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Ozona on Air Routes Proposed By Bowen Airways

Application to Civil Aeronautics Board for Feeder Lines

If an amended application to the Civil Aeronautics Board for certificate of public necessity and convenience by Bowen Airways of Fort Worth is approved, Ozona will be included in a state-wide system of local, feeder and pick-up air service which will give a direct air outlet to San Antonio, San Angelo or El Paso, Dallas and Fort Worth and thence to all parts of the country on established airways.

A letter, together with copy of the amended application and map of the proposed new air lines, was received here this week addressed to the Chamber of Commerce, asking aid in preparing statistics to prove the need for such service to this community and its trade territory.

Bowen proposes lines out of San Antonio to Del Rio, then north to Sonora and on to San Angelo and Brownwood and connecting to Dallas and Fort Worth and back to Central Texas. From Sonora a line would branch west through Ozona to Iranan and McCamey and to Fort Stockton, branching there north to Pecos and Carlsbad, N. M., and then to El Paso, and south to Alpine and Marfa, Van Horn and El Paso.

The proposed network of air lines and feeders would give people of this section direct connection with through lines and thus outlets by air in all directions.

Bowen Airways is headed by R. C. Bowen, former head of the Bowen Bus Lines, with Sidney J. Kring of Fort Worth as executive vice president of the company. The lines would carry passengers, mail and freight in local, feeder and pick-up air services over the proposed routes, operating aircraft in a regular scheduled and non-scheduled common carrier operation.

Applications for New 'A' Gas Books Being Received

Basic Ration May Be Renewed Between Now and Sept. 21

Applications are now being received at the office of the local War Price and Rationing Board in the courthouse for the new "A" gasoline ration books, it was announced this week by the chairman, John R. Bailey. Although the present basic ration coupons do not expire until September 21, motorists are urged to send in their renewal applications as soon as possible, to avoid swamping the office force near the expiration date. Coupons in the new "A" books will be worth four gallons instead of three, the value of the present coupons. Six of these four-gallon coupons will be validated every three months, providing 24 gallons of gasoline in each validity period, the same as at present except with fewer coupons.

All applications for renewals must be accompanied by the back cover of the current "A" books, the chairman announced. If the applicant for new "A" rations has thrown away or lost his current "A" book cover, he must prove to the board (1) that he has a car which entitles him to apply for an "A" ration; (2) that the car is currently registered and in use by submitting registration receipt; and (3) that a new basic ration has not been issued for it. The present speedometer reading of the car is also required on the new application form.

Another change in the "A" ration set-up is a new form known as Mileage Rationing Record to be issued with every renewal of "A" ration. This form will replace the Tire Inspection Record as a record of all rations issued to any car owner who has an "A" book.

Former Ozona Boy Chasing 'Damn Krauts' In French Hedgerows

Combat correspondents in the Normandy battle areas used thousands of words to describe the difficulties of fighting among the hedgerows of that peninsula but it took just one word for a former Ozona boy, Pvt. Beecher Childress, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Childress of El Paso, former Ozonans. "This hedgerow fighting," he says, "is hell."

In a letter from France, dated August 4, to his parents, a copy of which has been received by friends here, Beecher wrote that he was "ok."

"We seem to have these damn Krauts on the run and we are going to try to keep them that way. But I'll be glad when we get to a more open country because this hedgerow fighting is hell."

"I had always heard that France is a beautiful country and it really is. This country we are now in is divided into small plots of farm land and apple orchards, divided by tall hedgerows. But one has to see it to appreciate its beauty. The French people, what few I have seen, are really nice to us, giving us cider, and they seem very happy to see all of us."

Beecher's address is Pvt. Beecher R. Childress—ASN 3812833, Co. C, 120th Inf. APO 30, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He has been in France since July 18.

Need for Waste Paper Stressed In State Drive

Scouts Continue to Direct Local Collection Campaign

"It is extremely difficult to realize the enormous importance of paper in war," Conway Craig and Deskin Wells, co-chairmen of the Texas Newspapers' Waste Paper Drive said today in discussing the vital need for salvaging every scrap of waste paper.

Waste paper constitutes almost 90 percent of the content of every piece of paper used in the 700,000 different items made from this material needed by the Army and Navy.

"It is startling to learn that waste paper has so many uses," the co-chairmen of the drive stated in pointing out some of the uses for paper in modern war:

One hundred pounds of waste paper will make seventeen protective bands for 500-pound bombs, 650 cartons for Army "K" rations, 2,911 cartons containing ten cartridges for inflating life boats, or 50 casings for 75-mm shells.

Two pounds of waste paper will make one V-box container for food and supplies.

One pound of waste paper will make 15 life-boat emergency ration containers.

"When the people of Texas understand what a vital part waste paper plays in the war we've no doubt that their response will be overwhelming," the campaign chairman said.

The waste paper campaign in Ozona is being directed by the Boy Scouts under the supervision of Scoutmaster Bill Cooper. Ozonans are asked to tie up their waste paper in bundles and to deposit such bundles in the unfinished rock building on the Smith lot next to Butler's Cafe.

Approximately 6,000 pounds of waste paper has already been collected in Ozona and moved by Army trucks from Laughlin Field at Del Rio for shipment. As soon as that minimum quantity is again collected, Army trucks will return to pick up the accumulation.

Lt. W. D. Shutter, (M. C.) U.S. N.R., was in Ozona a few days this week, spending his leave here visiting with Pascal Northcutt, Ph. M. I/c, also on leave. Both Lt. Shutter and Northcutt are stationed at Port Huene, California, and both left Wednesday to return to base. Lt. Shutter, who entered the Navy immediately upon receiving his Doctor of Medicine degree two years ago, lives in Pennsylvania.

Voters to Decide Two Contests in Second Primary

Crockett Voters to Have Opportunity to Cast Ballots Sat.

Voters of Texas will make a decision in two state races in the Democratic primary next Saturday, with a number of local and district contests in other sections of the state.

Crockett county voters will have opportunity to cast their ballots in the race for Attorney General of Texas and in that for Associate Justice of the Texas Supreme Court. These are the only state offices in which a decision on the nominee was not made in the first primary in July. There being no local or district contests in this county, Democratic voters who cast their ballots here next Saturday will have only these two races to decide.

In the race for attorney general, Grover Sellers of Hopkins county (Stephenville) and Jesse E. Martin of Tarrant county (Fort Worth) are contestants for the Democratic nomination and assured election in November. Sellers is now serving in the office under appointment of Governor Coke Stevenson upon the resignation of Gerald Mann. Martin is serving in the state Senate.

Judge Richard Critz of Williamson county, incumbent, is being opposed for re-nomination to the post of Associate Justice of the Texas Supreme Court by Col. Gordon Simpson of Smith County, now in the armed services overseas.

Democratic party leaders here this week indicated that ballots would be available only in the Ozona voting box at the courthouse. However, they said, if election officials in other boxes in the county expressed a desire to hold the election in their precincts, ballots and supplies would be provided.

Coach Sikes and 25 Boys of '44 Squad To Training Camp

Coach L. B. T. Sikes and 25 boys who will form the 1944 football squad of Ozona High School left Monday morning for Devil's River and a week of pre-season physical conditioning in open-air camp.

The boys will encamp on the river, enjoy fishing, hiking and outdoor games and a general get-acquainted period in preparation for the coming football season. The boys will be in shape to jump immediately into hard training after September 1, Coach Sikes said.

With a crew of veterans back from the hard-working team of the 1943 season, and a liberal portion of promising new material in a fine bunch of freshman boys, Coach Sikes is looking forward to big things once the football season gets under way. Although still unwilling to commit himself, the coach gives it away by his enthusiasm that he holds high hopes of sweeping the district with the 1944 edition of the Lions.

Brother of Ozonan Reported Killed In Fight On Tinian Island

Pfc. Kenneth W. Ripple, 19 son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ripple of San Angelo, and a brother of Joe E. Ripple, principal of the Ozona Junior High School, has been reported killed in action on Tinian Island in the Pacific, according to word received by the parents in San Angelo.

Although the parents have not received official notification of their son's death, a buddy in the Pacific fight zone recently wrote his parents in Sterling City of Pfc. Ripple's death. Young Ripple was attached to the Second Marine Division and had seen action at Tarawa and on Saipan Island. He was a graduate of San Angelo High School and attended San Angelo College.

Back the Attack! Buy More Bonds

Lt. Bunker Wins Bronze Star Medal In Fighting Japs

Marine Officer Cited For Heroic Action in Night Fight

Lt. Welton H. Bunker, Jr., United States Marine Corps, has again been cited for heroic action in the Pacific island Japanese extermination campaign. The Ozona Marine officer was awarded the Bronze Star Medal and accompanying citation in ceremonies somewhere in the Pacific on August 5. A copy of the citation, from which Marine unit numbers, position designations and other restricted matter were left blank, was sent to the officer's parents here, along with the ribbon representing the medal.

The award was made by Vice Admiral T. C. Kinkaid, commander of the Seventh Fleet, and the action on which the award was made is presumed to have taken place in the Cape Gloucester fighting. The action as described in the citation is very similar to the feat which a few months ago won for Lt. Bunker a letter of commendation from his commanding general, General Rupertus.

The Bronze Star Medal Award reads as follows:

"For distinguishing himself by heroic and meritorious service and devotion to duty while serving as a platoon leader of . . . platoon of . . . Marines, in action against enemy Japanese forces, First Lieut. Welton H. Bunker, Jr., U.S. M.C.R., directed the movement of two . . . guns into position during the darkness and under enemy fire. Both guns had to be hand-moved up the steep and slippery slopes of a hill . . . to gain an extremely advantageous position. With one section sergeant and two other gun crew members wounded while placing the gun in position, Lieut. Bunker took up his post at one of the guns. About midnight, the Japanese made three determined assaults on the . . . sector where these guns were emplaced. Lieut. Bunker, by his tireless devotion to duty and with great skill, overcame obstacles of terrain and enemy fire to accomplish his mission, and thus was of great help in the destruction of the enemy and the defense of the . . . His conduct distinguished him among those performing duties of the same character."

Amerada Gets New Ordovician Well In Todd Field

No. 5-A Flows 312 Bbls. in 14 Hours from Ellenburger

The Todd Deep field in north central Crockett County, with 17 wells producing from the crinoidal section of the Pennsylvanian, had become Friday the fifteenth oil producing area in West Texas from the Ordovician.

Amerada Petroleum Corp. No. 5-A J. S. Todd estate on the north edge of the field flowed naturally 312 barrels of 41.3 corrected gravity oil in 14 hours through 320 gun perforations in 5½-inch casing between 6,130 and 6,210 feet. The gauge was through a one-inch choke on 2-inch tubing set at 6,209 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 708-1.

The discovery had drilled to 6,285 feet, cemented 5½-inch casing at 6,280 with 270 sacks and had drilled out cement to 6,213 feet. The natural flow developed after oil was circulated. The well flowed into the pits for two hours to clean itself before being turned into storage.

With elevation, 2,557 feet, No. 5-A Todd estate topped the crinoidal at 5,725 feet, the Simpson, middle Ordovician, at 5,984 and the Ellenburger at 6,142 feet. Soft formation was drilled from 6,130 to 6,205 feet. The perforated section included the bottom 12 feet of the Simpson, but the production was announced to be from the Ellenburger.

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Last of 1944 Spring Wool Clip Appraised By C. C. C. Committee

Appraisal of the last of the 1944 Spring clip of wool was completed last Friday at the Ozona Wool and Mohair Co. warehouse by a committee of appraisers for the Commodity Credit Corporation.

A total of 155,000 pounds of the Spring fleece was appraised by the committee, cleaning up the last of the local storage company's accumulation of 12-months wool. Resale of 66,000 pounds of 12-months wool to Emory & Conant of Boston for the CCC was also announced this week by Melvin Brown, manager of the Ozona warehouse.

Lt. Nussbaumer Awarded DFC for Aerial Exploit

Ozonan's Husband Brings Crippled Bomber Back

Special to the Stockman, Ozona

An EIGHTH AIR FORCE LIBERATOR STATION, ENGLAND: The Distinguished Flying Cross was awarded to 1st Lt. Joe J. Nussbaumer of San Angelo, Texas for extraordinary achievement on a bombing mission to Germany July 11, 1944. The announcement was made by Major General James P. Hodges, Commanding General of a Liberator Bombardment Division.

He is a Pilot of a B-24 Liberator heavy bomber and has already participated in 20 bombing missions over Germany and enemy occupied Europe.

The plane in which he was flying was hit severely by anti-aircraft over the target area. As a result two engines were rendered useless. Lt. Nussbaumer, with coolness and superior flying skill returned to his home base without further injury to the crew or damage to the aircraft.

His wife, Mrs. Lela Mae Nussbaumer lives in Ozona, Texas. Before entering the army, Lt. Nussbaumer was the manager of a florist shop. He is a graduate of San Angelo High School. He received his commission at Stockton, Calif. June 22, 1943. The young pilot has already flown in Italy.

Besides the DFC, Lt. Nussbaumer also holds the Air Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters to it.

Texans to Hear Sons From Battle Fronts in Radio Chats Aug. 28

AUSTIN—For the first time since the invasion, Texans on the home-front next Monday will hear the voices of their husbands, sons and friends fighting on the battle-fronts of France, when the United War Chest of Texas presents its state-wide network radio program, "The Texan's Share in the War."

Plans for the unique program were announced today by Wayland D. Towner, UWCT general manager, whose staff arranged the broadcast with cooperation of the British Broadcasting Company and the three Texas radio networks.

The thirty-minute program will consist almost entirely of short-wave interviews with Texas service men abroad, Towner said. From Normandy and other battle-fronts, Texas fighting men will talk by short-wave with the folks back home in a series of informal "chats," the war chest official explained. In addition, Larry Allen famed Associated Press war correspondent, will tell briefly of his 13 months in a Nazi prisoner-of-war camp.

The program will be carried by all three Texas radio networks and by independent stations from 9:30 to 10 p.m., Monday, August 28.

Mrs. John Coates was taken to a San Angelo hospital early this morning suffering from an acute attack of appendicitis. At last reports she was undergoing clinical examination and decision as to whether or not an operation would be necessary had not been reached.

Teaching Staff Nearly Complete For Term Opening

Third Appointment For 4th Grade Post Since Spring Made

Continuing the on-again-off-again game of employing teachers, Supt. C. S. Denham announced this week that he hoped the third time would prove the charm and that the position of fourth grade teacher in the elementary school could be checked off as filled.

The position was filled last week for the third time since Spring, and this time the superintendent was hopeful that the appointment would "stick." The third appointee is Miss Margaret McAdams of Dallas. Miss McAdams, who holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Texas State College for Women at Denton, and will receive a B. S. degree in education the last of this month, is studying this summer at the TSCW summer school at Saltillo, Mexico.

Previously, the fourth grade position was filled by appointment of Miss Mary Beth Johnson in July. Miss Johnson later resigned after reaching a decision to return to her old post as teacher in the Berger public schools. Then Miss Althea Taylor of Denton was appointed to fill the post and she, too, resigned and the alert superintendent again cast his lines, this time to land Miss McAdams, whose appointment completed the staff of the elementary school.

Appointments made during the past week have completed the teaching staffs of all schools with the exception of one position in the high school, that of head of the commercial department, Mr. Denham announced this week. Several prospects are being contacted for this position and the superintendent was hopeful that it will be filled before the opening of schools.

Mr. Denham, who last year traveled some 2300 miles over Texas in search of teaching talent, has bested that mileage since April of this year, traveling some 2,500 miles interviewing prospective teachers and lining up the staff for the coming session.

Two positions in the Latin-American school, one an addition over the staff as maintained last year, were also reported filled this week to complete the faculty for that school.

As teacher of arithmetic and also commercial subjects, including bookkeeping and typing, Miss Dora D. Mitchell of Sylvester, Texas, has been appointed, Supt. Denham announced. Miss Mitchell will receive her B. A. degree from Abilene Christian College this month, majoring in business administration.

To fill the post of teacher of history and geography in the Latin-American school, Mr. Denham announced the appointment of Miss Ella LaMotte of Pettit, Texas. Miss LaMotte has had nine years of teaching experience, but only this summer completed college work to qualify for a degree. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Abilene Christian College at commencement exercises late this month.

Ozona schools will open Monday morning, Sept. 4.

Employer-Employee Relations Subject For Rotary Talk

One of the objects of Rotary, to foster a better understanding and relationship between employer and employee, was the subject for an interesting talk given to the Ozona Rotary Club Tuesday by its president, Royal Caswell.

Mr. Caswell, superintendent of the Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co. Ozona station, used as material for his talk a comprehensive study course which the pipeline company requires all of its employees in managerial capacities to take. Common examples of the right and wrong methods in ordinary employer-employee relations were cited and solutions for common personnel problems were advanced.

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Proposed Constitutional Amendments

H. J. R. No. 8

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f; Section 51-e providing that cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for its employees, provided, however, that no pension system shall be set up in any city until it has been approved at an election by qualified voters entitled to vote at an election on the question of the issuance of tax supported bonds; Section 51-f providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such plan or program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary, provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section; providing for an election on the question of the adoption or rejection of such an amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof and prescribing the form of ballot.

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

Section 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f, which shall read as follows:

"Section 51-e. Each incorporated city and town in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for its appointive officers and employees who have become disabled as a direct result of the performance of their duties, or have passed their sixty-fifth birthday, or have been employed by such city or town for more than twenty-five (25) years and have passed their sixtieth birthday, when and if, but only when and if, such system has been approved at an election by the qualified voters of such city or town entitled to vote on the question of issuance of tax supported bonds; provided that no city or town shall contribute more than the equivalent of seven and one half (7½) per centum of salaries and wages of the officers and employees entitled to participate in its pension system, and that said officers and employees shall contribute a like amount; and this Amendment shall not reduce the authority nor duty of any city or town otherwise existing.

"Section 51-f. The Legislature of this State shall have the authority to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1944, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment providing that the cities and

towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees," and "Against the Constitutional Amendment providing that all cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees." All ballots at each election shall also have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns." Each voter shall scratch out two (2) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the two (2) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendments.

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

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election. 17-4tc

H. J. R. No. 18

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the seventh day of November, 1944, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words: "For the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such

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"Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five (35) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five (25) cents for city or coun-

ty purposes, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the Amendment September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year, except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided; provided, however, that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the foregoing county taxes by changing the rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; provided further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax payers, voting in such election; and, provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in the aforesaid county taxes have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution."

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county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

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

"Against the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of election at which same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

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

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WE, THE SUBSCRIBERS, have this day entered into a Limited Partnership under the provisions of Texas Revised Statutes Title 105, relating to limited partnerships, and do hereby certify that the name of the firm under which said partnership is to be conducted is ELTEX, LTD.; that the general nature of the business to be transacted is all phases of the oil business, including the purchase and sale of oil and gas leases, leasehold estates, interests and royalties, drilling of oil and gas wells, the producing, processing and marketing of oil, gas and other petroleum products, and all other activities incident to an oil and gas business, and that the same will be transacted in the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas, and in the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, and in Crockett County, Texas. That the name of the general partner is E. L. Elliot, of New York City, New York, and Fort Worth, Texas, who has contributed in cash the sum of \$3,150.00, and the names of the partners, their addresses, and the amount each has actually contributed and paid in, in cash are as follows:

Name	Address	Amount
David Van Alostyne, Jr.	115 Chestnut St. Englewood, N. J.	\$3,450.00
Richard C. Noel	5 Carstensen Rd., Scarsdale, N. Y.	\$3,150.00
Harold K. Young	24 Elm Ave. Larchmont, N. Y.	375.00
L. Richard Kinnard	415 Wister Road Wynnewood, Pa.	1,125.00
Gerald T. Shipman	35 Baltusrol Way, Short Hills, N. J.	1,125.00
W. Ian Mack	250 Park Ave. New York City	375.00

Miss Stella Lee,	250 West 85th St.	375.00
Miss Anna C. Gillane,	New York, N. Y.	
Chappaqua, New York		375.00
Armin A. Schlesinger,	715N. Van Buren St.,	1,500.00
Milwaukee, Wis.		

The date at which said partnership is to commence is April 28, 1944, and it shall terminate on April 28, 1954.

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I, COUNTY CLERK OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS, to whom the certificate of Limited Partner-

ship above referred to was tendered for filing, have designated The Ozona Stockman, Ozona, Texas, a newspaper of general circulation in this County, in which the foregoing advertisement shall be advertised for six weeks in accordance with Article 6118, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas. 20-6tc

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Beginning Monday, Sept. 4, we will resume operation of our delivery truck in Ozona for pick-up and delivery of laundry and dry cleaning work.

Because of the shortage of labor, we found it necessary during the vacation period of the summer to suspend this service. We appreciate the whole-hearted co-operation we received from our customers in meeting this situation, and with resumption of the service will try to show our appreciation by giving you the very best possible pick-up and delivery service under present restrictions. Meanwhile, please accept our thanks for your cooperation during the summer.

For purposes of economy in truck operation and time of the driver, we have zoned the city for the three-times weekly delivery service. Using the main street through the business section north and south, the city has been divided into two sections, East and West, and the following Monday, Wednesday and Saturday morning service schedule will be inaugurated:

East Section — 8 to 9 a.m.
West Section — 9 to 10 a.m.

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Miss Adele Keeton Becomes Bride Of Rev. Leland Wyatt In Double Ring Ceremony At First Baptist Church Here Monday

In a double-ring ceremony performed at 12 o'clock Monday at the First Baptist Church by the Rev. Clyde Childers, pastor, Miss Adele Keeton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Keeton of Ozona, became the bride of Rev. Leland Wyatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wyatt of Melrose, N. M.

The altar was banked with ivy which was trailed from two silver urns and draped along the baptistry rail to form a back-

ground of greenery before which were grouped baskets of white gladiolas.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a suit of white wool gabardine and her accessories were black. She carried a white Bible on which was arranged a spray of gardenias. Her corsage was also of gardenias. Miss Marie Williams at the piano played the pre-nuptial music and

the traditional wedding marches. Mrs. Joseph W. Keeton of Dallas sister-in-law of the bride, served as matron of honor and Joseph W. Keeton was best man. Ushers were Roy Thompson and Leo Bawcom. Mrs. Keeton wore a two-piece rose wool suit with accessories in black. Her corsage was of white gladiolas.

The bride is a graduate of Ozona High School, class of 1942, and of Wayland Colleg at Plainview. She entered Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene in June. Rev. Wyatt is a ministerial student at Hardin-Simmons. He also attended Wayland College, and both plan

to resume their studies at Hardin-Simmons on September 15 when the regular fall term opens. They plan to enter the missionary field upon completion of their studies.

The young couple left shortly after the ceremony on a wedding trip which will take them into New Mexico. They will be at home after September 1 at 1602 Amber Street in Abilene.

Out-of-town guests here for the wedding were Mrs. W. A. Kay of Fort Stockton and Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wyatt of Melrose, N. M., parents of the groom and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Keeton and two daughters from Dallas.

GROUP ENJOYS CHICKEN BARBECUE SUPPER SUNDAY

A chicken barbecue supper, topped off with ice cold water water melon, was enjoyed Sunday evening at the East Park by a group of Ozona young people. Attending were Flight Officer Sid Petty, Sgt. Vaughn Brown, Sgt. J. T. Casbeer, Corp. T. J. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnigan, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Browning, Mrs. Louise Spurgers, Mrs. Vernon White, Miss Florence Luther, Miss Nola Hebbard of Milan, Kans., Mrs. Dorothy Schneider, Mrs. Jamie Sheppard and Mrs. Myrtle Parker.

Juan Montez, A. S., U.S. Navy, who has been in training at San Diego, spent five days leave here this week, visiting relatives and friends. Seaman Montez expects to be assigned to the Amphibious Command for service in the Pacific on his return to base. Kenneth Hodges, A. S., another Ozonan, is attached to the same outfit, Juan said.

Baker Granted Site For Construction Of Slaughter House

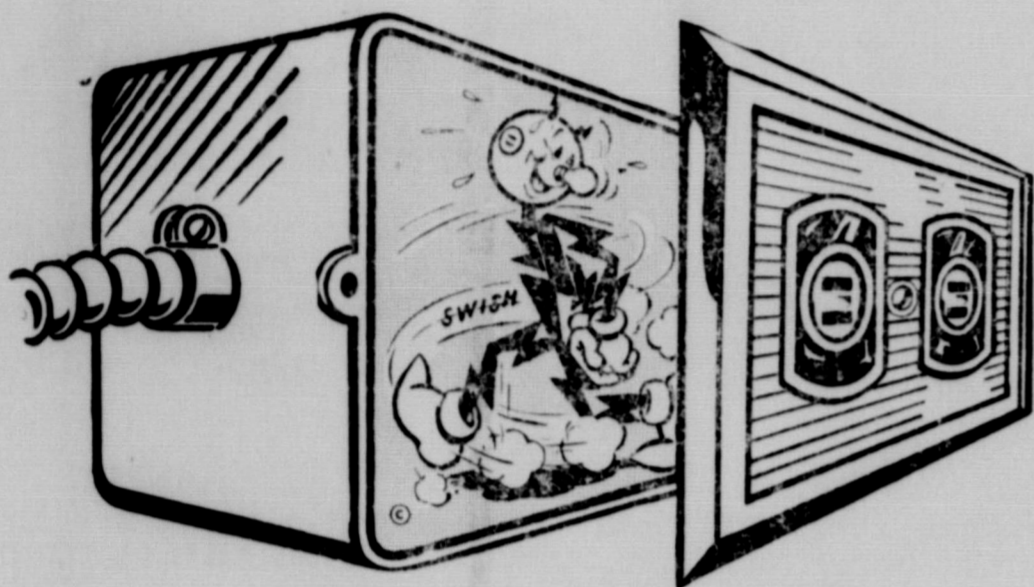
Hubert Baker of Baker's Food Store has been given a lease on a plot of land in the McCullom trap of the O-B Trap Co. south of Ozona for the purpose of constructing a slaughter house for butchering animals for the trade. Mr. Baker plans to operate the slaughter pens in connection with the operation of the Frozen Foods locker plant which he hopes to have installed this fall.

Miss Nola Hebbard of Milan, Kans., and Miss Florence Luther, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Luther of Ozona, both students in Abilene Christian College, after a three-day visit in the Luther home here, left Tuesday for San Antonio. There Miss Luther will be maid of honor at the wedding Saturday of her schoolmate, Miss Samoa Guthrie of Rockspring to Dr. Earl Price of Houston. Miss Hebbard will return to Abilene Sunday and Miss Luther to her home here to spend three weeks before returning for the opening of the fall term of ACC.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chandler and daughter, Susan, have returned to their home in Stephenville after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Early Chandler and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Colwick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and daughter, from Tahoka, and Wayne Chandler, Jr., of San Angelo, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Early Chandler and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Colwick this week.

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Amerada—

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A cement retainer was to be set to protect the Ellenburger pay for testing of the crinoidal section at about 5,730 to 5,900 feet. In the event of production from that zone, which is expected, dual completion will result.

No. 5-A Todd estate, is 1,980 feet from the north and east lines of section 25, block AX, public school land, 20 miles northwest of Ozona. It is a quarter mile north of Amerada No. 2-A Todd estate, and three-quarters of a mile southeast of Amerada No. 1-B Todd estate, most northerly well in the pool.

No. 1-B Todd estate is one of several tests in the field that explored the Ellenburger with negative results. It topped the Ellenburger at 6,202 feet, 3,690 feet below sea level, 105 feet lower than in Amerada No. 5-A Todd, drilled to 6,300 feet and plugged back to 6,255 for completion in the crinoidal entered at 6,050 feet.

The Todd field is due a pipeline outlet in October. Pipe for a 6-inch, 17-mile welded line is expected to start from mills in the east to Barnhart Sept. 10, it was announced Friday by E. E. Osburn of Midland, general superintendent of the Texas-New Mexico

Pipeline Co., which will lay the line.

There will be 13 to 14 miles of 4-inch gathering lines. Specifications were sent out last weekend to prospective bidders on the contract to construct the line and gathering system. It is expected the work will require about 30 days.

Meanwhile oil from the Todd Deep field continues to be trucked to the Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co.'s Ozona pump station. Opened in March, 1940, by Continental Oil Co. and others' No. 2-B J. S. Todd estate unit block, the pool is the oldest of comparable size in West Texas without a pipeline outlet.

Continental and others own nine of the crinoidal producers in the field, Amerada eight. Continental's wells have combined daily potential production of 7,016 barrels, and Amerada's eight on five leases daily potentials totaling 3,834 barrels. Current daily allowable is only 25 barrels per well.

There will be 24 shutdown days in September, as during recent months. The daily allowable is expected to be raised substantially when the pipeline is placed in operation.

Production from the crinoidal is at depths ranging from 5,565 to 6,082 feet, penetration of the pay averaging 79 feet.

DELIVERY SERVICE RESUMED BY LAUNDRY

Beginning Monday, September 4, the Ozona Laundry and Dry Cleaners will resume delivery service to local customers on a limited scale, Neal Hannah, manager, announced this week. Local delivery service has been suspended during the summer vacation months while the plant was working short-handed.

Delivery service will be maintained three days a week, Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, and the town zoned into two sections, pick-up and delivery service from 8 to 9 a.m. in the east section and from 9 to 10 in the west area.

WOUNDED MARINE LANDS

Pfc. Johnnie L. Armentrout, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Armentrout of Ozona, twice wounded in fighting the Japs in the Pacific island campaigns, has landed in the United States, his parents learned early in the week. The young Marine was first wounded in the bloody landing on Tarawa island and later in another campaign, presumably on Saipan. He wrote, however, that his second wound was not serious, a bullet through the left shoulder. If his condition will permit his release from the hospital, it is presumed that he will be given a furlough to visit his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson and Mrs. J. B. Gillett returned Tuesday night after spending a week attending the Bloys Camp Meeting near Fort Davis.

NOTICE TO MUSIC PUPILS

I will begin my classes in Piano and Violin on September 1. Interested pupils or parents are urged to call me at telephone No. 250 or 3620 as soon as possible.

Mrs. Elton Smith 18-3c

Standard Drilling Crockett Wildcat

Scheduled 3,500-foot cable tool wildcat being drilled in fulfillment of an obligation assumed in leasing a 1,987.7-acre block at the University Lands auction March 31, Standard Oil Co. of Texas No. 1-M-28, 707 University in northeast-Crockett County has passed 535 feet.

The test is 1,980 feet from the north and east lines of section 25-12-U, eight miles northeast of the World pool and 10 miles southwest of the Barnhart Ordovician field in Reagan County.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Clyde Childers, Pastor
Schedule of Services
10:00 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
8:30 Evening Worship
Wednesday:
8:30 Prayer Meeting

The attendance and interest manifested in the services of last Sunday was very encouraging. With the beginning of the school term approaching we trust that everyone will now be able to be faithful to all services of the church.

All of us appreciated the good singing last Sunday and the music by the male quartet was especially enjoyed.

Mothers with small children are invited to leave them in the nursery during the worship hours. Workers for next Sunday are Mrs. Ollie Mankin and Miss Joy Hubbard.

The pastor will preach for both services next Sunday. You are cordially invited to worship with us. "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness."

A. H. Wilson, employed for the past four years as foreman on the Clayton ranch, plans to move to his ranch near Leakey in Real county sometime between now and October 1, he announced this week. Mr. Wilson bought a 2,640-acre ranch in the Leakey area last year and has had it leased out the past year.

Mansfield and Fort In Title Roping Match At Midland Sept. 4

MIDLAND — In the feature match of the world's championship roping Labor Day, Toots Mansfield of Big Spring will defend his title against Troy Fort of Lovington, N. M. This match was arranged last June when Midland staged its big rodeo. They will rope 12 calves each.

James Kenney of Comstock, who was reared in Midland county has been matched against Clyde Burke of Comanche, Okla., in a calf roping contest at the Midland Rodeo grounds also Labor Day, Sept. 4. Both Burke and Kenney are outstanding ropers and are popular



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