

Meeting set

The Third Annual World Championship Cowboy Campfire Cooking and Pasture Roping committee chairmen will be having a meeting on January 9 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will be downstairs at the memorial building. Everyone interested is asked to attend the meeting.

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Friday morning blaze guts Eldorado grocery store



LOSING BATTLE--Members of the Schleicher County Volunteer Fire Department fought valiantly last Friday morning but could not save Parker Foods in downtown Eldorado. The fire-

men did save the Success office and Jerry's T.V., both in the same block. Some 48 firemen fought the blaze at one time or another. [Photos by Charlie Bradley]

IN FRIDAY FIRE

No foul play suspected

BY TERRY B. NEILL

The calm of a crisp, winter morning was shattered last Friday by a major fire that completely engulfed Parker Food Store in Eldorado.

Prompt action by the Schleicher County Volunteer Fire Department saved the Eldorado Success and Jones T.V. buildings, located adjacent to the 81-year old grocery store.

Luckily, only five mile per hour winds were felt when pumper Jay Holley first spotted the fire in downtown Eldorado from 12 miles east of town.

Holley was going to work at the Staley Operating Plant, located on the McIntosh Ranch, when he saw the flames and

radioed in. Moments later firemen were on the scene and a fight that proved to be "heavy-weight" indeed began.

Firemen pumped thousands of gallons of water on the blaze, which had already raged out of control and gutted Parkers when firemen first arrived. Sonora Fire Department units, PAVE PAWS equipment and personnel and several water trucks from Trey Trucking in Eldorado joined forces to keep the fire from spreading.

Over 24 hours later the fire was still breaking out in small spots in the grocery store, but the newspaper and t.v. store had been saved from all but smoke

damage.

Only a shell remains of the grocery store, however, and the cause of the fire is still under investigation, according to Schleicher County Sheriff Ronnie Norris, but co-owner Glenn Parker said Monday that the fire started in power line junction box at the back of the store and no foul play is suspected.

The store had been in the Parker family for all but four years. Glenn Parker and his brother, D.T., bought the company back in 1939, and operated it until D.T. died. D.T.'s wife and Glenn have been operating the store since.

FOOD, ART SHOW INCLUDED

Livestock Show planned here

Schleicher County's top young 4-Hers and FFAers will be highlighted when the annual Schleicher County Junior Livestock Show is held here January 12, 13 and 14.

Scheduled for the 4-H-Ag Complex again, this year's activities will include a food show and creative arts division.

Food must be turned in by Thursday, 5 p.m. and creative arts entries accepted from 1 until 6 p.m. January 11.

Beginning at 9 a.m. on January 12, creative arts entries will be judged, and at 2 p.m. will be opened to the public. All livestock exhibits must be in place by 6 p.m. for the weigh-in and the rabbit show will be held

at 7:30 p.m.

On January 13 at 10 a.m. the range ewe judging in wool will be held, followed by range goats and market lambs. Range ewe fleece and mohair will be judged at 6 p.m. and the dog show will be staged at 5.

The swine show will wrap things up, starting at 6 p.m.

On January 14, fitted lambs and meat goats will be judged at 8:30 a.m. and all youth food entries are due in by 9 a.m. Food

show entries will be judged at 10 a.m., as will range ewes. Breeding cattle will be up at 10:30, followed by steers, and a barbecue lunch will be served at 12.

The livestock premium sale will be held at 1:30 p.m. while at 2 p.m. the creative arts entries will be released. A dance will be held from 8 until 12.

Complete details on this year's show will be included in next week's issue of the Eldorado Success.

Both Eagle teams triumph over Eden cagers

Both Eldorado High School varsity teams raced to victories over Eden Tuesday night in high school basketball.

The boys squad came back from a holiday rest to pop the Bulldogs, 72-60, leading 13-8 after one period, and at halftime, 28-22. EHS won the game with 21-19 and 23-19 advantages in the third and fourth periods.

Whitten led the Eagles with 16 points, while Barton added 14, Kotsch 12 and Patton 11 points. Meador chipped in eight points and Ramirez three points.

The Eagle girl hoopsters rolled up a 20-point victory, 56-36, as Martinez scalded the nets for 26 points. Hardy added

17 and Halbert pumped in six points. Sauer had two points and Sterling one.

Both teams were cold in the first period as the locals led, 8-5, then 22-13 at the halftime. EHS won the third period, 18-10, and secured the win.

The girls junior varsity won over Eden, 29-18. McCormick, Agüero, Martinez, Martinez, Fuessel and Jones each scored four points, with Romero adding three and Manning and McGregor two points each.

Edmiston scored seven points to pace the junior varsity boys, who lost, 33-30 to Eden. Vasquez and Martinez each scored five

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Santa visits 48 families

According to Jane Johnson of Eldorado, Santa was able to visit 48 families in Schleicher County this year with food, household goods, toys, and clothing.

Of the 48 families visited, 24 got household goods, toys and-or clothing. Another nine got larger food boxes for larger families and eight were smaller grocery boxes with food, household goods, laundry detergent, soap, etc. for single person households.

Five Santa gifts of clothing and household items were given

away, as well as one gift certificate to Gliddens.

Contributions remaining are several boxes of clothing items and some toys that were slightly worn. This merchandise will become the basic stock for the storehouse, which is yet unnamed.

"In light of our inexperience and this being our first Christmas sharing, we feel that it was very successful, but will do better as we learn.



STATE WINNERS--The State Board of Education and Texas Education Agency announced this week that the Eldorado

Middle School is one of the campuses in Texas earning citations for improved student performance in the board's academic recognition program.

Pictured are Middle School Principal, Scott Barton; teacher Christy Meador; teacher Marcy Willis;

teacher Jill Preston; teacher, Linda Thomas; former teacher Imogene Edmiston and Harvey Wink. [Photo by Sue Neill]

CAGERS

and Gonzales and Shaw scored four each. Brandenberger and Schooley had two points each and Espinosa had a single free throw.

"Can you tell me how to quit smoking?"

Whether you need to know how to quit smoking or what are cancer's warning signs or the latest treatment, whatever questions you have about cancer, call the American Cancer Society. It's a place to turn to when you don't know where to turn.

Call the American Cancer Society
1-800-ACS-2345

American Cancer Unit forming

Persons interested in forming a local chapter of the American Cancer Society will meet at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 17 in the club room of the Memorial Building.

The Cancer Society offers a variety of services to cancer patients and their families. A local chapter will make it easier for us to receive information as well as donations. For more information, please call the county extension office at 853-2610.

A chairman for the local cancer unit is also needed, according to officials.

The American Cancer Society provides many services statewide and locally, from an equipment loan program to patient visitor programs to patient and family support programs.

EHS News

District Basketball competition begins on Tuesday, January 10, 1989, with the Eldorado Eagles playing McCamey High School in our own gym here at the high school. The other schools in our district that the Eagles will be competing against are: Forsan, Ozona, Reagan County, and Stanton. We wish the Eagles the best of luck in their district competition. We encourage everyone to come to the games and support our team.

On December 16, the FFA elected Vicki Hooten as the chapter sweetheart. She is the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hooten. Vicki will represent the chapter at the district banquet in April.

The FFA and 4-H will be holding their annual livestock, foods, and craft show beginning January 11 thru 14.

One act play cast is set and rehearsals begun.

The 1989 One Act Play for Eldorado High School will be "The Dancers". The cast of actors/actresses is: Louanne Crowder, Patti Duke, Rachel Edmiston, Amy Evans, Lacy Finley, Pat Martin, Larry Ramos, Andra Robledo, Larry Silvas and Ginger Sterling.

Crew: Bobby Corbell, Blanca Martinez and Homer Minor. Alternate: Melaina O'Connor.

The district One Act Play competition will be in Big Lake on March 15, 1989.

Eagle Band members, Jeff Hutcherson, Laura Johnson, Margaret Mejia, Carisa Porter, and Andra Robledo leave after school Friday, January 6, bound for University of Texas at Austin for their all state band tryouts. Tryouts will be held all day on Saturday, January 7th. Good luck to all of you trying out.

On Friday, January 13, 1989, the following Eagle Band members will be going to Stephenville for rehearsals and performance in the region band: Kari Bilbrey, Denese Crowder, Jeff Hutcherson, Laura Johnson, Margaret Mejia, Carisa Porter, and Andra Robledo.

The region concert will be held at Tarleton State University in Stephenville, Saturday evening, January 14.

school menu

- Monday, January 9th**
Feistadas
Pinto Beans
Diced Pears
Yellow Cake/Choc. Icing
- Tuesday, January 10th**
Turkey-A-La-King
Whole Kernel Corn
Lime Jello
Peanut Butter Cookies
- Wednesday, January 11th**
Sombbrero Salad
Pineapple Tidbits
Iced Cupcakes
- Thursday, January 12th**
sandwiches-Tuna, Chicken Salad
Pimento Cheese & Peanut Butter
French Fries
Orange Halves
Chocolate Peanut Clusters
- Friday, January 13th**
No School
- BREAKFAST**
- Monday, January 9th**
Applesauce
Pean Muffins
- Tuesday, January 10th**
Orange Juice
Breakfast Pizza
- Wednesday, January 11th**
Pears
Doughnuts
- Thursday, January 12th**
Fruit
Fruit
Choice of Cereal
- Friday, January 13th**
No School

Richardson services conducted

Services for Jerri A. Richardson, 37, of Lubbock were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday in First Baptist Church with the Revs. Hayes Whicker, pastor, and John Ballard, associate pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

She died at 7:50 a.m. Monday in Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She graduated from Texas Tech University in 1973 and moved to Lubbock in 1977. She married Daniel K. Richardson on December 29, 1973 in Houston. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Nathan and Paul, both of Lubbock; and a brother, Randy Turner of Houston.

Pallbearers will be Terry Bilderback, Gary Miller, John Kelly, Larry Ewing, Jeff Roland and Ralph Cery.

The family suggests memorials be made to the American Cancer Society.

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Forest Service-USDA

Christmas Lighting winners told

The winners of the Christmas decorating contest sponsored by the Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce were first place, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Goins; second, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Guerrero; third, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rodriguez. Honorable mention goes to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Martinez and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Martinez.

Thank you to everyone who participated.

EMT Course planned

An Emergency Medical Technician Course will begin in February in Sutton County.

This course is 100 hours of classroom and practical training in the field of emergency medicine. A Texas Department of Health EMT license will be issued if the student successfully completes the course and passes the state written exam.

The classes will be held on Tuesday and Thursday nights. For more information call 387-5132 weekdays for 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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Tax higher in Schleicher

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday said a voter-approved increase in the sales tax in Schleicher County took effect on January 1, 1989.

Schleicher County voters approved the additional half-percent levy in a special election held on November 3, 1987.

"The additional tax is collected with state and local sales taxes and shouldn't cause any bookkeeping problems," Bullock said.

The addition of the new county sales tax boosts the total sales tax rate in the county's city of Eldorado to a total of 7½ percent, according to Bullock.

The total state and local sales tax in unincorporated areas of

the county is 6½ percent, he said.

The new county sales tax applies to the same goods and services currently taxed under Texas tax laws.

Total sales tax on any transaction in Schleicher County cannot exceed 7½ percent, according to Bullock.

The Texas Legislature in 1986 okayed additional local sales taxes for cities and counties on a local option election basis as a method to raise tax money to reduce property taxes.

Businesses report state, county, and city sales taxes to the Comptroller's office. Local sales taxes are returned to cities and counties by Bullock's office

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4-Hers Schedule Events -letters

PUTTING ON THE DOG!
The Annual Dog Show will be held on Friday, January 13, at 5 p.m. at the 4-H Show Barn. As usual there will be two divisions: Groomed dogs and dressed dogs. There are three age divisions for those showing in the dog show. These are **Sub-Junior**- Kindergarten, first and second grades; **Junior**-third grade thru 13 years old; **senior**-ages 14-19. Dogs can be shown in both classes, but only once in each class!
This is always a lot of fun. Be as creative as you can. You and your dog just might win the show

FOOD SHOW
Entry forms for the food show for the Stock Show Food Show should be turned in to the county extension office by Wednesday, January 11. Food entries must fit the designated categories or they will not be allowed to show or sell. The food show starts at 9 a.m. on Saturday, January 14.

STOCK SHOW DANCE
There will be a stock show dance starting at 8 p.m. on Saturday, January 14, at the show barn. The charge is \$2 per person.

4-H DANCE LESSONS
4-H Dance Lessons will start on Wednesday, January 11 at 7 p.m. in the Memorial Building.

Dance lessons will last from 7 p.m.-8 p.m. You must be in the third grade or older to participate. Everyone who comes needs to want to dance. We don't have any spectators! The schedule for dance lessons is: January 11, 18, 25, February 1 and 8. We will have a Valentine Dance sometime the following week.

CREATIVE ARTS DIVISION
Everyone is encouraged to come out to the 4-H show barn and see the articles entered in the Creative Arts Division at the Annual Livestock Show. This display will be open to the public starting at 2 p.m. on Thursday, January 12.

Anyone in Schleicher County is welcome to enter the Creative Arts Division.

Categories include: Clothing, crafts, hobbies, needlework-stitcher, tatting, knitting, crocheting, quilting, ceramics & plaster art, art, jams, jellies & preserves, canned fruits & vegetables, pickles & relishes.

Other categories will be added if we need them. If you want to enter the Creative Arts Division bring your articles to the show barn between 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. on Wednesday, January 11. They will be judged on Thursday morning, January 12. For more information call the county extension office at 853-2610.

Ministerial Alliance Dear Neighbors and Friends,
The Ministerial Alliance, Pat and I wish to extend our gratitude to all of you for helping to make this year's 'Christmas Sharing' a wonderful success!

In working with the open house, I perceived a warm feeling of community caring. So many of you contributed...whether your time, talents, or support in providing clothing, food, household items, or toys! Santa was able to visit many this year!

There is something else exciting. We now have the beginnings for a community storehouse or thrift shop which will be a wonderful resource for our county. The items - mostly clothing - that we were unable to place are being stored for the present. In January the Ministerial Alliance will meet and proceed with more concrete plans toward the development of this year-round ideal of people helping people.

We are so pleased to be a part of the Eldorado community and to become involved with the many, many caring people that we have met.

Sincerely yours,
Jane(Mullick) Johnson

In old England, the word "child" referred only to a girl.

Texas businesses popular

The State song "Texas Our Texas" may someday have to be changed to "Texas Their Texas" if we do not act soon to reverse the trend of foreign ownership of Texas businesses.

In the last twelve months, we have seen control of our major banks move from Texas to New York, Chicago, and North Carolina.

MCorp, the last of Texas' large bank holding companies, is struggling to remain a Texas-property. The other gigantic Texas bank holding companies, that faced massive loan defaults, fell to bailouts by out-of-state banking interests.

Now an even more ominous cloud is on our economic horizon.

Recently, the Antitrust Division of the Attorney General, s office recieved complaints regarding Texaco,s sale to Saudi Arabia of half of its refinery operations, including its Port Arthur - refinery.

This sale will adversely affect the abillith of independent Texas businesses to complete in local markets and put thousands of employees at the mercy of foreign interests with no lasting ties to our state.

However terrible the results of such an acquisition, there are no state laws designed to stop or even detect such takeovers by foreign interests and the state,s antitrust law do not provide the answer to this problem.

This is just one of many significant acquisitions by foreign investors in our state. The economic downturn in the Texas economy has resulted in bargain basement prices for our businesses and property, and has made them easy targets for anyone with money to invest.

Internationally, as the dollar becomes weaker and weaker, and our trade balance worsens, the results will be increased foreign ownership of the vital industries of our state.

The solution to the problem of foreign ownership of our vital industries will not be easy. A recent bill in the United States Congress by Rep. John Bryant would have required reporting of foreign ownership. Unfortunately, the bill died in the Senate.

State Representative Paul Colbert has announced that a similar bill will be introduced in the Texas Legislature. Other approaches are also possible. However, the time to act is now.

We must require the reporting of foreign ownership. It is not a solution in itself, but such information is necessary if the extent of the problem is to be understood and an immediate remedy is to be found.

Of course, the ultimate solution is a strong Texas economy built on a diversified industrial base. A strong economy will be disinclined and resistant to foreign ownership.

A cooperative effect by the citizenry, business, industry and government can keep Texas our Texas.

Commodity Food signup scheduled

Families or individuals wishing to receive commodity foods in 1989 need to sign up on Tuesday, January 10 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. at the Memorial Building. Commodity foods will NOT be distributed at this time--this is only for sign-up!


Persons receiving food stamps, aid to families with dependent children or medicaid are automatically eligible, but you must come and sign up to receive your 1989 eligibility card. Other individuals may qualify by meeting income guidelines.

If you are unable to sign up on January 10, please come by the courthouse to sign up before January 18.

Commodity foods will be distributed on January 18.

For more information please call the County Extension Office at 853-2610.

Programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to all persons regardless of race, creed, color, religion or socio-economic level.



Washington Update

By Congressman Lamar Smith

All too often in Washington and in the news media, the good gets overlooked.

Perhaps good things just don't make acceptable headlines. As we enter a new year, we should pause and look at what is right with America.

For instance, look at what does make the headlines: our bloated budget, climbing health care costs and bankrupt banks.

At first glance we are hard-pressed to find much positive in such subjects.

Yet, these issues are grounded in some of America's most basic and most laudable values. These values are what is right with America.

*For instance, the value we place on fiscal responsibility is one thing that is right with America.

Don't be fooled by the liberal leadership of Congress. WE do not need to raise taxes to reduce our federal deficit.

Due to economic growth, tax revenues are projected to increase by \$75 billion a year for the next four years. Now it is up to Congress to stop the growth of spending.

We CAN grow out of our deficit and we CAN do it without raising taxes.

*The value we place on individual initiative is what is right with America.

We have a responsibility to the folks who have put their life savings into a savings and loan with the expectation that their hard-earned money will be safe. It will be a tough balancing

act, but most of our small, well-run banking institutions can make it with a little help. And, as our national economy grows, the pressure on our thrifts will be eased.

*The value we place on individual well-being is another thing right with America.

Health care certainly comes to the forefront of public debate, especially since the passage of the Catastrophic Health Care bill. I call this bill 'Catastrophic.'

Despite all good intentions, this latest legislation increases costs for seniors and strains an already overburdened Medicare system.

In the 101st Congress, I will continue to strenuously oppose such 'remedies' and work for more cost effective solutions.

*The value we place on our energy resources is what is right with America.

Despite our desire to continue domestic oil production, we continue to import 40 percent of this nation's oil. Right now America is are dependent on the decisions of a few wealthy oil ministers on the other side of the world. This should and can be changed.

By holding down taxes on the first several years of oil and gas production, we can raise the incentive for new exploration. President-elect George Bush has shown an interest in implementing a plan to re-invigorate the domestic energy industry, and we have the "Texas Connection" on our side.

A few weeks ago, the Re-

publican Congressmen met with our President for the last time.

The President simply urged us all to spend more time at the tops of the mountains than in the valleys.

Very simple, and very relevant as we enter a new year.

Free trees due Arbor Day celebrants

Ten free trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during January, 1989.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's efforts to encourage tree planting throughout America.

The ten trees are the Sugar Maple, White Flowering Dogwood, Pin Oak, White Pine, Red Maple, Birch, American Redbud, Silver Maple, Red Oak, and Colorado Blue Spruce.

"These trees were selected to provide benefits every season of the year: lovely spring flowers, cool summer shade, spectacular autumn colors, and winter berries and nesting sites for songbirds." John Rosenow, the Foundation's executive director, said.


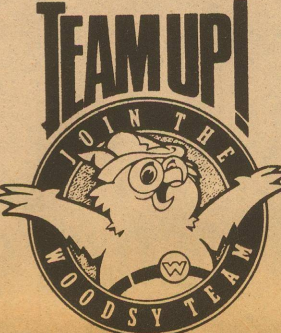
The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between February 1 and May 31 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to TEN TREES, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by January 31, 1989.

Forest Service - USDA

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Forest Service - USDA

SS Rep. plans visit January 19

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his January visit to Eldorado. He will be at the county courthouse on Thursday, January 19th, between 1:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m.

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

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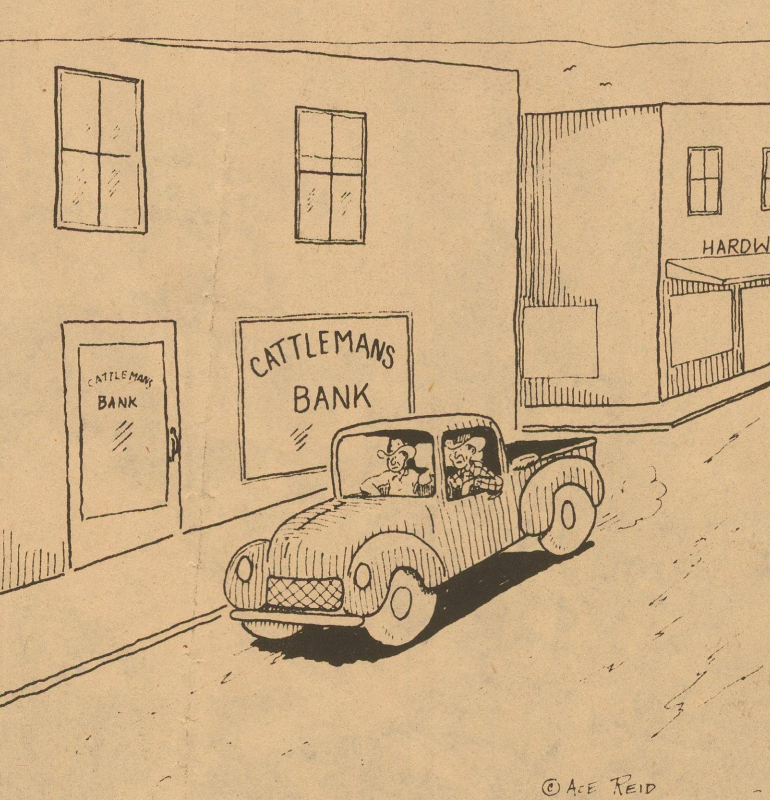
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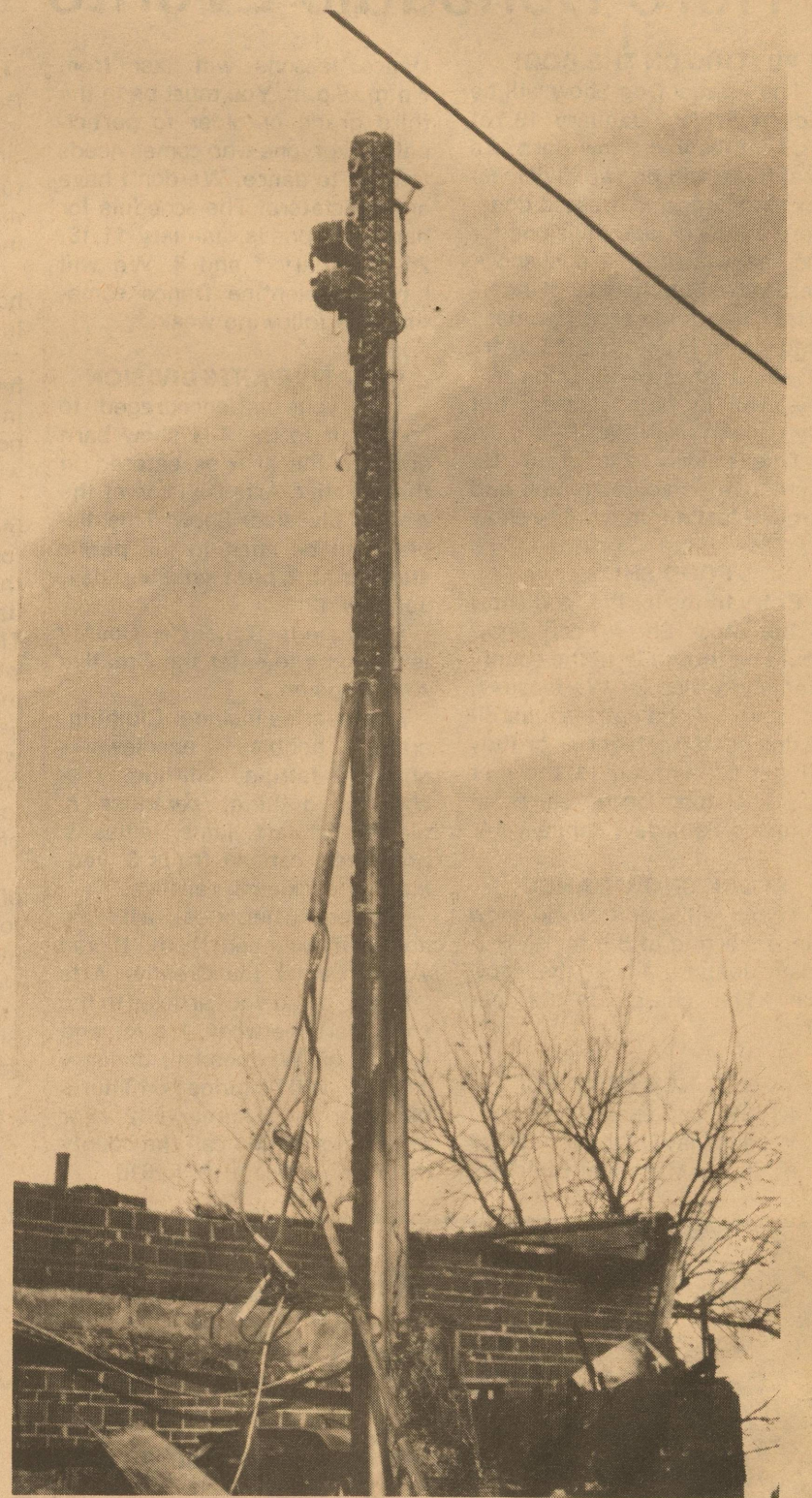
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Fire strikes popular grocery store.....



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MITCHELL BRADLEY SOPHOMORE AT ACADEMY

Eldorado man recruiting for Navy

Though Mitchell Bradley grew up a West Texas landlubber, he has found his future at the United States Naval Academy.

The 20-year old Eldorado High School graduate is taking advantage of his Christmas vaca-

tion to recruit other West Texas youths into the service.

Bradley was one of 1,300 students chosen from among 15,000 candidates to attend the academy in Annapolis, Md., after his graduation in 1987.

"Everyone at the academy was class president in high school," Bradley said. "You go in thinking you're one of the best and you start to really find your place."

The young Texan didn't have much time for culture shock, since first year "pleebs" are only allowed off campus between noon and midnight on Saturdays.

Bradley found support from the other new recruits from around the country, who struggled through boot camp-like orientation training.

"Misery loves company and there's lots of company," he said. "Because we were all there together, we helped each other out."

As a sophomore, life is easier this year and Bradley said he will be allowed to spend eight weekends away from school.

A physics major, Bradley will graduate with the rank of ensign. He hopes to join the Sea, Land and Air, or SEALs, special service. He is also a Rhodes Scholar candidate and may do graduate work in England.

Currently, Bradley is speaking at area high schools, telling students about the academy and how to apply.

The application and acceptance process takes about a year and

Bradley encourages those interested to begin the paper work while juniors in high school.

"Anybody that comes in with an open mind and the attitude that they want to do well will have the chance to succeed," he said.

On December 30, 1988, Southwestern Bell Telephone filed tariff revisions with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to institute the last scheduled increase in the FCC-approved customer line charge. This monthly charge appears on the Detail of Charges page of your Southwestern Bell Telephone bill.

If approved, the charge will increase on April 1, 1989. Residence and single-line business customers will incur a 30-cent increase, bringing their monthly FCC-approved customer line charge to \$3.50.

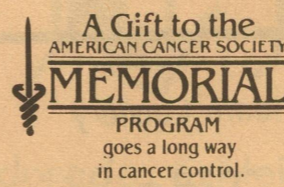
Business customers who have Centrex service will realize a 50-cent increase on each line installed or ordered before July 28, 1989. This will bring their monthly FCC-approved customer line charge to \$5.50 per line.

Other multi-line business customers will incur a 10-cent increase. This will bring their monthly FCC-approved customer line charge to \$5.50 per line as well.

This charge is part of a nationwide plan originated by the FCC so local telephone customers would more directly contribute toward the costs of providing the local portion of their long distance telephone service.

Specifically, revenues from the FCC-approved customer line charge reduce the costs long distance companies pay Southwestern Bell Telephone to provide interstate long distance services to our customers. Historically, these cost savings have been passed on to our customers in the form of decreased interstate long distance charges.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact your business office at the number listed in the front of your White Pages directory.



Rabbit Club plans meeting

The Eldorado Rabbit Club and the Funny Bunnies will meet in the Lions Club Room at the Memorial Building on Sunday, January 8, 1989. The meeting will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday afternoon.

All club members and 4-H Funny Bunnies are urged to attend. The club will be going over final preparations for the rabbit show that will be held Thursday, January 12 in conjunction with the 4-H/FFA Livestock Show.

FLU SHOTS NOW AVAILABLE

Immunization against influenza is recommended for the following:

- Adults and children with chronic lung, heart or kidney disease
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Best of Luck in 88-89

Eldorado Eagle Basketball Teams

High School Basketball Schedule

Middle School Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	VB	JVB	VC	JVC
Nov. 1	Robert Lee (Scrimmage)	Here	5:30			X	X
Nov. 7	Eden (Scrimmage)	There	5:00			X	X
Nov. 15	Sonora	Here	5:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 18	Wall	Here	5:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 22	Iraan	There	5:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 29	Central	Here	5:00			X	X
Nov. 29	Wall	There	6:30	X	X		
Dec. 1, 2, 6, 3	Sonora Tourn. Reagan Cty Tourn.	There	TBA	X		X	
Dec. 6	Iraan	Here	5:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 8, 9, 10	Iraan Tourn	There	TBA	X		X	
Dec. 13	Rankin	Here	5:00	X		X	X
Dec. 16	Sonora	There	5:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 20	Water Valley	There	5:00	X		X	X
Jan. 3	Eden	Here	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 5, 6, 6, 7	Lohn Tourn. Big Lake Tourn.	There	TBA	X	X	X	
Jan. 10*	McCamey	Here	5:00	X	X	X	
Jan. 13*	Reagan Co.	There	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 17*	Forsan	There	5:00	X	X	X	
Jan. 20*	Ozona	Here	6:30	X		X	
Jan. 20 & 21	Eldorado JV Tourn.	Here	TBA		X		X
Jan. 24*	Stanton	Here	5:00	X		X	X
Jan. 27*	McCamey	There	6:30	X		X	
Jan. 27 & 28	Mertzson JV Tourn.	There	TBA		X		X
Jan. 31*	Reagan Co.	Here	5:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 3*	Forsan	Here	5:00	X		X	X
Feb. 7*	Ozona	There	5:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 10*	Stanton	There	5:00	X	X	X	


Date	Opponent	Place	Time	Team
Nov. 14	Sonora	GH-BT	5:00	g.G.b.B.Fg.Fb
21	Big Lake	GH-BT	5:00	g.G.b.B
28	Mertzson	T	5:00	g.G.b.B
Dec. 1-3	Ozona Tourn.	T	TBA	g.b
5	Open			
9-10	Eldorado Tourn.H		TBA	g.G.b.B
12	Open			
19	Iraan	GH-BT	5:30	g.G.b.B.Fg.Fb
Jan. 5	Open			
16	Sonora	GT-BH	5:00	g.G.b.B.Fg.Fb
23	Iraan	GT-BH	5:30	g.G.b.B.Fb
27-28	Big Lake T.	T	TBA	G.B
30	Open			
Feb. 2	Open			
6	Big Lake	GT-BH	5:00	g.G.b.B

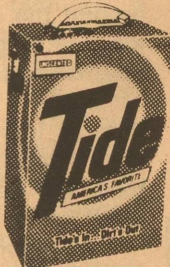
First National Bank	Gower Pumping Service	Meador-Peters Agency
McCormick Exxon	Eldorado Wool Co.	Jerry's T.V. Service
Southwest Texas Electric Co-op Inc.	Hayloft	Clark's Gulf
	The Greenery	

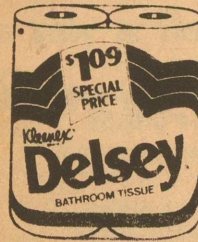
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Potato Chips
.99

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1 lb Parade
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.49

Boneless
Chuck Roast
1.59 lb

Boneless
Arm Roast
1.69 lb

Boneless
Sirloin
2.79 lb

T-Bone
3.19 lb

Tomatoes
.59 lb 

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.79 ea

10 lb
Potatoes
1.29

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NOTICE

Jeffrey's Barbecue Cookbook are for sale at the Eldorado Success.

NOTICE

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by Paul Pena

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WANTED--Hudspeth Nursing Home in Sonora is now taking applications for an LVN. Call Becky Becknell, 387-3030. Good salaries and benefits. tfn-9-29-88-cg

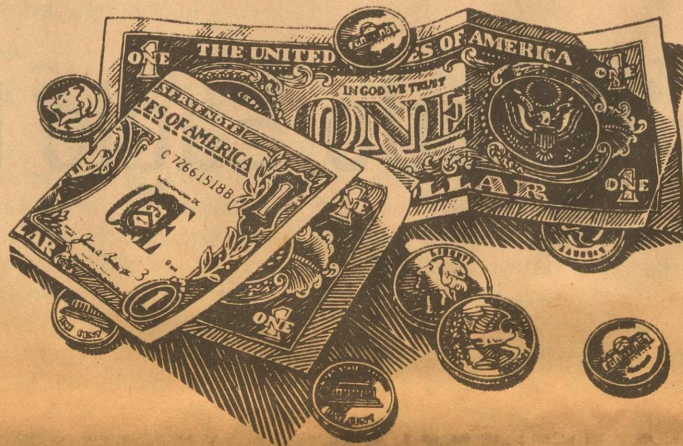
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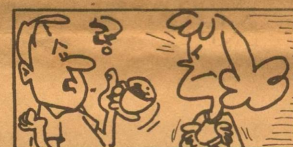
THANK YOU

THANK YOU
The Schleicher County Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank all those who helped us at the fire last week. A special thanks to the Sonora Fire Department, PAVE PAWS Fire Department and to Trey Trucks and also to the people from Casa Arispe Number 2, Shots and Eagle Dairy Mart who sent food to our firemen.
Again, thanks to all.
Schleicher County Volunteer Fire Department

THANK YOU

On behalf of the Greenery and myself, I would like to thank each and everyone of you for your support and kindness shown to me during the opening of the Greenery. It has been a pleasure to serve you.

Sue Neill



Tea or coffee stains in a cup? Wet with vinegar. Rub with a damp cloth dipped in salt.