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The Schleicher County ASCS staff and County Committee received recognition for being selected for the Administrators Award for Service to Agriculture at an awards ceremony in College Station on January 14, 1992. Ronnie Mittel also received recognition for having been selected for a

Sustained Superior Performance Award.

Pictured above are (L-R) Tom Egan, District Director, Kim Thackerson and Sheila Prater, Program Assistants and Ronnie Mittel, County Executive Director, at the awards ceremony. Not pictured are Committee members Steve Williams, Mabel Freitag and Matt Brown.

# Public Health Week - February 2-8

February 2-8, 1992 has proclaimed as Public Health Week in Texas. Public health focuses on preventive health care strategies including, education, surveillance, and

intervention when necessary. The Texas Department of Health has been providing these services in our community for many years. The health department has programs for environmental health, dental treatment and education, education, nutrition communicable diseases control, Chronically ill and Disabled Children, Emergency Medical Services, health education, medical facility licensure and

The Sonora Field Office is an important provider of valuable public health services for the community. Some of the services provided include child and adult health, family planning, maternity nutrition and education

The Way Off Broadway

This play will also be

Due to popular demand

Players will perform "a.k.a. Marleen " in Ozona for the

Ozona Annual Chamber of

Tuesday, February 25th. This

will be the first time the players

performed in Eldorado, along

with another wonderful one-act,

"A Personal Thing." Be suer to

see this great performance on February 15th at 8:00 p.m., the

16th at 3:00 p.m., the 22nd, dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the Memorial Building and curtains at 8:00 p.m. in the Playhouse,

and the 23rd at 3:00 p.m.

and a limited seating capacity in

have performed out of town.

Commerce Banquet

by Jo Ann Sproul

certification, and nursing

programs for women, infants and children (WIC), , sexually transmitted disease testing and counseling, education, and vision, hearing and speech

If you would like more information about the Texas Department of Health and the local field clinic, or would be able to volunteer some of your time to the field clinic, please call 915/387-2234.

All Texans enjoy the benefits of public health. These benefits are directly related to each citizen's well-being and ability to be a productive member of society.

Public health programs have worked to build and maintain a high level of public health in Texas through education, disease and injury prevention, regulation, and deliver of basic health services.

These services are possible because of hard work

the theatre, the dinner theatre is

being offered with the dinner on

February 22nd and a choice of

performance dates. People can

come to the dinner on February

22nd and see the plays either the 22nd or the 23rd. The Chamber

Pride Committee is hoping this will give more people an

Call or go by C.R.

Sproul's office for tickets.

Tickets for the dinner

performance must be purchased

in advance by February 14th. Tickets for all other performances may be purchased

in advance or at the door (unless sold out). Call or go by C.R.

Sproul's office - telephone 853-

opportunity to come.

**SCMC Receives Grant** 

The Schleicher County Medical Center has received approval for a state grant for the replacement of energy inefficient heating and air conditioning units.

In April, 1991, the hospital participated in a technical assistance study. An architectural firm came to Schleicher County and determined that certain things could be changed at Schleicher County Medical Center to reduce the amount of energy usage. A proposal was

submitted to the Texas Department of Energy and a grant was approved.

grant with SCMC paying for half of the cost and the State of Texas paying the other half. The grant is good for up to \$52,462.

In order to qualify for a grant of this type, the improvements must have a total payback time of less than ten years. By replacing the old roof units that the hospital is now using, with the matching grant, the hospital should save as much

as \$26,000 over the next ten

According to hospital administrator Jim Blum, the hospital would be unable to make these renovations without the grant. Blum also indicated that over \$2000 has been spent in the past 6 months in repairs to the current system.

Said Blum, "Much credit should be given to our hospital board and to the hospital staff. Many people are working very hard to bring quality medical services to Schleicher County."

## Handbell Clinic Set



Les Ackerman

This Sunday, February 2, there will be a special handbell training clinic at the First Presbyterian Church from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The guest clinician is Mr. Les Ackerman of Midland, currently Director of Music and organist at the First Presbyterian Church of Midland, and leader of several handbell choirs junior high through adult. Les is a graduate of

Westminster Choir College in Princeton, New Jersey, and has done graduate studies including a Master of Music in Organ Performance from Southern Methodist University, and a Master of Sacred Music from Perkins School of Theology in Dallas. He hails from a small

south central town Pennsylvania.

Mr. Ackerman is currently on the faculty of Midland College where he is instructor of organ and piano. He is Dean of the West Texas Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, and belongs to the American Guild of English Handbell Ringers and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia.

We are fortunate to be able to host Mr. Ackerman here in Eldorado. This is a hands-on working clinic dealing with handbell techniques, damping, tower swings, care of handbells, mallets, timing, etc.

If you would like to attend, please contact Maxine

## Citizens Meet With SCISD Board

Approximately Schleicher County citizens met with the Schleicher County Independent School Board last Thursday night.

cooperation

organizations, private health

care providers, health advocates

public health in Texas should be

recognized and supported by all

Richards, Governor of Texas,

do hereby designate the week of

February 2-8, 1992, as: PUBLIC

HEALTH WEEK IN TEXAS.

Their contributions to

Therefore, I, Ann

agencies,

professional

and

governmental

voluntary and

and consumers.

School superintendent Larry Blair presented a time chart indicating the times at which he had been informed by State officials that the Middle School had been selected to participate in an honors program.

Scott Barton, middle school principal, presented a 5 point "wish list" that had been written by a panel of middle school teachers. This list had been presented to the selection committee of the Partner Schools Incentive Program. This list, according to Barton was what the middle school would like to do if they were not bound by traditional limitations.

the Partnership in Schools program. He also stated that public hearings would be held before major changes to the school calendar would be made.

made by citizens. These comments ranged from praise to the middle school for excellent work, to requests to the school board to send notes home with all students informing parents of

that the only complaint that he had heard about the Partnership in Schools program was the calendar.

Randy Mankin commented that he thought that it was a problem of communication. That it appeared as if the board was hiding something.

Phil McCormick reiterated that school board meetings, by law, were open to

Very positive comments were made by Hyman Sauer and Chris Graham. Sauer commented that the school board had a thankless job and that he, for one, thought that they were doing fine. Graham said that a sign should be erected taking note of the middle school's achievements. He further stated that if a sign was not erected in the school yard, then one would be erected in the front yard of the baptist

parsonage.

Debbie Clark wanted to with an present the board with an agenda item that would mandate the school board to hold a public meeting within one month of January 23 to allow all registered voters in Schleicher county to decide whether or not to allow the Middle school to be involved with the Partnership

school program. Griffin stated to the school board that they were elected by the people and that the board needs to make decisions without public voting on issues. He further stated that if people don't like actions of school board members, then the citizens

should vote them out of office.

Flsa Williams commented that the purpose of the school system was to educate our children, not to act as a baby-sitting service. Williams went on to say that quality education was more important than scheduling inconveniences.

Thelma expressed a sense of pride in the school system and stated that she was proud to have gone to school here and that she is proud to be from Eldorado.

Karen Holley stated that she had been led to believe that the school was "glued to" the plans that the middle school had presented to the Partnership

Schools committee and was relieved to find out that that was not the case.

Glenda Harris said that she thought every one was proud of the school's accomplishments and that she thought that the problem had come from a lack of information.

McCormick agreed that there had been a communication problem. He stated that the problem in communication had been created by politics at the state level. The state, according to McCormick, had first told the school that the program could be announced, then that it could not, and then again that it could be announced.

The meeting ended at

#### Open Letter

In behalf of West Texas Rehabilitation Center Board of Directors. Staff and patients, I want to express our heartfelt gratitude to Eldorado and Schleicher County supporters for making the Rehab '92 Telethon a successful fundraising event.

A special "thank you" is extended to Mabel Freitag, volunteer workers and Southwest Texas Co-Op for coordinating the local phone effort which generated \$1,695. Thanks also to those who made advance Telethon gifts in support of the Rehab Center.

These contributions -along with your memorial gifts, donations to Cattlemen's Round-Up, etc. -- make it possible for the Center to provide top quality care for handicapped children and adults regardless of their financial circumstances.

Your support has made a difference in the Telethon's success, and more importantly, in the lives of several thousand handicapped individuals -- and for this we are grateful.

Sincerely, Bill Snowden WTRC President

## Farm Program Meeting

Players To Perform In Ozona

farm program meeting will be held on Thursday, January 30, 1992 at 7:00 p.m. in the Lion's Club room at the Memorial Building. The main purpose of

this meeting will be to discuss the disaster program, the 1992 cotton, wheat and feed grain program and changes related to the wool and wobain programs.

school board decisions. Everyone is invited to

School board president, Phil McCormick informed those present that no school calendar had been set and that the board had tried to inform the public as quickly as possible, to the events that have taken place regarding

Many comments were

Curtis Griffin stated

### Editor's Journal

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Letter To The Editor

I guess with the dissolution of the Soviet Empire the guys doing the daily news have to really look for items of interest. A few days ago, on one of those morning shows, they presented a segment where the shows anchor interviewed two business men. One man was some executive vice-president of Burger King, and the other man was an important executive from Weight Watchers. The gist of the questions and answers revolved around the famous fast food chain adding low fat and, I

I want to take this

I would also like to

I have been attending

opportunity to congratulate the Middle School on their selection

as a Partnership In Schools. I

think this is a wonderful

reflection on our entire school

make a few remarks about the

school board meeting Thursday

the school board meetings

because I was tired of hearing

rumors all over town. I wanted

to hear the correct information

from the correct source. I did

not know if I was for or against

the revised calendar because I

did not even know what it was

all about. I resent the fact that

we were all categorized for or against. I think many people

that came were totally in left

field and missed the concern of

some parents. I don't think the

Dear Editor,

assume, low cholesterol meals to its regular fare of fried potatoes, beef burgers and all of the trimmings. I can see some real marketing problems with this marriage of speed with healthiness.

The biggest problem I see is that people who count calories or give a darn about the insides of their arteries don't, as a rule, eat in places with playground equipment out front, or where the kids get a plastic toy in each lunch box. The quiche crowd, being upscale

parents that are concerned

about a major revision in the

school calendar should be labeled as "against Partnership

in Schools." I really think that is

family and our lifestyle, I can see lots of advantages to the calendar presented. I can also

see why lots of parents are concerned, and I hope we all

have the right to state our

to discuss some ideas and plans

with the school board when it

comes time to adopt a school

everyone could keep an open

mind, quit labeling everyone

else, and work toward a

calendar that would provide the

best education for our children.

Personally, for my

Please don't be afraid

Now, I would hope

a different issue.

calendar.

Than You,

Sherry Martin

#### by Thomas Giovannitti

and all, do not want to be seen in a place where people wear paper crowns and the clerk has to use only two fingers.
On top of this, Burger

King is going to introduce Fetuchinni Alfredo, baked in their very own ovens. I am sorry folks, but - even realizing the popularity of pasta today -Burger King should not even attempt this. Alfredo should not be so publicly humiliated. Is there nothing sacred! And just how is Weight Watchers going to take the fat out of the butter, milk and cheese and still leave anything that tastes at all like pasta in cream sauce is supposed

I have to admit that I am probably more upset about the damage that might be done to pasta than to the whole idea of fast food that might be good for me.

But, think of all of the kids who will stop eating there just because the food has become nutritious. With the loss of the old clientele and no new yuppies stopping there, Burger King may find it's reign coming

# Hear and Their

HAPPY BIRTHDAY January 30th Louise Radle, Ruth O'Harron, Gloria Enochs, Lacy Finley, Tisha Martinez January 31st Luanne Romero February 1st Lucie Templeton, John Paul Joiner, Mark Lloyd, Melissa Andrews

February 2nd Elizabeth Little February 3rd Lewis Wayne Whitten,

February 4th February 5th
Richard Kent, Myra Robles

The redistricting of the precincts in Schleicher County has been approved. Most of the changes are in town. There is a registration deadline for any new voters or voters of a different precinnct. The deadline is February 7th to be an eligible voter March 10th. Go by the courthouse or call 853-2766 to find out if your precinct changed since you last registered

# by Sherry Lux

Caleb Estrada, Jason Whitten, Katie Hardy, Lupe Guerrero, Suzanne Johnson

Yvonne Terry, Michael Kent

REDISTRICTING APPROVED

### Health News

BONING UP ON CALCIUM by Dr. Rico J. Forlano

Osteoporosis, condition that wakens bones by depleting bone density, affects nearly25 million Americans. Recent studies by the human Nutrition research Center at tufts University found that exercise and calcium prevented bone loss and increased bone both but independently of one another.

Exercise helped prevent bone loss at the spine, whereas calcium strengthened the thigh bone, near the hip.

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Best sources of calcium in foods are skim milk-based yogurt, skim milk, buttermilk, and mozzarella cheese.

Other excellent sources include salmon, bokchoy, kale, pinto and kidney beans, and broccoli. Spinach, although high in calcium, contains oxalic acid which negates the positive effect

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#### LUNCH All lunches served with Bread, Milk and Butter. MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD Chalupas, Spanish Rice, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Pears, Chocolate **BREAKFAST** 1/2 pint of milk is offered with each breakfast. Turkey-Pot-Pie/Vegetables, Whole Kernel Corn, Strawberry Jello, Prunes, Peanut Butter Cookies. Monday, February 3rd Peaches, Pancakes/Syrup (2). Tuesday, February 4th WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH Hot Dogs with Chili, Corn Chips, Raisins, Apple Wedges, Rice Krispie Orange Juice, Breakfast Pizza. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH Apple Juice, Cinnamon Toast, Hash Browns. THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH Fried Chicken & Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Cherry Combler Grape Juice, Hot Biscuits/Sausage/Jelly FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH Sandwiches-Tuna, Chicken Salad, Ham Salad, Pimento Cheese & Peanut Butter, French Fries, Pork & Beans, Raspberries/Whipped Topping. Pears, Doughnuts.

School Lunch Menu

# Community Calendar

9:30am Fellowship Bible Study - F.B.C.

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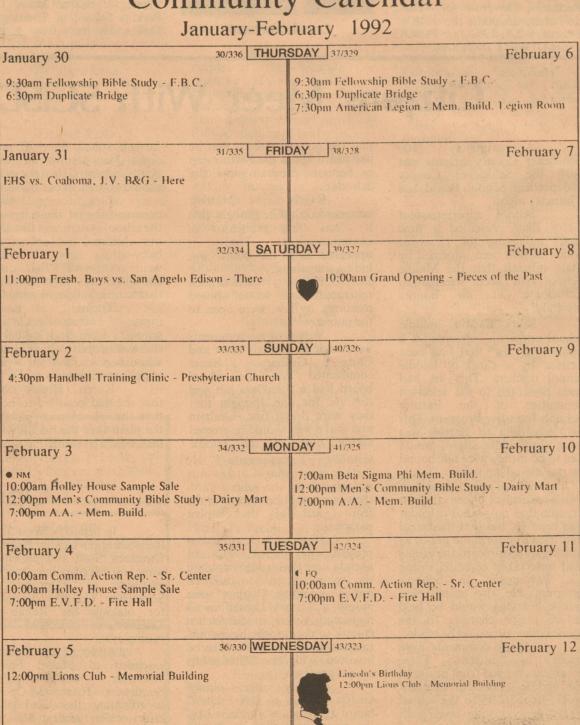
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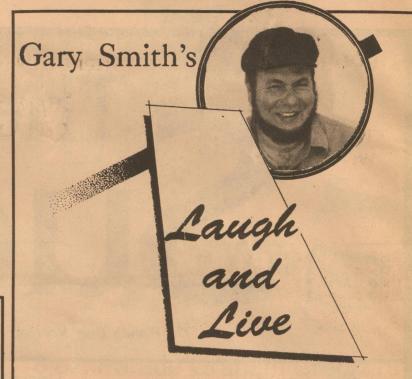
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33/333 SUNDAY 40/326 February 9 February 2 4:30pm Handbell Training Clinic - Presbyterian Church 34/332 MONDAY 41/325 February 10 February 3 7:00am Beta Sigma Phi Mem. Build. 10:00am Holley House Sample Sale 12:00pm Men's Community Bible Study - Dairy Mart 12:00pm Men's Community Bible Study - Dairy Mart 7:00pm A.A. - Mem. Build. 7:00pm A.A. - Mem. Build. 35/331 TUESDAY 42/324 February 11 February 4 10:00am Comm. Action Rep. - Sr. Center 10:00am Comm. Action Rep. - Sr. Center 10:00am Holley House Sample Sale

If you would like to add your event, please call 853-3125.





'The people cannot wait. They need help now . . .

George Bush

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I am often asked if there is any way that I can explain computers in "lay terms." I have given this a great deal of thought, and have concluded that there is one thing that is found in most homes that can be used as an object of example.

The object to which I am referring is the average everyday toilet. If you would like a lesson in computers, please take this newspaper to the room that houses your toilet and stand in front of that work of art.

As you look at your toilet please notice the little silver handle on your left. This is a "function key." The tank on which you find that little silver handle could be called a "mass storage device."

Now, look on top of the bowl proper. The lid, as you all know, is a "floppy disk." Right under that "floppy disk", you will find the "user interface."

Please lift the "floppy disk" and look through the "user interface," there you will find the "central processing unit." At the bottom of the C.P.U. is the input/output device. If you have a metal pot in your house, you might use it as a "back-up system."

On the side of your unit, on a roll, you are likely to find software. A book or magazine might be considered supplemental data.

I hope that you have enjoyed this little computer lesson and although this newspaper was intended to be supplemental data, please feel free to use it as software.

Till The Next Time...

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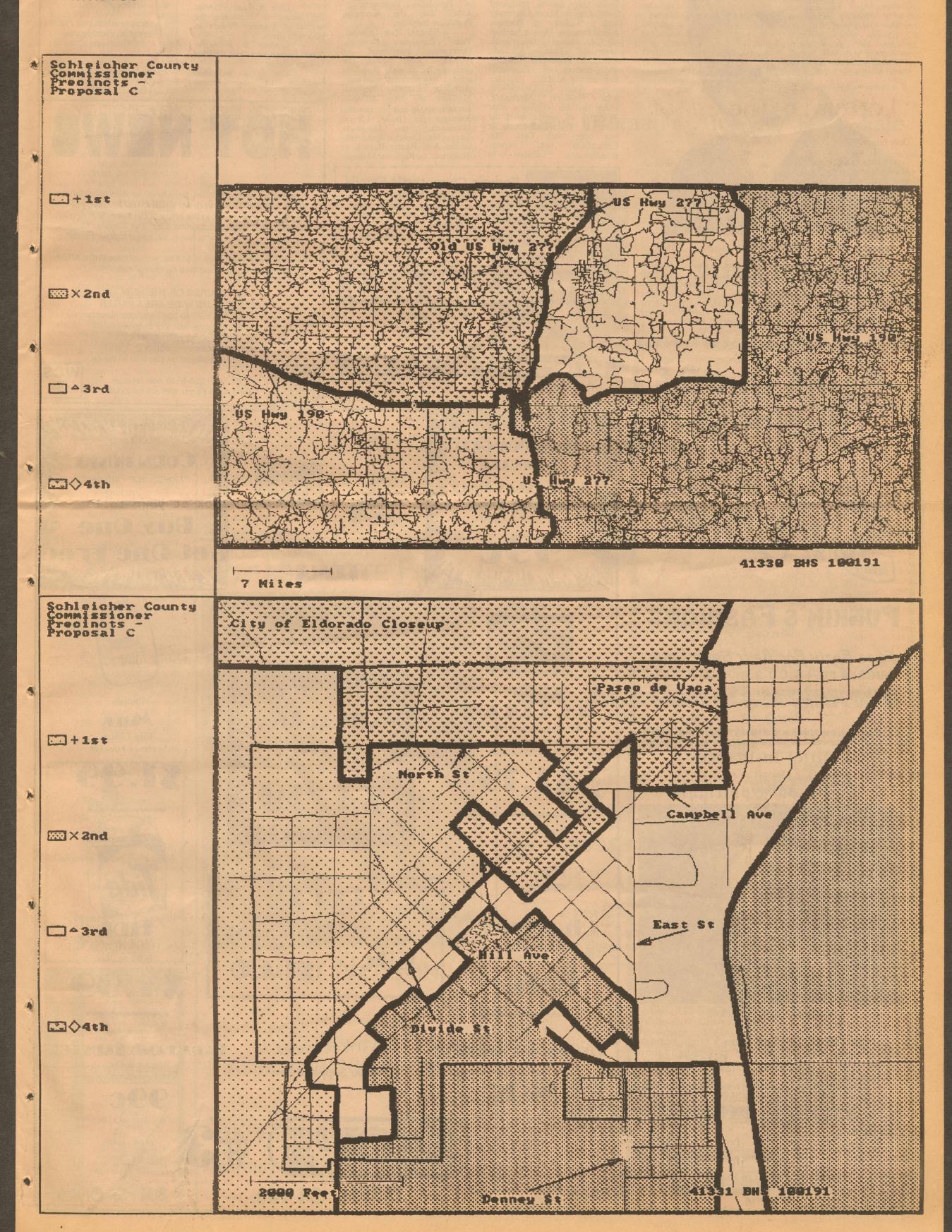
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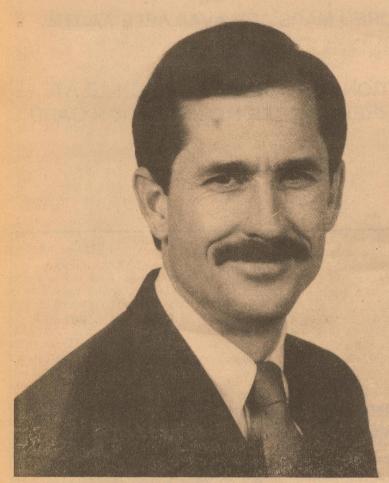
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# Sproul Named VP Of Marketing For Otis Engineering



Mike Sproul

Corporation, a Halliburton company, announces the following executive management

R.M. "Mike" Sproul, son Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Sproul has been named Vice President Marketing, replacing Albert B. Crutchfield, who is retiring. Mr. Sproul's responsibilities will include product Development, Service Development and Sand Control Development departments; as well as Sales, Customer service

and Advertising Services.

Mr. Sproul joined Otis in 1973 and has held various management positions in the united States, including Product Development Manager and Manager of Otis Sand Control, both in Dallas. His most recent position was as Center"al Regional Manager in Houston, Texas. Mr. Sproul graduated from Angelo State University with a Bachelor of Business Administration. He is a member of Toastmasters International, Mensa American American Petroleum Institute Petroleum and Society Engineers of AIME.

Albert B. Crutchfield, Marketing, President announced his retirement after 39 years of service with the company. During the time he has been with Otis, Mr. held Crutchfield various positions management

Louisiana and Texas, including Division Manager in Louisiana and Product Development Manager in Dallas. Mr. crutchfield was Director of Marketing before being named Otis Engineering's first Vice President of Marketing in February, 1984. Mr. Crutchfield holds membership in the Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME and the American Petroleum Institute. Sanford Roy Dowden,

President Domestic Operations, announced his retirement after serving the company for 30 years. Roy held several management positions, including Eastern Manager in New Orleans, Louisiana, and Division Manager in Belle Chasse, Louisiana, and Longview, Texas. Mr. Dowden spent time in the Asia Pacific Region, in Singapore, as Regional Manager

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before being named Vice President in June, 1985. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree from Baylor

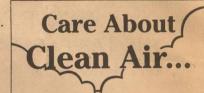
#### **Powers To Stay** With Lipsetts

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Bob is a rancher and he drives around a lot in his truck. He is a 1974 graduate of Eldorado High School. He and his wife, Joella, have been married for twelve long years. They have one son, Shay, who is in Kindergarten.

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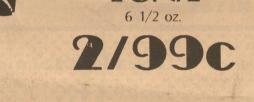
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A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Schleicher County Independent School District was held on January 23, 1992, at 6:00 p.m. in the Administration Building.

The meeting was called to order by Phil McCormick, President of the Board.

members Board interviewed two groups of prospective architects: Gary Keep and Gerald Jordon with SHW Group Inc. and Frank Callahan and Mitch Hansic representing Callahan and Associates and "Speed Fab-Crete." Each group explained the process and fees they would use if they were selected as architects for the building of the new gym and cafeteria expansion. The next meeting with architects interested in the project is tentatively scheduled for February 6th. The Board will not act until several firms have been interviewed.

Dr. Blair then explained to the audience the Partnership Schools concept and the time restrictions that the school staff and board members had been under in dealing with the issue. Blair said that schools were selected on the basis of their past record for academic achievement (good test scores) and innovation (special programs they used to help students learn). Schools who had shown that they were successful would be made Partnership Schools with the Texas Education Agency and allowed to "free wheel" and come up with new ideas to do an even better job of helping students to learn. TEA rules and regulations will be relaxed on those campuses.

Because of the TEA time schedule imposed on the district, staff members had been given only ten days to create a "wish list" of innovative ideas that they would like to use on their campus if that campus were selected as a Partnership School. It was explained that being named as a Partnership School is a tremendous honor since out of 5000 campuses in the state of Texas only 84 were

Then, Middle School Principal Scott Barton explained the five components of the plan that the Middle School had presented during the interview portion of the Partnership Schools selection process. The components were as follows: 1) A biosphere (something similar to a greenhouse) would be used for teaching a hands-on integrated science program. 2) Academic teaming would be used for middle school students. Groups of three to five teachers would be responsible for a given group of students. They would schedule and teach the students according the students needs on a weekly basis. A student might need two hours of math per day for a week to help him/her over a difficult concept. Then the next week they might spend more time on science, etc. 3) A math lab would be created where students learned math

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through hands-on experience and training. Those students would then in turn teach/tutor elementary students. The idea behind this is that you learn best what you have to teach. 4) A multi-culture program of language training would be taught to both students and teachers. A program would be developed to give teachers and students on the campus instruction in a second language. 5) A flexible calendar would be used to give students more frequent breaks during the school year to improve student motivation and retention. This calendar as proposed would have 165 days of classroom instruction as compared to the 180 days now interspersed throughout the school year. The sample calendar started school on August 3rd and ended it on June 3rd. Also, the calendar included several three-day weekends. A summer school would be held in July for students that had not mastered their work during the regular

school year. Dr. Blair and Mr.

The book "A New look

at Nine Years with the Indians"

has been purchased by the Historical Society. It is an autobiographical narrative told

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Barton made it very clear that it is not necessary for the district to adopt any of the proposed components of the plan in order to be a Partnership School. Those components are simply a "pie in the sky" wish list. Each component would have to be

studied thoroughly before it was actually adopted. For example, before a school calendar can be adopted, the needs of both the high school and elementary campuses would have to be considered (scheduling for athletics and band, etc.)

Board President Phil

McCormick noted that the calendar is normally adopted around May of each year and much input from the school staff and the public will be needed during calendar hearings.

Many questions were concerning the Partnership Schools program and much support was shown for the fine job that the Middle School has done in order to achieve the award.

The meeting adjourned

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# **Chamber Holds Meeting**

The Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce held a board meeting on January 23, 1992 at 7 p.m. at Casa Arispe. Those in attendance were: Steve Sessom, Ronnie Sauer, Duwaine Sauer, Rene Calcote, Sherry Lux, Jackie Napier, Lucy Page, and David Hill.

Duwaine made the motion to change Lucy's nomination to Charlotte's instead of Kim-et's. Steve seconded the motion. Duwaine nominated Sherry for president and Rene seconded. The motion passed. Duwaine nominated David as Treasurer, motion

Sherry will appoint

Ronnie Mittel for a two-year term. She will appoint Gloria Kent, Marian Overstreet, and George Arispe for a one-year

recommended the Chamber Pride Committee be retained and Rene seconded. Motion carried.

Duwaine wants each member to bring goals for Chamber to work toward. Each member is to present their ideas at the next meeting.

Rene

reception to be held in February for the historical marker for the courthouse There was discussion on

Chamber to participate in the

wants the

the possibility of having evening meetings. The board agreed to do so. Steve suggested setting an agenda for the following meeting on meeting night. Before meeting night. announcements are to be mailed to each board member along with the minutes from the last

Each appointment for new board members is to be contacted. Sherry will work out problems with having a secretary at the meetings. Ronnie said copy charges were made last year at the Co-op. The Co-op will do this in the future.

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## Ladies Fireman's Auxiliary Bake Sale



Krista Doran

The Ladies Firemen's Auxiliary will hold it's annual bake sale on Friday, February 14th. The sale will be held on the square next to the museum and will begin at 8:00 a.m.

This annual bake sale is our only real money-making project. These proceeds are used to offset our expenses such as our officer's badges and to participate in other projects

such as the Halloween Carnival and Schleicher County Days.

We hope everyone will come by and support our Auxiliary. Since it will be held on Valentine's Day, plan to buy your sweetheart a sweet.

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#### 1st Half Of Basketball Season Comes To An End

by Coach Greg Cleveland VARSITY GIRLS

We played Iraan at home and won 52-36. This wasn't a special game, we just put them away. We out-scored them 19-8 in the first quarter. They actually out-scored us in the second quarter, we came back out in the third and fourth quarters and just took over. It gave us a chance to play a lot of people and just sort of get the win. I wasn't impressed with our intensity or our attitude.

Claudia led us in scoring with 23, followed by Ericka Schooley with 9 and Cory Barton with 8.

For our ballgame that week, we travelled to McCamey, and we played the lady Badgers. We beat them 58-47. This was a very physical ballgame, and a very tough ballgame. The key was that we came out in the third quarter and had a little run right towards the very end of it, and just sort of put the game away.

We were led in scoring by Lindy Hardy with 16 points, followed by Stephanie Ledbetter with 13, Claudia Martinez with 12 and Ericka Schooley with 9.

It was good to see Lindy get into scoring act. She hasn't been as active getting the ball inside and getting into the basket. Hopefully this will

This puts our district record at 4 wins and 2 losses. We are still running 3rd place in the district.

Our next ballgame was against Wall. Wall was leading us 8-5 at the end of the first quarter, and 23-16 at the end of the first half. They had gotten up to 14 points, and we cut it to 4, and it ended up at 7 at the

I felt pretty good at the half-time. I felt like we had seen everything they could do. Mentally I felt like we were in good shape, but the third quarter was our downfall. They out-scored us 16-2. Their defense was outstanding and just took us out of everything we wanted to do. They finally out-scored us 13-5 in the last quarter, so they completely dominated us in the second half of the ballgame. They beat us 52-23.

This was our worst defeat of the year, and probably against the best team we have played all year long, but this is not indicative of how we can play For some reason at this ime, there seems to be a little mental block when play Wall, and that's one thing that we are going to have to overcome. We were led in scoring

by Claudia Martinez with 11

Our last ballgame was

against Stanton on Friday, January 24th.

In the start of the second half we finished it 4-3 in fourth place in district

We started the second half against Stanton, who we had beaten quite handedly at their place, and this was a very methodical win. We were ahead 14-18 in the first quarter, ahead 5 at the half-time 26-21. We ahead by five at the end of the third quarter, and ended up winning by four, 54-50.

This was just one of those games where we just went out and played well enough to win, and they played as well as they could play. They have really improved, their kids hustled and really took it to our

We were led in scoring by Cory Barton with 13 points, Claudia Martinez with 11, Stephanie Ledbetter with 10 and Continued on Page 7

by Ola Ruth Barbee
The Good Neighbor

Extension Homemaking Club met in the home of Bobbie

Killebrew on Monday, January

17th. Nancy Lester presented a

was made on the District

A report was given on the Fair and an announcement

program on making casseroles.

### Senior Ambassadors Meet

The Senior Ambassador of First Baptist Church met on Monday, January 27th for their monthly meeting. The meeting was called to order by the president, Harry Mercer. Ruth Davis led in prayer.

Refreshments cookies, tea and coffee were served to 24 in attendance.

Minutes were read by Owens. McCutcheon, Maggie Lee Williams, and Winnie Helen Ratliff were recognized as new members.

The nominating committee reported a list of new officers for 1992: President-Leon Stricklan; Vice-President-Harry Mercer; Entertainment and Short Trips-B.F. and Mabel Blaylock; Treasurer and Long Trips-Mary Barton Robinson; Food-Mary Etta Stricklan; Historian and Reporter-Ruth Davis; Secretary-Dana Owens; Stool Caretaker-Claude Spen-

Meeting to be held on Thursday

in Colorado City on January

Those attending were Eleanor Powell, Marguerite Gillaspy, Ola Ruth Barbee,

Nancy Lester and the hostess,

Bobbie Killebrew, who served

refreshments.

cer. Phone Committee is Lois Etheredge, Doy Mittel and Bea McCormick

Mary Robinson showed slides of our next trip, "Tour of the Old South" scheduled for March 31-April 11. All planning to make the trip made their first payment. The tour will include seven states and everyone is feeling the excitement.

#### Chamber

Continued from Page 5 The next meeting will be on Monday, February 3 at 7

p.m. at the bank building. The following agenda was agreed upon by the board members.

With no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned.

Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce Agenda February 3, 1992

I. Set Goals for Chamber of Commerce II. Establish Calendar for 1992

III. Choose Committee Heads for Each Event IV. Make a Decision the Marketing

Regarding Committee V. Set Date and Agenda for Next Meeting VI. Meeting Adjourned

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meeting for their usual fellowship and also to kick around ideas for programs for this year's meetings. During the year the Lions plan to have programs on safety from the Electric Coop, special information programs from the telephone company, the Federal soil conservation district, many of the professional people here and from nearby communities. They hope to get speakers from the Concho Valley Council of Governments to inform the members about the different programs available to citizens of

Schleicher County, Texas.

Many other programs were suggested and if time permits three meetings each month will have an interesting program. The fourth meeting will be reserved for business.

Some of that business will resolve around a money raising project. For many years this club has had at least one major money raising project with the proceeds going to the Cripple Children's camp near Kerrville, Texas.

The spokesperson asked any person interested in giving a program should contact any lion member or Rick Sterling, Lynn Meador, Ronnie Sauer, or Tom

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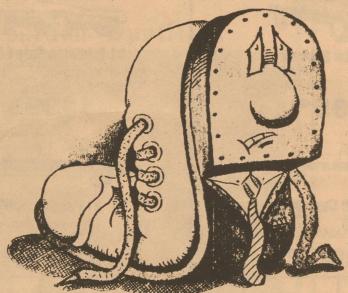
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Lindy Hardy with 8.

We have got to understand that when the second half of district play starts, every team is zero and zero, and every team wants a piece of the play-off pie. Unless we start playing better and with more intensity, we are going to have problems in the second

were three There different opportunities when we got up by 11 or 12 points in this ballgame when we should have gone ahead and put the hammer on them, but we just didn't do it. I hope that this doesn't come back to haunt us.

#### VARSITY BOYS

The boys played Iraan in Eldorado. We were 0-2 in district and they were 0-2 in district. This was a tough ballgame throughout. They had us 16-0 in the first quarter, and we had a one point going into the half-time, and they had a two point lead going into the fourth quarter. We out-scored them 17-11 to win the ballgame, 60-56. It was a great defensive effort, especially the second half. We had some people step up and hit some big shots.

With 9 seconds lift, Michael Martinez broke clear, penetrated to the dotted line and hit a jumper that ultimately was the winning points. We later added two free-throws via the technical foul, with a final four

by Matt Williams with 27 points, followed by Cy Griffin

On Friday, we also traveled to McCamey, and it was a nip-and-tuck ballgame. I really felt like we were the better team and if we played 9 out of 10 times, we would win, but unfortunately we didn't get the job done. Our guards had problems delivering the ball to court. We had several travelling violations, and overall our guard play has got to become a lot better. The final score was McCamey 58, Eldorado 54.

Our front court did a good job scoring. Cy Griffin led us in scoring with 20 points, Matt Williams had 12, and Jason Whitten with 8. We have got to understand that to win in this league that we have got to handle the ball better, and we have got to deliver it to people who can score, and when people try to sag off on us, then the guards have to step up and hit the key shots.

This puts our district record at 1-3.

Our next ballgame was against Wall at home. Wall won

The score was 8-8 at the end of the first quarter, but they

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were ahead 23-20 going into half-time. They were up 37-27 at the end of the third quarter. We cut it to a four point ballgame until they finally pulled away for the final margin 56-45.

We were led in scoring by Cy Griffin with 13 points, Trey Morrison had 8, and T.C. Willis had 7.

This was one of those ballgames, that even though the final margin was 11, we were right there again, and so far that has been the story of our season - not following through on the close ones.

Our last ballgame was against Stanton. They are 5-0, and we were 1-4. This was the next to the last game in the first half of district play.

We came out and out-scored them 17-6 in the first quarter. This is certainly the best basketball that we have played in two years, and probably ranks, as far as a single quarter dominating a game, as any we have had here. I believe that this is a glimpse of what the future holds for our boys program. At half-time, they out-scored us by 11, and we went into half time tied 28-28. We came out the third quarter and it was a battle once again. They got towards the middle of it and went up by 10, 52-42. We actually cut the

# **Basketball Update**

ballgame down to a five point deficit. They finally pulled away,

Normally I don't spend a lot of time mentioning other kids, but Key McCallister had one of the best individual game performances against one of our teams that we have had since I have been here. He had 37 points on offense, and he must have been responsible probably for 10-12 points defensively for

We were led in scoring by Cy Griffin with 13, Dallas Tourbeville with 12, T.C. Willis had 9, and we had a whole bunch of others who got in the scoring column.

Dallas came out in the very first quarter and hit a couple of threes and a couple of twos and just really started the whole thing going. He had 10 of his 12 points in the first quarter.

We played as good a ballgame as we have played against anybody in the past month, and once again we got beat by 15, but I guarantee this was a ballgame all the way

I truly believe that this is an indication of how our kids

This puts us at 1-5 in the district and ties us with Iraan for last place.

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#### J.V. GIRLS by Frankie Hardy

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Those scoring were: Lee Ann Lamb-16, Farah Fennern-13, Jennifer Holguin-8, Brooke Richards-6, Amy Mejia-4, Luby Trevino-3, and Meagon Stevenson-2.

Our next game was on January 18th in McCamey. We won this game, 36-20.

Those scoring were: Farah Fennern-8, Jennifer Holguin-8, Brook Richards-6, Lake Travita de America de Maiira de Lake Travita de America de Maiira de Lake Travita de America de Lake Travita de Lake Maiira de Lake Travita de Lake Travit Luby Trevino-4, Amy Mejia-4, Stephanie Nolen-4, and Meagon Stevenson-2.

We played Wall, here, on Tuesday, January 21st, and won 39-24.

Those scoring were: Lee Ann Lamb-8, Farah Fennern-8, Belinda Martinez-7, Jennifer

Holguin-6, Brook Richards-4, Kimberly Williams-3, and Luby Trevino-3.

#### FRESHMAN GIRLS by Paul Michalewicz

On Monday, January 20th, the Eldorado Freshman girls played Wall in Eldorado. We won, 20-12.

The girls played a much better game. We picked up a little momentum going into the tournament on Saturday.

Those scoring were: Christy Ramirez-8, Lindsay Fuessel-6, Jennifer Cheatham-2, Lee Ann Lamb-2, and Jenny

#### FRESHMEN BOYS

by Don Richters

On Saturday, January 18th, the Freshmen boys played San Angelo Lee 9th grade in Eldorado. We lost 60-42.

We weren't really ready for this team from San Angelo. They once again beat us with less mistakes and better shooting. We played hard, but had too many mistakes and

turnovers. Those scoring were: Eric McGinnes-24 points, Cody McCravey-7, Pepper Nix-5, Landon Neal-4, and Travis

Whitten-2. On Monday, January 20th, we played Wall in Eldorado. We won, 48-27.

We were physically and mentally well-prepared for this team, who beat us previously. We executed the offense and defense and shot the best we've shot since our first game.

Those scoring were: McGinnes-16 points, Landon Neal-6, Casey Peaslee-5, Travis Whitten-5, Cody McCravey-5, Creel Goodman-4, Pepper Nix-3, Larry Sanchez-2, and Fidel Herrera-2

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given of a Public Hearing to be held Tuesday, February 4, 1992, at 8:00 P.M. at the City Heal for the purpose of hearing verbal or written comment on the following proposed Ordinances:

ORDINANCE #104-91 regulating the height of uncultivated vegetation and the accumulation unsightly or objectionable, unsanitary matter; providing for removal of said materials; providing failure to comply procedures, providing abatement procedures.

ORDINANCE #105-91 regulating the location or presence of any junked or abandoned vehicle in the City of providing notification of owner; providing for impounding of said vehicle.

ORDINANCE #106-91 regulating the impounding, staking, herding or holding of livestock within the corporate limits of the City of Eldorado; providing for penalty.

Copies of the above proposed Ordinances are available at the City Hall and may be obtained during regular office hours.

> Carolyn Mayo City Secretary

THE STATE OF TEXAS To:

CAL-TEX NATURAL GAS CORP, REGISTERED AGENT: GEORGE PALMER 2001 Ross Avenue SUITE 4850, LB 113 DALLAS, TEXAS 75201

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 16th day of March 1992, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable District Court of Schleicher County, at the Court House in Eldorado, Texas.

Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on Dec. 26, 1991, in this cause, numbered 2116 on the docket of said court, and styled, C.R. Sproul, Inc. Plaintiff, vs. Cal-Tex Natural Gas Corp. Defendant.

nature of this suit is as follows: A foreclosure on mechanic's lien. The defendant is the owner of an oil, gas and mineral lease on the property upon which the materials were expended, known as: The Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section 42, Block A, H.E. & W.T. RR Co. Survey, Schleicher County, Texas, containing 160 acres, more or less, as taken from that certain Assignment of Oil and Gas Leases by and between Robert J. Johnston and Cal-tex Natural Corporation recorded Volume 365, pages 465 - 468 of the Deed Records of Schleicher county, Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on

file in this suit. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Eldorado, Texas, this the 22nd day of January A.D. 1992.

Attest: Helen Blakeway Clerk, District Court, Schleicher County, Texas. by Mary Doran Deputy.

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON **TEXAS HIGHWAY** CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 260.305 miles of seal coat on various limits on US 87, US 67, IH 10, Loop 467, US 377, US 277, SH 55, SH 163, PR 73, SH 137, RM 853, RM 2083, RM 1964, RM 2523, FM 176, RM 915, RM 2596, RM 864, RM 2034, FM 2129, FM 1692, FM 2059, RM 1973, RM 1357 and RM 2139, covered by CPM 148-3-17, CPM 158-1-52, CPM 158-2-55, CPM 159-4-22, CPM 159-5-13, CPM 160-7-25, CPM 235-3-27, CPM 333-2-5, CPM 474-1-3. CPM 494-9-11, CPM 494-10-11. CPM 555-5-15, CPM 1280-3-9, CPM 1561-1-5, CPM 1592-3-6, CPM 1642-1-6, CPM 1644-2-18, CPM 1644-3-11, CPM 1846-1-14, CPM 2010-1-8, CPM 2-10-2-7, CPM 2010-4-9, CPM 2226-2-

4, CPM 2467-1-8, CPM 2969-1-11, CPM 3-52-3-3, and CPM 3462-1-8 in Concho, Tom Green, Kimble, Sutton, Runnels, Schleicher, Val Verde, Sterling, Reagan, Counties will be received at the Department Texas Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 p.m., February 5, 1992, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Evers C. Schmidt Resident Engineer, Junction, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested Division of from the Construction and Contract Administration, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin,

through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder. The Texas Department of

Fexas 78701. Plans are available

Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated gainst on the ground of race color, sec or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

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