## THE MERKEL MAIL

## Merkel Is Growing



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John Collins is having a new Colonial Brick home
built at 411 Oak Street.
Taylor Electric Cooperative has erected an eye-
catching sign on a bill-board just east of Merkel.
"Merkel" is in large letters with "Home of Taylor
Electric Cooperative, Inc." in smaller letters at the
bottom of the sign.
The building on the corner of North 1st. and Ed-
wards Sts., formerly occupied by Bragg's is being
torn down. This will be the site of the new Farm-
ers and Merchants National Bank building.

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Train-Truck Crash
Kills One; Brother Critically Hurt

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of Jones- $\begin{gathered}\text { anylcr } \\ \text { at } \\ \text { 2:000 }\end{gathered}$ p.m. at the Bapty resist Church

Joe Cypert Wins Commissioner's
Race By 43 In Saturday's Runoff

| Rufe Tittle, veteran Taylor county Commissioner, lost <br> Tittle, who first was elected to the Precinct 2 commissioner's post in 1948 and has held the job Cypert by a 43 -vote margin in a hot run-off contest. <br> Voters from the five boxes in Precinct 2 turned out in droves to run up a larger in primary than in the first. |  |
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Taylor Telephone Cooperative Annual Meeting Set For Sept. 23

Prospective Band Students To Meet



Sam B. Cook, 70, Of Coahoma Dies

POST OFFICE TO CLOSE FOR LABOR DAY, SEPT. 1

There will be no delivery service on the city
rural routes. Windows will be closed all day. The front door will not open until $8 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and mail
will not be placed in the boxes until such time as will not be placed in worked out after 8 . "Please do not call about mail unless it is something very urgent as we are limited to a very few
hours of work on holidays," stated Postmaster Wrenn Durham.

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I will strive to live up to the confidence and trust you have placed in me．

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## ROY THORN

To The Voters of Precinct 2

May I take this method of expressing my
appreciation to all of you for selecting me to serve as your Commissioner．

Pledging my cooperation，and knowing that I will have yours，we shall continue to carry out the best interests of our precinct．

## Sincerely，

Joe Cypert

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE of Sheriff＇s sale
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COUNTY OF TAYLOR COUNTY OF TAYLOR
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