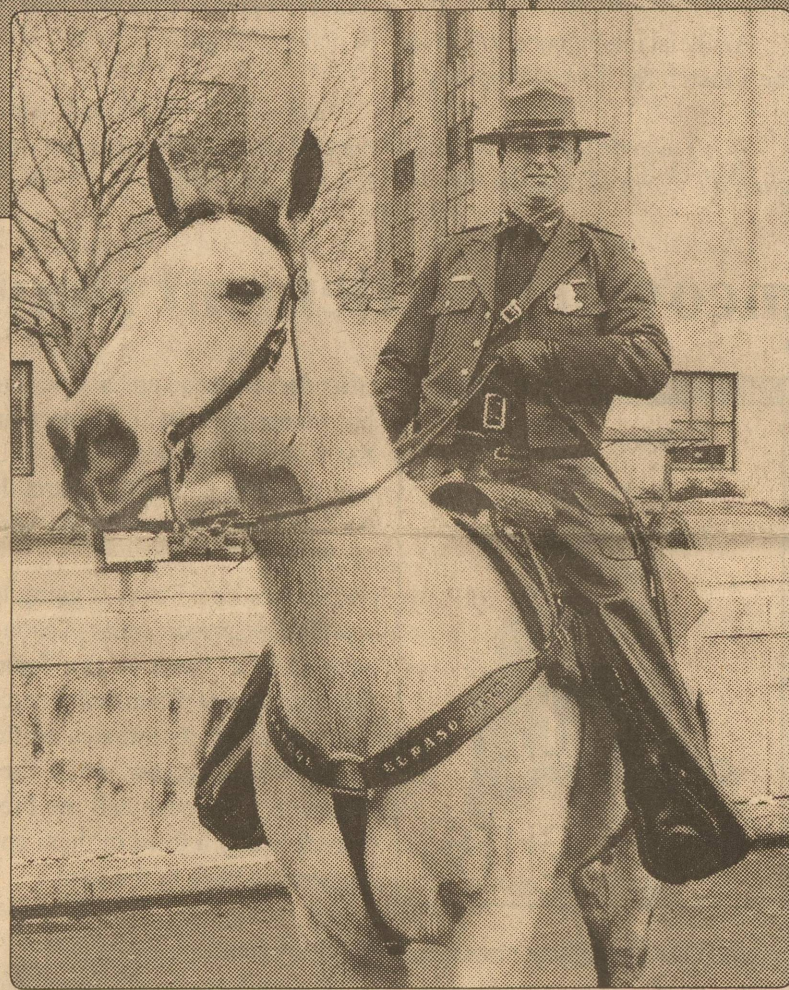
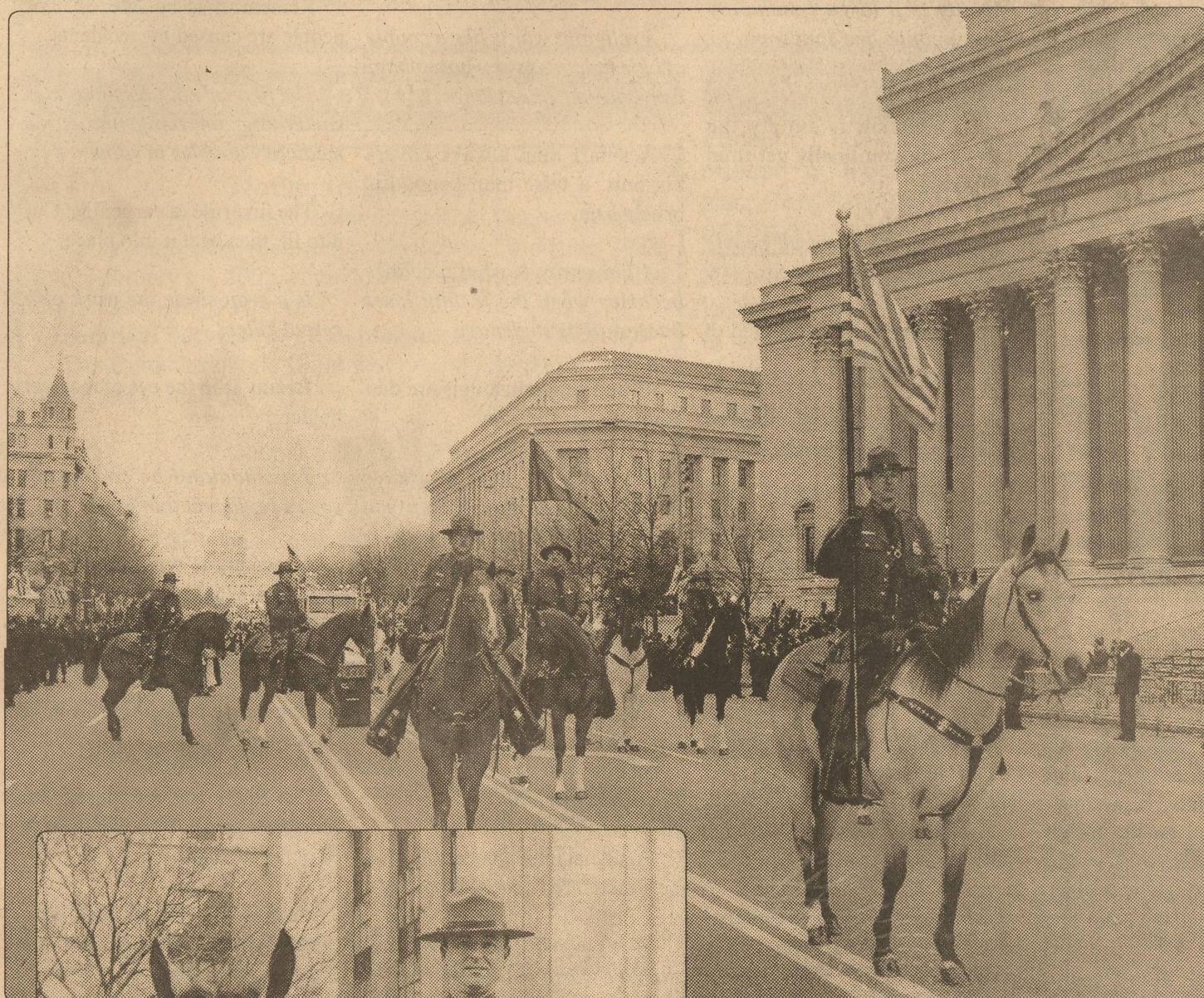


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High Honor — Robert Harris, Deputy Chief of the U.S. Customs and Border Protection Service led a group of ten mounted Border Patrol officers down Pennsylvania Avenue last Thursday during President George W. Bush's second inaugural parade. Harris, who is the grandson of Eldorado's Dorothy Harris had the honor of carrying the bearing the nation's flag as the riders braved the cold and blustery weather.

COURTESY PHOTO

Robert Harris rides in Bush inaugural parade

WASHINGTON, DC — Robert Harris, the Deputy Chief of U.S. Customs and Border Protection, led nine other Border Patrol agents last Thursday as they made their way on horseback down Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington, D.C., as part of President Bush's Inaugural Parade.

Harris is the son of Alva Lee and the late Jane Ann Harris, former Eldorado residents, and is the grandson of the late Orlan Harris and Dorothy Harris of Eldorado.

Harris had the honor of carrying the nation's flag while leading the ten member Horse Patrol down the parade route. The horse patrol unit is as old as the Border Patrol itself, having been

created in 1924. To this day, Border Patrol agents still rely on horses to patrol areas along the nation's border that are unreachable by car or truck.

U.S. Customs and Border protection is a unified border agency within the Department of Homeland Security charged with the management, control and protection of our Nation's borders at and between the official ports of entry. CBP is charged with keeping terrorists and terrorists weapons out of the country while enforcing hundreds of U.S. laws.

Harris was promoted last year to the second highest position at the Border Patrol, the position he continues to hold.

Source: YFZ parents greet arrival of newborn baby

The population of the YFZ Ranch, which fluctuates up and down along with the ebb and flow of construction activity, grew by one permanent resident this week, following the arrival of a newborn baby. Confidential sources close to the family tell the Success that the child was delivered last Thursday evening in a San Angelo hospital emergency room. Neither of the two San Angelo hospitals would confirm the event due to federal privacy rules.

The Success has learned, however, that the 18-year-old mother-to-be was accompanied to the hospital by family members, including the baby's father and paternal grandparents.

Representatives of Child Protective Services were reportedly contacted by hospital personnel when the baby's parents would not provide the health care workers with adequate information. CPS spokesperson Marleigh Meisner said that she was aware of developments at the YFZ Ranch but would neither confirm nor deny her agency's involvement in connection with the newborn infant.

Prophet gets another summons

FLDS Prophet Warren Jeffs is being served yet another summons to appear in court by one of his former followers.

In 2002, Shem Fischer brought a lawsuit against the FLDS Church, several of its leaders, and a cabinetry firm owned by FLDS members, after he was discharged from his job for no longer adhering to the fundamentalist Mormon faith.

Fischer's attorney's have been attempting to serve Warren Jeffs with a summons to appear and answer the charges. This week, U.S. District Judge Dale A. Kimball ordered notices of service by publication to be published in three newspapers, including The Eldorado Success (see notice on Page 6), advising Jeffs that he has 20 days to respond to Fisher's lawsuit. The notices will also appear in The Spectrum in St. George, Utah and The Cortez Journal in Cortez, Colorado.

Similar notices were previously published in two other civil lawsuits. So far, Warren Jeffs has responded to none of them.

Big building gets bigger

Construction of the new FLDS temple at the YFZ Ranch near Eldorado continues its rapid pace. Early in the week workers were busy sheathing the building even as crews continued laying down the floor joists for the building's

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Commissioners, Sheriff discuss cost of Senior Meals Program

The Schleicher County Commissioners Court met Monday, January 24, 2004 and reviewed expenses associated with the Meals for the Elderly Program with Sheriff David Doran, whose department prepares the meals in the jail kitchen.

It was noted that a surge in meal costs had pushed the jail's food budget into the red and Doran brought documentation to show that the overage was due primarily to the Meals Program. The Sheriff explained that menus for the Meals Program are provided by a dietician with the Concho Valley Council of Governments and that he has very little discretion in the type of food prepared.

Doran explained that he and Jail Administrator Lesa Martinez have been shopping around for less expensive places to buy food and suggested that periodic trips to a wholesale club in Abilene might result in some savings to the county. The commissioners agreed with the idea and suggested the name of a wholesale meat supplier that might also offer some savings.

Commissioners Matt Brown and Bill Clark emphasized that while costs are a concern, they didn't want to see the quality of meals suffer as a way of saving money.

Judge Johnny Griffin lamented the fact that funding through the Council of Governments has remained level while the costs associated with meals program continue to escalate. He also noted that declining use of the program by senior

citizens results in lower donations at the Sr. Center.

Sheriff Doran also took the opportunity to discuss a new pickup truck for his department. He said that the differences between pickups offered by Ford, Dodge and Chevrolet led him to believe he would have to call for bids for a 3/4 ton truck in order to get all three manufacturers to bid as the commissioners requested. He said he found out later that a comparable truck was available in a "heavy half-ton." Judge Griffin noted that Dodge would probably still win the bid and suggested he advertise the bid specifications for a Dodge pickup and invite the Chevy and Ford dealers to bid their nearest comparable truck.

In other business the commissioners received a single sealed bid for a transport load of unleaded fuel from Griffin Fuels in the amount of \$1.68 per gallon, including road tax. The men voted unanimously to accept the bid. They also approved the payment of \$550 for annual dues to the Texas Association of Counties.

Next the men addressed the lingering issue of buying a skid loader at the Civic Center by choosing not to fund the purchase. It was noted that a loader was rented to clean up after the Jr. Livestock Show for a "few hundred dollars" and that it would be more economical to continue renting on the rare occasions when a loader is needed.

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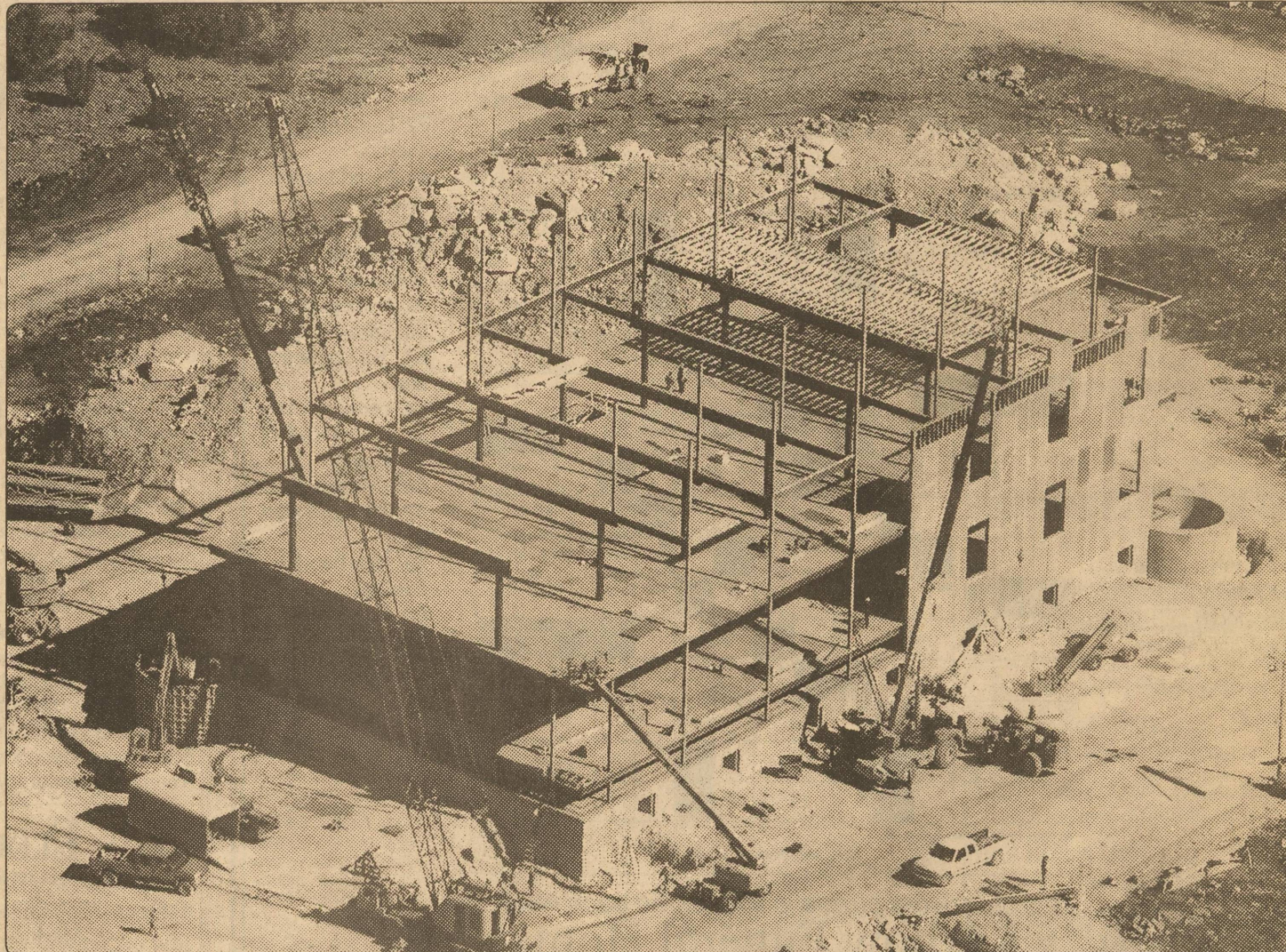
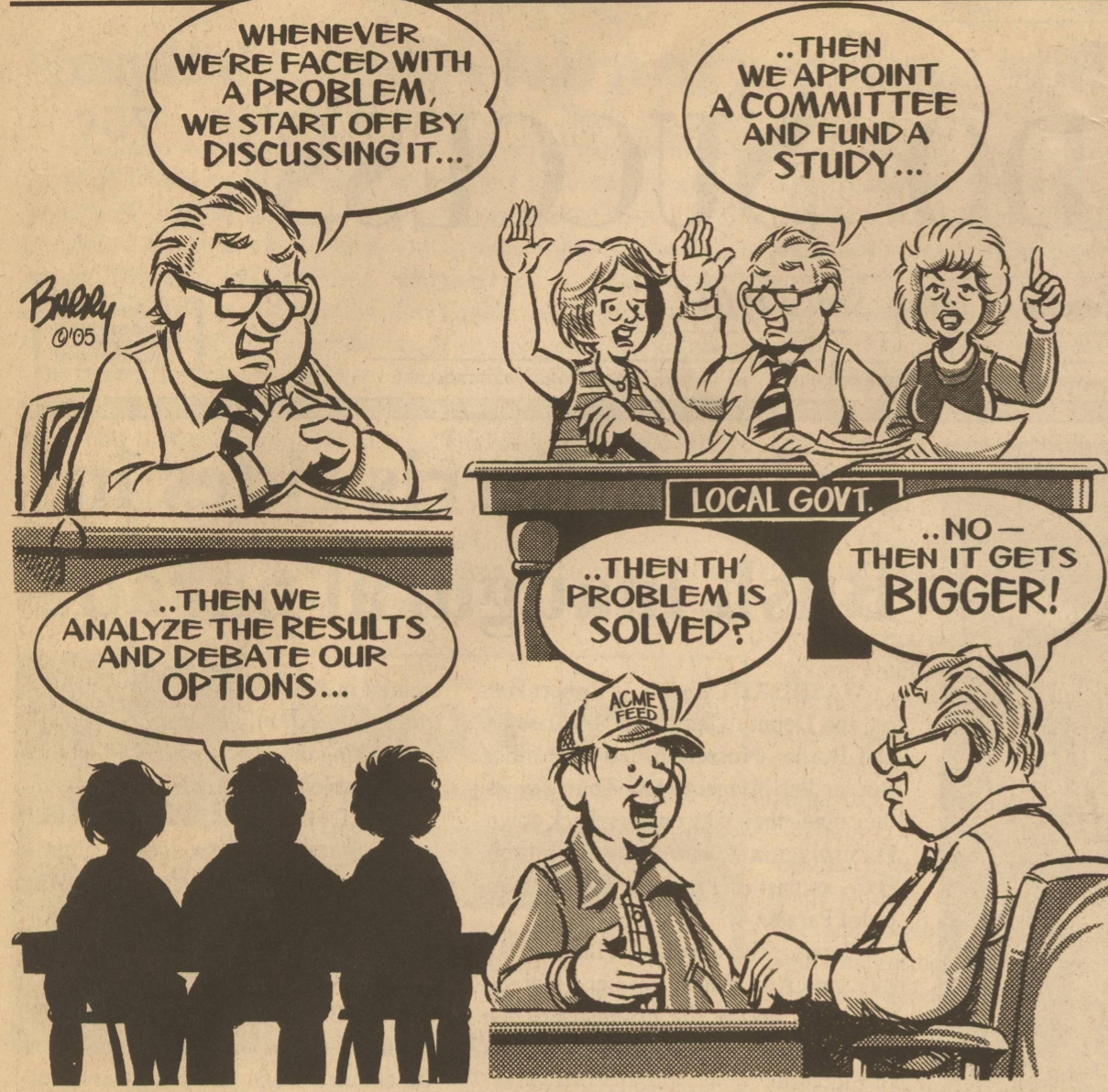


PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN

Workers installed sheathing Monday around the first two floors as a third deck is added to the FLDS temple at the YFZ Ranch. Large circular footers being erected on the buildings corners suggest a departure from the design of the original LDS temple at Nauvoo, Illinois, the building many FLDS observers believed Prophet Warren Jeffs would try to duplicate here. Instead the building may more closely resemble the St. George Temple, the first of the LDS Utah temples that stands today a mere 42 miles from Colorado City/Hildale, the FLDS stronghold on the Utah/Arizona border.



Colors of the Sea

When you cruise out of New Orleans, the muddy Mississippi is a blend of khaki colors. It stays that way for a hundred and twenty miles down the delta until you reach the point where the river empties into the Gulf of Mexico. We left at sunset and the colors of the sky were reflected in the water. There were shades of pink, blue, crimson and gold. As darkness fell, the water turned black with a silver path of moonlight stretching to the horizon. The foam on top of the waves was white, providing an ethereal panorama.

As morning developed, the black water had shades of copper as the sun made its way upward into the sky. While we stood at the railing, a dancing rainbow appeared just above the water. The red, yellow and green apparition was in contrast to the dark color of the water.

Later, during the first day of the cruise, schools of flying fish the color of platinum played alongside the ship.

By noon, the water became a shimmering, silver sea. At mid-



by
**Tumbleweed
Smith**

afternoon the water was a deep, dark blue, the color only found on large bodies of water. The ship left a trail of light green with white highlights.

When we docked at Cozumel, the western Caribbean displayed its best colors: dazzling aquamarine close to shore, a rich light blue that turned darker as the water got deeper.

But the water closest to the beach wasn't just one color. It had at least a dozen hues of green and blue. In shallow areas, the sea showcased the pure whiteness of the sandy bottom, the rusty red of the coral reef and the unbelievable bright yellows, blacks, reds and blues of tropical fish.

We stopped for a day at Roatan, a place I had never heard of before.

It's an island off Honduras. The temperature was ninety degrees outside but the white sand was cool and almost moist, just right for walking on the beach and squishing your toes in the silky sand. The water was glass-clear and again had the color of a tropical paradise.

At Belize, we didn't spend much time on the water. We explored Mayan ruins. We did the same thing at Cancun, a city with a surprising population of nearly a million people. While looking at the ruins on a hill, two palm trees provided a perfect frame to view the beautiful water.

Returning to New Orleans, the ship passed over some rough, angry seas.

The clouds were black and gray and we went through rainstorms with streaks of lightning and roaring thunder. The water was black and fierce, with mist dancing off the tops of giant waves. When we docked at New Orleans, the city was covered in snow. We picked a good time to travel to warm places.

D.W. offers a few words of wisdom

My old friend D.W. stops by the Success office from time to time and, while I value the visits, I can rarely give him as much of my time as I might wish. I do, however, try to jot down some of the little pearls of wisdom he dispenses while he is here.

A city is a large community where people are lonesome together.

A conclusion is simply the place where you finally get tired of thinking.

More than 7/5th of all people do not understand fractions.

A bachelor's life is no kind of life for a single man.

A little bit of powder, a little bit of paint, makes a girl's complexion seem what it ain't.

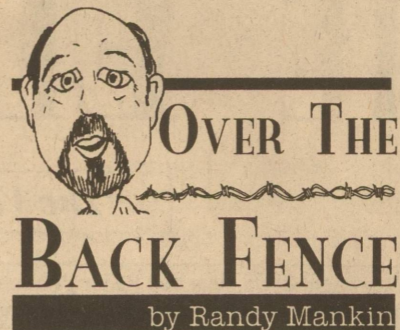
A little inaccuracy from time to time saves a whole lot of explanation.

A person is never as big as the things that make them angry.

A foolish person is one who talks in his sleep.

A professor is one who talks in someone else's sleep.

A proverb is a short sentence based on years and years of experience.



OVER THE BACK FENCE

by Randy Mankin

A religious war is like a couple of kids fighting over whose imaginary friend is the strongest.

A smart man always covers his butt, a wise man keeps his britches on.

A university is what a college becomes when the faculty loses interest in its students.

Broad generalizations are dangerous, even this one.

Knowing that you may have to eat your words will help you remember to keep them sweet.

Whenever things appear to be going better, you have overlooked something.

Any moron can argue with the facts on his side. The true genius is the one who can get away with it with only an opinion.

Artificial intelligence will never be a match for natural stupidity.

If it's worth taking seriously, then it's worth making fun of.

I'm sorry Mrs. O'Hare, but as long as there are tests, there will most certainly be prayer in public schools.

Anybody with money to burn can always find someone to tend the fire.

Remember to be safe. 80% of people are caused by accidents.

The first rule of investing: lose something...anything and it immediately doubles in value.

The first rule of carpentry: Cut it to fit, then beat it into place.

Is a crop circle the work of a cereal killer?

Beauty is in the eye of the beer holder.

You shouldn't be so humble, you're really not that great.

Never argue with a fool. The spectators can't tell the difference.

I suffer from depression. It's nothing more than anger without all the enthusiasm.

Eat drink and be merry, for tomorrow some do gooder will try to make it illegal.

Everyone is beautiful, especially if you lose your glasses and have to squint a lot.

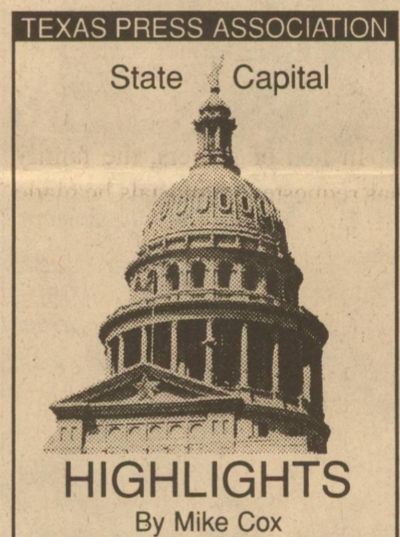
Farmers' homeowner settlement snag

AUSTIN — The Third Court of Appeals has rejected the state's \$117.5 million rate settlement with Farmers Insurance, at least temporarily blocking any prospect of refunds for thousands of Texas policyholders.

In ordering the case back to district court, the appeals court said the Attorney General's Office went beyond its authority in representing a class of citizens in the rate dispute rather than a specific individual who alleged being harmed by Farmer's homeowner policy rates. While the Third Court's opinion did not address the settlement itself, it has the effect of nullifying it.

"We are reviewing the decision and evaluating our options," a spokesman for the Attorney General's Office said Friday.

A spokeswoman for Farmer's reacted more subjectively: "We are deeply disappointed." She went on to blast "costly and unproductive private class action lawsuits that



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HIGHLIGHTS
By Mike Cox

offenders who end up back behind bars dropped from 31.2 percent in fiscal 2000 compared with 28.3 percent in fiscal 2001, apparently the latest years for which data were available.

Bottom line: Texas is going to need more prison units. Second bottom line: Hard as the Texas Department of Criminal Justice may try to get its inmates on the straight and narrow when they return to what cons call the Free World, nearly a third of them end up coming back to the joint.

provide little benefit to customers."

Jailhouse blues...

A Legislative Budget Board report released last week projected that the population of the state's prison system would grow by 3,661 offenders to 154,720 by the end of 2007 and to 165,324 by 2010.

Released at the same time, but getting less attention, was slightly better news: The percentage of

Packing heat...

Coloradans don't always offer Texas hunters and skiers the warmest welcome, but officials of both states have worked a deal where Texans with concealed handgun licenses will be able to pack heat in Buffalo country and vice versa. Texas now has reciprocal carry agreements with 15 states.

Governor's race to get Kinky...

Kerrville mystery novelist and singer Kinky Friedman will formally announce his candidacy for governor at the Alamo on Feb. 3.

Known for his one-liners in both song and print, Friedman told a reporter for the British news service Reuters that he was dead serious in his desire to retire Gov. Rick Perry.

"I have achieved a lot of my dreams," he said, "and I want to see that young Texans achieve some of theirs." Also, he added, "I need the closet space" in the Governor's Mansion.

Friedman has said he will run as an independent.

Know any heroes?

The Texas Department of Agriculture is looking for heroes who saved a life in rural Texas last year in incidents related to ranching or farming (but not traffic crashes.)

Nominations must be submitted to Lola Lemmon, TDA safety coordinator, by Feb. 2. Honorees will be recognized March 21 in San Antonio at the Texas Safety Association's annual conference.

For more details, check the agency's Web site at www.agr.state.tx.us or contact Lemmon at 512-475-1611.

Weekly Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS	45. Prefix with dynamic or static	64. Author Loos	6. One of Edison's 1000+	24. Assists, criminally
1. Enthusiastic, plus	48. Arthur Miller's Willy	65. Hems, say	7. Part of B.A.	25. In the center of
6. Picked up the tab	49. Document copyists	66. MTV viewer, most likely	8. Under the weather	26. See socially
10. Beavers' creations	51. CEO deg., often	67. Koufax in Cooperstown	9. Buck's mate	27. Shellfish dish
14. Like sheep	53. Playbill listings	DOWN	10. "Is that a fact!"	28. Baby in blue
15. Folksy Guthrie	54. Therapeutic rubdowns	1. Wine selection	11. George Orwell classic	30. Lawn care tool
16. "Wanna bet ___?"	59. Poker stake	2. Bell-ringing cosmetics company	12. Grade diminisher	32. Seattle's ___ Needle
17. Recyclable item, perhaps	60. "Woodstock" quartet member	3. Auction offers	13. Kick off	35. Rick's "Casablanca" love
19. Songstress Turner	62. Busy one	4. ___ uproar	18. Smelter stuff	36. Secluded valley green
20. Traps	63. Hebrides isle	5. Lincoln or Douglas, in 1858	21. Marker on a golf green	39. Play parts
21. Thighbone			23. Like Hubbard's cupboard	40. ___ Zedong
22. Kayo count				42. Lee's men, for short
23. Hot-air balloon stabilizer				44. Blood bank collections
25. Pueblo brick				46. Cola quantities
29. Brewer's spheria				47. Certain Nebraska native
31. I-w York's Koch, Giuliani et al.				49. A whole slew
33. Bit of residue				50. Lake rental
34. Newton fruit				52. "Be prepared" org.
37. ___-bitsy				54. Leonine locks
38. Debra of "The Ten Commandments"				55. Kournikova of the court
40. Shoppers' haven				56. Yardage pickup
41. NYPD officer				57. Business sign abbr.
42. Mile or marathon				58. One-horse carriage
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Victoria Jones Ohlenburg

MIDLAND — Celebration of the life of Victoria Jones Ohlenburg. On Friday, Jan. 21, 2005, Victoria slipped away peacefully at the age of 93. She was born in McCulloch County, Texas, on Oct. 6, 1911, to Thomas Kirk Jones and Mary Kerr Jones. Victoria was the second of seven children.

She moved to Eldorado, Texas, at an early age and attended public school in Eldorado. Victoria was raised at the Jones' Ranch north of Eldorado. After graduating from Eldorado High School, she attended SMU and was a member of the Delta Gamma Sorority.

Victoria moved back to Eldorado and married A.L. "Dutch" Ohlenburg. They had two sons, Eddy Ohlenburg of Midland, Texas, and Jonny Ohlenburg of Fredericksburg, Texas. She lived the majority of her life in and around San Angelo.

"Pom Pom," as she was lovingly known by her grandchildren, came from a long line of devout Presbyterians. Victoria was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Eldorado and later became a charter member of St. Mark Presbyterian Church in San Angelo.

She was a true pioneer in both life and spirit, living through the good times and hard times of the early 1930s, droughts and floods in West Texas. Her reputation as a great cook was well-known, and fried pies and biscuits were her specialty. She enjoyed taking food to the sick and needy. Gardening was another joy of her life, and she could grow anything. Above all, Victoria loved life and was quick to laugh, joke, cut up and have fun.

Victoria loved her family, which included all the kinfolks among the Jones, Kerr and Espy clans. A favorite family event held each spring was the "Cousins Reunion," and she looked forward to attending this each year. Another favorite of hers was the Mias Ami-

gas event held in Eldorado each summer where she was often the life of the party.

She instilled the love of family and loyalty to all those dear to her. She loved her ranch and enjoyed entertaining family and friends there, where she could be found either in the kitchen or out in the pasture pulling weeds and picking up sticks for firewood. Victoria was loved by so many and will always be remembered and missed.

Victoria was preceded in death by her parents, T. K. Jones and Mary Jones; three brothers, John I. Jones, Richard Jones and Jack Jones, all of Eldorado; one sister, Bernice Jones Kay of Brady; and A.L. "Dutch" Ohlenburg of Fredericksburg. She is survived by two sons, Eddy and wife Susan Ohlenburg of Midland and Jonny and wife Diane Ohlenburg of Fredericksburg; two sisters, Rosalyn Reynolds and Pauline Lucas, both of Midland; her grandchildren, Jan McBride and husband Joe of Carrollton, Kristi Sebera and husband Tommy of San Antonio, Jim Ohlenburg and wife Paige of Dallas and John Ohlenburg of Dallas; great-grandchildren, Blaine McBride, Baily McBride, Brady McBride, Katlyn Sebera and Madison Sebera; and numerous nephews, nieces and cousins.

Graveside service were Monday, Jan. 24, in the Schleicher County Cemetery in Eldorado. There was a memorial service at First Presbyterian Church in Eldorado. Arrangements were under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested memorials be made to the Younger Center in Midland; Home Hospice of Midland; Alzheimer's Association of Midland; First Presbyterian Church of Eldorado; or St. Mark's Presbyterian Church of San Angelo.

Bernabe P. "Nina" Sanchez



Fort Worth, a brother, Santos Piña of Eldorado, a sister-in-law, Tiburcia Piña of Fresno, California, 5 grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Ninas' hobbies were walking to town every chance she had when her health permitted, painting, embroidering and giving everybody a hard time (jokingly). Her favorite color was yellow and her idol was "Elvis Presley".

Nina is preceded in death by her parents, sister-in-law Mary C. Piña of Eldorado and brother Andres Piña of California.

Services were held Friday, January 21, 2005 at 4:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were Ninas' nephews, Santos Piña, Jr., Felipe Piña, Billy Joe Piña, Richard V. Torres, Enrique Gonzalez and Rojelio Adame.

Nina will be missed by all of us, especially her little saying, "I see you in the Funny Paper!"

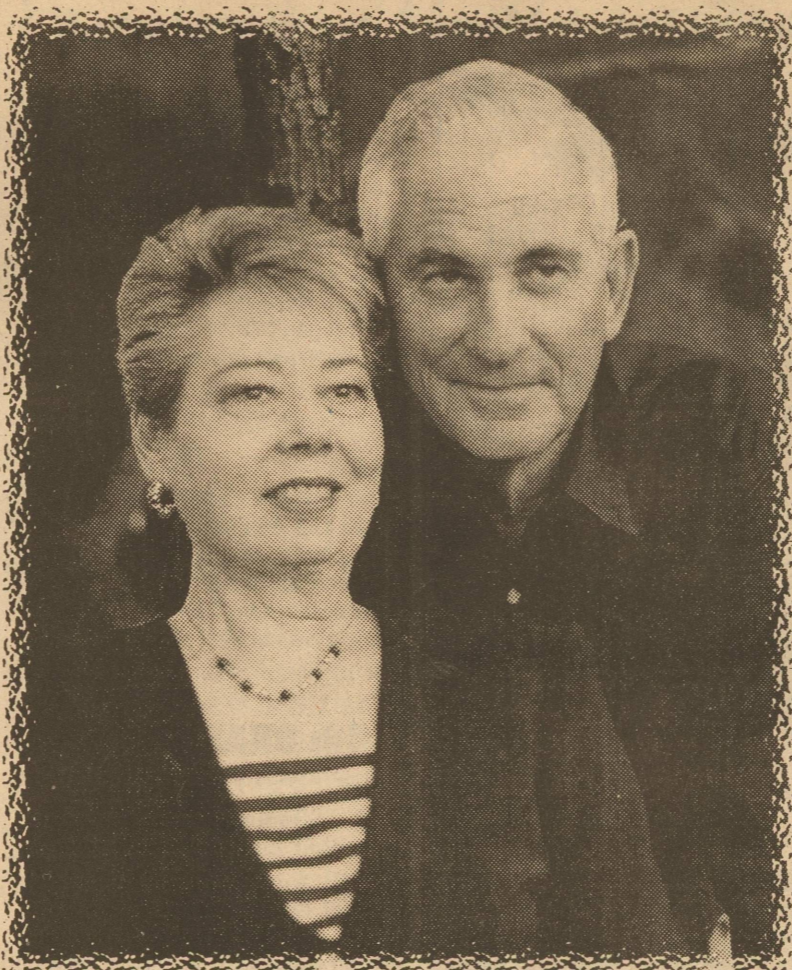
We Love You Nina!

Benefits counseling slated at Eldorado Sr. Citizens Center

A Benefits Counselor from The Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley will be at Eldorado Senior Center on Tuesday, February 8, 2005 from 10:00 until 1:00. She will answer questions regarding benefits that may be available to you. Information regarding Medicare Part D, Medicaid Estate Recovery, assistance with finding a Prescription Assistance Pro-

gram, appealing Medicare-denied charges on your hospital/doctor bill, or advice needed on legal issues can be discussed. Bring your Medicare summary Notice, a list or your medications, or other paperwork for a personal consultation.

Call Carol Garrett at 853-2123 or Lynne Alexander in San Angelo at 1-877-944-9666 with questions.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jay

Robert & Pansie Jay celebrate 50th Anniversary

Robert and Pansie Jay recently celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on January 2, 2005 with a movie-themed reception at the Memorial Building hosted by their children.

Robert and Pansie Jay were married on December 24, 1954 in San Angelo Texas. They moved their young family to Eldorado in 1960. They have one son, Benjie and wife Donna Jay of Muleshoe; and three daughters: Gynna and husband Billy Bobb Harlin of Bursleson; Sammye and husband Drue Duncan of Brackettville and Jolynn and husband Bryan Clintman of Southlake. They have eleven grandchildren.

Robert is the son of late Sam and Virginia Jay of San Angelo. He recently retired from teaching in the Schleicher County school

system and also served as the High School principal for several years.

Pansie is the daughter of Mildred and the late Jack Castelo of San Angelo. She also retired from the school system, having served as school secretary and aide. Pansie also spent several years working at First National Bank of Eldorado.

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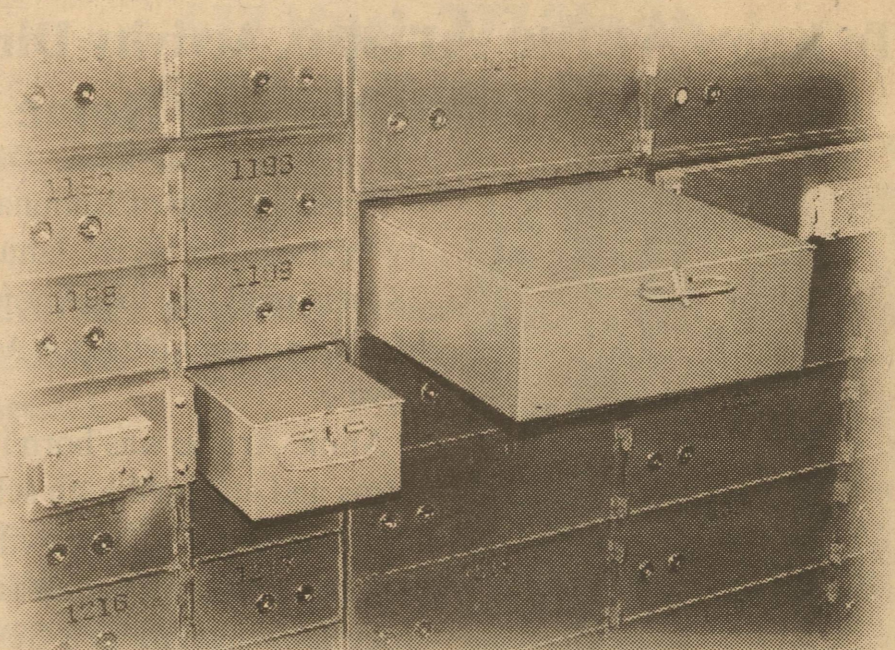
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Get To Know Annie Arispe, Activity Director Schleicher County Nursing Home



In recognition of National Activity Professorial Week, January 23-28 we would like to acknowledge SCMC Activity Director Annie Arispe.

Annie Arispe was born in Marfa, Texas and attended high school at Fort Davis.

She has been in the medical field since 1991 starting as a Certified Nurse Aide. Annie became Activity Director of the Schleicher County Nursing Home in 1993 and received Nursing Home Activity Director

Certification from Texas State Technical College in 1994. Annie has also served as County Indigent Coordinator for eleven years.

According to Sharon Dietz, Administrator Annie sets a daily goal of making at least (or usually more) one resident happy each day. Annie has been married to George Arispe Sr. for 27 years. She has three children, two step children and 14 grandchildren.

"I love my job because of the residents and the opportunity to make them happy. And I enjoy life in general." Annie Arispe

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Tuesday, February 1
Blueberry Muffins, Cereal, Apple Sauce, Milk
Wednesday, February 2
Buttered Rice, Buttered Toast, Jelly, Mixed Fruit, Milk
Thursday, February 3
Waffles, Syrup, Pineapple Tidbits, Choice of Juice, Milk
Friday, February 4
Buttered Toast, Jelly, Choice of Cereals, Choice of Juice, Pear halves, Milk
EARLY DISMISSAL DAY

BASKET LINE
Monday, January 31
Steak Burger, French Fries, Sandwich Salad, Pineapple Slices
Tuesday, February 1
Bar-B-Que on Bun, Potato Chips, Pork-n-Beans, Lemon Pudding / Topping
Wednesday, February 2
Crisptos, Cheese Sauce, French Fries, Carrot Stix, Dip, Apple Halves
Thursday, February 3
Pep. Pizza, Dip, Carrot Stix, Dip, Tossed Salad, Choc. Pudding
Friday, February 4
Chicken Burger, French Fries, Sandwich Salad, Orange Halves
EARLY DISMISSAL

CAFETERIA LINE
Monday, January 31
Hamburger Steak, Gravy, Butter Rice, Hot Rolls, Green Beans, Pineapple Slices
Tuesday, February 1
Corn Dogs, Tator Tots, Pork-Beans, Lemon Pudding / Topping
Wednesday, February 2
Soft Taco's, Tortilla, Cheese Cup, Refried Beans, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Apple Halves
Thursday, February 3
King Ranch Chicken Casserole, Whole Kernal Corn, Hot Rolls, Tossed Salad, Chocolate Pudding
Friday, February 4
Chicken Burgers, French Fries, Sandwich Salad, Orange Halves
EARLY DISMISSAL

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7th GRADE GIRLS

January 17, 2005
Eldorado 02-02-00-00=04
Mason 08-06-04-16=34
Playing for the Lady Eagles: Maureen Martinez (2), Patricia Hernandez (1); Also playing for the Lady Eagles: Victoria Garza, Crystal Hamilton, Clarissa Hernandez, Patricia Hernandez, Megan Self, Meagan Self, Emily Espinosa and Adrianna Hernandez.

January 24, 2005
Eldorado 02-10-01-00=03
Sonora 08-10-05-02=25
Playing for the Lady Eagles: Victoria Garza (2), Adrianna Hernandez (1); Also playing for the Lady Eagles: Maureen Martinez, Emily Espinosa, Crystal Hamilton, Clarissa Hernandez, Patricia Hernandez, and Megan Self.

8th GRADE GIRLS

January 17, 2005
Eldorado 06-10-07-00=23
Mason 03-02-05-04=14
Playing for the Lady Eagles: Cassandra Buitron (7), Haley Higgins (1), Kirsten Stubbs (11), Bridgett Mitchell (2), Deyanira Cruz (2); Also playing for the Lady Eagles: Tracy Brenner, Megan Griffin, Jessica Valero, Megan Griffin, and Corie Williams.

January 24, 2005
Eldorado 00-02-00-00=02
Mason 03-02-00-00=05
Playing for the Lady Eagles "B" team: Veronica Valero (2); Also playing Darci Graves, Marcela Huerto, April Porras, Janell Pechacek.

January 24, 2005
Eldorado 02-10-10-08=30
Sonora 02-00-02-00=04
Playing for the Lady Eagles: Victoria Fuentes (2), Marcela Huerta (3); Also playing for the Lady Eagles: Darci Graves, Lindsey Pridemore, and Corie Williams.



PHOTO BY STACI CORTEZ
Alicia Corrales brings the ball down the court with determination for Junior Varsity Lady Eagles as they took on the Ozona JV Lady Lions. Ozona won the game 26-9. Alicia put two points on the board against for Eldorado.

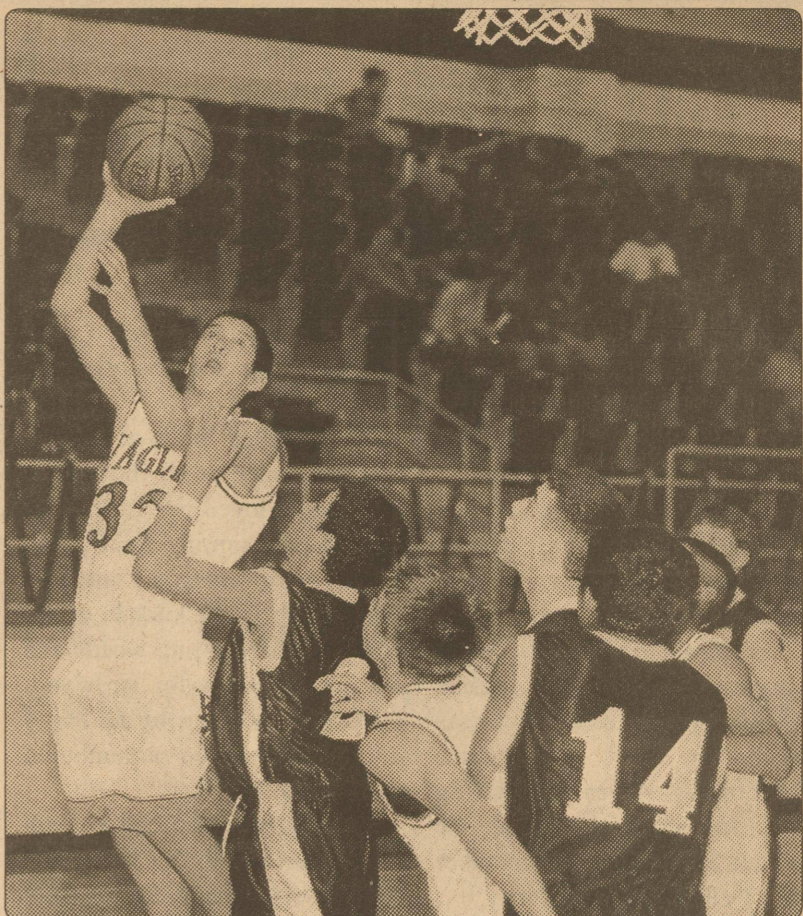


PHOTO BY KATHY MANKIN
Jorge Mata went to the basket as the Eagles JV Boys took on the Ozona Lions JV here on Jan. 11. Mata scored 4 points in the game helping the Eagles JV to a 37-34 victory.

HOOP SCORES

JV GIRLS

January 18, 2005
Eldorado 03-01-06-08=18
Sonora 10-04-08-08=30
Playing for the Lady Eagles: Tiffany Hernandez (3), Kassi Tyler (5), Alicia Corrales (3), Kristen Mittel (4), Desiree Valeriano (3); Also playing: Chelci Sellers, and Joy Martinez.

January 21, 2005
Eldorado 04-00-05-02=11
Wall 12-13-09-23=56
Playing for the Lady Eagles: Tiffany Hernandez (1), Ashley Lozano (3), Kristen Mittel (2), Deysi Rios (2), Kassi Tyler (5). Also playing: Desiree Valeriano, Joy Martinez, Alicia Corrales, and Chelci Sellers.

JV BOYS

January 11, 2005
Eldorado 09-12-02-14=37
Ozona 10-08-06-10=34
Playing for the Eagles: J.P. Joiner (13), Russell Cathey (10), Lalo Sanchez (4), Manny Gonzalez (2), Abel Montalvo (2), Jorge Mata (4) and Tyler Dombroski (2). Also playing for the Eagles: Michael Adame, Michael Redish, Clark Meyer, Cash Lane, Armando Morano, Clayton Sauer, Adam Dominguez.

GO EAGLES!

JV BOYS

January 18, 2005
Eldorado 14-12-10-10=46
Sonora 08-00-10-06=26
Playing for the Eagles: J.P. Joiner (15), Russell Cathey (5), Lalo Sanchez (12), Michael Redish (1), Manny Gonzalez (4), Abel Montalvo (2), Jorge Mata (4) and Tyler Dombroski (3). Also playing for the Eagles: Clark Meyer, Cash Lane, Armando Morano, Clayton Sauer, Adam Dominguez.

8th GRADE BOYS

Wall Tournament
January 06, 2005
Eldorado 06-05-12-02=25
Wall 10-05-03-12=30
Playing for the Eagles: Rance Cathey (8), Dustin Ramirez (2), Austin Grubbs (9), Joseph Turnbull (6); Also playing for the Eagles: Milo Villajeo, Paul Martinez, Landy Alfaro, Erik Luna, Dustin Gauna, Troy Russell and Timmy Maskill.

Wall Tournament
January 06, 2005
Eldorado 04-10-12-13=39
Sonora 02-09-05-07=23
Playing for the Eagles: Milo Villajeo (2), Paul Martinez (4), Rance Cathey (6), Dustin Ramirez (2), Austin Grubbs (5), Joseph Turnbull (8), Erik Luna (12); Also playing for the Eagles: Landy Alfaro, Dustin Gauna, Troy Russell and Tim Maskill.

January 10, 2005
Eldorado 02-11-14-10=39
Junction 04-07-11-12=35
Playing for the Eagles: Milo Villajeo (2), Rance Cathey (2), Dustin Ramirez (2), Austin Grubbs (10), Joseph Turnbull (19), Erik Luna (2), Timmy Maskill (2); Also playing for the Eagles: Landy Alfaro, Dustin Gauna, and Troy Russell.

January 17, 2005
Eldorado 09-08-04-19=40
Mason 02-03-08-00=13
Playing for the Eagles: Milo Villajeo (6), Paul Martinez (2), Rance Cathey (8), Dustin Ramirez (2), Austin Grubbs (11), Joseph Turnbull (5), Troy Russell (4), Timmy Maskill (2); Also playing for the Eagles: Landy Alfaro, and Dustin Gauna.

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Robert Buchholz had the Reserve Champion Angora Goat, shown here by his brother Dalton Buchholz (L), while Justin Whitten (R) had the Grand Champion at the 70th annual Schleicher County Jr. Livestock, Food and Project Show held here recently.

4-Hers vie at Hill Country District Jr. Livestock Show

Schleicher County 4-H members recently participated in the Hill Country District Junior Livestock Show in Kerrville in January 21-22.

In the market goat show, Tres Whitten won 2nd & 6th place in class 1, Lauren Brown took 4th place in class 6 and Wes Brown took 6th place in class 8. In addition, Briley Ledbetter took 14th place in class 10 while McKenzie McAngus took 11th place in class 11. Wes Brown also placed 11th in class 13 and Carli McAngus won 11th in class 15. Other exhibitors in the meat goats were: Cade Ledbetter, Macy Mikeska, Garrett Lux, and Miles Mikeska.

Participating in the steer show were Jeffrey Friar and Justin Friar and while Jaymie O'Harrow participated in the lamb show.

In the angora goat show, there

was a commercial and registered show. In the commercial show, Robert Buchholz placed 4th and 12th with his doe kids while Justin Whitten placed 9th & 10th and Dalton Buchholz placed 11th. In the commercial pen of 3, Robert Buchholz placed 3rd and Justin Whitten placed 4th. Dalton Buchholz won 4th with his yearling doe while in the aged doe division, Robert Buchholz placed 2nd and Justin Whitten placed 8th.

In the Registered portion of the show, Robert Buchholz placed 2nd and 7th in the yearling doe class while Justin Whitten placed 3rd and Dalton Buchholz was 21st. In the yearling buck division, Dalton Buchholz won 12th place and Robert Buchholz won 13th.

From here we go on the Fort Worth, San Antonio, San Angelo, Houston and wind up at Austin.

Co. Commissioners meet

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In a related discussion the men considered the need to raise rental fees for goat shows and other events where stock pens are needed. They also said that hay and wood chips would be prohibited in the pens at future shows since they both contaminate the sand.

The commissioners then considered buying a scissor lift for use at the Civic Center and reached the same conclusion as they had with the skid loader, deciding it would be better to rent for the short term, at least until they could see how this budget year was going to work out.

Next the men approved resolutions confirming their selection of an engineering firm and grant management firm for the upcoming sewer line extension project in Orient Heights. They then heard from Tax Assessor/Collector Jeanne Snelson who asked their approval to begin accepting vehicle registrations over the Internet. Snelson explained that there would be no cost to the county and the commissioners voted unanimously to authorized her to begin the program.

Talk then turned to use of the county's credit card. It was noted that recently the card has been used to make purchases for the county, a practice that has created a lot of confusion and even more paperwork. Ultimately the men decided to allow the card to be used for travel and room reservations for county business only. All other use of the credit card would be prohibited.

Next, the commissioners agreed to pay \$808.11 in annual dues to the Ports-to-Plains Corridor Coalition. They also authorized Road Superintendent Clay Burleson to assist Menard County with the construction of a caliche pad in Menard where a library is to be built. The neighboring county asked for the use of a grid roller and the commissioners decided it would be better to have Schleicher

Charboneau in running for Soldier of the Year honors

Jason Boyd Charboneau graduated from Eldorado High School in 1988 and left shortly thereafter to join the United States Navy where he spent four years onboard the U.S.S. Oliver Hazzard Perry (FFG-7) as an Operations Specialist. During that time he saw action in the Gulf War and rose to the rank of Petty Officer 2nd Class before completing his tour of duty in the Navy.

Charboneau liked the military life, however, and enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps in 1995. During his Marine service, Charboneau served his country throughout the world, including duty assignments in Kuwait, Korea, and Okinawa as a Field Radio Operator. He left the Marine Corps in 1999 with the rank of Corporal.

Charboneau then joined the Texas Army National Guard in 2001 where he currently serves as an Intelligence Analyst and drills at the 142nd Roc Operations Center in Abilene. He attained the rank of Corporal shortly before being called to active duty and being deployed to Iraq in Sept. Of 2003. There, Charboneau served with the 82nd Airborne near Fallujah and the 1st Cavalry Division in Baghdad.

While in Iraq, Cpl. Charboneau was awarded the Bronze Star for his service during Operation Iraqi Freedom. He returned home in



COURTESY PHOTO

Cpl. Jason Boyd Charboneau

October of 2004.

Jason was chosen recently from among the soldiers in his unit to represent his squad at the Soldier of the Year (71st Troop Command) Selection Board at Camp Mabry in Austin. Among the criteria considered in the competition were marksmanship, physical fitness, uniform and appearance standards, and finally an intensive formal question and answer session conducted by a board of senior Non-Commissioned Officers.

As a result of that intense process, Cpl. Charboneau was selected to represent his Region. He will now continue on to face another board in March. His goal will be to meet the Commander-in-Chief, President George W. Bush.

Temple going up at YFZ

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third story. Meanwhile, circular footers are being poured from concrete at each of the building's four corners, leading some to speculate that spiral stairways will be erected on each of the corners. That is similar to the design of main-line Mormon temples in several cities, including St. George, but represents a departure from the original Mormon temple at Nauvoo, Illinois.

It was widely believed that Prophet Warren Jeffs would try to emulate, if not duplicate, the appearance of the Nauvoo temple, because it was the temple he most admired. Now, some FLDS-watchers say that Jeffs might try to blend several elements from the Nauvoo temple with those of other temples,

such as the one at St. George. The St. George temple was the first temple built by Mormon pioneers in Utah, even before the Salt Lake City temple, and is located a mere 40 miles from Hildale/Colorado City, the FLDS stronghold on the Utah-Arizona border.

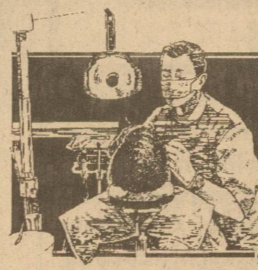
As has been the case since this story first broke, neither the Prophet Warren Jeffs or any of his close followers are willing to comment. The Success continues to seek input from Jeffs on this story, or any other involving him, the FLDS Church or the YFZ Ranch.

K of C Free Throw Saturday, Jan. 29

All boys and girls ages 10 to 14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the 2005 Knights of Columbus International Free Throw Championship. The local competition will be held Saturday, January 29, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. at the Eldorado Middle School Gym.

All boys and girls 10 to 14 years old are eligible to participate and will compete in respective age divisions (Determine age as of January 1, 2004). All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation in this event. Participants will be required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent. For entry forms or additional information contact: Rojelio Adame at 853-3629 or Jimmy Aguilar at 853-3098.

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Sunday, January 30th
11:00 a.m - 3:00 p.m.
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For to the man who pleases him. God gives wisdom and knowledge and joy; but to the sinner he gives travail, the work of gathering and heaping, only to give to one who pleases God. This also is vanity and a striving after wind.

Ecclesiastes 2:26

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Senior Day 2005 at the Capitol is set for Tuesday, February 8, 2005 at 10:30 a.m. on the South Lawn of the State Capitol in Austin, Texas.

Senior Day 2005 at the Capitol theme is "Seniors: The Heart of Texas," which will focus on seniors' past and present contributions to the state, as well as those yet to come.

There is a \$20.00 (non-refundable) charge for this trip, which includes a round trip ticket on chartered vans, your lunch and a snack. For more information on Senior Day 2005 please contact Rosie Quintela or Dale Metz with the Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley at 325-223-5704 or 1-877-944-9666 by February 1, 2005.

Elementary PTO organizing meeting slated January 27

"We cannot always build the future for our youth, but we can build our youth for the future" Franklin D. Roosevelt

Eldorado Elementary will have the first planning meeting to organize a Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO).

Parents and Community Members are encouraged to attend.

Every day offers a fresh opportunity to get involved with your child. Establishing a successful PTO will provide the resources you need to stay involved in the life of your child every day.

Date: January 27, 2005
Place: Elementary Gym
Time: 6:30 PM

Dad's Coaching Clinic slated Saturday, January 29

Agape Assembly of God will be hosting a Dad's Coaching Clinic on Saturday, January 29. This free event will give fathers the opportunity to positively influence their families by providing dads with valuable materials and information regarding family life.

If you are a father, grandfather, uncle, or other male influence in

a child's life, please don't miss this opportunity to invest in your family.

We will be meeting at the Memorial Building from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. We will have four sessions led by the Men's Ministries department of First Assembly of God in San Angelo. Lunch and all materials will be provided.

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION/SUMMONS

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ORDER ON EX PARTE MOTION FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

Case No. 2-02-CV-210K Honorable Dale A. Kimball

Based on the Motion of Plaintiff, Shem Fischer, for service by publication, the Affidavit of Sam E. Brower, and the Court's determination that the whereabouts of Defendant, Warren Jeffs, cannot be ascertained through reasonable diligence, that good cause exists to believe that Defendant Warren Jeffs is avoiding service of process and that the means of service outlined in Plaintiff's Motion is reasonably calculated under all the circumstances to apprise him of the pendency of this action to the extent reasonably possible or practicable:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that, pursuant to Rule 4(d)(4) of the Utah Rules of Civil Procedure as is made applicable to this Court pursuant to Rule 4(e)(1) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff shall be allowed to effect service upon Defendant Warren Jeffs by publication of this Order with a Summons in the above-referenced matter in the form of the Summons attached hereto as Exhibit "A". This Order and the Summons shall be published on two occasions each in the following newspapers, each of which is a newspaper of general circulation in the specified county and is published in the English language:

1. The Spectrum - Washington County, Utah;
2. Eldorado Success - Schleicher County, Texas; and
3. The Cortez Journal - Montezuma County, Colorado.

Service of process shall be deemed complete after Plaintiff has filed with this Court a Proof of Service by Publication consistent with this Order. Thereafter, Defendant Warren Jeffs shall have 20 days to answer or otherwise respond to the First Amended Complaint.

DATED this 12TH day of January 2005.
BY THE COURT: Hon. Dale A. Kimball

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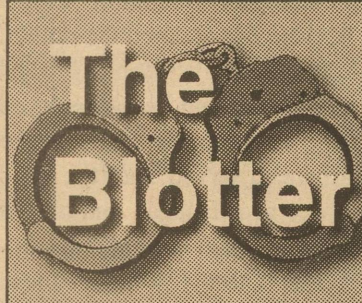
SUMMONS

Case No. 2-02-CV-210K Honorable Dale A. Kimball

THE STATE OF UTAH TO: WARREN STEED JEFFS
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Within twenty (20) days after service of this Summons and Complaint upon you, you are required to serve a written Answer to the Complaint by hand delivering or mailing a copy of your Answer to Plaintiff's attorneys, James W. Stewart and Boyd L. Rogers of Ballard Spahr Andrews & Ingersoll, LLP, 201 South Main Street, Suite 600, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111-2221. You are also required to file your Answer with the Clerk of the United States District Court for the District of Utah, 350 South Main Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84101, where the Complaint has been filed. If you do not serve and file an Answer to the Complaint within twenty (20) days, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded.

DATED this 27TH day of August, 2004.
BALLARD SPAHR ANDREWS & INGERSOLL, LLP
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Attorneys for Plaintiffs



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.

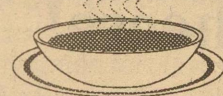
ARRESTS

- January 12 • Rabon, Angellia Henry, female age 29, arresting officer SC deputy, offense Fail to Maintain Financial Responsibility DPS, Failure to Appear.
- January 17 • Delauries, Tina Marie, female age 31, arresting officer Irion County, offense Theft, Forgery of Financial Instrument.
- January 19 • Garcia, Elia Javier, male age 39, arresting officer SC deputy, offense Public Intoxication. Released with citation.
- January 20 • Castilleja, Salvador M., male age 52, arresting officer SC deputy, offense DWI 3rd

INCIDENTS

- January 17 • 10:31 a.m. Complainant reported he had fallen in the bedroom. Something was not right. Officer and EMS 2 responded.
- 12:26 a.m. Eldorado Medical Center requested an ACLS transfer to Community. EMS responded.
- 1:00 p.m. Report of burglary of a vehicle on North Street.
- 4:19 p.m. Complainant reported missing a Dingo dog with gold eyes. Answers to the name Bear. Dog missing for 2 weeks.
- 5:44 p.m. Request for a basic transfer to Shannon. EMS 1 responded.
- 5:45 p.m. Complainant reported a reckless driver in a blue Suburban. Complainant stated driver of vehicle did not have a

Meals for Friends Menu



- Monday, January 31**
Spanish Meatballs, Rice, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Sliced Tomatoes, Pineapple Rings, Milk
- Tuesday, February 1**
Beef Burrito, Pinto Beans, Spinach, Coleslaw, Gelatin w/ Pears, Milk
- Wednesday, February 2**
Oven Pork Chop, Noodles, Carrot, Bread, Tossed Salad, Applesauce, Milk
- Thursday, February 3**
Meatloaf w/ Tomatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Okra, Cornbread, Banana Pudding, Milk
- Friday, February 4**
Chicken Supreme, Herbed New Potatoes, Broccoli, Hot Rolls, Green Salad, Cherry Cobbler, Milk

Solution to puzzle on Page 2

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The Piña Family

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Eldorado Spotlight



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Hospital trustees learn of problems with heating units

Schleicher County Hospital board of trustees met Monday, January 24, 2005 for its regularly scheduled meeting where they learned that a recent inspection had found that seven of the facility's twelve heating and air conditioning units had serious problems. Board President Randy Mankin explained that he learned from Hospital Administrator Sharon Dietz that an inspector had "red tagged" the units and took them out of service just as a severe cold front was approaching.

It was explained that the heat exchangers had burned through on the gas furnace portion of the units making it possible for carbon monoxide gas to enter the facility. Mankin explained that he had made an emergency authorization for three of the oldest units to be immediately replaced so that they could be brought back into service quickly while the heat exchangers on the remaining four units were repaired.

Sharon Dietz explained that while the repairs were being carried

out, other heating units were used and certain doors were left open in order to heat the facility. She said the repairs were carried out quickly and with little disruption to the hospital and nursing home.

In all, the repairs cost the facility \$23,008 and the board voted unanimously to ratify the emergency decision made by Mankin.

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m. by Randy Mankin with trustees Shirley Joiner, J.D. Doyle, Ricky Fuessel, Susie Richers and Jim Martin in attendance. Jim Martin led the group's invocation and received congratulations from his fellow trustees for being named Man of the Year by the Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce.

The group then received Quality Assurance Reports from Nursing Home Director of Nursing Anita Jones and Hospital Director of Nursing Vickie Farmer before going behind closed doors for the discussion of personnel matters. A half-hour later the board returned to open session without taking action.

Next, the trustees approved the minutes of three previous board meetings held on Dec. 20, 2004, Jan. 6 and Jan. 13, 2005.

In her administrator's report Sharon Dietz explained that she has received several applications for the admissions clerk position and that interviews will begin this week. Dietz also informed the board that she made arrangements with the hospital in Van Horn for the use of an incubator to replace one in the local facility that will no longer pass inspection. She said the incubator will be on temporary loan to the hospital and that the board might consider at a future meeting whether or not to purchase it.

Complete financial reports were not available due to end-of-year adjustments but the trustees were not happy with the bad debt listings they did get to see. It was noted that the bookkeepers want to write-off some \$71,859.90 in bad debt before to close out the year. That prompted a lengthy and sometimes heated discussion about abuse of the hospital's emergency room by patients who use it as a walk-in clinic. Also,

failure to collect for services in the emergency room was of concern to the board.

Sharon Dietz agreed that more needed to be done but added that some nurses don't like having to ask for money. That prompted Randy Mankin to ask if the staff might like better having to drive to another town to work if this hospital is forced to close.

It was noted that a medical assessment is required on all patients entering the emergency room to see if they truly have an emergency. If an emergency exists, the patients must be treated before discussing payment. However, if the case is not deemed to be a medical emergency, treatment may be refused until payment is arranged.

Mankin said that the board has discussed the issue on numerous occasions and has made it clear that it expects all emergency cases to be promptly treated, but that payment is still expected for service and that non-emergent cases should be referred to the clinic.

Ms. Dietz suggested designating a room nearby the emergency room as an after-hours clinic where payment will be required in advance for treatment at a rate substantially higher than the normal clinic rate. She suggested the idea would curtail use of the ER as a clinic and help keep down the amount of bad debt facing the facility.

The board agreed with the idea and urged her to implement it as soon as possible. They then voted to write-off the \$71,859.90 in bad debt that prompted the discussion.

The board then discussed publishing the names on the bad debt listing in the local newspaper but reached no final decision on that idea.

Before adjourning the board approved several contracts including routine contracts for fire alarm monitoring, organ donation, preferred provider networks, and the Texas Choice Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIPs).

The hospital board will meet next on February 21, 2005 at 6:00 p.m. in the hospital board room.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Dear Editor:

Concerning Jim Martin being voted "Man of the Year" by the Eldorado Chamber of Commerce, I have only one question.....what took you guys so long? Among his many accomplishments that justified this honor, I am proud to claim Jim as a volunteer for Hospice of San Angelo serving the Eldorado

area. He has been a blessing to our patients, their families, to our staff, to our Volunteer Program, and to me, as Volunteer Coordinator. He has unselfishly, touched many lives. Congratulations Jim! We love you!

Toni Colvin Pfluger
Volunteer Coordinator,
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2004-05 Eldorado Eagles 7th Grade Boys Basketball Team



2004-05 Eldorado Eagles 8th Grade Boys Basketball Team

Rep. Mike Conaway named to Armed Services, Agriculture Budget Committees

WASHINGTON, DC — Congressman Mike Conaway (R-TX) learned last week that he had been tapped to serve on the Armed Services, Agriculture and Budget Committees in the House of Representatives. Membership on Armed Services and Agriculture committees will specifically benefit the needs and interests of Texas' District 11, as both agriculture and the military greatly impact Central and West Texas.

"Congressman Conaway's addition to the Armed Services, Agriculture and Budget Committees is good news for Texans," said House Speaker Dennis Hastert. "Mike brings proven leadership and strong conservative credentials to three very important committees in Congress."

The House Armed Services Committee is the largest authorizing committee in Congress. It is responsible for the nation's entire defense budget and has jurisdiction over military installations and facilities all over the world. The committee also has special oversight over personnel, procurement, military research and development, readiness issues, and international arms control and disarmament.

"As a veteran of our Armed Forces, Mike Conaway brings invaluable knowledge and experience to Congress," said Rep. Duncan Hunter (R-CA), Chairman of

the House Armed Services Committee. "We're fortunate to have him on the committee and I know he will work hard for our men and women in uniform."

Congressman Conaway's responsibilities on the Agriculture Committee will consist of maintaining policies which assure a safe, abundant and affordable food supply. The last two sessions of Congress have seen the Committee hold hearings on a wide number of issues ranging from protecting our food supply, international trade and rural development.

"As a constituent of the 11th District, I look forward to working with Congressman Mike Conaway," said Kenneth Dierschke, President of the Texas Farm Bureau. "As president of the state's largest farm organization, I'm especially pleased that Congressman Conaway has been appointed to the House Agriculture Committee. His conservative approach to government bodes well not only for the farmers and ranchers, but for all citizens of Central and West Texas."

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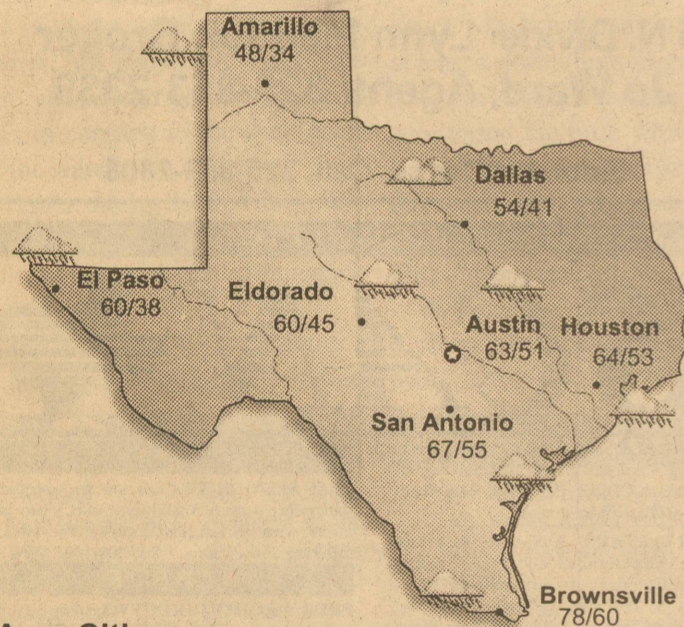
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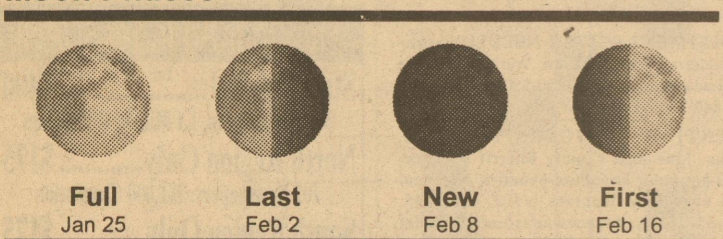
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Austin	63	51	rain	Longview	54	39	cloudy
Beaumont	63	49	rain	Lubbock	52	34	rain
Brownsville	78	60	rain	Lufkin	60	44	rain
Brownwood	60	47	cloudy	Midland	58	41	rain
Corpus Christi	68	59	rain	Raymondville	76	57	rain
Corsicana	56	43	cloudy	Rosenberg	64	52	rain
Dallas	54	41	cloudy	San Antonio	67	55	rain
Del Rio	69	52	rain	San Marcos	64	53	rain
El Paso	60	38	rain	Sulphur Springs	53	37	cloudy
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Gainesville	52	37	cloudy	Tyler	54	38	cloudy
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Chicago	24	7	mst sunny	Phoenix	66	47	rain
Dallas	54	41	cloudy	San Francisco	56	49	cloudy
Denver	52	33	cloudy	Seattle	54	45	rain
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