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Down Home Living at the Top of the Divide

The Fldorado

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Headlines From Around the World

UN helicopter crashes in Bosnia

At least 11 people were killed when a U.N. helicopter crashed in central Bosnia, the United Nations announced yesterday. At least four other passengers were injured, U.N. spokesman Liam McDowall told Reuters. Western officials said Gerd Wagner, a German deputy to the International High Representative in Bosnia, was among those

Two US warplanes collide

Two Air National Guard fighter jets collided off the coast of New Jersey Tuesday night but all three crew members survived. It was the fifth accident involving U.S. military aircraft in four days. Air Force Sgt. Frank Braun noted the accident occurred 30 miles southeast of Atlantic City just after 8 p.m. A twoseat F-16D and a single-seat F-16C were involved. The pilot of the single-seat jet returned to shore safely and the two crewmembers of the other jet parachuted into the water, according to the Coast Guard.

Bodyguard to be questioned

Investigators looking into Princess Diana's fatal car crash plan to question the bodyguard who survived the accident later this week. Paris police sources said vesterday An initial meeting is expected to take place Friday though the specifics have not been set," a police official said. Officials at the hospital where Trevor Rees-Jones has been treated since the August 31 crash stated Tuesday he was conscious and able to talk, raising hopes he could soon help investigators fill in the blanks in their probe

Reno shakes up probe

Attorney General Janet Reno is reshuffling the Justice Department task force that is investigating campaign finance practices. Justice Department sources say a new FBI agent and prosecutor will be put in charge of the task force. That move comes amid increasing questions about how well the investigation has been handled. Sources claim Reno was angry that the task force did not know that some of the money raised by Vice President Al Gore from his office went to individual candidates, which may violate campaign finance laws. A Senate committee's probe of fund raising continues this week

#### Panels study highway money

House and Senate committees are considering proposals to replace highway legislation which allocates federal funding to states. The Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act, which expires at the end of this month, divides among the states money collected through the federal gas tax. Two lobby groups are using a new report to argue against a Senate highway funding bill that ends highway and bridge repair programs as separate items and rolls them into other programs. The report says motorists spend four times as much money fixing damage to their cars from crumbling roads than states spend on fixing the highways



Homecoming Queen - Ashlie Whitten is crowned EHS Homecoming Queen last Friday night by Student council representatives Scotty Espinosa and Mary Adame.

## E.H.S. celebrates Homecoming with victory over Yellowjackets

Eagles annual Homecoming game elected to receive the opening kick. were treated to a spectacular per- Their offense set up shop deep in formance, on and off the playing thier own end of the field.

They were: Vanessa Gonzalez, claimed a 2-0 lead on a safety freshman duchess; Evelyn EHS Homecoming Queen.

Before and after the half-time between the Eldorado Eagles and the Menard Yellowjackets

EHS-exes returning for the Eldorado won the coin toss and

Menard's defense came ready to The highlight of the evening play, however, stopping the Eagles came at half-time when the class on three straight downs, and forcduchesses and senior queen candi- ing a punt. But the ball was snapped dates paraded down the track and high over Garrett Bownd's rolling were each presented to the crowd. through the endzone and Menard

Following the Eagles free kick Quintana, sophomore duchess; An- from their own 20 yard line, gela Ballew, junior duchess; and Menard's offense took over near Andie Sterling, Ashlie Whitten and mid-field. The Yellowjackets Madolyn Joy, senior queen candi- wasted little time in driving the ball dates. Then EHS student council on the Eagles defense. At 7:08 in representatives, Scotty Espinosa the opening quarter Menard's Davis and Mary Adame came forward and Sanchez powered in from 4-yards crowned Ashlie Whitten as the 1997 out. James Williamson's extra-point was good and Menard led 0-9.

That would be all the point profestivities, the fans in the packed duction Menard would see on the stadium were treated to an ex- night, however, as the Eagles, tremely hard hitting football game slowly took controll of the line of scrimmage and began to move the

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## Lindsey Griffin wins scholarship



photo by Randy Mankin

All smiles — Lindsey Griffin, daughter of Curtis & Debbie Griffin received a 4-H scholarship recently from the Permian Basin Fair and Exposition.

by Nancy Lester, Home Extension Agent

County 4-H Member, was recently awarded a \$1,000 college scholarexhibitors in the livestock division.

Lindsey exhibited a steer at the Griffin

show and was interviewed on September 6, 1997. Lindsey has been a Lindsey Griffin, Schleicher 4-H Member for the past 12 years. She has been involved in Beef Cattle Projects for 10 years and has exship from the Permian Basin Fair hibited her projects locally and at and Exposition in Odessa. These major shows around the state. scholarships are awarded to senior Lindsey has also been active in Foods and Nutrition, Public Speak-The selection of recipients is based ing, Leadership and Community on scholastic achievement and Service. She received the Gold Star school and community achieve- Award in 1996. Lindsey is the Duncan, only to negotiate with them daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis

## Investigators eye SCMC's billing practices

A nationwide investigation into \$35,287.68. fraudulent Medicare claims spilled Thelma Quince Colbert notified Roddie stated. Roddie by letter that SCMC's out-Dec. 31, 1996.

Colbert stated that the Federal ing codes. False Claims Act allows the govactual damages plus a civil penalty inadvertant," Roddie stated. ranging from \$5,000.00 to \$10,000.00 for each false claim Minor told the board that in the past, negotiating group will be represented submitted. However, Colbert pro- the hospital's bookkeepers would by attorney Kevin Reed and the acposed a settlement totaling bill for tests exactly as physicians counting firm of Moody & Fikes.

into Eldorado last week when board of directors held Friday, Sept. Schleicher County Medical Center's 12th, Roddie told board members practices. Assistant U.S. Attorney of those are being hit very hard,"

Roddie went on to tell the board patient laboratory claims to Medi- that the basis for the allegations in- or if tests are ordered that don't meet care have been under scrutiny. Ac- volved "unbundled tests". Unbun- Medicare's guidelines, then the orcording to the letter, SCMC may dling is a term used by Medicare to der is returned to the physician rehave overbilled Medicare to the tune refer to laboratory tests which are view. of \$11,000.00 for tests performed supposed to be grouped together by its lab from Jan. 1, 1992 through under one billing code but are billed length, the board voted to join with out individually under seperate bill- other rural hospitals in negotiating a

ernment to recover three times its not saying it did, it was pitals (TORCH) is preparing to con-

ordered them. "If they ordered a test In a called meeting of SCMC's and it was performed, then we billed for it," Minor said.

Also attending the board meetadministrator Jim Roddie received that over 400 rural hospitals in ing was lab director Gene McClean word that the U.S. Department of Texas have received similar letters who told the board that since join-Justice was eying SCMC's billing from the Justice Department. "Some ing SCMC's staff he has rewritten lab's protocols for Medicare tests. "If a doctor orders a test without indicating a preliminary diagnosis,

> After discussing the matter at lower settlement. The Texas Organi-"If this occurred here, and I'm zation of Rural & Community Hostest the validity of the Justice Assistant administrator Beverly Department's allegations. TORCH's

## City to negotiate contract with Duncan Disposal

The Eldorado City Council met Monday evening with representatives of Duncan Disposal of San Angelo. Don Foard and Reid Donaldson were on hand to discuss the possibility of Duncan Disposal operating Eldorado's landfill.

J.C. Duncan, the parent company of Duncan Disposal also owns Trashaway Services, which operates the City of San Angelo's landfill. They also own Wes Tex Waste Services and recently acquired Waste Management of West Texas

"Let me make this perfectly clear, if you contract with us, Eldorado will still own the landfill, Foard told the council. "We are merely proposing to operate it."

Foard said Duncan Disposal is garbage trucks and its dumpsters.

Trashaway would furnish the per- interest of Eldorado." sonnel and equipment necessary to handle Eldorado's solid waste col- recently to close their landfill and also voted unanimously to negotiate lection and disposal. "That will have been exploring options for solid with Duncan Disposal spare you from having to buy expensive earth moving equipment," he said.

When asked about the city's employees who work at the landfill or drive the garbage truck, Foard said he felt sure they would be ofshould be attractive to them," he stated.

he had been in contact with the City of Sonora regarding their solid waste management. Sonora's city council voted recently to close their landfill. "It would be good if we could work out a three-way partnership," Foard said.

Foard noted that the cost of operating Eldorado's landfill and disposing of it's garbage would be significantly reduced if Sonora became part of the equation. "It could be a win-win deal," Foard stated.

After discussing the matter at some length with Foard and with Duncan Disposal.

"We didn't vote to contract with failed a routine drug test. in the hopes of reaching a contract"



photo by Randy Mankin

Talkin' trash — Don Foard of Duncan Disposal visits with the Eldorado City Council Monday evening concerning the possibility of operating the city's landfill

willing to purchase the city's two ing the meeting. "They will be talk- waste disposal. The Success has ing to Sonora on pretty much the learned that Foard appeared at the "We would bring those dumpsters same terms. If Sonora is agreeable, Sonora City Council meeting Tuesup to our standards," Foard stated. then we'll take a look at Duncan's day afternoon and asked them to en-Donaldson told the group that numbers and see if they're in the best ter into negotiations with Duncan to

handle their solid waste. After dis-The Sonora City Council voted cussing the topic, the Sonora council

## Hospital board to meet with Columbia on Monday evening

"Our salary and benefit structure Schleicher County Medical Center's board meeting Monday night. At the board's last meeting Columbia's Foard then went on to say that chief executive officer Greg Angle expressed a desire to meet with complaints about Columbia's opera-

> Angle said he was sure that, once all the facts were cited, the public would understand that his company

Representatives of Columbia- was doing everything possible to fered jobs with Duncan Disposal. HCA are slated to be on hand at place a permanent physician in

Columbia-HCA has operated the Schleicher County Family Clinic for the past year and has a contract to continue operating it for the next Eldorado citizens and hear their four years. However, with the first anniversary of the contract date tion of the Schleicher County Fam- approacing on Oct. 1, SCMC's board may choose to opt out of the

> The meeting is slated for 7:00 p.m. in the nursing home dining room.

## Martinez lawsuit goes to trial

A lawsuit brought against the the case were slated to begin at 9:00 in Federal District Court in San is expected sometime today. Donaldson the council voted unani- Angelo. Hector Martinez is alleging mously to enter into negotiations that the city violated his civil rights San Angelo attorney Berta Perez

The suit alleges that the city terminated Martinez unfairly and is seek-Mayor John Nikolauk said follow- ing monetary damages. Arguments in week's edition

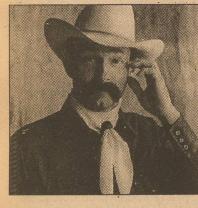
City of Eldorado by one of its former a.m. Wednesday morning in Judge employees went to trial Wednesday Sam Cummings' courtroom. A verdict

Martinez is being represented by when it fired him in 1994 after he Linton while local attorney Jim Kosub is representing the city.

The Eldorado Success will report the outcome of the trial in next

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## The Producer Meeting



# BAXTER

ON THE EDGE OF COMMON SENSE

When you take a seat in the waiting room of a veterinary clinic, a feedlot or an animal health store, you occasionally notice a body sitting there who looks out of place. They are often dressed in more formal attire than most clientele. They may be doing their times (two times two is four, two times four is eight, etc...), they may be reading the ten year old copy of Look Magazine or they could be annoying you . . . just kill-

These dedicated people, who seem to take precedence over no one in the animal health food chain, are company reps. Salesmen, armed to the teeth with research trials supporting their product, special offers to entice volume buying out of season, and lunch money. They are the mainstays of our continuing edu-

They seem to exude a certain tension, which is understandable . . . they have the job security of a smoke jumper.

A big part of their regular duties is producer meetings. Some of these meetings go well. Others others prove that masochism builds character. . . well.

pharmaceutical company that offers a meeting. products for use in livestock. He arfeedlot to put on a meeting for the cow-tails.

boys and vet crew employed therein.

A local steak house was selected as an appropriate location for the meeting. Supper and drinks were furnished as bait. A good crowd of 18 or 20 showed up for the meeting.

No separate room was available, but the maitre d' had set up a single long table that ran the length of the room, wall to wall down the center of the dining area. John set his movie screen against the back wall at the end of the table. The slide projector sat in the middle of the table between the attentive cowboys.

John began his presentation. He started with lung diseases. Pictures of fulminating pluritis glared from the screen attracting the attention of random diners. Presently, an incidental customer walked between the projector and screen, excusing himself politely as his shadow darted across a rather explicit slide of chronic suppurative pneumonia. As John was soon to discover, he lay in the direct and only path

The wayfarer returned, tripping over the projector cord which gave everyone a moment's respite from pulmonary contagion.

Just as John segued into injection site abscesses, he was interrupted by the waitress, who stepped into the spotlight and asked, "Who ordered the scotch and

Then in the midst of his discussion on rumen physiology a group from the other side of the room broke into song. It was "Happy Anniversary to You" dedicated to a couple celebrating 58 years of wedded bliss . . . "Happy anniversary . . . " ". . . methane . . . " ". . . to yo-o-u-u-u . . . " ". . . is released along with . . . " "Yeah, yeah, applause. . . "Scuse me, I gotta go to the john . . . " "Sure" "Carbon dioxide" "Any questions?" "Yes, who ordered the two

whisky sours and the Bud light?" On the drive home John commented John works for an international to his boss, "All in all, it wasn't too bad ported last week in the Austin Ameri-

"Yeah." the boss said. "But va know.

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# Over the Back Fence by Randy Mankin

It had been several weeks since ballgame Friday night." my old friend D.W. last stopped by in awhile and I mentioned this to bang." Kathy. She mumbled something to worry, he'd turn up sooner of later. were just awful." And so he did, the very next day.

my desk.

about me?"

asking, "How'd ya like that nearsighted.

"I can't say I much cared for two inches thick!" about a bad penny and told me not those officials," he said. "They

"Where have you been?" I under no circumstances would I plied. "Why? You been worried dedicated, selfless individuals who matchup. sacrifice beyond measure. With-

But D.W. had no such charitable "The Eagles look tough this feelings for the men in the striped the Success office. One day, it oc- year," I told him. "They started a shirts. "I swear this crew wuz curred to me that we hadn't seen him little slow but they finished with a worse'n the one in Junction." he said. "That one feller's glasses were

> As you can imagine, the remainder of the conversation didn't stray Let me stop here and say that very far from Eagles' football.

This Friday night the Eagles asked as he took the chair next to ever want to be a referee. It takes travel to Sonora to take on the 3-A a special kind of person to do that Broncos. It's their homecoming "Nowhere in particular," he re- job. These men (and women) are game and it promises to be a great

I'll be there, of course, shooting While I may wonder about out them, young men and women pictures for the newspaper. My old D.W. on a daily basis, I've long wouldn't be able to meet and com- friend D.W. will be there keeping since stopped worrying about him. pete. They deserve our praise, not tabs on the refs. Most of your friends When I told him this he merely our scorn. After all, it's not their and neighbors will be there, too. shrugged and changed the subject fault if some of them are a little Why don't you make plans to join us and support the Eagles!

## Buddy

I was in Lubbock a few weeks ago and interviewed Don Caldwell, who owned a recording studio and is a major player in Lubbock's music scene. He was in charge of this year's Buddy Holly festival and invited me to come up for it. I'm glad

Buddy Holly grew up in Lubbock and now he's helping Lubbock grow. The second year of Lubbock's Buddy Holly festival attracted people from Germany, Australia, England, Japan and other far away places. One man from Japan came with a translator and Buddy Holly glasses. He toured every Buddy Holly landmark he could visit, including Buddy's grave.

died in a plane crash in 1959.

The Buddy Holly weekend and paid \$100 for a dinner of prime Fame. rib and seafood, then went to the

Rolling Along With



**Tumbleweed Smith** 

The three-day event was a step of BUDDY: THE BUDDY HOLLY back into the late fifties, when Buddy STORY, written by Alan James of was performing with his band, the England. The show has been on 156 pieces of Buddy Holly memoratold me. "Those are faster, more Crickets. He was in the musical spot- America's Broadway stage and has bilia and they were on display in the glitzy. I think this is more like the light only a year and a half before he played continuously for eight years in Depot Restaurant building. Visitors real Buddy." They have reserved London.

started with a glitzy affair at the Lub- others gathered at the Buddy Holly jacket. bock Civic Center Holiday inn. statue where four people were in- In the midst of all the activities, is a post office mechanic. Those attending wore formal attire ducted into the Buddy Holly Walk of classic cars of the fifties were parked

Cactus theater to see a performance sculptor Glenna Goodacre, cartoon- his church and school, places where bock, they think of Buddy."

Peggy Sue Gerron was there. She lives in Lubbock and is the girl for seventeen miles outside London, Enwhom Buddy Holly's song, PEGGY gland, made the journey to America SUE, was named. Maria Elena Holly, just for the festival. They have seen Buddy's widow was there. Bobby Vee BUDDY: THE BUDDY HOLLY played a concert of fifties music. STORY on stage at the Strand The-Johnny Tillotson, Joe Ely and the atre in London every Thursday night Maines Brothers entertained.

structed in the heart of Lubbock's De-times. pot District to accommodate other musicians like Carl Perkins, who ent people play Buddy. They were wrote and recorded BLUE SUEDE on hand Thursday night at the Cac-SHOES in 1956. His recording sold tus Theater in Lubbock and saw the two million copies before Elvis talented Donnie Allison perform as Presley recorded it. It was the first Buddy. He lost forty pounds to play song to top the pop, country and the part. rhythm 'n' blues charts.

could see Buddy's guitar, his maroon front row aisle seats at the Strand While the dinner was taking place, and black shoes and plaid wool stage through June of 1998. "We reserve

all over the Depot District. Buses Buddy is the city's best tourist at-The four were actor Dan Blocker, took people to see Buddy's birthplace, traction. "When people think of Lub-

ist Dirk West and musician Terry he played and finally to the cemetery where he's buried.

Bill and Carroll Allen, who live for the last five years. In all, they A large outdoor stage was con- have attended the play some 350

They have seen fourteen differ-

This show is more real than the goo The City of Lubbock purchased performances in London," Carroll them a year at a time," says Bill, who

One city official in Lubbock says

## Texas jury decides if tobacco industry is liable

AUSTIN --- A Texas jury will be the first in the nation to decide whether the tobacco industry deliberately or negligently hurt millions of people, including children, it was recan Statesman.

An out-of-court settlement with ranged with the manager of a good sized they might've missed some of the de-tobacco companies ---similar to settlements struck by Mississippi and Florida --- is out of the question.

After a Texarkana federal judge refused to allow Attorney General Dan Morales to introduce "smoking gun" documents as evidence and ruled that Texas must narrow the scope of its lawsuit, the attorney general told the judge the case would not be settled and would go to trial Sept. 29.

Texas will be the forum to guarantee the industry is held accountable." Morales said.

Tobacco industry officials agreed. Dan Webb, a Chicago attorney for Philip Morris and spokesman for the 11 tobacco companies, said, "This is a mainstream case that needs to go to trial so we can establish our position and prove we have done nothing wrong."

The state seeks as much as \$14 billion in health-care costs in its suit, naming as defendants American Tobacco, R.J. Reynolds, Brown and Williamson, B.A.T. Industries, Philip Morris, Liggett Group, Lorillard, United States Tobacco, the Hill and Knollton public relations firm, the Council for Tobacco Research-USA nine-member Texas Board of Crimiand the Tobacco Institute.



Pauken announces AG candidacy

Tom Pauken, former chairman of the Republican Party of Texas, formally announced his candidacy for attorney general last week.

The 53-year-old Dallas lawyer, policy. who believes in abortion only to save the life of the mother, said he is the only true conservative in the race.

His opponents in the March GOP primary will be Railroad Commission member Barry Williamson and Texas Supreme Court justice John Cornyn.

The winner will face either incumbent Democrat Dan Morales or Court of Criminal Appeals judge Morris Overstreet in the November Bank profits show increase 1998 election.

Inmates' families want advocate Families of state inmates urged Gov. George W. Bush last week to appoint a prisoners' advocate to the

nal Justice, which has an opening.

The cry came after print and --- for the first half of 1997. broadcast reports turned the nation's attention to a videotaped incident last. year in the Brazoria County Jail, in which guards allegedly abused inmates. The inmates were being housed under a contract between Brazoria County and the state of Mis-

No Texas inmates and state prison employees were involved in the inci-

Ray Sullivan, a spokesman for Gov. Bush, said the governor will look into the matter.

State Farm will pay up

State Farm Insurance last week announced it will pay for foundation damage caused by leaking water or sewer pipes, even though the company considers those losses "not covered" in the standard homeowners

The announcement came a week after State Farm said it would ignore an order from Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer to cover such

Bomer ordered the company to honor claims after the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals held that State Farm did not have to pay.

percent --- for a total of \$118 billion ters training

Banks in Texas are in 'a period of historic loan demand again, something we haven't seen since probably the early '80s," Chris Williston, president of the Independent Bankers Association of Texas, told the American-Statesman

More state troopers promised

More state troopers will patrol Texas highways during the next 18 months, the head of the Public Safety Commission said last week.

Chairman James B. Francis said he outlined the plan to Gov. Bush after state auditors blamed the shortage of troopers on the DPS spending money ear marked for new officers on other things.

Francis said plans are under way to put more than 100 additional troopers on state highways during the next 18 months.

Other Capital Highlights

· Paul Hobby, a Houston businessman and son of former Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, has declared his candidacy for the office of state comptroller. The 37-year-old is the first candidate to officially announce for the post being vacated by fellow Democrat John Sharp, who is running for lieutenant governor.

• The State Board of Educator The Federal Reserve Bank in Certification is looking into whether Dallas reported last week that as of state law allows it to conduct crimi-June 30 Texas bank profits were up nal history checks on student teach-11 percent over the first half of 1996. ers in training. John Cole, president Officials attributed the difference of the Texas Federation of Teachers, to an increase in loan volume. For said it would be better to conduct the Texas' 872 banks, loans were up 6.3 checks before a student teacher en-

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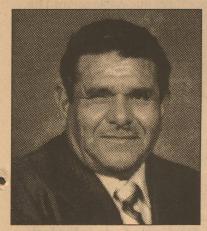
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# Our Sympathy

Olegario Gauna



ELDORADO --- Olegario D.

Catholic Church with burial follow- numerous grandchildren.

ing in Eldorado Cemetery. Arrangements were by Kerbow Funeral

He was born March 6, 1925, in Alice and had been a longtime resident of Eldorado. He was a sheepshearer and a Catholic.

Survivors include his wife, Eugenia Tijerina of Eldorado; two sons, Lee Guana and Olegario Gauna Jr.; two stepsons, Joseph Tijerina and Alfonso Tijerina; three daughters, Juanita Flores, Anna Gauna and Susie Gauna; three stepdaughters, Lupe Arispe, Estella Gauna, 72, of Eldorado died Fri- Grimes and Virginia Barron; two day, Sept. 5, 1997, in a San Angelo brothers, Juanillo Gauna and Manuel Gauna; four sisters, Luz Services were held Monday, Aguilar, Paula Arispe, Prudencia Sept. 8, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Belman and Juanita Gallegos; and

#### **FBC Senior Ambassadors news**

First Baptist Church Senior dish, and the meal was delicious. Ambassadors met Monday night, of months due to the summer slump.

When the Galveston Tour took eryone brought a complimentary place on several subjects.

Kennith Richardson led the place, several men went deep sea prayer and called the business meet-

## 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:

On behalf of the administrators, ticipating the need to recruit a new employees, physicians, and volun- medical staff. teers of Columbia Medical Center of San Angelo, I want to take the the Schleicher County Family opportunity relate some very posi- Clinic for seven of the past eight tive news regarding the partnership months, offering both consistency with our hospital and the Schleicher in staffing and a high level of qual-County Hospital District.

have worked to fulfill our commit-permanent physician -- one who will Schleicher County Family Clinic is nity. staffed from 8 a m. to 5 p.m. Monwe had intended and which was re- locate to a larger community quested by the board of directors

cillary services has positively im- gether to resolve this single outpacted the bottom line by more than standing issue of our management \$50,000 since the execution of the agreement. We are eager to continue contract. Also, outpatient volume to assist SCMC m providing the has increased by more than 500 very best healthcare for all residents patients per year which demon- of Schleicher County strates our commitment to enhancing the level of patient care provided in Eldorado, and not to unnecessarily require patients to travel to San Angelo. In addition, the yearly anagement fee charged by Columbia Medical Center of San Angelo has saved the Schleicher County Medical Center more than \$200,000, thereby reducing the financial burden placed on local taxpayers

There is, however, one outstanding issue that we are committed to resolving as timely as possible. We are equally frustrated by the fact that a permanent physician has not been found to practice in the Schleicher County Family Clinic. When we initiated the management contract -- after being invited to do so by the Schleicher County Medical Center Board of Directors -- we had hoped there might have been a smoother transition We had planned for the Clinic's medical staff to remain in place to meet the healthcare needs of Eldorado and Schleicher

Pastor Andy Anderson offered September 15, 1997 for their reguthanks. There were 38 in attendance lar meeting, after missing a couple and guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer of Roanoke, Louisana.

fishing, and they shared their catch ing to order. A report was given on with the bunch, with a fish fry. Ev- Kathy Brewer and discussion took

County residents. We were not an-

Dr. Lazar Jovanovic has staffed ity care. However, we have dedising at Getsemani Under the management contract cated a substantial amount of rewhich was initiated last fall, we sources and time in searching for a ment to provide high quality, cost- provide quality patient care and who

day through Friday and the emer- with at least 12 national physician Getsemani. gency room at Schleicher County recruiting firms -- at substantial Medical Center is operating 24 expense to locate the right person. Eldorado on Friday afternoon doing hours a day Also, we are providing These recruiting firms specialize m volunteer work at Templo Getsemani staff coverage coverage for the physician placement. In doing so, Schleicher County Nursing Center we have reviewed 24 applicants and have retained all ancillary ser- who have either not met our quality vices at the medical center, which standards or who have chosen to re-

We welcome your comments Revenue generated from the an- and suggestions as we work to-

> Sincerely, Greg Angle Chief Executive Officer

Lots of pretty girls —

EHS Homecoming Queen Ashlie Whitten (far left) and her court (L-R) senior Madolyn Joy, senior Andie Sterling, junior Angela Ballew, sophomore Evelyn Quintana and freshman Vanessa Gonzalez



## **Blood drive to benefit Nixon**

HouseCalls Home Health will the name of any medication they are sponsor a replacement blood drive currently taking. A donor must be Tuesday, Sept. 30, at the Memorial between the ages of 17 and 79, must Building for Eldorado resident weigh at least 110 pounds, and feel Farris Nixon, Nixon is currently in well and healthy at the time of doa San Antonio hospital recuperat- nation ing from complications following heart bypass surgery. Nixon received several units of blood follow- volunteer blood donors to make sure ing his surgery.

United Blood Services of San supply on hand when it's needed. Angelo will conduct the blood drive, which will be held from 10:00 a.m. ing blood or the upcoming blood until 2:00 p.m.

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. Because this is a replacement drive, the hours of the mobile could be extended to accommodate a large number of donors. However, hours and staffing cannot be adjusted without knowing how many donors will participate, so appointments are particularly

Donors are also asked to know

# Youth Group to

Templo Getsemani will host Templo Bethesda Youth Group from San Antonio on Saturday, September 20, 1997. The youth group will hold a effective healthcare to the residents will become an active member and Puppet Show at 12:00 noon and a of Eldorado. For example, the supporter of the Eldorado commuyoung and old at 6:00 p.m. Both pro-For instance, we have worked grams will be held at Templo

> The youth group will arrive in and will be handing out flyers at the Sonora game inviting everyone to their program on Saturday.

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## Eagles swat Yellowjackets

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ball on the Yellowjackets. With 6:13 point to move the score to 20-9. remaining before the half, quarterfor a 24-yard touchdown. Cory Reeves toed the ball through the uppoints.

On Menard's next possession, Eldorado 27, Menard 9. Eagles defender Armando Villavicencio knocked the ball free. try failed and the Eagles led 13-9.

That score would stand until the an excellent effort.' 4th quarter when, with 8:40 left to Menard punt. As Mitchel ran right, drawing the swarming Yellowjacket defense with him, he handed the ball to Garrett Bownds who was sprintnear mid-field, cut right and leaped

endzone. Reeves added the extra-

The Eagles stingy defense held on back Casey Snelson lofted a pass to Menard's next possession, forcing a Kyle Hunter who hauled the ball in punt. The Eagles drove to the Yellowjacket 33-yard line where Mark Fryar broke free and sprinted rights to pull the Eagles within two into the endzone. Reeves again added the extra-point to make the final score

Following the game Coach Jim Fryar talked about his team's unwill-The pigskin was scooped up by line- ingness to quit. "For the second backer Mark Fryar who sprinted 60- straight week we got behind early and yards for a TD. Reeves' extra-point we didn't give up." said Fryar. "They didn't panic and fought back. It was

Statistically, the game was a play, Lance Mitchel received a pretty even affair. Eldorado rushed for 162 yards while Menard managed 130. The Eagles gained 76 yards through the air while the Yellowjackets picked up 63. ing in the opposite direction. Bownds Eldorado's 11 first downs compare ran through two would-be tackles with Menard's 9. However, Eldorado's defense forced Menard to over another tackler at the Menard punt 7 times while the Eagles offense 23-yard line before rumbling into the only had to boot the ball three times.

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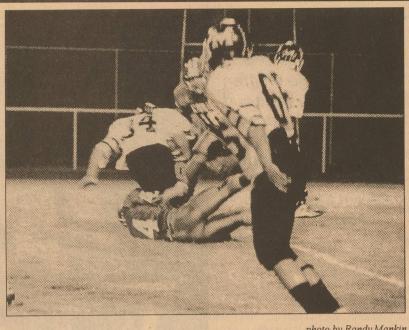
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Crunch time — Casey Poynor and Wade Dakan invade Menard's backfield during last Friday night's 27-9 win over the Yellowjackets.

Quarterback Casey Snelson was 5 of 11 passing for 75-yards and a receiving. Garrett Bownds controlled for a TD. things on the ground for the Eagles, yards for a TD.

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Mark Fryar caught a pass for 20yards and rushed the ball twice for TD. Kyle Hunter caught that pass 40 yards and a TD. Fryar also recov- 27 (Rodriquez, Sauer, Lively, Wolfe, and one other for a total of 38-yards ered a fumble and returned it 60 yards

Zach Steele caught one pass for notching up 114 yards rushing on 13 11-yards. Jason Richters had recepcarries. He also returned a punt 60- tion for 6-yards. Lance Mitchel carried the ball six times for 19-yards and Chad Williams had three carries for 14-yards.

Defensively, Mark Fryar tallied 17 tackles, Casey Poynor 16 tackles, Randy Spears 13 tackles. Zach Steele counted for 9 tackles and a deflected pass. Lance Mitchel tallied 13 tackles and a forced fumble. Armando Villavicencio had 8 tackles and 2 forced fumbles. Garrett Bownds notched up 10 tackles. Kyle Hunters recorded 8 tackles and an interception. Jason Richters added 4 tackles, 1 forced fumble, 1 fumble recovery and a deflected pass. Dusty Nolen and Tony Martinez had 5 tackles each.

"It was good to see Wade Dakan coming back from knee surgery so soon and getting in on 4 tackles," Fryar told the Success.

This week the Eagles travel to Sonora. "We are Sonora's homecoming game and it should be another fine matchup," Fryar said.

## **Cross-Country results listed**

Eula August 30, 1997

Varsity Girls - Hanna Wolfe 26th (15:28), Anna Loomis 45th (16:03), Nancy Cawley 62nd (16:56), Sarah

Wolfe 73rd (17:53). Varsity Boys - Joseph Wink 1st (18:21), Sammy Cabrera 2nd (18:21), Juan Sanchez 4th (18:50), Anthony Pina 9th (19:47), Edward Elias 13th (19:55), Joey Bullard 19th, Jimmy rah Wolfe 16th; Nancy Cawley 15. Aguilar 23rd.

Marcelina Martinez 9th.

Rocksprings (corrected list) September 6, 1997

Varsity Girls Hanna Wolfe rah Wolfe (17:04); Ashley Barton

JV Boys Jimmy Aguilar (19:46); Johnny Lee Arispe (20:54); Marcellino Martinez (21:32).

8th Grade Girls - Placed 1st Score and Grey) Individual Times: Hallie Greer (15:21); Jennifer Rodriquez 86th. (15:52); Courtney Sauer (16:03); Martha Lively (16:23); Leah Wolfe (16:43); Rachael Grey (18:01); Misty Martinez (18:02); Jessica Sparks (18:04); Lilly Vallejo (18:05); Lora Warren (22:45); Liza Sanchez (22:53).

Jim Ned Saturday, September 13, 1997.

team total of 34. Eula placed 2nd with 21st; Bobby Phillips, 23rd.

a total of 53 and Hawley placed 3rd with a team total of 97. Hawley is the defending Regional champ and State

runner up. Varsity Boys individual - Sammy Cabrera 2nd; Juan Sanchez 5th; Daniel Mata 6th; Anthony Pina 11th;

Joseph Wink 12th; Victor Mata 13; and Edward Elias 18th. JV Girls - Anna Loomis 8th; Sa-

JV Boys - Joey Bullard, Johnny JV Boys - Johnny Lee Arispe 2nd, Lee Arispe, Jimmy Aguilar, Kenny Covarrubiaz.

> 8th Grade Girl/Boy-Girls Hallie Greer 10th; Boys - Leonel Medrano

7th Grade Girls - Placed 1st with (14:49); Anna Loomis (15:54); Sa- a team total of 66. 2nd - Anson 88, 3rd - Eula 90, Tie 4th - Hawley 115 and Baird 115.

7th Grade Girls individual -Courtney Sauer, 5th; Jennifer Rodriguez, 6th; Martha Lively, 15th; Leah Wolfe, 16th; Rachel Grey, 24th; Lilly Vallejo, 25th; Lora Warren, 37; Misty Martinez, 42; Liza Sanchez,

7th Grade Boys - 7th Grade Boys placed 1st with a team total of 49. 2nd Stamford, 50; 3rd Anson, 73; 3rd Hawley, 99; 4th Eula, 105.

7th Grade Boys Individual -Nathanel Wolfe, 2nd; Ryan Adame, 10th; Quisto Gonzalez, 11th; Pedro Hernandez, 12th; Buddy Greer, 14th; Varsity Boys - Placed 1st with Landon Nixon, 17th; Ray Buitron,



photo by Randy Mankin

Oh no you don't — 8th grade Eagles defender #10 Johnny Herrera holds on to a Menard player's jersey as teammates charge to the ball.

## 8th grade Eagles fall to Menard

Leonel Medrano scored Eldorado's the Yellowjackets the ball. They drove run against Menard's 8th grade last game out of reach. week as the Eagles lost 6-20. A 25 yard touchdown pass from Johnny Herrera Herrera, Tony Fay, Leonel Medrano

only points on a 45 yard touchdown 80-yards and scored at TD to put the Wanoreck praised the play Johnny

to Tony Fay was called back because and Luis Enriquez. On the defensive side of the ball Wanoreck noted Scott Following the game Coach Bob Homer, Cole Pina, Ismael Snachez, Wanoreck said he felt his team was Chance Behrens and Wes Jones. The still in the game with 1:30 left to play Middle School Eagles travel to Sonora when a fumble at Menard's 20 gave this afternoon to take on the Broncos.



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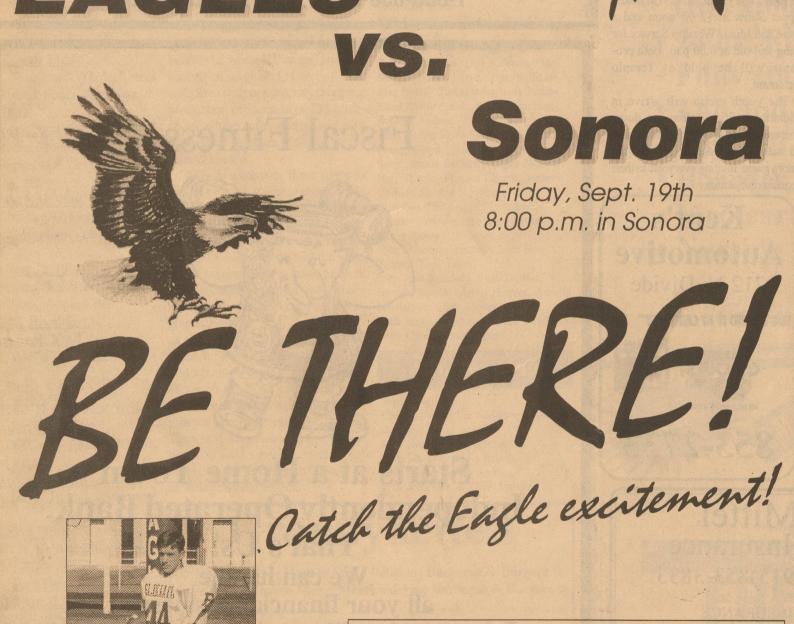
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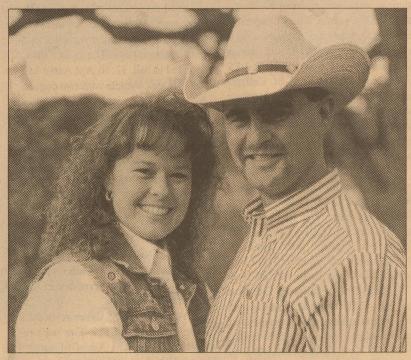


Casey Poynor Mighty Eagle of the Week

Sophomore defensive back Casey Poynor tallied five solo tackles in Menard's backfield and sixteen tackles overall and was a major factor in the Eagles 27-9 win over the Yellowjackets last Friday night.

Date	Time	Opponent	Flace
9/5	8:00 p.m.	Junction	34-14
9/12	8:00 p.m.	Menard (Homecoming)	27-9
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
* Denotes Dist 8-2A Game			

## Marshall-Criswell are wed



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and Richard A. Marshall, Sr. of Degree in Animal Science. Austin.

and Mrs. Donnie Criswell of Mason, Texas.

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The bride and the groom are both graduates of Texas Tech Uni-The bride is the daughter of Jane versity of Lubbodk with Bachelors

The groom is the son of Mr. Maui, Hawaii they will reside in strong.

## Kick, Punt, Pass & results

Saturday, Sept. 13th fifty-one could kick, punt and pass a football. Winners in the various age divisions are listed below.

Blaine Markell (100'); 2nd David Ricky Jalomo. Tirado (89'); 3rd Garrett Lux (59'). Franciso Trujillo, Robert Chavez, Neal (187.5'); 3rd Ryan Cathey Juan Medrano, Wes Brown, group were Michael Ballew, Victoria Garza, Austin Aguilar, Michael Hill, Ram Buitron, Shay Daniels.

7-9 Year Old Division - 1st boys and girls of all ages showed Marcos Hernandez (158'); 2nd up at Eagle Stadium. There, they Adam Dominguez (141'); 3rd competed to see just how far they Russell Cathey (125'). Participating in this age group were Marcus Hinojosa, Manny Gonzalez, Drew Bosmans, J-Lynn Barajas, Josh 0-3 Year Old Division - 1st Aus- Radetsky, Logan Jones, Caleb tin Barajas (45'); 2nd Abby Renee Daniels, Matthew Hill, Armando Fuentes (18'); 3rd Macy Mikeska. Moreno, Jorge Chavez, Rance (9'). Partcipating in this age group Cathey, Michael Redish, Jorge were Stefan Barajas and Tristen Mata, J.P. Joiner, Patrick Chavez, Andrew Gonzales, Josue Chavez, 4-6 Year Old Division - 1st Jaaron Crawford, Chris Chavez,

10-12 Year Old Division - 1st Partcipating in this age group were Trey Chavez (191'); 2nd Logan Miles Mikeska, Austin Whitten, (167.5'). Participating in this age Briley Ledbetter and Colten Parker, Juan Chavez, Jr., Jose Hernandez, and Coy Cook



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Ol' Eagle eye — Eldorado Eagles mascot Sabrina Samuels takes a moment from her duties to watch some of the action during the homecoming victory over Menard last Friday night.

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## Eagles JV falls 6-15 to Menard

Menard by one point in the fourth lied a 40 yard run. quarter. That's when the The final score was 6-15.

Quarterback Joey Bullard con-stated. nected with Kenny Covarrubiaz on Louis Santellano notched up a 45 dium tonight.

The Eldorado Eagles JV trailed yard run and William Robledo tal-

Coach Alan Gillespie said af-Yellowjackets returned a punt for ter the game that his players needed a TD and added a 2-point conver- to play with more intesity. "That sion to put the game out of reach. will be our focus this week as we prepare to play Sonora." Gillespie

The Eagles JV is 1-1 on the a 55-yard TD pass to provide the young season and will host the Eagles only score. On the ground, Sonora Broncos JV in Eagle Sta-

## 7th grade Eagles fall to Menard Yellowjackets

The Eldorado Eagles 7th grade football squad took on Menard's 7th graders last week and lost 16-28. It was the first game for Coach Benny Lockhart's team who scrimmaged a week earlier.

'We had a slow start," Lockhart Following their wedding in said after the game, "but we finished

> counted for both Eagles touchdowns. Ryan Adame trapped a Menard player in the endzone to score a safety

On defense, the 7th grade Eagles were led by the determined play of Nathanael Wolfe.

"We're going to have to improve," Lockhart said after the game. "We're traveling to Sonora this week and can expect them to play us tough.



photo by Kathy Mankin

half-time show last Friday night.



**Ashton Strait Pridemore** 

## It's a Boy!

Ashton Strait Pridemore arrived Quarterback Quisto Gonzalez on September 6, 1997 weighing 7 lbs and 10ozs. and 181/2" in length.

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Maternal grandparents are Ray and Jean Jacoby of Junction and Tomasyne Crumbley of Tupelo, Mississippi.

Paternal grandparents are Gary and Judy Pridemore of Ozona.

Great-grandparents are June Jones and Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Pridemore of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanusch of Christoval.

## It's a Girl!

Kyle and Kaci Hunter are the proud parents of Kaylee Beth, born September 15, 1997 weighing 9 lbs. ½ ozs. and 20 ¾ in

Grandparents are Norman and A one and a two — Drum major Kathy Kohls and Tommy and Mary Adame directs the Eagle Melinda Hunley of Eldorado and band during the Homecoming Rodney Hunter of Santa Fe,

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Journalism students are curbe writing articles for the newspa- rently working on profiles of new teachers, a story about Homecom-Randy Mankin, publisher of the ing week and other topics. Look for Success, said he is looking forward their work beginning next week in

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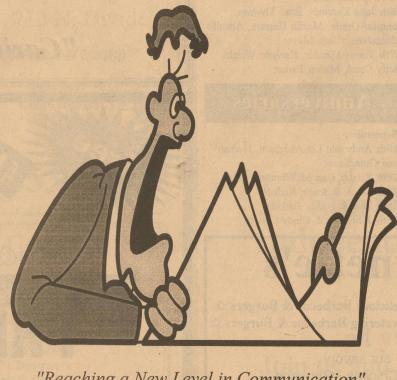
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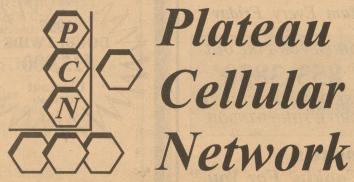
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# September

The residential Pride Spots for the month of September are Beatrice Martinez, 205 Del Rio and Penny and Sam Whitten, Jr. 604 N "We compared grain production Divide. Congratulations to these

## **Birthdays**

years (1958-1978 and 1986-1996) 18th Kirk Curtis

Linda Conner

20th Tevyn Thomas, Miguel Lozano, Shawn Goodrum, Don Richters, Mitzi Sessom, Susan Lloyd, Dean Williams 22nd Shelly Speck, Tammy Gardner,

els of wheat (nine crops) and 524 23rd Vernia Joyce Green, Stacie Olivan, bushels of sorghum (16 crops), the Cathy Niblett, Tina Gazaway, Clayton Sauer, Stacie Saldivar, Taylor Niblett, "There were only three times in Hal Whitten, Frances Lipsett, Melanie the 32 years that wheat crops could Corbell, Skeeter Roubison

Mondee Whitten, Rozanna Sauer, Dylon Riojas

Cawley, Terry Dacy

of the second crop in back to back tained with annual cropping of sor- Montalvao, Clark Meyer 27th Travis Meador, Kaelyne Wright,

September 18th Andy and Liz Anderson, Hyman and Gina Sauer

20th Rita & Dan McWhorter 25th Mack & Angie Redish 26th Dan & Nancy Jenkins,

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Office and reported that there was loose

of livestock notified and minor accident

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Person - Caller reported a suspicious per-

son outside of business. Officer responded

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9/9/97 4:23 PM Caller reported a fire

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#### A long-term study by scientists ghum to evaluate the potential of opportunity cropping." said Reggie Jones, USDA-ARS soil scientist. With the opportunity system,

fixed three-year wheat-sorghum-fal-

low rotation." Jones said. "The av-

erage annual precipitation for the 32

Cumulative 32-year production

on the fixed WSF system was 193

bushels of wheat (10 crops) and 463

production production of 135 bush-

were 10 times that sorghum could

be repeated," Jones said. "We as-

sumed in this analysis that the yield

planting was the same as was ob-

scientists said.

ghum or wheat."

Service cropping field laboratory here shows that a fixed wheat-fallow-sorghum rotation is preferable explained Jones and USDA-ARS to an "opportunity" cropping sysbiometrician Thomas Popham, the same crop--wheat or sorghum--is planted back to back is the soil is "We used 32 years of historical soil water and yield data from wet to a depth of three feet at plantstubble mulch tillage on wheat-soring. Moisture depth is determined **Pride Spots** ghum-fallow (WSF) and continuous with a soil probel. If not sufficiently

rotation best on dryland

annual cropping of wheat and sor- moist, the land is fallowed and

at the USDA-Agricultural Research

#### School Lunch Menu

#### Cafeteria Line

Monday, Sept. 22nd Chalupas/Beans & Cheese, Spanish

Rice, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, was 18.5 inches. Sliced Peaches, White Cake/Choc. Icing.

Tuesday, Sept 23rd

Meat & Macaroni, Whole Kernel bushels of sorghum (11 crops). This Corn, Sliced Pears, Cornbread, compares with opportunity cropping 21st Danny Curtis, Rosa Irene Robles Lemon Bars.

Wednesday, Sept 24th Sausage Pizza, Pinto Beans, Tossed

Salad, Vegetable Sticks/Dip, Yellow Cake/Choc. Icing. Thursday, Sept 25th

Fried Chicken/Gravy, Creamed

Potatoes, English Peas, Cherry Cobbler. Friday, Sept. 26th

Barbecue on a Bun, Tater Tots, Dill Pickles Slices, Apple Crisp.

Breakfast Monday, Sept. 22nd

Peaches, Waffle Stix/Syrup, Peanut Tuesday, Sept 23rd

Mixed Fruit, Hot Oatmeal/Toast Wednesday, Sept. 24th Sliced Peaches, Cheese Toast, **Buttered Rice** 

Thursday, Sept. 25th Orange Juice, Biscuits/Sausage/

Jelly Friday, Sept. 26th Apple Slices, Bran Muffins, Choice of Cereal.

Fast Food Line Monday, Sept. 22nd Fish Sandwiches, French Fries,

Tartar Sauce, Lettuce, White Cake/ Choc. Icing Tuesday, Sept 23rd Cheese Pizza, French Fries, Sliced

Pears, Lemon Bars Wednesday, Sept.24th Hero Sandwiches, French Fries,

Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Yellow Cake/Choc. Icing

Thursday, Sept. 25th Chick Burgers, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Cherry

Cobbler Friday, Sept. 26th Same as Cafeteria Line fixed WSF rotation is preferable to opportunity cropping "due to greater yields on the WSF crops and a re-

duced number of crops harvests, thus reducing (harvesting) expense." They said adoption of a fixed rotation also allows a wider spectrum of herbicide use for reduced tillage or no-tillage management.

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September

19th Florence Williams, Chad Storie,

Jennifer Nixon

be planted back to back, but there 24th Lee Ann Lamb, Travis Lively,

25th Maureen Martinez, John Ben

26th Jana Kennedy, Brad Thomas, Jennifer Grelle, Martin Herrera, Arnulfo The scientists concluded that a Betty Creel, Mason Parker

#### Anniversaries

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9/10/97 9:44 AM Caller reported that a grass fire had started back up on Hulldale Road. Volunteer Fire Department responded. 8:35 PM Suspicious Person - A suspicious person was reported on Villiage Lane. 4:02 PM Loose Livestock - Caller reported livestock loose on Hwy 190. Owner was contacted. 7:31 PM Assist Motorist - Unlock vehicle. 7:48 PM Unknown female caller claiming to be a sister of male prisoner accused jailer of refusing her brother medical care. Jailer told female caller that Sheriff's Office was not refusing him medical care and that the prisoner's problem was not life threaten- Schleicher Medical Center. 2:28 PM Fire ing and he would not be taken to the E.R. Jailer told female caller that she needed to make payment arrangements with the hospital, and the Sheriff's Office would then make an appointment and take male subject to hospital at that time. Female caller had talked to her attorney and said that the Sheriff's Office could not do that. Jailer requested name and number of requested an officer. 11:55 AM Report of caller several times. All the female com- a grass fire on Hwy 915. Fire units were plainant would say was that the Sheriff's dispatched. 3:51 PM Assist Motorist -Office would not take male subject to hos- Unlock Vehicle. pital because of who he was. She then hung up the phone. Jailer noted person was their daughter is missing. Daughter last very rude.

ported a hitch-hiker on North Divide

Love,

Mom & Dad

confirmed that they had not purchased a permit. Vehicle descriptions and license plate numbers were given to officer. 5:35 PM Larceny Theft on Lea St. Call requested an officer to report a theft at their residence. Officer responded to call. 9:22 PM Loose Livestock - caller reported a white charlay calf was on Hwy 277 North.

Owner contacted. 9/12/97 9:00 AM Control Burn was reported to Sheriff's Office in Reynolds Community. 12:52 PM Caller requested an ambulance for mother. EMS was dispatched to location. Officer also responded and female patient was taken to reported on County Road 198 off Hwy 2129. 12:58 PM Disturbance Eldorado Place Apts.- caller reported that music was being played to loud. Officer responded and notified party of lowering the music.

9/13/97 10:45 AM Criminal Mischief Caller reported that their vehicle had been scratched possibly with a key and

9/14/97 8:11 AM Caller reported that seen 9/13/97 about 12:00 PM. Female is 9/11/97 11:00 AM Officer was dis- 5 feet, brown eyes, brown hair. Last seen patched to local business in reference to a wearing night clothes. Mother stated that an unsecured door. 11:00 AM Caller re- she had just taken a bath and was going to bed. 8:41 AM Criminal Mischief

ruined. 10:54 PM Caller reported finding a females bike on Dorris St. Officer responded to call. 11:16 AM Assist Motorist - Unlock Vehicle with two dogs inside. 12:18 PM Assist Motorist - Unlock Vehicle. 2:45 PM Report of a reckless driver south bound on Hwy 277 North. Officer responded to call. 4:00 PM Possible drunk driver heading North on Hwy 277. Officer located vehicle and reported back that the driver did not appear to be drunk. 8:16 PM Assist Motorist - Caller reported a vehicle parked on the shoulder of the road close to the white line.

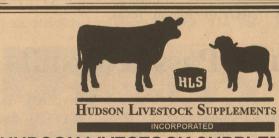
9/15/97 9:10 AM Assist Motorist -Unlock Vehicle. 6:00 PM Caller reported two Pit Bull dogs by their residence. Animal Control was called.

9/16/97 9:15 AM Caller reported a fire on County Road 312. Fire units responded. 10:30 AM Assist Motorist -Unlock Vehicle

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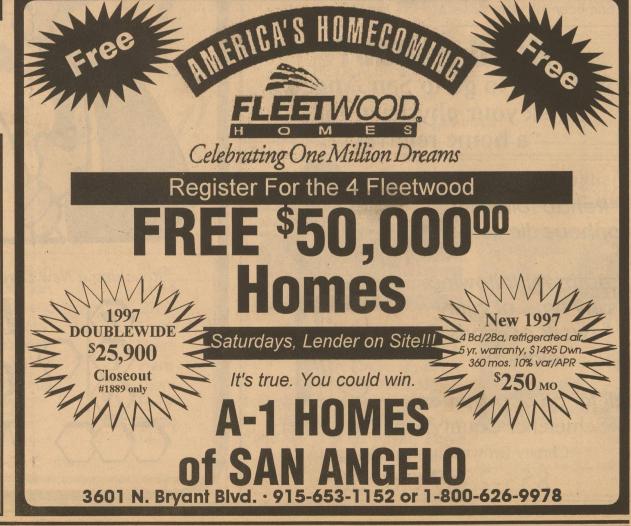
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From all the Family of Mr. Olegario Guana,

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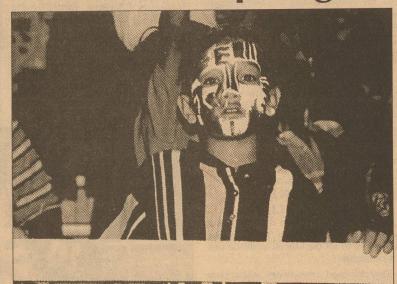
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more information contact Monty Price

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#### CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 4, 1997

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 1** ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 36 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow a person to hold the position of municipal judge in more than one municipality.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow a person who holds the office of municipal court judge to hold at the same time more than one civil office for which the person receives compensation.'

#### PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 43 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to limit the maximum annual increase in homestead appraisals for each year since the most recent tax appraisal. The amendment would also permit the legislature to allow the governing body of a school district to elect to apply the law providing for the transfer of the age-65and-older school property tax freeze to the person's new homestead, if the move to the new residence homestead occurred before the law took effect.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the Legislature to limit increases in the appraised value of residence homesteads for ad valorem taxation and to permit a school district to calculate the school property tax freeze applicable to the residence homestead of an elderly person or the surviving spouse of an elderly person in accordance with the law authorizing the transfer of the school property tax freeze to a different homestead regardless of whether that law was in effect at the time the person established the person's homestead.

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 3** ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 45 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to authorize counties, cities, towns, and other local taxing entities to grant exemptions or other forms of ad valorem tax relief on property on which approved water conservation initiatives have been implemented.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to permit a taxing unit to grant an exemption or other relief from ad valorem taxes on property on which a water conservation initiative has been implemented."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 104 proposes an amendment to update the Texas Constitution by deleting duplicate numbering in its provisions and removing certain of its ob-

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment eliminating duplicate numbering in and certain obsolete provisions of the Texas

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 5** ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 19 proposes an amendment to allow the Supreme Court of Texas to hold sessions at any location in this state. Currently, the court is limited to holding sessions only at Austin, the seat of state government.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the supreme court to sit to transact business at any location in

#### PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 39 proposes a constitutional amendment to repeal the current provision which provides that the board of the Texas Growth Fund may not invest money in a business unless the business has disclosed to the board whether it has any direct financial investment in or with South Africa or Namibia.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment allowing the Texas growth fund to continue to invest in businesses without requiring those businesses to disclose investments in South Africa or Namibia."

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 7** ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 17 proposes a constitutional amendment to create the Texas Water Development Fund II as a fund separate and distinct from the Texas Water Development Fund. The amendment would authorize the Texas Water Development Board to administer the fund and issue general obligation bonds for purposes of the fund under guidelines set forth in the amendment.

The amendment would also allow the Board to use loan repayments coming into the fund after the end of the fiscal year to make bond debt service payments, and would provide certain conditions for the flow of funds for repayment of Texas agricultural water conservation bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment relating to the authorization to the Texas Water Development Board to transfer existing bond authorizations for water

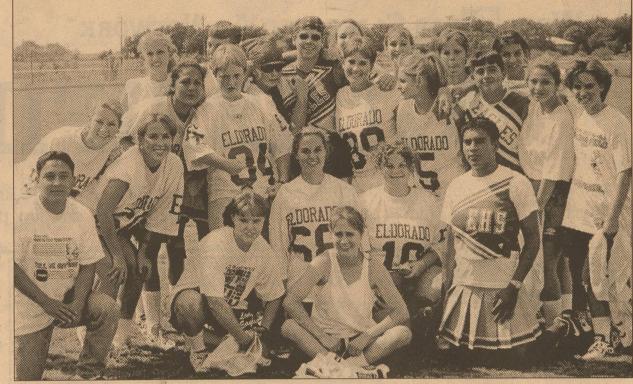
#### Eldorado fire fighters to attend gathering in Llano

Firemen from across West Texas and the Hill Country will gather in Llano this weekend to express their appreciation to State Rep. Bob Turner. Several Eldorado firemen plan to be in attendance.

During the last session of the State Legislature, Turner sponsored a bill which made surplus fire fighting equipment from large corporations more accessible to volunteer fire departments.

Previously, corporations and other non-governmental organizations were hesitant to donate their surplus equipment due to liability concerns. Turner's bill lifts the burden of liability from those donors.

A day-long affair is being planned to honor Turner at Llano's fire hall. It's timing coincides with Turner's announcement for reelec-



What's wrong with this picture? Nothing really, only girls in football uniforms and boys in cheerleading outfits. But it was all in fun as EHS students participated in a Powder Puff Football game last week. The game was just one of the many activities that made up a very busy Homecoming week. Who won? Who cares?! It was a lot of fun to watch!

## 17 years later, Margy Palm's story remains a thriller

the Devil's River News and San Antonio, Morin had raped and is reprinted here with killed one girl, shot and killed anpermission.

By Paul Cornelius, Minister of Music and Youth First Baptist Church, Sonora

A few Sundays ago, people up and down your spine. Margy rapes and murders of women God's strength. Later in the day

supply, water quality, flood control, or

state participation from one category

of use to another category to maximize

the use of existing funds and relating

to more efficient operation of the bond

**PROPOSITION NO. 8** 

ON THE BALLOT

constitutional amendment which would

authorize home equity lending, in which a

loan could be secured by a lien against the

borrower's homestead. The amendment

would also establish several provisions

providing for consumer protection in the

The proposed amendment will appear

"The amendment to the Texas Consti-

tution expanding the types of liens for

home equity loans that a lender, with

the homeowner's consent, may place

**PROPOSITION NO. 9** 

ON THE BALLOT

constitutional amendment that would au-

thorize the legislature to authorize a prop-

erty tax of five cents for each \$100 valua-

tion in rural fire prevention districts which

are located in Harris County. The consti-

tution currently authorizes a property tax

of three cents for each \$100 valuation in

rural fire prevention districts regardless of

The proposed amendment will appear

"The constitutional amendment to au-

thorize the legislature to authorize an

ad valorem tax rate in rural fire pre-

vention districts located in Harris

County of five cents on each \$100 of

**PROPOSITION NO. 10** 

ON THE BALLOT

constitutional amendment to permanently

dedicate monies from the Texas Crime

Victims' Compensation Fund (and its aux-

iliary fund) so that they are used only for

assisting victims of crime and not for any

other purpose. If an episode of mass vio-

lence occurred, however, money from the

funds could be used to assist victims of

the mass violence if all other sources of

authorized emergency assistance were de-

The proposed amendment will appear

"The constitutional amendment desig-

nating the purposes for which money

in the compensation to victims of

crime fund and the compensation to

victims of crime auxiliary fund may

**PROPOSITION NO. 11** 

ON THE BALLOT

constitutional amendment to prohibit the

Legislature from authorizing additional

state debt payable from the general rev-

enue fund if the resulting annual debt ser-

vice (the amount needed each year to

make payments) would exceed five per-

cent of the annual general revenue avail

House Joint Resolution 59 proposes a

Senate Joint Resolution 33 proposes a

House Joint Resolution 96 proposes a

home equity lending process

on the ballot as follows:

against a homestead.'

what county they are in.

on the ballot as follows:

taxable value of property."

tim, or so he thought.

drove from as far away as San nio K-Mart, Morin waited to stalk even moved. It was then that God Angelo to First Baptist Church in his next victim while helicopters gave Margy the strength she Sonora. Their drive was rewarded circled about the city looking for needed to have no fear in this cirwith a story that would send chills him. It was there that an unsuspecting Margy Palm would be ab-Palm, a former Sun Queen, came ducted. That morning, however, to Sonora to share her story of be- Margy had already been preparing abducted by serial rapist and ing for this unanticipated meeting killer, Stephen Peter Morin. with Morin. She had spent a great Morin, also known as The Drifter, deal of time in prayer and Bible had been wanted for a string of study as she sensed the need for

> able over the last three fiscal years, excated for purposes other than payment of

by the full faith and credit of the state, are

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

from the general revenue fund.

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 12** ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 55 proposes a constitutional amendment to provide that if the Texas Supreme Court does not act on a motion for a rehearing within 180 days of the motion's filing, the motion is denied.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows

"The constitutional amendment to establish a deadline for supreme court action on a motion for rehearing.'

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 13** ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 8 proposes a constitutional amendment to establish the Texas Tomorrow trust fund dedicated exclusively to the prepayment of tuition and fees for higher education. The amendment would guarantee that if there is not enough money during any fiscal year to pay the appropriate tuition and required fees, the needed money will be appropriated out of the first available money coming into the state treasury each fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to encourage persons to plan and save for young Texans' college education, to extend the full faith and credit of the state to protect the Texas tomorrow fund of the prepaid higher education tuition program, and to establish the Texas tomorrow fund as a constitutionally protected trust fund.

#### **PROPOSITION NO. 14** ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 83 proposes a constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to set the official qualifications

The proposed amendment will appear

"The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to prescribe the qualifications of constables.'

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 4 de noviembre de 1997. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llama al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711.

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would be.

Morin pulled out a large hand other and had left another tied up gun and placed it in the side of in a hotel room. Little did Margy Margy forcing her into her car Palm know that on the next day while telling her to sit down and she was to be his next planned vic- place her hands under her legs. He warned her that he had killed and For three hours at a San Anto- had no problem killing again if she cumstance and that He was in control, not Morin. She then informed Morin, "I'm going to pray for you." He proceeded to curse her and disagree, but she persisted in bowing her head and praying for him. She then felt a boldness from God to take control over the demons that were controlling him. Suddenly, she would describe the situation as if a peace had settled them both in that moment.

Margy was later able to share The term "additional state debt" does with Morin of his need for Jesus not include bonds that, although backed Christ in his life and he, pulling reasonably expected to be paid from revenue sources other than the general rev- God asking for forgiveness. he was immediately changed. Margy then helped put Stephen Morin on "The constitutional amendment limit- a bus to Fort Worth, leaving him ted for space consideration. There ing the amount of state debt payable with her book of scriptures to read. is no possible way one, m other

Editors note: The following across the country. The night be- she would realize just how impor- Afterwards, Margy Palm began story ran two weeks ago in tore his meeting with Margy in tant those moments with God her trip home to her family. When arriving at home she was met by police who had been searching for her. She informed them and her family of her ordeal, later telling the police where they could find Stephen Morin. She told them to look for a man reading a little black book waiting to change buses at the terminal in Austin. Indeed, that was where he was and it was in that terminal Stephen Peter Morin turned himself in peacefully to a plainclothes police officer.

> Morin would go on to prison affecting lives, including the warden of the Huntsville Prison, in a positive way for God. He would credit this change in his life to a beautiful, blond-haired woman who was to be his next victim, but God had other things in mind. On March 13, 1985, Stephen Peter Morin would become the first criminal on death row in the state of Texas to be administered the lethal injection. Yet the story of his encounter with God through a bold little lady continues to be told.

> In writing this article, many parts of Margy's story were omitthan Margy hereself, could tell you in detail the encounter she had with Stephen Morin. The story will become available on tape soon and if you would like more information, please phone 387-2951

## **Adult education** and ESL classes

Adult Education Classes (ABE - Adult Basic Education (Reading, Writing, Arithmetic) and English as a Second Language (ESL) will start on Monday, September 22, 1997 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Classes will also be held on Tuesdays from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. All classes will be held at the Eldorado Middle School Campus.

begin Sept. 22

For more information contact Thelma Bosmam at 853-3642.



Seventh grade Eagle — Quisto Gonzalez looks for running room against the Menard Yellowjackets last week. Gonzalez scored both of Eldorado's touchdowns.

## Meals for Friends

Friday, September 19, 1997 Pork Roast/Gravy, Mashed Potatos, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Coleslaw, Carrot Cake.

Monday, September 22, 1997 Pepper Steak, Rice, Carrots, Hot Rolls, Pineapple Rings Tuesday, September 23, 1997

Chicken Fajita Salad, Lettuce Tomato Cheese, Macaroni Salad, Crackers, Cherry Perfection, Pumpkin Pie Wednesday, September 24,,1997

Frito Pie, Spinach, Wheat Bread, Salad, Tossed Cinnamon Applesauce Thursday, September 25, 1997

Barbecue Chicken, Pinto Beans, Cornbread, Potato Salad, Apricot Banana Medley Friday, September 26, 1997

Chicken Fried Steak, Baked Potato Carrots, Vegetable Salad Chocolate Cake.