Band concert

The annual Spring Band Concert will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 12 in the high school auditorium

Everyone is invited to attend. A reception will follow in the school cafeteria



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-Mary's Column-

BY MARY JENKINS

Have you ever gone shopping for green plants on a large scale basis? I had my first experience a couple of weeks ago when I went with Sue to buy plants for her new shop The Greenery.

We were not even half-way prepared for this one. Row after row after row of green plants. Sue looked at me and said, "Where do we start?"

We got strange looks from the workers there from the moment we walked in and said "We would like to buy \$250 worth of plants." Evidently most store owners call their orders in and have them delivered. (Why not be different?)

We roamed around the four green houses for a while 'oohing and 'aahing over everything. Finally we started "digging" in and had a blast.

After about two hours we had a cart full and then some. The girl there added the bill up, Sue paid and we left with the Bronco full of live "greenery".

My second experience came last Saturday as I journied again with Sue to buy more green plants. We took Angi Fitts with

Now this time we felt like veterans shopping for live greenery. This time we knew the "arrowheads" from the "philodendron", the "cupids" from the "jade"

As Sue and I picked out plants, Angi very neatly arranged them on the push-cart. She pushed that cart everywhere! Wouldn't let us help at all!

Now these green houses are not like an air-conditioned store, they are hot and humid. Angi worked herself to a frazzle. "It's hot in here!" she said.

As Sue was settling up, Angi, with a "little" help from me, loaded the Bronco. This was no small task considering the limited amount of space she had to work with.

On the way home, I looked back to see if Angi had enough room, and wondered if she could find herself among all the plants. But a small voice cried out, "Turn up the air conditioner I'm hot!"





REGIONAL CHAMPS --

this year are Brant Moore. Making up the Regional Champ- Bradley Bass, Skeeter Roubison, ion Eldorado High School Rodeo Amy Henderson, Ashley Johnson, Shane Criswell, Brant Ward and Clint Griffin. [Photo by Bill

Junior High Band takes Division i

The Eldorado Eagle Junior High School Band traveled to Iraan Saturday, May 7 to compete in Concert Contest. The band received a Division I rating.

The band played "Normandy Beach" by John Edmondson and 'Sea Song Trilogy' by Anne McGinty.

Members from the eighth grade are Carla Estrada, Carisa Porter, Denese Crowder, Lacy Finley, Claudia Martinez, Mondee Nelson, Stephanie Ledbetter, Jennifer Clark, Travis Sallee and Joe Sanchez.

Members from the seventh grade are Shannon Chrisman, Shelly Chrisman, Tara Holley, Jana Sterling, Jennifer Smith, Pamela Whitten, Marla Walthall, Kace Chalmers, Belinda Martinez, Hope Martinez, Joel Martinez, Melainie Stricklan, Holley Whitten, Alyssa Halbert, Stephanie Nolen, Lee Ann Lamb, Nora Fuentes, Hele Sanchez, Jamey Belk, Kathy Moore, Lindy Hardy, Cory Barton, Chris Meador, T.C. Willis, Trey Morrison, Joshua Tirado, Matt Williams and Victor Belman.

Members from the sixth grade are Cody Arendt and Robert Sanchez.

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Eldorado School salaries down

ACCORDING TO TSTA REPORT

Salaries for new teachers in Texas schools were either frozen or cut in eight of every nine school district this school year, according to data released this week by the Texas State Teachers Association.

Teachers in the Schleicher County Independent School District received a 6.13 cut from

ool districts and found that this year 111 Texas districts actually cut salaries for beginning teachers, while another 745 districts made no local improvements in the existing salary scheduled.

TSTA President Charles N. Beard, Jr. called the findings "appalling" and named local

districts which cut pay to ascertain how the funds are being spent and how much is being was in the pre-reform days," he

salary cuts a "sad commentary" to improving education in Texas.

The president called the tional reports tell us that the surest way out of an economic on local districts' commitments slump is through improvements in the state's education sys-'Numerous state and na- tems,' he said. "Top schools

require top people and every single report stresses the importance of good teachers to the overall quality of the schools.

See SALARIES Page 4.

Voter imput light

A light voter turnout was TSTA surveyed all Texas school, city, and hospital district getter with 221 followed by John elections.

> Voters elected two new school board members--Dobbs Lively. 164; and Tip Finley, 139. Also receiving votes were George Gower and Jimmy Martin, 110 each, Joe Max Edmiston, 111, and Buff Whitten and Steve Sykes, 80 each. A total of 457 school votes were cast.

recorded here last Saturday in Preston was the leading vote cast ballots in the city election. Callison with 213. Rooster Jackson and Dora Bosmans each got 151, meaning that a runoff will be held May 28 to fill the third city seat.

> Incumbent Terry Neill lost his council seat, pulling 93 votes, and challenger Carlos Estrada got 75. Preston and Jackson are

In the city election Richard also incumbents. A total of 337

In the hospital district races, which were unopposed, Jerry Jones got 357 votes, with Bill Dakan getting 342, Hyman Sauer 337 and Floyd Butler 324 votes. A total of 397 voters voted in the hospital district election.

Absentee voting for the city runoff between Jackson and Ms. Bosmans is now underway at

Air Mail returns

When Debbie Rinehart bought Delia Pina a "Nurses Day" present last week she never thought it would fly away, but it did just that on the wings of a stout West Texas wind.

Debbie purchased Delia a flower-balloon arrangement from Cathy's and stepped outside, only to have the helium filled balloon and flower lift off and head skyward.

This week, however, the entire present came home, when Helen Turner of Water Valley sent Cathy's the arrangement back, complete with balloon and a note of explanation.

Mrs. Turner wrote: "We saw the balloon float over our house and go down in our pasture Friday afternoon, 7 p.m. We live 25 miles northwest of San Angelo. Everything was just as I am sending it back."

Delia's "air mail" present had returned.

District 4-H Roundup held May 7

On May 7, Angelo State University played host to over 200 4-Hers from across Extension West Central District who were present to compete in the annual District 4-H Roundup.

The Roundup featured contests designed to test the skills of youths from the 17 counties which comprise the district.

Senior first and second place winners from the district level are eligible for state competition in June during State Roundup on the Texas A&M University

Schleicher County with 20 team entries was honored with a special award based on a total number of contests entered. Medals given to the first place junior and senior winners of the various contests were donated by the Federal Land Bank Associations which serve counties in the district. Ribbons were donated by West Texas Utilities Com-

4-H Council Officers were installed for the 1988-89 year during the awards ceremony. There are: president, Eric Zimmerman, Menard County; vice president, Mary Frey, Mason County; secretary, Anne Ahlschwede, Tom Green County; public relations, Kristi Kuykendall, Menard County.

4-H leaders, Reba Criner of Irion County and Sandy Mc-Donald of Sterling County were recognized as being District 7's recipients of the Texas 4-H Salute to Excellence Award. They will also receive recognition at 4-H Roundup at College Station in June. Bill Helwig, Coke County Attorney, was recognized with a plaque for his outstanding contribution to 4-H with the District 7 4-H Alumni Award.

Senior winners and the contest entered include: First Place winners Stan Meador and Brent Moore, farm and ranch economics; Ashley Johnson and Brant

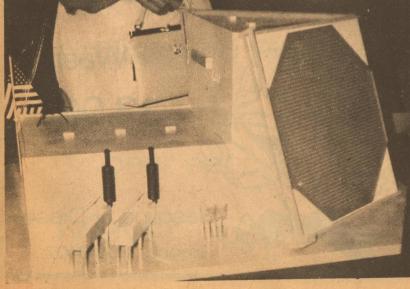
Ward, sheep and goats; Ericka Olson and Rachel Edmiston, poultry; Jennifer Torres and Ginger Sterling, clothing; and Amy Henderson and Angle Mc-Gregor, agronomy. Other first place winners

were Cody McCravey and Travis Whitten, meat science; Cory Edmiston and Eric McGinnes, beef; Sundi Nix and Toni Whitten, companion animals; Lindsay Johnson, Shanna Edmiston, Caty McGregor, Erin Meador and Brian Jones, family life education; Tamara Robledo and Lubia Trevino, horticulture preparation and use; Alexis Williams and

See ROUNDUP Page 5.

TO LOCAL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

PAVE PAWS makes SC presentation



BY EVELYN STIGLER

A scale model of the Eighth Missile Squadron's PAVE PAWS radar facility at Eldorado Air Force Station was presented to the Schleicher County Museum during a first anniversary celebration in the Memorial Building Sunday afternoon, May 8.

The model was constructed by Tsgt Jeff Carter, a quality assurance evaluator at the station. He said he built the model in his spare time and mostly at

He explained that the octagonal shaped front of the main building has 1100 active units

which focus in atmosphere and on surface as far away as 3000

The model had 1100 holes in the octagon shaped front, an exact replica of the building.

A reception was held in the Memorial Building, hosted by members of the Schleicher County Historical Society.

Judge Johnny Griffin introduced the guests and the model was presented to Rene Calcote, president of the Historical Society by Lt. Col. John Paul.

It was taken to the museum where it will be on permanent display.



May 14

There will be a three person, 27 hole, "select shot" golf tournament Saturday, May 14 at the Eldorado Golf Club. "Your team can be all men, women, or any combination of either," a spokesman said.

Teams will be flighted, with trophies awarded in each flight. Tee-off time is 1 p.m. and entry fee is \$36 per team, which includes barbecue supper.

To enter call Candy Richards, Leroy Reeves or Mickey Rath-

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Golf tourney —top of the divide—

BY THOMAS GIOVANNITTI Sometimes, if my children don't behave, I punish them by making them sit down and listen to KELI radio from San Angelo.

Any other punishment, especially for my teenager, pales in comparison.

It is not that I think all modern music is terrible. Every age has its music and every age has its major talents but there are some eras when music was especially good or, at least, very innovative.

Even a few of us older folks should be ready to admit that in the late fifties and early sixties there was a definite change in music and some of that change was innovative to say the least.

But, there was a certain time in the middle sixties when the war in Vietnam created some really strong counter culture music. In fact, wars seem to Uring out the worst and the best in all of us including musicians.

Wednesday night, May 4, 1988, the Mall in San Angelo had a free concert and dance featuring the Woody Herman Orchestra. Woody is dead, but his music, rendered by some very able young musicians, I am sure brought back some very strong memories of another era and another war

Maxine and I went both to listen and to dance. When we arrived at the atrium the band was already playing that dancible jazz that Woody Herman helped popularize in the late thirties and

What was really a please though, was to watch the many couples, many gray headed, dancing. You could tell that most of the twosomes had been dance partners for a very long time. I wouldn't be too surprised that many of those couples met and fell in love at a USO dance, gliding around the floor to big band music much like the music heard Wednesday night.

It must have been something to have been a young "flyboy", a real "beebopper" from New York or Chicago, seeing all those pretty Texas girls at the armory. Think about it, it was those girls

patriotic duty to make that young man, so far from his home, to feel welcome in Texas. What better way than to dance with

From the looks of one couple last Wednesday night, I just got the feeling that is exactly how they met. In fact the way they were dancing, so synchronized, so close, that I could see in my minds eye, him in his uniform, hair all dark and shiny moving smooth as you please with those Irish city kid moves and her waving brown tresses pompadoured in the front, pleated knee length skirt, lipstick put on after she left home, dancing each dance a little closer. By the end of the first evening in some unairconditioned hall in Old Angelo they were in love.

They were still in love Wednesday night, still dancing close, still young. Each age has its music but somehow that Big Band music, the kind where you held onto your partner while you danced, has a special place in the lives of many of us. It was the music of change that made ministers shudder and young girls quiver.

-letters to the editor-

I'm upset. This morning I came upon a deer that was hung in the fence, its hind leg laced into the top wires. I ran to the Spinks' house and called Mike Porter, the game warden.

He said he would come out "after a while". Twenty five minutes later I called the sheriff's office and was told they would have someone see about it. An hour later, no one had come, the deer was still struggling and in pain.

My neighbors kids were leaving for school so I had them run and get their daddy. He got the deer out of the fence but it was so badly injured, it had to be shot--not by the game warden, as far as I know he never did show

I'm not only upset -- I'm furious.

Rita McWhorter



IN PERIL -- Roat [Played by Tony Lopez of Eldorado threatens Susie Hendriz [Shauna Gibson] in this scene from the

Western Texas College production of "Wait Until Dark". The play was produced April 29-30 as WTC's dinner theatre for the

season. Lopez also worked on the scenery crew for the show. [Photo courtesy The Snyder Daily

Rabbit Club attends SA

A total of 14 members from the Eldorado Rabbit Club attended the Annual Summer Rabbit Show held in San Angelo. The show was sponsored by the Tom Green County Rabbit Club and the Briar Patch Rabbit Club from Midland.

There were over 500 rabbits entered with some competitors bringing as many as 65 rabbits to show. Many competitors were from the local area but some were from Austin, Alvarado,

Lions have 'charged' meeting

The Eldorado Lions Club met Wednesday for their noon luncheon. The program dealt with safety in the use and handling of electricity.

The program for the May 18 meeting will present some possible areas of assistance for the elderly and handicapped in Schleicher County.

The Lions Club is also sponsoring young people to the summer camps for the blind, diabetic and other Lions youth camps. If anyone is interested please contact Lion Glen Nix at 853-2770 or 853-3221.

- proud papa ---reports

Heather Lee Powell arrived Thursday, April 21 weighing six pounds and five ounces.

She is at home in Eldorado with her parents, Walter and Beverly Powell and her sister Samantha.

Welcoming cheers were heard from grandparents, Walter and Jonet Powell of Eldorado and Neva Meach of Ft. Meyers, Florida.

Great grandparents include Mrs. W.G. Powell of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pike of Whitesboro and Alma Blair of Mertzon.



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The show was a sanctioned American Rabbit Breeders Association show. Some breeds present were Hotots, Lop Rabbits, Satins, Rex, Californias, New Zealands, Dutch, Harlequins, Angoras, English Spots, Netherland Dwarfs and Flemish Giants.

Cory Loyd, son of Pat and David Lloyd of Eldorado, exhibited his Mini-Lops and received a second place, third place and two fifth place ribbons.

Members of the Eldorado Rabbit Club were able to talk with the different breeders and gain valuable information on different breeds and care of rabbits. They were also able to watch the judges and hear each judge critique each rabbit as he or she examined it. "The show was very enjoyable as well as informative," a spokesman said.

Several members came back with new rabbits for their rabbitry. There are now eleven different breeds available in Schleicher County. "The Eldorado Rabbit Club is proud of the varieties its members can offer the community and surrounding areas," the spokesman conclud-

Boyer to attain degree

Tammy Boyer, daughter of Larry and Marion Boyer of San Angelo will be graduating from Texas A&M University May 13 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Tammy is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ray Boyer of Eldorado.

Deadline nears for **FmHA** Committee

Schleicher County farmers interested in election to the Farmers Home Administration county committee have until May 19 to get their nominating petitions signed and turned in, FmHA County Supervisor, Ben T. Rucker, Jr., said recently.

One person will be elected for a three-year term to the threeperson committee at the June 30 election. Rucker said anyone who has an interest in a farm in Schleicher County as owner, tenant or sharecropper is eligible to run for the committee seat and to vote in the election. A spouse of an eligible farmer also is considered to be a farmer for those purposes.

Nominating petitions, which ington, D.C. 20250.

must be signed by the nominee and two eligible farmer voters, and other information can be obtained at the FmHA county office at Box H, Eden, Tx 76837, Phone (915) 869-3941, Rucker

FmHA county committees perform a variety of duties, including making decisions on applicants' eligibility for FmHA farm loans. Two committee members are elected by county farmers, and the third is appointed by FmHA.

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Woman's Club ends year VARIOUS HONORS PRESENTED

BY EVELYN STIGLER The Woman's Club met in the Memorial Building for their final



DANIEL GLEN PFLUGER

meeting of the year 1987-88. The on different phases of work, Hospitality Committee planned and decorated tables for a salad luncheon which was served in the main auditorium. Pastel colored cloths covered the tables with spring flowers as center pieces. The luncheon was served buffet

The regular meeting was held in the Club Room with president Ora Deal presiding.

Louise Burk was voted on and accepted as a new member for 1988-89.

Since this was the final meeting of this 1987-88 year the program title was "Finish the Course" so Ora Deal, program leader, called on each officer and chairman of committees to give their yearly report.

There were many awards won

among them was an award for Community Involvement which featured the Parade of Homes at Christmas time. Another was for the boxes of wigs, books and many other things sent to M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston.

A large box of Christmas gifts was taken to San Angelo State School in November and a group of volunteers went out there another time and helped to have a party for the residents. The library committee gave a good report on what the club has helped to do in that capacity.

After the president's report a gift of a hand painted china plate was presented to her.

DECIDING TO START A SMALL HOME BUSINESS --Small home businesses, offering everything from homemade jams and county crafts to custom drapery making, day care or accounting services have popped up all over Texas, especially in rural areas. Economic circumstances are still fragile for many farm families, so anything that can contribute to improving financial security looks attractive. It is important to consider what it will take to own and manage a home-based business. Assess skills such as organizing and planning, handling money, selling ideas and products, ability to take risk and to lead and work alone, before embarking on a home business. Be honest with yourself before you decide whether you can spend the time to learn necessary skills for starting a home-based business or whether you can afford to pay for

The new officers for the 1988-89 year were presented to the club as Evelyn Stigler installed each officer. She used rings and made a corsage with some significant thing representative of that office on the ring; as scissors for the historian, a pencil for reporter, a bell for the parliamentarian, a key for the treasurer to lock up all the money, a telephone for the second vice president, first vice president a miniature calendar, secretary, an address book, etc.

The officers who will serve during the 1988-90 term are: president, Mary McGinnes; first vice president, Charlene Edmiston; second vice president, Florence Williams; secretary, Gladys Mittel; treasurer, Shine Spigarelli; Federation Counselor, Imogene Newport; parliamentarian, Ora Deal; historian, Ruth Harper; and reporter, Evelyn Stigler.

There were four guests from the Mertzon 48 Study Club. They were Billi Lindley, Lu Ann Bearden, Mary Spurlin and Toby

The meeting closed with the Club Collect.

school menu SALARIES

Monday May 16 Breakfast -- Applesauce, Blueberry Muffins.

Lunch -- Pepperoni Pizza, Whole Kernel Corn, Mixed Fruit, Orange Cake with Icing.

Tuesday May 17 Breakfast -- Orange Juice, Breakfast Pizza.

Lunch -- Frito Pie, Pinto Beans, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Cornbread. Brownies.

Wednesday May 18 Breakfast -- Pineapple Juice, Hot Biscuits, Sausage, Jelly. Lunch -- Sombrero Salads, Pineapple Slices, Iced Cup Cakes.

Thursday May 19

Breakfast -- Grape Juice, Buttered Rice, Toast. Lunch -- Fish Nuggets, Macaroni and Cheese, English Peas, Cole Slaw, Chocolate Cake with Chocolate Icing.

Friday May 20 Breakfast -- Banana, Choice of

Lunch -- Sandwiches, Tuna, Chicken Salad, Pimento Cheese, Peanut Butter, French Fries, Carrot Sticks, Ice Cream.

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The association said that, at

Districts cannot hope to recruit and retain top people by reducing or freezing salaries."

members' requests, it will analyze the audit reports of the have just implemented very stringent degree requirements and tough certification examinations for graduating seniors in education schools," the president said. "These smart new prospective teachers are now faced with lower salaries just as they are beginning their new career. It may make them look elsewhere for a job."

The Amazon River in South America is 4,000 miles long—longer than the highway route between New York City and San Francisco.

Mias Amigas set June 24

The officers of the Mias Amigas met May 4 and set the date for the 1988 Mias Amigas meeting. It will be honoring the 1968 class and the 50 year class

The meeting will be June 24 and 25, 1988.

Invitations are being printed

and will be in the mail soon.

Pfluger receives prestigious honor

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Daniel Glen Pfluger has been named a United States National Award winner in mathematics.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school students.

Dan, who attends Eldorado High School, was nominated for this National Award by Cindy Polley, a mathematics (geometry) teacher at the school. Dan will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

The Academy selects USAA

winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers. coaches, counselors or other school sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities. responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Dan is the son of Charles and Helen Pfluger. The grandparents are Mrs. Fate E. Parker of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon L. Pfluger of San Angelo.

Hospital Auxiliary meets BY EVELYN STIGLER The Schleicher County Medical Center Auxiliary met Thursday morning, May 5 in the lobby of the hospital. A number of items were discussed, one of which was the birthday party which is held Powell-Nance vow consultants.

monthly in the dining room. This month there will be six honorees on May 18 at 2:30 p.m. They are

Mae Thompson, Connie Spence, Betty Goodwin who will be 102, Marjorie Nantz, Alpha Blaylock and Sybil Blair. The Goodman's will provide entertainment on

Books are being placed in the Gift Shop shelves to help provide books for nursing home residents. Schleicher County Library is helping to furnish books. Volunteers are needed to help take care of books and issue them to residents.

Gift items are being reduced in price to help move merchandise that is still good but too many of some items. Volunteers are needed to help with this too. "Come by and buy," a spokesman said.

The Bake Sale for the Auxiliary was very successful. The members would like to express their appreciation to all who baked food and to those who bought them. Thank you very

exchanged April 23

Sherry Shane Powell and Dennis Wayne Nance were united in marriage Saturday, April 23 at the home of the bride's parents with the honor-

Bridal attendants at the double ring ceremony were Pam Daniels of Eldorado and Tammy Gray of Odessa.

Assisting the groom were best men, Mark Gilly of Sonora and Bobby Bartz of San Angelo.

Parents of the couple are Mr. able Justice Frank Bradley offi- and Mrs. Walter Powell, Jr. of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Nance of Sonora.

After a week at Lake Amistad, the couple are at home in

Chamber to host tourney

The Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce will host an open tennis tournament June 11 and 12 in Eldorado.

The tournament will be held at the Eldorado High School tennis courts. Events include women's doubles, men's doubles, mixed doubles and combined ages of partners 50 or older.

Entry fee will be \$12 per team and a can of unopened balls per team. Entry deadline is Monday.

Play will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday, June 11. Men's and women's doubles will be on Saturday. Mixed doubles will be

played on Sunday, June 12. Entries can be mailed to Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce, Box 1155, Eldorado, Texas 76936 or call 915-853-2149 for further information.



Thornton services held May 10

Jim Thornton, 52, died Sunday, May 8, 1988 in a Temple hospital.

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Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Grace Presbyterian Church in Temple. Burial was in Bellwood Memorial Park, directed by Sheffield Funeral Home.

He was born September 1, 1935 in Crane, and had lived in Temple three and one-half years, where he was director of parks and recreation. Formerly of Houston, he had been assistant director of parks and recreation in that city. He was Presbyterian.

Survivors include his wife, Martha Thornton; one son, Mark Thornton of Allen; one daughter, Suzan Wilson of San Angelo; his mother, Irene Hopson of Roby; one brother, Jack Thornton of Midland; one sister, Marjorie Kisselburg of Roby; and two grandchildren.

The Thorntons are former Eldorado residents. Mrs. Thornton is the daughter of Mrs. Frankie Williams. Susan and Mark attended school in Eldorado. Jim taught science in Eldorado High School in the early 1970s and Mrs. Thornton worked in First National Bank.

According to recent American Heart Association estimates, in U.S. adults aged 18-74, 33 percent of white males, 38 percent of black males, 25 percent of white females and 39 percent of black females have high blood pressure.



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BY ALVIS CARROLL

Easter came early in April and to celebrate, the Schleicher County Medical Center held an Easter Egg Hunt for employees children and a hat parade for the staff on Friday, April 1.

Winner of the prettiest hat was Delia Pena, clinic; funniest, Jack Padilla, lab; and ugliest, Luz Valero, lab.

Easter Church services for

letters to the editor

Dear Citizens of Eldorado:

You were an important part in making the St. 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 52'riders who rode 784 total miles, volunteers, and the citizens of Eldorado. Thanks to you and to them, we raised \$2,036.58. We especially want to thank Parker Foods. Inc. for donating the refreshments for all the riders.

Because of the universal objectives of research and treatment at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, be assured the money benefits children all over the world.

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 humanitarian spark. On behalf of the children of St. Jude Hospital, thank you. Sincerely,

Randy Mitchell Linda Turner Jo Parker

residents, family and friends was provided by the Agape Assembly of God Church. Services for the remainder of April were by Primitive Baptist Church, West Side Church of Christ, and Antioch Baptist Church. The community is always welcome to attend the services every Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m.

The monthly birthday party honored Jake Hannum. Gary Smith from the First Methodist Church entertained

Throughout April residents enjoyed four movies donated by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary. No movie is complete without popcorn, furnished by Peggy Ussery, nurses' aids.

Bible study was held each Wednesday in April by the First Presbyterian Church.

The residents enjoyed the services of the ever-faithful volunteer beauticians Kathy Doty and Pat Lloyd.

Winnie Johnson volunteered her time each Thursday for the reading hour.

During the month the residents participated in exercises, games, and sing-alongs with Alpha Blaylock playing the

Anyone wishing to donate time or bring a special group to entertain please call Marlene Mitchell, activities director. Volunteers are always needed and

Support research.



-sunshine gad-a-bouts- Honors told

Staci Helmers and Neal Edmiston were winners of the Coaches Fighting Heart Award at last week's Eagle All Sports Banquet, sponsored by the Eagle Booster Club.

Other award winners were Craig Gutierrez and Staci Helmers, Nathan's Tennis Awards; Angie McGregor, Most Valuable Girls Trackster; Jeff Hausenfluck and Cody Lozano, tie for Most

Morrison receives Award

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Trey Morrison has been named a United States National Award winner in mathematics.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school students.

Trey, who attends Eldorado Middle School, was nominated for this National Award by Harvey Wink, a mathematics teacher and coach at the school.

Trey will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Year Book, published

Trey is also active in sports at school. He played football, basketball, tennis and ran track. He is a drummer for the middle school band, an honor student in the seventh grade is in Boy Scouts, is a 4-H Club member and is active in church activities.

Trey is the son of Bubba and Penni Morrison and grandson of Fred and Ruby Morrison of

Valuable Boys Trackster; and Sue Dean, Most Valuable Girls Basketball player.

Jason Stensby was named the Most Valuable Boys Basketball player, while Clint Griffin was named Outstanding Football Player; Craig Gutierrez, Most Valuable Player; Clint Griffin, Sportsmanship Award; Ernest Espinosa, Best Offensive Lineman; and Neal Edmiston, Mark Nikolauk Award.

Special guest speaker for the annual banquet was Tony Ford, former all-state running back for San Angelo Central High School.

ROUNDUP

Continued from Page 1.

Kristal Nelson, natural resources; Farley Dakan, Mandy Belk, and Neol Hoff, pasture grass identification; and Landon Neal and Trent Manning, horse.

Second place winners were Christy Robinson and Brooke Richards, home environment; and Amber Hamilton and Catharina Gower, pork.

Third place winners were Amy Hamilton and Jessica Conatser, clothing; Pepper Nix and Will Edmiston, safety and accident prevention; and Carmen Joy and Misty Williams, sheep and

Winners in fourth place were Meagan Stevenson and Kimberly Williams, food and nutrition educational activity.

Also participating in the contest as alternate members were Cynthia Arispe and Lou Anne Peaslee. Both received first place ratings.

-Public Notice-

NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS **RUNOFF ELECTION**

To the Registered Voters of: Eldorado, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 28, 1988, for voting in a runoff election, to break tie vote between Edwin M..

Location of polling place will be the Memorial Building, courthouse square.

(Rooster) Jackson, Jr. and Dora

Bosmans for City Council.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at 6 S. Cottonwood (City Hall), Eldorado, Texas between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on May 12, 1988 and ending on May 24,

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to Carolyn Mayo, City Secretary, P.O. Box 713, Eldorado, Texas 76936. Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on May 20.

Issued this the 10th day of May, 1988.

Bob Lester AVISO DE ELECCION CARRERA FINAL

A los votantes registrados del Eldorado, Texas:

Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el May 28, 1988 para votar en la Elecion para discontinuar el empate de voto entre Edwin M. (Rooster) Jackson, Jr. and Dora Bosmans para concejal de la

Direccion de las casillas electorales Memorial Building, courthouse square.

La Votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en 6 S. Cottonwood (City Hall), Eldorado, Texas entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el May 12, 1988 y terminando el May 24, 1988.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a: Carolyn Mayo, City Secretary, P.O. Box 713, Eldorado, Texas 76936. Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el May 20, 1988.

Emitada este dia 10th de

Bob Lester (2X-5/12/88-cg)

Casebearer dates are May 12-13

The pecan casebearer 10 percent adult emergency for Schleicher County is expected May 12-13. The first significant nut entry is May 25. These are estimated dates, but they are not off but maybe one to two days.

May 20-23 are the best dates to spray trees. If possible, two sprayings would be most beneficial with the first spraying around May 15 and the second spraying May 22-23.

Recommended sprays to use are as follows: Malathion 50 percent EC 2-1/2 teaspoons per one gallon of water; Zolone 34.4 percent EC 1-1/4 teaspoon per on gallon of water; Gathion 12 percent EC 1-1/3 Tablespoon per one gallon of water; and Sevin 50 percent WP two tablespoons per one gallon water.

Duplicate Bridge winners announced

March and April have been announced.

Winners for March 3 were Metha Trainer and Lottie Puckett, Sonora, first; Norma Murray, Sonora and Tom Peaslee, second; Ethel Olson and Trouba Kaplan, Sonora, third; and Anne Parker, Ozona and Clay Porter,

Winning on May 10 were Sammie Espy, Sonora, and Candy Richards, and Lottie Puckett and Fred Adkins, Sonora, tied for first: Tooter Dunham and Janee Finley, second; Annie Parker and Clay Porter, third; and Metha Trainer and Helen Blakeway, fifth.

Those winning on May 17 were Candy Richards and Sammie Espy, first; Metha Trainer and Trouba Kaplan, second; Charlotte Sutherland, Menard and Mary Christian, and Lottie Puckett and Fred Adkins, tied for

Winning on March 24 were Trouba Kaplan and Metha Trainer, first; Norma Murray and Tom Peaslee, second; Evelyn Wimer and Ina Lambert, third; and Lottie Puckett and Fred Adkins, fourth.

Duplicate Bridge winners for winners were Norma Murray and Tom Peaslee, first; Ethel Olson and Trouba Kaplan, second; Ina Lambert and Evelyn Wimer, third; and Mary Christian and Charlotte Sutherland, fourth.

> Winners on April 7 were Norma Murray and Tom Peaslee, first; Flora Hubble and Charlotte Sutherland, second; Candy Richards and Sammie Espy, and Trouba Kaplan and Ethel Olson, tied for third; and Bea Porter and Buddy Sutherland, fourth.

> Winning on April 14 were Candy Richards and Sammie Espy, first; Norma Murray and Tom Peaslee, second; Bea Porter and Buddy Sutherland, third; Evelyn Wimer and Clay Porter, and Charlotte Sutherland and Flora Hubble, tied for fourth.

> April 21, winners were Melissa O'Harrow and Buddy Sutherland, and Norma Murray and Tom Peaslee, tied for first; Candy Richards and Sammie Espy, second; and Lottie Puckett and Fred Adkins, third.

Winners on April 28 were Charlotte Sutherland and Flora Hubble, first; Tooter Dunhama and Melissa O'Harrow, second; Ethel Olson and Trouba Kaplan, third; Metha Trainer and Helen Blakeway, fourth; and Bea Porter At the March 31 meet, and Buddy Sutherland, fifth.

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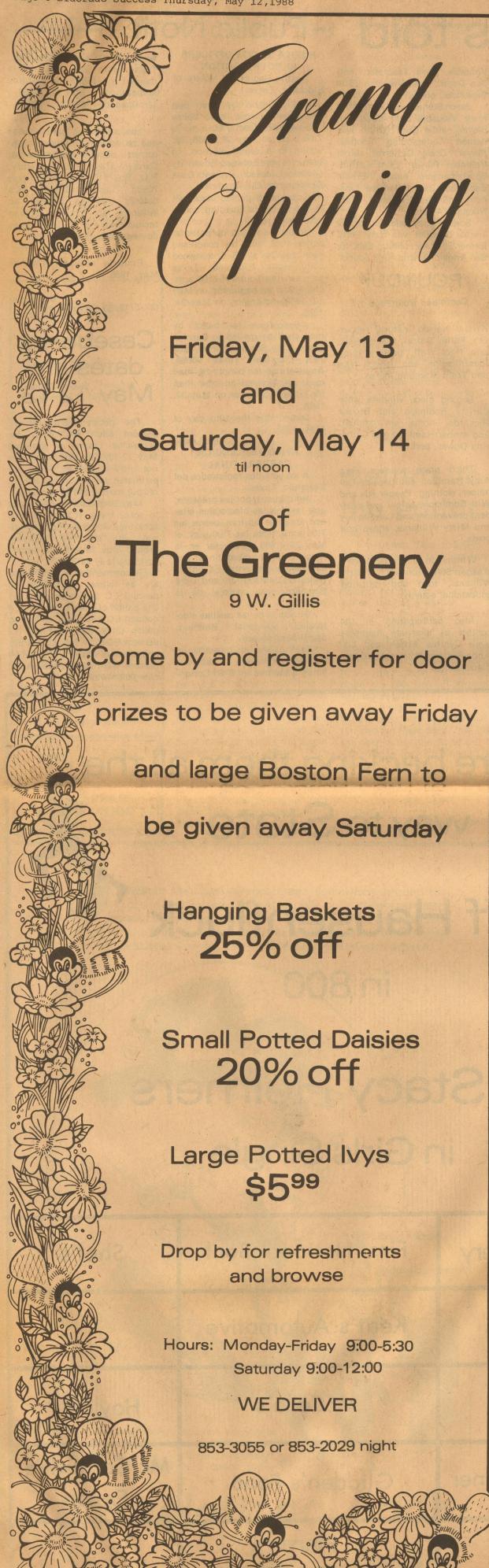


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(tfn-3/24/88-cg)

WANTED -- Prarie Dog hunting. Contact Tim Turner, Southwestern Livestock Mineral Company. 800-228-0987 express 59 or 915-655-1430. (4X-5/12/88-cg)

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NOTICE--Mary Kay Cosmetics. Graduation, birthday, anniversary gifts. Martha Spinks. Old Mertzon Road. 853-3415 after 4 (tfn-3/3/88-cg)

NOTICE--Electrical roofing and repair, tree trimming and odd jobs. Call Robert 387-5409 or John 387-3658. (4X-5/12/88-cg)

GARAGE SALE -- Saturday, May 14 beginning at 9 a.m. corner of Brooks and Northwest (Old "E" Center) 2 blocks north of school. Clothes, misc., desk, old carpet. (1X-5/12/88-cg)

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THANK YOU

We would like to thank the Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department for the long hours they spent putting out the fire on our

Thanks also to the Schleicher County Road Department for sending their water truck and all those individuals who brought their sprayers and came to help We appreciate all your help and

Duncan & Trish Wilson (1X-5/12/88-pd)

THANK YOU

I would like to thank everyone for their support in this past election for school board. I could not have been elected without your help and support. Thanks

> Sincerely. **Dobs Lively**

(1X-5/12/88-pd)

THANK YOU

When people talk of the land of milk and honey I can't help but think they are talking about Eldorado. You have given our family so much love and support in the past few days that I truly believe the people of Eldorado are the most wonderful people in the world.

Thank you for all of the flowers, food, cards and prayers that have given us the strength to carry on. A special thank you to those who stood by us through Jack's illness and surgery.

The Lord has given us strength through each of you. Lois Etheredge

Bill & Burnell Etheredge B.D. & Jackie Hampton (1X-5/12/88-pd)

FOR SALE

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FOR SALE--1986 Ford F-150 XLT-Lariat, short bed, super cab. Chrome headache rack, running boards, bed liner. Super Clean. Call 853-3128 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE--14x80 Foot Windsor Mobile Home. 1980 model. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Call 853-2627 or 853-2826. (tfn-3/10/88-cg)

(2X-5/12/88-pd)

FOR SALE--Used tin, \$2.00 per sheet; 1962 Chevrolet 6 cyl. pickup \$300; 1965 Ford 6 cyl. pickup w/ tool box bed \$350: 1973 Volvo station wagon \$350; 1983 Nissan 280 ZX turbo loaded \$4,000; 1973 SS Chevelle \$350: Pole-pipe trailor \$200. Call 915-853-2408 after 5 p.m. (tfn-5/12/88-cg)

LOST-FOUND 00000000000000000

LOST--Walter Hagan Pitching Wedge. Left at golf course around April 9. Reward (Sentimental Value) Call 853-2544 (work) or 853-3085 (home). (1X-5/12/88-pd)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received until 10:00 a.m. May 23, 1988 by the Commissioners Court on a USED 1968 MODEL DODGE FIRE TRUCK, which may be seen a' the courthouse. Bids opened in the County Courtroom, Courthouse, Eldorado.

The Court reserves the right to accept any bid deemed by the Court to be in the best interest o' Schleicher County, whether or not the bid be low, or right to accept or reject any and all bids. Helen Blakeway.

County Clerk

1X-5/12/88-cg)

NOTICE

Schleicher County will hire a full time employee as custodian for the cemetery, with applications to be received until 10:00 a.m. May 23, 1988. The custodian will be furnished a house at the cemetery, utilities and

> Helen Blakeway, County Clerk

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