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In this Special Nostalgia Edition, we offer a look at part of the history of Eldorado and Schleicher County as seen by previous publishers of The Success.

(These articles are re-printed without editorial change.)

Editor Gets Socks Made From Curicue Wool

January 1, 1932

T.W. Logan dropped into the editors Wednesday, and presented the Editor with a pair of socks made from wool grown of curicue sheep raised on the McKnight Ranch in Mayer community. The wool was scoured and spun into yarn and made into socks by Mrs. M.F. Logan, mother of Mr. Logan. She is 78 years old and has been using her old spinning wheel for many years making socks and saddle girths out of wool and

mohair. The editor has never seen any of the sheep this wool came off. They are larger than most sheep and the wool is of a brownish cast. The socks were of natural color as came off of sheep. Mrs. Logan came to this section of Texas in 1888 moving to Crockett County and has made her home in Crockett, Sutton and Schleicher almost constantly since. She with her husband lives in the Mayer community of this county.

March 14, 1930

Wednesday morning, the Santa Fe work train finished laying the steel to the side of the Eldorado Depot. This was the first train to enter and pass through the original townsite. The steel reached into the townsite Monday, March 10, but did not reach the depot site until Wednesday morning.

W.H. Rochester was

Workers On New Railroad Laying Steel Fast

First Train In Eldorado Wed

First Plans For Railroad Made Over Twenty Years Ago

here Monday surveying work and engineering certain changes in the work. With the completion of the tracklaying crew into the depot grounds into our city, the dream of twenty years ago has come true. Rip Van Winkle has awakened after 20 years of slumber and now finds an actual train and actual railroad in our city. Those who

witnessed the twenty years ago and have lived and hoped this final day can recall many days, weeks and even years of this anxious waiting.

The one hundred thousand dollars raised in December 1909 and contract signed to have work started by January 1, 1910 was a happy event in the life of Eldorado, only to

wither and decay but from its roots has at last sprung a real railroad, one that can whistle, toot and make a rumbling noise as it approaches our city, March 12, 1930. We will record another new page to the history of Schleicher County. It's here boys, wake up from your dreaming, Mr. McCormick can say, "I told you so."

Eldorado Organizes Lions Club

May 25, 1928

The businessmen arrangement of Eldorado and Schleicher County met last Friday night for the purpose of organizing a Lions Club. The club has thirty initial members being a very large number for a town of this size and the first organization of this kind here. This organization takes the place of the Chamber of Commerce and stands for the development of the town and community. An organization of this kind has been much needed in Eldorado for some time and should be encouraged by every wide awake citizen in the county. It is not merely for the town alone but for the county at large. Five members of the San Angelo Club were present at the meeting and helped in the organization by explaining the various functions of the club and duties of the officers. Mr. Gus Miller, President of the San Angelo Club, made a very interesting talk about such an organization and the good derived out of it in

San Angelo. Messers Ed Blanton of the Halcolm Blanton Printing Company, C. H. Kenley, Principal of the Jr. High School, and Homer Jordan of the First National Bank made interesting talks also. B. H. Galloway, Field Director of the Lions Club, had full charge of the meeting. Plenty to eat was the main feature of the occasion, as the meeting was held in the dining room of the Eldo Hotel, famous for its good meals served in good style. The following officers were elected: President - Jo Alf Campbell, Vice-President - Frank Meador, Secretary/Treasurer - L. T. Barber, Lion Tamer - Fred O. Green, Tail Twister - H. T. Finley, Directors - J. W. Lawhon, Jr., Jo Williams, J. E. Hill, and L. E. Sumner. The club meets every week on Wednesday for one hour from 12:30 to 1:30. This club is not half large enough. Everyone who is interested in the development of the town and county should fall in line and boost for the place where he lives. If we do not boost of what we have, who will?

Griffin Sworn In As County Judge

January 4, 1929

Johnny Griffin is sworn in as Schleicher County Judge Tuesday morning by County Clerk Helen Blakeway. Mrs. Blakeway was also sworn in for

her job as County Treasurer A. G. McCormack, Justice of the Peace F. M. Bradley, Jr. and Commissioners Holvey Enoch and David Meador.

Odds 'N Ends

November 30, 1939

Games of bout over the state will claim many local fans during the holiday season while others prefer the peace and quiet of home with a turkey baked by mother.

Mrs. K.E. Robinson, in business here since 1922, is one of those delightful persons we could converse with forever. She seldom visits anymore but she has many callers, and no wonder. We must confess she taught us something about our own home state.

Quite a few local ladies have taken to needle-point in a big way. Don't fail to see the lovely work of Mrs. Wiley Ratliff.

Eldorado seems like home once more since all the enthusiastic collegians are seen around again.

Speaking of students, one would more likely to mistake Mrs. Earnest Finnigan for one of them instead of the mother of a popular College band sweetheart.

Ice Storm Hits Eldorado Area

January 4, 1979

Mother nature turned a cold shoulder this weekend and let temperatures drop to the zero level making all the moisture create a solid sheet of ice over the entire area. The first hint of trouble came Saturday night when temperatures began to drop and mist begin to fall. There was no relief Sunday, New Year's Eve, and several party goers missed celebrating the holiday because of the weather. The snow that fell Monday didn't help and the ice only became thicker. Streets and highways were covered completely and many motorists found themselves in bar ditches and some ranchers

will be replacing fences when the freeze thaws. The sheriff's department reported only one minor accident during the cold spell, however. Meanwhile, homeowners are faced with broken water lines or the lack of heat as pressure in the city's gas lines dropped. Although the official recorded for the county was only 3 degrees Monday. Many other thermometers were down to a zero mark. However, on Tuesday afternoon the warm sun made a reappearance and the ice began to disappear. While the weather men say there is no relief in sight for the cold weather, the ice and hazardous driving may be at an end for this county.

Attention

February 14, 1908

Pop Watson went to Christoval the first day of the week to get some hay.

June 29, 1928

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School News

March 18, 1954

Superintendent T.E. Holcomb and High School Principal Joe R. Andrews have just announced that

the Eldorado High School graduates for 1954 have been given the Kuder Vocational Preference Test provided by San Angelo

College without cost to the local students or to the local high school. Test was given Monday, March 15.

The test is one of the guidance services for high school graduates in this area which San Angelo College has been given for the past 6 years.

As a follow-up to this test, the College will send a team of its expert counsellors Mrs. Frances Carter and Joe Gabriel, to the local high school to explain the results of the test with specific interpretation to each boy

and girl and at the same time point out use the student can make of the information whether he goes on to college or enters business.

The San Angelo College counsellors will be here Tuesday, March 23.

This Kuder test is not an intelligence or an aptitude test. It simply indicates the students' preferences in nine different types of vocations. This information is of vital importance to each boy and girl in planning future studies or activities.

Killing At Sonora

February 28, 1908

On Thursday night, February 20th, Walter F. Fielden, who conducted a beer saloon in the west portion of Sonora, met his death at the hands of Murdoch McDonald a young man of Sonora and Lillie Smith a woman who lived in debauchery in that city, the fuss occurred about midnight of Thursday night at the house of Lillie Smith. The officers were summoned and Fielden was taken to jail, supposed to be in a drunken condition as he had been seen in a drunken condition previous to the trouble, after placing Fielden in jail and being gone some time, Sheriff Allison returned to the jail and found Felden as he thought a sleep, but on

returning to the jail Friday morning to feed the prisoners he found the supposed sleeping man to be dead and later in the day the above accused were placed in jail. L. H. Baightman district attorney was wired for and passed through here Sunday on his way there to hold an examining trial, the examining trial was waived by the accused parties and McDonald bond placed at \$2,500 and Lillie Smith at \$100. Felden is said to have been drinking and then its said that whiskey was probably the cause of the trouble, and now may the good people of Sonora see fit to move from their midst such houses as this affray occurred in, as no good ever arrives from any of them.

Senior Band To Give Concert Next Week

March 18, 1948

The Eldorado School Band, directed by C. F. Jones, will present a concert on Saturday evening, May 27, at 8:00 p.m. in the school auditorium. The program will include a variety of classical, popular and military music, and will be the band's final public appearance before the band contest in Abilene, April 3 in which the local band will take part.

At a called band parents meeting and band rehearsal Monday evening, the students gave a demonstration practice for the benefit of the parents,

showing what can be expected from regular and consistent practice. The large group of parents present expressed themselves as willing to cooperate in the coming contest, using their ability in backing the children.

As a result of the meeting, three after-school practices were arranged for Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons until the contest. Those who will attend the Abilene contest are the A band, four twirlers, the drum major and Mr. Jones. The trip will be made in a school bus.

To All Subscribers

March 14, 1930

All subscribers who have recently subscribed to the Success, whether new or old and have not received a paper will do the Success management a good turn if they will notify us of same.

We are indeed sorry that the campaign we so hopefully launched did not strike the public with favor, for there were only a few persons applying to work, and only one of these was working when we postponed the campaign indefinitely. All others failed to keep active by working.

The campaign saw that only one candidate was in the race, and owing to

the fact that we announced a "contest", or a competition between people of this county, it was deemed no contest was in order with just one candidate.

We appreciate all the subscriptions that were given and assure all our readers, both old and new that we will strive to give them a bigger and better paper throughout the coming year.

Again, we repeat, if you have not received a copy of the Success by this issue, we would certainly appreciate the fact being called to our attention. Very Sincerely The publishers.

Walter Felden is dead! - God and mankind can do little else than pity. Let us look into our hearts and search there if necessary for that feeling of human sympathy that should exist in all hearts that are human.

He was once an infant, pure and sweet, and loved, no doubt, with that pure and holy love that only a mother can give.

After awhile he left that haven of love and wandered far, far away into the hard, cold world.

The star of infancy, childhood and no doubt a greater part of manhood began to fade until at last it sank into inky darkness.

God have pity! Does not the Good Book say somewhere, "that the angels in heaven weep over a lost soul" Then should not we? But it says again: "Judge not, lest you be judged." There are some good traits in the worst of men; Walter was by no means the an exception.

Let us respect his cold, silence form, and lay it away gently for his mother's sake, and perhaps a sister, father and brothers, who in spite of all love him still.

A Human, from Sonora sun.

School News

January 3, 1930

The seniors have ben studying Parliamentary Law and Debate in English. There has ben some real werm defEats given. The seniors have IEarnEd a great deal about debating and Parliamentary Law but expect to learn more.

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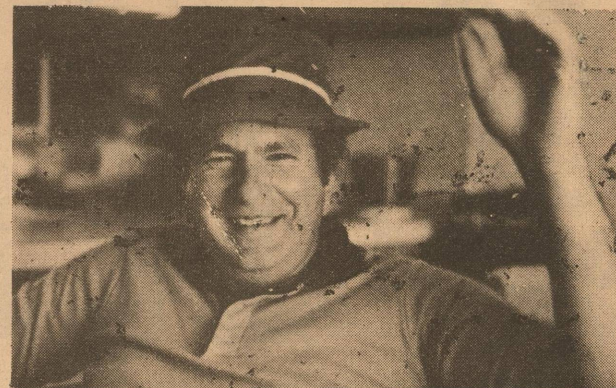
It's a pleasure to greet you and to wish you well in the new year!

The Eldorado Success

Call 853-2507 for appointment

Laugh and Live

by Gary Smith



These are jokes from the paper in 1930.

Eli: "What time do you get up in the morning?":
Jo: "As soon as the first rays of the sun comes into my room."
Eli: "Isn't that rather early?"
Jo: "No, my room faces west."

Lucille: "Quick, doctor, do something. I was playing a mouth organ and swallowed it."
Doc: "Keep calm, lady, and be thankful you were not playing a piano."

Garland: "I've eaten beef all of my life and I'm just as strong as an ox."
James: "That's funny. I've eaten fish all of my life and I can't swim a stroke."

Mr. Hope: "Son, you face is clean but how did you get your hands so dirty?"
Son: "Washing my face."

Francis Ballew: "Did you notice how my voice filled the hall this morning in the declamation contest."
Roberta Milligan: "Yes, in fact I noticed several people leaving to make room for it."

A new record for meanness: A teacher who borrowed a student's pencil to mark him down a flunk.

Traffic cop: "Say, do you know how to drive a car?"
Fred: "What is it you want to know."

Carl Kerr: "Do you serve lobsters here."
Waiter: "Sure, we serve anyone. Have a seat."

Jess Ella: "What is Albert McGinty in school?"
Gusta V.: "Half back."
Jess Ella: "I mean in studies."
Gusta V.: "Draw back."

"What's the barber college yell?"
"I don't know."
"Cut his lip, rip his jaw, leave his face raw, raw, raw."

'Till The Next Time...

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Light Voltage For Eldorado To High

January 1, 1932
Jack Wear, manager of West Texas Utilities here, informed the Success editor that the voltage in Eldorado would be reduced to between 115 and 120. The voltage is tested out runs from 128 to 135 and this causes

electric appliances to be overloaded that are bought for the 110 voltage. Light bulbs only last about half time and other equipments do likewise. Then the expense runs higher. Now this will be looked after this weekend or the first of next.

New Babies

May 21, 1953

Born, Tuesday morning at 6:00 in the hospital in Sonora, a son, their second child, to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oglesby. The baby weighed seven pounds and 13 1/2 ounces and has been named John Michael.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Oglesby and Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Henderson all of Eldorado. The couple have one other child, William Henry, Junior, 17 months old. The young mother is the former Jerry Henderson.

A son was born Sunday evening, at 6:00 in the hospital in Sonora to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffin. The baby weighed seven pounds and 4 1/2 ounces at birth and has been named

Ricky Mauch. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Taney of Wynene, Arkansas. The couple have to other sons, Charles age 15, and Ronnie age seven. Joe Griffin is employed with the Southwest Texas Electric Co-op.

Born Wednesday morning at 7:16, in Clinic hospital at San Angelo, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Like Thompson Jr. The baby weighed eight pounds and seven ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson Senior, and Mr. and Mrs. Jap Wison of Claude. A great grandmother is Mrs. Charles Thompson of San Angelo. The new baby has a sister Nancy Jo, age three.

News From Our Neighbors

May 21, 1953

Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Neff, here with highway department work, have bought the Fay Pounter house in the southeast part of town, and are moving there this week end. They plan to repair and remodel the house. They have been renters in the Billy Frank

Blaylock house since they moved here two years ago.

Announcement

February 14, 1908
Lost strayed stolen or mis-placed one B Flat Clarinet book of music and anyone finding, hearing or knowing of it

whereabouts will confer agreeat favor to the Eldorado Band by sending, bringing or telling them of its whereabouts. Eldorado Band.

Eldorado Wool Company

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853-2820 - Feedstore

Boy Scouts See Freedom Train

February 19, 1949

Forty-two Eldorado boy scouts accompanied by their scout master, B. F. Blaylock, made the trip to Del Rio last Friday to see the Freedom Train. The trip was made in one of the school buses with James McDonald as driver. After standing in line for approximately two hours, the boys made the trip through the train viewing such historical documents as the Magna Charta, the Declaration of

Independence and others. Among the collection was also the famous flag of Iwo Jima. Following a picnic lunch, the group were taken across the border into Old Mexico for sightseeing, exploration and souvenirs. They returned home about 8:00 p.m. Members of the local boy scout committee sponsoring the trip are J. M. Christian, chairman, E. W. Brooks, J. H. Mace, W. C. Doyle, Jerry Pennington, W. M. Patterson, and Don McCormack.

School News

March 18, 1954

The girls' volleyball team defeated Ozona, 29-23 in a practice game at Ozona Monday. Ozona will return the game here Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. Starting lineup for Eldorado was Ann Williams, Mae Runge,

Juantia Phillips, Sharon Buchanan and Jo Ann Trentham.

The district volleyball tournament with be held in Ozona Tuesday March 23. Eldorado will meet London in the opening game.

Odds 'N Ends

January 3, 1930

Prof O J Curry returned Sunday from Cameron Texas where he and Mrs Curry spent the holidays with MRs Curry's parents Mrs Curry remained over for an extEndEd visit.

Mr and Mrs Otto Williams were in from the ranch Saturday visiting and trading.

Will Isaacs and wife and daughter Isabell, were visiting and shopping in the city Saturday

All Persons are HerEby notifiEd that the Schleicher CounTy Fair Assn. desires to KEEp It's grounds closed and anyone found trespassing, hereaftEr will bE persecuted Fair Ass'n Directors

Eldorado Banker Attends Stock Show

March 14, 1930

J.E. Hill, active vice-president of the First National Bank, attended the fat stock show and assisted L.E. Sumners and the 4-H boys in the exhibition of their lambs. Mr. Hill returned Tuesday night, perfectly delighted with the results of their exhibits, said Eldorado won most all first prizes and

competed with strong exhibits from the various colleges of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. Mr. Sumners, Mr. Hill and Mr. Holt who worked up the exhibits are to be congratulated on their splendid achievements, and the boys are to be congratulated for to the publicity brought to Schleicher County.

Bad Stomach Trouble Cured

February 28, 1908

Having been sick for the past two years with a bad stomache trouble, a friend gave me a dose of Chamberlain's stomache and liver tablets. These did me so much good that I

bought a bottle of them and have used twelve bottles in all. Today I am well of a bad stomache trouble.

Mrs. John Lowe
These tablets are for sale by B. E. Earle.

New Coin Trick

January 3, 1930

Here is a new simple trick which you boys and girls might have fun trying. It looks not at all easy andquite as if the performer must be very skillful inded. Take a silver coin a quarter or a half dollar and pick it up by placing the points of two pins one on either side of the coins Edge You may hold the coin securely in this position If you press firmly with both pins. Now blow, smartly against the upper edge of the coin and it will fly around revolving with great rapidity between the pins. If you don't believe it try it for yourself.

May 25, 1928

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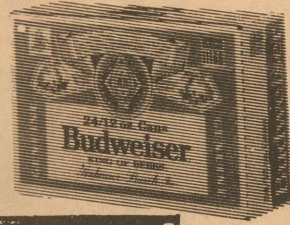
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May 21, 1953

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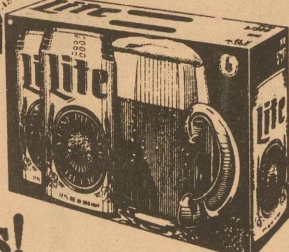


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New Year Prayer

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W.A.C.C. Recruits Salt From Schleicher County

July 2, 1943

Lieutenant Doris Freeman, Corporal Louise Mullikin and Auxiliary Hazel Farrell pictured above are stationed in San Angelo in the WACC recruiting office. The 10 surrounding counties is the territory they will cover. Periodically they will make visits to Eldorado interview any women between the ages of 21 thru 44 who has years of high school and who is interested in joining the Wacc. Lieutenant Freeman and Aux. Hazel Farrell were in Eldorado Friday of last week in interest of Schleicher County's quota of 2. Anyone who is interested may make an appointment to see one of them by calling the local chairman, Mrs. J.W. Hoover or by visiting the Army Recruiting office in the

post office building in San Angelo. The women's army auxiliary corps have set their goal at 150 thousand members. At this time the need is greater than ever for women to fit themselves to fill the places of our men in uniform so that they may take over the more crucial part of this war. WACC enrollees may now be trained as radio mechanics and operators and after their training assigned to the signal corps. Applicants of this branch of service must be between 21 and 44, high school graduates and must pass the army general classification test with a score of 110 or better. In the signal corps, while undergoing pre-active duty training, enrollees will be paid \$106.25 a month for a period of 3 months and \$146.00 a month for any additional pre-active duty training.

News From Our Neighbors

February 14, 1908

We are authorized to announce F.C. Bates Jr., for re-election to the office of District and County Clerk of Schleicher county, subject to the action of the democratic primary. Mr. Bates has been the clerk of this county since its organization and has filled the office with satisfaction, and we ask the voters of this county to consider Mr. Bates claim at the primary in July.

worthy citizen and is qualified to fill the office for which he aspires should the voters see fit to honor him with it, and we ask that his application be duly considered at the primary in July.

We are authorized to announce W.T. Conner as a candidate for county Treasurer of Schleicher county, subject to the action of the democratic primary, Mr. Conner moved to our county from Concho county, and is a

W.T. Conner one of Schleicher prosperous stock farmers was in our office Monday, he was delighted with the rain that fell Saturday and he wants to see more.

J.L. Harrington was trading in town Monday.

George Tisdale was in the city Saturday enquiring about the old maids convention, but the convention was put off and George went home disappointed.

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Eldorado Eagles Crushed By Superior Weight At Menard 19-12

October 3, 1930

The light but shifty Eldorado Eagles led by Albert McGinty lost their first game of the season when they were crushed by the heavy Menard team last Saturday by a score of

19-12. Although the boys lost the game by a very close score they won a moral victory for every person who saw the game reports it to be the best high school game they ever saw. The Eldorado Eagles put up a fight

worthy of any team and in keepink with the past record of the Eldorado boys. Every boy on the team did well and even the small boys who are playing their first football who are in the game to do their very best. The

outstanding stars for Eldorado both on the offense and defense are Captain McGinty and James Williamson. With such fighting spirit shown this early in the season, it is expected that the season of 1930 there will be no failure as to games won and lost.

School News

March 18, 1954

Junior High track boys will participate in track meet in Ozona Friday. The boys, Cecil Walston, Reyes Robledo, Barry McHalek and Bobby Bible, will run in the 50 yard dash, 100, and 440 relay.

The High school track team will also participate in the meet at Ozona. The team includes Rudalphe Minor, David Kuykendall, Jack Steward, Raymond Mittel, Bob Ratliff, George Sofge, Jerry Pennington, Jerry Perry, Billy Gene Edmiston, Jimmy Harris, Jack Stanford, Jackie Hoffernan, and Harold Lloyd.

The Eldorado chapter of the Future Home

Makers of America are making plans for the Mother-Daughter Banquet, April 12. This banquet will honor each chapter member's mother.

Jerry Perry, Bill Holcumb, and Billy Jack Etheredge will represent Eldorado in tennis this year. Perry will play in the singles division and Holcomb and Etheredge in the doubles. The district meet is scheduled for March 30 in Ozona.

Jerry Lee Johnson has been elected F.H.A. Sweetheart of 1954.

The area meeting for our area division will be in

March 14, 1930

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Odessa, March 27. This chapter has about twenty members that plan to go.

Shannon Barclay and Nell Williams are the girls that have been elected to attend the state meeting in Ft. Worth. Mrs. Billy Evans and these two girls will be gone from April 22 until April 24. The F.H.A. girls sold homemade candy on March 17 to help send them to Ft. Worth.

The F.H.A. girls are also selling pressing cloths. Anyone interested in buying

them please see these F.H.A. girls.


The high school was invited to attend a dress rehearsal practice of the one act play "High Window." The play will be presented in district competition March 20th in Menard. The cast includes Glenna Edmondson, Jerry Johnson, Jorgi Lagow, M.L. Holcomb and Donna McCormick, Miss Waldine Midgett, speech teacher the director.



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Eldorado Spotlight



Janet Warnock

This week's spotlight shines on Janet Warnock. Janet is married to Gary, and they have three children, Charlie, Kali and Garrett. She has a small computer business in the Blaylock building and is the new secretary for the Chamber of Commerce. Janet is also a Mary Kay representative. Janet enjoys reading and playing games.

DON'T FORGET TO REGISTER FOR THE BIG BUCK CONTEST!

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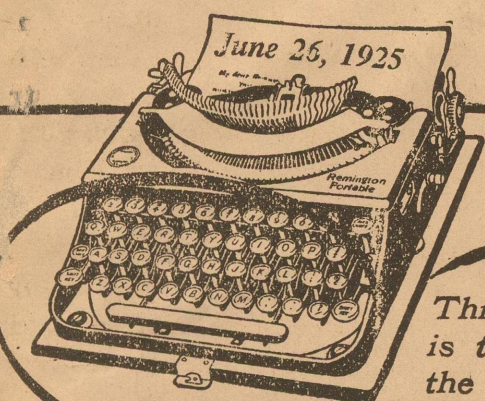
Presbyterian's To Build New Church

July 3, 1925
The Presbyterian congregation are preparing to build their new church, according to Bert Page Monday about \$4,000.00 had been subscribed and that new church would be built on the east side of the square.

The Presbyterians have never owned their own church here but have had a church organization here for several years, using the Methodist church.

Girl Scouts Enjoyed Christoval Outing

November 24, 1944
Following lunch, a pageant was presented by the Girl Scouts, demonstrating the different phases of work which they are doing. After this, a target was set up, and the girls practiced archery. The rest of the afternoon was spent in skating.



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NOTICE - Mary Kay Cosmetics. Graduation, birthday, anniversary gifts. Martha Spinks. Old Mertzion Road. Phone 853-3415 after 4 p.m.

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ATTENTION - Defensive Driving will be offered on Monday and Tuesday, December 17th and 18th from 6-10. Call 853-2777 for more information. tfn-(3-8-90)-b

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HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Den w/fireplace. Fully carpeted, huge kitchen, 2000 square ft., brick. On double corner lot near school. Central hear/air, underground sprinkler system, separate shop and garage. Call 853-2756. tfn-(9-6-90)-b

LOTS FOR SALE: Four adjoining lots, two blocks out of city limits, all utilities, no restrictions, set up for two mobile homes, 2 lots are fenced with established yard, large trees, and storage building. Will sell all four for \$7500. Call 853-3016 after 4:00 p.m. or leave message. tfn-(10-18-90)-b

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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CITY OF ELDORADO

TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The City of Eldorado has recently completed Texas Department of Commerce Texas Community Development Program activities under its 1987 TCDP Contract #707021. One public hearing will be held to allow citizens an opportunity to comment on the completed project activities, amount of funds spent and the amount of funds spent on activities that benefited low/moderate income persons. Specific information on the TCDP program will be available.

The public hearing will be held at City Hall, 6 S. Cottonwood at 7:30 p.m., January 3, 1991 to review the City's program performance including the actual use of the TCDP funds. The City encourages individual citizens and citizen's groups to make their views known at this public hearing and welcomes the full participation of its citizens in the close-out and completion of this TCDP contract. Written

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complaints and grievances regarding this TCDP Contract and project activities will be received until January 23, 1991 and will be responded to in writing within fifteen (15) working days. Citizen comments may be delivered to City Hall at any time. Groups representative of persons of low and moderate income may request technical assistance in developing comments by contacting the person listed below.

A copy of the City's Project Completion Report and Certificate of Completion will be available for inspection at City Hall after the hearing. Handicapped individuals who may have difficulty in attending this meeting should contact City Hall to arrange for assistance. Para residentes necesitados de interpretes, favor de comunicarse con la municipalidad antes de las audiencias publicas.

For further information, contact Carolyn Mayo, City Secretary at the City Hall at 853-2691.

NOTICE

The Eldorado Driver License Office will be open each Tuesday from 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. instead of each Thursday, effective Jan. 1st, 1991.

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SUNSET 4

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Kindergarten Cop - PG13
12:35 2:55 5:10 7:35 9:50
Look Who's Talking Too - PG13
1:00 3:00 5:15 7:30 9:20
Almost An Angel - PG
1:15 3:20 5:30 7:40 9:45
Edward Scissorhands - PG13
12:30 2:45 5:00 7:15 9:30

SOUTHWEST 7

3590 KNICKERBOCKER RD. 949-9984

Dances With Wolves - PG13
12:45 4:15 7:45
Misery - R
1:00 3:15 5:30 7:45 9:55
Home Alone - PG
12:30 3:15 5:00 7:15 9:30
Mermaids - PG13
12:30 2:40 4:50 7:25 9:40
Bonfire of the Vanities - R
1:00 3:40 7:20 9:50
Godfather III - R
12:15 3:30 7:00 10:00
Rookie - R
12:30 2:50 5:10 7:30 9:55

ELDORADO LUNCHROOM MENUS 1990-91

Lunch

Monday Dec. 31th
No School
New Years' Eve
Thursday Jan. 3rd
Chicken Fried Steak/Gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Broccoli (Cheese Sauce)
Apricot Cobbler

Tuesday Jan. 1st
No School
New Years' Day

Wednesday Jan. 2nd
Beef & Bean Burritos
Pinto Beans
Mixed Fruit
Brownies

Friday Jan. 4th
Sandwiches-Tuna,
Chicken Salad, Ham Salad,
Pimento Cheese & Peanut
Butter
French Fries
Apple Wedges
Coconut Pudding

Breakfast

Monday Dec. 31st
No School
New Years' Eve
Pancakes-Syrup
Peanut Butter

Tuesday Jan. 1st
No School
New Years' Day

Thursday Jan. 3rd
Prunes
Buttered Rice-Toast

Wednesday Jan. 2nd
Peaches

Friday Jan. 4th
Pineapple Juice
Eggs-Toast-Jelly



ELDORADO EAGLES BASKETBALL



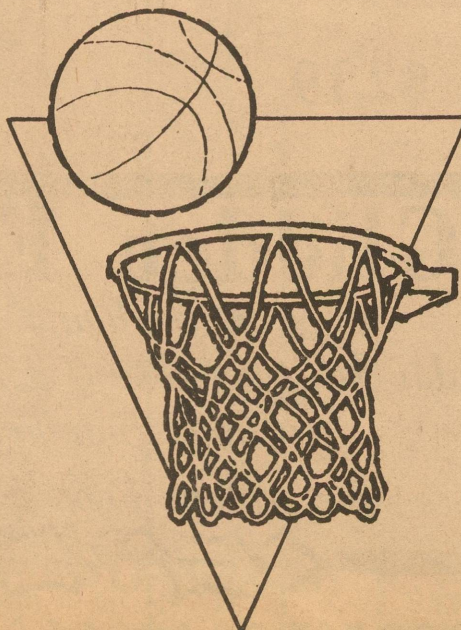
ELDORADO BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1990-1991

	FG	JVG	VG	JVB	VB		
JAN. 4		x	x	x	x	5:00	T
JAN. 7	x					7:00	T
JAN. 8		x	x	x	x	5:00	T
JAN. 11		x	x	x	x	5:00	H
JAN. 12	x					TBA	T
JAN. 14	x					7:00	H
JAN. 15		x	x	x	x	5:00	T
JAN. 18		x	x	x	x	5:00	T
JAN. 19		x				TBA	H
JAN. 21	x					7:00	T
JAN. 22		x	x	x	x	5:00	H
JAN. 25		x	x	x	x	5:00	T
JAN. 28	x					7:00	H
FEB. 1		x	x	x	x	5:00	H
FEB. 5		x	x	x	x	5:00	T
FEB. 8		x	x	x	x	5:00	H
FEB. 12						6:00	H
FEB. 15						6:00	T

ELDORADO JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1990-91

DATE	OPPONENT	TEAMS	TIME	PLACE
Jan. 7	Ozona	7&8G	5:00	There
Jan. 7	Ozona	7&8B	5:00	Here
Jan. 10-12	Veribest T.	8G&8B	TBA	There
Jan. 14	Wall	7,8&9G	5:00	Here
Jan. 14	Wall	7,8&9B	5:00	There
Jan. 21	Wall	7,8&9G	5:00	There
Jan. 21	Wall	7,8&9B	5:00	Here
Jan. 28	Sonora	7,8&9G	5:00	Here
Jan. 28	Sonora	7,8&9B	5:00	There
Feb. 4	Iraan	7&8G	5:00	There
Feb. 4	Iraan	7,8&9B	5:00	Here

This schedule is subject to change in the event that these dates conflict with test schedules or other possible scheduling problems.



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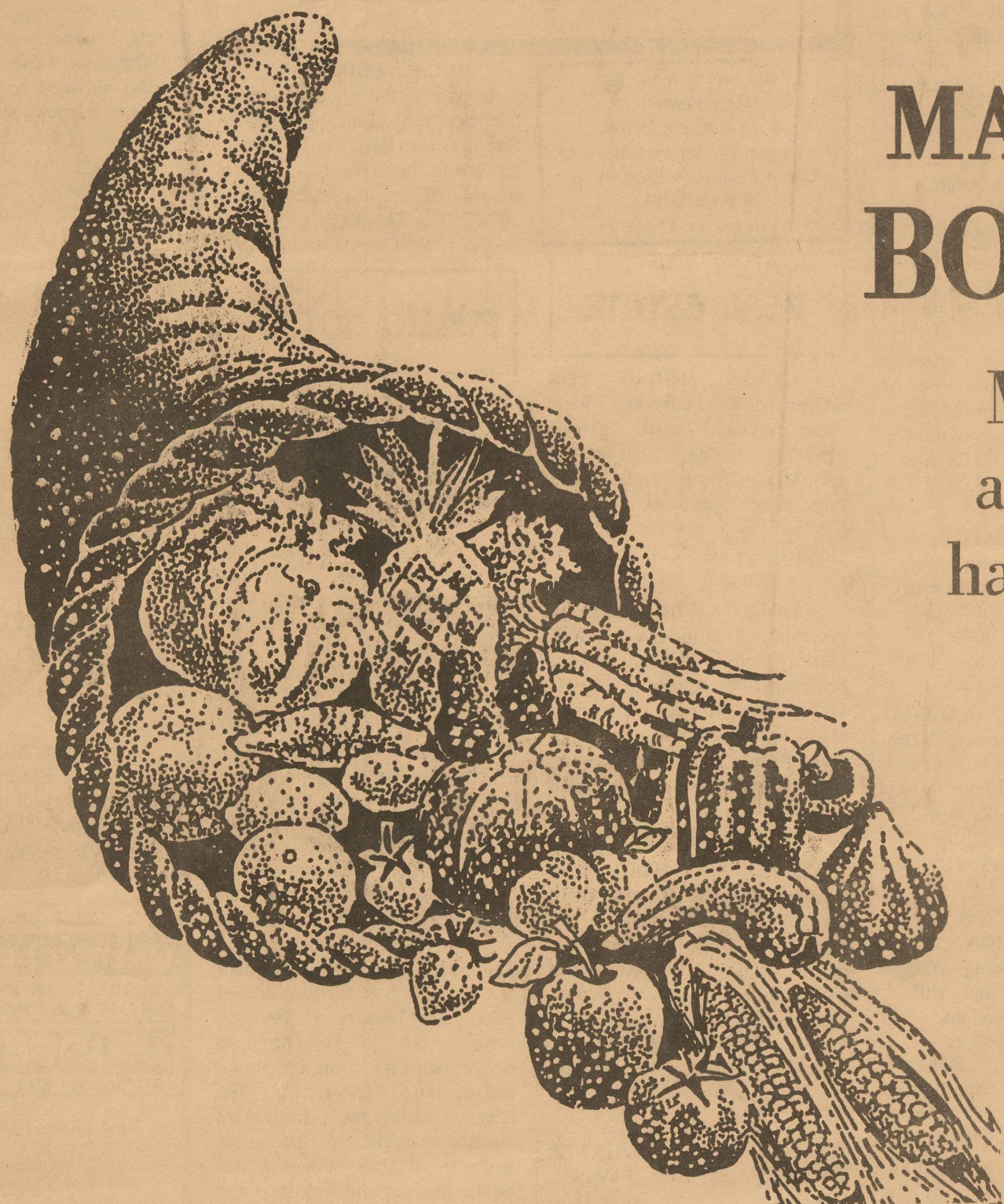
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