local gals had the following conversation:

"I don't think I look 30, do you?" one asked. "No," replied the other. "But you used to!"

September 12, Iraan, here; September 19, Sonora, there; September 26, Mason, here (Homecoming); October 3, Junction, there; October 10, Stanton, here; October 17, Ozona, here; October 24, Rankin, there; October 31, Forsan, here; and November 7, Big Lake, there.

The junior varsity and junior high schedule is as follows: September 4, Mertzon, here, junior varsity; September 11, Iraan, there, seventh, eighth and junior varsity; September 25, Mason, there, all teams; October 2, Junction, here, all teams; October 16, Ozona, here, seventh and eighth, there, junior varsity; October 30, Ozona, here, junior varsity, there, seventh and eighth; and November 6, Big Lake, here, junior varsity, there, seventh and eighth.

THE SOLUTION....

Sometimes our politicians, leaders and scientists don't look in the right spots for solutions to their problems. For years now they've been arguing about building Stacy Lake, and most recently have postponed it because of the Concho Water Snake.

Happ Doss of Eldorado stopped this columnist on the street last week and offered the best solution to the problem we've heard yet. Happ says that all of those folks who have been going to the environmental impact meetings arguing with those idiots from the Corps of Civil Engineers should use their time more wisely.

"If each one of those fellers would take a stick and go out there and walk up and down that creek knocking those Concho snakes in the head, there wouldn't be no problem," Happ proclaimed.

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS....

What do can can girls, cowboys, Indians and "Jake the Snake" have in common? They will all be starring in "The Saga of Sagebrush Sal".

Tremendous community support was recorded at the play's tryouts. "It was great. We had a super turnout," directors Marcy Willis and Carol Graham reported.

Cast as can can girls and Indian maids are Frankie Hardy, Vidette Sallee, Teresa Montgomery, Jan Wallace, Lynna Mikeska, Betsy Thackerson, Sheila Prater, Becky Jones, Debbie Joy, Elsa Williams, Louise Burk, and Karen Henderson.

Set to play cowboys are Steve Williams, Bill Dakan, Jacky Willis, Trey Walker and Danny Willeke.

"Jake the Snake" will be portrayed by John Stensby, while Sal will be played by Mabel Blaylock, and Nida Chambers will be Hazeltine. Hearthleed Haymeadow will be played by Lynn Williams, and Michelle Marsh will play the skunk.

Narrators will be Jo Ann Sproul and Jim Hardy. Members of the production crew will be Marcy Willlis, Carol Graham and Ginny Lamb.

At 1 p.m. the beard growing contest will be held, followed by costume awards and water polo. The Tucana Band, featuring Jerry Jackson, will play at 1.

At 2 p.m. square dancing will be on tap, followed at 2:15 by the obstacle course and at 3:15 by the egg toss. At 4 p.m. the wet tug of war will be held.

Many booths have already been reserved, including the Overall Cookers, a new "Country Store", cotton candy, fajitas, cake walk, arts See CELEBRATION Page 6.

In an effort to improve the Leader-Success even more, we have been asking leading citizens what they would like to see in the newspaper each week. Here's what one said: -My name.

--A front page article showing how crooked the government is most of the time.

--My wife's name.

--A feature story showing 25 ways to cheat on income tax forms.

--My kid's name.

-A local news item about the affair my neighbor is having.

--A classified ad offering a new home for sale for \$4,000.

--More news about lawbreakers.

--Less news about lawbreakers. I was picked up last night and I should not have to pay a fine.

-An editorial condemning high school teachers for being too liberal with "Fs".

See T.B. Page 6

Letters To The Editor

Dear Terry:

Ever since the "spotlight" on Eldorado in the Standard-Times on Sunday, I have heard, "Did I say that?" from people who were interviewed to "Did you say that?" from people who just read the article. The businesses in Eldorado know who support them, and although the paper said different, a local grocery Parker Foods gets 95% or more of my business!...and I shop at the local merchants on a regular basis, as do most of the people I know. The San Angelo based Standard-Times must feel that Eldorado cannot get along without San Angelo grocery stores, etc.!

Anyone for tar and feathers? Terry, it wasn't your error this time. You will admit to an error, but the Standard-Times doesn't although they ask us on Page 4 of their paper to call errors to their attention. Their article last Sunday was basically a repeat of the attitude they tried to reflect when Pave Paws was considering Eldorado.

They come to town with a negative attitude and project that through their articles about Eldorado. What is more, they wait until the facts are cold before they publish them. They were here in February, and lots of things have changed especially the economy. After the Pave Paws art-

icle, I personally wrote the Standard-Times and told them that their article was negative. Admittedly, Eldorado folks wer not jumping up and down in anticipation of Pave Paws, but we were all glad to hear that Pave Paws was moving our way. The Air Force was not encouraging us to roll out the red carpet because they could not make any projections as to how many people might move our way. So far, I know of one new person who has moved to Eldorado because of Pave Paws, and he left not too long ago! Hopefully, there will be some jobs abailable to our local folks who have been laid off from their oilfield jobs.

So, Eldorado, those of you who know me already know that I am an avid supporter of Eldorado - being one of the organizers of Schleicher County Day which promoted business in Eldorado, the Super Santa Celebration, and the Youth Rodeo. I have worked with Beta Sigma Phi on community service projects during the past few years. Several others who were interviewed are also supporters of Eldorado, although the reporter twisted, pulled out of context, etc. anything they said, so that it sounded like we

wanted to stay little and not progressive.

We must be supporters of Eldorado -- having pride in our community on a day to day basis. This means supporting the local businesses, supporting the school functions, the Youth Center, service organizations, etc. One thing is for sure - the Standard-Times article gave the coffee shop group and some others something new to discuss besides the hot, dry weather!

Thank you, Terry, for your support of Eldorado and giving me this opportunity to air my feelings. Carolyn Mayo

Dear Editor,

In re. "Eagles Point" front page article of last week's Leader.

#1. Eagles' Point is not a local government project. It was started by concerned parents and citizens for the youth of our community. It was started by donations by these parents and concerned citizens and then, local governments were asked for their funds to insure yearly operational costs which included maintenance, rent, insurances and salary for the supervisors.

Given documentation and feasibility reports, our local governments found Eagles' Point to be a worthy project deserving of their financial support. Our local governments chose to give Eagles' Point funding.

Eagles' Point is a non-profit organization. It is not operated by the county or school or city or state. It is operated and run by local parents and citizens (the Adult Council) and by local kids (Youth Council) all members of the Eagles' Point Youth Center. They make all decisions involving the progress and interests of E.P.Y.C. They have done a commendable job.

#2. "Those on hand", who thought that the center's rent of \$400 per month plus building upkeep and insurance was extremely high, must have forgotten about who made the lease agreement and who wanted it and who accepted it. No wrenching of arms!

In fact E.P.Y.C. adults knew all this, and they still gave money. They all agreed (save one or two officials) that my good friends, your neigheverything was okay.

#3. This building was not rented to government entities. Again E.P.Y.C. adult council rented this building for the kids.

concerned, I don't know how much is owed, but ask Ray Ballew. He knows that the owners have in good faith taxes up to snuff.

In fact, Johnny Mayo took the time to check it out and even verified the efforts. I a hand full of other property owner's who haven't paid taxes in years. No issue made on them; but then they probably are not government funded.

knows the owners. They happen to be hard working, community minded parents, who have, time after time donated their time, talents and money to support all sorts of community projects from school to city to county and yes, even to district and state projects.

They have done a lot for our community. They are kind, generous, caring people who have chosen to keep their home in Eldorado even though the head of household has had to 'go where the work is' out-of-town; even though the wife works 11 hours a day with two jobs since 'oil field' has closed their business. They are our friends, my dear friends.

#6. It makes me sick to think that my friends, Eldorado's friends, were belittled so, even though no names were mentioned. How dare you, our governmental leaders, and E.P.Y.C. adult council, allow such an insult when you know there is more to the story than what was reported in the paper last week?

#7. The problem is that we have to make cuts in our can't afford to continue the financial support they initially approved.

Make the darn cuts, or friends' name and reputation, approached the owners with don't fund E.P.Y.C. at all! Let's and that now you know that the idea. Local governments not "pass the buck" by saying the rent is too high or that what meets the eye." back taxes are owed making bors, the heavies.

If E.P.Y.C. is to survive, they will, whether local funding is available or not. E.P.Y.C. will continue as long as there are caring parents and citizens #4. As far as taxes are of our community; as long as several things that were exthe kids want it too!

#8. Our local governments fund other projects which have been in the budget longer than made payment to bring their E.P.Y.C. These funds are applied and approved annually. Some projects are more worthy than others.

It might be worth while if don't think taxes owed exceed this paper printed copies of what governments fund what project and how much each gets if not distributed equally. Maybe, "we the people" should become more involved and find #5. Everyone involved out just exactly what it is we, the tax payer, the "bread and butter" of our community want.

> Perhaps our government leaders could approach problems better with our voiced concerns. (I for one, am putting a feather in Johnny Mayo's hat for his efforts in getting down to facts and checking on taxes paid by the owner of E.P.Y.C.'s building. He is our commissioner Precinct 1.)

There may be some others who feel the way we do and confront you. I don't expect you to print this letter in your editorial. It's too long and choppy. My purpose in writing this is not to berate the Leader nor anyone else. I'm sure that the article was written from factual first hand observation.

However, obviously, if I had been at the meeting I would have brought up the rest of the story and then your article would have not focused so on pointing the finger at the owners of E.P.Y.C. building.

There are several others who feel as I do, as I've said. Maybe an interview from us would be appropriate. If nothing else, a more possitive light And if nothing else is done

or said, at least I'll be satisfied that I have spoken for my good

"there is always more than

Sincerely yours, Janee Lacy Finley

Dear Editor.

Re: Eagles' Point Youth Center.

As owners of this property. would like to point out cluded from your article. (1) E.P.Y.C. came to us to

rent/lease said property. For the rent, they have the building which is 60' X 90' plus the fenced in lot next to it to do as they wish.

(2) This past 12 months we have paid a total of \$2800.00 in property tax to Ray Ballew and Dorothy Evans. Feel free to call and verify this.

(3) We were never under the impression nor did we ever deal with any politician or governmental body on this matter.

(4) A one year rent/lease was signed April 3, 1986.

As the owners, we fully intend to stand behind our word and our part of said lease. We refuse to be a political scapegoat.

Thank you, Owners of E.P.Y.C. property Marlene & John Mitchell

Dear Sir,

Enclosed is my check for \$13.00 to renew my paper. I was borned and raised in Eldorado, but moved after I graduated in 1948.

However, I still have relatives there and I really do enjoy my hometown paper. Thank you

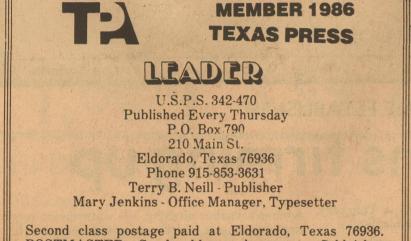
Delma "Logan" Busby 715 SW 12th Street Mineral Wells, Tx 76067 Daughter of the late Mar-

vin and Winnie Logan.

Dear Editor,

Enclosed is my check for subscription renewal.

You are doing a great job getting news out to your readers. I enjoy getting my paper very much. It is the next budgets. Local government might be thrown on the issue. Please keep up the good work. best thing to a visit home. Sincerely, Hazel M. Belhartz



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Any erroneous reflection upon the character or standing of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

HALT RIGHT THERE! July is now subscription month In Schleicher and **Irion Counties** \$11.00 Elsewhere \$13.00 \$2.00 Senior **Citizen discount Schleicher County** Leader-Success

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FEDERAL RESERVE NOTE

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor.

When I opened the Sunday paper was I surprized! Eldorado all through it; great pictures, good opinion, and genuine love for Eldorado expressed by our citizens.

It was great because I feel the same way. I love Eldorado! The best place in the world to live; good schools, churches, hospital, and businesses.

I was disappointed in a

Registration at elementary School slated

Students in grades kindergarten through fourth need to attend registration from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the day, August 6 and Thursday, August 7.

School officials ask that students call 853-2770 to confirm registration.

New students are asked to bring their birth certificates and immunization records.

cially since they seem to dog. expect it to support them. We need support now too.

Oh sure, we don't have a Sachs 5th Avenue, but then you might look a little funny sitting in church on Sunday outfitted from Sachs. God's not "pickey" about your dress as long as you're present.

We sure don't have a big chain grocery store, owned by foreigners, stocked with every junk or fast food made. Of course, if we did have, we sure would need weight watchers!

Oh yes, we don't have a neurological surgeon or a cardiovascular surgeon, luckily you probably won't need one for a common cold or stomach ache.

Look around in Eldorado, elementary school on Wednes- you might be surprised what you do find. An original hand made gift, fresh meat and produce, good bargains, and best of all - good friends who need our support.

> Thanks. Rene Calcote P.S. The dog food in our local

couple of opinions that didn't stores is cheaper than any support our economy, espe- around -- and we have a BIG

> Christoval, Texas July 25, 1986

Dear Mr. Neill,

Please find enclosed my check for \$13.00. I am a long time subscriber. Enjoy the Leader very much. Appreciate all of the improvements to the paper.

Thanks, Wm. Stigler

VANDUSENS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. VanDusen spent the weekend at their son-in-law's and daughter's place on Lake J.B. Thomas.

Former residents of Eldorado now living in Snyder and the VanDusen's visited at the Lake Saturday night.

They were James and Terry Sullivan and their daughters, Rebecca (Becky) and Jamie.

James is now employed at Sun Oil and Terry works part time at the Senior Citizen's Center.

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Vandals damage equipment

COST TAXPAYERS \$3,000

of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT) reported to work early. They were seal coating RM 2596 in Schleicher County Southeast of Eldorado.

What the crew did not know was that someone had visited the job site the night before. As they got the equipment ready, the work of the visitors was discovered.

The visitor or visitors were gone but they had left 12 tires slashed on some of the equipment. Were they mad at the Department? Their girlfriend? Had the Department of Public

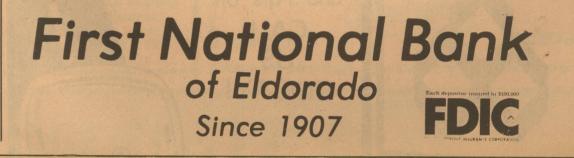
One morning recently the Safety Trooper recently given to repair the damage. If it is crew of the State Department them a ticket? Or perhaps they were "just having a little fun."

> "We will probably never know. Regardless of the reason for their actions the cost to the DHT in new tires and labor, including overtime because of the delay, totaled just under \$3,000. This is taxpayers money that should have been used for the maintenance of the highways," a spokesman said.

"Vandalism costs everyone money. If it is against the government (federal, state, county or city) we all pay taxes cluded.

done to a merchant then the price of his merchandise must be raised to pay for the damage. If an individual is the target then because of insurance claims all our homeowner or automobile insurance premiums will increase.

"The vandal may get a few moments of pleasure but the general public has to pay for the damages done. Think twice about the total results of your acts and if it will hurt others then refrain from the temptation," the spokesman con-



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Todd Swift gets Extension job

SON OF LOCAL AGENT HIREDAT BALLINGER

Swift has accepted the position West Central District Seven of of Assistant County Extension the Texas Agricultural Exten-Agent-Agriculture for Runnels sion Service. County effective July 21.

SS rep sets visit

John Willis, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his August visit to Eldorado. He will be at the county courthouse on Thursday, August 21 between 1:30 and 2:30 p.m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

Club.

In addition to his school

work the new agent has a rich

background in agricultural

work having acted as a farm

operator in the Wall area

where he was responsible for many activities involved in

farming and ranching. He has

also worked in the livestock

mineral business where he was

responsible for mineral sales.

speaking to

Menard Club

MENARD -- Elmer Kelton,

award-winning author, will

discuss his novels in a Sesquicentennial program sponsored

by the Menard Library Club assisted by the Menard His-

torical Society. It will be at the

Menard Community Center,

August 8, (Friday) at 7 p.m. One of the main books will

be "The Wolf and the Buffalo" which was selected as a Texas

All ranchers, farmers,

readers of good books and

Sesquicentennial Book.

The appointment was with Allen Turner, County announced by county judge Extension Agent-Agriculture. Michael Murchison and Ken He will be responsible for He will be responsible for assisting Turner with Extension activities in the farming and ranching communities of Runnels County. In addition, he will coordinate all agricultural 4-H activities in the county.

At ASU he was involved with the livestock judging

You and your kids will have an experience you'll never forget at VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Church of Christ for ages 4 years old through grade 6. at the church building on MERTZON HWY. during the week of August 4-8 from 9 a.m. till 11 a.m.

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BALLINGER -- Todd W. Cook, District Director for team and the Block and Bridle

The new agent will work

Swift was graduated from Elmer Kelton Angelo State University in 1984 with a B.S. in Animal Science and is completing his M.S. in Animal Reproduction, also from Angelo State University.

especially followers of Mr. Kelton are invited. Immunization **Clinic slated** in Eldorado

There will be an Immunization Clinic at the Memorial Building in Eldorado, August 12 for all children, two months old to pre-school age.

The hours are from 10-12 a.m. and 1-2 p.m. This clinic is sponsored by the Texas Department of Health and the nursing staff of the San Angelo field office. It is free of charge and everyone is welcome.

Using bright yellow paint mark regular parking stalls in the garage for children's bicycles and wagons.

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The City of Eldorado will hold a Budget Hearing on the proposed City Budget for Fiscal Year 1986-87 (September 1, 1986 through August 31, 1987). The hearing will be held Monday, August 11, 1986 at 7:30 P.M. at City Hall.

All interested citizens will have an opportunity, to give written and/or oral comment.

The proposed budget is summarized as follows:

> Utility Fund \$631,525.00 General Fund 176,300.00 Trash Fund 96,000.00 \$903,825.00 Total

Proposed budget figures may be examined weekdays at City Hall between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.

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City Secretary

ENJOYING CAMP -- These Schleicher County 4-Hers and their leaders enjoyed 4-H Camp at Cloudcroft, New Mexico, July 21-25. Pictured are [back row] Stan Meador, Ginger Sterling, Stephen Whitten, Ashley Johnson, Carter Edmiston, and Nancy Lester, County Extension Agent, Home Economics. On the front row are [l-r] Jerry Swift, County Agent, Brent Moore, Justin Paxton, Justin Edmiston, Bodie Gilstrap, Belinda Turner, Cole Turner, Houston Henderson and Tommy Engelke, Director of Member and Public Relations, Farm **Credit Banks of Texas.** [Contributed Photo]

Eldorado boys attend Basketball camp

Dusty Barton, Stan Meador, Chris Meador, Matt Lloyd, and Jamie Belk attended Mark Adams' All Star Boys' Basketball Camp at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview, July 13-18.

Dusty Barton and Chris Meador were members of the runner up team in the finals.

Dusty Barton was elected to the Senior All Star Team, won the Defense Award, a

Hustle Award, and the free throw competition.

Stan Meador was also elected to the Senior All Star Team, won a Hustle Award, and the lay-up competition.

Coach Mark Adams gave special recognition to all the Eldorado boys attending and commented that he was looking forward to good things from these boys in the future.

42 Club meets

The "42" Club is still active charter members have passed Etheridge tendered her resig-on or resigned but new mem- nation which was accepted bers take their place.

The secretary has not been so active for the last year since undergoing cancer surgery and fore the actions of the Club

During a brief business and playing twice a month as meeting presided over by they have since the "20's". The Louise Logan, president, Lois

with regrets. Others present were Bessie Clifton, Etta Ruth Dannheim, Zelma Henderson, Maudie two attacks of phlebitis, there- Bassinger, Jessie Sudduth and Jewel Van Dusen. The hostesses served a The players met July 25 at Chocolate Marshmallow dessert with coffee and lemonade. "If you would hit the mark, you must aim a little above it; Every arrow that flies feels the attraction of Longfellow earth.

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Leader-Success, Thursday, July 31, 1986 Page 5 SET NEW GOAL Eagle Boosters organize

An organizational meeting of the Eldorado Eagle Booster Club was held last Friday night. Projects for the upcoming year and a new slate of officers was discussed.

Eagle head mentor Armando San Miguel opened the meeting by stating that he believes a booster club is needed, and explained some of the University Interscholastic League rules

that apply to boosters. Goal for this year's club as established at Friday's meeting will be to support all Eagle athletes during the 1986-87 school year, both boys and girls.

An All Sports Banquet, sponsored by the Eagle Boosters, will culminate the club's year. Each EHS athlete receives a free ticket to the

PROGRAM SIGNUP

Texas farmers will have an opportunity to bid additional cropland into the government's Conservation Reserve Program during the signup period of August 4-15. This will be the third signup this year for the five-year, nationwide program that was created as part of the 1985 farm bill, points out a solid specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. So far, U.S. farmers have enrolled 3.8 million acres (300,000 in Texas) in the program.

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fete, where all will be recognized.

Projects discussed for the new year included a barbecue before the Brady scrimmage and the selling of ads for the football schedule and programs. The club will also have a booth at Schleicher County Days.

Next meeting for the boosters will be Monday, August 4 at the high school field house, beginning at 7:30 p.m. San Miguel will introduce each of his coaches and their wives, and guide a tour of the new field house. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

"The booster club welcomes anyone who would like to be a member. The only qualification needed is to be an Eagle supporter," a spokesman said.

The largest seeds in the world are the nuts of the cocode-mer found on islands in the Indian Ocean. One nut may weigh up to 50 pounds.

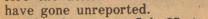


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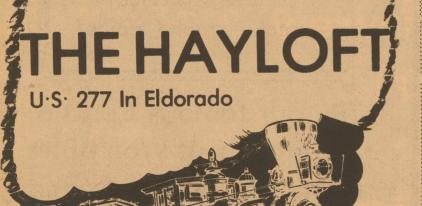
the home of Virginia Griffin, who acted as co-hostess with Lois Etheridge as hostess. Strickland were guests.

There were nine members PHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED playing while Gladys Gunn, ADS TO THE LEADER-Edith Shaw and Mary Etta SUCCESS AT 853-3631.

Friends,

We like to visit with our friends and customers, but we've been having a little problem with folks parking their vehicles in our drive—thru area while they shop. Please don't stop shopping with us or visiting, but if you're coming in please park in one of our convenient parking spaces, leaving the drive—thru clear for those in a hurry.

Thank You, Gloria Swift





Page 6 Leader-Success, Thursday, July 31, 1986 Top of The Divide

been pretty high of late. It may memories of side-boards. My have taken summer little time aunt Jenny kept surprises in to get here but it did. Not a the big side-board in my moment too soon either. How grandfather's house. That many of you remember these side-board was so big I could summer months "BA", before crawl inside and hide in there air conditioning. Those were the days when lemonade was made from lemons. I remember my parents had those cardboard fans (where I grew was this sort of loss of up they had religious pictures on them).

The old folks, I think saved them from funerals or weddings, depending on the picture. Those fans had little wooden

Well, the temperature has side-board. I have other fond for hours. Any way I have gotten off the track a little; it must be the heat.

What I was leading up to enjoyment that comes with technological improvements. Air conditioning is a good and helpful thing. For many people it is probably a lifesaver. It is just that some how the cold handles. Mom kept them in a things don't seem to satisfy as

much.

That little cardboard fan seemed a read "God-send". Even the sun going down had more significance when it signaled some relief from the sun's relentless heat. Air conditioning keeps us inside too long. We don't see our neighbors as often. No one faints in church anymore. I am sure that the people who fainted are glad about that, but what of the opportunity those occa-sions presented for people to minister to one another.

I am only raising these questions to see if anyone else has even noticed. We have managed to make our lives so comfortable that we may have also lost the ability to know when others need us.

Not so here on the Divide. We better be on the lookout though. Progress is a very insidious thing and has a way of making it even to such remote corners of this land as here.

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and barbecue.

moustache.

I give you the spread in Sunday, July 27 San Angelo paper. With that sort of notoriety soon all the jet setters will be down upon us like flies. It would be nice to see a few businesses in Eldorado...but...God save us from boutiques!!!!!!

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• RABIES Continued from Page 1 •• t.b.

has a preference for nervous tissue -- nerves of the body and brain.

The virus travels up the nerves to the brain of an animal or human bitten at a rate of three milimeters per hour. From the brain it travels fish. down all nerve trunks and salivary glands.

Infected dogs are especially dangerous, Edmiston believes, because they are "friends" of the family. "Dogs are normal to our environment, accustomed to being around people, expecially children."

The rabies virus can be present for three to eight days in a dog's saliva before any signs appear, Edmiston added. Signs of rabies exposure include restlessness, a depraved appetite, excitement, unprovoked biting, extra salvatation, general paralysis.

"Dogs usually show a change of temperament, are apprehensive and hide and shun company," Edmiston said.

Should a person be bitten, Edmiston says there are three things to do immediately. First identify and confine or kill the biter so that his head can be submitted for testing, wash the wound with soap and water and consult your physician, he added.

and crafts, kiddie rides, balloons, baby clothes,

security purposes, dunking booth, snow cones,

fruit and soft drinks, embroidery, booster club

talents will be showcased and a jail will be

operated for men who do not have a beard or

Bill Dakan and his chuckwagon cooking

Anyone who has interesting quilts, afghans

Tickets for the Sesquicentennial quilt are

still available from Mrs. Ben Isaacs. Elton

or any handiwork with an interesting back-

ground is asked to bring it to the Memorial

Building on August 8 to be displayed there.

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--A wedding picture of the groom instead of the bride when he is more handsome than she is pretty

--A sports picture of me when I caught a big

--More ads on things that merchants are giving away.

-A page one picture of my neighbor being hauled out of the bar by his wife.

--A front page story about the deadbeat who lives across the street and who just had his car repossessed.

-Forget the last one, I just got word the finance company is on its way for my car.

-More letters to the editor naming the crooks we have in town.

--A full page of local news, a page of national news, several pages of sports and comics, one page of divorces, and three pages of all the other domestic troubles we have in town.

-Less stuff about how cute everybody else's kids are.

-A complete biographic sketch about the "Most Important Citizen In Town" and be sure

to spell my name right! JUST KIDDING -- we stole this list from Menard News publisher Dan Feather's "Around Town" column. He said he stole it from another paper, and so forth, on down the line.

ceramics, woodwork, child fingerprinting for • EDITORIAL Continued from Page 1

someone trying to stir up a controversy.

Everyone has to pull together in Eldorado. We can ride out the hard times with the right attitude--both from our residents and public officials.

Earlier in the week this editorial would have been a little differently written. We, like our merchants, were genuinely offended at several statements in the article. But how are we to be sure they were made? Statements made when coats are needed to ward of the blustery February air tend to lose a little credence.

In closing we would like to challenge the Standard-Times to do another story....talk ing to people now, looking at our community now, not six months ago.



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Rev. Dale Watts

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Worship 10:45a.m.

M.Y.F. 5:30p.m.

Adult Bible Study 6:30p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF

LATTER DAY SAINTS

Bishop Keith Knepp Priesthood 11:00a.m.

Primary 10:00a.m.

Relief Sec. 11:00a.m. Sunday School 10:00a.m.

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Bible School set in August

Our Lady of Guadalupe been scheduled for August Catholic Church will have its 11-15 but had to be changed annual Vacation Bible School, because of a conflict. August 4-8.

to noon for students who were or Nell Edmiston at 853-2394. in grades K-6 last year.

This year's theme is "Scripture Safari" and includes a variety of Bible lessons, games, arts and crafts and music.

For more information, call Classes will be from 8 a.m. Rev. Louis Moeller at 853-2663

> PHONE YOUR NEWS TO THE LEADER-SUCCESS AT 853-3631.

The classes had originally CLASSIFIED ADS WORK.

THANK YOUS

A CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my heart felt thanks to each and every one of you who remembered me during my recent stay in the hospital.

A special thanks to those who sent flowers, cards, letters and made phone calls. And also for your prayers, I believe they helped a lot. "The effectual fervant prayer of a rightous man availeth much."

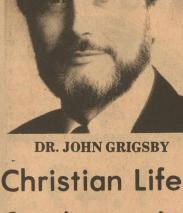
Also a great big thanks to Ronnie, Ron and Duwain Sauer and Steve and Leon Williams Christian Life for tending to my things and plowing and planting my fields. May the Lord bless each Serningr set one of you.

The family of Clemens and Winnie Sauer And girls Christabel, Linda, Nan and Phyllis. (1X-7/31/86-pd)

THANK YOU

There are no words that can adequately express what we would like to say to the many friends of Mark who have in so many different ways expressed their love and caring. Just know that we love and appreciate each of you and are grateful for each life Mark touched. To his family Mark was a special son and brother bright, articulate and loving. The void he left will never be filled, nor will the hurt ever subside, but we are so grateful for the job which Mark gave to us and to so many of you. We are incredulous at the outpouring of love and caring words and deeds that have surrounded us during this time. It is apparent to us that although he spent such a short time with us the impact of his life on so many couldn't be greater if he had lived much longer. His life, although short, was full - due mostly to all those he befriended.

Special thanks to Rev. Chris Graham who delivered God's special message for all of



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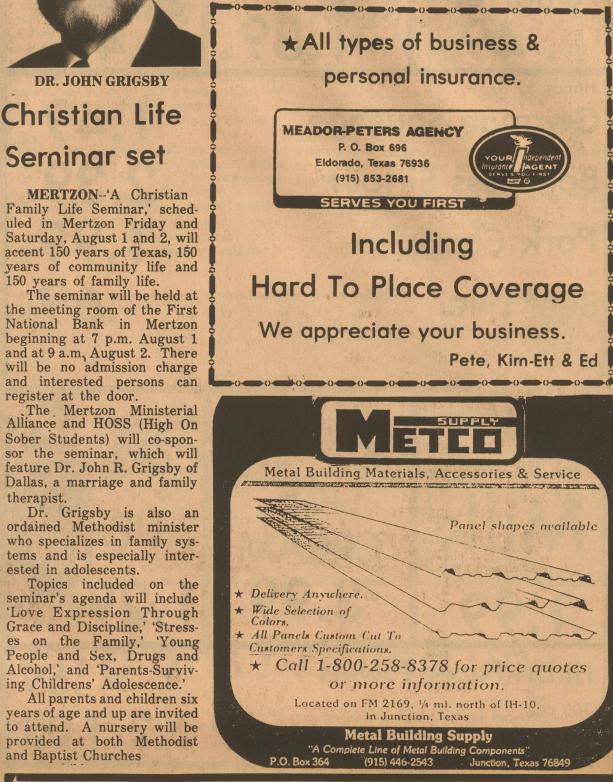
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attend Thank God It's Friday (T.G.I.F.) this Friday, August

T.G.I.F ON TAP Friday All kids from the age of had a really great time," a three to 12 are invited to spokesman said.

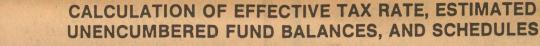
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T.G.I.F. is set for the first Friday of each month. "We 1, from 4 to 5:30 at the Agapt Assembly of God Church on the corner of Warner and "Last month we freshments and Shadrach, the

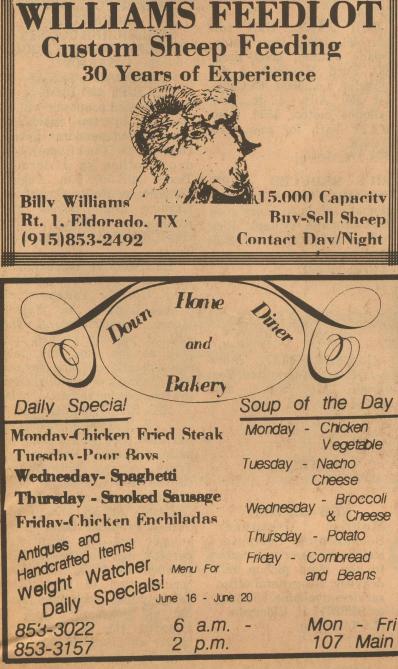


CITY OR SPECIAL DISTRICT: City of Eldorado

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exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the City of Eldorado a public hearing as required by the code. The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Maintenance & Operation fund: \$ 53,500 The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Interest & Sinking fund: \$ _____.

The following schedule lists debt obligations that 1986 property taxes will pay:

	Principal	Interest & Fees		Totals
1982 Certificates of Obligation	\$10,000	\$13,586		\$23,586
1983 General Obligation Bonds	-0-	32,401		32,401
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CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE

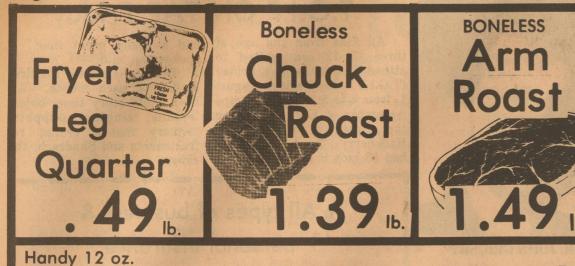
MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION (M&O) TAX RATE 1. 1985 total tax levy 133,081 56,227 Subtract 1985 debt service (I&S) levy -0--0-4. Subtract 1985 taxes for property becoming exempt in 1986 - \$ --0-5. Subtract 1985 taxes for property appraised at less than market value in 1986 ... 6. Subtract 1985 taxes used to regain lost 1984 taxes because of appraisal roll errors 76,854 7. Adjusted 1985 M&O levy (subtract #2, #3, #4, #5, and #6 from #1) 22,901,080 8. 1986 total taxable value of all property 448,000 9. Subtract 1986 value of new improvements added since 1/1/85 -0-10. Subtract 1986 value of annexed property added since 1/1/85 22,453,080 11. Adjusted 1986 taxable value for M&O (subtract #9 and #10 from #8) Divide the adjusted 1985 M&O levy (#7 above) by the adjusted 1986 taxable s <u>0.0034228</u> value for M&O (#11 above) (\$ 76,854 ÷ \$ 22,453,080) × \$100 13. Multiply by \$100 valuation 14. Effective M&O rate for 1986 \$ _0.34228 /\$100 INTEREST AND SINKING (I&S) TAX RATE 55,987 15. 1986 I&S levy needed to satisfy debt s 22,901,080 1986 total taxable value for all property Divide the 1986 I&S levy (#15 above) by the 1986 total taxable value (#16 above) (\$ 55,987 \div \$ 22,901,080) 0.0024447 × \$100 18. Multiply by \$100 valuation \$ 0.24447/\$100 19. Effective I&S rate for 1986 APPRAISAL ROLL ERROR RATE 20. Rate to raise the 1985 levy because of appraisal roll errors -0- /\$100 (\$ ______ ÷ \$ _____) × \$100 21. Add rate to regain 1985 taxes lost because of appraisal roll errors -0- /\$100 (\$ ______ ÷ \$ _____) × \$100 -0- /\$100 22. Total rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors TOTAL EFFECTIVE TAX RATE FOR 1986

s 0.34228 / \$100 23. Effective M&O rate (#14 above) + \$ 0.24447 /\$100 24. Add effective I&S rate (#19 above) + 5 _____ /\$100 25. Add rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors (#22 above) s 0.58675 /s100 26. 1986 Effective Tax Rate

1986 Effective Tax Rate is the tax rate published as required by Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code.

- 27. Rate required for additional indigent health care services _____) × \$100
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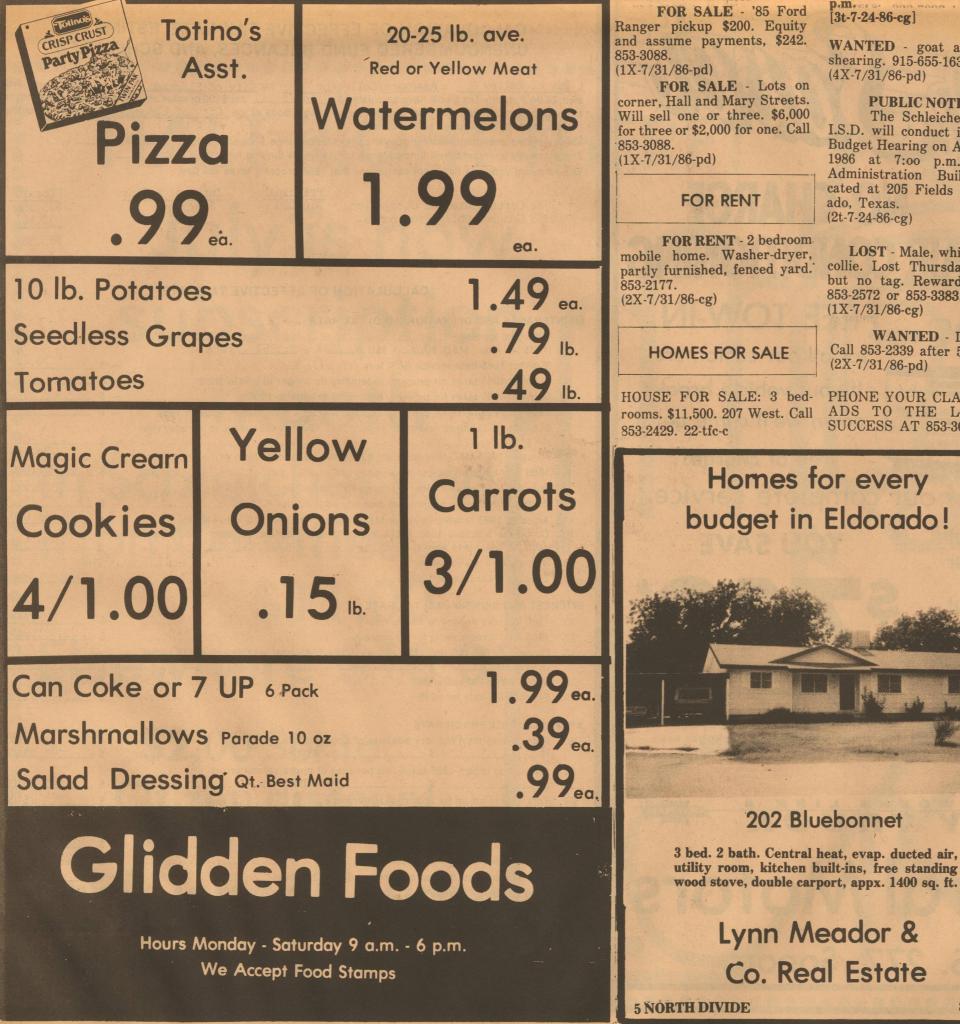
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Warner. Baby items, boys

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Date of Sale: August 5, 1986 Place: Schleicher County

Courthouse Steps Time: 1:00 p.m.

Terms: Cash For further information,

(4t-7-17-86-cn)

contact Diana Amador, Loan Officer SAB-San Antonio, TX, 512-229-6290.

PIANO FOR SALE WANTED: Responsible party to assume small monthly payments on piano. See locally. Call Credit Manager 1-800-

447-4266. FOR SALE-- 1982 Pontiac Bonneville, 4-door, 45,000 miles. \$4800. Call 853-2642 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE--2 year old reg. AQHA Gelding, broke and gentle. Been on the race track. Makes a good barrel racing Contact Rooster horse. Jackson, 853-2627.

FOR SALE--10 acres of land, three-fourths of a mile out on McIntosh Road. Financing available if necessary. High-way frontage. 853-2795

FOR SALE-- 1977 Ford Thunderbird. Call 853-2681 9-5 or 853-3136 5 & after

FOR SALE - '85 Ford Ranger pickup \$200. Equity and assume payments, \$242.

FOR SALE - Lots on

(4X-7/31/86-pd) **PUBLIC NOTICE** The Schleicher County I.S.D. will conduct its annual Budget Hearing on August 18, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. in the Administration Building located at 205 Fields in Eldorado, Texas. (2t-7-24-86-cg)

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS **OF THE FOLLOWING WORK FOR SCHLEICHER COUNTY**

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

ELDORADO, TEXAS RECEIPT OF BIDS:

Sealed proposals will be received by the Schleicher County Independent School District at the Superinten-dent's office in Eldorado, Texas, until 5:00 p.m., August 18, 1986, for Re-Roofing of the Existing High School and Auditorium Building, Schlei-cher County I.S.D., Eldorado, Texas.

Bids shall be addressed to the Board of Trustees, Schleicher County Independent School District, % Weldon Moore, Superintendent, and will be publicly opened and read at the time and date above mentioned. Bids may not be withdrawn or modified after the time set for receipt of bids. BID REQUIREMENTS:

A Cashier's Check or Certified Check on a state or national bank in the state of Texas, payable without re-course to the Schleicher County Independent School District, or an acceptable Surety Proposal Bond in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the largest possible total bid, including consideration of any Alternates, must accompany each bid as guarantee that, if awarded the contract, the bidder will promptly enter into a contract and execute bonds as outlined in the Specifications and Instructions to Bidders. A Performance and Payment Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price shall be required of the successful bidder.

PRIME CONTRACT:

All work will be awarded under a single contract. **BIDDING DOCUMENTS:** The contractor may obtain Plans and Specifications from Gary Donaldson Architects & Planning Consultants, 223 S. Bryant Blvd., San Angelo, Tx 76903, (915) 655-4805

LOST - Male, white border collie. Lost Thursday. Collar but no tag. Reward offered. 853-2572 or 853-3383. (1X-7/31/86-cg)

Call 853-2339 after 5 p.m.

SUCCESS AT 853-3631.

WANTED - Day work. (2X-7/31/86-pd)

PHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADS TO THE LEADER-

202 Bluebonnet

BID ACCEPTANCE:

In compliance with House Bill #1612, 66th Legislature, Regular Session, the Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The Owner reserves the right to waive any formalities in bids or bidding. The Owner may accept any bid deemed advantageous.

(2X-7/31/86-cg)

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Schleicher County I.S.D. would like to extend an invitation to bid on the gasoline supply for the 1986-87 school year. We have a 600 gallon tank on school property and will use approximately 25,000 gallons of regular grade. A bid on Diesel will be received; however, we do not have storage tanks and your bid would be at your service

station or key lock system. A bid on No-lead will also be received. A tank must be provided or your bid would be at your service station or key lock system.

A bid on motor oil will also be reviewed. The oil must be SAE-30 weight in a 55 gallon drum and must exceed APISF and be equivalent to Havoline Supreme.

Prices are to be quoted in cents per gallon on regular and no-lead, and in the event of a price increase from your supplier, a written notification will be required. Schleicher County I.S.D is exempt from Federal Excise Tax, our Tax dent of Schools, P.O. Box w, Prices are to reflect this discount.

All bids must be returned to the Superintendent's office by 4:00 p.m. August 18, 1986. All bids must be addressed to J. Weldon Moore, Superintendent of Schools, P.O. Box w, Eldorado, Texas 76936.

853-2808