

# Unincorporation..... Commissioners Inquire About Effect On County

The possibility of Schleicher County adopting the services of the City of Eldorado was the foremost item of discussion at the regular meeting of the Commissioners Court Monday. City Secretary Phil Olson was present at the meeting to give the court an idea of the financial situation the county would inherit in the event that the unincorporation question passes on the April 2 city election. County Judge Bob McWhorter informed the court of some information he had received from state and federal government officials as to the impact such a move would make in regard to services presently provided by the city that the county might inherit. County Attorney T.P. Robinson, Jr., said that he had contacted Mr. Riley Fletcher of the Municipal League about the county owning the utilities that are presently owned by the city. Mr. Fletcher replied that he knew of no authority by which a county could operate gas, water or sewerage utilities. A similar reply was received from Mr. Craig of the State Attorney Generals office.

The question was asked as to what means would be made to provide these utilities if the city was unincorporated. Judge McWhorter replied that 'from the information we have received, the utilities would have to be handled by governing body apart from the county government. This would probably mean setting up a small water district that would serve just the city of Eldorado.' McWhorter and Robinson cited the cities of Christoval and Ozona as examples where this system works as far as water and sewerage operations are concerned. Both cities are unincorporated. Since the city owns and operates the city

gas system, a move toward forming an operating company or assigning the present system and gas contracts to a company already in business would have to be done. Olson informed the court that any property owned by the city which was not a part of the utility operation would become property of the county including real property.

Olson also informed the court that lost revenue from unincorporation would amount to approximately \$50,000, which includes income from revenue sharing funds (approximately \$8,000 annually), Ad Valorem taxes (approximately \$32,464) and city sales taxes. Judge McWhorter added that the county might also stand to lose a small portion of the county's revenue sharing funds. According to Rep. Bob Krueger's office the unincorporation would change the basic formula which would determine the amount of funds Schleicher County would receive.

In summing up the discussion, McWhorter stated on behalf of the court that whatever outcome the election presented, the court would do whatever possible to make the change work if a change was the decision of the voters.

In other business, the court indicated that bid openings would occur at the next regular meeting on two items. Bids are presently being received on a diesel tractor truck. Also bids have been advertised for oil and gas lease purposes on Schleicher County school lands in Gaines County. Both of these items will be considered at the March 28 meeting. Appearing before the court at that time will be a representative from the Council of Governments, who will discuss the jail facility proposition with the Commissioners.

## School Board Begins Work On Problem At Elementary School

The Schleicher County school trustees met Monday evening and considered a structural problem that has recently occurred in the old elementary school building. Mr. Gary Donaldson, an architectural consultant from San Angelo, appeared before the board to give his preliminary findings on the problem. Donaldson indicated that more detailed research would be necessary before a cost estimate could be made and presented to the board. The board gave Donaldson the authority to complete his findings on the problem. The structural problem exists in the old elementary building which was built in the early 1930's, where a portion of the hallway is buckling up. Donaldson will present cost of repair figures as well as possible alternative solutions which the board may consider.

Also appearing before the board were Mr. Bill Long and Mr. Charles Baily, tax representatives of Atlantic Richfield Oil Co. Mr. Long expressed his company's pleasure with the past performance of the Eldorado school system and expressed Atlantic Richfield's continued support for the local school system. Mr. Long pointed out that Atlantic Richfield is presently the largest tax payer in Schleicher County. "We are proud to be the largest tax payer in

Schleicher County", Long said, "especially when we know that our tax dollars will be handled wisely and in a prudent business like manner." He added, "The test scores of your students are reflections of the type of school system you have and where the emphasis and priorities have been made. These are more important than school buildings where many other districts fall down."

Mr. Odis McDonnell and Mr. Zane Miller appeared before the board as representatives from the Summer Youth Recreation organization. McDonnell submitted a request for \$1452 to improve the baseball facilities on the school property south of Eldorado. The facilities would be used by the girls little league, a pony league and the semi-pro baseball team. The board tabled the request until the next regular meeting.

The board approved the selections made by the textbook committee and replaced Mrs. Joy Bock who resigned last month with Su Scott on that committee.

Mr. Earl Lloyd reported that soil samples from the football field had not been received from Texas A&M and that the reseeded work on the field would be postponed until the samples came in. Kenith Homer and Billy Williams are on the committee with Lloyd overseeing the work on the field.

Supt. Whitaker informed the board that he had applied for funds through Title I Migrant program and that the funds received from this source in addition to what would be received through the regular Title I program would enable the school to maintain the present Title I aides for the coming year.

Under new business items, the board decided to continue the rate of \$1 hour for use of tennis court lights.

Mr. Whitaker informed the board that Jim Thornton would donate a green house to the school district if the district would move the structure.

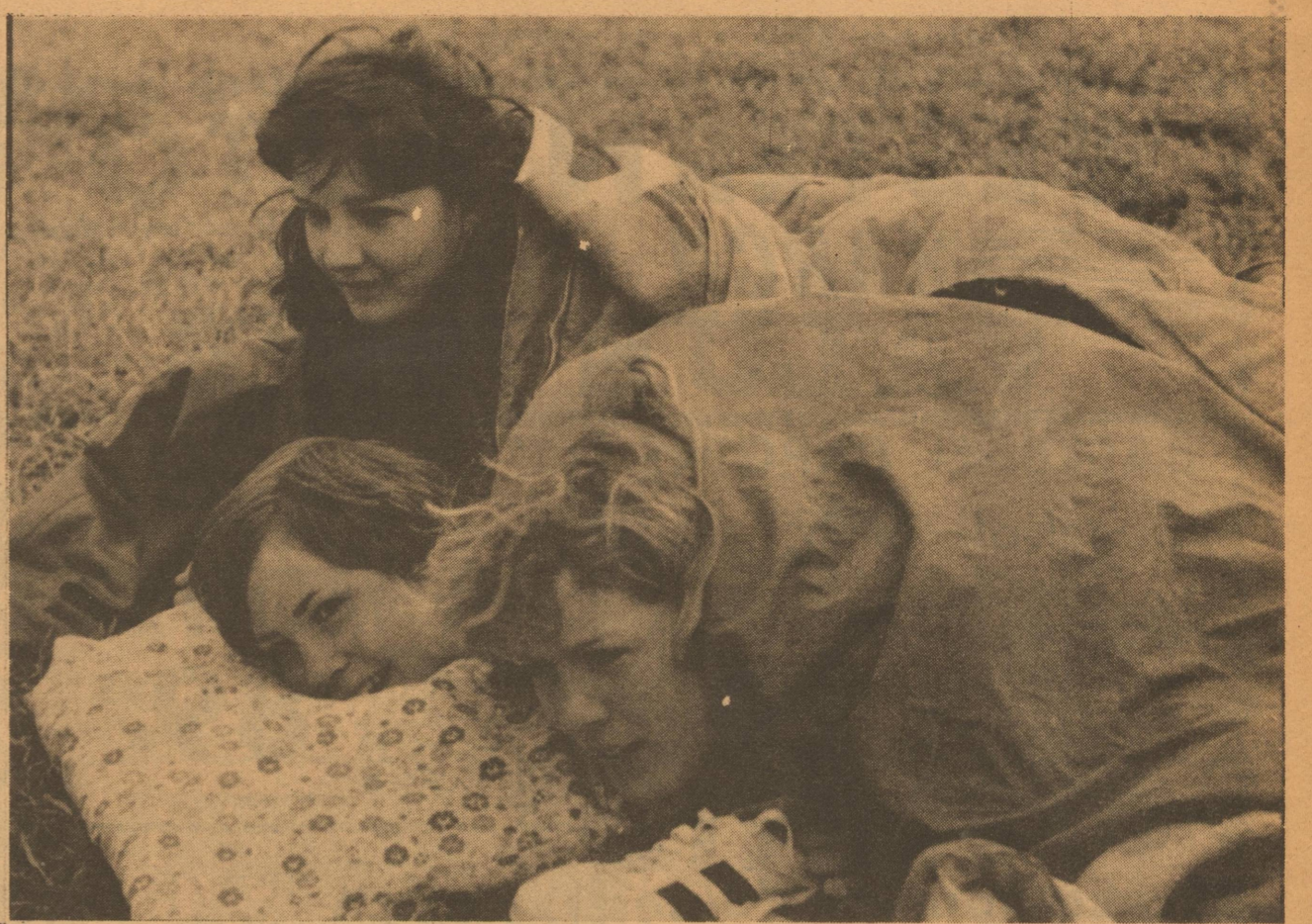
The board approved a new quarter course to be implemented next year. The Student Aide program is designed to allow students to assist elementary teachers in various phases of the teaching process. The new course will be available to senior students only and credit will be given for successful completion of the course.

The board instituted a new policy regarding use of school vehicles, and the new policy states that school transportation would be provided only for school sponsored events of educational value and not for recreational purposes. The change came as a result of a request by the sixth grade class to use school transportation for their end of school picnic.

In final action the board renewed the contracts of the high school and elementary school teachers recommended to the board. The board also voted to keep the contracts of the elementary and high school principals to their present one year term and the superintendent's contract on a two year term.

The April meeting of the school trustees will be changed to April 18.

Present at Monday's meeting were Mort Mertz, Dr. Jim Brame, Lynn Meador, Kenith Homer, Earl Lloyd, Bill Ray, Billy Williams, Superintendent Guy Whitaker, Elementary Principal Walter Wallis, High School Principal Robert Jay and executive secretary Leslie Baker.



Burrrr... It was cold and windy last Friday at the Eldorado Eaglette Track Meet. Huddled under warm blankets are Eaglettes Cheri Niblett (closest), Sammie Jay (middle), and Kendra Dunham (farthest). (photo by Jim McWilliams).

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If you missed your copy of the Express News last week you probably wondered yesterday what happened to this week's edition. As you can see from our date-line, we are now publishing the Express News on Friday instead of Thursday. We mentioned in last week's paper that this change will enable us to give better weekly coverage of news, especially late breaking news items. Our deadlines are now 5:00 PM Tuesday for news items and 12:00 noon Wednesday for advertising. We ask the cooperation of those who have news and advertisements to attempt to get their information in to us by these deadlines so that we might give them full consideration in the layout of the paper.

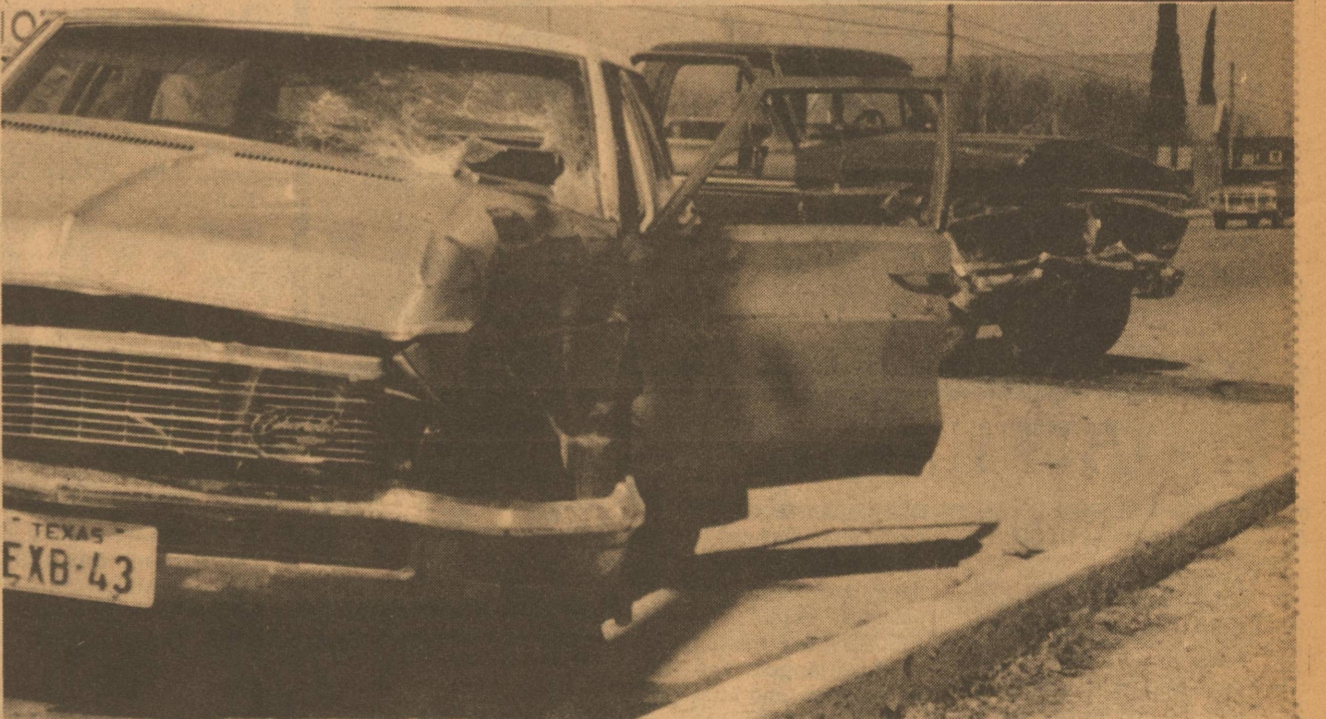
## Help Us To Help You Decide

There has been quite a bit of discussion around town lately concerning the question of unincorporating the City of Eldorado. More than that, there has been a lot of questions asked, and few answers to these questions. At our coverage of the commissioner's court this week one commissioner voiced what we believe to be the major task of any concerned citizen, and that is to know the facts of the issue before you cast the vote. The Express News feels that it is our obligation to present you, the citizens of Eldorado, the information you need to form an intelligent decision on this issue. Beginning next week and the week thereafter we

intend to give primary consideration to all aspects of this important question, and this is where you can help us. If you have a question as to the effects such a move would make on you personally or the community as a whole, write the question(s) in the blanks below and we will attempt to find the answer in our coverage. Your assistance in this way will only help to better serve the interest of the city as a whole.

Return the question to The Express News, Box 782, Eldorado, Texas 76936, concerning the unincorporation of the City of Eldorado.

I would like to know: \_\_\_\_\_



Friday, March 11th at 2 p.m. these two vehicles collided at the intersection of U.S. 277 and Highway 29 in Eldorado. Two Eldorado men were injured in the accident. They were Bethel Jeffery and Mike Brawley.

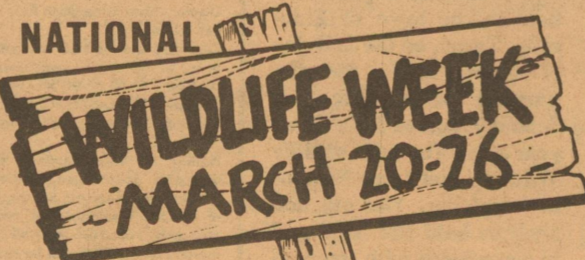
## More Public Works Monies For Texas

College Station--More federal money for public works programs should soon be available to Texas, says a resource development specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Passage of new legislation is virtually assured by early March that would make an additional \$120 million available to Texas cities and other public entities that have unemployment greater than 6.5 per cent," points out Jack Jones. "This money would be a part of an additional \$4 billion to be authorized nationally to cities, counties and other special purpose

public bodies with high unemployment." Texas already received some \$60 million from the Economic Development Administration in January that funded public works programs in 59 Texas cities, counties and special districts under the Public Works and Employment

Act of 1976. The specialist encourages public entities that failed to qualify for the initial round of funding to contact the Economic Development Administration for the new funds. Grant proposals should be prepared and submitted now in anticipation of the new appropriations, advises Jones.



Richard Heald and J.D. Redwine stopped by the office last Thursday to display their catch while fishing at Three Rivers at San Angelo. The happy fishermen are pictured above with about 100 white bass, nice sized ones at that, and reported they were catching them 2 at a time.

*Something To Think About*  
by Jannette Wilkerson

**"BEAUTY AND THE BEAST"**

Along with the bluebonnets and mockingbirds, springtime in West Texas also brings out rattlesnakes, and nobody lives here very long without hearing a snake story or having one to tell. Rattlesnake roundups provide much of the folklore about the diamond-back "gentleman" who is polite enough to warn you with a rattle before he bites you.

When Jim McWilliams was a boy, he was on a bug collecting expedition for a science project. Having stopped at a windmill for a cool drink, he heard what he thought was the "Granddaddy" of all locusts. So, with his little butterfly net he bagged the "Granddaddy" of all rattlesnakes. Well, he ended up with something better to show at school than bugs. He had a genuine rattlesnake bite and a new respect for locust.

Then there's the story my Dad liked to tell about the old country doctor with a wooden leg. The doctor had gone some twenty miles in the country to deliver a baby. The nervous young father-to-be met the doctor at the gate, and when the doctor got out of the model T to inquire about the young rancher's wife, he stepped right in the middle of a coiled up rattler in a clump of broom weed. The snake bit into, and hung on the wooden leg. The unknowing doctor walked around the front of the car with the viper dangling from his leg. This sight, along with the possibility of the young rancher having to deliver his own baby and deliver a dead doctor back to town, was just too much, and he passed out cold. The young man awoke to the sound of his baby crying and the doctor laughing.

Snake stories are as much a part of Texas as whirlwinds and windmills. And with all the wild beauty our Texas springs bring, a sprinkling of rattlesnakes here and there just keeps us up on our toes.....

And that's something to think about this week.....



W.D. [Bill] Howell of Lenorah and rattler.

## Home Front News

end were her grandson, Evans Etheredge and his friend, David Smith of Midland, Texas.

Mr and Mrs P. S. Dudley returned home Thursday from a visit with their grandson and wife, Mike and Carla Olson, in Canyon. Mr Dudley made himself very useful around the new house, especially putting on shingles that had blown off from the high

Call me your Home Front News items. 853-2688 or 853-2032. Billie Porter.

Guests in the home of Ethel Etheredge over the week-

wind and also putting up a dog run for the Olson's two Great Dane dogs.

Mrs Howard McDaniels of Midland and Mrs R. T. McDaniels of Monahans visited Mrs Delbert Edmiston over the weekend. Mrs R. T. McDaniels is Mrs Edmiston's sister.

Will Edmiston, son of Mr and Mrs Jerry Edmiston,

has been a patient at Shannon Hospital for the past week. Will is reported to be improving slowly. Hopefully the baby will be strong enough to return home in the next few days.

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**WEATHER LOG** compiled by Mrs Jack Wade

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**AG Confab Is Set For April 4-5**

"A Look Into The Future" will be the theme of the annual Texas Animal Agriculture Conference, April 4-5, at Texas A&M University. Short courses in beef and dairy cattle, horses and swine production are planned, along with special programs relating to range, pastures, forage production and wildlife management, announces L.A. Maddox, Jr., beef cattle specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and conference chairman. To obtain more information contact Maddox at Texas A&M, or local county Extension offices.



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I would like to express our thanks to all our friends for the cards, flowers and visits while our son was in the hospital in San Angelo. Thank you for the food and kind deeds that were given to our other sons while we were staying with Mike in San Angelo. Thanks to Dr Brame and his staff for the kind and alert treatment that was given to Mike in the Emergency Room. May God Bless all of you.

Griff, Bea & Mike Griffith

**CARD OF THANKS**

It is with a deep sense of gratitude that the family of Mrs Milton "Pollie" Barnett thank each of you who in any way assisted us at our time of sorrow. How grateful we are for your prayerful thoughts for her - and us - during her illness. And then your many deeds of kindness to us - her family - this past week. Nothing is more helpful than a friend's help.

Mrs H.L. Potter  
Mr & Mrs Oliver Teele  
Mr Milton Barnett  
Mr & Mrs Lee Crump

**CARD OF THANKS**

I want to thank each one of you that inquired about me or sent me cards while I was in the hospital. A special thank you to Dr Brame and all the nurses at the hospital.

Thanks Liz-  
Earl Cathey

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### LIONS CLUB 1977 SENIORS OF THE WEEK



Judy Nicholson



Tanya Leggett



Elizabeth Niblett

### THIS WEEK'S BRIDGE

**WEDNESDAY BRIDGE**

The Wednesday Bridge Club met March 9th at the ranch home of Mrs Elizabeth Powell for dessert bridge. There were two tables of players with one guest, Mrs Walter Ray. High was won by Mrs Jimmie West and Bingo was won by Mrs Dick Bearce.

**ALPHA BRIDGE CLUB**

The Alpha Bridge Club met Tuesday in the Memorial Building for a luncheon hosted by Jannette Wilkerson. There were two tables of players with Betty Kay Lacy winning High and Sheila McClure taking low. The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 29, in the home of Candy Richards.

**TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB**

The Tuesday Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs Phil Olson Tuesday afternoon. Present were two tables of players with one guest, Mrs P. S. Dudley. Mrs Mary Jo Hill won High, Mrs P. S. Dudley won Low, Mrs June Jones won Travel, and Mrs Madolyn Mertz won Bingo.

**DUPLICATE BRIDGE**

Winners last week were: Doyle Nichols, Kerrville & Hollis McCormick - 1st Evelyn Wimer & Jack Bebee - 2nd Zeila Baker & Winnie Helen Hilliard - 3rd June Jones & Frankie Williams - 4th Ernestine Hext & Bill Freitag - 5th Ina Lambert & Clay Porter - 6th Lottie Puckett & Fred Adkins, Sonora - 7th We will have a Swiss Team Tournament on March 31st at 7:30 P.M.

**Club Meets**

Mr and Mrs E. C. Peters entertained their Bridge Club Saturday March 12th with dinner and bridge. There were three tables of players present. High was won by the Mort Mertz's, Low was won by the Bob Bradleys. Martha Lee Meador won Ladies Bingo and Paul Page won Men's Bingo.

## OBITUARIES

**R.A. DONALDSON**

Russell A. Donaldson, 82, died Saturday morning in a Sonora hospital.

Services were held in the First Baptist Church of Eldorado with burial in Eldorado Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Mr Donaldson was born Nov. 25, 1894, in Mason County. He was married to Clara Adams in San Angelo Feb 14, 1932. They moved to Eldorado from San Angelo in 1932 and were engaged in ranching. He also was employed by Eldorado Feed Co. for 14 years.

Survivors include three sons, Kyle Donaldson of Sonora, Jerry Donaldson of Mineral Wells and Billy Carson of Eldorado; one daughter Toby Harris of Eldorado; one brother, Ebbie Donaldson of Eldorado; one sister, Mrs Logan Williams of Girard; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

**F. JASSO**

Funeral services were recently held for Francisco Jasso, 76, of 801 Koberlin. Mr Jasso had been a resident of San Angelo for 34 years. He was born in Mexico and was married to Virginia Carpio in San Angelo in 1929. She died in 1968. A retired cement finisher, he had lived in El Paso for 20 years before moving to San Angelo. Survivors include a son,

Perryton; and 10 grandchildren.

The family has requested memorials be sent to the Dr and Mrs J. F. Howell scholarship fund for nurse training in care of First National Bank of Sonora.

**C & W Jamboree Held Each 2nd Saturday Of The Month**

Last Saturday a Country-Western Jamboree was held at the Memorial Building. Jamborees such as this will be held the second Saturday of each month, with J.L. Buchanan as their promoter. Everyone is welcome to attend, with special invitation going to all musicians to come join the fun.

Musicians attending last week included: Shirley and Sonny Davenport of Brady, Mary Lee and Lawrence Castleberry of Menard, Richard and Mary Low of Menard, Tilden Jones of Robert Lee, Jim McWilliams of Eldorado, Bob Kendrick of San Angelo, W.D. Smith of Iraan, Charlie Beard of Big Lake, Jimmy Deaton of Eldorado, Mrs Frank Van Horn of Eldorado, and Judy Burleson of Eldorado.

**MRS J.F. HOWELL**

Mrs J. F. Howell, 75 of Sonora, died Wednesday, March 9th, at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

Services were held in the First United Methodist Church with burial in the Sonora Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Mrs Howell was born Sept 3, 1901 in Kilmichael, Miss. She was married to Dr J. F. Howell in Kilmichael April 12, 1925. They moved to Sonora in 1934. Dr Howell practiced medicine in Sonora until his death in 1971. Mrs Howell was a member of the Tom Green and Texas Medical Auxiliary and was chairman of the American Heart Assn. in Sonora. She was also past president of the Women's Society of the PTA, the Confederate Women's Club and the United Methodist Women.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs Jack Allen of Perryton; two sons, Dr J. Franklin Howell of Amarillo and Charles W. Howell of

# CHRISTOVAL CORNER

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## CHS Holds Practice Track Meet

Grape Creek received 48 points and Christoval 30 in the Girls Christoval Track Meet which was held March 14th. Christoval girls that placed in the meet were:

660 yd Dash: 1st L. Martinez, 3rd Onofre, 70 yd Intermediate Hurdles: 2nd Arrott, 100 yd Dash: 3rd Henry, 4th N. Martinez, 6th I. Martinez, 330 yd Dash: 4th I. Martinez, 5th Martinez, 220 yd Dash: 2nd Arrott, 3rd Galindo, 5th Henry.

Christoval came in first in the 440 yd Relay, and second in the 1320 yd Relay.

Results of the field events were:

High Jump: 1st Arrott, Long Jump: 2nd Martinez, 3rd L. Martinez, 4th Galindo, Shot Put: 2nd Harris, Discus: 2nd

Van Court.

The results of the Christoval Boys Track Meet saw Boys Ranch come in first, Grape Creek second, Christoval third, and Paint Rock fourth.

Boys who placed in the Meet from Christoval (C) and Boys Ranch (BR) were as follows:

660 yd Dash: 1st Vance (C), 2nd Lujan (BR), 3rd Martinez (BR), 70 yd Intermediate Hurdles: 2nd Stuart (BR), 3rd Cruz (BR), 4th Fava (C), 6th Seeger (BR) 8th Booth (C), 100 yd Dash: 1st Revelle (BR), 2nd Fava (C), Luna (BR), 6th Hernandez (BR), 9th Gage (BR), Galindo (C), 330 yd Dash: 1st Coppedge (BR), 2nd Seeger (BR), 3rd Castillo (BR), 7th Hernandez (C), 220 yd

Dash: 1st Zuniga (BR), 2nd Revelle (BR), 3rd Cruz (BR), 4th Chavez (C), 1320 yd Run: 2nd Fierro (BR).

In the 440 yd Relay Boys Ranch took first, Grape Creek second, and Christoval third. In the 1320 yd. Relay Boys Ranch was first, Grape Creek second, Christoval third, and Paint Rock fourth.

Results in field events were:

High Jump: 2nd Luna (BR), 4th Hernandez (C), 5th Galindo (C), Long Jump: 1st Revelle (BR), 2nd Castillo (BR), 3rd Coppedge (BR), 5th Fava (C), 6th Chavez (C), 7th Galindo (C), 12th Zuniga (BR), Shot Put: 1st Morado (BR), 3rd Roberson (BR), 4th Vance (C), Discus: 1st Castillo (BR), 4th Morado (BR).

### Recipe Corner

**HUSH PUPPIES**  
1 lb corn meal  
1 egg  
1 Tbl salt  
1 Tbl sugar  
pinch soda  
1 cup buttermilk  
Mix all ingredients together. Stir adding water, to thicken consistency. Drop in deep fat and cook in temperature of 375 degrees. Serves 6.

**PORK APPLESAUCE KRAUT BAKE**  
4 pork shoulder chops (1/2 inch thick) 2 pounds  
2 cups sauerkraut  
1 cup applesauce  
2 Tbl brown sugar  
1/4 cup chopped onion  
3/4 tsp Caraway seed  
Trim excess fat from chops, cook in skillet until 1 table-spoon fat accumulates. Discard trimmings. Brown chops in hot fat. Remove chops, drain fat. Combine sauerkraut, applesauce, onion, sugar and caraway seed. Pour into skillet, add chops, salt and pepper. Cover and simmer till chops are tender - 35 - 45 min. Serves 4.

**COUNTRY WISDOM**  
Followers of moon signs in treatment of human and animal ailments say that all procedures should be in rhythm with the moon in its various phases.

**SCIENCE MEET RESULTS**  
San Angelo's Lakeview hosted a Science Meet Saturday, March 12th with 280 entered from a multitude of schools. Some categories had as many as 50 entries, all the way up to 4-A rated schools.

Christoval students netted the following places:

Advanced Science: 5th John Clark, 7th Kyle Green. Novice Science: 9th Jimmy Cleveland. Slide rule: 4th Laurie Cleveland. Freshman Math: 4th Terri Martin. Jr. High Math: 2nd Christi Barton, 6th Dena Erickson. Jr. high Number Sense: 1st Christi Barton.

The Christoval Science Fair will be on Thursday, March 24th at the school gym. Open house to view the ribboned displays will be 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Christoval has an extraordinary science department and teacher, and this is reflected in the unusually superior projects of the students. Don't fail to attend this school science fair of your hometown youngsters.

### Short Notes

Ex-Christovalites Ken and Dee Musick and daughter Mandy of Corpus Christi will be in Christoval this Fri, Sat, and Sun, visiting with Dee's family Travis and Lorraine Parker and brother John on the Bois d'Arc Ranch south of Christoval.

The "Lady Hummingbird" has her first Hummingbird scouts feeding at her kitchen window this week and says she hopes this means permanent warm weather. We do, too. Lady Hummingbird.

Ann and Andy Allen worked at the Rodeo last week. Ann worked in the ticket booths for the B.C.D. and Andy has been assistant supervisor in charge of the Angus cattle. Ann reports that the dirt blew the worst this year.

Mr Charlie Wallace has been on the sick list last week but is better.

Mrs Kathy Bradford and children Windy, Ginger, Brandy and Randy from Monahans visited last week.

Mr Ray Doyle is in Eldorado Hospital having tests run.

Mr and Mrs Glenn Clark attended the funeral of Mr Joe Barina in San Angelo Monday.

Dwight Clark, son of Mr and Mrs Glenn Clark, fell of a ladder while installing an air conditioner and broke his wrist last week.

The H.W. Gastons are getting ready for their granddaughter's wedding to be in Lubbock on the 19th. Their son and wife, Bill and Doris, came by Tuesday. Bill will stay in Christoval and take the Gastons on to Lubbock Friday for the wedding of Sandra Gaston.

A family reunion was held in the home of Mr and Mrs Victor Gutierrez and son this weekend. Attending from the San Antonio area were Mrs Adelina Perez, Mr and Mrs David Perez and son, Mr and Mrs Armando Pompa and family, Mr and Mrs Augustin Estrada and son, Mr and Mrs Ramon Gonzales

and family, Mr and Mrs Marcelo Reyes and family, Mr and Mrs Gilbert Ramirez and family, Mrs Feliz

Reyes and Mrs Josie Morales. Attending from the Lubbock area were Mr and Mrs Victor Gutierrez,

Sr., and Mary Sue, Mr and Mrs Joe Mancilla and son, and Mr and Mrs Frank Gutierrez and son.

## Gutierrez Family Reunion Held In Eldorado

### EHS Students Attend Math Meet

Several Eldorado students attended a math and science meet in Lakeview Saturday. The meet is considered to be a preliminary meet to the district U.I.L. meet which will be held in April. Twenty area Class A schools participated in the event. Placing in the meet from Eldorado were: Mathematics - Paul McWhorter 1st, Paige Helmers 6th in Sophomore division; Laura Gentry - 6th Freshman division Number Sense; Jim Bob Byrd - 3rd Senior division.

### Burnet Methodist Ceremony Planned

The First United Methodist Church of Burnet, Texas will have Consecration for their new church home on Sunday, March 20, 1977 from 3 to 7:30 P.M. Also they will be celebrating 100 years of Methodism in Burnet. The only art glass window is in memory of Rev C. M. Nyquist and was donated by friends and family. The late Rev Nyquist was a former minister of the Eldorado First United Methodist Church.

### Eldorado Nursing Home News

Never, I hope, do I ever hear of anyone having Shingles, because I will feel so sorry for them. You have to have them to realize about how bad it really is.

I am sorry I had to fail to give the news for a few weeks. The home has three new residents. They are Aubrey Baugh, who is a long time Schleicher County resident and Andrew Campbell, who has lived here quite a number of years and also Mrs Mary Oglesby, who moved in last week. We are glad to have them and we hope that they are going to enjoy living here with us.

The last Sunday was the time for the Primitive Baptist Church to have the services here in the dining room. We all appreciate the churches of our town conducting these services for us. Last Wednesday the Bingo winners were Elva Daniels two games, Beulah Harris two games, Bessie Andrews two games and Carrie Blakeway one game. On Friday the winners were Carrie Blakeway two games, Lavita Brooks two games, Beulah Harris two

games and Bessie Andrews one game. We all appreciate Ruthie Dacy conducting the recreation programs here, so very much and we all love her.

We had several visitors during the week, as follows Imogene Bladdell of San Angelo visited her father, Eddie Donaldson, Mark Payne from San Angelo visited Beulah Harris, Mr and Mrs Albert Keys of Wall and Mrs Ila V. Keys of San Angelo came to see Mr Keys but now he has returned with her to San Angelo. Mr and Mrs Calvin Van Hoozer, the former Wanda McAngus of Sonora visited Lizzie McAngus. The past week Mr and Mrs Jackie Harris of El Paso visited Beulah Harris. Mr and Mrs W. W. Sudduth of San Angelo visited Lizzie McAngus.

Russell Donaldson was moved from here to Sonora about a week ago. In a few days, he became ill and passed away last Saturday. We extend our deepest sympathy. We are going to miss him very much.

Lavita Brooks, Rep Beulah Harris, Rep

### EL CONCHO STUDY CLUB

The El Concho Study Club met Monday at The Head of the River Ranch. The ladies enjoyed the outing and a picnic lunch.

### SOCIAL SECURITY

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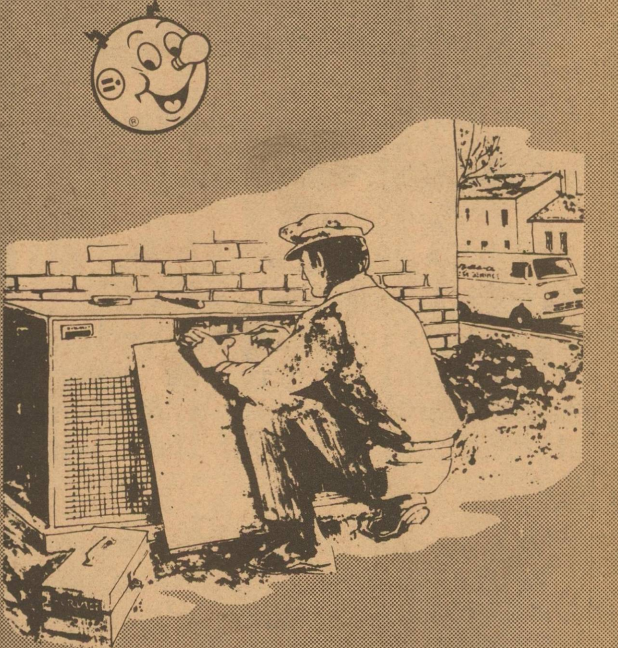
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## JUST JOGGIN' ALONG!

By Express News Publisher, ED MEADOR

Everyone seems to be enjoying the weather calming down a bit. Bob Boothe called from Amarillo today to say that last Friday had to be the worst day he ever lived through. With ninety mile-per-hour winds and parts of Colorado, New Mexico and Oklahoma moving in on what hadn't blown away from Texas, you can imagine it was rather unpleasant. One friend in Midland said he had to taxi his airplane nearly the length of the runway before he could take off just to blow the dust off the wing enough that the plane could get off the ground!

Now, Mother Nature . . . all will be forgiven if you'll come up with a few good soaking rains.

## BANK CENTS

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Once in a while something happens that makes you feel that your efforts aren't always wasted. I got the nicest note in the mail the other day from Miss Ella Suddeth expressing how much she enjoys the paper and the column. She and Oddest live in San Angelo now, but they were a great part of the Bailey Ranch community when I was growing up, and played no little part in my upbringing. Their son, Waldine (Smiley) and I roamed those parts continuously, and got in no little amount of trouble in the process. But Miss Ella always had a kind word, and there was always something delicious to eat . . . and flowers, she always had the prettiest. Like she said . . . those really were good old days.

Most every activity you get involved in comes up with some pluses you hadn't counted on. Like last Sunday when I started out to jog . . . I heard a considerable amount of honking going on, stopped and started searching that big, blue sky. Sure enough, just overhead about 4000 feet up some eighty-five wild geese were all strung out in a ragged V and were heading north. They had a considerable tailwind, and seemed to be sure of where they were headed so it didn't take long for them to get out of sight. I had a little bit of a feeling of being left behind, and the strains of the once popular song "I Want to go Where the Wild Goose Goes" crept in on my thinking.

Couldn't help but reflect on the beauty and dependability of Nature and God's creatures. Like ole' Ben Rumson in "Paint Your Wagon" said . . . this old place sure must 'ave ben purty til Man come along and gummed it all up.

Well, with all the warmer weather and more in prospect, it's high time you were out getting all the knots out of your muscles, and all the old air of winter out of your lungs. We're making great progress even at our house . . . I've got Martha Lee walking a couple of miles every time I jog, and she's even jumping rope.

Faith and Be'gory, 'tis the wearing of the Green once again, and all ye sons of Ireland can sport a winsome smile. There's a bunch of 'em around these parts still, so a 'appy St. Patrick's Day to ye!

Gynna Jay broad jumps to 3rd place in the Eaglette Track Meet last Friday with a leap of 15.8 feet. (photo by Jim McWilliams)

## AROUND The HOUSE and OTHER PLACES

by Nancy Lester  
County Extension Agent - Home Economics

The new Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Melanie Reynolds this past Monday morning for a program on Food Preservation. We discussed how to make pickles and relishes and also how to can low acid and high acid foods. Candy Richards brought some of the foods that she put up last summer and I brought some that I had done and we had a regular tasting bee! I think Candy's pickled okra was the favorite by far!

The Young Homemaker's Home Demonstration Club met last Wednesday at the home of Ester Bumgardner. Nell Williams, club president, presided over the meeting. The members discussed the booth that they will have at the Cancer Society Arts & Crafts Fair. The clubs plan to have a bake sale featuring homemade bread. Mrs. Karen Homer was selected as "Homemaker of the Year" for the club. Karen served as vice-president of her club last year. This year she is serving as program chairman for the Home Demonstration Council. Congratulations to Karen.

The Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club will meet today at 2 p.m. at my house. The program will be on making handbags. Miss Connie Spence will be serving as hostess.

In my columns this month I have been talking about good nutrition. While being concerned about nutrition you also want to get the most value for your food dollar. Listed below are seven ways you can be a better shopper. Next week I will have six more for you.

- WATCH FOR ON-THE-SPOT MEAT BARGAINS.** Shop the entire meat case. There may be a special on one of your favorite cuts. Government studies show that when chuck roast is on sale, savings amount to 10 to 30 cents a pound. Meat doesn't have seasons in the same sense watermelons do, but there are times when supplies are plentiful. That's the time to change the dinner menu or buy ahead for the freezer.
- LEARN TO COOK THE LESS-FAMILIAR, LESS-DEMANDED CUTS.** Usually they carry the lower price tags. The meatman has to sell the favorite cuts as well as all the other cuts from a side of beef. Remember, the price of meat doesn't measure its food value. The less expensive cuts have the same nutrients that all meat contains and you get that good meat flavor at bargain prices.
- LEARN TO FIGURE THE COST PER SERVING OF COOKED MEAT VS. THE PRICE PER POUND AS PURCHASED.** Price alone is not a dependable buying guide. Some cuts naturally have more bone, fat, and waste than others. This makes a difference in how much meat there is to serve. It's how much meat there is in the cut that counts. A general guide to follow is to plan on a six pound bone-in roast to yield approximately three pounds of boneless cooked meat. Very often the boneless roast with a higher store price actually costs less per serving of meat on the table.
- LOOK BEFORE YOU BUY PRODUCE.** Look over the entire produce department to see what's especially appealing. In this age of modern production, rapid transportation, and rapid marketing, produce departments usually offer a wide variety. Buy the staples, of course, but also buy new fruits and vegetables for menu variety. Large size produce may not be the most economical buy. The largest apples are not necessary if you are going to cut them up for Waldorf Salad. If you shop only once a week, avoid waste by using up fresh produce and perishables first. Rely on canned and frozen foods for meals the latter part of the week.
- BUY MORE THAN ONE KIND OF MILK.** Savings can be made on milk by buying some fresh, some canned, some dry. Knowing what kinds there are and when to use each means you'll never have to skimp on milk. It depends on local prices and whether you buy fresh homogenized milk, nonfat dry milk, buttermilk, any of the newer milks, or national brand or store brand evaporated milk.
- BUY CHEESE ACCORDING TO USE AND FAMILY LIKES.** Cheese prices vary as to the four kinds - natural, pasteurized process, cheese food, or cheese spread. Aged natural cheeses are the highest priced, because of aging often a year or more. The process varieties are medium priced and the "cheese food" the thriftiest of all - often 25 cents a pound less than natural cheese. All are rich in protein and are "good-for-you" foods. Buy according to how you plan to use the cheese, the flavor, and the texture your family likes.
- BUY EGGS BY SIZE AND GRADE.** Size and grade determine egg prices. Size refers to the weight per dozen. Grade refers to quality. The government sets the minimum weights per dozen. For example, one dozen of extra-large eggs must weigh 27 oz.; large 24 oz.; medium 21 oz. Weight is not listed on the carton, but size is and that's your guarantee. Quality is marked on cartons by these government letters: AA, A, B. Careful shoppers keep both choices on hand because eggs can be one of the biggest budget boosters. Here's a tip about egg prices: The U.S. Dept. of Agriculture says, generally speaking if there is less than a seven-cent price spread per dozen between one size and the next smaller size in the same grade, you will get more for your money by buying the larger size.

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**AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY CRUSADE STARTS THIS WEEK**  
The Schleicher County unit of the American Cancer Society is holding its annual Crusade this week and next week. The business canvass was completed last week and the house-to-house drive starts this week. Chairman are: Crusade - Robbie Heald, County Chairman - Helen Pfluger, and Business Chairman - Pam White. We hope when someone knocks on your door, you will give generously so maybe cancer can be cured in our lifetime.

**Band To Begin Fund Raising Candy Sale**  
The Band students will be selling candy next week. This money will help pay for a new trailer for their uniforms and instruments. If you are not contacted and would like some candy, please call any Band member and they will be glad to deliver it to you.

**42 CLUB MEETS**  
Mrs. Etta Ruth Dannhiem was hostess Thursday when she entertained the 42 Club in the Club room in the Memorial Building. There were three tables of players. Those present were Allie Cheatham, Jake Spencer, Virginia Griffin, Zelma Henderson, Maudie Bassinger, Opal Parks, Rose Brannon, Annie Speck, Bessie Doyle and two guests Natalie Stockton and Lois Etheredge. The hostess served cherry cake, potato chips and pickles with coffee. Bessie Doyle will be the hostess March 24th.

## TOPS

Tops 899 met with eight members present. Total weight loss for the week was 16 pounds. Queen for the week was Helen Fay. Georgia was Queen for the month with a loss of 10 lbs. Tops 899 welcomes everyone to our meetings. We meet every Tuesday evening at 6:30 at the Memorial Building.

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## From The Horses Mouth

by Jerry Swift  
Schleicher County Agriculture Agent



In the San Angelo livestock show last week, Tanya Leggett exhibited the first place Light weight Crossbred Steer bred by Billy Williams - 3/4 Hereford, 1/4 Charolis. Kelly Leggett, Danette Dunagan and Susan Mertz also carried steers to the San Angelo Stock Show. Jed and Gene Edmiston, Patti and Cindy Hausenfluck, Sabrina Jarrett, Danette Dunagan, Dorothy Atkins, Lori and Kirk Griffin, Curtis, Craig and Kelly Griffin, and Todd and Shanna Swift exhibited lambs at the show. Shanna Swift's senior Hereford Heifer placed 3rd and Jimmy Lloyd placed 6th with his Hereford Heifer in the Winter Heifer Class. This ended the 1977 Stock Show season. As a whole, most of the 4-H boys and girls did above average over the state at the major stock shows.

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## Engagements



### ETHEREDGE-LUCAS

Mr and Mrs S. E. Etheredge of 3612 Roosevelt St., Midland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dawn, to David Lynn Lucas, son of Mr and Mrs J. L. Lucas, 4420 Gulf St, Midland, Texas. The couple will be married at 8 p.m. June 10 in Greenwood Baptist Church. The bride-elect and her fiance are graduates of Lee High School of Midland. She is employed by Midland Memorial Hospital and he is engaged in farming with his father. Dawn is the granddaughter of Mrs Ethel Etheredge of Eldorado.



### SAUER-FOSTER

May the 7th wedding date has been set by Karen Joy Sauer and William Lester Foster III. Joy is the daughter of Alma C. Sauer of San Angelo, Texas and the late Victor Sauer of Eldorado, Texas. Bill is the son of Mr and Mrs William Foster of Sterling City, Texas.

### Sonora's Paula Friess



Sonora Junior High School 8th grader Paula Friess was excep-

tional in field events last week at the Eaglette Track Meet. She triple jumped 30 feet 7 1/2 inches into a 30 mph wind to win 1st place. The jump put her in the finals of the Senior Girls division that day. She is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Turney Friess of Sonora. Paula also placed 1st in the Broad Jump. (photo by Jim McWilliams)

### Cotton & Milo Meeting

Willis Gass, Area Agronomist, will present a program on Milo and Cotton. New ideas will be discussed along with cultural practices. The program should be very educational. Plan to attend at the Memorial Building Lions Club Room on Monday night at 7:30 p.m., March 21st.

### Screwworm Campaign Begins

"Mission '77: Stamp Out Screwworms," a massive statewide voluntary campaign by livestock producers and other leaders to eliminate screwworms from Texas this year, was launched Feb 24 in Austin during a special conference called by Gov Dolph Briscoe. More than 1,600 livestock owners, county Screwworm Subcommittee members, agribusiness leaders and county Extension agents participated. The campaign was launched to take advantage of a combination of factors that hold promise for its success—a cold winter that will reduce the number of screwworm flies this spring a new strain of sterile flies, and the new screwworm plant in Tuxtla Gutierrez, Mexico, that will double sterile fly production capacity.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### WAGLEY BOY

Mr and Mrs Joe Roy "Jody" Wagley of San Angelo are the parents of a son, Joe Chad, born at the Clinic Hospital March 7. The young man weighed 7 lbs 4 oz and is 20 inches long. Joe Chad was born at 11:36 a.m. The Wagleys have a 2 1/2 year old daughter, Gail. Grandparents are Mrs Lola Jones, Barnhart, John W. Jones, Grants, New Mexi., Mr and Mrs Joe Wagley of San Angelo and the great grandparents are Mr and Mrs Everett Roe of Barnhart, Mrs John Jones of Anson and Mr and Mrs L. V. Hicks of San Angelo. The father operates the Wagley Car Lot here in Eldorado.

### WHITTEN BOY

Mr and Mrs Ross Whitten are the proud parents of a new son who has been named William Travis Whitten. Born March 12, the boy weighed 7 lbs 7 oz. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Doyle Morgan of Sonora and Mr and Mrs Morris Whitten of Eldorado. Great grandparents are Mrs Roy Fannin and Mr and Mrs Vivian Morgan of Madisonville and Mrs Josephine Hill of Eldorado.

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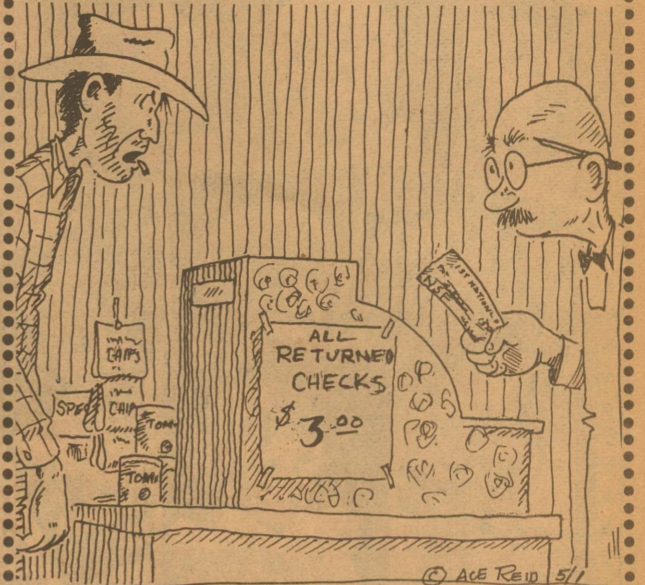
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### Bentsen Wants Proper Justice

(Washington, D. C.)--Senator Lloyd Bentsen Thursday proposed a basic change in the federal criminal justice system that would provide tougher sentences for federal crimes, reduce the discretion of judges in sentencing criminals and eliminate parole. "It is now widely recognized that the current system is not working. Mass murderers like Charles Manson and Richard Speck are eligible for parole. Other dangerous offenders go unpunished. And glaring disparities in the sentences of those who are punished lead to numerous and great injustices," Bentsen said in remarks accompanying his legislation. Under the Bentsen presumptive sentencing bill,

specific prison terms would be established by law for specific crimes. For example, punishment for bank robbery, first offense, in which violence is involved would be seven years in prison. "As it now stands, there is no certainty to the criminal that he will be punished, no certainty to society that the dangerous will be incarcerated, and no certainty that punishment, when it is meted out, will be fair," Bentsen said. "We should work toward a system of criminal sentencing that is, as John Greenleaf Whittier once described justice, 'The hope for all who suffer, the dread of all who wrong.' This legislation is one step forward," Senator Bentsen said.

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Eldorado's Jill Pitts leaves everyone behind in her heat of the 80 yd hurdles last Friday. Her time was 14.1 for the Junior High trackster.

**Iraan Wins Eaglette Meet Track**

Blustery north winds and a lot of West Texas dust did little to hamper the performance of the participants of the Eaglette Relays held here last Friday. A total of 31 junior and senior high school teams took part in this years relay which saw 6 high school division marks and several in the junior high division.

Iraan combined its strong relay units with several outstanding individual performances to take the win with 97 points. Runnerup was Tulia with 86 points and host Eldorado was third finishing with 60 points.

In the junior high division Sonora took top honors with 157 points while Eldorado finished in 8th place with 13.

Shotput-1.Davis, Tulia 41' 3 1/2" (new record) 2.Brewer, Greenwood, 3.Pochls, Blackwell, 4.Angel Stanton 5. Womack Oza, 6.Short, Sonora.

Discus-1.Davis, Tulia 104' 2 3/4" (new record) 2.Brewer, Greenwood, 3.Young, Stanton, 4.Wolfenbarger, Irion Co 6. Dehoyas, Oza.

High Jump-1.Fortune-Iraan 5' 1/2" 2. Fuller, McCamey, 3. Jay Eldorado, 4. Niblett, Eldorado, 5. Christon, Stanton 6. Dunham, Eldorado.

Broad Jump-1.Kimbrow, Greenwood 16' 1 1/2", 2. Warnock, Eldorado 3. Jay, Eldorado, 4. Plagens, Rankin 5. Young, Stanton, 6. Seales, Mc Carney.

Triple Jump-1. Young, Stanton 32' 6", 2. Scales, McCamey, 3. Fortune, Iraan, 4. Kimbrow, Greenwood, 5. Plagens, Rankin, 6. Niblett, Eldorado.

440 Yard Relay-1.Mabry, O'Bannon, Huckaby, D. Huckaby, Iraan, 52.2. 2. Young, Weaver, Page, Armstrong, Reagan Co., 3. McAnqug, G. Jay, Niblett,

Warnock, Eldorado, 4. Fuller, R. Scales, Phillips, Deanda, McCamey, 5. Celaya, Martine, Jurine, L. Celaya, Marathon, 6. Routh, Leimann, Plagens, J. Plagens, Rankin, 7. Treeland, Hobbs, Adams, Thixton, Forsan.

880 Yard Run-1.Doyle, Lohn 2.30.9, 2. Elliott, Iraan, 3. Ewing, Tulia, 4. Castro, Sanderson, 5. Diez, Reagan Co., 6. Kelly, Comstock.

440 Yard Dash-1.Martinez, Marathon 59.8 (new record), 2. Garner, Iraan, 3. Nobile, Tulia, 4. Neal, Sonora 5. Mote, Tulia, 6. Garner, Iraan, 7. Ybarra, McCamey.

220 Yard Dash-Kimbrow, Greenwood, 26.6, 2. Thixton, Forsan, 3. Parks, Tulia, 4. Stanley, Sanderson, 5. Armstrong, Reagan Co., 6. Mabry, Iraan.

80 Yard Hurdles-1.Young, Stanton 11.6, 2. Niblett, Eldorado, 3. Stanley, Sanderson, 4. Bryant, Tulia, 5. Fielder, Oza, 6. Sewell, Oza.

880 Yard Relay-1.Mabry, O'Bannon, Huckaby, Huckaby

1.51.1, 2. Routh, Tiemann, Plagens, Plagens, Rankin, 3. Phillips, R. Scales, L. Scales, Fuller, McCamey, 4. Warnock, G. Jay, Niblett, McAngus, Eldorado, 5. Lambert, C. Noble, K. Noble, Ewing, Tulia, 6. Hobbs, Adams, Paynor, Strickland, Forsan, 7. Phillips, Young, Warner, Hernandez, Reagan Co.

100 Yard Dash-1. Page, Reagan Co. 11.7, 2. Thixton, Forsan, 3. Armstrong, Reagan Co., 4. Womack, Oza, 5. Hall, Iraan 6. Scales, McCamey, 7. O'Bannon, Iraan.

Mile Run-1.Smitherman, Tulia 6.08.2, 2. Nix, Tulia, 3. Neill, McCamey, 4. Flores, Tulia, 5. Esser, Reagan Co., 6. Burton, Iraan, 7. Aguilar, Marathon.

Mile Relay-1.D.Huckaby, S. Huckaby, Garner, Elliott, Iraan 2. Mote, C.Nobile, K.Nobile, Parks, Tulia, 3. Celaya, L. Celaya, Kurie, Martinez, Marathon, 4. Moble, Pyle, Caston, Kimbrow, Greenwood, 5. Routh, Tiemann, T. Plagens, J. Plagens, Rankin 6. Warnock, Jay, White, Hidgon, Eldorado.

**High School Tennis**

At a high school tennis tournament in Junction this past week Larry Fatherece placed 4th in boys singles and Lori Powell placed 4th in girls singles.

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The Eldorado Eagles captured first place in their division of the Cactus Relays in Iraan Saturday. Led by senior sprinter Billy Bob Harlin, first place winner in the 100 and 330 yard dashes, the Eagles accumulated 112 points to Marfa's 111 to take the slim win. Eagle individual and relays that placed in the Iraan track meet were:

440 yd relay - 1st Walling, Whitten, Robledo, Harlin 120 yd High Hurdles - 3rd Steven Short 17.2 100 yd Dash - 1st Billy Bob Harlin 10.4, 2nd Sam Whitten 10.5 330 Int Hurdles - 3rd David Robledo 43.5 220 yd Dash - 1st Billy Bob Harlin 23.8, 2nd Sam Whitten 23.9 Mile Run - 1st Larry Fay 4:56.0, Ricky Short 5:21 Discus - 3rd Jay Holly 135-8 1/2, 5th Alan Storie Long Jump - 2nd David Robledo 19-8, 4th Sam Whitten Pole Vault - 4th Alan Storie 44-9 1/2 440 yd Dash - 6th Randy Walling 57.1 Mile Relay - 5th Walling, Short, Robledo, Fay 3:48

**PAR-TEE NOTES**

The weather was windy but warm Sunday for our special Play Day Mixed Foursome. Twenty-six players turned out for the play. It was wonderful to have Ernestine Hext riding the course again and Wilson Page came out and announced for the guys to get to playing harder as he was about ready to start playing again after his heart surgery.

The club extends sympathy to Billy Gene and Joann Edmiston family in the loss of their belongings in the house fire.

Taking first place in the Mixed Foursome was the team of John Pitts, Wayne Doyle, Steve Short, Rose Doyle and Mary Waldron with 5 under par.

Second place went to the team of Ralph Waldron, Gary Warnock, John Nikolauk, Charlie Hahn and Ricky Short with 3 under par.

The Golf Club Ladies Auxillary had a called meeting Thursday evening and elected officers and planned several changes in the new year. We're happy to welcome several new members and are expecting our membership to grow as we are expecting associate members now.

New officers are: President - Gladys Mittel, Treasurer - Margaret Frost, Play Day Chairman - Ernestine Hext, Social Chairman - Wenona Issacs, Reporter - Juanita Taylor, Telephone Committee - Myrta Rathbone, Mable Frietag, and Geneva McWhorter.

We discussed the ladies partnership tournament on April 30th.

We invite all ladies interested in joining our auxillary to come out each Thursday afternoon at 1:30 p.m.

Happy Golfing!!

**Eagles Place on All-District Teams**

The 9-A All District Basketball teams were announced recently. Named first team All District on the boys team was Senior Jimmy Bosmans, the scoring leader for the Eagles this past season with a 30 point average per game. Lynn Whitaker was named to the second team and Ernesto

Martinez received Honorable Mention. On the girls squad Sophomore guard Cherie Niblett was named to the first team. Receiving Honorable Mention were Senior Forwards Gynna Jay and Jill Yates and Junior Guard Susan Mertz.

**Tennis Club News**

The Eldorado Tennis Club held its regular Monday night Play with 24 persons participating. Richard Preston was high winning 21 games, and Lisa West low. The Club now has 27 families as charter members, with 7 more being

added this week. The 7 new member families include Gene Stark, Lisa West, Richard Preston, John Callison, Shirley Jackson, Ted Short and Chris Mc Cravey. Come out and join us for an evening of tennis Monday night at 7:00.

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