

# Christmas Band Concert

## Thursday, December 12

### 7:30 p.m. - High School Auditorium 6th Grade, Jr. High, and High School Bands



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## Christmas At Old Fort Concho

For three days during the first Weekend in December in San Angelo, the public will have the opportunity to savor the sights, sounds and smell, of a festive Christmas as it was celebrated more than 100 years ago at a Texas frontier fort.

During its 10th anniversary, Christmas at Old Fort Concho will bring to life the 40-acre, restored, fort site and enable visitors to relive the past. Besides photographs and memories of re-enactments by the fort's Living History groups and artisans of the era, guests may take home selected treasures provided for sale by more than 75 arts and crafts merchants.

Food, entertainment and the opportunity to learn more about how early settlers and the military celebrated the Christmas season will lure visitors from around the world as it has in past years.

One of the largest yuletide celebrations in Texas,

Christmas at Old Fort Concho has become a tradition in San Angelo, bringing out hundreds of costumed volunteers who provide western hospitality and a true learning experience as they mix and mingle with visitors to the fort. All sorts of authentic demonstrations, wares and entertainment are available to families and individuals who lose themselves in their trek into the past.

Uniformed soldiers and mounted cavalry, depicting frontier policemen of the past century, perform their drills. Children and adults board horse-drawn wagons for a ride through history. Visitors wander officers' Row, savoring the authenticity of period decorations and the delicious ethnic foods served there. Tours of the enlisted Men's barracks will indicate the simple and rugged lifestyle endured by most soldiers.

In the Arc Light Saloon, visitors sip their liquid

refreshments, enjoy the tastes of a wide range of foods, and tap their toes or dance to the music provided by various bands. On the parade ground, cowboys occupy an authentic western camp, complete with chuckwagon, inviting visitors to join them by the campfire.

Local songwriter/poet, Gary Smith is scheduled to perform from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 7th at Arc Light.

This year, renowned cowboy poets will gather in the cowboy camp to entertain visitors on Saturday night. Sunday-morning

cowboy breakfast and an outdoor church service, complete with hay-bale pews and congregational singing of favorite hymns, attracts the hungry and the faithful. A nightly drama on the parade ground tells the history of the fort and the area as well as about life on the frontier.

The history of late-1800s forts in Texas will come to life Dec. 6, 7 and 8 this year (1991) during Christmas at Old Fort Concho in San Angelo. Admission to the fort grounds is \$3.00-per-day and \$6.00 for the weekend. There is no charge for children under 12.

## Woman's Club Hosts Book Review

Tuesday afternoon, December 10th, at 2:30 p.m. in the Memorial Building, the Woman's Club will present Mary Robinson in a book review.

*Don't Shoot, It's Only Me*, Bob Hope's comedy history of the U.S.A., is a very entertaining book that deals somewhat with World War II.

The public is invited for a delightful afternoon.

## Catholic Church To Dedicate New Building

Members of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be dedicating their new hall and educational building at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 11.

Bishop Michael Pfeifer, of the San Angelo Diocese, will begin the celebration with a Mass, followed by the dedication and supper.

The new metal span

building features five classrooms, a hall, and a kitchen. It features a brick facade on the front.

The building was built from funds saved from the local church and a grant from the Extension Society in Chicago.

Several priests, including former pastors, will be in attendance.

## Rabbit Validation

by Marvyn Clark

It's that time again, for rabbit validation for the County Stock Show.

Your rabbits have to be validated to be able to show in the County Stock Show. To get your rabbits validated, call Marvyn Clark at 853-3116 or

853-3349 before December 16, 1991.

The Rabbit Show will be held on January 16, 1992 at 5:00 p.m. There will be Fancy, Commercial, Crossbreeds and Meat Pen Classes.

Remember rabbits have to be validated to show.

## Art League

by Jackie Napier

The December 9th meeting of the Art League will be a Christmas Party. It will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the Memorial Building. We will finish our landscape and

celebrate!

This will be the final meeting of the year of '91. If you have not attended earlier meetings, but wish to participate in this group, please join us. FELIZ NAVIDAD!

## Swift Earns Masters

Todd Wade Swift, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Swift, recently completed all requirements for his Master of Science Degree in Animal Production from Angelo State University.

Todd is a 1980 graduate

of Eldorado High School and received his Bachelor of Science Degree in 1985 from ASU.

He is currently employed as a County Extension Agent - Agriculture in Blanco County. He and his family reside in Johnson City.

## Bluebonnet To Open

Charlotte Steele is proud to announce the opening of The Bluebonnet, located in the old Earl Cathey home at 112 Eldorado Drive.

The Bluebonnet will have an open house on December 7th.

Beginning January 6th, a noon meal will be served on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. A full course meal will be available on Monday and Wednesday for \$6.00, with a lighter lunch of soup and sandwich served on Friday priced at \$4.50.

Reservations will be taken in advance. Weekly menu information will be printed in The Eldorado Success.

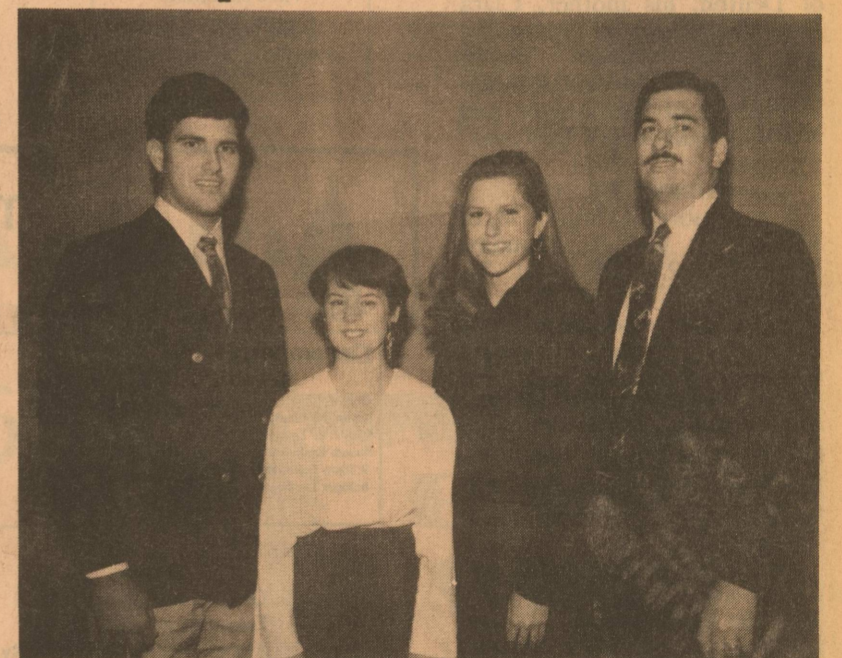
The Bluebonnet is also available for private parties and special occasions.

Future plans include a gift shop specializing in country accents. Bed and Breakfast facilities will be available by late spring.

The Bluebonnet is a non-smoking establishment.

For further information and reservations, call 853-2034.

## Gold Star Recipients Honored



Chris Meador, Rachel Edmiston, Jana Sterling, and Kit Horne of WTU, are pictured above at the District 7 4-H Gold Star Banquet.

Schleicher County's top three 4-H members for 1991 were honored on November 25 during the annual District 7 4-H Gold Star Banquet. This year's banquet site was in Abilene at the Briarstone Manor.

Twenty-seven from the 17 county district received the coveted Gold Star Award. The honor is the highest given on the county level by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Honorees are selected by a local committee on the basis of personal development, leadership, achievement in 4-H projects, and also activities and contributions to the overall county 4-H program.

Recognized from Schleicher County were Rachel Edmiston, Chris Meador, and Jana Sterling and their parents. Other recipients were: Jody Gerngross, Callahan County; Kaycee Hale, Coleman County; Staci Dorotik and Angel Sifuentes of Concho County; Dusty Menzies, Brad Roeder and Jennifer Wahrmond of Gillespie County; Laura Kay Meier and Kayla Osbourn of Llano County; Kevin Moore

and Brandon Neal of McCulloch County; Dan Feather and Lori Wright of Menard; Justin Dockrey and Caasi Smith of Mitchell County; Karsten Duncan and Tracey Parker of Nolan County; Tracy Binder, Jared Eggemeyer, and Angie Hohensee of Runtels County; Kelby Cowley and Michele McCravey of Taylor County; and Kelli Crain of Tom Green County.

Also, presented was a special "Friend of 4-H" award. This year's recipient was the Honorable Temple Dickson, State Senator from the 24th Legislative District. Senator Dickson was honored for outstanding contributions to the youth development program in District 7 for the past several years. The banquet's keynote speakers were Jill Hohensee of San Angelo, Brad Roeder of Fredericksburg and David Zimmerman of Menard. These outstanding young people spoke on the influence of the 4-H program in their lives.

The Gold Star Banquet is sponsored annually by the Extension Service and West Texas Utilities.

## ELDORADO BUCKS CONTEST

### RULES

1. Bring your ticket plus this Eldorado Bucks Ad to the Chamber office.
2. Winner must sign ticket voucher in person at Chamber office to receive prize.
3. Weekly prizes will be given away with the grand prize of two \$250.00 cash Eldorado Bucks that can be spent at participating Eldorado businesses.
4. Need not be present at drawing.

### THIS WEEK'S PRIZES & WINNERS

\$15.00 Certificate from Texaco Deli - #596830

\$15.00 Hair Care Products

from Rene's Beauty Shop - #597266

\$25.00 Certificate from Eagle Dairy Mart - #596895

### Participating Merchants

McCormick's Exxon, Exxon, Germania Insurance, First National Bank of Eldorado, D&L Automotive, Charlotte Steele, Star Stop Texaco, Rene's Beauty Shop, Warnock Bookkeeping and Tax Service, Shaw's Motel, Helen Faye, S&D Laundry, Softgee's Apartments, Meyer's Grocery, Mittel Insurance, Shot's, Bertha's Glamourama, Halbert LPG, Glidden's Grocery, Eldorado Pharmacy, CRSI Roustabouts, Schleicher County Medical Center, Eagle Dairy Mart, S&T Roustabouts, John Ed Meador Construction, Meador Real Estate, Jerry's T.V., Cathy's Flowers, Dr. Peaslee, H.G. Automotive, The Eldorado Success, Kim-ets Cakes, Love's Flowers, West Texas Utilities, Throp's Laund-dry, Bradley Photo, Steve Sessom-D.D.S., Casa Arispe, Perry's, and Production Plus.

# Editor's Journal

## TOP OF THE DIVIDE

by Thomas Giovannitti

This weekend will be the 50th anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor. For those old enough to remember that fateful day it must be at the very least disconcerting to see how well the nation of Japan has done since that time.

Those of us who fought in other wars less clearly defined of the have difficulty comprehending what a great shock it must have been to most

Americans to have had American soil attacked.

The veterans of World War II are less and less visible, although one is president, and their impact on the makeup and direction of our Nation is beginning to fade.

Not all leaders need be tempered by war but those who have been in war seem to view things a little differently than those who have not.

Those too young to remember any war but the Persian Gulf war need to take time to listen to that veteran of WW II, or Korea, or Vietnam. You don't need to agree with everything he or she says but you ought to listen.

The attack on Pearl is clearly an indication that a whole nation can be led into self destruction. If Pearl Harbor was

not enough just recall the holocaust.

Maybe the most important lesson to learn for Pearl Harbor is not so much that we must be militarily prepared but that we as a Nation must guard against becoming so enamored of ourselves, so xenophobic, that we perpetrate some atrocities on some other hapless nation.

## Hear and Their

by SHERRY LUX

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- December 5  
LaVern Asheer, Casey Willis, Rick Crain, Chuck Fitts
- December 6  
Carter Edmiston, Mike Moore
- December 7  
Lloyd Johnson
- December 9  
Clayton, Smith, Amy Evans, Becky Saldivar, Bobby Andrews, Cherie Niblett
- December 10  
Paulson, Doug Kuhlmann, Martha Spinks
- December 11  
Larry Blair, Rikki Bosmans, Travis Lloyd, Vanessa Gonzales

### OUR CONDOLENCES

Many lives have been touched by the caring of one Dick Preston. After retiring

from ranching and raising his family, Dick became a volunteer in Public Schools (or VIPs). He became a father/grandfather figure to many of the children. When asked, he couldn't spank a single one of them although they might have been asked to sit at the fence.

I personally looked forward to all of Libby's birthday slumber parties. Dick fixed the best hamburgers out on the grill that you could get anywhere. I never stopped with one. Thank you Dick for everything!

Our condolences go out to the Preston Family, the Donaldson families, the Aubrey Smith family and the Graham/Davis families.

### ELDORADO BUCKS CONTEST

The Eldorado Bucks Contest is in its second week. Last weeks winners were: Sencida Martinez-1 case of oil from Kent's; James Williams- 1/2 dozen Cinnamon Rolls by Kim-et Kakes; Nancy Sanchez-Free Car Wash from McCormicks Exxon; and Mary McGinnes-\$15.00 gift certificate from Cathy's.

Tickets can be purchased at Texaco, Shot's, Casa Arispe, WTU, Mcyers, Dairy Mart, Rene's Beauty Shop. Weekly winners will be announced in the Eldorado Success. For rules to the contest, check the paper or call the Chamber office.

### CHAMBER MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Chamber of Commerce membership drive is underway. This year, the Chamber is giving away a trip for two to Las Vegas. You must be present or win at the Annual Taste of Eldorado on January 20th. Business that would like to participate can call the Chamber office. Everyone that pays their 1992 membership dues will be eligible in the drawing. The dues can be paid that evening.

### WELCOME NEW BUSINESSES

The Bluebonnet, owned by Charlotte Steele, will have an Open House on Saturday, December 7 from 3:00-6:00 p.m. It will open for business the first week of January.

Marion Bland Overstreet has opened a new law office on Gillis Street.

Take the time to welcome these businesses to the community!

### BAKE SALE

The Hospital Auxiliary will be hosting a Bake Sale on December 6th at 8:00 a.m. inside the Eagle Dairy Mart. Come in and show your support and buy some goodies for the Christmas season!

### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Men's Community Bible Study will be held on Monday, December 9th at 12:00 noon in the Eagle Dairy Mart. All interested men are welcomed to attend.

## Our Sympathy

### RICHARD PRESTON

Richard E. "Dick" Preston, 73, died Tuesday, November 26, 1991, in Schleicher County Medical Center.

Graveside services were held on Wednesday, November 27th in Eldorado Cemetery, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born January 18, 1918, in Elkhart, Ind., and was a longtime resident of Eldorado. He was a retired rancher and a Marine veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Eldorado Lions Club and was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife, Dale Preston of Eldorado; two sons, Richard Preston II of Eldorado and Pat Preston of Plano; two daughters, Libby Riner of Euless and Victoria Tyler of Baton Rouge, La.; and 10 grandchildren.

### BILL DONALDSON

Bill Donaldson, 32, of Christoval died Tuesday, November 26, 1991. A memorial service was held at 2:00 p.m. Friday at the First United Methodist Church in Eldorado, directed by the Rev. Cheryl Owens, pastor of Christoval United Methodist Church.

He was born July 20, 1957, in Eldorado.

Survivors include his wife, Donna Donaldson of Christoval; four children, Heather Eloise Donaldson of Christoval, Chauncey Robert Donaldson and Sabrina Dawn Donaldson, both of Arvada, Colo., and Jenna Marie Abrams of Denton; his mother, Clara Mae Donaldson of Eldorado; and three brothers, Walter Donaldson of Eldorado, Gary Donaldson of San Angelo and Larry Donaldson of Christoval.

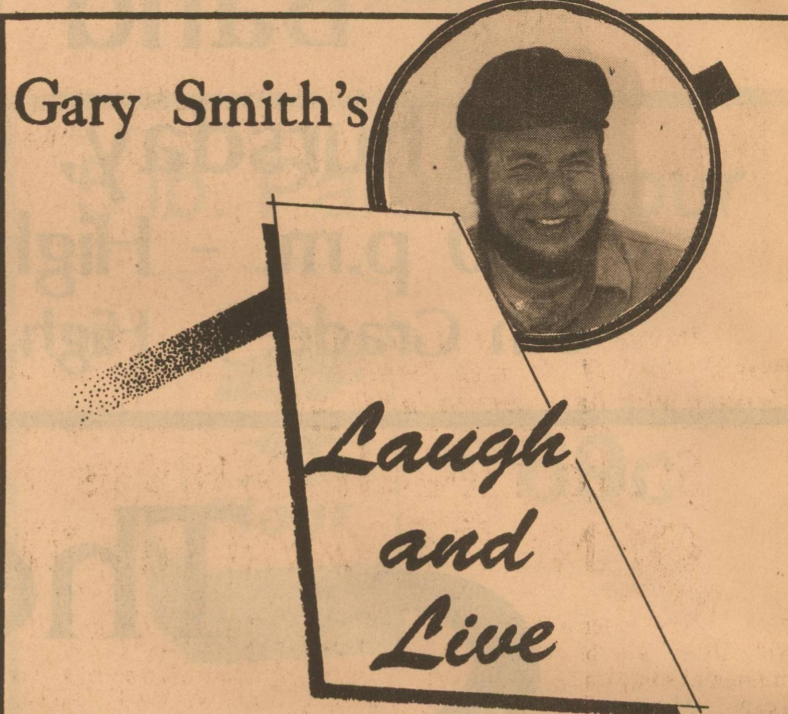
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## Community Calendar December 1991

December 5 339/26 THURSDAY 346/19	December 12
December 6 340/25 FRIDAY 347/18	December 13
December 7 341/24 SATURDAY 348/17	December 14
December 8 342/23 SUNDAY 349/16	December 15
December 9 343/22 MONDAY 350/15	December 16
December 10 344/21 TUESDAY 351/14	December 17
December 11 345/20 WEDNESDAY 352/13	December 18



*"You can make more friends in two months by becoming interested in other people than you can in two years by trying to get other people interested in you."*

Dale Carnegie

Sometimes, it is best to leave well enough alone. There are times when, our sense of what is right is severely tested. Sometimes we want to "demand what is right." Unfortunately, what we think is "right" and what actually is "right" may be different. Take the case of The Cherry Sisters vs. The Des Moines Register...

Sometime around the turn of the turn of the century, this Iowa newspaper ran a review of the Cherry Sisters' act. The review was not exactly a "thumbs up." I quote the Register, "Their long, skinny arms equipped with talons at the extremities waved frantically at the suffering audience. The mouths of their rancid features opened like caverns, and sounds like the wailing of damned souls issued therefrom."

The Cherry Sisters were upset. The Cherry Sisters were angry. The Cherry Sisters were outraged. The Cherry Sisters sued. They sued the Des Moines Register for libel. They went to court. The judge asked them to perform their act. The judge ruled in favor of the newspaper.

Sometimes it is best to leave well enough alone.

**"Till The Next Time... MAY GOD BLESS!"**

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# A Touch Of History



Pictured above is the Memorial Building. This building was built after World War II. It was dedicated to all the men and women from Schleicher County who have served in all wars.

## State Health Officials Await Details Of New Federal Landfill Regulations

New federal regulations will affect all of about 750 municipal solid waste landfills in Texas within the next 24 months. However, state health officials said that details of how the new Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) standards will be applied locally are not yet defined.

T. A. Outlaw, chief of the Texas Department of Health's (TDH) Bureau of Solid Waste Management, said that the regulations inevitably will increase the costs of landfill operation nationwide. "There is little doubt," he said, "that compliance with the new rules will mean higher costs to the taxpayers. Presently, we cannot estimate what those costs will be. But it is probable that operating costs of some municipal landfills, especially those in

smaller towns, may force some cities to seek alternatives."

He said that some cities may choose to close smaller local landfills and consolidate their waste disposal in regional sites. "Until we (TDH) have studied the regulations and consulted with EPA, we can't predict the rules' full impact," Outlaw said.

He said that EPA expects to publish the new regulations in the Federal Register "within two to three weeks."

In the meantime, Outlaw said, landfill operators and local officials, many of whom have waited since 1988 for the new standards to be set, have been calling his office for guidance. "At this point, there are many specific questions that none of the states can answer. Although EPA Administrator William Reilly signed the regulations Sept. 11, it may be several months before all their implications to Texas are clear."

He said that EPA now is scheduling meetings with their own regional personnel and state agency officials. His staff will not be versed in details of the standards until "mid-to-late October."

"Until then, we are referring inquiries about the regulations to the EPA Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response at (202) 260-4377," he added.

Outlaw said that the regulations (Subtitle D, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act) are meant to ensure uniform compliance among landfill operations nationwide. "The requirements affect the location, design, operation, closure and monitoring of all municipal landfills. They will stress protective measures against groundwater contamination, methane, hazardous wastes, and protection of surrounding property."

In general, the regulations apply to all municipal landfills that accept waste 24 months after the new rules appear in the Federal Register.

If a landfill stops accepting waste within 24 months of publication of the rules, its operator must comply with the new regulations for final closure of the site.

"Beyond these basics, we (TDH) can't yet advise callers about the EPA rules, although we soon should be able to know more," he said.

by Rene Calcote

Clark Gable and Rosalind Russell were starring in "They Met in Bombay" at the Ritz in San Angelo. You could get a cream oil Permanent for \$3.00 at Jolley Beauty College, Shampoo and Set for 25c. There was a sale on children's cowboy boots, \$2.98. Lovera Cigars were 5c and a beautiful electric toaster could be purchased for \$1.49. Christmas toys included a tricycle for \$4.25 or a life-like baby doll for 98c. Laundry ironed shirts were 7c each, and Hemphill Wells had plush towels on sale for \$1.00 and silk stockings for \$1.15 a pair.

These ads were in the San Angelo Standard Times on December 11, 1941.

The World was devastated by the attack on U.S. by Japan at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, at 7:35 on December 7, 1941.

Congress votes war on Germany and Italy. President Roosevelt urges the Senate not to delay starting, "never before has there been a greater challenge to life, liberty and civilization."

Adolph Hitler, in a dramatic address before German Reichstag, announced a declaration of war against the United States, a move which he said would determine the history of the world for 500 to 1,000 years.

He was right, but not in the way he had hoped!

### HOMEMADE SOAP

2 gallons of water  
2 cans of lye

Put in the pot and add cold cracklens and water until the pot is full. Cook till the grease is all eaten up. Sit off fire and cool. Dissolve one can of lye in a gallon of water and add to the other. Stir. Pour in molds.

## Open Letter

Dear Friends of the Eldorado Community,

We are so grateful and excited by the turnout at the Ministerial Alliance-sponsored Community Thanksgiving service, held last Sunday night at the Memorial Building. For those who came, THANKS for coming, we hope you felt blessed and uplifted as we did! It was a standing room only crowd in positive high spirits who experienced the sounds, words, and forms and colors of our worship time together. WE have had a year of abundant rain and so many blessings to be thankful for: how good it felt to be joining together in our common gratitude.

canned and dry goods were provided during the offering; these were sorted into 19 boxes and distributed the next day. In addition, about \$500.00 in offering was received for the continuation of benevolent work in the community. We are also grateful for the support of the Salvation Army, with whom we will continue to cooperate in the future.

We are especially grateful to the many volunteers in the community who helped with music, decorations, publicity, and that all-important "moral support."

THANKS!

Sincerely,

Eldorado Ministerial Alliance,  
Hawley Wolfe, Fall Convenor

Approximately 400

## It's A Girl

Karli Kay Sauer was born to Ron and Stacey Sauer of San Angelo on Wednesday, November 27th. She was 19 inches long and weighed 7 pounds and 15 3/4 ounces. She was welcomed home by one big sister, Whitney Lynn Sauer.

Proud Grandparents are Ronnie and Rozanna Sauer

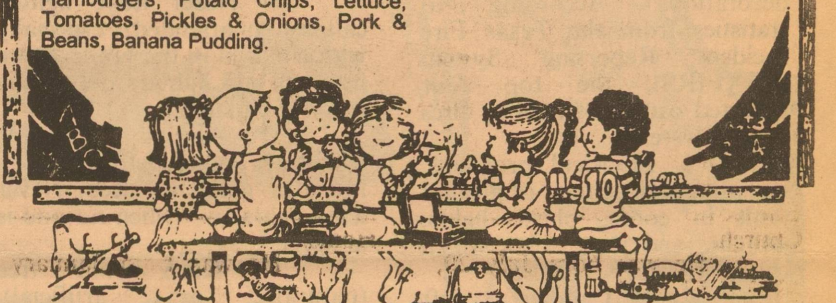
of Eldorado, and GERAL and Sue Sorrells of San Angelo.

Great-Grandparents are Smiley and Jewell Sudduth of Eldorado, Alma Sauer of San Angelo, Ted and Marcia Sorrells of Colorado City, and Sid and Mattie Minatra of Abilene.

### School Lunch Menu

LUNCH  
All lunches served with Bread, Milk and Butter.  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 9TH  
Chalupas, Spanish Rice, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Pear Halves, Yellow Cake/Chocolate Icing.  
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10TH  
Spaghetti & Meatsauce, Whole Kernel Corn, Strawberry Jello, Orange Juice, Sugar Cookies.  
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH  
Beef Stew with Vegetables, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Sliced Peaches, Iced Cupcakes.  
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12TH  
Turkey & Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Sweet Potato Pie.  
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH  
Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles & Onions, Pork & Beans, Banana Pudding.

BREAKFAST  
1/2 pint of milk is offered with each breakfast.  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 9TH  
Peaches, Pancakes-Syrup.  
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10TH  
Orange Juice, Breakfast Pizza.  
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH  
Grape Juice, Hot Biscuits/Gravy/Ham.  
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12TH  
Apple Juice, Cinnamon Toast, Hash Browns.  
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13TH  
Banana, Choice of Cereal, Toast.



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## NOTICE OF CHANGES TO ELECTION PRECINCT BOUNDARIES

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER

On this 20th day of November, 1991, the Schleicher County Commissioners' Court ordered certain changes to the County Election Precincts pursuant to Chapter 42 of the Texas Election Code, such changes to become effective on January 1, 1992. The changes were necessitated in order to conform election precinct boundaries with the County Commissioner precinct boundaries adopted by the County Commissioners' Court on November 20, 1991. As amended, those election precincts affected are: Election Precinct 1 was modified along U.S. Highway 277 south of Eldorado. Election Precinct No. 2 was modified east of Eldorado along U.S. Highway 190 and extended north of U.S. 190 to the county line in the northeastern area of the County. Election Precinct No. 3 was modified to delete the northeastern area of the county. Each of the four Election Precincts were modified within the City of Eldorado and as required to conform to newly adopted County Commissioner Precincts. Additional information concerning these changes is available in the Schleicher County Judge's office, Schleicher County Courthouse.

## NOTICE OF SUBMISSION OF REDISTRICTING PLAN

Schleicher County has submitted its redistricting plan adopted November 20, 1991 (Commissioner, Justice of the Peace and Constable and election), to the United States Department of Justice for its review under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act, 42 USC § 1973c. A complete duplicate copy is available for public review in the Schleicher County Courthouse, Eldorado, Texas 76936. Any comments regarding the submission may be sent to:

CHIEF, VOTING SECTION  
CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION  
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
P.O. BOX 66128  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20035-6128

The Honorable Johnny F. Griffin  
County Judge  
Schleicher County

## Fire Safety Can Save Holiday Spirit

'Tis the season to be jolly, so keep the holiday spirit uncharred this December by practicing fire safety at home and in the workplace.

On the average, a Christmas tree caught fire somewhere in Texas every day last December, and each fire caused about \$42,000 in property damage, according to State Fire Marshal Ernest A. Emerson. "During the holiday months of 1990, 32 residential fires related to Christmas trees caused 13 civilian injuries, two fire service injuries and property damage totalling \$1.1 million," he said. "Another 19 residential fires involved holiday decorations and caused property damage amounting to \$97,000. In business properties, there were six fires that caused damage of \$68,000."

Emerson warned consumers that natural Christmas trees are particularly dangerous. "All of the Christmas tree fires reported during holiday months in 1990 were natural produce, not artificial trees," he said.

"It's important to remember that cut trees are not living and that it's essential to keep them as moist as possible. The longer a tree is kept in the home, the more likely it will be involved in a fire," Emerson added. "In fact, about half of the Christmas tree fires occurred on Christmas Eve, Christmas Day or after, even through the first two weeks of January."

Emerson urged Texans to prevent holiday tragedies by removing fire hazards commonly associated with Christmas trees and holiday decorations. According to statistics from the Texas Fire Incident Reporting System (TEXFIRS), the top four reported causes of holiday fires in 1990 were:

1. Electrical problems, including short circuit or ground fault in cords, plugs, lights, switches and receptacles, which caused 18 fires.
2. Candles left unattended or used too close to

trees or decorations, which caused 11 fires.

3. Children playing with fire materials such as matches, candles, fireworks and lighters, which caused nine fires.

4. Placing Christmas trees too close to heat sources such as fireplaces, portable heating equipment, electric lamps and candles, which caused eight fires.

TEXFIRS is a standardized reporting system coordinated by the State Fire Marshal's Office through which 320 Texas fire departments report on fire incidents, causes, casualties and property loss.

Other fire hazards don't take a holiday during this season, according to TEXFIRS statistics. For example, two persons died in Christmas Day 1990 fires. Also, on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day in 1990, fire departments responded to 30 cooking-related fires in residences, about 50 percent more than on average days.

The State Fire Marshal's Office recommends the following guidelines to reduce the risk of holiday fires:

\* Keep your natural tree as fresh as possible. Buy early, when trees are fresh. Don't buy trees with loose needles or brown spots. To keep the tree fresh, cut the base of the tree at a 45-degree angle, place the base in a bucket of water and keep outdoors until ready to decorate. After the tree is indoors, keep the tree in a water-containing base. Check the water level every day to keep the tree well watered. Remove the tree promptly after the holiday or when it becomes dry.

\* Never leave lighted candles unattended, especially with children in the home. Store matches and lighters out of the reach of children.

\* Always turn off Christmas lights before leaving home or going to sleep. Never leave lights on when no one is at home.

\* Keep your tree (natural or artificial), decorations and presents away

from heat sources, such as fireplaces, candles, heaters and lamps.

\* Carefully inspect light strings, cords, plugs and receptacles. Check for worn or frayed insulation and loose connections. If the item is damaged, throw it away.

\* Don't overload electrical circuits or extension cords. Read and follow directions on cord labels regarding connecting light strings and extension cords.

\* Use plastic holders for stringing lights. Avoid nailing through wires or wrapping wires around nails.

\* Use only lights that have been laboratory tested. Check for UL or Factory Mutual labels.

\* Remember general safety rules throughout the holiday season:

1. Check your smoke alarm each week. If you don't have a smoke alarm, buy and install one. (State law requires the installation of smoke alarms in rental property.)

2. Keep all heating equipment at least three feet away from any combustible items, especially upholstered furniture, bedding, Christmas trees and decorations.

3. Be sure that smoking materials are extinguished completely and disposed of properly. This is especially important if holiday guests, most importantly those who have been drinking, have been smoking in your home.

The Office of the State Fire Marshal is a division of the Texas Commission on Fire Protection. The functions of the commission are to conduct fire investigations and fire safety inspections, license several fire safety related industries, gather information on fires in Texas, conduct fire safety information programs, oversee fire service training and education standards, and administer an emergency funding program for fire departments.

## Divorce Decrees Totaled More Than Half the Number of Marriage Licenses

The number of divorces granted to Texas couples last year totaled more than half the number of marriages performed, according to statistics from the Texas Department of Health (TDH).

While TDH recorded 178,613 marriage licenses issued in 1990, the state also granted 93,850 divorces, according to Tom Pollard, director of the Statistical Services Division of the TDH Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The year before, 170,964 couples married, while 93,434 divorced.

Pollard said that the ratio of marriages to divorces has increased slightly for the last two years.

The most numerous age group of people who married in 1990 was 20-24 for both males and females (48,657 men and 51,970 women). Divorces were more common among the 25-29 age group, where 20,399 women and 18,306 men ended their marriages.

The largest number of divorces concluded marriages of less than five years (32,448). Some marriages lasted less than a year before divorce (4,391).

Among adolescents and teens, 557 females and 46 males younger than 15 were married. Meanwhile, among those 65 and older, 1,978 women and 3,529 men were married. Divorces involving those 65 and older included 914 women and 1,668 men.

About half (47.7 percent, or 44,791) of the divorces in 1990 involved no

children, while 24.6 percent or 23,132, involved one child. The total number of children involved in divorces last year was 85,674.

As in previous years, densely populated counties recorded some of the largest numbers of both marriages and divorces. Harris County led in both categories. Among the leaders for 1990 were:

Bexar County	10,708	Divorces:	7,004
Dallas County	17,404	Divorces:	11,993
El Paso County	7,735	Divorces:	2,778
Harris County	29,434	Divorces:	16,522
Tarrant County	12,501	Divorces:	7,828
Travis County	6,695	Divorces:	3,512

## SCISD Board Meets

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Schleicher County Independent School District was held on November 27, 1991, at 7:30 A.M. in the Administration Building.

Dr. Blair informed the Board that the middle school and high school campuses have been selected as finalists in the Partnership Schools Initiative. Board members agreed to give their full commitment to the project should one of SCISD's campuses be selected.

The Partnership Schools Initiative is a three- to five-year program teaming the Texas Education Agency with campuses that believe schools

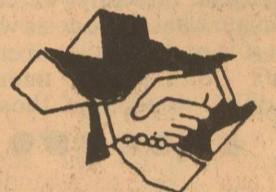
need to operate differently before student achievement will improve. Local school districts and regional education service centers will be full partners on this education reform team. Besides providing staff development resources, the Agency will ensure that participating campuses have maximum flexibility in applying state statutes and rules.

Final selection of campuses to participate will be made through an interview process held on December 9th at 10th at the Region IV Education Service Center. SCISD will be represented by a committee of administrators, teachers, and a board member.

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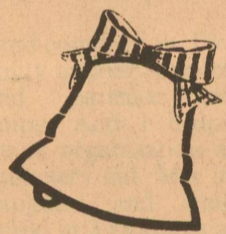
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## County Agent's Report

**Garden Checklist for November and December**  
Dr. William C. Welch,  
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- ✓ Place orders for seeds this month so you will have them available when you are ready to plant. By ordering early, you will be more certain of getting the varieties you want.
- ✓ Don't be in a hurry to prune woody plants. Late December through February is usually the best time for pruning.
- ✓ Reduce the fertilization of indoor plants from late October to mid-March. An exception would be plants in an atrium or a well-lit window.
- ✓ Drain gasoline from power tools and run the engine until fuel in the carburetor is used.
- ✓ Drain and store garden hoses and watering equipment in a readily-accessible location. The lawn and plants may need water during a prolonged dry spell.
- ✓ November through February is a good time to plant trees and shrubs. In the Panhandle, planting is often delayed until February or early March.
- ✓ Continue to set out hardy bedding plants, such as pansies, violas, stock, snapdragons and dianthus, in all but North Texas and the Panhandle.
- ✓ Prepare beds and individual holes for rose planting in January and February. Mix composted manure, pine bark and similar materials with existing soil.
- ✓ Use good pruning practices when selecting Christmas greenery from landscape plants. Don't destroy the natural form and beauty of the plant.
- ✓ Protect your lawn from excessive winter damage by providing irrigation during dry periods.
- ✓ Plant spring-flowering bulbs if you haven't already done so.
- ✓ Prolong the life of Christmas gift plants by providing proper care. Check to see if the pot wrap has plugged the bottom drainage. Don't overwater. Keep plants away from the drafts of heating vents and open doorways. Fertilizer is seldom needed the first few months.
- ✓ Take advantage of good weather to prepare garden beds for spring planting. Work in any needed organic matter and have beds ready to plant when needed.
- ✓ Don't forget those tulip bulbs in the refrigerator. They can be planted any time in December if they have received 60 or more days of chilling.
- ✓ Want to start cuttings of your favorite Christmas cactus? As soon as it has finished blooming, select a cutting with four or five joints. Break or cut it off and insert the basal end into a pot of moderately moist soil. Place it on a window sill or other brightly-lit area. The cuttings should be rooted within 3 to 4 weeks.
- ✓ Don't spare pruning shears when transplanting bare-rooted wood plants. Cut the top back at least one-third to one-half to compensate for the roots lost when digging the plant.

## Prenatal Care, Medical Strides Account For State's Lowest Infant Mortality Rate

The infant mortality rate in Texas continued to decline while the number of live births increased in 1990, reflecting advances both in health care for pregnant women and in medical technology for newborns.

Health officials warn, however, against "false security" about the state's or the nation's decreasing infant mortality, at least 23 other developed countries have achieved lower infant mortality rates than has the U.S.

According to the Texas Department of Health's (TDH) Bureau of Vital Statistics, there were 8.0 infant deaths per 1,000 live births in 1990, an all-time low for the state. The lowest previous rate in Texas was 9.0 deaths per 1,000 live births in 1988.

There were 316,257 live births in Texas during the year, a 2.9 percent increase over births in 1989.

TDH's Dr. Patti Patterson said that government programs offering health care, nutrition, and guidance to pregnant women played an important role in decreasing the deaths of Texas' newborns. Dr. Patterson is the pediatric consultant for TDH's Association for Family Health Services.

She explained that changes last year in federal Medicaid eligibility rules allowed some expectant mothers who had been reliant on state programs, or not receiving prenatal care at all, to qualify for federally funded health care. "Medicaid paid for nearly one-third of the total deliveries in Texas last year, dramatically expanding the numbers of women in prenatal programs,"

Dr. Patterson said.

"Medicaid began paying for services to some women formerly on the rolls of TDH's Maternal and Child Health program. Therefore, TDH was able to serve more women who could not qualify for Medicaid, yet desperately needed prenatal help. Jointly, federal and state programs helped more Texas women to deliver healthier babies in 1990," she said.

"Although, expanded prenatal care for pregnant women contributed to the lower infant mortality rate, dramatic advances in neonatal care account for much of the improvement," Dr. Patterson said. "One major medical advance is the widespread use of surfactant, a chemical which speeds respiratory development among premature babies with

underdeveloped lungs."

She added that more sophisticated neonatal intensive care units also have improved newborns' ability to survive, "although such care (as much as \$2,500 per day) is extremely expensive."

Although not all states yet have reported their infant mortality rates for 1990, Texas usually ranks about 18th in order of lowest infant mortality rates.

With a national infant mortality rate of 9.1 per 1,000 live births, the U. S. ranks 24th among developed countries with the lowest infant mortality rates. Of some 1 million babies born in the U.S. each year, about 40,000 die before their first birthdays. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services estimates that perhaps 10,000 of those deaths are preventable.

### Answers to Super Crossword

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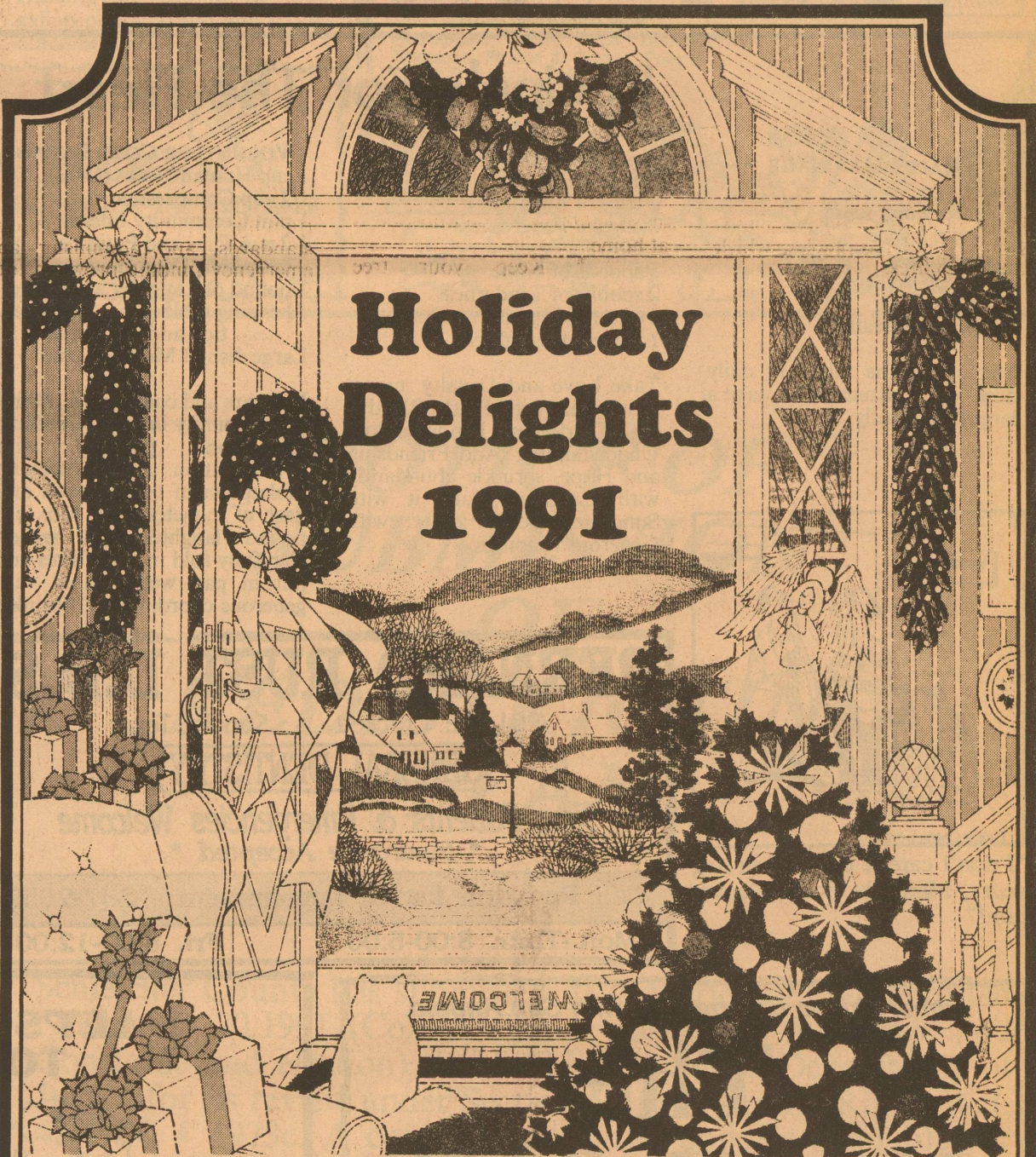
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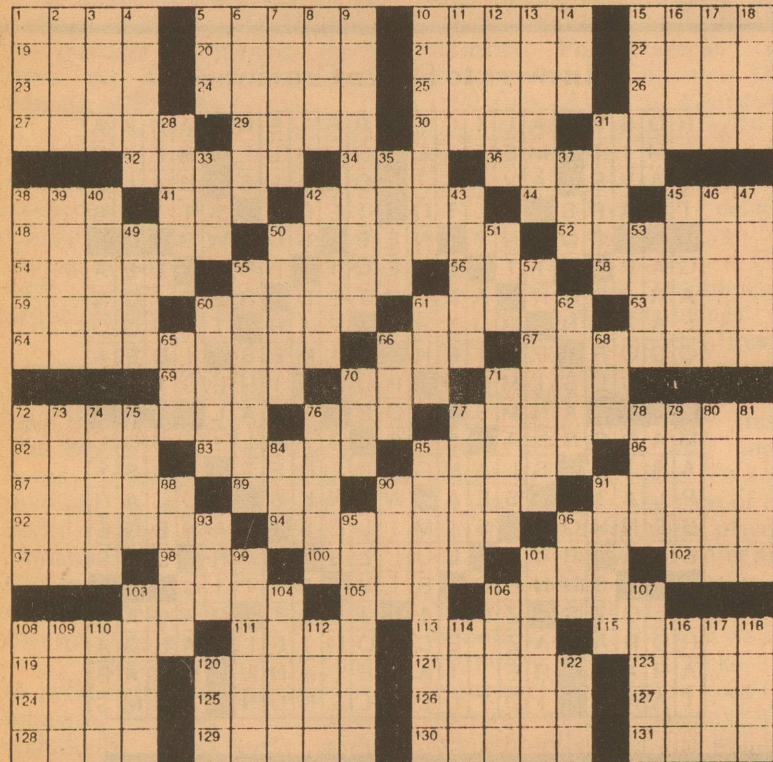
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  - 5 Down, a popular singer
  - 5 Faye or Chastity
  - 10 Pianist Nero
  - 15 Singer Paul
  - 19 Discharge
  - 20 It might be precious
  - 21 Soviet monetary unit
  - 22 Skin or cat lead-in
  - 23 Except
  - 24 Sailor's "Stop"
  - 25 Certain exams
  - 26 Chest sound
  - 27 Percussion devices
  - 29 Countertenor
  - 31 Location
  - 32 and Cher
  - 34 Formerly called
  - 35 Coal carriers
  - 36 Breach
  - 41 Came to rest after flight
  - 42 Cust
  - 44 Before
  - 45 Marist Meadow
  - 48 French poet novelist
  - 50 Scrubbed the launch
  - 52 Give up an office
  - 54 Scholarly language
  - 55 Sentimental
  - 56 Common value
  - 58 Graciel dance
  - 59 Skunk's defense
  - 60 Metalist disk
  - 61 Ten to a dollar
  - 63 Brainstorm
  - 64 He sang with Art Garfunkel
  - 66 Patricia Neal film
  - 67 They recorded "Shake It Up"
  - 69 Fortifies
  - 70 Tennis
  - 71 Watch face
  - 72 The Material Girl
  - 73 Just hang there
  - 77 British punk rocker
  - 82 Barron
  - 83 Informal language
  - 85 French cap
  - 86 Warm and snug
  - 87 Braid of hair
  - 89 Vast amount
  - 90 Twinkles
  - 91 Grinding tooth
  - 92 He wanted to "Give Peace a Chance"
  - 94 Figures of speech
  - 96 Horseman ship
  - 97 Alfonso's queen
  - 98 Polish dance
  - 100 Makes less intense
  - 101 Rhine feeder
  - 102 - Meest
  - 103 Rise and shine" time
  - 105 Foul place
  - 106 Place for grandma's trunk
  - 108 Conspicuous
  - 111 Pueblo
  - 112 Recorded
  - 113 Witticism
  - 115 Keyboard instrument
  - 119 Israeli dance
  - 120 Early Mexican
  - 121 Bay window
  - 123 Nimbus
  - 124 Sandbar
  - 125 Networks
  - 126 Anagram for laden
  - 127 Snatch at
  - 128 Military vehicle
  - 129 Short pass
  - 130 Toral poem
  - 131 Graves for a while
  - 131 Math problems
  - DOWN**
  - 1 Take live
  - 2 Share
  - 3 Hindu god
  - 4 Short distances
  - 5 Med. org
  - 6 Pianist/comic
  - 7 Oscar
  - 8 Throw a leaping line
  - 9 Rognauld Kenneth
  - 10 Guard
  - 11 River in France
  - 12 Skiers' arils
  - 13 Islands in the South Pacific
  - 14 Legal matter
  - 15 Hillside dug out
  - 16 Undiluted
  - 17 Green vegetable
  - 18 God of war
  - 28 Athenian statesman
  - 31 Heart or meat lead-in
  - 33 Author Anais
  - 35 Uncanny
  - 37 Hockey's "Bobby"
  - 38 Lively round dance
  - 39 Plowed land
  - 40 French courier
  - 42 He's "Bar-naby Jones"
  - 43 Lukewarm
  - 45 Sings Ronald
  - 46 One who incites
  - 47 Celebes wild oxen
  - 49 - of the Golden West
  - 50 Sorians and couples
  - 51 Female parent
  - 53 Levantine ketch
  - 55 Warm-blooded vertebrates for one
  - 57 Puts down new flooring
  - 60 Fishing reels
  - 61 Conifer rank
  - 62 Biblical verb
  - 65 "The Bridge of - Luis Rey"
  - 66 Wash or weed lead-in
  - 68 English cathedral city
  - 70 Fall behind
  - 71 Short dagger
  - 72 Shade tree
  - 73 Actor Richard
  - 74 See 1
  - 75 Norse god
  - 76 Slow-moving one
  - 77 Czech statesman
  - 78 Computer screen image
  - 79 Apportioned
  - 80 Orange or Indian
  - 81 Stringed instruments
  - 84 DDE - opponent
  - 85 He's the "Piano Man"
  - 88 Convex molding
  - 90 Cager
  - 91 Chamberlain
  - 91 Singer Lanza
  - 93 Convent dweller
  - 95 "Brigadoon" for one
  - 96 Small rug
  - 99 Telephoned
  - 101 Minister to
  - 103 Sharply outlined
  - 104 Glazier's mixture
  - 106 Chinese or Japanese
  - 107 Rocky projections
  - 108 Converse amiably
  - 109 Tree snake
  - 110 Algerian seaport
  - 112 Playwright Simon
  - 114 Perry's creator
  - 116 Hindu teacher
  - 117 Ancient Syria
  - 118 Snatches roughly
  - 120 Biblical lion
  - 122 Brit. noble



# Eagle Basketball Report

by Coach Greg Cleveland

The Freshman, J.V. and Varsity girls started the year off with a scrimmage against Junction on Tuesday night, November 17th.

All three levels did real well and played real hard. The scores were quite one-way for our side. The main thing about our play was the aggressiveness of our girls. We are planning to try to install a more aggressive, more up-tempo attack this year than in the past. We have done a great deal of conditioning and teaching them what we want them to learn. They're getting it pretty good, but we still need to learn how to move the ball and fast break constantly, looking at the goal the whole time. We still want to learn how to press even more effectively. We want to make sure we take every team out of their pattern.

I hope everyone will go out to support both programs. Early in the year we are going to need it. We need to build confidence in both areas, and to do that, we need stand support. We have a good coaching staff this year - Paul Michalewicz will be coaching the Freshman girls, and Frankie Hardy will coach the Junior Varsity girls, Don Richters will coach Freshman boys, and Harvey Wink will coach Junior Varsity boys, and assist with Varsity boys.

On the court, we have a more enjoyable style this year. I think the fans will like what we are going to give them, and I know we will be getting our act together every time we step on the floor.

**VARSITY BOYS**

The boys scrimmaged Mertzon on Saturday, November 14th. The J.V. Boys

and the Varsity Boys both won quite handily. It was hard to tell if we were that good and improved over last year, or if they just weren't ready to play due to their inexperience. I feel like we will be a much better ball club. In terms of wins and losses, I really can't say, but I do know that we will be a lot more aggressive and a lot quicker more fun to coach and to watch.

**VARSITY GIRLS**

The J.V. and Varsity girls opened the season playing the Abilene Wiley girls. The Abilene girls came in off of a Semi-Regional finalist last year, and a State Champion the year before. They are very experienced and very well coached, and disciplined.

The Varsity score was 48-34, with Abilene winning. During the first quarter, Abilene led us 11-8, the half-time score was 21-21. The third quarter was our down-fall. They out-scored us 12-5, and they also out-scored us 15-8 in the fourth quarter.

Abilene was led by Mickey Davis with 16 points and Mindy Davis with 11. The Eldorado girls were led by Adrienne Pina with 8, Cory Barton with 7, and Lindy Hardy and Ericka Schooley with 6 each.

During the second half, the Eagle girls were plagued by poor shooting. The shots were just the same as they were the first half, but we just couldn't get them to drop. Our effort was tremendous. We had several opportunities to get back in the ball game. I was a little apprehensive about playing against Abilene Wiley, but our girls showed a lot of heart and played well. The will nothing

but get stronger and better as the season goes on. Our season record now is 0-1.

**J.V. GIRLS**

The J.V. girls score was 35-6. We just couldn't get it going. They out-classed us very badly. They would shoot and make it. The first we did a good job. The score was 8-3, and then they out-scored us 15-0 and that really set the tone for things to come. The third quarter, we played pretty well. They out-scored us 7-2, making the score 21-5. The girls are a lot better, and will continue to improve as they get experience.

**VARSITY BOYS**

The Eldorado boys played their second ball game of the 1991-1992 season against the Snyder J.V. in Eldorado on Friday, November 20th. The boys won 71-47. It was kind of a nip and tuck game until the third quarter when we pulled ahead by 11. We out-scored then 22-9 in the fourth quarter.

We started off pressing and didn't do a very good, then went to full court man-to-man and ended up wearing them down. Cy Griffin led the scoring with 27, followed by Matt Williams with 16 points. We had eight individual scores.

It was a good ball game from the standpoint that we won the ball game. We shot the ball a little better, and we are improving. We are a young squad with one senior. The sky's going to be the limit for the future of the kids. This game puts our record for the season at 2-0.

**VARSITY GIRLS**

The Eldorado girls team played the Snyder varsity team on Friday, November 20th. We absolutely dominated

the game. We went out with our screen press, which is a full court type press, and they were absolutely unable to run any type of offense at all.

The score of the first quarter was 24-3, and at half-time the score was 51-10. The crowd was into the game and the girls were playing tremendous basketball. Even though we had a severe size disadvantage, we dominated the boards and took them out of everything they wanted to do.

During the third quarter, we took the press off, and went with our half-court man-to-man and were sort of relaxed during the second half. We didn't do a real good job during the third quarter and were out-scored 10-8. Then we came back to a half-court trap and out-scored them during the fourth quarter. The final score was 71-26. I hesitate to say that we are that good because it is early in the season and we are 1-1 at the time, but we are going to be a fine squad.

We were led in scoring by Lindy Hardy with 19 points, Claudia Martinez 18, Roxanne Martinez and Adrienne Pina with 8. We had eight girls score.

**J.V. GIRLS**

In the J.V. game, our girls improved their record to 1-1. The final score was 32-14. It was a good ball game. We played pretty good defense, but were real sluggish offensively. We threw the ball away a lot, and we really couldn't get into the offensive sets that we usually do.

We were led in scoring by Lee Ann Lamb with 10 points. The big push was the third quarter when we out-scored them 14-2.

## Recipe's For The Heart

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- 4 cups of Love
- 2 cups of Loyalty
- 3 cups of Forgiveness
- 1 cup of Friendship
- 5 spoons of Hope
- 2 spoons of Tenderness
- 4 quarts of Faith
- 1 barrel of Laughter

Take Love and Loyalty, mix it thoroughly with Faith. Blend it with Tenderness, Kindness, and Understanding. Add Friendship and Hope, sprinkle abundantly with Laughter. Bake it with Sunshine. Serve daily with Generous Helpings.

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- 1 cup Human Needs (Care)
- 1/2 cup Compassion
- 1 pint Community Interest
- 1/2 cup Time and Patience
- 2 teaspoons Determination
- 1 pound of Laughter and Smiles
- 1 heaping tablespoon Organization and Cooperation
- Large dish of Monetary Aid

Mix care and compassion. Blend in community interest. Combine time and patience with determination. Add 1 heaping tablespoon of organization and dash of monetary aid. Mix in 1 pound laughter and smiles. Carefully fold in 3 mixtures and put in pan well greased with generous coordination. Sprinkle

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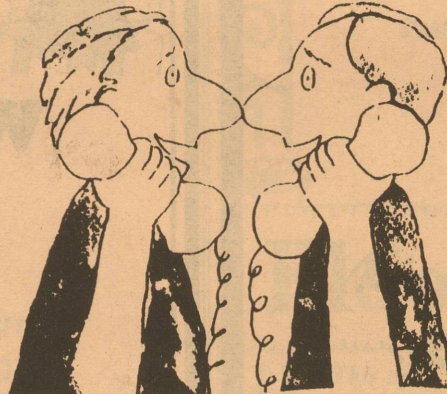
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We want to hear from you, our consumer-owners.

Please phone, stop by or send us a note whenever you have a question about your co-op's service. Or, perhaps you might want to share ideas and thoughts with us.

We especially want to visit with you during the co-op's annual meeting. That's when we all get together to discuss ways to keep our cooperative an important part of your life.

Let's hear from you! We value your opinions!

Southwest Texas Electric Coop., Inc  
(915) 853-2544  
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# WANT ADS

**HOUSE FOR SALE**  
4 bedroom, 3 bath, ceiling fans, fireplace, central air, new carpet. Spacious yard with fruit trees and fenced in back yard. Close to school. Reasonably priced. Call 387-2297 or 853-3005.

**NOTICE:** Buy or sell Art, Cookbooks, American, Russian, Asian, World War I & II, Photography, Poetry, Language, Religious, Metaphysical, Children, First Edition, Texana, etc. books. Ye Ole Fantastique Book Shoppe, 1218 W. Beauregard, San Angelo.

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

**ATTENTION**  
If you sold your property and took back a mortgage or contract, I will buy that mortgage for cash. Call Philip at (915) 658-1172.

**FOR SALE**  
14x32 Portable Building, Garage Door. Must Sell! Will finance and deliver. Call Morgan at 915 (942) 6147.

**FOR SALE**  
Used 10x16 Portable Office, Wired and Insulated. Free delivery this week. Call (915) 942-6147.

**ONLY \$750 DOWN**  
\$205 per month for like new 3-bedroom, 2-bath. New appliances, new carpet and drapes. 120 months at 11.99 APR. Homes of America, 4750 Andrews Hwy., Odessa. 363-0881.

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Extra nice 16x80. New carpet, appliances, and curtains. 10% down, 180 months, 12.5 APR. Homes of America, Odessa. 550-4033.

**ATTENTION:**  
Defensive Driving will be offered on Saturday, Dec. 21st, and Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 16th & 17th. Call 853-2777 for more information.

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**BAKE SALE**  
Hospital Auxiliary Bake Sale - Inside Eagle Dairy Mart, December 6 at 8:00 a.m.

**BAZAAR & BAKE SALE**  
9:00 Saturday, December 7th St. Luke's Baptist Church 105 East Denny Street

**HOUSE FOR RENT**  
2-bedroom/1-bath - \$150/month. Call 853-3231. 4b-(11-27-91)-p

**HOUSE FOR SALE**  
3-bedroom, 2-bath, large newly remodeled home on 5 prime lots. Fenced back yard. Must see to appreciate - reasonably priced. Call 853-3142. tfn-(8-22-91)-b

**FOR RENT**  
3-Bedroom/1-Bath Duplex. Fenced back yard, carport, washer/dryer connections - stove and refrigerator furnished. \$250/month. Call 387-2171 - Wayne Munn Real Estate. 4b-(11-7-91)-b

**THANK YOU**  
The family of Dick Preston would to express our gratitude to Lewis Whitten, Dr. Pat Johnson, Ray Lewis Ballew, Sherry Lux, Kim Thackerson, David Templeton, Ronnie Norris, Alvin Estep, Roger Powell, Richard Harris, and everyone who sent cards, food, flowers, prayers, and made phone calls. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

Thank You, Dale Preston and Family

**Thank You**  
I would like to express my appreciation to the nurses, doctors, Eldorado Hospital staff, and to everyone for their prayers and concern during my surgery and stay in the hospital. Your kindness is greatly appreciated.

Thank You, Ovid Wade

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
The Commissioners' Court of Schleicher County will receive bids until 10:30 a.m. December 9, 1991 for:

The labor to construct fence lines, back-stop, and dugouts

for one baseball field. See specs at Judge's office.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted.  
Helen Blakeway, County Clerk  
Drawer 580  
Eldorado, Tx. 76936  
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**SUNDAY HOUSE SMOKED TURKEYS**  
shipped anywhere in U.S. - \$2.50/lb (\$2.25/lb locally)  
Turkey Breast - \$3.90/lb (\$3.69/lb locally)  
Lefty's Turkey Patch  
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853-3360 or 853-2327 after 5:00

**ACCEPTING BIDS**  
The Schleicher County ASCS office is currently taking bids for janitorial services. The county office is to be cleaned twice weekly. The successful bidder will be required to furnish all cleaning materials.

A description of the janitorial service contract can be seen at the county office which is located at 304 North West Street, in Eldorado, Texas. (Telephone 853-2838)

All bids must be received in the county office by December 13, 1991. The ASCS office reserves the right to refuse all bids.

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**ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS**  
The Schleicher County ASCS office is taking applications for a temporary position. (Subject to call)

Basic qualifications and skills should include basic computer and office skills; Agriculture background and knowledge of aerial photography would be helpful, must be able to work with the public, must be a self-starter, able to meet deadlines, dependable and willing to work. The applicant must be a U.S. citizen.

ASCS is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer.

Applications must be received by December 13, 1991. Applications can be picked up at 308 North West Street or by calling 853-2838.

## Eldorado Wool Company

Phone  
853-2772 - Office  
853-2820 - Feedstore

## Kent's Automotive

Parts and Service  
Phone 853-2733  
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Grade A Large  
**59c**

**CORN SYRUP**  
32 oz.  
**99c**

Parade  
**CANNED VEGETABLES**  
Corn, Beans, Potatoes, Green Beans, Chili Beans  
**3/99c**

**PINEAPPLE JUICE**  
46 oz. Can  
**99c**

**VANILLA WAFERS**  
12 oz. Box  
**69c**

**POWDERED SUGAR**  
16 oz. Pkg.  
**89c**

**NORTHERN BATH TISSUE**  
4 Roll Pack  
**79c**

**BROWN SUGAR**  
16 oz. Pkg.  
**89c**

**COKE**  
Died Coke or 7up  
6 pack - 12 oz. Cans  
**\$1.59**

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**BRAWNY TOWELS**  
**69c**



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Store Hours:  
Mon.-Sat. 9:00 a.m.-7:30 p.m.  
Closed Sunday

We Accept  
Food Stamps

5 lb. Parade Sugar



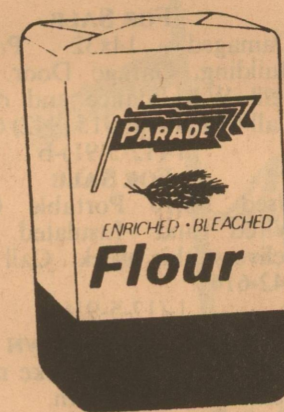
**\$1.89**

12 Pack Coke



**\$2.99**

5 lb. Parade Flour



**69c**

8 oz. Fritos

6 oz. Dorritos

5 3/4 oz. Cheetos

**99c**

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2 lb.

Casserole Pintos

**69c**

3 oz. Box Reg.  
Jello Asst. Flavors

**49c**

20 oz. Can  
Parade Pineapple

**69c**

Qt. Best Maid  
Hamburger Dill Pickles

**\$1.39**

46 oz. Parade  
Pineapple Juice

**99c**

*Prices Effective  
December 5-11*

12 oz. Parade  
Chocolate Chips

**89c**

Qt. Parade Ketchup

**79c**

14 oz. Parade Coconut

**99c**

48 oz. Parade Oil

**\$1.49**

8 oz. Parade  
Cream Cheese

**79c**

Q&Q Vermicelli

**4/\$1.00**

20 oz. pkg. Almond Bark  
(White Chocolate)

**\$2.31**

## MEAT

Wrights Market Sliced Bacon

**\$1.59/lb**

Pork Chops

**\$1.69/lb**

Boneless Sirloin

**\$2.49/lb**

Boneless Chuck Roast

**\$1.69/lb**

1 lb. Owen Sausage

**\$2.09**

## PRODUCE

Bananas

**33c/lb**

Tomatoes

**59c/lb**

Baking Potatoes

**29c/lb**

Yams

**49c/lb**

Limes

**10c each**