

# T. B.

BY TERRY B. NEILL

## BEING A WEST TEXAN.....

Being a true West Texan entails a lot of things, including waving. That's right, just putting up your hand and waving as you're traveling down the highway.

We've always considered that one of the most important attributes of local folks. Even if it's just a finger or a tilt of the head, whoever you're meeting on the highway or street knows you're a real West Texan.

Lots of folks wave at ya out here, but go towards the east and you'll find it to be a different story. In East Texas you'll find cold indifference in a lot of travelers you meet, while folks back east just think you're down-right weird.

We've noticed that folks in pickups wave more than those who drive cars, but for some reason those who pilot the little foreign jobs

seem to be friendlier than those in the bigger American cars. Maybe the latter are too busy trying to figure out how they're going to pay for them?

We wave at everybody cause that's how we were raised. Growing up out around Fort Stockton we always thought that waving was expected. Now looking back on it all it could have been a sigh that, "Yes, I'm tough too, I live out here!"

Some women are wavers, while others are not. We suppose some are just plain shy and bashful or possibly afraid that a wave could be misinterpreted by those she's meeting.

And we can just about imagine what all those yankees must think when they motor down West Texas highways. They probably think there's a highway patrolman ahead, or stop and check their zippers.

Actually it all boils down to just being friendly. West Texans have always been that and most are ready at a moment's notice to help anyone in trouble—stranger or not.

We think the number of people in a community waving is a good sign of how friendly that town is. Eldorado and Mertzon both pass with flying colors, as does San Angelo, an especially friendly place for its size.

And remember, the more you wave the more people wave back. Tall people, short people, fat people and skinny people. We all crave friendship and attention.

Waving to your fellow man can accomplish that with a minimum of effort. No one, to our knowledge, has ever been over-worked or injured when waving. Of course it would probably help to keep one hand on the wheel!

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IN ELDORADO AREA

## DPS planning July 4 effort

The Department of Public Safety has announced the start of "Operation Holiday Joint Effort" beginning at 2 p.m. and ending at 12 midnight on July 3.

It is a District 4-B combined effort involving Highway Patrol Troopers and supervisors from the three seargent areas of San Angelo, Ozona, and Del Rio. Enhancement of public awareness of the hazards of holiday travel, and to secure the motoring public's voluntary compliance of traffic rules and regulations are two of the goals.

"We're calling it 'Operation Holiday Joint Effort' because in order for this operation to be successful the efforts of both the Highway Patrol and the motoring public will be required," said Sgt. Kenneth Hailey.

A total of 429 man hours have been scheduled for this 10 hour period. Sgt. Hailey stated that special emphasis will be on DWI's, speeding, seat belt and equipment violations, motorist assists and Warrant Data Bank checks.

The overall objective is to reduce traffic deaths, injuries and the destruction of property during the Fourth of July holiday period.

Operation Holiday Joint Effort precedes the July 4th's Operation Motoreide that is in effect  
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## Murder charges filed

### RANCH SHOOTING CLAIMS ONE

One is dead, another wounded and a member of a long-time West Texas ranching family in jail following a shooting incident last Sunday.

John B. Corrales, 18, was shot to death Sunday night at the Atkins Ranch, located 10 miles south of Eldorado on U.S. 277. His mother, Carolyn Rebecca Atkins, 44, was reported in stable condition at Shannon West Texas Hospital in San Angelo Tuesday, also suffering from a gunshot wound.

Schleicher County Sheriff Orval Edmiston said murder and aggravated assault with a deadly weapon charges have been filed against 58-year old John David Atkins.

Atkins remained in the Schleicher County jail Tuesday in lieu of \$50,000 bond on the murder charge and \$25,000 on the assault count. He was arraigned before Peace Justice Poncho Bradley Monday morning, after being arrested at the scene Sunday night.

The dead man's younger brother, Roger Allen Corrales, reported the shooting to local law enforcement officers at 10:30 p.m. Sunday night. He is approximately 15 years of age.

Edmiston said a handgun was involved in the shooting.

Corrales' body was taken to the Bexar County Medical Examiner's office in San Antonio for an autopsy. Funeral services were still pending Tuesday.

SUPPORT STILL NEEDED

## Cast set for melodrama

What do can girls, cowboys, Indians and "Jake the Snake" have in common? They will all be starring in "The Saga of Sagebrush Sal", the melodrama headlining this year's Schleicher County Days in Eldorado.

Tremendous community support was recorded at the play's tryouts, held last Thursday night. "It was great. We had a super turnout," directors Marcy Willis and Carol Graham reported this week.

Casting is almost complete for the produc-

tion, which will be staged on the courthouse lawn August 9, but help is still needed.

"Funding is needed. We have about half the platforms we need. We need funds to purchase supplies to build the platforms with, and also white sheets to use as the backdrop. The Tuesday Bridge Club has volunteered to pay our royalty fee, which we really appreciate," Ms. Willis said.

A fund for the play has been established at the First National Bank of Eldorado under the

heading, "Community Theatre", and donations can be made there. "If we have good support this year we will make it an annual part of Schleicher County Days," Ms. Willis said.

More than 20 Eldorado residents turned out last Thursday, winning parts for the melodrama and production crew.

Cast as can can girls and Indian maids were Frankie Hardy, Vidette Sallee, Teresa Montgomery, Jan Wallace, Lynna Mikeska, Betsy  
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WEATHER PERFECT FOR 55TH ANNUAL EVENT

## Tradition beckons Mias Amigas members

BY EVELYN STIGLER

Beckoned by tradition and tolling of the old school bell on the courthouse lawn, Mias Amigas members gathered for the 55th time in Eldorado last weekend.

A large turnout of Eldorado exes gathered at the Memorial Building and on the courthouse grounds to rekindle old memories and make some new ones under perfect West Texas skies.

Members and friends of Mias Amigas began gathering at the Memorial Building about five p.m. for registering and remembering old acquaintances. New faces were also evident.

The old school bell was rung by L.D. (Jelly) Mund of the 50 year class. Some 12 members of that class were present to see that the bell tolled properly.

The group reassembled in the main room of the Memorial Building at 10 a.m. for recognition of the 50 and the 20 year classes.

The meeting began with words of welcome from the president of this year's meeting, Lynn Meador.

Salute to the United States flag was led by Wayne McGinnes, member of the 1966 Class.

Minutes of last year's meeting were read by Louise Burk.

Planning for the Mias Amigas Float for the Sesquicentennial will be taken care of by the new slate of officers, it was decided.

Memorials for members who have died this year were represented by a floral arrangement of Daisies with white satin bow and streamers. Names were imprinted at the end of each streamer.

The class of 1936 was recognized and presented. Each called their names and told where they were from. Pictures were made of the class.

Some 14 members of the 1966 class were present and were introduced.

Former Eldorado superintendent Whitaker was recognized for his 31 years of service to the community. He and his wife have recently retired.

Lucille Hill Walker, who has belonged to Mias Amigas for many years, read a poem by John Greenleaf Whittier and dedicated it to all her former school sweethearts. "Most of them are dead and gone, however," she lamented.

Those who came a long distance were recognized and the museum was open for visitors both days.

The local Veterans of Foreign Wars chapter announced that a monument will be erected at the cemetery near the flag poles with the names of all veterans on it. Donations would be appreciated, they said.

Patsy Kellog, Shine Spigarelli, Theo Mayo, Charlene Edmiston, Ruth Harper, Ann Barker, Ray Lewis Ballew, Betsy Thackerson, Mabel Freitag and Winona Isaacs, this year's officers, were presented and given a round of applause for the work they have done.

The nominating committee, composed of Mrs. Jewel Bailey, Winona Isaacs and Dick Bearce submitted the following slate of officers for 1987: president - Raymond Mittel; first vice president - Mr. and Mrs. Guy Whitaker; second vice president - Shine Spigarelli; third vice president - Jim Martin; treasurer - Thelia Mayo; historian - Ethel Etheredge; publicity - Charlene Edmiston; secretary - Helen Blake-way; in memoriam - Betsy Thackerson; and photographer - Mitchell Bradley.

A picnic supper was served Friday night on the courthouse lawn and at noon Saturday a large crowd gathered for a barbecue lunch served by the Orland Harris family.

Many memories were reviewed of days spent in the Eldorado School during the two days of Mias Amigas. "We had a great time," a member remarked, summing up the annual event.



RINGING THE BELL - Members of the 50-year class did the honors last Friday afternoon, ringing the old school bell and officially starting Mias Amigas 1986. The

reunion was highly successful in both numbers and enthusiasm, as these 12 members of the 1936 Eldorado High School class prove. [Staff Photo]

## Eldorado Tennis Clinic set

Dyer Sports Alley will conduct a five-day tennis clinic at the Eldorado school tennis courts during the week of July 14-18. Teaching the clinic will be Cindy Dyer, an instructor at Dyer Sports Alley. Cindy played four years of varsity tennis for Hardin-Simmons University and taught summer camps at Abilene Country Club.

There will be four one-hour classes in the morning, four in the afternoon, and, if necessary, evening classes. These classes will begin at 8 a.m. on Monday, July 14. The afternoon classes will begin at 1 p.m. and last until 5 p.m. The evening classes will be scheduled at a convenient time for the majority of students requesting evening classes. A student may enroll in more than one class per day.

Each student must come

prepared with racket, tennis shoes, suitable clothing (shorts, tennis skirt, etc.), water jug, towel, and sunscreen if needed. Balls will be furnished.

The fee for the five hours of instruction will be \$25. This fee includes a \$2 charge for tennis balls. The fee must accompany entry.

All entries must be in by Saturday, July 12. Entries may be mailed to: Weldon Moore, Box 624, Eldorado, Tx. 76936. Contact Moore for further information -- call after 5 p.m. at 853-3168.

Each player will be contacted on Sunday afternoon, July 13. If fewer than 30 entries are received, the clinic will not be held. The classes will be cancelled and the fees returned.

"We will not be responsible for accidents or injuries," a spokesman said.



REGISTERING -- Before they started rekindling old memories last weekend those attending Mias Amigas in Eldorado had to

register in the Memorial Building. A good crowd was reported for the 55th annual event. [Staff Photo]

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AUSTIN--Bill and Louise Radle, members of the Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department, attended the 110th Annual Convention and Conference of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association of Texas, held June 15-18 in Austin.

Jody Evans of Eden won the "Fireman of the Year" honors handed out at the meeting.

State Representative Lena Guerrero, of District 51, was keynote speaker at the convention, welcoming 500 voting delegates and 1,000 other Association members, firefighters and firemen's auxiliary representatives from across the state.

"The annual conference gives the State Firemen's

Association the best opportunity of the year to stay in touch with the needs to Texas firefighters and fire departments," said Ed S. Kirkham, executive manager of the Austin-based Association. "And it gives those attending the convention the chance to take part in our business sessions, to attend workshops and to socialize."

Ten workshops were offered to firefighters attending the convention, and many of those workshops applied toward the participants' certification. The State Firemen's Association administers a statewide certification program for volunteer firefighters and fire marshals.

The convention featured a trade show and exhibit of modern firefighting and rescue apparatus and equipment. The trade show attracted some 50

companies and groups from Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Washington, D.C.

The State Firemen's Association was founded in 1876 and represents all Texas firefighters--volunteer and career--in the State Legislature and Congress. The Association was instrumental in passage of legislation setting up pension systems for paid and for volunteer firefighters, and was designated by the Legislature as the sponsor of the Annual Municipal Firemen's Training School offered

by the Fire Protection Training Division of the Texas Engineering Extension Service.

The Association's magazine, "Texas Firemen", is published 10 times a year and delivers educational and news articles about firefighting and the fire service to 5,000 subscribers.

For more information about membership in and services of the State Firemen's Association, write the Association at P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711, or telephone (512) 441-7388.

## Radles attend conference

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This July 4 remember the  
real meaning of the holiday!

Pause a moment to reflect on the  
sacrifices made by our forefathers!



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AN EDITORIAL

# West Texas needs SRSU

BY TERRY B. NEILL  
LEADER EDITOR

Here's a message for the boys in Austin: give us a break! Instead of closing Sul Ross State University in Alpine and therefore cutting off the main avenue of higher education for thousands of West Texas young people, try shutting down one or two of those learning institutions in East Texas.

Of course that probably won't happen because as usual other areas of the state have more people and therefore more stroke in the Capitol.

In case you haven't read or heard, Sul Ross is fighting for its proverbial life this week before the Select Committee on Higher Education in Austin. The session is set for July 10 and we urge each and every Schleicher and Irion County resident to sit down right this second and fire off a letter to his or her state representative.

Other universities under the closing scrutiny are the University of the Permian Basin at Odessa, East Texas State at Commerce and Texas A&M University at Galveston.

Obviously two of the targeted schools are in West Texas. However, something tells us that Odessa will stand up in good fashion for UTPB. If worse comes to worse, from a logistics stand point, we could more afford to lose that school than Sul Ross.

The Select Committee has listed five criteria that they will use in studying colleges and universities for closure and merger:

--A marked decrease in enrollment over the past five years.

--The cost per student over the state average when compared to equivalent institutions.

--A decrease in the level of student support services.

--Extremely low enrollment: fewer than 500 per branch centers or upper level centers and less than 2,000 for four-year institutions.

--Duplications of courses from nearby schools.

Residents of Alpine and far West Texas are rallying on behalf of their school (and their only school, we might add), but as much input from the public as possible is desperately needed.

The Sul Ross presentation is set for 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on July 10 in the Senate Chambers.

A special bank account funded by contributions has been established at the university to support its presentation. Entitled, "Friends of Sul Ross", checks for the fund should be made to "SRSU-Friends of Sul Ross."

Contributions should be mailed to the Sul Ross Cashier's Office, Box C-116, Alpine, Texas 79832. School classes have also been altered at the Alpine school in order for students to attend the presentation in Austin.

We have never considered Sul Ross among the state's elite when it comes to getting a first class education. However, the school has spawned some fine teachers. It has always been our belief that SRSU should stick to teaching teachers and possibly specialize more in range management sciences and leave the other curriculums to bigger and better funded institutions.

But one thing is for sure, West Texas needs Sul Ross. There may not be many of us out here and even fewer in the Trans-Pecos, but we can't help but think our young people are just as important as those thousands upon thousands who reside in East, Central and North Texas.

West Texas has produced its share of brilliant young people who have and will provide the leadership the Lone Star State needs. Sul Ross has played its role. Stand behind it now.

## —Letters To The Editor—

Dear Editor and all,

My dear Texas Friends, it is with pleasure that I can write to my dear old home state and my dear friends in Eldorado and in that part of the good old Texas.

I have not written to The Leader. It used to go by the name of Eldorado Success. I have been taking it for over 60 years.

My wife gave me a big birthday party the 19 of last March, just a special one, it was my 91st birthday. I got three surprise cakes and a birthday trophy. With a cowboy on a horse on the cake, yes.

A lot of my dear friends have gone to the last roundup as I call it.

I want to complement Mr. Neill on his new job. Your paper is so good. Wish you God

speed.

I have worked on ranches all over West Texas. My wife and daughter lived there in Eldorado for several years and we speak a lot about those wonderful people there and also Sonora. I will always think what great times we had there and so many have gone on.

The good Lord sure has blessed me in so many ways. I have to use my walking stick. I sure would love to visit one more time while I am on this earth but time is flying and I am 91 plus.

Eldorado sure has come a long way since we lived there.

God bless all to my dear friends.

Love to all.

Carl M. Farrar

P.S. Thanks for the paper.

C.M.F.

## Royster rites held Saturday

Funeral services for Betty L. Royster, 55, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 28 in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Chris Graham officiating. Burial followed in Eldorado Cemetery under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Mrs. Royster died Thursday, June 26 at Schleicher County Medical Center. She was born August 14, 1930 at Santa Rita, New Mexico and married Donald J. Royster in Aztec, New Mexico on July 29,

1950.

Mrs. Royster moved to Eldorado from Aztec in March of 1982. She was a homemaker and member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Brenda Sue Moore of Eldorado and Debra Lynn Lee of Aztec, New Mexico; three brothers, Roy, George Wesley and Robert Nimsagg; and three grandchildren.

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## Local woman attends seminar

Green Thumb workers and host agency sponsors for a multi-county area met Wednesday, June 25, at the Senior Citizens Center in San Angelo.

The training seminar featured Charlie Ramirez, Texas Department of Public Safety.

Green Thumb, an older worker program, is funded by the Department of Labor through Title V of the Older Americans Act. Sponsored by

Texas Farmers Union, Green Thumb provides part-time work opportunities for seniors in rural areas.

Program operation began in 1970 and currently includes 126 counties employing over 1,000 older Texans who are placed with local non-profit organizations to provide needed community services.

Betty Creel attended from Eldorado.

After 40 years we're moving out and someone else is moving in.....

Cramer "Doc" Sofge has leased Sofge Grocery to Dee Dee and Phillip Meyer of Eldorado, effective last week.

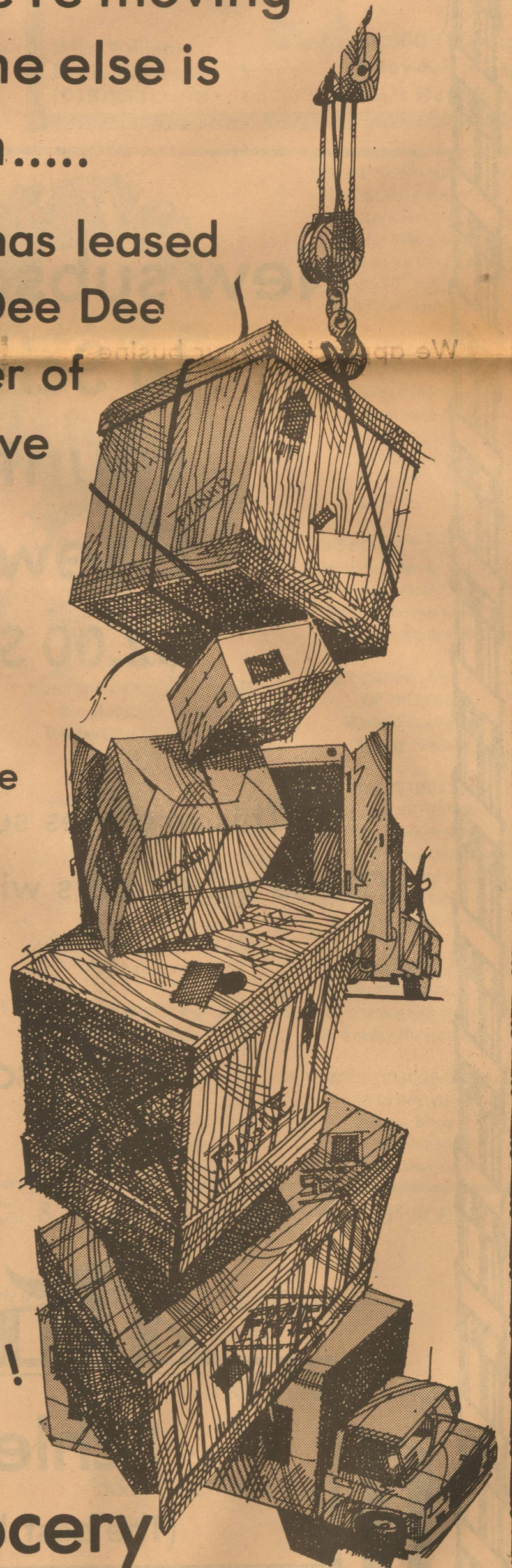
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July 1986

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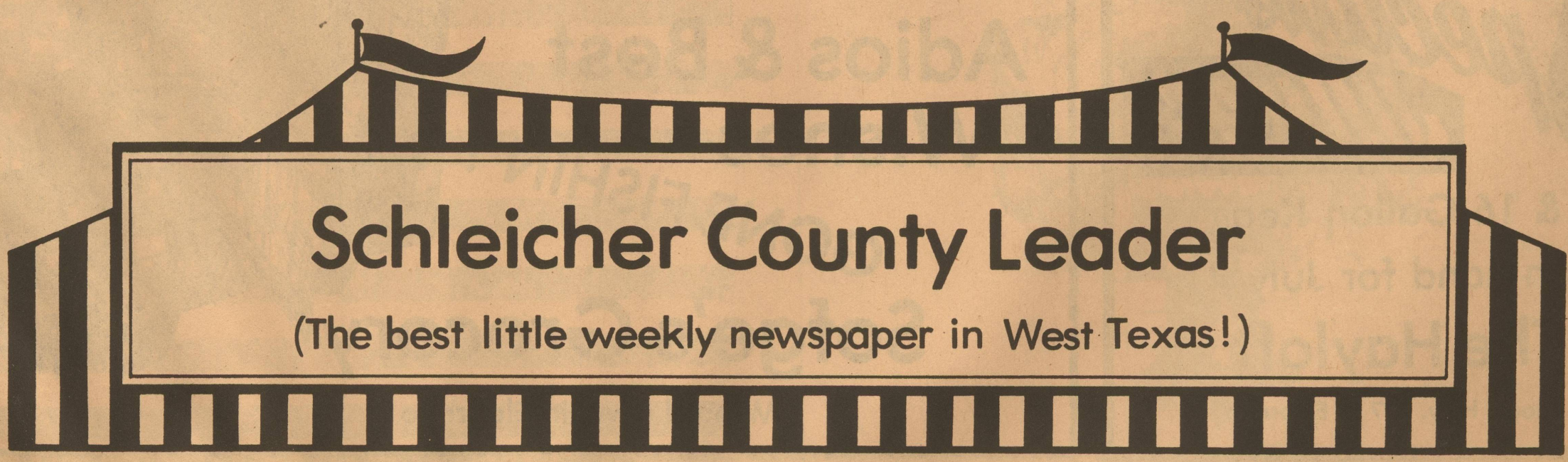
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## Will Perry attends Mias Arnigas

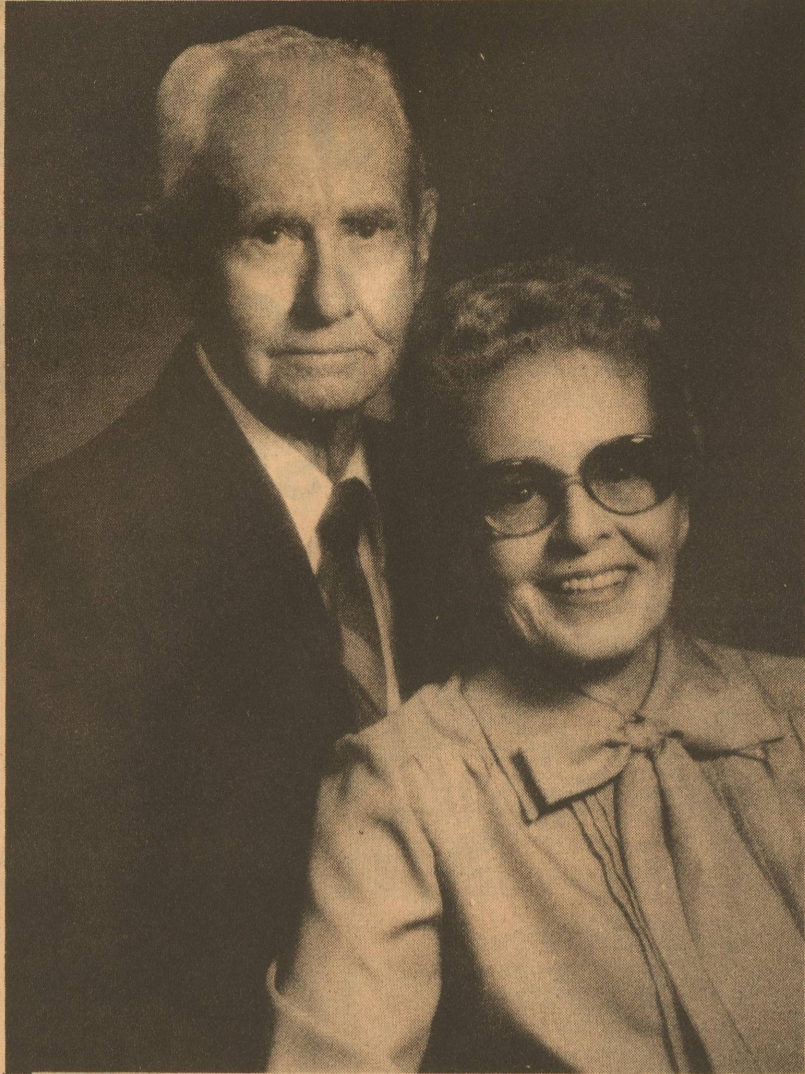
Among visitors to the Eldorado School's Mias Amigas Homecoming Saturday was Will Perry of Granbury. He is the son of Grady Perry, who was principal of the local high school before he left for World War I in 1917.

After the war principal Perry didn't return to Eldorado, but instead was elected to the Texas Legislature from his native Erath County in 1920.

Later he edited and published weekly newspapers in Junction, Carrizo Springs and West, near Waco. He returned to Erath County in the 30's and died there in 1974.

While publishing the Junction Eagle Perry met and married Dorris Wright, the sister of Fay Stevenson, who later became First Lady of Texas as the wife of governor Coke Stevenson.

The younger Perry also served in the House of Representatives and recently retired after working many years for the federal government. He corresponds regularly with Ruth Baker of Dorris Avenue in Eldorado who was one of his father's students.



**CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARY -- Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Enochs will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on July 4. Anna Pearl Faught and William Oran Enochs were married on July 4, 1936 in San Angelo. They have one son, Rex N. Enochs, and two grandchildren, Nelson and Lisa, of San Angelo. They have lived most of their lives in Schleicher County where Enochs is a rancher.**

## DPS

from 6 p.m. July 3 to midnight, July 6. The Department of Public Safety has estimated that 45 people will lose their lives on Texas highways during this motorcade period.

"The mixture of lower gasoline prices and increased travel this summer could prove to be deadly over the July 4 holiday," said Colonel Jim Adams, director of the DPS. "In addition to these factors, travel during the holiday will be made hazardous by the continuing problems of drunken driving and excessive speed."

Last year, 25 persons died as a result of traffic mishaps during the July 4 holiday, but because of the day of the week on which July 4 fell, the holiday period was only 30 hours. This year, the period will be 78 hours, from 6 p.m. Thursday, July 3 to midnight on Sunday, July 6.

Of the traffic fatalities during the July 4, 1985 period, 72 percent occurred in accidents involving excessive speed or drinking.

"The philosophy behind this program is to make the public aware of the dangers of holiday travel and what motorists can do to make their time spent on the highways safer," Adams said.

This will be the first July 4 period since the new Texas safety belt law went on the books. Last year, 82 percent of those killed in traffic accidents during the holiday period had not been restrained, either by a safety belt or child safety seat.

"The message in that safety belt statistic is

clear," Adams said. "The chances of being seriously injured or killed in a traffic accident are greatly reduced by wearing a safety belt and using a child safety seat for children under four years of age."

Adams said the two restraint laws, coupled with increased awareness of the dangers of drinking while driving, are contributing to an overall decrease in Texas traffic fatalities.

"Preliminary figures indicate the number of traffic deaths statewide was down 1.6 percent in the first quarter of this year compared with the first quarter of 1985," Adams said. "We hope that trend will not be reversed this July 4 period with a number of senseless tragedies."

## CAST

Thackerson, Sheila Prater, Becky Jones, Debbie Joy, Elsa Williams, Louise Burk, and Karen Henderson.

Set to play cowboys were Steve Williams, Bill Dakan, Jacky Willis, Trey Walker and Danny Willeke.

"Jake the Snake" will be portrayed by John Stensby, while Sal will be played by Mabel Blaylock, and Nida Chambers will be Hazeltine. Heartbleed Haymeadow will be played by Lynn Williams, and Michelle Marsh will play the skunk.

Narrators will be Jo Ann Sproul and Jim Hardy. Members of the production crew will be Marcy Willis, Carol Graham and Ginny Lamb.

## YEATES ENDOWMENT TO BENEFIT PROGRAM

A special endowment, with a goal of \$100,000, is being established in honor of B.F. Yeates, longtime horse specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The endowment is an effort by former members of the 4-H horse program to insure the program's success in the future. The endowment is being established as part of this year's State 4-H Horse Show which will be dedicated to Yeates. The show will be July 21-26 in Abilene. The endowment will be used to hire an Extension assistant

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## Youth Retreat set July 13

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church of Eldorado is hosting an inter-denominational retreat for area young people on Sunday, July 13.

The retreat is tentatively set from 2:30 until 6:30 p.m. at the Memorial Building. Swimming and a cookout will follow from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. at the Eldorado Swimming Pool.

"Everyone is invited, regardless of denomination. We're attempting to give our young people something to do this summer," a spokesman said.

Those attending should wear casual clothes and teens from Eldorado, Mertzon, Ozona, Sonora are invited to attend. "We want to stress that everyone is welcome," the spokesman concluded.

## VITAMINS CAN BE A DANGER

Colorful, candy-like chewable vitamins are so appealing to children, that last year more than 8,500 youngsters under six swallowed large numbers of the pills at one time.

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Morning Worship 11:00a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00p.m.  
Prayer Service Wed. 7:30p.m.

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Sunday School 10:00a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:15a.m.  
Evening Services 5:00p.m.  
Wed. Family Services 7:00p.m.  
Tes. Y.P. Services 7:00p.m.

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Training Union 6-7p.m.  
Evening Worship 7-8p.m.  
Sunbeams Wed. 3:00p.m.  
Prayer Service 7:00p.m.

### OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Louis Moeller  
Sunday Mass 9 a.m.  
Sunday School 10-11  
Thursday Mass 8:15  
Monday Spanish Mass 7:00p.m.

### AGAPE ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Sunday School 10:00a.m.  
Morning Service 11:00a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study 7:00p.m.  
Rev. Ken Otwell

### ST. PETERS CATHOLIC CHURCH OF MERTZON

Pastor Fr. James Betzen  
Sunday Morning Confession 10:30  
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Mass 11:00a.m.  
Tues. Mass 7:00p.m.  
Tuesday Bible Study 7:30p.m.

### MERTZON CHURCH OF CHRIST

Preacher Rueben Stanley  
Sunday Bible Class 10:00a.m.  
Church 11:00a.m.  
Wed. Study 7-8p.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00p.m.  
Ladies Thursday 9-10a.m.

### PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

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### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MERTZON

Pastor Randy Messer  
Sunday School 9:45a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 7:00p.m.  
Wednesday Worship 7:30p.m.  
Prayer Services

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF MERTZON

Rev. Dale Watts  
Sunday School 9:30a.m.  
Worship 10:45a.m.  
M.Y.F. 5:30p.m.  
Adult Bible Study 6:30p.m.

### CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Bishop Keith Knepp  
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Primary 10:00a.m.  
Relief Sec. 11:00a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00a.m.  
Sacrament 9:00a.m.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Minister James LaRoche  
Sunday School 9:45a.m.  
Morning Service 11:00a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study 7:00p.m.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF MERTZON

Minister Jay Spurlin  
Sunday 10:45a.m.

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. John Stuke  
Church School 9:50a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:50a.m.  
Youth Fellowship 7:00p.m. Wed.  
Youth Adult Study 7:30

### ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00a.m.  
Morning Worship Service 11:00a.m.  
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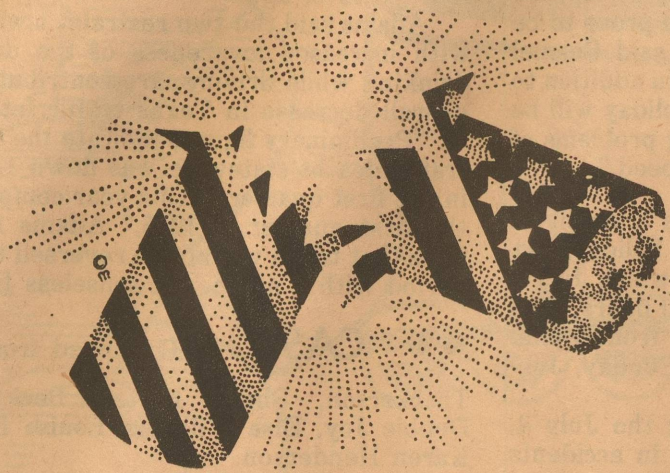
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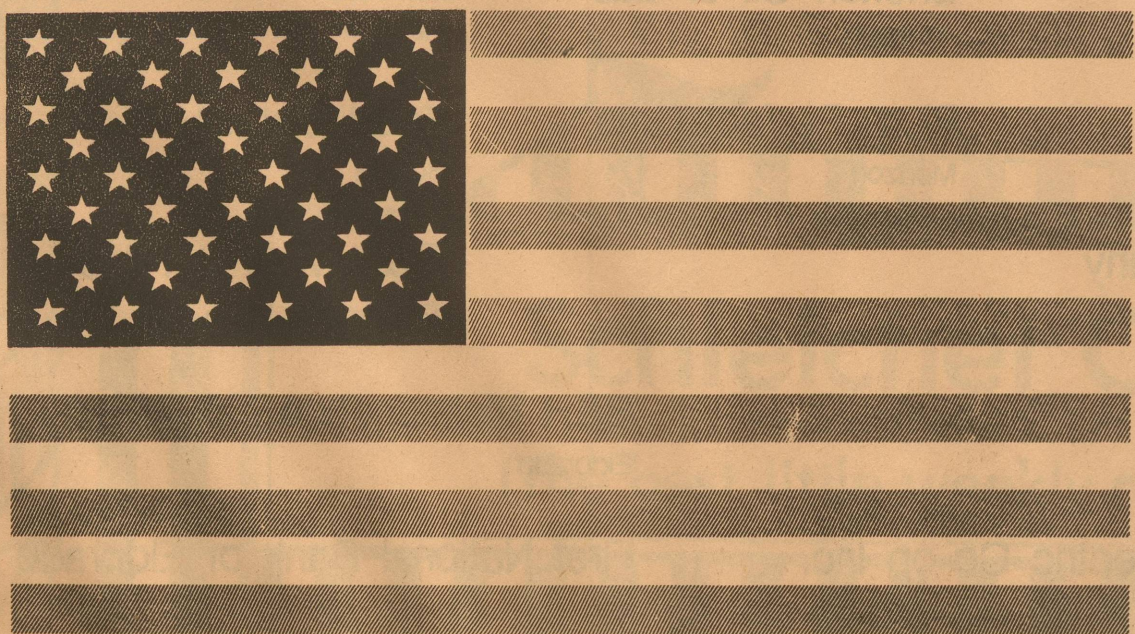


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West Texas Briefs

## WT Track Meet set in Ozona, July 12

OZONA -- The West Texas Track Meet will be held July 12 at Ozona Lions Stadium in Ozona. This meet is one of many meets throughout Texas that is now on the Texas circuit of Masters Track Meets. The West Texas Masters is the largest Masters meet in Texas and has been since 1983.

Lions Stadium supports a large area for running and field events. All running areas and approaches are made of an all weather material, featuring faster times. Porta-Pits are provided for all high jump and pole vaulting. A luscious stand of green grass covers all throwing areas and resting areas.

This annual event has been the largest meet on the Texas circuit since its beginning in 1983. Over 282 participants attended in 1985, breaking 91 age division records and setting 14 new overall records. The West Texas Masters Meet will have men and women participate from all areas throughout Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, and Illinois.

For added attractions, a cross country 5K and 10K run that will start at 9 a.m. and will be run at the same time, each taking a different course, also a team trophy will be awarded to the team earning the most points in the 1986 West Texas Masters Meet.

The mens events will consist of 20 field and running events with five year age divisions beginning at 20 years. The womens events will be limited to six running events with three age divisions.

There will be no admission at the gate. If you are not a participant, please come and watch an action packed day of track and field events at Ozona Lions Stadium in Ozona, "The biggest little town in Texas". "You will be treated with good ole West Texas Hospitality," a spokesman said.

For more details call or write to:  
West Texas Masters  
P.O. Box 1584  
Ozona, Texas 76943

## Junction Fishing Rodeo scheduled

The Kimble County Fishing Rodeo previously scheduled for June 7 and 8 has been re-scheduled for July 12 and 13, to be held in conjunction with the second annual Llano River Raft Race.

Hundreds of tagged fish redeemable for prizes will be loosed in Lake Junction. The fishermen catching those tagged fish can redeem them for their prizes at the Fishing Rodeo banner in Schreiner Park on Lake Junction from 3-4:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

In addition, the fisherman with the heaviest bass, perch, catfish or stringer on Saturday and Sunday will receive Fishing Finance Certificates for \$25.00, redeemable at any Kimble County business for merchandise or services. Weigh-ins will be at the Fishing Rodeo banner in the park from 3-4:30 p.m. on the 12th and 13th.

A separate Perch Derby for fishermen 14 years of age or younger will feature prizes for the heaviest perch caught by a youngster. Saturday at 3:00 p.m., a Kid's Casting Contest for those 14 years or younger will be held at Lake Junction.

All fishermen must register at the Chamber of Commerce, Kimble Hardware, or Lum's Country Store prior to fishing. There is no registration fee. All fish must be caught within the confines of Kimble County. For additional information, contact the Chamber of Commerce, 402 Main Street, Junction, Texas 76849, telephone (915) 446-3190.

The Second Annual South Llano River Raft Race, sponsored by KMBL Radio Station and Junction Dairy Queen, will begin from Morgan's Shady Park at the upper end of Lake Junction, at 5:00 p.m. on July 12th and end at the dam approximately 1 1/2 miles downstream. Trophies will be given for: (1) Best of each division for commercial, non-profit organizations, and individuals; (2) Best finishing time; (3) Worst finishing time; (4) Smallest raft; (5) Most people on a raft; (6) Best design; (7) Funniest. All rafts must be homemade.

The entry fee is \$2.00 per participant. Each participant will receive a South Llano River Raft Race tee-shirt. Additional information and entry forms are available from Bob Meadors, KMBL Radio, 214 Pecan Street, Junction, Texas 76849, telephone (915) 446-3371.

Following the River Raft Race, a fried catfish dinner catered by White's Specialty Catering of Stephenville, Texas, who cater catfish dinners throughout Texas, will be served in the park at 6:30 p.m. Dinner tickets can be purchased in advance from the Chamber Directors, the Chamber office, and various town merchants for \$5.50.



ENGAGED -- Mr. and Mrs. Tommy R. Henderson of Mertzon announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Deena Lynn, to Thomas Wayne Lenertz of 2722 W. Harris in San Angelo. The wedding will take place at the First Baptist Church in Mertzon on August 9. Miss Henderson is a 1986 graduate of Irion County High School, while Lenertz is the son of Mrs. Mary Lee Lenertz of Marfa and the late Robert Lenertz. He is a 1981 graduate of Marfa High School and attended Sul Ross State University. Lenertz is employed by Sysco Foods. [Contributed Photo]

# THE AREA

## T.G.I.F. planned at church

All kids from the age of three to 12 are invited to Thank God It's Friday (T.G.I.F.) on Friday, July 11, from 4 to 5:30 p.m. at the Agape Assembly of God Church on the corner of Warner and Hackberry, in Eldorado.

T.G.I.F. is an hour and a half of lots of fun and learning. "We have singing, object lessons, Bible stories, puppets,

crafts, refreshments and much more. We also have a very special guest this month - Shadrach, the clown. Shadrach always has something very special for everyone who comes to T.G.I.F.

"So, moms, if you need a break, bring the kids on down on July 11. And kids, come expecting a great time. We'll see you there," a spokesman said.

## Mertzon youth gets 4-H honor

James Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gray of Mertzon, placed second recently in the State 4-H Project Show, held at College Station.

Gray achieved the honor in the photography division with a black and white photo of the old Stonehouse house in Sherwood.

Gray received a red rosette for his efforts. He has been involved in the 4-H photography program for six years and is a student at Irion County High School.

## Play Day set for July 12 in Mertzon

A "Play Day" hosted by the Spring Creek Roping Club is scheduled for July 12 at the City Park Arena in Mertzon.

Four age groups and five events will be included, with books opening at 12 noon and the action starting at 2 p.m. Entry fee per event will be \$3 each.

An "all-around champion" buckle will be awarded in each age group and ribbons will go to first through sixth places. A concession stand will be open.

For further information interested persons can call 835-5011.

"Every quotation contributes something to the stability or enlargement of the language."  
Samuel Johnson

## Eagles' Point

Movies scheduled for showing at Eagles' Point in Eldorado next Tuesday night are "Teen Wolf", 8 p.m.; and "Nightmare on Elm Street Part II", 10.

Last weekend's dance was rated as a tremendous success and a huge turnout was seen for the swim party. Plans for another dance are being made.

A meeting for all members has been scheduled at 8 p.m. July 7.

## Rankin assigned to Sheppard AFB

Air Force Sgt. William E. Rankin, son of Ben F. Rankin of 601 Cherry Road, Clemson, S.C., has arrived for duty with the 2054th Information Systems Squadron, Sheppard Air Force Base.

Rankin is an electronic communication and cryptologic equipment system technician.

## VIRUS THREATENS PEANUTS

The tomato spotted wilt virus is once again threatening the South Texas peanut crop, says a plant pathologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

## Mertzon man gets German assignment

Army Pvt. Ronald C. Williams Jr., son of Nancy A. Estes of Mertzon, has arrived for duty with the 8th Infantry Division, West Germany.

Williams is a cannon crew man.

## "How to Kill Communication!"

Sunday, July 6

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Page 50¢

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## Stukeys win Angelo run

It was just another day for Eldorado's Brenda Stukey. Three times now she has entered a running event in San Angelo and three times she has recorded a victory.

Mrs. Stukey's latest win came in the San Angelo Run for Liberty, held Saturday in the Concho City. Mrs. Stukey won the overall womens race, while her husband, John, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Eldorado, cop-

ped the same honors in the mens division.

Mrs. Stukey timed a 30:48 in the eight kilometer run, while John had a 25:45 clocking. Mrs. Stukey has also claimed Run in the Sun and Dr. Pepper-Fiesta Del Concho run championships during June.

The Stukeys were two of some 500 who entered the Run for Liberty in San Angelo and some 250,000-plus who entered across the nation.

According to reports, 120 cities in the United States were holding runs, including six in Texas. Benefits from the runs will go to help pay for restoration of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor.

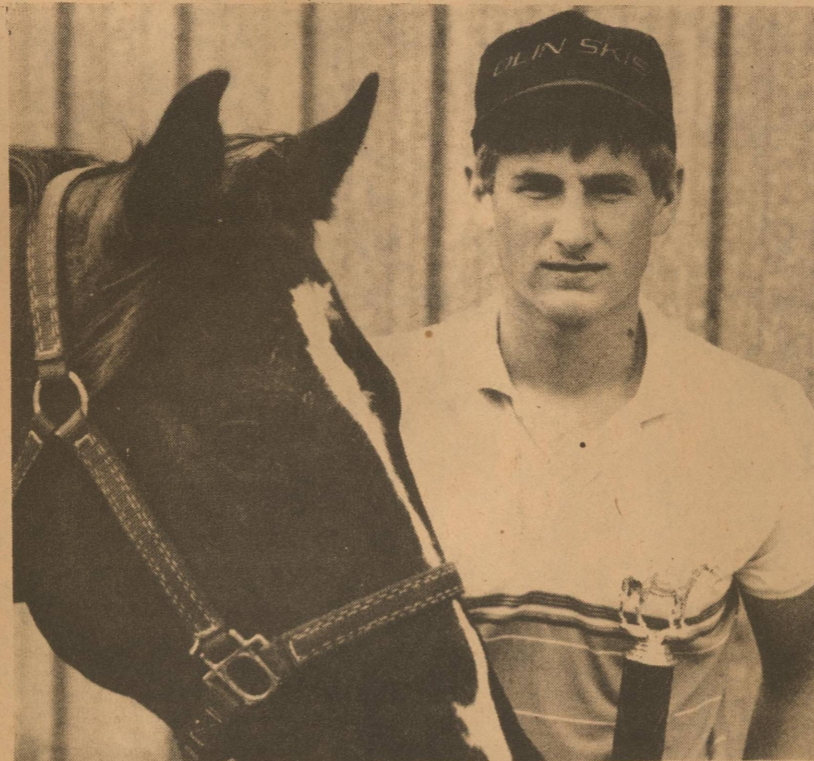
## SS Rep due

John Willis, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his July visit to Eldorado. He will be at the county courthouse on Thursday, July 17, between 1:30 and 2:30 p.m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

## IRRADIATED FOODS ON THE WAY

Shoppers may soon find irradiated foods in their favorite supermarkets, says an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.



**CORRECTION** - This picture, published in the Schleicher County Leader last week, incorrectly identified this young man as Brant Ward, winner of the District 4-H Horse Show. Actually Clint Griffin was the winner and the picture is of him. Brant Ward did participate in the show, however. Our apologies to all concerned. [Contributed Photo.]

## FOLLOWING THURSDAY FATALITY

# Lawsuit filed Friday

A lawsuit was filed against Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company late Friday in Tom Green County District Court by the grandfather of a girl injured Thursday in a traffic accident that killed her parents, a sister and a Goodyear test driver.

Patricio Ramirez, father of Marta Rangel Martinez, 35, and grandfather of Maggie Martinez, 8 Mary Jane Martinez, Jolanda Martinez and Gilbert Martinez, all of Sweetwater, is suing the tire company for an unspecified amount.

Maggie Martinez was injured in the accident. Jolanda, Mary Jane and Gilbert Martinez were at their grandfather's house when the wreck occurred. Their parents, Margarito M. Martinez, 33, Marta Martinez, 35, and sister, Donna Marie Martinez, 14 months, all of Sweetwater, were killed in

the wreck. Test driver Johnny Garcia Cajas, 35, 2467 Greenwood St., was killed in the accident. Cajas, who had driven for Goodyear Proving Grounds for 7 1/2 years, had started his shift at 10 p.m. Wednesday. The accident occurred about 5:40 a.m. Thursday near Christoval.

The suit alleges Cajas was negligent in that he failed to keep proper lookout, failed proper evasive action, failed to "make a timely application of his brakes," when he drove across the center stripe of the highway and drove his vehicle in "willful or wanton disregard for the safety of other persons traveling on the roadway."

The suit claims Maggie Martinez suffered a tremendous amount of physical pain and mental anguish and probably will suffer indefinitely.

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Mike Dolan stands with his equipment pictured at his yard in Mertzon.

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So Mr. operator, don't be fooled by Mike's Sesquicentennial beard, he's not really trying to look older but he could be symbolically saying when the going gets tough, the tough get going, and if you want fast professionals on your location or break, call Mike at 835-5301 or drop by the office in downtown Mertzon.

## Jerry's TV offers new plan



**Birdview**

Homeowners who have been dreaming of owning a Birdview Satellite but have put off making such a major purchase can now have their dream come true. Jerry's TV in Eldorado is now offering Birdview's Revolving Credit Plan. For a small monthly payment a Birdview Satellite can now be in your future. Call Jerry's TV at 853-2314 for more information.



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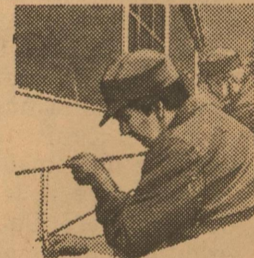
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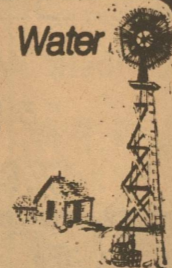
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## Letters To The Editor

25 June, 1986

Editor  
Schleicher County Leader

Dear Sir,

On behalf of the residents and elected officials of the city and county of Menard, I would like to express our thanks to those residents of Schleicher County who have been serving the San Saba watershed rainfall observation network so faithfully the past year by calling in rainfall reports to the National Weather Service in San Angelo.

These observers are: Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sikes, Donnie Chriswell, Duncan Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Coston, and Owen Fry.

These volunteers have been consistent and dependable with their rain reports, enabling us downstream to be warned of any impending flash floods which can originate from many of the tributaries on the eastern part of Schleicher County.

They have been serving us so well, in fact, that we wanted to bring to public attention in your county their record of excellence and sense of responsibility.

We are most grateful for their help and their dependability.

Cordially,  
Robert Brown  
Emergency Management  
Coordinator

Mr. Terry B. Neill  
Editor/Publisher  
The Leader  
Eldorado, Texas 76936

Dear Mr. Neill,

I have been a subscriber to the Eldorado paper for the better part of twenty years, first as a student in Austin and now as a naval officer in the Pentagon. The first copy under your stewardship arrived yesterday, and I wish to congratulate you on the much improved edition.

The coverage of local events with related pictures of associated individuals, the liberal sprinkling of names throughout the articles, and the correctness of the grammar, punctuation, and spelling contribute to the pleasures of keeping in touch with former classmates and friends.

It is a pleasure to observe progress in Eldorado. I believe that The Leader under your direction can be instrumental in charting the direction of that progress. Take a stand on the issues and report "All the news that is fit to print". Keep up the good work!

Sincerely,  
John D. Lawrence  
Dumfries, Virginia

## Orr receives AF honors

George Robert Orr of Eldorado, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Orr, has completed basic training in the Air Force at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio.

He was presented an honor graduate ribbon for demonstrating excellence in all phases of Basic Military and Academic Training on June 17, 1986. He was one of six honor graduates out of 45 in his flight.

After graduation he was assigned to Keesler Air Force Base in Biloxi, Mississippi where he will be studying computer programming. The school will be completed in 13



**SUPERVISORS OF NEW PROGRAM --**  
Anita Jones [left], assistance director; and  
Connie Lee [right], director; oversee the new  
Schleicher County Home Health Care Program,  
now operating out of the local hospital. [Staff  
Photo]

FOR FIVE COUNTY AREA

# Care Unit started

Persons needing special medical care in the privacy of their own homes can now turn to Schleicher County Home Health Care, a service now being offered out of the Eldorado hospital.

The service is primarily suited for Eldorado, Sonora, Menard, Mertzon, Christoval and Ozona. "Because there is a need in our West Texas area for health care at home, our Schleicher County unit was created.

"It is designed to promote, maintain and restore health

and we offer skilled nursing, home health aides and physical therapy," a spokesman said.

To qualify for home health care an individual must be under the care of a licensed physician, be essentially homebound, and have a need for intermittent, skilled nursing services resulting from an illness or injury. Persons must also be Medicare eligible.

Interested West Texans should talk to their local doctors, then call 853-2093 or 853-2507.

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Home health aide services assist the individual at home to maintain your highest level in daily living, preparing simple meals and doing limited grocery shopping and light house-keeping, and assistance in personal hygiene.

Connie Lee is director and Anita Jones assistant director of the program. Christi Brown is the program's physical therapist.

"Tis not too late to-morrow to be brave."  
John Armstrong

The Mason-Dixon line was made by Charles Mason and Jeremiah Dixon, two astronomers, to settle a boundary dispute between two landholders.



GEORGE ROBERT ORR

weeks.

He is a member of the Drum and Bugle Corps known as the Blue Knights. They perform for different functions all over Mississippi and will perform in San Antonio, July 4, at Lackland Air Force Base.

George Robert grew up in Eldorado and finished Eldorado High School. He attended A.S.U. one and one half years before joining the Air Force.

"It is with our passions as it is with fire and water, they are good servants, but bad masters."  
Sir Roger L'Estrange

## Parks Family reunion held at 'Trails End'

The descendants of the Parks Family held their annual reunion June 6, 7 and 8 at Trail's End Campground at Bruceville, Texas with Mrs. Kenneth Green, Lawrence, Virginia, Kim, and Jenny Sapp as hosts.

About 75 members of the Green and Parks families came from all over Texas, with Joe and Debbie Green traveling furthest from Nashville, Tennessee.

The group began to gather Friday night for a weiner roast and musical entertainment by cousins, Bill Green, Joe Green and Wayne Joiner. Many enjoyed games, visiting, and swimming.

On Saturday morning the group installed a bell for the campground in memory of the late Kenneth C. Green. They also donated a chalk-bulletin board for the clubhouse.

After the noon meal, Lawrence, Virginia, Kim, and Jenny Sapp were showered with gifts for a "housewarming".

During the business meeting ribbons were presented in various categories: the oldest person present, Wallace Joiner, of Eldorado; the youngest, David Kenneth Wells, nine months of Granbury; Mrs. Kenneth Green of Bruceville tied with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Green of Sonora for having the most family members present.

Claude Van Vleet of Big

Spring was honored as his birthday was celebrated with song and cake.

Following an afternoon of games, other fun, and picture taking, the president of the reunion, Tom Green of Austin, with Wayne Joiner of Eldorado, video taped an interview with several of the older people telling funny stories and experiences of the past.

Several families stayed until Sunday enjoying more visiting, swimming, eating, music, and trail rides

## Cindy Hausenfluck completes Airman training program

Airman First Class Cindy A. Hausenfluck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy H. Hausenfluck of Rural Route One, Eldorado, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force medical administrative specialist course at Sheppard Air Force Base.

During the course, students were taught medical resource management, patient administrative control, filing, typing, and the use of computerized medical information systems. They also earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

## Closing Notice

We will be closed July 4!

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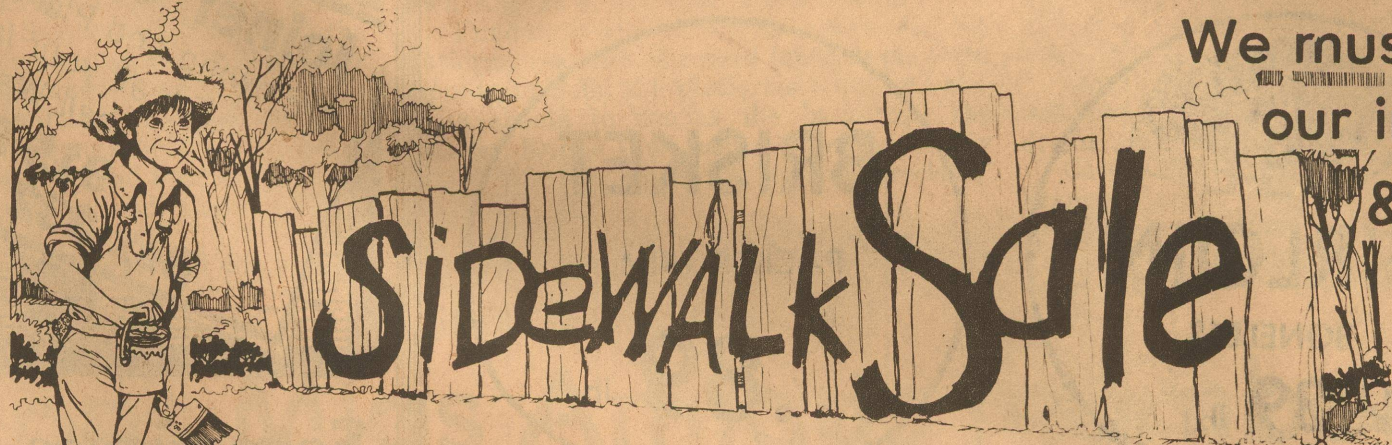
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**THANK YOU**  
We would like to thank Dr. Respass, the EMTs and nurses for the excellent care given to Amy. Thank you so very much.

Gene, Kathleen  
Amy & Sheryl  
Robertson

(1X-7/3/86-pd)

## THANK YOU

We would like to give our deepest gratitude to all the members of Grupo Amistad that have showed us that there are people out there who really care for others and all the other people who made it possible for Cruz Gonzales to receive the care he needed during his illness.

Thank you again.

Cruz Gonzales  
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**CARPOR SALE:** 105 Bluebonnet, 9 - ? Saturday, July 5. Three families. Dishes, curtains, clothes, jewelry, lots of misc. (1X-7/3/86-pd)

**GARAGE SALE** - Tuesday, Wednesday, July 8 & 9, 8 a.m. til ? at Doug's Lawn & Leisure (brown metal bldg. 1/2 mile south of Eldorado on 277) Clothes, pictures, dishes, new and used AVON gifts, makeup, jewelry, shrubs, trees. Donna Garvin, Dorothy Dacy & Rita Meador. (1X-7/3/86-cg)

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**NOTICE** - Swimming lessons will be offered for all ages. For more information contact Gina Patton at 853-3189 or 853-2505. (2X-7/3/86-cg)

**NOTICE** - Lose weight now! I lost 16 pounds in 21 very short days. You can too! Call Debra 853-7241. (2X-7/3/86-cg)

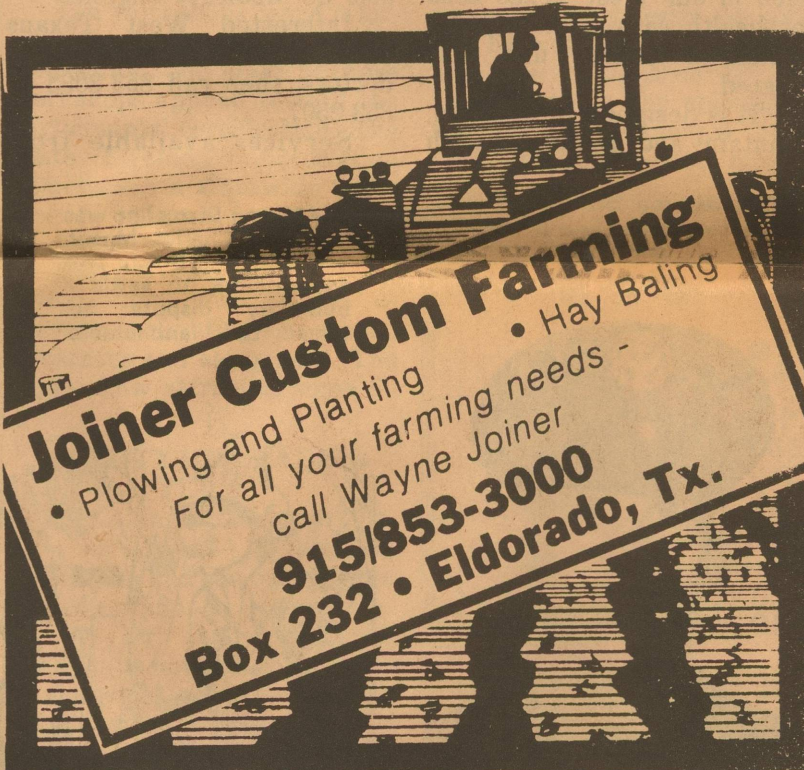
**TENNIS LESSONS** - A Tennis Clinic, taught by Cindy Dyer, will be held July 14-18 in Eldorado. Interested persons should call Weldon Moore after 5 p.m. at 853-3168. (2X-7/3/86-cg)

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