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ELDORADO—SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS (76936)

Thursday, January 9, 1975

Number 2

E. W. Brooks Dies Here At Age Of 88

Edgar Wilson Brooks, 88, long-time Eldorado postmaster, died last Tuesday in the local hospital at the age of 88. Services were held Thursday in First Baptist Church with burial in Eldorado cemetery.

He was born Dec. 28, 1886 in Santa Anna and was married to LaVita Christian on June 14, 1922 in Austin. He was a Mason and a member of the American Legion and the Eldorado Lions Club where he was a past president and local representative to the Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville.

He was a World War I veteran, serving in France. He had worked with Boy Scouts for many years.

He was a deacon in the First Baptist Church of Eldorado, and a long-time teacher in the Sunday School.

He operated a clothing store here before becoming postmaster, a position he held for 20 years.

He was a registered pharmacist and attended pharmacy school in Fort Worth. He had been mayor of Eldorado where he lived for 55 years.

Survivors include his wife, LaVita; two brothers, Doyle Brooks of Dallas and Troy Brooks of Canutillo; two sisters, Mrs. Maude Owen of Bangs and Mrs. Floyd Sanson of Rogers, Ark.

Mrs. Christian Dies In Local Med. Center

Mrs. Nellie Velma Christian, 91, died last Monday in the Schleicher County Medical Center.

Services were held in the United Methodist Church at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday. Burial was in the Eldorado cemetery.

She was born May 28, 1883 at Fredonia. She was married to W. I. Elder at Camp San Saba in December, 1910. She was married to J. B. Christian in 1924.

Survivors include one son, Jack Elder of Eldorado; four sisters, Mrs. M. L. Chandler and Mrs. Donald Appleton, both of Brady, Mrs. Bryan Schafer and Mrs. M. L. Leddy, both of San Angelo; two brothers, E. T. Williams and D. B. Williams, both of Camp San Saba; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Upcoming Basketball Games

Junior Varsity Boys will participate in the Robert Lee "B" Tourney on Jan. 9, 10, and 11.

Eagle and Eaglette cagers start district play here this Friday night as they host Mason girls varsity, JV, and boys varsity, with games getting under way at 5:00 p.m.

Next Tuesday, Jan. 14th, the local teams go to Wall for games starting at 4:00.

On Jan. 17, the boys and girls varsity teams go to Menard, starting time for games being 6:30.

Girls JV and Boys JV will host a "B" Tourney next week, Jan. 16, 17, and 18.

Lions Club Holds First Post-Holiday Meeting

Their first meeting in three weeks was held at noon Wednesday by the Eldorado Lions Club in the Memorial Building. Boss Lion Guy Whitaker presided.

The traditional moment of silent prayer was held in memory of recently-deceased Lion E. W. Brooks.

L. D. Mund, chairman of the club Program & Entertainment Committee, is in charge of the programs for this current month of January.

The club sponsorship of the Bloodmobile from Blood Services of San Angelo later this month was also discussed.

PHOTOGRAPHER COMING

This Friday, Jan. 10th, the Shugart photographer will make his all day visit to the local Western Auto Associate Store. Complete details and a coupon are inside this Success issue.

—SUCCESS want ads get results!

Post Script

Last Wednesday, January 1st, I was released from St. John's hospital in San Angelo, and at about noon that day my family came by and brought me home.

My release was exactly two weeks from the day I underwent bone surgery on my right knee.

I can now stand or walk on my right leg which is an improvement, but of course it doesn't make me "as good as new." I still have a weak back and arthritis in both arms.

I am able to look out for myself and dress each morning, and go to the shop where I am trying to help Bill. This present period, Bill is working on our 4th quarter reports and proceeded to annual income reports.

—ps—

On returning home on January 1st I discovered that Eldorado had experienced an ice storm and that left broken tree branches all over town, including some on my pecan tree in the front yard.

In the meantime I had arranged for Walter Ford to clean up the damage.

Incidentally, we had a big crop of pecans this past season.

—ps—

Another bit of news we learned when we came home was the death of E. W. Brooks. He was one of the remaining W. W. 1 veterans. It is recorded in another column of this paper.

There are still a half dozen of us left.

—ps—

Life in St. John's hospital is operated on tolerant rules. If you are a smoker you can smoke in your room. But it is a Catholic hospital and has a lounge room where patients can gather and visit and where you can buy coffee and snacks, but there are no cigarettes for sale.

If you are a smoker, your family will have to provide the cigarettes. If your record shows that you are a regular drinker of bourbon, you can have it in your daily allowance. But your family has to provide the bourbon which is distributed and in charge of the hospital office.

There is cable TV in every room, if you are able to find programs you want. Football came on good over the holidays, but most of the cable TV was advertising.

—ps—

The main thing now is that I am back at home.

I want to say "thank you" to all my friends who sent me "get well" cards.

—ps—

After many months of pains taking labor, mostly by himself, H. B. Feddersen moved about four weeks ago to his eight-sided house in the south part of town. The Swiss-style structure has native rock sides, with cedar shingles, which add to the rustic effect. Downstairs is a large living room, with kitchen and bath at one side, and a ladder leads to sleeping loft upstairs.

Mr. Feddersen invites his friends to drop by and see the house which is believed to be the only octagonal dwelling here in Eldorado.

—ps—

McCalla's, Cathy's, and Western Auto are all having post-holiday clearance sales of selected merchandise, and are described in more detail inside this Success issue. So if you received some cash gifts for Christmas, check over what they have to offer.

—ps—

News of building:

Clyde Construction Co. of Odessa has put several mobile homes and an office on a tract of land in the east part of town, and are continuing to develop the site which was purchased last year from Townsite. One of the mobile homes caught fire during the recent holidays.

Location is between Sofge's and the Santa Fe tracks.

South of town, the Western Co. is starting to develop acreage located across the highway from the Rancho pump station. Caliche and fencing are already on the site.

Livestock & Food Show Set For Friday, Saturday, At Ag. Barn

The 1975 Schleicher County Livestock & Food Show has been set. The Annual County Livestock & Foods Show will be held January 10-11 at the Agriculture Barn on the Sonora highway.

Barbecue will be served Jan. 11 at noon for the public.

Friday night, Market Lambs & Hogs will be shown. Saturday, Fitted Lambs, Heifers and Steers will be exhibited. The animals will be exhibited by FFA and 4-H members.

The Food Show will be held after school on Friday. This should be two full days.

Sam Kuykendall, County Extension Agent of Menard County will be the 1975 Livestock Judge. Billy Williams is the General Livestock Show Superintendent.

Miss McCravey Is Engaged

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Jeanne Jonell McCravey to S.P.C. 4 Stephen L. Snelson of Ft. Hood, Texas is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. McCravey.

The prospective bridegroom's parents are Mrs. Betty Minter of Aledo, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Rush Snelson of Everman, Texas.

A winter wedding is planned at the First United Methodist Church here in Eldorado.

A 1972 graduate of Eldorado High School, Miss McCravey is currently a Junior Elementary Education Major at Angelo State University.

Mr. Snelson graduated from Aledo High School in 1969, attended Weatherford Junior College and is presently in the 1st Cavalry

Division, Horse Platoon of the U. S. Army stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas.

PAR TEE NEWS

Happy New Year to all golf members. This week end saw quite a few players out on the course. Maybe the weather will be pretty for a while.

Winners in the Sunday Mixed Foursome Dec. 22 was the team of Joe Hext, Ernestine Hext, and Sandy Donaldson for first place. Coming in second was the team of Bob Sand, Arch Mittel, Charlie H.hn.

This Sunday, Jan. 12 is Mixed Foursome play day again. If the weather is favorable, we hope to see a nice crowd out.

Bingo will be played again Jan. 13 Monday at 7:00 p.m. in the club room. Bring the family or a friend and come join in the fun.

Bishop Completes Navy Recruit Training



MARK BISHOP

FHTNC—Navyman Mark B. Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Bishop of Eldorado, Tex., graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois, last month.

He is now attending Commissaryman A School, San Diego.

The training included instruction in seamanship, military regulations, fire fighting, close order drill, first aid and Navy history.

Justices Parents Of First Baby Of '75 Here

A daughter, Schleicher county's first child for 1975, was born at 12:10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 3rd, in the local Medical Center to Mr. and Mrs. John Justice. The baby, who is the couple's first child, weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and has been named Sarah Elizabeth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Justice of Benbrook, who visited here last week; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Svajda of Alpine. Mrs. Svajda was visiting here early this week with the family.

The new baby's father is manager of Foxworth-Galbraith here.

Watsons Honored On Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson were honored Sunday, Dec. 29th, with an open house in the Memorial Building in Eldorado in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Hosting the event were their children and grandchildren.

The Watsons moved to Eldorado in 1935 and have made their home here since. He retired from Shell Pipeline in 1960.

They have two daughters: Mrs. Floyd Spurgers of Clyde and Mrs. Travis Perry of San Angelo; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild. They were all here for the occasion.

Others included in the house-party were Eva Stigler, Evelyn Stigler, Mildred Stanford, Wanda Rogers, Peggy Epley, Betty Runion, Pat Edwards, Shirley McKay, Marynelle Tucker and Darlene Pruitt. One hundred and twenty-five registered.

MISSIONARY TO SHOW SLIDES

Birdie Graeff, missionary to Africa, will show slides on Africa at 7:00 p.m. Jan. 9th at the First Christian Church.

Last Year's Rainfall Was Over 36 Inches

While it wasn't spaced to suit everybody in Schleicher county received an average of over 36 inches of rainfall during the year 1974 just ended.

Month	Rainfall (inches)
January	0.00
February	0.00
March	0.97
April	3.98
May	2.71
June	1.47
July	0.72
August	9.11
September	9.43
October	5.80
November	1.15
December	1.27

As will be seen by the table the January and February two dry months followed two other dry months in 1973—November and December.

Nearly an inch of rain fell in March, followed by 3.98 in April and 2.71 in May.

Then came three gully washers in August, September and October, totaling about 24 inches.

According to Victor Sauer in Reynolds most of the present cotton crop was produced in April and May. The big rains in the fall brought an influx of bugs.

Cotton Ginning Nears 1800 Bales

The ice storm at Christmas slowed ginning, but Mikeska Gin Monday had a total of 1799 bales.

They were expecting more harvesting this week and they estimated the crop may total 3,000 bales before they are finished.

This should be nearly as good a crop as last year.

Hospital Notes

Admissions:
Alice Karnes, Sonora;
George McLaughlin, Eldorado;
Vivian Vasquez, Sonora;
Marie Taber, Sonora;
Sallie Crosby, Eldorado;
Thomas Griffin, Eldorado;
Julie Griffin, Eldorado;
Dixie Morris, Eldorado;
Ruth Bruton, Eldorado;
Dell Key, Eldorado*;
Jennifer Wells, Sonora;
Quint Killebrew, Eldorado*;
Suzanne Justice, Eldorado*;
Sarah Elizabeth Justice, Eldorado*;
Serada Martinez, Eldorado*;
Joel Martinez, Eldorado*.
* Dismissals.

Nursing Home Notes

We had a quiet week in the Nursing Home this past week. We enjoyed Happy Hour and are working on some more plaques in Arts and Crafts.

We had two Bingo champions this week. Mrs. Maggie Sluder with 3 games and Erna Rexroat with 3 games. Other winners were Frank Reed, Ella Casbeer and Lee Dudley.

Out of town visitors this week were Mrs. Carrie Blakeway's grandson Dr. Ray Rhodes Jr. from Houston. Sallie Christian visited with her mother Mrs. Lizzie McCalla. Mr. T. E. Donaldson enjoyed a visit from his daughter Mrs. Imogene Blasdel from San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hale and family from Wichita, Kansas.

We would like to say thanks to the First Baptist Church for their church service las Sunday.

Happiness is like potato salad: Simply share it with others and you have a picnic. —Ruthie Dacy A. D., and eulah Harris, Rep.

4-H Dance Set Saturday

The 4-H Club will have a dance Saturday to help raise funds. The dance is open to the public and all couples will be charged \$4.00.

There will be a band from San Angelo. The dance will start at 9:00 p.m. and continue to 1:00 a.m. So moms and dads and any other persons interested in the 4-H clubs go join them at the dance.

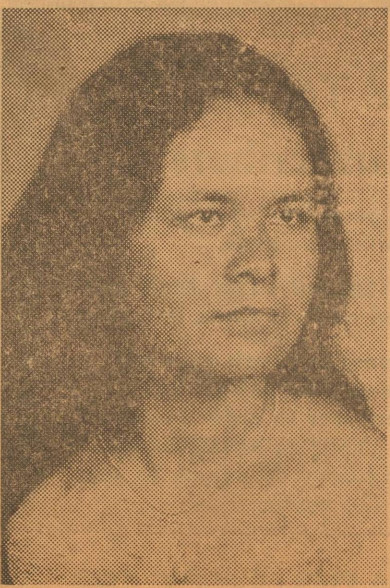
THAT'S A FACT

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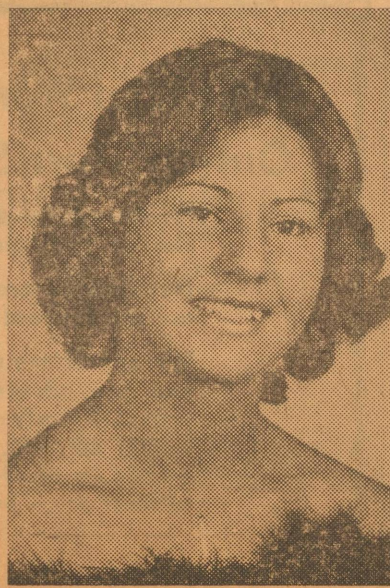
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WHALES DON'T REALLY "SPOUT" THE EFFECT IS CAUSED BY HEATED AIR FORCED THROUGH THE LUNGS BEING CHILLED WHEN THE WHALE BLOWS IT OUT, AND THE VAPOR CONDENSES

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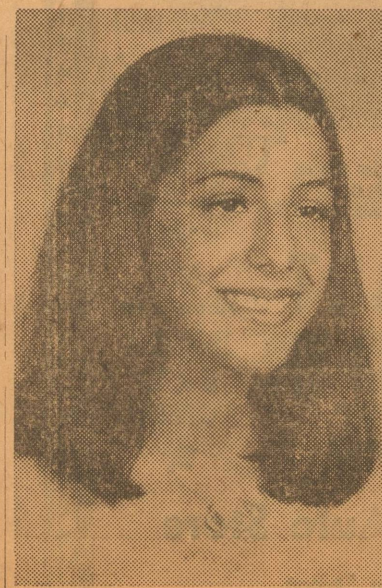
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Boy Scout Council Banquet Set Jan. 18

Alec Chesser, vice-president of Houston Natural Gas Corporation, will be the speaker at the Concho Valley Council, Boy Scouts of America Annual Recognition Banquet, according to John P. Smith, Council President.

The banquet will be held Saturday, January 18, 1975 at 7:00 p.m. in the Houston Harte University Center, Anglo State University, San Angelo, Texas.

Chesser is best known to many Texans for his sportscasting of Southwest Conference football games. Pursuing this as a hobby from 1944 through 1957, he was the late Kern Tips' regular partner for 20 seasons.

His Scouting dates back to 1937 and Patrol Leader duties in Troop 103, Queens Council, New York.

A representative to the Boy Scouts of America National Council since 1965, he has earned the Silver Beaver and Silver Antelope awards while serving as Assistant Camp Director of the Idaho National Jamboree in 1969, was Region Nine leader at the World Jamboree in Japan (1971) and was a faculty member at the Philmont Training Center.

Chesser is now serving as Vice-President of Area III, South Central Region, Boy Scouts of America. The territory covers 128 counties, south of a line from San Angelo to Waco and Tyler.

Other features of the Annual Recognition Banquet will be presentation of the Silver Beaver Award to five outstanding persons in West Texas for their dedication to serving youth, election and installation of Council Officers for 1975, presentation of the Charter to the newly organized Concho Valley Council Chapter of the National Eagle Scout Association and report of the Council's Long-Range Planning Committee.

The banquet is open to all Scouters and friends of Scouting. Tickets are \$3.50 and may be purchased through the Council Service Center in San Angelo, or call the Center at 655-7107.

Miss Jurecek's Engagement To Mr. Schwertner, Slaton, Announced



NANCY KAY JURECEK

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Jurecek of Eldorado announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Kay, to Mark Raymond Schwertner of Slaton. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Schwertner of Slaton.

The couple will be married February 15 in Holy Angels Catholic Church in San Angelo.

Miss Jurecek is a graduate of Eldorado High School and Texas Tech University. Her fiance is a graduate of Slaton High School and Texas Tech University.

Receives Degree From U. T. Exhibit In Denver Show



Nancy Kay Montgomery Chase

received a degree in Home Economics from the School of Natural Sciences at the University of Texas at Austin, Friday, January 3, 1975. She majored in the area of teacher education and plans to teach home economics in the Dallas area.

While attending the University, Nancy Kay was a member of Alpha Phi social sorority. She was also involved in the Mary E. Gearing Home Economics Chapter at Texas. She served on the Teaching Excellence Committee during her last semester, and is a member of the American Home Economics Association.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Montgomery of Boerne and the granddaughter of Mrs. J. B. Montgomery of this place.

RECEIPT BOOKS—Pocket size, and large desk size, for sale at The Success.

Denver, Colo.—Rocking Chair Ranch, Ft. McKavett, has entered 12 head of Herefords in Register of Merit competition at Denver's 1975 National Western Stock Show, set for January 10 through 14.

A total of 476 Herefords have been entered in the National Western, a record number for the past several years. The Denver classic has for many years been the most influential show for the Hereford breed.

To Exhibit At Ft. Worth

Ft. Worth, Tex. (Spl.)—Eldorado FFA will have one heifer and 11 steers competing in the 79th annual Southwestern Exposition and Fut Stock Show Jan. 24 through Feb. 2.

Premiums exceed \$275,000 for the livestock exposition, horse show and 20 rodeo performances. More than 13,000 head of livestock are expected to be exhibit in classes for cattle, sheep, swine, horses, poultry, rabbits and pigeons.

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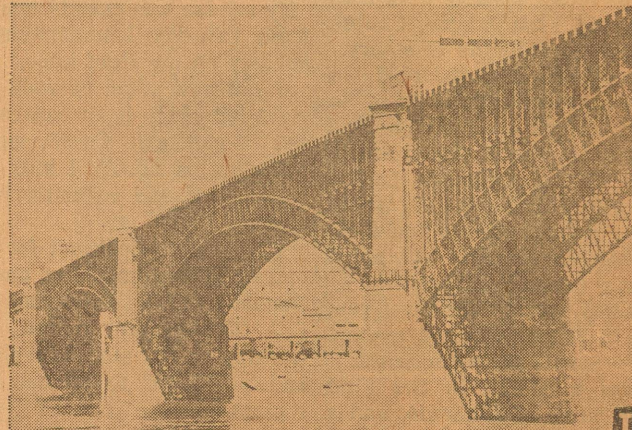
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If you are thrilled by "they said-it-couldn't-be-done" stories, the construction of America's Eads Bridge which was completed in 1874 should make an exciting addition to your collection.

It was the biggest bridge ever built up to that time, was beset by troubles and tragedy during the seven years a civil engineer took to complete it, and had a lot of people saying it would fall down when the first train started across.

The three-span bridge, the first major railroad link over the Mississippi, joining St. Louis, Mo., with East St. Louis, Ill., has affixed to it a plaque identifying it as a national historic civil engineering landmark. The American Society of Civil Engineers—a 69,000-member society—has so far designated 38 landmarks, including bridges, canals, railroads, buildings and other historically significant civil engineering projects.

The 1,627-foot bridge of stone piers and sweeping steel designed and built by James Buchanan Eads has two levels, the upper for a roadway and the lower as a railroad crossing. In addition to being structurally a monument in bridge building it is

also considered to be one of America's most beautiful bridges.

The remarkable Captain Eads pioneered many innovations: His bridge was the first major construction of any sort in steel; the first to use hollow tubular chord members—arching gracefully between the masonry piers; the first to use cantilever construction methods entirely, avoiding the need for falsework; the first to use pneumatic caissons in the use of large piers. The caisson that Eads sank for the east abutment foundation remains today, the deepest at which workers in compressed air have ever worked.

If anything could go wrong during construction it did. Thirteen men working in caissons below the river died from "the bends." The partially completed bridge was damaged by rampaging floods in the spring and high walls of jagged ice in the winter. Once it was smashed by a tornado. Ships bringing materials from Maine sunk. The rolling mill preparing steel for the bridge blew up.

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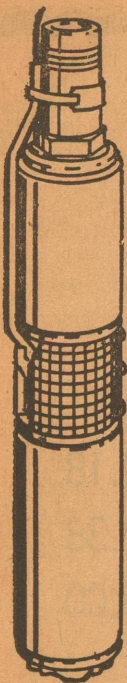
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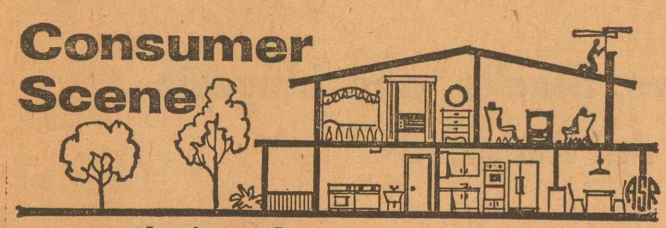
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Consumer Scene

Closing The Garbage Gap

More than 23 years ago, Jasper, Ind., a typical small Midwestern county-seat town, attracted national attention as the first city in the United States to ban the storage and hauling of wet garbage. Its alternative: require every home be connected to the sewer system and to install a garbage disposer.

The success of this daring maneuver to eliminate breeding places for flies and rats soon encouraged other cities to follow Jasper's lead—Tell City, Ind., and the Wisconsin communities of Shorewood, Glendale and Whitefish Bay, for example.

Today, with many cities, large and small, concerned about ecology, and the skyrocketing costs of solid waste collection and disposal, these pioneer communities are once again being closely studied for the lessons to be learned.

One happy difference is that today, with the advent of the household trash compactor, communities also can deal with the mounting problems of collecting and disposing of solid wastes such as boxes, plastics, aerosol cans, and glass containers.

And in a time when the nation's output of solid waste is approaching a staggering 350 million tons a year, trash collection becomes an economic as well as an environmental problem. An estimated \$4.5 billion was spent collecting and disposing of trash in the United States last year.

Naturally, food-waste disposers and trash compactors figure heavily in the minds of city administrators concerned with garbage and trash disposal.

In a community using both appliances, the collection job would be simplified from 3-to-4 garbage cans per family a week to a single compacted cube of trash each week.

Several test programs have been conducted recently verifying the environmental benefits as well as collection and disposal savings from the mass community usage of household trash compactors, according to N. Powell Taylor of the General Electric Company. He cited a recent one-year study in Atlanta by the Environmental Protection Agency which produced dramatic trash collection savings through the joint use of disposers and compactors.

Taylor points out that the EPA report recommends regulations requiring trash compactors and food waste disposers for all new residential construction and proposes a plan for mass community usage of household compactors along with once-a-week curbside collection.

If Americans continue to generate garbage and trash at an increasing rapid rate (and there is every reason to believe that they will) it may require a step even bolder than Jasper took 23 years ago to begin closing the "garbage gap."

Start Of New Year Is Good Time To Review And Study Business Affairs

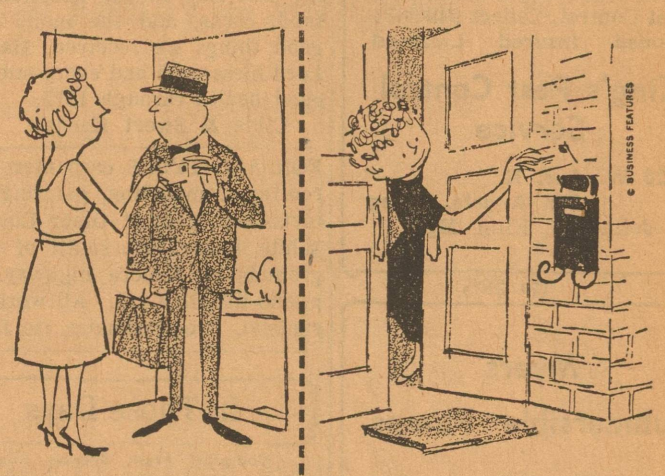
(by John L. Hill, Attorney General)

Austin, Tex.—The New Year is a traditional time for taking a fresh look at ourselves and our lives and deciding how to make them both better. And many of us need to make some changes, not only in our personal affairs, but in our business affairs.

So, in keeping with tradition, the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division lawyers have come up with some New Year's resolutions designed to help consumers get more from their dollars in the way of products, service, and satisfaction.

Our attorneys suggest that alert, informed consumers resolve the following:

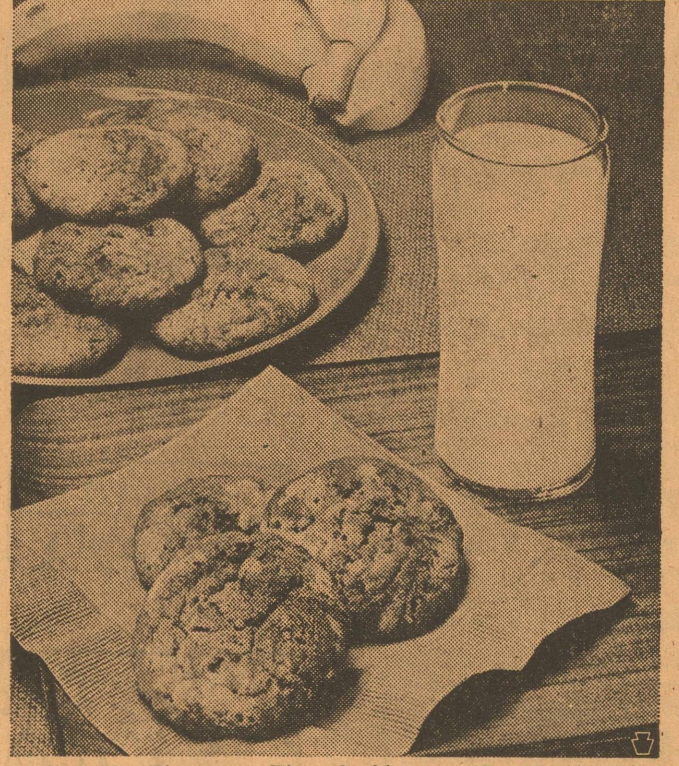
- To keep a record for at least one week of every expenditure, in order to find out where your money is really going.
- To organize shopping and buy only from a prepared list, thus avoiding unnecessary impulse buying.
- To purchase first for needs, then, with any leftover funds, for "wants."
- To plan ahead for large purchases by saving up for them whenever possible, thereby avoiding carrying charges or interest on loans.
- To stay within an allotted budget. This means deciding IN ADVANCE what you can afford to spend on an item and refusing to go over that limit.
- To comparison shop for good prices and top quality.
- To examine merchandise thoroughly before buying, in order to be sure it's what you need and want, and that it's in good condition.
- To plan food purchases to avoid buying expensive and unneeded "filler" foods which supply little nutrition.
- To plan, as an individual or a family, on practical ways to cut down on energy consumption.
- To study all advertising carefully before responding to it.
- To resist all high-pressure or deceptive sales tactics, including offers for "last chance" deals and "bait and switch" selling.
- To look for the "catch" if an offer appears too good to be true, and to realize that few people ever get something for nothing.
- To check in advance on store policy for returning or exchanging goods.
- To comparison shop for the best deals in financing just as in other things. Always note the annual percentage rate (APR) that you will be paying—this is a means to compare the different financing plans available.
- To follow manufacturer's instructions and care labels, so you get the best service from each product purchased.
- To realize the possible dangers of dealing with itinerant salesmen who may not be around to make good on promises.
- To deal instead with established, reputable firms who stand behind their products or services offered.
- To "get it in writing" rather than relying on oral promises.
- To investigate carefully before signing a contract. This means reading and understanding EVERY WORD and filling in any blanks.
- To investigate before investing in speculative deals, and to get the advice of reliable, knowledgeable persons.
- To settle consumer complaints with the firm or individual involved before contacting the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division, your county or district attorney, or your local Better Business Bureau.



Some folks bank by male... others bank by mail... but nearly everyone banks at

The First National Bank
Of Eldorado

Even Tigers Go For Cookies



Tony the Tiger says Tiger Cookies are "Gr-r-reat!" What further endorsement is needed?

These cookies are true to their name with stripes of melted chocolate morsels running through each cookie. Better watch those first ones, warm and fresh from the oven. You know how tigers, even make-believe tigers, feel about sugar coated corn flakes. Now you can guess what's inside Tiger Cookies.

- TIGER COOKIES**
- 3 cups sugar coated corn flakes
 - 2 cups regular all-purpose flour
 - 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1 cup regular margarine or butter, softened
 - 1 cup sugar
 - 2 eggs
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla flavoring
 - 1 pkg. (6 oz., 1 cup) semi-sweet chocolate morsels, melted.
1. Measure sugar coated corn flakes; crush to 1 1/2 cups. Set aside.
 2. In small mixing bowl, stir together flour, soda and salt. Set aside.
 3. Measure margarine and sugar into large mixing bowl; beat until well combined. Add eggs and vanilla; beat well. Add dry ingredients; mix thoroughly. Stir in crushed sugar coated corn flakes. Swirl warm melted chocolate lightly through batter, leaving large streaks of chocolate. Portion by level measuring-tablespoon onto ungreased baking sheets.
 4. Bake in oven at 375° F. about 12 minutes or until lightly browned. Remove from baking sheets; cool on wire rack.
- Yield: about 5 dozen cookies

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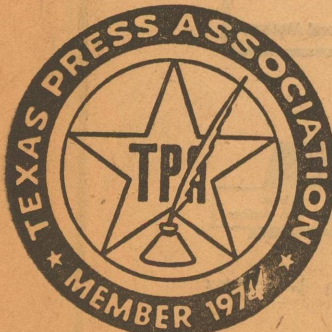
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CARD OF THANKS

Sweet and I would like to thank all who were so nice to me during my last stay in the hospital. The food, cards, and the many other good things we received. May the Lord bless each and every one with good health through 1975.
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In Those Days

Compiled from Success Files

ONE YEAR AGO

Jan. 10, 1974—Mr. and Mrs. Lum Burk were confined in the hospital at La Grange after being involved in a car accident during the holidays.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Bebe Jean Meador, 45, and Don McCormick, 81.

More candidates announcing: Bob McWhorter, judge; A. G. McCormack, treasurer; Dee Love, Precinct 4 Commissioner; and Jim Holley and Walter Ford for Precinct 2 Commissioner.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Jan. 8, 1970—B. L. Blakeway announced for re-election as Justice of the Peace, Justice Precinct 1.

An ice storm hit West Texas, and the Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op sent some men to help neighboring Co-Op crews in Colorado City and Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Watson moved here from Austin and he was going to work for Haley Transports.

Mrs. J. S. Pelt moved back to Eldorado after living in Edinburg for many years. She was about to observe her 96th birthday.

The Chaparral Cafe closed after operating for about a year in the former Post Office location.

A. G. McCormack presided at the first post-holiday Lions Club meeting, and Bruce Shipman was program chairman for January.

Mrs. Tibba Powell was undergoing medical treatments in Galveston.

Miss Chris Edmiston became the bride of Mr. Chris McCravey.

12 YEARS AGO

Jan. 10, 1963—Funeral services were held for Mrs. A. G. "Clevie" Clark, who died at age 48.

Gerald Hartgraves was chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee which was in charge of the annual Stock Show coming up.

C. J. Hahn was chairman of a March of Dimes drive getting under way.

The Sheriff's office reported only 339 poll tax payments. (Yes, we still had the poll tax, then.)

A gift tea was to honor Mrs. Lowell Wilkes, the former Kathy Sauer.

A. M. Whitis was notified of the death of his brother, Emmett Whitis, at Lampasas.

John Connally was being inaugurated Tuesday as Governor of Texas (with Associated Milk Producers far in the future). Preston Smith was incoming Lieutenant Governor.

35 YEARS AGO

Jan. 12, 1940—E. C. Hill was adding electrical appliances at his Eldorado Hardware Store.

George Albert Neill died at age 89, and was this county's oldest citizen at the time of his death. He had lived here since 1907.

Funeral services were held for W. G. Armentrout, 79.

The new fire truck arrived to be used by the newly formed Fire Department.

It was reported that 784 bales of cotton were ginned in the county in 1939.

Billy Kenneth Cheek was honored on his 5th birthday.

Maxine and Max Burleson, twins of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burleson, were honored on their birthday anniversary. Earline Coulter and Audrey Burleson assisted with the games. Guests included June Williamson, Darrell Graves, Wayne Davis, Patricia Humphrey and Chester Winans.

Local Fundamental Baptists announced a Revival would be held here in August to be conducted by Horace Goodman, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church of Oklahoma City.

Local county officials announcing for re-election were Mrs. Mabel Parker, treasurer; Dogie Finley, clerk; and C. L. Meador Jr., judge.

ELDORADO LODGE

No. 890 - A. F. & A. M. Stated meeting 2nd Thursday in each month, at 7:00 p. m. from Oct. 1 to April 1 and at 8:00 from April 1 to October 1. Visiting brethren welcome.

Community Calendar

Jan. 9, Thurs. Stockholders of The First Nat. Bank meet 3:00 p.m.
Jan. 9, Thurs. Masonic Lodge.
Jan. 9, Thursday. Cattlemen's Association meets 7:30 p.m., basement of Memorial Building.
Jan. 13, Monday. OES meets.
Jan. 15, Wednesday. Lions Club meets 12:05, Memorial Building.
Jan. 16, Thursday. Social Security representative at Court House, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.
Jan. 23, Thursday. Am. Cancer Society meets 7:30 p.m., Memorial Building.
Jan. 28, Tuesday. Woman's Club.

JUST ARRIVED—New shipment of home decorating items. Wall plaques, statues, vases, yard ornaments, frames, clocks. Many items for child's room. Come in and browse.—The Hobby Shop, 412 N. Main, 3-2795. Open 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Closed Monday and Tuesday. 1*

OIL TOLE PAINTING. Vidette Sallee, instructor; fee \$15. Classes begin Jan. 10th, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00. For more information call or come by The Hobby Shop, 3-2795, at 412 N. Main. 1*

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There are a number of ways to protect yourself.

Never carry more cash than you absolutely will need. Plan to pay by check wherever possible. A lost checkbook is easily replaced. Cash is not.

Men should keep their wallets in inside jacket pockets or hold on to them. Buttoned pants pockets pose no problem whatsoever for the talented thief. Cash is best carried in a front pant leg pocket, however.

In crowded areas, women should hold on to purses tightly. They should never be swung loosely by the strap. And the latch should always face inward.

One of the classic ploys used by professional pickpockets is the posting of a sign reading "Beware of Pickpockets." Unsuspecting passers-by invariably read the sign and immediately disclose the location of their wallets or other valuables by reaching to check on them. The pickpocket has only to sit back and watch.

If you exercise simple care and common sense, you can avoid the upset caused by a needless theft.

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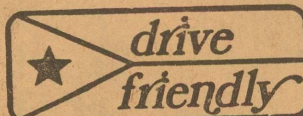
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Comes the season for giving thanks and food decorations appropriately replace summer flowers. A golden brown basket with twisted handle made from a yeast dough looks lovely filled with bread, or with fruit and nuts. Once it has served its decorative purpose the bread can be used for crumbs or poultry stuffing. The following recipe will make 1 basket.

BREAD BASKET
Makes 1 basket
2 1/2 cups warm water (105°F. - 115°F.)
2 packages Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast
1 tablespoon sugar
1 tablespoon salt
2 tablespoons Fleischmann's Margarine, softened
6 1/2 to 7 1/2 cups unsifted flour
1 egg, beaten
1 tablespoon milk



Some people believe that a firefly in the house brings good luck.



In ancient Greece, thunder on the right side of a battlefield was an omen of victory.



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Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
1936	0.10	0.00	0.23	0.51	2.35	0.17	3.09	0.05	37.85	2.10	0.49	1.26	48.70
1937	0.15	0.30	0.79	0.74	3.60	3.69	2.25	0.80	2.33	1.70	0.60	0.85	17.80
1938	1.15	0.47	0.55	4.01	2.60	0.60	1.90	0.00	0.10	0.73	0.83	0.95	13.89
1939	1.65	0.00	0.31	1.71	2.83	0.66	3.14	2.09	2.80	2.27	2.20	1.22	20.88
1940	0.45	1.50	0.50	4.00	1.81	5.51	0.95	3.21	0.15	0.89	3.75	0.45	23.17
1941	1.93	1.16	2.92	4.82	1.83	3.65	2.78	2.80	4.07	4.56	0.59	0.76	31.87
1942	0.19	0.18	0.28	3.16	0.61	0.91	1.11	5.30	5.21	3.17	0.42	1.20	21.74
1943	0.33	0.00	0.80	0.29	4.38	1.81	0.59	0.00	4.76	0.25	0.63	2.43	16.30
1944	3.66	1.80	0.38	0.54	3.15	0.60	0.97	3.24	3.61	1.86	1.19	1.53	22.73
1945	0.39	1.48	1.87	2.24	1.38	0.72	3.72	1.29	1.80	2.14	0.05	0.04	17.11
1946	0.98	0.01	0.21	0.66	0.05	0.55	0.15	0.08	2.02	1.00	0.45	0.97	7.13
1947	1.78	0.00	1.25	0.35	2.65	1.05	0.35	1.81	1.70	0.73	1.03	0.96	13.66
1948	0.10	0.50	0.20	2.15	3.13	1.60	4.07	1.45	1.68	1.51	0.14	0.30	16.83
1949	3.17	2.76	0.50	2.68	3.70	1.43	1.60	2.34	3.72	4.46	0.00	1.30	27.66
1950	0.60	0.75	0.00	1.92	3.29	1.01	2.83	2.15	2.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.61
1951	0.00	0.75	0.50	1.85	0.90	3.80	0.11	0.74	0.00	0.56	0.00	0.22	9.43
1952	0.00	0.00	0.57	2.05	1.00	0.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.20	0.81	6.15
1953	0.15	0.00	2.16	2.33	1.20	0.00	1.07	1.98	0.83	3.46	0.37	0.15	13.70
1954	0.31	0.00	0.00	2.75	2.17	4.02	2.03	0.74	0.00	0.48	0.80	0.00	13.30
1955	0.86	1.17	0.10	0.00	2.95	2.21	3.07	0.48	2.21	0.00	0.00	0.41	13.46
1956	0.38	0.18	0.00	3.02	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.23	0.82	0.30	9.13
1957	0.35	2.48	0.63	4.46	9.28	0.50	0.30	0.30	2.07	4.44	1.50	0.20	26.51
1958	2.65	4.43	2.00	1.58	2.37	6.13	0.60	2.83	4.85	3.11	0.56	0.04	31.15
1959	0.00	0.87	0.00	1.54	3.15	4.45	2.63	0.00	2.74	5.62	0.58	4.75	26.33
1960	2.59	1.32	0.84	1.12	0.68	0.00	2.45	4.07	0.00	5.90	0.20	2.62	21.79
1961	2.68	0.67	0.08	1.56	2.64	8.45	2.18	0.42	5.45	5.88	1.36	0.42	31.79
1962	0.12	0.27	0.37	2.82	0.71	2.68	0.50	0.63	5.02	2.31	0.78	0.57	16.76
1963	0.02	1.22	0.00	1.36	4.51	1.83	0.00	2.05	0.85	0.41	2.29	0.77	15.31
1964	1.50	1.90	1.10	.64	.30	.26	1.14	1.72	7.10	0.97	0.93	0.19	17.15
1965	.97	2.8	.37	.87	3.93	1.64	0.46	1.18	.95	2.96	.76	.94	17.76
1966	.42	1.21	0.71	2.08	2.25	2.11	1.02	4.19	3.62	1.23	0.00	0.00	18.84
1967	0.64	0.25	0.71	1.24	3.32	2.21	2.15	0.75	5.92	0.91	2.07	1.38	20.91
1968	2.38	1.01	2.85	2.30	1.45	.82	4.23	0.50	3.02	0.08	2.90	0.00	21.54
1969	0.00	.40	1.48	4.69	2.37	1.15	0.92	3.49	3.85	4.14	3.01	2.02	28.52
1970	0.50	1.33	2.14	2.63	3.39	2.52	0.00	1.50	3.41	0.99	0.00	0.00	18.41
1971	0.00	1.41	0.00	3.31	0.45	2.52	4.58	9.03	2.09	4.50	0.32	0.64	24.85
1972	0.60	0.54	0.10	0.89	2.93	1.50	0.24	7.14	2.93	3.58	0.10	0.00	20.55
1973	1.93	2.35	1.25	2.64	.83	.92	5.64	0.20	5.50	5.73	0.00	0.00	26.99
1974	0.00	0.00	.97	3.98	2.71	1.47	0.72	9.11	9.43	5.80	1.16	1.27	36.62

January Clearance Sale

Thursday — Friday — Saturday

Seiko Watches	20%	Appliances	10%
REGULAR	SALE	REGULAR	SALE
\$135.00	\$118.00	Oster Blender 34.95	31.46
\$125.00	100.00	Blender \$42.50	38.25
\$110.00	88.00	Blender \$49.50	44.55
\$85.00	68.00	Toaster \$13.50	12.15
\$75.00	60.00	Toaster \$35.00	31.50
\$65.00	52.00	Can Opener \$18.95	17.06
\$49.50	39.60	Can Opener \$27.50	24.30

1/2 BASKETS — ONE HALF

Place Mats	20%	Bradley Dolls	30%
REGULAR	SALE	REGULAR	SALE
4 for \$7.55	6.05	\$34.00	23.80
4 for \$7.50	6.05	\$32.00	22.40
4 for \$5.00	4.40	\$20.00	14.00
4 for \$4.75	3.90	\$13.50	9.45

1/2 BARGAIN TABLE — ONE HALF

Pottery	20%	Sheets	20%
REGULAR	SALE	REGULAR	SALE
\$20.00	16.00	King \$19.00	15.20
\$18.00	14.40	Queen \$17.50	14.00
\$16.00	12.80	Full \$9.50	7.60
\$13.00	10.40	Jewelry	20%
\$10.00	8.00	\$23.95	19.16
\$6.55	5.00	\$19.95	15.96
\$3.25	2.60	\$13.00	10.40

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SHRIMP TIP



Salvos for shrimp cocktail, especially the madly popular one with the red sauce on top! True, home production usually takes some doing but not if you already have a can of shrimp tucked away in the refrigerator. Canned shrimp, thoroughly chilled, make good cocktail shrimp. As for the favorite red cocktail sauce, it is simple beyond belief to make.

COCKTAIL FOR TWO

- 1 can (4 1/2 ounces) shrimp
 - Crisp lettuce
 - 1/2 cup chili sauce or tomato catsup
 - 1/3 cup chopped celery
 - 2 teaspoons prepared horseradish
 - 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- Rinse shrimp in cold water. Arrange in lettuce-lined cocktail glasses. Combine sauce ingredients and spoon over shrimp.

John Sedberry Dies

Former Eldoradoan John Sedberry, 75, of Colorado City, died at 10:20 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 22 in Root Memorial Hospital after a long illness. Services and burial were held the following day.

He was born Jan. 16, 1899 in Bosque county. He came to Colorado City in 1963. He married Edna Haggerton Dec. 17, 1921 in Sweetwater. He was a Methodist, veteran of World War I, and a former commander of the American Legion. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Jim Steward of Levelland; a son, Tom Sedberry of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Jimmie Lowe and Mrs. Carrie Pruitt, both of Abilene; a brother, Oscar Sedberry of Sweetwater; four grandchildren.

— STATE CAPITOL —

by Lyndell Williams
Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex.—While the legislature is getting set for action and inaugural activities are being planned, Gov. Dolph Briscoe is faced with hundreds of important decisions on fitting the right men (and women) into jobs.

Within the first two months of the year, he must make appointments or reappointments to about 600 board, agency and commission places where terms of members are expiring.

Before 1975 is over, he will have placed more than 1,700 people in major and minor jobs.

During his four-year term, he will make enough such appointments to "control" every appointive state agency. That is to say, the people he selects will be in a majority of seats on the regulatory, licensing and administrative bodies.

Nearly all the gubernatorial appointments are subject to confirmation by the State Senate.

Three University of Texas system board of regents members will come to the end of their present terms January 13. The most controversial of the three, Frank Erwin Jr. of Austin, has stated he does not seek another term. Jenkins Garrett of Fort Worth and Dan C. Williams of Dallas also face expiring terms.

State Highway Commissioner D. C. Greer's term expires February 15. Briscoe has stated he will reappoint Joe Christie chairman of the State Insurance Board January 31.

Other agencies with powers reaching into all segments of economic life of the state have vacancies coming up which Briscoe will fill early this year.

RECEIPT BOOKS—Pocket size, and large desk size, for sale at The Success.

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School Menus

(All meals served with buttered rolls and milk.)

Wed., Jan. 8: Hot dogs with chili, potato salad, stuffed celery, fruit cobbler.

Thursday, Jan. 9: Roast beef & gravy, buttered rice, green beans, tossed green salad, orange juice.

Friday, Jan. 10: Beef and vegetable stew, cole slaw, cornbread, crackers, fresh orange halves.

Monday, Jan. 13: Hamburger and macaroni casserole, waxed beans, carrot & apple & raisin salad, orange juice, peanut butter cookies.

Tuesday, Jan. 14: Fried chicken and gravy, creamed potatoes, okra-tomato gumbo, butterscotch pudding, lettuce salad.

Wed., Jan. 15: Enchiladas, pinto beans, cole slaw, orange juice, cowboy cookies.

Thursday, Jan. 16: Chicken fried steak, gravy, buttered noodles, spinach, jellied applesauce salad, yellow cake, vanilla cream frosting.

Friday, Jan. 17: Sandwiches—tuna, pimento cheese, peanut butter; French fries, carrot sticks, canned fruit.

Gas Strike In County

Schleicher County gained a gas strike recently. Cabana Oil Corp., Abilene, No. 1-A Tisdale Estate, Schleicher County unidentified gas discovery, 1/2 mile east of its No. 2 Tisdale Estate, opener and lone producer in the Jan Jerrye (Canyon reef oil) field, and eight miles northeast of Eldorado, was finalized for a calculated, absolute open flow of 315,000 cubic feet of dry gas per day.

Production was through perforations at 5,490-492 feet, which had been acidized with 250 gallons.

Drilled to 5,902 feet, operator set 5 1/2-inch casing at that depth.

Location is 660 feet from the south and east lines of 30-M-GH & SA.

The Jan Jerrye opener was finalized Sept. 5 to pump 130 barrels of 43 gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 1,000-1, through perforations at 5,304-310 feet.

Am. Cancer Society

will meet the 4th Thursday of every other month. The first meeting of 1975 will be Jan. 23rd at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Building.

The public is invited to attend all meetings.

Anyone interested in becoming a member in the A. C. S. can contact Ruthie Dacy 3-2814. —Rep.



Some people believe that if one wishes to bargain with the Devil, he must play the guitar at midnight.

MEMORIAL PROGRAM

Your Memorial Gift is a fitting tribute to a loved one. This remembrance helps support the research, education and service programs of the American Cancer Society.

Memorial gift funds may be sent to your local Unit of the Society.

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We have the appropriate cards to send to the family and to the donor, and will send your check to the American Cancer Society in Austin.

HELEN CARLMAN
Memorial Chmn. Schleicher County

New Vehicles For Month Of December

During December, the following new vehicles were registered in Sheriff Orval Edmiston's office:

Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op., '75 Dodge pick-up;

K. G. Homer, Troy Cowart, '74 White truck trac.;

Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op., '74 Int. Digger;

Independent School District, '75 Dodge Maxiwagon;

J. Patrick Ragsdale, '74 Chevrolet pick-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Taylor visited in McAllen over the Christmas holidays. They report the Valley very beautiful at his time of year. Delber had a game of golf with Jack Hannes, formerly of Eldorado.

Duplicate Bridge

Winners Dec. 26th:
Evelyn Wimer and Elnora Love, 1st;

Frankie Williams and Imogene Edmiston, 2nd;
Blakeways, 3rd;

Winners last week:
Melissa O'Harrow and Flora Hubble, 1st;

Zeila Baker and Frankie Williams, 2nd;

Bobbie Sanders and Helen Blakeway, 3rd;
Bernice Sweatt and Evelyn Wimer, 4th.

We want to invite all bridge players who would like to try Duplicate to come play this Wednesday night, Jan. 8, at 7:00 in the Memorial Building. It will be practice play night. You all come.

Cattlemen's Association Being Organized Here

The Independent Cattlemen's Association, which has its headquarters in Goliad, Texas, has formed a local Schleicher county organization and will meet this Thursday evening, Jan. 9th, at 7:30 in the basement of the Memorial Building.

W. F. Edmiston stated that complete information would be presented to local cattle raisers at that time and that all interested stockmen are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Montgomery and Jo Beth, from Boerne; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Edmiston and 3 children, Midland; Mrs. Kathryn Humphrey, Phoenix, Ariz., were holiday guests in the home of Mrs. J. B. Montgomery.

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Patted a strange bulldog
on the head to see if it
was affectionate . . .
IT WASN'T

No. 3

A MAN—

Speeded up to see if he
could beat a train to
the crossing . . .
HE COULDN'T

No. 4

A MAN—

Tried to repair a high
tension electric line
with his bare hands . . .
HE COULDN'T

No. 5

A MAN—

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save money . . .
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JANUARY



The following events, selected by the Texas Tourist Development Agency, are but a few of the many excellent recreational opportunities offered by communities across the state. A more complete listing of Texas events may be obtained free of charge by writing TTDA, Box 12008, Austin 78711.

Jan. 4-11 Sandhills Hereford & Quarter Horse Show & Rodeo, Odessa. Rodeo performances (indoor in the city coliseum) are scheduled for 8 p.m. Jan. 4, 7-11. For ticket information, write Sandhills Hereford & Quarter Horse Show, Box 6387, Odessa 79762.

Boat, Sports & Travel Shows: Jan. 15-19 San Antonio; Jan. 15-19 Corpus Christi; and Jan. 23-26 Austin. On display at these shows will be the latest in boats, recreational vehicles, and sports equipment. Also in the shows are travel destination exhibits where one may gather first-hand information for planning future vacations. Many Texas destinations will be represented, and the State of Texas exhibit will be in the San Antonio show.

Jan. 18-25 Texas Junior Miss Pageant, New Braunfels. Three junior miss pageant events are open to the public—talent and youth fitness judging Jan. 22 and 23 and the finals Saturday night, Jan. 25. Starting time each night is 7:30. For more information, write Wilton Warnecke Jr., Texas Junior Miss Pageant, P. O. Box 180, New Braunfels 78130.

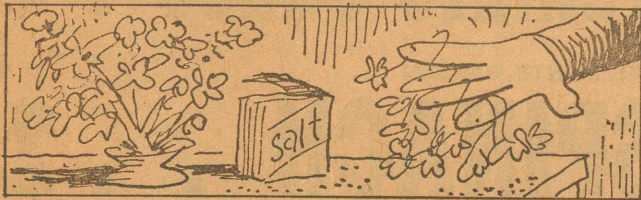
Jan. 24-Feb. 2 Southwestern Exposition & Fat Stock Show, Fort Worth. The world's first indoor rodeo started here in 1917. The event has grown steadily to rank as one of the largest rodeos in the nation. For ticket information, write Southwestern Exposition & Fat Stock Show, P. O. Box 150, Fort Worth 76101.

Jan. 25-Feb. 2 Texas Citrus Fiesta, Mission. Parade of Oranges, Jan. 25 at 2:30 p.m.; Citrus Fiesta Golf Tournament Jan. 24-26; Fiesta Costume Show Jan. 30-31 at 7:30 p.m.; Coronation of King Citrus and Queen Cibriana Jan. 29, 8 p.m. For more information, write Chamber of Commerce, P. O. Box 431, Mission 78572.

Jan. 26 State Championship Domino Tournament, Hallettsville. Domino "buffs" from all over Texas converge on Hallettsville vying for state honors. For more information, write G. H. Gerdes, P. O. Box 283, Hallettsville 77964.



In Ireland, a necklace of 9 elderberries was once considered a cure for epilepsy.



Some people say that buttercups mixed with salt and hung from the fingers will cure toothaches!

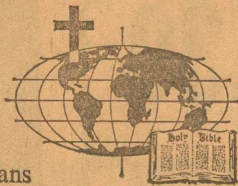
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| <p>First Presbyterian Church
7 North Cottonwood</p> <p>Gordon F. Garlington, Jr., Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
 Union Youth Fellowship 6:00 P. M.
 Joint Methodist & Presbyterian Evening Service 7:00 P. M.</p> | <p>Church of Christ—Mertzon Hwy.
Silas Triplett, Minister</p> <p>Classes 10:00 A. M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
 Evening Worship 6:00 P. M.
 Wednesday Service 7:30 P. M.
 Dinner on the Ground Each First Sunday</p> |
| <p>West Side Church of Christ
Divide Street</p> <p>Morning Service 10:30 A. M.
 Evening Service 6:00 P. M.
 Wed. Evening Service 8:00 P. M.</p> | <p>Gethsemane Assembly of God Mis.
Nick Robledo, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
 Worship Service Friday, 7:30 P. M.</p> |
| <p>First Baptist Church
Gene Stark, Pastor
W. Gillis Ave.</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
 Union Youth Fel. 6:00 P. M.
 Church Training 6:00 P. M.
 Evening Worship 7:00 P. M.
 Sunday Evening Choir Practice 7:45 P. M.
 Wed. Prayer Service 8:00 P. M.</p> | <p>Antioch Baptist Church
Billy Daniels, Pastor
Callender & Mulberry</p> <p>Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.</p> |
| <p>First Christian Church
Dean W. Brigham, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
 Morning Worship 10:45 A. M.</p> | <p>First Baptist Mexican Mission
El Paso St. & Concho Ave.</p> <p>Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
 Sunday Services 11:00 A. M.
 Sunda Night Services 7:00 P. M.
 Wednesday Services 7:30 P. M.</p> |
| <p>First United Methodist Church
Thom Elliott, Pastor
109 N. Divide</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
 Morning Worship 10:45 A. M.
 Union Youth Fel. 6:00 P. M.
 Joint Methodist & Presbyterian Evening Service 7:00 P. M.
 Wednesday Evening Choir Practice 8:00 P. M.</p> | <p>St. Luke Missionary Bapt. Church
East Street
Rev. Willie Jones, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
 Worship Service on First and Third Sundays of each month at 11:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M.</p> |
| <p>United Pentecostal Church
Warner and Hackberry</p> <p>Walter L. Ford, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
 Evening Worship 7:00 P. M.
 Services on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7:30.</p> | <p>Our Lady Of Guadalupe Catholic
Highway 277 North</p> <p>New time for Sunday Mass is 9:00 a.m.
 Wednesday Mass 7:30.</p> |
| | <p>St. Mary's Episcopal Church
McWhorter Ave. and Pelt Street
The Rev. Lea Roy Aldwell, Rector</p> <p>Sunday Morning Worship: 10:00</p> |
| | <p>Primitive Baptist Church
Menard Highway
Hugh Montgomery, Pastor</p> <p>Service each 2nd Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Also on Saturday evening before at 7:00 p.m. Congregational Singing.</p> |

CROWDED BEACHES



- Sunday
 - I John 1: 1-4
- Monday
 - I John 1: 5-7
- Tuesday
 - I John 2: 9-12
- Wednesday
 - I John 4: 18-21
- Thursday
 - Matthew 2: 16-17
- Friday
 - II Thessalonians 2: 13-17
- Saturday
 - Isaiah 42: 1-4



While the attire here is a bit more formal, this scene could be Coney Island. **Everywhere** the beaches are crowded!

We don't know what brings penguins together in such number, but where people are concerned, it's the quest for **recreation**.

Interesting word: RE-creation. . . as if the work of God at the beginning of time has to be done over again. . . man, the creature, needing to be created again.

Physically recreation implies a restoration of energy and vitality through refreshing diversions.

But the idea has spiritual implications worth pondering: The Sunday morning a family devotes to worship is a time of recreation. It does more for the soul than the crowded beaches can do for the body and mind.

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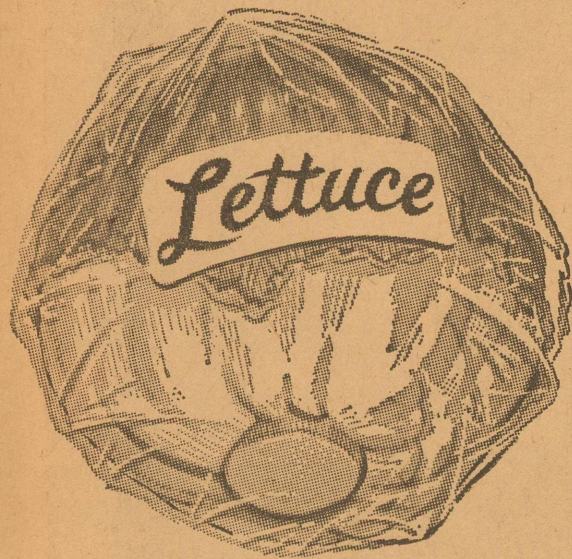
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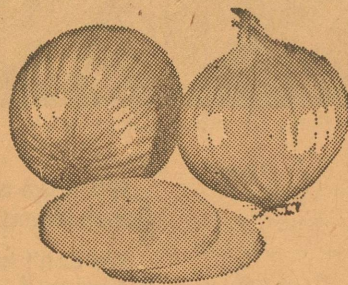
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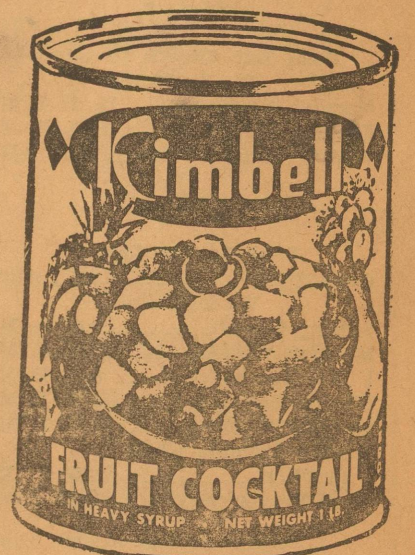


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