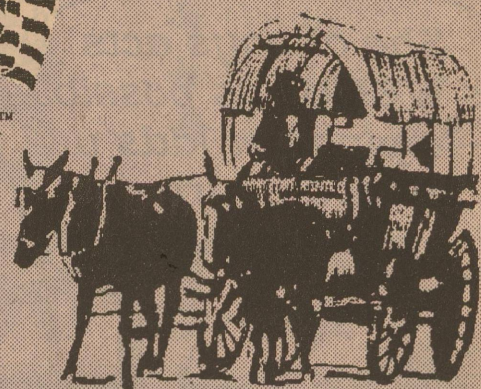


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Headlines From  
Around the World

### Former Ag Secretary indicted

A federal grand jury has indicted former Agriculture Secretary Mike Espy on charges of accepting gifts from companies that did business with his department. The 39-count indictment says Espy accepted \$35,000 in gifts that included luggage and tickets to the Super Bowl, and also accuses him of lying to investigators and asking an Agriculture Department employee to falsify a document. Espy, the first black to hold the job of agriculture secretary, had denied the allegations and resigned his post in December 1994 to defend himself. The Mississippi Democrat served three terms in the House before joining the Clinton administration.

### N. Korean talks stalled

A day after Washington announced asylum for two North Korean diplomats, the communist nation withdrew from arms proliferation talks with the United States. A statement by Pyongyang's deputy U.N. representative said "it does not make sense" to hold the missile discussions in light of the defections. The postponement came hours after North Korea demanded that Washington hand over its ambassador to Egypt and his brother, who analysts say may have crucial information about North Korean arms sales. North Korea says the two defected to avoid punishment for embezzling and leaking state secrets.

### Post: Gore made 46 calls

The Washington Post reported yesterday that Vice President Al Gore phoned at least 46 people from his White House office in 1995 and 1996 to solicit big donations to the Democratic National Committee. The newspaper, quoting documents made available by the White House and DNC officials to the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee, said Gore asked for contributions of between \$25,000 and \$100,000. No comment was immediately available from the White House. Gore has said his calls did not violate fundraising laws.

### Fighting flares in Cambodia

Fighting flared in northwestern Cambodia yesterday hours after ousted co-premier Prince Norodom Ranariddh called for a cease-fire and the opening of peace talks between the country's warring factions. Witnesses on the Thai-Cambodian border and Thai military sources say intermittent shelling through the morning was followed by heavy small arms fire and a 90-minute artillery barrage in the afternoon as government forces under strongman Hun Sen attacked royalist fighters loyal to Ranariddh. Ranariddh, toppled by Hun Sen on July 6, had called earlier for an immediate and unconditional cease-fire between his fighters and those under Hun Sen. But a government spokesman in Phnom Penh says royalist troops must lay down their arms before there can be peace.

## Citizens speak out against Columbia

# Hospital board votes to explore other options

More than twenty-five local citizens attended the Schleicher County Medical Center (SCMC) board of directors meeting Monday evening. Several of them voiced their displeasure with Columbia-HCA (Columbia) in its role as contract operator of the Schleicher County Family Clinic. It was noted that Columbia has operated the clinic for the past year. In that time, several interim physicians have staffed the clinic along with physician assistant Shelly Singleton.

All board members were present for the meeting. They are: Ricky Fuessel, Delia Pina, Bobbie Sand-

ers, Judy Christian, Shari Wink, Bertha Castillo and Randy Mankin. Board president Ricky Fuessel called the meeting to order, welcomed the citizens and asked if any wanted to address the board.

One of those speaking up was Orval Edmiston who stated that he preferred Shannon Medical Center and would like to see the board contract with Shannon to operate the local clinic. "The whole thing in a nutshell is I'd like to see this hospital and this hospital district survive and go on and serve the people of Schleicher County," said Edmiston. Hyman Sauer, a former SCMC

board member, told the group that he realized they have a thankless job. "Good experience comes from bad judgement," he told the board.

"My sentiments are, make the best decisions you can with the best information that you have. If things change later on and you find out otherwise, don't be afraid to change your mind. If you keep on doing the same thing you've been doing, you're going to keep on getting the same thing you've been getting," Sauer stated.

Board member Delia Pina, who worked at the hospital and clinic for several years, told the audience it was a hard decision a year ago when the board voted to contract with Columbia and that she was one of the last of the trustees to reach a decision.

"As you all know, I've been here since day one. It was a very, very hard for me to even think of letting somebody else take over. And then

when we decided to go ahead and see what was best or what we could do, I myself called and talked to a lot of people trying to find out what they would like the best." Pina stated.

"At the time, I'm going to say that most everybody or three-fourths of the people I talked to advised Columbia. And up to the last minute, I refrained from doing it. Well whenever we counted the last time, I went on ahead and changed my mind because I thought this is what the people want. So, it's not just our mistake. We're trying to do what y'all tell us...it just happened that they didn't work out." Pina concluded.

In response to Pina's statement, former SCMC board member Tom Enochs said, "Looking back at the decision to go with Columbia, I don't think you made a mistake. What you made was a deal and the other party didn't honor the deal. I

wouldn't call that a mistake. It's just something that happened."

At one point, Mark Paulson asked for a show of hands among the audience, "I'm curious, out of all the people here, how many people are pro-Columbia?" When no one responded Paulson continued, "I assume by the lack of hands that most people are here because we want a change."

The change Paulson was referring to could be in the offing. Although SCMC and Columbia have a five-year contract, the agreement may be terminated by either party at the end of the first year. And, representatives of Shannon Medical Center were on hand at the meeting.

Lawrence Leonard and John H. Geanes told board members that Shannon was willing to discuss options with SCMC if the hospital board chose to do so.

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## Christy Meador is named Region XV Teacher of the Year

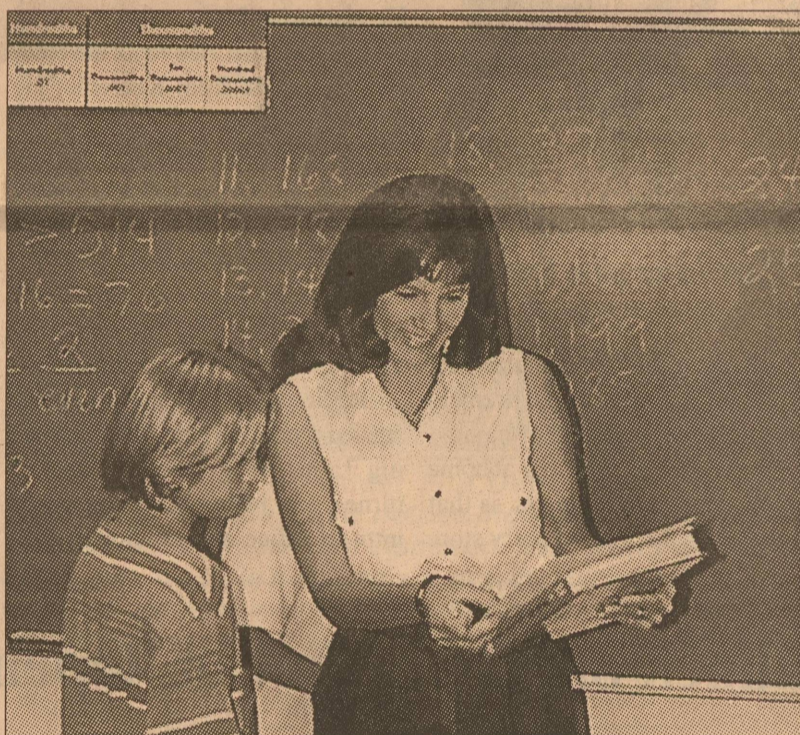


photo by Kathy Mankin

**Teacher of the Year** — Christy Meador helps one of her 5th grade math students as a new school year gets under way at Eldorado Middle School.

Christy Meador was named Secondary Teacher of the Year by Education Service Center Region XV last week. Meador has taught in Eldorado schools for 15 years. In that time, she taught 4th, 5th and 7th grade students. Currently, she teaches 5th grade mathematics.

SCISD Superintendent Hal Porter told the Success, "Christy is a very unique and committed individual. In the short time that I've been here, it has been apparent that she is a marvelous classroom teacher. It is good to see one so obviously qualified be chosen for this honor. This school district takes a great deal of pride in Christy and her effort on behalf of our children."

Meador's connection to Eldorado schools has been lifelong. Growing up in Schleicher County, she graduated from Eldorado High School in 1965. In 1969 she graduated from Southern Methodist University. Then, she returned here to teach.

There were a few years, when Christy Meador didn't teach, however, when she and husband Lynn were starting their family. They have three adult children Stan, Chris and Erin, all of whom attended and graduated from Eldorado High School.

Meador's honor qualifies her to be considered for the Texas Teacher of the Year recognition.

## Eldorado Game Association sets organizational meeting

The Eldorado Game Association will be holding a organizational meeting at the Schleicher County Annex Building next to the Schleicher County Public Library on Tuesday, September 2, 1997 at 7:00 p.m.

The association will promote good game management in Schleicher County by sponsoring local hunting contest which work to improve deer herd quality and a annual game dinner. Also, a hunting lease service is now being provided for those who have land to lease. This will provide a screening service for the member and hopefully will match a good hunting group with the lease.

As a group of people with common interest in our wildlife and other natural resources associated with wildlife in Schleicher County, the association can serve as a voice concerned with new laws and regulations that deal with these resources. Interested parties are encouraged to attend this meeting.

## SCISD adopts a \$5.7 million budget

It took two meetings to get it done, but the Schleicher County Independent School District board of trustees adopted a \$5.7 million budget Tuesday evening. Everything appeared to be on track for the budget to be adopted Monday night when word arrived that approximately \$100,000.00 in Rural Challenge grant money might not be forthcoming. School trustees, discussed their options, and recessed the meeting without adjourning and scheduled another meeting for the following evening.

When the meeting reconvened Tuesday evening, superintendent Hal Porter presented the board with three possible budgets, one of which would require the district to raise taxes by 1¢ per \$100 valuation and two which left the tax rate at the current \$1.432 level but drew money from the district's reserves.

Ultimately, the board voted to accept the plan which drew \$75,468.00 from fund balance to help make up for the \$100,000.00 shortfall. Over \$24,000.00 in cuts were on the spending side of the ledger.

Stating that he thought some pay raises for administrators and other staff were too, high and that other cuts could be made, Eddie Albin cast the only vote against the budget.

Following the meeting, superintendent Porter told the Success that SCISD's enrollment has increased by "about 20 kids" over last year's level. "That increases the amount of state money we receive," said Porter. The State of Texas is also forwarding and additional \$68,451.00 to the district to offset pay raises and homestead exemptions mandated in House Joint Resolution 4 which was approved by voters on August 9th.

## Accusatory to run in Ruidoso

As reported in last week's edition of the Success, Accusatory, a quarter horse owned by David Powell of Eldorado is slated to run in the All-American Futurity in Ruidoso, N.M. on Monday, September 1st. At press time, the race is slated to air at 4:00 p.m. on ESPN2, a cable sports network.

However, those interested in watching the race are urged to watch the TV listings closely as post time has not been officially set by Ruidoso Downs officials.

The All-American Futurity is widely known as the world's richest horse race and boasts a \$1 million purse for the winner.



photo by Randy Mankin

**Melt down** — Jeff Chancellor and Robert Parker look over the smoldering remains of a Lincoln Town Car last week after extinguishing the fire which consumed the vehicle 20 miles west of Eldorado. Meanwhile, other firemen work in the pasture to douse a grass fire which quickly spread from the car. Schleicher County EMS treated the driver, Herbert Emmons, 67, of Odessa at the scene. He was charged with DWI by a DPS officer and was taken to Eldorado where he was booked into Schleicher County Jail. Investigators at the scene reported that Emmons was the car's lone occupant. Crockett County EMS and volunteer firefighters also responded to the fire, which was very near the county line.

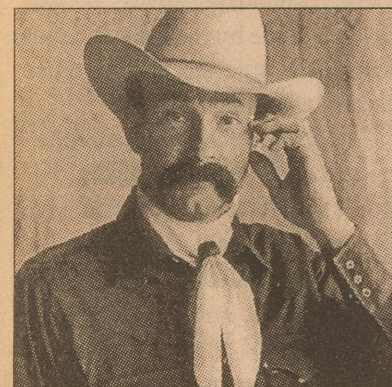
**BUCKSHOT**

by Barry McWilliams



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**BAXTER BLACK**  
ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

Some might wonder why prehistoric cave drawings weren't more detailed. Surely there were artists capable of rendering intricate representations of the circulatory system of aurochs or the dentition of a Saber Tooth Tiger drawn to scale.

But what we see on these cave walls are stick figure men chasing antelope shaped quadrupeds, reminiscent of Dick and Jane throwing a bone at Spot. Rather primitive at best.

I think there had to be a Neanderthal equivalent of Norman Rockwell, but he was born without a pencil sharpener, a pencil, or even a Big Chief pad. He didn't have the right tools for the job.

How many times have you screwed up a perfectly good latigo, bridle, spur strap or belt for want of a hole punch?

Have you ever knocked the corners off a hex head nut tryin' to take it off with a pair of pump pliers?

How 'bout wirin' a couple of old board panels across a broken hole in the pen thinkin', 'This will only have to hold 'em till the trucker comes at noon.'

Have you ever fallen prey to the temptation to rope a turn back steer when yer ridin' a 3 year old trainee?

Do you recall using baler twine to repair some temporary breakdown, hopin' it will hold until the welder comes?

In Iowa you can buy a handy little tool made from bent PVC pipe affectionately called a chicken catcher. It's like a sheep crook and is commonly used to grab baby calves.

Doug had cornered one of his calves in the barn lot to treat him for pinkeye last June. While a group of his itinerant coffee shop companions watched, Doug attempted several lasso's at the streaking 250 pounder.

Finally the peanut gallery climbed the fence to help. They stepped carefully around the rain puddles and shooshed and waded as the calf ducked and dived between them.

Randy spotted the chicken catcher layin' with the baby balling gun and empty box of scour pills. "Maybe I can snag him with this", he laughed, pickin' up the chicken catcher. "I'll catch the calf, then you guys come and help."

It was an even match. Randy weighed about the same as the calf. He shot the hooked implement out and snagged the adrenaline charged calf above the fetlock of the hind leg.

He was jerked off his feet, but hung on as the calf jerked, rattled, kicked and ran, slingin' mud and cow droplets across Randy's broad front. Randy went down, but hung on as the calf drug him around the pen. His teeth were clacking like a bad valve job when the crew, weak from laughter dropped a rope over the calf.

Randy looked like the floor of a stock trailer. "You reckon," he asked, "they make one in a bigger size?"

*Over the Back Fence*

by Randy Mankin

Stop the world, I want to get off. Better yet, back it up a few years, or a few decades.

There once was a time when living in West Texas offered us some small protection from the world's problems. While the distances in this vast land restricted our mobility and isolated us, they also insulated us from the helter-skelter craziness that infected much of the rest of the world.

I'm not sure when that insulation disappeared. But it did.

Why all the gloom and doom, you ask? I'm not sure. Maybe it's because I've been running a mental comparison between the world we inherited from our parents and the one we're preparing to leave our children.

You know, I can't recall a single drug dog patrolling the halls when I was in school. Today, it's become

commonplace.

And, it never occurred to me to carry a gun to school. Today, not very many miles from Eldorado, there are public schools with metal detectors at the entrances.

When I was a youngster, almost every family in our community attended church. Today, it seems there are more cars parked at the club house than at God's house.

Violent crime, teenage pregnancies, frivolous lawsuits, skyrocketing divorce rates, AIDS, political scandals, welfare dependence, substance abuse, contaminated foods, the list goes on and on.

Our modern world, it seems, doesn't measure up very well in some departments.

It's not all bad news, though. There have been some advances. Technology has transformed this region. Today, we in West Texas

are plugged into the modern culture. With telephone, television and computer modem, we're hard-wired into the world's infrastructure. And, being connected has had its rewards.

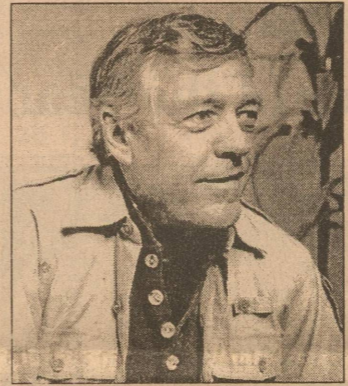
At the touch of a button, or the click of a mouse, a student in Eldorado has access, via the internet, to the same information as everyone else in the world. The trouble is most of that information is difficult to decipher and virtually impossible to trust.

That, I think will be the great challenge our children will face. Sorting through billions upon billions of volumes of information and deciding what to keep and what to throw away.

Who knows, maybe the information superhighway will lead them back as it carries them ahead. And, perhaps they can reclaim some of the values we misplaced along the way.

**Working at Home**

*Rolling Along With*



**Tumbleweed Smith**

I work at home. I love it. When I started my home-based business in 1969, I had no idea it would be so full time. Nor did I realize how much satisfaction it would give me.

More and more businesses are realizing that in this computer age, with E-mail, faxes and other technology that provides instant transfer of material, much work can be done at home. As a result, more employees are working in their homes.

The first person I knew that worked at home was an architect in Fort Worth, where I grew up. He had an office in his house. The concept intrigued me.

The second person I met who worked at home was a writer in Florida, where I was visiting friends during a college spring break.

my father owned. I worked in the store a lot all through junior high and high school. My whole idea of work was that you left home to do it.

In 1968 I met the internationally known writer, H. Allen Smith, who had taken up residence in Alpine. He worked at home.

In 1969 I met Ace Reid, the cowboy cartoonist from Kerrville. He worked at home.

Seeing these four individuals working in their homes had an enormous influence on me. They lived in very nice houses, had good incomes, were happy in their work and seemed to have the world by the tail. I wanted some of that.

I quit my job as a newsman and started writing articles and producing radio programs at home. I turned one bedroom of our home into an office and studio. It soon

filled with equipment. Two years later, we moved into our dream house. We're still in it.

Originally, one bedroom was set aside as a place where I could work. Now we've converted the garage into an office and studio.

In 1981 I moved our company into a downtown office building and rented a four room office suite. The very day we moved in I felt it was a mistake. I missed the convenience of waking up early, walking down the hall to my equipment and going to work.

I stayed downtown three sad years and finally moved back home where I belong.

At home, I'm in charge of my life' that master of my destiny, the captain of my ship. I feel confident there. I am at home. It is a good feeling.

**Lt. Governor Bullock orders review of 'Open Government'**

AUSTIN --- While Texas Comptroller John Sharp and Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry dueled in the press last week over who would be best suited to succeed Bob Bullock as lieutenant governor, Bullock had his sleeves rolled up and was hard at work.

Bullock, who has said he will not seek re-election, was busy assembling Senate interim committees to study issues crucial to the future of Texas. He charged special committees to:

- Gauge the economic impact of recent legislation to strengthen the state's business climate and bring in new jobs.
- Review transportation projects and financing to determine whether current plans will meet the demands of increased traffic.
- Evaluate the state's system of setting title insurance rates, look at rates in other states and determine whether title insurance should be regulated by the state.
- Review state retirement system policies, homeowners associations, laws regulating construction contractors and a recently passed law that protects underground utilities.
- Examine the regulation of home health care and rehabilitation services and the licensing of such.
- Look into concerns over fraud in Medicaid and welfare programs, monitor a new law restricting minors' access to tobacco products and track the proposed settlement between the federal government and tobacco interests.
- Study possible changes in state law concerning sex offenders.

**State Capital**

**HIGHLIGHTS**  
By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling

related demands.

• Look at federal plans for the 2000 census, legislative and congressional redistricting and possible population shifts identified by the U.S. Census Bureau.

• Study state programs that help give low-and moderate-income Texans access to affordable housing.

**Nursing Home Suits Filed Daily**

Attorney General Dan Morales' office has been filing an average of two nursing home lawsuits each work day since June, the *Austin American-Statesman* reported last week.

Morales pledged to keep that pace so long as state inspectors find serious health and safety problems in nursing homes.

One reason for the accelerated lawsuit filings, the *American-Statesman* reported, is increased referrals of problem nursing homes by the Department of Human Services, which inspects them. Over the past year, referrals to the attorney general's office have increased almost fivefold.

In the 1997 state budget year, which ends Aug. 31, 53 nursing homes have been referred to the AG's office for litigation; last year, only 11 nursing homes were referred for litigation.

Earlier this year, an in-depth report by the *American-Statesman* on conditions at nursing homes drew statewide attention. After the report was published, legislators criticized the Department of Human Services and the attorney general's office for lax enforcement of nursing home

regulations.

**Sex Offender Notices May Triple**

As part of Texas' new sex offender notification laws that go into effect next month, the number of offenders that warrant community notifications could triple, said Attorney General Morales.

While attending the ninth annual Crimes Against Children Seminar last week in Dallas, Morales told the *Dallas Morning News*, "We understand that family violence not only puts our children at risk but also the whole fabric of our community."

At the gathering, law enforcement officials and social service workers discussed what can be done to help victims of child abuse and bring offenders to justice.

Detective Jim Reynolds of Scotland Yard, who spoke at the conference, said pedophilia and child pornography are international problems: "There is an extensive network of child pornography both in England and throughout the world. What is difficult is that these pedophiles are mostly professionals such as doctors, priests and ministers, and they use their unsupervised access to abuse children."

**Ward Resigns TDCJ Post**

John Ward of Gatesville resigned last week as a member of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Board because a client of his insurance company is bidding on a contract with the state prison system.

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# Our Sympathy

## Lola Davis Craig

Lola Davis Craig passed away from this earth at 9:35 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 20, 1997, on a journey to join her loved ones in eternity.

Graveside services were held Friday, Aug. 22, in Eldorado Cemetery. Arrangements were by Johnson's Funeral Home.

Lola was born on May 8, 1913, to Ed and Annie Davis in Eldorado, Texas, where she lived most of her life. She met and married her husband of 54 years, Elvis Craig, on March 24, 1932.

Lola spent her married life as a homemaker, a helpmate to her husband, a loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She was a faithful member of the Church of Christ. She and Elvis spent the last 20 years in San Angelo.

Lola was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, two brothers,

a very special sister, Mary Davis, and two grandsons, Jimmy Weldon Craig and Elvis Paul Phillips.

Survivors include one daughter, Marianne Phillips and her husband, John, of San Angelo; one son, Weldon Craig and his wife, Carolyn, of Hobbs, N.M.; five grandchildren, Doug Phillips and his wife, Cindy, of San Angelo, Loann Baker and her husband, Daniel, of San Angelo, Debbie Davis and her husband, Darrell, of California, Scott Craig and his wife, Venee, of Casper, Wyo., and Lamell Camus and her husband, Mike, of Austin. She is also survived by 10 great-grandchildren to who Lola was simply called "Great", Carrie and Jennifer Davis, Amanda and Matt Phillips, Joshua, Jessica and John David Baker, Heather and Megan Camus, and Jackson Craig. Survivors also include two brothers, Marshall Davis of Taft and Clarence Davis of Arkansas.

Lola had only one bit of advice for her loved ones that was echoes throughout her life "Go with God."

The family requests memorials be made to the American Diabetes Association or a charity of choice.

## Dwight Wiedenmann

MCKINNEY - Dwight Wiedenmann, 72, of McKinney, Texas died suddenly Tuesday, August 26, 1997 at his home. Services are pending in McKinney, burial is scheduled for later this week in Eldorado Cemetery.

## Letters to the Editor

Letters to the Editor express the opinions of their author. They do not necessarily reflect the views or opinions of the staff, management or ownership of the Eldorado Success.

Dear Editor:

As we approach the first high school football game I'm compelled to comment on fan support for our players. I know there are a lot of avid football fans in our community, but they can't always make the games. So it leaves the burden of support to those that are not so enthusiastic. It wasn't until last year that I realized how much it means to our players to have the crowd totally involved in a game.

As you know, we went to Winners last year with a play-off berth on the line. Although we could have lost the game by as much as 12 points, it wasn't what our players and certainly not what the fans wanted. My son told me after the game that he had never seen a crowd so involved. The constant roar and support from the fans had him and the others so "pumped up" that there was no way they were going to let us down. I have to admit that I too was aware of this and somewhat surprised. I knew that fan participation could have an effect but not so much in a small open air stadium. This brings me to the point I want to make. If we want our children to succeed, whether it be athletics, band, one-act, rodeo, or UIL events, we must be constantly encouraging, complementing and supporting them in each and all of their endeavors. If this means yelling or screaming encouragement for 2 hours then

that is what we must do. Obviously the more people there the louder the crowd, thus the more "pumped up" our players become. I want to encourage all to go to the games and let those girls and boys hear you. We will have play-off caliber teams in all our sports this year so let's support them the very best we can. Let's try to make all the pep rallies and games to show these students and coaches that we really care. A Proud and Caring Father,

Keith Nolen  
**GO EAGLES!**



## Shop At Home!

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### GRANNYNETTES B-B-Q



The Schleicher County Chamber of Commerce encourages everyone to support our local businesses. Together, they employ hundreds of our neighbors. They pay taxes here and support the local hospital and schools, too. The next time you're tempted to leave town to make a purchase, consider how much Eldorado's businesses contribute to our community.

## Financial management training offered to FSA producers/borrowers

Part 1 of the three part Top Quality Producer 20 hour Financial Management training program, required by the FSA, will be offered in San Angelo, Texas on Saturday, September 6, 1997 at the Ag Extension Service Research Center 7887 Hwy. 87 North from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon.

Advance registration is preferred. To register at the door, call Bob Detlefsen at (254) 772-2013 (any time) or mail registration to Texas

Farmers Training Coop, P.O. Box 23256, Waco, TX 76702-3256.

Part 1 of this training will NOT be offered again in San Angelo in 1997. The remaining two parts of this program will be scheduled at later dates and will complete ALL of your FSA Financial training requirements.

## Cowboy church services to be held in Sonora

Starting September 2, 1997, every Tuesday night Cowboy Church Services will be held at the Depot in Sonora at 7 p.m. Scheduled meetings are:

- September 2nd - Monty Price and Family
- September 9th - Jeff Young, Special Music by Arett Wereman
- September 16th - Jeff Gore
- September 23rd - Monty Price
- September 30th - The Ross Family

## It's a Boy

Jordan Daniel Piña would like to announce the birth of his new brother Jacob Nathaniel born at Odessa Regional Hospital, August 17, 1997 at 8:52 A.M., weighed 7 lbs, 11oz. and 19" long.

Parents are Danny and Debi Piña. Grandparents are Domingo and Delia Piña of Eldorado, Jessie and Myrna Salcido from Andrews. Great-grandparents Longino and Golla of Eldorado.

## Replacement blood drive slated to benefit Farris Nixon

HouseCalls Home Health will sponsor a replacement blood drive Tuesday, Sept. 30, at the Memorial Building for Eldorado resident Farris Nixon. Nixon is currently in a San Antonio hospital and has been receiving blood products because of complications following heart bypass surgery.

United Blood Services of San

Angelo will conduct the blood drive, which will be held from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. The hours for the blood drive could be extended depending on the number of donors signed up.

Donors may make an appointment by calling HouseCalls at 853-2525. Appointments are not mandatory, but are encouraged to ensure smooth donor flow and adequate staffing.

Donors are also asked to know the name of any medication they are currently taking. A donor must be between the ages of 17 and 79, must weigh at least 110 pounds, and feel well and healthy at the time of donation.

Because there is no substitute for blood, patients in need must rely on volunteer blood donors to make sure there is a safe and adequate blood supply on hand when it's needed. For more information on donating blood or the upcoming blood drive, contact UBS San Angelo at (915) 653-1307 or (800) 756-0024.

## It's a Girl!

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Markell of San Angelo are proud parents of a baby girl born Wednesday, August 20, 1997 at 2:52 p.m.

Klaire Ann weighed in at 7 lbs, 1 1/2 ozs. and measured 19 1/8" long.

She was welcomed home by big sister Kristina Hope and big brother Robert Blaine.

Grandparents are Sonny and Jo Ann Turner of Eldorado and Pete and Carol Markell of Argyle, Iowa.

## Crawford receives scholarship

Jesse Blaine Crawford, a graduate of Eldorado High School, has been awarded a scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation.

Crawford received a Houston Endowment Inc. Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000, payable \$500 each semester of the first year. This year the Houston Endowment awarded a total of 32 grants to students who have participated in the University Interscholastic League Academic State Meet and who have compiled an outstanding record of academic and extracurricular achievement.

This year the TILF awarded 312

new awards and will renew approximately 216 awards for a total of 528d scholarships for 1997-98 with an approximate value of \$754,000. Recipients may attend any approved college or university in Texas.

Crawford placed first in science in 1995 and 1997 at the UIL Academic State Meet. He also participated in UIL mathematics and solo and ensemble. He ranked fifth in his graduating class and was a member of the National Honor Society, Texas Association of Future Educators and the school band.

Crawford plans to attend Angelo State University and major in physics.

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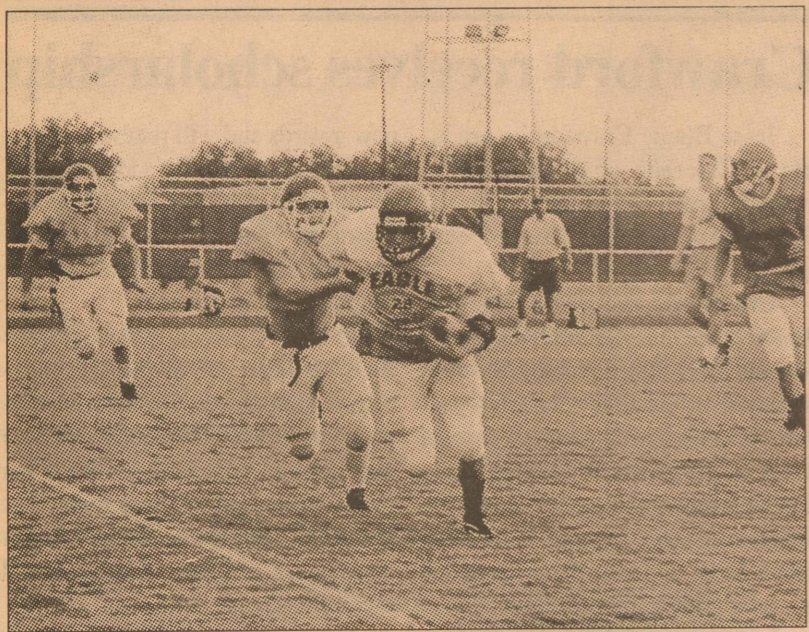


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**Oh no you don't** — Running back Garrett Bowns shrugs off a tackler during the Eagles scrimmage against Sterling City last week.

## 1997 Eldorado Eagles Varsity Football Schedule

Date	Time	Opponent	Place
8/21	6:00 p.m.	Sterling City - scr.	Here
8/28	5:30 p.m.	Mason - scr.	Here
9/5	8:00 p.m.	Junction	There
9/12	8:00 p.m.	Menard (Homecoming)	Here
9/19	8:00 p.m.	Sonora	There
9/26	8:00 p.m.	Ozona*	There
10/3	8:00 p.m.	Roscoe*	Here
10/10	8:00 p.m.	Coahoma*	There
10/17	8:00 p.m.	Wall*	Here
10/24	8:00 p.m.	Forsan*	There
10/31	8:00 p.m.	Winters*	Here

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**Gang tackled** — Eagles JV defenders swarm to the ball after Sterling City completes a pass in the left flat during last week's scrimmage here in Eldorado.

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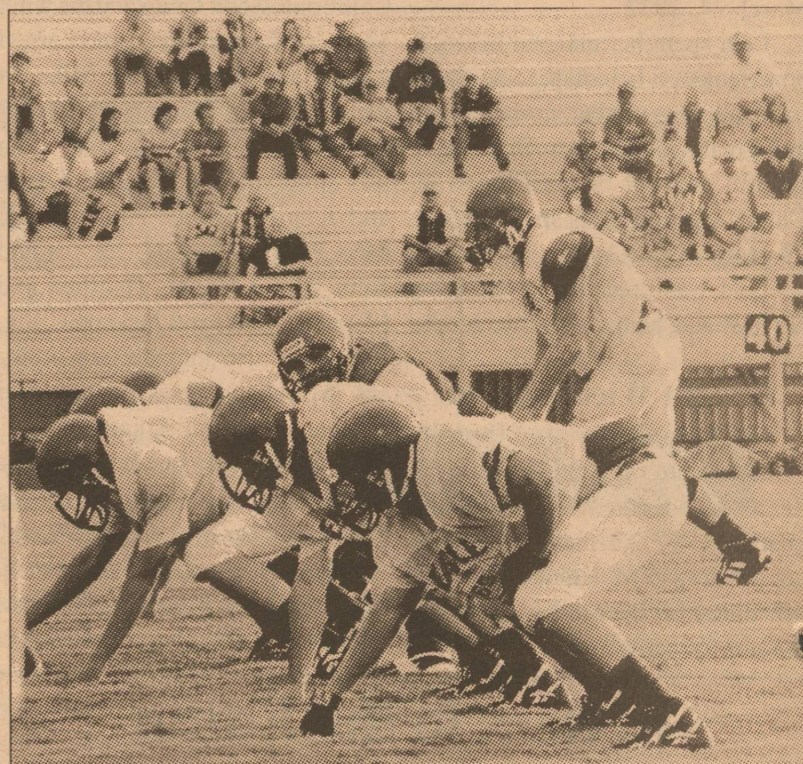


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**Coiled and ready** — The offensive line of the Eldorado Eagles await the snap count from quarterback Casey Snelson during scrimmage action against Sterling City last week.

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### Hext Memorial tourney additions

by Mabel Freitag  
 In the Sunday morning play, Flights 3 and 4 Cy Griffin had the longest drive on Hole #7 and Clint Griffin had closest to the pin on #9. Bryan Whitten from Holbrook, Arizona never misses a Hext Tournamnet, and this year was no exception.

Sorry this missed making the paper last week.

### School Lunch Menu

**Cafeteria Line**  
**Monday, Sept. 1st**  
 No School, Labor Day  
**Tuesday, Sept 2nd**  
 Chicken Fried Steak/Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Apricot Cobbler  
**Wednesday, Sept. 3rd**  
 Lasagna, Steamed Carrots, Sliced Peaches, Cowboy Cookies  
**Thursday, Sept. 4th**  
 Fiestadas, Pinto Beans, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Gingerbread/Glaze  
**Friday, Sept. 5th**  
 Cheeseburgers, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Fresh Grapes

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 Mixed Fruit, Hot Oatmeal/Toast  
**Wednesday, Sept. 3rd**  
 Sliced Pears, Cheese Toast, Buttered Rice  
**Thursday, Sept. 4th**  
 Orange Juice, Biscuits/Sausage/Jelly  
**Friday, Sept. 5th**  
 Apple Slices, Bran Muffins, Choice of Cereal

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**Tuesday, Sept 2nd**  
 Barbecue on a Bun, Diced Pears, Dill Pickle Strips, Veggies/Dip, Apricot Cobbler  
**Wednesday, Sept. 3rd**  
 Sausage Pizza, French Fries, Sliced Peaches, Cowboy Cookies  
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## Dorothy's Movie Time

by Dorothy Dacy

Well, I must say its been a memorable week at my house. We've had our 5 year old grandson staying with us (which is also the reason there was no review last week; we were busy watching the stack from Shae's personal video library). Monroe and I both were at work during the day, so my niece Lee Ann came home from Lubbock to "baby-sit" til evening. If Shae can wear out a 20 year old, you can imagine how Granny and Pa Pa felt by the end of the day! The week ended with a family reunion at our house. Over 40 members of the Reynolds and Dacy clan enjoyed barbecue brisket and fellowship on a beautiful Saturday in our backyard. How wonderful it is for families to gather for happy occasions and not wait for the sad ones that demand these kinds of get-togethers.

My movie of the week is "Dante's Peak", rated PG-13, an action film with a weak plot and a finale that really heats up.

Small town jeopardy drives "Dante's Peak", but on a much larger scale than you find on network TV. There, it's a serial rapist or rabid dog. Here, it's a long-dormant volcano come to life. Wouldn't you know it: When a U.S. geologist comes to warn the good folk of Dante's Peak about their peril, they dismiss him as an alarmist, a kill-joy in paradise.

Pierce Brosnan is geologist Harry Dalton, playing opposite Linda Hamilton as the town's mayor, seemingly the only local whose head isn't buried in the sand. For the warning signs are all there:

### It's a Boy!

On Thursday, August 7, 1997 Benjamin McCall Pennington was born to Brent and Julie Pennington of Abilene. Benjamin weighed 8 lbs, 9oz.

Grandparents are Genelle and Sid Pennington, Ann and Jack Griggs, great-grand parents Dr. and Mrs. Faubus of Abilene and Gene and Vernell McCalla of Eldorado.

The Pennington's are graduates of Abilene Christian University and Brent is currently employed as assistant to Dean of Students there.

Tourists boiled alive in the local hot springs. Sulfuric tap water. Flaming boulders falling from the sky. By that point the volcano already has ended its 7,000 year nap with lots of tremors, and even Dalton's doubting colleagues have conceded that he was right.

The final hour finds the drama unfolding on two fronts: The townspeople show bad manners trying to cross a lone bridge spanning the river, and Brosnan and Hamilton must go up the mountain after her adventurous kids.

For all its sound, fury and flashy special effects, "Dante's Peak" suffers from a case of logic cooties. Why do Hamilton's preteen children drive up the mountain to rescue grandma after volcanic ash already has begun falling? Why does it take the National Guard 24 hours to mobilize? Why does Hamilton give a fig whether her ex mother-in-law (a snide old bag) becomes lava jelly?

Brosnan never seems quite at ease in his role as Harry Dalton, but he gives it the old college try. Hamilton is rather mousey for a mayor. And after Mount St. Helens, you'd think a community in the shadow of any sort of volcano might have an emergency evacuation plan.

"Dante's Peak" manages to deliver a big bang finale. But getting there is a chore. This film is ready to rent locally at Eagle Video.

Until next week:

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## Marketing is a "Must" for Mohair producers

Kerrville - Faced with an ever-growing stockpile of mohair, Angora goat producers are looking into every area to find markets for their product.

Veteran mohair warehouseman C.A. "Al" Dishman of Uvalde told directors of the Mohair Council of America, during their summer session, that the present mohair market is similar to that of some 30 years ago. Despite promotional ef-

forts by the council and others, much of the mohair inventory continues to pile up in storage.

Dishman quoted a former council vice president, the late Gail Dudley of Comanche, telling a meeting of growers in 1969 that "the only people who really know how to make money are those who run the mint. The rest of us just get up, do a lot of things, and hope more of them come up winners rather than

losers."

The warehouseman urged growers not to lose faith in their product, but strive to find solutions to the marketing problem.

Ironically, a Rhode Island physician who raises Angora goats as a sideline, offered a possible solution when he proposed a catalog project to help manufacturers of mohair products sell goods. If the project succeeds, it would be the only such catalog devoted solely to selling mohair products.

Dr. Fritz Vohr, a Hospice specialist, told council members that he started a new company several months ago. In his business development work, he located some 50 businesses making mohair related products. As interest grew, so did the number of manufacturers.

"As we contacted these vendors around the country, we got no negative responses about the catalog idea", he said. "Soon, people started calling us to say they were interested."

Vohr did not know what the cost would be of putting together such a catalog. He was in Kerrville to solicit ideas from fellow mohair growers and others in the industry.

Vohr had a chance to learn more about catalogs since the Mohair Council has been working with

Zachry and Associates of Abilene for nearly a year on the sale of mohair goods through direct mail and catalog presentations. Steve Krazer reported on results of a survey of catalog operators. Preliminary results were not too encouraging.

Meanwhile, the council's cooperative effort with a Mexican spinning firm, Lanera de Ocotlan, to provide machinery to Graham Johnson's plant south of Mexico City, is progressing on schedule. Johnson will be able to provide small quantities of yarn to firms interested in doing product development work.

The growers also learned from Roy Jacoby of Menard that the state commodity board organized to fight predators had changed its name to better reflect its purpose. The Texas

Sheep and Goat Predator Management Board has expanded its ability to put an additional helicopter into the air for its "hot shot" program starting Sept. 1, and also will make money available to rent helicopters if funding from the federal Animal Damage Control (ADC) program is unavailable.

In other business, directors were urged to support the upcoming statewide checkoff referendum being conducted by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association to help raise funds for promotion, research and education. The check-off is planned for late September and early October.

The council's annual membership meeting will be held on Jan. 22, 1998 at the Holiday Inn Convention Center in San Angelo.

## Hospital board meeting

*Continued from Page 1*

Leonard and Geanes emphasized that Shannon was a West Texas based, not-for-profit hospital. "We are not interested in closing down hospitals," Geanes said. "Health care is a local affair and each community needs to make up their own minds as to whether or not they are willing to support the efforts of the local hospital, support the efforts of the local doctors, the home health agencies, all of those kinds of groups. That needs to be your decision."

At one point during the discussion with Leonard and Geanes, SCMC attorney James Kosub answered a comment from the audience by stating emphatically, "For the position of the board, no, the board has not ever said that Columbia has breached any contract. We want to go on the record with that for the people here and the press. The board is not taking an official position that there has been any breach and we're not talking about a breach at this point...so please don't go back to the coffee shop in the morning and say that the board is changing because of a breach."

When the discussion continued, board member Judy Christian told the Leonard and Geanes that one reason Shannon didn't get the nod from SCMC a year ago was their insistence on performing most lab

work in San Angelo. "We've got salaries and people to maintain, also. I know that can be worked out but I just wanted to let you know that was the thing that kind of topped it off last time."

Following the discussion with the men, the board went into executive session with attorney James Kosub. The purpose noted on the agenda for the closed door session was to consult with attorney and review the contract with Columbia.

After almost an hour behind closed doors, the board emerged into open session and voted unanimously to direct board president Ricky Fuessel to explore options in relations to "contracts for services". It was noted that Fuessel could contact Columbia, Shannon or other providers to explore SCMC's options.

In other business, the board voted to negotiate with architect Gary Donaldson of San Angelo for his services in designing a new wing for the nursing home.

The group then discussed and approved the board's bylaws and SCMC's medical staff bylaws.

Next, Randy Mankin reported for the budget committee, recommending that the hospital district adopt a budget of \$2,198,014.00 for fiscal year 1998. Of that amount, \$687,985.00 would be funded by taxes. The tax rate needed to support that rate is 38.68¢ per \$100 valuation which amounts to a 3.02¢ reduction from the current rate.

The board scheduled a budget hearing for 6:00 p.m. Monday, September 8th in the hospital's conference room.

Before adjourning, the board reviewed and approved the district's financial reports.

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## It's a Girl!

Hayley Brownlow, age 2 would like to announce the arrival of her baby sister Mickenzie Lee Brownlow who was born on August 5th, 1997 at 10:20 p.m. at Shannon Hospital.

Mickenzie weighed 7 lbs, 5 ozs and was 19 1/2" in length.

The proud parents are Brian and Debbie Brownlow of Eldorado. Grandparents are Mickey and Yvonne Black of Lubbock and Clyde and Mary Brownlow of Amherst.

## It's a Boy!

Cheryl and Andy Spell are the proud parents of a 11 lb. 2oz. son, born Tuesday, August 5, 1997. He has been named Corben Andrew. Grandparents are Tom and Martha Spell, Genelle and Sid Pennington, great-grand parents are Gene and Vernell McCalla.

Corben was welcomed home by his older brother Ethan, age 6 and sister Madelynn, age 5.

Andy is a Youth Minister at the Golf Course Road Church of Christ in Midland, Texas.

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## Birthdays

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29th Ernesto Ruiz, Eddie Albin, Tracey Richards, Mandy Daniels, Brandy Nixon, Andrew Sauer, Lynn Long, Paige Franklin  
30th Lucille McWhorter, Debbie Pina, Chance Tinney, Gary Warnock, John Himrod, Larry Sanchez, Justin Estrada, Alisha Wink  
31st Pat Ragsdale, Dora Bosmans, Melvin Conner Sr., Mary Hoffman, Mark Bybee, Cindy Bybee, Robert O'Keefe  
**September**  
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2nd Carolyn Mayo, Franky Estrada, Oscar Rios Sr., Jesus Guadarrama,  
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## Anniversaries

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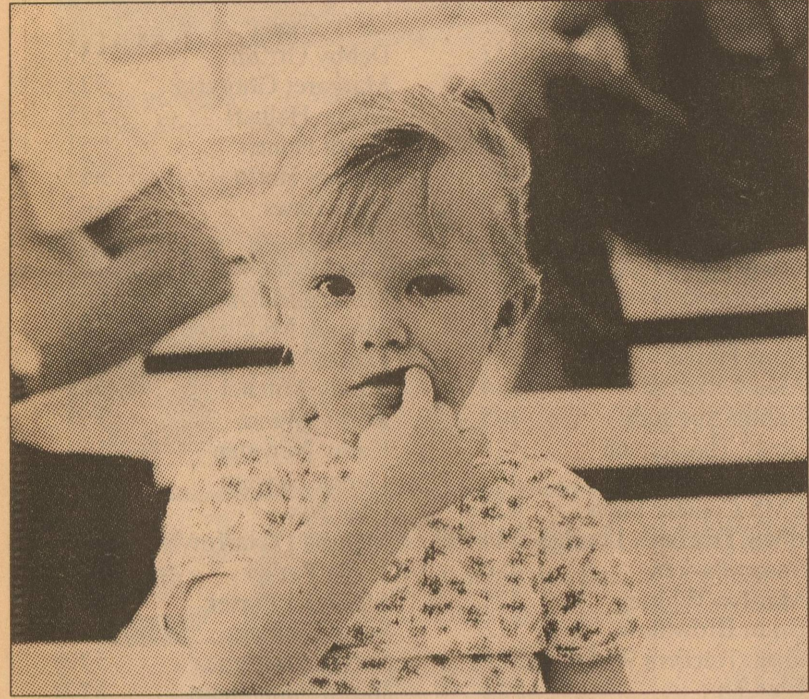


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### Public Hearing

#### PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Directors of the Schleicher County Hospital District will hold a public hearing September 8, 1997 at 6:00 p.m. in the hospital conference room on the district proposed annual hospital budget. 35b

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For Sale: **Deer Rifle Model 99**, Savage-lever action 243 Winchester Mint Condition. Beautiful leather carrying case. Cheap price: \$395.00 Call 853-2313. 35p

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*We hope everyone will be extra-cautious during these dry months. Please, call in if you are planning a controlled burn.*

Thank You  
Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department

*Thank you to the Eldorado Volunteer Fire Department for responding so quickly to the fire at our rent house on Monday, August 18th. Your prompt actions undoubtedly prevented considerable damage. Eldorado and Schleicher County are fortunate to have such dedicated volunteers.*

Thank You,  
William Jarrett,  
Artesia, N.M.

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TexSCAN WEEK OF 08-24-97

### ADOPTION

**NOTE:** It is illegal to be paid for anything beyond legal or medical expenses in Texas adoptions.

**ADOPT - A CARING** couple, tv producer and arts writer, longs to adopt newborn. We promise lots of love and opportunity. Medical/legal expenses paid. Kathy and John, 1-800-942-2889.

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**APARTMENT FOR RENT:** Nice 3 Bedroom, 1 Bath Apt. with Refrigerator and Stove, Washer and Dryer Connections, Fenced Back Yard. \$325. Call Wayne Munn Real Estate, Broker/Owner at 387-2171.

### Homes for Sale

**Ozona - 1204 Ave. C.** Immaculate 3338 sq ft 2 story home on large lot in beautiful neighborhood. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, living, den, formal dining, breakfast, kitchen, utility and basement. Central H/A. Large covered patio. Detached garage. 425 sq ft apartment with carport. Shown by appointment Call Beth 392-5521 daytime or 392-5037 evenings. wtc

**Big Lake - For Sale:** 3BR, 1 1/2 BA, Brick home, lg. storage & privacy fence. Will change carpet out to suit buyer. 884-3757 1031 6th St. wtc

**Big Lake - Home** with rental unit or mother-in-law quarters. 2/BR, 1-1/2 BA and rental unit is 1 BR, sitting room, bath, 2 carport, extra large lot, great yard. 406 Plaza 884-2007. wtc

**Big Lake - House for Sale:** 3BR/2BA, CH/A, Built-in appliances, privacy fence & storage building. 703 Penn. \$50,000 (210) 238-4708 or 884-2983. wtc

**Ozona - House for sale** by owner. 3/BR, 1/BA, Shown by appointment. 392-2990 \$43,000. wtc

**Ozona - For Sale** 2 lots with store room and pens. A part of the pens are covered. See at 504 Terrace Drive. Call 392-3929 and make offer. wtc

### REAL ESTATE

**ELDORADO - For Sale** -(16) 1/4 Acre City Lots with City Utilities. Will sell one or all. Call 853-2038 or 853-2826. 35b

**ELDORADO - 60' x 140' LOT** FOR SALE. Call 651-2060. 35b

**ELDORADO - 3** Lots for Sale. Three, or will sell 1 off site is ready to move on, has pad, fence yard, city water, sewer, gas. Call 853-3510. 35b

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**Sonora - TO LEASE OR BUY:** 3400 sq. ft. building (formerly Sonora Sports and Supply) Call Dr. Pollard at 915-396-2647. wtc

**Sonora - For Sale** 9 Acres for sale 2.5 miles west of Sonora. Call 387-3759 after 5:00 pm. wtc

## Notice To Bidders

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids, addressed to the Schleicher County Commissioners' Court will be received by the County Clerk, until 10:00 a.m., September 8, 1997, when such bids will be opened in the Commissioner's Courtroom for:

One (1) Transport Load Diesel Fuel

(On an as needed basis-Price shall include all taxes applicable)

The Commissioners Court has the right to accept or reject any and all bids submitted.

Peggy Williams  
County & District Clerk  
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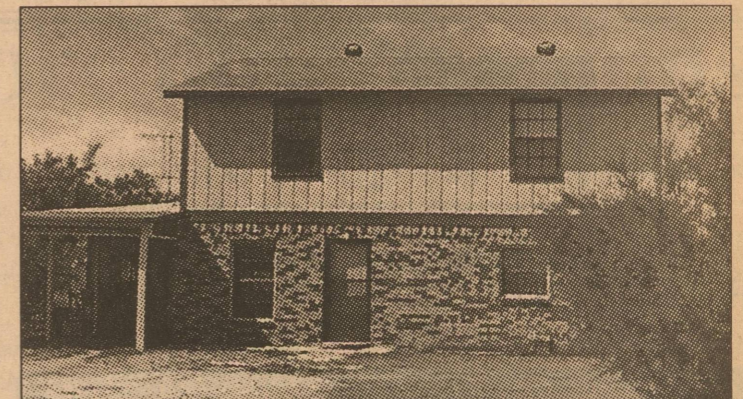


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### Mobile Homes

**ELDORADO - FOR SALE:** MOBILE HOME - 3BR, 2BA; 14 X 80'; On large lot, carport, storage, sheds. Front and back deck porches. Located at 404 East Hill Street. Call Daytime - 853-3650 or 650-1052. Night 853-3437. 33ffn

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**Want to buy a 1970 Ford Pickup** Call 387-3754. wtc

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**FOR SALE: 1987 Chev. Cavalier** in good condition. New tires, air conditioner works great. Would make a great school car. \$1,500. Call 884-2010 after 6 p.m. wtc

**1989 Olds Cutlass** for sale. Blue Book - \$4950. Selling \$2950. Low mileage. 392-3455 after 6 p.m. WTC

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The U.S. Small Business Administration will be conducting a foreclosure sale of real and personal property on Schleicher County Gin, Inc. located at the intersection of US Hwy 277 and US Hwy 190 just outside the city limits of Eldorado, Texas. The property is described as three acres out of Survey No. 77, in Block A, HE & WT RR. Co., Survey in Schleicher County, Texas. The real and personal property will be offered first in bulk; if no successful bid is received the real estate only will then be offered. TERMS: cash via certified funds with the buyer paying the entire amount immediately at the auction or SBA will consider financing with a minimum 20% down payment for a maximum 15 year term. Those interested in SBA financing must obtain written SBA pre-approval prior to the sale date. The property is being sold "as is" "where-is", without warranty expressed or implied as to title, possession or encumbrances and subject to any and all taxes owing.

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## San Angelo Center sets annual Sheep and Goat Field Day

SAN ANGELO--Brush sculpting, a producers' lamb feeding program, industry updates, and special recognition of a veteran newsman, are just some of the topics scheduled for the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center's 24th Annual Sheep and Goat Field Day September 4. The Center is located north of San Angelo on U.S. Highway 87. Registration runs from 8:30-9:30 a.m. Morning field tours begin at 9:30 a.m.

A major field day highlight is the special recognition of long-time farm broadcaster Roddy Peeples. Peeples has been a strong supporter of the Texas A&M University system throughout his career. He is the

founder of the nationally known Voice of Southwest Agriculture (VSA) network. Peeples began the network with two affiliates after moving to Midland in 1964. Another 60 stations were added over the years. Peeples sold the business in 1995 to Clear Channel Radio of San Antonio. He and his wife, Bettinae, now live in Dallas where he remains VSA's Senior Farm Broadcaster.

The morning's tour stops include the "Pasture to Packer" program, a Texas Agricultural Extension Service lamb feeding project that allows producers to gain experience in retained ownership of their animals to slaughter. The program also

provides performance data useful to producers wishing to improve their flock's efficiency. Drs. Frank Craddock, Extension Sheep and Goat Specialist at San Angelo, and Rick Machen, Extension Livestock Specialist at Uvalde, will man the stop. "Brush Sculpting," the art of managing brush for optimum livestock wildlife and recreational use, is also a tour stop. Brush Busters originators, Drs. Allan McGinty, Extension Range Specialist and Darrell Ueckert, Professor in Rangeland Ecology & Management, both of San Angelo, will join Dr. Dale Rollins, Extension Wildlife Specialist also based here, with the instruction. Plans include the introduction of new selective low impact application technology that may be used in the program's future.

Other morning tour topics and their San Angelo-based Experiment Station presenters include: "Meat Goat Research," Dr. Dan Waldron, Assistant Professor in Sheep and Goat Reproduction; "Feeding Value and Toxicity of Cotton By-Products," Dr. Millard Calhoun, Professor in Animal Science; and "Implications of Biotechnology to Sheep

Producers," Dr. Andres de la Concha, Assistant Professor in Veterinary Pathobiology.

A catered lunch prepared by Ken Cook, District 7 Extension Director Emeritus, is scheduled from 11:45 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.

The afternoon program begins at 1:00 p.m. with recognition of special guests by Steve Byrns, Extension Communications Specialist, followed by a special recognition of Roddy Peeples delivered by Dr. Zerle Carpenter, Director of the Extension Service and Associate Vice Chancellor at College Station. Carpenter also serves as Master of Ceremonies for the afternoon program.

Dr. John Walker, Resident Director of Research, will speak on behalf of the Center. He is followed by industry updates and status reports including: "National Sheep Industry Improvement Center," Pierce Miller, Center Chairman, San Angelo; "Texas A&M University Sheep Center," Shawn Ramsey, Assistant Professor in Animal Science, College Station; "Boll Weevil Eradication Program," Sid Long, Executive Director, Southern Rolling Plains Cotton Growers Association, Robert Lee; "Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association," Dr. Tim Turner, President, San Angelo; and "Mohair Council of America," Zane Willard, Executive Director, San Angelo.

A "Value Added Products Panel" is next. Panelists and their topics include: "Ranchers Lamb of Texas," Chico Denis, Board Chairman, San Angelo; "Kothmann Commission Company," Jamie Kothmann, President, Menard; "Supplying Year-long Slaughter," Dr. Ed Huston, Professor in Animal Science and Rangeland Ecology & Management, San Angelo; "Marketing Lamb Products," Ray Ellis, President and General Manager, Ranchers' Lamb of Texas, San Angelo; and "Adding Value to Fiber," Ronald Pope, Wool and Mohair Marketing Director, Producers Marketing Cooperative, Inc., San Angelo.

The formal program will end with closing comments by Walker at 3:00 p.m. An optional tour of a new high quality products facility will be offered at 3:15 p.m.

For further information contact the Center at (915) 653-4576.

## Co. commissioners issue \$100,000.00 in tax notes

Schleicher County commissioners met Monday morning and among other business, voted to issue \$100,000.00 in tax notes to pay for a track loader they purchased last month. Hyman Sauer, president of First National Bank of Eldorado was on hand at the meeting and to purchase the notes when they were issued.

Tax notes are financial instruments similar to certificates of obligation and are used by municipalities to raise funds when the term is less than seven years. Like certificates of obligation, tax notes don't require the same public approval as general obligation bonds.

In other business, the commissioners met with librarian Jeri Whitten who updated the men on the library's proposed budget. She noted that an increase of \$600 over last year's budget would pay for internet access and telephone line charges. The commissioners agreed

to consider her request.

The commissioners then met with Jerry Jones, who serves as the county's emergency management coordinator. He updated them on a seminar he had attended recently in Abilene and told them that state law required an emergency planning committee be formed.

Jones, who is also the local fire chief also advised the commissioners that the fire department's pumper truck would be losing its certification in three years. He urged them to consider working with the school district, hospital district and city and set money aside for a new truck in the year 2000.

The commissioners also learned that they may request the state set lower speed limits on narrow farm-to-market and ranch roads without shoulders inside the county. However, they took no action on that item.



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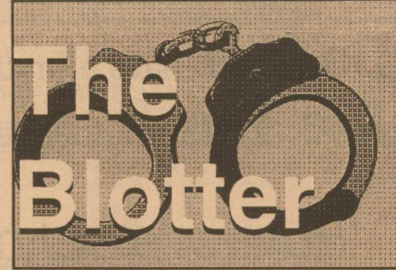
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8/19/97 10:49 PM Disturbance on Caller - Caller requested an officer at residence due to a dispute her and her husband were having and feared that it would get worse. Three officers took the call and reported everything was ok and there were no arrests.

8/20/97 1:35 AM Domestic Disturbance on Cotton - Caller requested an officer to residence due to domestic dispute. Subject stated they were slapped and wanted to press charges. Officer responded and subjects did not want to talk to the officer. Officer was unable to notice any physical mark on subject. 2:20 PM Caller reported a reckless driver on Hwy 277 going North. Officer responded to call.

8/21/97 1:00 AM Eldorado Place Apts - Criminal Mischief - Caller reported that someone had put something on his car. Officer investigated. 3:20 PM Caller reported a grass fire on County Road 426. 8:55 PM Grass fire reported 6 miles out 190 East. Fire Department responded. 5:05 PM Assist Motorist to unlock vehicle.

8/22/97 2:35 AM Suspicious Persons on E Warner - A car was seen stopped in an alley and there were two screens taken off residence windows on the East side of the

house. 8:55 AM Concern caller reported that male friend was having trouble with their neighbor and requested deputy to keep an eye on this residence. 1:27 PM Grass fire reported 4 miles E. on Hwy 190. All Fire Dept. units were dispatched. 2:30 PM Caller requested that a Criminal Trespass be served on a male subject. 5:20 PM Wreckless Driving - Caller phone in and reported a vehicle driving at a high rate of speed. Also, reported the two subjects were driving wreckless. Officer responded and reported that both vehicles were not breaking any speed limits. 5:55 PM Subject requested an officer to talk to. Officer responded. 9:30 PM Criminal Mischief - Caller reported that his vehicle had objects thrown at their vehicle and that they were verbally assaulted. Four officers responded.

8/23/97 4:40 AM Suspicious Persons on Herman - Caller reported that they got up to let the dogs in the house when she opened the door they heard people talking. Officer responded and did not find any one. 4:35 PM Suspicious Vehicle on Colpitts - Caller reported two suspicious vehicles that were circling the neighborhood for about an hour prior to this subject reporting this incident. Subject described both vehicles. Officer responded and identified both vehicles. 8:04 PM Disturbance - Eldorado Place Apt - Subject reported a number of juveniles playing in the road and would not move from the above location. Officer responded and had the juveniles move. 10:19 PM Criminal Mischief on Laredo - Caller reported that a gun was pulled and threatened against them. Subject left residence and caller requested officers try and speak to subject. 11:42 PM Caller reported a subject on the road lying down and crawling down the road. Officer found the subject and went to check out for a possible wreck or other members of their party. Two subjects were arrested.

8/24/97 6:05 AM DPS reported that one of Home Motors Wreckers was missing somewhere between Eldorado and Junction. Officer checked south to the county line and north to the county line. Nothing was located. 7:00 AM Caller reported that they thought the door was broken at the Post Office. 9:12 AM Caller reported that a calf was missing on Old San Angelo Hwy. Calf was 350 lbs and had a cut to left ear. Missing since 8/10/97. 5:18 PM Caller reported a possible shop lifter. Officer responded to call.

8/25/97 2:19 AM Suspicious Person on S. Main - Caller reported a suspicious act. Caller stated that lights were turned on and a body walked in front of the window. The lights were turned off and what appeared to be a flash light was turned on and off. Caller witnessed this when they were looking out the window to check outside. Officer responded and found everything to be ok. 12:57 PM Subject wished to file charges of Assault on a male subject. Charges were filed at J.P. and warrant issued. 5:37 PM Caller requested an ambulance to Fields Ave due to a man falling off a ladder. Officer and EMS1 were dispatched. Subject was transported to the hospital and then transferred to Shannon. 8:30 PM Criminal Mischief on Divide - Subject reported that someone had shot at their office window with a pellet gun. Officer took report and damage is unknown at this time.

8/26/97 8:09 AM Controll Burn on 190 West. 11:12 AM Theft San Angelo - Complainant reported items taken from residence in April. Items taken 1/4 Sized Violin Suzuki w/Hard Case Value \$200; 1/2 sized Violin Suzuki w/Hard Case Valued \$200. 3/4 Sized Violin w/Protective Case Lined 14 Years old. No value given. Yamaha Flute - Valued at \$1,200. Owner of items gave Sheriff's Office a clue to who might of taken items. 3:30 PM Caller reported a broken window and cut screen on north side of Kids Campus

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