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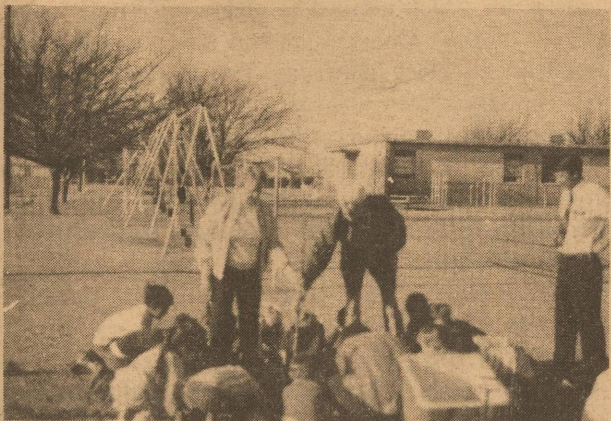
Boosters Urge.... Wear Green!!!!

The Eldorado Eagle Booster Club urges everyone to attend the basketball game Friday night at 7 p.m. in Iraan and to wear green.

There will be a very important Booster Club meeting February 20 at 8 p.m. in the Field House. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Kindergarteners Honor VIPS

We are very proud of Mrs. Wink's kindergarten class. In recognition of Arbor Day, these young people planted flowers and trees in honor of Elementary School VIPS. A tree was planted especially for Dick Preston and the late Dan O'Connor, thanking them and all VIPS for helping to make the school a success.



Elementary Principal, Glen Nix, looks on as Mr. Preston and Mrs. O'Connor (representing Mr. O'Connor) accept tree from Kindergarten students.

Irion County Winter Band Concert

The Irion County High School Band will perform their Annual Winter Concert on Thursday, February 23. The Concert will consist of Contest type music. The band will be playing contemporary band music, along with some pop arrangements. The program will be held in the auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend, admission is Free.

Eagles, Flying High



Steve Whitten eyes a Stanton play last Friday in Stanton. (Photo by Charlie Bradley)

Friday night is a big night for the Eldorado Eagles. Playing Stanton, in Iraan, the boy's basketball team is vying for the number two spot in the District. Victory over the Buffaloes will guarantee the Eagles a Bi-District play-off berth.

The Eagles have enjoyed an outstanding season with three victories over #1

ranked Ozona.

Eagle boosters are encouraging members of the community to make the trip to Iraan to let our boys know that we are supporting them.

Coach Greg Cleveland has done an out-standing job in molding these young men into a fine basketball team.

State Rep To Visit

State Representative for the 67th District, Harvey Hilderbran, will be in Eldorado Friday, February 17, at 4:30 p.m. at the Memorial Building.

The purpose of this town meeting is to get input from the citizens of Schleicher County while the legislature is in session. Hilderbran's aim is to find out what the people think.

Hilderbran was elected State Representative in last November's election. Everyone is urged to attend this meeting.

Hilderbran will conduct a town hall meeting at the Mertzon Community Center

at 7:30 p.m. the same evening. All Irion County citizens are invited and encouraged to attend the meeting.

Rep. Hilderbran will address issues concerning pay raises for state officials, Workman's Compensation Insurance, rural health problems, water resources, budget and taxes and other issues that may concern the community.

Rep. Hilderbran has expressed a desire to hold such meetings at least twice each year in order to keep the constituents of his district informed.

The Editor's Journal

Editor's Clips

By Mary Jenkins

I had the opportunity to help chaperon the Valentine Dance held Saturday night for the younger kids of the community. The kids seemed to have a real good time.

As the evening wore on I noticed a little girl walking toward me. I smiled at her and she smiled at me. But the smile quickly faded.

I gave her a hug and asked her if she was having a good time. She said "no, not really." I asked her why not and she said "I think I just lost two of my friends. They were talking to me. But they called me a geek and now they won't talk to me."

How powerful is the use of words! I guess we can all be guilty of calling someone a name at one time or another. We as adults can overlook most of it. But what about our children? And how do we teach our kids to ignore what someone says to them? How do we teach them that it doesn't matter what someone calls them--it is what's inside them

that is important?

As I sat and talked with this little girl, I tried to tell her that she should ignore what the others said to her and to have a good time anyway. She said she would try, but as she got up to leave, her head was hung low.

The word is a powerful tool. I can't help but wonder if we as parents are just as much to blame as the child who spoke the unkind words. Do we call names in the presence of our kids? Do they hear us and use the same on their friends?

There is a saying: "A wound from the tongue is worse than a wound from the sword." Think about it!

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

This is a letter written as a last resort of a problem in Glendale. We built our home here 25 years ago because we liked this area of our town. We have great neighbors, young and old alike.

Recently we have had our house, cars egged, four letter words on our front door, paint on picture window, paint on car and pickup. Trailer pulled into our garden, rocks and other items thrown in our fenced back yard. All these cute little things happen because we have a vacant lot that we keep mowed and raise a garden. We have asked the children in this area not to play on the lot because its harder to mow until we go over it and clean rocks and such.

We have had law officers up to view the latest happenings.

If you have sons in Glendale, would you like this to happen to you when you're older and you're trying to keep your own property as best as you can.

We are also not the only family that is being harassed up here. Seems like living on a corner in Glendale is the wrong place to be.

Delbert & Juanita Taylor

Dear Editor:

I would like to express my feeling and concern about our Schleicher County Medical Hospital and Nursing Home. I don't know what some of us would have done without both of them.

My mother had gall bladder surgery here. I had major surgery here. My companion, a stroke victim, living 13 years and four months, almost seven years in our nursing home.

Our hospital board truly does not have an easy job. But to the people that has served on it, I will say a job well done.

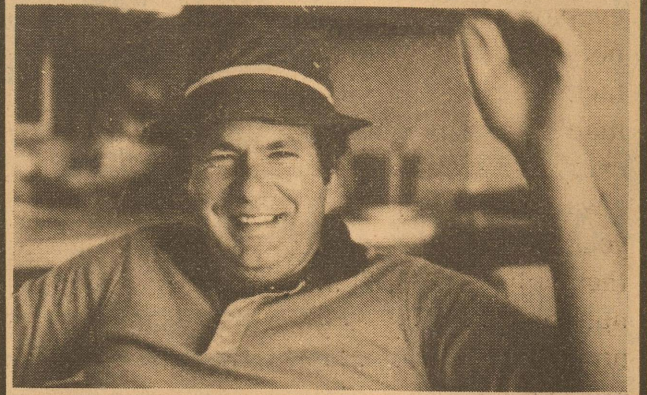
To our doctors-- Dr. Brame, Dr. Johnson and Dr. Peaslee--we are very fortunate to have each one of you here. To the nurses in our hospital and nursing home, may God bless each of you for your love and tender care to each patient.

We the people of Schleicher County must do whatever we can to keep our hospital, nursing home and our doctors.

Susie Faight

Laugh and Live

by Gary Smith



"Truth is the foundation of all knowledge and the cement of all societies." --Dryden

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We newspaper folk like to carry on about writing the "truth." Sometimes we do tend to varnish things just a bit... and sometimes we are a bit blind to some things in the community.

Newspaper friend Gene Dow of Colorado City found some clippings from a West Texas newspaper printed around the turn of the century.

Seems that the editor got tired of readers bellyaching about occasional errors in his paper. He admitted that he had frequently been an editorial liar, but only to save somebody's feelings from being hurt. But he resolved to tell the truth and nothing but the truth, and he didn't pull any punches. Here are a few excerpts from his next issue:

* John Coyle, our grocery man, who voted with the Republicans and consumes more booze than any other member of the Baptist church, is doing a poor business. His store is dirty and dusty, it's a wonder he has any business at all.

* The Reverend Sty preached last Sunday night at a local church. His sermon was punk and uninteresting, except some stuff he quoted from an author for which e failed to give any credit.

* Dave Chartier died at this home two miles north of his place Thursday. Doc Holderness gave it out that Dave died of heart failure. But we all know he shot himself during a drunken rage.

* Tom Spadlin married Miss Cordie Meador. It ain't generally know, but the marriage was brought about mainly by a Remington shotgun manipulated by the bride's father.

* Roger Lloyd, cashier at the State Bank died and was buried with Odd Fellows honors. He had been taking this paper seven years and hadn't paid us a cent. We kept thinking a banker would pay some time.

* Married: Miss Susie Scruggs and Horace Guffin. The bride is a very ordinary town girl, who flirts with all the traveling men she meets and never helped her mother three days all put together in her whole life. She is anything but a beauty, resembling a gravel pit in the face and walks like a duck. The bridegroom is a natural born loafer and bum, who had never done a lick or work until his stepdaddy ran him off last fall.

Maybe we are guilty of some untruths or omissions.

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You never know who's listening, so look before you lip.

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The Screamin' Eagle says: "Another good thing about telling the truth is you don't have to remember what you said."

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Life Among the Fishes

By Thomas Giovannitti

St. Valentine's Day has passed by and because of Annamarie mostly, we as a family were a little more involved this year. The boys always dutifully gave out cards to everyone in their grammar school class but not with a great amount of enthusiasm. In fact, there are a few years in any young man's life when he hopes against hope that everyone will just forget about Valentines. It always seems the worst for boys during those years when girls have discovered them but they still think girls are weird and mostly a nuisance. That age is probably much younger now than it was when some of us were growing up.

It amazes me that candy is still fairly popular as a gift for Valentine's Day since we, as a nation, have become so weight conscious. I suppose it is because love is thought to be something sweet and even cupid is shown as a little plump, but the calories make candy a risky gift for some of us to give.

I am not too sure what was the actual explanation given to Annamarie's Kindergarten class but I thought you might want to hear how she related to Maxine and I the story of cupid. According to Annamarie, Cupid is this little fat angel in diapers that goes around when you are in college shooting you with arrows that make you fall in love and get married. I like that explanation and I thanked her teacher for clearing up this matter of how people fall in love. I was

especially thankful for the part about none of this love stuff happening until Annamarie is in college. I don't know how long I can keep her convinced of that but I am going to try until she gets into college.

I want to congratulate Mrs. Wink for also taking the opportunity to encourage the children to practice their writing skills by putting each name of each student on the Valentines cards they were to take for distribution to each student in the class.

The teacher also stressed in her note to the parents that there needed to be a Valentine card for every student. I like that, since there will be plenty of time for more exclusiveness, say in college maybe.

Financial Aid For Students

The Texas Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (TASFAA) third annual "Financial Aid Information Line", will operate from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, February 18 and 19. The special toll free number established to service all callers is 1-800-253-8989.

The Information Line will be staffed with financial aid administrators. The goal is to reach Texas students, parents, and others who need timely and accurate information on the financial aid process.

This Information Line is open to any Texas resident.

Our Sympathy

VERONICA "BETTY" SHOCKLEY

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Veronica Shockley, 39, who passed away Friday, February 10 in Arlington Memorial Hospital.

Survivors include her husband, Bruce Shockley; two sons, Bobby Dale Millican and Austin Andrew Shockley; two daughters, Robbye Millican and Veronica Kaye Shockley; her father, Hisidoro Belman; her mother, Mary Hernandez; three brothers, Victor Belman of Eldorado, Edward Hernandez of Georgetown and Hisidoro Belman, Jr. of Eldorado; two sisters, Judith Samaniego of San Angelo and Corina Muniz of Waco.

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Beta Sigma Phi Hosts Valentine Dance

By Glenda Harris

February 14 was Valentine's Day, a time when you let that special someone know how much you really thought of them. Well, on Saturday, February 11, Beta Sigma Phi sorority tried to do just a little of that for the younger kids of our community.

The Memorial Building was transformed into a gallery of hearts and music and good refreshments. We held what we hope will be the first annual Valentine's dance for the younger guys.

Being this is the first year to hold such an undertaking, there were a lot of bugs to work out, but overall, I feel it was a huge success.

New Services Available At SCMC

Schleicher County Medical Center in Eldorado announces the addition of new services. These new services are a Boarder program, a respite care program, an adult day care program and a Granny's/Grandpa's day out program.

Under the Boarder Program, a patient who otherwise might enter a nursing home can enter the hospital, for an indefinite period of time. Under the Respite Care Program, a patient may enter the hospital or nursing home for a predetermined period of time while the family vacations.

The Adult Day Care Program allows a patient to enter the hospital or nursing home on a daily basis while the family works and return home each evening. The Granny's/Grandpa's Day Out Program allows an elderly person to "visit" the nursing home for a few hours while the family takes care of business.

For more information on these new programs at the Schleicher County Medical Center call 915-853-2507.

Merry Makers Meet

The Merry Makers 42 club was hosted by Zelma Henderson in the home of Bessie Clifton Thursday, February 9.

Those in attendance were Jessie Sudduth, Opal Parks, Virginia Griffin, Maudie Bassinger, Lillian Mikeska, Wilma Logan, Bessie Clifton, Mary Etta Stricklan, Lois Etheredge, Wenona Isaacs and Florence Hinton.

The hostess served ice cream and cookies and coffee and tea. The club will meet with Wilma Logan on February 23.

The sorority wants to send a BIG thank you to Justin Edmiston for the great job he did as disc jockey, especially on a last minutes's notice. Maybe we will be a little more organized next year, Justin. But I don't think too many of the dancers found it too difficult to have a good time.

We want to also thank all the parents who supported us in this endeavor by allowing their children to attend our function. If your child missed it, we hope to see him or her there next year.

There were some exciting moments at the dance. During the dance, a game of freeze was played and the winner was Amy Massey.

The really high point of the evening was the announcement of the King and Queen of the dance. The winners were determined on a number of things, but mainly on dancing--and you didn't have to be a good dancer, although our winners did an excellent job. The first King and Queen of the new Valentine's dance were Michael O'Daniel and Christy Ramirez. Congratulations to both of them and to Amy.

Again, we want to thank everyone who had a hand in getting the dance off to a good start and hope to see you there next year. And a special thanks to Norman Smith --you do wonderful work. And to our very own editor, Gary, read more.



Pictured above is Michael O'Daniel and Christy Ramirez, King and Queen of the Beta Sigma Phi Valentine Dance held Saturday night.

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Eagle Spotlight

RACHEL HUNLEY
Rachel Hunley is eight years old and in the second grade at Eldorado Elementary School. She is pictured here with her rabbit, Wascaly Wabbit, who is an eight month old New Zealand. She won the Junior Showmanship at the Eldorado Stock Show for showing rabbits. In order to win the showmanship award, the person showing has to do commands as the announcer calls them out. She is the daughter of Janet Hunley of Eldorado and Tommy Hunley of Eldorado.

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Pastor Ken Otwell and the Agape Asembly of God Church at 502 E. Warner announce revival services with Evangelist Pete Cavasoy, beginning this Sunday, February 19 and continuing thru Fricay, February 24.
Services will begin at 7:00 p.m. each night. There will be special singing and Holy Spirit anointed preaching each evening. We welcome everyone to come and worhsip with us.

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The Way We See It...

by Lola Squyres

"Uva uvam vivendo varia fit."

What does Gus McCrae's motto mean? When Captain Call asked him the meaning of the words, I don't believe he gave a translation.

Not being a student of Latin, I could not translate the meaning of the motto that appeared on the Hat Creek Cattle Company and Livery Emporium sign which later became Gus' grave marker in the mini-series "Lonesome Dove".

I have discovered that others wondered too. I read that Dallas Public Library researcher, Marilyn Jackson, said it translated loosely as: "The grape is made manifold by living."

I don't believe Gus knew the verbal translation of his motto. I do believe Gus knew, without knowing he knew, the meaning of the words he had adopted by the way he conducted his life. At one point he said that you had to take the time to enjoy things that came your way every day.

The way I see it, we can't learn without living and we can't live without learning.

Sorority Highlights

Beta Sigma Phi held its annual Valentine Party Monday night, February 13 at the Memorial Building. A salad supper was served. Hostesses were Dee Dee Meyer, Freida Hanusch, Leigh Denton, Flora Hubble and Sissy Cheatham.

Gifts were exchanged and a short business meeting was held. Sissy Cheatham reported that the club did very well on the dance. Several members said their received good messages from the kids and parents. It is being considered to make the dance an annual event.

At the next regular meeting, February 27, the Exemplar ritual will be held for several members.

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Watchin' and Wonderin'

By Zeke Smith

Howdy! Hope you're travelin' through winter in pretty good shape. Only thing I like about winter is the holidays--just seems to be more of em'.

And noticed we had new holiday in January, for Martin Luther King. Sure had an interestin' experience related to that. Me, and the crew, Slim, Jim, and Farley was in the cafe as usual when Farley's two grandsons came in. It was about 2 p.m.

Slim asked 'em how come they was still in town visitin' their grandad and not back in the city at school. The oldest boy, Billy, about 10, said it was holiday and they didn't have school where they lived 'cause it was Dr. King's birthday.

It's A Boy

The Jones family is proud to introduce a new member to the family, Richard Logan. Logan arrived on January 26, 1989 at 12:22 a.m. He tipped the scales at seven pounds seven and one-half ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long.

Upon his arrival, Logan was joyously welcomed by parents, Ricky and Lori, and one very proud big sister, Whitney Dyan.

Also welcoming this new addition are grandparents, Myrl and Charleen Sudduth and Thomas R. and June Jones, and great grandparents Fred and Louise Logan.

GOSPEL MEETING

The Mertzon Highway Church of Christ invites you to attend a gospel meeting with Larry Fatheree of Middletown, Conneticut on February 20 and 21, 1989 at 7:30 p.m. Come and listen to one of Eldorado's own preach the Gospel.

Slim said "oh" and shut up. Jim, you could see his face turnin' red and I thought "Oh no, Old Jim's gonna say somethin' ugly."

I remembered when we all heard King was killed, and figurin' him to mostly be a troublemaker, weren't much upset about it. I knew Jim's opinion hadn't changed much.

Finally, Jim quietly said, "Billy, do you think this ought to be a holiday?"

Billy, innocent and not knowing any better said, "Yes sir, Mr. Jim, I sure do. When I grow up, I want to be just like Martin Luther King and help people be treated right."

Farley quickly put him arms around his grandson and said, "I sure will be proud of you if you do that Billy. Now run along and I'll be up at the house to say good-bye soon."

As the boy got to the door, Old Jim yelled, "Billy, I'll be proud of you, too." I sat there and didn't say nothin', smart enough to know I'd just experienced something pretty special.

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The Publisher's Desk

My folks always taught me that "What you do speaks louder than what you say."

Emily Post said, "Manners are a sensitive awareness of the feelings of others. If you have that awareness you have good manners no matter what fork you use."

To the best of my knowledge my parents never wrote a book of etiquette, but "what you do speaks louder than what you say" is a pretty good etiquette lesson.

If a person really cares about people it shows, and when a person cares more about himself or herself than others, that shows too.

You truly don't have to look very far to see that what Mom and Dad said was valid. What you do really does speak louder than what you say.

Until next time, may God bless.

GCS

Easy Anagrams

(Par: 16)

Each word in the following list may be made into one or more other words as indicated by the lines after the words. How quickly can you fill them in?

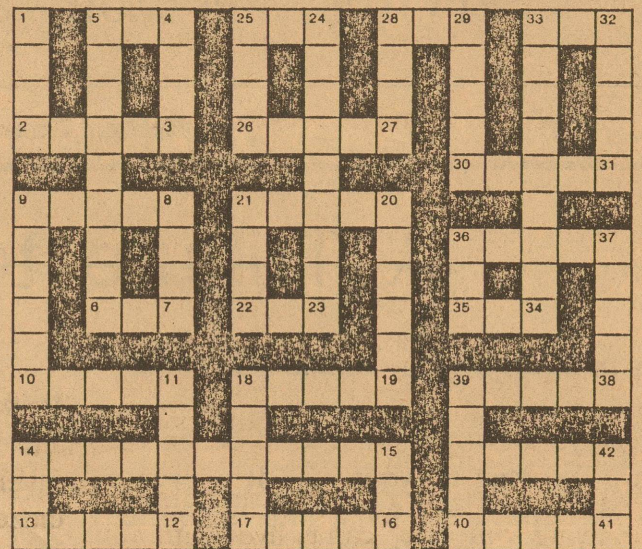
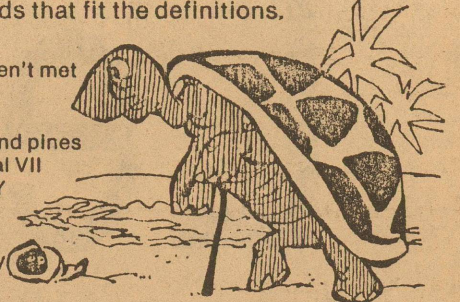
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| 10. BLAME | 22. TARTS |
| 11. BREAD | 23. NEARED |
| 12. SMILED | 24. ORGAN |

For Our Game Lovers

Roundabout

This is a different kind of crossword puzzle. The words don't go in to the diagram across and down. They go down and up, backwards and forwards, one right after the other. To complete the puzzle, follow the numbers roundabout and fill in the words that fit the definitions.

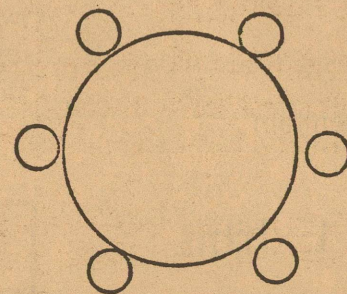
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| 2. Railroad cars | 34. Place |
| 3. Midday | 35. Small child |
| 4. Negative word | 36. Oaks, maples, and pines |
| 5. Wireless | 37. Roman numeral VII |
| 6. Headgear | 38. Opposite of DAY |
| 7. Snare | 39. Trolley cars |
| 8. Capital of France | 40. Frighten |
| 9. Female sibling | 41. An age in history |
| 10. Jewelry for fingers | 42. Hawaiian hello |
| 11. Snooze | |
| 12. Tropical trees | |
| 13. Liquid from trees | |
| 14. Belongings | |
| 15. Took a seat | |
| 16. Tease | |
| 17. Quizzes | |
| 18. Holler | |
| 19. Tortoise | |
| 20. Precise | |
| 21. Rip apart | |
| 22. Large rodent | |
| 23. Large hairy spider | |
| 24. Assist | |
| 25. Precious | |
| 26. Ceremonies | |
| 27. Wise | |
| 28. Chew and swallow | |
| 29. Main stem of tree | |
| 30. Male sovereigns | |
| 31. Footwear | |
| 32. Distress signal | |



Jim's Brother

Six men sat down to play poker. One of them was Jim's brother. It is up to you find out who that man is and to place all the men at the circular table, knowing the following facts:

- Peter, who is no relation to Jim, sat next to Dan.
- The man who sat next to the man who sat opposite Jim, sat opposite Jim's brother.
- Dick sat opposite Peter, who sat next to the man who sat next to the man who sat opposite Jim.
- Harry sat opposite the man who sat next to the man who sat next to the man who sat opposite Jim's brother.



Public Notice

On November 9, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company filed a tariff which proposes to prevent local exchange calling over interstate, unrestricted, multi-jurisdictional, WATS Access Lines (UWALS) and intrastate WATS Access Lines (WALS).

UWALS are provided to interexchange carriers for their use in the provision of interexchange interstate and intrastate long-distance and WATS-type services. Similarly, WALS are designed for use in the provision of interLATA and intraLATA WATS services. The UWALS and WALS were not intended to allow local exchange calling.

If these proposed tariff changes are approved, the blocking of local exchange calls over intrastate WATS access lines and UWALS will take place within 30 days. This proposed tariff change will not result in the blocking of local calls placed to an 800 Service number.

The Public Utility Commission (PUC) of Texas has assigned this matter to Docket 8421. A hearing on the merits of these proposed tariff changes is scheduled for March 13, 1989.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should mail a request to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757 by February 27, 1989. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.



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A Tribute to Billye

"To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die"

"Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away." Jas. 4:14.

After Work

Lord, when thou seest that my work is done,
Let me not linger on,
With failing powers,
Adown the weary hours,-
A workless worker in a world of work.
But, with a word,
Just bid me home,
And i will come
Right gladly
Will I come.

-- John Oxenham

King Tut Exhibit

The Irion County fifth and sixth grade students will be taking a field trip to San Angelo on Monday, February 20. The students will be going to the Tom Green County Library to see the King Tut Exhibit.

4-H Dog Training

The Mertzon 4-H Dog Training members elected officers at the February 9 meeting. The new officers are as follows: President is Sylvia Reyes, Secretary is Alicia Reyes, Treasurer/Reporter is Amy Dail. The group began working their dogs with choke chains and learn the first step in gaining control of their dogs.

The next meeting is Thursday, February 16 at 4:00 p.m. in the Show Barn. Anyone interested is welcome.

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Billye was one of the first ladies to help organize the Senior Citizen lunches in the old Community building and was active in all its functions. She loved the fun and entertainment on all the holidays, especially Halloween and Christmas times, providing cheer and fun for the older Seniors, always helping with the Tuesday lunches. It was a dream of hers to sometime have Meals on Wheels for Mertzon's shut-ins. This is a dream yet to be realized.

Billye was a faithful member of The Senior Stitchery, having submitted the name of the Club. She had great faith and loved her God and had set her house in order. She will be lovingly remembered and sadly missed by all whose lives she touched. Our condolences to Richard and her family.

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Congratulations

Tangela Blain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan McGuire of Barnhart, passed her CPA exams this past week. This is a dream come true!

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Graduate Makes Honor Roll

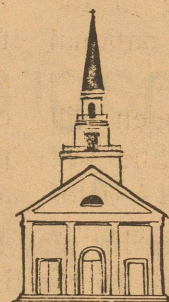
Tonya Cerese McGuire, a 1986 graduate of Reagan County High School, has been named to the honor roll at Howard Payne University.

Requirements for the select honor include maintaining a 3.50-3.64 grade point average. Students became eligible for consideration after their first full-time semester of course work.

Miss McGuire, a junior sociology major at HPU, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan McGuire of Barnhart.

Students Attend Symphony

On Wednesday, February 15, the Irion County fifth and sixth grade students will be attending a Students Concert held in San Angelo. The concert is put on by the San Angelo Symphony. Mrs. Weaver, a sixth grade teacher, is a member of the Symphony.



Mertzon Church Calendar

First Baptist

Sunday: 9:45 a.m. - Church School
11:00 a.m. - Worship
7:00 p.m. - Worship
Wed. 7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service

St. Peter's Catholic

Tuesday: 6:30 p.m. - Mass
Saturday: 6:00 p.m. - Mass

Mission Bautista Nueva Vida

Sunday: 10 a.m. - Worship
5 p.m. - Worship
Wed. 7 p.m. - Prayer Service

United Methodist

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. - Church School
10:45 a.m. - Worship

Church of Christ

Sunday: 10 p.m. - Bible Study
11 a.m. - General Assembly
6 p.m. - Worship
Wed. 7 p.m. - Worship
Thurs. 9 a.m. - Ladies Bible Class

First Christian

Sunday: 10:45 a.m. - Worship

"Our Little Miss" Pageant

The concho Valley "Our Little Miss" Pageant will be held Saturday, March 18, 1989 in San Angelo. "Our Little Miss" is the oldest and most prestigious pageant for girls.

The pageant is for girls 0-17. The age groups are 0-2, 3-6, 7-12, and 13-17. They will be competing in close-up interview, sportswear, party dress, and talent (optional for ages 7-17).

The Overall Title, Universal Beauty, Talent and Photogenic winners will be eligible to advance to the state finals. All Overall Queens and Universal Beauty Queens will receive their entry fee to state paid.

Optional categories include Photogenic, Portfolio, and "Miss Cover Girl," which goes to the girl selling the most ads for the program book.

In attendance at the Concho Valley Pageant will be a talent scout from Center State Management. Jolene Winrow, a local Ideal Miss contestant was recently chosen by the agency and will be appearing in the August issue of Hair Magazine, a national publication.

Our Overall IDEal Miss Queen will receive a special treat this year. She will receive a beauty make-over by Pat Lloyd of Pat's Hair Salon of Eldorado. Pat recently returned from Beverly Hills, California where she attended an advanced hair and make-up seminar taught by the famous Jose Eber. Pat attended the seminar along with 9 other hair

dressers from across the country.

Pageant Director Teri Tarvin, of Barnhart, hopes that all contestants will enjoy all the excitement of the local pageant and looks forward to taking the girls on to the State Pageant and even to the world Pageant in Las Vegas.

The State Pageant will be held June 18-24 at the Austin, Texas Civic Center. There will be talent scouts and major motion picture agents at the state and world meets looking for new talent for both movies and commercials.

Most girls choose to enter both the Overall and Universal Beauty categories. This gives the girls more of a chance of winning a crown and an entry fee paid to the state pageant. If entering both categories, do not pay the regular fee of \$45 for Universal Beauty, pay only \$25 for this category. Also, if entering photogenic and portfolio, pay \$5 for portfolio instead of \$10.

Deadline for entries is March 16. I will hold a mother's meeting prior to the pageant to answer any questions. Girls may get sponsors to help with entry fees. All contestants eligible to advance to the state pageant will be contacted after the pageant and we will meet to discuss fund raisers to help the girls as much as possible. Please send entry forms with cashier's check or money order to: Teri Tarvin Box 53 Barnhart, Tx. 76930. For more information and entry forms contact Teri at (915) 876-5711.

Perry's Visit Holy Land

by Alma Tarvin

Reverend Paul Perry and wife Krin left the 8th for flight to New York City, where they boarded the International Air Carrier for Istanbul, Turkey to be gone till the 17th.

Traveling via Clergy Travel Agency, Inc. they plan to visit the seven churches that the Apostle Paul wrote to in the New Testament. They will follow Paul's journey that he made. Some of the places to tour include Istanbul, Canakkale, Pergamum, Izmir, Sardis, Philadelphia, Hierapolis-Laodicea, Aphrodisias, Kusadasi, and Ephesus. Nights were spent at Istanbul, Canakkale, Ephesus Pamukkale and Kusadasi.

Dr. Perry is an avid traveller, visiting numerous foreign countries. This tour will wind up his visits to all the places in the Holy land that are mentioned in the New Testament of the Bible.

Dr. Perry is pastor of the Barnhart Methodist Church and the Big Lake Methodist Church.

Students to See Annie

The Irion County third and fourth grade will be attending the play *Annie* on Thursday, February 23. The play is put on by the Central High Drama Class in conjunction with the Junior League in San Angelo.

TEAMS Underway

Monday, February 13, the Irion County Elementary School had a pep rally for the TEAMS tests, that were given on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The pep rally consisted of cheers, a dance routine and a skit. The programed was planned by the sixth grade and given in honor of the third and fifth grades. It seemed to have a positive effect on these students.

Solo & Ensemble Contest

Members of the Irion County Band will be participating in the Region VII Solo and Ensemble Contest on Saturday, February 19. The contest will be held at Angelo State University.

*Death comes to all
But great achievements build a monument
Which shall endure until the sun grows cold.*
---Georg Fabricius

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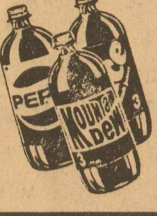
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A Touch of History

By Rene Calcote

The first public water works system in Schleicher County was at the headquarters on Vermont Ranch in the 1880s. It was a windmill operated by a steam engine. The demand for water was so great that an ordinary windmill could not be depended upon to supply enough water for the ranch families and the stock. Wood was used for fuel, and it was not an easy task to get this fuel.

The next water works system was in Eldorado. This well was operated by a gasoline pump. The water rate was two

Financial Aid Awareness Week

The City of Eldorado has a strong commitment to the intellectual growth and career development of all its populace and has fostered the development of an impressive complement of post-secondary education and training.

The Texas Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators is celebrating Financial Aid Awareness Week during the week of February 13-19, 1989. This week is the highlight of the various student financial aid awareness projects being conducted throughout the year.

Thousands of students from this area have benefited from scholarships, grants, loans, and part-time jobs that are available at most colleges, universities, and technical-vocational institutions. Many people are unaware of the availability of financial assistance programs.

A formal education or a training program can have a positive impact on the community as well as the individual. Help us in sharing the financial aid information by proclaiming "Financial Aid Awareness Week" (February 13-19, 1989) in Eldorado.

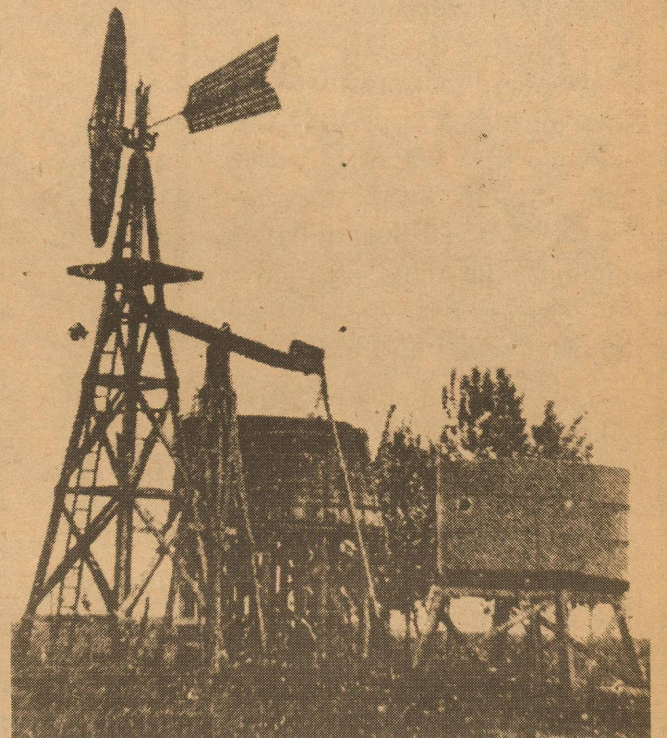
Bob Lester, Mayor of Eldorado, has designated February 13-19, 1989 as Financial Aid Awareness Week in Eldorado and encourages parents, students, community leaders and educators to support and participate in appropriate activities.

dollars per month for about two hundred customers.

A.A. Bush and Fred Smith bought the system in 1919. Mr. Bush relates, "he was the most popular man in town with the housewives, especially on wash day. They all called him to start the pump for water to do the washing."

The biggest catastrophe to the system happened when Main Street was being paved. One day Mr. Bush looked out his window to see the road grader going down the street dragging most of the water pipes behind it. The grader went several blocks before he could stop, J.L. Neill, the engineer. It took some doing to get it back together and the water running again.

Eldorado has steadily improved the water works system, and today everyone enjoys the modern convenience of water for washing machines, dish washers, yard watering, and the many other uses. Plus-- "Good ole Eldorado water" tastes good!



This picture is of an early day Eldorado City water supply. (Contributed Photo)

Legal Notice

COTTON REFERENDUM AND PRODUCER BOARD ELECTION

Being certified by the Commissioner of Agriculture of the State of Texas for this purpose, the Schleicher County Cotton Association, Box 695, Eldorado, Texas 76936, proposes a referendum election on April 15, 1989 under provision of the Texas Commodity Referendum Law Chapter 41, Texas Agricultural Code, on the proposition of whether or not cotton producers in Schleicher County of the State of Texas shall assess themselves a maximum amount of twenty dollars per acre to be collected at the point of first processing, handling or sale and to elect members for a six (6) man Cotton Producers Board to administer proceeds of such assessment to be used for Boll Weevil Diapause Spraying. There will be no exemptions allowed.

The referendum and election will be held in the Memorial Building Auditorium by personal balloting. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on April 15, 1989.

Any person within the area described above engaged in the business of producing

or causing to be produced, cotton for commercial purposes is eligible to vote, including owners of farms and their tenants and sharecroppers, if such person would be required to pay the assessment proposed.

Any person qualified to vote at the referendum may place his name in nomination for election to the proposed Commodity Producers Board by written application to the above organization signed by himself and at least ten (10) other persons eligible to vote in the referendum. Such applications must be filed at least thirty (30) days prior to the election date.

Any person who wishes to vote absentee may obtain a ballot at the County Agent's Office on or before March 31, 1989. Such ballots must be completed and returned to the Schleicher County Cotton Association at the above listed address prior to midnight on the election date.

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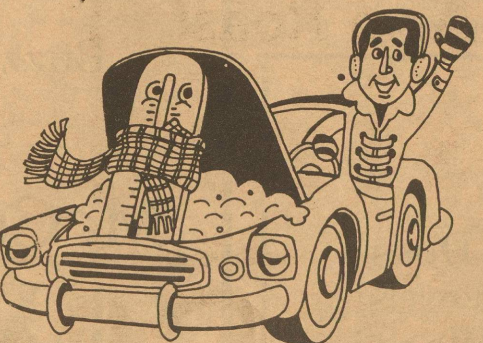


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Elementary News

By Glen Nix, Principal

T.E.A.M.S., T.E.A.M.S., T.E.A.M.S.

Congratulations to all of our Eagle basketball teams, especially the varsity boys. However this TEAMS does not have anything to do with athletics--this TEAMS stand for Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills. This test if given in February to all Texas Public School students in grades three, five, seven and nine.

This program, mandated by House Bill 72, passed by the Second called Session of the 68th Texas Legislature in July, 1984, measures minimum basic skills in the areas of mathematics, reading and writing.

This test creates tremendous pressure and tension on students, parent and teachers. The range of emotions are quite varied as a result of preparing for TEAMS. It is however, an excellent way to compare third grade students in Eldorado to Dalhart students, to Tyler students, to Port Arthur students, to Laredo students.

All third grade students are given the same basic test. The best part about it is that it is over. We will now wait for the results with mixed emotions.



*Many are always praising the by-gone time,
for it is natural that the old should extol the
days of their youth;
the weak, the time of their strength;
the sick, the season of their vigor;
and the disappointed, the spring-tide of their
hopes.*

---Caleb Bingham

The competition is hot and heavy for the places on our U.I.L. literary teams. Our district contest will be held in Eldorado on Saturday, March 11.

Lots of social studies emphasis is taking place in February in the Elementary School. Why, just yesterday I saw George and Martha Washington in the halls and this morning I saw Abe and Mary Todd Lincoln reading a book by the light of a coal oil lamp.

On Valentine's Day, Mr. Dick Preston will be crowned "Valentine Pal" by the Kindergarten classes. they have taken up collections of aluminum cans to be sold, and donations given to the American Diabetes Association in his honor.

Would you believe that I saw cupid flying around the halls. He was even dressed in camouflage....Na, I didn't think you would believe it, but that's Elementary School.



Pictured is Stacy Jones who placed fourth in the Heavy Weight (Meat Goat) class at the Fort Worth Stock Show held recently. The goats placed from first through fifth place in light, medium or heavy weight classes. (Contributed Photo)

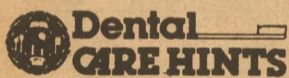


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Dental Health Facts and Figures

By Tom Truhe DDS

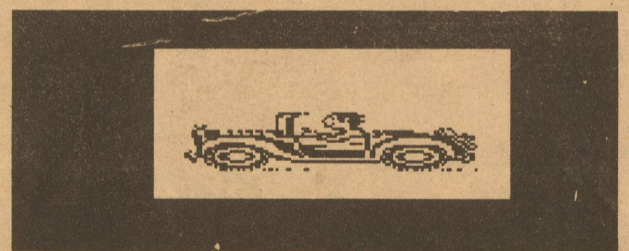
There are 32 permanent teeth, 16 in each jaw. The first permanent teeth appear when a child is about six or seven years old. The last appear when a person is 17 to 21 years old.

Dentists advise people to have a dental checkup at least twice each year. Most people under the age of 35 who lose their teeth do so because of dental decay. Current data demonstrates that the development of dental cavities, or caries, is not due to any one cause. With respect to diet, many dental experts are convinced the most critical factor is how often one eats, not what one eats.

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AT&T announces April 1, 1989, price changes for Long Distance Service (MTS) within Texas. AT&T's prices for long distance calling within Texas will be increased by two cents per minute for calls under 82 miles in distance and one cent per minute for calls that are 82 miles or greater in distance. AT&T's current discounts of 25% for evening calls and 40% for night and weekend calls will remain in effect. The price increases are expected to produce approximately \$22.8 million, which is nearly 2.9% of AT&T's annual revenues for Texas Long Distance Service.

This represents the first AT&T price increase for long distance calls within Texas. AT&T's long distance prices for calls within Texas have been reduced overall by about 12% since 1986.

The Long Distance Service price changes will also impact AT&T's PROSM WATS Texas offering, which offers subscribers a 10% discount on all long distance calls within Texas. These price changes are expected to produce approximately \$661,000, or about 3.5% of the annual revenues for AT&T's PROSM WATS Texas offering.

Prices for AT&T's REACH OUT^{*} Texas offering will also change. The price for initial hour usage will increase from \$12.55 to \$12.95; the additional hour price will increase from \$11.40 to \$12.00. These price increases are expected to produce approximately \$364,000, or about 2.1% of the annual revenues for AT&T's REACH OUT^{*} Texas offering.

AT&T's tariffs implementing these changes will be filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas on March 1, 1989, with an effective date of April 1, 1989. The combined price increases are expected to produce approximately \$23.9 million, which is approximately 2.4% of AT&T's annual revenues for all Texas intrastate services.

If you have questions regarding these price changes please call AT&T's service consultants at 1-800-222-0300 for residential customers or 1-800-222-0400 for business customers. Persons who have questions regarding this tariff filing may also contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas in writing, at 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 450N, Austin, Texas 78757, or by calling the Public Information Office at 512-458-0223, or 512-458-0227, or 512-458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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UIL Practice Meets Held

Eldorado Middle School students traveled to Westbrook for a U.I.L. practice meet on Saturday, February 4.

The calculator team of Tara Holley, Jeff Johnson, Kaci Chalmers and Chuck Fitts placed second. Tara Holley placed third in eighth grade calculator while Jeff Johnson placed sixth in seventh grade calculator. Kaci Chalmers placed second in eighth grade science and Fernando Cardenas placed second in seventh grade science.

Also participating at the meet were: Burk McRae, Jenny Wink, Alisha Wink, Adam Sallee and Jesse Sanchez.

Harvey Wink was sponsor for the meet.

A UIL practice meet was held at Mason High School Saturday, February 11, at which Eldorado High School students participated. Placing third in spelling was Rachel Edmiston while Lindsey Bass placed third in news writing. Lupe Ramirez placed fourth in typing and Tracey Richards placed sixth in accounting.

The following students also participated at the meet: Louanne Crowder in ready writing and typing; Katie Hardy in ready writing and news writing; Delmira Martinez in ready writing and science; Ericka Olson in science and number sense; Luann Peaslee in typing; Tuesdee Halbert in typing; Travis Shaw in science; Ginger Sterling in prose; Rachel Edmiston in persuasive

speaking; Kris Aguero in feature writing and news writing; and Lindsey Bass in feature writing.

Sponsors accompanying the students to Mason were Teresa Baker, Pat Moore, Su Scott and Harvey Wink.

School Menu

Monday February 20

Breakfast -- Peaches, Pancakes, Syrup.
Lunch -- Beef and Bean Burritos, Pinto Beans, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, White Cake with Icing.

Tuesday February 21

Breakfast -- Orange Juice, Breakfast Pizza.
Lunch -- Lasagna, Whole Kernel Corn, Applesauce, Cowboy Cookies.

Wednesday February 22

Breakfast -- Apple Juice, Cinnamon Rolls.
Lunch -- Hot Dogs with Chili, Corn Chips, Pork and Beans, Apple Wedges, Rice Krispie Cookies.

Thursday February 23

Breakfast -- Pineapple Juice, Hot Biscuits, Bacon, Jelly.
Lunch -- Fried Chicken and Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Broccoli with Cheese Sauce, Cherry Cobbler.

Friday February 24

Breakfast -- Grape Juice, Eggs, Toast, Jelly.
Lunch -- Hero Sandwiches, Potato Chips, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Coconut Pudding.



Kindergarten students are pictured here planting tulips on Arbor Day in honor of all the VIPS.

SCISD Trustee Election Set

The board of trustees of Schleicher County Independent School District has called for the election of trustees. The election will held on Saturday, May 6, 1989.

Persons interested in filing for a place on the ballot may do so February 20 through March 22 in the superintendent's office at 205 Field Street. The public is reminded, however, that the superintendent's office will be closed February 27 through March 4 for Spring Break.

Absentee voting will be at the City Hall, beginning April 17. March 7 is the first day to request a mail-in ballot.

Persons will be balloting for the two positions currently held by Rick Sterling and Terry Green.

Eagle's Hoop Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	VB	JVB	VG	JVG
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	Mertzon 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	

Middle School Schedule

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	

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Fort McKavett To Come To Life

Fort McKavett State Historic Site, an 1850's - 1880's era frontier fort, will come to life Saturday, February 18 and Sunday, February 19 with the sound of bugles, cannons and the jingling of cavalry riding gear as a historic re-enactment program is presented.

Fort McKavett State Historic Site is located in Menard County, 23 miles west of Menard on Ranch Road 864. Admission is free to the park and for the program.

Featured will be members of Living History Organizations authentically portraying units of Cavalry, Artillery and Infantry, as well as Buffalo Hunters, Officers' Wives and Hospital Attendants. Activities will include demonstrations in artillery, drilling by both the cavalry and infantry, weapons demonstrations, inspections, hospital interpretation, a wagon and mule team, buffalo hunters/skinners demonstrations and various other activities involved in a Texas frontier fort in the 1870's.

The two-day event will feature members of the Crossroads of Texas Living History Association, Fort Concho Living History Units, the 4th U.S. Memorial Cavalry of San Antonio, "Dixon's Skinners" from Amarillo, the artillery crew from Fort Davis National Historic Site and other Living History Organization members.

EVERYBODY, SOMEBODY, ANYBODY, AND NOBODY

Once upon a time there were four men named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody and Nobody. There was an important job to be done and Everybody was asked to do it. But Everybody was sure that Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it. But Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about it, because it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought that Anybody could do it, and Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody and Nobody did the job that Anybody could have done in the first place. At last report, these four men were still arguing and the job they were supposed to do still wasn't done.

The Youth of Schleicher County would like to express their appreciation to the following for their support of the 1989 Schleicher County Livestock Show.

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Teacher of the Week



SCOTT BARTON

This week's Teacher of the Week is Scott Barton, principal of Eldorado Middle School. Barton has taught and coached in Eldorado for four years and has been principal at EMS for two years.

He received his Bachelor of Science in Education from Texas Tech University and his Masters degree from Sul Ross State University.

Barton has been married to wife Branda 19 years. They have three children, Dusty 18, Cory 14 and Ashley six.

His hobbies are hunting, fishing and woodworking.

Robinson Honored With Bridal Shower

A Bridal Shower was held for Renetta Robinson, bride of J. Weldon Moore, Jr., at the home of Mrs. Herman Walker Sunday afternoon, February 12.

The hostesses were Mrs. Ronnie Mittel, Mrs. Mike Mankin, Ruth Ann Callihan, Janet Curtis, Jan Fuessel, Mrs. Mike Moore, Mrs. Charles Pfluger, Marion Simmons, Deann Walker and Marcy Willis.

Gifts were displayed in two rooms and refreshments in another room.

There was a large number of guests who enjoyed the evening and there were many good wishes for the bride-to-be.

Bible Study Classes To Begin

Precept Bible Study classes will begin Tuesday, February 21, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the basement of the Presbyterian Church in Eldorado.

This will be a 10-week study, held each Tuesday night, on the book of Second Peter.

Leader for the study will be Lori Stricklan and everyone is invited to attend. For further information you may contact Lori Stricklan at 853-2978 or Anita Jones at 853-2312.

A Goodbye Thought

*Now may the warming love of friends
Surround you as you go
Down paths of light and laughter
Where the happy memories grow.
---Helen Lowrie Marshall*

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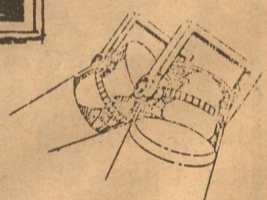
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4-(1-26-89)-b

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NOTICE

NOTICE: Do you have **ANTIQUES** for sale? Consign them to Antiques, Etc. in Ozona. You price it right and we sell it fast. Call 392-5217 **ANTIQUES, ETC.** Box 38, Ozona, Texas.

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NOTICE: Teenager would like to baby-sit, all ages, in your home or mine, weekends and evenings. Reliable. References available. Call Jennifer Smith at 853-2721.

f-(10-6-88)

NOTICE: Mary Kay Cosmetics. Graduation, birthday, anniversary gifts. Martha Spinks, 701 Lee Street. 853-3415 after 4 p.m.

f-(1-19-89)-b

FOUND: Little girls ring at the Beta Sigma Phi Valentine dance held Saturday night at the Memorial Building. Go by the Success office and identify.

1-(2-16-89)-p

NOTICE: Eggstra Special Handcrafted gifts. HEN HOUSE in Mertzon, 611 Railroad Street.

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**Notice....Congratulations
 To The Three Plums**

The Three Plums, owners of Plum Perfect, in the heart of downtown Mertzon, were recently the recipients of a prize from the "Your Dreams Can Come True" Corporation.

They received the following notice: "Congratulations. The Three Plums, in recognition of its significant contribution as Mertzon's finest gift store has won an all-expense paid ashtray of Hollywood, California. You now qualify for a chance to win a beautiful full-color reproduction (in the finest velour) of Elvis as he is now believed to look."

The Plums feel certain that all of their friends in Mertzon, Barnhart and Eldorado will want to stop by and see this fine, China ashtray.

GARAGE SALE: (Indoors) at Brooks house on 308 S. Oaks Street. Friday and Saturday, February 17 and 18 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Use rear entrance.

1-(2-16-89)-b

GARAGE SALE: Lula Mae Alexander Estate, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, February 17, 18 and 19. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Some antiques, clothes, furniture, tools, knick-knacks, etc. 209 West Ave. Eldorado.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

**REQUEST FOR BIDS ON
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Sealed proposals for constructing 187.079 miles of seal coat on various limits of US 90, US 67, IH 10, US 277, SH 41, SH 55, US 190, SH 137, RM 334, RM 2083, RM 2596, FM 1908, RM 2804, RM 1973 & FM 3199 in Val Verde, Reagan, Irion, Crockett, Edwards, Real, Schleicher & Kinney Counties covered by CPM 22-6-38, CPM 22-7-21, CPM 77-1-16, CPM 77-2-23, CPM 77-3-25, CPM 141-1-36, CPM 160-6-19, CPM 160-7-24, CPM 201-5-15, CPM 201-6-19, CPM 234-1-11, CPM 234-2-20, CPM 396-3-18, CPM 558-9-21, CPM 876-2-25, CPM 1280-3-8, CPM 1644-3-10, CPM 1814-1-7, CPM 2752-1-4, CPM 2969-1-9 & CPM 3299-1-3 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 p.m., March 7, 1989, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Robert C. Parker Resident Engineer, Del Rio, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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THANK YOU

THANK YOU

The family of Veronica (Betty) Shockley expresses its deepest thanks to all our friends who were with us and supporting us during our loss. A special thank you to Father Moehler. Personal thanks go to Mary Romero, Barbara, Connie and Josie.

Thanks to everyone who sent flowers, food and for all the prayers. We thanks everyone and hope the Lord will bless each of you as he has blessed us.

The Family of
 Betty Belman Shockley

1-(2-16-89)-b

THANK YOU

The family of Billye Easingwood wishes to thank her many friends who offered prayers, flowers and get well wishes during her illness and at her death. The world has lost an exceptional lady. Praise the Lord for we know that she rests in His arms.

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Freshman Class Favorites, Luann Peaslee and Cy Griffin.

EHS Personalities Named

Eldorado High School personalities have been chosen for the school year. Class favorites from the senior class are Stan Meador and Kim Scott, favorites from the junior class are Ginger Sterling and Brent Moore, Amy Henderson and Justin Paxton from the sophomore class and from the freshman class, Cy Griffin and Luann Peaslee.

Chosen this year as Mr. and Miss EHS are Larry Ramos and Cynthia Mendez.

Larry is 18 years old and is the son of Mary and Dale Wiseman. During his four years at EHS, he has participated in track, basketball, football, tennis, and one-act play. He is active in karate, and band where he plays French horn, and has been to the state finals every year he has been in the band as a solo performer. He is a member of the student council and the National Honor Society. He has two brothers, Felix and Shawn, and one sister, Tina.

Cynthia is the daughter of Richard Mendez and Ms. Louise Mendez of Eldorado. She has one sister, Veronica. She is a member of the National Honor Society, has played in the band for four years, was a Junior High Cheerleader for two years, and a Varsity Cheerleader for three years. She was Band Sweetheart for 1987-88 and was a member of the Student Council as representative.