

# Second Graders



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# Eagles run past McCamey to win Bi-District title

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### For Your Information

#### Turkey Trivia

- Benjamin Franklin was displeased when the bald eagle was chosen over his proposed "original native" turkey as a national symbol. He said the turkey is a more respectable bird and a true original native of America.

- When U.S. astronauts Neil Armstrong and Edwin Aldrin sat down to eat their first meal on the moon in their historic 1969 voyage, their foil food packets contained roasted turkey and all the trimmings.

- In the last twenty years, Americans' love of turkey has soared. Based upon USDA data, consumption has climbed from 8.1 lbs. per capita in 1980 to 17.95 lbs. in 1999.

- The Guinness Book of Records states that the largest dressed weight (cooked, with dressing) recorded for a turkey is 39.09 kg (86 lb.) on December 12, 1989.

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#### Holiday Jobs

Along with pumpkins, pies and presents, the holidays also bring paychecks to many Texans. People who fill seasonal job openings in October, November and December generate end-of-the-year employment growth, which surpasses the state's annual employment average by more than 100,000 during the holidays.

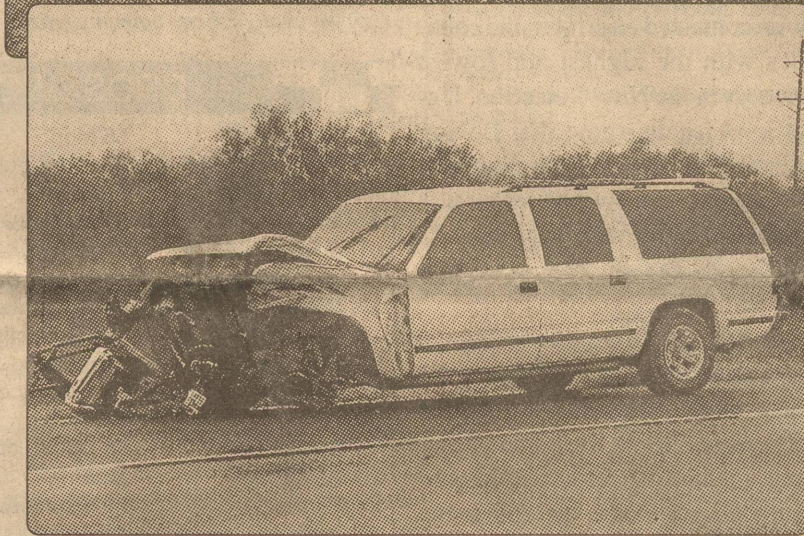
Annually, Texas employment averages 9,734,413. In October, however, that number stands at 9,849,210 and grows to 9,895,156 in December.

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#### On This Date

On this date in 1765 the people of Frederick County MD refused to pay England's Stamp tax. In 1835 Henry Burden patented a horseshoe manufacturing machine. In 1863 the Battle of Chattanooga began during the Civil War. In 1863 a patent granted for a process of making color photographs. In 1936 the first issue of Life magazine was published. In 1963 one day after assassination, JFK's body, lay in repose in East Room of White House. In 1988 Wayne Gretzky scored his 600th NHL goal.

Birthdays of note include: 1749 Declaration of Independence signer Edward Rutledge; 1859 William H. Bonney "Billy the Kid"; 1887 actor Boris Karloff; 1888 actor/comedian Harpo Marx; 1915 actress Ellen Drew; 1945 comedian/actor Steve Landesberg.



photos by Kathy Mankin  
**Lucky motorist** — Volunteer fire fighter Joey Jones surveyed the damage Saturday a 1999 Chevy Suburban (at left) attempted to turn in front of a 1993 Mack truck (above). No one was injured in the accident which occurred 5 miles south of Eldorado on U.S. Hwy. 277. According to Deputy Jason Chatham, the Suburban's 16 year old driver was from Arlington. He was cited for failure to yield right-of-way.

## City, County compete for grants at C.O.G.

### Water improvements, recycling center likely

If a State review panel agrees with the findings of the Concho Valley Council of Governments (CVCOG) Regional Review Committee, Schleicher County and the City of Eldorado are in line to receive grants totalling more than \$402,000.00 to upgrade water distribution lines in three portions of the city, as well as in the Orient Heights Addition, outside the Eldorado city limits. Also included in the funding will be the construction of a recycling center near City Hall.

The Regional Review Committee of the Concho Valley Council of Governments met Thursday, November 16, 2000 to review grant applications from 19 governmental entities under the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. Schleicher County, represented by Commissioner Bill Clark, petitioned for a grant of \$174,950.00 for water line improvements in the Orient Heights Addition. Clark noted the condition of the deteriorated water lines in the neighborhood and asked the committee to fund the project. Clark further explained that the City of Eldorado has agreed to contribute \$8,750.00 in cash and services toward the completion of the project.

City Administrator Randy Mankin also asked the committee for \$174,950.00 for water system improvements inside the city. In return, the city will contribute \$25,400.00 in in-kind services.

Mankin noted water distribution lines in three separate neighborhoods will be targeted. He explained that citizens of the city are paying taxes to five local taxing entities and that added taxation to pay for the project is not possible. He urged the committee to view the city's application favorably.

After the nineteen presentations were concluded, the review committee scored the individual applications. Schleicher County's application ranked 1st while the City of Eldorado's application ranked 4th. Grant consultant Kay Howard, who represents both the city and the county, explained that as many as seven applications may be funded in 2001 with another seven being funded in 2002.

Schleicher County Judge Johnny Griffin received the news from the Regional Review Committee with pleasure. He noted that after three tries, it appears the county will finally receive a grant to do the work.

Eldorado Mayor John Nikolauk was also happy with the news. Nikolauk, who sits on the Regional Review Committee, was prohibited from voting for either local application. He explained that it is possible for the final standings to change somewhat when the grant applications are reviewed in Austin. "They usually don't change that much, however. I'm glad both wa-

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## Child Welfare Board sponsors "Angel Tree"

Christmas is more than a season, it is an attitude, a state of mind that permeates our entire year. It is a celebration of humankind's reception of the greatest and most perfect gift ever given. And from this event, we learn the valued lesson that receiving has less to do with deserving and more than anything else to do with needing. For out of need grows the opportunity to exercise generosity, and heartfelt giving.

We of the Schleicher County Child Welfare Board hold strongly to the belief that generosity from the heart is what makes a gift (of any size or value) of greatest worth. Every Christmas each of us is blessed with an opportunity to purchase an item for someone in our

community. We believe that it is our attitude and love for fellow people that miraculously transforms a mere item into a gift. Not the type of wrapping paper, nor the size of the bow, but the attitude of the giver. And, so for all who voluntarily contributed to the miracle of the Angel Tree of 1999 we wish to say "thank you." Such gestures serve to remind us all that the gift is not in the giving, nor in the receiving but the gift is in the heartfelt response to unmet needs. If generosity were a measurement of the heart, then the people of Schleicher County can proudly say our hearts continue to grow in compassion for one another.

Again this year each of us has

the opportunity to bring more than a gift to someone in our community. We will have the privilege of providing a child with a smile. The acts of compassion we carry out for one another are not works... they are gifts. So when the Angel Trees miraculously appear in our community, let each of us take a moment to reflect upon how our giving is merely a reflection of that original gift, the reason for the season. And may each of us take comfort in the knowledge that someone in our community has gained a greater insight into what it truly means to receive.

The angles can be found at First National Bank, 1st Community Federal Credit Union and at Duckwall's Variety Store on Monday Nov. 27.



photo by Randy Mankin  
**Overjoyed** — Eagles player lifted their Bi-District Championship trophy high in the air Friday night after defeating McCamey 30-6 in Ozona. The win moves the Eagles season record to 8-3 and sets up a showdown with New Deal tomorrow afternoon in Coahoma. (see related story on Page 4)

## AREA-ROUND PLAYOFF NEWS

Eagles Send Off Planned  
Friday, Nov. 24, 2000

In Front of High School Gymnasium  
at 9:30 A.M.

The Eagles Will Be Playing New Deal  
In Coahoma That Same Day  
At 2:00 P.M.

## Comptroller delivers sales tax rebates to City, County

State Comptroller Carole Keeney Rylander delivered a total of \$281.5 million in monthly sales tax payments last week to 1,108 Texas cities and 119 counties this week. That was up 15 percent from the same period last year and is an increase of 9.8 percent over the year-to-date figures from 1999.

In the allocation, the City of Eldorado received \$8,164.38 up 16.04 percent from the November payment last year of \$7,035.82. The city's year to date total is \$76,820.22, up 16.91 percent from the same period one year ago when the year-to-date total was \$65,704.82.

Schleicher County's sales tax rebate this month totalled \$7,239.70, up 65.33 percent from November, 1999's total \$4,378.76. The year-to-date total for Schleicher County

is \$65,091.23. That is up 17.18 percent from the \$55,544.68 received in 1999.

The Schleicher County Health Service tax rebate for December was \$6,942.00, up 61.37 percent from November, 1999's total of \$4,301.66. The year-to-date figure for the Health Service Tax totalled \$63,590.30, up 24.55 percent from the \$51,055.78 delivered in 1999.

November sales tax rebates represent sales taxes collected in September by monthly filers and in July, August and September by quarterly filers. The sales taxes were reported to the Comptroller in October.

The Comptroller's next sales tax allocation is scheduled to be delivered on Friday, December 8, 2000 and will be reported the following week in the Eldorado Success.





# Palm Beach County...the folks who put the "duh" in Florida

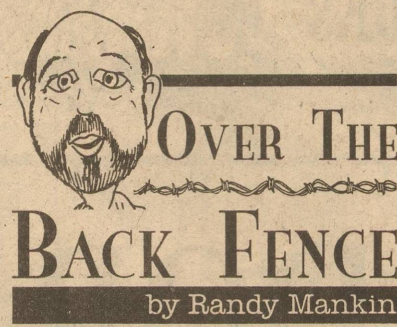
I have been inundated with e-mail in recent days about the Florida election fiasco. Almost all the electronic mailings have been poking fun at the voters of South Florida, and/or the Al Gore campaign.

One contained a list of bumper stickers such as these two:

"Palm Beach County...the folks who put the 'duh' in Florida"

"If you don't like the way we vote just wait till you see us drive!"

Another, sent to me by at least thirty different people was a send up of a childrens song titled the "Palm



Beach Pokey." It went like this:

You put your stylus in,  
You put your stylus out,  
You put your stylus in,  
And you punch Buchanan out.  
You do the Palm Beach Pokey  
And you turn the count around,  
That's what it's all about!

You bring your lawyers in,  
You drag the whole thing out,  
You bring your lawyers in,  
And you put it all in doubt.  
You do the Palm Beach Pokey  
And you turn the count around,  
That's what it's all about!

Another was entitled "Doctor Seuss Goes To Florida." Here's an excerpt.

Can we count them with our nose?  
Can we count them with our toes?  
Should we count them with a hand?  
Should we count them all by hand?  
If I do not like the count,  
I will simply throw them out!  
I will not let this vote count stand  
I do not like them, AL GORE I am!

Can we change these numbers here?  
Can we change them, calm my fears?

What do you mean, Dubya has won?  
This is not fair, this is not fun  
Let's count 'em upside down this time  
Let's count until the state is mine!  
I will not let this VOTE count stand!  
I do not like it, AL GORE I am!

Another claimed that the New York Mets were contesting the outcome of the World Series. Along that same line, another e-mail purported to be from a gentleman who missed winning the lottery by one number. He said he intended to punch the correct number and realized it the next day when the winning numbers were drawn on TV. He claimed that the lottery ticket was complicated and confusing. He said he thought he deserved another go at it. Especially, he said, now that he knows what the winning numbers are.

I know the mess in Florida is serious business. Still, we have to laugh at it to keep from crying. I'm not sure how this whole thing is going to turn out, either. Naturally, I greatly prefer George W. Bush to Al Gore. I'm just not sure if the media, or the courts in Florida, will let that happen.

As I was thinking about a Thanksgiving column this week, I realized that among the many things for which I have to be thankful, is the fact that I live in the USA. Most other countries, at this point, would have tanks rolling through the streets.

## State legislators file 282 bills in first 3 days

AUSTIN — State legislators filed 282 bills in the first three days after the Nov. 13 pre-filing began for the 77th Legislature.

When the session convenes in January 2001, legislators will face months of debate on many hot topics including abortion, drug and alcohol use, campaign reform and school finance.

House Bill 17 would specify new requirements for abortion procedures. The bill would require that new abortion facilities built after Sept. 1, 2001 be located at least 1,500 feet from a church or school. The bill also sets new licensing requirements for abortion clinics and would require physicians to provide a woman seeking an abortion with detailed information and brochures at least 24 hours before the procedure can be performed.

### State Capital Highlights

Compiled by Pauline Word

Drivers who are convicted of a second or subsequent offense within five years of the first conviction for driving while intoxicated would face automatic suspension of all their vehicle registrations under House Bill 90.

City officials, both current and appointed, and certain municipal candidates would face new disclosure requirements under House Bill 64. The bill would require those people to file financial statements of their financial activity and the financial activity of their spouse and dependent children.

All public school students would

be required to recite the Pledge of Allegiance under HB 88. School districts could exempt a student only if his parent or guardian submits a written request.

SB 28 would raise the wealth per student cap for school districts to \$320,000 from \$295,000 under the state's public school finance system.

The session convenes Jan. 9, 2001 and is scheduled to end May 28, 2001. Legislators have until March 9 to file bills and joint resolutions that are not local and have not been declared an emergency by the governor.

#### Hepatitis ads are misleading

Texas Department of Health officials say a series of TV and radio ads being distributed statewide are misleading and could cause non-risk people to seek unnecessary hepatitis C blood tests.

The agency said the ads imply that anyone who has ever had surgery or dental work and people with body piercings and tattoos are at risk of hepatitis C infection.

"The universal safety precautions and sterilization practices followed in operating rooms and dental offices makes the transmission of hepatitis C during surgery or dental work virtually nil," said Sharilyn Stanley, M.D., associate commissioner for disease control and prevention.

Hepatitis C is transmitted when blood from an infected person gets into the bloodstream of another person. Stanley said high-risk

groups include people who have shared needles or other equipment in using injectable, illegal drugs, people who received blood transfusions or solid organ transplants before July 1992 and people who received anti-coagulant blood products before 1987.

#### Other Highlights

• Correction: Due to some figures being double reported to the Secretary of State, last week's column contained an error in the counties with the highest and lowest turnout in the Nov. 7 election. Unofficial results show that Loving County had the highest turnout with 74 percent. The lowest turnout was in Starr County, which recorded 33 percent of registered voters casting ballots.

• Attorney General John Cornyn presented the Peace Officer of the Year Award to Forth Worth police officer Lt. Mark Krey and Pleasanton police officer Louis Edward Tudyk. Krey took a lead role in the shooting at Wedgewood Baptist Church in September 1999 and Tudyk was one of the first officers to arrive at the scene of a deadly ambush in Atascosa County in October 1999.

• Bat Conservation International and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department need help from landowners, researchers and members of the public to track the greater long-nosed bat, a rare species of the Trans-Pecos region that feeds on nectar and is the primary polli-

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## ROLLING ALONG

WITH TUMBLEWEED SMITH

### A P.O.W. Christmas

During World War Two, Bob Bearden of Killeen was a Prisoner of War in Germany.

"When you're a POW or missing in action, you know where you are. It's those who love you who don't know. And they are hurting." While held captive he had nothing to eat for five days, nothing to drink for three.

"However tough it may be, and some of that experience was very painful, but by and large, I wasn't hurting near as much as my family back home was. Because they didn't know how I was or where I was, whether I was dead or alive. And I felt their pain."

Bob was parachuting behind enemy lines when he was wounded by rifle fire and taken prisoner.

"I really, really know what Silent Night means. In our group there was an infantry soldier who had been a hobo before getting into the Army. Every night he would sing. Rain, cold, it didn't matter. Every night he would go out there and sing."

Bob remembers the words to one song.

"With someone like you, a pal so good and true

I'd like to leave it all behind and go and find

Some place that's known to God alone."

The singing prisoner sang that song at the end of his performance every night. Bob and his fellow

prisoners thought it was beautiful.

"We'd just sit there and cry on the inside, longing to be home."

At Christmas, everything was covered with snow.

"We were all feeling real homesick. The camp held two thousand prisoners. Maybe twenty of us had received packages from home. There were those who got maybe half a dozen pieces of mail. Unfortunately, I wasn't one of them. My mother and sister were writing me all the time, but I never got any mail. Not one piece of mail during the nine months I was a prisoner. That was a painful experience."

But he remembers that Christmas above all others.

"I remember it so vividly. Everything was blanketed with snow. So peaceful, so quiet. Just a little trickle of snow coming down. And this old hobo got out there and sang the traditional songs that we knew. Great Christian hymns. And then he sang Bing Crosby's songs like I'll Be Home For Christmas and White Christmas, songs like that.

And I'll never forget the beauty, the stark beauty of the silence and the moonlight on that snow. I've never seen another Christmas like it. It was one that I look back on as a great living experience because we didn't know if we'd be there tomorrow or not."

The silence that night was broken when the hobo sang Silent Night. And the camp was still.

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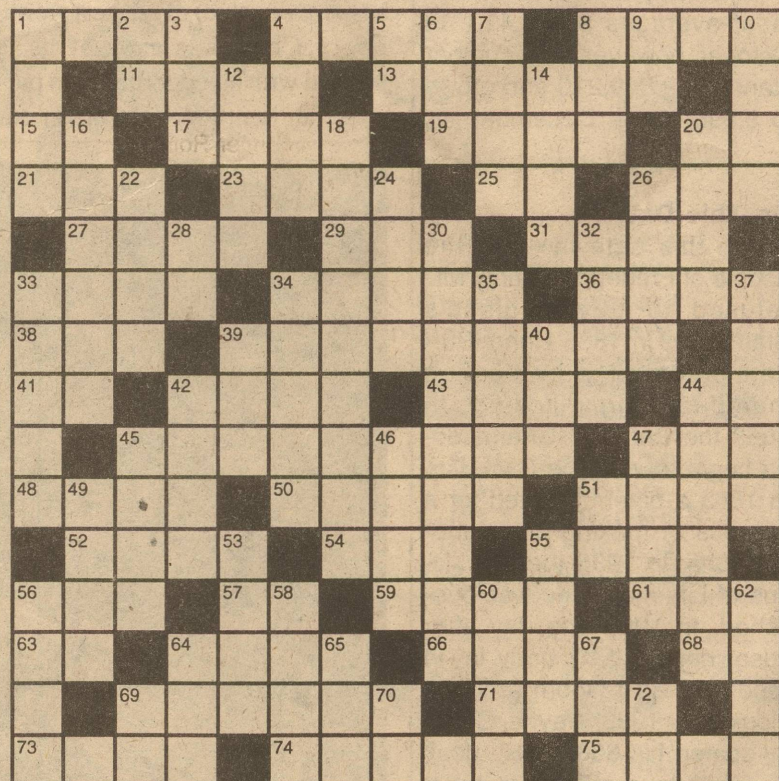
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4 Contesting	57 Measure of acidity or alkalinity	26 Alliance
8 Devotees	59 Below average tide	28 The thing in question
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13 Sherbert containing milk	63 Interjection expressing surprise	32 An elaborate song for solo voice
15 Aluminum, periodically	64 Cadence	33 Radical
17 Make synchronous (abbr.)	66 Thrust	34 Brandies
19 Challenge	68 Doctor of Osteopathy (abbr.)	35 Blouse with a sailor collar
20 Ma's mate	69 Diacritical mark	37 Sticker
21 Affirmative	71 Augur	39 Overawe
23 Berth	73 Showy	40 Slightly insane
25 Pa's mate	74 Computer's link to the internet	42 Batrachian
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29 RPM		46 Groan
31 Strong wind	<b>DOWN</b>	47 Madam
33 A division of a quantity	1 Receptacle	49 19th letter of the Hebrew alphabet
34 Gentlewoman	2 Interjection expressing surprise	51 Electronic warfare (abbr.)
36 Right-of-way	3 Dance step	53 Specification (abbr.)
38 Limited company (abbr.)	4 Fermented juice	55 Mystery meat
39 Heat-generating	5 Equals	56 Smidgen
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42 Unit of pressure	7 Metric unit of weight	60 Molecular component
43 Thought	8 Fixed charge for professional services	62 Knob
44 Charlotte's state	9 Preposition expressing a rate	64 Alcove
45 Slapstick or burlesque	10 Backside	65 Likewise
47 Ratite bird	12 Anthem	67 Sleep furniture
48 Greenish blue	14 Bluster	69 Mountain (abbr.)
50 Pitchy	16 Rough shelter	70 Fargo's state (abbr.)
51 British peer	18 European bittercross	72 A negative
52 Likelihood	20 Supplication	
54 Siamese		

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# OBITUARIES

## Margaret Lee Isaacs Williams

ELDORADO – Margaret Lee Isaacs Williams, 95, of Eldorado died Monday, Nov. 20, 2000, in the Schleicher County Nursing Home.

Graveside service will be at 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 24, in Eldorado Cemetery. Arrangements are by Kerbow Funeral Home.

Maggie Lee was born Oct. 15, 1905, in Lohn. Her father and mother, Will L. and Isabella Finlay Isaacs moved in a covered wagon, moving cattle also, to Schleicher County when Maggie Lee was 10 days old. Mrs. Isaacs drove the wagon with Maggie Lee in her lap.

Later, Maggie Lee, her three brothers, little sister and parents moved from the Tom Henderson Ranch to the old Cook Ranch in the Twin Wells school district. Maggie Lee, Robert and Willie and the Hinyard children, Paul and Elizabeth rode horseback across the pasture to the Twin Wells School.

Later, Maggie Lee, Robert, Willie and Leonard had governesses for the next three years. Their first governess was Agnes West, the first white child born in Schleicher County after the county was organized. Rachel Page was the second.

Maggie Lee's parents, with Ruf Hinyards help, moved the old Cook house three and one half miles east, across the pasture (with mules) on wagon wheels to be in the Adams school district.

Maggie Lee and her siblings spent the next three years (until she was in the eighth grade) riding horseback to Adams School, better known as "Red Bud College".

When Maggie Lee was ready for high school, her family moved to Eldorado. She went to Eldorado High School and graduated in 1926. Then she attended Daniel Baker College in Brownwood for two and one half years.

Maggie Lee and Otto Williams were married June 1929. They spent their honeymoon in the new Cactus Hotel in San Angelo.

Maggie Lee and Otto moved to a three section ranch on the Toe Nail Trail in northeast Schleicher County. Later they acquired three more sections from the Jacksons and the Akes. This is where they resided until Otto became ill and they moved back to Eldorado.

Maggie Lee was truly a rancher. She rode horseback, went hunting and was a perfect shot, and ran the ranch for many years.

Maggie Lee was preceded in death by her parents, three brothers and her husband.

She is survived by her sister, Isabella Isaacs McCutcheon of Eldorado, and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

The family requests memorials be made to a church of choice or a favorite charity.



Jesus and Mary Adame

## Jesus and Mary Adame celebrate 50th anniversary

Jesus and Mary Adame celebrated 50 years of sharing their lives together on Saturday, October 21, 2000. The celebration began with Mass held at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church where they renewed their sacred vows. Their nine children, Richard, Johnny, Ruben, Robert, Rebecca, Raymond, Rojelio, Rita, Rose and Ann presented them with a yellow rose as a symbol of their gratitude for the unconditional love which they provided for them. The Rosary, Bible, and cushions were presented by three daughters of Mary's late sister, Oralia Mesa.

The ceremony was officiated by Father George Varakukula. The Deacon was Julio Ramirez of Houston, nephew of Jesus. Readings were by Yida Spokes of Lubbock and Maria Ramirez of Houston. Responsorial was by Martha Mesa of Lubbock. The church was decorated with gold and off white flowers. The altar was decorated with fresh white flower bouquets in a basket. The bride wore a beautiful off white knee length dress and the groom wore a black tuxedo with gold. Altar servers were grandsons Richmond Adame and Calan Darraugh. The Ushers were grandchildren Michael, Kristina, Christopher, and Ryan Adame.

"To Be Successful" a poem by Ralph Waldo Emerson was recited by Rita Adame Darraugh. Special guests included: Sophia Montez and family of Houston; Fernando and Elena Mejia of San Antonio; Frank Barajas Jr. of San Antonio; Juan and Cecilia Mejia of Greeley, Colorado; Yida and Randy Spokes of Lubbock; Andrea and Carrie Sids of Lubbock; Rosa, Martha, Margret, and Olga Mesa of Lubbock; Mary Perez of San Antonio; Alexander and Olga Perez of Snyder; Manuela Espinosa of Snyder; Gloria Adame of Houston; Janie Adame of Dallas; Mary and Ruben Adame of Dallas; Johnny Adame of Dallas; Rebecca Gourelly of San Angelo; Rita Darraugh of Clyde; Rose Ann Adame of Coppel; Richard Adame Jr. and family of San Angelo; Roy and Christina Adame of Washington D.C.; Randy Adame and Heidi of Jacksonville Florida; and Isabel and Trine Rangel of Rocksprings.

A reception was held at the Memorial Building followed by music provided by DJ Frank Barajas. During the reception dinner prayer was led by Richard Adame Sr. Instead of the traditional wedding march, customary in the Mexican American culture, the head of each family had the opportunity to introduce themselves and their family. This began with each of the

couple's children, followed by Mary's side of the family, and then Jesus's side of the family. This gave everyone the opportunity to get to know each other.

This 50th anniversary reminds us that being a part of a family is a precious gift that the Lord has bestowed upon us. It reminds us of the many sacrifices that parents make for their children. It reminds us that when two lives are joined together it should be forever.

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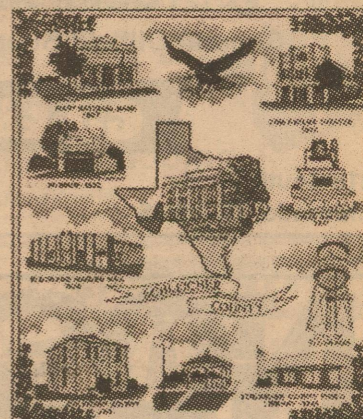
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## Willie Blanche Johnson

ELDORADO – Willie Blanche Johnson, 99, was born Feb. 2, 1901, on a farm in Lawrence County, Tenn. She died Friday, Nov. 17, 2000. Her parents were John and Nancy Danley Smallwood. When she was 19 years old, she was baptized in a creek near her home.

She came to Texas for her health in 1923. After almost a year of rest, she taught in Tom Green County schools and in San Angelo until she married R.D. Johnson on Dec. 23, 1930. They lived on ranches in Irion County until 1956

when they bought some land six miles south of Eldorado where they then made their home.

Survivors include one son R.D. "Bob" Johnson Jr. and wife, Sherry; two granddaughters, Ashley Johnson Moore and husband, Brent, and Lindsey Johnson, all of Eldorado. She is also survived by several nieces and nephews in other states and by R.D.'s nieces and nephews whom she considered her own.

Pallbearers were Richard Kent, Hyman Sauer, Charles Probandt, Mike Moore, Dr. William Edmiston and Richard Sterling.

Service was held Monday, Nov. 20, at the Mertzon Highway Church of Christ. Burial followed in Eldorado Cemetery. Arrangements were by Kerbow Funeral Home.

The family requests memorials be made to one's favorite charity and expresses its heartfelt gratitude to Schleicher County Medical Center Nursing Home.

## Meals for Friends Menu



**Monday, November 27**  
Baked Chicken, Fried Rice, Zucchini Squash w/Tomatoes, Dinner Roll, Orange Juice, Peach Cobbler, Milk

**Tuesday, November 28**  
Salisbury Steak w/Brown Gravy, Blackeyed Peas, Broccoli w/Cheese, Dinner Roll, Fruited Gelatin, Milk

**Wednesday, November 29**  
Baked Ham, Green Beans, Sweet Potatoes, Dinner Roll, Peanut Butter Cookies, Juice, Milk

**Thursday, November 30**  
Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Brussel Sprouts, Wheat Roll, Carrot Sticks, Applesauce, Milk

**Friday, December 1**  
Fish Sticks, Herbed Potatoes, Canned Peaches, Dinner Rolls, Three Bean Salad, Lemon Pudding, Milk.

## BIRTHDAY LIST

- NOVEMBER**
- 23rd Carolyn Gilstrap, Hoston
  - Hanna
  - 24th Darlene Hardesty, Tucker
  - Clark, Sonia Mills, Chris
  - Crowder, Lolly Saldivar, Chris
  - Kuykendall, Michele McCravey, George Mata
  - 25th Katrina Gonzales, Stacy
  - Page, Jesse Muniz, April
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Becky is married to Jesse Barajas who is employed with Raytheon. They are the proud parents of three children: J. Lynn, age 10, Austin Reece, age 7 and Tristen Deion, age 4. Becky moved to Eldorado from Sonora in 1980. She attended American Commercial College in San Angelo.

Becky enjoys attending sports events, going to the movies, and eating out with her family. A favorite time for her is Sunday meals at her mom's house with her 5 sisters and brother. Becky is a member of a local investment club.

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**Wednesday, November 29**  
Corn Chip Pie, Pinto Beans, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Cornbread, Chilled Fruit/Topping

**Thursday, November 30**  
Hamburger Steaks/Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Early June Peas, Chocolate Pudding/Topping

**Friday, December 1**  
Cheeseburgers, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Ice Cream

### Breakfast

½ pt. Milk & 4oz Juice Offered with each breakfast

**Monday, November 27**  
Orange Juice, Sausage Patties, Biscuits/Jelly

**Tuesday, November 28**  
Grape Juice, Hot Oatmeal, Toast/Jelly

**Wednesday, November 29**  
Sliced Peaches, Waffles/Syrup

**Thursday, November 30**  
Pineapple Chunks, Cheese Toast

**Friday, December 1**  
Applesauce, Blueberry Muffins, Choice of Cereal

### Fast Food Line

**Monday, November 27**  
Cheeseburgers, French Fries, Lettuce/Tomatoes, Pickles, Orange Jello/Topping

**Tuesday, November 28**  
Fish Sandwiches/Cheese, French Fries, Lettuce/Tartar Sauce, Spice Cake/Icing

**Wednesday, November 29**  
Sausage and Cheese Pizza, French Fries, Tossed Salad, Chilled Fruit/Topping

**Thursday, November 30**  
Corn Dogs, Tater Roundabouts, Mixed Fruit, Chocolate Pudding/Topping

**Friday, December 1**  
Cheeseburgers, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Ice Cream

# Eagles maul McCamey 30-6 to win Bi-District championship

## Showdown with New Deal next

by David E. Hill

The Eldorado Eagles took on the McCamey Badgers last Friday night and came away with a 30-6 Bi-District win. Statistically the game appeared to be much closer than it was. However, Eldorado took full advantage of McCamey miscues and controlled the game from start to finish. The Eagles will travel to Coahoma tomorrow to take on the New Deal Lions tomorrow at 2 p.m. for the Area Championship.

The first half was all Eldorado as the Eagles found the end zone on three occasions. Offensively, the Eagles moved the ball very well, both on the ground and through the air. Defensively, the Eagles contained an explosive Badger offense.

The Eagles opened scoring with 5:53 left in the first quarter when Jason Brock found Ramon Barajas on a 7 yard touchdown strike. Alfredo Munoz tacked on the PAT to make the score 7-0. Four minutes later after Eldorado's defense held again, Brock found Joey Bullard on a 67 yard TD pass. Brock had a lot of time to throw and Bullard got some great downfield blocking on the score. Alfredo Munoz added the PAT to make the score 14-0.

The teams traded possessions in the second quarter as both defenses made adjustments. Then, with the half winding down, Rocky Robles scooped up a dropped lateral pass and took the ball inside the McCamey 5 yard line. After a penalty backed the Eagles offense away from the goal, Johnny Herrera connected with Barajas on a



photo by Randy Mankin

**Making 'em miss** — Eagles running back Joey Bullard sprinted out of this would be tackler's grasp for good yardage during first half action of the Eagles 30-6 Bi-District win over McCamey last Friday night in Ozona.

14 yard TD pass. Munoz booted through the point-after to make the score 21-0 in favor of Eldorado.

The second half saw sluggish play from both teams as they traded opening possessions. But, on McCamey's second possession, Eldorado's special teams got on the board as the Eagles swarmed McCamey's punter in the end zone, tackling him for a safety. That made the score 23-0.

McCamey finally got on the board with 52 seconds left in the third quarter on a 33 yard TD pass. The two-point conversion failed and the score stood at 23-6.

The Eagles scored again in the 4th quarter when Bullard got loose on a 55 yard run. Again Munoz tacked on the extra-point to make the final score 30-6, Eldorado.

Offensively, Bullard had 115 yards rushing and 78 yards receiving. Barajas hauled in 3 passes, 2 of which were for touchdowns. Brock was 5-6 passing for 118 yards, Herrera was 1 of 4 passing for 14 yards. The big story of the night was the Eagles offensive line which dominated the Badgers larger defensive line. Linemen Matt Curtis, Cole Pina, Scott Homer, Rocky Robles all graded out well on the night.

The Eagles defense also played well, holding a very potent McCamey offense to 253 yards and points. Kenny Covarrubiaz, Benji Gonzales, Isaac Saldivar had a great night

defensively. As a group, the Eagles "D" has continued to improve each week and has faced two very tough opponents the last two contests.

"This was a great win for this team," Coach Jim Fyar said after the game. "Our offense got the ball in the end zone, and the defense continues to play very well. We beat a good ball club tonight. I can't tell you how proud the coaching staff is of their continued efforts."

The Eagles will face the New Deal Lions this Friday in a rare afternoon game. Kickoff is slated for 2 p.m. in Coahoma. According to Pigskinprep.com, the game is an even contest. The Lions beat Coahoma last Friday night to earn the right to face the Eagles.

"New Deal has a good football team that can run and throw well," Coach Fryar said. "This will be a tough ball game and we need to hit on all cylinders Friday afternoon. I know that this is the Thanksgiving holiday, but we really need all the support we can get for these kids. It makes a big difference."

Everyone is encouraged to make the trip just east of Big Spring and attend Friday afternoons ballgame. There will also be a send off at the field house at 9:30 am on Friday morning. Let's get out there and show our support for the Eagles. **WEAR YOUR GREEN AND BE LOUD!**

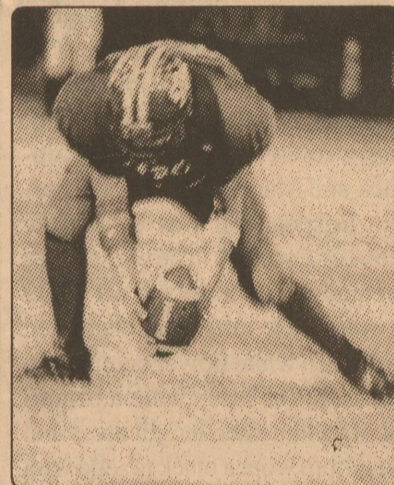


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**Look what I found** — Eagles defensive end Rocky Robles picked up this McCamey fumble last Friday night and returned it to the Badger 3 yard line to set up Eldorado's 3rd TD as the Eagles coasted to a 30-6 win over the Badgers for the Bi-District Championship.

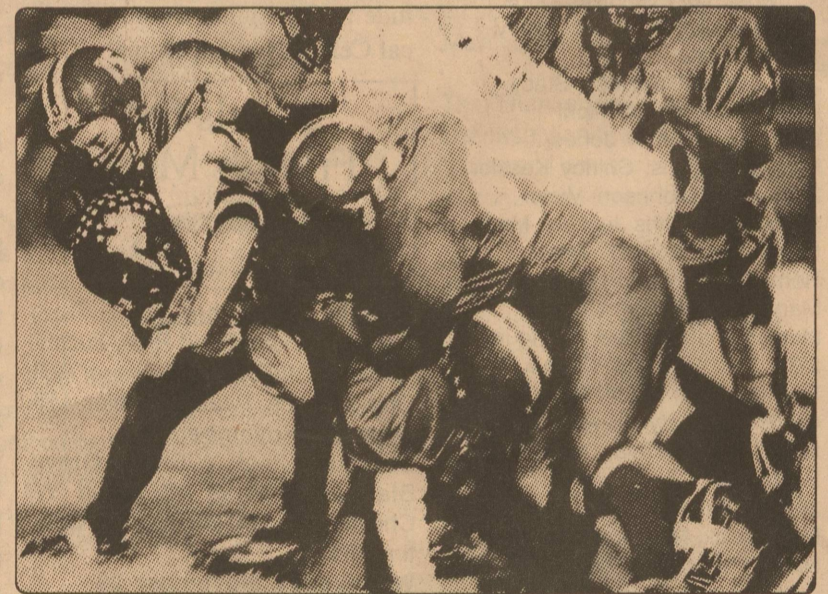


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**That's far enough** — #15 Wesley Jones and #89 Johnny Arispe were joined by other Eagles defenders Friday night in bringing down this McCamey runner as Eldorado notched up a 30-6 Bi-District victory.

## 2000-2001 ELDORADO MIDDLE SCHOOL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Boys	Girls
Mon. 11/20	Junction	Home	Away
Mon. 11/27	Wall	Away	Home
Thurs. 12/7	Grape Creek	Home	Away
Thurs. 12/14	Sonora	Away	Home
Thurs. 1/4	Mason	Home	Away
Saturday 1/6	Junction Tourney	Away	Away
Mon. 1/8	Junction	Away	Home
Thurs-Sat 1/11-1/13	Wall Tourney	Away	Away
Thurs. 1/18	Wall	Home	Away
Thurs. 1/25	Grape Creek	Away	Home
Thurs. 2/1	Sonora	Home	Away

7th Grade Plays at 5:30 p.m. and 8th Grade Plays at 6:30 p.m.

Coaches: 7th Grade Girls: Matt Rutherford; 8th Grade Girls: Lee McCown  
7th Grade Boys: Larry Mitchel; 8th Grade Boys: Dave Lewis

## ELDORADO HIGH SCHOOL 2000-2001 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Team	Time
Nov. 28 (Tue.)	Rocksprings	Eldorado	JV Girls/Boys, V Girls/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8 p.m.
Nov. 30 - Dec. 2 (Thur. - Sat.)	Grape Creek Tour.	Grape Creek	JV Girls/Boys	TBA
Nov. 30 - Dec. 2 (Thur. - Sat.)	Ballinger Tour.	Ballinger	V Girls/Boys	TBA
Dec. 5 (Tue.)	Reagan County	Eldorado	JV Girls/Boys, V Girls/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8 p.m.
Dec. 7 - 9 (Thur. - Sat.)	Ozona Tour.	Ozona	V Girls/Boys	TBA
Dec. 7 - 9 (Thur. - Sat.)	Iraan Tour.	Iraan	JV Girls/Boys	TBA
Dec. 12 (Tue.)	Ballinger	Eldorado	JV Girls/Boys, V Girls/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8 p.m.
Dec. 15 (Fri.)	Robert Lee	Robert Lee	JV Girls/Boys, V Girls/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8 p.m.
Dec. 18 (Mon.)	Christoval	Christoval	JV Girls/Boys, V Girls/Boys	4, 5, 6:30, 8 p.m.
Dec. 28 - 30 (Thur. - Sat.)	Reagan Co. Tour.	Big Lake	V Girls/Boys	TBA
Jan. 2 (Tue.)	Colorado City	Eldorado	JV Boys, V Girls/Boys	5, 6:30, 8 p.m.
Jan. 5 (Fri.)	*Mason	Eldorado	JV Girls, V Girls	5:00, 6:30 p.m.
Jan. 5 (Fri.)	Stanton	Eldorado	JV Boys, V Boys	3:30, 5:00 p.m.
Jan. 9 (Tue.)	*Junction	Junction	JV Girls, V Girls	5:00, 6:30 p.m.
Jan. 9 (Tue.)	Christoval	Eldorado	JV Boys, V Boys	6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Jan. 12 (Fri.)	*Wall	Eldorado	JV Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Jan. 16 (Tue.)	*Grape Creek	Grape Creek	V Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Jan. 19 (Fri.)	*Sonora	Eldorado	JV Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Jan. 23 (Tue.)	*Mason	Mason	JV Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Jan. 26 (Fri.)	*Junction	Eldorado	JV Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Jan. 30 (Tue.)	*Wall	Wall	JV Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Feb. 2 (Fri.)	*Grape Creek	Eldorado	JV Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Feb. 6 (Tue.)	*Sonora	Sonora	JV Girl/Boys, V Girl/Boys	5, 5, 6:30, 8:00 p.m.
Feb. 9 (Fri.)	*Mason	Eldorado	JV Boys, V Boys	6:00, 7:30 p.m.
Feb. 13 (Tue.)	*Junction	Junction	JV Boys, V Boys	6:00, 7:30 p.m.

\*Denotes District 2-2 Game



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Juan M. Montalvo, a 1999 graduate of Eldorado High School, and a current student at University of the Incarnate Word in San Antonio, will be one of the 140,000 students featured in the 23rd Annual Edition of The National Dean's List.

The National Dean's List, is the largest recognition program and publication in the nation honoring high achieving college students.

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honor by their college deans, registrars or honor society advisors and must be in the upper 10% of their class, on their school's Dean's List, or have earned a comparable honor. Listed students are eligible to compete for \$50,000 in scholarships awards funded by the publisher, and may also use a referral service for future employment opportunities.

Juan is the son of Juan and Areli Montalvo of Eldorado.



*Just a little sting* — Sarah McCravey received a flu shot last Thursday from Della Pina at Schleicher County Medical Center's flu shot clinic. More than 200 people lined up for the flu vaccine which is in short supply this year.

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## Beta Sigma Phi Report

by Barbara Jackson

Members of Beta Sigma Phi honored their husbands and family members with their annual Thanksgiving dinner on Monday, November 20, 2000.

The downstairs room of the Memorial Building was decorated in a Thanksgiving motif featuring a fall foliage centerpiece as hostesses served enchiladas and Spanish rice with members bring beans, salads and slaw to compliment them.

Hostess Kim'et Nelson baked her delicious pies. Other hostesses were Nancy McCray and Dorothy Clark. Lee Ridgeway and daughter Rachael came from Bronte bringing his homemade salsa.

Other members and guest present were: Delmer and Barbara Jackson, Hugh, Linda and Kaitlyn Lindsey, Steve Nelson, Earl Dean Clark, Mary Jenkins, Monroe and Dorothy Dacy, Mary Leigh Dunagan, Kevin and Wendi Lovette and their children Sloan and Konner, Wes and Susan Wade and Sonnett Norman.

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## Woolen Mill tours slated

Old Eldorado Woolen Mill Foundation will be hosting tours on November 24, 25 and 26. These tours will go toward purchasing a badly needed new roof for this historic monument of Texas history.

The tour consists of walking through the whole process from raw fiber to yarn making, weaving and finishing for the fiber.

## City, county pursue grants

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ter projects are going to be funded," Nikolauk stated.

The city's application to fund a recycling center was one of four to be heard earlier in the day by the CVCOG Solid Waste Committee. Mankin appeared to speak on behalf of that application, as well. He told the committee that a local citizen, Ford Oglesby, has agreed to donate a baler for use in a recycling center. The city hopes to erect a metal building to house a recycling center where the baler will be put to use baling cardboard and aluminum. The city's grant request for \$53,718.00 was by far the largest received by the committee and was ranked 3rd by the group. Mankin was assured that CVCOG had sufficient money available to fund all four grant requests.



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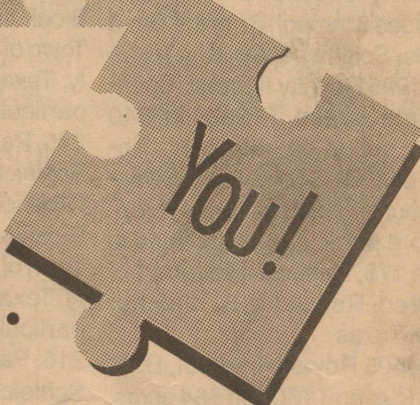
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Frank Gandar IV

This Thanksgiving I am Thankful for my parents because they give me food. Also, for God because he gave us Thanksgiving. Also, for my teacher because she gives us good work. Also, for my school because it is the best.  
Amy Alvizo

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my parents because they make you food. Also, I am thankful for Jesus because he saved are country. And I am thankful for my family.  
Rosy Iglesias

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my food Also for my parents and my house because we need to grow healthy.  
Ashley Rojas

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my parents because they are so nice to me Also, for The friends I meet because they are so nice to me.  
Laura Garcia

# Eldorado Second Graders Offer Thanksgiving Wishes



This Thanksgiving I a thankful for lots of support that my parents give me. Also, my parents money for doctors visits and for school. So I can live. And I am thankful for not being a slave. And for GOD.  
Torey E. Griggs

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for My cat because she cuddles up with me. Also for the Eagles because I hope they win the game!!! Also for my friends because they are nice to me  
Tate Evens

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for My DaD and my Mom. I love my baby Sister, she loves me too. I am happy too have two grandmes to love me. I am happy too my grapos that work hard.  
John Espinosa

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my parents because they help me with my homework and give me food. I am thank ful for my friends because they help me.  
Robert Chavez

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my parents because they are nice to me. Also, for my God because he died on the cross for us and my teacher because she is nice to us, and my sisters and brothers.  
Cruzita Trujillo

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for My family Also, because they love me. And my food because I need to eat. And the frieds I meet.  
Jaymie O'Harrow

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Cruzita Trujillo

This Thanksgiving I am Thankful for My Parents because They

tuck me in at night Also, for God because he died on a Cross for Lord heaven I am Glad Jesus is our Father. We Thank him for our food. Before he died he came to Earth He is the best Father.  
Rudy Sanchez

I am Thankful for two things is Mrs. O'Harrow because she teaches us. The second thing is my church because it is fun.  
Carli McAngus

I am thankful for two things. the frist thing is my family because they help me. The second thing my teacher Mrs. O'Harrow because she is nice.  
Joshua Jurecek

I am thankful for two things. The first thing is my family because I love my family. The second thing is my church because it is fun.  
Holly Romero

I am thankful for two things. The first thing is my mom helps me study. The second thing is my Dad helps me read.  
Tyler Farmer

I am thankful for two Things The first Thing is My pets becuse We teach are puppes chap ice The seacet Thing is Mrs. O'Harrow because my Teacher is nice.  
Rosa Hernandez

I am thankful for two things The first thing is my pet becarse I play with my dog. The second thing is my family because they help with my homework.  
Eric Loomis

I am thankful for two things. The first thing is Mrs O'Harrow because my teacher helps me with my work. The second thing is my Parents because they feed me.  
J.R. Martinez

I am thankful for two things. The first thing is my Mom because she makes us food. The second thing is Everybody because They aren't mean.  
Domingo Torres

I am thankful for two thing is my family because my family Loves me and cares for me. The second thing is everybodys church because I Love to worship God.  
Kaitlyn Bluford

I am Thankful for two things. The first thing is my family because of food. The Second thing is my school because I learn.  
Abigail Ussery

I am thankful for two things. The first thing is my church because you can learn about Jesus and God. The second thing is food because we won't starve.  
Ashley Paulson

I am thankful for two things. The first thing is my church because it helps me learn about God. The second thing is my family because they give me all the things I need.  
Miles Mikeska

I am thankful for two things. The first thing is my country because we are free. The second thing is my teacher, Mrs. O'Harrow because she let's us read.  
Jorge Medrano

**Mrs. Mikeska's Class**

Thi Thanksgiving I am thankful for my teacher beukusl she i nise I am also Thankful for my mom and dad and my gramalan and my brother.

This Thaksgiving I am thankful for my mom Dad Grandma, and granpa.

I am also thankful for my dogs. because I can Fed my dogs.  
Nathan Jimenez

This Thanksgiving I am Thankful for my house, because I lvein it. I am also Thankful for my brothers.  
Robert Buchholz

This Thanksgiving I thankful for God because he gave me family. I am also thankful for our school because I like to do homework.  
Eloy Bustos

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my family because they tak care of us. am also thankful for god because he gave me my family and my dog.  
Deisy Aranda

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for God because he takes care of us. I am also Thankful for my Mom and Dad Because I Love them  
Jessica Sellers

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my teacher because she is nice. I am also thankful for school because it is important.  
Kymerlin Conn

This Thanksgiving I am Thankful for my Grandpa because he is funny. I am also thankful for my Grandma because I love her.  
Brenda Galan

This Thanksgiving I am Thankful for the world because The world takes care of us. I am also thankful for God because he also takes care of us.  
Marci L. Minor

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for Thanksgiving because we have a big dinner. I am also Thankful for God because he gave us the world.  
Aaron Parsley

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for the world because it is very pretty. I am also thankful for my teacher because she is very nice.  
Ben Wipff

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my dad because he takes me hunting. I am thankful for my mom because she is nice.  
Briley Ledbetter

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for God because he gave me life. I am also thankful for my teacher because She is nice.  
Sami Brown

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my Mom and Dad because they take care of me. I am also thankful for my teacher because she teaches me how to read.  
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## NOTICE OF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED November 6, 2000, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Schleicher County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on November 6, 2000, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in December, 2000, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Court-house door of said County, in the City of Eldorado, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Schleicher and the State of Texas, to-wit:

**CAUSE NO. STYLING OF CASE AND PROPERTY DESCRIPTION**

**CAUSE NO. DT-165 Schleicher County Appraisal District et al v. Andrew H. Edburg**

.003002 Royalty Interest, Parnier-30-Lease Q0500, 660.5 Acres, Section 30, Block 2, Abstract 858, GC&SF Survey, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 175, Pages 8 through 61 of the Deed Records, Schleicher County, Texas

**CAUSE NO. DT-270 Schleicher County Appraisal District et al v. Maria C. Ramirez**

Undivided 50% interest in Lot 13, Block 4K, Christian Addition to the Town of Eldorado, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 216, Page 16 of the Deed Records, Schleicher County, Texas

**CAUSE NO. DT-254 Schleicher County Appraisal District et al v. Maria Huichapa**

Lots 9 and 10, Block 5B, Christian Addition to the City of Eldorado, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 285, Page 38 of the Deed Records, Schleicher County, Texas

**CAUSE NO. DT-277 Schleicher County Appraisal District et al v. James L. Pierce**

.0015625 Royalty Interest (Lease Y8400) Otto G. William Lease, Section 36, Block 1, Abstract 1493, G.H.&S.A. Railway Company Survey, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 121, Page 449 of the Deed Records, Schleicher County, Texas

.003002 Royalty Interest, Parnier-29-Lease Q0400, in 653 acres, Section 29, Block, 2, Abstract 138, GC&SF Survey, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 175, Pages 8 through 61 of the Deed Records, Schleicher County, Texas

.0030020 Royalty Interest, Parnier-30-Lease Q0500, in 660.5 acres, Section 30, Block 2, Abstract 858, GC&SF Survey, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 175, Pages 8 through 61 of the Deed Records, Schleicher County, Texas

.0031540 Royalty Interest, Ryan-19-Lease S5000, Section 19, Block 2, Abstract 133, GC&SF Survey, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described and assessed on the tax rolls of this jurisdiction

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or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgement for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgement for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Undivided 50% interest in Lot 11, Block 4C, Christian Addition to the Town of Eldorado, Schleicher County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 216, Page 16 of the Deed Records, Schleicher County, Texas

**CAUSE NO. DT-275 Schleicher County Appraisal District et al v. James L. Taylor, and Kimberly Ann Taylor**

All of Lots 7A and 7B, Block 42, Original Town of Eldorado, Schleicher County, Texas with a Mobile Home, Label No. TEX0218174, Serial No. KBTXSN380183 located in the Town of Eldorado, Schleicher County, Texas

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DATED November 7, 2000, at Eldorado, Texas By David R. Doran, SHERIFF, Schleicher County, Texas - DEPUTY George M. Arispe, Chief Deputy

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Compiled by Ed Sterling

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nator for agave plants used to make tequila. Sightings of the bat can be reported to 512-327-9721 or sent via e-mail to TransPecosBats@batcon.org.

The Texas Railroad Commission urged homeowners to have their propane tanks and heating appliances inspected by a professional before the cooler winter temperatures set in. The commission offers the Home Safe Home brochure free to consumers by calling 1-800-642-5327.

**Solution to puzzle on Page 2**

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To Sadie Santellano, thank you for the beautiful decorations.

Thank God for a very special day filled with precious memories which Mary, Jesus, their children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren; as well as family and friends will look back on and treasure.

#### TEXAS NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION FOR WATER QUALITY TPDES PERMIT RENEWAL FOR MUNICIPAL WASTEWATER PERMIT NO. 10165-001

**APPLICATIONS AND PRELIMINARY DECISION.** City of Eldorado, P.O. Box 713, Eldorado, Texas 76936, has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for a renewal of TPDES Permit No. 10165-001, which authorizes the discharge of treated domestic wastewater at a daily average flow not to exceed 385,000 gallons per day. This application was submitted to the TNRCC on March 7, 2000.

The facility is located approximately 5000 feet northeast of the intersection of U.S. Highway 277 and U.S. Highway 915 in Schleicher County, Texas. The treated effluent is discharged to an unnamed tributary of the South Concho River; thence to the Middle Concho/South Concho River in Segment No. 1424 of the Colorado River Basin. The unclassified receiving water uses are no significant aquatic life uses for the unnamed tributary. The designated uses for Segment No. 1424 are high-aquatic life uses, public water supply and contact recreation.

The TNRCC executive director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit. The draft permit, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The executive director recommends issuance of this draft permit. The permit application, statement of basis/technical summary and executive director's preliminary decision, and draft permit are available for viewing and copying at City of Eldorado City Hall, #6 S. Cottonwood, Eldorado, Texas 76936.

**PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING.** You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit written or oral comment or to ask questions about the application. The TNRCC will hold a public meeting if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

Written public comments and requests for a public meeting should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk; MC 105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087 within 30 days of the date of newspaper publication of the notice.

**OPPORTUNITY OF A CONTESTED CASE HEARING.** After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. The response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments of who requested to be on a mailing list for this application. If comments were received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting a contested case hearing or reconsideration of the executive director's decision. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in a state district court.

A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues that were raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn. Issues that are not raised in public comments may not be considered during a hearing. **The TNRCC may act on this application to renew a permit without providing an opportunity for a contested case hearing if certain criteria are met.**

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ACTION.** The executive director may issue final approval of the application unless a timely contested case hearing request or a timely request for reconsideration is filed. If a timely hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed, the executive director will not issue final approval of the permit and will forward the application and requests to the TNRCC Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

**MAILING LIST.** In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. You may request to be added to: (1) the mailing list for this specific application; (2) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (3) the permanent mailing list for a specific county. Clearly specify which mailing list(s) to which you wish to be added and send your request to the TNRCC Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. Unless you otherwise specify, you will be included only on the mailing list for this specific application.

**INFORMATION.** If you need more information about this permit application or the permitting process (such as being added to the mailing list), please call the TNRCC Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040 or write to them at MC 105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas, 78711-3087. General information about the TNRCC can be found at our web site at [www.tnrcc.state.tx.us](http://www.tnrcc.state.tx.us).

Further information may also be obtained from City of Eldorado at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Jack Dean at (915) 853-2458.

Issued: NOV 10 2000  
LaDonna Castañuela, Chief Clerk  
Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission

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# 4-H Shooting Sports project getting off the ground

Does learning to shoot targets and clay pigeons appeal to you? Schleicher County 4-H Shooting Sports had its first recruitment of members this past Thursday evening, November 16 at the Memorial Building.

Students, age 8 to 16, along with interested parents and adults, listened to County Extension Agent Scott Edmonson and Certified Instructors Susan Lloyd and Leonard Lloyd explained rules and regulations of the newly formed sport.

4-H Shooting Sports was started to give youth an opportunity to compete in a sport that all girls and boys can participate in. After a year of planning several interested adults have obtained a site and certified instructors to support this new venture.

The site is an old compressor station located on the Enochs estate currently under lease to the City of Eldorado. The property is in the process of being outfitted for shooting sports.

The next step was to find certified instructors in rifle, shotgun and pistol. The Certified Shooting Sports Leaders are Susan Lloyd, Matt Brown, Jay O'Harrow, Mike Brenner, Neil Brenner and Cary Baker, all of whom are certified in rifle. Certified shotgun instructors are Leonard Lloyd, Bryan Doran and Gene Nixon. Robert Bybee is certified in

rifle, shotgun and pistol. The meeting was planned to bring in interested young people and parents who are ready to participate in this newly form sport for Schleicher County.

The course will cost \$25.00 per child. This cost will purchase the shells, targets, minor equipment and the \$1.00 insurance. The course is open to girls and boys ages Kindergarten through High School. Any group under the 4-H age (9 years of age or 8 years of age in the third grade) will begin with air rifles (BB guns).

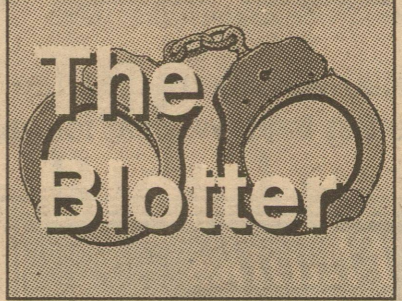
The limited supply of guns will be supplied by the 4-H Shooting Sports Project.

Committees are needed for the facilities, fundraising and instruc-



photo by Kathy Mankin  
**Bullseye** — Certified Shooting Sport Leader Susan Lloyd displays an official target to new prospects during the a membership meeting of the 4-H Shooting Sports group.

tor coordinating programming efforts. Safety will be the number one priority, of course. The sport's objectives are to enable young people, their parents and adult volun-



*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**
- November 14** • Allison, Beverly Ann, female age 37, hold for Irion County, charge Public Intoxication. Release on Citation.
  - November 15** • Nichols, Wayland Lee, male age 41, arrested by SC Officer, charge Warrant Travis County, 3rd Degree Felony, Unlawful Carrying Weapon On License Premises. Released on a \$2,500 Cash Bond.
  - November 19** • Falcon, Conrad Ruiz, male age 21, arrested by SC Officer, charge Driving While License Suspended. Released on \$1,000 Surety Bond.
  - November 20** • Whiddon, Sonja Gunn, female age 37, arrested by SC Officer, charge Disorderly Conduct. Released on Citation.
- REPORTS**
- November 14** • 11:49 p.m. Com-

teers to become responsible, self-directed and productive members of society.

If your child or high school student is interested in this sport please call Scott Edmonson at 853-2132.

- plaintain reported receiving harassing phone call. Phone number reported.
- November 15** • 8:01 a.m. Complainant reported an accident on Hwy. 277 South and Hwy 190 West. Officers and EMS responded.
- 8:38 a.m. Complainant reported a theft at a local grocery store.
- 5:35 p.m. Complainant reported gun shots coming from behind their house on E. Brooks Street. Officer responded and was unable to make contact with game warden.
- November 16** • 5:00 a.m. Complainant on Denny Street requested an ambulance stating they had a possible broken back. EMS 2 responded.
- 10:09 a.m. Complainant reported a missing black Angus bull with a blue ear tag.
- 4:28 p.m. Complainant reported a older model yellow Mercedes has been driving around the apartments between 4-5 a.m. without any lights on.
- 10:09 p.m. Complainant reported receiving harassing phone calls, and also being harassed in person. Officer responded.
- November 17** • 7:45 a.m. Complainant reported a gas drive off from the Texaco in Sonora. Complainant stated that the vehicle was a white 99 Explorer. Officer responded.
- 10:12 a.m. Complainant requested to speak to the game warden. Game warden responded.
- 11:40 p.m. Complainant reported a possible domestic disturbance. Two officers responded.
- November 18** • 11:17 a.m. Complainant reported a vehicle accident south on Hwy. 277. No injuries. Officer responded.
- 12:10 p.m. Complainant reported a 911 hang up call from County Road 339. Weather had phone lines messed up.
- 1:45 p.m. Complainant reported brothers not getting along too well. Subject stated one brother reportedly pulled a knife on the other earlier in the day. Officer responded to call.
- 4:03 p.m. Complainant on N. Divide reported a fight. Officers responded.
- November 20**
- 12:08 a.m. Complainant requested an officer to speak to their neighbor who had their music turned up very loud. Officer responded to first call which also followed with a second call where the female was placed under arrest.
- 3:30 p.m. Subject requested an officer to speak to some individuals that were picking pecans and knocking branches down all over the road. Officer was unable to locate vehicle.
- 10:09 p.m. Complainant requested an ambulance for a 45 year old male who was dehydrated. Complainant was in Tom Green County. Sheriff Office passed on information to Tom Green County dispatch.
- November 21** • 1:30 p.m. Complainant reported kids shoes and a BB gun at the car wash.

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