

Short Stuff

By JOE AWTRY

The Eldorado basketball season wound down Tuesday night, and I guess you might say a little on the sad note as the Wall Hawks were victorious in three of the four games.

The varsity girls were in the running for the district championship with the Wall varsity girls. An Eaglette victory would have forced a playoff game between the two teams.

It may have been a sad note for the girls, but I think the team played some good ball and they definitely don't have anything to be ashamed of. They have had a lot more sweet notes than sour and the whole community should be very proud of them and their coach.

I was talking to the Wall coach after the game Tuesday night and he had nothing but praise for the local girls.

He especially had high praise for Mary Kay White as he said they have not stopped her yet and he also added that he thought she was the best he's seen in a long time.

The coach also singled out Sammye Jay, saying she had a lot of talent and was another big key to Eldorado's success.

I think this speaks well for our girls and they should be real proud of themselves.

Our district will be well represented in the playoffs with the calibre of team the Wall coach has put together and I wish them the best in the playoffs.

They will play Goldwaithe in their first round of playoff action.

— Ss —

The Hospital Auxiliary came up with a cute money raising project this week: Singing Valentines!

Martha Lee Meador wrote the verses. Evelyn Stigler made the posters. Pat Sykes and Maxine Page manned the phone for orders and Susan Stark, Sharon Belk and Debbie Joy did the singing.

All monies raised went toward the purchase of the new heart monitor for the hospital.

I wasn't asked to help with the singing. Can't imagine why since I always get a request or two from my family when I raise my voice in song. Like "Would you please shut up" or "Honey, please, the neighbors are going to think I'm beating you."

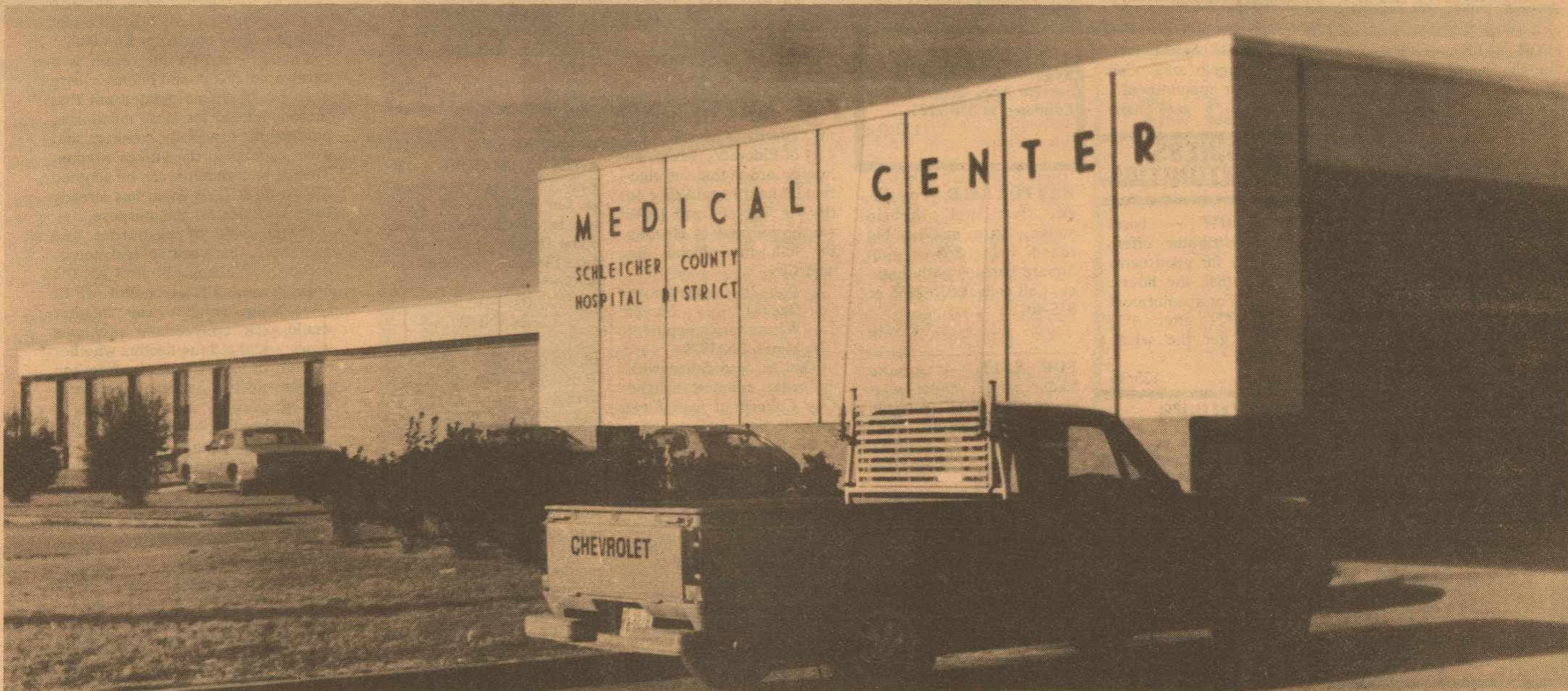
Luncheon Is On Friday

All interested persons are invited to a covered dish luncheon at noon Friday in the Lions Club room of the Memorial Building.

Dr. Al Forlano, local pharmacist, will present a program on Heart Disease and the American Diet. The program was begun during a luncheon two weeks ago and will be continued during this luncheon.

The luncheon is open to both men and women. Participants are asked to bring a covered dish, plates and other items are provided.

Educational programs, such as this, conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.



HAPPY TENTH BIRTHDAY — The Schleicher County Medical Center will observe its tenth anniversary during an open house from 2-4 p.m. Sunday. The open house is being sponsored

by the hospital auxiliary which is also having a year-long fund raising drive to buy several new pieces of badly needed equipment for the center.

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Medical Center Needs Routine Equipment

By NELL EDMISTON

EDITOR'S NOTE — This is the last of a third-part series on Schleicher County Medical Center, which will be ten years old this weekend. The anniversary will be observed by an open house at the center from 2-4 p.m. Sunday.

Having our own hospital district in Eldorado is a "feather in our cap" as it not only provides people here with good medical service, but it also aids the economy by providing jobs for over 50 people.

Over 500 babies have been born in the medical center and there is no telling how many patients the staff has seen during the last ten years.

In 1987, the bonds for the facility will be paid off, and the new addition to the nursing home is already paid for. The center has a well equipped emergency room, operating room and delivery room, which has served and will serve many people. However, because of a lack of equipment here, many patients have been referred to San Angelo for either special treatments, tests or hospitalization. This is a problem, not only for the patient, but also for his family and staffs of both medical facilities.

"We need to update the entire medical center," noted hospital administrator Lillian Kroeger and Dr. Wayne Williams during a recent conversation.

Already, there have been some major changes made at the center. First of all, the medical records in the clinic have been made simpler. With the new record system, a doctor can glance at a patient's record and see all of the basic information in a second.

Also, three new pieces of equipment have been purchased. One is a blood gas analyzer. This will be used for people with emphysema, lung

problems, asthma and heart attacks.

The second is a life pack monitor which can be used in an intensive care unit. Also, the monitor part of the machine can be removed and be used in the ambulance if a patient needs to be transferred.

The third is a mini-echo sound (fetal monitor) which can detect an unborn baby's heartbeat earlier. This can be used in the office and turned up so that the mother can also hear the baby's heart beat.

All three pieces of machinery have been used extensively since their arrival.

Another area that has changed in the medical center is the area of operations. When Dr. Jim Brame was the only doctor here, no operations could be done here because of a state law, which prohibits doctors from performing operations unless there were two doctors on duty. However, now with two doctors, the staff can perform just about any routine operation including appendectomies, tonsillectomies, hysterectomies, hernias, cesarean births, breast biopsies and some plastic surgery. According to Dr. Williams, the staff is limited only by their abilities in this area, as the operating room is well equipped.

One thing, he did say could be used is a laproscope which would help them perform band aid surgery for sterilization of women.

However, there are more things the medical center needs to provide better medical service. "Our basic underlying goal is to take care of 90 percent of the medical problems in Schleicher County," noted Dr. Williams. "I don't mean anything fancy, but just good basic medicine. We can do it cheaper and better here."

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Local School Board Schedules \$1,200,000 Bond Election

The building plan for the local school system took another important step Monday night as the board of trustees voted to have a bond election for the project. The election will be held in conjunction with the school board election April 7 in the high school for the amount of \$1,200,000.

The decision was made during a regular meeting of the board in the high school library.

Working with the board during the meeting were Jack Brown, financial consultant, who presented papers for the election and Gary Donaldson, architect for the project. The board discussed building plans and various ideas for different buildings with Donaldson.

Open House Is Sunday

An open house will be held at Schleicher County Medical Center from 2-4 p.m. Sunday. Sponsored by the hospital auxiliary, the open house is to observe the tenth year of the center's grand opening on Feb. 16, 1969.

The center opened after about 30 months after it was first proposed. A bond election of \$450,000 was passed by local voters in May of 1967. First hospital directors were Ronnie Mittel, Ed Meador, L.L. "Bill" Watson, Oran Enochs, Peyton Cain, Elton McGinnes and Carroll Ratliff.

Dr. J.B. Brame, who had been in contact with the hospital committee during the planning period, moved here in early 1968. This was after the town had been without a resident physician for 18 months.

In December of 1968, the center underwent its final inspection. That same month, Miss Lillian Kroeger joined the staff as hospital administrator.

On Feb. 16, 1969, about 1,000 people filed into the facility to look at the 16-bed hospital, operating room, laboratory, labor and delivery room, dining room and 22-room nursing home during the open house.

Since then, the center has added 16 rooms to the nursing home, had over 500 babies born in it and seen countless numbers of patients.

In addition to this open house, the auxiliary is planning a series of money-raising projects to help update equipment in the hospital. This would help the center and its staff to provide a more complete medical service to the community. Included in their plans are benefit golf and tennis tournaments and a bake sale.

At the present time, the plans call for a cafeteria building, learning center, administrative building, elementary classrooms and improvements to the football field and track.

Also during the meeting, board members accepted the resignation of head coach and athletic director Mike Williamson. He will be going to Crystal City as an assistant coach.

During other business, the board:

- Agreed to purchase velour cur-

tains for the high school auditorium stage.

- Agreed to continue the migrant work cooperative.

- Granted high school principal Clifford Curry a one-year extension to his contract.

- Granted a one-year extension to school superintendent Guy Whitaker's contract.

- Approved Gene Stark and Helen Pfluger as substitute teachers.

City Conducts Hearings, Slates Six Interviews

Barely a handful of people attended the two hearings held by the city of Eldorado last Thursday and Friday. Five people attended the hearing on Thursday and three people were there Friday.

The hearings were held to discuss an application for a grant to update the city's gas system. S&K Engineering of San Angelo is doing the leg work for the city.

The next step in getting the grant is to send in the application. Merl Sudduth, S&K representative, said it

would be the first of May before the city would know if the application was approved. He also said he felt it had a good chance of being approved and if the city received such a grant this year, it would be easier to get one the following year.

In other city news, the city council will interview six applicants for city manager at 6:30 p.m. Monday in city hall. The total list of applicants was screened during a meeting last week, and the council chose these six people to interview.

Girls Varsity Loses To Strong Wall Team

The Wall Hawks fans formed a victory line from the girls dressing room door across the gym floor Tuesday night in Wall, to boost their team's spirit for a victory over the Eldorado Eaglettes for the right to win the District 9-A championship.

The victory line evidently paid off in big dividends as the talented Wall girls muscled their way to a 65-43 district win.

Wall jumped out to a 15-10 lead after the first quarter and the Eaglettes couldn't make up all the margin, as they were hit hard with fouls early in the game while rebounding.

Sammye Jay was whistled for three quick fouls in the first quarter and Cherie Niblett picked up foul number four with 6:27 left in the second quarter.

Wall took a 28-17 lead to the dressing room at half time as Jay and Niblett were on the bench as they opened up a big 45-31 lead going into the fourth period of play.

Jay picked up her fifth foul with 1:05 left in the third quarter and Niblett followed with three seconds left in the same quarter. This put the

writing on the wall as the pickings were easy for the larger Wall team.

Mary Kay White drew her fifth foul with 5:55 left in the fourth quarter after leading the local girls with 17 big points, and this just about turned the lights out for the Eaglettes.

Niblett canned nine points and Jay, two before leaving. Lorrie Powell added six; Jolynn Jay hit for four; Paige Helmers three and Lori Griffin, two.

The Junior Varsity girls took a 35-17 win over the Wall JV to complete the district season with a perfect 10-0 record.

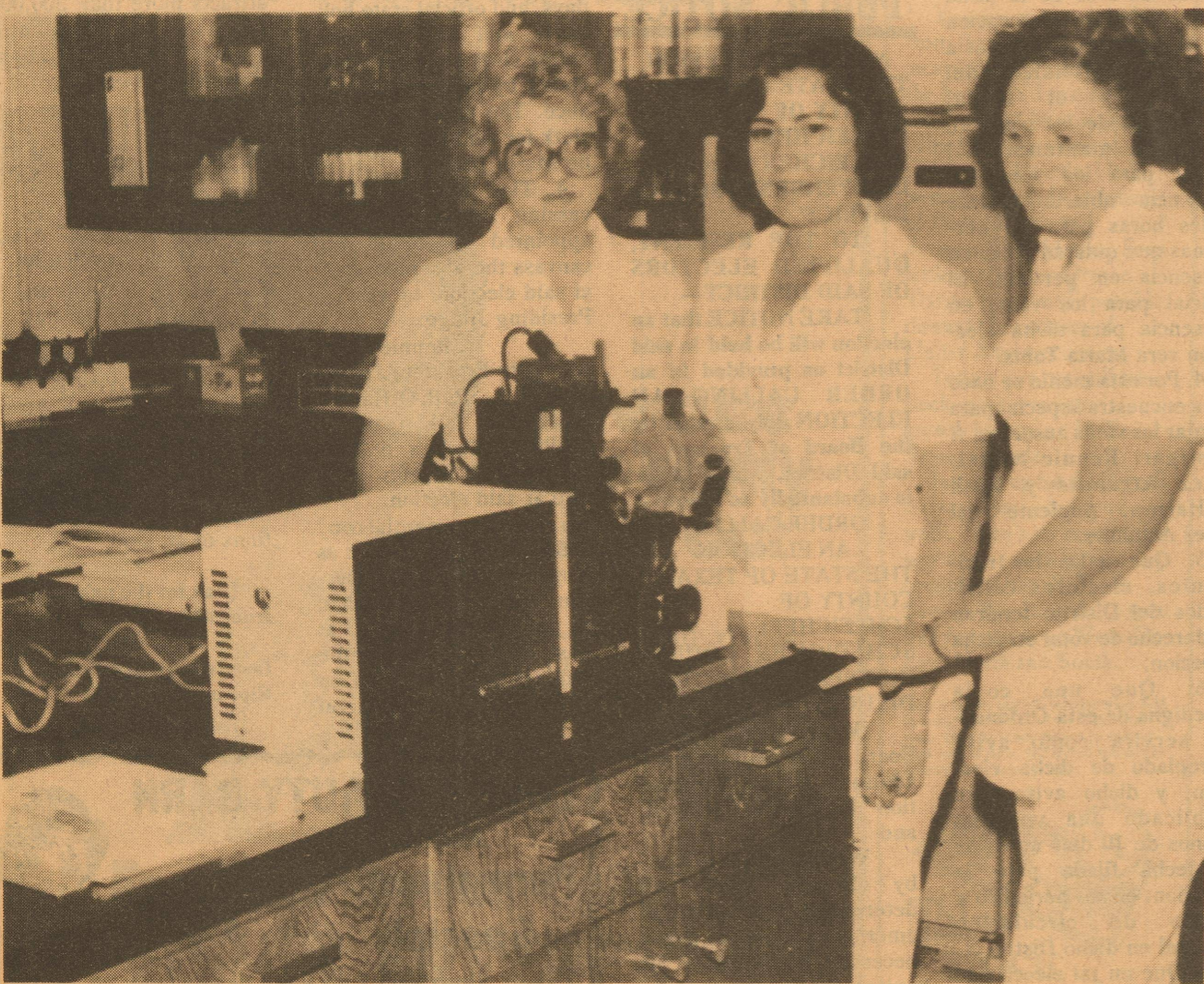
Lori Patton led the JV scoring with 14 points.

The Junior Varsity boys fought a hard battle before falling to the Wall JV, 27-17.

Tommy Martinez led the Eagles with eight points.

Wall varsity boys blew open a tight contest in the fourth period to take a 76-56 victory over the Eagle varsity boys in their final game of the season.

John Cheatham led the Eagle scoring with 19 points.



PROUD OF NEW MACHINE— Three employees of Schleicher County Medical Center proudly display the new blood gas analyzer the center has just begun to use. The analyzer is one of three pieces of equipment the center has just received. It is used for patients with

emphysema, lung problems and heart attacks, among others. Showing it are, from left to right, Carolyn Porter, X-ray technician and lab technicians Carolyn Andrew and Fay Reynolds.

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LEGAL NOTICE

An election has been called for Saturday, April 7, in the City of Eldorado for the purpose of electing two Precinct Directors to the Board of Directors of the Plateau Underground Water Conservation and Supply District to succeed: James Powell — Precinct Two, four year term Bobby Sykes — Precinct Three, four year term who were elected April 5, 1975.

All voters may vote for one candidate from their precinct. All candidates must file their names with Helen Blakeway Bebee in the County Clerk's Office not later than midnight March 7, 1979. 215s2c

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LEGAL NOTICE

ORDER FOR CITY OFFICIALS ELECTION
STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF ELDORADO

I, J. Patrick Ragsdale, in my capacity as Mayor of the City of Eldorado, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said City on the 7th day of April 1979, for the purpose of electing the following officials for said City:

Two (2) Alderman One (1) Mayor
Whose terms expire March 31, 1979

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council of said City, said election shall be held at the following place: Fire Station in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election: Mrs. Billie Porter, Judge Mr. Richard Mendez

In election precinct No. 1 at the Fire Station Building, in said City, with Mrs. Billie Porter as presiding Judge, Richard Mendez as alternate presiding Judge, and said Presiding Judge shall have Mrs. Ina Lambert as clerk to assist her with said election. J. Patrick Ragsdale Mayor 28c2c

ORDEN PARA ELECCION DE OFICIALES DE LA CIUDAD

ESTADO DE TEJAS CIUDAD DE ELDORADO
Yo, J. Patrick Ragsdale, en mi capacidad como Mayor de la ciudad de Eldorado, Tejas, mediante la presente ordeno que una eleccion se lleve a cabo en esta ciudad el dia 7 de Abril 1979, por el proposito de elegir los siguientes oficiales para esta ciudad:

Dos (2) Concejales Uno (1) Mayor
Termino de puesto se vence Marzo 31, 1979

De Acuerdo con la orden adoptada por el concilio de la ciudad, dicha eleccion se lleva a cabo en el siguiente lugar: Estacion de Bomberos en esta ciudad, y las siguientes personas son nombradas como oficiales para dirigir dicha eleccion. Sra. Billie Porter, Juez Sr. Richard Mendez

En la eleccion del preciento No. 1 en la Estacion de Bomberos de esta ciudad, con la Sra. Billie Porter presidiendo como Juez, y el Sr. Richard Mendez como Jues alternativa y dicho juez debera tener a la Sra. Ina Lambert como archivera para asistirla con dicha eleccion. J. Patrick Ragsdale Mayor 28c2c

PERSONAL

IF YOU WANT TO DRINK THAT'S YOUR BUSINESS. IF YOU WANT TO STOP DRINKING, THAT'S OUR BUSINESS. Persons interested in joining an alcoholics anonymous group in Eldorado are asked to come to the Memorial Building every Monday night at 8 p.m. for a meeting.

PUBLIC NOTICE

AVISO DE ELECCION EL ESTADO DE TEXAS CONDADO DE SCHLEICHER DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE CONDADO DE SCHLEICHER

AL RESIDENTE. ELECTORES CALIFICADOS DE DICHO DISTRITO—

SE LES HACE SABER, que una eleccion tomara lugar en dicho distrito como se estipula en la ORDENANZA LLAMANDO A LA ELECCION, cual Ordenanza fue debidamente dada por la Junta Directiva de dicho Distrito, cual Ordenanza dice substancialmente lo siguiente—

ORDENANZA LLAMANDO LA ELECCION

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS CONDADO DE SCHLEICHER DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE CONDADO DE SCHLEICHER

VISTO QUE, esta Junta Directiva juzga aconsejable llamar a la eleccion mas adelante ordenada; y

VISTO QUE, por este medio, oficialmente se encuentra y se determina que existe un caso de emergencia o de necesidad publica urgente el cual requiere tener lugar una reunion en la cual estra Ordenanza se ha de pasar, tal emergencia o necesidad publica urgente siendo que los fondos de la venta de los bonos propuestos son requeridos lo mas pronto posible y sin retrasos para mejoramientos publicos urgentes y necesarios; y que dicha reunion fur abierta al publico, y aviso publico de la hora, el lugar, y el proposito de dicha reunion fur dada, todo como estipulado por Vernon's Ann. Civ. St. Articulo 6252-17.

POR CONSIGUIENTE, se ordena por la junta

SE ORDENA POR LA JUNTA DIRECTIVA DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE CONDADO DE SCHLEICHER:

1. Que una eleccion tomara lugar el 7 de abril de 1979 en dicho Distrito, en el siguiente lugar de cotacion: **HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING ELDORADO, TEXAS.**

Dicho Distrito constituirá un solo recinto de eleccion para dicha eleccion, y los siguientes oficiales de eleccion estan por este medio nombrados para conducir dicha eleccion: Juez Actuante: Mrs. R.E. Corbell Suplente del Juez Actuante: Margaret Frost

2. Que el Juez Actuante nimbrrara no menos de tres oficiales calificados de eleccion para servir y asistir en el conducto de dicha eleccion; con tal que si el Juez Actuante actualmente sirve como supenido, el Suplente del Juez Actuante sera uno de dichos oficiales.

3. Que los votos en ausencia tomaran lugar en **COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, COURT HOUSE, ELDORADO, TEXAS** y durante el periodo que el voto en ausencia que exige o permite la ley, las horas designadas para votar en ausencia en persona seran desde las 9:00 de la manan hasta las 5:00 de la tarde todos los dias con excepcion de los sabados, domingos a feriados oficiales del estado; y el oficial encargado de los cotos en ausencia mantendra tal lugar para los votos en ausencia abierto dirante tales horas para las personas que quieran botar en ausencia en persona. El oficial para los votos en ausencia para dicha eleccion sera Maria Tobis.

4. Por esta medio se hace una encuesta aspecial para contar los votos ausentes. A testigar: Ronnie Mittel, Juez Actuante y Ruth O'Harrow, Suplente del Juez Actuante.

5. Que todos los residentes, electores calificados del Distrito tendran el derecho de votar en dicha eleccion.

6. Que una copia fidedigna de esta Ordenanza servira como aviso apropiado de dicha eleccion, y dicho aviso sera publicado una vez, no menos de 10 dias antes de la fecha fijada para la eleccion, en un periodico o diario de circulacion general en dicho Distrito.

7. Que en tal eleccion la siguiente PROPOSICION sera sometida de acuerdo con la ley:

PROPOSICION
Debera la Junta Directiva

Medical Center

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For instance, the center needs an infusion pump. Only this week, a pump borrowed from St. John's Hospital in San Angelo was used here for a woman who had a blood clot in her lung. The pump is used not only for this problem, but also intravenously for obstetrical patients. They cost from \$3-4,000.

Another need for the center is a cardiovascular unit and intensive care unit. Dr. Williams pointed out that there is a need for more monitoring equipment, especially monitors that give readouts at the nurses' station. The life pack monitor can be adopted for use in ICU. A room has already been set aside for this purpose.

In the field of obstetrics and pediatrics, there are several needs, noted Dr. Williams. First of all, the hospital needs a fetal monitor, which costs about \$17,000. This monitor would pick up prenatal problems which would tell the doctors whether or not to expect any unforeseen problems with a delivery. Therefore, a mother could be transferred to another hospital before delivery if a severe problem were to arise.

The center also needs emergency pediatric equipment so that the staff can stabilize new babies who are having trouble. This type of equipment, and there are various pieces needed, would be used to either treat these babies or to stabilize them before transferring them to another hospital for special care.

Also the hospital needs a warmer in the nurse to be used for babies with jaundice. "We can treat that problem here," said Dr. Williams, "if we just had the right type of equipment."

Another thing in this area is a

portable incubator for the ambulance. A baby with problems may lose as much as an hour's care if taken from this hospital to San Angelo in an ambulance without a portable incubator.

After all the other basic equipment is provided, there are other needs in the laboratory. More equipment is needed there for diagnostic work so that patients would not have to go to San Angelo for tests or have their tests sent off for analysis. One piece of equipment is a Coulter counter which counts cells in the blood. Another is a SMA-12 which cuts down on manual work in the lab. It costs about \$10,000.

In addition to all this, the X-ray department also needs updating.

Dr. Williams pointed out that none of this equipment is fancy or extra. "It is just tried and true routine equipment that will be used for many years to come. With it, two doctors and a physician's assistant, the medical center would become more available to the public. Also, medical care would be more economical to patients," he said.

Of course, all this takes money, and a lot of it. Since this is the tenth year of the medical center's operation, the hospital auxiliary is observing it with a year-long fund raising drive. In the making are benefit golf and tennis tournaments and a bake sale in April, all on behalf of the medical center.

With additional help from the community, this medical facility can continue to offer excellent medical service to the people in this area and continue to be a source of pride and accomplishment to the community.

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PROPOSICION A FAVOR)
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EN CONTRA) 215 322

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER SCHLEICHER COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID DISTRICT—
TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in said District as provided in an ORDER CALLING AN ELECTION duly passed by the Board of Trustees of said District, which Order is substantially as follows—
ORDER CALLING AN ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER: SCHLEICHER COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

WHEREAS, this Board of Trustees deems it advisable to call the election hereinafter ordered; and

WHEREAS, it is hereby officially found and determined: that a case of emergency or urgent public necessity exists which requires the holding of the meeting at which this Order is passed, such emergency or urgent public necessity being that the proceeds from the sale of the pro-

posed bonds are required as soon as possible and without delay for necessary and urgently needed public improvements; and that said meeting was open to the public, and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Vernon's Ann. Civ. St. Article 6252-17. THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SCHLEICHER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

1. That an election shall be held on April 7, 1979, in said District at the following designated polling place: **HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING ELDORADO, TEXAS**

Said District shall constitute a single election precinct for said election, and the following election officers are hereby appointed to hold said election: Presiding Judge:

Mrs. R.E. Corbell Alternate Presiding Judge: Margaret Frost

2. That the Presiding Judge shall appoint not less than two qualified election clerks to serve and assist in conducting said election; provided that if the Presiding Judge actually serves as expected, the Alternate Presiding Judge shall be one of such clerks.

3. That absentee voting shall be conducted at the COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, COURTHOUSE, ELDORADO, TEXAS, and during the period absentee voting is required or permitted by law, the hours designated for absentee voting by personal appearance shall be from 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on each day except Saturdays, Sundays, and official state holidays; and the absentee voting clerk shall keep said voting by personal appearance. The absentee voting clerk for said election shall be Maria Tobis.

4. That a special Canvassing Board is hereby appointed to count and canvass the absentee votes at said election, to wit: Presiding Judge: Ronnie Mittel Alternate Presiding Judge: Ruth O'Harrow

5. That all resident, qualified electors of said District shall be entitled to vote at said election.

6. That a substantial copy of this Order shall serve as proper Notice of said election, and said Notice shall be published one time, at least 10 days prior to the date set for the election, in a newspaper of general

circulation in said District. 7. That said election the following PROPOSITION shall be submitted in accordance with law:

PROPOSITION
Shall the Board of Trustees of said District be authorized to issue the bonds of the District, in one or more series, in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,200,000, for the purpose of the construction and equipment of school buildings in the District and the purchase of the necessary sites therefor, with said bonds to mature, bear interest, and be issued and sold in accordance with law; and shall the Board of Trustees be authorized to levy and pledge, and cause to be assessed and collected, annual ad valorem taxes, on all taxable property in the District, sufficient, without limit as to rate or amount, to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds?

8. That the official ballots for said election shall be prepared in accordance with the Texas Election Code so as to permit the electors to vote "For" or "Against" the aforesaid PROPOSITION to be expressed substantially as follows: FOR)

PROPOSITION THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND LEVYING THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF AGAINST)

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Nursing Home News

Anytime, most of last week, that we either went outside of the house or looked out through a window, we were forcibly reminded that we were still living in Eldorado, away up on the "Divide", where the wind blows so many days and so very high. So far, this morning, there is very little wind, but by afternoon, it may be a different story. We have to admit, tho', that it is good weather, until it gets so high that "Dad" has to cut the windmill off for a while.

In spite of all such things that are not so pleasant, I wouldn't want to live anywhere else, because in most ways it is a good part of the country to live. The summers are usually not too warm, because there is a cool breeze blowing, and the winters are not unbearably cold. Of course, this winter has been an exception, then last but not least, with me, it is home sweet home.

In August I will have lived here seventy-nine years, and I still love Eldorado and Schleicher County.

We lost one resident last week. Mrs. Mabel Schulze

of San Angelo, who had been here for about a month, recuperating from a broken hip, returned to her home last Monday.

Fannie Blaylock's daughter, who lives in San Angelo, visited her one day last week. It was too windy, I suppose, for most people to get out and visit, most of the week.

The Presbyterian Church conducted the service in the dining room here Sunday afternoon.

Quite a number of their members were present, especially a large number of their young girls and boys, who sang three hymns, which we enjoyed very much.

Their pastor, Rev. Ron Sutto, led the service. His talk was in regard to two prominent Bible characters.

The service next Sunday will be conducted by the Antioch Baptist Church.

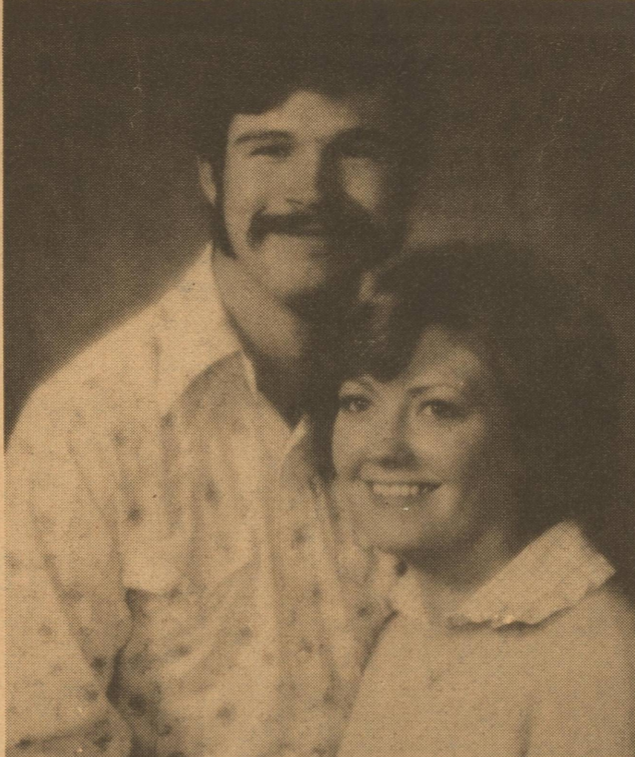
The bingo winners last Wednesday were Beulah Harris, 2; Tom Humphrey, 1; Bess Andrews, 2; Dehli Gardenier, 1; LaVita Brooks, 1; Erna Rexroat, 1; Juanita Sanchez, 1 and Fannie Blaylock, 1.

We didn't play bingo last Friday. Ruthie had some other activity for that day. Your truly was out of town that day so I don't have a report on that.

We will be busy this week getting our arts and crafts exhibits ready for the anniversary party next week.

My complaining neighbor said, "I never realized what 'paying the piper' meant until I got the latest bill from my plumber."

Reporters,
LaVita Brooks and
Beulah Harris



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. David T. Vannett of Eldorado announced the engagement of their daughter, Linell Fae Vannett, to Reuben W. Nixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nixon, also of Eldorado. Miss Vannett is a student at Eldorado High School. The prospective bridegroom is a former EHS student. A spring wedding is planned.

Sorority Chapter Beginning New Projects For Spring

Several new projects were begun by members of Xi Xi Chi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority during its regular meeting Monday night. In April, the group will sponsor the "Beta Baby" contest. The Beta baby will be the first girl born in the local hospital on April 30 or thereafter. The baby will be presented a layette of baby clothes decorated with yellow roses, the flower of Beta Sigma Phi. April 30 is celebrated around the world as the day of the sorority's founding.

On the baby contest committee are Flora Hubble, Sherry Martin, Sherry Lux, Peggy Williams, Nelva

Martin and Marta Smith. On April 12, the group will have a bake sale in Eldorado.

The sorority will have a spring rush in March and honor new pledges with a skating party and supper out. Hostesses will be Sarah Yates, Mary Nolen and Dorothy Clark. Glenda Harris, vice president, is chairman of the membership committee.

In May, the sorority will have a tea to honor the charter members of the local chapter and all women who have been a member since its founding ten years ago.

The group also discussed several money-making projects, primarily to help the hospital's fund raising drive this year. Final action on the matter was tabled until the next meeting.

The chapter voted to donate ten dollars to both the international endowment fund and the loan fund. The endowment fund from the international sorority helps the Dr. Farber cancer research foundation in Boston, the National


Floyd Hill Is In Air Force
Floyd Wayne Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cavanaugh of Sonora, recently enlisted in the United States Air Force in San Angelo. He departed Jan. 24 to San Antonio where he will attend a six week basic military training course.

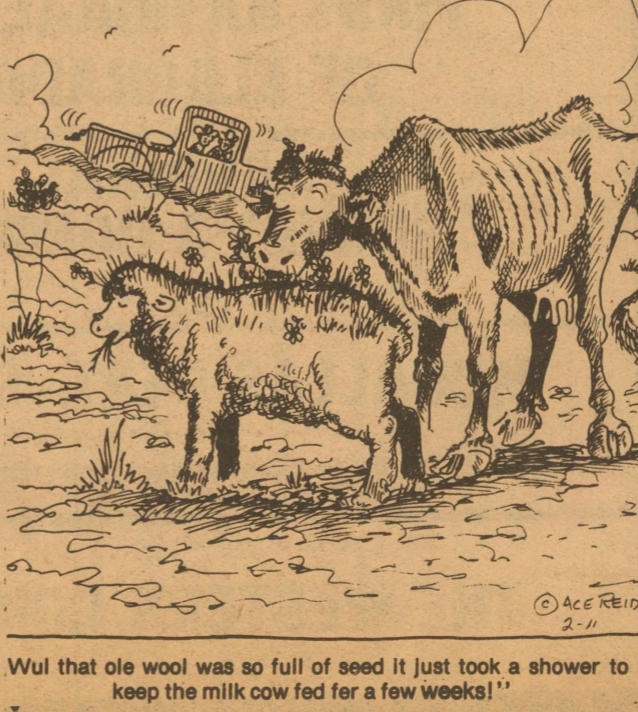
Airman Hill selected the electronics area for job training. He attended Sonora High School.

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COW POKES  **by Ace Reid**



Wool that ole wool was so full of seed it just took a shower to keep the milk cow fed for a few weeks!

Bullock Rep Plans Visit

State Comptroller Bob Bullock will have a representative from his San Angelo office in Eldorado on Wednesday, Feb. 21, to assist local taxpayers and answer questions about state taxes.

Bullock said enforcement office Esther Esparza will meet with local taxpayers in the Memorial Building from 9-10:30 a.m.

"If Eldorado area merchants, or anyone else for that matter have any questions about state taxes or need help in preparing tax forms, Ms. Esparza will be there to assist them," Bullock said.

"We're trying to cut the red tape in this office, and we believe these face to face sessions with taxpayers help do just that," Bullock added.

The San Angelo office, headed by Thomas M. Goff, serves San Angelo and surrounding counties.

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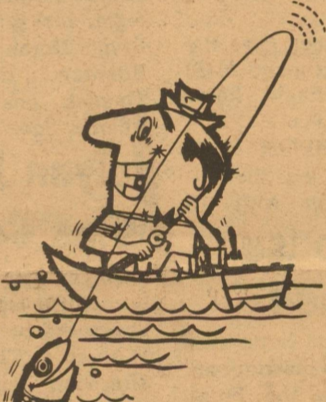
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Dr. Al Forlano Presents Seminar For Optometrists

The Texas State Board of Optometry has, for the third consecutive year, given its endorsement to a seminar for practicing optometrists developed by Dr. Albert J. Forlano. Dr. Forlano was certified as the course director and lecturer for the two day program entitled "Medical Topics for Optometrists." Three major health topics were presented: Cardiovascular Disease, Alcohol/Drug Interactions, and the Physiology and Pathology of the Gastro-intestinal Tract.

The seminar was designed primarily to provide the 12 hours of Continuing Education required annually by all Texas optometrists for re-licensure. The first of these seminars was held in Abilene on Jan. 27-28 and was sponsored by the Rolling Plains Optometric Society. On Feb. 3-4, the San Angelo Optometric Association sponsored a similar seminar. The courses were well attended by optometrists representing 14 Central and West Texas cities.

Prior to moving to Schleicher County in 1974, Dr. Forlano was Professor of Medicinal Chemistry and Biochemistry in Michigan. He was also involved in new drug research with two major pharmaceutical companies, developing new drug formulations for which he has received patents and has authored a number of medical and pharmaceutical publications. He has remained very active in lecturing and consulting, is an Adjunct Professor at Angelo State Univ., and was recently named as a member of the Cardiovascular Task Force for the Tri Region Health Systems Agency in Abilene.

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Several New Wells Being Dug Locally

These are the new wells being dug in Schleicher County since the first of the year:

- R.S. Williams, Energy Reserves Group, Inc., 6750 feet.
- Glass well, Tucker Drilling Co. Inc., 6100 feet.
- Mertz well, NRM Petroleum Corp., 6400 feet.
- Rousselot well, H. Cleo Thompson, 9,000 feet.
- Case well, Canyon Operating Unit, 7000 feet.
- Centura-Coupe well, Tom Brown Co. 7300 feet.
- Delhi-Jones well, Delta Drilling Co. and Pauley Petroleum, Inc., 6900 feet.
- W.P. Bolin Trust well, Gulf Oil Corp., 5800 feet.
- Delong well, John Q. McCabe Co., 7500 feet.
- Harris well, Texas Oil and Gas Corp., 5450 feet.
- Arco Mankin well, John

- H. Hendrix Corp., 4500 feet.
- Mary Coupe well, Saxon Oil Co., 7100 feet.
- T.K. Jones Heirs, Regal Development, Inc., 6300 feet.
- R.S. Williams, Energy Reserves Group, Inc., 6750 feet.
- T.P. Bolin Trust well, Gulf Oil Corp, 5800 feet.
- Delhi-Jones, Delta Drilling Co. and Pauley Petroleum Inc., 6900 feet.
- Jones well, Delta Drilling Co., and Pauley Petroleum Co., 6900 feet.
- Otto Williams well, C&K Petroleum Inc., 3500 feet.
- Clark well, HNG Oil Co., 7350 feet.

Salvation Army Exceeds Goal

The Schleicher County chapter of the Salvation Army collected \$1,108.87 during its fund raising drive in December, although several workers still have not returned their totals. The county's goal was \$1,000.

Elton McGinnes was campaign chairman. Committee members were T.P. Robinson, chairman, Orval Edmiston, Tom Ratliff, McGinnes, Donny Danford, the Rev. Dan Adams, the Rev. Gene Stark and

Walter Wallis. The unit members provide emergency service for hardship cases, such as groceries, gas, rent, utilities, clothes, etc. One-third of the money raised in this county comes back for use here.

The rest of the money supports programs in prisons, for parolees, homes for unwed mothers and locating missing persons. It also goes to help in disasters such as floods and tornadoes.

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Calendar Of Events

Today, Feb. 15 — Lions Club Ladies Night, 7 p.m., El Dorado Restaurant.
Friday, Feb. 16 — Covered dish luncheon, noon, Lions Club room, Dr. Al Forlano speaker, open to the public.
Sunday, Feb. 18 — Open house at medical center, 2-4 p.m.
Monday, Feb. 19 — Good Neighbor Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., Delia Pina home; EHS Band Winter Concert, 7:30 p.m., high school auditorium.
Tuesday, Feb. 20 — TOPS, 6:30 p.m., Memorial Building; Volunteer Firemen, 8 p.m., firehall.
Wednesday, Feb. 21 — Methodist Men's Prayer Breakfast, 7 a.m.; state comptroller's representative, 9-10:30 a.m., Memorial Building; Lions Club, noon Memorial Building; Extension Homemakers council meeting, 2 p.m., Lions Club room; Bingo at golf club, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 22 — Social Security representative, 1-2:30 p.m., firehall; Senior citizen party, 2 p.m., Memorial Building.
Saturday, Feb. 24 — All Sports Banquet, 6 p.m., Memorial Building; Christoval Jamboree.
Sunday, Feb. 25 — Mixed foursome at golf course; Sunday devotional at nursing home, 3:30 p.m.; ordination of the Rev. Ron Sutto at First Presbyterian Church.
Monday, Feb. 26 — Commissioners Court, 9 a.m., courthouse; Beta Sigma Phi sorority, 7:30 p.m., club room of Memorial Building; Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet, 7 p.m., Memorial Building.
Tuesday, Feb. 27 — TOPS, 6:30 p.m., Memorial Building; Reynolds Extension Homemakers, 2 p.m., Rosa Faught home; Firemen, 8 p.m., firehall.
Wednesday, Feb. 28 — Methodist Men's prayer breakfast, 7 a.m.; Lions Club, noon, Memorial Building.
Thursday, March 1 — Jaycees, 7:30 p.m., club house.

Eldorado Boys, Girls Rip Menard

The Eldorado Eagles flew down on the Menard Yellowjackets Friday night for a 74-52 victory.
 John Cheatham brought in 20 points for the Eagles while David Hill sank 18. Kyle McCormack and Michael Mertz got 10 points each; Randy Morrison, 6; Keith McCormack, 5; Charley Bradley, 3 and Don Garlitz, 2.
 The Eagletes gave the Menard team a sound 79-20 beating on Eagle home territory Friday.
 Cherie Niblett and Sammie Jay led the Eldorado scoring with 16

points each; Mary Kay White, 13; Paige Helmers, eight; Jolynn Jay, eight; Rhonda Kerr, seven; Lorrie Powell, four and Cynthia Schooley, two.
 In Junior Varsity action the Eldorado boys defeated the Menard team 42-35. Tommy Martinez was high point man with 11 points; Eddie Montalvo, eight; Joel Robledo, seven; Bryan Doran, four; Andy Bosman, three; Brad Thomas, one and Rojelo Adame, one.

Open House Is Planned

The Rev. Ron Sutto and his family are hosting an open house at the Presbyterian Manse from 3-5:30 p.m. Sunday.

The Sutto family, which consists of Ron, Jean, Debbie, Amy and Ronnie, moved here in the middle of December from Michigan.

Local Pioneer Services Held

Funeral services for Matabele Jack Henderson, 78, were held Monday, Feb. 12 in the Burk-Walker-Tippet Funeral Home Chapel in Tyler with burial in Evergreen Cemetery in Paris, Texas.

She was born Sept. 21, 1900 in Texas and was the widow of the late Tom. R. Henderson, early Schleicher County ranchman who died in January of 1963. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson were married in Amarillo in 1928 and made their home at the Schleicher County ranch for many years.

Survivors include her mother, Mrs. Henry R. Jack; a daughter, Mrs. Harris Napier of Tyler; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Chester Wheel of San Angelo; a stepson, Sam Henderson of Eldorado and several grandchildren.

Jolynn Jay Wins Contest

Jolynn Jay was the winner of the speech contest sponsored by the Eldorado Woman's Club Monday afternoon. Janet Bradshaw won second place, and Lori Powell won third. All three spoke on inflation.

Other junior students speaking on inflation were Susan Crippin, Laura Gentry and Mary Byrd. Kurtis Griffin spoke on energy.

The students presented written essays on subjects in Mrs. Pat Moore's English class at Eldorado High School and used those essays as their speeches.

Judges for the contest were Mrs. Joe Shaw of Mertzton and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward of Sonora.

Miss Jay will present her speech at the district convention of the Heart of Texas district of Women's Clubs March 24 in Brownwood.

Senior Citizen Party Planned

The Extension Homemakers Clubs in Schleicher County have scheduled a party for all senior citizens at 2 p.m. Feb. 22 in the Memorial Building.

The party is to celebrate Washington's birthday.

EHS Students Win At Contest

Two Eldorado high school students placed in the math and science contests at San Angelo Lakeview High School Saturday.

Paul McWhorter won first in science in the veteran's division. Jerry Byrd won fourth in number sense.

Other EHS students participating in the meet were Don Adams, Sandy Willeke and Jym Trimble. There were 500 students in the contest.

Mrs. Ballew Hosts Club

Elizabeth Ballew was hostess for the Two-Bits Bridge Club last week in the home of Margaret Frost.

Elizabeth Bradley was a guest. Bobbie Sanders won high, Mrs. Ballew won low and Dorothy Evans won bingo.

ELDORADO 7th and 8th GRADE BOYS



WINS CONSOLATION IN DISTRICT TOURNAMENT — The Eldorado Seventh Grade boys won consolation in the Junior High District Tournament here last weekend. Pictured left to right, bottom row: Ramon Gonzales, John Robledo, Kelly Griffin, George Orr, Trey Bradshaw and Wesley Sparks. Back row: Coach Ken Thomas, Sammy Santellano, Michael Phillips, Romane Gauna, Luke Brame and Randy Scott, manager.



EIGHTH GRADE — Members of the Eldorado Eighth Grade boys basketball team are left to right, front row: John Griffith, Joe Barrera, Charlie Lozano, Wray Crippin, Brian Gavrychowski and Craig Griffin. Back row: Ashley Niblett, Danny Pina, Greg Garlitz, Gene Edmiston, Daniel Mejia and Coach Winston Leifester.

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Short Notes

Pam Arthur will enter the Scottish Rite Hospital for surgery on her back Feb. 22. The surgery is scheduled for Feb. 26. She expects to be gone about two weeks. All of her friends wish her well and will be happy to have her home again. Her address while in the hospital will be: Crippled Children's Scottish Rite Hospital, 2222 Welborn St., Dallas, Texas 75219.

Mrs. Shirley Rogers of Dallas, Mrs. Della Copeland, Jeffery and Nichole of Odessa and Mrs. Judy

Travioli and Lester of San Angelo spent the weekend with their parents and grandparents who are Lester and Ann Rogers.

Calvin Brown of Monahans, formerly of Christoval visited in the homes of friends here over the weekend.

Todd Arthur and Randy Knight entered their sheep and calves in the San Antonio Stock Show this week.

We are all happy to have our coach's wife, Anna Miller, home from the hospital in Eldorado. Coach Miller reports he has dish pan hands and gray white shirts.

John Cox of Doole was a business visitor in Christoval this week.

Several of us have had colds and flu for the past two or three weeks. We sure have welcomed the old sunshine the last two or three days.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Clark have a new item in their home that has really been welcome this winter. Glenn has finished his fireplace that he built all by himself and it is a thing of beauty.

Country Store Needs Members

A membership drive is under way for the Co-op Country Store in Christoval. The purpose of the drive is to provide an outlet for persons with handmade arts and crafts for sale.

With approximately 15 members at this time the store is located at the park entrance across the street from Nita's Drive Inn in Christoval and is ready to receive items to sell.

For more information or memberships call Maude Gaston at 896-2387.

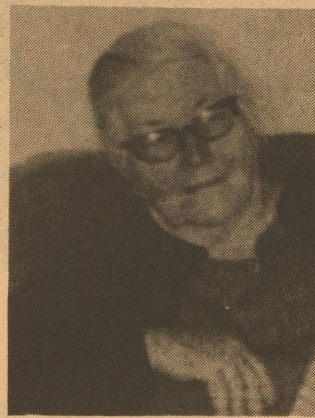
Know Your Neighbor

By SUNSHINE
Charlene (Williams) Kirk was born Nov. 29, 1903 to T.C. (Zack) and Clara Williams.

Charlene says she is a true native of Christoval since she was born and raised there and has never lived anywhere else.

She recalled her first grade teacher, Maggie Hannon. "I never liked her a 'tol. She was crabby, but I did like Mrs. Fisk. She was kind and sweet and taught here for 30 years before she retired."

There were 11 grades then and only about five or six teachers according to Charlene.



CHARLENE KIRK

Charlene played basketball while in school, but says she can not remember what position.

When asked if she had pulled any capers while in school, she laughed and her eyes twinkled, "I guess I've done about every devilment you could think of."

Charlene eloped at the age of seventeen and later raised four children; two boys and two girls.

She well remembers her 20 years with Rawls Bath House which was the hub of the community at that time.

"When I first worked there 75 or more people were using the baths. There wasn't enough rooms so some were staying all over town."

Her daughter held her wedding there.

In the daytime they would play dominoes and other games and from about 6 to 9:30 there would be music. Dr. Rawls, Wanda and Jack Skinner, Pat Sevier and Robbie Collier played guitars, violins, etc., and all the town kids came and sat on the porch. It was a great place to socialize then.

Charlene says there was dancing in the park every two or three days.

They played men's baseball where the football field

School Daze

By LENISE SULLIVAN AND PAM WALTON

Friday the students of Christoval attended a speech tournament at Sonora. Students attending were Ruth Baker, Kelly Baker, Tonda Gaines, Jennifer Arrott, Karyn Holloway, Tina Myers, Dena Erickson, Terrie Martin, Barbara Herrera, Tresa Erickson, Lisa Green, Valerie McDonald, Blenda Sawyer, Jewel Thomas, Tina Beuttner, Cathy Dennis, Leslie Nichols, and Becky Thomas. All of these students participated in speaking events.

There will be another speech meet which will involve speaking and writing events which will be held March 17 in Big Lake. We wish everyone involved good luck.

The senior class would like to thank everyone attending the chili supper and bingo for all their support. Also, we would like to thank all of the parents who prepared the chili and desserts for the supper.

Basketball season is now over and all the track and tennis stars will start their conditioning for the season.

Jimmy Cuddell, Valerie McDonald, Christi Barton, Todd Arthur, Marcus Herrera, Rene Baker and sponsor Barbara Barton will attend the Texas Junior Science, Engineering and Humanities Symposium at the University of Texas February 14, 15 and 16.

The Christoval school would like to present a progress report — We are proud to report all of our funny looking students with no hair are shaping up! I'll bet their hair has grown at least one-half inch. If you run into any of these creatures, you should really congratulate them on their progress!!

is now. Norman Jenkins, Gene and Dub Jones, Hap McMillan all played ball then. They had a real good team it seems.

Charlene came to live at Golden Years two years ago this May and inspires the other residents with her lively wit. Many friends come to visit her often and if you haven't met this enchanting lady, you've really missed something.

Funeral Held In Louisiana

Newt Ross Hammeth, 101, of Jonesboro, La., died at 4 a.m. Saturday Feb. 10.

Services were at Southern Funeral Home in Jonesboro.

Mr. Hammeth was born Sept. 30, 1877. He was married to Rebecca Eudera Anders in Jonesboro. They had been married 72 years before she preceded him in death in 1971. Her youngest child, Sam Hammeth, preceded them in death in 1962. Mr. Hammeth was a Baptist and the oldest living Mason in the state of Louisiana.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Nolen Roberts of Christoval, and six other children.

Nursing Home News

J.W. Henson visited her mother Mrs. McShan and Mrs. Henson.

Charles Swart visited his mother, Mrs. Swart then took her for a ride.

Charlene Kirk's son, Butch, visited her.

Rudy Ethridge went to San Angelo for supper with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Morris.

Velma Barnes nephew, Marvin Barnes, visited her.

Lois Stewart and Earl Barnes visited the Methodist Sunday.

Rev. Gaston and Chicken Jones had church services Sunday.

Roy and Gwen McCann and Rita visited his mother, Mrs. Derr.

Rudy Ethridge visited the Church of Christ Sunday morning and night.

Nora Holsteads family visited her over the weekend.

Lester Funeral Held Friday

William Roy Lester, 72, died at 9:30 a.m. Feb. 7 at Golden Years Nursing Home in Christoval.

Mr. Lester was born Oct. 8, 1906 in Sulphur, Okla. He was preceded in death by his wife, Emily Francis Lester.

Services were held Friday in the Christoval Methodist Church with the Rev. Dan Adams officiating. Burial was in Christoval Cemetery.

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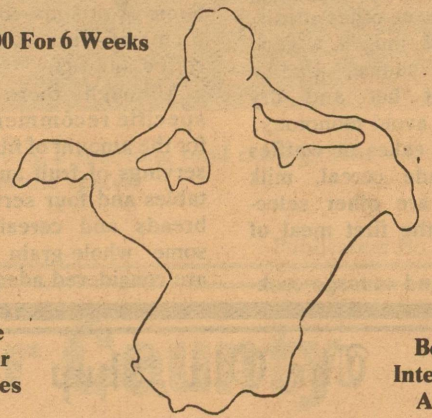
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BREAKFAST

Older adults should make a special effort to eat a breakfast that includes about one-fourth of the day's needed nutrients.

Serve a variety of fruits, fruit juice or tomato juice. Citrus fruits are excellent sources of vitamin C, and tomato juice is a good source of both vitamins A and C.

However, if an adequate source of vitamin A or C is served at another meal, serve an apple or apple sauce, raisins or prunes for variety.

If an adequate amount of meat and meat alternates are served at other meals, cereal with milk is a good breakfast choice. Use a variety of hot and dry cereals to avoid monotony. Or, hot cakes or waffles that include cereal, milk and egg are other selections for the first meal of the day.

Bacon and sausage cook-

ed rather dry are lower in fat. Poached eggs or those cooked in a very small amount of fat will also be lower in fat and may be substituted for meat or served as an accompaniment to meat.

Use a variety of breads that add interest to the meal. These can include plain dry toast, quick-loaf breads, muffins and other quick or yeast breads.

Milk may be used as a beverage or as an ingredient in foods served at breakfast such as breads, muffins or hot cakes, or serve it with cereal.

WATER, FIBER

Inadequate amounts of water and fiber may cause constipation in many older persons.

About six to eight glasses of water are needed daily. Some of this may be in the form of juices, soups, coffee and tea.

Although there is no specific recommendation for the amount of fiber, four servings of fruit and vegetables and four servings of breads and cereals, with some whole-grain cereal, are considered adequate.



two more points — Keith McCormack makes two points for the Eldorado Eagles during a game against Menard last week. The Eagles beat the Menard team 74-52. Watching McCormack are other Eagles David Hill (34) and Randy Morrison in the foreground.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

Now that the yelling is over and our school is about to become involved in track I think some recognition should be given to two of the hardest working members of the Varsity and Junior Varsity girls basketball teams.

They have done a great job this year for all of us. They wash, fold and pack uniforms. They clean the dressing rooms and sometimes help wrap ankles and knees. They carry us water and a thousand other little things that the fans don't realize. They listen to us gripe, try to cheer us when we're down and celebrate with us when we're happy.

I believe that these are two of the best managers that a team could have so I want to give my sincere thanks to Shelly Squyres and Sandra Martinez for doing such a fine job.

Thank you,
A member of the team

WEATHER LOG

date	high	low
Feb. 5	33	26
Feb. 6	47	26
Feb. 6	54	27
Feb. 8	58	17
Feb. 9	53	18
Feb. 10	62	30
Feb. 11	64	42
On February 5,	.16	inches of rain was recorded.

In Those Days

(Compiled From Eldorado Success Files)

ONE YEAR AGO

Feb. 17, 1978 — The school board discussed the problem of drug abuse and authorized superintendent Guy Whitaker to work through the student council to provide steps for closer supervision of off-campus activities.

Mary Oglesby was named nursing home sweetheart for February. Runnersup were LaVita Brooks and Elva Daniels. Students from Ken Wilson's speech class provided entertainment for members of the Lions Club and their wives at their Sweetheart Ladies Night banquet.

Viola Finnigan was surprised with a birthday party by 12 of her friends at the Eagle Dairy Mart.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Feb. 14, 1974 — The Westerman Drug was locating in the Page Building on Main Street.

Sherril Lux was initiated into the Phi Eta Chapter of Delta Delta Delta at Texas Tech University.

The hospital auxiliary was giving a scholarship to individuals pursuing a medical career.

The Lions Club announced plans for their annual Sweetheart Banquet.

A fire charred about 1,300 acres of land on the Bobby Oglesby and Ford Oglesby ranches.

12 YEARS AGO

Feb. 16, 1967 — Roy E. "Shorty" Taylor died of a heart attack as he was driving to Eldorado from Sonora. He was the proprietor of the Java Junction Cafe.

Elected to the National Honor Society in Eldorado High School were Jacquelyn Davis, Bobby DeLong, Martha Sue Page, Judy Sallee, Kay Sanders, Gordon Schrank and Don Charles Taylor.

On the A team of boys basketball were Chris Mc-

Cravey, Pat Childres, Bobby DeLong, Jay Halbert, Rusty Meador, Bill Whitten, Donald Rogers, Gary Derrick, Jesse Bosman and Danny Halbert.

Lee Halbert announced plans to reopen her drive in near the school.

Larry Donaldson was promoted to Army specialist fourth class in Vietnam, where he was a member of the 299th engineer battalion. He was a clerk typist.

About 17 children attended a party honoring Mike Doyle who had just turned five.

35 YEARS AGO

Feb. 18, 1944 — The freshmen were honored with a party by their room-mothers, Mrs. J.W. Lawhon, Mrs. Henry Speck, Mrs. Lewis Ballew and W. Irl Breedlove. About 40 freshmen attended. They were entertained by Irl Breedlove who performed some slight of hand tricks.

Mrs. F.B. Faust presented a program for the Woman's Society of Christian Service in the Methodist Church. Mrs. J.E. Tisdale lead the devotional.

Services were held for Herman A. Vogle, 76, who died at the home of his son, A.T. Vogle at Belton.

Mrs. W.A. Doyle was confined to her bed during an illness. Her daughter, Miss Hazel of San Antonio, visited her a few days.

McCoy Damron of Corsicana visited the home of his uncle, L.R. Damron and family. It was the first time the two men had ever seen each other.

Several women met for the Schleicher County Home Demonstration Council meeting. The council appointed a committee to secure a sewing machine for the county agent's office and to be on a blood plasma committee.

Stoepler Rite Held Monday

Mrs. Gladys Ethel Stoepler, 83, of San Antonio died at 4 p.m. Friday in Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Services were held Monday in Wilkerson Northside Chapel in Brady with burial in Resthaven Cemetery.

Mrs. Stoepler was born Nov. 23, 1895. She was married to Albert R. Stoepler July 25, 1912. He died April 20, 1957. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include one son, George Richard Stoepler of Eden; four daughters, Isabell Louise Boyer and Ollie Bea Kent, both of Eldorado, Rosie Lee Davenport of San Antonio and Mettie Faye Hutchinson of San Angelo; four sisters, Mrs. Dessie Wagner of San Antonio, Mrs. Susie Hibdon of Kingsland, Mrs. Eola Jackson of Sterling City and Mrs. Neo Vardeman of San Angelo; 14 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

EHS Grads Are On Dean's List

Two students from Eldorado were among 817 cited for special recognition at Baylor University as a result of academic achievement during the fall semester.

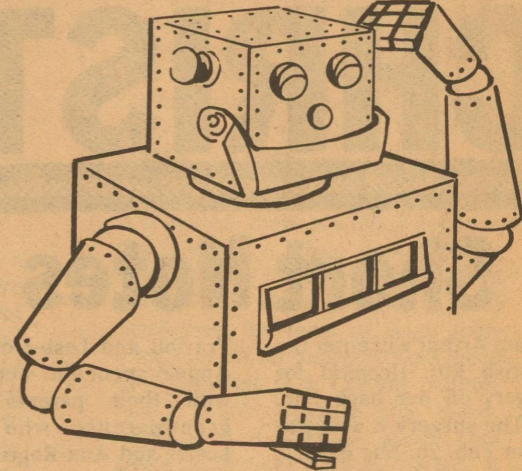
Named to the Dean's Distinguished Academic Honor List were Jim Bob Byrd, 215 Dixie Drive; and Charlene Warnock, Box 114.

Winter Concert Will Be Monday

The Eldorado High School band winter concert is set for 7:30 p.m. Monday in the high school auditorium.

Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$.50 for children. They may be purchased from band members or at the door.

The band is under direction of Wayne McDonald. The concert was changed from tonight as previously reported to Monday night.



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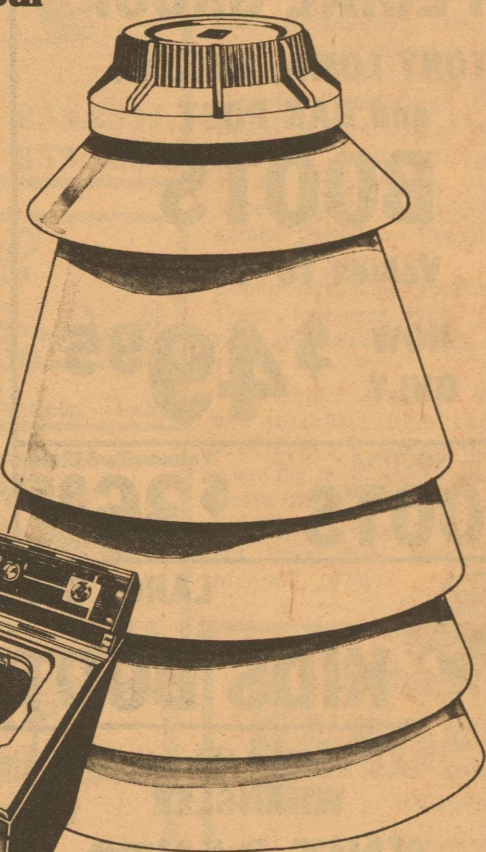
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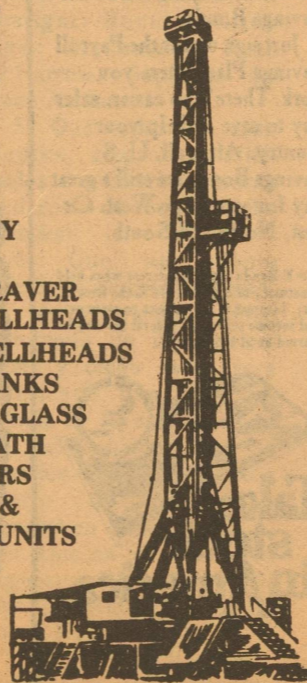
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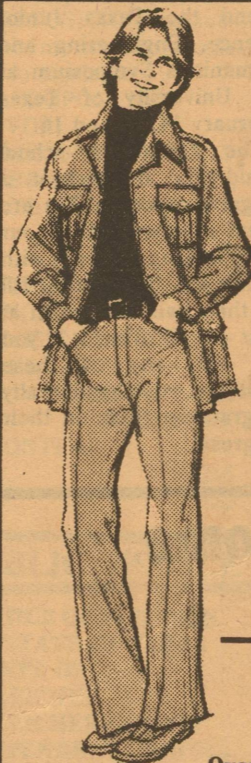
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