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# The Eldorado SUCCESS

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Eldorado, Texas... "Down-Home Living at the Top of the Divide!"

January 28, 1993

## Retirement "Roast" Held For Ronnie Mittel



Honored guest, Ronnie Mittel attempts to explain to friends and relatives the connection between grain bins, nudity and low flying aircraft.

Approximately 140 people attended a retirement dinner in honor of Ronnie Mittel on Saturday, January 23rd at the Schleicher County Ag Barn. Many friends and fellow ASCS employees from around the state were in

attendance. Jim Bob Solsbery, County Executive Director for Reagan County, acted as M.C. for the evening. Ronnie was presented with a Certificate of a Resolution passed by the

Texas State Senate stating Ronnie's accomplishments and service to ASCS and our community. The certificate was presented by Clemon Montgomery of Austin, Texas, Chairman of the Agriculture Workers Insurance Board of Directors.

A U.S. Flag that has flown over the capitol in Washington was presented by Bill Harrison, Ronnie's brother-in-law from Eagle Lake, Texas. The flag was a gift from Bill and Margo Harrison and Jimmy and Nancy Powell.

He was also presented a plaque from TASCOE for appreciation of 14 years of service as Secretary-Treasurer of the Texas Association and 30 years membership. The plaque was presented by Herb Sorley, CED of Midland County.

Carolyn Cozart, District Director, presented Ronnie with a Certificate of Service from the U.S. Department of Agriculture for 30 years of service.

Steve Williams, Chairman of the Schleicher County ASCS Committee, presented a plaque depicting numerous logos of Ronnie's career. The plaque was a gift from the County Committee and the office staff.

The dinner and "roast" was planned by the County Committee - Steve Williams-Chairman, Mabel Freitag and Matt Brown and by the office staff - Sheila Prater, Kim Thackerson and Toni. A highlight of the evening's "Roast" was Ronnie's recollection of the "grain bin story."

## SCISD Single Member District Plan Approved

The Schleicher County Independent School District has been advised by the United States Department of Justice, that its new single district plan for election of school board trustees has received the necessary preclearance required under the Voting Rights Act of 1965. Under the Voting Rights Act, the Department of Justice is responsible for reviewing all election changes made by political subdivisions in Texas, including school district changes. Schleicher County Independent School District's precleared plan calls for all seven of the members of the board to be elected from single member districts within the Schleicher County Independent School District.

The change in the election structure will be implemented at the next regularly scheduled elections in May of this year. At that time, all seven trustee positions will come up for election. To get the positions back on a staggered basis after this initial election, the new board elected in May will follow provisions of the

Texas education Code and draw lots to determine the length of their initial terms. Trustees of County-Wide Districts such as Schleicher County ISD are statutorily required to hold two year terms so the new board members will be drawing lots to determine whether their initial term will be for one year or for two years. Thereafter, each year, three or four of the positions will be coming up for election.

The plan was adopted by the Schleicher County Independent School District Board of Trustees on November 10, 1992 and was then submitted to the Department of Justice for voting rights act review. By Letter dated January 19, 1993, the Department of Justice advised the School District that it had performed the requisite review of the plan and that it did not have an objection to the proposed changes.

For further information, please contact Scott Barton, Superintendent, Schleicher County ISD, Eldorado, Texas 76936.

## Big Lake Bluegrass Festival

The 1993 Big Lake Bluegrass Festival has been set for March 26th, 27th and 28th at the Big Lake Community Center.

Entertainment will be provided by: The Vinings, The Gore Brothers, Star Canyon Band, Concho Grass, and Big Sandy.

Admission is \$5.00 for Friday and \$8.00 for

Saturday. A Sunday Gospel show will be by donation only.

This event is sponsored by the Big Lake Volunteer Fire Department. For more information call (915) 884-3650.

Indoor stage. No alcoholic beverages allowed. Limited camper hook-ups. Bring your lawn chair.

## WOBP Present "The Odd Couple"



Pictured above are: (Back Row, L-R) Scott Barton, Bob Lester, (Front Row, L-R) Glenda Nix and Marcy Willis.

by Barbara Arendt

Oh, Florence, Florence, Florence, Florence. What are we going to do with you? Who has the answer to your dilemma? Is it the zany sports reporter, the Spanish gentlemen or your pals from high school days? The answer may surprise everyone.

Don't miss Neil Simon's

The Odd Couple - female version. Opening night, February 6 will begin with dinner in the Memorial Building at 6:30 p.m., performance at 8:00.

Following performances will be on February 13th at 8:00 and on February 7th and 14th at 3:00. Call 853-3343 for tickets. Dinner Theater tickets are \$12.50,



Pictured above are: (Back Row, L-R) Debbie Griffin, Nancy Lester, (Front Row, L-R) Barbara Arendt and Ilse Williams.

performance tickets are \$4.00 adults, \$2.00 children 11 years and under.

The Annual meeting of the WOBP will be held on Thursday, February 11th at 5:00 at the Play House. The WOBP are a non-profit tax-exempt corporation. As well as allowing members voting rights, contributions are considered a donation for

income tax purposes. Patron Membership is \$10.00, Sustaining Membership is \$50.00 or more.

We hope you will support the WOBP again this year. If you haven't been a supporter in the past, please consider becoming one this year. WE NEED YOU TO EXIST!

## Transportation Van

The Rural Transportation Van will be traveling to San Angelo on Friday, February 5th. The van plans to leave at 9:00 a.m. and hopes to return around 5:00 p.m.

If you need to make a doctors appointment or any other appointments we ask that you make them in the morning.

Please call the Community Resource Center at 853-2574 or Maria Torres at 853-2761 for reservations as there are only 15 seats available. The Rural Transportation Van is available for anyone of any age or race.

The cost for the San Angelo trip is \$3.00 for non-Senior Citizens. The charge for Senior Citizens is by donation.

## Commodity Food Distribution

Wed., Feb. 3, 1993  
Memorial Building  
1 p.m.-2 p.m.

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### Editor's Journal

## TOP OF THE DIVIDE by Thomas Giovannitti

Well, Texas may finally redeem its football supremacy this Sunday. Of course, the Buffalo Bills may

have something to say about whether a Texas team reclaims the World Championship of professional football. This actually may be a pretty hard one to pick. The Bills come to the game with experience and about the same team that narrowly lost to the 49ers and were soundly beaten by the Redskins.

he would be put off by family duties. This may make it difficult to get the "son of the year" award.

Dallas also placed a considerable number of players on the All Madden team and that may prove critical. It is the type of player that will probably make a difference in the game. One thing about sporting events, even at the professional level, and that is that character may, when teams are pretty evenly matched, be the deciding factor.

Even at that I think it may all finally fall on Troy Aikman's shoulders. If he is up to it Dallas has the best shot to win. If he plays like that fellow from Denver the Cowboys may have to wait another year.

Dallas is from the same eastern conference of the National conference as the Redskins and has a very talented team. The Cowboys are young, though, and that might make them susceptible to all of the media distractions. If it was up to the intensity of the coaches Dallas' Jimmy Johnson would win going away. Remember this is a guy who didn't even get tickets for his parents so

## Hear & Their

by Sherry Lux

### Happy Birthday

- January 28th  
Cory Reeves
- January 30th  
Louise Radle, Lacy Finley, Trisha Martinez
- January 31st  
Jeryl Ward, Mindi Blair, Wendi Dunagan
- February 1st  
Mark Lloyd
- February 3rd  
Katie Hardy, Lupe Guerrero

### Donations Needed

Canned Meats and Soups are needed at the Community Resource Center to help stock the Food Pantry. If you would like to make a donation, please bring it by the Community Resource Center.

### Sewing Shortcuts

Alma Fonseca, Clothing Specialist from College Station will be in Eldorado on Thursday, January 28th to do a program on "Sewing Shortcuts." The program will be held at 2 p.m. at the County Extension office. It is open to all persons interested in improving their sewing skills. For more information call the County Extension office at 853-2132.

### Happy Anniversary

- February 1st  
Bob & Nancy Lester

### IRS Workshop

The Community Resource Center is sponsoring an IRS workshop on Friday, February 5th. Please call Becky Lux at 853-2574 for an appointment with the IRS representative. The workshop will be held from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

"We are looking forward to a good response from the public," commented Becky Lux. "If we can support organizations like these we will be able to get more workshops like these."

### Volunteers Needed

The Head Start Program is in need of volunteers to work in the classroom or the kitchen. Everyone is welcome. Call Donna Hanusch at 853-3366-work or 853-2939-home.

### Bake & Craft Sale

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church will be having a Bake and Craft Sale on Sunday, January 31st from 10:00-11:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall. Everyone is invited to attend.

### Commodity Food Distribution

Commodities will be distributed on Wednesday, February 3, 1993 at the Memorial Building from 1 p.m.-2 p.m. Senior Citizens will be served first.

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,

I am writing this letter to voice my opposition to President Clintons proposal that persons of homosexual persuasion be allowed to serve in the military. I have children in the military so I do have vested interest. I served in the military and am aware of peer pressure exerted upon vulnerable youth to try new, unexperienced activities. Unwise participation in this sort of activity may very well result in exposure to HIV and the development of AIDS. Persons of this persuasion can and do, by suggestion and intimidation gain experimentation with this unwise lifestyle.

the first degree? Should not the President who insisted that this behavior be condoned be impeached for high crimes against the American people and then tried and convicted of aiding in the crime of Battery resulting in death, then tried and convicted of manslaughter?

If you agree with me won't you join me in a telephone and letter campaign to friends and family, throughout the U.S. in contacting the President, Senators and Congressmen to cease this madness!!!!

For your convenience here are some phone numbers:

- President Clinton (202) 456-1414
- Senator Gramm (202) 224-2934
- Senator Krugger (202) 224-5922
- Congressman Smith (915) 653-3971

Your help is appreciated. Thank You. Sincerely, J. Patrick Ragsdale

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Today, eliminate the IF's from your life: "IF I were only more gifted" ... "IF I had only more time" ... "IF I were more attractive" ... "IF I had more money" ... etc., etc.

Right now, you do have what it takes to succeed - faith, hope and love. use the intangibles of life and watch how the tangibles will be drawn to you, like nails to a magnet. Make efforts instead of excuses, and life will be richer and fuller for you.

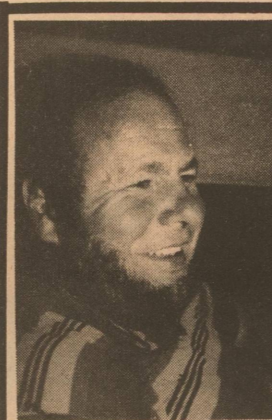
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Criticizing is so easy to do! IT doesn't take much brain power to find fault. Perhaps that is why we have more critics than constructive people. Solving problems is the only way to really help. Today, be constructive! Remember, "changing one thing for the better is worth more than proving a thousand things are wrong."

## Community Calendar

January-February 1993

January 28 6:30pm Duplicate Bridge	28/337 THURSDAY 35/330	February 4
January 29	29/336 FRIDAY 36/329	February 5
January 30	30/335 SATURDAY 37/328	February 6
January 31	31/334 SUNDAY 38/327	February 7
February 1	32/333 MONDAY 39/326	February 8
February 2	33/332 TUESDAY 40/325	February 9
February 3	34/331 WEDNESDAY 41/324	February 10

If you would like to add your event, please call 853-3125.



Gary Smith's

Laugh and Live

Last week The Chamber Pride Committee chose Agnes Lozano for the Spotlight for her work in the community. We asked Agnes to give us some biographical information about herself. We were unable to use all of it in the Spotlight, so we are printing it now.

Agnes Lozano is an old resident of Schleicher County. She attended the Miles school in the mid-40's. "I have four sisters and two brothers of whom I am very thankful for," stated Agnes. "I am a very happy born again believer of the full Gospel. Since God baptized me with his Holy Spirit there is Joy - unspeakable Joy bubbling out of me all the time. I am a very content member of the Agape Assembly of God Church. I get out of the service what I put into it. I invite all you readers to come visit us and join in the greatest celebration there is, to worship and praise in the spirit of grace."

"Through sickness, trials and sorrows of this life, I have learned the meaning and purpose of my life. I have two children - Jo Ann and Bobby who are doing fine - I praise God for their well being. I have five grandchildren - Adriane, the oldest, is with me most of the time - she is grandma's helper."

"My husband J.R. of 34 years of marriage is slowly improving. The mind is a terrible thing to lose. I am trusting God for His will of His healing and timing. When I am weak, the Lord is my strength."

"My hobbies are sewing, reading and flowers. I spend a lot of time reading about the life of Jesus our Savior."

"I love flowers. I love to watch a seed or cutting become a bush and full of color. It brings happiness to my heart and that is what I want to share with this community. It is what I can do for Eldorado, not what Eldorado can do for me. My motto is: It's better to give than to receive! I don't have any major talents but whatever I do I will do it with love and no complaints. When I do something it is first to be pleasing unto God, then men."

"My desire for the rest of my life on this earth is to: Learn God's Word, Obey God's Word, Teach God's Word, To Learn to Walk in the Spirit, To be sure I am in his Will."

"I ask you to remember me in your prayers. I am growing spiritually when obedience to God becomes a Joy instead of a duty. As Jesus said, "Blessed are they that hear the word of God and keep it." When my response to God's call becomes "not my will, but Thine be done," I know I am making spiritual progress."

'Till The Next Time... MAY GOD BLESS!

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## Sr. Citizens Meals Reduced To Four Days A Week

Effective October 1, 1992, the meals served to senior citizens at the Schleicher County Senior Center are being prepared at the Kimble County Senior Center in Junction.

Additional costs to the project were incurred due to the mileage to transport meals from Junction to

Eldorado, and the cost of a new cook in Junction to prepare the meals.

The Schleicher County Commissioner's Court invited Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley staff to review various proposals to serve meals out of the Junction kitchen, all of which would create a greater cost burden for Schleicher

County. The Commissioner's Court chose to reduce the number of serving days to four to help contain costs; however, they also ultimately increased the County's portion of the budget by \$5,811 for fiscal year 1993.

Meals are only partially funded under Title III of the Older Americans Act—many other resources are necessary to keep these programs going. Those resources include local cash, U.S.D.A. cash and program income; program income is the actual donation made by the person receiving the meal. Older Americans Act funds only provide approximately 20% of the funds needed to purchase raw food, labor, gasoline, etc. According to Judge Griffin, "We need all the support we can get; we've had budget problems—any additional funds for the project itself would sure help us out."

Meals are available to all persons aged 60 and over at no charge under the Older Americans Act, and people cannot be denied service due to their inability to pay. But when possible, program income, or client donations, are welcomed to help keep the program on its feet.

The Commissioner's Court felt that if enough cash can be raised through contributions from the meal recipients, that the Court may be able to look at bringing the meals back five days a week at some time in the future. The Court is doing its share, too—it has developed a unique and simple way to help curb the costs of the program by requesting that jurors waive their service fees to be donated to the program. Now the Commissioner's Court is asking for the

community's support. Judge Griffin hopes that the community and those who receive meals will help bring the program back to five days a week through generous contributions, when able.

"These meals are available to all income groups and all ethnic groups; this is not a 'welfare' program—everyone is welcome to participate. Hopefully, we will be able to serve everyone in Schleicher County who needs help. We just need to find ways to pay," said Sallye Teel of the Kimble County Sr. Citizens Building Association. "We are fortunate to have such a great relationship with the Commissioner's Court and certainly look forward to many years of service to Eldorado."

The nutrition program is funded under Title III of the Older Americans Act through a grant from the Texas Department on Aging and the Concho Valley Council of Governments, Area Agency on Aging.

## Beta Sigma Phi Update

by Glenda Harris

Beta Sigma Phi met Monday, January 25th, with ten members in attendance. Due to the absence of the Recording Secretary, the roll call and minutes of the last meeting were read by Linda Lindsey.

Communications from International included the Endowment Fund, which was tabled until a later meeting, and informing our chapter of a transferee who has moved to Eldorado. We will be contacting her.

President Dorothy Dacy reported the Executive Board met earlier tonight and appointed a new President and Vice-President for the Xi Xi Chi chapter. They are Mary Jenkins, President, and Charlotte Crain, Vice-President. This was necessary as the offices were currently being held by members who had taken a leave-of-absence at the first of the year.

The annual Valentine's Salad Supper will be held at the next meeting, February 8th. The hostesses will Mary

Amy Redwine, and Barbara Jackson. They will work out the de-tails and report to the rest of the members.

The Standing Committee reported details are being finalized for the upcoming Valentine's Dance. There has been a change made. The dance will be for the ENTIRE Middle School-5th through 8th grade. The dance will be held February 12th from 7-9 P.M. at the Ag Building south of the rodeo arena. The cost is \$2.00 per child. We look forward to a big crowd and an exceptional time to be had by all.

Following the close of the business, meeting refreshments were served by Charlotte Crain and Glenda Harris.

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Today, consider this quotable from a notable: "When one door closes, another opens; but we often look so long and so regretfully upon the closed door that we do not see the one which has opened for us." Alexander Graham Bell

## Sr. Ambassadors Meet

The Senior Ambassadors of First Baptist Church met on Monday night, January 25th for their regular meeting. The meeting was called to order by President Leon Stricklan, Kenneth Richardson led in prayer.

There were 24 in attendance. A card was signed by everyone to send to Allen Sallee, who is in a Dallas Hospital. An envelope of "love" money was included.

Mary B. Robinson

handed out itineraries for the Ireland trip in May, then showed slides of our last trip to Galveston.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Dana Owens. A motion was made and seconded that our same slate of officers continue to serve through 1993. Meeting adjourned and everyone enjoyed visiting.

Stonesors, cornbread and drinks were served by Mary Etta Stricklan and her committee.

## Carr Scholarships Available

Applications from high school seniors are being accepted by Angelo State University for Carr Academic Scholarships for 1993-94.

Over 350 Carr Academic Scholarships for 1993-94, ranging in value from \$1,000 to \$6,000, are available to qualified high school seniors. During the current year over 900 students from throughout Texas and the nation, as well as numerous foreign countries, are attending Angelo State University on Carr Academic Scholarships.

In order to be eligible, students must normally be in the top 15 percent of their high school class, have a high school grade average of 90 or above, and present a combined math and verbal score of 1000 or higher on the SAT or a composite score of 25 or higher on the Enhanced ACT Assessment.

Supported by a growing multi-million dollar trust established by the late Robert


G. and Nona K. Carr of San Angelo, the undergraduate scholarships may be renewed annually by the University for students who maintain the required academic record and personal standards. During a four-year course of undergraduate study at ASU, Carr Academic Scholarships can be worth from \$4,000 to \$24,000.

The priority deadline for submitting applications and all supporting materials is March 1, 1993, although completed applications from outstanding students may be considered up until June 1, 1993, to the extent that funds are still available.

Application materials and information regarding the Carr Academic Scholarships can be obtained by contacting or writing to: Carr Academic Scholarship Program Office, Angelo State University, Box 11007-C, ASU Station, San Angelo, Texas 76909 (915/942-2103).

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**Amy Newton**


This week's spotlight shines on Amy Newton. Amy is the daughter of Donnie and Donna Newton. She is 16 and is a Sophomore at Eldorado High School. She has a younger brother and sister, Bobby, 13 and Tasha, 11. Amy enjoys reading, writing, drawing and driving. Her favorite subjects in school are English and Journalism. She loves to write for the school newspaper.

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		Thousands of dollars
<b>ASSETS</b>	Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
	Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,399
	Interest-bearing balances	0
	Securities	20,782
	Federal funds sold	2,445
	Securities purchased under agreements to resell	0
	Loans and lease financing receivables:	
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income	10,056
	LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	580
	LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	9476
	Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	731	
Other real estate owned	80	
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0	
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0	
Intangible assets	731	
Other assets	35,644	
Total assets	N/A	
Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	35,644	
Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)		
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	Deposits:	
	In domestic offices	29,117
	Noninterest-bearing	5,990
	Interest-bearing	23,127
	Federal funds purchased	0
	Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	0
	Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
	Other borrowed money	0
	Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
	Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0
	Subordinated notes and debentures	0
	Other liabilities	204
Total liabilities	29,321	
Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus	0	
<b>EQUITY CAPITAL</b>	Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus	0
	Common stock	150
	Surplus	375
	Undivided profits and capital reserves	5,798
	LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities	0
	Total equity capital	6,323
	Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	N/A
Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	6,323	
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	35,644	

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

**Deanne Walker**  
Name  
Cashier  
Title

**Directors**

**Deanne Walker**  
Signature  
January 21, 1993  
Date

member  
**FDIC**



### Basketball Highlights

#### Varsity Boys

"Anytime you go to Wall you have a tough time playing because they have such a winning tradition," commented Coach Jackie McNew. "We went over and played a good game. Our outside game helped us out and helped us pull the win out. This win makes us 1-0 in the second half of district, awaiting what happens from the first half."

The final score was 52-49.

Those scoring were: Eric McGinnes-2, Reagan Bownds-17, Dallas Turbeville-2, Trey Morrison-3, T.C. Willis-11, Matt Williams-17. 3-Pointers were scored by Reagan Bownds-3, T.C. Willis-3, Trey Morrison-1. This is the most 3-pointers that they have had in any single game.

The boys are 13-7 overall with 5-1 for the first half of district and 1-0 in the second half of district. The

results of the first half of district will not be known until after Friday night.

We play Stanton here on Friday night.

#### Varsity Girls

"We played a good first half of the ballgame. We couldn't get our offensive team rolling the second half," stated Coach Kay Creek. "We come up against Stanton on Friday night, which is one of our biggest games in this half of district play and we are hoping to put both halves together to come away with a win."

The final score was Eldorado-37, Wall-61.

Those scoring were: Jennifer Holguin-8, Belinda Martinez-2, Ericka Schooley-13, Amy Mejia-4, Staci Reeves-2, Farrah Fenern-8. Ericka Schooley scored one 3-pointer.

The girls overall record is 14-9, and 1-1 for the second half of district.

### Woman Of The West

A good friend of mine, who wishes to remain anonymous, asked me if I would print this tribute to West Texas Women. Not only am I happy to publish it, but I would welcome contributions of prose and poetry from any of our readers. GCS

Who says the grit and determination that tamed this land is a thing of the past??

On a recent raw morning a local ranch woman

discovered the clutch was out on her old feed truck. Grrr - Brrr - oh well, there's always truck #2 "old reliable." Cough, sputter - no go. Hmmm ... time to load up truck #1 "brand new." If that doesn't beat ALL = won't even kick over!!! The animals must be fed! She got the job done - with a wheel barrow and her Lincoln!

Madam, we of the west salute you!



*I will fear no evil, for you are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.*

Psalm 23:4

**Emmanuel Non-Denomination Church**  
605 S.W. Main Street

**First Baptist Church**  
109 W. Gillis  
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**Community Baptist Church**  
6 E. Warner  
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**Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church**  
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Priest - Father Jerry McCarthy

**Church of Christ**  
Mertzon Highway  
Pastor - David Templeton

**Templo Getsemani**  
Menard Hwy. - behind Post Office  
Pastor - Ezuwigen Diaz

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# Todo Acerca Del Programa LINKS Opciones Para Una Vida Independiente

El Departamento de Texas sobre la Mayoria de Edad "Opciones Para Vivir Independientemente" (conocido como el programa LINKS) fue establecido por la Legislatura # 71, con decreto en la Ley del Senado 484 en Julio de 1985. Su proposito es ayudar a las personas mayores de edad a permanecer en casa a pesar de sus capacidades limitadas para cuidarse a si mismos, proporcionando SERVICIOS A CORTO-TIEMPO con el proposito de (a) restaurar las capacidades funcionales despues de una enfermedad o de haber estado hospitalizados; y (b) educando y preparando a las personas mayores de edad y sus ayudantes como cuidarse por sf mismos. El programa local de Opciones llamado LINKS ha venido proporcionando servicios desde Mayo de 1990.

LINKS opera bajo la supervision del Senior Citizens Center del Condado Kimble y esta consolidado a traves del Concho Valley Council of Governments y la Agencia del Area sobre la Mayoria de Edad, el cual recibe concesiones directamente del Texas Department on Aging (TDOA). LINKS proporciona actualmente una amplia variedad de servicios basados en la comunidad de personas mayores de edad en los condados de Kimble, Menard, Schleicher y Sutton. Algunas de las ventajas como los programas relacionados con el cuidado de la salud son las que se proporcionan a las

personas mayores de edad en la region de los cuatro condados. De hecho, no existe hospital en Menard, uno de los condados en los cuales se proporciona el programa LINKS. Sin el sistema local de cuidado para la salud disponible a precios razonables, muchos de los ancianos debiles se verian forzados a recurrir al Asilo mucho antes del tiempo necesario. LINKS esta disenado para prevenir la reclusión en un Asilo proporcionando los SERVICIOS DE AYUDA A CORTOTIEMPO.

Los servicios del programa LINKS estan disponibles para personas mayores de 60 anos y que por recursos economicos esten descalificados para los programas regulares, pero que ademas sus recursos son insuficientes para obtener los servicios de ayuda necesaria. SE LES OTORGARA PRIORIDAD A AQUELLOS QUE: (1) recientemente hayan sufrido de una enfermedad, esten pasando por una crisis de salud o hayan estado hospitalizados; (2) que vivan en areas rurales; (3) que no tengan quien los cuide; y (4) tengan impedimento fisico parcial o total.

El programa LINKS es responsable de proporcionar y hacer los arreglos necesarios para los siguientes servicios: la administracion del caso, ayuda domestica (incluye ayuda personal), reparaciones y modificaciones residenciales, beneficios de consejero, conceder ayuda,

ayuda de emergencia, educacion y entrenamieny para la persona que los va a cuidar, llevar comida a sus casas y proporcionar transportacion.

Los servicios de Homemaker II los cuales incluyen ayuda domestica y personal es proporcionada por dos agencias autorizadas en el cuidado del la salud en el hogar, Concepts of Care en Abilene y TLC Registry en Eldorado. Estos no son "programas"el si mismos. Nosotros ocupamos cada agencia por medio de contratos basados en referencias y seleccionamos uno de sus trabajadores ara enviarlos donde se necesite la ayuda. Concepts of Care proporciona trabajadores para ayuda domestica en todos los cuatro condados y TLC proporciona trabajadores para ayuda domestica en los condados de Schleicher y Sutton.

Los servicios de Homemaker I son proporcionados por amas de casa entrenadas y supervisadas en el desarrollo del trabajo que incluye mantener la casa limpia, preparar alimentos, ser

acompaXante, asistir a los adultos ancianos que necesitan ayuda en estas actividades en su casa. Homemaker I no proporciona ayuda en el cuidado personal.

LINKS es tambien la estacion de trabajadores voluntarios para el programa de Senior Companion en Junction. Esteservicio es proporcionado por un grupo de ancianos voluntarios que acompañan a personas en la comunidad que sean mayores de 21 anos de edad y que requieran de esta ayuda. Los Acompañantes Ancianos tambien estan disponibles en Sutton y Menard.

LIMITACION DE LOS SERVICIOS se debe principalmente a la escases de fondos publicos, y , puesto que se pretende que los servicios a CORTO-TIEMPO sean para permitir la estabilizacion y la covalencia despues de una crisis de salud, EL PROMEDIO DEL TIEMPO DE AYUDA PARA , GADA GLIENTE DEL PKOGKAMA LINKS NO DEBE EXCEDER TRES MESES. Se puede proporcionar ayuda por mas de tres meses dependiendo de

la ayuda economica que proporcione el cliente y de los fondos publicos disponibles para el proyecto LINKS.

LINKS no niega los servicios a nadie basados solamente en la inhabilidad para pagarlos. Agradece las contribuciones y las aceptan agradecidamente. Los arreglos financieros se hacen cuando se calcule lo que cada individuo debe pagar por estos servicios basado en la situacion economica del cliente.

Antes de autorizar la ayuda en casa, sistema de servicio de emergencia, conceder ayuda o la entrega de los alimentos preparados en su casa, LINKS debe determinar si la persona que ha aplicado no esta ya recibiendo los mismos servicios o algo similar de otra agencia como lo es el Texas Department of Human Services (THDS). a persona que sea elegible con el TDHS para los mismos servicios o similares no los podra recibir tambien del programa LINKS- A MENOS QUE la persona este en LA LISTA DE ESPERA del TDHS. LINKS ofrece otros servicios que no son iguales a los de TDHS como lo son reparaciones residencialesr beneficios de consejero y educacion Para la Persona que le Proporciona la ayuda

en la casa.

LINKS acepta referencias del TDHS, hospitales, medicos, agencias de salud, familiares, amigos, acompañantes, de los mismos ancianos, organizaciones comunitarias y de las iglesias.

La oficina de LINKS para la regi:n de los cuatro condados este localizada en Junction en el 401 B Main Street al cruzar la calle del edificio de la Camara de Comercio. El numero de telSfono es (915) 446-2028. S; usted tiene alguna pregunta o necesitd das informacion por favor llame o visitenos nos dara mucho gusto poder atenderle.

Hope B. Lamb,  
Case Manager  
Pam Morris,  
Administrative Assistant

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Are you bothered and bewildered by a situation or a person who seems immune to change? The perhaps you need to say with Reinhold Niebuhr:

God, grant me the serenity

To accept the things cannot change,

The courage to change the things I can,

And the wisdom To know the difference.

Let the truth of this prayer mold your attitude this day.

## Rehab Donations

by Mabel Freitag

The great folks of Schleicher County just keep giving to Rehab '93.

I want to recognize donations we received after January 9th: Ethel Etheredge, Howard and Faye Dell Derrick, Texaco Star Stop,

Ernest and Catherine Hanusch and Roy and Melissa Lloyd.

Everyone did a great job and we appreciate you so much!

Thank You!  
West Texas Rehab and Local Phone Bank Committee

## Free Mammograms

Free mammograms for low income women 40 years of age and older are available through Planned Parenthood of West Texas, Inc.

Women in need of this service who are not planned Parenthood patients should contact the San Angelo clinic at (915) 944-1909 to

determine if they are financially eligible for the free procedure.

The schedule for the service is: Monday, February 8th from 3:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. Planned Parenthood Clinic, 2619 Sherwood Way. Call 915/944-1909 for eligibility and/or appointment.

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## SCHLEICHER COUNTY ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1992 BY KAREN HENDERSON - SCHLEICHER COUNTY TREASURER

FUND	Balance Jan. 1, 1992	Received from Transfers	Received from Auto License	Received from Tax Collections	Received from Other Sources	Total Received (Includes Transfers)	Total Disbursed (Includes Transfers)	Transfer To Other Funds	Cash Balance Dec. 31 1992
GENERAL FUND	22,768.91	27,516.79	-0-	970,825.64	197,394.39	1,195,736.82	1,209,654.83	113,000.00	8,850.90
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND	12,939.94	25,094.72	131,667.70	-0-	16,457.54	173,219.96	181,504.05	-0-	4,655.85
ROAD&BRIDGE SPECIAL FUND	3,527.74	-0-	-0-	1,450.23	-0-	1,450.23	4,970.00	4,970.00	7.97
FARM*MARKET ROAD FUND	63.24	-0-	-0-	84,009.84	3,563.14	87,572.98	87,430.01	-0-	206.21
LATERAL ROAD FUND	538.66	-0-	-0-	-0-	14,914.59	14,914.59	354.00	-0-	15,099.25
SOCIAL SECURITY FUND	1,544.67	98,000.00	-0-	-0-	1,470.63	99,470.63	100,878.10	27,516.79	137.20
LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER	77,724.32	-0-	-0-	81,176.64	1,713.87	82,890.51	90,717.50	-0-	69,897.33
AIRPORT FUND	3,524.35	-0-	-0-	-0-	4,789.26	4,789.26	4,761.50	-0-	3,552.11
SELF INSURANCE FUND	2,541.29	10,000.00	-0-	-0-	2,997.49	12,997.49	14,380.00	10,000.00	1,158.78
SCHLEICHER CO. HOT CHECK	283.38	-0-	-0-	-0-	671.81	671.81	469.23	-0-	485.96
PERFORMANCE REWARD FUND	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	56,291.56	56,291.56	56,209.00	-0-	82.56
COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	42,734.42	42,734.42	19,949.47	-0-	22,784.95
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>125,456.50</b>	<b>160,611.51</b>	<b>131,667.70</b>	<b>1,137,462.35</b>	<b>342,998.70</b>	<b>1,772,740.26</b>	<b>1,771,277.69</b>	<b>155,486.79</b>	<b>126,919.07</b>

TOTAL SECURITIES OWNED 859,149.04

TOTAL CASH & SECURITIES 986,068.11

THE ABOVE STATEMENT AS COMPILED FROM THE RECORDS OF THE OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER, SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF. *Karen Henderson* SCHLEICHER COUNTY TREASURER - SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS.

## Flu Shots Still Available

Even though the full brunt of the flu season is here, the elderly and others at high risk who have not been inoculated may still want to consider getting flu shots.

"The best time to have gotten a shot was well in advance of the flu season," said Dr. W. Paul Glezen, epidemiologist at the Influenza Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, "but people in the high-risk groups, and that includes the elderly, should still consider vaccination and consult their physicians. Influenza B/Panama continues to be active, and there remains the possibility of the emergence of influenza A before winter is over."

Glezen warns that unvaccinated elderly people are more susceptible to the flu's life-threatening complications, chief among them pneumonia. This is because they tend to have more underlying health problems, he said.

Because the flu vaccine does not provide protection for about two weeks, it is possible to contract influenza even after getting a shot, Glezen said.

The elderly are not the only ones who should guard against flu complications, Glezen said. Other high-risk groups are:

People with heart and lung disease, including asthma and chronic bronchitis.

People with diabetes,

chronic kidney disease and chronic anemia, including sickle cell disease.

People, such as health-care workers and home caregivers, likely to come into contact with people in any of the other high-risk groups.

Influenza usually strikes suddenly and produces symptoms such as fever, generalized muscle pain, weakness and a dry, hacking cough.

Victims of the flu should get plenty of rest and drink lots of liquids.

Adults may take aspirin or an aspirin substitute to reduce fever and pain, but people younger than 21 should use only acetaminophen pain relievers. Aspirin has been associated with Reye's syndrome, a complication of flu and chicken pox that can cause vomiting, convulsions, brain damage and death in children.

Flu epidemics occur annually, but even the worst of them in recent decades are less severe than the 1918 worldwide flu epidemic. It afflicted 500 million people and killed 20 million. More than half a million died in the U.S.

The 1918 epidemic killed more people in less time than any other disease in modern history. It ranks with the Black Death of the 14th Century as one of the few events in recorded history to reduce the earth's population by as much as 1 percent.

## Free Eye Care Offered

Children and teens of low-income uninsured working families can obtain free eye care from optometrists. The American Optometric Association is asking teachers and school nurses to help locate students who may qualify.

The exams will be given in optometrists' offices to coincide with Save Your Vision Week, March 7-13.

To be eligible the person must have a job or live in a household where there is one working member; have no health insurance; have an income below an established level, based on family size; and have had no eye exam within 12 months.

For an eligibility screening, the families may call 800-766-4466 before February 1st.

## Willis Joins Navy

Travis C. Willis enlisted in the United States Navy for guaranteed training in the Navy's Machinist Mate program.

T.C., son of Jacky and Marcy Willis of Eldorado, recently enlisted under the Delayed Entry Program, and will report to recruit Training Great Lakes Illinois in June for active duty, where he will undergo basic training.

Upon completion of basic training, T.C. will begin 13 weeks of schooling at Great Lakes, Illinois and Groton, Connecticut in the Machinist Mates field.

Machinist Mates oversee the continuous operation of the many engines, compressors, refrigerators, air-conditioning, gas-operated equipment, and other types of machinery afloat and ashore. They are responsible for the ship's steam propulsion and auxiliary equipment and the outside (deck) machinery. They also perform duties in the manufacture, storage, and transfer of some industrial gasses.

T.C. is a senior at Eldorado High School!

## Kirkendoll Joins Navy

Roy Dale Kirkendoll Jr. recently enlisted in the United States Navy for guaranteed training in the Navy's Airmen Apprentice program.

Roy, son of Mrs. Kathy L. Kirkendoll of Eldorado, enlisted under the Delayed Entry Program, and will report to Recruit Training San Diego, California in July for active duty, where he will undergo basic training.

Upon completion of basic training, Roy will attend four weeks of schooling at San Diego, California in the Airman Apprentice field.

Under the Airman

Apprentice Program, persons who have not chosen a specific career field receive general aviation training prior to being assigned to a Navy ship or squadron. Once at their first assignment, they may train in a job, or request additional Navy schooling in a field they are qualified for.

Petty Officer Billy L. Williams of the San Angelo Recruiting Station, Roy's recruiter, noted that he may go on to additional schooling or be assigned to any one of the Navy's duty stations around the world.

Roy is a senior at Eldorado High School.

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## UIL Meet Held

The Eldorado High School UIL students participated in the Reagan County Academic Tournament on Saturday, January 23rd.

The following students placed at the meet: Shannon Chrisman-1st in Spelling; Adrienne Pina-1st in Keyboarding; Marla Swicegood-4th in Accounting; Chuck Fitts-1st in 12th grade Calculator; Justina Saunders-1st in 11th grade Calculator; Carlos Estrada-2nd in 11th grade Calculator; Calculator team of Chuck, Justina and Carlos-1st place; Justina Saunders-2nd in 11th grade Science, 6th in 11th grade Mathematics.

The following students participated in the meet: Laurie Templeton and Carlos Estrada-Spelling, Adrienne Pina-Ready Writing, Shelly Chrisman-Literary Criticism, Hele Sanchez-Keyboarding, Chuck Fitts and Belinda

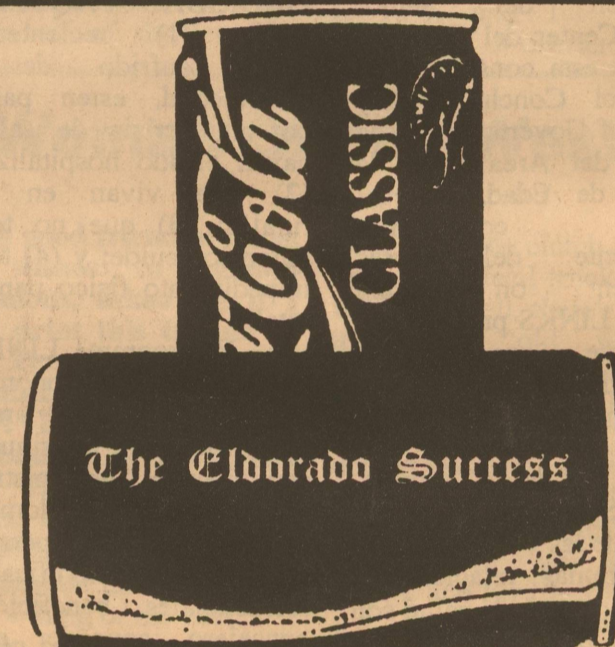
Fuentes-Newswriting, Sara Steele-Feature Writing, Hunter Preston-Headline Writing and Current Events, Kristi Reeves and Vernon Earwood in Number Sense, Shannon Chrisman and Chuck Fitts in Mathematics.

The following sponsors attended the meet: Mr. Robert Jay, Linda Thomas, and Su Scott.

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How long has it been since you've enjoyed a hearty laugh? Remember that Solomon, the wisest man who ever lived, said, "merry heart doeth good like a medicine." Abraham Lincoln once remarked, "With the fearful strain that is on me night ad day, if I did not laugh I should die." Thackeray wrote, "A good laugh is sunshine in a house."

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### Arts & Crafts Results 1993 Schleicher County Livestock Show

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#### RED RIBBON

Martha Garza, Ramiro Sandate, Jose Chavez, Robert Sanchez, Jeff Prendergast, Jason Porter, Jennifer Holguin, Joaquin Covarrubiaz, Timothy Lemons, Nora Fuentes, Carl Foley, Steve Fuentes, Nora Fuentes, Earnest Kues, Lindsay Fuessel, Casey Triplett

#### WHITE RIBBON

Ramiro Sandate, Jeff Prendergast, Joaquin Covarrubiaz, Brandon Dresner, Steve Fuentes Pina, Manuel Hernandez, George Estrada, Chuck Fitts, Ernest Ruiz, George Estrada, Matt Miller

#### HONORABLE MENTION

Cari Green, Carrie Covarrubiaz, Jason Clark, George Estrada, Ramiro Sandate

#### PURPLE RIBBON

Jodie Hooten, Jeff Prendergast, Jose Chavez, Jason Porter, Chuck Fitts, Beto Escarcesa, Chris Hudson, Casey Triplett, Jennifer Holguin, Carrie

Covarrubiaz, Fidel Herrera, Joaquin Covarrubiaz, Ramiro Sandate, Jodi Hooten, Steve Fuentes, Carrie Covarrubiaz, Robert Sanchez, Chuck Fitts, Robert Sanchez, Chris Hudson, Jose Chavez, Steve Fuentes, Robert Sanchez, Steven Fuentes, Carl Foley, Steve Fuentes, Robert Sanchez, Chris Hudson, Casey Triplett, Chris Hudson, Ruby Gonzales, Amy Newton, Rocky Meador, Steve Fuentes, Sara Steele, Ramiro Sandate

#### YELLOW RIBBON

Fidel Herrera, Manuel Hernandez, Beto Escarcesa, Jason Porter, Sammy Prater, Sammy Prater, Jodie Hooten, Jeff Prendergast, Manuel Hernandez, Christy Robinson, Manuel Hernandez, Cari Green, Amy Hilliard, Jodi Hooten, Carrie Covarrubiaz, Bryan Gray, Climente Aguilar, Robert Sanchez, Steve Fuentes, Steve Fuentes, Rufus Trimble, Vernon Earwood, Rocky Meador, Jeff Prendergast, Fidel Herrera, Steve Fuentes, Amy Hilliard, Bryan Gray, Rocky Meador, Rufus Trimble, Ramiro Sandate, Steve Fuentes

## VITA Program Set

Lower-income working families may be eligible for government checks of up to \$2,211 from the Internal Revenue Service.

Local IRS employee Dawn Sanders said volunteers in an IRS sponsored community program known as the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program will provide free tax help that includes determining if a family qualifies for government refunds through the earned-income tax credit program. "If a family made less than \$22,370 in 1992, they may qualify for the earned-income credit," Sanders said.

VITA volunteers have gone through special IRS sponsored training and are qualified to assist taxpayers with basic tax questions involving filing status, dependent exemptions, tax-credits, and itemized deductions. VITA volunteers can also prepare 1040EZ, 1040A and basic form 1040 for taxpayers. "VITA volunteers do not handle complicated tax returns nor answer questions outside the scope of their expertise," Sanders said.

A VITA site will be located in our community this year on Thursday, February 18th from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 noon at the Eldorado Memorial Building.

"Taxpayer's going to a VITA site should bring this year's tax package received in the mail, W-2s, information on any other income and expenses, and a copy of last year's income tax return if available," Sanders added. Additional information about VITA sites is available by contacting Joyce Whitten at the Chamber of Commerce, 853-2759.

Additional information about VITA and the Earned Income Credit is also available by calling the IRS toll-free number at 1-800-829-1040.

## Parker/Clinton Graduate From ACU

Jack and Lou Ann Turner attended Commencement Exercises at Abilene Christian University on December 18, 1992. Two of their daughters were among those graduating.

Theresa Turner Parker, a 1973 graduate of Lamar High School in Arlington, received her BBA degree in Accounting. She is now employed by Condley & Company in Abilene, with plans to take the CPA exam in May.

Amy Turner Clinton, a 1988 graduate of Eldorado

High School, received her BA degree in History. She was on the Dean's List for the 1992 fall semester with a 3.75 grade point average. She is currently employed at ACU while working on her Master's Degree in Education.

Also attending the Commencement Exercises were the graduates' grandparents, Otis and Ora Deal of Eldorado and Grady Turner of San Angelo, and uncle, Gary Turner of San Angelo.



Dr. Rico J. Forlano

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93 LeSabre - Blue	22122.00	19022.00	3100.00
93 Century - Silver	16926.00	15184.00	1742.00
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92 Delta 88 - New	21782.00	15492.00	6290.00

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92 Sunbird - Blue	11929.00	11039.00	890.00
93 Grand Am - Green	15582.00	13641.00	1941.00

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93 Lumina Euro - Gray	17194.00	14955.00	2239.00

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93 1/2 Ton Reg. Cab #C3052	14524.00	12592.00	1932.00
93 1/2 Ton Reg. Cab #C3009	13231.00	12078.00	1153.00
93 1/2 Ton Reg. Cab #C3028	13231.00	12078.00	1153.00
93 1/2 Ton Ext. Cab #C3051	17610.00	16150.00	1460.00
93 1/2 Ton Ext. Cab #C3054	20036.00	18351.00	1685.00
93 3/4 Ton Ext. Cab 4000 #C3040	24442.00	22263.00	2179.00
93 3/4 Ton Ext. Cab 4100 #C3053	23153.00	21096.00	2057.00
93 3/4 Ton Diesel #C3045	22881.00	20827.00	2054.00
93 3/4 Reg. Cab 4WD #C3036	20608.00	18388.00	2220.00

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## Accidental discovery may end obesity

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In a study with a potential cholesterol lowering agent, scientists noted an unusual side effect. Instead of lower cholesterol levels, patients receiving a natural plant colloid lost weight while body weight in a control group remained constant.

The scientists say the mechanism behind the weight loss is not clear, but suggest it is partially due to a decrease in the intestinal absorption of calories. Scientists in another study published in the *British Journal of Nutrition*, found that patients consuming the same colloid lost weight in spite of being instructed not to alter normal eating patterns. Despite this evidence, other scientists may not agree on the weight loss benefits of colloids. Someday, pending further study, there could be universal agreement that colloids are helpful in confronting the problem of obesity.

National Dietary Research, whose research topics have been the subject of articles published in recent medical and nutritional journals, has successfully incorporated a series of colloids into a chewable food tablet called FS-1. When used as directed, FS-1 replaces high calorie fats with lower calorie nutrients, thus providing optimum nutrition with a minimum number of fat calories. According to an article published in the *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, consciously limiting the amount of food one consumes is not necessary to lose weight, provided you limit the fat.

A Florida company has obtained exclusive distribution rights to FS-1, which is available through pharmacies and other health care professionals.

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