

## Schleicher County

# Leader-Success 

"A Strong Voice For Eldorado, Schleicher County!"

## Rodeo, Schleicher County Days slated

## his year's Sesquicentennial version of Schlei

## agust 9 .

A parade, rodeo, melodrama, and lots of County resididents celebrate their Texas heritage. Sponsored by the Sche Association, the the Schleicher County Rodeo Rodeo will kickoff the events Friday night at 8 p.m. Bareback brone riding, team roping, bull riding, girls barrel racing, steer wrestling, CHANGES TOLD AT SCMC

## Dr. Respess resigning

technician is retiring at Schleicher County Medical Center, but another technician has already been hired and negotiations with other doctors are underway, according to a member
of the hospital board. of the hospital board.
The board member confirmed Friday that
Dr. B.R. Respess has Dr. B.R. Respess has resigned his position at
Schleicher County Medical Center and will be Schleicher County Medical Center and will be moving. "We are currently talking to several doctors, however, including two that are very
interested in our community," the board member said.
Fay Reynolds, long-time lab technician, has decided to enter semi-retirement and will be working on a consultant and when needed on a part-time basis.
Angela Case has accepted the chief
technician's post, working with Mrs chief x-ray technician Carolyn Porter and

Mrs. Case graduated from San Angelo Central High School and was employed at the A\&M Research and Extension Center in San
Angelo while she started classes at Angelo Angelo while she
State University.
During her third year at ASU she worked in Central Supply at San Angelo Community Hospital and was accepted into Shannon West Texas Hospital's Medical Technology program.
After a year in hospital internship training and After a year in hospital internship training and
working weekends in the pathology working weekends in the pathology lab she
graduated from ASU with a Bechelor of Science degree in Medical Technology.
She has been a Medical Technologist at
Community Hospital and recently completed Community Hospital and recently completed requirements for a teaching certificate for biology, chemistry and physical science. She did
her student teaching at Eldorado High School and has substituted in the local schools often. She is married to Pete Case.

They will be judged on appearance and horsemanship and will also sell rodeo tickets.
night performance of the queen will be introduced. Horsemanship will be judged on night August 7 at the arena, beginning at 7 pm Saturday will be the big day, with events starting at $8: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. 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 persons can start setting up their booths on the
courthouse lawn. The local American Legion 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

## Fun Day planning

 rneeting scheduled A Schleicher County 4-H "Fun Day" August 11 at $7: 30$ in the Memorial Building, "This is a very important meeting and all interested parties need to be present to discuss the age groups and events set for our last years "Fun Day", which wascancelled due to rain. cancelled due to rain.
participate so please, parents of children not owning a horse, try to attend so we can utilize your ideas for a "Fun Day" for all," a
spokesman said. spokesman said.

## IN ELDORADO SCHOOLS

 Per student cost hits \$4,375
## In the two years since the legislature

 enacted HB 72, local school budgets have grown by $\$ 2.7$ billion. This higher spending level has been funded as much by local property taxes as the past two years, an added $\$ 1$ billion in state aid was matched by a $\$ 1$ billion increase in local school property taxes.Last year trustees in the 1,063 local school districts levied the largest school property tax
increase in history- $\$ 551$ million--for a total tax increase in history
bill of $\$ 4.6$ billion
Locally, the Schleicher Countyn ISD's tax levy last year was increased by 28.8 percent for
$1985-86$ as compared to a 13.3 percent increase for the average school district in Texas. "Bench Marks for 1986-87 School District Budgets in Texas," an annual publication of the Texas Research League, an Austin-based, educational corporation engaged in governmental research.

School budgets adopted last year called for spending $\$ 3,346$ per student for current operations. Schleicher County ISD's budget 668 students in average daily attendance in 1984-85.
Four dollars in five were spent for salaries. Statewide, payroll expense averages $\$ 2,705$ per student, as compared to $\$ 3,354.46$ in Schleicher
County ISD. Payroll County ISD. Payroll expense is a combination
of salary levels and staffing patterns. of salary levels and staffing patterns.
aid by the local district in 1984-85 was $\$ 23,505$. The average among all school districts in Texas was $\$ 23,281$ per classroom teacher. While the legislature and local school trustees focused discussion on classroom teachers' salaries,
statewide only two-fifths of the 1985 budget increase was used for that purpose.
In Schleicher County ISD the average
alary for administrators was $\$ 41,862$, and salary for administrators was $\$ 41,862$, and
$\$ 27,723$ for other professional support emplo-

## yees (libra sors, etc.)

Taxpayers provided one 131 students in Schleicher County ISD compared to a statewide pupil-teacher ratio of 1 to 16.3 . Because of small classes, especially at the schedules level, and abbreviated teaching schedules, many classes have more than the average number of students. HB 72 requires no
more than 22 students in kindergarten, first, or second grade classes next year, but one-fourth of the districts obtained a waiver from that restriction last year.
The average school district imposed a property tax at the rate of 76.3 cents per $\$ 100$ percent of market value (selling price). The "true tax rate" was 68.1 cents ( 76.3 times 89.2 percent) statewide. Locally, the rate on market value in the district was $\$ .877$. The tax on
a house in this district that would sell for a house in this district that would sell for See SCHOOLS Page 6.
sororities will follow. All parade participants 8:30 at the tennis courts near the hospita
for the best trophies will be awarded to entries riginal best overall float, best theme and most original, best decorated bicycle and most Floats, old cars,
wagons or just about anything can be entere in the parade. People intergsted in entering should call Bill Hodges, $853-2408$, or Bill Dakan $853-2416$. "We would love to have your
participate," Dakan said.
大.b.
BY TERRY B. NEILL
PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT... PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT......
Bashful Bill Clark went over to his fiancee's house the other night, for one of his first home-cooked meals. After Kim served her hard-working spouse to be, she asked, "What will I get if I serve you a meal like that ever night?" which Clark gloomily replied, "My To which Clark gloomily replied, "My
insurance, I guess." But don't worry Kim practice makes perfect, and how many time could you burn a t.v. dinner?

Last week's edition of the Leader Success evoked dozens of comments, probably because of the hefty number of letters Perhaps one good thing did come from the hatchet job administered this community by the local daily. It apparently did unite us, omething the article noted that we need. Floyd Butler said he read the article that "I sure must have had a hard life," he noted, "I don't look 28 years old." That thought was eportedly seconded by Mrs. Butler.
Should be an interesting Sunday, August 10. Not only is it yours truly's birthday, but Floyd Butler is scheduled to take us on nursing home.
If you've ever heard of a white knuckle flyer, you'll be thrilled to know that you now know a whitebodied flyer. This newsman is
totally terrified of getting any further off the ground than the back of a horse or bed of a pickup.

After all the many nice compliments we've received on the Leader-Success we finally got a complaint. "It takes too long to read it now," iner employee noted last week.
have funnies in our paper. Shucks we thought it was funny enough already.
From this angle it looks like everybody
See T.B. Page 6 .

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## Top of The Divide


#### Abstract

BY THOMAS GIOVANNITTI probably several ways to give probably several ways to give directions to anyone's house send them a dated sales slip The rains came again, al- directions to anyone's house and the proof of purchase se right time. Hopefully we will knew lived where.

On the othere hand I gave what I thought was very simple directions to my house here and my San Angelo friend got lost, here!!! got lost, here!!! 0 . rebate to a corporation on a purchase of a small item. Usually I never send those things in. The instructions seemed very clear. I carefully filled out the rebate card. This was in the first week in June Tuesday of this week I receiv ed a post card from the company. They thanked me for requesting my rebate but Now, they had not menthese items in when I to sen in the rebate request furst that slipped their minds Funn requested my reir minds until requested my rebate. I knew never was a reason why in for a rebate before and I won't do it again either. I am not going to slander a largé corporation but wonder if they ever really intended to give me a rebate in the first place????? the first place?.?? ADVERTISING PAYS OFF CALL YOUR BUSINESS CALL THE LEADER SUCCESS AT 853-3631.


have nice weather for Schleicher County Days. This being the sesquicentennial year we ought to have a real humdinger of a fiesta. I must admit that not having grown up here I have some problem understanding the popularity of rodeo. I mean, even if you rope one of those cows you don't get to
keep it. They give you a belt kuckle if you do it faster than any of the others but not the cow. Even more incomprehensible to me is wrestling one of the larger steers. Jumping on a moving bovine is not my idea
of a real fine way to stop one. of a real fine way to stop one.
I am sure that most of these activities have their origins in the practical work of ranching. With all the advances in technology made in other areas
of agriculture you would think of agriculture you would think
some one would have come up some one would have come up
with an easier way to catch cows. Now don't get me wrong, as a sport I can see the excitement that these events
engender. People go to auto engender.
races too. Well, have any of you
received any flack from the San Angelo spread about Eldorado? I was just wondering. Since I moved here the main
question asked me by my San question asked me by my San
Angelo friends is my address which no one seems to know. It is a quaint custom here that a person's home is located by directions relating to who previously lived in that house
or one nearby. In fact there are


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## It's that time again....

Schleicher County Days and annual rodeo.

Participate and enjoy the fun.

Schedule of Events

Friday 8:00-Rodeo

Dance Follows rodeo

Saturday
8:30 - "Fun Run"

9:00-Parade
10:00 - Flag cerernony
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Water Polo
The Tucana Band
2:00- Square Dancing
2:15-Obstacle course
3:15-Egg Toss
4:00. Wet Tug of War
8:00-Rodeo
Dance follows rodeo

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RODEO LOVELIES -- Pretty girls are also appearance, horsemanship and are also selling a part of the Eldorado Open Rodeo, scheduled tickets for the rodeo. Stacy is the daughter of here this Friday and Saturday. Vicki Hooten Kirk and Anita Jones, while Vicki and Michelle
[center] was last yearr's rodeo queen, while [l-r] are daughters of Jim and Martha Hooten. [Staff Stacy Jones and Michelle Hooten are queen Photo]
aspirants this year. The girls will be judged on


The Colosseum
stood near it.


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## History buffs have meeting

The Schleicher County
Historical Society met August Historical Society met August 4, 1986 . the newsletter she had written.
Mable Frietag gave the Treasurer's Report.
The society will keep the museum open for the Sesqui-
centennial Eldorado Day. The parade is at 9 . Ruth Baker and Gene Edmiston will ride in the parade.
"We are glad to have Carolyn and Johnny Mayo who joined the historical society Those attending were Frankie Williams, Flora Riley, Nancy Wagner, Willie Blanch Johnson, Barbara Nichols, bee, Sue Jones and Ola Mae McDonald.

WHY EAT A "VARIETY" OF FOODS?
"Eat a variety of foods" is probably the most common nutrition advice given by phy-
sicians and nutritionists. It's also first in the list of Dietary Guidelines for Americans, released this year by the U.S. and the Department of Health and Human Services. So why is dietary variety so important? According to Dr. Alice Hunt, a nutritionist with the Texa A\&M University Agricultura is relatively simple. "People need over 40 different nutrients to stay healthy. These include vitamins and minerals and water, which are found foods," she says. "-

Leader-Success, Thursday, August 7, 1986 Page 5
Holsey Wood Crafts Affordable hand/painted
*Ducks wood plaques

| $\star$ Rabbits | Open Weekdays |
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| $\star$ Farnily Trees | At 723 Lee Ave. |
| $\star$-Wreaths | $853-2053$ |
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## For those who had

 to miss one. the "Marriage Enrichment Film Series" continues Sunday, August 10* 1 P.M. "How to Kill Communication"
$\star 2$ P.M. "The Communication Lifeline"
* 3 P.M. " Speaking Frankly About Sex"

4 P.M. "Renewing Romance In Marrige"
Babysitting Provided Everyone Invited

## Eldorado Church of Christ

Mertzon Hwy

NEW FACILITIES -- Eagle athletes will have new facilities in which to prepare for battle this year, following completion of
Eldorado's new field house this summer. This Eldorado's new field house this summer. This spacious weigh re only one facet of the new building. [Staff Photo]
nd Skeet Shoot have been set for August 6-9 at the Greater
Houston Gun Club, located along Highway 2234 near the end of South Post Oak, accord ing to state 4 -H officials. The International Clay Pigeon and August 7, Trap Competition August 8, and Skeet competi tion and all-state teams named August 9. Last year, some 385 hooti sports enthusiast from 35 Texas counties
$\star$ All types of business 8 personal insurance.

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## follows:

BIG LAKE
"If the returning skill players perform at the same level they did in 1985 and the Owls can find a few good men to completely rebuild the interior line, Reagan County could again be
a factor in the District $6-2 \mathrm{~A}$ race. a factor in the District 6-2A race.
$r$ ago and won a pair of playoff ga league a year ago and won a pair of playoff games before
ousted from the state championship derby. A repeat of last season's $9-4$ showing is very possible if head coach Ronnie Reeger can locate a line that can create the running and passing "Our skill people are our biggest strength, Reeger explained. "The loss of our interior line is our major concern heading into the season. Developing linemen is crucial to our success."
"Reagan County's four returning offensive starters comprise one half of the Owls' wing-T
backfield and two of the receiving slots." "The way Ozone mentor Jim Green looks at it, the Lions' biggest break this season was the bi-annual realignment by the University Interscholastic League.
"After two rough campaigns among the Class 3A ranks, the Lions have dropped back in quickness had Green at and an improvement pleasant Fridays this fall.
"We didn't has fall. "We didn't have enough size or speed to compete in the 3A league," Green explained. have the manpower.
"This year, we will have more quickness and we will be aggressive. I think the kids are really excited about the upcoming season. biggest quickness seems to be the Lions biggest strength, size and experience at the

INTRODUCING


SCHOOL DISTRICT: Schleicher County I.S.D.
CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE, ESTIMATED UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES, AND DEBT SCHEDULE

1. Ray L. Ballew $\frac{\text { Assessor/Collector }}{\text { Sec. } 26.04 \text {, Property Tax the Schleicher Co. I.S.D. in accordance with }}$ exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the Schleicher. Co. I.S.D. without holding
a public hearing as required by the code.
The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Maintenance \& Operation fund: $\$ 191,000$
The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Interest \& Sinking fund: $\$ 13,110$
The estimated unencumbered. fund balance for interest \& Sinking fund: $\$ 13$,
The following schedule lists debt obligations that 1986 property taxes will pay:
Principal Interest \& Fees Total
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$\begin{array}{rr}\$ 140,000 & \$ \begin{array}{r}23,725 \\ 75,000\end{array} \\ 177,073\end{array}$
July 31, 1986
CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE
MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION (M\&O) TAX RATE
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umect }1985\mathrm{ taxes on property in territory no longer in unit in 1986
Subtract }1985\mathrm{ taxes for property becoming exempt in 1986
Subtract }1985\mathrm{ taxes for property appraised at less than market value in 1986
Subtract frozen M&O levy of over-65 homesteads
Subtract }1985\textrm{MrO}\mathrm{ taxes used to regain lost 1984 levy
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    Subtract 1986 value of annexed property added since 1/1/85
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1986 Effective Tax Rate is the tax rate published as required by Sec. 26.04. Property Tax Code.
[Continued from Page 1]
skill positions will be liabilities Green and his players must overcome to challenge for a lay we Lions return 14 lettermen, but only four were starters last season.
STANTON
"Look for the Stanton Buffaloes to be a district contender this fall with fifteen lettermen return
"The Buffaloes have been finishing in the second division the last couple of years, but look for a first division finish and a possibility for a
playoff spot. playoff spot.
will be top player returning in Buffalo Camp will be Derek Sorley ( $6-1,175$ ) wide receiver.
Sorley caught 24 passes last fall for 417 yards He has been selected to the all-district team the past two seasons."

## - SCHOOLS

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$\$ 80,000$ would have been $\$ 510$. If the homeowner were eligible for homestead exemptions, the tax would have been $\$ 326$, and if owned by a person 65 years or older, the tax
on an $\$ 80,000$ house in this district would have averaged $\$ 262$, or less if subject to a tax freeze.
Revenue lost from exemptions totaled $\$ 915$ million, which was $\$ 135$ million more than the previous year. To balance school budgets, the
revenue loss from exemptions was imposed upon other taxpayers in the school district.
Local property taxes plus state aid was
$\$ 4,862$ per student in Schleicher compared to $\$ 3,299$ statewide. The primary purpose of state aid is to equalize state and local lax resources among schools. In 1985-86 tax resources ranged from less than $\$ 2,500$ per 12 districts.
t.b.
needs to pull together to save Eagles Point Could there be too many chiefs and not enough Indians or perhaps too many former chiefs? INSURANCE FUNNIES..... Raymond and Carolyn Mattel passed this week that from the Wall Street Journal claims made by folks against their the crazy policies.
Here's a couple we bet you never thought
A man whose car crashed on Interstate 9 in Michigan blamed the accident on a mouse crawling up his leg. He said he "felt something wreck. The company paid a $\$ 3,600$ claim --Another company paid a claim by a ma who dented a car by flipping a steak 17 floors onto the car's roof while barbecuing.
--Another time, when an engaged couple became an enraged couple, the woman hurled up and swallowed it. The company paid $\$ 450$ for the jewelry loss under their homeowner's policy.

State Farm paid a $\$ 804$ claim to a New Jersey man who took a radio report too literally
and smashed all his home's windows and smashed all his home's windows last windows be "cracked" to minimize wind damage from Hurricane Gloria. Instead of slightly opening the windows the man broke hem out with a hammer.
--A California man told his company he had been attacked by a parakeet in a mall -In Alaska a man reported that tivo brawling moose (sound like your neighbors? started butting their heads into his parked Toyota. The man witnessed the attack from ry and break up the disagreement

TICKETS NOW ON SALE
Trip to Gulf Coast scheduled
Chances are now on sale in They will tour the city's
Eldorado for a one-day air trip popular shell shops and Full Eldorado for a one-day air trip popular shell shops and Fullto Rockport, courtesy Floyd ton's Mansion Museum, then
Butler. Proceeds from the dine at Charlotte Plumber's project will go to help buy new fabled restaurant, rumored to air conditioners at the Schlei- produce the best seafood in cher County Medical Center Nursing Home.

Butler, hosp lat member, is donating the trip and providing the flying skills We hope to raise enough money to pay for the air
conditioners, which are sorely needed," he said.

The afternoon will be filled The afternoon will be filled
with sightseeing and relaxing with sight-seeing and relaxing
on the beach. The winners will leave at 4 p.m. and return at 6 leave at 4 p.m. and return at 6
that evening. The winning couple can carry two children
or one adult guest. one adult guest.
Most businesses The winning couple and rado are selling the in Eld Butler will depart Eldorado at which go for $\$ 5$ each, The Jessi, ", 8 atm. on August 17, arriving August 15, with the oldest
at Rockport at 10 a.m. in his six-seat Cessna 210.
person in the nursing home doing the honors.

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Mother of ex-residént dies in Bowie Funeral services for Velva
Hill, 69 , were held Wednesday August 6 at 10 a.m. at Bible Baptist Church with the Rev. Lloyd McCastill officiating assisted by Eddie Johnson phurch of the Bible Baptis Mrs. Hill died following a lengthy illness. She was born September 3, 1916 and married Douglas Hill on December 12, 1942 in Wichita
Falls.
She was a member of the Baptist Church of Bowie. band, Douglas Hill of Bowie two daughters, Lou Ann Eason of Huntsville, Alabama and Debbie Bratcher of Bowie (formerly of Eldorado); two brothers, J.M. Auledage of
Hollywood, Florida and Herbert Auledage of Sanger; one aunt, Mrs. Hazel Jack o Nacogdoches; one uncle, Jack Roberts of Gainesville; seve randchildrer; and one grea randdaughter. granddaughter.

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Texas livestock raisers are will serve in 1986," says Texas livestock raisers are will serve in 1986," says cattlemen's support for the Crippled Children. The annual event benefits the West Texas lene and Sin Center in Livestock donated anchers signated points in each de munity and transported to the auction site, explains Jim Alexander of Abilene, genera chairman. "The area chair man's role is to make a personal pledge, then ask friends and neighbors to join
them in the annual CRCC drive."
elo servey Stokes of San Angelo serves as general CRCC Horace Linthicum has bee named Eldorado area chair Sales of livestock verted to dollars and the mount helps provide trea capped persons of all hand apped persons of all ages.
"It will take over $\$ 4$.
op quality care in physical, acy, chology, education and social services, all without charge to patients except for hearing
aids and braces.
Despite a sluggish economy and depressed agricultural markets, CRCC officials are optimistic ranchers will agree
that this cause deserves their donations of stock or cash. Scheduled dates for the Round-Up are Cattle Sale September 29, Abilene Auction; Horse Sale - October 4,
Abilene Auction; Coleman Sale October 8; Stephenville Sale October 8; Junction Sheep and Goat Sale - October 13; San Saba Sale - October 16; and

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 Games will commence at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. on the courthouse lawn, where many booths will als be open to the public. Mens horseshoes, 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

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required. Tumbleweeds Gymnastics tean from San Angelo will perform at 11:15 a.m. and from 12 until 1 p.m. the melodrama, a new What do can girls, cowboys, Indians and "Jake the Snake" have in common? They will a be starring in "The Saga of Sagebrush Sal" Tremendous community support was re corded at the play's tryouts. "It was great. W 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 Mont gomery, Jan Wallace, Lynna Mikeska, Betsy Thackerson, Sheila Prater, Becky Jones,
Debbie Joy, Elsa Williams, Louise Burk, and

Cawley rites held Friday in Eldorado
James F. Cawley, 57, died at 9:45 p.m. Tuesday in Sain John's Hospital, San Angelo. a.m. Friday in First Presbyterian Church with burial in Eldorado Cemetery, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home. 20, 1928, in Edinhurg October rancher and had lived in Schleicher County since 1959 He was a Presbyterian.
Survivors include his wife Billy Cawley of Eldorado three sons, James Erich Cawley of Cleveland, Ohio, John
Ben Cawley and William Franklin Cawley, both of Eldorado; two daughters, LeAnne Skinner of Austin and Sally Jane Little of Nolan; his mother, Verna Franklin Caw-
ley of Eldorado; and seven grandchildren. Pallbearers ler, J.R. Badhurst, Ford O lesby, Charles Ray Pfluger, John Rae Powell and Henry Speck, Jr.

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Karen Henderson.
Ket to play cowboys are Steve Williams, Bill
Sen 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.
Heartbleed Heartbleed Haymeadow will be played by Lynn wiliams, and Michelle Marsh will play the skunk. Narrators will be Jo Ann Sproul and Jim
Hardy. Members Hardy. Members of the production crew will be
Marcy Willis, 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 $3: 15$ by the obstacle course and at $3: 15$ by the egg toss. At 4 p.m. the wet tug of Many booths have already been reserved, including the Overall Cookers, a new "Country Store", cotton candy, fajitas, cake walk, arts and crafts, kiddie rides, balloons, baby clothes, security purposes, dunking booth, snow cones, fruit and soft drinks, embroidery, booster club and barbecue.

Bill Dakan and his chuckwagon cooking talents will be showcased and a jail will be operated for men who do not have a beard or oustache.
Anyone who has interesting quilts, afghans or any handiwork with an interesting back-
ground is asked to bring it to the Memorial n Young Dernos organizing
The Irion County Democratic Club has announced the formation of a Young Democratic Club in Mertzon. The new club will be a vehicle to involve the young
people of Irion County in the political process and to get young Democrats involved in voter registration drives, programs on political education and national political interests. The club will have its organizational meeting on
August 12 at $7: 30$ p.m. in Mertzon at the community building. Anyone between the ages of 14 and 36 is invited and


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