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ELDORADO—SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS (76936) Thursday, April 27, 1967

Number 17

## Absentee Voting To Start Monday

Ballots were printed over the week end for the May 20 Hospital District election and are being delivered to the County Clerk's office where absentee voting will be permitted beginning Monday.

The printing of the official legal notice calling election appears again in this issue for the second and final time, on page 7.

Ballots carry two propositions which, in brief, are—

FOR creation of the district.  
AGAINST (same)

FOR issuance of \$450,00 in bonds  
AGAINST (same).

Following the election on Saturday, May 20th, the Commissioners Court will meet on May 22nd to canvass the returns, and, assuming it will have been approved, they will at the same time name the seven directors who will be the governing body of the new Hospital District for the first year.

## Funeral Held Saturday For Oldest Resident

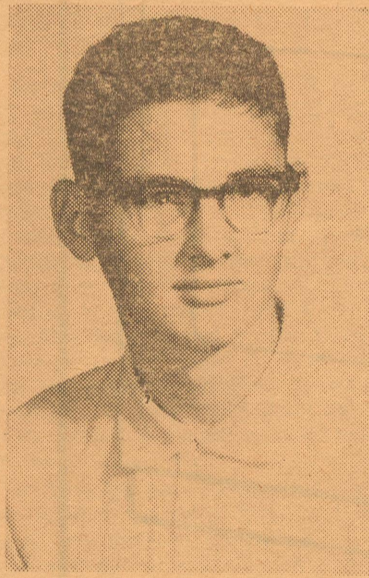
Mrs. Josefa R. Perez, 107-year-old Eldorado resident, died April 20, 1967. According to estimate figures, she was born April 19, 1860, at Matehuala, Mexico and came to the United States in 1914.

She had made her home in Eldorado since that time and in recent years had lived in the home of her daughter, Sara Rangel.

Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday at the Catholic Church with burial here in Eldorado Cemetery directed by Ratliff-Kerbow Funeral Home.

Survivors include 3 sons, and 2 daughters, 22 grandchildren, 37 great-grandchildren, 19 great-great-grandchildren and 7 great-great-great-grandchildren.

## Montgomery Taking AF Basic Training



PHILLIP MONTGOMERY

A 1966 graduate of Eldorado High School, Phil Montgomery, is now in the Air Force and is taking basic training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio.

His address is:  
AB Phillip B Montgomery  
AF15774034  
Box 1501  
Flight 437  
Lackland AFB, Texas 78236

## Eastside Lions Club Elects New Officers

Domingo Pina presided at the meeting last Thursday night of the Eastside Lions Club, and the following new officers were elected:

Manuel Martinez ..... Pres.  
Martin Garcia ..... 1st V-Pres.  
Gregorio Rodriguez ..... 2nd V-Pres.  
Alcadio Arrebalo ..... 3rd V-Pres.  
Armando Martinez ..... Tail Twister

Lion Rutillo Robledo is to remain as secretary.

Board of directors consists of Pedro Torres, Oscar Escalante, and Ray Romero.

The Club is making plans to have a barbecue the night of Saturday, May 13th, in connection with their First Anniversary.

The members are organizing a new baseball team and are selling local business houses the sponsoring of uniforms for \$12 each.

## Post Script

Ratliff's dry goods store is now the local retail outlet for the Jackie Dee line of dresses manufactured by El Dorado Woolens.

El Dorado Woolens will continue to operate in Shreveport, Louisiana, have an in their own fabric shop. The Del Dorado line is successor to the di Risi garments formerly made here.

The local firm recently sold about 300 dresses to Sears for resale.

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Building going on:  
The painters are at work this week on the Presbyterian Manse, which has undergone a renovation and enlargement project in recent weeks. Rev. Toney McMillan is to move to it early in June.

A new sidewalk is being laid around the south side of the Memorial Building.

—ps—

With our subscribers:  
Mrs. Otto Sauer has entered a new subscription for her son-in-law and daughter, Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Perkins, whose address is Box 16, Sunray Route, Dumas, Texas 79029.

Mrs. Verna G. Ratliff is a new subscriber at 8203 Queens Way, Dallas, Texas 75217.

—ps—

In this column last week we stated that the county tax assessor was not in the habit of rendering property for taxes if a lone car was all a citizen owned.

Orval Edmiston has corrected us on this. He said that they have the list of all cars registered, and that they put them all on the tax roll. But vehicles 10 years and over are not counted. We are glad to get this corrected.

—ps—

"When land is ruined, we blight the future of people as well as the face of America. When land is used in harmony with our needs and the requirements of nature, it rewards us with beauty and riches." These are the words of President Lyndon B. Johnson, in support of Soil Stewardship Week, which is being observed through May 7.

This message by the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District, local sponsor of Soil Stewardship Week.

—ps—

Write It Wright  
The world's full of rules and regulations. So the Minnesota Newspaper Association comes up with these "UN"-rules for news writers:

1. Don't use no double negative.
  2. Make each pronoun agree with their antecedent.
  3. Join clauses good, like a conjunction should.
  4. About them sentence fragments.
  5. When dangling watch your participles.
  6. Verbs has to agree with their subjects.
  7. Just between you and I, case is important too.
  8. Don't write run-on sentences if they are hard to read.
  9. Don't use commas, which aren't necessary.
  10. Try to not ever split infinitives.
  11. It's important to use your apostrophe's correctly.
  12. Proofread your writing to see if any words out.
  13. Correct spelling is essential.
- ps—

Less than two weeks remain until bids will be opened for construction of the 24 low-rent housing units for Eldorado.

Bids will be opened at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 9th, at the Memorial Building.

## News Of The Sick

Mrs. Laman Hazelwood entered Clinic Hospital Saturday where she is undergoing tests and treatment. J. C. Whiteley's condition in Brady is described as being "about the same."

Buster Gunn has been a patient in Shannon hospital for several weeks. He may come home this week end.

Mrs. W. J. Humphrey continues as a patient in Shannon hospital. Edwin "Cotton" Childers returned home last Friday from Houston where he underwent medical treatment.

Mrs. Arch Crosby is in Clinic Hospital this week and is scheduled to have surgery.

## Choral Program Set For Monday Night

Everyone is invited to attend the Choral Concert Monday, May 1, at 8:00 o'clock (new time) in the High School Auditorium.

The choirs that will perform are Grade School, Jr. High, and High School.

The Grade School Choir will present "America, Our Heritage" in song, directed by Mrs. Oliver Teele, Narrators are Karl McCormack, and Jeff Connor.

Accompanists are the following: Patti Olson, Lynn Sanders, Carri Salter, Lou Ann Nixon, and Tim Edmiston, and Carolyn Page.

Junior High Choral is directed by Mr. Wayne McDonald; accompanist is Karen Hight.

High School Choral directed by Mr. Wayne McDonald. Accompanists are Judy Sallee and Rusty Meador.

Come—Come—Come.

## Daylight Savings In Effect This Sunday

Clocks will be pushed ahead one hour April 30 (this Sunday) for 180 million Americans in 46 states.

But they will tick on unchanged in two states with nine million residents. And they will either stay put or advance in two states with seven million population.

That's the way the lineup stood in advance of the start of Daylight Saving time.

Congress enacted a law directing all states—except those in which legislatures vote exemption—to observe Daylight Saving Time from 2 a.m. the last Sunday in April until 2:00 a.m. the last Sunday in October.

Some effort was made in the Texas Legislature in recent months to exempt this state from Daylight Saving Time, but the effort failed, so we will be included. This will be Texas' first experience with the change since the World War II period when all the nation was under it.

The easiest set-up will be for you to re-set your watch and clocks just before you go to bed Saturday night. If you retire at 10:00 p.m., move your watch to 11:00. Or you could take care of the matter when you arise Sunday morning.

But be sure to do so, so that you won't get to church a whole hour late.

## Davenport Will Preach Here Sunday

John Wayne Davenport, senior student at the Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Austin, will be guest pastor at the First Presbyterian Church, Eldorado, on Sunday, April 30.

Davenport attended San Antonio Junior College and received a degree in business administration from the University of Texas in 1963.

He was a member of the national honorary societies of business administration and the social sciences and graduated with honors.

Before entering the seminary, he was a high school mathematics teacher.

Davenport is married to the former Barbara Ann Taylor of Austin. They have one child.

## Stage Band Presents Lions Club Program

The regular meeting of the Eldorado Lions Club was held yesterday at noon in the Memorial Building, with Charles Wimer presiding.

Boss Lion Wimer read a letter from the Lions Club at Bronte reporting that they would have a Golf Tournament on April 29th. At the beginning of the meeting, Lion Ed Meador led in the Flag Salute, and Lion Fred Watson gave invocation.

For the program, Eagle Bandmaster Wayne McDonald had his 17-member Stage Band to present several selections in the upstairs auditorium. Several townspeople were on hand as guests.

At next week's meeting, the eight literary winners from school who will go to the State Meet in Austin will be guests of the club.

# H. S. Honor Graduates Announced



KAREN GIBSON  
Valedictorian—Ave. 98.593



MARTHA SUE PAGE  
Salutatorian—Ave. 92.257

## Round-Up Set Friday For Six-Year-Olds

The annual Round-Up for pupils who will enter the Eldorado schools this coming Fall is set for Friday, tomorrow, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30.

The Round-Up is put on each year by the Parent-Teacher Association, and the chairman this year is Mrs. Gerald Hartgraves.

As of this week, there were 43 pupils signed up for the Round-Up. However, any children who will be six by September 1st and who might have been overlooked in the school census should also attend, and their parents should bring them.

Parents are requested to bring their children to the elementary principal's office at 10:30 in the morning, with the required vaccination and immunization records, and birth certificate.

Mrs. Newport will direct them in sing songs, games, and other activities that they will be doing at the beginning of the school year coming up. They will be served a free lunch at noon in the school cafeteria.

Parents should pick them up at 12:30.

## Dog Vaccination Day Is Set For May 6th

The Eldorado Lions Club will put on their annual Pet Vaccination Day on Saturday, the 6th of May, it was announced this week.

Local residents may bring in their dogs and other pets then to have them vaccinated for rabies; Further details on locations, charges, etc., will be given in next week's Success issue.

Mrs. Shirley Burke and daughter, Jani Marie, from Hollywood, California, visited the Jimmy Doyle's over the week end. Mrs. Burke is Mrs. Doyle's sister.

# Eldorado Wins Literary Meet

The Eldorado Speech department came home victorious from the Region I Class A Regional meet held in Lubbock over the week end. Eldorado accumulated 65 points out of a possible 75 points that they could have received. These points included four firsts which were in the One-Act Play, Debate, Poetry, and Type-writing.

The Regional contest started out on a low note with Mickey Pennington, best actor in District and substitute debater, falling from a rope in the high school gym. After this he was semi-conscious for about five hours. When he regained his senses he could not remember anything about going to the regional meet the next day. Because of this he stayed in the hospital overnight. He checked out Thursday morning and went to Lubbock with his aching head. Not sure how well he would be able to participate the next day, Martha Sue Page brought a pillow for him to rest his head on and a cake, while Billie Gay Blaylock brought a box of doughnuts. With all this care, Mickey made a complete recovery and won the

Regional debate eliminations with his partner Martha Sue Page.

Mickey and Martha Sue besides winning debate won first in the Regional One-Act Play contest, held Friday night. Each of them contributed 40 points to the total point schedule. In addition, the other members of the cast included Susan Hill, Susan Mobley, Kay Sanders, Steve Whitten, and Rusty Meador. Susan Hill and Rusty Meador were selected to the all-star cast. The critic judge from North Texas State University said the main reason she awarded Eldorado the decision was the way they worked together as one group, with everyone adding to the presentation, and none detracting from the production. With the first in Debate and One-Act Play Contest, 40 points had been accumulated.

Eldorado did not stop with these 40 points, though. Rusty Meador won first in boys poetry interpretation and was awarded 10 points. Rusty was involved with the accumulation of thirty points. Kathy Robinson rounded out the total by winning first in typing and obtaining 15 points.

High School Principal Guy Whitaker this week announced the honor grads of the 1967 Senior class of Eldorado High School.

Karen Rebecca Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Gibson, had a four-year grade average of 98.593 as valedictorian of this year's class.

She has been given the Lions Club Scholarship Award her Freshman through her Junior years, has won music and science fair awards, and was elected to the National Honor Society. She plans to attend Angelo State College for at least a year before transferring to a University.

Salutatorian, with average of 92.257, is Martha Sue Page who is bound for Texas Christian University in Fort Worth following graduation.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Page, Martha Sue has been active in band, choral, speech, F. H. A., science, National Honor, Student Council and basketball during her high school years. Her Senior year she was elected Class Favorite and DAR Good Citizen.

Gordon Schrank, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schrank, is high boy with grade average of 89.675. He is president of the Science Club, on the Talon staff, has been in Speech Club, and in Slide Rule and Science contests.

He has been class officer, in choral club, in National Honor Society, Spanish Club, and went to American Legion Boys State in Austin last summer. Gordon plans to attend Angelo State College.

## Angelo State College Rodeo Is This Week

The Angelo State College Rodeo will be held Friday and Saturday nights of this week at the Fairgrounds in San Angelo. Performances will be at 8:00 o'clock each evening.

Proceeds go to the Rodeo Scholarship Fund. Admission is \$1.50 for adults, \$1.00 for students, and children under 12 will be admitted free when accompanied by an adult.

## Interest To Cease On Postal Savings

United States Postal Savings certificates which are on deposit at Post Offices will cease earning interest for depositors on April 27, 1967. Postmaster Bernard Carr said today.

Nationwide, the Post Office Department is holding more than \$90 million in the now obsolete program which was discontinued by the Congress on March 28, 1966.

Postmaster Carr urged that all Postal Savings depositors close out their accounts. He has full information and the necessary forms at the Post Office.

At the Region I, Conference A, Literary Meet, three trophies were given out. Eldorado received all three for their firsts in the One-Act Play, Debate, and total points. A roundup of the people involved shows how versatile these contestants are. Mickey and Martha Sue each received 40 points, for two different events; Rusty Meador received 30 points, for two different events; and Kathy Robinson, who entered two entirely different events. These people not only entered more than one event, but won first in at least one of the events. Other people entering the Regional Meet in different events were Kathy Robinson, number sense; Billie Gay Blaylock, typing and extemp; and Susan Hill, slide rule.

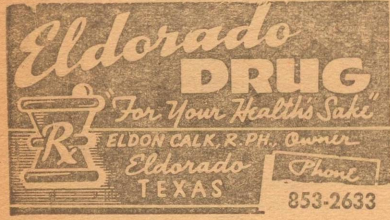
With the winning of regional, work is not over for these students, but just beginning because on May 4, 5, and 6 the State Meet will be held in Austin. At the state meet Eldorado will be represented in One-Act Play, Debate, Poetry, and Typing. Eldorado's sprint relay will also be represented at the State Meet on the same days.

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Commendations — For: Mrs. Pat Martin, pretty property. Lynn Griffin, cleaning vacant lot across street from home. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cathey, pretty property. Mrs. Ora Davis, cleaning vacant lot next to hers.

Announcements: Since the recent purchase by the city of a new "Pak-Mor" truck our citizens now have available trash disposal including limbs of reasonable size so long as they are reduced to three-foot lengths and are collected in bundles or other containers suitable for loading by hand.

April and May are now designated as clean-up months. Every resident is urged to co-operate. If your neighbor has improved his property and you would like to see it mentioned, please notify some member of the beautification committee.

Attention is once again called to the need for our people to use the trash receptacles placed by the pool hall, the drug store, at the school, etc.

**BUYS REG. ANGUS BULL**

C. H. Trigg of Eldorado recently purchased an Aberdeen-Angus bull from Cottontail Branch Angus Farm of Aledo, Texas.

**Sprint Relay Team Going To State Meet In May**



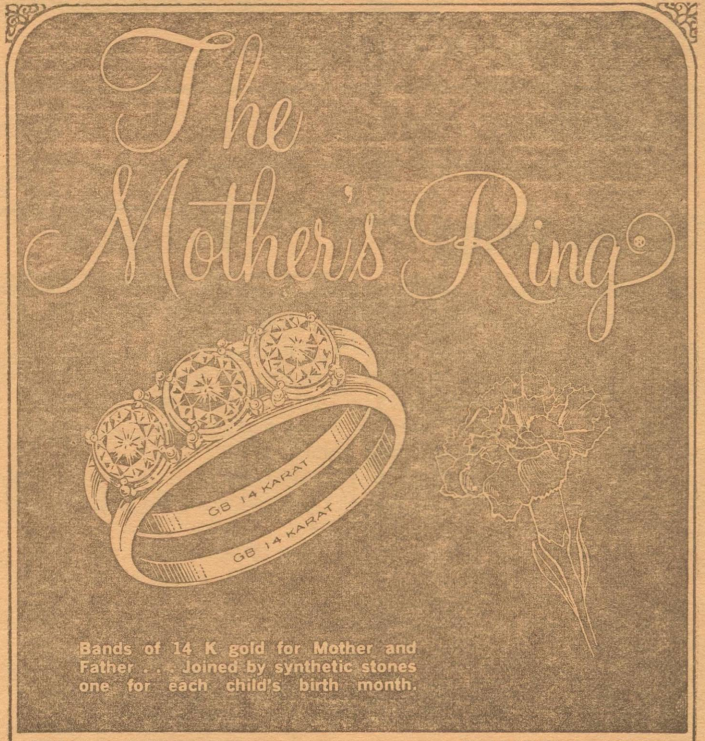
Shown above, Sprint Relay team members Wayne Doyle, Jesse Bosmans, Pat Childers, and Roy Davidson, and Paul Page (not shown) will go to the State Meet in Austin which will be held May 4, 5, and 6. Coach Ray Morgan reported that the local team ran a 43.9 time in Regional Meet last weekend in Lubbock to qualify for state. Also Johnny Mayo was 6th in shot put with 51' 2"; Ray Lewis Lozano ran the 880. Our runners will run the night of Friday, May 5th, in Austin.

school, but do not produce enough to justify the minimum payments. They will be left at home.

A report from Arizona states that of 600 onion pickers on a project, doing piece work, about a third of them are being dropped because they do not produce en-

ough work to justify the \$1 minimum. They will be available for relief.

It is said the welfare agencies are bracing themselves for unprecedented demands from those forced on relief by the new minimum wage law.



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Range Contest Held Saturday . . .

**Deaton Of Ozona Wins Runge Award**

The Eldorado-Divide Soil and Water Conservation District Invitational Grass Judging Contest was held Saturday on the Walter Pope Ranch.

The contest was for 4-H and FFA boys and girls in the district, and for members in towns surrounding the district. There were nine teams entered with 34 boys and girls participating.

Jessie Deaton, Crockett county 4-H Club boy was the overall high individual and won the J. Forrest Runge memorial award. This award is to be presented each year in honor and memory of Mr. Runge who served so long as district supervisor of this district, and it was his idea years ago that started range and grass judging contests among club boys. Mrs. Runge presented the award.

Other winners were as follows:

1st Place Senior Crockett Co. No. 1 4-H team members Jessie Deaton, Dan Edgerton, Kathy Williams.

2nd Place Senior Eldorado No. 1 FFA team members: Sam Oglesby, Jack Williams, Jimmy Martin, and Will Edmiston.

3rd Place Senior Crockett Co. No. 2 4-H Alton Everett, Pat Fitzhugh, and Connie Whitehead.

1st Place Junior Sutton Co. Girls Team No. 1 team members: Janet Pope, Patti Richardson, June Alexander, and Cora Pope.

2nd Place Junior Sutton County Boys team No. 2. Team members: Dick Street, Steve Street, Mark Rousselot, and Roger Langford.

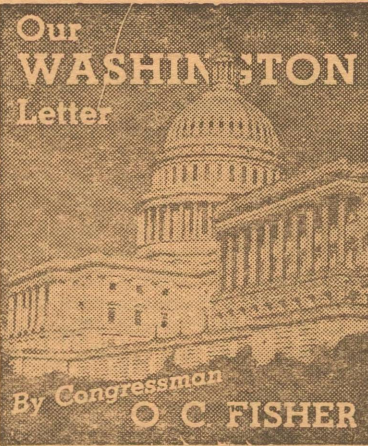
3rd Place Junior Crockett County 4-H team members: Fred Deaton, Rodney Walker, and Craig Taliaferro.

There was a total of 57 at the contest who enjoyed the free barbecue furnished by the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pope. Those in attendance included District Supervisors and their wives; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hext, son of Ben Hext, chairman of Board of Supervisors; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Glasscock of Sonora; Soil Conservation Service personnel and their wives; Mrs. Whitehead of Ozona; FFA and 4-H Club instructors; and W. F. Edmiston of Eldorado.

Bob Ragsdale, associate Range Specialist, Texas A&M University, set up the plant identification range utilization and range placing plots for the contest.

Plaques, awards, and ribbons were presented to the contestants by Ben Hext, chairman of the board of supervisors and Walter Pope, secretary of the board.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelms are getting ready to move to the Parker place out in the county, and the Thorntons will move here to the Ebba Finley house later in the Spring.



The Great Welfare Society's increase in the minimum wage, from \$1.25 to \$1.40 last Feb. 1, and \$1.60 Feb. 1, 1968, approved last year, is beginning to pinch. Many nasty complaints are reaching Washington every day concerning loss of jobs due to the forced increase. As expected, the chief victims at this stage are children under 16, older workers, the handicapped, and other fringe workers who are limited in productive capacity. It is now recognized that tens of thousands in these categories will be put out of work.

While most ranch operations will be exempt, some 400,000 farm workers will be affected. The minimum for them is \$1 an hour.

In the past retail industries grossing no more than \$500,000 a year were exempt from the law. But the new version lowers that to \$250,000.

A survey in Mississippi and Arkansas reveals that literally thousands of fringe farm workers will be dismissed because they do not produce enough to justify the \$1 minimum. Emergency food supplies are being rushed in for the stepped-up welfare programs.

It is reported additional thousands will be displaced by mechanization, forced on farmers and many industries because of the jacked-up minimum wage.

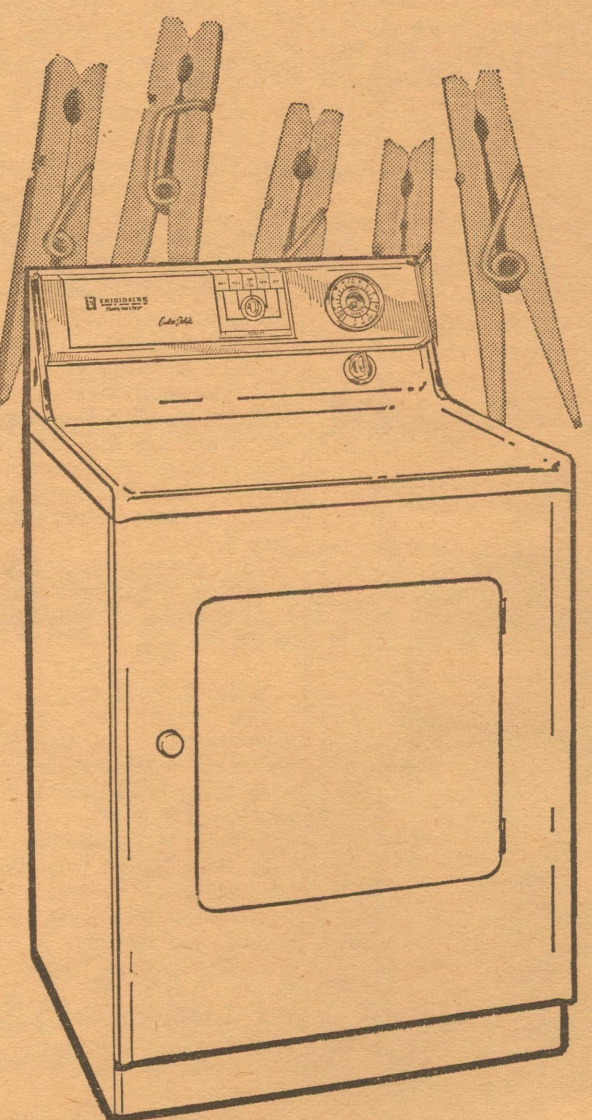
A Hondo broom corn farmer, who during harvest hires as many as 200 Latin-Americans, reports that Wage & Hour agents have imposed a \$1 an hour minimum for all, including children under 16. Many children join the parents in the fields when not in

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How did the judges know about these points? The people told us and about every point, too. At Pleasant Hill in Blanco county, 16 people arose and made a separate report on each topic. In many cases colored slides had been made during the period of one or two years time showing the dramatic changes of before and after scenes.

A complete story could be written on the pictures alone. Scenes showing the men of the Doss community painting the parsonage, a field which had been planted with improved seed, a pasture which had been given the brush control treatment in Mason county—and hundreds more were shown.

Cash prizes will be awarded to each community entering the contest, but the first, second and third place winners get more than the others. But not one entered the contest for the money. One hundred dollars these days isn't enough to move a whole community. And, pride is not a salable commodity.

Of course I found people in almost every place who knew someone in either Eldorado or Schleicher county, and that was certainly true in the Doss community. I found relatives of our neighbors, the Samers, Faughts and Munds and raked up one long lost college friend. The funny thing about finding her was that it took us both at least 4 hours to figure out where we might have known each other. Silently, of course.

But the biggest kick I got out of finding anybody was in seeing Bess and Roy Andrews at Saline in Menard county. I'm of the opinion that the Andrews belong to Saline nearly as much as they do to Eldorado. Anyway, we did have a good time together.

DAR Meeting Held In Ozona Thursday

The El Dorado Chapter, DAR, met with the Ozona members in the home of Mrs. Stephen Perner, on April 20, 1967.

She filled her home with the results of her gardening efforts. Spring flowers including the Peace rose and gorgeous peonies, and the pictures done by "My June" and the hostess.

Mrs. Luke Thompson, Sr., regent, presided, presenting the chaplain pro tem, Mrs. E. L. Dyer.

Using the quotation in the Year Book from our former President, Dwight D. Eisenhower, alluding to the United Nations, she read from the Scripture, Micah 6:4. This she amplified with interesting information about the U. N. concluding with prayer. At the piano she led in singing the National Anthem, then the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The monthly letter from the President General, NSDAR, Mrs. William Henry Sullivan Jr., was read by the regent.

The Ozona members provided the program, presenting Mrs. G. R. Oehler.

Early American songs lived again by accenting the eras of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln showing the songs these two former Presidents loved.

Mmes. Perner and Dyer served the members delicious refreshments from a lovely tea table in the dining room.

The last meeting this chapter year will be a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. on May 18, at Java Junction. Call Mrs. Elizabeth Rae Powell for reservations. —Rep.

School Menus

Monday, May 1: Hamburger with noodles, green beans, mushroom sauce, tossed green salad, buttered rolls, milk, canned fruit.

Tuesday, May 2: Smothered steak, steamed rice, boiled carrots, broccoli spears, buttered rolls, milk, banana pudding.

Wed., May 3: Hot dogs with chili, potato salad, stuffed celery, fresh fruit cup, milk, brownies.

Thursday, May 4: Barbecued beef roast, pinto beans, Spanish rice, cole slaw, buttered rolls, milk, applesauce cake, orange icing.

Friday, May 5: Turkey salad sandwiches, roast beef sandwiches, french fried potatoes, English pea salad, milk, fresh fruit.

Home Demonstration Agent's Column By MRS. VIDA KREKLOW

I've just had a very nice thing happen to me. I was invited to join members of the Extension Service staff and Mr. Curly Hays of the West Texas Utilities Co. on judging trip of an eight-county Community Improvement contest.

The trip was cut into parts. April 13 and 14 were the first two days while April 20 and 21 concluded the tours.

There was a time when Lowake, Prairie Mountain, Pleasant Hill, Doss, Saline, Long Mountain and East Sweden were no more than community names appearing on the list of those taking part in the Improvement Contest to me. They are no longer names; they are people, now.

The people who make up these communities are a special kind of people. They want their communities to be better places to live and care enough to do the work themselves to make them better. These people esteem each other enough to share responsibilities, work and leadership. While the rest of the world is floundering in the demands of the present and the problems of the future these communities are holding to that of the past which is lovely and solid and strong and are building the

future on these things.

I know of nothing more satisfying than to see a community restored; I even get pleasure out of seeing a piece of furniture refinished, but to see an old school house put back in its almost original state, to see water systems installed, to see new kitchens added, plus all the restoration of community pride and spirit was a totally refreshing experience to me.

I wish all of you could have gone along. Really the best part was all the marvelous food. It was almost too good. Of course, I really did not have to eat as much as I did but I certainly did not want to take a chance of offending a hostess. Besides, I can cut down on food when there are not baskets of big homemade loaves of bread, when there are no home made sausages, no smoked hams, no smoked turkeys, when there is not 14 kinds of pie and 8 kinds of cake, when there are not 15 kinds of salads and as many vegetables, when the home made pickles and relishes are gone, when the creamy, waxy home made butter has disappeared, when there are no home grown strawberries and cream, and when the good Garman cooked cheese (which we had at Long Mountain in Mason county) has long since disappeared; then I can cut down on the food. And cut down I must do, and will.

I said that the food was nearly the best part—not really but you

can see from even my sketchy reference to it that the food was an item.

No, the most important thing which was found in each community is much more difficult to describe than food. Many words might be used to describe this quality of the people and their communities; courage would be a good word, integrity could be used, and pride, faith, ambition and determination might fit but I believe a combination of them all might turn out to be the real word after all.

The communities were found in Menard, Mason, Llano, Blanco, Gillespie and McCulloch counties. The same score card was applied to them all with the exception of East Sweden in McCulloch county; it was in a beginner's class.

Listen to these headings on the score sheet; the things they were judged on:

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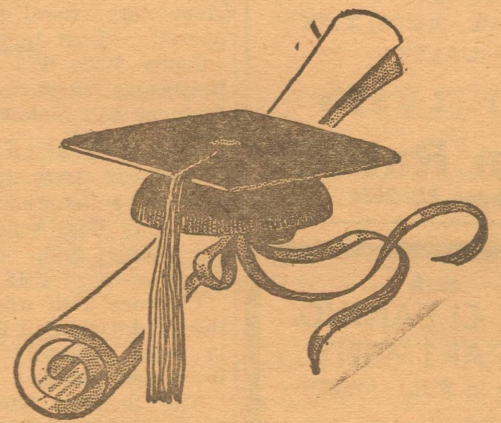
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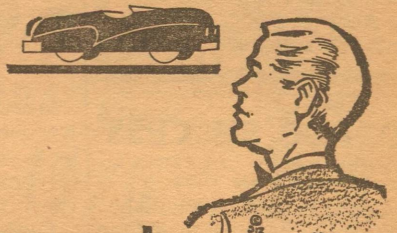
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In Those Days Compiled From Success Files ONE YEAR AGO April 28, 1966—Robert Martin announced as candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 3, unexpired term. Mrs. Teele was presenting her elementary chorals groups in an operetta, "Dust In the Sky." Paula Mace was announced on the dean's list at Southwest Texas State at San Marcos. FIVE YEARS AGO April 26, 1962—Genelle Edmiston was announced as valedictorian, Judy Hext salutatorian, and Jim Runge high boy of the '62 Senior class of EHS. Clarence Fish was dismantling the landmark Pelt-West residence in south Eldorado to make way for a new motel. The Seniors were presenting their play, "Bull In a China Shop" directed by Bill Bowen. The cast included Jim Cheek, Martha Topliffe, Judy Hext, Verna Lux, Lynda McGinnes, Genelle Edmiston, Helen Hensley, Johnny Griffin, Jerry Thomerson, Mikel Jurecek, Donnie Holden, Pam Calk and Leonard Kent. Alton Roy Mitchell was assigned to Lackland Air Base at San Antonio for Air Force basic training. 12 YEARS AGO April 28, 1955—Mrs. Bert Page died at the age of 71 in John Sealy hospital in Galveston, and her funeral was held here. Mrs. W. E. Baker was honored on her 88th birthday. W. T. Whitten was elected president and W. G. Godwin vice president of the Lions club for the 1955-56 year. Ann Carolyn Dendy's engagement to Glenn Biggs was announced. The engagement of Martha Dell Williams to Jimmy Thornton was announced. The couple were planning a May 28 wedding. Jimmy Whitten, Billy Williams, Bobby Williams and Tony Cheatham were the livestock judging team going to Lubbock for the Area II contests. L. V. Newport was foods chairman and Jimmy Martin was president as the Methodist Men's fishing trip was held on Upper Lake. 35 YEARS AGO April 29, 1932—J. H. Luedcke was elected trustee over Doc Kerr by a vote of 84 to 43, as a special election was held to settle a previous tie. Lewis Whitten accidentally shot himself in the arm while handling a small pistol at Crain Motor Co. The bullet was removed by a San Angelo doctor. Miss Tom Pearl Smith reported on her trip to Gonzales as the Woman's Missionary Society met at Mrs. Reuben Dickens' home, with Mrs. G. A. Neill, Mrs. A. J. Atkins, and Mrs. Haywood Bird co-hostesses. Juanita Lee Thompson died at the age of nearly 11. Thomas Gathright was leaving here, after accepting the call to serve the First Christian Church at Valentine. Harold Isaacs was here for the week end from Schreiner, visiting his parents. Hollis Alexander won a trip to Sweetwater by being tops in a speaking contest; Grace Ratliff was second and W. B. Gibson, 3rd. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parker returned from San Antonio where they entered their son, Luther, in Draughan's Business College. Hensel Matthews was in from the ranch and reported that he had about 7 inches of rain, and that the draw through his place looked like the Colorado river. The old Palace Theatre building was being wrecked. The First National Bank had bought the lots and building two years previously.

Invitation For Bids The Housing Authority of Eldorado, Texas will receive bids for construction of Low-Rent Housing Project No. Tex 279-1 to be built in the City of Eldorado, Texas, until 7:00 o'clock P. M., C.S.T., on the 9th day of May, 1967, at the Memorial Building on Courthouse Square in Eldorado, Texas, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Proposed forms of contract documents, including plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Housing Authority of Eldorado, Texas. Copies of the documents may be obtained by depositing \$50.00 with the Architects and Engineers, Fitch & Holdredge, 5731 Gulf Freeway, Houston, Texas, for each set of documents so obtained. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns plans, specifications and other documents, in good condition within 10 days after bid opening. A certified check or bank draft, payable to the Local Authority, U. S. Government Bonds, or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond. Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the specifications must be paid on this project, and that the contractor will be required to perform with his own forces the construction branches of structural concrete and carpentry, and that preference insofar as practicable, should be given by the contractor in hiring of workers for the project to qualified local labor. The Local Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Local Authority. Housing Authority of Eldorado, Texas By: H. G. White, Chairman (Ap 13-20-27)

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Community Calendar

April 27, Thursday. Junior class play. April 27, Thursday. Drivers License patrolman here. April 28, Friday. Pre-School Round-Up for the incoming First Grade pupils. April 29, Saturday. Gift Tea honoring Eldra Gibson, bride-elect of James Dziuk, 3:30 to 5:00 p.m., Memorial Building. May 1, Monday. Mrs. Teele's Spring Choral program. May 1-16. Absentee voting in hospital bond election. May 3, Wednesday. Lions Club meets 12:15. Memorial Building. May 4, Thursday. Am. Legion meeting. May 4, Thursday. Eastside Lions Club meets in L. A. community. May 6, Saturday. Gift Coffee honoring Bonnie Luman, bride-elect of John Lowe, 9:30 to 11:00 a.m., home of Mrs. Leo Prater. May 8, Monday. O.E.S. meets. May 11, Thursday. Masonic Lodge meets. May 13, Saturday. Eastside Lions Club barbecue for First Anniversary. May 16, Tuesday. Modern Homemakers meet 2:30. Mem. Bldg. May 20, Saturday. Hospital Bond election. May 21, Sunday. Baccalaureate. May 22, Monday. Commencement. May 18, Thursday. DAR luncheon, 12:30 at Java Junction. June 24, Saturday. Reunion of EHS Class of '67.

Recent books added to the library are: Russian, given by Mrs. Roxa Tisdale. Memorials for Mrs. R. A. Evans, God and Human Suffering, given by Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Ramsay; and Evening Star, given by Ruth Baker. New books for the little folks are One Wide River To Cross; Baron Brandy's Boots; Henry the Explorer and Mrs. Switch. New books for adults are: Winston S. Churchill; Five Smooth Stones; The Man Who Knew Kennedy, and The Arrangement. The Library Board and The Friends of the Library held a joint meeting Friday, March 10, at 3:00 o'clock. Letters have been sent to the people of the community inviting them to join the Friends of the Library. The response has been very good and we have cards for each one who joins that can be carried in billfold. If you have not received your card, come by the library and pick it up, please. Last week was National Library Week and we had 125 visitors in the library. 578 books were checked out for March. Our circulation has increased since January 1st. We can say the publicity that the Friends of the Library have been giving us is making more people in the community library conscious. Mrs. Nimitz and Mrs. Newport brought their first graders to visit the library during National Library Week.

CARD OF THANKS To every one of you for your expressions of concern and love (the many cards, visits, calls, lovely gifts, beautiful flowers and delicious food) during my stay in the hospital and after my return home I am humbly grateful. And Bvokta Class, you are wonderful. Thank you. Vida Mercer \* Mrs. Johnnie Giroux Montell, Texas 78874 (District Manager)

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# First Annual B.V.D. Relays - Results

The first annual B. V. D. relays were held on Monday afternoon, April 24th at Eagle field, and a better-than-average crowd turned out to watch the elementary tracksters perform. This was the first such track meet, and the first place winner in each event established a record for that event that will stand until bettered in future years. Results were:

**Division I**

60 yard dash. 1. Forrest Henderson, 9.6; 2. Mike Salter; 3. Mark Bishop, 1. Danny Robledo, 5. Bary Warnock.  
 60 yd. run, Dale Storie 1:51, Efrain Maya, Larry Day, Walter Hanusch, Steve Toburen.  
 40 yd. low hurdles. Forrest Henderson, 7.7; Dale Storie, Milke Salter, Jimmy Cauley, Joey Jones.  
 Softball throw. Dale Storie 127'7" Forrest Henderson, Efrain Maya, Danny Robledo, Mike Salter.  
 Running Broad Jump. Jimmy Sauley 10'8", Walter Hanusch, Dale Storie, Steve Toburen, Larry Day.  
 Standing Broad Jump. Forrest Henderson 5'8 1/2", Joey ones, Mark Bishop, Mike Salter, Eppy Sanchez.

**Division II**

60 yard dash. Charlie Davidson 9.2, Benjie Jay, Larry Holsey, Jerry Gartman.  
 600 yd. run. Lester Nixon 1:47.4, Gene Nixon, Billy Donaldson, David Haynes, Dan McWhorter.  
 40 yd. low hurdles. Gene Nixon 7.4, Lester Nixon, Benjie Jay, Billy Donaldson, Charlie Davidson.  
 Softball throw. Benjie Jay 123.4" Larry Holsey, Jerry Gartman, Dan McWhorter.  
 Hurl ball throw. Charlie Davidson 56 1/2", Gene Nixon, Lester Nixon, David Haynes, Billy Pina.  
 Running broad jump: Gene Nixon 12'11", Lester Nixon, Benjie Jay, Charlie Davidson, Billy Donaldson

**Division III**

60 yard dash. Hunter Henderson 8.7, Timmy Farris, Scott Montgomery, Andy Martinez, Mort Mertz.  
 60 yd. run. Johnny Lozano 1:53.2, Manuel Maya, Tim Edmiston, Chris Gartman, Johnny Rodriguez.  
 40 yd. low hurdles: Hunter Henderson 6.9, Timmy Farris, Chris Gartman, Wayne Joiner, Tim Edmiston.  
 Softball throw. Hunter Henderson 154'3", John Rae Powell, John O'Harrow, Johnny Lozano, Johnny Rodriguez.  
 Hurl ball throw. Scott Montgomery 55'1", Wayne Joiner, Timmy Farris, Roy Gene Lloyd.  
 Running broad jump. Andy Martinez 11'7 1/2", Hunter Henderson, Tim Edmiston, Robert Parker, John Rae Powell.  
 Standing broad jump. Mort Mertz 5'8 1/2", Chris Gartman, Johnny Rodriguez, Manuel Maya, Aurelio Gomed.

**Division IV**

60 yd. dash. Frank Martinez 9.5, Robby Joyce, Ricky Bishop, James Holley, Len Mertz.  
 75 yd. dash: Ken Peters 10.4, Chris Pena, Lonnie Reynolds, Kim Branham.  
 600 yd run. Isador Martinez 1:56, Karl McCormick, Peter Case.  
 40 yd low hurdles: Ken Peters 7.3, John Rosford, Peter Case, Pete Agiero, Mark Calk.  
 Softball throw. Chris Pena 166'2" John Rosford, Ken Peters, Lonnie Reynolds, Kim Branham.  
 Hurl ball throw. Len Mertz 63'4" Frank Martinez, Pete Agiero, Robby Joyce, Peter Case.  
 Running broad jump: John Rosford 11'6", Ken Peters, Frank Martinez, Robby Joyce, Chris Pena.  
 Standing broad jump. Karl McCormick 6' 1/2", Lonnie Reynolds, Len Mertz, Pete Agiero, James Holley.

**Division V**

75 yd dash. Salvador Garza 10.6, Hector Martinez, Steven Mejia, Johnny Orta.  
 600 yd run. Louis Santellano 1:37, Harvey Hill, Johnny Orta, Rogelyo Rodriguez, Victor Saldibar.  
 Softball throw. Salvador Garza 197'2", Harvey Hill, Louis Santellano, Hector Martinez, Juan Saldibar.  
 Running broad jump. Salvador Garza 13'4", Victor Saldibar, Rogelyo Rodriguez, Hector Martinez, Louis Santellano.  
 Our thanks to many people for helping make this first BVD relays a big success. Among these people are Paul Page, announcer; Jack Bell, starter; Shannon Harber recorder; Kenneth Thomas, head timer; Tim Marcum, finish line clerk; Bud Davidson, B. T. Yates and Jim Cauley, field events; several high school athletes who acted as field event officials and timers; and Patty Page and Sherry Davis who passed out ribbons to the winners.

Mr. and Mrs. Reb Williams and Len and William McTae of Grand Prairie visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Lum Burk.

## Dorothy Roden And James Monroe Dacy Are Engaged



**DOROTHY RODEN**

Mr. and Mrs. August T. Roden announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. James Monroe Dacy.

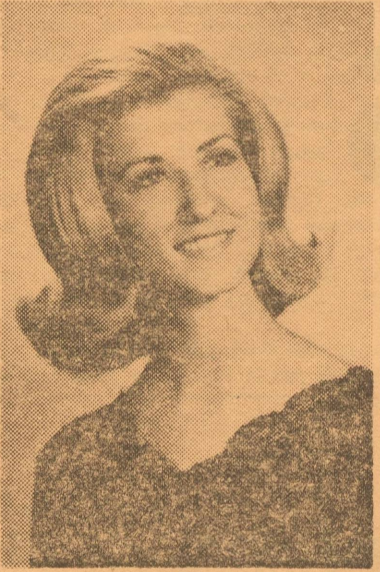
Their wedding day has been set for June 10 at the First Christian Church of Eldorado.  
 Dorothy is a Senior in Eldorado High School and will graduate in May.  
 Monroe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion F. Dacy of Eldorado. He is now employed by the Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Co. of Eldorado.

## Whitten Receiving Degree From A&M

College Station, Texas.—Chandler James Whitten of Eldorado is among 1,017 degree candidates who have applied for Spring graduation from Texas A&M University, announced Registrar H. L. Heaton.

Heaton said the May graduating class includes 333 students seeking advanced degrees. Ph.D. candidates total 73 and 260 have filed for master's degrees.  
 Baccalaureate degree candidates include 633 Seniors.  
 The 1967 graduating class will be the largest since immediately after World War II, Heaton noted.  
 Commencement exercises will be conducted May 27.

## Wins Additional Honors At San Marcos



**PAULA MACE**

In a recent campus-wide election, Paula Mace was elected treasurer of the Student Body at Southwestern Texas State at San Marcos.  
 Paula, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mace of Eldorado, is a Junior at the San Marcos college. She is presently a Strutter and a member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority where she is serving as secretary. She is also a member of the Texas Student Education Assn., and recently represented that body at the Council of Associated Women in a National AWS Convention in West Virginia.  
 Paula is a dean's honor roll student and was elected to serve as president of her dormitory for next year. She is a speech major and a member of the Campus Speakers and numerous other local clubs. This year she has served as Senator-at-large for the student body.

## Congratulations On Anniversaries

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dackal who celebrate their Silver Wedding Anniversary this Wednesday, May 3rd. Also, their daughter, Beverly, and son-in-law, Cecil Jeffrey will celebrate their 5th wedding anniversary on May 3rd; they live in Odessa, Texas, and have a daughter, Kimberly Ann.  
 The Dackals have four other children, Jamie, Paula, and Sherry of Eldorado; and another daughter, Celia, and her husband, Ed Fenimore, who live in Mesa, Arizona.

SALES PADS for sale at the Success office.

## Assembly Of God Pastor Moving Here

The Rev. and Mrs. Boren are moving here from Seagoville, Texas this Friday and Saturday and he will serve as pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

Some work was being done in the church building, which is east of the post office, on an apartment for the Borens. The family will live in the rooms at the back of the church building.

Lawrence Bell was installing a bathtub and doing other minor remodeling so that it will be ready for their occupancy. The Borens have a six-year-old daughter who will enter school this coming Fall.

The Borens have done missionary work among the Indians in New Mexico, and he served a church in Waco, before they moved to the Dallas area. He also has served in the Navy.

Rev. Boren will preach and officiate at regular services at the church beginning this Sunday.

## Mrs. Janes Awarded Science Fellowship

Mrs. Frank Janes, math teacher in Eldorado High school, has been awarded a National Science Foundation Fellowship for six weeks this summer at the University of Houston, from June 5 through July 14.

There are 25 teachers from over the United States and one or two from foreign countries who are to attend the session.

Mrs. Janes also received offers from Colorado State University and Texas Woman's University at Denton.

Mrs. Janes is the wife of the elementary principal, and this past year has been her first year in the local schools. The Janes family came here last summer from Ozona.

## ATTENDS HOUSTON MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Elton McGinnes drove to Houston Sunday and Elton attended an all-day meeting Monday having to do with radio frequency assignment. They returned home Tuesday.

They found pastures greener as they traveled east and saw evidence of recent storms around Burnet.



Austin, Tex.—Legislature showed signs of a quick response to the request by Gov. John Connally to postpone writing a tax bill until next year and to adopt a state governmental budget for only half the fiscal biennium.

Both House and Senate budget-writing committees will scrap their biennial appropriations measures and have one-year bills ready for action this week.

In an unusual night speech to a joint session of the House and Senate, Connally pledged to call a special session next year to pass a 1969 appropriations bill and consider necessary new taxes. Overall purpose was to break legislative logjams on major legislation.

State financial picture appears to be this: Under the one-year budget plan, about \$137 million in additional spending can be done in the year starting next September 1 out of the general revenue fund. Because in past years the estimates of Comptroller Robert S. Calvert have been conservative, there generally is a surplus left at the end of each year. Connally thinks a surplus of \$50-\$60 million might be in sight a year from now. Thus the size of the tax bill to be passed could be that much less than it would have to be if it were passed now.

This \$50 million or so would not actually be "saving", since Connally expects the Legislature to spend the same amount on two one-year budgets as on one two-year budget. However, the Governor figures that if business growth continues to gain, revenues from present taxes will bring in more than had been expected, and thus make it possible to get by with a smaller tax increase.

Lt. Gov. Preston Smith, after initial doubts on wisdom of the procedure, urged the Senate Finance Committee to go along. Smith cautioned the legislators not to take the new financial procedure as an invitation to spend more freely and to clear up any legal questions at an early date.

Lieutenant governor, who contends that no new taxes are necessary, viewed Connally's proposal as "at least partial recognition that our financial salvation does not necessarily and exclusively lie in

passing a big tax bill at this time."

## Community Health Centers

Bill by Rep. Billy H. Williamson of Tyler to make more cities in Texas eligible for grants-in-aid for community mental health centers has passed both House and Senate.

State now may make such grants-in-aid to cities of 100,000 or more population. This bill would lower that minimum to 75,000. It also would allow grants-in-aid to a center serving less than 75,000 population, if the state commissioner of mental health and mental retardation declares it eligible.

## Education Measures

House of Representatives passed two measures of the education package sponsored by Rep. Alonzo Jamison of Denton.

One would allow some college-educated persons who did not take all the required education courses in college to qualify as teachers. Other would allow persons already knowledgeable in American and Texas history and government to take advance-standing exams, and if they make an A or B, receive that grade without having to take the course.

It also would exempt some out-of-state graduate students from having to go back and take undergraduate history and government courses.

## Railroad Crossings

A measure acceptable to both the Texas Motor Transportation Association and the Texas Joint Railway Labor Board now is awaiting action before the House.

Bill provides that trucks carrying explosives or inflammables stop when crossing railroad tracks within city limits but only slow down to 20 miles per hour or less when crossing tracks outside of cities.

## Safety Bill

An occupational safety bill, subject of bitter controversy and deadlocks in past legislative sessions, was passed by the House 143-0. A compromise version was hammered out after usual friction over terms developed. Senate passage is likely.

Bill calls for Division of Occupational Safety in State Department of Health, with three-member board to formulate standards. A safety engineer would inventory all industrial accidents and advise the board on needed rules.

## Criminal Code Revision Readied

Major revisions in code of criminal procedure to meet criticism of law enforcement officers is being speeded to House floor by Criminal Jurisprudence Committee.

Major changes deal with warnings of rights of accused by judges; arrests of suspicious persons without warrants; notice of pre-trial hearings; sentencing procedures; and requirement that witnesses to crime identify themselves at request of a police officer. Committee voted down effort to allow greater freedom in use of oral confessions in trials.

## Attorney General's Opinions

Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin held he could not approve bonds supported by Trinity River Authority tax of 15 cents on \$100 valuation as proposed in Senate bill amendment because notice of intent to introduce measure was not published locally as required by constitution.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

—A sheriff is authorized to release a prisoner "laying out" his fine in jail after he satisfies sentence and court costs at the rate of \$5 a day.

—State Building Commission can enter a contract prior to September 1 for a liquor tax collection station at Cordova Crossing, El Paso, although construction will begin before transfer of site to the U. S. under the Chamizal agreement.

—Texas Water Rights Commission is not barred from canceling unused water permit for five years following public hearing where permittees ask partial cancellation without hearing.

—Counties can purchase insurance from any licensed company on public buildings and contents provided agreement does not involve lending of county credit or granting public money, taking membership in or becoming stockholder in insurance firm.

## Courts Speak

Texas Supreme Court agreed, on divided decision, that an Edinburg woman is entitled to \$17,000 collected on winning Mexican national lottery ticket she purchased jointly with a neighbor.

Court rejected appeal of a Bryan man from lower court orders that he must clean up conditions at his egg and chicken farm if he wants to keep operating it within city limits.

Third Court of Civil Appeals upheld two rulings of James O. Gerst, state savings and loan commissioner, refusing applications for savings firm offices in La Grange. Opinion noted there are 46 banks and eight savings and loan associations in surrounding counties, including eight banks in Fayette County alone.

## \$ Billion For Tourism

Texas broke into the billion-dollar circle for tourism for the first time last year.

State Highway Department's Visitor Industry Report says that 19,200,000 visitors spent \$1,080,000,000 in 1966. Most travelers, about 14,500,000—arrived by auto and spent \$723,800,000.

Trains and buses and airplanes carried 5,070,000.

Average tourist spent \$8.80 a day and remained in Texas 5.8 days, report shows. Average length of complete vacation trip was 4,417 miles, 1,117 of which was driven in Texas.

## Tyler Park Aid Promised

A \$504,391 development and rehabilitation project at Tyler State Park soon will be undertaken, according to Will Odom, chairman of the Parks and Wildlife Commission.

State Supreme Court action overruling Tyler and Smith county motion for rehearing on suit over park ownership cleared the way for work, Odom said.

Legislature appropriated \$278,950, and federal Bureau of Outdoor Recreation agreed to \$225,941 grant. Project includes shelters, campsites, trailer sites, picnic un-

its, restrooms, fishing docks, nature trails and other facilities. Scenic park is near Interstate 20.

## Short Snorts

Bill by Rep. A. C. Atwood of Edinburg authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture John C. White to test out-of-state citrus brought into Texas "under the same maturity standards and requirements applicable to similar citrus fruit produced in Texas" has passed both houses of the Legislature.

House passed a bill raising maximum unemployment compensation from \$37 to \$45 a week and hiking weekly wage to qualify for top benefit from \$69 to \$85.

Total number of registered voters for 1967 is 2,992,862, according to figures compiled by Secretary of State John Hill.

U. S. Office of Education has approved 18 Texas projects under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, which allows federal fund grants to assist in the setting up of supplementary educational centers and services.

Governor Connally has called a special election for May 25 to fill the unexpired term of the late Rep. Jim Hairgrove of Brazoria and Fort Bend counties.



## English Imports

by Betty Crocker

Some of our jolliest imports from England, of course, are recipes and food customs. Take tea, always at its best English style. Start with fresh cold water and bring to a brisk boil before pouring over tea leaves (1 teaspoon per cup). Steep 3 to 5 minutes. Or how about pumpkin pie? Long before Mayflower days, the English were enjoying it with chopped apples added to the pumpkin. Then there's famous Yorkshire pudding, the "popover-like" side dish for roast beef that's easy and elegant. And, for dessert, be sure to try the English originals below. The custardy, chilled cake with winery fruit flavor called Trifle Cake . . . and spicy gingerbread.

### ENGLISH TRIFLE

- 1 1/2 cups Bisquick
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 3 tablespoons soft butter or shortening
- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 3/4 cup milk
- Raspberry jam
- 1/2 cup sherry flavoring
- 1 package (about 3 1/2 ounces) vanilla pudding and pie filling
- 1/2 cup toasted slivered almonds
- 3/4 cup whipping cream
- 3 tablespoons confectioners' sugar
- Chopped candied cherries

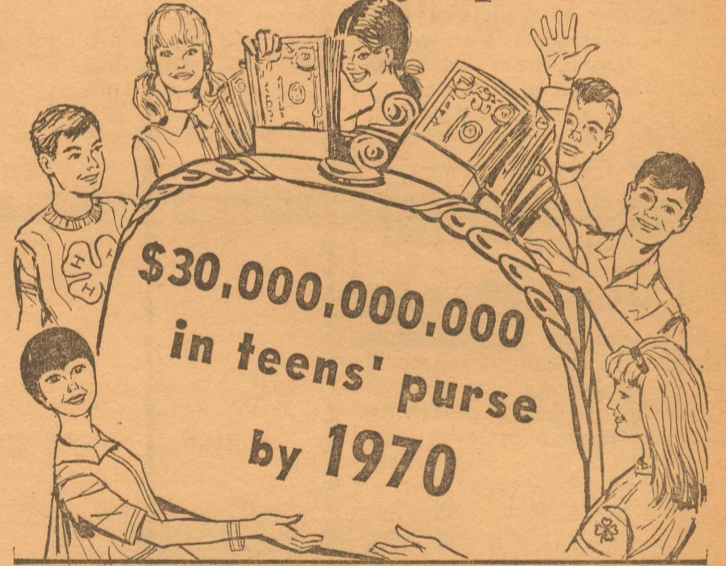
Heat oven to 350°. Grease and flour square pan, 8x8x2 inches. In large mixer bowl, beat Bisquick, sugar, butter, egg, vanilla and 1/4 cup of the milk 1 minute at medium speed, scraping sides and bottom of bowl frequently. Add remaining milk; beat 1/2 minute. Pour

into prepared pan. Bake 35 to 40 minutes. Cool.

Cut into 16 pieces. Slice each piece in half horizontally; spread slices with raspberry jam. Arrange like sandwiches in square pan, 8x8x2 inches. Sprinkle with sherry flavoring. Prepare vanilla pudding and pie filling as directed on package except — increase milk to 2 1/2 cups. Cool. Pour over cake. Sprinkle with almonds. Whip cream and confectioners' sugar; spread over cake. Chill 4 hours. Top with cherries. Cut into squares. 9 servings.

Apricot Topped Gingerbread  
 From mix or scratch recipe, bake your favorite gingerbread in square pan. Cover top of baked gingerbread with slices of bananas. Over it pour warm Apricot Glaze: 1 can (1 lb. 4 oz.) apricots with juice mixed with 1 cup sugar and 1/2 cup boiling water. Boil until thick like jam. Veddly good!

## How Will They Spend It?



A new emphasis has been added to one of the oldest programs for 4-H Club members. The 45-year-old national 4-H Home Economics program this year features consumer education, according to the National 4-H Service Committee.

The reason for introducing the consumer section in the program is because of the need for more guidance in this field in view of the tremendous buying power of American teenagers, a committee spokesman says.  
 By 1970 teenagers will spend from \$21 to \$30 billion. This compares to \$11 billion spent in 1963.

In less than three years, it is estimated that more than one-fifth of the total U.S. population will be between 10 and 19 years of age. The purchasing power of this young generation will exceed anything in the past.  
 Today approximately 1.3 million 4-H youths are engaged in home economics projects involving some purchasing. Most of the members are girls, but with the emphasis on consumer education 4-H leaders expect more boys to participate.

Their reasoning is that boys buy clothing, grooming aids, food, furnishings for their rooms, record players, records, televisions and radios.  
 Girl members buy the same things plus small appliances, sewing and interior decoration items. The importance of being

an informed shopper is further underscored by the fact that today's teens will suddenly become tomorrow's homemakers.

Club members who highlight consumer emphasis in their projects will be rewarded by Montgomery Ward, the program sponsor.

Awards are six national \$500 scholarships, a trip to the National Club Congress in Chicago for the state winner, and honor medals for four top members in the county. Winners are named by the Cooperative Extension Services which directs all 4-H programs.

To help 4-H leaders and members carry out program goals, the National 4-H Service Committee has published a brochure entitled "4-H Home Economics with Emphasis on Consumer Education."

This educational aid will show 4-H girls and boys, who contribute a sizeable sum to the nation's economy, how they can get the most for their dollars.

Among things to do are (1) become familiar with stores in the community (2) examine quality of merchandise and services (3) check brands, labels, utility (4) compare impulse buying versus planned buying. The young consumers also are urged to study ads, take advantage of seasonal sales, and learn about cash, credit and installment buying.

## Miss Gibson To Be Honored With Tea

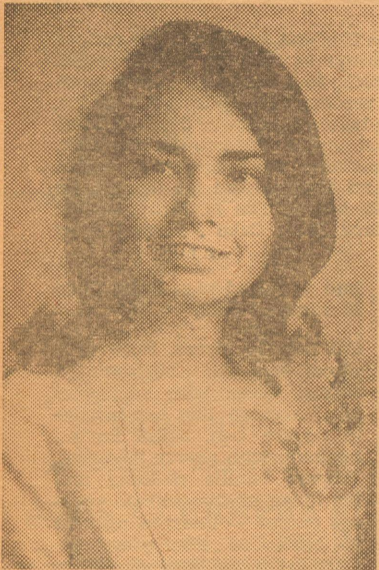


ELDRA GIBSON

A Gift Tea will honor Miss Eldra Gibson, bride-elect of James Dziuk, this coming Saturday, April 29th, in the Club Room of the Memorial Building. Calling hours will be from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m.

Hostesses for the gift tea will be Mmes. Ray Bruton, W. C. Porter, B. F. Harkey, Sadie Davidson, Hollis McCormick, Andy Nixon, Joe Wagley, Jimmy Danford, Clyde Thackerson Jr., J. P. Enochs, Oran Enochs, E. C. Peters, and Glenn Parker.

## Engagement Announced



PAMELA SPIGARELLI

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Spigarelli of Shreveport, Louisiana, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Pamela Sue Spigarelli, to Mr. James Robert Maddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Maddy of Shreveport, La. The bride elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Edmiston of this county.

The wedding will be June 10 in the Kings Highway Christian Church in Shreveport.

Miss Spigarelli is a graduate of Fair Park High School, Shreveport, La., and attended Louisiana Polytechnic Institute. Her fiancé is a graduate of Woodlawn High School in Shreveport. He received his B. S. Degree from Northwestern State College, and Masters Degree from Louisiana Polytechnic Institute.

## Cleaning Minimized In 1967 Ranges

College Station, Texas.—Ranges with self-cleaning or easy-cleaning features are coming into the 1967 market with prices low enough for many consumers. Miss Joy Arrington, Extension home management specialist at Texas A&M University, also noted that removable non-stick coated panels for easy oven cleaning are being offered by gas range manufacturers and are found on some electric ranges.

One manufacturer has introduced a "counter that cooks"—a range with an opaque glass ceramic top. The surface, which is smooth and even, reduces the chore of cleaning to a minimum. Heating areas are outlined with design markings and heat does not radiate beyond the design. This way the perimeter of the range stays cool. Special pots and pans have been developed for use with the range. Regular utensils may be used, but they don't heat as efficiently as the special ones.

While much has been done in the area of electronic cooking, many problems still exist such as servicing, use education, and price. Manufacturers predict that consumer prices for electronic ranges will be in the \$500 to \$600 range. Present prices average about \$800 but are expected to fall as production increases.

Common features to be seen on many lower-priced models of 1967 ranges include lift-off oven doors, hinged and lift-off range tops, oven and surface indicator lights, disposable oven liners, and plugin surface units. Some higher-priced range models will have surface units with automatic "stirrers" and temperature controls. These maintain pre-set temperatures which don't allow food to burn.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

CREATION OF SCHLEICHER COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT TAX AND BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS ) COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER ) TO ALL LEGALLY QUALIFIED PROPERTY TAXPAYING ELECTORS OF SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS (THE PROPOSED HOSPITAL DISTRICT), WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY THEREIN AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 20th day of May, 1967, throughout Schleicher County, Texas (the proposed Hospital District), on the propositions and at the places more particularly set forth in the ORDER calling the election passed by the Commissioners Court of Schleicher County on the 17th day of April, 1967, and which election order is made a part of this Notice of Election and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

ELECTION ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS ) COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER )

On this the 17th day of April, 1967, the Commissioners Court of Schleicher County, Texas, convened in regular session at a special term thereof, at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in Eldorado, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

- TOM RATLIFF, County Judge, WEATHERLY KINSER, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, GENE MCCALLA, Commissioner Precinct No. 2, JOE M. CHRISTIAN, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, LAWRENCE DANNHEIM, Commissioner Precinct No. 4, J. P. ENOCHS, County Clerk, and the following absent: None, constituting a quorum, when, among other proceedings had, were the following:

Commissioner Kinser introduced an order and made a motion that it be passed. The motion was seconded by Commissioner McCalla. The motion, carrying with it the passage of the order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Kinser, McCalla, Christian and Dannheim. NOES: None.

The County Judge announced that the order had been finally passed. The order is as follows:

WHEREAS, House Bill No. 183 passed by the 60th Legislature of Texas, at its Regular Session in 1967, authorizes the creation, establishment, maintenance and operation of a hospital district to be known as SCHLEICHER COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, with boundaries co-extensive with the boundaries of Schleicher County, Texas, and

WHEREAS, said House Bill No. 183 provides that said hospital district shall not be created unless and until a majority of the resident legally qualified property taxpayers electors of Schleicher County, Texas, participating in an election held for that purpose, shall have voted in favor of the creation of the district, which election may be initiated by the Commissioners Court upon its own motion or upon a petition of one hundred (100) resident legally qualified property taxpayers electors of the County; and

WHEREAS, said House Bill No. 183 further provides that in the event the hospital district is created and authorized at such election, the Commissioners Court shall appoint the first board of directors to serve until the first Saturday in April 1968, at which time a directors election shall be held and said directors shall have authority to manage, control and administer the hospital or hospital system and with the authority and power to issue and sell, as the obligations of such hospital district, bonds for the purchase, construction, repair or renovation of buildings and improvements and equipping same, for hospital purposes and for any or all of such purposes, provided (1) that a sufficient tax shall be levied to create an interest and sinking fund to pay the interest and principal as same matures, and (2) that such bonds shall first be authorized by a majority vote of the legally qualified property taxpayers electors residing in such hospital district; and

WHEREAS, said House Bill No. 183 further provides that at the election held on the question of the creation of the district there may also be submitted the question of the issuance of bonds of the district in an amount that may be prayed for in the above mentioned petition or as determined by the Commissioners Court if said election is ordered on its own motion; and

WHEREAS, this Court acting independently on its own motion deems it advisable and to the best interest of Schleicher County, Texas, and its inhabitants, that an election be held throughout said County (the proposed hospital district) for the purpose of submitting to the resident legally qualified property taxpayers electors therein, the propositions herein set forth;

ting to the resident legally qualified property taxpayers electors therein, the propositions herein set forth;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election be held throughout Schleicher County, Texas (the proposed hospital district) on the 20th day of May, 1967, which date is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

SHALL a hospital district be established with boundaries co-extensive with the boundaries of Schleicher County to be known as Schleicher County Hospital District with the authority to levy a tax not to exceed 75c per annum on the \$100 valuation of all property situated therein subject to a hospital district tax for the purpose of (1) paying the interest on and creating a sinking fund for bonds which may be issued by the hospital district for hospital purposes; (2) providing for the operation and maintenance of the hospital or hospital system; and (3) for the purpose of making further improvements and additions to the hospital system, and for the acquisition of necessary sites therefor by purchase, lease, or condemnation?

PROPOSITION NO. 2

SHALL the board of directors of the hospital district acting for and in the name of the district be authorized to issue the bonds of said district in the amount of \$450,000.00 to mature not exceeding forty (40) years from their date and to bear interest not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum for the purpose of the purchase, construction, acquisition, repair, or renovation of buildings and improvements and equipping the same for hospital purposes, including the purchase of sites therefor, and to levy a sufficient tax to pay the interest and principal on said bonds as same matures provided that the maintenance and operation tax together with the bond tax shall not exceed 75c per annum on the \$100 valuation of all property within the district subject to hospital taxes?

Section 2. That the polling places, Presiding Judges, and Alternate Presiding Judges for said election shall be as follows:

Prct. No., Voting Places, Judges:

1. Memorial Building, Eldorado; T. R. Spence, Presiding Judge; Jerroll Sanders, Alternate Presiding Judge.

2-A, Wool House, Eldorado; Mrs. Patsy Hartgraves, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Mabel Blaylock, Alternate Presiding Judge.

2-B, Frieske Residence at the John I. King Ranch; Mrs. Elsie Frieske, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Edna Ory, Alternate Presiding Judge.

3, County Barn, Eldorado; Mrs. Edith Runge, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Jess Blaylock, Alternate Presiding Judge.

4-A, Schoolhouse Gymnasium, Eldorado; W. O. Enoch, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Winnie Jackson, Alternate Presiding Judge.

4-B, Northern Natural Gas Company Station in the Reynolds Community; Nick Jurcek, Presiding Judge; Mrs. J. Tom Williams, Alternate Presiding Judge.

Absentee voting shall be conducted at the Office of the County Clerk in the County Courthouse, Eldorado, Texas (Precinct No. 5), beginning May 1, 1967 and extending through May 16, 1967, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock, a.m., and 5:00 o'clock p.m., which is at least eight hours, every day said period except Saturdays, Sundays and official State holidays, and notice thereof shall be posted in said Office at least twenty (20) days prior to the date fixed for said election.

That the following persons are appointed to serve as a special canvassing board for canvassing the ballots of absentee voters:

Mrs. Donnie Gilmore, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Josephine Woodward, Assistant Judge; L. D. Mund, Clerk.

Section 3. That the ballots for said election shall have printed thereon the following:

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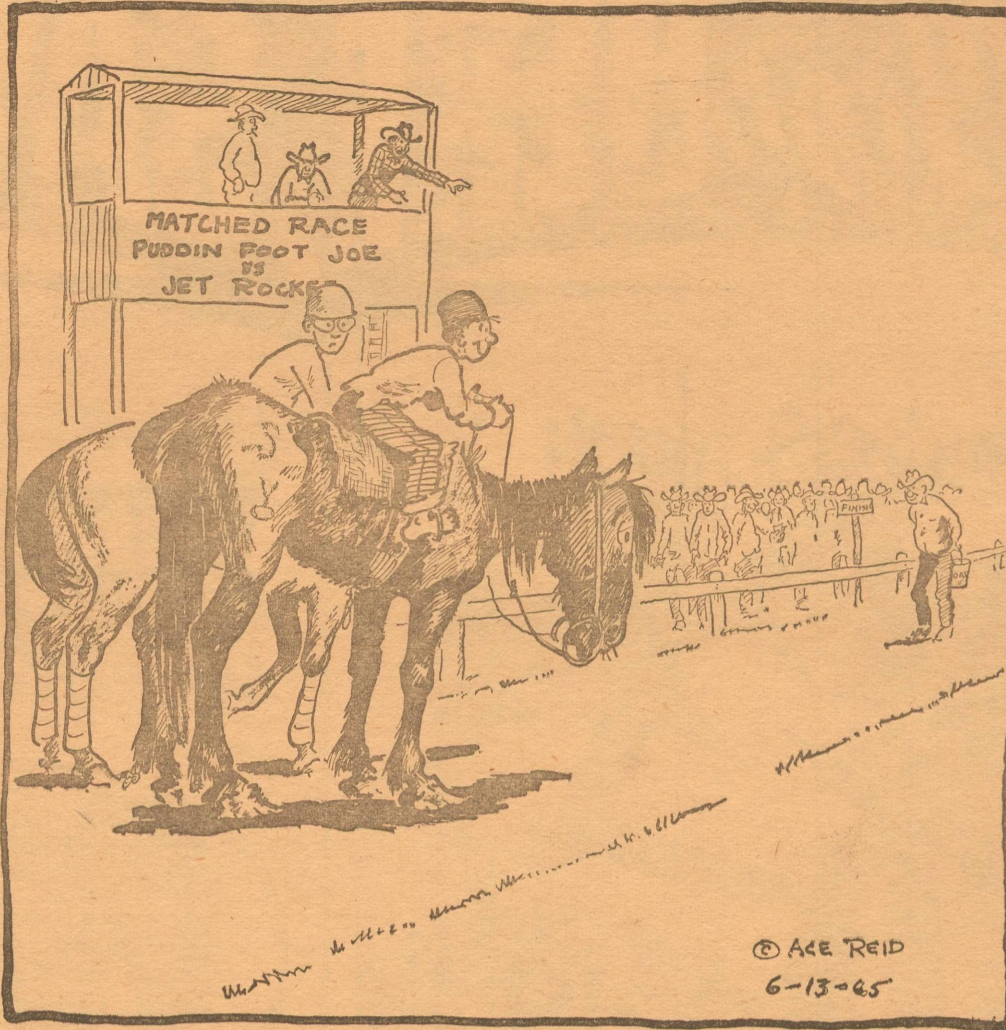
PROPOSITION NO. 1 FOR CREATION OF A HOSPITAL DISTRICT; PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY OF A TAX NOT TO EXCEED 75c ON THE \$100 VALUATION. AGAINST CREATION OF A HOSPITAL DISTRICT; PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY OF A TAX NOT TO EXCEED 75c ON THE \$100 VALUATION.

PROPOSITION NO. 2

FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR THE DISTRICT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$450,000.00 AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF; PROVIDING, HOWEVER, THAT SAID TAX TOGETHER WITH THE TAX FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION PURPOSES SHALL NEVER EXCEED 75c ON THE \$100 VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT; THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Naw, he don't look fast, but jist wait 'till his owner holds out that oat bucket!"

SHALL BE NOT MORE THAN 6% INTEREST; AND THE MATURITY DATE ON THE BONDS SHALL NOT BE MORE THAN FORTY (40) YEARS.

AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR THE DISTRICT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$450,000.00 AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF; PROVIDING, HOWEVER, THAT SAID TAX TOGETHER WITH THE TAX FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION PURPOSES SHALL NEVER EXCEED 75c ON THE \$100 VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT; THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS SHALL BE NOT MORE THAN 6% INTEREST; AND THE MATURITY DATE ON THE BONDS SHALL NOT BE MORE THAN FORTY (40) YEARS.

As to each of the foregoing propositions, each voter shall vote by marking or scratching out one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the two propositions, respectively.

Section 4. That said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and particularly House Bill No. 183 passed by the 60th Legislature of Texas, at its Regular Session in 1967, and only legally qualified property taxpayers residing in Schleicher County, Texas (the proposed hospital district) shall be allowed to vote.

Section 5. That a copy of this order signed by the County Judge of Schleicher County, Texas, and attested by the County Clerk of said County, shall serve as proper notice of said election. The County Judge is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up at the County Courthouse Door, in the Office of the County Clerk, and at a public place in each precinct of the County, at least twenty (20) full days prior to the date of said election.

The County Judge is further authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be published in some newspaper of general circulation published in Schleicher County, Texas, on the same day in each of two (2) successive weeks, the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17th day of April, 1967.

J. T. Ratliff, County Judge Schleicher County, Texas

Attest: J. P. Enoch, County Clerk (Ap 20-27)

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COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

by Ting Godwin

Schleicher County Agricultural Agent

All Americans are called upon by Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman to observe Soil Stewardship Week, April 30 to May 7, by considering what they demand of the land, and of the men and women who fulfill those demands. We ask of the land: utility, beauty, and refreshment as well as high productivity. And we receive them because the men and women who work the soil are good stewards.

Most home gardens are off to a good start. But insect control may be required some time during the growing season to keep them healthy and productive.

Home gardeners should know that not all insecticides are recommended for home garden insect control. Poor insect control may result from the use of the wrong insecticide and perhaps a bigger problem could come from insecticide residues on the treated vegetables.

The Food and Drug Administration has set certain restrictions on the use of insecticides applied to edible crops. Observance of these restrictions will protect the consumer from harmful residues.

Information on controlling insects in the home garden and a list of insecticides which are widely used and are generally available are included in L-642, "Control of Insects in the Home Garden."

The county agent suggests that gardens be checked frequently for insect infestations, and if they are found, that control measures be applied before the situation gets out of hand.

A copy of L-642 is available from the county Extension Service office.

Did you ever stop to think that parking meters are nothing more than legalized gambling? The city bets you \$2 to 5c you won't be back in an hour.

It's spring. Birds are returning, farmers are planting, children are searching for four-leaf clovers, grass is growing—and lawn mowers are being pulled out of winter storage.

With this in mind, here are suggestions which can prevent mower accidents and save fingers and toes.

- 1. If you have a new mower or one you aren't familiar with, study the instruction manual before using it.
2. Before mowing, walk over the lawn. Clear off stones, pieces of wire and other debris which might be turned into a projectile by a rotary mower.
3. When it's raining or any time when the grass is wet, don't use an electric mower unless you are absolutely certain the mower and cord are in perfect condition.
4. Start safely—stand firm and make sure your feet are well away from the blade.
5. Don't run while mowing. Be certain footing is secure when mowing a steep bank or hill.
6. Never fill the gasoline tank while the engine is running or is still hot.

7. Learn how to disengage the clutch or stop the mower quickly in case of an emergency. Always stop the engine and disconnect the spark plug when you leave a mower.

8. Never allow small children or pets to play around the area where a lawn mower is operating.

9. Always keep hands, feet and clothing away from moving parts. If work must be done on the underside of the mower, disconnect the spark plug wire and tip the machine over with the handle.

10. Always push the mower forward. Don't take a chance of pulling it backwards over your foot.

Freedom of speech is guaranteed in Communist China, too. You can say anything you want, at least one time.

FFA and 4-H teams, both Junior and Senior, competed at the Walter Pope Range Day, Saturday, April 22nd.

The contest was divided into three divisions, plant identification, judging range plots, and pasture evaluation study. Nine teams were entered from Sutton, Crockett, Menard and Schleicher counties.

Two Junior teams from the county placed 4 and 5 while the Senior team was second. Sammie Oglesby was overall high from Schleicher county.

Barbecue was served at noon to 44 youngsters by the Popes.

Thanks to our hosts, the Popes, and the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation supervisors who sponsored the contest for a wonderful day.

Schleicher county has again been issued a modified-certified area certificate indicating the county has been recertified for an additional three year period ending November 15, 1969.

Thanks to the livestock owners of the county for splendid cooperation given the representatives of the USDA and the Texas Animal Health Department.

Thanks to the livestock committee, Gerald Hartgraves, Howard Derrick, Jo Ed Hill, L. Baker, Wilson Page, Bob Sykes, L. Steen and John Powell.

The nicest thing about silence is that it can't be repeated.

Range Judging Teams Place 2nd and 4th

The Eldorado FFA Range Judging teams placed 2nd and 4th at the Walter Pope contest last Saturday.

Team members, 2nd place team were Sam Oglesby, Jack Williams, Jimmy Martin, and William Edmiston.

4th place team: Pete Whitten, Donald Holsey, and Bobby Sykes. The contest consisted of identifying 80 plants and judging one range plot and placing 4 plots.

Home Ownership: Checklist For Errors

College Station, Tex.—Errors in building or buying a home can haunt you for many years, cautions Mrs. Jane Berry, housing and home furnishings specialist at Texas A&M University.

Before you buy or build, make a list of your family's needs and check them off one by one. This can reduce the probability of your making a mistake.

Here are a few points to consider:

(1) Can you afford the house you have chosen? Have you realistically weighed ALL family living costs? Have you left leeway for possible increases in living costs? Taxes? If you have small children, have you included in your calculations the rising costs of their needs as they grow older?

(2) Do you suffer from allergies? If so, was this taken into consideration in heating and cooling the house?

(3) Is there an easy escape out of each room in the event of fire?

(4) Are there anti-slip surfaces on stairs, baths, showers, etc.?

(5) Are there hand railings on stairways and protection against doors opening directly onto stairs?

(6) Does the house have fire walls and doors in such hazard areas as the central heating unit?

(7) Have you selected the best financial plan for your situation? What about the water supply and sewage disposal facilities? Is the floor plan designed to fit the way you live? This varies greatly from family to family. Does the house have adequate storage?

Mrs. Berry emphasized that these are only a few factors you should watch in building or buying a house. No house is right for everybody, and the wrong one can be an expensive—and long-lived mistake.

Future Homemakers Attend State Meet

The Eldorado chapter was represented at the annual convention of The Future Homemakers of America held April 21-22 in Dallas Municipal Auditorium. Delegates, Maggie Lew Stockton and Laura Sue Nixon, were sponsored by Miss Dana Ray Owens.

The theme, FFA: Design for Living, was the title of the keynote address by Dr. Glen R. Hawkes, Associate Dean of Family and Consumer Sciences in the College of Agriculture, University of California, Davis, California.

Scholarships were awarded to four outstanding state officers by Texas Farm Bureau, Texas Electric Cooperatives, Inc., Adams Electric Company, and Favorite Recipes Press, Inc., Montgomery, Ala.

Honorary memberships were given to administrators, parents, civic leaders who contributed to FFA during the past year. State Degrees of Achievement were conferred on some 400 girls who each received a red rose in a special ceremony as a token of accomplishment.

The state chorus, made up of five girls from each of the ten areas, entertained at the Friday afternoon and night sessions. They were directed by Mrs. Laverne Stokes, Palestine, and Miss Helen Louise Graves, Supervisory Vocal Music for St. Louis, Mo.

Saturday morning was devoted to the House of Delegates. Each state officer gave a report of her accomplishments during her term.

The local group came home inspired for the beginning of next year's program, by the perfection and clock-work of such a well-planned meeting. The efficiency was expressed in the way the program was followed, the variations in the program, the evidence of leadership and coordination and the top qualified youth as well as adults participating in the program.

DOES PRACTICE TEACHING

Denton, Tex.—Terrace R. Carlman of Eldorado is among 194 North Texas State University students practice teaching the last eight weeks of the spring semester in Texas schools.

A 1958 graduate of Schleicher County High School, Carlman is teaching English at Meacham Junior High in Fort Worth. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carlman of Eldorado.

School News

A breakfast was served to the Seniors Tuesday morning at 7:30 at the Presbyterian church. Today, Thursday, the Seniors will have a party at 5:30 p.m. at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Vaughan.

Saturday, the Band goes to Stephenville.

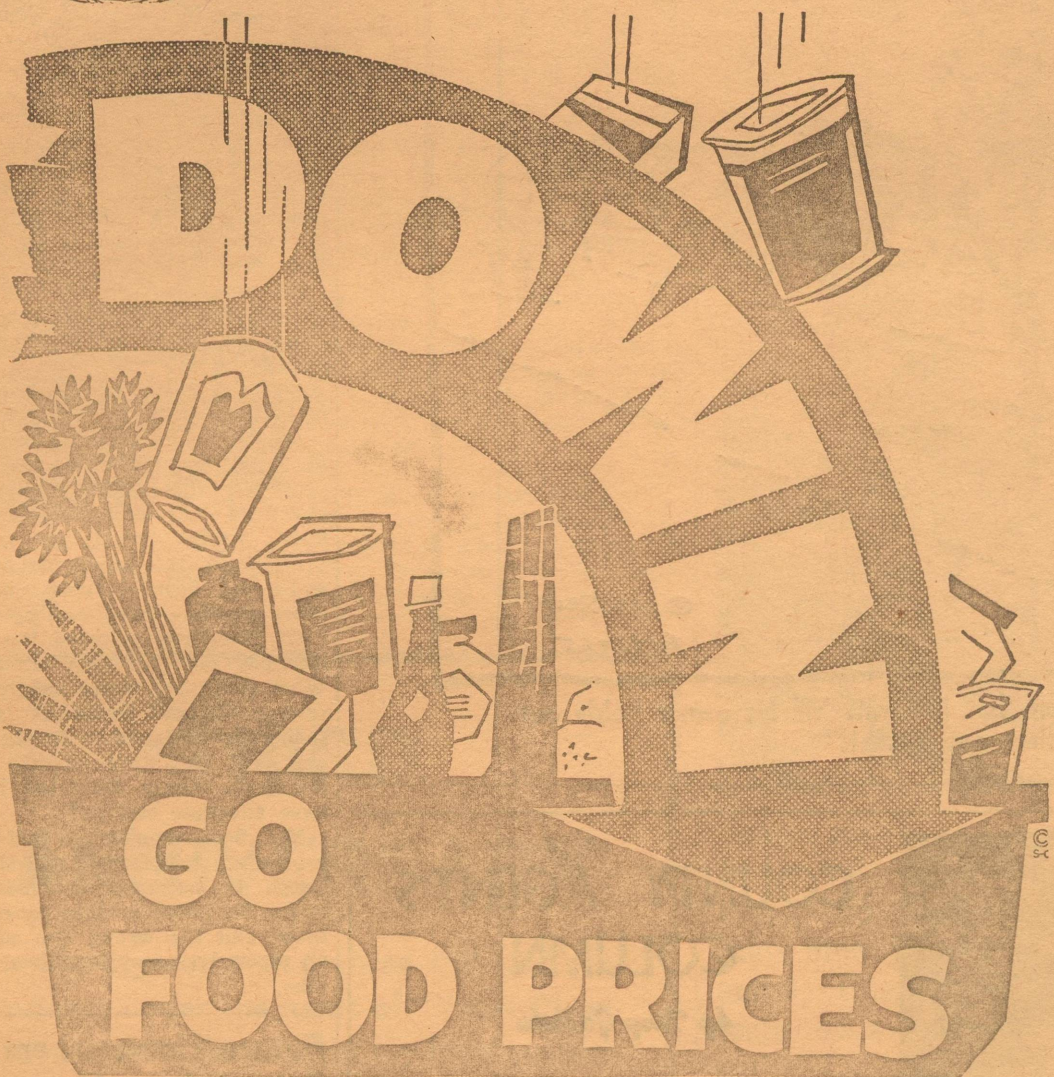
Monday night, Mrs. Teale and Mr. McDonald will present their choral program.

Tuesday, the Seniors have another party.

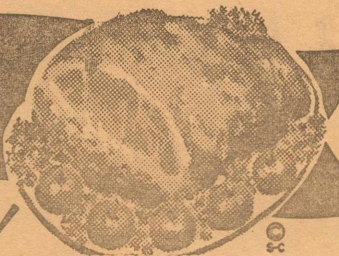
Miss Shelton reports that on Wednesday, May 3rd, the photographer will be here to take final photos for this year's The Talon yearbook.



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## Market Specials

**SMOKED PICNICS**  **39¢** POUND  
*Lean... Top Flavor... Top Value!*


**PORK CHOPS** **55¢** POUND  
 FIRST CUT —  
**PORK LIVER** **29¢** POUND  
 FRESH SLICED —

**Beef Steaks** **59¢** POUND  
 USDA CHOICE — FAMILY STYLE  
**Roast** **48¢** POUND  
 USDA CHOICE

**Bacon** **69¢** POUND  
 GOOCH — BLUE RIBBON  
**Slab Bacon** **59¢** POUND  
 Gooch, By-the-Piece—

**Lunch Meats** **4 FOR \$1**  
 GOOCH — Bologna, Salami, Liver Loaf, Olive Loaf, Pickle & Spiced Luncheon 6-OZ. PKGS.

**Gold Medal Flour** **59¢** 5 LB. BAG  
 KIMBELL'S  
**Salad Dressing** **39¢** FULL QUART

**Tea** **39¢** ¼ LB. PKG.  
 LIPTON  
**Dog Food** **6 FOR 49¢** NO. 300 CAN  
 KIM  
**Luncheon Meat** **49¢** 12-OZ. CAN  
 KIM  


## Dairy Department Items

**Margarine** **2 FOR 29¢**  
 DIAMOND SOLID POUNDS  


**Buttermilk** **49¢** HALF GALLON  
 GANDY'S  


**Cottage Cheese** **59¢** 2 LB. CARTON  
 GANDY'S

**Fruit Drinks** **25¢** HALF GALLON  
 GANDY'S

**Fro-Zan** **3 FOR \$1** HALF GALLON  
 GANDY'S

**Detergent** **49¢** GIANT BOX  
 KIMBELL'S  
**Bleach** **29¢** HALF GALLON  
 KALEX  
**Detergent** **39¢** FULL QUART  
 SEQUIN — LIQUID  


**Toilet Tissue** **69¢** 10-ROLL PACK  
 KIMBELL'S  


**Facial Tissue** **19¢** 400 COUNT  
 KIM

**Kimbell's Coffee** **65¢** 1 Lb. Can  
  
**Kimbell's Pork & Beans** **10¢** 300 Can  


## Produce Department Specials

**Squash** **15¢** POUND  
 BABY — YELLOW  
**Beans** **23¢** POUND  
 FRESH — GREEN

**Cucumbers** **15¢** POUND  
 LONG GREEN  
**Corn** **19¢** 3 EARS  
 NEW — TEXAS

**PARKER FOODS**