NAMED OUTSTANDING EMPLOYEE **Bob Lester wins honors**

Transwestern Pipeline Company shift foreman Bob Lester manages to stop by Eldorado City Hall for at least 20 minutes every day. A social visit? No, he's mayor of this small West Texas community, the home of approximately 2,100 residents.

"If you live in a small town, the chances are excellent you'll get involved in community service," stated Bob.

Lester was recently named as one of Enron Corporation's 10 outstanding employees for 1986. The winners were selected among hundreds of employees on the basis of community involvement.

Lester's own life bears out this statement, having been active as a community volunteer since 1972. His activities currently run the record of achievements includes successfully

gamut from serving as town mayor and treasurer for his church to assisting his wife with 4-H program activities and serving on the Schleicher County Rodeo Association which sponsors little league baseball and an annual rodeo. He's also a member of the Eldorado Progress Council.

Prior to these diverse activities, he served on the city council from 1980-82, was a municipal court judge from 1984-85, and acted as an emergency care attendant with the town's ambulance service from 1972-1983

"I wish I could still do it all, but being mayor takes up most of my volunteer time now," Bob stated. He's held that post since 1982 and his

securing grant funds to help construct a new sewer plant, to serve a section of town that had never had sewer service before.

Each outstanding employee received a commemorative plaque and \$1,000 to donate to the community organizations of their choice. Bob had no trouble choosing an organization. "We didn't have anything in Eldorado that fit the criteria, but some of our local people have received physical therapy at the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in San Angelo, so I knew they did good work."

"I've lived here since I was four years old, and I do all of this for the satisfaction of being able to give back to the community a little of what it has given to me and my family."

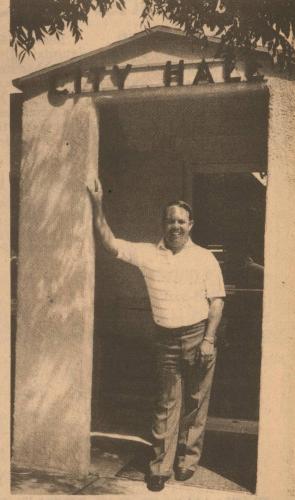
Meador rites held Tuesday

Tom Meador, 43, died at 2 a.m. Monday at his residence in San Angelo.

Graveside services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Evergreen Cemetery in Ballinger with the Rev. Harold Perdue officiating. Rains-Seale Funeral Home of Ballinger was in charge of arrangements.

He was born April 3, 1943, in San Angelo. He was a Schleicher County rancher and was a member of the First United Methodist Church. He married Pamela Scott on July 9, 1985, in San

See MEADOR Page 7.



OUTSTANDING EMPLOYEE--Recently recognized as one of his company's "10 outstanding employees", Bob Lester makes his daily stop by the Eldorado City Hall, where he offices as mayor, just one of many volunteer positions he holds in this West Texas community. Lester works for Transwestern Pipeline Company, a Houston-based Enron Corp. subsidiary and part of a 37,000 mile pipeline network.

Schleicher invasion set

Schleicher County is one of 16 Central and West Texas counties which will be invaded early next year when thousands of Fort Hood soldiers from a number of military units conduct maneuvers in the area.

Labeled "Roadrunner 87", the military exercise, exercise will begin January 23 and close January 30, according to the Fort Hood Public passas, Burnet, Hamilton, Llano, San Saba, Information Office.

More than 4,000 soldiers and 500 vehicles will participate in the massive exercise, designed to replicate actual distances for communications, movement and supply activities that can be expected during an actual combat situation.

U.S. Army personnel representing Fort Hood's III Corps are currently coordinating with private land owners and governmental agencies for assistance and permission to use

passas, Burnet, Hamilton, Llano, San Saba, Mills, Brown, Coleman, McCulloch, Mason, Menard, Concho, Runnels and Tom Green.

'Various numbers of men and field vehicles will be scattered around the rural areas of each county throughout the exercise," said Capt. Michael Monnett. "Some communities may see

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ELDORADO-JUNCTION GAME 'TOSS-UP'

Good news: No mo 'Murderers Row'

BY TERRY B. NEILL

There was good news and bad news following last Friday night's homecoming confrontation between Edlorado and Mason. The bad news was a 45-0 loss to the state-ranked Punchers, while the good news included impressive homecoming ceremonies.

And this week there is more good news -Eldorado has completed the "Murderers Row" part of its schedule and will travel to Junction Friday night for a game the Harris Rating Systems has called a "toss up".

It will mark the first time this season that the 1-3 Eagles have not been at least a 12-point underdog, playing bullies like Sonora, Iraan and

Michelle Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moore, was crowned homecoming queen during halftime ceremonies Friday night. She was escorted by Brent Thackerson.

Other nominees for the honor were Lisa Rinehart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Rinehart, and Amy Sutto, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ron Sutto, Both girls are seniors.

Dutchesses were Ginger Sterling, daughter Mr. and Mrs. Rick Sterling, freshman; Cynthia Mendez, daughter of Richard Mendez and Louise Mendez, sophomore; and Lori Escalante, daughter of Ms. Sulema Escalante, See GOOD Page 7.

NEILL NEW OWNER Newspaper sale told

In a joint announcement Friday, Debbie interest of Schleicher County. Thanks to all,"
Bratcher of Bowie and Terry B. Neill of Ms. Bratcher said Friday.
Eldorado announced the sale of the Schleicher Neill, a native of Fort Stockton, began his County Leader-Success by Mrs. Bratcher to

Neill, a veteran newsman at 34, has been operating the paper for the past three and one-half months under a lease-purchase agreement with Ms. Bratcher, wife of former publisher the late Finis Bratcher.

The Leader-Success will be operated by t.b. Publishing Company, of which Neill is the sole owner. Ms. Bratcher has returned to her native Bowie, where she is employed at city hall.

"I would like to thank everyone in Eldorado for their kindness and consideration. We miss everyone, but think that the sale of the newspaper has been and will be in the best

newspaper career at the Fort Stockton Pioneer at 16 and purchased his first newspaper at 21. He has owned newspapers in Stanton, Van Horn and Eldorado, owning the Leader in 1978

His Stanton newspaper racked up more awards in a six-year span, both regionally and state-wide, than any other newspaper of its size, including three West Texas Press Association general excellence awards.

Neill is also the youngest president in the history of the West Texas Press Association, the world's largest regional press association and is a former vice-president of Texas Press See NEWSPAPER Page 7.

GETTING HER CROWN-Senior Michelle the Eldorado-Mason football game. Moore receives her homecoming queen tiara during halftime ceremonies Friday night during

Photo

BY TERRY B. NEILL

THEY TREED HIM

Both have been law enforcement officers for mega-years, but neither had seen anything like it before and don't plan on encountering it

Local Chief Deputy Ronnie Norris and Texas Highway Patrol Trooper Buster Lamb were running a standard drivers license check last week when they stopped a rundown old

The driver, attired in buckskins with shell pouch attached, reported to the officers that he was returning from Bracketville where he had played in the remake of "The Alamo", now filming down there.

The problem was he didn't have a Texas drivers license so the two officers asked him to stay put while they checked another state or two where he had lived to find his license.

Much to the officers' surprise, however, the actor didn't stay put. He crawled over a fence and climbed up into a tree, where he sat while the drivers license check was underway.

They he got down, apparently bored, and sat on the ground, encountering a patch of grassburrs which promptly rejected his attentions. To make a long story a little shorter the stranger, heavy on the STRANGE, did have a drivers license and the officers sent him on his ski or die trying! That's a promise-enemies

But they've been grinning ever since. NOT POPULAR.....

Being chief appraiser for the tax appraisal district is not a popular job according to Ray

"When they find a tax appraiser and a skunk run over on the road," Ray relates, "the only difference is there are skid marks in front of the skunk!"

GRACEFUL AT BEST....

There has been a little hint of winter or at least autumn in the air recently and it got this newsman thinking about winter and therefore fireplaces and snow, etc. (Heavy on the etc.)

One project we have in mind for this winter revolves around skiing. We will learn to snow

take note.

Actually we've had one little experience on the slopes. Years ago we took 17 members of our United Methodist Fellowship teens on a

little ski outing to Ruidoso, New Mexico. If you haven't hauled 17 teens on a ski trip you haven't lived. Luckily we had a beautiful cabin, with five bedrooms, pool table and several fireplaces to reside in courtesy of one of our church members. The cabin was probably

never the same.... At any rate we felt sure skiing would be no harder than playing football, basketball, baseball, golf or roping. Our balance was better than most folks' the reasoning went, so why shouldn't we jump right on the snowy sport

See t.b. Page 7.

"Sunshine Gad Abouts"

BY BERTHA HOLLAND home this week were: Irene Blaylock, Dorothy Ratliff, Mary McGinnis, Jerroll Sanders, Mary Karnes from Sonora,

BY BERTHA HOLLAND

Beauty Shop was held Evelyn Stigler and Alpha BlayVisitors in the nursing Saturday. Helen Fay Volunlock. A special piano selection teered her time to make us all beautiful. Thank you, Helen. XXX

Church services were held Mary Speres, Bette and John Sunday by the First Baptist Turner from Kingsland, Texas Church, Music was provided by

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was performed by Melanie and Tracy Stricklan.

Dorothy Ratliff and Mary McGinnis called Bingo Friday. Gertrude Lemons won the most bingos.

XXX

We are having new privacy curtains installed in our last four rooms. We're moving uptown.

Mary Palmer traveled to Houston to see her last granddaughter get married. We know she enjoyed the trip. XXX

Short Story by Irene Teele.

When I was a little girl I didn't like to wear a bonnet. So to keep me from pulling it off, my mother would platt my hair and put it through two holes that she had made in the top of the bonnet. She would then tie them together and I couldn't get the bonnet off unless I pulled my hair. Talk about custom made hats. XXX

You've finally reached old age when to your sorrow, you have found that kicking up your heels no longer gets you off the ground.

XXX Come on Eagles - Beat

Fruit bars low-calorie

Frozen fruit bars have become the latest dieter's delight. But are they actually a "low-calorie" alternative to regular frozen fruit-flavored

According to a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist, the answer is "No".

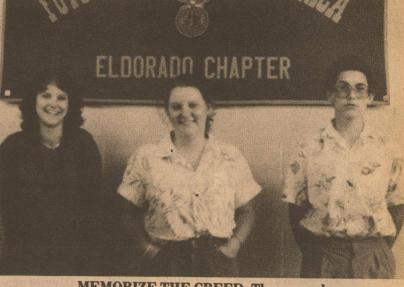
Dr. Alice Hunt points out that national brand frozen fruit bars contain from 50-80 calories per 21/2 ounce bar. The regular frozen fruit confections contain about 60 calories per 2½ ounce bar.

"Frozen fruit bars contain up to 30 percent fruit juice, which imporves their nutritional content over frozen confections," she says. "But they are also no lower in calories than real fruit."

The frozen fruit bars, like frozen confections, also contain added sugars or corn-sweet-

If calorie-conscious people use frozen fruit bars to replace higher calorie snacks, such as ice cream bars, they could be cutting back on their total calories, Hunt notes.

"For someone on a serious weight-loss diet, however, fresh fruit will still provide more nutrients and fiber for fewer calories than frozen fruit bars," says the nutritionist.



MEMORIZE THE CREED-These members of the Vocational Agriculture I Class participated in memorizing the five paragraph creed. The students were judged on voice, stage presence, power of expression, general effect, and accuracy. Dan Pfluger will represent the Eldorado FFA at the District FFA contest held November 17 at Wall. Pictured are [l-r] Vicki Hooten, Kelly Squyres, and Dan Pfluger. [Staff

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Sonora slates Tour of Hornes on October 18

Commerce will sponsor a Fall Festival and Craft Show on Saturday, October 18. Ticket sales will begin at 10 a.m. at the Miers Home Museum on Oak Street and the Home Tour will begin at 1 p.m.

Five Sonora homes will be featured on the tour. Each of these homes is distinct in its own way. One home features the English cottage look, one is a Victorian home built over 75 years ago, one is a country style, and the other two combine country living along said. with treasured antiques. Quality crafts and homemade

The Sonora Chamber of baked goods will be for sale in several of the homes.

As an added plus for visitors, several local businesses will be offering specials or discounts to Home Tour ticket holders. Advance tickets are available at the Sonora Chamber of Commerce, 706 SW Crockett, Sonora, 76950 or you can call 915-387-2880. Tickets are on sale for \$5.00 each.

"Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy this new, annual event!!" a spokesman

School Menu

Monday Uctober b Breakfast - Peaches, Waffles,

Lunch - Meat & Macaroni Casserole, Whole Kernel Corn, Pineapple Slices, Gingerbread with Icing

Tuesday October 7 Breakfast - Prunes, Buttered

Rice, Toast Lunch - Beef & Cheese Enchiladas, Pinto Beans, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Cornbread, Chocolate Pudding

Wednesday October 8 Breakfast - Apple Juice, Cinnamon Toast

Lunch - Beef Stew with Vegetables, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Mixed Fruit, Peanut **Butter Cookies**

Thursday, October 9 Breakfast - Orange Juice, Hot Biscuits, Sausage, Jelly Lunch - Turkey & Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Harvest Cake with Icing

Friday, October 10 Breakfast - Banana, Choice of

Lunch - Hot Dogs with Chili, Corn Chips, Stuffed Celery (Cheese), Pork & Beans, Rice Krispie Cookies



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Top of The Divide

BY THOMAS GIOVANNITTI

know it hurts the young men unsportman-like conduct. That who played even more. Eldorado High has had the fortune to play some rather strong teams in its first four outings. Our boys have managed to defeat one of those teams.

Hopefully district play will have us a little more evenly matched. I am no expert on west Texas football but I have been led to believe that we still face a few tough teams.

What I want to talk about though, is what I think I have seen our young men do. They have been growing up and doing it pretty well too. Some credit must go to the coaches but most of the credit belongs to the students.

Not to take anything away from the Mason football playgame like Friday's.

they have shown on and, I hope, off the field. I hope most of you have noticed that they

Henry Settle services set

Henry Harville Settle, 37, of Mertzon, died at 6:55 a.m. Tuesday in Mertzon.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church of Big Lake. Burial will be in Glen Rest Cemetery in Big Lake, directed by Johnson's Funeral Home of San Angelo.

He was born April 20, 1949, in Big Lake. He married Social Security Kathryn Ann Kiker on September 11, 1971, in Fannett, rep plans visit He was a former resident of

Settle and Rebecca Settle, both county courthouse on Thursof Mertzon; his parents, Mr. day, October 16 between 1:30 and Mrs. Henry Settle of Big and 2:30 p.m. Lake; three brothers, Larry Settle, Carl Settle, and D.W. claim for benefits, get informa-(Opie) Settle, all of Big Lake; tion, or transact other business

45 to 0! That really hurts. I have yet to get any flags for may not seem so important except that it is difficult to remain calm when everything you try turns out wrong and everything your opponent tries works just fine. It is even harder to continue this kind of self control when it happens three weeks in a row.

And it isn't just one young man who stands out, it is the whole team. Many of our players participate in the entire game, playing both offense and defense. It is not easy to maintain one's interest let alone one's enthusiasm during 48 minutes of physical abuse.

I sincerely hope the fortunes of Eldorado High's football team turn to more wins. If the character of the players ers but it is a whole lot easier was the decisive factor, I have to be sportsman-like when you no problem predicting that are on the winning end of a these young men would win every game.

I personally want to congratulate all of the players of acter we will continue to If we fans have any char-Eldorado high's football team support the team by attending for the tremendous character the games and cheering them

> Whatever the outcome of the games yet to be played, if these boys continue to act as they have I am sure that their own personal triumph as they become men will, in the long run, far out-weigh the loss of some high school football

> I know everyone wants to win, but I sometimes think that man can learn much more about himself and what he is really made of when he loses.

You see boys, in real life, which is not a game, we will all eventually lose, so "how you play" is more important....

Edwin Draughon, repre-Survivors include his wife, sentative for the San Angelo Kathryn Settle of Mertzon; Social Security Office, has one son, Josh Settle of Mert-scheduled his October visit to zon; two daughters, Janet Eldorado. He will be at the

Anyone who wants to file a one sister, Linda Lippe of Big with the Social Security Ad-Lake; and several nieces and ministration may contact him at this time.

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Westside Church of Christ



PLAN TO MARRY-Shanna June Swift. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Swift, and Whit Paxton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Paxton, all of Eldorado, will marry on November 25 in the First Presbyterian Church of Eldorado. The wedding will take place at 7:30 p.m. The bride-elect is a 1983 graduate of Eldorado High School and attends Angelo State University, while her fiancee is a 1982 EHS graduate and is employed by Visor. They will make their home in Eldorado. [Contributed Photo]

The longest sermon on record lasted 48 hours and 18 minutes. A congregation of eight was still present at the

Election, Range Tour set

and Water Conservation District will hold a directors election and range tour on October 7. The election will be held at the agriculture facilities south of town at 1:30 p.m.

The tour will follow and

Proud Papa Report

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Greele, of San Angelo are the proud parents of a baby daughter who was born in San Angelo Friday, September 26. She weighed seven pounds, five ounces, was 19 inches long and was named Jennifer Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Billy Hausenfluck (Mrs. Greele is the former Patti Hausenfluck) and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greele of Eldorado.

The Eldorado-Divide Soil consist of observing the results of various methods for controlling mesquite and prickly pear, including use of new chemicals. Dr. Jake Landers, of the Texas Agriculture Extension Service will discuss the various chemicals and application rates that are being studied.

The election of a director for zone one and a director for zone two of the district will also be a part of the program. Billy Hausenfluck is the present director for zone one and David Lloyd is the director for zone two. Only landowners in Schleicher County are eligible to vote, but anyone interested in conservation is invited to

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TEMPLO GETSEMANL ASEMBLEA DE DIOS Rev. Noe E. Bargas Sunday School 10:00a.m. Morning Worship 11:15a.m. Évening Services 5:00p.m. Wed. Family Services 7:00p.m. Tes. Y.P. Services 7:00p.m.

Rev. Ronald J. Sutto Sunday School 10:00a.m. Fellowship Time 10:30a.m. Morning Worship 11:00a.m. Ecuminical Bible Study 9:30a.m. Every Monday Morning Nursery Provided

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PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA ST. PETERS CATHOLIC CHURCH OF MERTZON Pastor Fr. James Betzen Sunday Morning Confession 10:30 Spanish & English Mass 11:00a.m. Tues. Mass 7:00p.m. Tuesday Bible Study 7:30p.m.

MERTZON CHURCH OF CHRIST Preacher Rueben Stanley Sunday Bible Class 10:00a.m. Church 11:00a.m. Wed. Study 7-8p.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00p.m. Ladies Thursday 9-10a.m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Elder Duane McCarty Pastor Services each 2nd & 4th Sunday 10:30a.m. and 2:30p.m. Also on Sat. Night before 2nd Sun. Meeting at 7:00p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MERTZON Pastor Randy Messer Sunday School 9:45a.m. Sunday Worship 11:00a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 7:00p.m. Wednesday Worship 7:30p.m. Prayer Services

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF MERTZON Rev. Dale Watts Sunday School 9:30a.m. Worship 10:45a.m. M.Y.F. 5:30p.m. Adult Bible Study 6:30p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINT Bishop Keith Knepp Priesthood 11:00a.m. Primary 10:00a.m. Relief Sec. 11:00a.m. Sunday School 10:00a.m. Sacrament 9:00a.m.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF MERTZON Minister Jay Spurlin Sunday 10:45a.m.

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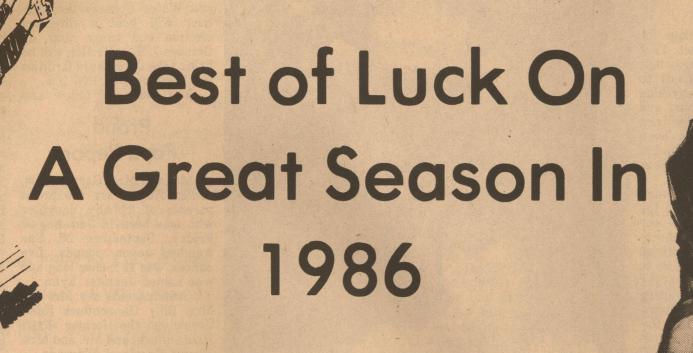
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Edward D. Jones and Company has announced plans to open an office in Sonora, according to John Bachmann, managing partner of the firm. Michael W. Smith has been appointed to be the representative for the firm's office.

Mike Smith received a B.S. and M.S. degree in Agriculture from Texas Tech University. He also received a M.A. degree from Texas A&M University: Prior to joining Edward D. Jones and Company, he worked for the Federal Land Bank Association of Sonora as

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Beta Sigma Phi meets

On Tuesday, September 30, Beta Sigma Phi met in the Lions Club Room for a salad supper and bunko party. It was the annual rush social for prospective members.

Twelve members and two guests enjoyed many delicious salads and a night of bunko.

Members also surprised

longtime member Glenda Harris with a well lighted birthday cake and a memorable round of "Happy Birthday". Guest Teresa Montgomery

walked away with bunko, Stacy Haynes won high game, Flora Hubble won second high game, and Frieda Hanusch was ashamed to admit it but she got

low game. Guests present were Teresa Montgomery and Linda Thurman. Enjoying the meal were members Mary Leigh Dunagan, Sissy Cheatham, Glenda Harris, Tonya Maha-nay, Dee Dee Meyer, Becky Taylor, Brenda Norris and Hostesses Stacy Haynes, Flora Hubble, Frieda Hanusch, Sarah Yates and Kathy Smith.

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Nichols-Minor vows repeated

Park Heights Baptist Church, San Angelo, was the setting for the wedding of Beverly Ann Nichols and Thomas Reuben Minor Saturday evening September 27. The sanctuary was beautifully decorated with candelabras, greenery and pink and white pew bows.

The Rev. Rodger Blocker, associate pastor of Park Heights Baptist performed the

ceremony.

Maid of honor was Tammy Bolin of San Angelo, and bridesmaids were Linda Minor, sister-in-law of the groom of San Angelo, Shanna Farmer of Dallas, and Donna Anderson, cousin of the bride from Big Spring. Flower girl was Amber Bedell, cousin of the bride from

Big Spring.
Steve Minor, brother of the groom of San Angelo was the best man. Brothers of the groom, Jaime Minor and Ben Minor of San Angelo were groomsmen. Morgan Nichols, brother of the bride was also a groomsman.

Ushers were Homer Minor brother of the groom from Eldorado, Kenneth Nichols, Darrell Nichols, and Wayne Nichols, brothers of the bride from Abilene.

Homer Minor and Wayne Nichols lighted the candles. Michael Minor was ring bearer.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dock A. Nichols of Abilene. She is a 1978 graduate of San Angelo Central High School and a 1984 graduate of Angelo State University with a bachelor of Business Administration degree in marketing. She is the secretary for Kent Elliott Roofing Co., San Angelo.

The bride wore a floor length gown of white organza with appliqued satin flowers on the bodice. The fitted bodice had a sweetheart neckline and was scooped in the back. The . ruffled sleeves were accented by the elbow to wrist, lace guantlets.

The full, hooped skirt was edged with rows of ruffles and fell from a dropped waistline. The train was also decorated with rows of ruffles.

Her veil was two tiers of bridal illusion gathered to a floral band of silk flowers. She wore a single strand of pearls and matching earrings to complete the look.

She carried a cascade of silk white roses, stephanotis, and babies breath. For something old she wore the bride's mother's blue garter from her wedding.

The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore rose-colored floor-length, satinlure dresses with princess bodice overlayed with lace, short puffy sleeves,

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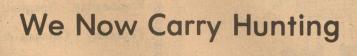
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matching sash at the waist. They all wore a single strand of

The groom is a 1980 graduate of Eldorado High School and attended Angelo State University. He is employed by Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben C. Minor of Eldorado.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails and a white bow tie and cummerbund. The best man and groomsmen wore black tuxedoes with rose colored bow ties and cummerbunds. The ring bearer wore black tails with a rose colored bow tie and cummerbund, while the ushers wore black tuxedoes with black bow ties and cummerbunds.

A.L. Lasater of San Angelo, Ruidosa, New Mexico.

sweetheart neckline and a organist, soloist Rene Massey of San Angelo accompanied by the aunt of the bride, Brenda Bedell of Big Spring.

The reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. The tables were covered with white lace cloths. The bride's table featured a four layer cake decorated with pink roses and a silk flower arrangement of rose and dark blue flowers. The crystal punch bowl was filled with pink punch topped with fruit.

The groom's table featured a live green plant arrangement in a rose colored vase. The octagan shaped cake was decorated with chocolate roses.

Reception music was provided by Mr. A.L. Lasater playing the piano.

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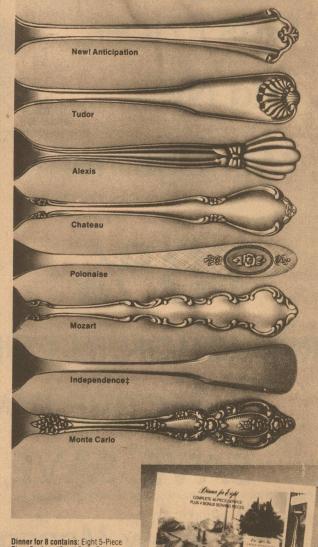
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Those present were the hostess and Bessie Clifton, Zelma Henderson, Opal Parks, Jessie Sudduth, Maudie Bassinger, Etta Ruth Dannheim

and Louise Logan.
Guests were Jake Spencer, Viola Finnigan, Edith Shaw and Gladys Gunn. The hostess served coffee

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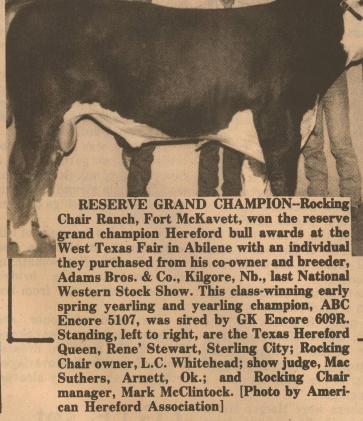
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Points From **Eagles Point**

A meeting of all members and interested adults has been called for October 12 at Eagles Point Youth Center in Eldo-

Adults will convene at 2:30 p.m. followed by members at 3:30 p.m.

The youth center is allowing the Tumbleweeds Gymnastics group to use its facilities every Monday. Anyone interested in these classes should be on hand at 5:30 each Monday.

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AT FREDRICKSBURG MEET

Cross Country teams do well The Eldorado Eagles' Cross junior runner will compete ger Johnson, Robert Martinez,

Country Track Teams faired well at Fredericksburg last ville. weekend. The three Eagle teams each placed second in their divisions.

The junior high girls were edged out by Boerne for first place honors in a five team field. Leading the girls with top 10 finishes were Adriana Martinez, second; and Claudia Martinez, eighth.

Other members of the team are Kristina Aguero, Roxana Martinez, Angie McGregor, Ermelinda Rodriquez, Mary Lou Romero, Mechelle Lozano, Rosemary Adame, Lacy Finely and Lisa Romero.

Scott Schrier just missed receiving top 10 honors in the

Watcher

Daily

again in two weeks at Kerr-

school division. Top 10 finishers were Jennifer Torres, seventh; and Ginger Sterling, eighth. Other girls running on Eldorado's varsity team are Veronica Mendez, Beva Martinez, Becky Trevino, Chris Aguilar and Jennifer Reeves.

The boys team finished behind Pearsall in the 14 team field from across the Hill Country. Top 10 finishers for the boys were all stater David Rodriquez, fifth; and Dusty Barton, sixth.

Other runners were Marco junior high boys division. The Sandate, Neal Edmiston, Ro-

Donny Fuentes and Houston Henderson. Two of last year's The high school girls were edged out by Medina Valley in the junior varsity and small Hausenfluck and Joe Montavo.

CHAMPION

GRAND

HEIFER--Rocking Chair Ranch, Fort McKa-

vett, finished the Hereford show segment of the

West Texas Fair in Abilene with the reserve

grand champion bull and heifer awards in their

grasp. Claiming the heifer show victory was RCR Ms Mark Dom 166G, a Rocking Chair bred daughter of Star Mark 300C. The individual had

earlier led the firm to the top of the senior calf class and onto the calf champion title. In the

picture, left to right, are the Texas Hereford

Queen, Rene' Stewart, Sterling City; show

judge, Mac Suthers, Arnett, Ok.; and Rocking

Chair manager, Mark McClintock. [Photo by

American Hereford Association

Hausenfluck and Joe Montavo. Coach Harvey C. Wink was well pleased with the performance of all runners. "Fredericksburg is a tough course, plus it was warm and humid. They ran well," he said.

The high school teams will travel to San Angelo next to compete.

Services for Lona Schooley held Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. F.D. (Lona) Schooley, 87, were held Friday, September 19 at 2 p.m. at Colonial Funeral Home Chapel in Brady with Clyde Dukes, Westside Church of Christ in Eldorado, oiliciating. Interment was in Voca under the direction of Colonial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Schooley moved from McCulloch County in 1937 to Eldorado. She joined the Church of Christ in 1917.

She died in Kerrville hospital on September 17 after a lengthy illness. She was born October 1, 1898.

Survivors include one son, Clifford Schooley, of Eldorado; one brother, Alton Holloway of Voca; a sister, Picey Pierce of Abilene; three grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

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\$300 Prize Package The Drawing will be Sunday, Oct. 5

Departure Time 9 a.m. October 11 from Odessy Travels, San Angelo

GOOD

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Miss Moore, a senior at EHS, has been in the Eagle band four years, flag corps for two years and is a Spirit Club member. She is a member of the National Honor Society and a cheerleader.

THE GAME

Coach Armando San Miguel was nothing but proud of his troops following the Mason game. "We didn't back down one bit. We were obviously outclassed in size and talent, but we kept hitting and kept our heads up. We were proud of our kids," he commented.

There is an air of cautious optimism in the Eagle camp this week. "We feel real good to be playing Junction. They have a good team, however, and played a tough Reagan County team a darned good game," San Miguel said.

"Our kids are externely upbeat and positive. We understand it's their homecoming and we would love to go down there and spoil that,"

San Miguel added.

The Eagles from Junction run out of the "I" on offense and the "29" on defense. "They have two pretty good quarterbacks in Bynum and Rojas. Rojas also plays tailback and is a solid runner at 175 pounds.

"The biggest part of their offense relies on the pass, and that is one of the strengths of our defense, so it should be interesting. Our secondary has played extremely well," the first-year head mentor said.

San Miguel cited quarterback Bradley Bass for his poise against Mason, along with good efforts from Russ Dacy and Troy Daniels.

"They always do us a good job," he noted.
On defense accolades went to Charles
Wright, Estest Espinoza, Trey Walker and

Cody Lozano.
"We need to play real well Friday night. We need a win going into district," San Miguel concluded. Kickoff will be at 8 p.m.

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Association.

Neill has been active in youth baseball, basketball, and has served as the president of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce and Industrial Foundation and also as a member of the city council and mayor pro tem at Stanton

"I'm thrilled to be in Eldorado, where I plan to spend the rest of my life. This community has one asset that no other can top and that's our people. We have the best, friendliest folks on earth right here," Neill commented.

INVASION

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a lot of uniforms and vehicles but the exercise will basically take place in the woods away from populated areas." Monnett said some of the vehicles would have tracks, but most would be

Monnett said land owners around Eldorado may not be directly involved in the exercise. "Some units will move just east of San Angelo and then north," Monnett said.

The Fort Hood officer said final details on the exercise would not be available until late October or November.

According to a survey by the United Nations, proportionately fewer dogs bite mailmen in England than in any one nephew; and several aunts and uncles. other country on earth.

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with no problem? Well, after getting all the right clothes and equipment, off we went. One of the 10-year old kids who came from Germany immediately left the rest of the pack and off to the main slope he

Moments later down he came in a graceful spray of snow and ice, looking just like the Wide World of Sports. That einched it. If a 10-year old could ski like that no problem for the old T.B.! Wrong!

First we bowed to pleas from other members of the party who probably didn't want to spend the entire weekend at the hospital and decided to take ski lessons. Well, actually one lesson. That was enough we were sure.

The first sign we had that snow skiing was not quite that easy came when we knocked the ski instructor and three other students 14 feet down the side of the baby slope.

Now, if you've never skiled in Ruidoso, the baby slope is where the rookies start. And after 20 passerbys stopped and uncoiled the knot of people that the spill had created we preceded

For some reason the instructor flinched every time she saw yours truly for the rest of

This newsman finally got where he could go down the baby slope without falling and bolstered by the kids who assured me the intermediate slope would be no problem had our first experience on a ski lift.

Ever rode a ski lift? Ever tried to get out of a ski lift and live to tell about it. "Kerplunk"yours truly went down in the snow and just barely missed losing the old adams apple to a

pair of passing by skiers above us.

Finally standing again, off down the mountain we went.

But not for far. The first turn got us. Splat!

And looking off that mountain had to be the scariest feeling ever encountered by man. It looked like miles.....straight down to the lodge. 'Go ahead, T.B., you can do it," they said and off we went.

Do you know how fast a 224-pound ex-roper moves over snow? Believe this writer, it seemed like the speed of light. The first thought that sprang into our mind was to just fall over -but the remembrance of that poor guy on Wide World of Sports that flops off that mountain

every Saturday stopped that in a heart beat. Instead the intrepid athlete just bent over backwards and instead of sliding to a stop went even faster. Now, however, the knees were bent, the back was on the ground and the speed had doubled.

The saying that your life can flash before your eyes is true. Finally the horrible conclusion of the little trip arrived and 12 MYF kids had to unwrap their favorite counselor from underneath a BIG tree.

And now you're thinking, "He wants to go back to the slopes?"

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Angelo. He was preceded in death by his mother, Williwood Meador, and his father, T.C.

He is survived by his wife, Pamela Meador of San Angelo, and Noel and Ashley, and uncle, Epigmenio Sanchez of Eldorado; one sister, Sarah Kate Lipsett of San Angelo; one niece;

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Recently our community celebrated part of our heritage, Deis-y-Seis de Septiembre. I was very disappointed in the lack of coverage by our local newspaper. It was a very successful event and as a member of our community I felt that some coverage would have been appropriate.

Dies-y-Seis de Septiembre is sponsored by Grupo Amistad. This group plays a very important part in our community. The money they work so hard to earn goes to fund school scholarships and to help people in need.

In the future I hope to see. more of their events in the newspaper.

D.R. Rodriguez

Dear Eldorado,

You were an important part in making the Saint Jude Children's Research Hospital Wheels for Life Bike-a-thon a success. And though the campaign has ended, our appreciation of your efforts has not gone unnoticed.

We're proud of the 55 riders, volunteers and the citizens of Eldorado. Thanks to you and to them, we raised

over \$2,000. Knowing the people in our community are concerned enough to take quick action for children who need their assistance is heartwarming. You surely must take pride in helping maintain that human-itarian spark. On behalf of the children of Saint Jude Hospital, thank you.

Sincerely, Becky Sterling Randy Mitchel

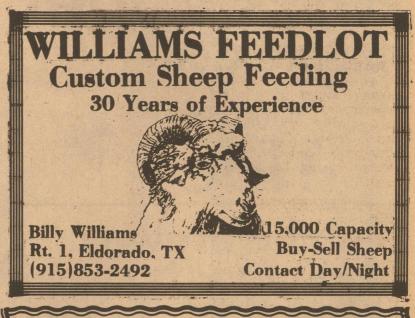
Dear Editor,

What a change in the paper! So much good news now that I) am glad to renew my sbuscrip-

It's so great to hear about so many friends and home town people. Keep up your

Ruby Deaton

In 1610, Captain Samuel Argall was blown off course near a cape on our Eastern seaboard. He named it for his sponsor, Lord De La Warr. It became the state of





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A very special thanks for all the beautiful flowers and plants and your prayers and good food. Thanks to all of you who visited me in the hospital and at home. A special thanks to Sara, Pete and Mr. and Mrs. Holquin and Casa Arispe. We love you all.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Sanchez

(1X-10/2/86-pd)

THANK YOU

I want to thank the people of Eldorado for the big support that I had for being elected Queen of Diez y Sies de Septiembre. Without your donations and support it would not have been possible. Once again a Big Thanks to relatives, friends and Grupo Amistad for their part in my campaign.

Thank you Priscilla Rodriguez (1X-10/2/86-pd)

THANK YOU

A sincere thank you to all who called, sent flowers, food, donations and cards during the loss of our loved one. A special thank you to the doctors, nurses and EMTs. God bless each of you.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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City Secretary

(2X-10/2/86-cg)

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