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## Blaylock Honored With Retirement Party



Billy Frank Blaylock (in center of picture) looks over the "Texas-size" fishing pole E.H. Topliffe (pictured at right) presented to him during his retirement party held recently. Topliffe and Blaylock are long-time friends. (Contributed Photo)

By Gwynne Lundgren

About one hundred patrons of Rural Route 1 honored Billy Frank Blaylock upon his retirement from the Postal Service Thursday night, March 29. Billy Frank has been with the Postal Service for 33 years.

Each bringing a covered dish for supper, the patrons provided entertainment and reminiscing about incidences they remembered during the rural mail carrier's career. "He never made a mistake delivering the mail," one patron observed. "If the mail was in the wrong box, then you knew Billy Frank did not deliver it that day."

Wayne McGinnes, Eldorado Postmaster, presented Billy Frank with a plaque from the U.S. Postal Service commemorating his 33 years of dedicated service. "He never missed a day of service due to weather or sickness during

his 33 years. I never had to worry about that route because I knew Billy Frank would take care of it. His service to the county will long be remembered," said McGinnes.

Larry Blair, Superintendent of Schleicher County Schools, commended Billy Frank's work with youth and Boy Scouts.

"The county doesn't have a better friend than Billy Frank," commented Steve Williams, Master of Ceremonies for the event.

Billy Frank's three daughters, Frankie, Billy Gayle and Eva Jo were present to honor their father, as well as his wife, Mabel, who had a few stories of her own to tell about her husband. Guests report that the reminiscing went into the night at Billy Frank and Mabel's home.

Thanks for the memories Billy Frank!

## School Board Meets In Regular Session

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Schleicher County Independent School District was held on April 9 at 6 p.m. in the Administration Building.

During the Monday night meeting, Ray Lewis Ballew gave a status report on the collection of delinquent taxes. His report was followed by a lengthy discussion of the placement of a spring break in the school calendar.

Superintendent Blair informed the board about the extent of Mildred Phillip's knee injury and the district's responsibility for worker's compensation. Blair also reported that the State Purchasing and General Sales Commission had granted the district permission to sell two buses at the ESC Region XIV auction in Abilene on May 5. The two buses to be sold are the 1978, 59 passenger International, and the 1979, 47 passenger Inter-

national. The auction will be open to the public.

Other items of information included a report that Professional Services, Inc., has been on-site and is preparing bid specifications for the asbestos abatement work to be completed this summer. Bids are to be opened on May 9, with board action scheduled for May 14.

It was reported that the National Honor Society induction was being held at 7 p.m. in the Middle School multi-purpose room on Monday, April 9.

In action items, the financial report and budget amendments for the month of March were approved, and the board adopted a new admissions and attendance policy as recommended by the Texas Association of School Boards. The final action of the meeting was to add a counseling position to the district.

## Ann Richards Claims Democratic Nomination For Governor

State Treasurer Ann Richards claimed the Democratic nomination for Governor in Tuesday's election after a "mud-slinging" fight with Attorney General Jim Mattox.

Ms. Richards is the first woman to win either party's nomination since Miriam "Ma" Ferguson in 1932. Richards will battle with Republican Clayton Williams in the November election.

Ms. Richards received 55.4 percent of the votes to Mattox's 44.6 percent, with 81 percent of the vote counted.

Even though the runoff turned into a muddy battle, Ms. Richards said she knew what lay ahead when she entered the race. She said last summer, "I'm against negative campaigning. But I'm not a shy violet who'll take it across the head and not respond."

GOP nominee Williams said Tuesday night at a rally in San Antonio, "Read my lips: no more mud. Let's argue about the issues."

Accusations flew from both Richards' and Mattox's sides of illegal drug use. During the last week of the campaign, reports were that Mattox was seen smoking marijuana in the 70's and that Ms. Richards was seen in a restroom where marijuana was allegedly being smoked in 1979. Both dismissed the reports.

Former governor Mark White, who finished third in the March 13 primary, said he would never vote for Ms. Richards but withheld his endorsement from Mattox.

Ms. Richards said early on that her campaign was for a "new Texas". Her top issues were for an improved education system, the economy and the environment.

## Eldorado Track Teams Claim 6-2A Team Titles

Eldorado's boys and girls varsity track teams claimed the District 6-2A team titles at Stanton last Friday.

The boys won two events for the Eagles and qualified three individuals and both their relays for the Region I-2A meet April 27 and 28 in Abilene.

The girls won the meet by six points over Ozona and McCamey, qualifying four individuals and all three relays.

Boys team totals -- 1. Eldorado, 151; 2. Reagan County, 123; 3. Ozona, 101; 4. Forsan, 67; 5. McCamey, 66; 6. Stanton, 46.

Individual results are as follows:

High jump -- Jeff Patton, first, 6-4; David Nolan, third, 5-8.

Long jump -- Richard Adame, first, 19-3 1/4.

Triple jump -- Jeff Patton, third, 38-4.

Pole vault -- Stoney Hariman, third, 9-6.

400 relay -- Eldorado (Espinosa, Juarez, Schooley, Adame), first, 43.8.

800 -- Robert Martinez, third, 2:08.3.

110 hurdles -- Jeff Patton, first, 15.0.

100 -- Gabe Schooley, second, 11.0.

400 -- Richard Adame, first, 50.9.

300 hurdles -- Jeff Patton,

second, 40.4.

200 -- Gabe Schooley, first, 22.5; and Juan Espinosa, third, 23.3.

1,600 relay -- Eldorado, second, 3:32.8.

Junior Varsity team totals were: 1. Ozona, 185; 2. Eldorado, 164; 3. Stanton, 80; 4. Reagan County, 75; 5. McCamey, 16.

Girls team totals were: 1. Eldorado, 142; 2. (tie) Ozona, McCamey, 136; 4. Reagan County, 70; 5. Stanton, 64; 6. Forsan, 41.

Individual results are as follows:

Shot put -- Lacy Finley, first, 31-6 3/4.

Discus -- Lacy Finley, first, 103-6 1/4.

3,200 -- Hope Martinez, first, 13:21.1.

400 relay -- Eldorado, second, 53.3.

800 -- Kris Agüero, second, 2:43.3; and Traci Paxton, third, 2:45.7.

800 relay -- Eldorado, second, 1:54.4.

400 -- Rosemary Adame, third, 1:07.3.

300 hurdles -- Whitney Fuessel, third, 55.7.

200 -- Angie McGregor, third, 27.6.

1,600 -- Jana Sterling, first, 6:15.8.

1,600 relay -- Eldorado, second, 4:34.7.

## Henderson Wins Treasurer's Runoff Election

Approximately 605 people voted in the Schleicher County Runoff election on Tuesday, April 10. Approximately 575 voted in the Democratic Runoff and approximately 30 voted in the Republican Primary.

In the Democratic Primary Runoff election, the office of Schleicher County Treasurer was won by Karen Henderson with 365 votes. Bea Porter tallied 332 votes.

The treasurer's office is being vacated by A.G. McCormack who chose not to seek reelection.

In the race for governor, Schleicher County voted 294 for Ann Richards and 269 for Jim Mattox.

The State Treasurer's race

showed 259 votes tallied for Nikki Van Hightower and 292 for Tom Bowden.

Justice Supreme Court Place 2 tallied 142 votes for Ross Sears and 409 for Bob Gammage.

Morris Overstreet won by a narrow margin over Frank Maloney for Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals Place 1 with 257 votes. Maloney received 250 votes.

In the Republican Primary Runoff Election there were two contested races.

Grady Yarbrough tallied 16 votes to Wes Gilbreath's 14 for Land Commissioner.

In the race for Agriculture Commissioner, Rick Perry tallied 20 votes while Richard McIver received nine votes.

## Easter Services Planned

There will be a community Maundy Thursday Worship Service held at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 12th. The services will be held at the First Baptist Church of Eldorado.

Christ's Resurrection will be celebrated on Easter with Sunrise Services being held at 7:00 a.m. Sunday morning, April 15 at Eldorado Cemetery.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Hop-A-Thon Scheduled April 19 To Benefit Muscular Dystrophy

The Methodist Youth Fellowship of Eldorado is coordinating a "Hop-A-Thon" on Thursday, April 19, to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Each participating child will "hop" for two (2) minutes. The event is based on the number of hops the child performs.

For every child that collects \$35, he/she will receive an official "Hop-A-Thon" t-shirt. For \$50 raised, a t-shirt and a tote bag will be awarded. (The M.Y.F. will collect pledges for children not wishing to do so.) We will award four trophies in four different categories. All participating children will receive an official "Hop-A-Thon" diploma.

If your child wishes to participate, please contact Cathy Smith at 853-3125 or 853-2721 today. The Methodist Church Fellowship Hall will be open from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on

Thursday, April 19 for the children to hop. If you are unable to attend at this time, please contact Cathy Smith to make other arrangements.

"This project is being conducted all over the country and I feel that this is fun and worthwhile; I hope you will support our efforts," commented Kerry Zubras, District MDA Director. Most children will hop between 150 and 250 hops in the two minute period. Some more, some less.

"If we are able to secure just five sponsors per child at 5c per hop and the child hops 150 times, this would come out to be \$37.50, enough for each child to receive a t-shirt. We don't want any of the children to be disappointed, so any and all contributions and pledges will be greatly appreciated," said Cathy Smith, M.Y.F. Sponsor.

## 9-1-1 Service Coming

9-1-1 Emergency telephone service is coming to Schleicher County and six other counties served by the Concho Valley Council of Governments.

The Texas Advisory Commission on State Emergency Communications approved CVCOG's Regional Plan which will offer basic automatic number identification. When a 9-1-1 call is placed, the local dispatcher's computer screen will show the number of the telephone where the call was placed.

Equipment, installation and

operational cost for the counties participating in the CVCOG's Regional Plan will be about \$650,000 for the first two years. The Texas Advisory Commission on State Emergency Communications will pay about \$363,395 of that total.

Local telephone companies will include a service fee of 50 cents each month on each customer's monthly telephone bill beginning April 1990. Emergency service will become available to Schleicher County on July 1, 1991.

## Success Deadlines

All news items, advertisements, and inserts to be run in the newspaper are due in the Success office by 5 p.m. on Monday of the week they are to be published. Any item received after the deadline will be taken as time and space permit.

# The Editor's Journal

## Editor's Clips

By Mary Jenkins

I guess it's time that I stuck my neck out and said my part in this "hornet's nest" about Spring Break. What started out as a means to find out why spring break was scheduled in February instead of in the spring has turned into a battle for both sides of the issue.

I'm not sure when the best time would be for spring break, if there is a best time, but I

myself would rather see it some-time in the spring. Why not try it at another time and see how it works. Does it have to be scheduled the same time every year?

You could ask 20 people when they would like to have spring break and get 20 different answers. That doesn't mean any one is right or wrong. It just goes to show everyone has an opinion.

This "hornet's nest" has

been blown out of proportion. I don't believe anyone was trying to stir things up or get anyone mad at one another.

All anyone wants to know is why spring break is scheduled when it is. What would it really hurt if it was scheduled at another time, even if only on a trial basis? Is the education of our children going to be hindered in any way by doing so?

If we are grown individuals

as we claim to be, why can we not sit down and discuss this frankly and openly -- without hostility and accusations? Why must any one person be "right or wrong" in this matter?

I think too often we let that big word PRIDE get in our way. Just once, let's put our pride aside and think of our kids. They are the ones who really matter here.

Think about it!

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

I'm writing in response to "spring break" also. First of all, I feel that it's being implied that spring break is scheduled in February mainly for "skiers".

I really don't feel that this is true since ski season is open in all the ski areas til the end of April or first part of May. So

whether its February or March, those that ski will go and those that don't will do their thing.

You can't plan spring break around the weather; had our spring break been in March, kids that didn't go skiing would still have had bad weather as it was cold and raining everyday that week.

Regardless to whether our spring break stays the same or gets changed, it's going to conflict with something or somebody. I would like to think that our principals, teachers and school board members seriously consider ALL the scheduling and events and choose between the various calendars presented to them, the

best one suited for Eldorado's curriculum.

The way it stands now, Spring Break is at the end of one six weeks grading period and prior to the start of a new grading period; this way, studies are not interrupted.

Thank you,  
Wanda Edmiston

## Life Among The Fishes

By Thomas Giovannitti

I have been thinking of a few of those wonders of the world that seem to defy understanding or explanation.

For instance, why do those ugly weeds that look like some kind-a-stalk plant have roots that go to China while expensive flowers can be pulled from the ground by a toddler?

Why do the people who make trash can liners make the

opening so hard to find? I try everything from rubbing the edge against itself in hopes that the opening will appear to blowing into the bag to try and separate the sides.

Another thing, how can they make them in sizes that don't fit my trash can? They are either too small and have to be stretched or they are too big and have to be tied. What gives? I wish the trash can makers would get together with the bag makers and standardize the whole thing.

It seems the bio-degradable plastic bag has proved to me to be so much hype and very little dissolution. With any luck and about four million pounds of pressure, in two hundred thousand years, all those plastic

bags in all the land fills in all the world will become oil again. We should make sure we keep good records of where all those bags get buried so our descendants won't have to explore for oil again.

Those plastic liners also leak. It matters not what brand

or size, if I put liquid in the trash, it leaks into the trash can itself. That, in itself, wouldn't be so bad, but then the can starts to stink and I'm the guy that has to wash it out. Of course, if I could get my kids to eat leftovers, I might not have to worry about leakage.

## An Apple A Day

By Lee R. (Smokey) Taylor, R.Ph.

Women aren't alone in losing bone: When 77 healthy Portland, Oregon men aged 30 to 87 years had their forearm and vertebra bone mineral contents measured for three years, they lost about one percent per year in the forearm and about 2.3

percent per year on the spine. Unfortunately, there was no less mineral loss among those who took 1000 mg/day of calcium carbonate and 1000 IU/day of cholecalciferol and those who took a placebo.

--Annals of Internal Medicine

## Laugh and Live

by Gary Smith



## Touch of the Master's Hand

'Twas battered and scarred, and the auctioneer thought it scarcely worth his while to waste much time on the old violin, but held it up with a smile. "What am I bidden, good folks," he cried. "Who'll start the bidding for me?"

"A dollar, a dollar, now two, only two - two dollars, and who'll make it three? Three dollars, once, three dollars twice, - going for three" - but no. From the room far back, a gray haired man came forward and picked up the bow. Then wiping the dust from the old violin and tightening up all the strings, he played a melody, pure and sweet, so sweet as the angels sing. The music ceased, and the auctioneer, with a voice that was quiet and low, said; "What am I bid for the old violin?," and he held it up with the bow. "A thousand dollars - and who'll make it two. Two thousand, and who'll make it three. Three thousand once, three thousand twice, and going, and going," he said.

The people cheered, but some of them cried, "We do not understand. What changed it's worth?" The man replied, "The Touch of The Master's Hand."

And many a man with life out of tune, and battered and torn by sin, is auctioned cheap to a thoughtless crowd, much like the old violin.

A mess of pottage, a glass of wine, a game and he travels on, "He's going once, going twice, He's going and almost gone." But the master comes, and the foolish crowd never can quite understand. The worth of a soul and the change that's wrought by the touch of the Master's Hand.

Myrh Brooks Weich

'Til the next time...

MAY GOD BLESS.

# ASK YOUR CHILD WHAT A STRANGER LOOKS LIKE

Chances are good that if you ask your child what a stranger looks like, he or she is likely to describe a person like the one pictured here.

So when you tell your child not to talk to strangers, it's important to make sure that your child understands who a stranger really is.

Simply put, a stranger is anyone your child does not know, be it the "nice lady" with the dog or the kindly old man in the park.

One good idea is to establish a code

word known only by yourself, your child and any adult authorized to escort or care for your child. If the stranger doesn't know the "magic"

word, your child is not to go anywhere with that person. It's as simple as that.

While the movies make it easy to tell the good guys from the bad, real life unfortunately

is not so simple.

So take a moment to help safeguard your child today.

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In 1914, the Mexican bandit Pancho Villa was waging a revolution along the Texas/Mexico border. He sold the movie rights to his story for \$15,000 and the Mutual Film Corporation sent a special railway car, cameras and a car to El Paso to film the action. Pancho Villa promised to fight all his battles between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m when the light was best for filming, and coordinated his battles with the movie script. But "The Life of Villa" was a box office failure and all the prints were destroyed.

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# Property Tax Exemptions Available For Disabled Veterans

Veterans with a service-connected disability can receive property tax relief in 1990 by filling out a simple exemption form at the Schleicher County Appraisal District office, Chief Appraiser Ray Ballew said.

The amount of exemption is based on the veteran's percentage of service-connected disability and can range from \$1,500 to

\$3,000. Ballew explained who is eligible for the application:

- \* a disabled veteran;
- \* a surviving spouse of a deceased disabled veteran, as long as the spouse remains unmarried;
- \* a surviving minor child of a deceased disabled veteran, if the veteran's spouse does not

survive the veteran and if the child is both under 18 and unmarried;

- \* a surviving spouse of a person killed while on active duty, whether the spouse is remarried or not at application time;
- \* a surviving minor child of a person who was killed on active duty, if the child is both

under 18 and unmarried.

"Any eligible person who has not received this exemption before must apply by April 30," Ballew said. "But, if you received the exemption in 1989, you do not need to reapply in 1990.

An applicant can claim the exemption on only one piece of property, such as a home or any

other property the applicant owned on January 1. The applicant must be a Texas resident in order to qualify and must file the exemption application at the appraisal district office by April 30.

An applicant may be required to provide proof of the service-connected disability, such as documentation from the Veterans Administration or the branch of

the armed services in which the veteran served. Depending on the applicant, proof of marriage, death or age may also be required.

Obtain an application form and more information about specific qualifications from Ray Ballew at the Schleicher County Appraisal District office.

## Pfeiffer To Wed Menzies In June Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pfeiffer of Baytown announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shanna, to George C. Menzies IV, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Menzies III of Eldorado. A June wedding at Wooster Baptist Church in Baytown is planned.

The bride-elect is a

graduate of Ross Sterling High School. The prospective groom is a graduate of Eldorado High School.

Both attended Tarleton State University and are completing their education at Texas A&M University in College Station.



SHANNA PFEIFFER AND GEORGE C. MENZIES IV

## Two Receive Exemplar Degree During Sorority Meeting

Beta Sigma Phi met for a regular meeting Monday, April 9 at the Memorial Building. The Exemplar Ritual was held for Dee Dee Meyer and Sheila Prater. There were 18 members repeating the Opening Ritual.

Roll call was taken and the minutes of the previous meeting read and approved. The trea-

sure's report was given by Barbara Jackson.

Members were reminded of the Bake Sale planned for Wednesday morning, April 11, in front of Perry's and asked to have their baked goods there early.

Sheila Prater, chairperson of

the St. Jude's Bike-a-Thon, gave an update on the event which is scheduled for April 21 at the park. It will begin at 8 a.m. and continue until 11 a.m. Pledge forms will be given out at school. Anyone not receiving a form but wishing to participate should contact Sheila Prater.

Founder's Day will be held on April 30, the actual date of the beginning of Beta Sigma Phi, instead of April 23. K-S Caterers will cater the meal. The theme this year is "Gifts from the Heart".

Flora Hubble and Barbara Jackson will be co-chairpersons for sorority when the cancer drive is held later in April. Present plans are to meet at Flora's house on April 23 at 6 p.m. to begin the drive.

An April Rain Dance will be held April 28 at the Memorial Building with Jerry Jackson as DJ. Invitations will be mailed.

The Sunshine gift was won by Flora Hubble. The Closing Ritual was repeated and refreshments were served by Sheila Prater and Mary Leigh Dunagan.

## SC Medical Center Auxiliary Meets

The Schleicher County Medical Center Auxiliary met in the lobby of the hospital Thursday morning, April 5, with Alma Corbell, president, presiding.

An announcement was made that Rosetta Lozano was voted Employee of the Month. Frankie Williams was voted Resident of the Month and Volunteer of the Month from the auxiliary was Lola Humphries.

The Birthday Party for those having birthdays in the month of April, honoring Jake Hannan and Winnie Bearce this month, will be held in the dining room April 18 at 2:30 p.m. Volunteers will help serve and cakes will be furnished.

The Easter Egg Hunt for the children and grandchildren of employees and residents will be

held April 13 at 2:30 p.m. on the hospital grounds.

The National Cancer Drive for this year will be held April 23 through April 29. Members are urged to meet in the Club Room of the Memorial Building on April 12 at 7 p.m. for instructions and assignments.

The auxiliary voted to buy 25 pillows for residents wheel chair pedals to provide more comfort to those using them.

## Pony League To Hold Car Wash Friday

Eldorado Pony League will be having a car wash Friday, April 13, beginning at 10:30 a.m. on the courthouse parking lot, weather permitting.

A complete car wash, inside and out, will be a \$5 donation, a

truck wash will be a \$6 donation and vans and subvans will be an \$8 donation.

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Dear Mark,  
I ordered your program 3 months ago and started using it the day I got it. To say the least I was shocked at the results. Last month I deposited over \$11,000 in my bank account. Thank you so much.  
N.C., Stuart, Florida

Dear Mark,  
When I first saw your article I had my doubts. I said to myself I might as well try it, at least I'll be \$25.00 ahead with your guarantee. Well, your material changed my life from being flat broke in July to practically a millionaire in December! If I can do it, anyone can.  
J.S., San Diego, CA

Dear Mark,  
Before I ordered your money making method, I was slaving away cutting lawns for \$4.00 an hour. At 19 years old my future looked bleak. Last week I made over \$14,000 in less than 20 hours of work. I am the envy of all my friends. Thanks for a new life!  
J.B., Loudonville, NY

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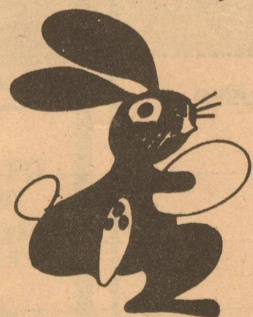
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## 4-H Wool, Mohair Judging Teams Continue To Improve

Schleicher County 4-H Wool and Mohair judging teams continue to improve as the competition gets tougher.

Eldorado's 4-H kids placed sixth out of 15 teams in the Sweetwater contest. Tara Hunley was 11th high individual overall. Other participants were: Leslie Hunter, Kyle Hunter, Rachel Hunley, Matt McCormick, Justin Leggett, Catherine Lloyd and Levona Lloyd.

Angelo State University held only a wool competition on March 31. Fifteen teams were entered and Schleicher County 4-H took fifth. Jodie Hooten was sixth high individual overall and 21 points out of first place. Other participants included: Amy Hilliard, Amy Clark, Matt Mc-

Cormick, Leslie Hunter, Tara Hunley, Lindsay Johnson and Mitzi Lux.

Since the first contest in March, the kids have been competing against senior level kids at all contests. Eldorado's kids have beaten more than half the teams entered at all contests their first year out.

Beginning April 14, all future contests will be broken into divisions: eight to nine year olds (Novice); 10-13 year olds (Junior); and 14-19 year olds (Senior).

"We have worked hard since the first of the year and the kids are ready to prove themselves!" commented coach Jimmy Fontenot.



Verlinda Hinsley (top photo with Dennis Scott) and Ron Reese (bottom photo with Dennis Scott) won the Happy Bucks Sweepstakes recently at Super S Food Store. Verlinda won \$100 and Ron won \$50 in the contest. Employees receive Happy Bucks for doing something extra nice for a customer, whether it be a smile or helping them locate some item in the store.

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## Annual Spring Chicken Affair Benefits Rehab Center

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That's the invitation being extended to all Schleicher County supporters of West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

The occasion is the Eighth Annual Spring Chicken Affair slated from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, April 22 in giant tents behind Southern Sea Restaurant and Southwest Bank on Knickerbocker Road in San Angelo.

An old-fashioned Sunday-after-church chicken dinner with all the trimmings and musical entertainment for the whole family are featured at the event.

"In addition to good food and good entertainment the nice

thing about the Spring Chicken Affair is that the Rehab Center gets 100 percent of the \$5 patrons pay because Southwest Bank and Southern Sea Restaurant cover all costs," said WTRC President/Executive Director Shelley Smith.

The Shoppe, a pop-country variety band, and the Texas Sidekicks clogging group will entertain.

"Since the event lasts until 3 p.m., I hope Rehab's friends in communities near San Angelo will come join the fun and help us help the handicapped," Smith said.

## April Designated Recycling Month In Texas

The citizens of the state of Texas generate more than 40,000 tons of solid waste per day, most of which is dumped in landfills across the state.

New federal regulations are expected to close at least one-third of these landfills, promising to make solid waste disposal increasingly expensive and harmful to the environment.

All sectors of society must act now to reduce the volume of materials in the waste system. Recycling is one responsible and economical way that all Texans

can respond to this challenge.

State and local governments should set an example by adopting measures that will encourage the recycling, rather than dumping, of waste materials. State agencies in Austin are particularly urged to cooperate with the State Purchasing and General Services Commission in expanding their current recycling efforts.

Therefore, Governor William Clements has designated the month of April as Recycling Month in Texas and urges the appropriate recognition.

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**ALBERTO FAVILA BUITRON**  
Alberto Favila Buitron, 56, of Odessa and formerly of Eldorado, died Wednesday, April 4, 1990, in University Medical Center in Lubbock.

Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with burial in Eldorado Cemetery directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born June 5, 1933, in San Carlos, Coahuila, Mexico. He was an oil field construction worker.

He married Juanita Castro in Eldorado on November 16, 1958. Three sons were born to this union, Ray David and Ramiro, both of Eldorado, and Albert of San Angelo. He moved to Odessa in 1985.

Survivors include his wife, Gloria Buitron of Odessa; five brothers, Santiago Buitron of Mount Pleasant, David Buitron of Sonora, and Matias Buitron, Alfredo Buitron and Jesus Buitron, all of San Carlos; two sisters, Juanita Morales and Irene Hernandez, both of San Carlos; four grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jose Maria and

Deovigilda Buitron, and one brother, Jose Maria Buitron, Jr., all formerly of San Carlos.

**W.L. "BILL" MCWHORTER**  
W.L. "Bill" McWhorter, 72, of Eldorado died Thursday, April 5, 1990 in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church of Eldorado with burial in Eldorado Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born June 9, 1917, in Eldorado. He married Geneva Knox February 11, 1967. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lauren McWhorter, early day settlers in Eldorado.

He was a retired stock farmer and member of the First Baptist Church of Eldorado.

He was preceded in death by four brothers, Sam and Earl Calhoun and John and Joe McWhorter.

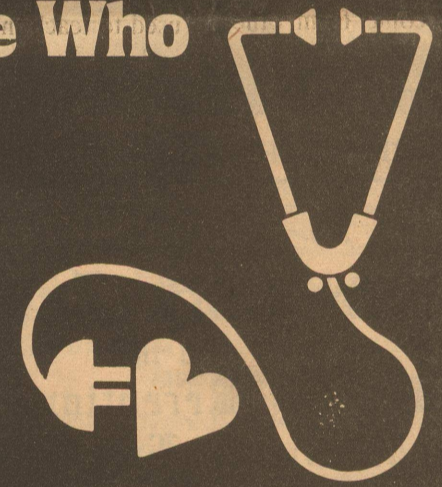
He is survived by his wife, Geneva McWhorter of the home; two brothers, Dan McWhorter and Robert L. "Bob" McWhorter, both of Eldorado; a sister-in-law, Duenne McWhorter Culbreth of Dallas; and numerous nieces and nephews.

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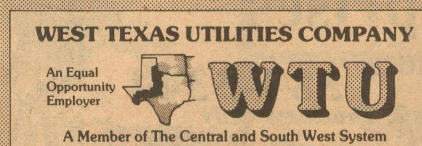
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## Benefit Day Set In Mason For Rehabilitation Center

West Texas Rehabilitation Center Benefit Day will be held at Fort Mason Park in Mason on Saturday, April 14. Events of the day will include a steer roping, golf tournament, pet show, barbecue meal, awards ceremony, auction and a dance.

Proceeds of the day will benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center. As a private, non-profit, out-patient institution, WTRC treats approximately 13,200 handicapped children and adults annually through facilities in Abilene and San Angelo.

In the mid 1950's, after only two years of operation, West Texas Rehab Center was attracting handicapped patients to its Taylor County facility from an 11 county area. Today, the Rehab Center sees patients from more than 100 counties and has expanded its role in "meeting the unmet needs of the handicapped" through outreach services to small schools, hospitals, and nursing homes located in the sparsely populated areas of West

and South Texas. Developmentally delayed and/or handicapped children enrolled in public schools such as Mason are served by WTRC personnel under agreements with Education Service Center.

For the first time in the history of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, the budget has topped the \$7 million mark. In 1990, it will take \$7.2 million for operations of treatment facilities. More than half of WTRC's 1990 budget will be generated by patient-services (the money the Center expects to collect from insurance, medicare, et cetera).

Fundraisers such as this benefit are anticipated to contribute approximately \$1 million during 1990.

The public is encouraged to mark their calendars for Saturday, April 14. Mike Dail, president of the Federal Land Bank Association of Mason, is the chairman of the benefit. He may be contacted at 915-347-6653.

## Baylor University To Operate Baseball Camp

For the 17th summer, Little League Baseball will offer three baseball camps for boys nine through 15 years of age. Again this year, Mickey Sullivan, head baseball coach for Baylor University, will conduct these camps.

Coach Sullivan's goal is to develop the state's top Little League Baseball camp. In order to achieve this goal, Coach Sullivan will utilize the baseball coaching staff of Baylor University. Additional instructors for the camp will come from other

colleges, junior colleges and Texas high schools.

Players will undergo training that applies to their particular position. Individual defensive skills will be stressed as well as team defenses.

Each player will be taught basic offensive skills. Included in these are bunting, drag bunting, proper swing and base-running.

Each day will be divided into three sessions. The morning and afternoon sessions will be used to teach individual offensive and defensive skills. The night session will include a game under the lights.

During the week, the baseball staff will take the time to discuss important topics with the young players. Two of the topics to be discussed are drug abuse and the importance of school.

These three one-week camps will be held as follows: July 8-13; July 15-20; and July 22-27.

This Summer Camp program is sponsored by Little League Baseball, Incorporated, a federally chartered no-profit, educational and charitable organization. For further information call 817-756-1816.

### St. Luke's To Hold Musical

Sunday, May 6 at 3 p.m., St. Luke's Baptist Church of Eldorado will host a musical for the entire community.

The members of the church would like for anyone who has musical talent to take part in the program. Please contact Helen Fay at 853-2836 if you would like to have a part in the program. Everyone is welcome.



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## New Minimum Wage Law In Effect

Commissioner Mary Scott Nabers of the Texas Employment Commission reminded employers that the US Department of Labor had released interim final rules governing the subminimum training wage provisions of the new minimum wage law. The new law, which went into effect on April 1, 1990, raises the minimum wage to \$3.80 but also provides for a lower training wage of

\$3.35 per hour. The training wage will apply only for certain employees under age 20 and can be applied only for 90 days of employment. It will expire March 31, 1993.

The new law covers all companies which have an annual business volume of \$500,000 or more, while public agencies, schools, hospitals and some other

businesses will be covered regardless of their annual dollar volume.

The training wage will not apply to migrant or seasonal agricultural workers or to non-immigrant agricultural workers who perform temporary or seasonal work. Also, an employer can pay a worker the subminimum wage only until that employee reaches the age of 20, after which he or she must be paid at a rate not less than the minimum wage otherwise applicable under the FSLA.

Employees who have been paid the training wage for 90 days can be paid the wage an additional 90 days if they work for a different employer, and if that employer provides on-the-job training. The total period

that an employee may be employed at the training wage by any combination of employers may not exceed 180 days.

In order to meet the training requirements of the rule, an employer must provide "job-specific skills training and personal skills instruction," according to the regulation. Also, the DOL interprets the training wage as meant principally for new hires. Therefore, any employee who has worked for an employer for more than 90 days is ineligible for the training wage.

DOL has a poster that outlines the new law. Copies should be available from your regional Wage and Hour Division. In Texas, regional offices are located in San Antonio, Dallas, Houston and Corpus Christi.

## Dinosaurs On Exhibit

An earth-shaking exhibit of "Dinosaurs! (and more)" is open in San Angelo at the Commons shopping center, 3234 Sherwood Way. Sponsored by West Texas Rehabilitation Center, the life-like display may be seen through June 17.

Created by the California-based Dinamation Inc., the exhibit includes dinosaur replicas whose internal computerized pneumatic systems allow them to stomp, flex and roar -- but they won't bite! In addition to the creatures, there's video tape presentations, hands-on activities and audiovisual and educational souvenirs.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and 1 to 6 p.m. on Sunday.

Admission is \$4 for adults and \$3 for children ages three to 17 and senior citizens age 65 and older. Discounts are available for groups of 10 or more and pre-scheduled tours may be arranged by calling 949-9321.

Local Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) members will assist the Rehab Center by helping staff the exhibit during its two-month showing.

WTRC President/Executive Director Shelley V. Smith says

the exhibit is "a very special attraction for San Angelo and the surrounding area, and an excellent educational resource for kids of all ages."

The Rehab Center will receive a portion of the proceeds generated by admission and souvenir fees.

## Direct Deposit Is Easy To Arrange

People in this area who receive Social Security checks, who choose to do so, have an easy time of it to arrange to have them deposited directly into an account in a financial institution. The account can be in a commercial bank, savings and loan association, Federal or State credit union, or similar institution, Franklin H. Upp, Social Security manager in San Angelo, said recently.

All a person has to do to arrange for direct deposit is to call Social Security or contact any financial organization. A monthly benefit check and a blank personal check contain all the information needed.

Some advantages of direct deposit are:

- No worry about a check being lost or stolen.
- No need to be home when the check arrives. The money is available in an account even if the person is out of town.
- Time and transportation

costs are saved and there is no standing in line to cash the check.

-- It is safer to keep money in an account than carrying a lot of cash.

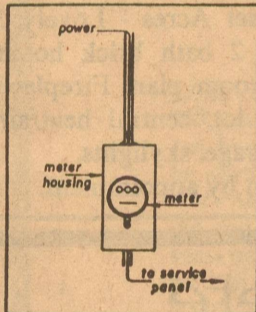
People who choose direct deposit must be sure to keep Social Security informed of their

current address. This way, they will continue to receive important information about their check.

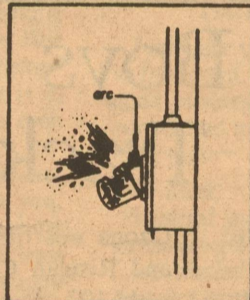
More information about direct deposit can be obtained from Social Security. The telephone number is 949-4608 or call 1-800-234-5772.

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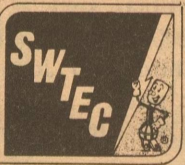
Removing the meter while it is under load, that is when current is flowing through it, can lead to disaster. The metal housing is at a different electrical potential from the meter. Any contact between the metal housing and the meter will result in a violent discharge or "arc" of electricity between them.



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RUBY GONZALEZ

Benjamin and Ruby are the children of Raul and Diana Gonzalez. Benjamin is in kindergarten and Ruby is in the seventh grade.

Benjamin enjoys playing basketball, baseball and football. He loves swimming, riding his bike and skateboarding. He is looking forward to playing T-ball this summer. He is a member of the Karate Institute where he holds an orange belt. Benjamin is a "fun guy" and likes to make friends. He says he wants to grow tall and play basketball like his friend Jeff. Benjamin wants to be a veterinarian when he grows up.

Ruby enjoys playing the piano, gymnastics, listening to music, playing basketball and having fun on her trampoline. She was active in basketball, a seventh grade cheerleader, plays the flute in the Middle School Band and is also active in track and U.I.L. Ruby is proud of her school and tries to excel in all that she does. She hopes to someday become a lawyer.

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# Junior High Girls Track Team Competes At Ozona

Thursday, April 5, the Junior High District track meet was held in Ozona. The following schools participated: Eldorado, Forsan, Iraan, McCamey, Ozona, Reagan County and Stanton.

Members of the Eldorado seventh grade girls team are: Ruby Gonzales, Caterina Gower, Christina Rodrigues, Rosemary Torres, Amy Newton, Scace Barker, Amber Hamilton, Tamra Robledo, Jenny Wink, Meagan Stevenson, Emily Olson, Ericka Schooley, Charlie Thoms, Jennifer Cheatham, Jennifer Holquin, Lindsey Fuessel, Shannon West, Mary Ann Rodriguez and Courtney Triplett.

Individual results are as follows:  
Triple jump -- Ruby Gon-

zales, sixth.

Long jump -- Jennifer Holquin, third.

Shot put -- Charlie Thoms, sixth.

High jump -- Ruby Gonzales, third; Jennifer Holquin, fourth.

400 meter relay -- Eldorado (Emily Olson, Jennifer Holquin, Meagan Stevenson, Jennifer Cheatham), second.

600 run -- Jenny Wink, second.

100 dash -- Jennifer Holquin, second.

800 relay -- Eldorado (Emily Olson, Jennifer Holquin, Meagan Stevenson, Jenny Wink), third.

200 hurdles -- Ruby Gon-

zales, fourth; Lindsey Fuessel, sixth.

1200 run -- Jenny Wink, first; Christina Rodriguez, fourth; and Amber Hamilton, fifth.

The eighth grade girls placed third overall with the following results:

400 relay -- Eldorado (Bobbie Roubison, Amanda Mora, Jessica Conatser, Luby Trevino), second.

800 relay -- Eldorado (Bobbie Roubison, Amanda Mora, Jessica Conatser, Luby Trevino), first.

1200 relay -- Eldorado (Farah Fennern, Anita Hemphill, Laura Hill, Jessica Conatser), fifth.

100 hurdles -- Bobbie Roubison, fourth.

200 -- Luby Trevino, second; and Amanda Mora, sixth.

200 hurdles -- Jessica Conatser, second.

600 run -- Amy Hamilton, fifth.

1200 run -- Conseulo Chavez, third; Amy Hamilton, fourth; and Angi Fitts, fifth.

Discus -- Farah Fennern, fifth.

Shot put -- Farah Fennern, second.

Triple jump -- Bobbie Roubison, fifth.

Long jump -- Jessica Conatser, fifth.

High jump -- Bobbie Roubison, fourth; and Amy Hamilton, sixth.

The following girls participated on the eighth grade team: Consuelo Chavez, Jessica Conatser, Farah Fennern, Angi Fitts, Amy Hamilton, Anita Hemphill, Laura Hill, Stacy Horton, Yvette Lopez, Amy Mejia, Amanda Mora, Bobbie Roubison, Luby Trevino and Christy Robinson is manager.

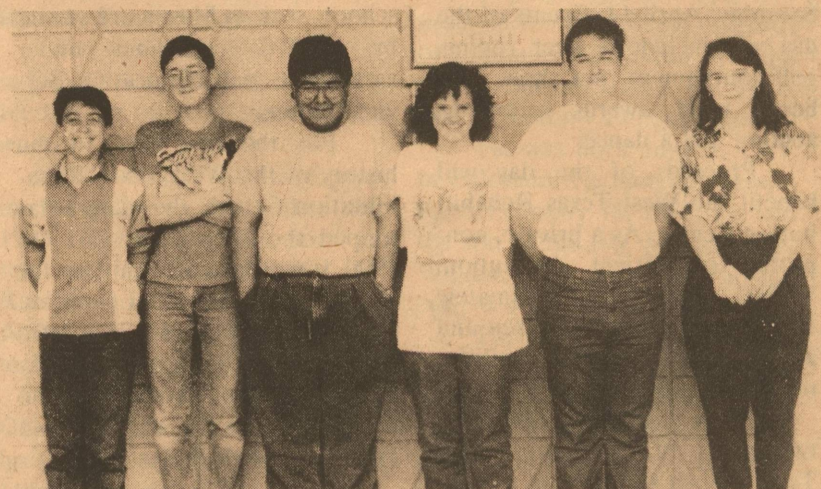
# Eldorado FFA Judging Teams Compete At Lubbock

Eldorado FFA dairy and horse judging teams competed in Lubbock last Saturday, April 7. The contest included teams from Area I and II. There are 11 schools in the Concho FFA District.

The dairy judging team

placed fourth in district and will represent the Eldorado FFA at the Tarleton Invitational Contest May 23.

The horse judging team placed second in district and will judge in the State Contest April 21.



Pictured here are the FFA horse and dairy judging teams. Horse judging team, l-r, Shane Dresner, Robert Taylor and Daniel Esquivel. Dairy judging team, l-r, Vicki Hooten, Rufus Trimble and Yvonne Terry.

# New Members Inducted Into EHS National Honor Society

The Eldorado High School chapter of the National Honor Society held its induction ceremony and reception Monday, April 9.

The Eldorado chapter sets the eligibility for juniors and seniors. The new members must have an overall average of 87 or higher since their freshman year. Active members must maintain this average to remain a member.

National Honor Society members become graduate mem-

bers at graduation. Membership is an honor bestowed upon individual students.

The new members are Ward Evans, Gabby Guzman, Angie McGregor, Ericka Olson, Amy Henderson, Katie Hardy, Dena Lloyd, Cole Turner, Kris Augero, Ca-Tina Dacy, Lindsey Bass, Wade Rinehart, Tuesdee Halbert, Jesse Vasquez, Travis Shaw, Andra Robledo, Kim Mithcell, Justin Edmiston, Pat Martin and Justin Paxton.

Present members are Laura Johnson, president; Dan Pfluger, vice president; Cynthia Arispe, secretary; Carolina Gonales, reporter; Juan Ramirez, Ginger Sterling, Herman Huichapa, Jennifer Torres, Louanne Crowder, Brent Moore, Stacy Jones and Carrie Sauer.



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# School Menu

Monday April 16

Breakfast -- Peaches, Waffles, Syrup, Peanut Butter.

Lunch -- Chalupas, Spanish Rice, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Purple Plums, Orange Cake with Icing.

Tuesday April 17

Breakfast -- Pineapple Slices, Breakfast Cookies, Peanuts.

Lunch -- Turkey Pot Pie with Vegetables, Whole Kernel Corn, Strawberry Jello, Chocolate Chip Cookies.

Wednesday April 18

Breakfast -- Apple Juice, Cinnamon Toast, Hash Browns.

Lunch -- Beef Stew with Vegetables, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Apricot Halves, Iced Cupcakes.

Thursday April 19

Breakfast -- Hot Biscuits, Sausage, Jelly.

Lunch -- Chicken Fried Steak and Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Broccoli with Cheese Sauce, Peach Cobbler.

Friday April 20

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# Junior High Boys Compete In Ozona Track Meet

The seventh and eighth grade boys track teams traveled to Ozona last Thursday, April 5, for the District meet.

The seventh grade boys placed third overall with 67 points. Ozona took first with 203 points and Reagan County was second with 119 points. McCamey was fourth with 44 points, Forsan fifth with 28 points, Stanton sixth with 29 points and Iraan seventh with 10 points.

Individual results are as follows:

Discus -- Jason Porter, sixth.

Shot put -- Will Thomsen, fourth.

High jump -- Erick McGinnes, first; Pepper Nix, sixth.

Long jump -- Pepper Nix, third.

Pole vault -- Cody McCravey, tied for third.

400 relay -- Eldorado (Travis Whitten, Pepper Nix, Mada Gower and Erick McGinnes), fourth.

600 run -- Pepper Nix, third.

110 hurdles -- Erick McGinnes, second.

300 dash -- Mada Gower, third.

1200 relay -- Eldorado (Mada Gower, Pepper Nix, Erick McGinnes and Travis Whitten), third.

The eighth grade boys took third place with 92 points, while

Ozona was first with 159 points and Reagan County was second with 107 points. McCamey was fourth with 66 points, Iraan fifth with 60 points, Forsan sixth with 33 points and Stanton seventh with three points.

The following results were posted:

Shot put -- Robert Sanchez, third.

Triple jump -- Burk McRae, first.

High jump -- Hunter Preston, fifth; Joaquin Covarrubiaz, sixth.

Long jump -- Hunter Preston, second.

400 relay -- Eldorado (Trent Manning, Michael Gamez,

Casey Triplett and Hunter Preston), third.

600 run -- Burk McRae, second; and Farley Dakan, fourth.

100 dash -- Trent Manning, sixth.

300 dash -- Michael Gamez, first; and Burk McRae, fifth.

200 hurdles -- Joaquin Covarrubiaz, sixth.

200 Dash -- Hunter Preston, third; and Joaquin Covarrubiaz, sixth.

1200 run -- Farley Dakan, fourth.

1200 relay -- Eldorado (Trent Manning, Michael Gamez, Burk McRae and Hunter Preston), second.

# Junior High Tennis Teams Compete At Sonora

The seventh and eighth grade tennis teams traveled to Sonora last Saturday, April 7, for a meet there. The seventh grade won the overall team trophy.

Seventh grade results are as follows:

Pepper Nix and Cody McCravey -- first, boys doubles.

Leon Fuentes -- first, boys singles.

Christy Reeves and Mandy Belk -- consolation runnerups in

girls doubles.

Larry Sanchez -- fourth in boys singles.

Brian Jones and Austin Hunter -- consolation in boys doubles.

Janie Rodriguez and Caterina Gower -- fourth in girls doubles.

Kimberly Williams -- first in girls singles.

Jennifer Cheatham -- consolation in girls singles.

Eighth grade results are as

follows:

Joe Sanchez and Cody Arendt -- consolation in boys doubles.

Ricky Gutierrez -- first in boys singles.

Sammy Prater -- fourth in boys singles.

Bobbie Roubison and Jessica Conatser -- consolation runnerups in girls doubles.

Christy Robinson -- third in girls singles.

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# Helmets Benefit Bicyclists

Each year about 1,200 bicyclists are killed nationwide and more than half a million bicycle-related injuries are treated in hospital emergency rooms. According to the Texas Department of Health (TDH), some of these deaths and injuries could have been prevented if the rider had been wearing a helmet.

David Zane, director of the TDH Injury Control Program, said about one-third of the deaths and two-thirds of the

injuries involve children under the age of 15. Three-fourths of the deaths are because of head trauma and about one-third of the injuries are to the head or face.

"Helmets are now worn by fewer than one-out-of-10 bicyclists," Zane said. "The purpose of a helmet is to absorb the energy of an impact to minimize or prevent head injury. Crushable foam generally is used for this

purpose. Many helmets also have a hard outer shell that provides additional protection to the head in the event of a collision with a sharp object," he added.

Zane noted that about 90 percent of bicyclists' deaths result from collisions with motor vehicles, while most nonfatal injuries result from falls.

"Bicycle death rates rise rapidly from the age of four and peak for 13-year-old males. Bi-

cycle deaths, like motorcycle fatalities, occur more frequently during the spring and summer months," Zane said.

In Texas, 82 bicycle riders were killed in accidents during 1988, the Texas Department of Public Safety reported. The same year, 3,739 bicyclists were injured.

Explaining that helmet use

can play a critical role in reducing bicycle injuries, Zane said a Florida study showed that five out of six fatally injured bicyclists died as a result of head or neck injuries. "Frequently those bicyclists did not suffer other life-threatening or potentially disabling injuries. So, if they used helmets, many fatalities and ser-

ious head injuries would not occur," he added.

"Parents can help stop tragic bicycle mishaps by buying their child an approved bike helmet that meets the standards of the Snell Memorial Foundation and/or the American National Standards Institute," Zane said.

## Sonrisas Riding Dedicated To Teaching The Disabled

Sonrisas Therapeutic Riding is an organization dedicated to teaching therapeutic horseback riding to the disabled. For the past five and a half years, Sonrisas has served hundreds of

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These lessons are conducted with a constant emphasis on safety. Depending on the type of disability and level of horsemanship, one to three volunteers are needed per client as horse leaders or sidewalkers. Special training is provided by Sonrisas' highly trained instructors.

Riding sessions are conducted on Tuesdays from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Wednesdays from noon until 3:30 p.m. The program follows the school semesters and begin classes every September and finish up in May, shortly before the end of school. Individual classes last 45 minutes to an hour each.

For more information about Sonrisas, please contact Harriett Upton at 949-3986 or Joanie Johnston at 469-3928.

## Boy Scout Troop Attends Camporee

Members from Eldorado Boy Scout Troop 18 attended the Permian Basin Camporee held at Fort Lancaster this past weekend.

The local Troop joined troops from the district for a weekend of camping, orienteering, knot tying, lashing, first aid and fire building.

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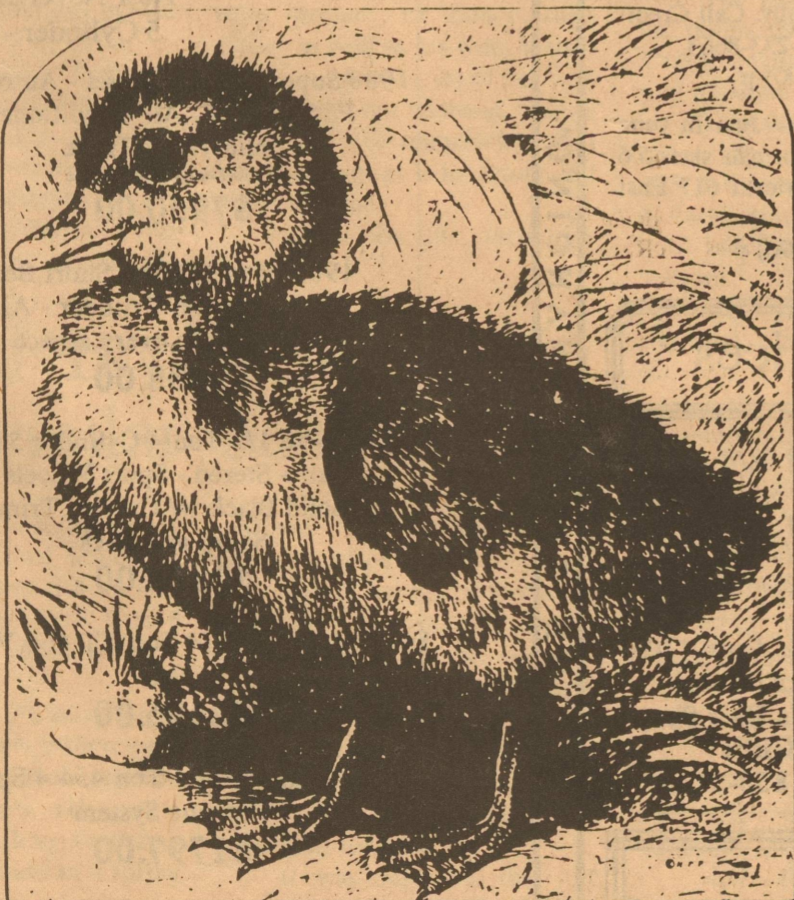


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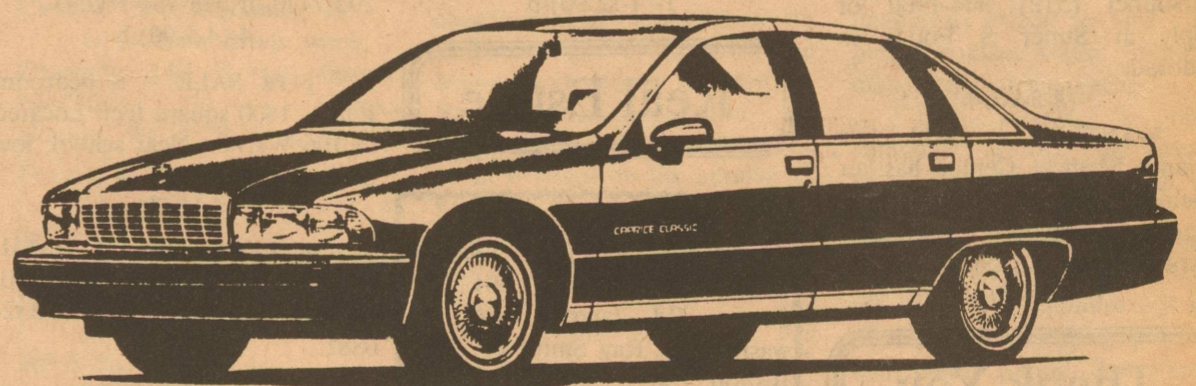
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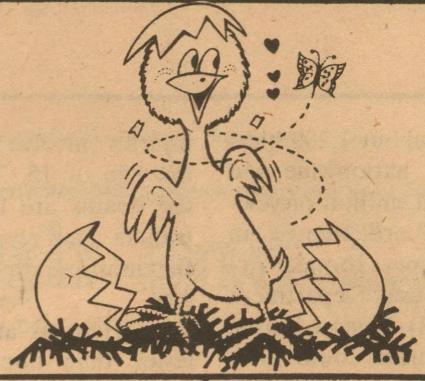
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