62ND YEAR

ELDORADO __ SCHLEICHER COUNTY __ TEXAS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1963

NUMBER 50

Eldorado Firemen Called To Christoval

Eldorado firemen were roused from their comfortable beds at the ungodly hour of 4:00 o'clock Tuesday morning when a call for help came from Christoval where three business buildings were on

Eldorado sent two fire trucks and helped to protect adjoining buildings, but the three were a

Razed were a beauty shop, a dry cleaning establishment and two vacant buildings, used for storage, that once housed a general store and grocery store. Also destroyed was the headquarters of the Christoval Masonic Lodge No. 901, which occupied the second story above the dry cleaners.

Rain started falling before the flames were put under control and the local men all returned home wet, cold and miserable.

Hunters Reminded To Register For Deer Prizes

The Chamber of Commerce again reminds Schleicher county hunters to register bucks, does and gobblers at the ice house in order to be eligible for game prizes which will be awarded January 1st.

Prizes are to be awarded not for the deer weighing the most, but to the ones nearest to a certain secret weight registered at the County Judge's office. Hunters bagging small animals are just as likely to

win as those with larger deer. First prize will be a deer rifle which will be given for a buck deer, dressing out nearest to the secret weight.

Second prize will be a K4 Weaver scope for the antlerless deer which happens to be closest to the judge's secret weight.

Third prize: Insulated hunting clothes for the turkey gobbler having a beard nearest to a certain secret length.

The secret weights registered at

Accomplishments Listed

Chamber of Commerce Secretary Dean Murr this week submits a list of projects which the Chamber has supported with cash during the past 12 months:

Feb. 7, 1963, Home Demonstra tion Council June 14, 1963, Firemen's Ban-\$100 Nov. 7, 1963, National Adv. High-

Nov. 20 1963, American Leg-Nov. 26, 1963, Little League uni-

_\$140 Nov. 26, 1963, Christmas Decoration Prizes

ment Trophies -

the crew to take a week's vacation. able.

Christmas stories, articles, and

features will be in the special sec-

ny, and for little a cost?

call our office, at 21771.

Greeting Edition To Come Out Dec. 19th

On Thursday, December 19th, in items as soon as possible. the annual Christmas Greeting edi-

tion of the Eldorado Success will all local churches for the Sunday

be published for our readers. As just before Christmas and the

usual it will be the largest paper | Sunday afterward; so pastors and

of the year and have combined other church reporters should turn

with it the edition for the follow- in the news regarding their res

ing week, Dec. 26, in order for pective churches as soon as avail-

tions, and most local merchants would like to remind you that a

will carry a greeting message for Christmas Gift twice given is the

their many customers and friends. one you buy right here in Eldo-

viduals have placed greeting ads recipient, and also to your friend

to greet their local and county and neighbor—the hometown mer-

friends instead of the more costly chant from whom you buy. Maybe

and troublesome way of sending it's only a small purchase, but a

out Christmas cards, and too, many town's retail community is built

people receive your message you up in large part by small pur

cess goes into most Schleicher | It's a brighter Christmas for

county homes and how else can everyone when holiday business

you send your greetings to so ma- has been good in our home town

\$2 up to almost any size—up to a long time to bring you the best he

page, and we have one of the can find in his line. Why not give

next week for a greeting ad, please ping has been under way for many ll our office, at 21771. weeks and time is now growing we will be publishing part of short. For the rest of your needs

this greeting edition later this this holiday season, why not look

week, so ask the co-operation of first in Eldorado, buy first in Eldo-

the public. Contributors of col- rado, and get the satisfaction of

umns and other news should turn the gift twice given?

If we have not contacted you by Promotion of Christmas shop-

best art services money can buy. | them a break?

Christmas greeting ads run from chant, has been planning for

would not send cards to. The Suc- chases, and every one helps.

Also in recent years, some indi- rado. It brings pleasure to the

Sue Edmiston Is Gold Star Girl



SUE EDMISTON

Sue Edmiston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Edmiston of Eldorado, was honored at a district 4-H luncheon in San Angelo on Wednesday, Dec. 11.

The occasion was the annual Gold Star luncheon for outstanding 4-H club boys and girls of an area of 22 surrounding counties comprising District 7.

The Gold Star award is the highest rank of achievement possible for any club member in county in the state. Sue has more than abundantly earned her honor. Outstanding for her achievements in livestock, sheep and wool production, Sue is a well rounded young lady of 14 who excells in homemaking activities of many descriptions.

In 1958, Sue showed her first blue ribbon 4-H club steer at the Schleicher County show. white and blue ribbons have caused the trophy chests to overflow since that time. Well known in the San Angelo area, she has gained more recognition in Abilene, Dallas, El Paso, Brownwood, and Sonora, as she has exhibited registered Herefords, Dorset lambs, range ewes, and prize winning wool fleeces. Ribbons, trophy cups, spur clips, award pins and banners are reminders of the 4 years' hard load of judges will make every are reminders of the 4 years' hard load of judges will make every load of judges will vealed until Jan. 1st, when the not only in the corral and feed prizes will be awarded.

| making their selections, but if there are residents who live in

Last May, Sue was elected as one of the three girl delegates to represent Schleicher county at the District 4-H girls' camp held annually at Lake Brownwood.

Sue practices her home economics training in a realistic way. For three or more years she has been mature enough to take over all the cooking and household jobs way Signs (beyond Iraan) --- \$1,000 as her mother was called on nursing assignments; sometimes for several weeks.

Scholastically, Sue maintains a high record. Her interests involve _\$15 her in the band and other school Dec. 6, 1963, Basketball Tourna- organizations. Truly, Sue is train-_\$15 ing her head, heart, hands and Dec., 1963, Prizes for Deer Sea- health to fulfill the finest hopes of \$130 a 4-H club member.

One final word in closing:

and your friend, the local mer

We at the Eldorado Success



The Community Choir of Eldorado

The Christmas Messiah'

a cantata by George Frederick Handel directed by Frank O'Banion

Sunday, December 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church

	Mrs. Creola Phelps, organist	Mrs. Maxine Page,	pianist
	Mrs. Helen Marie Page	Soprano	
l	Mrs. Mabel Blaylock	Alto	Soloist
I	Joe M. Christian	Tenor	Soloist
ĺ	Frank O'Banion	Bass	Soloist
ı			

Just One Week Remains To Enter Dec. Contest

C. J. Hahn, president of the remains to get displays ready for the decorating contest being sponsored by the Lions and the Schleicher County Chamber of Com-

Judging will take place in about week when a secret committee drives around town and makes selections for the three prizes to

be awarded. Prizes will be for best decorated: Yard or Roof --_ \$10

outlying parts of town who have put up Christmas displays and who wish to be judged, they should call Mr. Hahn within the coming week and he will be sure to send the judges around.

The best - decorated business house will be awarded a plaque to keep for a year.

Eagle Cagers Beat **Rocksprings** 59-39

The Eldorado Eagles won their third game of the basketball season 59-39 last Friday in Rock-

The Eagles started off with a jump shot for a 2-0 lead. The Eagles led 12-9 at the quarter mark and 27-18 at half-time. They continued to build a good margin despite a poorly played game.

Richard Preston controlled both boards and led the Eagles with 32 points. Tip Finley had 9, Lynn Meador 8, Mike McCravey 7, Larry Blair 2, and Jackie Mackey 1. Score by quarters:

Eldorado won the B-game 62-16 as Danny Halbert scored 16 points and Joe Phillips had 13 and Scott McGregor 12.

ble figures Eldorado beat Sonora Eldorado Lions club, reminds local residents that just a week night. After a close 14-14 first night. After a close 14-14 first quarter score, Eldorado pulled away to a 31-24 half-time advantage, and continued to add to its margin. At the third quarter mark contests. Eldorado led 49-31, and reserves

and Sonora 58-45

played most of the fourth quarter. Richard Preston played less than 2 quarters because of four fouls he acquired early in the game. Lynn Meador led the Eagle attack with 16 points, followed closely by Tip Finley with 14, Jackie Mackey had 11, and Richard Preston 10.

The Eagles hit a fair 33 1/3% the judge's office will not be re- work which have had to be done effort to go all over town before line hitting only 6 of 18 for a

The Eagles play Bronte today at 2:15 in the Christoval tourna ment. Their next home game will be Tuesday when Mertzon comes to town. First game starts at 5:15. Score qu Quarters:

Eldorado ____ 14 17 18 19—58 Sonora ____ 14 10 7 14—45 Eldorado won the B-Game 45-26. Roy Love and Scott McGregor led the attack with 14 and 12 points respectively.

Coldest Weather So Far — Sets In

Winter's coldest blast so far set in Tuesday over Eldorado and a bang, they controlled the tip at wide area, dropping temperatures center, and Lynn Meador hit a to about 27 degrees yesterday morning.

This is the coldest weather of the winter so far this year; people huddled over stoves today, and ventured out only if necessary.

Windshields were sheathed with ice and farther north, around Lub- Hunting Trip For Boys bock, some roads were reported icy which curtailed travel.

The weatherman did not promise any immediate relief from the Eldorado ____ 12 15 15 17—59 cold wave as the Success went to Rocksprings _ 9 9 9 12—39 press this week.

> Kenneth Hicks has moved from the Calentine house to the T. C Henderson house.

Mrs. Oliver Teele presents her choral groups

Christmas Program

and operetta

"Christmas Means Love" Monday, December 16, at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Auditorium

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George Draper Is 63 Gold Star Boy



GEORGE DRAPER

Announced recently as the 1963 Gold Star Boy for his 4-H work in Schleicher county was George Draper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Draper Sr. He was honored at the Town and Country Club at a luncheon sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Wednesday. George received the Gold Star pin for outstanding 4-H club work, in conservation work, and leadership.

George is president of the Sch leicher County 4-H Club. He has been a member of the 4-H club for nine years. He has been actively engaged in range and conservation contests, wool and mocounty and district at 4-H club p.m. led by Mrs. Teele. round-up in June of 1962-63. He has won individual honors in many

George has spent much time in training younger 4-H members in these fields of endeavor.

Other honors in 4-H include leadership awards.

George is a Senior in high school and vice president of the Student Council. He is a member of the 'E" club.

This year again finds local hunters registering largest deer with Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company in their annual contest where the winner will be awarded a free Winchester

This year the rifle is a Model chester valued at \$59.95. contest closes with the end of the ASCS office here. hunting season, Dec. 31st. New Year's day being a holiday, the winner will probably be announced January 2nd.
Manager Skeet Mace this week

reports the six top-ranking entrants in the contest up to this

J. E. Spencer	_65.50
Rex McCormick Jr	_65.50
Howard Mittel	_65.2
Buddy Speck	_74.7
Cliff Schooley	74.00
Bob Skurlock	

From Ranch Big Success The hunting trip for the dozen

boys from Boys Ranch on the L. L. Watson place last week end was resounding success, with the boys bagging 16 deer which by Monday were in storage here and awaiting transfer to the Boys Ranch near Tankersley.

Members of the Lions club ssisted with arrangements for the hunters. The 12 from Boy Ranch were assisted in hunting by T. P. Robinson, Orval Edmiston, Palmer West, Norman Hodges, Raymond Mittel, and Henry Speck Jr.

A party of 45 had dinner in Sonora Sunday as the boys prepared to return to Tankersley.

Morris Craig executive director of the Ranch, reported that last year, 4% of all meat consumed there was deer meat and that this year's hunt would add to the total.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING PLACE CHANGED

The Woman's Club will meet at Ruilding next Tuesday for their R. Thurman. 'hristmas program and party ins-

as previously announced.

'Carols In America'

Legion Party To Include Carols By Mrs. Teele's Classes

reele and the elementary schoolchildren from first through sixth grade invite the public to their Christmas Program for the American Legion Christmas party. It will be presented Thursday, Dec. 19, at 5:00 o'clock at the Memorial Build-

Santa Claus will appear and help Legionnaires distribute candy to local children.

Our program is "Carols In America", Mrs. Teele reported this week. Vocal soloists are Danny Boyer and Loretta Schooley; a chorus will sing from each grade, and a mass choir of all grades.

The narrator will be Mary Ann Draper. Accompanists at the piano will be Ginger Wright, Sue Ann Morris, Gay Linn Richardson, and Mrs. Stigler.

Auto harp, Jimmy Martin.

Bells, Arlene Hartgraves. Guitar players, Bob Page, Paul Page, Keith Williams, Sam Oglesby, Raymond Rutledge, and Jack

Committees For Party Announced By Legion

At the regular meeting last hair schools and contests, as a Thursday nigt of the Bev McCorsenior and junior since 1955. He mick post of The American Legion, has twice been a member of the the annual Christmas program district 7 grass identification and was planned for Thursday, Dec. range teams and represented the 19. The program will start at 5:00

The following committees were appointed at this time:

Program__ ____Don McCormick Speaker System___Elton McGinnes Candy Distribution_B. F. Blaylock Distribution of Candy to Latin-

Americans___Orland Harris & Purchase Candy_____Jack Honor Purchase Candy_____Jack Honor Prod Riley & Alvin Farris & Fred Riley Counting____Bernard Carr & Rev. Nyquist Separator____Bill Bowen

Schleicher Farmers Uninterested In Cotton Referendum

Schleicher cotton farmers apparently were not interested one way 250, level-action, .22 caliber Win- or the other in the cotton referen-The dum vote held Tuesday at the A total of 140 cotton farmers

are listed in this office and since wives are also eligible to vote there would be a total of approximately 280 potential voters. But Ronnie Mittel, county office manager, reports that only 27

turned out Tuesday to vote; 18

voted FOR marketing quotas while

9 voted against. Regulations were that if twothirds of the voters voted FOR marketing quotas, then price supports would be available.

The Schleicher vote was exactly two-thirds in favor of the propo-

CUB MEETING TONIGHT A Cub Scout pack meeting is

scheduled for tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock, according to Dan Sebesta. The group will meet in the Fellowship hall of the Presbyterian church.

New Babies

Airman and Mrs. Judge Whitten of Portland, Oregon, are the proud parents of a baby boy born Nov. 27. named Nathan Allen.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hensley of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whitten of Eldorado. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schneider of Fredericksburg.

A son was born last Thursday, Dec. 5, in the Sonora hospital to Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Toburen. The baby weighed 9 lbs. 9 oz. and has been named David Wayne.

The Toburens have four older the club room in the Memorial children. Grandparents include W.

Mrs. Toburen and her new son and of the home of Mrs. Arch came home from the hospital

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Joe Gault

Ford Sales

a girl join our troop last Monday, |-Rep., Lorretta Schooley. Ginger Wright.

The fourth and fifth grade Jun- enjoyed doing, and we drew names ior Girl Scout Troop met Monday for Christmas. Next week we are with all the girls present. We had going to have a Christmas party.

Mrs. Hanusch served the refreshments and everyone enjoyed them.

This week Mrs. Kreklow helped us have anything to sell or trade.

Lucky 66 Jackpot Sale

is now under way at Phillips 66 Service

Stations in Sonora, Eldorado and San

Angelo. Here's how it works:

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Home Demonstration Agent's Column By MRS. VIDA KREKLOW

Every year just about this time it seems that the days go by two at a time. I've gotten to the point that I look at the calendar instead of my watch and it works just about as well. I know what hits us. We are simply afraid. We are interest. simply afraid to get involved in miss something.

ourselves—the only gift most of tional. us have for others.

of not taking on too much and well be called its center.

Bob. Jim Bob has an imagination! second to none. I actually think I can see in him a budding inventor. Jim Bob is 5 and it doesn't take much of a mathemetician to know that this time last year he was 4. Pecan gathering was just

One day I looked up and he was standing by my desk. (We have a little game and he wins if he can skip in without being seen.) He started his conversation then as he does now with "Do you know what I wish?" My answer is always

"I wish," he said, "that I had two pet giraffes and then Tim Edmiston and I could sit between their horns with a sack and we could gather every pecan on the court house lawn.

Have you though of a better way? And did you think of that when you were four?

Then just the other day the whole scene was re-enacted. The same opening question, the same 'No" from me.

"I wish," he said, "that I was a friendly buzzard and could fly around in the sky all day. And, f some time I flew too low and someone took a shot at me I'd just turn to the right and fly

I guess that my Jim Bob recollections have been brought on by the fact that there will be days when we all will wish that we could be friendly (or maybe on some days not too friendly) buzzards and just fly away. In the crush of activities that come along with the Christmas season we likely will wish we could do something about it all. And we can. We can relax, find something to smile about and stop taking joyous occasion with such debilitating seriousness.

So saying—I hereby give you a recipe for a wonderful kind of candy. It's easy and it's good. What more could you ask?—

Chocolate Drops 6-oz. chocolate bits

- 2 tablespoons white corn syrup 1 tablespoon water
- ½ cup pecans
- 1 cup miniature marshmallows

1 teaspoon vanilla Place chocolate, syrup and water in sauce pan and place on a "warm" setting of heat. When all is melted mix well and remove

from heat. Add nuts, marshmallows and vanilla. Drop on waxed paper in bite sized dots. And here is another simple

recipe just to show you what I mean about taking it easy.

Easy-To-Do Chocolate Fudge 1/4 cup margarine or butter

- 1/4 cup water
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
 3 cups sifted powdered sugar ½ cup non fat dry milk
- ½ cup cocoa 1/8 teaspoon salt
- ½ cup chopped nuts, raisins or
- 1. Heat water and fat in saucepan until fat melts.
- 2. Remove from heat and add
- 3. Sift powdered sugar and mea-
- 4. Sift together powdered sugar,
- dry milk, cocoa and salt. 5. Add about 1/4 cup of this mix-
- ture at a time to the liquid.

 6. Beat until smooth after each addition.

7. Chop nuts.8. Add nuts and mix well.

10. Chill in refrigerator about dressing. 30 minutes,, or until firm.

11. Cut into 2-inch squares. Makes 16.

We had a good time last Friday night at the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration club party. There were five tables of dominoes and "42" but at that not a one of those tables was the center of

Which one was? The dessert some wonderful project or activity table of course. The bright green because we might not have the cover, white lace mats, and sparktime for it and we are afraid not ling Christmas tree were all sec to get involved for fear we will ondary accessories to the overflowing trays of candy, cookies, And—if we let Christmas go by cakes and pies. Nobody was on a without making some extra effort diet that night. Pots of coffee and for someone, somewhere we will steaming jugs of cocoa flanked create an emptiness that can not this table of goodies and if anybe filled with all the excuses in body went away able to eat one the world. So let's give; give of more bite it was strictly uninten-

To further identify the Good * * * Neighbor group, I suppose that the Bailey Ranch Community could

have these get-togethers; the only By now everybody knows Jim time I seem to see my neighbors is when we all come to town."

Next week-Recipes for turkey.

9. Spread in a greased cake pan. time and how to make cornbread

Christoval Tournament Gets Under Way Today

Today (Thursday) the Eldorado girls open first round play in the Christoval basketball tournament. The girls meet Bronte whom they defeated in the finals last year. Play begins at 1:00 p.m. Thursday. If the girls win they will play at 3:30 p.m. Friday. The finals are set for 7:00 p.m. Saturday.

Defeating Bronte will surely require more than simply playing. This team boasts two extremely tall forwards who hit very well The Eldorado forwards must score and the guards must be aggressive and cause Bronte to make mis-

Coach Jack Bell will probably go with the six who played so well against Lake View

That would include Joan Griffin, Frankie Blaylock, and Barbara Johnson at guard. At forward will be Christy Moore, Marsha Mund, and Susie Scott.

The Eldorado girls are also defending champions of the Christo-

val meet On Tuesday, December 17, the Mertzon Hornets come here for a

Methodist Notes

This Sunday, Dec. 15th, Sunday School will be at 9:45 and the children will be given envelopes for the Christmas offering. Morning Worship will begin at 10:45 and the Triple Trio from the High School under the direction of Mrs. Oliver Teele, will bring special Christmas music. The pastor's theme, "Let Me Introduce the Christ of Christmas" will be given by the Rev. C. M. Nyquist.

Sunday night we will join with other churches in the Community Cantata at the First Baptist church.

The Adults received their Christ mas offering envelopes last Sunday and the children and youth will receive theirs this Sunday. Christmas offerings are designated for the Methodist Home at Waco and the Mission Home and Training School at San Antonio. Gifts will be presented night of Dec. 22nd, which is also the night of the children's program and Christmas tree with visit by Santa.

Eldorado Methodists are on top. At the recent District Conference we received a report of all churches within the San Angelo District; of the "full time" churches-Eldorado had the best over-all report. This is possible and a fact because so many have been loyal in attend-Roasting size as well as small pocket size, District Superintendent thank you.

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Mrs. Teele's Choral Groups . . .

P-TA Christmas **Program Set For** Monday Night at 7:30

Mrs. Oliver Teele will present her chorals in a Christmas Prosociation and the public Monday night, Dec. 16, at 7:30 in the High Hight. School Auditorium.

"Christmas Means Love" an operetta in two acts, will open the

In the richly furnished living room of the Shelton home, Diane and Richard, ages 10 and 11, are lonesome and unhappy. Their parents have gone to a Christmas party and their beloved little dog,

Happy, has disappeared.

The Shelton children have always had more than enough of everything so are not interested when their cousins enter with talk of Christmas gifts.

Although the children have money, they refuse to give anything to the carolers who come to the door soliciting for the poor More Funds Sought and needy.

name of Harris who have found Happy. Joyfully the four children

poorly-furnished living room of the Harris home. They find Vicki, operation and interest that we tomers to dial person to person the youngest of three Harris child- have received throughout our 60- and credit card calls as well as ren, holding Happy. Vickie has been ill for a long time. She stated.

West Texas county area," Craig station to station calls. Carlsbad, Christoval, expresses a longing to have a little dog like Happy.

The visiting children are surtending they are real.

words, the Shelton children unself- one more. ishly give their little dog to Vickie.

Cast of Characters Richard Shelton ____

Thelma Page (a cousin)_ __Peggy McGrew Floyd and Lloyd Page (twins)

_Jimmy Martin and Bobby Sykes

Nora, the maid_Arlene Hartgraves
June Harris___Kathleen O'Harrow Harvey Harris____Bob Page Vickie Harris___Dale Montgomery Judy Harris----Vickie Preston Martha Harris----Marsha Ballard Harry Harris____Wm. Edmiston Chorus of Dolls___4th grade boys and girls

Chorus of Dancing Popcorn ___4th grade girls _some from all grades Chorus of Lollipops____5th grade boys and girls Cranberry March_4th grade boys

Carolers____Jr. Hi Choral group Managers_Al Thomerson, Romero Barajas, Harvey Dacy, Lee Martinez, Thedore Gomez,

Robert Rowe, George Faull. Scene: The richly furnished living room in the Shelton home

Time: The present; 7:30 Christmas ACT II.

Scene: The plainly furnished living room in the Harris home Time: 8:00, same evening.

ACT III. Scene: High School Chorus singing Christmas carols Time: 8:45, in the same evening.

Director — Mrs. Oliver Teele. Accompanists for grade school-Gene Newport, Eva Stigler, Clau-

dia Meador, Karon Hight. Jr. High accompanists: Billie Gayl Blaylock, Kathy Robinson,

Connie Speck. High School accompanists: Kaye Harkey, Mary Ann Page.

GIRL SCOUTS MEET

Girl Scout Troop 67 met Monday with 11 present. Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Arlene Hartgraves. The treasurer, Peggy McGrew, collected the dues. Treats were served by the hostess Tita Barajas.

For fun we sang carols. A song was led by Vicki Preston. Our Sunshine Reporter for the week was Arlene Hartgraves. Plans for the future. We are going to go caroling Dec. 20 and have a party at Mrs. Preston's house. Motion for adjournment

was made by Linsay Edmiston. ATTEND GRAND LODGE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rodgers were in Waco last week where the men attended sessions of the Masonic Grand Lodge.

Mr. Watson reports that the Grand Lodge expects to take action this week on the plans for the Masonic temple to be built here in Eldorado. Orval Edmiston is chairman of the building committee for this.

Junior High Boys Down Ozona 40-12

The Junior High Eagles downed Ozona Monday night 40-12 to keep their record unblemithed at 3-0. Gary Derrick led with 25 points mostly on lay-ups. Roy Davidson

and Rusty Meador each had 4 and Lonnie Gibson had 3 points. Scoring 2 each were Johnny Mayo, gram for the Parent-Teacher As- playing his first game since being injured in football, and James Scoring no points but playing in

the ball game were James Thackerson, Ross Whitten, Bill Whitten, Mike Hale, David Nixon, Mickey Pennington, Kenny Phelps, Ronnie Free and Dwain Dempsey.

Score by Quarters: Eldorado ____ 11 12 Ozona .----

C. M. WHITTEN BUYS REGISTERED ANGUS BULL

C. M. Whitten of Eldorado recently purchased an Aberdeen Phones Is Coming Angus bull from O. H. Grona and Sons of Fredericksburg.

At the close of the scene there is a phone call from people by the For W. T. Boys Ranch

Morris H. Craig, executive dir- the Southwest Company. ector of West Texas Boys Ranch make ready to go get their little near Tankersley, reports the need the new service is late 1966 as dog when the curtain falls on the of funds for the boys now at the plans now stand. Ranch. The Ranch has been in In Act Two the four children the operation for 15 years, and "We modern available,

Texas Boys Ranch.

The visiting children are surprised to see an old fashioned ber of boys being referred to West central office equipment and new ber of boys being referred to West Christmas tree trimmed with pop-corn and cranberries. There are having to turn down a disturbing ment in these exchanges will be ment in the ment in no gifts. But the Harris children number of boys. This is heart- compatible with DDD equipment. are happy. They are having fun breaking! Last year one 14-yearcutting out pictures of things they old boy whose parents dumped also will get new seven digit telewant from mail order catalogs pre- him, found himself without friends nding they are real.

The Harris children astonish the county jail for three weeks before said. visitors by giving the few pennies he was referred to the Ranch. He they have to the carolers, when had been in no trouble and was they come there soliciting for the deserving of an opportunity. The poor. But after June Harris tells Ranch was filled to capacity; howthe Christmas story in simple ever, the Ranch made room for

The road has been rough for The play is brightened with this boy; however, he has proved changes which already have seven appealing and entertaining songs, he has what it takes to make some- digit numbers and which will have climaxing in the spirit of Christ-mas. thing worthwhile of himself. His occess to the DDD equipment to be over-all progress at the Ranch has housed in San Angelo include Big gained him the distinction of be- Lake, Bronte, Eden, Mertzon, Miles, Diane Shelton_Carolyn O'Harrow ing chosen as one of four candi- Ozona, Robert Lee and Rowena. ---Paul Page dates for the top honor of Boy of Detailed engineering of the San Ticketing (SATT) is scheduled to San Angelo district.

the Year. Selection of the Boy of the Year will be announced Jan. 18, 1964.

This is the type of story t he Ranch deals with daily. There are many boys who need and would take advantage of the assistance offered at West Texas Boys Ranch. However, the Ranch can do so much on limited funds. During this 1964 Christmas season the Ranch needs the help of all West Texas. Donations of any size will be appreciated as this year's Christmas donations are falling short of previous donations.

Donations may be mailed to the Ranch business office at box 1624 in San Angelo, or given to Charlie Trigg who is a member of the executive committee or to Carroll Ratliff, who is a member of the board of directors.

Direct Dialing For

Plans were announced recently for providing facilities which will make dialing long distance calls possible for San Angeloans and customers in 13 other General Telephone exchanges in West Texas, according to R. R. McCullough, San Angelo district manager for

The anticipated cutover date for

The equipment will be the most

Carlsbad, Christoval, Eldorado Room For One More At West and Sonora exchanges in the San Angelo district will all get new All customers in these exchanges phone numbers sometime before

> ment will not be changed out, but facilities will be modified so that telephone numbers can be changed to seven digit numbers which is a requirement for DDD.

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quarter of 1964. When engineering tion and cutover in 1966. is complete, Automatic Electric McCullough indicated that the Company at Northlake, Illinois, a overall conversion to DDD which subsidiary of General Telephone & will involve 14 exchanges and Electronics, will manufacture the more than 38,000 telephones betfacilities especially for use here. ween now and the cutover in 1966

Angelo project will begin the third begin early in 1966, with comple-

Plans for a project of this magnitude must be laid well in advance and, of course, are sometimes subject to change, McCullough said, but as plans now stand many West Texans served by General Telephone Company will be Installation of the equipment is the largest and most complex known at Strowger Automatic Toll project ever undertaken in the the U.S. and Canada by the end

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In Those Days

Compiled From Success Files

ONE YEAR AGO Dec. 13, 1962—Funeral services

were being held for Mrs. Leola Cartwright, 43.

Fire destroyed the Gus Love house near the airport.

Corky Hodges was Gold Star Boy and Joyce Woodward Gold Star Girl, for 1962. Ratliff's store was having a pre-

Christmas sale. The congregation of the First Baptist church extended a call to the Rev. Kenneth Vaughan of Eden to be their pastor.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Dec. 11, 1958—State Commander J. Walter Janko of Somerville was to speak to a gathering of Ameri-

can Legion members. Eldorado won consolation in a basketball tournament at Christoval, and Farris Nixon made the

all-tournament team. Mrs. Oliver Teele's choral groups were giving an operetta, "A Christmas Fantasy." Accompanists were to be Kay Peters, Kaye Harkey, Judy Hext and Nan-

cy Jo Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Waller moved to Baytown after he served as postmaster and mail carrier here.

12 YEARS AGO Dec. 13, 1951-Dr. Robert Magi-

not announced plans to take over the Holcomb Clinic.

Local young people, under direction of Mrs. Ed Meador and the firemen, were putting on a drive for used toys to be repaired for underprivileged children. Toys were to be repaired at the Corral. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.

Bill Oglesby.

Lorraine Dildine died of a brain tumor at the age of 16.

Arnie Westbrook was in the Clinic-Hospital being treated for burns he received while burning pear near Miles.

Brigadier General Alvin Luedecke was visiting here with his mother and other relatives.

Armours Star Whole Hams cost 57c a pound at Parker Foods.

35 YEARS AGO

Dec. 14, 1928-E. H. Sweatt has purchased the old warehouse used by W. L. McWhorter and Brother, and is tearing it down preparatory to moving it to the lots owned by Mrs. E. C. Haynes just south of install a saddle and harness repair shop.

J. S. May is erecting a new home

in southwest Eldorado. March Bros., opposite the St.

Sam McGinnes and family, who have been living at Barnhart for 1 Year, in Schleicher County \$3.00 the past several months, have ret-1 Year, Elsewhere_____\$4.00 urned to Eldorado to make their

home. The old fixtures in the Corner Confectionary have been moved out and E. M. Thornton and Earl Penn are moving pool hall fixtures in from Menard and will soon be

Mr. and Mrs. Van McCormick entertained several friends at their home with bridge and dancing. Bridge prizes awarded included Mrs. H. T. Finley high lady and

Announcements of revivals for churches are considered advertising and charged for First grade honor roll First grade honor roll: Gerald Nicks, Genevieve Ramsey, Jack McClatchy, Billy Springstun, Ernestine Finnigan, Gene May, Bob Bradley, Venetia Morgan, Maude

Brown. Second grade honor roll: Hudson Evans, Edward Revnolds, Hugh DeCraig, Eloise Whitten, Martha Nixon, Odella Green, Banning Wade, Marshall Bailey, and James

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#### Community Calendar

Dec. 12, Thursday. Masonic Lodge meeting.

Dec. 12. Thursday. Cub Scouts meet 7:30 p.m. in fellowship hall

of Presbyterian church. Dec. 12, Thursday. High School Christmas party.

Dec. 12-13-14, Basketball tournament at Christoval. Dec. 13, Friday. Christmas party

and recital for piano pupils of Mrs. R. Q. Harris. Dec. 14. Saturday. Jr. High

Christmas party.
Dec. 15, Sunday. Community
choir to present "The Messiah"
cantata in the First Baptist church. Dec. 16, Monday. P-TA meets for Mrs. Oliver Teele's Christmas pro-

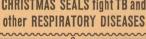
Dec. 17, Tuesday. Woman's Club. Dec. 17, Tuesday. Mertzon boys' and girls' cage teams here. Dec. 18, Wednesday. Lions club

meets 12:15, Memorial Building. Dec. 19, Thursday. D.A.R. meets. Dec. 19. Thursday. Eagle cagers to Sonora. Junction girls here. Dec. 19, Thursday. American Legion party for children. Santa

Claus to visit; choral groups sing. Dec. 20, Friday. School dismisses for Christmas holidays. Jan. 2, Thursday. School reconvenes following holidays.

Jan. 11, Saturday. Annual 4-H and FFA Livestock Show.









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To the many friends who so thoughtfully came to our assistance during the hours of recent sorrow, we wish to express appreciation and gratitude. Your acts of kindness and expression of sympathy will always be remembered. May God's richest blessing be with each of you.

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### Choir Will Present Cantata Sunday

Under direction of Frank O'Banion, a community choir will present "The Christmas Messiah" this Sunday evening at 7:30 in the First Baptist church. This cantata is an adaptation of the much longer work by George Frederick Handel.

The choir have been at work on the cantata since September and its presentation is sure to be a highlight of the Christmas season here in Eldorado. Most local churches will dispense with their own services Sunday night so that their congregations may hear this Christmas message in song.

Mrs. James Page will be pianist and Mrs. Roy Phelps organist.

Of all the music associated with Christmas, perhaps no composition so well embodies the spirit of the holiday as Handel's "Messiah." The great oratorio has enthralled countless audiences. It has been said to have brought more money for charity than any other single piece of music. And it marked a rebirth for its composer.

virtually a has-been in 1741. Lon- Heart Attack Sunday don had grown tired of his Italian operas and of him. More than once he had barely missed being thrown into debtors' prison, and his health was beginning to fail.

Then came a commission from the lord lieutenant of Ireland and the governors of three charitable institutions for Handel to conduct a series of charity concerts. He began to compose a new piece for

Handel was not an especially religious man, but something seemed to possess him as he worked. For some 23 days he kept to his study, refusing to see any visitors, leaving his food untouched and working through the night. Now he played the harpsichord, now he sang, then back to his writing. His servants thought he was going mad. Often they found him in tears. When he finished the "Hallelujah Chorus," he declared. "I did think I did see all Heaven before me, and the great God himself."

for the premiere of "Messiah." It to Understand the Family Story," was a resounding success.

At the first English performance

however, London was not ready to values, and his conception of the accept Handel and the concert failed. It was not until Handel began directing annual benefit performances of "Messiah" at the Worth was guest speaker the first night, Dec. 9. London Foundling Hospital in the evening. Her latest book is "Fam-1750's that his adopted country- ily Living in the Bible." She London Foundling Hospital in the men came to recognize it as a spoke on Family Stories in Bible Christmas tree. The tables had him their acclaim.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison Sr. visited Mr. and Mrs. Arch Mittel en route to their home in Columbus Monday. They had been on a hunting trip in West Texas and visited their son, Lt. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison Jr. in El Paso for several days.

#### News Of The Sick

Carl Stevens was taken to the Clinic-Hospital in San Angelo last Monday after suffering a stroke during the week end.

Mrs. Kenneth Vaughan underwent an appendectomy in Sonora hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. Bruton has been confined to the Shannon hospital since she broke her arm Saturday night. She is in room 422. Mrs. Ray Alexander and other members of the family have been visiting

Buren Whitten Sr. is on the sick

being notified of the serious ill- Sheep and Goat Raisers Associaness of Mrs. Scott's sister, Mrs. tion at the Rice Hotel. They are Marie Windom.

#### Triple Trio Presents Program At Lions Club

Mrs. Oliver Teele and her triple trio of high school girls were uncheon guests of the Lions club yesterday, and presented a musical

C. J. Hahn presided and thanked Bill Watson for providing the hunting trip for the boys from Boys Ranch. Jerry Stigler and Danny Richardson, who hunted with the group, were on hand at the meeting yesterday.

Other guests included Neil Tarvin of the San Angelo Social Security office, and Emil Prugel of

C. J. Hahn reported that the 40th anniversary ladies night of the San Angelo Lions club which was set for November 25th and which was called off on account of President Kennedy's assassination, would be re-scheduled some time in the

The meeting closed with a brief discussion by Fire Chief Palmer West on safety precautions as applied to the coming holidays.

## George Frederick Handel was Hunter Is Victim Of

George Edward Eppler, 36, of 2417 Coleman St. in San Angelo and a resident there about eight years, died of a heart attack while deer hunting about 10 a.m. Sunday morning 18 miles northeast of Eldorado on the Luke Robinson

He was a district representative of Commercial Credit Corp.

B. L. Blakeway, justice of the peace at Eldorado, returned a verdict of death due to heart attack.

#### Kembles Attended State P-TA Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kemble Jr. were delegates to the 54th annual state convention of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers in San Antonio November 20-22, and made the following report:

Mrs. W. J. Danforth of Fort Worth, state president, presided at the first convention of her admin-On April 13, 1742, 700 people istration, and gave the keynote crowded into the Dublin music hall address on "We the P-TA: Seek the convention theme.

Mrs. Jennelle Moorhead of Eua year later, King George II was so | gene, Oregon, first vice president overwhelmed by the "Hallelujah of the National Congress of Par-Chorus" that he rose from his seat ents and Teachers, addressed the and stood throughout the section. convention the first afternoon and The audience, of course, followed made the following point: The the example of their king, and so home is the basic structure of our began a custom which survives to society and should be the most constructive influence in building Mrs. Ronnie Mittel, school secre-Despite the king's appreciation, the child's character, sense of world.

Newspaper woman, lecturer and away the heart and core of the undermining of the strength of mings. the nation.

That evening R. H. McKay, asst. superintendent of schools in Dal-Texas Congress of P-TA, was moderator for a panel titled "All the word, the new word game. Children of All the People." Other participatns included Marshall Ashley and Mrs. Josie Moch.

Fort Worth; Mrs. John Toombs, Sterling City; and Mrs. John F. Weinzierl, Riverside.

Special features included a reception for all delegates in the Grand Ballroom of the Granada Hotel and a Tamalada in The Villa Assembly Building.
Approximately 3,000 delegates

and visitors registered.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Derrick and Mr. and Mrs. P. K. McIntosh Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Scott were flew to Houston last Sunday to called to Tuscola yesterday upon attend the convention of the Texas expected home today.

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BRIDAL SHOWER HONORS MRS. JACKSON

Mrs. Truel D. Jackson of San Angelo, nee Gladys McClain, was nesday, December 11 at 9:30. the recipient of a bridal shower at the James Williams home on Saturday, Dec. 7 from 4:30 to 5:30

The serving table was covered with a white damask cloth centered with an arrangement of white carnations with large blue leaves as decorations carrying out the brides chosen colors of blue and white. Mrs. L. V. Newport poured the

tea from a silver tea service. Cream puffs stuffed with salad, tiny sandwiches, miniature fruit cakes, nuts and mints were served on silver platters.

About 25 guests called during the hour plus Central High cheer leaders, Suzanne Cortese. Rebecca Durham, Judy Neligh, Anita Anthony, Francis Tomlinson and Karla Mercer from San Angelo, students of Mrs. Jackson.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Williams were Mrs. W. R. Davidson, Mrs. L. V. Newport, Mrs. Hollis McCormick and Mrs. Glenn Parker

#### FACULTY MEMBERS HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

The faculty of the Eldorado school, their wives or husbands; tary and Mr. Mittel; H. W Scott head maintenance man, and Mrs. Scott, enjoyed the annual faculty Christmas party held in the cameauthor, Mrs. Edith Deen of Fort teria of the school on Monday

The cafeteria room was decorat-She ed for the occasion with a silver masterpiece, and once again gave times. Mrs. Deen stressed that runners of Christmas greens interfamily breakdown today is eating spersed with candles. Miss Dana Owens, chairman of the food comstructure of our nation. Family mittee, and her committee, served breakdown, like termites, is an the turkey dinner and all the trim-

After the meal there was an exchange of gifts. This was a lot of fun as this is the time that the las, and first vice president of the faculty pulls practical jokes on each other. Then they played pass

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Doyle of Officers elected were state vice Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin presidents: Mrs. Carey Snyder of Atkinson of San Angelo were allday guests of Jerry's parents, Mr. Irving; Mrs. Chesley McDonald, and Mrs. Claude Doyle last Sun-

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The Eldorado Garden club met at the Memorial building on Wed-

Members brought Christmas decorations that they had made and explained how they had made them. Mrs. J. Tom Williams gave a demonstration on making Christmas candles. She was assisted by Mrs. Bob Reynolds.

Mrs. Williams gave this same demonstration for the San Angelo Garden club last Monday before forty members of that club.

The next meeting of the Garden club will be held January 9 when films of the famous gardens of the United Stated will be shown.

#### S. S. CLASS LUNCHEON AND CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Nixon Sunday school class met at the home of Mrs. Fred Watson yesterday, Dec. 11, for a covered dish luncheon and Christmas

During the brief business session the class decided to give any money left in the treasury by January 1st to the Lottie Moon Christmas of-

Mrs. Allan Kuykendall, the teacher, brought the devotional from the second chapter of Luke, and read a poem, "Just Another Boy" by Bruce Barton.

Fourteen members were present for the luncheon and the exchange of gifts that followed.

#### MARRIAGE PLANS ANNOUNCED Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Boone of Belton, Missouri, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jane, to Kenneth

Paul Van Dusen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Van Dusen of Eldorado, Texas. The couple plan to marry on Sunday, the twenty-second of December, 1963, at 2:30 p.m. at the First Baptist church of Belton,

#### TWO BOYS MISSING FOR A WHILE

Tom Whitten and Jon Calcote were missing from their beds last Saturday morning after going to the Rocksprings basketball games on Friday night. Two sets of parents and Coach Whitaker searched frantically for several hours.

Found by Coach Whitaker were the two boys sound asleep in the gym between two mats, when the gym was opened for the Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Doyle and boys moved to their new house in the Finnigan Addition Tuesday. Ann was deploring the rain on that particular day:

The Fred Watsons and Vernon Rogers were in Waco recently as guests of Mrs. Rogers' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Emery. The men attended Grand Lodge.

The Kimble-Menard County singing convention will meet Sunday, Dec. 15, at the Saline schoolhouse at 2:00 p.m., it was announced by the secretary, Mrs. Allen Davis.

Mrs. Ruth Williams and Mrs. L. T. Wilson are leaving Monday for California, where they plan to visit relatives and friends through the Christmas holidays.

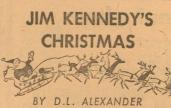
Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Burton and granddaughter, Sherry Kay, visited relatives in Lufkin from Friday night through Monday.

Visitors at the Runge ranch from December 6 to 8 were the Jim Tatom family of Dallas. Mrs. Tatom was May Runge's room mate at the University of Texas.

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BEFORE the echoes of the prison siren had died away over the hills Jim Kennedy was well on his way toward a cherished freedom and his family. Where speed had been essential, extreme caution became imperative. He kept below the skyline, well away from the highway with its occasional cars and searching spotlights. Away from the farm houses with their barking dogs. Slogging along through the slush and snow with one thought uppermost in his mind: To spend Christmas at home with his wife Millie and their two children, Marian and Joe.

Back at the prison they would be certain he was headed for home. They might even be waiting for him when he arrived, but there was one thing in his favor: At this time of the year the road to his remote cabin was impossible for cars, and he might get there before they did.

He slogged on for two days and nights. He ate sparingly of the meager food he had filched from the prison tables. The weather was not too cold and he took fitful rests beneath jutting cliffs and abandoned shacks. But the overpowering desire to reach his home drove him onward, insensible to the discomforts of his travel.

His mind often returned to his prison life. Especially did he think of Lemaster, the guard over his company. He held a bitter, consuming hatred for the man. Always riding him about



Somehow he found the path down to the valley floor.

prison rules, making him toe the mark, but ignoring similar infractions committed by others. Rules! Rules! The man didn't let him live for rehabilitation, but by rules. He hoped Lemaster would be dead by the time they took him back.

The morning Jim stood on the bluff overlooking the little valley would always remain a bright spot in his memory. The tears that gathered in the corners of his eyes were not the result of cold. The lump in his throat was caused by pent-up emotion, finally released when he realized he had won through.

The mists in the valley raised suddenly and the cabin stood out in startling reality. Smoke poured from the chimney and yellow light splashed from the windows onto the snow

Somewhat blindly he found the path down to the valley floor. The delighted voices of the children came to him through the cloud of snow he kicked up as he rushed to the door. And then he had Millie in his arms.

#### Welcome Sight

There was an interval of silence, and then heart-felt expressions of joy and pleasure. When it had somewhat subsided Jim looked around. The homey surroundings were the same as when he left, excepting the Christmas tree in the corner. It was brilliantly lighted, and numerous packages and toys clustered around the base.

He took a step towards it, but Millie pushed in front of him and, reaching toward the tinsel star at the top, took down a long en-

"For you," she said, with a bright smile. "What is it?" 'he asked, won-

"Open it and see."

"It means a Merry Christmas and a full pardon for you." It was the hated voice of Lemaster who had come up behind him. Jim whirled about. "You here?" he asked bitterly.

"I knew you wanted to come home long ago, Jim. I had to report on your behavior, and to make sure I could make a good report on you I made you live up to every rule strictly. You ranked as a number one, and when the pardons were handed out yours was the first."

Jim had slowly lifted his head as hope sprung anew in him. He gazed mistfully into Lemaster's eyes. "I've had you all wrong, Cap. I thought you was riding me all the time for spite work.'

"That's all right. Forget it. I'm going to have a Merry Christmas with you folks if you'll let me stay.'

# Two Men Gave 'Silent Night' To the World

'Silent Night, Holy Night," will ring this Christmas in many different corners of the earth. In the mountain town of Oberndorf, Austria, however, they will probably ring clearer and more distinctly. For it was here, some 141 years ago, that the carol was sung for the first time.

The background story of this famous song begins on a sad note, for that night of December 23, 1881, Father Joseph Mohr, the parish priest, and his friend Franz Xavier Gruber, schoolmaster and church organist, had made a depressing discovery: that mice had eaten away the bellows of the church organ, and there would be no music for Christmas services.

Storm Lifts

As the two men were making their way through the wind and snow-swept streets of the village, it is said, the storm suddenly lifted and suddenly all was serene. Father Mohr looked up to the snowy peaks and clear skies and muttered to himself, "Silent Night, Holy Night. All is calm, all is

Immediately Gruber repeated the words, and both men were struck with the same idea—the beginning of a Christmas carol. The two hurried on to the schoolmaster's house and there, for the rest of night, worked diligently on a melody and suitable verses. Remembering that there would be no organ music, they kept the melody simple, one that could be played easily on a guitar.

Holiday Music

There was music that Christmas in Oberndorf, after all, for Father Mohr and Franz Gruber led the villagers in the first public singing of what has become perhaps the best-loved of all Christmas Carols.

The organ that wouldn't play also figured in the popularization of the Oberndorf carol. The song became traditional in the Oberndorf region, but in the year 1830 when an organ builder came to fix the organ he heard the song, memorized it, and carried it across the mountains-and to the world.

One year after the organ builder memorized the song and carried it with him from town to town and village to village, the carol was included in presentation of a musical festival in Leipzig, Ger-

Great orchestras and great singers "discovered" the song and in the ensuing years it has become a part of our Christmas heritage.

Father Mohr never lived to see the greatness the song would achieve. He died in 1848 and his parishoners had to pay for the burial of the poor, but dedicated priest. Gruber, the schoolmaster lived 15 years longer, but also died poor and obscure, perhaps-perhaps not-aware that the world would always be thankful for "Silent Night, Holy Night."

#### Hawaiian Holiday

Although many Hawaiians have seen ice only as frozen in mechanical refrigerators, the trees used by the islanders for Christmas decorations are painted white to simulate snow.

Christmas dinner is usually a private feast for the family. Open-house hospitality is rather difficult at Christmas because Hawaiians are always ready for a party and if families didn't close their doors for the holiday the home would be invaded by happy hordes of hungry guests seeking food and

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In the early 1880's, Christmas was just another day-unless it happened to fall on a Sunday, as the austere Puritans did not observe the holiday. But children of the day were like children of every period and every country. They did have toys and play-

Most of the toys of the day, of course, were probably hand-made carefully and painstakingly by parents. Most of them were made of wood, although some were tin, probably made and sold by the local tinsmith.

The collection of toys at Old Sturbridge Village include miniature furniture pieces, doll beds, wooden rocking horses, and even a pair of ice skates.

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### **Break Ground For** New Building

were held Sunday near the First As soon as the weather clears, Baptist church at the site of the new educational building to be The new building will have the constructed on the large lot east beginner and nursery departments of the present church.

building committee, turned the building when it is complete. first spade of earth. Other mem- The new building will be conbers of the committee are Arch nected to the front of the present Mittel, Raymond Hall, Mrs. T. P. church by a covered walkway. Robinson Jr., and Mrs. C. T. Hum-Included in the same contract is

Turning spades in addition to Mr. Ratliff were T. P. Robinson, Jr., chairman of the deacons; Bill Wetcon firm of the present build-Watson, finance committee chairing looks much as it did when man; and L. M. Hoover who rescompleted back in 1928 when J. igned as church treasurer a few years ago after serving in that capacity for 49 years, and the Rev.

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in it; also the pastor's study and Carroll Ratliff, chairman of the offices will be moved to the new

the project of remodeling the

L. Ratliff was pastor. The remodeling calls for erecting a spire and a more classic entry-way; also videning the starway that leads

into the church from the entry. A front porch will be added with columns of brick and a large glass front.

The new building will have 2400 square feet of floor space and will have its own heating and air conditioning system.

Work has been under way in the main part of the church for several weeks re-locating the air conditioning equipment and installing a new heating system. The new building and the heating and air conditioning work will total just under \$40,000.



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#### Eldorado Girls Win Tournament Here

Saturday night the defending champions, Eldorado girls, came away with the championship for the second year in a row by downing Lake View 49-43. Not only did the girls win the tournament but also their seventh game in seven

Anyone who missed this game missed a thriller. Lake View was favored in the tournament by virtue of their experience, the ize of the school, and their height advantage. Howeven, if ever a group of girls showed 100% team effort it was Saturday night.

Guards Frankie Blaylock, Joan Griffin and Barbara Johnson were all over the Maidens intercepting passes, stealing the ball, and rebounding. The guards held Norma Benson who is a 5' 9" forward to one point. She had been averaging

some 14 points per contest.

As the guards were doing a superb job defensively the Eagle forwards were knocking the bot-tom out of the basket. These three, Christy Moore, Susie Scott, and Marsha Mund, played so well def-ensively that the Lake View guards made mistake upon mistake. Before the Maiden forwards ever got the ball 4 minutes was gone in the first quarter and Eldorado was

Christy Moore led in scoring 28 points and Marsha Mund had 13 and Susie Scott contributed 8.

Scores by Quarters-Eldorado \_\_\_\_ 18 13 13 5—49 Lake View \_\_\_ 7 19 6 11—43

The Eldorado team won the right to meet Lake View in the finals by first beating Mertzon

Christy Moore hit for 16 points and Marsha Mund and Susie Scott each had 9. Karen Griffin had 2. rebounds, Frankie Blaylock 8,

and Paula Mace 7. Score by Quarters: Eldorado \_\_\_\_ 11 9 Mertzon \_\_\_\_ 1 1 0 10—12

On Friday night Eldorado met Miles in the semi-finals. The Eag- Rozean again took scoring honors the scoring parade were Susie had 4 while Betty Kessler had 2 Scott and Marsha Mund with 17 as did Judy Ann Davidson. each. Christy Moore had 13. Karen Griffin and Frankie Blaylock each Doyle, Jan Wagley, Jacque Davis had 2. Joan Griffin had 9 re-bounds and Marsha Mund had 10 offensively.

Score by Quarters: Eldorado \_\_\_\_ 16 12 11 12—51 Miles \_\_\_\_ 2 6 3 3—14

Captains for the tournament were Susie Scott, Joan Griffin and Barbara Johnson.

The Eldorado "B" team also participated in the tournament. They For All the Family

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were defeated by Ozona "A" 45-21 with Rita Rozean scoring 9 and rado, Senior; Frankie Blaylock, El-Defensively Joan Griffin had Martha Sue Page 7. Betty Kessler dorado, Junior; Linda Marshall, Mrs. T. W. Johnson for about a and Nancy Kay Jurecek had 3 and Lake View, Senior. Sally Stovall, week. 2. Outstanding guards were Jane Lake View, Junior; Judy Walter, Cain, Joan Doyle, Jan Wagley, and Wall, Senior. 5 11—36 Norma Kay Mund.

The second game was played against Wall "A" Saturday. The girls were defeated 49-24. Rita ner, Lake View, Junior. les whipped Miles 51-14. Leading with 16 points. Martha Sue Page High School.

Defensive standouts were Joan and Norma Kay Mund. Barbara Johnson and Marsha BROWNIES MEET

Mund both did an especially out-

**Tournament Statistics** All tournament team:

Forwards - Susie Scott, Eldorado, Senior; Zula Tomlinson, Lake for a needy family basket. View, Senior; Karen Wilde, Wall,

Outstanding Player: Moore, Eldorado, Junior. Free Throw Trophy: Betty Wag-

Sportsmanship Award: Mertzon

Eldorado, 1st place; Lake View, consolation.

The 2nd and 3rd Grade Brownie milk, fresh fruit cup, peanut butstanding job in entire tournament. | Troop No. 153 met at the Corral | ter cookies. Tuesday. Twelve girls and two leaders were present. Alma Gauna dressing, giblet gravy, marshmelis a new Brownie.

The girls finished their presents Senior; Shirley Wagner Ozona, for their mothers and fathers. -

Falls has been visiting her mother,

#### School Menus

Monday, Dec. 16: Steamed sausage, pinto beans, potato salad, cabbage & green pepper salad, buttered rolls, milk, canned fruit.

Tuesday, Dec. 17: Chicken fried 2nd place; Ozona, 3rd place; Wall, steak, creamed potatoes, marinated green beans, buttered carrots, buttered rolls, milk, whipped jello. Wed., Dec. 18: Enchiladas, pinto

beans, cole slaw, buttered rolls,

low sweet potatoes, cranberry con-The girls brought contributions gealed salad, English peas, milk, for a needy family basket. gealed salad, English peas, milk, buttered rolls, harvest pecan cake. Friday, Dec. 20: Tuna burgers, potato chips, bean salad, stewed prunes, milk, ice cream.

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#### W.M.U. WEEK OF PRAYER

The W.M.U. of the First Baptist church began the week of prayer for foreign missions with a Panorama presented last Sunday night with a cast of 21, instead of the He said sportsmen's groups, usual evening worship service. The well as private citizens, are invited theme of the panorama was Bring Them in From Every Nation, the members of the cast dressed in period costumes, depicting the many nations and the missionaries sent to them during the 1800's.

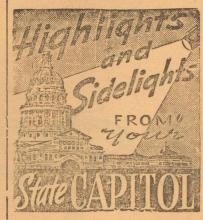
Good crowds are attending the afternoon services which are being held each afternoon at 2:00. The goal for the church is \$1,456.54.

#### NIGHT CIRCLE MEETS

The Night Circle of the First those of cooperating agencies. aptist church met Tuesday night Babcock said, "The Governor's Baptist church met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Sadie Davidson with 5 members and a guest, Mrs. W. T. Whitten, present.

Mrs. Edgar Spencer completed the book Mandelbaum Gate while corporated all efforts under one Mrs. D. C. Royster presented slides

SCOTCH



Austin.-Gov. John Connally i back home" in Austin, after a 13day stay in Parkland Hospital in Dallas. He has had what he termed Kennedy's assassin.

As everyone knows, the goverinto a "Little Capitol."

Now the Governor is "officing" in the Mansion, across the street from the big state-government complex. His staff is working out of his business office in the Capi-

People around the Statehouse say that Connally seems to enjoy claimants at its meeting this week working under stress. The month it noted that one man who claimed he came into office, he was forced 9.59 acres of mesquite-dotted to undergo a hernia operation. He ran the executive department from grandson of the man who served a hospital room then, too, and later from the Mansion.

It will be six months before doctors know for sure whether Conbullet-shattered right arm. It must remain in a heavy cast for days. He will be unable to see visitors for several weeks.

#### Smith Praises Johnson

nally's return to Austin Lt. Gov. set at \$6-.50 an acre. Preston Smith said " . . . in our grief, we can be thankful for two Padre Island Deed things: The life of our own governor was spared, and our new president is probably the one man in the country who could have taken hold of the reins of our national government so quickly and firm-

Smith said he had been assured that President Johnson "will respect the rights and responsibilities of state and local government.' He added, "This is a favorable situation in Texas and other states where states' rights are still

#### Water-Fun Hearings Set

Governor Connally's Study Comset public hearings in four parts of Texan has become president. the state.

They will be held in Abilene on February 3; Dallas, February 4; Houston, February 10; and San Antonio, February 11.

Vice-chairman John Babcock, research and development supervisor for the Lower Colorado River Authority said, "Nine men sitting around a table can't really know what the people want, so we want to hear from the peop to testify.

At present about 100 local water authorities-municipalities, water districts and river authorities have jurisdiction over reservoirs in Texas of 5,000 acre feet or more but lack legal authority to prescribe water recreation facilities.

Nine state agencies and nine federal agencies play some part in water recreation programming, but there is no central plan. Many have policies which conflict with

committee will endeavor to pull all efforts into the uniform state plan which can be operated by state agencies." Minnesota has inagency, and the U.S. Congress is making a move in this direction

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#### Gas-Rate Hearing Postponed

Five cities near Port Arthur, which have turned down Southern Union Gas Company's request for rate hike, won a postponement of the hearing of the gas firm's appeal to the Railroad Commis

Hearing ran for three days. Then attorneys for the cities of Port Neches, Groves, Lakeview, Nederland and Pear Ridge com-plained they had not received copies of Southern Union's appeal exhibits in time to question witnesses about them.

Hearings will resume on Jan-

All five cities refused the request to raise gas rates approxim-"amazing" recovery from critical ately 10%. When the request was wounds inflicted by President John made last year, Port Arthur and made last year, Port Arthur and Griffing Park agreed. They instituted a monthly hike of about 19 nor didn't spend much time being cents per minimum bill. If the purely a patient. Within a few Railroad Commission instructs the days he had converted the hospital other five to approve an increase, the cities may have to absorb the cost of the appeal. Then gas customers will pay about 29 cents more per monthly minimum.

#### Historical Note

When the State School Board looked over the list of goodfaith rangeland in Zavala County is the as Land Commissioner more than a century ago.

He is Murray G. Smyth Jr. whose grandfather, George Willinally will regain full use of his am Smyth, was Land Commissioner from 1848 to 1852.

Board also noted that their assessors set the value of the Zavala County land, and other land mith Praises Johnson
In commenting on Governor Conally's return to Austin Lt Gov

The red-leather-and-velvet bound parchment deed which conveyed title from Texas to the United States on 90,000 acres of stateowned, submerged land surrounding Padre Island National Seashore Park is on display in the Texas State Library building in Austin.

Land Commissioner Jerry Sad-ler presented this copy to the State Library and an identical copy to the National Archives in Washington, D. C.

Austin will become a world mittee on Water Recreation has news center now that a Central

> When the Lyndon come home to the LBJ Ranch near Stonewall, Austin will be the news center for the White House cor respondents who accompany the President wherever he goes.

Telephone company workmen are beefing up lines to the Johnson Ranch to handle the crush of communications which follows the

#### Water Pollution Studied

A congressional sub-committee conducted a two-day hearing on Texas water pollution problems.

Governor Connally, in a written statement, told the sub-committee the state has an active pollution control program in which it has help of all units of government, industry and public groups. There is ample room for federal research on the problem "so that we may be helped to help ourselves," Connally said.

Texas Manufacturers Association and Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association spokesmen emphasized existing industry programs to protect streams and water supplies against pollution.

#### Bank Applications

State Banking Board has agreed to rule January 9 an applications for two Midland bank charters Texas Bank and Trust and First State Bank.

A charter was granted for Howe State Bank in Grayson County. Applications were denied for Security Bank and Trust Company of Canyon, City Bank and Trust Company and Pan American Bank and Trust Company, both of San

#### Three Were Injured In November Accidents

Statistics released recently by the San Angelo Sub-District of the Texas Department of Public Safety for the month of November re vealed that Schleicher county had three injuries in accidents for the

There were two P.I.'s and four

P.D.'s for a total of six accidents with property damage of \$3,210. Statistics also revealed two fatal accidents for the first 11 months of this year compared with one for the same period in 1962 Personal injury accidents were 6 compared with 5, property damage accidents were up to 24 over 21 and total accidents were 32 over The 11-month period revealed total of \$19,245, however, down

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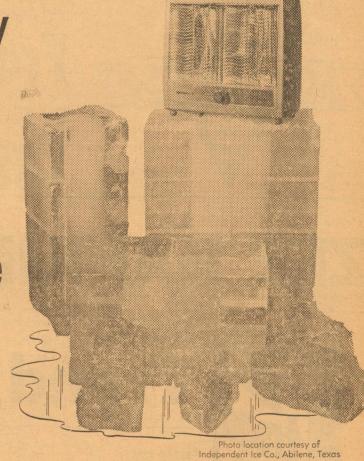
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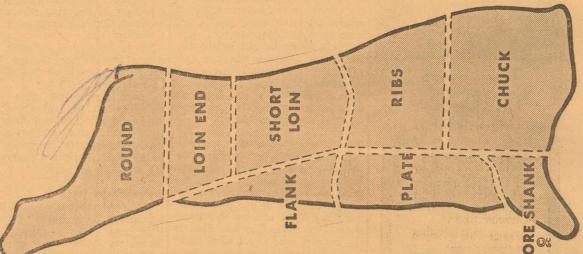
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