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Number 2

Winter's Coldest Day Occurs Here Tuesday

Mild, pleasant weather which greeted citizens at 8:00 o'clock Monday morning, suddenly switched into a blue norther two hours later and sent everyone scurrying for overcoats.

As the day wore on, there were reports of snow and sleet to points farther north and predictions were that it would extend to this area.

Schleicher residents awoke Tuesday morning to a bright, clear day and temperature readings of 10 or 12 degrees were reported. That is the coldest so far this year.

Some people had their water pipes frozen.

Gin Report

Monday noon found that Mikeska Gin had processed a total of 1906 bales. This was an increase of 128 bales from two weeks earlier when it was 1768 on Monday, Dec. 22.

Cotton being ginned Monday was some that had been ginned earlier and parked in a dry shed. For the past two weeks the gin has operated only about two days a week.

Wayne Mikeska said Monday that it was problematical that the season total would reach 2,000.

Further word from Co-Op Manager McGinnes Monday afternoon was that two of the linemen doing repair work at Colorado City, had been ordered to Stamford, and that the other two had returned home. "I'm glad they're back," remarked Elton as he viewed the rapidly changing weather.

Surplus Food Distribution Dates Set For January

Dates for the O. E. O. distribution of surplus food for January has been set for Friday, January 9th and Monday, January 12th.

Due to unforeseen difficulties, according to W. R. Bearce, the distribution this month will not be held on two successive dates.

The crew at the Neighborhood Center specifically requests patrons to observe these dates—Friday of this week and Monday of next week.

Rainfall Exceeds 28 Inches For Year '69

County rainfall for December is given by Lloyd Johnson at 2.02 inches, which is a figure arrived at by an average from 3 gauges.

Monthly totals for the year appear in a table on page 4, and credits the county with a total of 28.52 inches for the year.

Out of this total 16.51 inches fell during the past five months and leaves the county with excellent season for starting the new year.

District Chase Begins

The Eldorado Eaglettes begin their defense of the District 8-A crown Friday night as they prepare to go to Mason to take on the Punchers.

District is what the team is preparing for in all early season games and this year Eldorado's girls are picked to take the championship though Junction, Eden, Mason, Menard, and Sonora will all be making an effort to upset the Eaglettes. Eden should be the greatest threat with Junction, Sonora, Mason, and Menard following.

Last year the green and white won it and since this is their last year in 8-A they'd like to take all the marbles again.

Game time in Mason should be about 6:30.

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Post Script

A big city can spend several years and many millions of dollars getting ready for a World's Fair that lasts for several months.

The fair is a splash affair with much to attract interest, hold attention, and show off all kinds of the world's goods.

But what do they do with the facilities after the fair is over?

These questions have come up for consideration after San Antonio's HemisFair completed its 6-month run on October 6, 1968. Our Eldorado Eagle Band performed at the next to the last day of the event, and those of us who were down there then, remember the various countries that had curio shops were having clearance sales.

After the fair ended, most of the exhibits and many of the buildings were removed immediately. At one side are a large hall and auditorium that form the nucleus of San Antonio's new convention center.

Some of us were in San Antonio recently and made a walk down to the old HemisFair site to see what, if anything, was still there.

The grounds still present their sweeping vistas of walkways, pedestrian overpasses, here and there a fountain, the Mini-Monorail still goes overhead, and some of the major buildings are still in place, such as the U. S. Pavilion that is now locked up.

The Tower of The Americas is still open, both the observation area and the restaurant.

The Wax Museum is still open, as is the Great To Be Alive Show.

We pointed out a vacant spot as the place where Coco Cola had their puppet show, and another where the children's rides were.

The once elegant lagoons where boat-loads of sight-seers made the rounds and which were bordered with flowers, are now just ponds of water with paper plates and other trash in them.

A children's play area is being developed, and there are still some ferris wheels and other rides.

Here and there a sign can still be spotted on an empty building, Thailand, or Yellow Rose of Texas, or Bell Telephone.

One thing definitely worth seeing: Just inside the front gate, Witte Museum has taken over one of the larger buildings and fixed up an exhibit of antique cars, World War I airplanes, and horse-drawn buggies, streetcars, and wagons.

This is a transportation exhibit that is constantly being added to and re-done. There is also a wing of the building showing Spanish art.

At the other end of the grounds is the Institute of Texas Cultures which is to be open permanently to the public, but it happened to be closed while we were there, and is to be open again around the tenth of this month.

HemisFair itself lost money on its 6-month run, and now San Antonio is having to consider several proposals of what to do with the 90 acres or so in the heart of downtown.

They might follow Seattle's lead and develop it into a large civic center.

Another proposal is to have a large permanent amusement park, on the order of Six Flags or Tivoli Gardens; but estimated cost to develop such is about eight million dollars.

Still another proposal is to build a post-graduate university center of some sort, for advanced studies. That too would call for a large expenditure.

And there are said to be a few private developers who would be willing to take it over and invest private capital for an apartment complex or other facilities.

It remains to be seen what disposition San Antonio makes of the fair site; in the meantime it presents a quite different appearance to those who attended the event and remember the thousands of fairgoers who thronged in, and all the other sights.

The list of prize winners given in last week's Success for the pre-Christmas drawing at Sofge's should have listed Glenda Hibbits instead of Glenda Hanusch as winner of the top prize.

We are glad to make this correction.

Mrs. J. S. Pelt recently moved back to Eldorado to make her home after living for many years in Edinburg.

This coming Sunday, Jan. 11th, Mrs. Pelt will be 96 years of age.

Local Crews Go to Aid of Neighbor Co-Ops



Headquarters Building in Eldorado

Texas ice storms are born from a very special kind of weather when temperatures are bobbing right at the 30-degree mark or a fraction colder, and accompanied by rain and sleet which causes ice to build up on trees and utility lines.

These kind of storms are infrequent. We may go for years without one—but when they do occur it is often hell for electric co-ops with their long rural lines serving farms and ranches over several counties.

The most severe one to hit this area in recent years was in mid-December, 1967, when the Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op system was immobilized for days while repair crews worked night and day to restore service. The next one was just last week, but much milder which caused damage which was promptly repaired. While last week's storm was comparatively gentle in the Schleicher area, it hit some areas over a hundred miles north of here with demoralizing effect.

On Wednesday, December 31st, Manager Elton McGinnes got a call from Colorado City appealing for help, saying their system was in bad shape, and could he send experienced line men. McGinnes sent a pick-up and a digger truck and four men: W. D. Hubble and Gail Mittel from Eldorado and Paul Harmon and Bill Bolen from Big Lake.

"But didn't the men hate to go?" he was asked. "Indeed not, they get time-and-a-half from the time they leave here until they get back," he replied, and added they were glad to earn the extra money.

Then on Thursday, New Year's Day, came

another emergency call from Roby. They were in the same fix an calling for all the help they could get. With everything back to normal here, McGinnes was able to dispatch four more experienced line men to that Co-Op. Those chosen were Bill Maness, Kenneth Hicks and Joe Griffin from Eldorado and Jerry Perry from Ozona.

The 77 Texas Electric Co-Ops are all interlinked in a state-wide system providing emergency service to each other and are quick to respond to a call for help. Texas Electric Co-Ops have state headquarters in Austin and each local unit has lists of men and equipment they can furnish in an emergency.

The men who are selected for these emergency calls must be men of long experience able to take care of themselves without on-the-job supervision. In its 24 years of existence here Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op has developed and trained that sort of crew and they are often called upon to aid their neighbors.

It is not often that the local Co-Op has to call for outside help, but they did in the big freeze of December 1967. At that time Junction Co-Op sent two men and a pick-up over here to help the local crew.

Besides the handsome headquarters office here in Eldorado, Southwest Texas Electric Co-Operative maintains branch offices in Ozona and Big Lake. Their employee relations apparently must be of the highest order as evidenced by a remark made recently by an outsider, "Hell, you never heard of anyone quitting over there!"

Lions Club Meets Following Holidays

The Eldorado Lions Club held their first meeting in three weeks Wednesday at noon in the Memorial Building. Boss Lion A. G. McCormack presided.

Bruce Shipman is program chairman for this month of January and he showed a sports film.

The Mid-Winter Conference is coming up this Saturday at Colorado City and A. G. McCormack and Pat Wester plan to attend. Possibly one or two others will.

Boss Lion McCormack has received word that A. E. Prugel of Sonora, Governor of District 2A-1, will make his official visit to the local club on Wednesday, January 21st. All Lions are urged to make special effort to attend that day and hear Governor Prugel's speech.

A special event set for early-Spring by the Lions Club is the Queen's Contest, which a number of High School girls will enter. Phil Olson is chairman of that committee and they will have some specific plans and arrangements in the near future.

The local contest will be held in March, and the winner will represent the Eldorado Lions Club in the district contest at the convention in San Angelo in April.

Complete information is in the ad on page 2.

Wednesday morning, Schleicher countians awoke to find temperatures even colder than the morning before. Some thermometers registered 8 to 10 degrees.

Be Sure to Register to Vote if you have not already done so! Only about three weeks remain of the voter registration period.

NO WORD ON CLEMENT
The search for Johnny Clement's light Cessna plane, which disappeared on a flight over Tennessee shortly before Christmas, was called off about a week later. Some searchers are still at work, but there has been no sign of the aircraft.

Mt. Palomar Choir Will Sing Here Night of 25th

The Mt. Palomar Choir from California, with Jo Ray Stanford as director, will give a concert here the night of Sunday, Jan. 25th, starting at 7:00 o'clock in the school auditorium.

The local appearance will be sponsored by the Ministerial Alliance of Eldorado, and most local churches will dispense with their services that evening in order for their congregations to attend.

Joe Stanford has been a church choir director for the past several years on the West Coast. He is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Stanford of this county. His wife is also a Schleicher county native, the former Nancy Jo Jackson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson, Jr. They have one young son.

The appearance of this choir should be a highlight of the winter season here. Further details on arrangements will be given in the Success later.

Directors Meet
Hospital District directors met in regular session Monday night when Mrs. Mort Mertz was officially sworn in as a member. Bills were approved and ordered paid and routine business conducted in a short meeting which adjourned at 8:00 o'clock.

Dr. Brame reported that the institution was still full and overflowing.

TEXAS ALMANACS for 1971 for sale at the Success office.

Blakeway Announces For Re-Election

B. L. Blakeway, who is completing his second four-year term as Justice of the Peace of J. P. Precinct No. 1 which takes in the town of Eldorado, this week authorized the Success to announce his statement for re-election.

In making his bid for re-election subject to the May 2 Democratic Primary, Mr. Blakeway stated:

"I have tried to carry out the duties of the office of Justice of the Peace to the best of my ability in the past, and pledge my continued best efforts in the future.

"Your support in the coming elections will be appreciated, and thanks for your support in the past," Blakeway concluded.

Registration On For 1970 Voting

Registration for 1970 voting started the 1st of October in Sheriff Edmiston's office, and is continuing through this month of January. Deadline for registering is January 31st.

As of Tuesday morning, there were 694 voters who had registered. So registrations continue to lag, and there are between 500 and 600 who must take care of registering between now and the deadline if they expect to vote this election year.

Sheriff Edmiston also reminded the public that elderly voters must also register now in order to be qualified to vote.

On page 7 of this Success issue is an application form that voters may use if they find it inconvenient to go to the Sheriff's office and register in person. Just fill out the form, sign it, and mail to Orval Edmiston, and then your registration certificate will be mailed to you.

There are important races in the offing, from U. S. Senator, governor of the state, on down to the local officials.

You must be a registered voter in order to vote for or against any of them, and the deadline is the 31st of January.

NEW RESIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Watson moved to Eldorado recently from Austin. Mr. Watson has employment with Haley Transports. The family have rented a Montgomery house. Mrs. Watson is a granddaughter of Mrs. Bob McKee.

Political Announcements

County Offices	\$25.00
Commissioners	\$20.00
Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1	\$20.00
State and Congressional	\$25.00
Federal Offices	\$25.00

Note: The above prices include one (1) write-up of not exceeding 250 words; additional wording will be charged for at regular reader advertising rate (4c a word). The price does not include subscription to this publication. No refund to candidates withdrawing.

The Eldorado Success is authorized to announce the following names of candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic Primary May 2, 1970:

For County Judge:

For County and District Clerk:

For County Treasurer:

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:

L. E. (GENE) McCALLA
For Re-Election

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

ALVIN FARRIS

For Justice Of The Peace Justice Precinct No. 1:

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For Re-Election

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59c	49c	89c	69c
69c	55c	\$1.00	79c

TOWEL SALE

Reg.	Sale	Reg.	Sale
79c	59c	\$1.98	\$1.59
\$1.00	79c	\$2.98	\$2.49
\$1.29	98c	\$3.49	\$2.98

ALL SHEETS ON SALE

Muslin - Percale - Colored
 Flat - Fitted - Double - Single

ALL LADIES UNDERWEAR ON SALE

SLIPS	PANTIES
\$2.95 ----- \$2.49	Reg. Sale
\$3.95 ----- \$3.39	\$1.00 ----- 79c
\$4.95 ----- \$3.98	\$1.29 ----- 98c
\$5.95 ----- \$4.79	\$1.65 ----- \$1.29

Mojud Hosiery ON SALE	PANTY HOSE
\$1.00 ----- 79c	\$1.49 ----- \$1.19
\$1.35 ----- 98c	\$1.99 ----- \$1.59
	\$2.99 ----- \$2.49

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\$12.95 ----- \$7.98	\$4.95 ----- \$3.79
\$14.95 ----- \$8.98	\$5.95 ----- \$4.49
\$17.95 ----- \$10.98	\$7.95 ----- \$5.98
	\$9.95 ----- \$6.98

Girls' Sweaters

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Reg.	Sale
\$1.98	\$1.59
\$2.98	\$2.59
\$3.98	\$3.29

All Shoes On Sale

Dress - Work - Play - Tennis - Boots

All Ladies Shoes Fourth Off	P. F. Tennis Shoes
Reg. Sale	Reg. Sale
Group Ladies Shoes \$1.98	\$3.98 ----- \$3.29
	\$4.98 ----- \$3.98
All Children's Shoes 25% Off	\$5.98 ----- \$4.79
	\$6.98 ----- \$5.59

SALE — BOYS SHIRTS	BOYS DRESS PANTS 25% OFF
Reg. Sale	
\$2.98 ----- \$2.49	
\$3.49 ----- \$2.79	
\$3.98 ----- \$2.98	

SALE ON
MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS

Reg.	Sale
\$3.98	\$3.29
\$4.98	\$3.98
\$5.98	\$4.59

MEN'S SOX	SALE
Reg. Sale	ON GLOVES
\$1.00 ----- 79c	20% OFF
\$1.25 ----- 98c	
\$1.50 ----- \$1.19	

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KHAKI PANTS — SHIRTS

Reg.	Sale	Reg.	Sale
\$5.98	\$4.98	\$3.98	\$3.29
\$7.98	\$6.39	\$4.98	\$3.98

SALE Men's Sweaters	BOYS LEE CASUALS No Iron
Reg. Sale	Reg. Sale
\$10.98 ----- \$6.98	\$5.00 ----- \$3.98
\$12.98 ----- \$7.98	\$5.50 ----- \$4.29
\$15.98 ----- \$9.98	\$6.00 ----- \$4.79
\$17.98 ----- \$11.98	

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\$6.98	\$5.79
\$7.00	\$5.79
\$8.00	\$5.98
\$9.00	\$7.49

Men's Lee Riders	BOYS' LEE RIDERS
\$4.98	Reg. Sale
No Iron	\$3.98 ----- \$3.49
Lee Westerners	\$4.98 ----- \$4.39
\$5.98	

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ELDORADO AND SONORA, TEXAS

Eaglettes Lose To R'springs Saturday

It seems to get more difficult each year to write about the Angora & Eaglette clash as it is played in Rocksprings because it seems to get more difficult simply to play the game. This last Saturday night the girls who had beaten Rocksprings earlier by a 50-46 score were defeated 50-43 in an exciting game that was close all the way. The only thing to mar the game was the fact that the official book allowed a Rocksprings guard to play with five fouls knowing an error had been made. In a game such as this where at the time there was a 3 point edge, it could have made a difference. The referees play an important role and in this game Rocksprings took 29 free throws and Eldorado was awarded only 19. In a game with closely matched teams who both play hard there should never have been a 10 free shot difference. Somebody goofed!

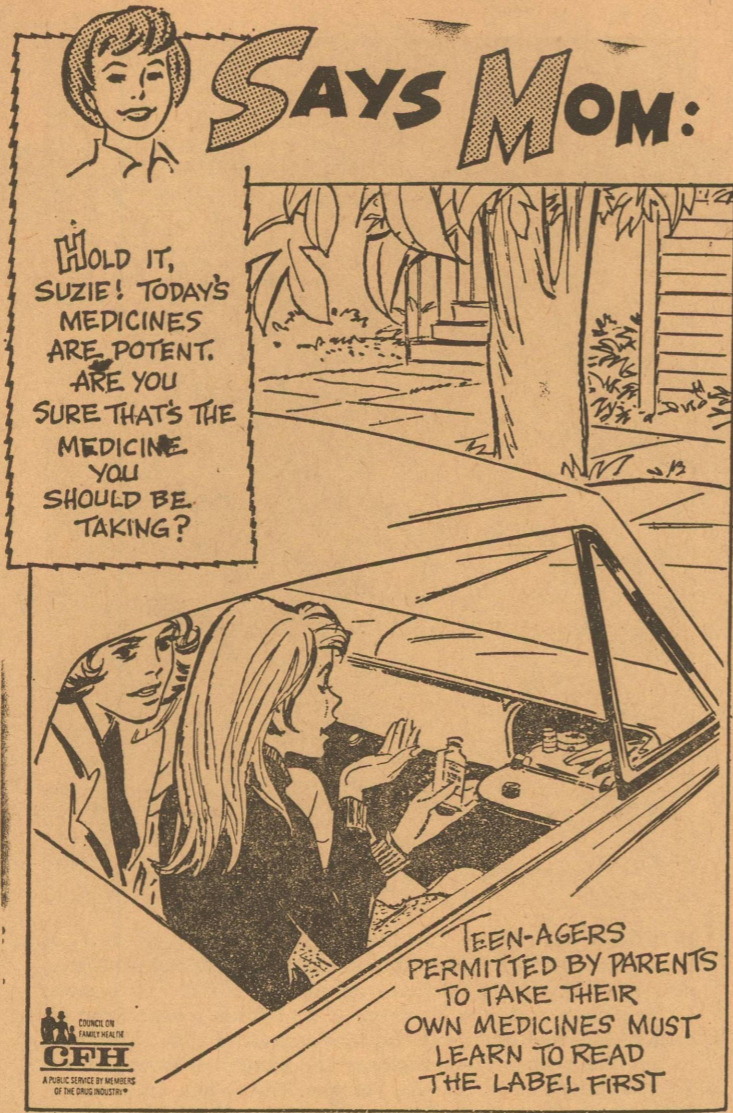
The Eaglettes played a solid game and out hit Rocksprings from the floor; however, it too must be pointed out that the Eaglette forwards did not hit what free throws they were awarded like they normally do. The girls made 11 of 19 for only 60% and normally they are 75% or better.

Lorretta Schooley connected for 16 points, Kathleen O'Harrow 14, and Sheri Roberts 13. Randy Yates didn't score but she did come in to give zest and spark to the defense of the forwards and set up scoring plays for the others.

The guards did a sound job on defense with only a few breakdowns during the game. Lisa McAngus got 9 rebounds before fouling out, Lisa Whitten 8, and Claudia Meador and Gay Lyn Richardson had 3 each.

There were 17 turnovers during the contest on the Eaglettes with only about half that many "signal-ed" against the Angoras.

The girls stand 10-3 on the season.



Angoras Nip Eagles

The Eldorado boys hit 8 of 21 free throws Saturday night and it wasn't enough to pull them through as they were nipped by Rocksprings 43-42. Questionable calls all night was a contributing factor but in the last 35 seconds the Eagles could have sewed it up from the charity line but missed on three bonus situations which was a pos-

sible six points.

Eldorado held a 10-8 lead, then it was 24 all at half. Rocksprings led by 2 at the end of three quarters and then the Eagles went ahead with about 2 minutes to go by one until an Angora hit the basket putting them one ahead and the green just couldn't convert on their opportunities.

Jerry Baty was high point with 10 along with Sam Oglesby who

also had 10. Wayne Doyle made 7 points, while Mickie Clark and Charles Adams added 5 each. Bob Page had 4 and Billy Hubble 1. District . . .

The boys, not playing on Tuesday night, will dive headlong into district competition Friday night in Mason. Mason is regarded as the team to beat as they took the championship last year. Eldorado beat them once too so these boys will know the Eagles are capable of upsetting them again.

Tuesday night Eldorado will host the Eden Bulldogs in a district contest in Eagle Gym.

Eaglettes Try For Lake View Title

The Eldorado girls have played in the Lake View Tournament about five times in the last 10 years and have never made it to the finals. This year the Eaglettes will go with this in mind but it will be a difficult task as some top-notch competition will be there. Among the top teams will be Jim Ned of Tuscola, Iraan, Rocksprings, Stanton and Eldorado. Lake View, Mertzon, Miles, and Wall round out the nine team tournament.

Eldorado will play the feature game Thursday night against Stanton who reportedly has a fine team. The Eaglettes, if victorious, will play at 12:00 noon Saturday against a familiar foe, Rocksprings, and a chance to redeem themselves. If they beat the Angoras the finals are set for 8:30 p.m. Saturday. And if they should lose the noon encounter the third place game will be 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Iraan is probably the favorite of the top group with Jim Ned next. This will be an excellent tournament and the last non-district competition for Eldorado.

Lake View high school is located a few blocks south of the Coliseum.

Lions Conference Set At Colorado City

Lions of District 2A-1 will enjoy a special treat at their Mid-Winter Conference at Colorado City on January 10, when Lion Marion B. Snider of Dallas will be the banquet speaker.

Lion Snider, a professional musician, is past president of the largest Lions Club in the world—the Oak Cliff Club. He is also a past Governor of Lions District 2X-1 in the Dallas area. He is currently first vice president of the Lions Past District Governors Association of Texas.

"We are extremely fortunate to obtain the services of such an outstanding entertainer for our Mid-Winter Conference," said Lion A. E. Prugel of Sonora, present Governor of District 2A-1. This Lions District includes 65 clubs in an area bounded by Midland, Sweetwater, Brownwood, Llano & Ozona.

Lion Snider produced the entertainment for the 1968 Lions International Convention in Dallas. He was official musician for the 1969 Tokyo, Japan Convention. He has also entertained at International Conventions in Chicago and Atlantic City, New Jersey. He has directed and produced the Oak Cliff Minstrel Show for 21 years—a show which has grossed over \$400,000 during its run.

Representatives of the 65 Lions Clubs in District 2A-1 will attend the one day conference in Colorado City on January 10 to hear reports on problems and activities in the area. Informational seminars for line officers and secretaries will be held following the noon banquet.

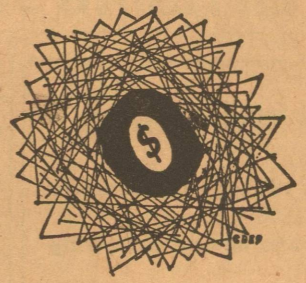
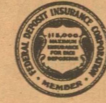
An interesting program has also been developed for the ladies who will be attending with their husbands, Governor Prugel said. On Saturday morning the ladies will choose between book reviews, bridge, and a tour of the museum. In the afternoon they will be entertained by Lion and Mrs. Glendon Westbrook of San Angelo who will show movies and slides of their 1969 trip to the Lions International Convention at Tokyo, Japan.

Mrs. R. F. Frost, Mrs. F. M. Bradley, Miss Chris Enochs and Mrs. R. L. Ballew spent Saturday in Brady visiting friends and relatives. First, they visited in the Hugh Harzke home. Mrs. Harzke, the former Fay Belle Enochs, is a niece of Miss Enochs. The next stop was to see Mrs. W. B. Cobb, former Eldoradoan, who now resides at Brady Hills Nursing Center. The Bradleys also visited their cousin, Mrs. Marion Deans, who is a resident at Brady Hills. Before returning home brief stops were made at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. McLeod and H. D. Bradley.

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Notice to Parents of School Age Children

The school census for Schleicher County is now being taken. All children who are six years old on or before September 1, 1970, but will not be 18 or older on or before that date should be counted in this census. It is important that all children 6 to 18 be counted in this census. The child should be counted even though he may not be in school and even though he may be married.

If you, as a parent, have not received and filled out a school census blank on or before January 31, you are being overlooked and should contact one of the following school principals:

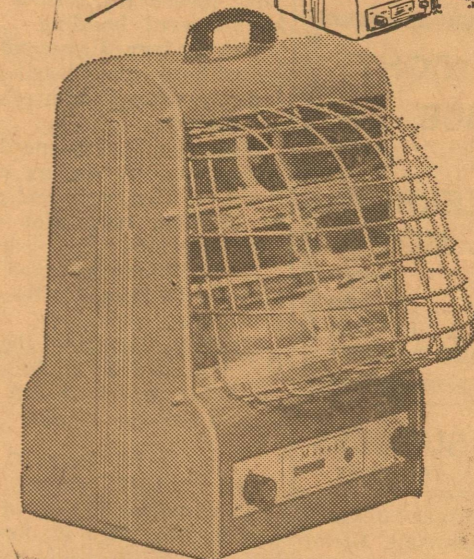
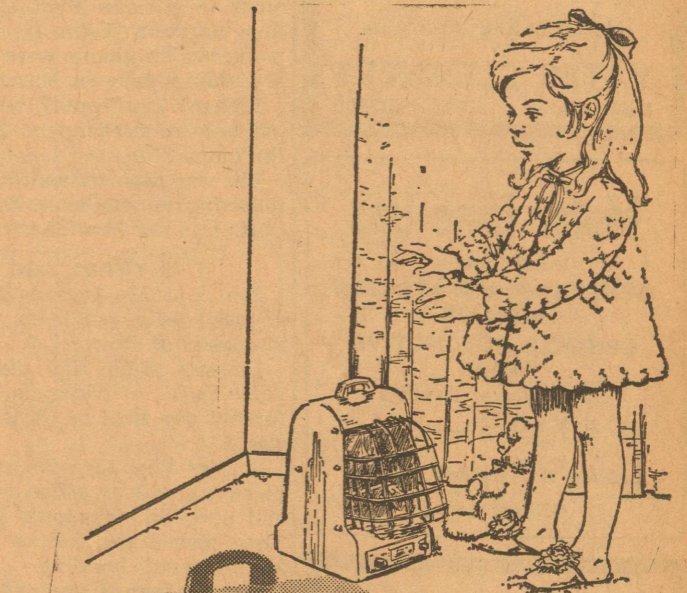
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James Cranford, bookkeeper for Haley Transports, died at 53.
Mrs. Mattie Cozzens died at 87 in Midland and was buried here.

FIVE YEARS AGO
Jan. 7, 1965—General Telephone Co. announced plans to start work on their new building here in February. It was to house new equipment and pave the way for Direct Distance Dialing.
New plate glass windows were installed in all three of the courthouse entrances.
Billy Kerr's funeral was held in San Angelo. He died at age 48.
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Richard Lawdermilk was working here as barber, and he joined the Lions Club.

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Jan. 8, Thursday, Bank shareholders' meeting, 3:00 p.m. at bank.
Jan. 9, Friday, Basketball boys & girls to Mason for games starting at 5:15 p.m.
Jan. 12, Monday, OES meets.
Jan. 13, Tuesday, Eden here for basketball games starting 6:30.
Jan. 14, Wednesday, Lions Club meets 12:05, Memorial Building.
Jan. 15, Thursday, DAR meets.
Jan. 19, Monday, Band Aid meeting.
Jan. 24, Saturday, Area Band, at Austin.
Jan. 25, Sunday, Mt. Palomar choir presents concert 7:00 p.m., school auditorium.
Jan. 27, Tuesday, Woman's Club.
Jan. 29, Thursday, Social Security man here at Court House, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.
Feb. 7, Saturday, Eagle Band Banquet.

Garage Sale

Including household goods of all kinds. Come by residence of Mrs. Luckett next door to Chris Enochs. 1*

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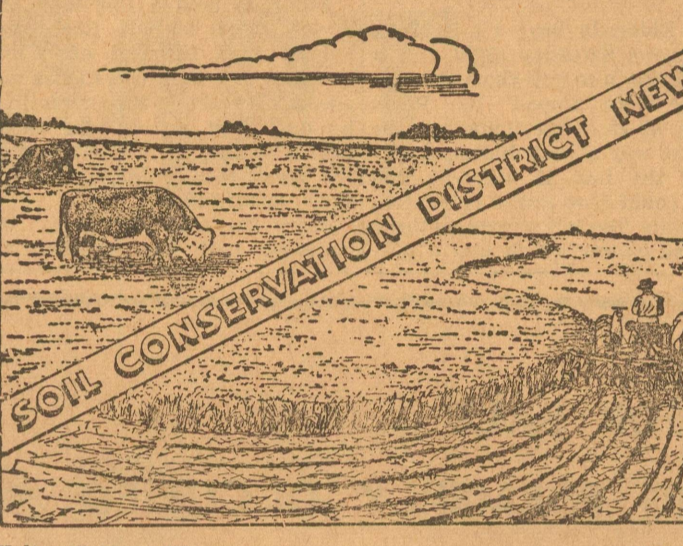
Sealed proposals for constructing 6.341 miles of Gr., Strs., Base & Surf. From 4.0 Miles W of Crockett-Schleicher C/L To: 7.0 Miles W of FM 1828 on Highway No. RM 33, covered by C558-11-5 & C558-12-12 in Crockett & Schleicher County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., January 23, 1970, and then publicly opened and read.
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BITTER CRITTER — The Litter Critter, the Texas Highway Department's faithful sidekick in the battle against highway litter, now is making his appearance on colorful 17x22-inch posters. Litter pickup costs the Department \$2 million a year. Schools, garden clubs and other organizations concerned about litter may obtain the posters from Highway Department District Offices, Tourist Information Bureaus or the Travel and Information Division, Texas Highway Department, Austin (78703). -- TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT PHOTO 12/69.



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Great Plains Conservation Program By Bill Rountree

Recent legislation brought about a 10-year extension of the Great Plains Conservation Program. This program had its beginning back in 1957 when it was instigated to give landowners in the Great Plains area help in building greater stability in farming and ranching operations. The program had been scheduled to end December 31, 1971 but has now been extended to 1981.
The first Great Plains Conservation Program Contract was signed in the Eldorado-Divide Soil and Water Conservation District and Schleicher county on April 30, 1952. Since that time there have been 27 such contracts signed on 61,751 acres of land. At the present time there are 3 active applications on hand for developing Great Plains contracts on an additional 2,686 acres.
A Great Plains Conservation program contract from a Federal participation standpoint is based on an over-all plan of a particular farm or ranch. This over-all plan is worked out with the farmer or rancher, and payments are made according to the plan. The plan is based on the correct use of each acre according to its need. After the plan is worked out, it is made into a contract between the producer and the Secretary of Agriculture.
The Great Plains program is not to interfere with other Government programs. The producers can participate in several programs at the same time. But of course, the operator cannot get paid from two

sources for the same practice on the same acres. This program will not cost-share on all good practices. For instance, it will not make payments on a practice like deferred grazing. But even though you might not be paid for it, you will have to agree to a deferred grazing program in your contract. All agreed-on practices to receive cost share must meet specifications.
A good feature about this program is its flexibility. If a producer has a practice planned for a particular year and something comes up beyond his control, the contract can be modified to move the practice up a year.
The producer can also speed up his contract by doing work faster than he originally planned.
Federal cost-share is based on a fixed percentage of the average cost of doing a job. The percentage is different for different jobs, varying from 50% to 80% as the Government's share. Each county within the Great Plains Conservation Program area has a Great Plains county committee that prepares a list of practices in which they want the Federal Government to participate. This list is used in preparing Great Plains contracts for the county, listing the work to be done and when. In working with the farmer or rancher, all the practices to be done are listed. Then a schedule of when the work is to be done is made—this year, next year, the year after, or whenever the producer thinks he can do the job.
The contract is based on a long range conservation plan designed by the producer himself, with help of trained conservation personnel. Contracts are flexible to take care of changing conditions and in no case will landowner be bound to anything other than what is in the original contract.
Within the Great Plains area 685 Great Plains contracts were signed in July-September, bringing a total to 35,335. At present there are 5,687 unserved applications.

Ray Ballew writes from Danang that he and Bill Lester, Jr. have been notified that they will have their R&R beginning on the 15th of January, and they will go to Australia. They had each put in for that date and were hoping they could go at the same time. He had received a letter from Wayne McGinnes telling him of his recent R&R trip to Australia. Ray had a ticket to attend Bob Hope's show but he was on patrol at the time, and said even had he been at his base he probably could not have gotten in because they turned many away, for lack of space.

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SCHLEICHER COUNTY RAINFALL RECORDS SINCE 1936

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Eaglettes 'Finally' Win Over Del Rio

Eldorado appeared to be in a control game Tuesday night during the first quarter as they did everything common to basketball except score points. You would not have believed it was the Eaglettes had you read the first quarter score-board which said 4-3. The Eldorado boys who did not have a game sat as a group yelling and cheering the green on but to no avail until five minutes prior to the half when things began to go better and a few fell in the basket that earlier had fallen away. During this second quarter Kathleen O'Harrow began to find the range and hit 10 points, Linda Derrick 3, and Lorretta Schooley 2; thus the half-time score was 19-6. The guards did a tremendous job of holding down the scoring of Del Rio as Lisa McAngus, Claudia Meador, Gay Lynn Richardson, Lisa Whitten and Mary Lynn McCalla allowed 2 baskets the first half.

The third quarter showed some improvement but not a scoring spree as again Eldorado collected 15 points and 10 in the last quarter. Kathleen had 15 for high point honors and Sherry Davis had 9. Linda Derrick had 5 which three people, Peggy Hill, Jeanne McCravey, and Lorretta Schooley each had 4. Patty Page sank a long shot for 2 points and Randy Yates got a free shot to round out the scoring.

Lisa McAngus was particularly outstanding defensively as she hauled in 16 rebounds. Claudia Meador claimed 6 while Lisa Whitten and Gay Lynn Richardson had 5 each. Jean Rountree saw some action and Mary Lynn McCalla who has recently recovered from a hospital stay, saw limited action.

B's Notch Another

The "B" girls extended their win streak to seven for the season with no losses as they beat Del Rio "B" 39-21 here Tuesday.

The younger Eaglettes have not played in several weeks and it took them the first quarter to really get going. The initial score was 6-9 Del Rio but Eldorado came back with 10 points, 6 by Rosellen Maness, and took a 16-11 lead. However, it was during the 3rd quarter that the Eaglettes came to life as they scored, intercepted the ball, caused turnovers, and continued to score as they put in 15 points. They added 8 in the final period.

Guards Gail Robinson, Patsy Tampke, Janet Davis, Margie Green, Betty Kay Bradley, Lynn Sanders, Leanne Cawley, Sherwin Jackson and Thelma Bosmans allowed only 6 field goals all night, none in the second and third quarters. Rosellen Maness was high point with 15 and Barbara Robledo had 9 and Patti Olson got 13. Judy Hanusch scored 2.

The "B" girls will play Lake View Monday in Eldorado starting with a 7th grade game at 5:00, 8th grade at 6:15 and Freshmen at 7:30.

'Litter Critter' Is Now On Posters

Austin, Tex.—The Litter Critter, the Texas Highway Department's stomp'n' mad promoter of the clean scene along Texas highways, now is appearing on large colorful posters.

The Litter Critter has been prominent on the face of Official State Highway Maps issued by the Department for several years. He also has made "guest appearances" in public service features in newspapers and magazines throughout the state, in addition to appearing on other departmental publications.

His message is simple: Help stomp out litter! The Litter Critter is tied up at the annual \$2 million cost of cleaning up after careless motorists who sawed trash and litter along the 69-thousand-mile Texas highway system.

The colorful new posters measure 17 x 22 inches and show the Critter, buster about litter as usual, stomping out one more pile of roadside trash.

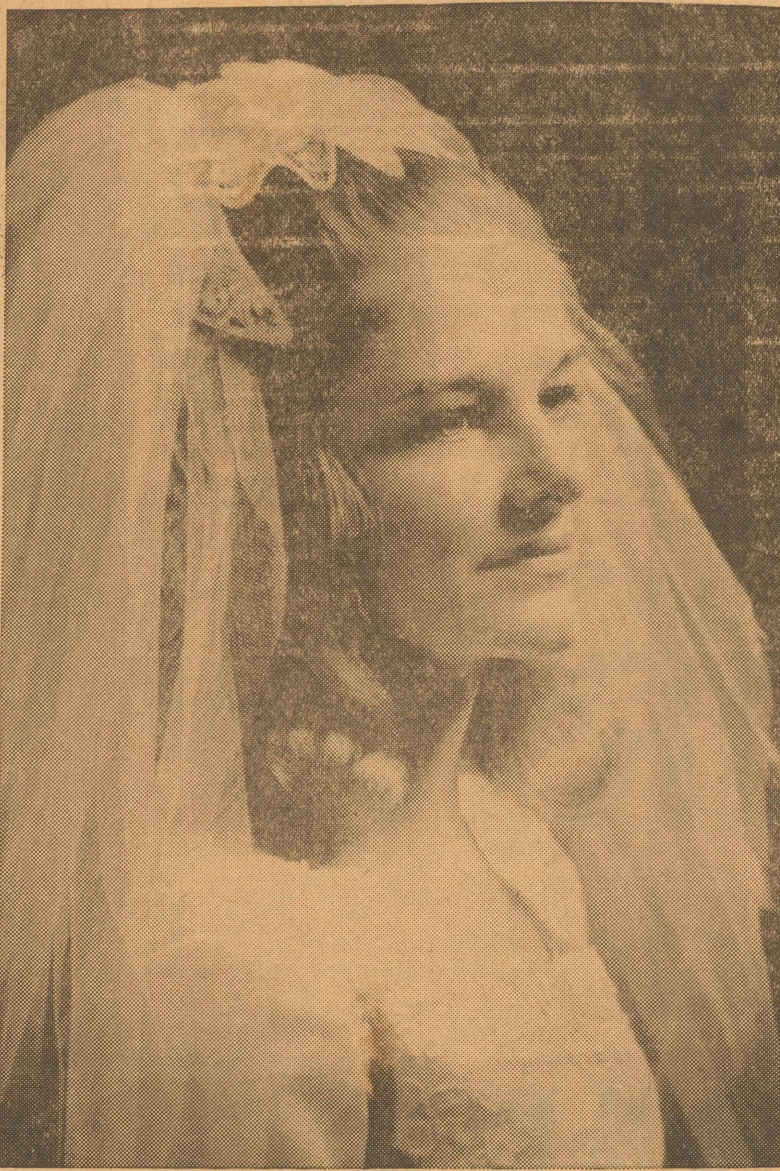
The posters are available to schools, clubs and other organizations concerned about the litter problem. They may be obtained from Texas highway district offices throughout the state or by writing: Texas Highway Dept., Travel and Information Division, P. O. Box 5004, Austin, Texas 78703.

Methodist Notes

This Sunday evening, Jan. 11th, marks the beginning of our Churchwide study on China. This study will be quite interesting and timely, so make your plans to attend, states the pastor, the Rev. Bobby Palmos. The study will start at 7:00 p.m. and continue for several weeks.

At the morning service on Jan. 18th, a Gideon speaker will be on hand to give the message.

Miss McCravey Becomes Bride Of Mr. McCravey Friday Evening



MRS. CHRIS McCRAVEY
Formerly Miss Chris Edmiston

After a wedding trip to New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. William Chris McCravey will live in Lubbock where they are students in Texas Tech University.

The couple were married Friday in the First Baptist church here with the Rev. Kenneth Vaughan officiating. Presenting wedding music were Mrs. Marvin Peek of Eden and Bob Lester of Colorado City, soloist.

The bride is the former Miss Chris Anita Edmiston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Edmiston. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy McCravey.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Phil Edmiston of San Angelo and bridesmaids were the bridegroom's sister, Miss Maureen McCravey, and Miss Billie Gayl Blaylock.

Mike McCravey of College Station was his brother's best man. Tony Clark and Joe Edmiston, brother of the bride, were groomsmen. Seating guests were the bride's brother, Brian Edmiston of Holiday, Kirk Jones, Johnny Mayo and Steve Whitten.

The bride wore a formal gown of bridal satin designed with scooped neckline, fitted waist, bell skirt and tapered sleeves. Appliques of

re-embroidered lace with seed pearls enhanced the neckline bodice front and skirt sides.

Candlelighters were the bride's brother, Jim Bob Edmiston, and Anne Louise Mad of New Braunfels.

Serving in the houseparty in the church fellowship hall were Mrs. Billy Edmiston, Mrs. Lewis Whitten, Mrs. W. F. Edmiston, Mrs. L. D. Mund, Miss Shirley Hubble, Miss Stella Hubble, Miss Libby Preston, Miss Susan Hill, Miss Susan Mobley, Miss Elsie Dempsey, Miss Jacque Davis, Mrs. Mike McCravey of College Station and the bridegroom's sister Miss Jeanne McCravey.

Mrs. McCravey is a graduate of Eldorado High School where she was a cheerleader and member of National Honor Society and girls' basketball team. She is a sophomore home economics education major in Texas Tech.

Her husband is also a graduate of EHS where he lettered in football, basketball and tennis and was named Mr. EHS. A junior in Texas Tech majoring in animal science, he is employed by the university.

The bridegroom's parents were hosts for the rehearsal dinner in a San Angelo restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Buren Whitten Jr. and Troy of Irving; Pvt. John T. Whitten, wife and son from Fort Gardo, Georgia; Mrs. Hermie Davis and children from Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. John Mormon from Sonora, and Mrs. Clemmie Vick of Ingram, all visited Mrs. Buren Whitten, Sr. over the holidays. All ate Christmas dinner with the John Mormons in Sonora, and all report a nice Christmas.

David Childers and Pat Childers of Dallas visited over the recent holidays with their mother, Mrs. Thelma Childers.

School Selected For Physical Fitness

Word has been received from Lewis Spears, Program Director of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Division of Program Development, Texas Education Agency, Austin, Texas that the Schleicher County School has been selected as a Demonstration Center for the President's Council on Physical Fitness.

What Are Demonstration

Center Schools?

The Demonstration Center schools are part of the overall effort, supported by our last three Presidents, to improve the physical fitness of America's youth. Each of them has an outstanding physical education program emphasizing physical fitness. Their pupils participate in vigorous developmental and conditioning activities; they are instructed in safe and healthful living practices; and they are taught skills which will increase both their competence and their confidence in themselves.

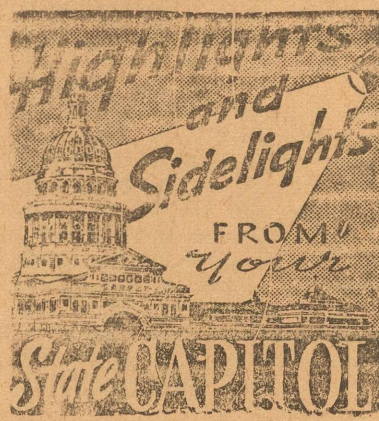
The Council believes such programs are essential in a highly-urbanized and technological society. It urges all schools to pattern their physical education programs after those in the Demonstration Center Schools.

News of the Sick

Mrs. John Rae (Tibba) Powell is undergoing medical treatment in Galveston.

Charles Wimer was entered as a patient in the local hospital Saturday and was being treated this week for pneumonia.

P. S. Dudley underwent surgery Monday in Shannon hospital. He was scheduled to be released and brought home from the hospital about the middle of the week.



Austin, Tex.—Lagging voter registration may spell bad news for Democratic officials, according to no less an authority than U. S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough.

Yarborough called a news conference in the Statehouse the day after State Republican Chairman William Steger of Tyler announced Texas GOP's plan to field strong candidates for both senator and governor this year.

Steger cited a poll as the basis of Republican hopes, but Yarborough said registration statistics, not polls, are the real cause for Democrats to be wary. He said 80% of Republican strength already has registered in such large counties as Harris, Dallas and Midland, while the sign-up is poor in traditional Democratic strongholds.

On that same day, Secretary of State Martin Dies Jr. urged all eligible adult Texans to exercise their traditional rights by registering. Dies is the state's chief election officer. January 31 is the registration deadline. Dies issued these reminders:

—Any citizen 21 years of age or older on the day of an election, who has been a resident of the state for at least one year and a resident of his home county for six months preceding the election, is qualified to register for voting.

—Eligible persons may register by personal appearance at the main office, branch office or authorized substitution of the home county tax assessor-collector. Written applications may also be made to the tax assessor-collector.

—The husband, wife, mother, father, son or daughter of a voter may act as his agent in registering if the agent is a qualified voter.

—A person who moves to Texas after October 1 may register during the regular period or afterward but must have been registered for 30 days before voting.

—Any person who will meet qualifications before Feb. 28, 1971, may register during the regular period. Those who will become 21 after January 31 may register during the regular period or afterward.

Crime Fight

Department of Public Safety Director Wilson Speir persuaded the Criminal Justice Council to provide \$864,638 to enlarge the DPS training academy at Austin. This, subject to availability of funds.

Colonel Speir said the proposed construction and renovation would expand the student capacity of the facility from 181 to 331. Also, space would be made available for the council's proposed Texas Crime Information Center, a bank of computers and Teletypes linked with DPS offices around the state.

Council also voted to consider changing its name at the next meeting. Acting Chairman Harold Dud-

ley said Gov. Preston Smith favors the title "Texas Justice Council", eliminating the word "criminal."

Among the eight local projects given council approval was a rehabilitation program for the El Paso County Jail. Project will involve counseling and a job-training program, starting with a cooking and baking school.

Air Pollution

Texas Air Control Board will set up a regional office in Houston within the next three months. But the state board does not intend to duplicate any pollution control services offered by Harris county, the City of Houston or other local agencies.

Executive Secretary Charles Barden said the Air Control Board has been planning a regional office in Houston for a long time, but a request had just come in from the city. Regional offices already have been established in Corpus Christi, Tyler, Fort Worth and Lubbock.

Courts Speak

Texas Supreme Court held Houston must turn over to Harris county hospital district \$1.4 million in pension funds contributed by and for Ben Taub and Jefferson Davis hospital employees.

Court ordered new trial in controversy over ownership of \$10 million 21 Turtle Creek Square apartments in Dallas.

Hall County man failed to convince high court his loss of sight was caused by cotton gin accident.

Oral arguments were set for January 28 in Jefferson county man's injury suit against Hudson Oil and Gas Corporation arising from gas line blow-out.

Attorney General Rules

Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin says in an opinion that County and District Clerks must issue, without cost, as many copies of certified documents as is necessary to make claims for veterans benefits from the United States Government.

In other opinions Martin concluded that: —Railroad Commission has authority to prescribe safety standards for transportation of gas and gas pipeline facilities owned by a city and the attorney general is authorized to enforce them.

—Provisions of Texas Engineering Practice Act are not applicable to Department of Health in establishing standards for design of hospitals and related institutions. Decisions for structures larger than those specified in the act do not have to bear the seal of a registered professional engineer if the designer is exempt.

—State Health Department is obligated to pay half the salary of a pilot for a plane jointly used under contract with the Department of Public Welfare.

—Use of a horn, recording or other device to call or attract wild foxes in Shelby, Nacogdoches, Sabine, San Augustine, Falls or Leon counties is illegal.

—Livestock production, with more cattle on feed, will be up about

6%, but crop production, hurt by adverse weather, will experience a 10% drop.

Nonetheless, the estimated farm gross of \$6.1 billion and net of \$2 billion will be slightly higher than last year.

Quarantine Invoked

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Animal Health Division, placed Fayette county under federal quarantine for hog cholera on Dec. 18.

Action is part of a stepped-up campaign to wipe out the costly swine disease. Quarantine will be removed as soon as threat of spread has been eliminated. "Stamping out" activities against cholera involves prompt and complete disposal of all infected and exposed herds. State-federal indemnity payments are made to farmers whose animals must be destroyed.

Appointments . . .

Gov. Preston Smith named three members of key joint interim water study committee. They are Robert M. Dixon of Austin, M. P. Anderson of Houston and George Thomas Bradham of Daingerfield.

Smith also announced these appointments: —Texas Board of Public Accountancy, Walter K. Juncker of Beaumont.

—Governor's Committee on Aging, the Rev. Charles Avery Mason of Dallas, Mrs. Printis E. Ellis of Paris, Alan Woods Hastings of Beaumont (reappointment), Dr. Arleigh Templeton of Huntsville and Robert R. Sanders of Amarillo.

—Texas Civil Judicial Council, Dr. Abner V. McCall of Waco, W. St. John Garwood of Austin and Judge Louis Holland of Montague.

—State Commission on Fire Protection Personnel Standards and Education, Bart T. Mulhern of San Antonio, Tom D. Pinckney of Austin, Henry Damon Smith of College Station, Mike Bortoni Perez Jr. of Laredo, Alcus Greer of Houston, William Hershel Sharp of Lubbock, Hugh Verner Keepers of Dallas, Troy Standley of Dallas and Richard Russell of Richardson.

Oil Leaks Investigated

That four-man team Governor Smith dispatched to make an on-the-spot investigation of an oil slick in Trinity Bay reported to the governor that the nature and extent of pollution had been exaggerated. Committee said that it found evidence of four leaks into Galveston and Trinity Bays, but that they were all minor.

Short Sports . . .

Capitol Visitor Center drew 160,000 during last year.

A \$478,000 federal grant has been approved for 4,778-acre Blanco County State Park.

Frio, LaSalle and McMullen counties will receive \$70,995 federal grant for June-July Summer Head Start program.

Parks and Wildlife Commission slated a January 7 meeting to consider marl, sand and gravel permits and pricing and to review policy for licensing mobile businesses on public beaches.

Last quarter of 1969 showed a slackening in manufacturing man-hours, industrial production and lower-than-usual increases in personal income. University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

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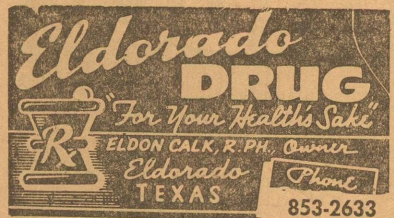
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 in the New Year of 1970
 and solicit your trade.



School Menus

(All meals served with hot rolls
 and milk.)

Thursday, Jan. 8: Roast beef and
 gravy, buttered rice, okra-tomato
 gumbo, buttered carrots, fruit
 cobbler.

Friday, Jan. 9: Pork chops, baked
 sweet potato, cream style corn,
 lime jello salad with fruit, rice
 crispie cookie.

Monday, Jan. 12: Smothered Swiss
 meatballs, whole kernal corn, green
 beans, cabbage & apple & carrot
 salad, canned fruit.

Tuesday, Jan. 13: Roast beef &
 gravy, creamed potatoes, English
 peas, sliced beets, pudding.

Wed., Jan. 14: Beef & vegetable
 stew, cheese strips, stuffed celery,
 peanut butter, fresh fruit cup,
 brownies.

Thursday, Jan. 15: Frito pie, pin-
 to beans, cole slaw with green pep-
 per, hot cornbread, fruit cobbler.

Friday, Jan. 16: Fresh fish fil-
 lets, tartar sauce, macaroni and
 cheese, northern beans, tomato,
 pepper, spiced apple slices, fruit
 and jello.

Golf Club Notes

Duplicate Bridge Thursday, Jan.
 8th, at 7:00 p.m.

Chili supper for Golf Club mem-
 bers and families re-scheduled for
 Saturday, January 10th, at 7:00.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Patton and
 two daughters spent a week during
 the holidays with her parents, Mr.
 and Mrs. Jack Elder and other
 relatives. They returned to their
 home in College Station Jan. 2.

Mrs. Ed Kotrla, the former Syl-
 via An Isaacs of Mesquite, Texas,
 was in Eldorado on business Tues-
 day and Wednesday. She spent
 several hours visiting in the home
 of Mrs. F. M. Bradley, her aunt.

The Tom Stewart family of Mid-
 land visited here Saturday and
 Sunday with relatives. Her father,
 Charles Wimer, was a patient in
 the local hospital at that time.

APPLICATION FOR VOTER REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE
 SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS

VOTING PRECINCT (NUMBER OR NAME) _____

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ RFD _____ Box _____ Zip Code No. _____

AGE	SEX	OCCUPATION	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (YEARS)			BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY)
			STATE	COUNTY	CITY	

If under 21, show date of birth _____

If resident of state less than 1 year, show date of arrival _____

If resident of county less than 6 months, show date of arrival _____

CITIZENSHIP
 Native Born* Naturalized

*Includes foreign born of American parents.

Mail Voter Registration Certificate (1) to above permanent address, (2) to my temporary address at _____
 (3) hold for delivery to me in person. (Strike statements which are not applicable.)

I understand that the giving of false information to procure the registration of a voter is a felony.

**No one can act as agent and sign for another except husband, wife, father, mother, son or daughter. Agent must be qualified elector in county.
 Note: Return this application to the County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Signature of applicant or agent** _____

Agent's address _____

Agent's relationship to applicant _____

If You Have Not Already Registered To Vote In 1970, You May Fill Out Above Form, Clip It Out, And Mail To Orval Edmiston, Eldorado, Texas, For Your Registration Certificate. Voter Registration Deadline Is January 31st.



COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

by Tiny Godwin

Schleicher County Agricultural Agent

Good management can improve the yields and quality of grazing from small grains.

Grazing should start only after the plants have developed a good root system and when they have reached the 8 to 10-inch stage of growth. Plant height is a good indication of root development. Too early grazing can reduce yields by 25% or more.

A combination of grazing too early and too close over a period of time can lower forage output by as much as 70 to 80%.

Cross fencing or rotational grazing is as important with winter

grain pastures as it is with permanent pastures. Livestock should be rotated from a field when the plants are grazed down to a height of three or four inches. During good weather, regrowth may take four or five weeks and cold weather can make the recovery period much longer.

Fertilizing the pasture is an important part of good management. Phosphorous helps develop a healthy root system for withstanding cold and wet weather. Nitrogen in ample amounts is needed for lush growth.

The best way to 'stretch' winter

pastures is limit the grazing. Calves can make satisfactory gains by grazing winter pastures every 2nd or 3rd day provided good quality hay is available free choice.

Running a business is like rowing a boat upstream. You must constantly move forward or fall backward.

"Closing time," as it relates to 1969 farm records, is at hand. This means totaling up the balance sheets on farm and home enterprises and taking a good look at what happened during the past year.

It is also a good time to analyze production practices.

Were the desired results obtained from the application of fertilizer and chemicals? Did the seed used grow well and produce good yields?

Many factors contribute to profitable crop production including weather. The proper combination and application of all inputs result in the best production. In a sense there is a team at work in crop production, and seed is a very important member of the team. High quality seed is needed to get the full potential production from fertile soil.

Certified seed is quality seed.

Why take a chance on seed of unknown quality and performance for next year's crop?

It is good business to make arrangements early for the certified seed that will be needed to plant next year's crops. Get the varieties or hybrids which best suit the conditions found on your farm and are recommended for the area.

It's easy to tell when you are on the right road—it's all uphill.

The planting season for bare-rooted plants such as mulberry, roses and fruit trees is at hand. Selection of such plants along with planting sites should be made soon.

Don't wait until the trees have been bought to prepare the holes for planting for successful plant survival depends upon the production of small hairs which develop on the larger roots. It is best as soon as possible after your favorite nurseryman receives his bare-rooted plants.

The plants should then be planted immediately. This means their root systems will not have a chance to dry out and they can become well established before plants leaf out in the spring.

When these plants are bought late in the season, the root hairs

will have developed in the "healing in pit" and many will be either broken or lost when the plants are removed.

Plants which do not transplant well by the bare-root method are sold in containers and these should be handled with care to prevent breakage of the soil ball when they are removed from the container.

A broken soil ball can mean that numerous small root hairs will be damaged or destroyed and the plant will show signs of wilt in a very short time. Cut the can on both sides, pry the side away gently and grasp the bottom and lift out.

Measure the depth of the hole and compare it with the plant to be planted. Adjust the amount of soil in the hole so that the plant will be set at the proper depth. This avoids the unnecessary removal of the plant from the hole to make planting depth adjustments and greatly lessens the risk of breaking the soil ball.

It's attention to the little things at planting time that gets plants off to a good start and earns for the gardener the reputation as a "green thumb" specialist.

If you haven't time to do it right, when will you have time to do it over?

Texas Almanacs For Sale At The Success Office

Schleicher County Statement For Quarter Ended December 31, 1969

BY A. G. McCORMACK, COUNTY TREASURER

FUND	BALANCE OCT. 1, 1969	TOTAL RECEIVED	TOTAL DISBURSED	BALANCE DEC. 31, 1969
Jury	1,152.27	1,327.68	736.44	1,743.51
Road & Bridge	8,591.23	11,933.35	12,012.75	8,511.83
Road & Bridge Special	271.25	20,506.86	739.79	20,038.32
Farm - Market Road	9,539.90	40,153.03	5,959.18	43,733.75
Lateral Road	15,202.42	-----	14,686.64	515.78
General	7,344.01	91,377.97	20,015.40	78,706.58
Permanent Improvement	914.85	3,968.05	3,421.86	1,461.04
Officers Salary	8,314.81	11,353.93	16,226.12	3,442.62
Law Library	66.17	47.50	26.00	87.67
Social Security	2,761.16	1,728.88	3,664.34	825.70
Totals	54,158.07	182,397.25	77,488.52	159,066.80

Schleicher County Annual Statement For Year 1969

FUND	BALANCE JANUARY 1, 1969	RECEIVED FROM TRANSFER	RECEIVED FROM AUTO LICENSES	RECEIVED FROM TAX COLLECTIONS	RECEIVED FROM OTHER SOURCES	TOTAL RECEIVED	TOTAL DISBURSED	TRANSFERRED TO OTHER FUNDS	CASH BALANCE DEC. 31, 1969
Jury	2,062.37	-----	-----	1,457.94	35.00	1,492.94	1,811.80	55.00	1,743.51
Road & Bridge	20,563.93	-----	50,557.58	10,205.68	6,980.30	67,743.56	79,795.66	3,600.00	8,511.83
Road & Bridge Special	16,162.52	-----	-----	22,523.60	.40	22,524.00	18,648.20	1,550.00	20,038.32
Farm - Market Road	11,714.11	-----	-----	43,672.71	71.08	43,743.79	11,724.15	428.88	43,733.75
Lateral Road	65.49	-----	-----	-----	15,136.93	15,136.93	14,686.64	1,300.00	515.78
General	90,624.73	-----	-----	100,591.81	16,348.48	116,940.29	128,858.44	42,700.00	78,706.58
Permanent Improvement	14,435.78	-----	-----	4,373.87	-----	4,373.87	17,348.61	-----	1,461.04
Officers Salary	12,031.35	40,000.00	-----	-----	35,890.36	75,890.36	84,479.09	5,600.00	3,442.62
Law Library	74.67	-----	-----	-----	100.00	100.00	87.00	-----	87.67
Social Security	179.90	15,233.88	-----	-----	5,000.00	20,233.88	19,588.08	-----	825.70
Totals	167,914.85	55,233.88	50,557.58	182,825.61	79,562.55	368,179.62	377,027.67	55,233.88	159,066.80

The above statement as compiled from the records of the County Treasurer of Schleicher County, Texas, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

BY A. G. McCORMACK,
 County Treasurer, Schleicher County, Texas.

DOLLAR DAY FOOD SALE



DEL MONTE — CUT 303 CAN
Green Beans 4^F 99^C



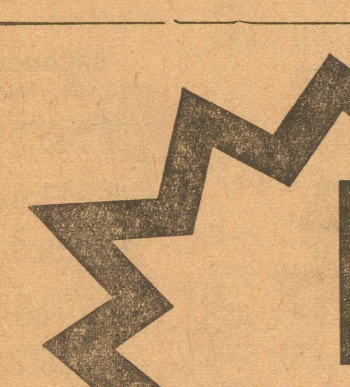
DEL MONTE 303 CAN
Garden Spinach 5^F 99^C



DEL MONTE 303 CAN
Golden Corn 4^F 99^C



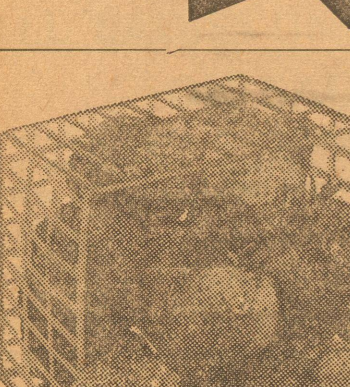
DEL MONTE 303 CAN
Sauerkraut 4^F 89^C



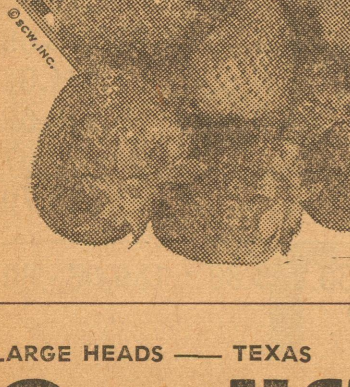
DEL MONTE — SEASONED 303 CAN
Sweet Peas 4^F 99^C



DEL MONTE BUFF CAN
Tomato Sauce 8^F 99^C



DEL MONTE — SLICED—CRUSHED—CHUNK NO. 1 1/2 CAN
Pineapple 4^F 99^C



DEL MONTE NO. 1 TALL CAN
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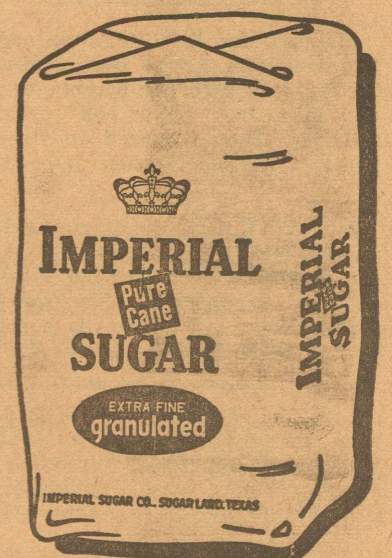
Apple Cider 89^C

HALF GALLON

DIAMOND — YELLOW CLING

Peaches 3^F \$1

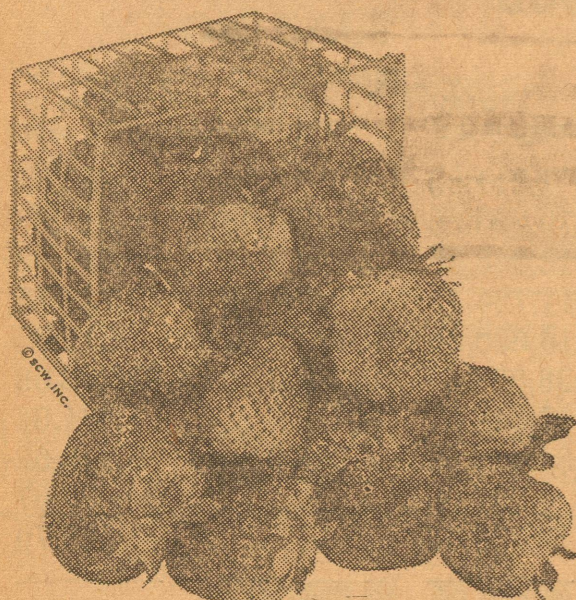
NO. 2 1/2 CAN



GANDY'S HALF GALLON
Frozan 39^C



WHOLE SUN 6 OZ. CAN
Orange Juice 19^C



MEXICO
 STRAWBERRIES

Red Ripe Sugar Sweet, Pint **49^C**

TEXAS
 GREEN CABBAGE

Firm Heads Pound **8^C**

LARGE HEADS — TEXAS

Cauliflower 39^C

OLD SOUTH EACH 99^C

COBBLERS

OLD SOUTH 2-TO-PKG. 29^C

PIE SHELLS



SCOTT 200 COUNT BOX
Facial Tissues 4^F \$1

PARKER FOODS