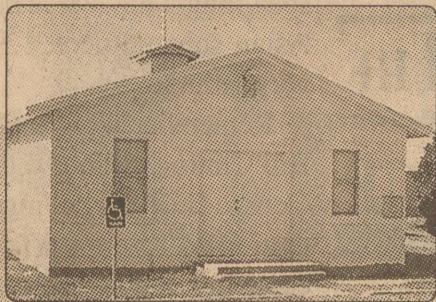


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For Your Information

Be Safe Out There

During May of this year, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. staged a four-week-long boating safety patrol. During that period they contacted 59,686 boats and reported:

72 boat accidents; 76 boating while intoxicated cases; 3,960 water safety cases; 1,593 other water related cases; and 1,085 boat assistance cases. In all, the officers contacted 174,558 people on Texas waterways.

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On This Date

On this date in 1816 "The Washington", the first double-decked steamboat, was launched at Weeling WV. In 1939 Sylvan Goldman introduced the first grocery store shopping cart in Oklahoma City, OK...it was actually a folding chair mounted on wheels. And, in 1974 the Cleveland Indians baseball team sought to boost attendance with a "Ten Cent Beer Night". Of course, it was a fiasco. The crowd quickly became so unruly that the Indians were forced to forfeit the game to the Texas Rangers...but they sold lots of beer.

Birthdays of note include: 1738 King George III of England; 1908 actress Rosalind Russell; 1917 journalist Charles Collingwood; 1924 actor Dennis Weaver; 1928 sex therapist Dr. Ruth Westheimer; 1936 actor Bruce Dern; 1937 singer Baldemar Huerta — better known as Freddy Fender.

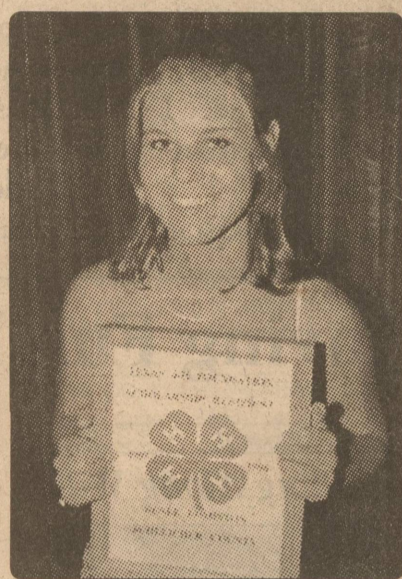
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What, No Woodswomen?

In 1925, a lawsuit involving the Woodsmen of the World, an influential fraternal order, created a problem for Texas Governor Pat Neff. Since the group counted among its membership virtually every (male) judge and lawyer in the State, they were all disqualified from hearing the case when it came before the Texas Supreme Court. So, Neff appointed an all-woman Special Supreme Court to hear the case.

Hortense Sparks Ward, Hattie Leah Henenberg and Ruth Virginia Brazzil made up the court which met for five months. It is believed to have been the first all-woman supreme court in the United States.

The court held in favor of the Woodsmen of the World in the case which involved a lien on two tracts of land owned by the group at El Paso.



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4-H Scholarship winners Kim Beach and Renee Edmiston display scholarship certificates from the Texas 4-H Federation during the EHS awards assembly held recently.



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4-H Scholarship winners Lindsey Griffin and Andie Sterling display scholarship certificates from the Texas 4-H Federation during the EHS awards assembly held recently.

Local youths win 4-H scholarships

Kim Beach, Renee Edmiston, Lindsey Griffin and Andie Sterling joined a growing list of Schleicher County 4-H members who are recipients of Texas 4-H Foundation Scholarships. On Tuesday, the 4-H scholars traveled to Texas A&M University at College Station where they attended the State 4-H Roundup. Collectively, the group garnered \$32,500 in scholarships.

Their achievement raises the amount of 4-H scholarships claimed through the years by Schleicher County students to more than \$182,500.00.

Beach, Griffin and Sterling each received a \$10,000 San Antonio Stock Show Scholarship. Renee Edmiston received a \$2,500 Burnham Auto, Inc. Scholarship.

Kim Beach is the daughter of Damien and Geryl Beach. She is a cum laude graduate of Eldorado High School and plans to attend Angelo State University where she also received a Carr Scholarship.

Renee Edmiston is the daughter of Jerry and Nell Edmiston. She graduated cum laude from Eldorado High School and plans to study architecture at Texas A&M University.

Lindsey Griffin is the daughter of Curtis and Debby Griffin. She graduated cum laude from Eldorado High School and plans to

tend Texas A&M University.

Andie Sterling is the daughter of Rick and Becky Sterling. She is a cum laude graduate of Eldorado High School and plans to attend Texas Tech University.

Each of these young ladies has been extremely active in the local 4-H club, having participated in a wide range of projects through the year.

Schleicher County Agent Nancy Lester said she was de-

lighted that to have four local girls bring home big scholarships from the roundup. "It's quite an honor when a county has a student selected for a 4-H Foundation scholarship," Lester said. "But when a small county like ours has four winners, it speaks well for the strength of our local 4-H club and the many volunteers who work so hard to make it a success."

Congratulations, Kim, Renee, Lindsey and Andie!



photo by Kathy Mankin

With the thanks of a grateful nation — Members of American Legion Post 257 salute the flag during Memorial Day services in Eldorado Cemetery last week. They are (L-R) Orval Edmiston, Boots Corbell, Buff Whitten, Tom Enochs and Elton McGinness.

S.C. citizens honor war dead

Almost a week after the rest of the nation had celebrated Memorial Day, Schleicher County residents turned out at the Eldorado Cemetery Saturday morning to honor America's fallen heroes. Col. Charlie Powell, USAF (Ret.), of San Angelo, was on hand as the guest speaker and addressed a gathering of approximately 50 citizens.

Powell commended American Legion Post 257 for holding the ceremony on May 30th, the traditional Memorial Day.

Powell reminisced about his time as commander of Goodfellow Air Force Base in San Angelo and numerous trips he made to Eldorado as the Air Force worked to establish the PAVE-PAWS site in Schleicher County.

He also enumerated American war casualties (wounded and killed) for all conflicts since the American Revolution.

Prior to the ceremony, local Legionnaires had placed American Flags on the graves of all known veterans in the cemetery. Those flags fluttered in the wind as the colors were posted on the two large flag poles at the cemetery entrance. Once raised, the flags were low-

ered to half-mast. The "Roll of Honor" was read aloud as individual flags were placed around the base of memorial monuments to honor each Schleicher County soldier killed in action. Listed on the "Roll of Honor" were:

World War I - Thomas Ballew, Roach H. Holland, Neal Kelly, Bev McCormick, Sam I. Nicks, Jr., Roy Stevenson.

World War II - Hobson Ashmore, Joyce C. Blackmon, William H. Currie, David E. DeLong, Jr., Earnest Dickey, Jr., Robert E. Doty, Thomas R. Henderson, Jr., Alton Page, Orville K. Puryear, Clark M. Reynolds, Raymond R. Reynolds.

Korean War - Walter Jones, Robert H. Nolen.

Vietnam War - Elton Harris, David Overstreet, Selwin Taylor, Danny Rutherford.

"Taps" was then played in honor of these men.

Kenneth Richardson is the Commander of American Legion Post 257. In his absence, this year's Memorial Day ceremony was emceed by Vice Commander Orval Edmiston. Buff Whitten is the post's Adjutant and Leon Stricklan is Chaplain.

Band students receive "1's" at State Solo & Ensemble Contest

Eldorado band students traveled to San Marcos last week where they competed in the State UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest. Freshman BreeAnne Davis received a Division 1 rating for her french horn solo. The flute quartet consisting of seniors Tiffany Case and Luticia Nixon, sophomore Sarah Mankin and freshman Kate Kosub also received a Division 1 rating.

Junior Victor Saldivar earned a Division 2 rating for his drum solo as did Tiffany Case for her flute solo.

Judge Peggy Demers praised Davis' french horn solo in her

critique, calling it excellent and encouraging Davis to attempt a more challenging piece next year. Meanwhile, judge John Goodall complimented the flute quartet's ensemble work noting, "Good Job!!" at the bottom of her critique.

The honors wrapped up an outstanding year of competition for Eldorado High School students who excelled in sports, band and UIL contests throughout the year. All six of the band students had also competed at the State level earlier this year when the Mighty Eagle Marching Band ad-

vanced to the State Marching Contest. Sarah Mankin was competing at State for the third time this year having already competed in Marching and UIL Current Events.

The Eagle Band is directed by Gina Muela who accompanied the six students to San Marcos. Going along on the trip were assistant band director Thomas Holtingsworth and sponsor Kara Sue Garlitz.

Following the competition, the group celebrated by spending the day in New Braunfels at the Schlitterbaun water park.



photos by Kathy Mankin

Outstanding EHS musicians—Continuing a longstanding tradition of excellence in the EHS band program, the flute quartet consisting of (above left, L-R) Tiffany Case, Luticia Nixon, Kate Kosub and Sarah Mankin competed at the UIL State Solo & Ensemble Contest in San Marcos last week while BreeAnne Davis (above, right) performed a french horn solo. They all received a well deserved "Division 1" rating from the UIL judges.

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OVER THE BACK FENCE

by Randy Mankin

A man walked in to a psychiatrist's office. The doctor could tell at a glance that something was amiss.

The patient's shirt was on backwards and inside-out. He wore a red tennis shoe on his left foot and a brown penny loafer on his right. Half his mustache had been shaved off and there was a bright red question mark painted on his forehead. Hmm, the shrink thought, this one's going to be interesting.

So, he invited the man to lie down on the couch began casually talking about the weather. The conversation soon wandered to other topics. Finally, when the psychiatrist thought the man was comfortable he asked, "So, what seems to be the problem?"

"Oh, I'm not here for myself," the man answered. "You see, I have this friend and he's been acting a little weird lately."

Last week India and Pakistan

each detonated nuclear test devices. International reaction was as swift as it was predictable. One by one world leaders paraded before microphones to condemn the two nations. Our fearless leader, President Bill Clinton, was one of the first to decry the nuclear tests.

Although he is bound by law to impose economic sanctions against the two countries, everyone, even Bill Clinton, acknowledges this is probably a futile action.

But President Clinton went even further. He invoked the "M" word and questioned the Indian and Pakistani leaders' "moral authority"

to govern. Then he chastised each for spawning a nuclear arms race on the Asian subcontinent. I found this all very strange.

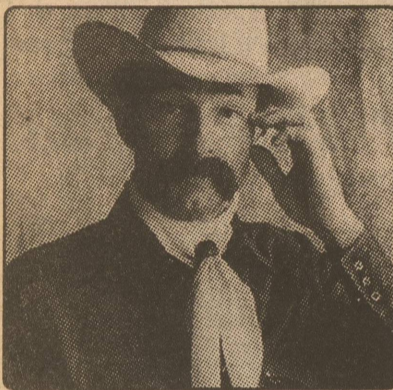
Remember in 1992 when candidate Bill Clinton criticized then president George Bush for paying too much attention to foreign affairs? "It's the economy, Stupid!" was the mantra of his campaign. He promised to "focus like a laser beam" on the economy and concentrate on domestic affairs.... Well, I'll leave all the jokes about affairs to your imagination.

But, does it really matter how sound our economy is if the world is edging closer to nuclear war? Answer...Not really.

And, just when did moral authority become a prerequisite for holding office? Answer...It always was, but Americans were led to believe otherwise for a few years. Only now are some people realizing this guy's shoes don't match...and neither do some of his stories.

Georgia Cattle Drive

BAXTER BLACK



ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

Lloyd owned a 'brennel' steer, but not on purpose. Brennel cattle, or brindle, as some would say, were automatically regarded as crazy and wild thirty years ago in north Georgia. Any cowman who knowingly bought brennel cattle was looked upon with suspicion.

One hot steamy summer afternoon Lloyd arrived home from his cotton mill work to the news that a neighbor, several miles away had captured a brennel steer in his corral. Was it his? Does a bear belch in the woods! Of course it was his.

Takin' dad's ol' black '47 Ford stepside pickup with a stake bed on the back, Lloyd set out for the rescue. It was a good truck, 3 speed, with holes in the floorboard for increased ventilation and a clear view of the highway. It would haul up to three steers. Bigger loads were contracted out.

With the neighbor's help they got the steer loaded. Expecting trouble, Lloyd had brought a farmer's rope which he looped around the steer's neck and then tied down in one corner of the bed. So far so good.

Less than a mile down the road a tremendous clatter arose from the back of the truck. The steer had broken the rope and was circling around the stake bed lookin' for a way out. Lloyd speeded up, which wasn't much, thinkin' to make it home before the mad brennel escaped.

Suddenly the steer starts climbin' the cage. The prancing and pawing of hooves resounded on the top of the cab and a left front hoof swept by the driver's side window!

Quickly reviewing his options, i.e. speed up... the ol' truck couldn't, stop... the steer would jump out ... Lloyd remembered his driver's education class. He'd been taught by a cousin who had grown up making night deliveries of his dad's domestically produced beverages to Atlanta.

Lloyd slowed just a little, double clutched ol' blackie, shifted from third to second, revved the engine and popped the clutch! The truck lurched forward for all it was worth and threw the brennel back in the bed!

The steer was not easily discouraged and made several attempts to re-climb Mt. Henry but Lloyd was ready. Each time the steer got high enough, Lloyd would shift down, pop the clutch and throw the steer backwards.

There was a lot of slowing down, pointing and honking from oncoming traffic but it never broke Lloyd or Brennel's concentration.

Needless to say, when Lloyd pulled up the lane to home he didn't need to use the unloading chute.

Lloyd went on to become a lawyer and spent his life working with the human equivalent of brennels. And Ol' Brennel, of course, went to a feedlot in the Texas panhandle where he's prob'ly still dodging the cowboys and climbin' through the fences.

There are some wonderful surprises in Galveston. Like the Tremont Hotel. The Ocean Grill. The Galvez. The San Luis. Moody Gardens. The Seawall. The Strand. The incredible mansions and churches.

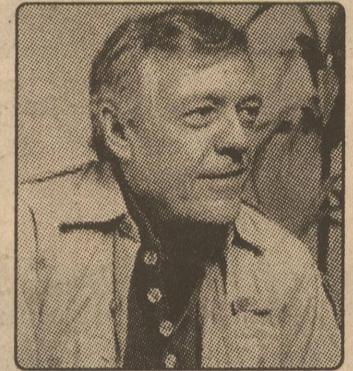
There are some not so wonderful things in Galveston. Like all the crumbling buildings. The run-down houses. The seedy look the city seems to have outside the tourist areas.

The city is still recovering from the 1900 storm, the worst natural disaster in US history. It killed 6,000 people and destroyed one-third of the city. Galveston had a population of 38,000 then and was the fourth largest city in Texas. Now it has a population of 65,000 and seems much bigger.

I guess one reason Galveston looks old and tired is because it is old. Galveston has been occupied since the early 1500's. It has been home to Indians, pirates and mil-

Having Fun In Galveston

Rolling Along With



Tumbleweed Smith

lionaires. It has been called "Little Ellis Island," "Wall Street of the Southwest" and "the richest city in Texas." It is named for a Spanish general, Bernardo de Galvez.

Galveston had the first newspaper in the state and the first post office. It also had the first telephone, library, opera house, electric lights, country club and golf

course in Texas.

The Strand is the downtown area which was once filled with wholesalers, cotton agents, stores and business offices. Now it has stores catering to tourists. The Tremont Hotel is on the Strand and is a gathering place for locals who go there in the afternoons to hear some great piano playing by a man wearing a lilac colored double breasted suit.

You can take a free ride on a streetcar through the Strand area. For 60 cents the streetcar will take you to the seawall, where you find the source for Galveston's development as a resort.

The Galvez is the old hotel that has been restored to its former elegance. The San Luis is the new, fancy resort. During the 30's Galveston had gambling, fine dining and first class entertainment in the Balinese Room and Hollywood Dinner Club, attracting people from all over the nation. We hear the

Balinese room is to be restored.

The best surprise of all was Moody Gardens. It is going to be one of the state's best attractions when the convention center and hotel are completed. The hotel will have 304 rooms and will be the largest hotel on the island. Moody Gardens has a series of pyramids filled with IMAX movies and exploration areas where you can fly a spaceship or create an alien.

The showcase of Moody Gardens is the rain forest. One pyramid is filled with tropical birds, fish, trees and bushes from all over the world. The grounds have spectacular landscaping. Moody Gardens is a dozen years old.

There are plenty of things to do in Galveston. But you really don't have to do anything to enjoy the city. Watching the waves from the porch of the Ocean Grill is a special treat.

I've never had a bad time in Galveston.

State judge rejects school finance lawsuit

AUSTIN — A school district's bid to free itself from Texas' share-the-riches school finance system was rejected last week by State District Judge Scott McCown.

The 200-pupil Miami school district, located in the Panhandle, must continue to share about half its operating revenues (about \$1 million) under the school finance law, McCown ruled.

"The equity question has been decided. Our state has advanced. We will not go back," McCown wrote in his ruling and said the present system is working. "The court takes note of the most recent Texas Assessment of Academic Skills. Student performance was the best ever. Improvement was both significant and across the board."

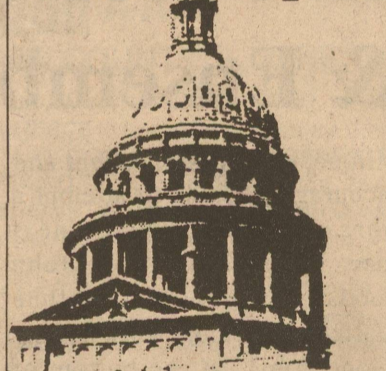
A spokesman for the school district said McCown's ruling probably would be appealed.

Miami is one of 86 property-rich school districts that must contribute property tax revenue to a state treasury fund that is distributed to property-poor districts. The wealthy districts surrendered about \$365 million this year.

In its lawsuit filed last year, the Miami school district argued it was exempt from the school finance law because it was rated an "exemplary" district — one with high test scores and a low dropout rate — by the state.

McCown suggested that the Miami school district "join with others to seek additional resources for the education of all of the children of the state from our Legislature, rather than move alone to seek money for itself ... by advancing arguments for loopholes to equity,"

State Capital



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling

The Dallas Morning News reported.

Earlier in May, a group of 126 mostly poor, rural school districts filed a lawsuit to reopen the school finance case, saying their students have been deprived because of unfair funding advantages for wealthy districts.

Tribe Files Suit Against Bush

Tigua Indians last week filed a federal lawsuit to stop Gov. George W. Bush from interfering with the tribe's right to operate its Speaking Rock casino in El Paso by falsely accusing it of violating state gambling laws.

The lawsuit seeks to recover unspecified damages from Bush and a declaration from the court that the games offered at the casino are legal. The lawsuit also refers to Bush as an "unannounced candidate for president" and alleges he has raised the issue to "advance his national political ambition at the expense of stifling" the tribe's rights.

Before the lawsuit was filed, Bush had accused the tribe of op-

erating illegal slot machines. He then asked Attorney General Dan Morales to go to federal court to put an end to the use of the slot machines which dispense tokens redeemable for cash.

Guidelines in the National Indian Gaming Act allow tribes to offer any kind of gambling that is legal in the states in which they reside.

Bush met with Kickapoo tribal leaders last week, apologized for statement he made concerning their casino operations and said he would leave it to the federal courts to decide whether their slot machines are legal. The Kickapoos operate the Lucky Eagle casino in Eagle Pass.

Bush said the Tigua's casino in El Paso is different because that tribe comes under state jurisdiction.

Jail Contracts to Save Money

Under new contracts for the private operation of five state jails, Texans will save \$21 million over the next five years, prison officials said last week.

"We are going to save the taxpayers of this state a great deal of money by rebidding these contracts," said Texas Board of Criminal Justice chairman Allan Polunsky.

The less-expensive, lower-security state jail system was created by the Legislature in 1993 to relieve crowding in prisons. The 18 state jails house some 25,000 "non-violent" inmates.

Exit Test Results Improve

About 7,750 — or 3.7 percent — of the state's 207,226 high

school seniors failed the must-pass Texas Assessment of Academic Skills test.

That's an improvement, Education Commissioner Mike Moses said last week, noting that 9,400 of the Class of 1996 and 8,373 of the Class of 1997 failed the exam. "The results are definitely moving in the right direction," he said.

To get a diploma, students must pass the exit-level TAAS and satisfactorily complete all course work. Students can take the exit exam up to eight times, beginning when they are sophomores.

Other Capital Highlights

• David J. Freeman, who resigned as executive secretary of the Texas Racing Commission last year, was indicted last week on charges of misusing state property. An indictment returned by a Travis County grand jury alleges Freeman misused a cellular telephone and computer equipment belonging to the state.

• Statistics for each of Texas' 254 counties reveal driving-while-intoxicated arrest records for drivers ages 16 to 20 during 1996 and the first six months of 1997 show per capita arrest rates were higher in smaller, more sparsely populated rural counties.

• Attorney General Morales last week filed a motion to prevent Gov. Bush's lawyers from contacting tobacco lawyers. Morales also asked the federal judge overseeing Texas' multibillion dollar settlement with the tobacco industry to fine Bush, seven legislators and their lawyers \$25 million for interfering.

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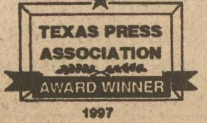
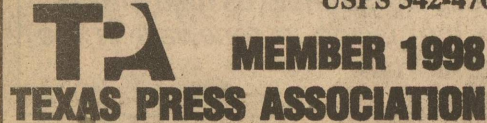
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OBITUARIES

Edwin T. Johnson

Edwin T. Johnson of Onion Creek passed away May 30, 1998, at the age of 90. Services were held in the Cook-Walden Forest Oaks Funeral Home on Wednesday, June 3, 1998. Burial followed in Forest Oaks Memorial Park.

He was born July 1, 1907 to Tom W. and Lizabeth L. Sample Johnson, a pioneer sheep-ranching family in Schleicher County, Texas. He finished high school in Eldorado and attended Hardin Simmons University and the University of Texas. In 1928 he began a long career of 44 years with Texaco, Inc., serving over 30 of those years in managerial positions in Montana, Venezuela and Indonesia.

Besides oil, he had a natural interest in history and enjoyed the opportunity of travel throughout the world. In all, he visited 52 countries. He saw and photographed in detail such places as Ankor Wat in Cambodia, the aborigines in Central Australia, the

gold mines of South Africa, the Holy Lands of the Middle East and finally Russia, via a 7-day trans-Siberian railroad excursion.

After retirement he lived in Guadalajara, Mexico seven years before returning to the U.S. in 1979 where he resided in Austin until his death.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Mary Dean Reneau Johnson of Austin and three children; Elaine and her husband Hans P. Dettmar of Sacramento, California; Tom E. and his wife Jeanie Johnson of Midland; and Dean R. and his wife Kari Johnson of San Francisco, California. Also, there are five grandchildren; Hans Peter Dettmar and Hollen and Hilary Johnson, all of Washington, D.C.; Heather Johnson of Austin; and Tommy Johnson of Midland.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or to a charity of one's choice.

George Williams, Jr.

George Williams, Jr., age 77, died Tuesday, May 19, 1998. Services were held Friday, May 22, 1998 at Porter Loring Chapel with Rev. John White officiating. Masonic Services by Triune Lodge No. 15 A.F. & A.M. followed with interment in Mission Burial Park South in San Antonio.

He was born to George and Ruth C. Williams in Eldorado on August 9, 1920. He attended Schleicher County schools and was an outstanding football player in the class of '38 and attended Texas A&M on a scholarship. He had the distinction of playing in the 1940 Orange Bowl. He graduated A&M with the class of 1942 and was a coach-teacher before entering the Army Air Corps in 1943 at

Ellington Field in Houston to become a navigational flying officer.

After WWII, he joined the San Antonio school system as a coach, teacher and principal before becoming a realtor-building contractor. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church, Triune Lodge No. 15 A.F. & A.M.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy L. Williams and daughter, Gayle W. Girdley and husband John of San Antonio; sons Lt. Col. John Lee Williams, USAF (Ret.), Hermosa, CA.; five grandchildren; brothers Col. Robert H. Williams US Army (Ret.), San Diego, CA., and S. Albert McGinty, Dilley, TX.; sisters Helen Williams of Eldorado and Beula W. Neill of Midland.

Ruby Dee Shugart Spann

ARLINGTON - Ruby Dee Shugart Spann, 91, of Irving, Texas died May 9, 1998, in a care center in Arlington, Texas.

Graveside services were held Tuesday, May 12, 1998 in Oak Grave Memorial Gardens in Irving,

with Rev. Mike Walker officiating. Arrangements were by Brown Funeral Home.

She was born August 11, 1906 in Brady to Levi and Bertha Hampton Shugart.

She married Gleen Spann in 1944. She was a member of First Methodist Church of Irving and a graduate of Eldorado High School.

She is survived by her daughter Nancy Tribbey, and two grandchildren, Tammie and Drew Tribbey, all of Irving, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Ruby Dee was preceded in death by her husband, a brother Jack Shugart and a sister, Zeila Baker.

St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church marks 60th year

submitted

St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church will celebrate its 60th anniversary on Sunday, June 7, 1998 with a special service at 3:00 p.m. Rev. G. DeBose will be the guest speaker. The public is invited to attend.

The church was organized in 1938. The first meeting was held in the home of Brother Dick Faye. Five people were in attendance: Preacher Morgan, Bro. Pink Easley, Bro. Dick Fay, Sis. Dorothy Hastings and Sis. Leola Spears. These members later moved to the Annex Building (the old school house) and at that time Reverend A.W. Allen was called to pastor. Rev. Allen was called in 1939. The first church building was built in 1939 in front of the home of Bro. Dick Fay.

In 1959 the old church was torn down and another small church was built at the present site. Rev. Phillips was pastor at that time. When the cornerstone was laid, Rev. D.A. Autry was pastor.

Rev. Q.H. Blackmond was called to St. Luke in 1979 and served nine years. Under his pastorage the church made many improvements. A new piano was bought, paneling of the inside of the church, new carpeting, a communion table was put in the sanctuary, and siding was put on the outside of the church.

In October, 1987, Rev. H.C. Green Sr., was called to pastor St. Luke from St. Baptist Church of San Angelo, Texas. Under the leadership of Rev. Green, the Lord has continued to bless us. We have gone from meeting two Sundays out of the month, to meeting every Sunday. An adult Sunday School class and a children's class that meet every Sunday. There is one meeting a week for bible study, a choir has been formed for the adults and the children. A Missionary Society, Deacon Board and officers have been named

to the church.

By the grace of God the church has been blessed to completely remodel the Annex Building. A kitchen has been added, new carpeting, ceiling fans, new tables and kitchen ware. New additions have been added to the church. There is a new pastor's study, a finance and secretary room, a men and women restroom. New pews were put in the sanctuary, ceiling fans, the choir and the pulpit area enlarged. A sign has been added to the church grounds. A parsonage was purchased in February 1994, and moved to the church site in 1997.

The Ollie Mae Green addition was added to the front of the church in 1996. We have nursing home ministry and we have purchased a television and VCR for our video ministry. Also, purchased was furniture for the new addition at the front of the church.

Last but not least, many souls have been added to the church. Four people have been baptized and one has joined from another city.

The Lord has truly blessed us here at St. Luke, and we know with his guidance and leadership of Rev. Green we will continue to prosper and grow spiritually and materially.



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St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church

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Dear Editor:

Just wanted to write and say, the Eldorado High School graduation was impressive. I think a lot of towns would be envious of your gym.

As a Schleicher County taxpayer, I think this was money well spent, on your future, you might say.

Hopefully, the '98 Seniors will go far, with Pomp and Circumstance as their theme song.

Sincerely,
Bob Florence

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Vasquez named to TSTC Honor Roll

SWEETWATER — The admissions and records office of Texas State Technical College at Sweetwater just released the President's Honor Roll for the Spring 1998 quarter. Tim Vasquez of Eldorado was included on the list. Vasquez is studying Emergency Medical Technology.

Students must earn a 4.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale to be recognized by the College.

BIRTHDAYS

June
4th Kendall Robinson, Ramon Adame, Donny Fuentes, Stanley Spinks
5th Charles Orr
6th Jennifer Smith, Marco Escobar, Steve Snelson
7th Aida Martinez, Sara Steele
8th Randy Adame, Dustin Cheatam, Houston Henderson
9th Albert Fuentes Jr., Dee Martinez, Eilil Martinez, Jake Avila, Stanley Spinks
10th Carlos Lozano, Joseph Wink, Shianne Middleton, Tommy Robledo, Carrol Green
11th Edwina Taylor
12th Monte Althaus, Blake Leggett
13th Clay Butler, Hannah Robledo, Madolyn Joy, Patsy Kellogg

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June
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Season ends for Eagles baseball

by David Hill

Eagles 5 - Mustangs 7

Eldorado's extended baseball season came to an end Friday at Walt Driggers Field in Abilene. Shallowater scored 7 runs on 13 hits, while the Eagle nine scored 5 runs on 6 hits. Casey Snelson was the pitcher of record for the Eagles. The Mustangs capitalized on 5 Eagle errors which proved to be the difference in the end. The Eagles ended an excellent season with 17 wins and 5 losses.

Shallowater scored four runs in the first two innings sending fourteen batters to the plate. The Eagles then got on the board in the third after Micah McKinney singled to right field and scored on Lance Mitchel RBI single. The Eagle

fourth began with Casey Snelson and Chris Pena drawing walks. Mitch Wilkerson then came in to pinch run for Snelson and reached third before being caught in a run down. Pena then scored on a Wade Dakan single with Dakan later scoring on a passed ball. Down by only one run the Eagles were in great shape going into the bottom of the fourth inning. Disaster struck as the Eagles committed three errors and the Mustangs scored two runs in the inning. After a three up three down fifth, Snelson hit a line drive to left and reached third after the left fielder lost the ball in the sun. Chris Pena then got the RBI as Snelson scored on an infield shot. Down 7-4 going into the top of the seventh, the Eagles staged a two

out rally that had Eagle fans on their feet. William Robledo drew a walk, then advanced to second and third on stolen bases. Lance Mitchel then walked and was moved the second on a Garrett Bownds RBI single. Both Mitchel and Bownds advanced with a stolen base before Casey Snelson popped up to the short stop for the Eagles final out of the season.

Snelson pitched four complete innings giving up six runs (four earned) on nine hits and one walk. Chris Pena came on in relief for Snelson in the fifth giving up one run on four hits.

The Eagles and their coaching staff should be congratulated on an excellent season.



Eldorado Eagles — 1998 Bi-District Champions

photo by Randy Mankin

EHS Baseball Team — (Seated) Wade Dakan (Kneeling L-R) Rocky Robles, Manuel Hernandez, Victor Pina, Javy Robles, Chris Pina, Daniel Sanchez, Jason Brock (Standing L-R) Asst. Coach Don Richters, Mitch Wilkerson, Casey Poynor, Micah McKinney, Jason Richters, Randy Spears, William Robledo, Garrett Bownds, lance Mitchel, Casey Snelson and Coach Harold Steele.

Score by innings:	R	H	E
Eldorado 001 201 1	5	6	5
Shallowater 220 210 X	7	13	2
WP Ortiz LP Snelson			
Left on Base: EHS 5, SHS 6			
Time: 2:14	Temp: 96°		
Attendance: 356			

Eagles Hall of Fame planned

Schleicher County ISD athletic director Jim Fryar announced this week plans for an Eldorado Eagle Hall of Fame. Fryar said membership in the Hall of Fame will be open to any current or former Eagles athlete selected to an All-State football or basketball team or to State Champions in any spring sport. Fryar emphasized that candidates from all eras are being sought.

Anyone wishing to submit a name are encouraged to contact Coach Jim Fryar at 853-2988. Photos of Hall of Fame members and brief biographical information are requested.

According to Fryar, photos of the Hall of Fame members will be displayed in the EHS gymnasium or field house, depending on the particular sport in which the athlete competed.



photo by Randy Mankin

High fast ball — Eagles pitcher Casey Snelson sends a pitch to the plate during Area playoff game against Shallowater last Friday. It was the Eagles second trip to the area round in four years. They lost 5-7 to the Mustangs.

Golf Play Day

by Mabel Freitag

We had a super, duper turnout for our Play Day this past Sunday, May 31st. I realize now that dedicated golfers will play in "heat", snow and rain! The thermometer read 104 degrees when we finished playing at 5:15.

We had 43 adults and 5 youths, Chris Hegefled, Blake Leggett, Alton Bybee, Luis Martinez and Wes Jones. We had two '98 graduates, it took me a few minutes to realize that Beau Sallee and Mark Fryar had "out grown" the youth age!

1st Place Score 56 - John Callison, Tommy Hunley, Mike Hegefled, Lynn Griffin and Jo Callison.

2nd Place Score 58 - Steve Snelson, Wayne McGinnis, Brett Poynor, Andy Kelly and

Jane Kosub.
3rd Place Score 58 - Keith Nance, Gordon Emmons, Don Richters, John Osborne and Carol Kelly.

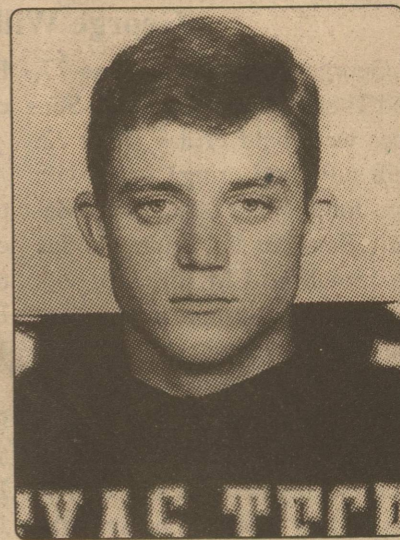
We had four teams with a score of 58. Score card play-off. Jim Broome, Cy Griffin, Little Chris McCravey and Jack Halbert. Also, Aaron Sales, John Pitts, Zach Monroe, Gwen Hegefled and Alton Bybee.

We have a 3 person Low Ball Tournament on June 20th and 21st. Get your teams together.

The Eddy Mae Kinser Memorial Tournament will be July 18, 1998. This is a 4 Lady Tournament.

Our next Play Day will be July 5th.

Bownds named to Academic All-Big 12 Team



Reagan Bownds

Reagan Bownds, a defensive back on Texas Tech University's Red Raider football team was named to the Academic All-Big 12 Team recently. Head Coach Spike Dykes noted Bownds' hard work on and off the field saying the school was fortunate to have such a dedicated student-athlete.

Bownds is the son of Johnny and Angie Bownds of Eldorado and is a 1995 graduate of Eldorado High School. He is majoring in Agribusiness.

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Rangers	3	3	2
A's	1	5	5
Astros	1	5	5

Games - May 25th			
Braves vs	13	Red Sox vs	14
White Sox	12	Tigers	6

Games - May 19th			
Astros vs	5	A's vs	14
Blue Jays	15	Rangers	6

Games - May 26th			
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Eldorado Middle School academic awards program held

The Eldorado Middle School Academic Awards were presented on Wednesday, May 20, 1998 in the Eldorado High School Auditorium with Aaron Fuentes, Student Council President welcoming the parents and grandparents of Middle School students. The invocation was given by Quisto Gonzalez, Student Council Vice-President. The Pledge of Allegiance was lead by Koda Lozano, Student Council Secretary.

Following the Students Councils presentation, Mr. George Spinks presented the Industrial Technology Awards to 7th graders Courtney Sauer and Courtney Brown and 8th graders Scott Homer and David Elias.

Perfect Attendance Awards were presented to Serina Arispe, Francisco Arispe, Joe Arispe and Thomas Ballew. These students were neither absent nor tardy for the entire year.

Reading Awards went to the highest reader in each class with the combined Middle School reading over 500,000 pages. They are: **Eighth Grade** Dest Sudduth (5,631 pgs.), Maria Hernandez (5,088 pgs.), Tana Williams (4,138 pgs.); **Seventh Grade** Luis Munoz (19,941 pgs.), Layna Murr (5,243 pgs.), Brandi Davis (5,220 pgs.); **Sixth Grade** Lori Loomis (12,579 pgs.), Alan Dykstra (3,786 pgs.), Mikinzie Holley (3,504 pgs.); **Fifth Grade** Will Griffin (6,879 pgs.); Kolby Dombroski (4,593 pgs.), Ashley

Doran (3,877 pgs.). Citizenship Awards winners are selected by teachers in each grade level. The are: **Fifth Grade** Maria Contreras and Bryce Leggett; **Sixth Grade** Lori Loomis and Alan Dykstra; **Seventh Grade** Brandi Davis and J.L. Mankin; **Eighth Grade** Gentry Newman and Scott Homer.

Scholarship Awards were given to the top ten students academically in each grade level. The top five received medals and certificates and 6th through 10th received a certificate. Receiving Scholarship Awards were: **Fifth Grade** Emily Newman, Daniella Guadarrama, Will Griffin, Betsy Green, Kolby Dombroski, Britany Reyes, Logan Neal, Julie Hight, Ryan Cathey and Katey Blair; **Sixth Grade** Seth Taylor, Lori Loomis, Travis Joiner, Clara Herrera, Janet Gardiner, Andrea Leal, Forrest Holt, Mikinzie Holley, Alan Dykstra and Scott Cawley; **Seventh Grade** Courtney Sauer, Christina Redish, Layna Murr, Georgina Maritz, Courtney Brown, Nathanael Wolfe, Hannah Robledo, Bobby Phillips, Kimberly Hight and Brandi Davis; **Eighth Grade** Tana Williams, Tabitha Lloyd, Britany Key, Maria Hernandez, Andrew Anderson, Dest Sudduth, Gentry Newman, Leigh Ann Neal, Mitzi Milby and Whitney Edmiston.

The American Legion Award was presented to a 6th grade girl and boy who were elected by their classmates for their display of good citizenship. The year's award was presented to Clara Herrera and Travis Joiner by Ken Richardson a member of the American Legion.

Tana Williams was the recipient of the Principal's Honor Roll. This award is given to the student with an A in every class, every six weeks, from grade 5 through grade 8. It was presented by principal Julie Griffin.

Lion's Club Award is awarded to the 8th grade boy and girl who had the highest academic average this year. Recipients of this award were Andrew Anderson and Tana Williams.

The President's Award for Educational Excellence is presented to 8th grade students who have a 90 average for their 4 years in middle school. They are: Leigh Ann Neal, Britany Key, Andrew Anderson, Tabitha Lloyd, Maria Hernandez, Tana Williams, Tony Fay, Samantha Smith, Kristina Prater, Xochitl Esparza, Cristie Belman, Elibeth Montalvo, Scott Homer, Johnny Herrera, Mitzi Milby, Whitney Edmiston, Gentry Newman, Dest Sudduth and Thomas Ballew.

The President's Award for Educational Improvement went to Juan Munoz. He received the

award in recognition of outstanding educational growth.

The Leadership Award was presented to Tony Fay and Tabitha Lloyd both 8th graders who were chosen for outstanding citizenship, friendship, and sportsmanship throughout their middle school years. The students are nominated by the 8th grade and voted on by the entire student body.

The assembly ended with middle school principal Julie Griffin encouraging the 8th graders to "Fly high and reach for the stars," with each eighth grade student receiving a clear helium balloon as a parting gift. Courtney Sauer then gave the benediction.



photo by Kathy Mankin

American Legion Award winners — 6th graders Clara Herrera and Travis Joiner were chosen by their classmates to receive the American Legion Award in recognition of their display of good citizenship. The awards were presented on May 20th at the Eldorado Middle School awards program.

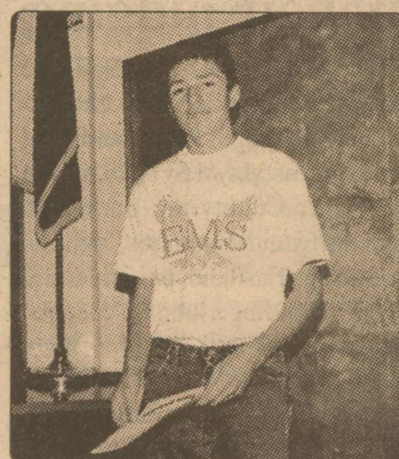


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The President's Award for Educational Improvement went to 8th grader Juan Munoz at the annual Eldorado Middle School awards program.

Barrera earns degree from ASU

Ernesto Chavira Barrera received a Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude, with a major in Sociology from San Angelo State University. He was among 522 students to receive degrees during the Spring commencement at the university.

Ft. McKavett cemetery meeting

The annual Ft. McKavett Cemetery Association Homecoming and Cemetery Cleaning will be held Saturday, June 6. Bring a salad or dessert. Please come!

Local students graduate A&M

COLLEGE STATION — Diplomas were awarded to more than 4,300 Texas A&M University graduates during May commencement ceremonies.

The degrees were presented at three separate ceremonies. Featured speakers at the ceremonies were Drayton McLane Jr., chairman of McLane Group and the Houston Astros Baseball Club and Astrodome USA; Ernesto Perez Balladares, president of the Republic of Panama; and George W. Bush, governor of Texas.

Among those receiving degrees were: Jana Lynn Sterling, Whitney Kyle Willeke and James Michael Woodward, all of Eldorado.

Sterling earned a Bachelor of Science degree. She majored in Wildlife & Fisheries Sciences. Woodward also received a Bachelor of Science degree. He majored in Interdisciplinary Technology.

Willeke received a Bachelor of Education degree. She majored in Environmental Design.



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Lions Club award winners — The high ranking boy and girl in the 8th grade this year were Andrew Anderson and Tana Williams. The awards were presented on May 20th at the Eldorado Middle School awards program.

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Jenny Wink

Wink accepts internship at Scott-White

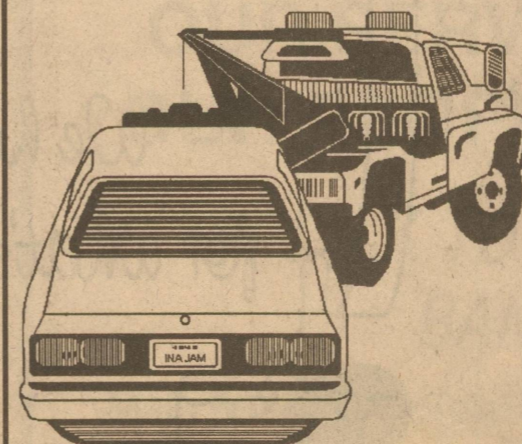
Jenny Wink daughter of Harvey and Shari Wink of Eldorado has been accepted for a year internship at Scott-White Hospital in Temple, Texas for medical technologist.

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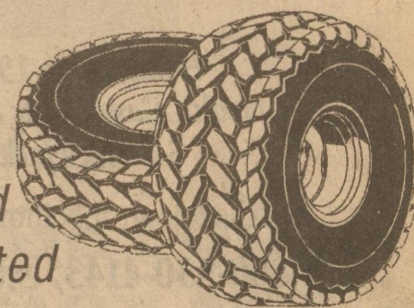
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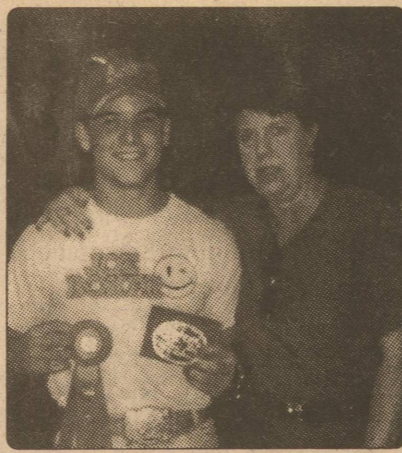
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A&M honor students named

COLLEGE STATION — grading period. Texas A&M University has named its honor students for the 1998 spring semester, recognizing several thousand students for outstanding academic performance.

The Dean's Honor Roll recognizes students taking at least 15 semester hours who have maintained at least a 3.75 grade point ratio (GPR) out of a possible 4.0 during the most recent

A second designation, Distinguished Student, recognizes students who earned a 3.25 to 3.75 GPR while taking at least 15 hours. Among those recognized as Distinguished Students were: Matt Dudley McCormick, Toni Margaret Whitten and Kallie Jo Kohls, all of Eldorado. Kohls is a senior while McCormick and Whitten are both sophomores.



courtesy photo

Shiny buckle — Michael Tatsch of Kerr County won the Wool & Mohair Judging Contest hosted by the Eldorado-Divide Soil & Water Conservation District on May 16th. Here he is congratulated by SWCD director Mary Leigh Dunagan.

Range, wool & mohair judging

The Eldorado-Divide Soil and Water Conservation District hosted its annual Range, Wool, and Mohair Contest May 16, 1998, at the Schleicher County Ag Barn with students from 10 counties, some as far away as Eastland, participating. Prizes including ribbons, medals, plaques, and belt buckles were awarded to the individual students and the teams with the best scores.

The Directors of the Eldorado-Divide Soil and Water Conservation District provided a barbecue lunch plate for students and coaches participating.

Michael Tatsch of Kerr County was the top wool & mohair judge while Lori Moldenhauer of Kendall County won the Range Judging belt buckle.

Reeves - Stewart wedding planned

Kristi Reeves and James Stewart will be married Saturday, July 18, 1998 at First Baptist Church of Eldorado. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Joe King of Eldorado and Mr. & Mrs. Gary Reeves of Menard. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry McWilliams of San Angelo.

She is a 1995 graduate of Eldorado High School and has attended Angelo State University. He is a 1994 graduate of Wall High School and has also attended Angelo State University.

Mrs. Griffin's 1998 Kindergarten Class-Front (L-R)

Leslie Arispe, Mason Baker, Victoria Garza, Alex Guzman, Clarissa Hernandez, Marcos Medrano, Chris Mejia, Back (L-R) Bailey Minor, Ramiro Perez, Marty Powell, Teacher Mrs. Griffin, Dustin Ramos, Gregory Rodriguez, and Gloria Valero.



Mrs. Homer's 1998 Kindergarten Class - Jim

Chadwick, Timothy Cuevas, Samantha Dominguez, Emily Espinosa, Adriana Hernandez, Patricia Hernandez Back (L-R) Kori-Ann Holub, Garrett Lux, Anthony Mata, Teacher Mrs. Homer, Hugo Rios, Austin Whitten, and Dylan Wilson.



Mrs. Hutto's 1998 Kindergarten Class - Front

(L-R) Wes Brown, Dylan Dombroski, Raynnie Lockaby, Chelsea Harris, Rosy Iglesias, Aubrey Martinez, Maureen Martinez, Back (L-R) Juan Medrano, Shelsea Rojas, Jacey Sellers, Teacher Mrs. Hutto, Hervey Solis, Junior Trujillo, and Shane Young.



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Honor Roll: Mrs. Beaches Class - Caleb Daniels*, Erika

Estrada*, Justin Garcia*, Amika Gonzalez*, David Ramirez*, Abigail Salazar, Nadia Santellano*, Mrs. O'Harrow's Class - Tiawna Vannett*, Darcie Bullard*, Lalo Sanchez*, Ashley Arispe*, Ashley Lozano*, Adrian Ortega*, Jasmine Romero*, Jasmine Romero*, Pedro Garcia*, Jorge Mata*, Jessi Valero*; Mrs. Sessom's Class - Austin McBroom* and Michael Redish*.

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Third Grade

"A" Honor Roll: Mrs. McGregor's Class - Marcos Hernandez*, Tiffany Hernandez*, Logan Jones* and Ridge Ann Sudduth*. Mrs. Porter's Class - Briley Leggett*, Anakaren Esparza*, Kristin Mittel*.

"Honor" Roll: Mrs. McGregor's Class - Russel Cathey*, Chris Chavez*, Adam Dominguez*, Anna Fuentes*, Abel Montalvo, Kimberly Samaniego*; Mrs. O'Harrow's Class - Drew Bosmans*, Mark Bybee*, Amy Doran*, Holly Ford*, Neal Higgins*, Marcus Hinojosa*, Felipe Martinez*, J.C. Rodriguez*; Mrs. Porter's Class - Ricky Jalomo, Richmond Adame*, Alicia Corrales*, Sammy Estrada*, Britany Jennings*, Rachel Rios*, Raul Rios*, Austin Chantavong*. *Denotes Eagle Excellence.

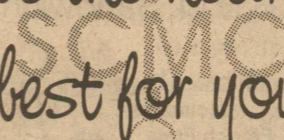
Fourth Grade

"A" Honor Roll: Mrs. Jones' Class - Michael Hill*, Allison Reynolds*, Chelci Rodriguez*, Andrew Gonzales*; Mrs. Moore's Class - Diego Barrera*, Rachel Joiner*, Hope Fuentes*; Mrs. Newman's Class - Taylor Baker*, Chandra Wanoreck*, Josie Diaz*.

"Honor" Roll: Mrs. Jones' Class - Lauren Brown*, Ivonne Granadas*, Johanna Joiner*, Taylor Niblett*, Myra Robles*, Adon Santellano*, Kyle Taylor; Mrs. Moore's Class - Frank Edmiston*, Micaela Gonzalez*, Sandra Guzman*, Nestor Hernandez*, Maxie Holley*, Caleb Nixon, Karina Sanchez; Mrs. Newman's Class - Charlotte Adame*, Brence Minor*, Michael Ballew*, Joel Esparza*, Johnathon Lavez*, Angela Lumpkin*, Jesse Mendoza*, Samantha Rodriguez*, Jeremy Ussery. *Denotes Eagle Excellence.

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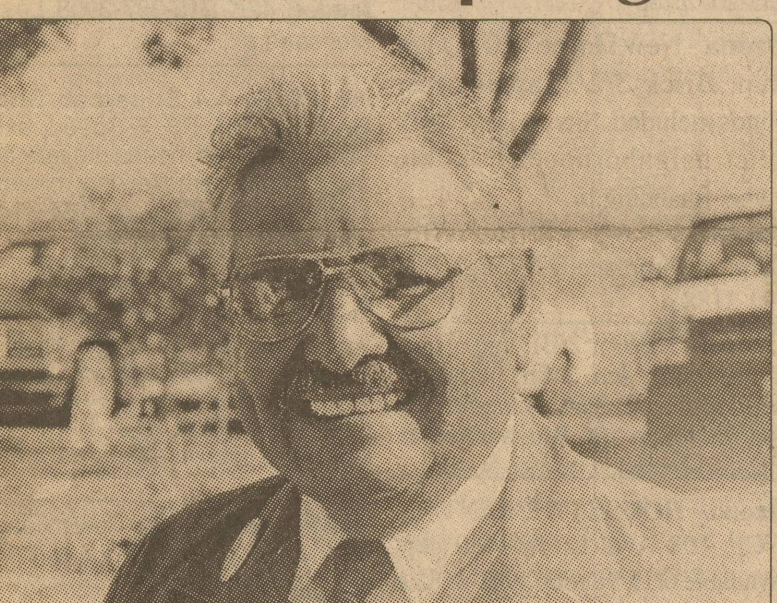
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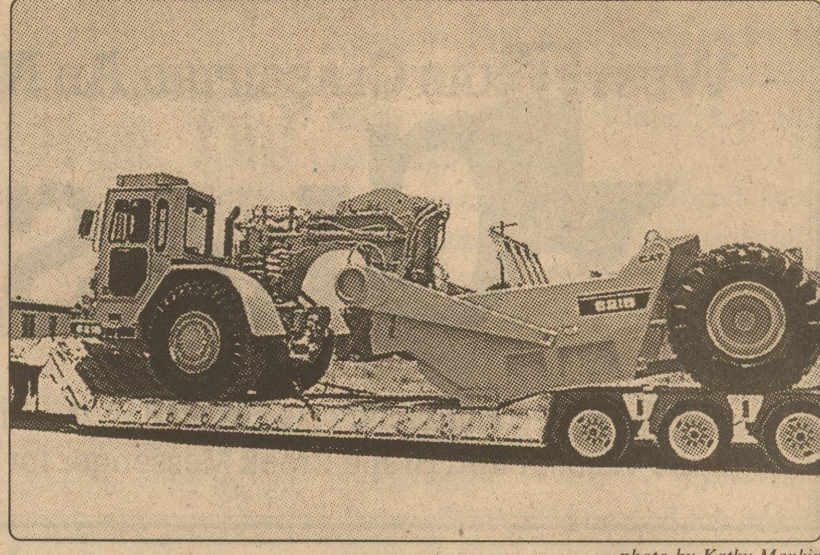
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For the life of us, we can't remember his name.

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EMS 6th Six Weeks Honor Roll

"A" Honor Rolls
Fifth Grade: Katey Blair, Ryan Cathey, Kolby Dombroski, Betsy Green, William Griffin, Daniella Guadarrama, Jose Hernandez, Julie Hight, Bryce Leggett, Emily Newman, Brittany Reyes, and Emmanuel Samaniego.
Sixth Grade: Janet Gardiner, Clara Herrera, Mikinzie Holley, Forrest Holt, Travis Joiner, Lori Loomis and Seth Taylor.
Seventh Grade: Courtney Brown, Layna Murr, Helen (Christina) Redish, Courtney Sauer.
Eighth Grade: Andrew Anderson, Maria Hernandez, Brittany Key, Tabitha Lloyd, Dest Sudduth, and Tana Williams.
"AB" Honor Roll
Fifth Grade: Sheryl Alexander, Laurie Almazan, Rigo Arispe, Judith Cardenas, Juan Contreras, Maria Contreras, Ashley Doran, Monica Estrada, Amanda Figueroa, Rachael Fuentes, Eric Garcia, Blanca Huichapa, Maria Huichapa, David Neal, Frank Ortega, Justin Phillips, Jessica Robertson, Esequiel Robles, Selina Rojas, and Britney Sellers.
Sixth Grade: Adrian Arispe, Scott Cawley, Felix Chavez, William Dykstra, John Fay, Heather Homer, Andrea Leal, Travis Lively, Koda Lozano, Brittni Meyer, Monica Moreno, Ashton Murr, April Nixon, Robert (Shay) Parker, Zane Porter, Anna Rios, Danny Sanchez, Courtney Whitten.
Seventh Grade: Brandi Davis, Victoria Estep, Kathryn Gonzales, Rachel Gray, Jessie Guadarrama, Kimberly Hight, Ross Hodges, Georgina Maritz, Toni Martin, Bobby Phillips, Hannah Robledo, Jennifer Rodriguez, Liza Sanchez, Blake Snelson, Leah Wolfe, and Nathanael Wolfe.
Eighth Grade: Thomas Ballew, Jaelyn Crawford, Whitney Edmiston, Tony Fay, Aaron Fuentes, Juan Herrera, Scott Homer, James (Wes) Jones, Mitzi Milby, Jose Munoz, Leigh Ann Neal, Gentry Newman, Alan Pina, Samantha Smith.



Earth movin' machine — Schleicher County and the City of Eldorado jointly purchased the scraper pictured above. The heavy machinery was found at a government surplus yard and was refurbished and painted before being trucked to Eldorado. Here is pictured as it passed through town on the way to the landfill.

THE BLOTTER

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



And the winner is — Leigh Ann Neal won the grand prize, a "boom box" at Eldorado Middle School's Spring Fling. The annual event was held at the Middle School courtyard the week before school was out

Arrests
5/26/98 Alfaro, Benito Vasquez, male age 43, arrested by SC Officer for Sexual Assault of a Child. Released on \$10,000 Surety Bond.
5/26/98 Machado, Gilberto Favela, male age 31, arrested by SC Officer for Indecency with a Child/Sexual Contact. Released on \$10,000 Bond.
5/28/98 Senatore, John Gerard, male age 39, arrested by SC Officer for Driving While Intoxicated (1st Offense). Released on \$1,000 Surety Bond.
5/29/98 Guerrero, Roger R., male age 30, hold for Menard County on warrant.
5/29/98 Factor, James Lee, male age 44, arrested by SC Officer for Public Intoxication. Released on citation.
5/29/98 Corona, Mary Lou, female age 41, arrested by SC Officer for Public Intoxication/Disorderly Conduct. Released on citation.
5/30/98 Dominquez, Marcelo Gomez, male age 51, arrested by SC Officer for Driving While Intoxicated. Released on \$1,000 Surety Bond.
5/30/98 Corona, Mary Lou, female age 41, arrested by SC Officer for Public Intoxication. Released on citation.
5/31/98 Santiago, Rodger, male age 27, arrested by SC Officer for Disorderly Conduct. Released on citation.
6/1/98 Claxton, William Chad, male age 26, hold for Irion Co. for Possession of Control Substance Package. Released on \$2,500 Surety Bond.
6/1/98 Garcia, Edward, male age 31, hold for Irion Co. for Possession of Control Substance Package. Released on \$2,500 Surety Bond.
6/1/98 Short, Steven Lee, male age 37, arrested by SC Officer on Val Verde Co. Warrant. Released on \$2,500 Surety Bond.
6/1/98 Tijerina, Joseph Joe, male age 45, arrested by SC Officer for Assault to Cause Injury.
6/1/98 Alonzo, Miricles, male age 23, hold for Irion Co. on a Potter Co. Warrant. Released on \$1,500 Bond.

Emergency Room. Officer responded.
5/26/98 Officer took statements on Sexual Assault of a child.
5/28/98 Complainant from Sonora stated that her husband had said he was going to kill himself. Officers found the subject and he stated that he and his wife were having marriage problems and she was making everything up.
5/28/98 Complainant reported a possible drunk driver headed into Eldorado. Two Officers responded and one subject John G. Senatore was arrested for DWI.
5/28/98 Complainant requested to see officer about a subject who had come to the pool asking for help from Officer. Officer responded.
5/28/98 Vehicle Accident - Complainant reported that he and his wife had an accident on County Rd 245. Officer responded to call and wrecker was dispatched to location.
5/29/98 Complainant reported that they had found a bag of children's clothes out on the Big Lake Hwy. Complainant turned clothing into Sheriff's Officer for owner to claim.
5/29/98 Request for an officer to a residence on Cottonwood and Fields, and ask the owners to turn down their music. Music was turned down.
5/29/98 Complainant reported to Sheriff's Office that there was a party on Del Rio, involving minors. Dispatch asked for name and phone number. Complainant hung up the phone. Officer did drive by residence.
5/29/98 Complainant reported 2 subjects in the store who were intoxicated and had gotten upset when the clerk refused to sell them beer. Officer responded to call.
5/29/98 Complainant came into Sheriff's Office to report an assault on her. Mary Corona was then arrested for Public Intoxication. Officer will investigate Assault charge.
5/29/98 Harassment - Complainant called to report that her daughter had been harassed by another female. Subject was said to be in a gray Mercury. Officer took the call and was unable to locate subject or vehicle. No arrest were made or charges filed.
5/31/98 Complainant reported loud noises coming from the apartment above. Officers spoke to both parties and Apt. Manager was contacted.
5/31/98 Complainant came into the Sheriff's Office to request a Criminal Trespass Notification on a male subject.
5/31/98 Unknown actor(s) toilet papered complainant's property on Live Oak and threw eggs in the street.
6/2/98 Officer located a vehicle at local store and determined driver was OK and not intoxicated.

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High School 6th Six Weeks Honor Roll

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Freshman: Lindsay Beach, Breanne Davis, Ben Edmiston, Cayla Jeffrey, Kayla McCravy, Stacy Nicholson, Sarah Wolfe.
Sophomore: Haley Edmiston, Hillary Hodges, and Sarah Mankin.
Junior: Juan Montalvo, Jennifer Stafford, and Hannah Wolfe.
Senior: Kimberly Beach, Ida (Mindi) Blair, Kirk Curtis, Lesli Green, Makenzie McCravy, Beau Sallee, Andrea (Andie) Sterling, and Ashlie Whitten.
"85 and Above Honor Roll"
Freshman: Joseph Bullard, Kayla Case, Nancy Cawley, Suzanne Rojas, Jeffrey Stafford, and Clay Whitten.
Sophomore: Lycynda Halbert, Elisa Munoz and Alana Oliver.
Junior: Margaret (Meg) Anderson.
Senior: Tiffany Case, Wade Dakan, Lindsey Griffin, Scott Grube, Maria Guzman, Victoria Mitchel, Jennifer Nixon, Leticia Nixon and Sabrina Samuels.