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'Let's Eat' hosts to judge **Bean Cook Off**

Television personalities Henry Weins and Randy Coleman will judge the 1st annual Nursing Home Bean Cook Off slated for Saturday, Oct. 28, 2006 in the nursing home courtyard.

Weins and Coleman host 'Let's Eat' on KSAN-TV in San Angelo.

The cook off will feature a number of craft booths with prizes being awarded for best booth and best attire. But, the theme of the day will be beans...beans, beans and more beans. Prize money and sponsorships will ensure that the winning teams will be handsomely rewarded.

The entry fee for the Bean Cook Off is \$20. An additional \$5 fee will be assessed if electricity is needed.

Breakfast burritos, menudo and drinks

All cooking must be done on site with cooking teams setting their camps and gear up in the back parking lot.

Organizer Annie Arispe explains that there are already 20 booths signed up for the event. Deadline to enter the Bean Cook Off or to rent booth space is Monday, Oct. 23, 2006.

For booth information or questions, contact Annie, Sarah or Anita at 325-853-2507 or by stopping by the Schleicher County Nursing Home at 400 W. Murchison in Eldorado.

All proceeds will benefit the Nursing Home Activity Fund.

USDA-NRCS accepting EQIP applications

The Natural Resources Conservation Service office in Eldorado is taking Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) applications through December 15th. The EQIP program is a cost-share incentive program available to landowners and operators for the purpose of carrying out conservation practices on their land.

Each county within the state receives a base allocation of federal dollars starting at \$134,000. This money will be used as cost-share incentives to implement priority practices within the county. Last year the County cost-shared 26 contracts for over \$500,000.

This year's priority concern, as identified by the Program Development Group, is brush management. Cedar, mesquite and pricklypear are the identified high priority target species. Chemical and/or mechanical control methods can be cost-shared to obtain your brush management goal.

Schleicher County also receives additional funding through EOIP to provide technical and cost-share assistance for Special Resource Concern Areas. Over \$500,000 is available to carry out conservation practices within the South Concho and Spring and Dove Creek Watersheds. Brush control, fencing, livestock pipelines, water storages and wells are just some of the conservation practices that can cost-shared within these special project areas.

Cost-share rates are set at 50% of an average cost. The local NRCS employees will review the application and ranking procedure with you and explain the program in more detail.

For more information, you can come by the office at 510 S. Divide in Eldorado or call 325-853-3535 Ext. 3.

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Snowball

PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Kiara Trevino showed off her cat Snowball Tuesday morning during Pet Show and Tell Day in Mrs. Darlene Edmiston's 4th Grade Class. Kiara is the daughter of Ruby Gonzalez.

Election administrator post created by county

The Schleicher County Commissioners met Monday, October 16, to make up for their October 10 meeting that was cancelled due to lack of a quorum.

Among the business at hand Monday was the creation of a new county position, that of Election Administrator.

County Clerk Peggy Williams and present Voter Registrar Jennifer Henderson discussed the need for an election administrator with County Judge Johnny Griffin and County Commissioners Johnny Mayo, Kirk Griffin and Matt Brown. Commissioner Bill Clark was absent.

Peggy Williams advised that the job of holding elections has fallen to her by law since the county doesn't have an administrator. She noted that the job has become increasingly complex in recent years, especially with the implementation of HAVA (Help Americans Vote Act) and the purchase of electronic voting machines. Also present for the meeting and lending their support to the creation of the EA post were Democratic and Republican County Chairpersons Phyllis Sauer and Bessie

During the discussion it was pointed out that if the post was created it would be supervised by the County Election Commission as provided by state law. The Election Commission consists of the County Judge, County Clerk, Tax Assessor-Collector and the county chairs of each political party making nominations by primary election.

It was further explained that the Election Commission would have the authority to hire and/or dismiss the Election Administrator. The discussion then turned to ways to fund the post and Ms. Williams presented a proposed budget for the office.

Following a lengthy discussion the commissioners voted unanimously to create the position of Election Administrator but added the duty of assisting Tax Assessor Collector Jeanne Snelson. The EA will also serve as the county Voter Registrar. The new position will begin on Jan. 1, 2007.

The commissioners then visited with representatives of two companies interested in selling the county a new track loader/ripper. Jamie Wes with John Deere and Scott Bryan with Holt Caterpillar each described their company's machinery. Road Superintendent Clay Burleson was on hand for the discussion and gave input on equipment

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Mighty Eagle Band shines in San Angelo, heads to Brady on Saturday

The Mighty Eagle Band performed at the San Angelo Marching Festival Saturday in San Angelo Stadium where they earned a Division "1" rating and placed 2nd overall in Conference 1A. The band also received the Outstanding Brass Award in Conference 1A, upsetting defending state champion

In the overall scoring, the Mighty Eagle Band received a first division rating from all the judges, including Harris Brinson, Dr. David Scott, Dr. Wayne Dorothy and Mike Brady.

Among the 1A bands competing in San Angelo were Sterling City, Bronte School, Harper, Goldthwaite, Winters, Menard and Eden.

The Eldorado band's performance included Lord of the Rings, Raiders March, Jurasic Park and Superman.

The Mighty Eagle Band next sets its sights on the District Marching Contest in Brady will be preforming in Brady this Saturday at Region VII Marching Contest. The band is slated to march at 10:15 a.m.

As always, a large contingent of Eldorado fans is expected to make their way to Brady to cheer the band on as it makes its bid for a 23rd consecutive Division "1" rating at the Region

However, those who are unable to follow the band to Brady may listen to their performance and keep up with the competition over the Internet as KNEL FM 93.5 in Brady offers its first-ever webcast of the marching contest. To hear the contest, simply log onto the station's website at: www.knelradio.com and click the local events tab.

The station has broadcast the contest for years but is only now making it available to listeners over the Internet.

Eldorado will be one eleven 1A bands competing at the contest which features 24 bands in all ranging from 1A to 4A.

The Mighty Eagle Band consists of 70 members and is directed by Mr. Jerry Barker. It is led on the field by Drum Majors Rhapsody Swyter and Abel Montalvo.



Members of the Eagle Band's winning brass line performed in San Angelo last Saturday including (L-R) Alto Sax Janelle Pechacek, French Horns Tanja Hibbs, Maygen Eubanks, Ashley Paulsan, Brent Martinez and Morgan Barker. Trumpet soloist Kassaundra Tyler center and Drum Major Rhapsody Swyter.

Woodward's **Real Revelation**

Bob Woodward's latest blockbuster book, "State of Denial," is being sold on its bogus "revelation" that President Bush has been deceptive about poor security conditions in Iraq. The book's most important aspect isn't this "news," but the insight it gives into how the U.S. government has arrived at such a middling, uninspired campaign in Iraq -- just enough not to win and just enough not to lose.

As State Department adviser Philip Zelikow



thought after a visit to Iraq in 2005, in Woodward's words, 'There was too much barely coping, just getting by and making incremental improvements."

We have been

barely coping because we have never made a decision to go all-out, partly due to the restraining influence of Secretary of Defense Don Rumsfeld. Oddly, given the way he has become a hate-figure for Democrats, it is Rumsfeld who is perhaps closest to the Democrats' preferred Iraq strategy as any other major figure in the Bush administration.

He is not interested in trying to win the war outright, so much as handing the effort over to the Iraqis. According to Woodward, "Rumsfeld said strongly and repeatedly, the Iraqis need to be given the chance to fail and fall on their faces, and only then would they pick themselves up, dust themselves off and come up with solutions."

This was a constant tension between Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice and Rumsfeld. She wanted to do more; he wanted to do less. They clashed over the creation of Provincial Reconstruction Teams in Iraqi provinces because Rice wanted the military to provide security and Rumsfeld wanted it handled by private contractors. They argued over security for Iraqi oil infrastructure, with Rice wanting more U.S. involvement and Rumsfeld less. Generally, the result has been a down-the-middle compromise, with the U.S. neither overwhelming our enemies nor letting the Iraqis sink or swim.

If Rumsfeld had had his way, we might have had one foot out the door already. In a meeting earlier this year in Baghdad, Rumsfeld raised the issue of reducing U.S. troop levels with Iraq Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki. Maliki was shocked. "It's way too early to be talking about that," he said. Rumsfeld's strategy isn't outlandish in theory, but the fact is that the Iraqis haven't yet proven they are up to the

burden he wants to place on them.

Rumsfeld has a tacit ally in minimizing the U.S. commitment in Iraq in top U.S. military commanders. Gen. John Abizaid believes that, according to Woodward, "the U.S. military had done all it could" in Iraq. Asked by his friends his strategy for winning, Abizaid responded, "That's not my job." When he visited Rep. John Murtha, the cut-and-run Democrat, Abizaid put his fingers close together and said, "We're that far apart."

So it is that Bush's stalwartness in the Iraq War never quite seems to be matched by the means he applies on the ground. His administration has been riven by debilitating divisions on Iraq for too long. Bush should appoint an Iraq czar, whose charge it is to do everything possible to win at this late hour, and who will have every resource of government at his disposal. Lest the next Woodward book cover how the U.S. handled its ignominious exit.

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Oh boy, it's the birth of a rivalry

There aren't many absolutes in this world, but there are a few. Summer follows spring, buzzards head south for the winter and even the ugliest caterpillar eventually turns into a beautiful butterfly. So it is that cycles punctuate our lives.

As Solomon wrote in Ecclesiastes, "To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven."

I doubt very much if Solomon had in mind the vagaries of high school football when he penned those famous words, but they are applicable.

Like everything else, football has its ups and downs. And...lately Eldorado football, or the varsity version thereof, has been in a slump. But, it hasn't always been that way, nor is it likely to continue.

When Kathy and I purchase the Success back in 1994 the Eldorado Eagles began a seven-run in which they made their way into the playoffs each year. Now we're on our sixth (and I believe final) year of a playoff drought. Pendulums swing, seasons turn, or as my old Granddad was fond of saying, "Everything that goes around, comes around...and when it does, it mostly comes around with an attitude."

I doubt very much if Coach Chris Bearden of Sterling City ever heard of my Granddad. But surely he's heard of Solomon.

I mention this only because I



had the opportunity last Friday evening to watch one of the poorest displays of sportsmanship I've seen since Buddy Ryan coached the Philadelphia Eagles.

Coach Bearden, his team and fans were smarting from a 78-12 loss the Sterling City JV suffered to Eldorado's JV the night before. And, they came to Eldorado seek-

It's not my job to defend Coach Rene Valeriano of the Eagles JV, they can do that for themselves. I will, however, point out a few facts. There were only three substitute players on the JV squad. Coach V. pulled his starting running backs in the second half. Eldorado scored no points in the fourth quarter and the final TD in the 3rd was made by Kaleb Murr, a young man who normally plays on the line.

Coach V. did not call any fake punts nor did he order any onside kicks. Neither did he call a time out in hopes of extending the game.

Contrast that to what happened

in Eldorado the following night. remaining to play.

Following the game, the visiting fans and cheerleaders unfurled a banner trumpeting their auspicious victory. "Remember 78-12," it said. "When you mess with one of us you get the rest of us."

As I said, life has its cycles. Obviously, next year looks to be a pretty good one for the Eldorado Eagles. The JV squad has been superb this year, so has the Middle School team. Many of those players will find their way into starting positions on the Eagles varsity in the next year or two. Pretty good timing, I think, to start a new

Did Coach Bearden consider any of this last Friday night? I doubt it. One thing's for sure, everything that goes around comes around...and when it does it mostly comes around with an attitude.

RICHMOND TIMES DISPATCH PROOFING

Leading 42-0, Coach Bearden called an onside kick in order to get the ball back and score again. Thinking that it may have been a fluke, I was stunned to see Sterling City, now up 49-0, kick yet another onside kick. Then there was a fake punt, also for the purpose of holding onto the ball and scoring more points. Finally, with time winding down, Bearden's team conserved the clock by calling three time outs. Sterling City scored its final points with less than a half-minute

State Capital commitments would eat up much of it. The budget estimates come from the Legislative Budget Board, headed by Lt. Gov. Da-

Budget makers

looking ahead

AUSTIN — Thanks to a growing

economy, higher oil and gas prices

and an increase in tax collections, state

budget estimators say Texas could

have about \$15 billion more revenue

than expected before the Legislature

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But money needed for public edu-

to legislative

session

convenes in January.

by Ed Sterling

vid Dewhurst and Speaker Tom Craddick.

In related news, the University of Texas' Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs and Strategic Partnerships Inc., a consulting firm, co-hosted a state budget conference in preparation for the 80th regular session of the Texas Legislature.

Among top speakers were the Legislature's chief budgeteers, Sen. Steve Ogden, chair of the Senate Finance Committee, and Rep. Jim Pitts, chair of the House Appropriations

It will be Ogden and Pitts' job to lead the effort to replace \$7 billion in revenue lost when the Legislature lowered school property tax rates for maintenance and operations from \$1.50 to \$1.

The new business activity tax, passed in the 3rd special session of the 79th Legislature, won't take effect until 2008. That tax came into being as a swap for the property tax cut.

Ogden, R-Bryan, and Pitts, R-Waxahachie, agreed the state's financial condition is good. But both signaled spending demands related to rapid population growth may neutralize the projected record budget surplus of more than \$10 billion in 2007-2008, the next two-year budget cycle.

Simplified, the reason the surplus may not last for long on paper or in the real world is that more people translates to more government services.

Defibrillator funding to be sought

Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst said he plans to seek funding in the coming legislative session for automated external defibrillators in all Texas public schools.

"I want to spare parents, teachers and teammates the horror of watching helplessly as someone's son or daughter fights for their life," he said.

According to Dewhurst's office, only five other states have laws specifically regarding the placement of "AEDs" in public schools, school districts or athletic events.

The estimated average cost of a portable AED is approximately \$2,000.

Awareness of the need for such devices was raised recently, when an Austin-area high school football player's heart stopped during a game. The skilled use of an

AED was credited with saving the player's life.

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subjects such as long-term care insur-

ance, personal finance, home maintenance, legal issues and more, plus an

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Little things really do mean a lot

"IS EVERYONE WATCHING? ... OK ... TESTING ... FIVE ... FOUR ... THREE ... "

When I walked up to the registration counter at the Holiday Inn Express near Hulen Mall in Fort Worth last Friday, there was a man checking in. The clerk looked and me and said, "I'll be with you in a moment." I told him not to hurry. When the man finished his checkin, I told the young man behind the counter that I had a reservation and gave him my name. He smiled, handed me a bag of goodies and said, "You're our guest of the day."

I asked him what that meant. "It means you get a huge upgrade to our Jacuzzi suite," he replied. "The Jacuzzi is in the bedroom, not in the bathroom. And you get this bag of goodies, which contains a bottle of water, a bag of popcorn, some hard candy, a chocolate bar and a certificate for a free movie."

Well, I was thrilled. I thanked him, took the bag out to my car, handed it to my wife Susan and said, "I'm the guest of the day." She was thrilled, too and considered herself mighty lucky to be traveling with such a person of



prominence.

We put our luggage on a cart and walked through the front door. I saw something I had missed on my first entrance into the facility. A sign just to the side of the registration counter proclaimed my good fortune to be guest of the day. I knew it was going to be a special time. Susan took a picture of me standing by the sign with my name on it. I was smiling.

It's something I'm sure will go on my curriculum vitae and I will use it in my introduction when I make my next speech.

Possible no one has enjoyed being Guest of the Day more than I did.

We went to a meeting that evening and I told several people about my sudden elevated status. Some of them laughed, others looked at me funny. All during the meeting, I kept thinking about getting back to our Jacuzzi suite and enjoying the popcorn and candy while watching a free

Once we decided which movie to watch, Susan put the bag of popcorn in the microwave and it popped to perfection. We drank the free bottle of water and ate the free chocolate. We drifted off to sleep thinking good thoughts.

The next morning when we checked out, I noticed the sign with my name on it was still up. Such a good feeling! I handed the girl behind the counter my free movie certificate and she asked me if I enjoyed being guest of the day. I told her it was a real highlight in my life.

I don't care if my name was chosen at random from the reservation list; it sure made me feel good. I still have some of the hard candy and occasionally I'll get a piece of it and relive my experience as guest of the day at the Holiday Inn Express.

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the couple moved constantly as and Colton of Cody, WY. Kyle trained as a pilot: Coffeyville Tampa Army Air Field, FL; Ther- Home. mal Army Air Field, CA.

the JAG office of Goodfellow be made in honor of Beula Neill Army Air Base, San Angelo, while to Hospice Midland In-Patient Unit, her husband served overseas dur- P. O. Box 2621, Midland, Texas ing WWII. After the war, the cou- 79702.

October 24.

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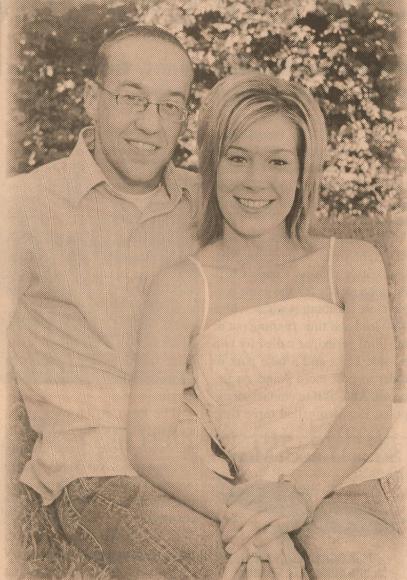
ple first resided in College Station and then Odessa. In Odessa, Mrs. Neill worked for Atlantic Richfield Oil Co., and later JW Cooper Construction Co. as accountant/office manager. She retired in 1986.

The Neill's moved to Midland in 1958. Throughout her long life she enjoyed people and bridge, Bible study, her rose garden and caring for her family. Beula was a wonderful Bible teacher, being a member of First Baptist Church of Midland for 47 years.

Beula Mae Williams Neill is survived by her husband of 63 Beula Mae Williams Neill, years, Donald Kyle Neill, Midland; Mrs. Sarah Watson of The Wood-Beula's grandparents immi- lands; Mrs. Rachel Honeyman grated to America in 1878 and of The Woodlands; and 10 greatsettled in Kerrville, Texas. Son, grandchildren; daughter, Lessie George Williams and his wife (Neill) Pickard and husband, Bob, Ruth (Beula's parents) would of Midland and children: Kyleigh settle in Eldorado, Texas in 1910. Griffin of Denver, CO; Kendall Miss Williams attended Baylor at Griffin Warren of Midland; Chris the eve of WWII, married Army and Katy Mae Griffin of Midland; Air Force Aviation Cadet D. Kyle and Rachel and Sarah Pickard of Neill on May 29, 1943, and be- Midland; son, Donald Kyle Neill, came a war bride. For 9 months Jr., of Midland and sons, Clayton

Funeral services were held Army Air Field, Kansas; Moore Thursday, October 12, 2006 in Army Air Field, South Texas; the Sanctuary of the First Baptist Mitchell Army Air Field, NY; Church of Midland. Graveside Westover Army Air Field, MA; services were Friday, October 13, Goldsboro Army Air Field, NC; 2006 at Schleicher County Cem-Blackstone Army Air Field, VA; etery Chapel. Arrangements were Norfolk Army Air Field, VA; under the direction of Ellis Funeral

In lieu of flowers, the family Mrs. Neill was employed with request that memorial donations



COURTESY PHOTO William Donald Sheen and April Linell Nixon

Nixon/Sheen Engagement

liam Donald Sheen are planning the late Lester Nixon. to be married November 25th at Kessler's in Midland.

ter of Donna Vannett of Midland, Wanda Sheen of Lamesa.

April Linell Nixon and Wil- and Leota Nixon of Gatesville and

The groom-elect is the son of Kelly and Debbie Sheen of The bride-elect is the daughter Lamesa. He is the grandson of of Reuben and Linell Nixon of Dorothy Davis of Lamesa and the Midland. She is the grand-daugh- late David Davis Jr., and Dan and

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4Hers ready for Food Show

The Schleicher County 4-H ing in the Food Show can pick up

Food Show will be on Tuesday, an Entry Form and turn in their

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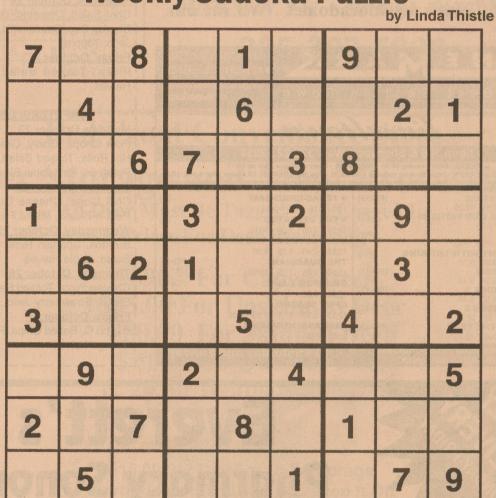
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Sterling City defeats Eagles 56-0

Visitors utilize fake punt, two on-side kicks & three time outs to pad score

a chip on its shoulder — a chip his high-powered offense could tory and a 3-0 record in District one more time. 16-1A.

the third period, he called for two on-side kicks and a fake punt in order to post more points on the board. And, as if to emphasize the point, Bearden called three time

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Donuts, Graham Crackers, Choice

Cinnamon Toast, Choice of Cereal,

Pancake on a Stix, Syrup,

Applesauce Cups, Choice of Juice,

BASKET LINE

McRib Sandwich, Baked Chips,

Cucumber Salad, Pineapple Slices

Chili Dogs, Cheese Cup, Fritos,

Crisptos, Cheese sauce, Ranch

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Chef Salad, Dressing, Diced Ham,

Cheese Cup, Crackers(8), Stawberry

Pizza, Tossed Salad, Orange

CAFETERIA LINE

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Burritos, Spanish Rice, Cucumber

Cheese Pizza, Tossed Salad, Peach |

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Slices, Strawberry Jello, Topping

Monday, October 23

Tuesday, October 24

Choice of Juice, Milk Wednesday, October 25

Thursday, October 26

Choice of Juice, Milk

Friday, October 27

Monday, October 23

Tuesday, October 24

Pork-n-Beans, Mixed Fruit

Wednesday, October 25

Thursday, October 26

Jello, Topping

Friday, October 27

Monday, October 23

Tuesday, October 24

Potatoes, Pineapple Slices

Pork-n-Beans, Mixed Fruit

Wednesday, October 25

Salad, Apple Halves

Friday, October 27

Orange halves

Thursday, October 26

of Juice, Milk

The Sterling City varsity team outs late in the 4th quarter so that came to Eldorado last Friday with the clock wouldn't expire before that helped it coast to a 56-0 vic- pound the ball into the end zone

While the action on the field But wait, coast probably isn't appeared to be between Eldorado's the right word to describe Ster- and Sterling City's varsity squads, ling City's victory. Coach Chris clearly the Sterling City players, Bearden clearly felt the game was coaches and fans were focused too close for comfort when, with a on another, very different game... 42-0 lead and time running out in a game played twenty-four hours earlier between the two schools' junior varsity teams, a game that Eldorado's JV won by a 78-12

> Burleson said. "Yes our JV put up remembered by Eldorado players and fans. 78 points on them in three quarsituation."

In fact, it wasn't even close to quarter." the same situation. Eldorado's JV squad put up 56 points in the first actually came on a six yard run half of their Thursday night game in Sterling City. "We had linemen Murr.

"The head coach over there Eagles safety Zach Hash secured the ball after falling on a Sterling made the JV game into a big deal," City fumble last Friday evening in Eagle Stadium. The Warbirds Eldorado's Head Coach Johnny fell 56-0 to the visitors in a controversial game that will be long

ters, but that just wasn't the same running the ball in the second half.

by an Eldorado lineman, Kaleb

"All I can say is sportsmanship," We didn't even score in the fourth Burleson added. "I would be raising an eyebrow if I lived in Sterling The last score of that game City. Coach Bearden jeopardized his whole season over nothing What if their stud running back got hurt in the fourth quarter because his coach left him in with a 42-0

lead to settle a grudge?" The night was topped off with a large sign held high by the Sterling City fans and cheerleaders stating, "Remember 78-12. When you mess with one of us, you mess with all of us."

"It's safe to say that we won't forget this thing," Burleson said. We have some real talented kids coming up over the next few years. If they came here looking for a rivalry, they found one."

Coach Chris Bearden did not return phone calls to The Success nor respond to our e-mail ques-

Sterling City's last score of the night came with 20 seconds left in the game. The TD was set up by three timeouts.

"It is obvious that we couldn't move the ball on them," Burleson said. "We made some mistakes that led to them having big plays."

Eldorado managed a total of 73 yards offense on the night. Seventy came on the ground, and the other three through the air.

David Hernandez accounted for 65 of those yards on the ground.

Sterling City ended the night with 477 total yards and the lead in District 16-1A.

Eldorado will face off against the Menard Yellowjackets Friday night at Eagle Stadium. "Menard is in the same boat we're in," said Burleson. "They need this win just as badly as we do it."

Kick off is slated for 7:30 p.m and everyone is encouraged to come out and support the Eagles. as they look for their first win of the season against long-time rival Menard.



Eagles running back David Hernandez found a crease in the Sterling City defense last Friday night and sprinted through it for an Eldorado first down.



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JV rolls 78-12 over S-City

as they trumped the Sterling City the two-point try. Eagles 78-12. The junior Warbirds three quarters of play.

Rene Valeriano moved his starting running backs to other positions back for the other. for the second half in an attempt to limit the damage. That proved to in the third quarter with a 30 yard be a wasted effort however, as Ster- reception from Lux. Tirado recovling City players, coaches and fans ered a fumble and returned it 35 took exception to the thumping and anyway and came to Eldorado the the varsity game. (see related story down to round out the scoring. on Page 4)

Wes Brown started things off fourth quarter. with a 15 yard touchdown run Tirado finished up the scoring for Menard.

The Eldorado Eagles JV squad the first quarter on a 20 yard touchcould do no wrong Thursday night down run with Sanchez converting

Brown scored again on a 48 would get all their points in the first yard touchdown run with Paul Martinez converting the two-Eldorado had only three sub-points. Ryan Castillow scored the stitutes on the sideline and all next two touchdowns with a 45 them saw action. In fact, Coach yard touchdown pass from Garret Lux and a blocked punt and run

> Martinez started the scoring yards for a touchdown.

Kaleb Murr finished the night following night seeking revenge in with a six yard scamper for a touch-

Eldorado failed to score in the

The JV game with Midland and two-point conversion. Ivany Greenwood was cancelled this Sanchez pounded in a touchdown week meaning that a number of from 10 yards out with Garret Lux JV Eagles will see action with he converting on the two-point. David varsity this week as they take on



SC Nursing Home players enjoying a afternoon of dominoes. (L-R) Kathy Leonard, Volunteer Jimmie Sue Griffith and Buck

Nursing Home Chit Chat

by Annie Arispe,

but instead of a Chili Cook-Off be cooked by electricity or open play too much. fire. Prizes will be awarded! The The Eldorado Middle School or find a way to get themselves into cooking area will be set up in our recognized the Dietary Departarea. We are excited to have Chef Henry Wiens and Randy Coleman standing Performance. from San Angelo's very own cook-

ing show "Let's Eat." Food, drinks, music, and Eloy Bustos ended the night booths, will be present throughmie O'Harrow threw for six yards towards our nursing home. Please next week. come and join us in all the fun. Nathan Jimenez scored a touch- Cooking begins at 8:00 A.M.

Residents and family decorated DO NOTHING."

30. Within: Prefix

31. Watergate fig-

32. Help in a heist

39. Put to shame

43. Mont Blanc, e.g.

40. Italics do it

46. Glasses and

49. Turnover, e.g.

Men Can't Jump"

52. French textile

53. Plumber's tool

55. Designer Cas-

57. Grander than

58. Baylor's city

59. Tickled pink

61. Reproductive

54. Superhero's

51. Rosie of "White

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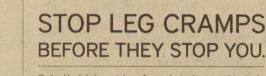
John

several dozen bats and pumpkins Nursing Home Activity Director cookies recently. It seemed that A Bean Cook-Off. What? residents got much of the frost-Some laugh, some are puzzled, ing on themselves but all had a great time and managed to get the Schleicher Co. Nursing Home cookies decorated. We had a few is hosting a Bean Cook-Off on dominoes games going threw out Saturday, October 28. This may the week, but never enough, so if start a trend and could very well you have some spare time, come be a first for the area. Beans can join us. Our residents can never

For the month of October we courtyard and the north parking ment, Center Supply, Maintenance and Physical Therapy for Out-

The Edmiston Family surprise, Frances Edmiston with a birthday party on Sunday at the Nursing Home and had a big crowd through out the day. All proceeds will go out the afternoon. Thanks, see you

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Middle School Eagles soar **36-0 over Sterling City**

Eagles football team continued its the end zone. winning ways with a 36-0 win over win moves the junior Eagles season record to 5-0 with a 3-0 mark in District.

Sterling City couldn't find a way to stop the Eldorado offense, with 30 yards on the ground. Jay-



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Miles Mikeska ended the night Sterling City last Friday night. The with one rushing touchdown and a two-point conversion.

> Rudy Sanchez made a statement with three rushing touchdowns.

and ran for eight.

down on the ground.

Defensively Eldorado played solid with Ben Wipff recording one sack and forcing a fumble. Rudy Sanchez added another one sack.

Briley Ledbetter recovered two fumbles, and the defensive line played an outstanding game.





Weekly Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Person, place or thing 5. Baby powder

mineral 9. Ship's navigation

14. "Rule, Britannia" composer

15. "Hear no 16. Island off

Venezuela 17. Seized vehicle

18. Linda, Calif. 19. Naive ones 20. Grid official,

before kickoff 23. Diner lunch order 24. Caught in a trap

25. Sushi bar quaff 27. Surfacing stuff 28. Became skilled in

32. Pale with fright 35. Hayloft bundle 36. Wax's opposite 37. Fan's rebuke

38. Smoke shop buys 41. Nutritionist's abbr.

42. Jazzy Fitzgerald 44. Object of ridicule 45. Pucker producer 47. Turnpike structure

49. Fork over 50. Important work 51. Strip sections

54. Female whale 56. Show set in the White House 60. Parcel out 62. Hair line

63. Line to Ben-Gurion

64. Source of irritation 65. Pastry finisher 66. -Seltzer

67. Samantha of

"Doctor Dolittle" 68. Snug and warm 69. Marsh plant

DOWN 1. Pusher's foe 2. Creme-filled

snacks 3. Detach, in a way 4. Nursery

newcomer 5. Penn pal

6. Steer clear of 7. Like a wet noodle 8. Keep time, in a

9. Maze scurrier 10. _ pro nobis 11. Durable pitcher's asset

12. Genesis victim 13. Thomas, creator of the GOP elephant

21. Euro predecessor 35. Super dry, to a 22. Krupp works city

26. London's Gardens 28. Dull finish

29. Oodles

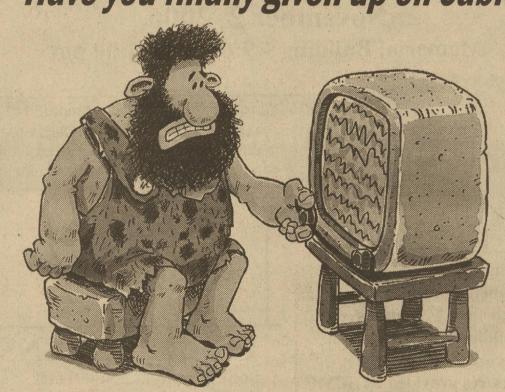
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> Fort Hood's 21st Cavalry Bde. and involve frequent flights in Brown,

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with several neighboring counties, Training will be conducted by make up what Fort Hood officials calls the Western Training Area.

ducted by the 21st Cav. helps units function as a team and operate over the distances which they will encounter in actual combat explained.

minates with a series of exercises in West Texas areas where land and airspace provide the extended cated within the boundaries of the Fort Hood Military Reservation."

As part of the training, visually modified vehicles - designed to traveling throughout the training area and may be seen parked in the Western Training Area while the Apache crews search for them.

No live ammunition is used in an effort to add more realism to the training, smoke may be employed to simulate a "kill" when a vehicle by the Longbows.

colors," a Fort Hood spokesperson said. "It's non-toxic, and won't pose a threat to local residents or

activities during the period will be staged out of the Camp Bowie National Guard Training Center in the world.'

and night training missions.

Military convoys will be encountered along Texas Hwys. 190, Brownwood prior to and following each training period.

The 4/3 ACR, nicknamed "The realistic training con- "Longknife" will be stationed at Fort Hood upon completion of their training. The newest Longbow unit will continue to train in preparation for the possibility of conditions," a unit training officer deployment at some future date. As in the past, this training in the "This intense training program WTA may involve larger numbers lasts about nine months and cul- of Army aircraft - including UH-1 Hueys, UH-60 Blackhawks and CH-47 Chinook helicopters.

"With the increased numbers maneuver space that can't be repli- of larger aircraft, there comes an increased chance crews may fly over buildings or livestock," a fight training specialist pointed out.

"It's the aircrew's responsibility imitate an "enemy" force - will be to make every effort to avoid direct over-flight of buildings and livestock. Aviation crews are briefed on such avoidance prior to every mission flown."

Col. Gregory Brockman, comthe training exercise. However, in mander of the 21st Cavalry Bde. expressed his appreciation – and that of the Army - to residents of the Western Training Area has been located and "destroyed" "for their continued support of the brigade during these training "This smoke may be of various exercises so that training can be conducted in the most realistic scenarios possible.

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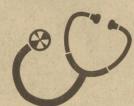
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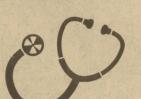


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Unhappy with Sterling City fans and cheerleaders

Dear Editor:

to start this letter. After the game the only ones that could walk out Friday night against Sterling City I of that stadium with their heads was shocked to see fans and cheer- held high. leaders from Sterling City holding up a huge sign saying "Remember such great kids and to them I would 78-12 when you mess with one of say "thank you" for having respect us you get the rest of us".

nessed more rude and unsportsman- have a new RIVAL. like conduct at a high school function in my life, and for the Coaches, Parents, Faculty, and Fans all I can say is "how could you allow such a thing"? Especially from such a talented team with so much going for them (but class).

How lucky are we to have such good kids, that not one of them

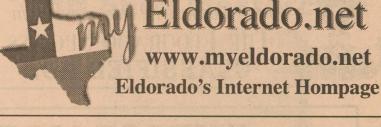
made a scene with such a slap in Eldorado Football Players and the face. The way I see it even Coaches make us Proud, this is though we lost the game our Playthe only phrase I could think of ers, Coaches, Parents, and Fans are

Eldorado is so lucky to have for your Parents, Coaches, and I don't think I have ever wit- Fans. However I now believe we

> Shelly Phillips Eldorado, TX

Answer to Sudoku on Page 3

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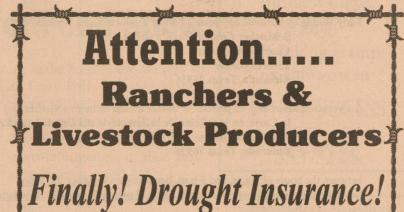




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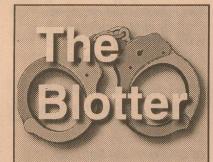
If you are not sure which model you have, or if you have other questions regarding your device, you should consult with your physician.





Why does the early bird always get the worm? Because he reads about it in

THE ELDORADO SUCCESS **CLASSIFIED ADS**



The Blotter is a summary of the previous week's activity by the Schleicher County Sheriff's Dept. For practical reasons of time and space, The Blotter does not include every call made to the Sheriff's office, nor does it include routine security checks. minor traffic stops or routine patrols. Accidents of major impact will be reported separately. Subjects reported to have been arrested are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

ARRESTS Oct. 10 · Hernandez, Jose Luis,

male age 24, served 2 days. Oct. 11 · Moya-Huerta, Norberto, male age 19, offense Driving With License Invalid, Driving While Intoxicated, and Minor In Possession. Released on (2) \$1,000 Surety Bonds and (1) \$10,000 Surety Bond.

Oct. 12 · Cavazos, Margarita M., female age 43, Driving Without License. Released on Citation.

Oct. 13 · Espinosa, Gilberto Angelo. Javier, male age 25, offense Posouces.) Released on \$1,000 Surety

· Hernandez, Edgar G. male age Released on time served.

Sutton County.

Oct. 17 · Holsey, Michael Brandon, male age 23, offense Public In- music from residence. Officer was toxication and Disorderly Conduct. notified.

INCIDENTS on Hwy. 277 North, black w/white short hair, no collar, 20 lbs.

 7:25 p.m. Livestock out on Hwv. smoke or fire. 190. Officer contacted and unable to locate owner.

• 7:30 p.m. Complainant locked keys in vehicle. Contacted local garage to unlock vehicle.

· 7:48 p.m. Report of cows on Hwy. 190 east.

 8:31 p.m. Subject locked keys in vehicle. Dispatch contacted a local garage to unlock.

advised caller to contact city animal control officer.

ported they had locked keys in with friend. vehicle and requested an officer.

• 8:23 a.m. Subject reported that they would be doing a controlled burn 12 miles north of Eldorado.

• 9:12 a.m. Caller on County Road 427 reported they would be holding a controlled burn.

• 9:57 a.m. Complainant report- and 312. ed goats in the Christian addition.

formation on vehicle to release to driver and pickup at the corner of correct owner.

· 4:38 p.m. Black Angus bull reported on County Road 119.

Oct. 12 · 2:36 p.m. Caller responded. reported a black Angus bull out

stopped officer to report oil field Office notified ER. workers littering on their property.

loud dogs on South Main.

· 8:03 p.m. Complainant resession of Marijuana (Less Than 2 quested an officer speak with them about air horns being used at the football game.

19, turn self in. Serve court cost. ported their officers were currently looking for a 4-wheeler accident Oct. 15 • Rogers, Cyminthia near a ranch on County Road 102. Kay, female age 42, DPS hold for Officer responded. Accident was found in Crockett County.

• 9:01 p.m. Caller reported a Oct. 10 • 1:36 p.m. Found dog possible smoke alarm soundresponded and found no visible

reported at football stadium. Officer

ant reported harassing phone calls to child

• 1:53 a.m. Parent contacted Sheriff Office after child did not return home after 5th quarter party. Parent awoke by a truck peeling out • 9:30 p.m. Caller on Dixie re- and throwing gravel. Found juvenile ported skunk in yard. Dispatcher not home and did not know if they are missing or left by own choice. Requested to speak to officer. Of-

> vised they had a deer to give away. Dispatched told subject to contact Game Warden. Game Warden

· 7:03 p.m. Caller reported illegal dumping on County Road 316

• 11:53 p.m. Officer requested a • 11:48 a.m. Caller needed in- licensed driver to pickup unlicensed NE Ave. and Cottonwood.

> Oct. 15 · Subject reported loud music on El Paso Street. Officer arrived at scene.

on County Road 119. Officer re- female had fallen. Caller wanted Sheriff Office to notify emergency

• 8:16 p.m. Complainant on Hwy. driver in a white Chevy SUV. Caller responded. Oct. 13 • 5:14 p.m. Hospital stated the SUV almost hit them and reported a ACLS transfer to San the car in front of them. Driving to

fast for weather conditions. Officer responded

•10:36 p.m. 911 Call. Caller reported a subject was a having a diabetic episode and was refus-• 8:39 p.m. Sutton County re- ing an ambulance. Two officers responded.

Oct. 16 · 12:43 a.m. 911 Call. Caller on Hwy. 915 reported pickup missing and keys to other vehicle taken. Phone lines to house had • 8:42 p.m. Caller reported loud been disconnected. Officer responded and reported an unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and cut telephone lines.

· 12:43 a.m. 911 Call. Ambuing at neighbors house. Officer lance dispatched for a medical emergency. EMS responded.

· 1:08 p.m. Manager of store • 9:17 p.m. Criminal mischief reported a shoplifter. Officer re-

· 7:26 p.m. 911 Call. Caller Oct. 14 · 12:03 a.m. Complain- requested an ambulance to an apartment for a subject who had collapsed. Subject just had recent surgeries.

8:13 p.m. Missing person. Caller from Terrel County reported a missing person somewhere between Ft. McKavett and Sonora on Hwy 864. Subject had vehicle trouble and was hitch hiking a ride to Sonora. Subject has not arrived Oct. 11 • 7:32 a.m. Caller re- ficer located subject at 2:33 a.m. to date. Officer and Sutton County Sheriff Office alerted. Attempts to · 10:21 a.m. Complainant ad- contact Menard Sheriff Office for assistance unsuccessful. Subject was driving a black dually pickup. Subject was later located at 8:50 p.m. OK.

> 9:03 p.m. 911 Call. Complainant requested an officer at their residence for a relative was becoming violent. Two officers were dispatched to scene.

9:14 p.m. 911 Call. Caller reported subject tried to strangle them and kidnap a child. Officers

Oct. 17 · 7:20 a.m. Ambulance • 4:03 p.m. 911 Call. Pregnant dispatched for a ACLS transfer to a San Angelo hospital.

· 4:20 p.m. Civil disturbance. · 8:37 p.m. Unknown male room of subjects arrival. Sheriff Complainant reported girlfriend took children to San Angelo and would not bring them home. Father • 9:46 p.m. Neighbor reported 277 south reported a reckless has custody of children. Officer

6:07 p.m. Controlled burn reported 4 miles east on Hwy. 190.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF GAS RATE INCREASE REQUEST

On May 31, 2006, Atmos Energy Corporation, Mid-Tex Division ("Atmos" or "the Company"), filed a Statement of Intent with the Railroad Commission of Texas ("Commission) and each city within Atmos' service territory, to increase its gas rates and implement a new schedule of rates and riders applicable to all customers in the Mid-Tex Division. The proposed revisions to the rates and riders will impact all classes of service, and each of Atmos' approximately 1,500,000 customers (1,371,625 residential, 121,643 commercial, 235 industrial, and 715 transportation customers).

The Company has requested a systemwide increase of its revenues to \$1,758.7 million, resulting in an increase in annual revenues of approximately \$60.9 million or 3.6%, including gas costs, or 14.1% excluding gas cost. In addition, the Company has requested that it recover its rate case expenses and any rate case expenses for cities that are ordered by the Commission. The proposed change in revenues constitutes a "major" change as that term is defined by state law.

The monthly bills of typical customers would be affected by the proposed changes as follows:

	Customer Class	Current Bill	Proposed Bill	Difference	Percentage Increase With Gas Cost	Percentage Increase Without Gas Cost	
	Residential Customer (R)	\$75.00*	\$79.02*	\$4.02	5.36%	21.48%	
	Commercial Customer (C)	\$326.64*	\$344.80*	\$18.16	5.56%	40.53%	
	Industrial Customer (I)	\$3,360.85*	\$3,367.95*	\$7.10	0.21%	5.26%	
	Transportation Customer (T)	\$569.54	\$576.64	\$7.10	1.25%	5.26%	

*Includes gas cost of \$8.6452 per Mcf (2005 average cost)

**The calculation of bill impacts assumes monthly consumption of 6 Mcf for residential, 30 Mcf for commercial, and 300 Mcf for industrial and transportation

The Company is also requesting approval of its revised depreciation rates, a weather normalization adjustment rider based on 10-year normal weather, a revenue stabilization adjustment rider, the recovery of uncollectible gas cost as well as the cost of required odorant for natural gas through Rider GCR instead of through base rates, and updated upstream pipeline cost allocation factors. The Company is further requesting rate design changes to Rates R, C, I and T. In addition, the Company is seeking a determination that its interim rate adjustments for 2003, 2004, and 2005 are just and reasonable in accordance with Texas Utilities Code § 104.301; the impact of these interim rate adjustments is reflected in the table above.

Persons with specific questions or desiring additional information about this filing may contact Atmos Energy Corporation at 1-800-460-3030. Affected persons may view a copy of the Statement of Intent at Atmos' offices located at 5420 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1800, Dallas, Texas 75240, or at the Commission's offices located at 1700 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas 78711. At any time within 30 days following the date on which Atmos' proposed rate changes would become effective, affected persons may file written comments or protests with the Commission at the following address:

Docket Services Section Office of General Counsel (Re: Gas Utilities Docket No. 9670) Railroad Commission of Texas P. O. Box 12967 Austin, TX 78711-2967

Pursuant to an order entered by the Commission on May 16, 2006, the proceeding initiated by Atmos at the Commission is being consolidated with all appeals from all other municipal rate proceedings, including those initiated by the filing of the Statement of Intent. The proposed effective date of the requested rate changes is October 1, 2006. Rates in unincorporated areas will become effective when rates become effective within the nearest incorporated municipality. The Commission hearing on the merits of Atmos' request will begin on or after October 31, 2006.

Este es un aviso a los clientes de Mid-Tex División de Atmos Energy Corporation, (la "Compañía"), que la Compañía está solicitando un aumento en la tarifa del gas. Este aumento afecta a todos los clientes de la Compañía en el sistema de Mid-Tex. Si usted tiene preguntas con respecto a este aumento, por favor llame a Atmos Energy Corporation al 1-800-460-3030.

Notice of General Election

(Aviso de Eleccion General)

To the registered voters of the County of Schleicher. Texas:

(a los votantes registrados del Condado de Schleicher, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Novel 2006, for voting in a General Election to elect (presidential electors, if applicable), Members of Congress, Members of the Legislatures, and state, district, county, and precinct oficers;

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de noviembre de 2006 para votar en La Elección General pára elegir (electores presidenciales, si es aplicable), Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES:

Precinct #1 - First Methodist Church Educational Bldg.

Precinct #2 - Schleicher County Memorial Bldg.

Precinct #3 - Schleicher County Annex Bldg. Precinct #4 - Our Lady Guadalupe Catholic Church/Head Start Bldg

(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Precinto #1 Primera Iglesia Metodistá / Edifio de Educación Precinto #2 Edificio Memorial del Condado de Schleicher Precinto #3 Edificio Annex del Condado de Schleicher

Precinto #4 Iglesia Católica de la Virgen de Guadalupe / Edificio de Educación

Early Voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at: Schleicher County Clerk's Office

Courthouse Square 2 North Divide Eldorado, Texas 76936

Eldorado, Texas 76936

(La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en:) la Corte, en la Oficina de la Secretaria del Condado de Schleicher 2 del Norte Divide

between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on October 23, 2006. (entre las 9 de la mañana y las 5 de la tarde el principio en el 23 de octubre de 2006.)

and ending on November 3, 2006 (y terminando el 3 de noviembre de 2006)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Peggy Williams, County Clerk P. O. Drawer 580

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán enviarse a:) Peggy Williams, Secretaria del Condado de Schleicher P. O. Drawer 580

Eldorado, Texas 76936

Eldorado, Texas 76936 Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on: October 31, 2006

(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio: el 31 de Octumbre de 2006.)

Issued this the October 12, 2006 (Publicado este el 12 de octubre 2006)

> Johnny F. Griffin, Schleicher County Judge Johnny F. Griffin, Juez del Condado de Schleicher

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The commissioners then met exterior. with engineer David Todd who

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but the county could exercise their right to specify Todd's firm. But the commissioners chose not to do that and left the decision to TxDOT.

Among other action the comextended warranty. The bids are missioners discussed but took no to be received by Nov. 20, 2006. action on a nominee to the Region The men also decided to offer the F Water Board. Neither did they county's used track loader for sale act on hiring a firm to make repairs to the courthouse's masonry

As the meeting wound down asked that the county consider the men voted to declare Octohiring his firm, Enprotec/Hibbs ber as Czech Heritage month in & Todd for upcoming work at Schleicher County. They also voted the airport. It was noted that the to \$350 in dues to Association Texas Department of Transporta- of Rural Communities in Texas. tion Aviation Division is prepared They also approved the purchase to hire an engineer for the project of dollies for tables and chairs in the Memorial Building.

Before adjourning, the men in background) Republican County Chairwoman Bessie Jones, reviewed the county's financial reports, approved a budge transfer request by County Treasurer Karen Henderson in the amount of \$170,000 and authorized payment of the monthly bills.

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EQIP applications...

Lydia Vallejo. Commissioner Bill Clark was absent.

The Schleicher County Commissioners Court voted Monday to

create an Election Administrator position due to the increased

complexity of Texas election law. Pictured at the table (clockwise

from lower left) Judge Johnny Griffin, Commissioners Matt

Brown, Kirk Griffin and Johnny Mayo. Also on hand were (L-R

Democratic County Chairwoman Phyllis Sauer and secretary

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