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Irion County Plans Centennial

IRION COUNTY CENTENNIAL - 1889-1989

Please come join the celebration Saturday, April 15, 1989, at 5 p.m. at the Irion County Community Center in Mertzon.

The affair will begin with a Flagraising ceremony by the Boy Scouts and Ft. Concho Soldiers.

The program will consist of histories of Barnhart, Arden, Sherwood and Mertzon given by some of the "people who were there." Barbecue dinner will begin at 5:30. The cost will be \$3.00 per person.

This event is sponsored by The 48 Study Club and

the Irion County Historical Society. The attire is *olden days*.

IRION COUNTY CENTENNIAL SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 15, 1989

10:00 a.m.: Special Postal Cancellation. The U.S. Post Office in Mertzon, Tx. will have a Special Pictorial One Day Cancellation commemorating the Irion County Centennial. It will be from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. The cost is 50c for envelopes with out stamps and 75c for envelopes with stamps.

To order by mail, write to: Postmaster Centennial Station, Mertzon, Tx.

76941-9998. Requests must be received on or before April 15. Mail orders wanting the special cachet envelope, contact the Irion County Historical Society.

To order in person: bring the special cachet envelope printed by Irion County Historical Society and drawn by local artist Margaret Smith.

Members of the Concho Valley Stamp Club will be on hand on April 15 to help with the special postal cancellation. **5:00 p.m. -** Flag Raising by the Boy Scouts and Ft. Concho Soldiers - the

Eldorado Town Band will also be performing.

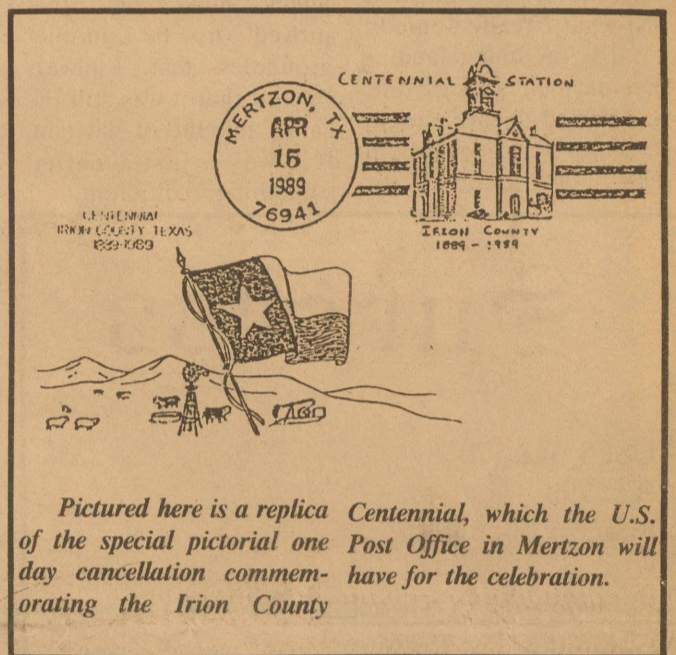
5:30 p.m. - Barbecue Dinner - \$3.00 per person

6:00 p.m. - Square Dancing

6:30 p.m. - Histories by "Wings" Students from the Irion County Public School System

7:00 p.m. - Welcome by the Irion County Judge - Jim Westfall

7:15 p.m. - Histories of Mertzon, Sherwood, Barnhart and Arden. There will be a sing-a-long provided by Scott Gilmore and friends, with music provided by Sonora Dinner Theater.



Pictured here is a replica Centennial, which the U.S. of the special pictorial one Post Office in Mertzon will day cancellation commem- have for the celebration. orating the Irion County

Bike-A-Thon Scheduled Saturday

The St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon is scheduled for this Saturday, April 8. Riders will be riding from the Hyman Sauer residence to the gate of Mrs. Doy Mittel. The Sauer residence is two blocks north of the practice football field on the Old Mertzon Highway. Look for the signs at the corner of North Street and Field Street. Long distance riders can meet at 8:30 and ride until 11:30 in order to get your 20 miles.

St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital is the largest childhood cancer research center in the world, in terms of numbers of patients and treatment successes. It was the first institution established for the sole purpose of conducting basic and clinical research in catastrophic childhood diseases. It is non-sectarian, interracial and

open to patients admitted by physician referral and whose disease is under study at the institution.

St. Jude's was founded by entertainer Danny Thomas in 1962 to eliminate catastrophic childhood diseases. Since its opening, St. Jude has treated more than 10,000 children from 39 states and 34 foreign countries.

St. Jude provides total care for the primary illness once a patient is accepted. When needed, St. Jude provides, at no charge, transportation and lodging for a parent and child.

St. Jude's basic and clinical research findings and accomplishments are freely shared with all physicians and research scientists, extending the benefits of its work beyond its walls to children throughout the world.

For more information on the Bike-A-Thon call 853-2164.



These firemen played KLST in basketball last Saturday night. Front row (l-r) Robert George, Lee

Walston, Jason Parks, Ron Williams, Scott Martin. Back row (l-r) Johnny Hasty, Billy Harkey, Monte Moore,

Tommy Estes, Jr., Robert James, Pat Nicholson, Lewis James.

Moore To Attend Boys State

Commander Gene McCalla of Bev McCormick Post No. 257 of the American Legion announced that one high school boy will represent Eldorado at the June 3-9 session of Texas American Legion Boys State at The University of Texas, Austin Campus.

The high school junior selected to participate in this annual workshop is Brent Moore, son of Mike

and Becky Moore.

American Legion Departments across the nation will sponsor 51 of these Boys States this summer. During Boys State sessions, the Eldorado youth will participate in the organization of political parties, campaigns, elections, and the enactment and enforcement of their own laws within a mythical state.

Elected State Officials will function "for a day" at the Capitol, June 9, and conclude with a Joint Session at the Boys State Legislature.

Two outstanding youths from each of the American Legion Boys States will go to Washington, D.C. for study of Federal Government organization and operation

in much the same format as Boys State delegates studied government at the State level.

Commander McCalla said, "This outstanding American Legion program on Local and State Government functions teaches these youngsters that the important role of responsible citizenship can result in better government."

The Editor's Journal

Life Among the Fishes

By Thomas Giovannitti

Well, as for me and my family, we are having some problems adjusting to the time change. I personally like daylight savings time but it plays havoc on the younger kids. It messes up their "body clock" just when we're getting them to bear down to finish school in style.

Of course, the reason I like the extra daylight is that I get to do a lot more work around the house. What with trim to paint, trees to trim, gardens to start and any other number of jobs such as those, the addition of two more hours of sunlight is just what I really wanted.

It is my understanding that daylight savings time was started to save energy. It seems that, for me at least, much more of my

energy is used during the daylight hours than during the "standard" hours. But I guess it was not my energy they (whoever they are?) were trying to save.

What I can't figure out is why we just don't stay on daylight savings all year round? Growing up back home, the tomato farmers thought the extra hours of daylight would be the death of their crops. But that never happened. In fact, I think they raised even more tomatoes than they did before, thus increasing their incomes. Others thought the milk cows would not produce as much milk and that proved to be another groundless fear. I always figured that it was still the same amount of daylight, it was just called something different. I

mean, instead of calling it six o'clock we call it seven o'clock but it is still the same amount.

But there is still that one thing that the sage and wise savers of energy did not figure, and that was how much extra puttering around the house could be thrust upon the unsuspecting worker after he makes his way home. Congressmen probably do not caulk their own windows, cut their own grass, or transplant their own trees. It seems this is yet another case of where the men of

government have lost touch with us common folk.

Well, Annamarie only has to drag herself up for another six weeks or so, then she'll have the summer to adjust her "body clock" so that by the time school rolls around again the waking and sleeping won't bear any relationship to her school hours. I on the other hand will have finished every home project and can look forward to a fall of relaxing evenings caulking the windows.

Editor's Clips

By Mary Jenkins

This week I have decided to write about one of my pet peeves--the towels, or lack of towels, in public rest rooms on which to dry your hands after you have washed them.

This man not sound serious to you, but have you ever gone into a public rest room, washed your hands, and there is not a towel or anything else on which to dry your hands?

Some rest rooms have those blow dryers where you push a button and, if you are lucky, hot air blows out. You put your hands under the air and rub them together to get them dry. Sounds like fun, huh?

Blow dryers aren't too bad, if they work and if they blow hot air.

Remember the old-style fabric towels that used to roll out of a dispenser and back up into it? Wonder what hap-

pened to those? I used to wonder, as a child, if it was one little strip of towel that continuously cleaned itself in the dispenser or whether it would run out eventually.

Sometimes these wonders of modern technology would either be stuck or they had run out of clean towel. You couldn't find a clean spot on the towel if you had to. So, you had to dry your hands on your pants or skirt.

The paper towel dispensers always seem to be out of towels. And some of the towels in them are like using cardboard. I have found a couple that had soft towels. But they are few.

I have thought about carrying my own towel with me--just a little hand towel or a few paper towels--tucked down in my purse. A woman's purse will hold almost anything. But, that's another story.....

The Way We See It...

by Lola Squyres

"It should be noted that children at play are not playing about; their games should be seen as their most serious-minded activity."

A group called Mother's Recess meets each week because of the desire of one terrific lady to involve the younger children of the community in a positive way.

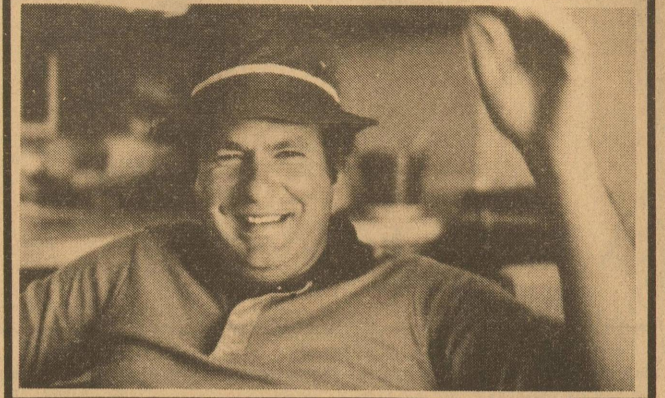
From 27 to 35 'children at play' can be found in the school gym, at the park, at the playground or in the educational building of the First United Methodist Church. We gather to play games, work on crafts, sing together and yes, even clean up before going home. Everyone participates in the fun

stuff as well as the clean-up. When the noise level gets above what is tolerable, Ms. Wink works her magic and there is silence so she can communicate with them. I never see her do whatever she does, but she does it well, 'cause it works. As we meet and grow together, the children share their knowledge and talents with one another. They help one another and must be having a good time because they keep coming back.

Those who believe the children are coming only to play and have a good time are right but there is a lot more going on up there than 'playing about'. There are some 'serious-minded activities' going on too.

Laugh and Live

by Gary Smith



"He has achieved success who has lived well, laughed often, and loved much."



In an old Flip Wilson routine, someone asked Flip about his religion and he announced, "I'm a Jehovah's by-stander."

"A Jehovah's by-stander?" remarked his friend, "I've never heard of a Jehovah's by-stander."

Flip looked coy and said, "Well, they asked me to be a witness, but I didn't want to get involved."

I'm afraid that far too often we remain by-standers because we are afraid to get involved. We do nothing to fight injustices because we are afraid of what others will say about us.

We are all aware of cases in which special interest groups, political parties or religious groups have behaved unethically in an attempt to promote their point of view. We hesitate to do or say anything about it for fear of repercussion.

We were all astonished last year to hear and read about people in New York City watching and doing nothing while a woman was being brutally victimized.

When we see public officials, elected or appointed, mis-using power, can we be justified in doing and saying nothing? When we see and hear about scam artists using religion to swindle people out of their lively hoods, can we be justified in doing and saying nothing?

When we hear of major corporations overcharging customers millions and millions of dollars and refusing to right their wrongs, can we be justified in doing and saying nothing? I think not.

Perhaps it is time that a few of us by-standers became witnesses.



The Screamin' Eagle says:

"He who laughs, lasts!"

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Kimble County Slates Gun, Knife Show

The third annual Kimble County Gun, Knife, Coin and Indian Artifact show will take place in Junction on April 15 and 16 during the spring turkey hunting season.

The two day show will be open to the public from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on both Saturday and Sunday. Admission is \$2 per person. Children under 12 will be admitted free when accompanied by their parent.

Exhibitors will be comprised of dealers, collectors, and hobbyists from all around Texas and

some neighboring states.

A number of artisans who handcraft gun stocks and knives and/or do engraving work will be available for sales of previously made items or orders for custom work.

Information on area hunting, fishing, and camping and on other community events will also be available.

A huge two day out-of-door flea market held in conjunction with the gun show this year should offer something for everyone. There will be no admission charge for the flea market.

The show and flea market are sponsored by the Kimble County Chamber of Commerce, The Junction Rotary Club,

and the Kimble County Senior Citizens Foundation. For additional information contact Roy Cooper at 915-446-3361.



Mr. Dunlap's seventh grade Texas History Class held a mock trial last Tuesday. Judge was Lindsey Johnson, for the state was Amanda Moore and Farley Dakan, for the defense was Adrianne Pina, and Hunter Preston and Sarah Dellis and the plaintiff was Cody Arendt.

Our Sympathy

MRS. BOB (LUCILE) PRUETT
Mrs. Bob (Lucile) Pruett, 81, of Mertzon passed away at 6:40 p.m. Thursday, March 29, in Angelo Community Hospital Emergency Room.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Friday, March 31, in Johnson's Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. J. Earl Dunn and Brother Stanley Wilson officiating. Burial was in Mertzon Cemetery, directed by Johnson's

Survivors include one daughter, Bobby Lee Pruett of Mertzon; one son, Jimmie Blake Pruett of Abilene; one granddaughter, Heather; and a daughter-in-law, Charisse Pruett of Abilene.

Funeral Home. Lucile was born March 24, 1908, in Irion County. She attended Knickerbocker Community School. On December 31, 1925, she was married to Robert L. Pruett

Beta Sigma Phi To Give Scholarship

Beta Sigma Phi is proud to announce that they will be presenting a \$200 scholarship to a graduating senior of Eldorado High School. The scholarship is open to any and all graduating seniors.

In order to be considered for the scholarship, an application must be submitted. Applications can be obtained from the high school office and a copy of the guidelines will be available.

We hope this scholarship can, in some way, benefit a student in furthering his or her education. This scholarship can be used toward any

school of the student's choice. This includes business schools, trade schools, etc., as well as a university or college. High grades are NOT a requirement to receive this scholarship.

Sorority hopes to receive many applications and wish that they could give more than one. "Maybe we can help some student in this small way," stated Kathy Smith.

If anyone has any questions concerning the scholarship, please contact Kathy Smith at 853-2046 or Pat Gentry at 853-2837 or any other sorority member.

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TS&GRA To Meet In Menard

Members and interested sheep and goat producers in TS&GRA District 5 will meet Friday, April 7, at Club Victoria in Menard. The meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m. with registration and coffee and donuts courtesy of Texas Production Credit Association. The business portion of the meeting will get under way at 11 a.m. and conclude with the noon meal hosted by friends of the TS&GRA. The program will include reports by TS&GRA officers, a report of the Texas Ranch-

ers Labor Association and progress on the H-2A program, an update on imports and marketing, and a review of State and National legislation of interest to producers by TS&GRA executive secretary and State Senator Bill Sims.

District 5 is made up of the counties of Kimble, Menard, Schleicher and Sutton.

Interested sheep and goat producers are urged to attend this meeting and become active in the work of the TS&GRA.



Pictured here are the Easter Society Riders, a group of friends who make a ride each year to the Big Bend Easter Rally. They have been doing this since 1975 and have been passing through Eldorado since 1976. Each year they camp at the Eldorado Airport where Floyd West has given them permission to use his hangar.

Clarks Exhibit Rabbits At San Antonio

Amy and Russell Clark exhibited eight rabbits at the San Antonio Rabbit Breeders Association Show on April 1. The show was held at Boysville, outside San Antonio.

Amy placed fifth in the

nine to 11 age group in showmanship. She placed sixth with a six to eight California buck, second with a Senior Holland Lop buck, fourth with a Junior Mini-Lop buck and first with a Senior Rex buck.

Russell placed third in the nine to 11 age group in showmanship. He placed first with a Junior

Harlequin buck and fourth with a Junior Mini Lop buck.

Both Amy and Russell are members of the 4-H Funny Bunnies and the Eldorado Rabbit Club.

"You can give without loving, but you can never love without giving."

'Timed Events' Rodeo Held

The Eldorado High School Rodeo Team hosted a timed event contest for high school rodeo contestants from all over West Texas last Saturday, April 1. The fund raiser was a success and the event will probably be repeated next year.

A timed event contest is a rodeo without the

Hill Promoted At CNB

David Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jo Ed Hill and grandson of Mrs. Josephine Hill of Eldorado, has been promoted to Vice President of the Commercial Lending Division of Central National Bank of San Angelo.

A graduate of Texas Tech University with a degree in finance, Hill joined CNB in 1984 as Assistant Vice President of the Commercial Lending Division. He was promoted to Commercial Loan Officer in 1986.

Hill attended the Texas Tech School of Banking, the Southern Methodist Intermediate School of Banking, and is currently enrolled in the Southwestern Graduate School of Banking at Southern Methodist University.

bucking events. The events included barrel racing, girls break-away roping, pole bending and goat tying. The boys events were calf roping, ribbon roping and team roping.

The winners of the events are listed as follows:

Barrel Racing - Traci Paxton, Eldorado, first, 19.123; Wheless Baker, Sonora, second, 19.280; Ashley Johnson, Eldorado, third, 19.348; and Crissi McCormick, Eldorado, fourth, 19.388.

Girls Break-Away Roping - Lari Dee Guy, Abilene, first, 3.18; Kandace Stevens, Fredonia, second, 3.41; and Ashley Johnson, Eldorado, third, 4.37.

Girls Goat Tying - Mecca McMullan, Iraan, first, 11.514; Julie Driver, Midland, second, 12.925;

and Kandace Stevens, Fredonia, third, 14.123.

Pole Bending - Crissi McCormick, Eldorado, first, 22.977; Mondee Nelson, Eldorado, second, 23.040.

Boys Tiedown Calf Roping - Blake Belcher, San Angelo, first, 10.91; Chase Wardlaw, Sonora, second, 12.06; Cy Griffin, Eldorado, third, 12.13; and Barry Simpton, Del Rio, fourth, 12.82.

Ribbon Roping - Turtle Powell, Alpine, first, 9.90; Barry Simpton, Del Rio, second, 11.89; Mac Rust, Rocksprings, third, 16.64; and Chase Wardlaw, Sonora, fourth, 20.09.

Team Roping - Jim Phillips, Iraan and Turtle Powell, Alpine, first, 7.71; Lewis Baker, Sonora and Turtle Powell, Alpine, second, 8.51; Lewis Baker,

Sonora and Chase Wardlaw, Sonora, third, 9.63; Bradley Bass, Eldorado and Lewis Baker, Sonora, fourth, 10.51; and Mack Wardlaw, Sonora and Trey Wardlaw, Sonora, fifth, 13.25.

The Eldorado High School rodeo team will be traveling to El Paso this weekend to compete in the El Paso High School Rodeo. Members who will be making the trip are Skeeter Roubison, Shane Criswell, Ashley Johnson, Crissi McCormick, Mondee Nelson, Cy Griffin, Amy Henderson and Brent Moore.

The rodeo team would like to express its thanks to the adults of the community that worked during the event. Without their support and help this kind of contest would not be possible.



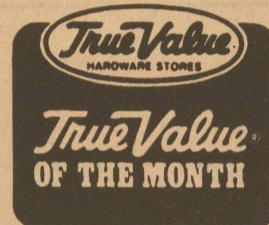
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Virginia and John Howell of El Paso are the proud parents of triplets, born March 27, 1989, in Providence Hospital in El Paso.

The three boys weighed in over five pounds each and are doing fine. Their names are: Andrew Stephens, five pounds nine ounces; John Stuart, five pounds 14 ounces; and George Ross, five pounds 15 ounces.

Grandparents are John Lee Henderson of Ozona, Martha Henderson of San Antonio and Maida Howell of Tucson, Arizona. Great grandmothers are Jewell Bailey of Eldorado and Lucille Russel of Ozona.

Odds & Ends

By Ace McDowell

During my weekly rounds distributing the Success, I go through Knickerbocker. Gene Cole, the postmaster there, provided the following interesting bit: Two young German men, touring the U.S. by bicycle, stopped in to see him one day. They had seen the Knickerbocker sign on the highway, and were amazed that there was a city in this state by that name. They got off their regular route in order to see the town, and to find out more about the naming of it.

It seems the word Knickerbocker translated from the German means "pants". So now you know, we do have a Pants, Texas.

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While on the subject of Knickerbocker, he provided a little more insight into its function

By Glenda Harris

Beta Sigma Phi met on Monday, March 27 with 16 members present. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Kathy Smith read a thank you note from Caroline Hight for the plant sent to her in memory of her grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Case.

Kathy then read correspondence from the state convention committee. The state convention will be held June 23-25 in Fort Worth. Anyone wishing more information on the convention can contact her.

In old business, Tonya Mahanay reported that things were shaping up for our booth at the Pasture Roping and Cookoff to be

held Memorial Day weekend.

After checking with several of the local restaurants, we have elected to hold our annual Founder's Day Banquet at Casa Arispe No. 2 with Mary's famed catfish buffet. Everyone is reminded to bring their secret sister gift and if they have missed anything during the year, now is the time to get it caught up. The dress will be Sunday best.

Kathy then reported that the Executive Board met on March 20 to set up guidelines for the scholarship that we will present to a graduating senior in May. Glenda Harris read the proposal and it was elected to accept the new guidelines and add them to our by-laws. More information on the scholarship can be found in a related article in this paper.

This election of new officers for the 1989-90

year was then held. The new officers are: president, Pat Gentry; vice president, Dorothy Dacy; recording secretary, Tonya Mahanay; treasurer, Brenda Norris; extension officer, Mary Jenkins; and corresponding secretaries, Jan Bailey and Fayla Cheatham. We want to congratulate the new officers and send a heartfelt tanks to the outgoing officers for a job well done.

With all business concluded the meeting was

adjourned and refreshments were served by Brenda Norris and Stacy Haynes.



*Do more than exist, live.
Do more than touch, feel.
Do more than look, observe.
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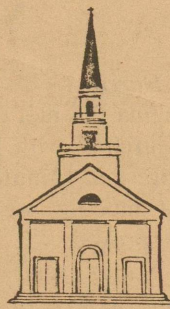
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Mertzon Church Calendar

First Baptist

Sunday: 9:45 a.m. - Church School
11:00 a.m. - Worship
7:00 p.m. - Worship
Wed. 7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service

St. Peter's Catholic

Tuesday: 5:30 p.m. - Study Class
Saturday: 5:00 p.m. - Services

Mission Bautista Nueva Vida

Sunday: 10:00 a.m. - Worship
5:00 p.m. - Worship
Wed. 7:00 p.m. - Prayer Service

United Methodist

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. - Church School
10:45 a.m. - Worship

Church of Christ

Sunday: 10:00 p.m. - Bible Study
11:00 a.m. - General Assembly
6:00 p.m. - Worship
Wed. 7:00 p.m. - Worship
Thurs. 9:00 a.m. - Ladies Bible Class

First Christian

Sunday: 10:45 a.m. - Worship

Erodible Crops Need Conservation

The conservation compliance provision of the Food Security Act of 1985 (the Law) provides that anyone who farms highly erodible cropland must develop a conservation plan for the land and have it approved by the local soil conservation district by December 31, 1989, in order to remain eligible

for many USDA farm program benefits. Producers who do not have an approved plan will be giving up USDA program benefits on not only their highly erodible acres, but on all of the land they farm. Program benefits include not only price supports and commodity-related

payments from ASCS, but also federal crop insurance and Farmers Home Administration loans. Remember, cropland in the Conservation Reserve Program is in compliance. And, we anticipate additional Conservation Reserve Program sign-up periods.

Nationwide about 65

percent of farmers participating in USDA crop programs have already obtained approval for their conservation plans. I commend these producers. If you have highly erodible cropland, you must have a conservation plan by December 31, or you will be ineligible for farm program participation until you have a plan approved. Time is running out, so don't let it run out on your program benefits.

IC Ambulance Runs

1-4-89, 12:20 p.m.: Emergency Run to Shannon - Lawrence Dannheim, EMT; Sid Mabry, EMT; Joyce Gray, EMT; Janna Sparks, EMT.
1-4-89, 9:20 a.m.: Emergency Run to Shannon - Lawrence Dannheim, EMT; Joyce Gray, EMT; Nola Jones, EMT.
1-11-89, 3:00 p.m.: Emergency Run to St. John's - Sid Mabry, EMT; Linda Stemm, EMT; Joyce Gray, EMT; Danny Beckman, EMT.
1-24-89, 9:55 a.m.: Emergency Run to Angelo Community - Billy Hardey, Driver; Nola Jones, EMT; Joyce Gray, EMT.

1-28-89, 12:05 p.m.: Emergency Run to Shannon - Doug Jones, ECA; Monte Moore, EMT; Lawrence Dannheim, EMT; Janna Sparks, EMT.
2-3-89, 8:30 p.m.: Emergency Run to Shannon - Danny Beckman, EMT; Doug Jones, ECA; Nancy Estes, ECA; Joyce Gray, EMT.
2-14-89, 12:50 p.m.: Emergency Run to

Shannon - Lawrence Dannheim, EMT; Janna Sparks, EMT; Nola Jones, EMT.
2-25-89, 4:00 p.m.: Emergency Run to Shannon - Cheryl Harkey, ECA; Lawrence Dannheim, EMT; Nancy Estes, ECA; Mikayla Nicholson, ECA.
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Skin Deep R 1:45 4:00 7:20 9:30
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Judging Team Wins

The Irion County FFA Land Judging Team recently competed in judging contests in Snyder and Sweetwater. The team placed fifth in the Snyder contest with Stephen Coates being the fifth high individual.

Later in the week they placed fourth at the Sweetwater contest and were the fourth place team

in area and First Place in District. At this contest Josh Settle placed ninth high individual.

The fourth place finish qualifies the team for the State Land Judging contest to be held at Tarleton State University on April 20th. Land Judging Team members are: J.C. Bonner, Stephen Coates, Josh Settle and Scott White.

One Act Play Area Contest Set

The One-Act-Play Area Contest is set for April 8. The contest begins at 1 p.m. in Eden. Irion County's performance will be around 4 p.m.

The District Winners from Irion County are: Mechelle Stillson-Best actress, Tracie Davis-All Star Cast, Jason Harris-All Star Cast, Susan Walker-All Star Cast, Roy Mosier-Honorable Mention, Kasey Thomas-Honorable Mention and Jenny

Dail Named Outstanding 4-H Leader

Kitty Dail was selected as outstanding 4-H Leader for 1988. She has helped with the 4-H Open Horse Show, serves as Project Leader for the 4-H Dog Care Program, and assisted as a sponsor for 4-H trips.

Her award was presented on April 3 at Brady, at the Annual Leader Recognition Banquet.

Trainers Plan Demonstration

Mertzon 4-H Dog Trainers will demonstrate their skills at the 4-H meeting on Monday, April 10 at 7 p.m. in the showbarn.

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Other specials features include: Mammography Mobile Unit - \$50 charge, United Blood Services - Blood Donations.

There will also be information booths set up. These will include: Nutrition, Drug Awareness and Poison Perils.

Everyone is invited to come for the latest in health information and free screenings.

Band Selling Calendars

The Hornet Band is presently selling their Community Birthdays and Activity Calendar, priced at \$5.00.

You may receive four listings of birthday and activities. Each additional listings will be 50c. The Calendars will be on sale until Friday, April 7.

Any Hornet band member or parent of a member, or the band director at the school will be able to assist you in receiving one of the calendars.

Criner's Book Goes To State

Cristie Criner, daughter of J.B. and Reba Criner, entered her 4-H Record Book at the Texas Extension Homemaker Association District Competition.

Her Record book went to State Competition in Corpus Christi on April 5.

The calendars will be dated from August 1989 to July 1990. Proceeds go towards the cleaning of the band uniforms, tuition at the band camp, and their band contest trip for next year. All assistance would be appreciated by the band members.

Broom, Mop Sale

The Mertzon Irion County Lions Club will be having a BROOM AND MOP SALE on Thursday, May 18, 1989. It will be held in the parking lot of the First National Bank and will start at 8 a.m.

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April 5: Jeff McCutchen

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April 6: Larry & Betty
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I.C. School Calendar

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Thursday, April 6 - Varsity
District Tennis

Friday, April 7 -
Kindergarten Roundup
11:45-2:00

Saturday, April 8 - High
School Track in Iraan;
One-Act-Play Area Meet;
Junior High District Track

Meet in Eden

Monday, April 10 -
District Golf; Jr. High
District Tennis

Tuesday, April 11 - Jr.
High District Tennis;
Storytelling Assembly at
12:10 p.m. - 50c each

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Historical Society Meets

The Schleicher County Historical Society met for their monthly meeting April 3. The meeting was opened with the Pledge to the flag.

Those attending were: Rene Calcote, Ruth Harper, Ruth Baker, Mary McGinnes, Ola Ruth Barbee, Ola Mae McDonald, Willie Blanche Johnson, Bell Neff, Jessie Sudduth, and Ethel Etheredge.

Ethel Etheredge gave the secretary's report. A business meeting was held.

The motion was made to donate the barn to the Ada West Bowder family. Plans are being made to have a grand opening.

Ola Mae McDonald gave a report on a meeting the Concho Historical Society held recently. Ruth Harper, Rene Calcote, Ola Mae McDonald and Ethel Etheredge were all invited to the historical open house.

Kelley Arrives For Duty In Germany

Army Pvt. Jennifer L. Kelley, daughter of Carla J. and Keith D. Kelley of Barnhart, has arrived for duty in West Germany.

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The soldier is a 1988 graduate of Reagan County High School in Big Lake.



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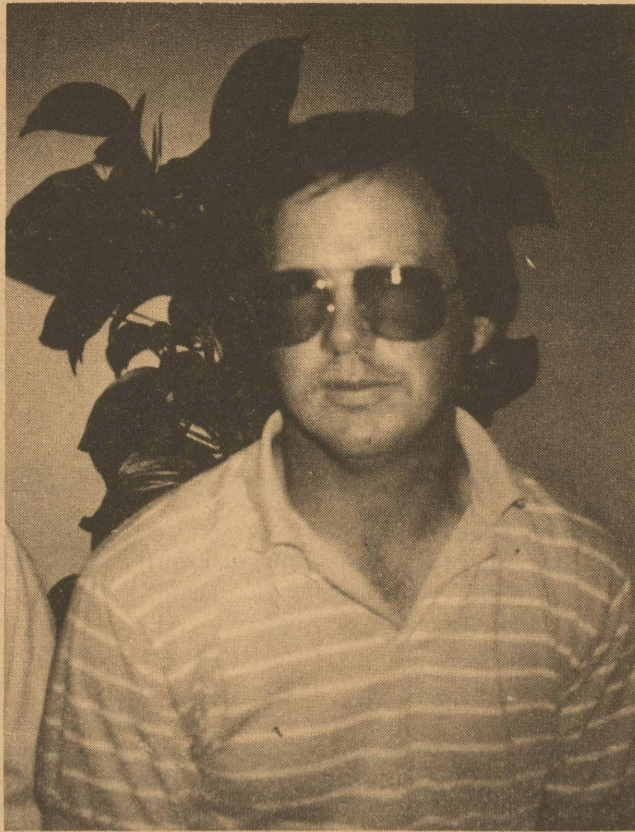
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Teacher Of The Week



Rick Singleton

This week's Teacher of the Week turns its spotlight on Rick Singleton, who teaches life science in Eldorado Middle School and coaches junior high football, basketball and track.

Singleton graduated from Klondike High School. He received his B.S. degree from Angelo State University.

Singleton is a well-rounded individual and builds out houses. He conducts interesting experiments with eggs and cornstarch.

It has been reported that he has a box of snake eggs which he has taken time to show to the personnel of the Eldorado school system.

Eldorado is fortunate to have Singleton in its school system.

Karate Institute To Host Tournament

The Karate Institute is hosting a tournament on Saturday, April 8th in the San Angelo Coliseum. (forms) and Kumite (sparing).

Black belt Kata (forms) will begin at 10:30 a.m. Admission is \$6.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children 10 and under.

Eldorado, Sonora and San Angelo students will be competing in Kata

Classes sponsored by Karate Institute are now being held each Wednesday night from 6-8 p.m. at the former McCalla's Department Store building on Main Street in Eldorado.

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A Touch Of History

By Rene Calcote

Spring in Schleicher County can be extremely versatile, warm sunny days, with gently breezes advance very quickly into choking dust storms that cast a shroud of darkness over the brightest day. Flash floods may occur with deathly suddenness, even though the county is always in need of rain.

Numerous "dry draws" are located throughout the area, and when the rain comes down fast and hard these draws become swift and powerful. The water runs into the Concho, San Saba or Devil's Rivers. This rolling water sweeps away everything in its path very quickly.

One Schleicher County family realized the great danger of these flash floods in 1898. David and Sarah Garvin were crossing the Concho River in route to San Angelo, after a heavy rain when they were swept down the swollen river--horses, wagon and family.

Garvin had decided the safest place to cross the river was at Elk Horn Wagon Yard, about Chadbourne and Oaks Streets in San Angelo. His greatest fear was realized after he entered the

running river. The current quickly carried them downstream.

A by-stander on the river bank saw the family disappear into the water. He quickly dove into the river and unharnessed the horses from the wagon. Other men came to the rescue with ropes and pulled out the wagon. The Garvins were taken to shore in a boat. All were safe, but certainly never was the incident forgotten.

David J. and Sarah Wagner Garvin moved to Schleicher County in December, 1897, from Blanco County. Their ranch was located five miles southwest of Eldorado.

The Garvins helped build and establish the first Church of Christ in Eldorado in 1901. D.J. was one of the churches first Elders and remained Elder for many years. Services were held in the old school house, under a brush arbor, or in the courthouse. Rosa Garvin Owens was baptized at the first meeting, in the Wagner tank west of town.

Five children were born to this family, John W., Amanda A., Joseph E., Lavina Rosa Angelina and David M.



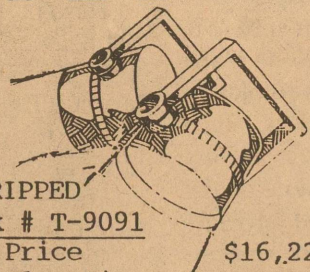
Pictured here is the old west Schleicher County. Pete Owens were married here. It weddings in the county in its Garvin homestead in south- Owens and Rosa Garvin was one of the biggest history.

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KRISTAL NELSON

Kristal Nelson is the 10 year old daughter of Steve and Kim-et Nelson. She is 10 years old and in the fourth grade.

Kristal loves all sport but excels in baseball. She is a loyal fan of the Eldorado Eagles' football and basketball teams. She is always a No. 1 fan to her sister Mondee.

She loves to ride her bike and horses. She

spends a lot of time with her dog and is teaching her new parakeet to talk.

Kristal spends any extra time mastering different games on her Nintendo. She collects baseball cards and ceramic figurines.

She is a member of the Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church and Eldorado 4-H.

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EHS Hosts Literary Meet

The District 6-AA Literary Meet was held at Eldorado High School March 29 and April 1. Results are as follows:

Juan Ramirez, fourth place in science; Katie Hardy, sixth place in ready writing and fourth place in feature writing; Juanita Chavez, fifth place in news writing; Estella Sandate, fourth place in literary criticism; Lupe Ramirez, second place in type-writing; Ginger Sterling, second place in prose; Pat

Martin, fourth place in informative speaking; Laura Johnson, first place in spelling and fourth place in calculator; and Rachel Edmiston, third place in spelling. The calculator team of Laura Johnson, Lolly Barrera and Estella Sandate placed third.

Lupe Ramirez, Laura Johnson, Rachel Edmiston and Ginger Sterling will advance to Regional at Abilene Christian University on April 22.

Sponsors for the Literary students are: Linda Thomas for spelling, Pat Moore for prose and journalism; Su Scott for typewriting; Teresa Baker for informative speaking;

Harvey Wink for calculator; Ruth Ann Callihan for science; and Ruthie Chalmers for ready writing and literary criticism.

One Act Play Competes At District

The Eldorado High School One Act Play participated in the District competition on Wednesday, March 15, at Reagan County High School in Big Lake.

Eldorado's play was titled "The Dancers" and was under the direction of Mrs. Marcy Willis. The cast members included: Larry Ramos, Larry Silvas, Blanca Martinez, Ginger Sterling, Angela Rebuck, Louanne Crowder, Lacy Finley, Andra Robledo, Pat Martin and Rachel Edmiston. The crew consisted of Stacy Jones and Bobby Corbell.

Although the play did not advance in the competition, the play was selected as alternate and the following awards were received by the cast: Best Actress, Andra Robledo; All Star Cast, Pat Martin;

and Honorable Mention, Lacy Finley and Larry Ramos.

The performance was the best one of the season and everyone involved should be commended for an outstanding job and effort.

The final performance of this year's One Act Play was performed for the general public on Wednesday, March 22, in the high school auditorium.

Congratulations and thanks go to Mrs. Willis and the entire cast and crew for a job well done.

TAFE Honors Teachers

Texas Association of Future Educators (TAFE) showed their appreciation to teachers by providing "Easter Goodies" in the teachers' lounge on Thursday, March 23.

Student Council Convention Held

Student Council District Convention was held in Odessa Wednesday, March 15. Students participating in this event were: Lolly Barrera, Justin Edmiston, Whitney Fuessel, Angie McGregor and Amy Henderson.

Eldorado High School was well represented and the students were ably prepared by their sponsors, Mrs. Maureen Hodges and Mrs. Melonie Reynolds.

The Student Council has always been a very active organization in the high school and provides many services for students and teachers alike.

Congratulations on a fine job in representing the student body of Eldorado High School.

EHS Track

The Eldorado High School boys track team traveled to the San Angelo Relays last weekend to compete in Division IV.

Results are listed as follows:

- 3,200 meters - Dusty Barton, fifth, 11:12.14
- 400 relay - Eldorado, third, 44.85
- 110 hurdles - Jeff Patton, fourth, 15.72
- 300 hurdles - Jeff Patton, fourth, 42.46

School Menu

Monday April 10
Breakfast - Pancakes, Peaches, Syrup. Jello, Chocolate Chip Cookies.

Thursday April 13
Breakfast - Hot Oatmeal, Toast, Prunes.
Lunch - Chicken Fried Steak and Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Cherry Cobbler.

Tuesday April 11
Breakfast - Hot Biscuits, Orange Juice, Bacon and Jelly.

Lunch - Spaghetti and Meatsauce, Whole Kernel Corn, Sliced Peaches, Sugar Cookies.

Wednesday April 12
Breakfast - Apple Juice, Hot Biscuits, Bacon, Jelly.
Lunch - Beef Stew with Vegetables, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Strawberry

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- March 4 - Junction
- March 11 - Eldorado
- March 18 - Mason
- March 25 - Ballinger
- March 31-April 1 - San Angelo Boys Meet
- April 1 - McCamey Girls Meet
- April 8 - Brady
- April 22 - Junior High District Meet - Eldorado

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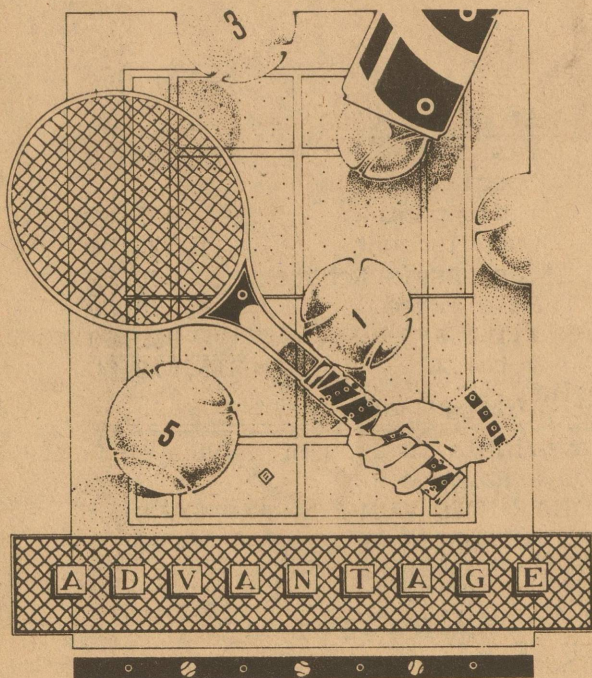
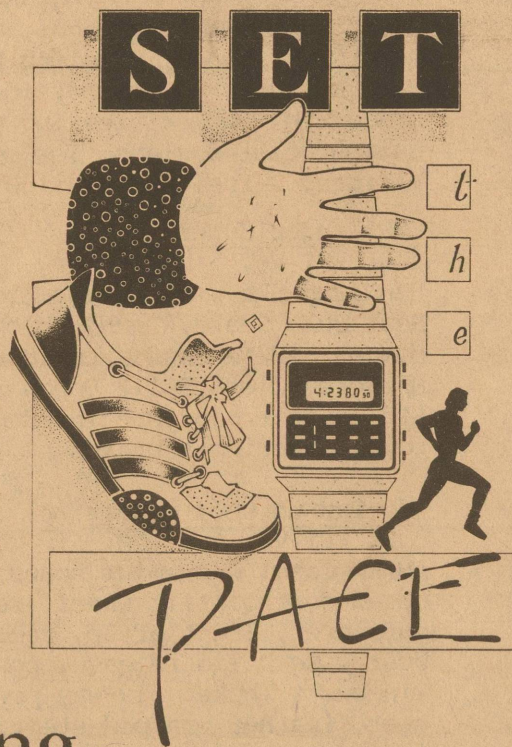
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Schedule

1989 TENNIS SCHEDULE

- March 10-11 - Big Lake Tournament
- March 17-18 - Sonora Tournament
- March 31-April 1 - Mason Tournament
- April 6-7 - District Meet - Big Lake
- April 28-29 - Regional Meet - Abilene
- May 12-13 - State Meet - Austin

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 January 16 - 12:55 p.m. medical patient transferred to Shannon
 January 20 - 11:24 p.m. medical patient transferred to St. John's
 January 23 - 1:57 p.m. medical patient transferred from Shannon to SCMC Nursing Home
 January 30 - 12:58 p.m. medical patient transferred to St. John's
 January 31 - 8:10 p.m. medical patient transported to SCMC
 February 3 - 3:35 p.m. medical patient transported to SCMC
 February 5 - 1:48 p.m. medical patient transported to SCMC
 February 7 - 8:30 p.m. medical patient transported to SCMC
 February 12 - 5:02 p.m.

medical patient transferred to Shannon
 February 13 - 1:00 p.m. medical patient transferred to Shannon
 February 22 - 9:16 p.m. medical patient transferred to ACH
 March 6 - 6:42 a.m. one transported to Kerbow
 March 6 - 7:45 p.m. medical patient transported to SCMC
 March 6 - 9:23 p.m. medical patient transferred to Shannon
 March 9 - 7:34 p.m. medical patient transported to SCMC
 March 10 - 12 Noon medical patient transported to SCMC
 March 11 - 6:25 a.m. accident victim transferred to ACH
 March 13 - 4:30 p.m. medical patient transported to SCMC
 March 15 - 12:40 p.m. medical patient transferred to St. John's
 March 17 - 10:55 a.m. medical patient transferred to ACH

The Eldorado Divide Soil and Water Conservation District recently held their annual poster and essay contest. Billy Hausenfluck, chairman, commented there were some excellent entries this year which were very appropriate to Schleicher County Soil and Water Conservation activities.

Entries in the poster contest were from the fourth and sixth grades. Winners were:

Mrs. Griffin's Fourth Grade - Chrissy Cospier, first; Casey Willis, second; and Arisdel Hernandez, third.

Mrs. O'Harrow's Fourth Grade - Daniel Martinez, first; Matt McCormick, second; and Jody Crain, third.

Mrs. Moore's Fourth Grade - Toni Whitten, first; Ty Williams, second; and Travis Meador, third.

Mrs. Dean's Sixth Grade - Siria Romo, first; Janie Rodriguez, second;

and Lindsay Fuessel, third.

Overall winners for the poster contest were Chrissy Cospier, first; Siria Romo, second; and Janie Rodriguez, third.

Essay contest entries were from the freshman, junior and senior classes. Winners were:

Senior Class - Jeff Hutcherson, first; Dan Willeke, second; and Tina Dacy, third.

Junior Class - Laura Johnson, first; Kari Bilbrey, second; and Becky Trevino, third.

Freshman Class - Carisa Porter, first; Roxanne Martinez, second;

and Sutton Page, third.

The directors of the Eldorado Divide Soil and Water Conservation District wish to thank all the students who made entries in the poster and essay contest this year.

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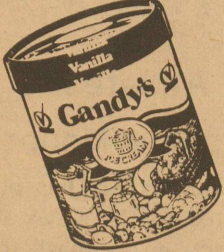




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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ORA FRY, Deceased, were issued on March 27, 1989, in Cause No. 1349, pending in the County Court of Schleicher County, Texas, to: THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ELDORADO.

The residence of the Independent Executor is in Schleicher County, Texas. Its address is P.O. Box 737, Eldorado, Texas 76936.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 28th day of March, 1989.
Terry N. Sterling
State Bar No. 19174500
Attorney for the Estate

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes

to inject fluid into the Strawn Reef Neva West Strawn Unit, Well Number 506. The proposed injection well is located 15 miles Northwest of Eldorado in the Neva, West Field, in Schleicher County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 6310' to 6360' feet.


LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-445-1373).

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