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## New \$100,000 Hotel Proposed Here

### Schleicherites Build Defying Shortages

In spite of shortages, some building is under way in Schleicher County, though on a small scale compared with the building which Schleicherites hope to do when materials are more plentiful. Those who are engaged in carrying out a building project state that they must shop everywhere for materials, and in most cases must use ingenuity to make substitutes fill the requirements. The following are some who are making property improvements:

#### New Wade House

Marion Wade, Schleicher County stock farmer, has practically completed a new modern stucco farmhouse on his 320-acre place four miles southwest of Eldorado. The roof is on, windows have been put in, and much of the interior work has been done.

The old farm house was dismantled to provide some of the building material, which has caused the family to use temporary living quarters in other buildings while construction has been under way.

The house will be modern throughout, with kitchen-dinette, living room, three bedrooms, bath, and numerous built-ins. Butane gas and REA electric current will provide added conveniences.

#### Copeland Garage

Gay Copeland is continuing with the extensive improvements which he is making on the old Gene Edmiston ranch which he bought in the spring. The 5-section place now has new corrals and loading pens. This week work is proceeding on a 26 x 26 foot garage apartment on which he expects to try out the new flat concrete roof which is becoming popular. Walls are nearly completed, and other materials needed are on the ground. Mr. Copeland may build a new residence later.

#### Ottabury's Residence

Cement tile blocks will be the material used in the new 28 x 32 Ottabury residence, for which the foundation is already laid, in the Arthur Faull locality. The Ottaburys have moved from the Bearce rent house opposite frozen foods, to the Patton building vacated Saturday by S. Couey, and will live there until the new house is completed. The Ottabury's daughter, Gloria, has moved to a room at the Eldo Hotel.

#### Shugart Place

Jack Shugart's modern new residence is going up rapidly, work having been under way for several weeks.

#### Jones Apartment

Al Jones started Monday on framework for a rear extension to his residence, to provide additional room for a rent apartment. The change will necessitate re-arranging of the interior to provide living accommodations for another family.

#### Martin Place

Roy Martin, who bought two lots recently from A. E. Baze of Melvin, is putting up a modern 4-room house on one of the lots. Walls are up and roofing was recently added. It is understood that he expects to sell the place when it is completed.

#### Edward Meador house

Edward Meador, who with his family have been living in the Jim-

mie West house, expect to move Monday to their remodeled house on the C. L. Meador ranch.

The house has been completely remodeled, wired for REA and painted and papered throughout.

A new cottage, containing three rooms and bath located near the ranch house, has been erected for use of "Pink", colored employee.

**Jones' Return**  
Returning Schleicherites are Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Jones, Jr., and daughter Pam, who have moved to a remodeled ranch house on the S. E. Jones place. The family have been living in Sonora, while Mr. Jones has been working on the Jones ranch.

The 4-room house has been remodeled, papered and painted, a bathroom has been added and REA current has been brought into the residence.

**Goss Residence**  
A good start has been made on the 5-room modern residence which L. A. Goss is building in the West addition on lots 5 and 6, block 10. Mr. Goss is doing part of the carpenter work. They hope to have the house ready for occupancy within a few weeks.

**Williams Builds**  
John Sidney Williams has bought lot 3A in Block X, across the street from Van McCormick, and has started work on a new concrete tile house. The residence will have 4 rooms and bath and will be modern throughout.

**Steen Place**  
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Steen will move soon to their new residence in Glendale. The house is so planned that an addition will be made later when materials are more plentiful. The Steens, who have a large modern ranch home, are planning to live in town during the school year.

### Saunders is Engineer Employed by City On City Paving Job

Allan L. Saunders of Seguin is engineer for Beavers and Lodal, consulting engineers, hired by the city to oversee the street paving job, contracted by Schwoppe Bros. of San Antonio. Mr. Saunders has his office and living quarters at the E. C. Hill residence.

Mr. Saunders states that he will have an opening for boys or men desiring jobs. At present he is hiring boys, who will enter schools and colleges soon.

A new hotel for Eldorado costing in the neighborhood of \$100,000 was proposed yesterday at the Lions Club meeting, and a committee was appointed to canvass the county and report back next week.

A talk by Bob Page, in which he outlined the need for more rooms for transients, touched off a general discussion of the present oil situation and possible growth of Eldorado.

It was reported that Cooper Gas Company alone intends to spend \$3,000,000 drilling wells in this county — that as work goes on there will be need for supply houses and shops of various kinds. It was conceded that Eldorado would experience a great deal of growth,

but whether it grew into a city or a shack town would depend upon the leadership and planning of the citizens here today. "If we sit idly by some other nearby city will get the cream of this business," said one member. In discussing the hotel Page said that he had been "talking it up a little." He said he had mentioned it to about thirty people, and each of them said they would put \$1,000 into it.

It was finally agreed that the club appoint a committee to canvass the county and determine the sentiment for a hotel, and be ready to report next Wednesday. Those appointed were: H. T. Finley, Ernest Finnigan, R. J. Page, L. B. Burk, J. H. Mace, P. K. McIntosh and W. M. Patterson.

## Vote Is 5 to 1 For Annexation

Annexation went over with a bang Monday, as a big vote officially okayed the proposed organization of a rural high school district for Schleicher County.

Accepted almost unanimously by the city, and favored by some rural communities and bitterly fought by others, the proposal brought a big vote, resulting in hearty endorsement of the plan.

The vote reveals the fact that the majority of Schleicher County residents favor the merging of six common school districts with Eldorado Independent, to form a rural high school for the county.

The next step will be canvassing of the vote, which will be done at a call meeting of the county board Saturday. Board members are Vernie Humphrey, G. C. Crosby, Otto Sauer, Lottie Reynolds, and Ira McDonald.

Monday's vote automatically calls for another election, to set a uniform tax rate for Schleicher County. As existing rates vary — from 25c in some districts, to \$1 per \$100 valuation in the city — a uniform rate must be set. This is limited to \$1 by law. The election will be ordered by the Eldorado Independent School board, which is now by law serving for the rural high school district until another board is elected.

Returns by boxes in Monday's elections are as follows:

	For	Against
Mayer No. 1	2	0
Mayer No. 2	0	18
Adams	0	19
Cliff	2	12
Bailey Ranch	16	27
Kaffir	13	8
Eldorado	434	11
Total	467	95

### More People

Two new crews have arrived in Eldorado, further complicating the housing situation.

Working under contract with Schwoppe Bros., here on a street paving job, a rock crushing crew is here to work on caliche for the roadbeds.

Southern Geophysical is working out of Eldorado, and would like to open their office here — and would also like to find apartments and rooms for about 15 men.

Some of their employees are having to stay in San Angelo and Merton because of lack of living quarters in Eldorado.

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### Busses Considered

One of the main subjects discussed at a call meeting of the Board of Education of the Independent School District Tuesday night was the providing of school busses for this year. Sam Oglesby was appointed to make a trip to San Angelo the next day to see about securing busses. He reported upon his return that one bus had been contracted for pending the next election. Mr. Oglesby will return to Angelo this afternoon (Thursday) for further investigation of the matter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Brannon have moved into their home which they bought recently from Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Humphrey.

## Committees Named for Annual Lamb Sale

## Paving Started

The schoolhouse block, first to be paved, is a scene of intense activity this week, as Schwoppe Brothers road crews spend the week preparing the roadbed for an application of caliche.

Work on Eldorado's street paving project started Monday, and will require three or four months for completion, with favorable weather and working conditions.

Engineers have taken tests of caliche from pits located near town and have sent them to headquarters for analysis. By Monday they hope to have made a pit selection, enabling them to start applying caliche next week.

The paving project is correlated with Taylor Construction Company's water and sewer extension project, which is also under way.

If water and sewer ditches must also be dug in any designated block, that work precedes arrival of the paving crew, but in many parts of the city the work does not conflict so that both can be carried on at once.

Taylor Construction Co., at work on the deepest excavations in Glendale, are finding the going slow, because of the layers of stone which they are encountering.

## CITY CONSIDERS BUYING OUT GAS PROPERTY

The City of Eldorado is engaging in a preliminary "skirmish" with the Rio Power and Gas Co. in an attempt to agree on a price for the gas system which the city fathers may buy and operate as city property.

Negotiations have been underway for several weeks, but no definite action has been taken to date.

Mrs. Eldon Turnbow returned home from a San Angelo hospital Wednesday where she has been for the past ten days. Her condition is considered to be improved. Mrs. Arch Posey accompanied her home from the hospital.

At the Lions' Club meeting yesterday, further plans were made for the annual Lamb Sale, sponsored by the P. T. A. and the Lions' Club to be held Saturday, Sept. 14. Plans are going ahead rapidly to make this the biggest sale held heretofore. Committees appointed at the meeting are as follows: General committee, Ernest Finnigan, Edwin Jackson, C. A. Reynolds, Joe B. Edens, W. G. Godwin, H. T. Finley and W. C. Doyle; Bar-B-Q and goats, J. H. Mace, L. B. Burk, A. J. Mund, Tom Smith and E. H. Topliffe; Branding and pens, Joe Wagley, Bill Meador, N. E. Britton and Carroll White; Cake Walk, Buster Gunn, Granville Kerr, Fred Watson, James Williams, Bernard Carr and C. C. McLaughlin; Donations, R. C. Edmiston, Lum Davis, Jack Hext, Jerry Pennington, Jimmie West, R. J. Page, Joe Wagley and Fred Watson.

## School Grounds Get Free Leveling Job

"It's worth \$1,000 to the school," states Supt. Reynolds, who is enthusiastic over a school ground grading and leveling job which the Schwoppe paving crew have done with their surplus dirt.

The dirt comes from a surface face-lifting which the road bed receives before caliche is added. Machinery cuts a shallow trench, and removes the dirt to any designated spot. At the school grounds this week the soil has been dumped on the low places and the entire playground has been leveled and graded by the road machinery — a project which would cost many hundreds of dollars if soil had been bought and trucked in.

Announcement is made that any owners of vacant lots along the path of the new paving anywhere in town may get their lots filled in free in the same way. Any who are interested may report to Mr. McElwath on the job, or to any of the machine operators and be ready to receive the dirt when the work is under way along the premises.

Because the road machinery requires room, Mr. McElwath states, it is impossible for it to operate in a yard in which there are shrubs and trees — but the dirt can be dumped along the side where the owner can reach it with a wheelbarrow.

Using of the dirt on public and private premises will serve two purposes — it will make property more attractive, and help the contractors to get rid of surplus soil.

## RUN-OFF PRIMARY ELECTION SATURDAY

Voters of Schleicher County will go to the polls Saturday, Aug. 24, and vote in the Democratic primary run-off, at which a light vote is expected in spite of the fact that the governor's race is hotly contested.

County Democratic Chairman, Ernest Hill has received delivery on the official ballots and has lined up election judges as follows:

Courthouse, Joe Edens. Schoolhouse, Marvin McDonald Reynolds, E. W. Craig Alexander, W. R. Bearce Vermont, Oren Enochs Cliff, Carroll White Tisdale, D. C. O. Wilson Mayer, Harry Freund Rudd, Webb Montgomery

## Preparations Made For 3rd and 4th Koy Tests As 2nd Well Completed, Making Big Producer

An event destined to put Schleicher County on the map as one of the oil producing counties of the state has happened — the second Koy well has been brought in, thereby proving that Koy No. 1 is not a single-shot freak, but the beginning of an extensive field.

Cooper Gas Co. No. 2-A Jess Koy has a daily flowing potential of 1,386 barrels of oil. The Cooper rig is being moved today to Koy No. 3 and workmen are digging pits and cellar for Koy No. 4 — these are

the latest developments in the Koy oil field.

Completed Tuesday, Koy No. 2 had been perforated from 5570-5618 feet through casing cemented at 5900 feet; the flow, based on a Railroad Commission 4 hour gauge measured 231 barrels of 43 gravity oil.

Bringing in of a second major producer in the field has proceeded while the spudder was at work on Number 3. The trucks are arriving today from Monahans and Odessa

to move the rig to the third test — and it is expected that the main rig will take over within the coming few days.

The spudder is down to about 200 feet today.

Crew members are today digging pits and cellar for the fourth test, which Cooper Gas Co. are making a short distance away, on Bert Page's land. Whether the company will send in another rig, or drill No. 3 first is not announced at this time.

The Railroad Commission has authorized dual completion of No.

1 A Koy, which allows the company to produce both gas and oil. Gas will be turned into Lone Star's pipeline, the amount to be up to 1½ million cubic feet per day.

Actual production from two wells means the opening of an important pool, and most observers expect development to be rapid.

Menard County's first oil producer, Warren Petroleum Co. — Morrow No. 1, came in during the weekend, completing for 21 barrels per day.

# School Opening Date Set For September 3

The opening exercises for the Eldorado Schools will be held at 9:30 a. m. Sept. 3 in the high school auditorium. After a short program and the introduction of new teachers, registration of both high school and grade school students will begin. Grade school students will report to their respective rooms for enrollment, and high school students who have not previously registered will do so. After enrollment students will be dismissed for the day. Regular classes will begin Wednesday morning Sept. 4.

All teachers and principals will meet at 10:00 a. m. Monday, Sept. 2 in the high school building for a general faculty meeting at which time final instructions and assignments will be made by the superintendent.

### Registration

1:00 p. m. Monday, Sept. 2, Seniors.

10:30 a. m. Tuesday Sept. 3, Juniors.

1:00 p. m. Tuesday Sept. 3, sophomores.

2:30 p. m. Tuesday Sept. 3, Freshmen.

Students are requested to report only at the designated time for registration. New students are to report at the superintendent's office before registering. All students must present a book card before new books will be issued. All new students must present both a book card and a report card from the previous school attended.

Mrs. Joe Dobbs of Bennington, Okla., and Mrs. J. W. Suggs and son, Tommy Wayne and Mrs. Rip Morgan and son, Jerry, Thacker, Okla., have been visiting in the Odis Harris home. Mrs. Dobbs and Mrs. Suggs are sisters of Mr. Harris and Mrs. Morgan is a niece. They also visited their father and mother in Christoval and a sister in San Angelo.

## SHOWER HONORS WILLIAMS COUPLE AT BAPT. CHURCH

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, Jr., a group of friends entertained with a miscellaneous gift shower Tuesday afternoon at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Marvin McAngus was at the guest register, and Mrs. J. E. Tisdale and Mrs. L. D. Mund presided at the tea table which was arranged with white daisies and other flowers. Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served.

Cut flowers and ferns were used in decorating the reception room, and gifts were presented by Miss John Alexander from a sand table made up as a friendship flower garden with dahlias in the center and ribbon streamers leading to the packages.

A musical program was presented with Miss Frankie Thompson at the piano during the tea hour and two songs by the Girls' trio, Patsy Ballew, Vera Faye Biggs and Frankie, and a piano solo by Katharine Davis.

Refreshments were served to approximately 75 including Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lee of San Antonio, parents of the bride.

## Mrs. Crosby Attends Her Father's Funeral

Mrs. J. C. Crosby and daughter, Kathleen, and G. C. Crosby attended funeral services at Temple Tuesday for Mrs. Crosby's father, Fred Hattie, who died in the Santa Fe Hospital there Sunday.

Mr. Hattie was a former employee of the Santa Fe Railroad, and had been in ill health for a number of months.

NEW correspondence notes, box of 36 for 75c.—Success office.

## ELEVEN GI'S TAKE TRAINING AT LOCAL FIELD

The sound of planes is now a common occurrence in Eldorado, as eleven ex G. I.'s learn to fly under the government training program, presented by the Southwest Air College of San Angelo, on home territory.

Because it was deemed easier to bring an instructor to Eldorado than take all of the trainees to San Angelo, the school is conducted at the local air field.

Interest in the project has shown steady growth, and enrollees now include a variety of students, ranging from the home town boy to a Swope employee.

The program corresponds with the G. I. training which many boys are receiving in college. The course begins with elementary instructions and concludes with acquiring of a commercial pilot's license if the trainee stays with the course until it is completed.

The first night class in a series of Wednesday and Friday night indoor sessions was held last night, for teaching of ground school subjects.

Vets who are interested in the work are urged to consult with Chester Wheeler, who will receive the application.

## Local Pastor Speaks At Angelo Services

W. W. Sudduth, minister of the Church of Christ here, and a resident in the Bailey Ranch community, was guest speaker at both the morning and evening services at the North Side Church of Christ in San Angelo, last Sunday. Mr. Sudduth also spoke at the church-sponsored radio program at 8:15 a. m. Sunday.

### WEDNESDAY BRIDGE

Mrs. W. R. Bearce was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Cub last week at her home in town. Those present included Mmes. Pat Finley, C. C. McLaughlin, Leslie Baker, Jimmie West, Carroll White, Kenneth Cheek, S. D. Harper, and Sam Oglesby.

# Football Prospects Are Bright

Coach Sutherland, on the job this week as Eldorado teacher after a year's absence, is making out his football schedule and lining up the squad for what he hopes will be the biggest season in years.

Several points favor the coach as he starts his boys on their heavy autumn football work outs. He knows the boys, as only one class has graduated since he left Eldorado. The squad starts out with new uniforms — 22 outfits, sufficient for two clubs; these are white Jerseys with black numerals, and gold and black sleeve stripe, and gold trousers with black trim — the white serving to distinguish Eldorado from other teams outfitted also in black and gold. Another advantage is the lighted field — a 1945 accomplishment of the Lions' Club, which will assure big crowds and a good "gate," as all home games will be at night, when all of Schleicher County can attend.

While a complete schedule will not be ready for publication for another week or two, the following tentative schedule has been arranged:

- Sept. 13, Christoval (maybe) here
- Sept. 20, Robert Lee here
- Sept. 27, Bronte there
- Oct. 4, Menard (no contract yet) there
- Oct. 11, Sonora here
- Oct. 18, Big Lake there
- Oct. 25, Rock Springs here
- Nov. 2, Ozona there
- Nov. 8, Del Rio (maybe) here

## BOOK REVIEW IS SCHEDULED BY LOCAL WSCS

"The Emperor's Physician" by J. R. Perkins will be reviewed by Miss Norine Ellington under the auspices of the Woman's Society of Christian Service at 8:00 p. m. Friday, August 30 in the auditorium of the First Methodist Church.

The book is a story of two Roman doctors sent by Emperor Tiberius to investigate causes of the alarming spread of disease in Palestine. During their travels they came in frequent contact with a Nazarene healer named Jesus. For a time they were annoyed because Jesus cured seemingly by magic, cases which failed to respond to their scientific methods; but their annoyance turned to wonder, and their wonder turned to faith. An interesting love story is woven around a beautiful dancing girl who captivated the heart of the emperor's physician.

Miss Ellington, English and History teacher in the Graham High School, has reviewed books in Graham for various organizations including the Lions' Club, Sunday School classes, clubs and literary societies. She holds both BA and MA degrees.

A sister of Misses Mae and Thelma Ellington and Carl D. Ellington she makes her home here during the summer months.

The public is invited to attend this book review. Admission prices will be 15 and 25 cents.

## 20th Carr Reunion at Lake Brownwood

The 20th annual Carr reunion was held at Lake Brownwood Aug. 17-18 for descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carr.

Among the 87 present there were three sets of twins, Julian and Jess Carr; Julian's twin boys, Jean and Jim; and Jim's twin boys, Roy and Coy.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carr of Brownwood, former Eldorado residents and their four sons and families, including Bernard Carr of this place, employee at the West Texas Woolen Mills. All of the boys were in service and this was their first time together since the war. Their present locations are: Rev. Wendell Carr of Weslaco; Aris Carr of Ft. Worth; Julian Carr of San Angelo and Bernard of Eldorado.

Miss Katherine Hill has returned from a two weeks vacation to Mexico City.

## 4-H BOYS CALVES MAKE BIG GAIN IN TWO MONTHS

In spite of hot and dry weather, calves fed by Arthur Mund, Jr., and other 4-H Club members' have showed good gains daily during the months of July and August, according to County Agent W. G. Godwin.

Arthur Mund, Jr., feeding a registered Hereford calf of Pat Martin's and an Aberdeen-Angus calf of Jess Koy's, has kept accurate weight records on these calves. On July 20 these calves were weighed and again on August 20. The Hereford calf of Martin's had gained on

the average of 3 2-3 lbs. per day, weighing at present 630 lbs. The Angus calf of Koy's had gained 3 1-3 lbs. per day, now weighing 540 lbs.

The club calves of other 4-H members have averaged a fraction over three pounds daily for the past month.

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Miss Mildred Mund returned home this week from El Paso where she has been visiting with a former room mate, Miss Mund, H. Ec. teacher at Beeville, will report there for her duties next week.

Billy Jack Etheridge is visiting this week at Balmorhea with Mr. and Mrs. Evans Etheridge and family. He accompanied his cousin, S. E. Etheridge home after a visit of several days here.

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**Soil Conservation Practices Stressed**

Six hundred and sixty-two thousand dollars is a lot of money to "go down the creek" every year. That is just what farmers, ranchers and other residents of the 7200 square mile area of the Middle Colorado River watershed are losing in flood damage every year.

Damage on the Middle Colorado watershed results primarily from the flooding of either crop or pasture land. In this livestock-raising section of Texas, there has been little industrial development and only the largest and most devastating floods have caused substantial urban or non-agricultural damage.

Average flood damage to crops and pastures along Pecan Bayou above Lake Brownwood alone is estimated at \$146,400 annually. Farmers and ranchers below the lake lose an average of \$49,500 in flood damage to crops every year.

In the upper Colorado area, average crop and pasture damage amounts to \$145,500 yearly. Brady Creek floods on the average destroy \$66,250 worth of crops and pasture annually. Overflow of crops and pasture land in the San Saba River area results in average annual damage of \$118,700.

This brings the total average annual flood damage to crops and pastures alone in the Middle Colorado watershed to \$526,350.

Often a farmer loses his entire crop or his season's pasture is destroyed. Sometimes part of his crop is destroyed, per-acre yields thus being reduced. When fields are washed out, there is the added expense of repeated plantings and cultivation.

In addition to their crop and pasture losses, farmers and ranchers of the watershed lose an annual average of \$97,260 in other agricultural damage caused by floods. They lose valuable livestock. Often there is a loss of stored crops. Flood waters damage farm buildings, fences, farm roads and other farm property.

Local thunderstorms covering from 100 to 500 square miles in the uplands of the watershed cause severe flooding on small tributaries while causing only small rises on the main stems. On the other hand, frontal storms and cyclonic disturbances, covering extensive tributary areas or a major part of the watershed, result in severe flooding not only along the small tributary streams but also along the main stems of the large tributaries and of the Colorado River. 76% of the estimated average annual damage of \$662,000, however, occurs on the small tributary streams.

Though most of the loss is agricultural, the floods also cause some damage to urban and public property. Roads are flooded, bridges are washed out, and telephone lines, gas and oil pipe lines are damaged. According to the Department of Agriculture survey report, non-agricultural damage of this type averages \$38,600 annually.

There are also certain intangible losses that cannot be measured readily in dollars and cents. High waters often cause an interruption in public utility services, loss of wages because of business shutdowns and isolation of recreational facilities.

There is also the washing away of precious topsoil which cannot be evaluated. As the topsoil is washed off by the flood water, productivity of fields and pastures declines and the value of the farms and ranches steadily goes down and down. Even much of the pasture land of the Middle Colorado watershed is exposed to such erosion because it has been overgrazed. The survey report stated:

"Approximately 85% of the watershed still supports a semblance of its native vegetation although weeds, unpalatable annual grasses, shrubs and cacti have spread considerably since cattle, sheep and goats over-populated the pastures.

The area is now overstocked and is being grazed at an average rate of about one animal unit to each 12 to 15 acres."

While farmers and ranchers suffer the greatest losses, it can be seen from the survey report on damages that all people in the Middle Colorado River watershed are affected one way or another by repeated floods.

**Books are Donated to Local Library**

Books donated recently to the Eldorado Public Library are "Prayer For a Child" by Field; "Small Rain" by Jones; "Tell Me About God" by Jones, all donated by Mr. and Mrs. Sol Mayer in memory of "Grandma" McDonald (Mrs. W. J. McDonald), and "New Testament Life and Literature" by Riddle, donated by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mayer in memory of Mrs. McDonald.

Books donated to the library by Mrs. Grace O'Harrow include "Cattle, Cowboys and Rangers" by Raine; "Mr. Pratt" by Lincoln; "One Who Survived" by Barmine; "I Was Hitler's Doctor" by Krueger; "Best American Short Stories" by Foley; "Berlin Diary" by Shirer, and "The Moon is Down" by Steinbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bradshaw returned home Tuesday from a Temple hospital where Mr. Bradshaw underwent surgery recently. His condition is reported to be good.

**Matteson - Sherrard Wedding Solemnized In Church Ceremony**

Miss Wanda Matteson, daughter of Mrs. E. H. Coulter, was married Saturday morning, in St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, Schenectady, N. Y., to Raymond Sherrard, the Rev. Fr. Wm. McNamara, officiating. The ceremony was performed before an altar decorated with white gladioli.

Bill R. Matteson, of Eldorado, brother of the bride, gave her in marriage. For the wedding the bride wore white chiffon, with victorian neckline and ruffled skirt, and lace mitts and mantilla. Her prayer book was topped with white sweet peas surrounding a gardenia.

The maid of honor, Mary Constance Froass of Aneida, N. Y., wore Nile green marquisette and carried sweetpeas in shades of lavender and orchid. Best man was Emile Sherrard, and ushers were Philip Alspach and Theodore Dietz, of Schenectady.

Jocile Baggett of Houston sang two numbers, accompanied by James Early, who also played the traditional wedding music.

Mrs. E. H. Coulter assisted the couple in receiving at the wedding breakfast, which was served at the General Electric woman's club.

The bride's traveling costume was a navy blue dress suit. After a two-week's wedding trip to Canada, they will be at home in Schen-

ectady, where both have been employed at General Electric.

The bride is a graduate of San Angelo High School and Sul Ross, and Mr. Sherrard is a graduate engineer from Tulane University.

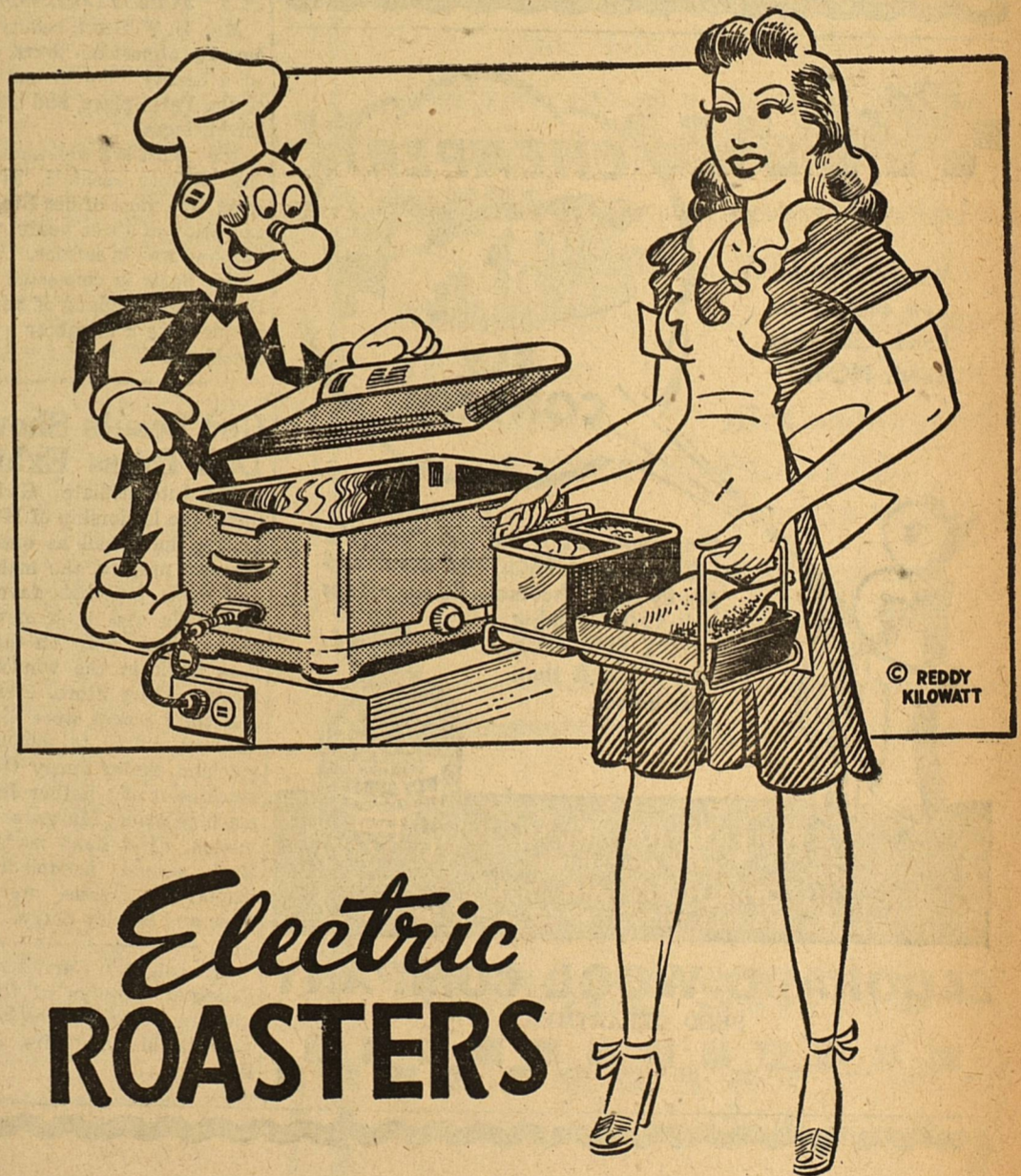
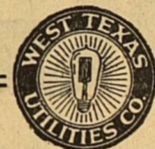
**KILL TREES THIS MONTH**

From now until September 1, is the best time to poison the undesirable trees that you want cleared out of your fence rows around the field. These trees take their toll in stunting crops for many feet around where they grow. It is practical to kill back perhaps 30 feet in the pasture to give crops the advantage of moisture at the edge of fields.

Since the growing season is over now, trees, may be killed quickly by the following procedure: Cut through the bark of the tree you want to kill. Then mix this formula, heat one and one-half gallons of water to a boil, add two pounds of sal soda, slowly mix one pound of lye into the water and follow with two pounds of white arsenic. When all the ingredients have dissolved, remove the mixture from the fire. Pour into the cut bark of the tree one teaspoonful of the poison mixture. The tree will die very soon.

For small mesquites that are too small to make a cut, spray with kerosene.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson and son spent the day Sunday in Menard.



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**Pecos County Votes Bonds For Hospital**

The Pecos County election to decide issuance of bonds to construct and equip more adequate hospital facilities for Ft. Stockton and Iraan carried 428 to 156. Investment of \$250,000 for a general hospital and \$50,000 for a smaller unit at Iraan is called for in the hospital plan. It is understood that two different doctors have already inquired about leasing the plant.

Mrs. S. D. Harper and Mrs. Keno Ogden are attending the Methodist Encampment at Kerrville this week. They will return home Friday.

**SUTTON REA GETS LOAN FOR EXTENSIONS**

A new REA loan for the Kimble Electric Co-Op to the amount of \$300,000 will bring 300 miles of new lines, in 6 counties, including Sutton and 5 others.

Benefitting will be: Kimble, 130 members; Menard, 70 members; Sutton, 22; Edwards, 13; Kerr 8.5; Mason, 2.

Mrs. Ernest Sellers has returned home from a San Angelo hospital. The baby boy born Sunday, Aug. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Sellers has been placed in an incubator at the hospital where he will remain for awhile.

**'46 COTTON CROP IN NEED OF RAIN; BOLLS OPENING**

Little cotton insect infestation is reported in Schleicher County's cotton, as the Farmer's Co-op gin prepares to handle what may be a short crop.

County Agent W. G. Godwin, in a recent tour of the county to make an insect survey, found 3% boll worm infestation of cotton — indicating extremely light damage from that source.

It is generally admitted that without moisture, the drouth will cut the yield, by decreasing the number, size and quality of the bolls. This is a disappointing situation to growers, who had started the season with fine prospects.

Hop Cheatham has had to use poison for leaf worm — possibly the only one in the county to do so. A few bolls of open cotton have been noticed by growers, who state that cotton is heavily loaded, promising a fair crop if moisture comes in time.

An estimated 1500 to 2,000 acres of Schleicher County land is planted this year in cotton. The yield should be 300 or more bales, state local gin men.

In preparation for handling of the crop, the Farmers' Co-op gin has replaced worn gin saws, and worked others over; these are back from the factory and are again in place at the gin. Other repairs and preparations are under way, with possibility that a few scattered bales may be ready for ginning in a week or two.

Local Manager Van McCormick reports a shortage of gin hands to date, and necessity of locating help before the gin starts its late summer run.

**MRS. SCOTT OPENS BEAUTY SHOP AT RESIDENCE**

Mrs. H. W. Scott, beauty operator here for almost ten years, has opened a beauty shop in her residence at the Yates place, and is now open for business.

Mrs. Scott is a well known Schleicher County resident, as she has lived here most of her life, with the exception of three years, while her husband was in service.

Mr. Scott is connected with the Home Gas Company of Sonora. The couple have a daughter a year and a half old.

**Girl Scouts Show Doll Dress Exhibit**

The Intermediate Girl Scouts under the leadership of Mrs. Bethel Jeffrey have had as one of their summer projects the making of a doll dress for their favorite doll. The dolls and their newly made clothes have been on display the past week in the window of the Hoover Drug Store. First, second and third places were awarded as follows: Billie Jo Jeffrey, first machine made; Pansy Owens, 2nd machine made; Esther Jones, third machine made; Margaret Ellen Edmiston, first hand made; Corena Burk, second handmade. Others displaying dresses were Jeanne Goss and Shirley Sofge.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Ratliff and daughter, Carolyn of Ozona were visitors Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ratliff.

**Col. W. E. Gibson Given Special Award For War Service**

Lt. Col. Weldon B. Gibson, native of Eldorado, was presented the Legion of Merit by Maj. General Lester T. Miller of Air Materiel Command, during ceremonies in the office of Air Materiel Command commanding general Nathan F. Twining at Wright Field, Ohio recently, August 9, 1946.

The award was based on his demonstration of unusual professional ability in directing the material requirements program of the Army Air Forces, as Chief, Requirements section, Supply division, Headquarters, Air Technical Service Command, from October, 1943 to Oct., 1945. Col. Gibson is presently assigned as assistant director, Institute of Technology, Air Materiel Command.

Graduating from Eldorado High School in 1934, Col. Gibson received

his bachelor's degree from Washington State College and his Master's degree in Business Administration from Stanford University. He entered the Air Corps as a second lieutenant April 1, 1941 and was promoted to Colonel in November, 1945, and later recommissioned a Lt. Col. in accordance with the Air Force's reduction in grade program.

Col. Gibson is the associate author of "Global Geography" and "World Political Geography" and 2 publications in the field of military logistics.

Evans Commission Co., have sold for Thad A. Thomson, Jr., 175 mixed calves to Walter Kothman of Menard.

Mrs. Paul Johnson of Brady visited this week in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Galbreath and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Galbreath. She is a niece of the two men.

**Presbyterian Pastor Is Guest In Pulpit At Sunday Services**

Rev. Noel P. Wilkerson of Itasca was guest pastor Sunday morning and evening at the First Presbyterian Church. He was accompanied here by his wife and two children, and the family left here Monday morning for Kerrville where they will attend the Presbyterian Assembly.

While here, they were guests Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Finley, who honored them with an outdoor supper in the evening, and on Sunday night were guests in the W. T. Whitten home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baker entertained on Sunday evening with a supper honoring the visitors, and following church services Sunday night, the congregation enjoyed a watermelon feast on the church lawn.

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## McGinnes Reunion Held At Christoval

The annual reunion of the McGinnes family was held at Christoval on August 17 and 18 with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Doyal and R. S. Neal of Barnhart; Mrs. Allen Doyal, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Doyal and family, Tatum, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Conner, Balmorhea; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Low and Dovie Morgan, Mrs. S. A. Clark and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Low and children and Joe Low of Menard; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Gorman and Carolyn, Misses Mary Gorman, Mary Clark, and Margaret Doyal, Bill Brooks, Stanley Bolin, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Snow and family, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dodd and daughter, Grape Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ditmore and Douglas; Mr.

and Mrs. Ben Brooks and Lela Ann, and Mrs. James Cotten of Tennyson; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snow, Eden; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Logan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Padgett and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Harris and family, R. J. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McGinnes, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnes, Mr. and Mrs. Elton McGinnes and Lynda, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinnes and family, and Miss Iris Brooks, all of Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Lum Davis and daughter, Jan are visiting with relatives at La Ferria this week and attending a reunion of the McDonald family. This will be the first time the entire family have been together in 23 years.

## Washington News Letter

After a year and a half in almost continuous session, the 79th Congress has adjourned and most of the Members have hurried away to their homes in the 48 States. Barring the unexpected, the recess will last until next January when the newly elected Congress will convene.

During this congress many historical events have occurred. It saw Germany and Japan go down in defeat. The atomic bomb made its advent. The United Nations Organization, giving hope for permanent peace, was created and ratified by the nations of the world. President Roosevelt, on the verge of seeing his dreams of victory and peace come true, was stricken in untimely death. Harry Truman, the man who didn't want to be President, was sworn in.

On the home front America, so powerful in war, has seen its reconversion program in peacetime retarded by a wave of strikes unprecedented in this or any other country. This Congress, a fairly conservative one, has struggled with domestic problems amid the demands of various conflicting groups. The overall success of the session will be measured not alone by laws that have been enacted but also by what was not done. The prevention of the passage of a law may be more important for the country than the passage of one. It depends on the subject.

In the closing days of the session, the House and Senate got together on a resolution designed to reorganize Congress. The measure has been highly publicized as a "streamlining" action. It is doubtful that the new program will create any miracles, but it is certain that many of the procedures that have hardly changed since Jefferson's time will be modernized. There are now 48 standing committees in the House, many with overlapping jurisdiction, and this number will be reduced to only 19. The committees will be staffed with expert help. It all lends hope to an improvement in the present set-up and a more efficiently operated Congress in the future. The measure also increases congressional pay and provides a pension plan which is supposed to be self supporting eventually. However, I voted against these two provisions.

Beginning on August 15 my office in the Post Office Building in San Angelo will be open. The office in Washington will remain open throughout the recess period where all mail addressed to me at the Capitol will receive prompt attention.

During the recess period, which will likely continue until January, I will be in the San Angelo office or visiting over the district. Those who have problems they desire to bring to my attention may reach me by mail, telephone, or even better, by personal calls.

I was requested by the Chairman of the House Committee on Immigration to go to Europe this Fall to collect certain data and information pertaining to immigration problems but have foregone the trip in order to spend more time in the district.

By a Presidential Directive issued last December, six special consulates were opened in our occupied zone in Germany to speed the processing of immigration visas by displaced persons there under our quota laws. Those applications are being screened and processed by the Army—and our consular officials, and an average of 1100 immigrants a month are now being brought out. It is most important that the number be held down and that every care be taken in the selection of personnel who are permitted to enter this country. In fact, many of us believe the quotas should be reduced during this postwar period.

There are 300,000 displaced persons in our camps in our zone in Germany. These are being cared for by UNRRA under Army supervision. The Army considers this one of its most difficult problems over there at the present time.

## Bailey Ranch Church Closes Its Revival

Revival services at the Bailey Ranch Baptist Church closed Sunday evening following a week of good attendance and inspirational sermons by the Rev. W. I. Taylor of Big Lake. Three additions to the church were reported.

Following services Sunday evening, the regular pastor, Rev. W. A. Knight of Merton, presented his resignation as he is being placed on the inactive list, having reached the age of retirement.

## GOOD MAIZE CROP

Clyde R. Keeney is cutting a 400-acre feed crop, which he reports to be good, in spite of the drought. Some is to be combined and some will be used for grazing, states Mr. Keeney, Schleicher Co. stock farmer, who believes in selling his maize on the hoof. The Keeney land is located in Schleicher County's farming country and is surrounded by other cultivated fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Copeland left Tuesday on a business trip to Dallas.

## RUPTURE

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H. M. SHEVNAN, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at the St. Angelus Hotel, San Angelo, Tuesday only, August 27 from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Murrell and two sons, Dan and Frank spent five days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prochaska. Their home is at New Orleans.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McClatchey were their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Frank Newman, Wanda and Elaine of San Angelo.

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H. J. R. No. 10  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Section 62 providing a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; limiting the amount contributed by the State to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits hereunder from receiving other direct aid from the State; authorizing counties to provide and administer such a Fund for appointive county officers and employees after favorable vote in a county election for such purpose; limiting the amount contributed by the county to such Fund; providing for investment of Fund with certain exceptions; prohibiting recipients of benefits from said Fund from receiving other direct aid from the State; and providing for an election, necessary form of ballot, and publication on the question of adoption of this Amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 62, which shall read as follows: "Sec. 62 (a). The Legislature shall have the right to levy taxes to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the State, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person.

"All funds provided from the compensation of such person, or by the State of Texas, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the Treasury of the State of Texas, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the State, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid.

"(b). Each county shall have the right to provide for and administer a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the appointive officers and employees of the county; provided same is authorized by a majority vote of the qualified voters of such county and after such election has been advertised by being published in at least one newspaper of general circulation in said county once each week for four consecutive weeks; provided that the amount contributed by the county to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the county, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$180) for any such person.

"All funds provided from the compensation of each such person, or by the county, for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the county, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States, provided that a sufficient amount of said funds

shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund; and provided that the recipients of benefits from said Fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless the Fund, the creation of which is provided for herein, contributed by the county, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1946, (being the 5th day thereof\*) at which all ballots shall have printed thereon: "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System for the officers and employees of the State of Texas and authorizing counties to provide such system for the appointive officers and employees of the counties of the State of Texas," and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide a Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System for the officers and employees of the State of Texas and authorizing counties to provide such system for the appointive officers and employees of the counties of the State of Texas."

Each voter shall scratch one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

\*According to an opinion by the Attorney General of Texas. (Aug. 1-8-15-22)

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H. J. R. No. 49  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 7-a"; providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from the taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; and providing for the proclamation of the election and the publication thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as 7-a and to read as follows:

"Section 7-a. Subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction, all net revenues remaining after payment of all refunds allowed by law and expenses of collection derived from motor vehicle registration fees, and all taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, on motor fuels and lubricants used to propel motor vehicles over public roadways, shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way, constructing, maintaining, and policing such public roadways, and for the administration of such laws as may be prescribed by the Legislature pertaining to the supervision of traffic and safety on such roads; and for the payment of the principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible prior to January 2, 1945, for payment out of the County and Road District Highway Fund under existing law; provided, however, that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue derived by counties from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts allowed to be retained by each County and the percentage allowed to be retained by each County under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the General Election to be held in November, 1946, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less

revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect January 1, 1945; and negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose.

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration fees than the maximum amounts and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; and negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose.

"Each voter shall strike out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting FOR or AGAINST said proposed amendment."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto. (Aug. 1-8-15-22)

S. J. R. No. 5  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to appropriate Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such College pursuant to deficiency authorization of the Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section, as follows:

"The Legislature is authorized to appropriate so much money as may be necessary, not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars, to pay claims incurred by John Tarleton Agricultural College for the construction of a building on the campus of such college pursuant to deficiency authorization by the Governor of Texas on August 31, 1937."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D., 1946, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE"; and "AGAINST THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PAY FOR BUILDING CONSTRUCTED FOR JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the state, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election. (Aug. 1-8-15-22)

H. J. R. No. 62  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by the addition of a new Section to be known as Section 49-b, creating a Veteran's Land Board and establishing a Veteran's Land Fund; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 49-b which shall read as follows:

"Section 49-b. There is hereby created a Board to be known as the Veteran's Land Board, which shall be composed of the Governor, the Attorney General, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Legislature shall provide by law for the issuance by said Board of not to exceed Twenty-five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the Veteran's Land Fund. Such bonds shall be executed by said Board as an obligation of the State of Texas in such form, denominations, and upon such terms as shall be prescribed by law, provided, however, that said bonds shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three per cent (3%) per annum.

"In the sale of any such bonds a preferential right of purchase shall be given to the administrators of the various teacher retirement funds, the Permanent University Funds, and the Permanent Free School Funds; such bonds to be issued only as needed, in the opinion of the Veteran's Land Board under legislative authorization.

"The Veteran's Land Fund shall be used by the Board for the sole purpose of purchasing lands suitable for the purpose hereinafter stated, situated in this State (a) owned by the United States, or any governmental agency thereof; (b) owned by the Texas Prison System, or any other governmental agency of the State of Texas; or (c) owned by any person, firm, or corporation.

"All lands thus purchased shall be acquired at the lowest price obtainable, be paid for in cash, and shall be a part of the Veteran's Land Fund.

"The lands of the Veteran's Land Fund shall be sold by the State to Texas Veterans of the present war or wars, commonly known as World War II, in such quantities, and on such terms, and at such prices and such rates of interest, and under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, however, that any such lands remaining unsold at the expiration of eight (8) years after the effective date of this Amendment may be sold to anyone as shall be prescribed by law.

"All moneys received and which have been received and which have not been used for repurchase of land as provided herein by the Veteran's Land Board from the sale of lands and for interest on deferred payments shall be credited to the Veteran's Land Fund for use in purchasing additional lands to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II, in like manner as shall be provided for the sale of lands purchased with the proceeds from the sales of the bonds, provided for herein, for a period of eight (8) years from the effective date of this Amendment; provided, however, that so much of such moneys as may be necessary to pay interest on the bonds herein provided for shall be set aside for that purpose. After eight (8) years from the effective date of this Amendment, all moneys received by the Veteran's Land Board from the sale of the lands and interest on deferred payments, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be set aside for the retirement of said bonds and to pay interest thereon, and any of such moneys not so needed shall be deposited to the credit of the General Revenue Fund to be appropriated to such purposes as may be prescribed by law."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first Thursday in November, 1946, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"FOR the Amendment of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding Section 49-b creating a Veteran's Land Fund for the purchase of lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"AGAINST the Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding Section 49-b creating a Veteran's Land Fund for the purchase of lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective from the date of the determination of such result and the Governor's proclamation thereof.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

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**Layette Gift Shower Honors Mrs. Hawkins**

Honoring Mrs. John E. Hawkins, Mrs. R. L. Nolen entertained with a layette shower Saturday afternoon. Punch and salad plates were served to fifteen guests. Those present were Miss Emma Riley, Mmes. O. L. Woodward, Jimmie Bracken, E. Smith, R. D. McKee, J. A. Griffin, W. F. Parrent, Misses Pearl Jeffrey, Bobbie McKee, Billie Parrent, Mrs. A. L. Wootten, Mrs. Nolan and the honoree.

Those sending gifts were Mmes. H. T. Finley, Payne Robinson, W. F. Meador, George Long, Marvin McDonald, A. J. Atkins, Claude Butler, Bertha Wilson, Houston Thigpen, J. F. Jeffrey, Laymond Hazelwood, Ola Mae Harris, Lillie Craig, F. B. Calcote, Melba McDuff, Bethel Jeffrey, Jess Walston, Whiteley, Bill Allen, Wilma Morris, Gordon McDonald, Jack Griffin, Joe Griffin, M. H. Woodward, Don Miller, E. W. Brooks, Jack Etherege, E. H. Coulter, C. C. West, Coralie Mebane, Misses Tommie Lee Wilson, Ollie Lee Jeffrey, Dora Riley and Bovernon Blair.

**MISS RUTH MUND JOINS FACULTY AS PE TEACHER**

Miss Ruth Mund, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mund, and a physical education major at TSCW, has accepted the position as physical education teacher in the Eldorado school. She will have classes in the grades and high school. An EHS ex, she comes to the school with the best of recommendations. Two vacancies remain on the faculty: public school music and Spanish.

**Gift Tea Honors Mrs. Sam Henderson**

Mrs. Sam H. Henderson was honored with a gift tea from 4:00 to 6:00 p. m. last Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Van McCormick. Hostesses were Mmes. L. Wheeler, W. F. Meador, C. L. Meador and McCormick. Mrs. L. D. Mund presided at the guest register and the hostesses alternated in serving punch and angel cake from a linen covered table centered with an arrangement of mixed white flowers. Approximately 40 guests called during the afternoon. Out of town guests included Mrs. Walter Duff and Mrs. P. S. Hallman of San Angelo, aunt and cousin of Mr. Henderson.

**NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB**

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin entertained the Night Bridge Club at their home Monday evening. High score was awarded Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Finley, and cut prize went to Horace Linthicum for men, and to Mrs. C. A. Reynolds for women.

A cold salad plate was served to Messers. and Mmes. Leslie Baker, Kenneth Cheek, C. A. Reynolds, Carroll White, W. R. Bearce, Jimmie West, Linthicum, Finley, members, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shurgart, and Mrs. E. B. Keng of Sonora, guests.

G. H. Davis returned last week from a several weeks visit in Denison with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Harlow, Mr. Harlow, who has been seriously ill, was reported to be much better.

**NEW FAMILIES MOVE TO CITY WITH PAVING JOB**

Among new comers to Eldorado are several families with the Schwoppe Bros. of San Antonio, contractors for the street paving. These include: Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cunningham and two daughters who are living in the E. C. Hill garage apartment; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sutton, who have living quarters at the S. L. Stanford place; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rummel and three children, who are residing at the Rock Courts; Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McElwrath and four children who are in the Mrs. C. T. Sproul residence. Only three of their children are here at present, a son, 19 having recently been discharged from the Army.

Henry Winkleman, a bookkeeper with the firm has a room at the home of Mrs. Mattie Cozzens.

**Methodist Party Thursday At Church**

The Intermediate and Senior classes of the Methodist Church were entertained with a lawn party at the church last Thursday evening. Hostesses included Mrs. Frank Van Horn, Mrs. Palmer West, Mrs. F. B. Faust and Mrs. Keno Ogden. Games were played and refreshments of sandwiches were served to 24 guests including the hostesses, Rev. Faust, Mrs. Ethel Wright and daughter, Charlotte of Fort Worth, and several visitors from other churches.

**86 Dairy Cows Tested for Disease**

86 dairy cows were tested for Bangs and T. B. in Schleicher County by O. C. Granzin, veterinarian from San Angelo.

There was no T. B. found and a minimum amount of Bangs disease. Should there be other owners who desire this service contact the county agent.

**Son of Finleys Signs Up Until March '47**

George Stanley Finley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Finley, has signed up for retention under the V5 program until March, 1947, and has received promotion to Seaman 2c.

He is now in New Orleans and will be given assignment soon. He hopes to be at home on furlough next month.

**HOUSE SOLD**

John Whitley of Julian, Calif., has sold to Mrs. W. L. Brown of Austin, a house in the Keeney Addition, on the old Samples road. Mr. and Mrs. Brown were here during the weekend to make arrangements for the purchase. The house has been rented to the Bogus family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of Phoenix, Ariz., have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hill. They went on to New Orleans where they will spend the remainder of their vacation before returning to Phoenix.

Mrs. J. A. Enochs, formerly of Schleicher County, and now a resident of Camp Wood, has been ill in a hospital at Christoval but is now much improved. She and her husband have been visiting this week in Eldorado.

**HOUSE SOLD**

C. C. Stephenson has sold his house and lot located near the Primitive Baptist Church, and which formerly belonged to Mrs. Myrtle Williams, to O. L. Woodward, who has been ranching on University land in the west part of the county.

The Stephensons will give possession Sept. 1, and will move to Junction where they have bought a house.

**GOOD SALE MADE**

The Eldorado Wool Company sold this week approximately 100,000 pounds of mohair which includes tonnage from Fall 1945 shearing, some hair from the last Spring accumulation, and Fall 1946 clip now in the process of being shorn.

The name of the purchaser was not announced nor the price range disclosed, but it is understood locally that the sale was effected at values somewhat above those prevailing for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ellington have had as their guests recently her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Sandel of Shreveport, La., and a nephew, Jack Buchanan of Dryden. Mrs. Ellington, Mary Lillian and Lilla Jean accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sandel to Sheffield early this week for a visit with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Jones went to Brady Monday where Mr. Jones underwent a medical check-up at the hospital there.

Mrs. A. L. Ohlenburg and children of McCamey were week end visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Jones.

Miss Joyce Terrell of Farmersville, La., was a visitor this week in the home of her cousin, Mrs. W. H. McClatchey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lauderdale have just returned from a two weeks vacation trip to Arizona and New Mexico where they saw such interesting sights as the Painted Desert, Grand Canyon, Petrified Forest and the White Sands. On their return home they visited with relatives of Mr. Lauderdale at Iraan, including a brother from Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Jerry Pennington has returned home from a San Angelo hospital, and is reported to be doing fine.

Richard Lee Davis, a returned veteran, will enter school at Sul Ross College at the opening of the fall semester.

Mrs. J. L. Neill returned to her job at the Eldorado Hardware Co., Monday morning after a vacation trip to Odessa, Pampa, and Las Animas, Colo. She accompanied her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. John McLeod of Pontotoc, there.

Mrs. R. J. Page is visiting with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brittain at Pettus.

Mrs. J. A. Griffin and L. B. Kerr returned last Thursday from Three Rivers where they were called to the bedside of their brother, Sam Kerr, who was seriously ill. They were also accompanied there by another brother, Dewey Kerr, and a sister, Mrs. Viola Wolf, both of Houston, who were visiting here with relatives at the time. Mr. Kerr's condition was reported to be slightly better.

Mrs. Hattie Neeley of San Antonio is visiting in the home of Mrs. C. C. West. She has just returned here from visits at Sweetwater and Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton McGinnes and daughter, Lynda, have moved into the house which they recently purchased from Mrs. J. D. Ramsey.

**CARD OF THANKS**

For the cards, letters, flowers and other acts of sympathy expressed to us in any way at the loss of our baby, Valton Lewis, we are sincerely grateful. Your cards and words of cheer during Mrs. Pennington's stay in the hospital, brought comfort and helped to lighten our burden more than you will ever know. Your kindness will ever be remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pennington and sons 1tc

Frank Prochaska and son, Charles David left San Angelo early Monday morning by bus for Rev. Anna, Neb., to visit the former's mother, who has been sick. Mr. Prochaska is on three week's vacation from his duties as Shell engineer.

Mrs. C. S. Clark of Sweetwater is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Vogle.

Frankie D. Doty is visiting his brother at Ft. Davis.

Among the 100 who attended the annual Wade family reunion at Ballinger during the week end were Mrs. Slim Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wade and Jackie, and Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Wade, and Charles, Bill and Patsy of Eldorado, and Fannie Selman of Sonora.

Mrs. Rosa Owens has returned from a visit with relatives at Lubbock and Robert Lee.

Publisher Clay Puckett and his daughter of Sonora were Eldorado callers Monday, on their way to San Angelo to visit Mrs. Puckett, who spent several days in a hospital there.

Mrs. E. C. Hill and her brother, Tom Blasenz returned home Monday from a visit of several days at Calvert with relatives.

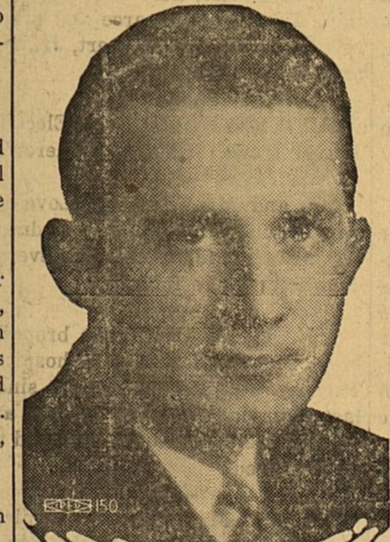
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Humphrey and Mr. and Mrs. John Sidney Williams spent Saturday night and Sunday at Christoval.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Kirby and daughter, Peggy Jo of Monahans visited several days this week in the home of Mrs. Will Doyle. Mrs. Kirby is a sister of Mrs. Doyle.

**Allan Shivers Runs For Lt. Governor On Qualifications**

Senator Allan Shivers, leading candidate for lieutenant governor, is seeking election to that office solely on the basis of his qualifications of wide training and experience.

In every way, Allan Shivers, the legislator, lawyer, farmer and World War II combat veteran, is



exceptionally qualified for the No. 2 state office. As a state senator for a number of years, he established an excellent record of public service. A loyal Democrat and native Texan, he is a man of highest character and splendid personality. The majority of Texans believe he will reflect credit and honor on the State of Texas.

Shivers, a war veteran of two years overseas, during which time he earned 5 battle stars, did his best to make this a free country for a free people. He will continue that course as lieutenant governor. He has conducted a dignified campaign, free of mud-slinging and personalities. His platform appeals to every Texan: Better farm-to-market roads, better salaries for school teachers, enlarged public safety facilities, a thorough public health program, redistricting of the state for legislative purposes, greater aid to the aged, real assistance to war veterans, reorganization of the pardon and parole system, a first class university for the colored, and equal responsibility from both labor and management. He is against a sales, state income or any other form of new taxes.

Allan Shivers will be the lieutenant governor of all the people. In addition to integrity, sincerity and ability, he has a background of training and a record of public service already performed which service already performed which motion. (adv)

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### Nolan McDonald Buys Gulf Service Station

Newest additions to Eldorado's business district are Mr. and Mrs. Nolan McDonald, who Wednesday bought the Gulf Station near the schoolhouse from Orland Harris.

Mr. McDonald was reared in Eldorado, moved away in 1917, spent 18 years in the automobile business at Brady, was in Civil Service work at San Antonio, and for several years has been employed at Red River Arsenal at Texarkana.

The couple's son, James William McDonald, who has been filling his father's place at Texarkana will move soon to Eldorado also, with his wife and baby, Jimmie.

Mr. Harris has made no plans for the future as yet.

Mr. McDonald, who took charge of the business today, states that he will continue to carry Gulf products, sell school supplies and groceries, and do washing and greasing.

### GETS DEGREE

Arthur W. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, will receive his degree in Animal Husbandry at A & M Saturday, and will soon afterward return home. He has made application for a course in applied veterinary science, but has not received notification of acceptance as yet.

### GIRLS ARE HONORED ON THEIR BIRTHDAYS

Honoring their daughters, Monetta and Thomasine on their sixth and 7th birthday anniversaries, Mrs. O. B. Bradshaw and Mrs. J. R. Jones entertained with a joint party Wednesday evening.

Games were played and refreshments of birthday cake and punch were served to Ann Ballew, Robbie Frost, Cecil Mac and Pam Walston, Jerry Lyn and Kenneth Paul Pennington, Phyllis, Tony and Ronnie Kerr, Becky Mund, Jimmie Dell and June Williams, Riedale West, Jeanie Mund, Judith Ann Jones, Eddie Ohlenburg, Beverley Kerr, Eugene Bradshaw, David Steen, Rex Enochs, Joyce Burk, Ebba Ann Finley, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Jones, Mrs. H. H. Hooker, Mrs. R. A. King and the hostesses.

Mrs. Adolph Green, colored, is improving her home here after spending four months at Alice and Corpus Christi receiving medical treatment.

## SUCCESS WANT ADS

WANTED—Piano to rent.—Mrs. F. P. McElwath. Phone 156. 1\*

FOR SALE—Filling station in South Eldorado on Sonora road for \$1,500.—See Jones Motor Co. ttc

FOR SALE—6 volt windcharger and steel tower. Also 6 volt battery radio.—A. V. Doty. 1t\*

FOR SALE—House and lot in Eldorado. Call Lloyd Smith, phone No. 2321. 32-33\*

FOR SALE—The McWhorter building, opposite Hoover Drug store, to be moved away.—See F. B. Calcote. 1tc

FOR SALE—100 head 2 year old Ewes, bred for October and November. Also 2 yearling rams.—W. R. Lewis, Eldorado 32-2\*

FOR SALE—14-ft. Samson Model B windmill, wood tower complete with string 2 1/2 inch pipe and rods. With minor repairs and adjustments would render years of service. Also one Fairbanks Morse 7-tube large table model electric radio; 3 wave bands including regular broadcast, foreign, and short-wave.—Eldorado Wool Co. 32-33c

FOR SALE—Young gentle Jersey cow, had dozen calf this spring, \$150. Over dozen thoroughbred Buff Orpington hens, \$1.25 each.—Dr. H. Z. Pennington. 32-33\*

W. R. WORD residence is for sale at \$4,000. Located one block from highway and close to school. Lots of concrete side walk. Seven room house with shower bath. Possession given in September. Call on W. R. Word or Mrs. Jud Brannon, Box 216. (Aug. 15 - ttc.)

LEGAL SIZE typewriter paper for use on typewritten legal forms. Size 8 1/2 x 14, high quality stock. 1 cent per sheet in small amounts. Also blue covers for binding.—The Eldorado Success. x

### Bonds Are Printed for Memorial Park

Upon receipt of assurance that the bonds for the Memorial Park would be approved, the county has ordered printing of the bonds, as one of the last steps in eliminating "paper work" on the project.

The signatures of county officials will be obtained before paying of the actual cash can be accomplished.

With unwinding of the required amount of red tape, the county will probably be in position within ten days to advertise for bids on the project if they desire to do so.

The bonds voted at a county election provide a \$50,000 fund for erection of a Memorial Park, probably a building and grounds, in honor of war veterans.

### New Fire Truck For County Makes Three Runs

The new County Fire truck arrived last Saturday and was immediately initiated in when grass fires in the Wagley pasture and at the W. C. Roberts place broke out Saturday. The third run for the truck was made on Monday when feed stored at the fair grounds became ignited in some manner.

The new truck will be kept at the City Hall and manned by the local department. It will be the first to answer all fire alarms, providing 50% more efficiency to the town. The reason for this is answered by Chief Palmer West, in that this truck carries its own water, and upon reaching the scene can pump water on the blaze until the city truck arrives with its hose. The new truck is equipped with 2,000 feet of new 1 1/2 inch hose. Chief West states that 85% of all fires are put out with first aid extinguishers, and this truck is in that category.

The local firemen are working to attain efficiency and will attain it, states Chief West. After all, the most valuable equipment is no more efficient than the men who operate it, and does not prove its worth unless manned by efficient and capable men, West says.

### EASTERN STAR PICNIC

Approximately 125 were present for the Eastern Star barbecue on the courthouse lawn Tuesday evening, honoring Robert Morris, founder.

Barbecued chevon, salads, beans, pickles, cakes and iced tea were served to those present.

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks for the cards, letters, flowers and telephone calls received by Delma while she was in the hospital recently. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Logan and Delma. 1c

Delma Logan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Logan, is recovering at her home here after undergoing an emergency appendectomy in a San Angelo hospital last week. She is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mrs. James Bracken and baby, Mary Illene of Bell Gardens, Calif., are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Griffin. She is the former Mary Virginia Griffin. Mrs. Bracken expects her husband in Sunday for a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll of San Angelo came in Wednesday noon to visit relatives.

JUST RECEIVED — Electric Travel Irons. \$8.50 at Cameron's.

W. M. Patterson was a Sonora visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. O. H. Bailey and two children, Beverley and Robert of Lenoir City, Tennessee, are visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hop Cheatham. Mrs. Bailey is the former Kathleen Hughes.

Virgie Tinning, who has been spending the summer months with her grandparents at Hutto and her father, Dobie Tinning, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Atkins spent Tuesday and Wednesday in San Angelo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bird and Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Horn, Jr., and Judy.

### MRS. SALLIE MURCHISON, ELDORADO RESIDENT SINCE HER MARRIAGE, HAS SEVENTY FIRST BIRTHDAY WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Sallie Murchison, long time resident of Schleicher County, observed her 71st birthday, Wednesday, Aug. 21. No special observance was planned, "Aunt Sallie," as she is known to her friends, passing the day quietly at the family home where she has resided since her early married days.

Sallie Bates was born in Lee County, Miss., August 21, 1875, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bates, Sr. At the age of 6 months, she moved with her parents to Texas via New Orleans, where they took the Southern Pacific to the end of the line at Luling, Texas, and from there the family came by stage coach to San Antonio. Later they moved to Utopia, where Sallie grew to young womanhood. She was married in 1896 to Hood Morgan Murchison, who had previously settled in Schleicher County, and who came to Utopia to claim his bride.

The couple left the next day after their marriage, and came by buggy to Eldorado where they secured rooms at Mrs. C. C. West's boarding house for a while. The house where Mrs. Murchison still lives, was the first frame house built of new lumber in Eldorado. Much of the lumber for the house was hauled by wagon from Fredericksburg. Mrs. Murchison recalls that when it was first built, she and her husband could sit on the front porch and watch wild antelope come up in the town section.

Three sons were born to the couple: Robert (Bob), born on Jan. 29, 1897 at the family residence here, and who now resides at Ft. Stockton; William (Bill) of Reecato, Calif., born May 29, 1898 at the family home and Herman (Beechie) of Eldorado, born Jan. 29, 1900 on the Dink Meador ranch where the family was residing at that time. Significant is the fact that all of the boys' birth dates end in the figure 9, and that two, Bob and Herman, have the same birthdays, with 3 years difference in their ages.

Mr. Murchison died in 1900 when the youngest child was 6 months old. The McWhorter building on the corner, which was recently bought by F. B. Calcote, was built by Mr. Murchison, who put in the first grocery store, and drilled the first water well here. It is reported by old timers that he also shot the last buffalo to be killed in this county.

Mrs. Murchison has made her home in Eldorado since her husband's death, her father having lived with her until his death at some 90-odd years of age. Since that time, she has lived alone most of the time until recently when her son, Herman and wife moved there to live with her. She has been a life long member of the Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Murchison's only grandchild, 2nd Lt. Robert Perner Murchison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Murchison, was lost over the Mediterranean during World War II.

### BUY SURPLUS VEHICLES

Among the successful purchasers in the first "mail order" catalog sale of surplus used motor vehicles conducted by the Veterans' Division of the War Assets Administration office in Fort Worth were Ford L. Sturdivant and A. Sheyart, both of Eldorado. Sturdivant purchased a 1942 4-door Pontiac Sedan for \$1034.00, while Sheyart, who is also a veteran of World War II, was awarded a 1943 C & R Ford Jeep for \$536.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Love of San Antonio arrived here Wednesday morning for a visit of several days with home folks.

Mrs. H. O. Graf was brought home from a San Angelo hospital Tuesday where she had been since last Thursday receiving medical attention. Her condition is reported to be improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McCormick, Donna Beth, and Mrs. Rutha Boyer spent Wednesday in Menard. Mr. McCormick attended to business while the women visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bruton and son of the Reynolds community and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hughes of Brady are on a ten-day vacation trip to Evergreen, Colo. where they are visiting with a sister and daughter.

Mrs. Margie McElrod accompanied by her sister, Mrs. H. O. Graf and George Lee returned to her home at Monahans Thursday (today) after a visit here in the Graf home. Mrs. Graf and George Lee will spend several days visiting with Mrs. Elrod and other relatives.

Ward C. Parks of Pyote, former Eldorado resident, underwent surgery in a San Angelo hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Ratliff underwent a major operation in a San Angelo hospital Wednesday. She was quite sick during the day but was reported to be much better this morning (Thursday).

Jack Hext, manager of the Frozen Foods, underwent an emergency appendectomy at a San Angelo hospital Wednesday night. He was reported to be doing well this morning.

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ple: Robert (Bob), born on Jan. 29, 1897 at the family residence here, and who now resides at Ft. Stockton; William (Bill) of Reecato, Calif., born May 29, 1898 at the family home and Herman (Beechie) of Eldorado, born Jan. 29, 1900 on the Dink Meador ranch where the family was residing at that time. Significant is the fact that all of the boys' birth dates end in the figure 9, and that two, Bob and Herman, have the same birthdays, with 3 years difference in their ages.

Mr. Murchison died in 1900 when the youngest child was 6 months old. The McWhorter building on the corner, which was recently bought by F. B. Calcote, was built by Mr. Murchison, who put in the first grocery store, and drilled the first water well here. It is reported by old timers that he also shot the last buffalo to be killed in this county.

Mrs. Murchison has made her home in Eldorado since her husband's death, her father having lived with her until his death at some 90-odd years of age. Since that time, she has lived alone most of the time until recently when her son, Herman and wife moved there to live with her. She has been a life long member of the Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Murchison's only grandchild, 2nd Lt. Robert Perner Murchison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Murchison, was lost over the Mediterranean during World War II.

### FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

The Fundamental Baptist Church will fill their appointment at the Reynolds community this coming Sunday. We have been enjoying good attendance at these services once a month and would like to invite all who live near there to come and join with us in these meetings.

Cpl. Glenn McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McDonald, stationed now in Okinawa, writes to home folks that he recently enjoyed a trip to Shanghai, China. He has been overseas sixteen months.

Henry Mercer, who has been ill in the hospital, is resting well at his home in San Angelo where he was taken Tuesday. Out of town relatives who have been visiting with him during his illness include Mrs. Jewell Casey and Mrs. J. B. Smith and son of San Antonio, both sisters of Mr. Mercer; and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Burnett and son, J. D. of George West, brother-in-law and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. (Slick) Nolen are moving today (Thursday) to the Carl Preston ranch in the west part of the county, where Mr. Nolen will be employed.

Mrs. Lorna Schooley and Mrs. Russell Donaldson are to be in charge of the school cafeteria this year.

C. A. Bagueess and Noel Jones have been employed as school janitors.

W. R. (Bill) Word is back at home from a Del Rio hospital, and is feeling much better.

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## WRIGHT'S CASH STORE

The shopping center for household necessities and gift buying. The home of the best groceries and the largest supply arranged for your shopping convenience. See us for your needs. Our prices are reasonable.

Keg Pickles, 2 for ..... 5c Lady Grace Sour Pickles .. 25c  
Del Monte Sweet Pickles .. 35c Magic Picnic Dill Pickles .. 33c  
Del Monte Dill Pickles .... 43c Quart Sour Pickles, only .. 13c

One of the nicest assortments of pickles and olives in the city.

Rice, 2 lbs. .... 25c Grated Coconut, 1/2 pound .. 45c  
Hershey's Cocoa, pound .... 20c Pie Filling, for three pies .. 25c  
Mother's Cocoa, pound .... 14c Pudding, 18 servings ..... 25c

Jergens Face Powder ..... 25c Windex Sprayer ..... 15c  
Beauty Dusting Powder ..... 70c Kurly Pot Cleaners ..... 10c  
Lady Estes cream ..... 83c Chore Girl Cleaner ..... 10c

Scotch Boy insulating tape. Makes electric cords like new. .... 25c

Clark's and ONT thread. White, black and colored mercerized thread.

Cotton swab applicators with tongue blade. .... 10c

Day Books, each ..... 25c Clothes Lines ..... 25c  
Sponge ..... 25c Clothes Pins, 2 kinds, doz. .... 25c  
Iron Cords ..... 60c Clothes Pins, dozen ..... 5c

Cantrala Shampoo Spray and Massage 75c

### TEACHER ASS'N MAKES TEACHER SHORTAGE CHECK

The Texas State Teachers Association has just completed a survey to determine the number of teaching positions now vacant that must be filled by September 1 if schools are to open with a full staff of teachers.

Replies were received from 813 superintendents representing 33,953 teaching positions or approximately 75% of all the teachers in Texas. Out of this number, it was disclosed that there are 4,324 positions now vacant or 12.7% of the total. The picture is much worse for rural schools. The survey disclosed that in these schools there were more than 17% of all positions vacant. The larger cities were affected least by vacancies. Most of them have been able to provide salary increases for teachers this year due to the increased per capita apportionment for the coming school year.

It is evident that unless salaries are increased substantially by increased local and state support that the schools of Texas may soon find one-tenth of their classrooms vacant.

The legislative program of the Texas State Teachers Association for 1947, according to President Elizabeth Koch of San Antonio,

would be to secure better state support for the purpose of increasing teachers' salaries. She said, "This is a must on our legislative agenda. The program should be supported by every citizen in Texas because our situation is more acute today than at any time since 1941, and it appears that the situation is growing worse each year."

### GUNNS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gunn honored their son, Bobo, with a swimming party and barbecue supper Wednesday evening. Following a swim, the group returned to the Gunn home where they enjoyed an outdoor supper.

Those present were: Larry Isaacs of Big Springs, Paul Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gunn, Barbara and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wallace and Nina Mae, all of San Angelo; Buddy Baker, Bill Bearce, Billy Kenneth Cheek, Glenn Biggs, Bubba Alexander, John T. Alexander, James Alexander, Durwood Rutland, Earl Dean Clark, Jack Mund and Joe Ed Spencer.

G. C. and J. C. Crosby returned home Wednesday from Temple where they attended funeral services Tuesday for Mrs. J. C. Crosby's father, Fred Hattie. Mrs. Crosby and Kathleen remained for a few days longer.

## Sample of Saturday's Ballot

I AM A DEMOCRAT AND PLEDGE MYSELF TO SUPPORT THE NOMINEE OF THIS PRIMARY

### For GOVERNOR:

Beauford Jester, Navarro County  
Homer P. Rainey, Travis County

### For LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

Allan Shivers, Jefferson County  
Boyce House, Tarrant County

### For COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:

J. E. McDonald, Ellis County  
R. E. McDonald, Travis County

### For JUDGE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:

Tom L. Beauchamp, Smith County  
Jesse Owens, Wilbarger County