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News Review of 1950 From the Success Files

As the year of 1950 draws to a close, Schleicher county can look back over a number of important accomplishments. First in importance is the new school plant, which had been needed for a long time. It was voted in 1949 and was completed in 1950 in time for the opening of school in September. Eight miles of the new west highway was completed, and contractors are now pushing west on the remainder of the road. By the coming summer we are promised that the long-needed west road to Big Lake will be a reality.

There has been considerable oil development in the county but the areas of interest have been shifted since last January. The Skelly Company has now acted as though they had their heart in developing more wells in the Jackson field west of town. At the beginning of the year high hopes were held for a test made by Abercrombie some 15 miles northwest of Eldorado, but it proved to be a failure, and the closing months of 1950 have seen new discoveries at Huldale and Brushy Top—the north and south ends of the county.

Rainfall was good for the first two-thirds of the year and satisfactory crops were produced on limited acreage. For the last three months or more it has been dry—pasture fires have been rampant—and for a New Year's gift nothing would suit the county better than a long, slow 5-inch rain.

Some of the year's highlights as gleaned from our past 52 issues, are as follows:

January 1950

5.—Winter arrived Tuesday and laid a light covering of ice over Schleicher County. Fifty car loads of pipe unloaded here for new pipeline. Farmers complaining about cotton acreage quotas. Voters being urged to pay poll taxes.

12.—Killian and Co. of San Angelo are awarded contract for building 8 miles of new highway from Eldorado west. Foundations were nearly ready on the new school building and brick laying was due to start soon. School board lets contract for furniture and equipment for new building. 26 inches rainfall reported in 1949. Forty years of service as druggist by L. M. Hoover reported in this issue. Chevrolet and Ford both advertising the new 1950 models.

19.—Eldorado wins championship in Rangelands basketball tournament. H. A. Belk announces as candidate for county commissioner.

26.—Pipeline construction crews hit town, unable to find enough apartments. Highway construction crews also showing up. Local telephone office has switchboard entirely mechanized.

February

2.—W. A. Schuller enters race for County Clerk's office. Eldorado Eagles win 5 district games and become champions of the west half of district. West Texas Cafe moves to Eldo hotel building. Poll tax payments swap tax collector's office during last days of January. The editor was bragging about the lovely winter weather we were having.

9.—Highway construction is actually under way. Co. Agent Godwin publishes extensive report on native grasses.

16.—School board lets more contracts for equipment. Plans being made for Census. Eldorado and Junction to meet on neutral court for basketball championship. Motorists are buying new license plates.

23.—Ratlifts open new furniture store. Eagles defeat Junction for district honors, and leave for Brownwood for regional competition. Volleyball girls win Big Lake tournament.

March

2.—Eagles lose out in regional competition; basketball season is closed. Parker Foods starts big remodeling job. A. J. Halbert announces for commissioner. The wildcat tests on W. F. Meador and Pat Jackson ranches, both to be abandoned as failures.

9.—\$320,000 REA extension program is approved in Washington, D. C. Death of W. W. Jackson reported. Norther and dust storm hits county.

16.—Farm census questionnaire being mailed out. Funerals reported

for Mrs. Annie Currie, George Kinsey, and Payne B. Bailey. Cold snap does damage to fruit trees.

23.—Picture shows walls of new school building taking shape. District Governor addresses Lions Club. Sunrise Easter service being planned by Business Men's Bible Class. Box supper raises money for purchase of new piano for new school building.

30.—Parker Foods to stage 2-day open house following complete store remodeling. Special Easter services announced by churches, Lions to sponsor egg hunt. New 8-mile stretch of highway ready for black-top.

April

6.—Deaths of Dave DeLong, R. A. Evans and Mrs. Dora Boothe reported in this issue. Lorraine Dildine undergoes serious operation in San Antonio.

20.—E. W. Craig announces his candidacy for the office of County Judge. Remodeling going on in the Robt. McWhorter building.

27.—Skelly company proposes another test on the Jackson lease. School announces calendar of events for May.

May

4.—Schleicher county cotton growers granted additional acreage. Spring football training under way. Various senior entertainments being announced. Mothers Day and graduation being stressed by local merchants in their ads.

11.—Truett Stanford elected as head of All-American Corriale Assn. County gets pretty good rain. Lots of news about school closing and progress of new building.

18.—Soil conservation is stressed in this issue. Saturday noon closing is announced by post office.

28.—A heavy rain is welcomed although in some spots it did some damage to cotton. County commissioners trying to get route for new road at Rudd south to highway... not having much luck.

June

1.—Half million pounds of spring wool sold by Eldorado Wool Co. Black topping being applied to the new 8 miles of west road. Hamburger Bill returns to his old business in Eldorado. H. S. graduates scatter for vacation jobs. There is talk of a Co-op telephone company. Wiedenmann buys filling station from Edmiston Bros.

8.—More rains hit county, and electrical storm does damage to power lines and appliances. Census figures are announced which show only small gain for city. Moore and Sons to entertain Aberdeen-Angus Assn., with field day. Mrs. Hollis McCormick in hospital for operation; her husband gets broken leg and goes to hospital too.

15.—Attendance of 350 reported at Moore and Son field day. Grain harvest under way in local farms. School board orders more new equipment for building. Old building about to be torn down. Lions delegation attends meeting in Laredo.

22.—Acreage measurements are started on county's 143 farm units. A wildcat test was scheduled on the Johnny F. Webster place, 25 miles NE of Eldorado. Revivals being announced by various churches.

29.—School building construction proceeding on schedule. Band director C. F. Jones resigns to take Lakeview job. Mace installed as new Lions Club president. Calif ropings again attracting considerable interest. Co-Op asks bids for building new lines.

July

6.—Crash at local airport is fatal to oil man. Soil Conservation District holds annual field day.

13.—First Baptists vote to build \$24,000 annex. Disastrous fire on Preston ranch. School board votes to build new football grandstand. County gets another good rain.

20.—All set for primary election Saturday; four contests add interest to local races. Contract awarded to Neely Bros. for construction of new REA lines.

27.—Craig winner in county judge race. Two new commissioners named. Scattered rains reported. Old school building being rapidly torn down. PTA busy raising money for new piano.

August

3.—Eldorado Fire Department (Continued on Page 7)

YOUNG SOLDIER IN KOREAN FIGHTING EXPERIENCES HORROR OF WAR, SAVES LIFE BY PLAYING DEAD, IS RESCUED

Written from a hospital bed in Tokyo Army Hospital, on Red Cross stationery, comes this letter from the thick of the fighting in Korea. Pfc Chester Winans writes relatives here of his actual experiences as a GI participating in frontline fighting, as follows:

December 11, 1950

Dear Sis:

I guess you have heard by now that I am in a hospital. Well, this is how I am here; thanks to Almighty God:

We moved up past the first marine division, and we were going to make an attack on Chosen Reservoir. The next day we were going up one side of the river and the marines the other, but that night they attacked us and pushed us back up the road a mile or so, to where the field artillery was.

We fought all night. The next day we pushed them back to our old position, then we heard they had cut us off from the marines, which was not good, for we were low on supplies and ammunition. We fought that night and the next morning we dropped back a hundred yards and a bunch of us built a line around some wounded we had in a house.

We were there about two hours when all of a sudden I had a streak of fire hit me in the shoulder, I thought, I lay down and called for the medics with a stretcher. I thought I was going to die. They brought the stretcher up and then got pinned down by enemy fire, and they couldn't get to me at the time. Then something hit again. "My jaw," I hollered, "they got me again, my jaw's off—" but it wasn't, I was just hit in the ear. It was hurting, and I was bleeding like a stuck hog. I rolled over on the stretcher which was near, then the medics ran, grabbed the stretcher, and took it behind the house where they gave me a shot of morphine, to ease the pain, and asked me where they got me.

I told them in my shoulder and jaw. Then they took me down to the aid station, and the doctor asked me where I was hit. I said in my shoulder. He said, "You haven't got a hole there." Then he looked on my neck near my throat; there was the hole and it came out at the back.

He patched me up, put a tag on me, and sent me to the tent where there were a lot more wounded fellows.

I lay in the tent for awhile, then they started coming in, hitting near the tent. I was scared and every one else was scared.

A little closer—a little closer—then I started to praying that they wouldn't hit the tent. Then one hit the tent corner, about eight feet from me. The fellow lying there didn't know what had happened. The doctor came in. "We are going to try to take you all to the marines and get you out of here."

We loaded on trucks. There were about five or six trucks loaded with wounded guys. We started out with bullets going through the boards on one side, and going out the other side of the truck. I looked over at my buddy to ask him what he thought. There were two fellows between us.

He had just got hit between the eyes, and blood was running down his nose. He had feathers from a sleeping bag and he started picking them off. He got them picked off and ran his finger in the hole and made it bigger.

Then his brain came out a little. He pulled it off and threw it over the truck, and again he did it. I couldn't get to him to make him stop. Finally he pulled a piece out, and it touched the end of his nose, and his hand dropped—and he was dead—and the guys were hollering.

We rode all that night. It was pretty bad. We ran about ten miles when there wasn't a second that they weren't firing at us. Finally we came to a road block. They turned the machine gun on the trucks, jeeps and three quarters. They killed all the drivers and we ran without ammunition. They made a banzie attack. I crowded over behind a pile of logs. I lay there after everyone had run off that could run. They were all around me.

I played like I was dead. Two of them walked over and looked at me but I just lay there and didn't even breathe, then they left and went back up to the road, about 50 yards from me. I raised up and looked around, after lying there about two

hours. There were hundreds of Chinks up on the road. I had to leave, as it was fixing to get daylight, so I said to myself, "I HAVE to leave—if they see me after daylight they'll kill me!"

So I got to my feet. I could hardly stand up, I was so weak, but I walked off, expecting a bullet to get me any minute. But they didn't even fire at me.

I walked and walked about a mile down the road, I made it in about 45 minutes. It was daylight and the sun was up. I came to a village and stopped at a house. The river was out back.

There were some other guys in the house and we stayed there a long time—two or three hours. Finally an old native came in and told us there was a GI jeep out back on the Ice river. We went out back, toward the jeep, and a lot of fellows were walking around picking up bodies of wounded guys and putting them on the jeep. It didn't look like GI's to us GI's—so I looked at the other two and said, "Well, we'll have to take a chance," so we took off through the snow on the river toward them. We started waving our hands so the guys at the jeep wouldn't shoot at the three of us.

We got to the jeep, and saw it was marines. We were really happy to see them. They had a jeep load of wounded GI's and said, that the ones who could walk should start following the jeep tracks.

A lieutenant asked us if there were any more at the village. There were two ROK's who couldn't walk. He started toward the house we showed him.

The jeep started off toward a village a way off in the distance, and we started to following its tracks. The jeep came back empty and it picked us up and took us to where there were two or three trucks parked about 100 yards off the Ice. We got in the truck and went to an airport, got on a plane, which took us to a hospital in Korea, and from there we flew to another hospital in Japan, and from there to here.

I am doing fine and getting lots of rest and sleep.

DEATH CLAIMS PROMINENT STOCK MAN

Jake Crosby, 47, prominent Schleicher County rancher, died after a long illness, Monday afternoon at 5:20, in a San Angelo hospital. He had been in failing health many months, and in December went to Mayo Clinic at Rochester, Minnesota, but returned to San Angelo when he was told that there was no cure for his ailment. Death was attributed to a heart condition with which he had been afflicted for some time.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 at Massie Funeral Home in San Angelo, conducted by the Rev. Stanley Hauser of Sonora, Episcopal pastor. Burial was made in the Eldorado Cemetery.

Pall bearers were S. D. Harper, Pat Finley and John I. King of Eldorado, and Sonnie Noelke, C. C. Hudson, Jack Starnes, Louis Hall and Sam Roberts, all of San Angelo. Crosby was born July 19, 1903, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Crosby, Schleicher County ranchers. He was reared in this county, attended the schools of Eldorado, took his college work at Howard Payne, at Brownwood, and spent all of his adult life as a rancher and stock dealer in this locality.

He raised stock on a large acreage of leased land in Schleicher and neighboring counties, including Schleicher County University land, and other ranches. For the past seven years he had lived in San Angelo.

He is survived by his daughter, Kathleen, Mrs. E. C. St. Clair, of Paxton, Illinois, his widow, the former Agnes Wright, and his father, G. C. Crosby of Eldorado, and numerous uncles, aunts, cousins and other relatives.

His daughter was unable to attend her father's funeral, but her husband arrived in San Angelo before Mr. Crosby's death, and is here on a nine days' leave.

A large number of friends from Schleicher County and other places joined with the relatives in attendance at the funeral.

Schleicher County Oil News

Special from James C. Watson Midland, Texas

Water wells are being drilled in preparation for spudding The Ohio Oil Company No. 1 P. McIntosh, which is to be 7,200-foot Ellenburger wildcat in South-Central Schleicher County about 10 miles of Eldorado. Drillsite for the exploration is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 22, block 9, TW&NG survey. That makes it seven miles south and west of the Page field. The prospector will be drilled on a solid block of 11 sections on the McIntosh and Davis ranches. Drilling will begin as soon as machinery is moved in and installed.

Frankel Brothers and Shell Oil Company No. 1 R. S. Williams, wildcat in Central-North Schleicher County, has been completed officially as a discovery and new field opener from the middle Permian. It was potential for a daily flow of 326.27 barrels of 34-gravity oil and 9.5 percent water. The flow was gauged through a 20/64-inch choke. Perforations at 4,305-88 feet were washed with 500 gallons of mud acid. The swab was run several times and the well kicked off and started flowing. The potential is based on an actual 24-hour flow to tanks. The new producer is plugged back total depth of 4,402 feet. It was drilled to a bottom of 7,341 feet in the Ellenburger, where it developed sulphur water and had no shows of oil or gas.

The No. 1 Williams reported a completion through perforations at 5,525-5,540 feet opposite the Wolfcamp. The reported 299.7 barrels daily potential dropped off appreciably and operator plugged off the section of the Wolfcamp and completed the producer at its present plugged back total depth. Location of the discovery is 660 feet from south and 810 feet from west lines of section 26, HE&WT survey.

Ohio No. 1 Thomson, east offset to Delta Gulf's opener of the Huldale-Strawn field, is drilling below 560 feet in a new hole, 15 feet north of the first attempt. The first hole was abandoned after operator was unable to fish junk out of the hole. It was at total depth of 527 feet in lime. Location is 467 feet from south and west lines of section 81, block TT, TC survey.

Hiawatha Oil & Gas Company No. 1 J. Forrest Runge, wildcat in North-Central Schleicher County, is drilling below 3,960 feet in shale. Location is at the center of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 66, block M, GH&SA survey.

Cooper Gas Co. and Shell will drill No. 1 Will Lovelace 1980 feet from N line and 2463 feet from W line of section 5, block EEE, T. J. Cartwright survey. Drilling will start soon, it was stated.

Stores Will Close On New Year's Day

Most of the Eldorado business houses will be closed all day Monday, New Year's, according to announcement made this week by local merchants.

Practically all of the city's stores will be closed, announce the proprietors, though a few with special services will remain open to accommodate their customers. Housewives are asked to remember that there will be a weekend similar to that of last week in this city and govern their purchases accordingly.

HOME COLLEGE PLAYS IN BOWL

San Angelo College Rams, victorious football team will play the Wharton College in the Oleander bowl at Galveston January 1, 1951.

The Rams came through their conference, the Pioneer conference, without a defeat. The Rams' two season defeats were non-conference games.

The Rams season results were:

19	DelMar	13
13	Odessa	20
27	Uvalde	0
14	Victoria	12
7	Compton	27
66	Cisco	13
38	Arlington State	0
32	Tarleton State	14
30	Schreiner	6

The Eldorado Success, \$2.00 year.

By ROGER W. BABSON

1. Excluding defense orders, the total business volume in 1951 will be less than that for 1950. However, National Income in 1951 will be the highest ever recorded, as war orders take the place of peace production and high prices prevail.

More Government Controls Coming

2. The outstanding feature of 1951 will be the ever-increasing interference of the government in the lives of businessmen and consumers.

3. The administration and its economic advisors are firmly convinced that radical inflation is about to break out next year. But the "brain trusters" are overlooking the fact that the boom is already old and that it was creaking badly when the Korean War broke out. War postponed the downturn which would have taken place much sooner. The date of the slide has only moved ahead.

4. Rushing to catch up on its neglected defense program, the Administration is anxious to shrink business volume to an unnecessary degree. Efforts at first will be along

SPECIAL EXCLUSIVE

The United Nations will withdraw from Korea during 1951. The United States in 1951 will have the largest National Income of its history.

ong the line of tighter credit curbs, such as restrictions on mortgage and installment loans and increased bank reserve requirements.

5. As 1951 wears on, the effect of credit controls will cause a decline in legitimate business. Civilian production will decline more than armament production will increase. The public may then cry, "This is a government-made slump; let's get rid of the controls!"

6. If in 1951 it becomes evident that business is declining too fast as a result of government curbs, the planners at Washington may rush their patient into an oxygen tent.

Labor Outlook Will Continue Tight

7. Most labor groups will not be successful in getting a sixth round of wage increases in 1951. Although there may be more strikes in the first part of 1951, there will be fewer for the whole year as compared with 1950.

8. Tightness in the labor supply will be continued as the year wears on, particularly of highly-skilled workers.

9. The Taft-Hartley Law will not be repealed during 1951 but may be amended. The Administrators of the Law will continue to wink at some of its clauses.

Commodity Prices Will Remain Firm

10. Wholesale prices of many commodities will be marked by a mild decline in 1951 when compared with the price level for December 31, 1950. In some lines the drop may be quite steep from the high levels of late 1950. Retail prices for 1951, I do not now forecast.

11. The year 1951 should prove an excellent time to keep a tight grip on inventories. Commodity speculation for the rise will not pay in 1951. Furthermore, our expanding stockpiles of strategic materials present a real price threat in the event of a peace scare. Such stockpiles could then act strongly as a depressant on prices.

12. The cost of living will remain high during 1951. This prediction recognizes that living next year may be above the lower levels that existed during the first half of the year now closing.

Farm Outlook Good

13. Farmers' income for 1951 should average no less than that for 1950. Since the trend in the first half of 1950 was down, this forecast is not so optimistic as it might otherwise seem, for there is likely to be a weakening of the farmers' income position during the latter part of 1951.

14. Barring crop failures, the total supply of food available should be larger in 1951 than for 1950, since the government will raise planting quotas as part of its attack on inflation. If the weather is extremely favorable, the government will be blamed for farm-price weakness during the latter part of 1951.

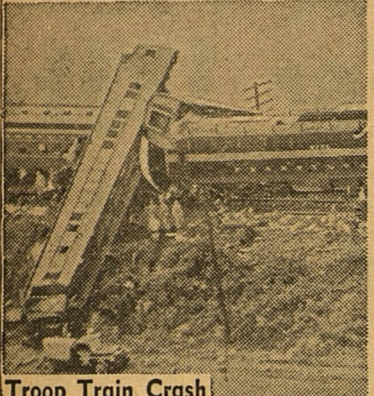
15. With prospects good for a rising supply of feed grains, meat should be more plentiful next year than in 1950. Prices for meat, how-

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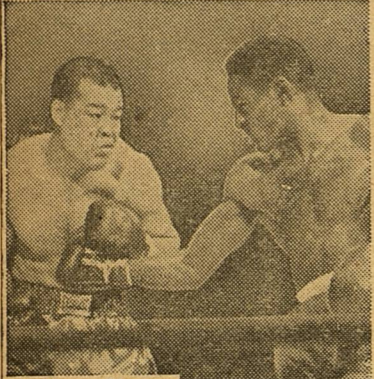
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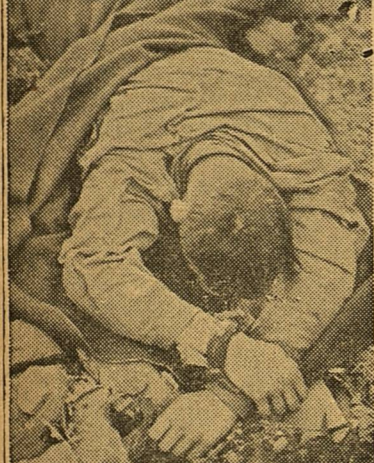
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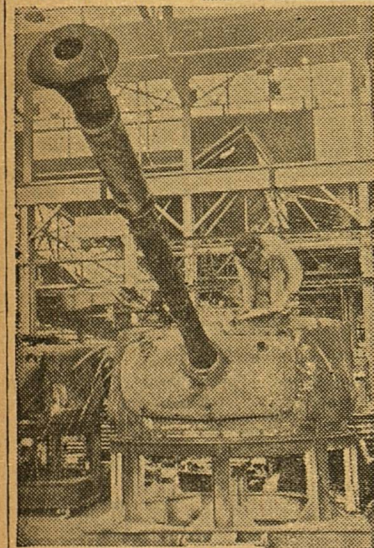
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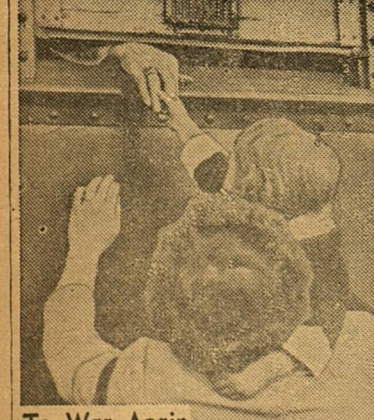
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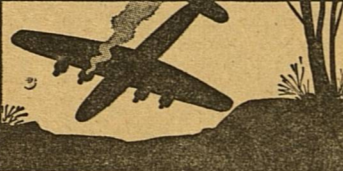
DISASTERS Tragedy in Numbers

January

7—Forty-one die in week of rains, sleet, blizzards, flood and cold across U.S.
 7—Forty-one die in fire at Catholic Mercy hospital, Davenport, Ia.
 13—Thirteen die in army paratroop glider crash at Lawson Field, Ga.
 20—Crash of Bolivian transport plane near Yacopartijo kills 32.
 26—Iran earthquake kills 20.

February

12—Tornadoes take 43 lives in Shreveport area of Louisiana.



March

7—Thirteen perish as Washington-Seattle plane strikes flagpole in Minneapolis.
 23—B-50 crash near Hyder, Ariz., kills 12.
 28—U.S. ambassador to Canada, Lawrence Steinhardt, and four others killed in Ontario plane wreck.

April

20—Collision of Communist steamer and American liner kills 70.
 21—Crash of air force transport near Tokyo kills 35.

May

18—Sixteen U.S. airmen die in B-26 crash in Azores.
 19—Ammunition barges at South Amboy, N.J., blow up, killing 30.
 21—Faru earthquake takes 56 lives.
 23—Collision of Chicago streetcar and gasoline truck causes 33 persons to burn to death.

June

19—Explosion of British freighter in Red sea kills 72.
 24—Plane's fall into Lake Michigan kills 58.
 25—West Virginia floods take 33 lives.

July

4—July 4th accidents take 856 lives.
 6—Columbia quakes kill 128.
 13—B-50 crash near Lebanon, Ohio, kills 15.
 23—Air force crash near Myrtle Beach, S.C., kills 39.
 30—Series of plane crashes in week kills 121.

August

5—B-29 crash at Fairfield-Suisun air base, Calif., kills 17, injures 60.
 15—200 killed in India by second heaviest earthquake ever recorded.
 16—China floods cause 489 deaths.
 25—Navy hospital ship Benevolence collides with freighter near San Francisco, killing 18.

September

5—AP reports Labor Day death toll at 565.
 7—Coal mine cave-in near New Cumberland, Scotland, kills 13.
 9—Indian government reports that 1,000 died in August 15 Assam earthquake.
 11—Train wreck takes lives of 33 Pennsylvania national guardsmen.
 19—Navy air transport crash off Marshall Islands kills 26.
 26—Eighty miners die in colliery fire at Creswell, England.

October

17—London plane crash kills 23.
 18—Worst hurricane in 24 years batters Florida, causing \$15 million damage, killing three, injuring 65.
 31—Second London air crash takes 28 lives.

November

4—Bombay to London plane missing with 48 aboard.
 8—Wreckage of plane found near Butte, Mont., containing 22 dead.
 22—Long Island, N.Y., train crash kills 77.

December

10—Three killed, 15 seriously injured in Cincinnati plant blast.

FOREIGN Aid, Arms and Alliances

January

5—Truman rules out American defense of Formosa.
 5—Britain recognizes Communist government of China.
 9—U.S. says it will help Yugoslavia resist invasion.
 12—Secy. Acheson accuses Russia of grabbing Chinese territory.
 19—Bulgaria demands recall of U.S. minister as a spy.
 26—India becomes a republic with no ties to British crown.
 31—Truman orders U.S. production of hydrogen super-bomb as warning to foreign aggressors.

February

3—Top British scientist, Klaus Fuchs, arrested as Soviet atomic spy.
 7—Western powers recognize pro-French Viet Nam.
 14—Russia and Red China sign 30-year pact.
 21—Two Americans sentenced in Hungary as spies.
 21—U.S. breaks diplomatic relations with Bulgaria.

March

1—Chiang Kai-shek reclaims Chinese presidency.
 1—Klaus Fuchs receives 14-year sentence as atom spy.
 12—Belgian King Leopold wins narrow plebiscite victory.
 22—West Germany offers plan for unification of Germany and a union between Germany and France.
 31—U.S. house passes foreign aid bill.

April

1—Unified Atlantic defense plan ordered into effect.
 8—India and Pakistan end strife.
 13—Israel rejects Arab peace terms.

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 23—Chinese Red invaders overrun Hainan island.

May

3—Chinese Reds announce full surrender of Hainan.
 8—U.S. approves arms aid for Indo-China.
 10—Acheson wants west Germany as partner in cold war.
 15—Trygve Lie talks with Stalin in Moscow.
 26—Berlin survives east German youth rally.

June

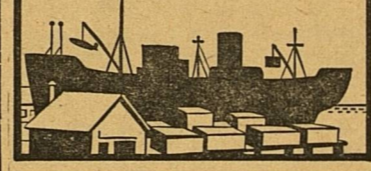
4—Pro-Leopoldists win narrow election victory in Belgium.
 14—Trusteeship council gives up U.N. rule of Jerusalem.
 25—North Koreans march on South Korea, bringing biggest war crisis since World War II.
 27—President Truman orders U.S. forces to help repel North Korean communists and says they will act as part of UN police force. Navy ordered to repel any Formosan invasion.

July

13—U.S.-South Korean retreat continues during third week.
 24—Reds strengthen dictatorship in East Germany.
 25—U.S. forces lose Yongdong.
 28—Five more nations offer troops to UN as U.S. plans to de-mothball 48 warships.

August

1—Belgian King Leopold agrees to abandon throne after uprisings. Russia returns to security council as Malik presides, but fails in move to expel Nationalist China.
 3—Security council rebuffs Russia, votes to continue Korean discussion.
 10—U.S. forces Soviet to admit in U.N. that Korean Reds have Russian weapons. Russian chairman deadlocks security council over procedural question.



September

18—Belgium's Communist leader assassinated.
 20—"Burma Surgeon" Seagrave held as aide to Karen rebels.
 22—Canadian railroads tied up in strike.
 24—Red China asks UN to oust U.S. forces from Formosa.
 27—Red China says U.S. planes have attacked Manchurian targets.
 31—Russia's Malenkov becomes U.S. security council chairman.

October

1—Russia vetoes anti-North Korean measure in U.N.
 19—Atlantic foreign ministers announce their nations will fight if Reds attack west Germany, agree to increase German police and steel production, ease occupation curbs; disagree over use of German troops.
 20—U.N. assembly convenes as U.S. proposes weapons plan.
 26—North Atlantic foreign ministers agree on creating joint army.
 28—Indonesia becomes U.N.'s 60th member.
 29—U.N. security council invites Chinese Reds to November hearings on Formosa.

November

1—Fighting intensifies in French Indo-China.
 12—Russia vetoes new term for U.N. Secretary General Trygve Lie.
 19—U.N. approves U.S. veto-proof plan to enforce peace.
 19—Sir Stafford Cripps resigns as British chancellor of the exchequer.
 25—Chinese Reds announce they will invade Tibet.
 27—India denounces Chinese invasion of Tibet.
 31—U.N. adds three years to Secretary General Trygve Lie's term and favors ending boycott of Spain.

December

6—Truman, Aftlee reject appeasement of China.
 10—Reds say Europe theirs if U.S. starts war.

KOREA U.N. and the 38th Parallel

January

25—North Korean Reds invade South Korea.
 25—U.N. security council issues cease fire order.
 27—President Truman orders U.S. air, naval forces under General MacArthur to help repel North Korean invaders and orders navy to defend Formosa.
 27—Security council, minus Russia, invokes military sanctions against North Korea.
 28—Seoul abandoned to Red invaders.

July

1—First American troops land in Korea as British navy goes into action.
 5—U.S. troops enter Korean battle and Reds advance 15 miles.
 7—U.N. authorizes U.S. to establish unified U.N. command in Korea.
 8—Chonan, Chechon fall and Truman names MacArthur U.N. commander. U.S. second infantry alerted for Korean duty.
 12—U.S. troops retreat across Kum as 10 U.S. tanks are destroyed in first tank battle at Chonui and Chochiwon.
 16—South Koreans repel Reds above Pohang. U.S. first cavalry lands at Pohang and the 25th infantry division.
 20—U.S. abandons Taejon.
 24—Reds in western Korea reach south coast and turn toward Pusan.
 31—First marine division and second infantry reach Korea.

August

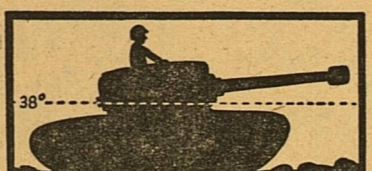
1—Americans counterattack 30 miles west of Pusan.
 3—Americans fall back to Naktong river line eight miles from Taegu as Reds drive to within 40 miles of Pusan. Security council rebuffs Russia and votes to continue Korean discussion.

Weekly Publishers Select Top Ten Stories

Here are the top ten news stories of 1950 as selected by a representative panel of weekly newspaper publishers, polled on their choices by The Publishers' Auxiliary:

1. Chinese Red intervention in Korea.
2. The initial invasion of South Korea and the U.N. decision to send military assistance.
3. President escapes assassination attempt.
4. Alger Hiss convicted of perjury.
5. Trial of Dr. Herman Sander on mercy killing charge.
6. Brink's robbery in Boston.
7. Senate investigates McCarthy charges.
8. MacArthur sends troops north of the 38th parallel.
9. President orders H-bomb production.
10. Pope proclaims dogma of assumption of Virgin Mary.

10—Reds strike at Pohang on east coast as Americans near Chinha. Soviet fails to admit North Koreans have Russian weapons.
 13—Reds cross Naktong as U.S. air forces stop using Pohang airstrip.
 16—B-29 raid results in capture by allies of Waegwan and repelling of Reds southeast of Taegu.
 17—Reds near Taegu as South Koreans re-enter Pohang.
 18—Reds halted at Taegu.
 20—Reds' Naktong river bridgehead eliminated as U.N. starts offensive north of Pohang.
 26—Allies retreat near Pohang.
 27—Reds take Kigye. Red China says U.S. planes attacked Manchuria.
 28—Reds ousted from Kigye as first British troops arrive in South Korea.
 31—Malik ends month as security council head. Pohang battle subsides.



September

15—U.N. forces land at Inchon, stop Reds in south.
 21—Americans approach Seoul in Korean offensive.

October

4—U.N. gives green light for all-out drive against North Korea.
 6—MacArthur sends U.N. units across 38th parallel; Wonsan falls.
 15—MacArthur-Truman hold meeting on Wake Island.
 19—U.N. troops enter Pyongyang, North Korea, the capital city.
 26—South Koreans reach Manchurian border.

November

1—Red Chinese stop U.N. drive in Korea.
 3—North Korean and Red Chinese drive back U.N. elements 50 miles and trap several thousand U.S. troops.
 6—MacArthur officially lashes Red China's intervention in Korea in note to U.N.
 21—U.N. troops reach Manchurian border at Hyesanjin.
 28—Enemy counterattacks stall U.N. push.
 29—General MacArthur says we face new war in facing China in Korea; Reds continue advance.

December

3—Two Red drives threaten rout of U.N. forces.
 5—U.N. forces retreat to new line above Seoul.
 5—Army spokesmen say our position in Korea "not hopeless."
 11—Encircled marines reach escape port.
 11—India's U.N. delegate drafts cease-fire plan as Reds group just north of 38th parallel.

DOMESTIC Spies... A Hog in the House

January

3—Congress reconvenes. Truman asks passage of Fair Deal program, slight rise in taxes.
 9—UMW begins series of "wildcat" strikes, heightening coal shortage.
 9—Truman submits third deficit budget.
 6—Income \$37.3 billion, outgo \$42.4 billion.
 21—Alger Hiss, convicted of perjury, dies five years.
 31—U.S.S. Missouri is pulled out of the mud.

February

6—Truman invokes Taft-Hartley act against coal miners.



March

11—John L. Lewis' miners refuse his advice, they obey two court injunctions and return to work.
 22—Senate votes to investigate Senator McCarthy's charges there are Reds in state department.

April

4—Thomas Finletter becomes air force secretary.
 10—Harry Bridges gets five years in prison for perjury.
 26—Administration asks for defense-budget increase.

May

7—President begins "whistle stop" to defend Fair Deal.

Twenty-seven state railroad strike begins.

15—Second U.S. chemist, Alfred Dean Slack, arrested as Soviet spy.
 23—General Motors signs five-year contract with UAW.

June

6—Strike against four of five railroads ends.
 7—Truman asks for money for the H-bomb.
 7—Army calls for 20,000 draftees.
 9—W. Stuart Symington becomes civilian mobilization chief.
 12—Government reports say profiteers send food and other prices climbing.
 17—One atom spy confesses, fourth arrested.
 24—Truman asks for \$10.5 billion to increase armed force by 600,000.
 28—Truman calls for \$4 billion increase in foreign arms aid.

July

15—New York Mayor O'Dwyer named ambassador to Mexico.
 17—Congress votes extension of social security coverage.
 18—Eighth atomic spy suspect seized by FBI.
 23—Nationwide railroad strike called for Aug. 23.
 25—Truman seizes railroads to forestall strike.
 28—Truman rebukes MacArthur on Formosa statement.

August

1—260 U.S. critical A-bomb target areas mapped.
 17—Defense orders given priority.
 17—Dr. Alan Valentine becomes stabilization chief.
 15—Dewey indorses Eisenhower for president and denies he bought gubernatorial nomination.
 18—Second Communist atom spy confesses.
 23—G-men round up 86 top alien Reds for deportation.
 25—Truman says high rate of draft rejections calls for U.M.T.

September

1—Senate votes \$4 1/2 billion in emergency taxes for Korean war.
 12—General George Marshall replaces Defense Secretary Johnson.
 20—Congress passes Communist control bill.
 25—Supreme Court Justice Jackson decides 10 Red leaders may stay free on bail.

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November

1—President Truman escapes assassination attempt by Puerto Rican Nationalists.
 3—Peter Collazo, Puerto Rican Nationalist, who was wounded in attempt on Truman's life, indicted for murder of Truman's guard as New York police round up New York Nationalists.
 7—Democrats retain slim margin in house and senate.
 30—Ways and Means committee approves excess profits tax of \$3.4 billion.

December

1—Truman asks \$17 billion for military program.
 8—General Motors, Ford refuse to suspend price raises.

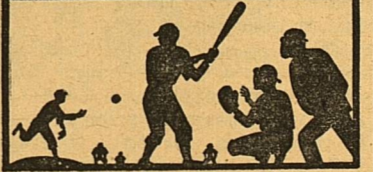
SPORTS Pennant for the Phillies

January

1—Bowling Games: Rose Bowl—Ohio State 17, California 14; Sugar Bowl—Oklahoma 35, Louisiana State 0; Cotton Bowl—Rice 27, North Carolina 13; Orange Bowl—Santa Clara 21, Kentucky 13.
 14—Seven NCAA schools defy "sanity code."

March

18—CCNY defeats Bradley in national invitational basketball tournament.
 21—CCNY becomes first team to win both national invitational and NCAA net tournaments by defeating Bradley.



April

8—Barney Ewell sets world 220-yd. dash record, 20.8 secs.
 9—Jimmy Demaret captures Masters' title in Augusta.
 30—Fred Witt runs Atlantic City Boardwalk Mile in 4 min., 5.5 secs., fastest outdoor mile run by an American.

May

6—Middleground wins Kentucky derby.
 30—Johnny Parsons wins Indianapolis speedway Memorial Day classic.

June

2—Jim Fuchs, Yale, sets world's 12-lb. shotput record, 57' 1".
 5—Ray Robinson defeats Robert Willemain for Pennsylvania recognition as middleweight champ.
 17—U.S. team takes Wightman tennis cup.
 23—Joe McCarthy resigns as manager of Boston Red Sox.

August

9—Ray Robinson retains welterweight title in fight with Charlie Fusari.
 11—College All-Stars football team beats Philadelphia Eagles, 17-7.
 27—Australian team wins international Davis Cup finals.

September

9—Sal Maglie, Giants, pitches fourth straight shutout to the N.L. record.
 27—Ezzard Charles retains heavyweight title by beating Joe Louis.

October

7—Yankees take fourth straight world series game from Philadelphia.
 7—Notre Dame loses to Purdue for 58 straight victories.
 16—Eddie Dyer resigns as St. Louis Cardinal manager.
 18—Connie Mack retires as Philadelphia Athletics manager.

November

6—Branch Rickey takes over generalship of Pittsburgh Pirates.
 6—A.P. U.P. polls rate first four grid teams in this order: Army, Ohio State, Oklahoma, Kentucky.
 8—Eddie Sawyer, Phillies, selected baseball manager of the year; Walt Dropo, Boston Red Sox, selected rookie of the year.
 27—Ray (Sugar) Robinson KO's France's Jean Stock.
 28—Joe Louis outpoints Cesar Brion.

December

2—Navy eleven upsets Army, 14-2.
 9—Noor wins \$100,000 Hollywood Gold Cup.

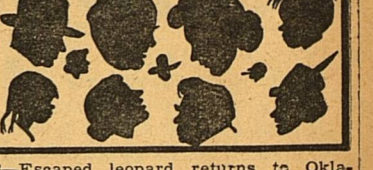
PANORAMA Euthanasia and Elephants

January

17—Nine men in Halloween masks hold up Brink's, Inc., Boston, and escape with \$1 million in cash.

February

2—Ingrid Bergman gives birth to a son in Rome.
 7—Carol Paignt acquitted in Bridgeport, Conn., of "mercy killing" of her father.



March

9—Dr. Herman Sander acquitted of "mercy killing."
 29—Circus elephant kills schoolboy and is poisoned in Sarasota, Fla.

April

6—Kansas City political boss, Charlie Binaggio, slain.
 27—Mrs. Elizabeth Bender Cloud, West Linn, Ore., half Indian, chosen mother of year.

May

14—Sen. Erien McMahon urges U. S. lead mightiest peace crusade in history.
 22—Florida gets all-Negro court to try all-Negro cases.

June

7—Roy Shelton, third of notorious Shelton gang, slain.
 17—Thomas E. Dewey announces retirement from politics after present term as governor of N.Y.

July

26—AMA plans to spend \$1,100,000 in advertising-lobbying program to defeat national health insurance.

August

7—Two Americans scale Peru's 21,769-ft. Mt. Yacupaja, highest unscald peak in the Americas.
 15—Wisconsin farm wife claims seeing her seventh vision of Virgin Mary.

September

1—Maj. Gen. Orvil Anderson suspended as commander of war college for advocating preventive war.
 5—Army asks for 70,000 draftees.
 6—Truman apologizes to marine corps.
 25—Two men investigating crime in Chicago killed by gangster bullets.

November

1—Pope Plus XII proclaims assumption of Virgin Mary.
 4—Former circus roustabout admits setting 1944 Ringling Bros. circus fire.
 4—Miami housewife booked for tossing children hot coals Halloween night.
 5—Stocks decline in response to war news.
 8—Capt. Daniel A. Gilbert, world's richest policeman, trounced in Chicago sheriff's race.

December

5—Gallup Poll says 55 percent of people feel World War III has started.
 8—Truman threatens to punch music critic in nose for rapping Margaret's virtue.

DEATHS Shaw, Arnold, Nijinski

January

15—Gen. Henry H. (Hap) Arnold, World War II commander.

February

18—Rafael Sabatini, Italian author.
 28—Sir Harry Lauder, Scotch comedian and minstrel.

March

11—Brook Pemberton, theatrical producer.
 19—Edgar Rice Burroughs, novelist, creator of Tarzan.
 25—Frank Buck, wild animal hunter.
 30—Leon Blum, president of French Socialist party and former premier.

April

7—Walter Huston, stage and screen actor.
 8—Vaslav Nijinsky

Personal News Items

Holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Willoughby were Mrs. S. M. Hardin of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Cole and Ann Cole of Tulsa.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Koy during the holidays were their daughters, Mrs. Bill Childress and Mrs. Paul M. Hallcomb and their families of Ozona.

Guests in the home of the Allen Kuykendalls during Christmas were their daughter Louise, who is working in Ft. Worth, and Mr. Kuykendall's sister and family Mr. and Mrs. J. H. George of Ft. Worth and their daughter Sue. The Kuykendalls also visited on Christmas Day in Colorado City with Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Smith.

Those visiting in London during the holiday season were Happy Kerr and her family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Offutt of Austin, and Mrs. R. A. King and grandson Bunch King Brittain spent Christmas on the ranch. Bunch King will leave this weekend for Dallas to attend the Cotton Bowl game, on New Year's Day, then will go back to Austin to enroll for the second semester, after staying in Schleicher County since last August.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. King and daughter Dianne spent Sunday and Monday in Abilene with Mrs. Gus King.

Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wyatt were his mother Mrs. J. M. Wyatt, his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wells, and his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wyatt, all of San Angelo, and an aunt, Mrs. Hallie Goodwin of San Angelo and Bob Wyatt of Houston.

Otis Kent and his family and Mrs. Kent's mother, Mrs. Jess Ramsey of Littlefield, are here spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L. Kent. Other guests in the home for Christmas dinner were the Victor Kent and Fred Gillaspie families.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson entertained the following with a Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. O. Wilson and L. W. Smith and Patsy and Jerry Ray of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson of Snyder.

Billie Jean Wilkerson and daughter Carol Jean spent Christmas in San Antonio with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Woodward and Jimmie spent the Christmas weekend in Brownwood with relatives.

Sam Lloyd and Jimmie of Fort Stockton spent Christmas here with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bruton.

The P. W., Laymon and Vernon Hazelwood families, and the Tom and Vernon Carroll families spent Christmas Day on an outing on the river at Ft. McKavett.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Harper during the holidays were Ruby and Elsie Lee Harper of Santa Anna, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wolfe of Kermit. These, and others mentioned below attended a dinner Monday at the Memorial building: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. DeLong of San Angelo and Dorothy Campbell and her family, Mrs. D. E. DeLong of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fowler and their guest Allen McCullough, who is stationed at Goodfellow Field, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Meador, and Edda Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meador and two children of Dallas, Edward Meador and his family, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Steen and David of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley of Hebronville, who are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Edward Meador and her family.

The Jack Griffins and the Delwood Blairs spent Christmas with relatives in Paint Rock.

Little Johnnie Griffin, son of the Jack Griffins, has been having quite a lot of trouble with an infected hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Woodward spent several days in San Antonio, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tarrant.

Olge Halbert, who is stationed at Camp Cook, California, talked with his parents by telephone on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamm have had as guests their daughter Mrs. H. G. Hignight and her family of Roscoe.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones on Christmas Day was their daughter, Mrs. Fay Pointer of San Angelo.

Mrs. Camilla Raggio left Monday for San Antonio for a visit of a week or more with relatives.

M. W. Jones and family spent Christmas in Eden with a nephew, W. E. Sellman and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mims and Gary of Hebronville and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Durham and family of Farmington, New Mexico, spent this weekend and Christmas week with the H. H. Hookers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Goens of Dallas spent the Christmas week in Eldorado with Mrs. Goens brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson Sr. of Menard spent Christmas here with their son J. T. Junior and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jarrett spent Christmas in Christoval with Mrs. Jarrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Capple, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson had as weekend guests their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lowe and Peggy Ann and Little Jim, all of Lamesa.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Anderson were Billy Kerr and family of San Angelo, Carl Kerr and family of Marlin, Bobby Norwood of Corpus Christi, and Happy Kerr and her children of Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Farris and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Gray and girls spent Christmas in Temple with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gray and family. They left Eldorado Saturday and returned home Monday.

Guests for Christmas in the Bertha Wilson and Johnston home were Mrs. Cut Edmiston of Terminal and Elizabeth Cloud of San Angelo.

Dinner guests on Christmas in the L. T. Wilson home were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Logan and Lewis Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keys returned home Monday night from Winters where they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thomas two days.

The J. P. Cosgoves had four guests for Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sullivan, and Nancy Lee and Jessie Johnson, all of Goldthwaite. The Sullivans are Mrs. Cosgove's mother and her family. They left Schleicher County Christmas afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barrows of San Angelo spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Dickens, Mrs. Barrows also spent a day with her parents this week.

The Doyle Easterwoods spent Christmas out of town with the Ray Clarys. They also attended a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John West at which other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Donald West of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Miller of Cheapside, who were there from Saturday to Wednesday, and R. L. Bricker, of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blakeway have been out of town for several days visiting relatives at San Angelo and McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Peel had as guests for Christmas Douglas Peel and family of San Angelo, Dick McCalmont and his family of Sonora, J. R. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bradley of San Angelo, and Mrs. Peel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Johnson.

Relatives visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gene Parker during the Christmas weekend were Mary Atkinson, a cousin, from Blackwell, Luther Parker, their son of El Paso, and Mrs. W. T. Mills and children, a daughter from Big Lake.

Visitors in the J. A. Neill home during the Christmas weekend were Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Neill of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nelson of Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Keno Ogden are expecting to move this week to their living quarters at their new courts. Their house, which was sold some time ago to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McMillan, will be occupied soon afterward by the McMillans, who have been living in the Wiedenmann residence.

Arch Wootton, who has been working at Melvin, spent Christmas at home with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ochsner and John and George spent Christmas in Sonora with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Scherz and her family.

The Jerry Pennington family spent Christmas afternoon in San Angelo with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Keno Ogden spent Christmas Day at Blackwell with the former's sister.

The Arthur Munds have had as holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Priest of Dallas, who were here from Friday to Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Oren Bigby of Ballinger, who were in their home from Sunday to Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Yates and Ronnie and Gwen of San Angelo were holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Charlie Mund.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lynch and daughter Kathie of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin and two children of Menard and Mr. and Mrs. George Kenner of Coleman, spent the Christmas weekend with Mrs. Pat Martin. Guests at the ranch Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. George Nance of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Polk and children of Cassville, Mo., arrived here today to visit Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mittel.

The L. V. Newport's spent the holidays in Comanche with Mrs. Newport's father, returning home Monday night.

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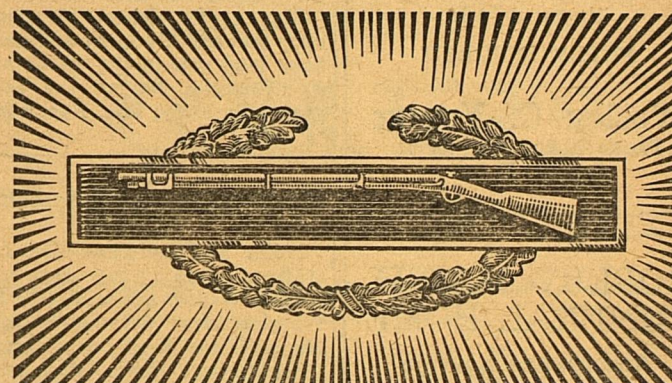
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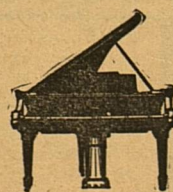
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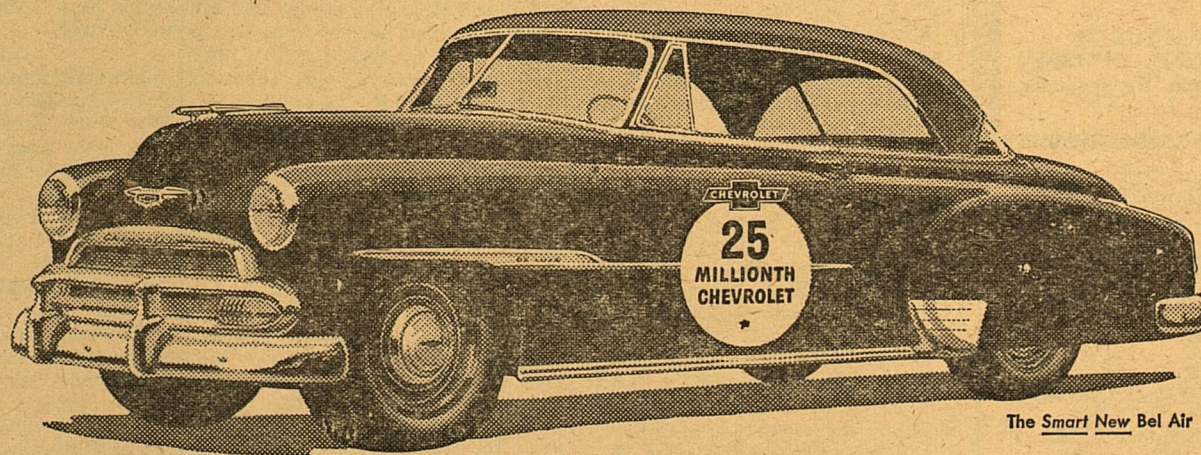


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NOTICE

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CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere thanks to Dr. Holcomb and the nurses for the good care they gave our brother, Jim L. Finch, during his stay in the hospital.—His sisters: Mrs. Jim House, Mrs. Lee Wells, Mrs. Lee Fuller. *

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my relatives and friends for the many different ways they have blessed my family and self during my illness the past year. I am sorry that on account of illness I was unable to acknowledge the many beautiful Christmas gifts, cards and delicious food.

May God's richest blessing be upon you and his spirit and guiding hand lead you in the paths of his righteousness during the coming year.—Sincerely, Mrs. Henry Mittel *

Personal News Items

Nolen McDonald and Mrs. James McDonald and Jimmie went to San Angelo Wednesday to meet a plane bringing Mrs. McDonald's parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnes and son Dwight here from Philadelphia. They expect to visit here about a week.

Elton McGinnes and his family spent Saturday and Sunday in Tennyson with relatives, and Xmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis McCormick had as dinner guests for Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Van McCormick.

Mrs. C. F. Griffith and daughter Glynita are visiting relatives in Goldsmith this week.

O. V. Doty and his family spent Christmas with his parents in Ballinger. Most of the family were there, including a brother from the Marines, stationed in California.

James Page and his family left Wednesday morning for Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, to visit the Wilton family.

Mrs. Bert Page has been on the sick list this week.

L. E. McCalla and his family spent the holidays in Santo with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McCalla. They left home Friday and returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Butterfield and daughter spent Christmas at Texarkana with relatives. They were accompanied home by a sister Mrs. Betty Ross and two sons, who left Eldorado Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newman and two children of Marfa arrived here Tuesday to visit Mrs. W. H. McClatchey. Mrs. McClatchey has been visiting recently also in Snyder with relatives.

Among guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Estes are Wayne Estes of Alpine, Miss Joan Dodd of Alpine, Buddy Kidd, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. James and Jean James of Brownwood, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Johnson were honored Wednesday with a luncheon given in honor of their 56th wedding anniversary. Present were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Craig and Marianne and Pinkney, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Peel, and Mrs. Annie Craig. It was also Mrs. Craig's anniversary date.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Peel were hosts to several friends at a social Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jones Jr. and baby of Quanah drove here during the week end and took his mother home with them. She has been staying with Mrs. Josie Word, her mother.

Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jud Brannon were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Evans, Mrs. Josie Word, Mrs. Lize Bridge of San Antonio, Bill Word, and the Brannons.

Bill Matteson of San Antonio spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Coulter

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkerson spent Christmas in San Angelo with friends.

Lt. Robert Sproul and his wife and son are spending part of his 30-day leave in Eldorado with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sproul. He is moving from Bellville, Ill., to Columbus, Ohio. Others visiting in the Sproul home were the couple's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunnicut of Snyder, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Sproul of San Angelo.

Jim Henderson, who has been here on vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Henderson, has been moved from Reno to San Francisco by his drug company and will be in charge of sales of a district there. He left Eldorado on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hoover spent Christmas with relatives at Brady and Fredericksburg.

Ray Boyer and his family attended the funeral in Eden Saturday of Mrs. Boyer's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Bingham, 83. The services were held at the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Dena White has had as guests during the holidays her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert White and Joe of Yuma, who arrived here Saturday, and her daughter, Mrs. Marian Baker and Ralph of San Antonio who arrived here Monday. They are leaving for home this week.

Guests several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ello Wilde were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jurecek and two sons of near Eola.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy MacKenzie and children of Ft. Stockton have been visiting this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Burleson.

Mrs. G. M. Capps, whose home is in San Angelo, is here for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Browder, while her husband, Grady M. Capps, Metal-smith First Class, is serving with the Navy in the Far East area. He is aboard the USS Dixie, a destroyer tender.

The Jerome Mitchells spent Christmas in Abilene with relatives. They were met there by a sister from Plainview, also by Mrs. Mitchell's son Glyndon Aldridge, who is in service, stationed at Shreveport, and who visited his mother and her family here before taking a plane at Goodfellow Field in San Angelo. Another guest in the Mitchell home was Mrs. Mitchell's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ellis Carter of Sanitorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin and Nancy are spending the holidays at Jacksboro with relatives.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mayo and Mrs. John Luedecke were Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Redfern and children of Odessa.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Meador Jr. and other Schleicher County relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meador and son and daughter of Dallas. Another guest in the home is Betty Wester of San Angelo, a friend of Edda Lou's.

Bill Rowland, REA employee, spent Christmas with relatives in Arkansas.

Mrs. Carl Ellington and two daughters are spending the holiday week with Misses May and Thelma Ellington. Their home is in Crystal City.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Henry and son Charlie arrived here Wednesday to visit the C. C. McLaughlins, who spent the holidays with them at their home in Ft. Stockton. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cole Jr., of Sterling City and Mr. and Mrs. Foyle Wildon of Phoenix, Ariz., stopped here briefly and they and the Henrys went to Sonora to visit Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Pflueger. Mrs. Henry. Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Wildon and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Love spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Love at Menard. Their guests on Christmas Eve were Mr. Love's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Love of Utopia.

Mrs. Maggie Luedecke has had as guests her children, Clinton Luedecke and daughter of Ordway and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Strickland and two children of Luling.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Maginot and Preston spent Christmas in San Angelo with Dr. Maginot's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maginot. They returned home Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Maginot's brother, Donald Peters of Houston, who is a guest in their home this week.

Ray Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Long, arrived home from Kissler Base at Biloxi, Mississippi, to spend a week with his parents. He arrived home Saturday and will leave next Sunday.

Robert Milligan and the Jack Ratliff and E. H. Toliffe families had their Christmas dinner at the Ratliff home. Mrs. Milligan is still in New Mexico with her mother, who is ill, but is expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long have had as guests Mrs. Long's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smithey of Borger.

Hal Whitten, Stewart Williams and Jackie Hodges were among the soldiers who were at home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Linthicum and daughters Suzie and Prissie attended a family dinner at the home of the Lee Allisons in Sonora Christmas noon, and that night attended another family dinner and get-together at the home of the Claude Linthicums in San Angelo. A guest in the Linthicum home is Mrs. Linthicum's mother, Mrs. G. E. Barry of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner Logan visited relatives in San Angelo on Monday.

Mrs. J. F. Jeffrey and Leo and Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jeffrey and girls spent the holidays in Dallas with the W. E. Jeffrey and Paul Mullins families.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kissinger arrived here last week end to spend the holidays with the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sauer, the J. T. Williams family and other Schleicher county relatives. Mrs. Kissinger is the former Frances Williams and the couple live near Camp Hood where Mr. Kissinger is stationed. Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Williams of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams, Fay Williams of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis and Mrs. R. E. Davis of Abilene also visited in the home of the Williamses.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Page and the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huckaby of Dallas have been visiting Paul's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Page, and his brothers and their families in Schleicher county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Clark spent Christmas Eve in Rocksprings.

Jim O'Harrow and his family and Mrs. Grace O'Harrow have been visiting during the holidays with Mrs. Luke Robinson in San Angelo.

The J. C. McCoy family spent Christmas in Brady with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCoy. They left home Saturday and returned home Tuesday. They state that all of the children were home except the one who is in service.

Carroll Ratliff drove to Greenville this week with Mrs. Ratliff and Carolyn who remained there for a longer visit. Mr. Ratliff returning home Tuesday evening.

The A. R. Parkers had as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Craig and Marianne, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Parker of Bik Lake. Others calling during the day were Mrs. W. E. Anderson and her son and family of Grand Falls, Texas.

Those who had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parker Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Laymon and family of Phoenix Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fox of Rising Star, the Delbert and Clovis Taylor families, the Walter Taylors and the Earl Parkers.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolen McDonald spent a day this week in Austin visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Turnbow and children and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Turnbow visited Mr. Turnbow's sister near Abilene from Saturday to Tuesday.

Luke Thompson of Lubbock, Mrs. C. E. Thompson of San Angelo, and Mrs. Anna Peters of Oconomowoc, Wis., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peters on Christmas.

Rev. and Mrs. Will King and son of Ft. Worth spent Christmas with Rev. and Mrs. F. E. King at the Presbyterian manse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Koshak of San Angelo and Hal Ramsey of Oklahoma were among those who spent Christmas with Mrs. J. D. Ramsey who is improving after her recent illness.

Twenty-three spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Thigpen at the Steen ranch north of Eldorado. These included: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford Sr., of Rochelle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford Jr., of Big Lake, Virgil Smith of Menard, Mr. and Mrs. B. Arthur of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith and family, Eldorado. On Christmas day the Thigpens visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thigpen and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Young and their families. Jim Crawford is spending the holidays here with them.

Mrs. Charles M. Reynolds has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ringle spent the holidays in Ballinger with Mrs. Ringle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reece.

The T. Y. Robersons have had as a guest their nephew, Karl Lee Green, who is in the army stationed in Mississippi.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

1951

This week will bring to a close another year, one of the most successful in the history of our business.

This was brought about by both old and new customers, which we are very grateful for; it is your continued patronage that makes our business successful.

As we close this year, we greet you in the New Year, 1951, with a better service and wish for each of you a prosperous year.

Thanks again for your splendid business.

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Henderson-Oglesby Wedding Solemnized

In a double ring ceremony performed Tuesday evening, Dec. 26 in the First Presbyterian Church of Eldorado, Miss Jessie Mae (Jerry) Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Henderson, became the bride of William H. Oglesby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Oglesby, the Rev. F. E. King, pastor of the church, officiating.

Miss Myrta Bob Harper and Miss Mary Sproul, friends of the bride, of Eldorado, were bridesmaids, and Mrs. Roy Phelps, the bride's sister was matron of honor. Terry and Mickey Phelps, nieces of the bride, were flower girls.

The best man was the groom's brother, Bob Oglesby, of College Station, and ushers were Ford Oglesby Jr., and Bob Barber of San Angelo.

Mrs. Everett Lovelace of Brownwood, sister of the groom, played the traditional wedding marches, and the organ accompaniment for the solo "Always" sung by the bride's brother, Mike Henderson of Denton.

The bride entered on the arm of her father. The ceremony was performed before an altar flanked with candelabra, against a background of cedar interspersed with white flowers and white candles.

For the ceremony the bride wore traditional white satin, with fitted bodice, dropped waistline, and net yoke with bertha at the shoulders. Tiny self-covered buttons defined the front of the bodice, and the sleeves were long, with pointed cuffs. Her veil was of illusion netting, attached to a satin head band and decorated with seed pearls, and her slippers were white. Her bouquet was of white carnations, interspersed with netting, and centered with a large purple orchid.

The attendants' dresses were identical with the bride's with the exception of yoke and sleeve length and differing from each other only in color. Miss Harper's gown was aqua, Miss Sproul's, orchid, and Mrs. Phelps' and two daughters' were pink.

The attendants wore bandeaus of white carnations, with netting matching their dresses. All carried white carnations tied with bows of white satin.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the church parlors. Mrs. Bob Oglesby and Mrs. Dwight Wiedenmann cut the cake and Ethel Ann Oglesby and Ebba Ann Finley poured. Barbara Harwell of San Antonio presided at the bride's book.

Among those from out of town attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Holland, San Angelo; Mrs. Geo. Harwell and daughter Babs, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Oglesby and daughter Evelyn, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weathersby, Del Rio; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oglesby, College Station; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Oglesby, Sr., San Angelo, and others.

Immediately after the wedding the couple left on a trip through Dallas, Shreveport, and Birmingham, en route for Baltimore, Md., where they will make their home. Oglesby is sergeant first class, and is an instructor in basic training at Baltimore.

The bride was reared in Ballinger and was graduated in 1950 from Eldorado High School. She has been employed here in the office of Jack's Furniture Store. The groom was reared here, is a graduate of EHS, attended Shreiner, and is a veteran of World War II, in which he served three years.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

A Christmas party, an annual event for friends and relatives, was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams Tuesday night.

Those present from this community were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Jones, Mrs. R. A. King, Bunch King Brittain, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Finley and Ebba Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones and Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Page, Martha Dell Williams and Jack Williams.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Paul Page of Dallas, George Finley of SMU, Bobby Barber of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reynolds of Yeso, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lucas of Naples, Texas, Mrs. A. L. Ohlenburg and children of McCamey, Mrs. Cleve Jones of Sonora, Mrs. Pat Cooper and children of Ft. Stockton.

INFANT IS BURIED

Graveside rites for an infant son born prematurely Saturday night at Maginot Clinic to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald B. Hartgraves were held at the Eldorado Cemetery Sunday afternoon at 12:30, conducted by Rev. Roy Shilling.

The infant's grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Hartgraves of Marineal and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ballew, and great grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Virge Tisdale. Mrs. Hartgraves, who is visiting her parents here, is the former Patsy Ballew.

In addition to local relatives and friends, the Hartgraves from Marineal were here for the graveside rites.

—TROJAN BOND writing and typing paper, size 8½" x 11". Rag content. Packet of 100 sheets, 75c, at the Eldorado Success.

European Refugee Visits In Eldorado

A holiday guest of Rev. Roy Shilling and family and other families in the local Methodist Church, was Juri Nou, a displaced person from Estonia, now a Junior at McMurry, in Abilene.

A youth with a childhood background of war, Juri lost his father and other members of his family when his country was overrun successively by Commies and Nazis; he was a slave laborer in a German factory, an inmate of a displaced persons' camp, and finally a refugee who came to this country under protection of an American citizen whom he could not find on his arrival here.

Through World Service and contact with his Lutheran Church, he learned of a Texas Methodist scholarship and was accepted at McMurry, where he was classified a Junior upon taking entrance examinations last fall. He is specializing in math.

He accompanied Roy Shilling Jr. his roommate, to Eldorado to spend the holidays. Here he has addressed several groups and has been the recipient of a number of courtesies because of his interesting, unusual and appealing background. He has been visiting on several Schleicher County ranches in addition to the parsonage home of the Shilling family.

NEW SON

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Edmiston on December 21st, and has been named William Michael. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Montgomery of Eldorado, and R. C. Andrews is the paternal grandfather.

CLINIC PATIENTS

J. C. Whiteley.
Mrs. E. W. Brooks.
Son born Tuesday morning at 8:53 to Mr. and Mrs. Arturo Rivera

O. B. Freeman, an old friend of John Rae Powell, of Sweetwater, visited part of this week with the Powells.

Mrs. Elizabeth Powell and John Rae and David Powell spent Christmas in San Angelo with Mrs. Powell's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jeffers.

Curtis Jeffrey of Albuquerque spent Christmas here with his sister, Ollie Lee Jeffrey and his brothers, Orés and A. C. and all visited in Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Alexander are spending Christmas week in Austin, Barstow and Littlefield, with relatives and friends.

The Alexander families had their Christmas dinner together at the Ray Alexander home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Walston and two children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Walston in Menard.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fowler were Allen McConnell of Goodfellow Field, whose home is in California, and Juri Nou, exchange student at Abilene.

Here for a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roach were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bailey and son Joe and daughter Martha Pearl, Mrs. Alma Oberkamp and Father Ronnin of Ozona, and Eldred Roach and his daughters Mary Nell and Eddie Dell and Jim Tom Roach and his sons.

There will be regular mass Sunday morning at 8:00 at the Catholic Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Shroyer of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis of San Angelo were supper guests in the Clyde Keeney home on Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams and A. B. Williams spent the week end at Brady with relatives and returned home Christmas evening.

John Stigler and his family spent Christmas at Hico with relatives. They left Saturday night and returned Tuesday.

R. J. Alexander and his family moved their household goods Wednesday to Snyder where they will make their home. Their house has been rented to the Claude Alexanders, who are vacating the Graves house, which in turn has been rented to the Roy Phelps family. The Phelps have been staying with the C. C. Henderson, Mrs. Phelps' parents, since they moved to Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Pearson and daughter Nancy of Brady spent Tuesday with the Earl Catheys.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nixon and three daughters returned Monday night from a two-day trip to Hobbs, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lloyd and children spent Tuesday with Mrs. Lloyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Morton, at Big Spring. All of the children were there for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cathey visited during part of the holidays with relatives at Menard and Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stewart spent Christmas in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wade and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Boyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wade near Sonora Christmas afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stewart had as dinner guests Tuesday night Mr. Stewart's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weems and son Don of Lubbock and Mrs. Evelyn Stewart and daughter Gail of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens returned Tuesday night from Harlingen where they were holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Stevens' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Harris spent Christmas with Mrs. Harris' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stanford spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stevens had as Christmas guests Mr. and Mrs. Phil Swatzell and children of Ft. Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Trigg spent Christmas with Mr. Trigg's mother, Mrs. C. N. Trigg at Aledo and went on to Dallas where they attended a musical comedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Nicks and children of Marfa are visiting this week in the Danford and Spring-ton home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bowder of Memphis, Tenn., have been visiting her mother, Mrs. C. C. West.

Col. and Mrs. Jim Adamson and Hannon of Sonora spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Carson West, and Mrs. Hannon remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Coralee Mebane has returned from Fredericksburg where she spent Christmas with her sister Mrs. Bill Mund.

Mrs. Herman West and Venita West arrived here Wednesday nite to visit Mrs. C. C. West and other Eldorado relatives.

Christmas guests in the H. W. Scott home were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yates and daughter, Wendell Yates and family, Earl Yates and family, Harold Yates and family, all of San Angelo; Kenneth Love and family, Mundy, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Scott, Tuscola, Mr. and Mrs. Tot Love, Utopia, Carl Keefer, San Angelo, also the H. W. Scott family and Doug Yates.

Mrs. Victor Sauer and children spent Sunday and Monday in San Angelo with Mrs. Sauer's sister, Mrs. Curtis Eisenbach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pope and son of Andrews spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Grat Edmiston and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Locklear had as guests their niece Marian Hall and a friend Belva Hillin of San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Sauer spent Christmas with Mrs. Sauer's parents Mr. and Mrs. Trimble at Ft. McKavett.

Mrs. J. M. Webb has been spending the holidays with her son in Ozona.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White of Abilene visited Sunday with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wells.

Members of the Cramer Sofge family visited Mr. Sofge's mother and sister at Orient.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Locklear left today for Pecos and other points in West Texas.

Members of the Speck family visiting on the Pete Speck ranch in Menard on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speck, Fred L. Speck, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speck, Jr., and daughter Connie Sue.

Mrs. Fannie Fury of Christoval is sick at the home of her daughter Mrs. Frank Van Horn in Eldorado. Guests in the home Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Diamond Brown of Ft. Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wade had as guests Sunday and Sunday night Mrs. Wade's sister Mrs. Chester Daniel of Sweetwater and her son of Ft. Worth and daughter of Eden.

Clyde Trigg and his daughter Dorothy of Clovis, N. Mex., visited Friday with his brother Charlie Trigg and Mrs. Trigg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Crews, Jr. and daughters Carol and Joan of Mertzon visited Friday and Friday night with Mrs. Crews' sister Mrs. Charlie Trigg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Newlin spent the holidays in Big Spring with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. James. They were away from home Sunday and Monday.

SCHLEICHER FAMILIES VISIT BOYS IN BOOT CAMP

Two Schleicher county families are back home after a jaunt to the west coast and two Schleicher Co. youths graduate today from boot training.

Arriving home last night after the trip to San Diego were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McAlpine, and Fay, Juanita, Pat and Wesley, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dannheim, and Wanda and Sherrill. They visited their sons and brothers Harland McAlpine and Donald Ray Dannheim.

The crowd made the trip in two cars. They stopped over night in Ft. Stockton and left there at 7:00 Thursday morning, arriving in San Diego at 3:00 the following afternoon, by gaining two hours enroute. They made the trip through El Paso, Tucson, Yuma and Imperial Valley, crossing the mountains through Jacumba.

They report that the scenery and the crops on the way were most interesting to them. They saw lemons, oranges, dates, and huge fields of lettuce and passed many truckloads of produce as they went through the winter garden country of the state.

They were too early to see the boys, as they were allowed only 57 hours, starting the following morning. They rented an apartment and there did their regular cooking and took turkey dinner to the boys in camp.

Their first glimpse of the boys was in a parade, in which 32 companies participated. This was a feature of the boys' graduation, which was completed after they left, today. The Dannheims and the McAlpines, seated near the top row of a huge grandstand, were spotted by the boys immediately, because, as they said afterward, the Stetsons stood out from the entire crowd.

The boys were contacted by phone Friday and the crowd had a big reunion Saturday—they were as glad to see the folks as the folks were to see them. The two families were only one unit of numerous similar groups of relatives and sailors—they state that there were cars there from all over the United States, carrying relatives who wanted to spend the holidays with the boys.

The McAlpines and Dannheims report that they did a great deal of sight-seeing—that they saw Mission Beach, Point Loma, North Island, Coronado which they reached by ferry—and that they saw many ships in dry dock.

They report that everything was like spring, with flowers growing everywhere, but that they found it difficult to get used to the fog. The weather was perfect for the trip and there was no car trouble. They arrived home Wednesday night, as the boys' leave was up Tuesday night at 10:00. As they graduate today, there will be new assignment for Harlan and Donald Ray in the near future.

Ovid Wade, Jr., of Sonora, visited home folks for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Taylor and children spent the weekend at Coleman with Mrs. Taylor's parents.

Mrs. J. E. Tisdale spent Christmas in Mertzon with Mrs. Vester Hughes. Among others there for Christmas were Vester, Jr., who was at home from Harvard, and the A. E. Prugels and Nancy of Sonora.



As we enter upon the threshold of another year our thoughts revert gratefully to those whose courtesy, good will and loyalty have made possible our progress.

In this spirit we extend to you the greetings of the season.

COULTER'S

Ready-to-Wear Dry Cleaning

Holiday guests in the Fred Watson home were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spurgers and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Perry of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Otis of Fredericksburg, and Darlene Perry of Hamilton. Mrs. Spurgers and Mrs. Perry are the Watsons' daughters and Mrs. Otis is Mrs. Watson's sister.

Thad Thomson III of Houston and a friend Chas. Grosvenor of Newport were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thad Thomson during the holidays and a party was given in their honor on Christmas Eve.

Thos. D. Bradley, EM-2c and Lowell Moore, EM-3c of Madill, Okla., of USS Prairie, San Diego, Calif., were holiday visitors in the home of Mrs. T. M. Bradley. M-Sgt. Frank Bradley, Walker A. F. B. Roswell, N. Mex., also was home for the holidays.

Virge Tisdale has been on the sick list but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Taylor and two sons and two daughters spent Christmas with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Johnson at Rockwood.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sudduth on Monday and Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor and family of Lincoln, New Mexico, and Alton Taylor of Santa Anna, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wagley and children returned Tuesday night from Eldorado, Kansas, where they visited Mrs. Wagley's grandparents and were joined there by her parents from New Mexico.

Guests Wednesday in the Jess Walston home were Mr. Walston's brother, Lt. Cecil D. Walston and wife and baby of Alabama.

The Truett Stanfords have had as guests Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Means and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Waldrup and two children of Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. May of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kent, Tyler.

—CLASP ENVELOPES, made of heavy brown paper, for mailing and storing papers, pictures, magazines, etc. We have sizes 6½" x 9½", 8¼" x 11¼", 9 x 12, and 10 x 15. The Eldorado Success.

Mrs. Lewis Tisdale and son Lewis of Menard were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virge Tisdale. Lewis has been called to report for service January 4 at Brady.

—All sizes and colors of poster cardboard, Eldorado Success. —Staplers and staples at the Eldorado Success.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks during the holidays were Margaret Hicks of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Starnes of Abilene.



The Success Staff

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ever, will be held up by continued high National Income and by military needs.

Taxes Will Be Higher

16. The burden of federal taxes, both corporate and personal, will be increased again in 1951. State and municipal taxes will remain high.

17. There will be an excess profits tax in 1951. These excess profits taxes will be milder than those in force during World War II; but they will be inflationary and retard efficiency, economy and incentive.

18. There will be heavy pressure for increased federal "sales taxes" to discourage purchasing of luxury and certain nonessential goods. Congress will see the value of some such sales taxes as an inflation road block.

19. States and municipalities will again be under pressure to find adequate sources of revenue. Further increases in such taxes can be looked for next year with additional cities and/or states adopting sales taxes.

20. Despite renewed efforts to increase the long-term capital gains tax above the present 25% figure, rates will remain unchanged.

Domestic Trade Will Be Less

21. Credit curbs will cut into the demand for automobiles and household equipment. Completions of fewer dwellings will also act as a damper on furniture sales.

22. Falling demand for hard goods should mean a stabilization of the public's spending for food and lower-priced soft goods.

23. The trend forecast in no. 22 will mean a decline in department store volume, but I predict a rise in the sales of variety chains and of drug chains.

Foreign Trade Outlook Fair

24. Barring new war developments, I look for continued shrinkage in our exports during 1951. Imports, however, should rise further. Total foreign trade should not be much changed, but the exporters will be on the short end of this business with the importers gaining.

25. It will become more difficult to convince Congress that additional heavy credits should be granted abroad except for war supplies.

26. As was the case this year, many domestic manufacturers will feel increasing competition from foreign merchandise. The cry for increased tariff protection will be heard again in the land.

27. Business and financial forecasts for next year are NOT based on the thought that World War III will start in 1951. Russia is certainly heading for war, but we do not believe she now wants it in Europe. She will be satisfied to have her satellites continue taking unexpected jobs as us, while the Politburo boys hand out soothing syrup. But we may see another episode like "Korea" in 1951.

More Deficit Financing After June 30, 1951

28. The first half of 1951 may actually see a budget surplus as a result of high National Income and increased taxation. Later, if Congress goes along with the Administration's plans for huge rearmament, a federal deficit will arise during the last half of the year.

29. As a result of the preceding prediction, money supplies should not begin to rise until after business has turned down. Increases at such a time are not likely to have such effect on prices.

30. Government bonds will be held tightly between the floor of Federal Reserve support purchases and the ceiling of Federal Reserve anti-inflation sales. Under such conditions, price changes should be negligible.

31. A great deal will be heard in 1951 about giving the Federal Reserve Board powerful controls over member bank loaning policies. Congress is not likely to pass such controls, however, unless commodity prices go a lot higher, or World War III comes.

Stock Market and Bond Outlook Uncertain

32. I see nothing now to indicate that we are entering a period of improved international relations. The danger of war remains. Until it disappears, wise people will move out of large bomb-vulnerable cities and avoid having investments in such areas.

33. The Stock Averages may work somewhat higher during the first half of next year, but sometime during 1951 they will sell lower than current quotations.

34. Stocks now in the best position for 1951 should be those that have not been popular as inflation hedges in the past months. I like good chain store stocks.

35. Investment Trust funds, pension funds, and insurance companies will provide an excellent backlog of demand for sound Income Stocks where good values can be demonstrated.

36. The successful investor next year will be the one who follows a carefully planned investment program. Such a program will emphasize diversification—not only by company and industry, but also by quality. Overconcentration will not pay in 1951.

37. Highest-grade taxable cor-

porate bonds should hold in a narrow price range during 1951, but I see no reason for individual investors buying them. For my forecast for long-term government bonds, see no. 30 above. The only corporate bonds which interest me are convertibles.

38. With income taxes slated to increase in 1951, tax-exempt bonds should continue in good demand. There has been some speculation in these, however, and any downward change in the tax outlook might cause a sudden turnabout in prices for municipals. Investors should see to it that their bond maturities are carefully diversified, with some part of their bond funds maturing each year.

Real Estate Activity Will Decline

39. The real estate outlook will be strongly affected by curbs in mortgage credit. Much of the recent boom was the result of easy credit—almost nothing down and small easy payments for years hence.

40. New home construction will suffer a greater decline than other lines. Nonessential commercial building will also be hit.

41. The coming decline in new building will throw a wet blanket over speculation in vacant suburban lots.

42. The scare caused by the Korean-China War and fears of an early outbreak in other sections will adversely affect the demand for big city real estate. Lower business volumes and the Draft next year will also curtail such demand.

Small sustenance farms should hold up well in price as demand will be spurred by those seeking refuge outside the big cities. Demand for large commercial farms, however, should weaken as the year progresses.

44. The swing back toward rent control will act as a further damper on new building. There is no incentive to build homes for rental income.

45. Tighter credit controls will make it more difficult to purchase older residential properties, and the prices for these should weaken.

46. As building volume slackens in 1951, the quality of available materials and workmanship should improve. This will help those who have saved their money and can pay for at least half the cost of a new home.

Defense Orders and Politics Will Increase

47. Those who can do so should attempt to get defense orders as a means of holding up production volumes and reducing overhead. Not too much profit from such war business should be expected, however, as these contracts will be subject to tightfisted renegotiations.

48. The political outlook for 1951 will be completely dominated by jockeying for position in the Presidential race for 1952. Most of Congress' time will be spent on International Problems; but either War or Peace could come early in 1951, which could make many of the above forecasts useless.

49. In Domestic Matters, despite recent changes in party alignment, Congress will still be dominated by a conservative coalition of Northern Republicans and "unregenerated" Southern Democrats. When the heat is on in a tough fight, the North-South coalition will still be able to curb onslaughts by New Dealers.

50. We are gradually headed for a One Party system and finally a Dictatorship. The Republicans will sometimes win with the slogan, "Had Enough?"; but their reign will be short-lived. Too many persons are following the pernicious doctrine of asking for higher wages and shorter hours, speculating in stocks and goods, growing rich on paper, voting Democratic for selfish reasons and letting the country go to the dogs, war or no war!

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and words of sympathy, the beautiful floral offering, the food that was brought and served and any act of consideration at the death of our dear husband and father. Our thanks also to Dr. Holcomb for all that he did. May God be with each of you in sorrow, is our prayer.

Mrs. Way King and children

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rountree left on December 16, for Chattanooga, Tenn., to visit for two weeks with Mrs. Rountree's relatives. Mr. Rountree is head of the soil conservation office and Mrs. Rountree is employed in the city hall.

Eldorado School Cafeteria Menus

- Tuesday, January 2, 1951
Tamales and Chili
Tossed Vegetable Salad
Buttered Rice
Cheese Wedges
Crackers Margarine
Milk
- Wednesday, January 3, 1951
Swedish Meat Balls and Gravy
or Beef Stew
Cream of Tomato Soup
Scalloped Potatoes
Buttered Mustard Greens
Hot Muffins Margarine
Milk
- Thursday, Jan. 4
Choice of Barbecued Tips or Pork Crops
Choice of Corn or Hominy
English Peas
Bread Margarine
Oatmeal Cookies Milk
- Friday, January 5
Fried Fish Fillets with Tomato Sauce
Mashed Potatoes
Buttered Green Beans
Hot Rolls Margarine
Milk

Personal News Items

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. (Monk) Williams of Ozona, have been spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Zida Williams.

The O. B. Bradshaws and Monetta spent Christmas, including Sunday and Monday, at Calf Creek with Mrs. Bradshaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Duncan and family. Her grandmother O. W. Duncan, accompanied them home to visit relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cheatham and Tony and Fern and Mr. and Mrs. Hop Cheatham spent Monday in San Angelo, visiting relatives. In the evening they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill McSwain.

The Joab Campbells had a Xmas telephone call Monday from their nephew, John Alexander, of the Mercantile National Bank in Dallas.

Mary Hoover, Braniff airline hostess with headquarters in Dallas spent from the 23rd to the 25th in Eldorado visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hoover.

Patricia Ann Cavin of Brady is spending the week here with her friend, Juanice Williams, at the George Williams home.

Mrs. J. W. Adams and her family, including her husband and children John and Cathie, of Merton, visited on Christmas on Case Ranch with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Case.

Mrs. Mattie Bruton has had as guests Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bruton and daughter Sue of Menard, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bruton and four daughters of Melvin, and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bruton and son Robert.

The Wiley Hight family spent Christmas weekend in Coleman with Mrs. Hight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boatwright. All of the children were together for the first time in seven years.

Those attending a Christmas dinner Sunday at Voca at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whiteley, were the P. W. Laymon, Vernon, and Lilburn Hazelwoods, the J. C. Whiteleys, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll, and Herman, Vicki and Jimmie, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carroll and Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Sauer of Brownfield arrived here Thursday evening to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gunstead and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sauer. Miss Gertrude Sauer of San Angelo also visited home folks from Saturday evening to Monday evening. A number of the relatives gathered in the Sauer home Sunday for a get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Whiteley had as guests on Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gill and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whiteley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Laymon of Phoenix, Arizona, spent the holidays with Mrs. Laymon's parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor and other relatives here.

The Edwin Childers family have been out of town during the holidays. They spent part of their Christmas holidays in Rochelle with Mr. Childers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Childers, and in Menard with Mrs. Childers' grandmother, Mrs. Lum Cook, of Arizona, who was visiting there. They returned home Monday evening.

W. W. Chrestman of Marysville, Calif., is here spending a week with his brother J. W. Chrestman, and Mrs. Chrestman, in Eldorado. The men had not seen each other in 15 years. W. W. is in the logging business at Marysville.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Sadie Davidson during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cheek of Tucson, Ariz., Felix Jarret of Simone, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Brevard of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davidson of Bakersfield, Mr. and Mrs. Harper Caldwell of Ft. Stockton, the Kenneth Cheek family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davidson, and Mrs. B. K. Cheek, in whose home the out-of-town relatives also visited.

Guests of Mrs. Rutha Boyer during the holidays were Mrs. M. T. Johnson, a daughter, of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stevenson and son Mack of Menard, Mrs. D. J. Rappy (Maxine) and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kimbro and two children of Mineral Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rampey and daughter Judy Marie of Mertzon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burrus had as holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. John Burrus and baby of Hamilton, James of Coke county, O. H. Luedeck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Forehand and family and Mrs. Flora Smith of Robert Lee.

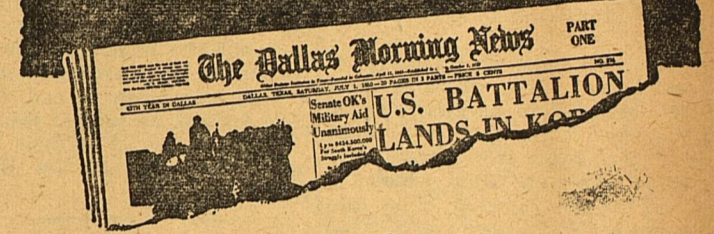
Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Calcote drove to Snyder Wednesday and brought back their daughter Doris, Mrs. S. D. Stevens, and her twins, for a week's visit. Mr. Stevens will join them here on New Years and take them home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and their daughters Helen and Juanice spent from Saturday to Monday evening in Odessa visiting with Mrs. Williams' three brothers there.

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News Review

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entertains Hill Country Fireman's convention. Surface hole is dug for the Delta Gulf No. 1 Thomson well near Huddale. Roy Shilling, Jr., and Glenn Biggs announce a youth revival. Work starts on George Long and Keno Ogden buildings.

10.—Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op stages its annual meeting and election of officers. W. K. Reagan, railroad section employee, dies after months of illness. Draft machinery starts operating and first young men in county receive notices to appear for physicals.

17.—County commissioners draw new lines for the four commission districts; each will corner in Eldorado. School board busy electing

THE STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER)

On this the 11th day of December, A. D. 1950 there came on and was held a Regular Term of the Commissioners' Court of Schleicher County, Texas, at the County Court House in Eldorado, Texas, with the following members of said Court present, to-wit:

- Hon. C. L. Meador, Jr., County Judge, Presiding.
- J. E. Spencer, Commissioner Precinct No. 1
- L. G. Edmiston, Commissioner Precinct No. 2
- Carroll White, Commissioner Precinct No. 3
- L. Moore, Commissioner Precinct No. 4
- H. T. Finley, County Clerk
- E. H. Sweatt, Sheriff,

when the following, among other, proceedings were had, to-wit:

There came on for consideration, the proposition of executing an oil, gas and mineral lease on the minerals in and under Labor Nos. 1 and 10, League 285, Schleicher County School Land in Gaines County, Texas, one-half of which are owned by Schleicher County, Texas.

On motion of Commissioner Carroll White, seconded by Commissioner L. Moore, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, to-wit:

That the Commissioners' Court advertise and receive bids for an oil, gas and mineral lease on said land on January 8, 1951 next in accordance with the terms and provisions of the following notice, and the County Clerk of this County is hereby instructed and authorized to cause to be published for three issues in a newspaper of general circulation in this county, and in Gaines County, Texas, where the land is located, and said publication and all other acts in connection herewith, be in full conformity to, and covered by Article 5400A of the Revised Statutes of Texas for the year 1925. Said notice is as follows:

NOTICE FOR BIDS OF MINERAL LEASE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners' Court of Schleicher County, Texas, will receive and consider bids at ten o'clock A. M. on January 8, 1951, at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the City of Eldorado, Texas, for an oil, gas and mineral lease and/or leases on the following described land, to-wit:

Labor Nos. 1 and 10, League 285, Schleicher County School Land in Gaines County, Texas, containing 354.24 acres, more or less. Schleicher County, in behalf of its public free school land, owning one-half of the minerals in and under the above described land; said bid to be on a lease or leases for not longer than a period of five years from date of execution and approval thereof, and Lessor shall retain at least one-eighth (1/8th) of the royalty to Schleicher County. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said office this the 11th day of December, A. D. 1950.

(Signed)
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faculty for new year. REA re-elects all old directors. First Baptists break ground for new annex.

24.—Board sets Sept. 11 as date for opening of school term. Robt. McWhorter sells variety store to J. L. Ratliff. Jack Ratliff to take over furniture business. Run-off election to be held Saturday; only contest in this county is for office of commissioner in precinct No. 4. Lions to sponsor skating rink in Memorial building.

31.—Belk is winner in commissioners race by 4 votes. Lewis Bal-lows buy Page Drug Store. Death of Mrs. Allie Sweatt. Pancho Bradley, reserve, recalled to duty. First bale of cotton brought in by Cecil Williams.

September

7.—School will open the following Monday; new building is ready, but some equipment yet to come. Many new faces in faculty. Death of Frank Bradley reported. Bids asked for building balance of west road in this county.

14.—School term gets under way. Young people leave for college. Bond issue for road funds carries easily. Considerable building going on.

21.—Robert W. Maginot, M. D., opens office and clinic in Eldorado. Western Auto store to open Saturday. Eagles win opening game against Del Rio. Unpaved streets to be caliche; work started. PTA to stage annual bazaar.

28.—School announces increased enrollment over last year. The new skating rink to open Saturday. Eagles defeat San Angelo Kittens.

Business deal calls for the erection of new filling station on Ogden corner.

October

5.—Eagles defeat scrappy team from Mason. Contract let for west highway construction. Total of 14 inches rainfall reported for first nine months of the year. Restrictions on 1951 cotton are done away with. Howard McDaniel sells ice business to Paul Phillips.

12.—Delta Gulf well at Huddale flows at rate of 40 barrels per hour. New field promised for this county. 1575 bales of cotton ginned to date. Eagles lose to Menard.

19.—Interest running high in Huddale well. Royalty prices in that area shoot up. Death of Rev. Faust reported. Eagles defeat Sonora. Jones Bros. open Magnolia station.

26.—Fencing continues on route for new highway. Daily flow of 1270 barrels is official rate of new Huddale well. At least four offsets promised. Open house and homecoming to be held at the new school. Eagles defeat Iraan.

November

2.—McCormicks new drive-in grocery ready to open Saturday. This is also the week-end of the home-coming, for which big plans are being made. Commissioners promise roads to new oil fields.

9.—Many witness dedication of new building. Eldorado wins over Ozona Lions. Death of "Uncle Sid" Boothe reported.

16.—Eagles defeat Big Lake and prepare for final district game against Junction. Deaths of L. R. Mickey and Mrs. S. P. Harris reported. Contractors at work on west road.

23.—Eldorado defeats Junction in thrilling game, and elaborate preparations made for bi-district tilt with Marfa. Everybody wild over football.

30.—Rig moved in for test on Ranges. Funeral held for Mrs. C. L. Meador Sr. All set for big Marfa game—reserve seats and everything.

December

7.—Eldorado defeats Marfa and go to Eden for final game tomorrow. Cold snap reported. Merchants offering holiday goods.

14.—Regional victory over Eden puts Eldorado Eagles at top. Football season closes and basketball gets under way. Death of Rosa Mae Owens reported after an accident. Churches announce holiday events.

21.—Deaths reported of Way King, Mrs. Gladys Edens, and Mrs. Jeffie Edmiston. Schools close for Christmas.

Personal News Items

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Galbreath and son Bobby spent Christmas near Sonora with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Galbreath.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graves spent Christmas in Del Rio with Mrs. Graves' sister, and were joined there by the women's parents from Uvalde, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Griffin of Midland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Griffin, the former's parents. Guests also in the home of the Griffins, and of the L. B. Kerr and the Bob Andersons were Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Kerr of Houston. The men went hunting on Christmas.

Dolly Griffin of San Antonio has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin during the vacation period.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fry and sons John and Winfield left Saturday noon to spend two days with their parents in San Saba. Mr. and Mrs. James Case and Mrs. Kay

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lee Johnson left Saturday noon for Gonzales, to visit relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Furr and children spent the Christmas holidays in Houston with relatives.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Furr during the Christmas week end were Mrs. John Palmer and daughter Sue, Johnnie Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Savola Bolt and daughter Nelva June, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Duncan and children Barbara, Merle Owen and Peggy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Enochs and son Rex visited Mrs. Lewis Spivey, their sister, at Lometa, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Ewing are expecting to return this week from Houston where they have been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ivy and children of Sheffield visited here for a short time with relatives and returned for a midweek visit this week.

The Howard and Arthur Faull families were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Faull on Christmas.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hext for Christmas were their sons Joe Hext and family of LaMarque and Jack Hext and family of Eldorado, also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Finnigan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore had a phone call Monday from their son Master Sergeant J. D. Ashmore of Dayton, Ohio, who recently received a promotion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Atkins spent the holidays in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bird and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horn and Judy. All spent Monday at the Horn home. The Atkins were away from home from Friday to Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Fry, who live on the Gay Copeland ranch, have had as guests Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Rood, of Argyle, Wisconsin, and all visited relatives out of town a few days.

Leslie Baker has been on the sick list during the holidays.

The Sam Lloyds and Jimmie of Ft. Stockton visited during the holidays with the Seth Ramsey, W. T. Whitten, Leslie Baker and Herbert Graf families.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McCormick spent their holidays in Bonham with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bilhartz and son of El Paso visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Will Doyle. Other holiday guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Roach of Redwood City, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Robinson of Ballinger visited during the holidays with Mrs. Ruby Damron.

Mrs. W. E. Baker, Ruth Baker, and Leslie Baker and his wife visited Mrs. J. T. Ratliff and family in San Angelo on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Doyle and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Doyle visited Milton Doyle and his family at Roby for Christmas.

Mrs. Harvey Dannheim returned home Sunday from Christoval where she has been undergoing treatment for ten days. Her infant daughter stayed with Mrs. Milton Fought, Mrs. Dannheim's sister, during her absence. Mrs. Dannheim is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Duward Awalt and family left Saturday morning for Winters to spend the Christmas week end with their parents, returning home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis have had as guests their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Schwobel and sons of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Russell of Ozona spent Christmas Day in Eldorado with Mrs. Russell's mother, Mrs. Ora Davis. Mr. Russell is working in an Ozona band, and Mrs. Russell is teaching in Ozona school system.

Rance McDonald and Lum Davis spent Christmas in LaFeria, where Mrs. Davis and Jan had been visiting for two weeks. They returned home Monday, and Mrs. Davis remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Glenn Spann has returned to Irving with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Price, after visiting relatives here. Also here for a holiday visit with relatives is Mrs. Bertha Shugart of Dallas.

In the Jeff Enochs home during the Christmas holidays was Tom Enochs of Sterling City. These three and Mrs. Ethel Etheredge and her children visited Junior Isaacs and Mrs. Isaacs Christmas Day near Menard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Edmiston have had as guests Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Williamson of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. George McLaurhin

The Paul Phillips family spent Christmas Day in San Angelo with Mrs. J. D. Hare whose husband is in Shannon Hospital. Also visiting in the home were Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sawyer of Tankersley, and Mr. and Mrs. Van Hare of San Angelo. In the afternoon all visited Mr. Hare at the hospital.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elder were Patricia Elder of Alpine, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan and two children of McCamey, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Montgomery Jr., of Houston, Calvin of the University at Austin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Christian and Check Wilkerson of Eldorado. They had a turkey dinner and gifts from the tree. On Christmas Day all went to Mason to visit in the Montgomery home except the Christians.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Davis and family spent Christmas in San Angelo with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wright. They had previously attended a party at the home of Herbert Wright, about 30 attending.

Mrs. Buster Dickens has been visiting in San Antonio.

The Russell Donaldson family had as guests during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith and children Bobby Jo, Jimmie David and Mary Alice.

Betty May Doyle is spending Christmas Week in Dallas, visiting in the Cunningham home.

Mrs. Russell Donaldson reports that her son Sgt. Billy Carson was unable to be at home for Christmas because of cancellation of furloughs, and that he has been moved from Oklahoma to Georgia where his wife has joined him.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dameron have had as guests their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Fred McElroy of San Angelo, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Borders and son Clyde of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Doyle who spent several months in Odessa, have returned to Eldorado and are making their home for the time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cook of Hobbs, New Mex., spent part of the holidays here with Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Clark.

At the Ben Biggs home during the holidays were their daughter Mrs. Bob McElroy and her husband and two children of San Angelo, and Mrs. Biggs' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Burger and three children of Norton.



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Billy Frank Blaylock and his family of Comfort, and Jerry of Waco visited during the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Blaylock. Visitors there and in other homes in Eldorado were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kent and Dan of Alpine, and Spencer of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Browder have had as holiday guests their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Browder of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Haden and family of San Angelo and Mrs. G. M. Capps of San Angelo.

The H. A. Belks spent the day on Christmas in Paint Rock with Mr. Belk's sister, Mrs. Riley Houston and her family. There also for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hartgrove of Paint Rock and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Belk of Miles.

The F. B. Calcotes had as guests for Christmas Melba and her family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Minyard and Celia Ann of Midland, and Mrs. F. G. Clark and Mrs. Ruth Gourley.



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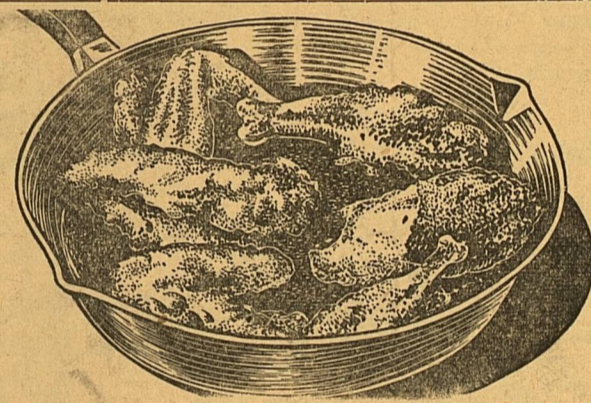


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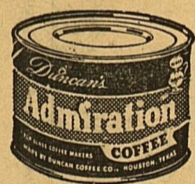
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½ POUND 58c
1 POUND 1.09

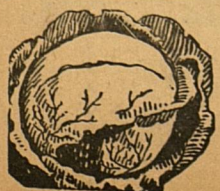


1ge box **33c**
giant box **83c**



Red & White Flour
5 lbs. 49c | 10 lbs. 98c | 25 lbs. 1.89

Large Iceburg Head
LETTUCE 11½c



Firm Green Heads Pound
CABBAGE 5c

HADACOL
Reg. Bottle 1.25 Giant size 3.50