

MEDITATIONS

By The Editor

The Lamar County (Paris) Echo, recently ran the following editorial, which might be of vital interest to readers, and we are this week passing it along. The article follows:

"Texas voters who go to the polls on November 7 should not allow their enthusiasm and interest in the presidential election to detract from the importance of the two constitutional amendments to be voted upon at this time. Too many good citizens show an indifferent attitude toward proposed changes in our constitution — in many instances they do not even take the time to acquaint themselves with the amendments, and, therefore, cannot cast an intelligent vote. The Echo would call attention to one of the amendments, which should receive a favorable vote. We refer to the proposal which would permit Texas counties, by a majority vote of property owners, to re-allocate tax money to the various funds. The constitution now provides that a levy of 25 cents on the \$100 valuation may be collected for the general fund. 25 cents for permanent improvement fund; 15 cents for road and bridge fund and 15 cents for jury fund. This makes a total (limit) of 80 cents on the \$100 valuation. By adopting the proposed amendment the constitutional limit of 80 cents would be retained, yet it would allow County Commissioners the privilege of lowering or raising the levy in any particular fund—just a matter of using the taxpayers' money to the best advantage. It would provide a method whereby emergency funds could be made available, without the possibility of raising the total levy. The plan would be optional with all counties, and the tax structure of no county is involved except by special vote of authority from the property owners. The adoption of this amendment would be in keeping with good, sound business principles."

Meditations is sure readers are familiar with these amendments as they were run in this paper a number of times a short while ago.

And speaking of the election on November 7, the mails have been almost to the exploding stage the past few days with a deluge of "party" literature.

Despite all this, and heated arguments, we are sure that every-

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who's new
this week

Born November 1st. in a San Angelo hospital, a baby girl to Seaman and Mrs. John Alexander. The little Miss weighed 6 1/2 lbs. and as yet has not been named.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Taylor of Norton and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Alexander of Eldorado. Mother and baby are reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. King are the parents of a 6 1/2 lb. baby girl, born Monday, October 30 at their home. The little girl has been named Joyce Ann.

Ruth Gaynell is the name given to the baby daughter born November 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dickens at their home here. The infant weighed 8 lbs. and 4 ounces.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Lee Stacy of San Antonio who is visiting in the Dickens home and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Dickens of near Eldorado.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Damron are the parents of a boy born Oct. 19 in a Menard hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds and has been named Robert Dewey. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Damron of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Robbins of Eden.

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Work On Methodist Church Is Nearing Completion

Building Site For New Parsonage Acquired By Church Trustees

Work is reported as progressing nicely on the Methodist church building by Contractor W. E. Noah. The building is being completely renovated following a considerable damage done by fire a few weeks ago.

Several advantageous changes are being made in the interior of the building, including changing the choir loft and pulpit space to enlarge and properly elevate it, new, modern fluorescent lighting equipment has been installed in the auditorium to replace indirect lighting, walls of the auditorium are of a lighter color than they were originally.

Pews, that were damaged by heat and water have been sanded and re-varnished, however some may appear a little disappointing since they were beginning to show

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National Geophysical Company Establishes Office; Crew Working

Housing a crew office for the National Geophysical Company is the Weatherly Building on Main street, which was formerly occupied by the Eldorado Coffee Shop. The office of the geophysical company was set up in the building last week.

A crew is in the area at work now and includes the following personnel headed by Robert R. Bartell, chief of party:

In the office are Walter O. Cazmark, and Mrs. Margaret G. Tolbert, computers and W. W. Campbell, surveyor.

In the field crew are the following: Charles Tolbert, Ted Overby, Jr., Calvin Hickman, Billy George Deering, Frank Stearns, Norman Griffith, Ralph Warren, Norman Burgess, Douglas Currie, Sherman Cunningham, W. A. Pointer, Gene Miles, Randall Pat O'Harrow, Ottis Howell, Gene Wood, Chester Damron, R. W. Word, Allen Kuykendall, A. D. Nasny and four Mexican helpers.

The Stanolind company has a similar crew in the county working with offices in the building formerly occupied by the Success office. They have been located here for several months.

Ratliff & Sons Buy Nesbitt Insurance Agency At Sonora

J. L. Ratliff and Sons have announced the purchase of the John Lee Nesbitt Insurance Agency of Sonora. Tom Ratliff will manage the insurance in connection with the Sonora store.

Mr. Nesbitt, with his brother and father, plan to devote their time to the manufacture of the Nesbitt Bug Catcher and Cotton Picker, headquarters in San Angelo.

Mrs. Laura Baugh, who has been confined to a San Angelo hospital, recovering from injuries received when she fell at the home of a son, Milton Baugh, was returned to her home at Austin last week.

Early History In West Texas Recalled When C. C. Doty Laid To Rest Here Last Week

Colorful Life of First Man To Bring Sheep To Divide Is Related

By MRS. E. H. TOPLIFFE
Eldorado, Schleicher County and all West Texas paid tribute Friday, Oct. 28 to a grand old character, C. C. Doty, who quietly passed away the day before at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Stephen Perner of Ozona. He died like he had lived, quietly and unassumingly, but he left behind him 87 years of upright, progressive living and conduct which serve as a credit, both to him, and to those he came in contact with.

He spent 65 years in West Texas, most of it in what is now Schleicher County, living a varied but always useful life; always he stood for progress and the better things in life. During these years he was sheepman, cowhand, postmaster, banker, manager of an irrigated farm, tax assessor, justice of the peace, proprietor of a saddle shop, groceryman, Sunday school superintendent.

Mr. Doty brought the first sheep into this area, drilled the first well, organized the first Sunday school, attended the first sermon ever preached here, officiated at the first land rushes, worked in the first bank upon its organization, and in many other ways participated in the early development of the county.

Mr. Doty was born on April 5, 1857 in Barry County, Mo. His father, A. C. Doty, fought all four years on the side of the Confederacy in the War Between the States. After the war the youth attended school three months where he learned to read and write. He continued his studies alone at night, using a rag stuck in a cup of grease for light.

In 1879 he headed West and secured a job in Texas as a sheep herder on the W. T. Moore ranch

INTERESTING LECTURE ON AFRICA BY DR. A. C. DONATH HEARD AT NOON WEDNESDAY; LIFE OF NATIVES TOLD

Lions' club members and visitors totalling some thirty-three at the noon meeting Wednesday, saw business dispensed with and guest speakers introduced who commanded the attention of the group with their experiences and facts.

First introduced was the Dr. A. C. Donath, who spent quite some time in Africa as a Baptist missionary, and who is this week conducting a revival at the local Baptist church.

Dr. Donath related many interesting things about the dark continent, its habitant, government, and customs. Outstanding things discussed was its livestock and the difficulty in raising domesticated animals. For instance, the goats there have no hair, and are only valuable for meat. Their cattle, due to a deadly fly has to be raised in a section of the country until they are old and tough, then driven to other places near the coastal lines to be slaughtered. He says a good steak there will cause you to wonder whether or not it is meat or shoe leather.

Another interesting fact was the custom of living, merchandising, and government. Families are allotted so much land and live in compounds, and regardless of how much the family might increase with births and marriages, they

at Uvalde. By 1880 he had come to the Concho Country where he soon bought his first flock of sheep. His headquarters were at the Ten-Mile Water Hole located 10 miles north of what is now Eldorado. While here he saw few white people. For weeks at a time his only associates were, Mexican sheepherders. Once, when a circuit rider came to camp in 1882, Mr. Doty scoured the country to assemble a congregation for the first sermon ever preached south of the Concho Rivers. Five men came, three white men and two Mexican herders.

Cattlemen resented the intrusion (Continued on Last Page)

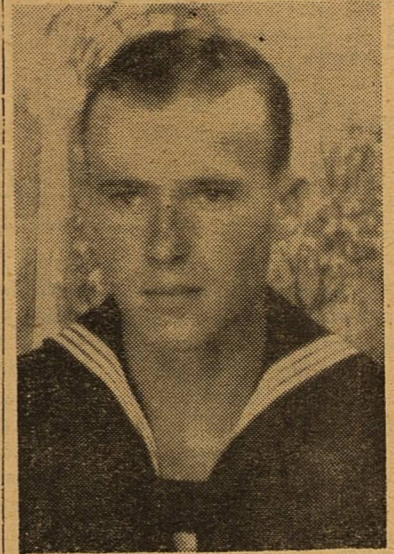
HAZELWOOD NEW HUMBLE PRODUCT DISTRIBUTOR

Included in other major business transactions in Eldorado of recent date is the change in the dealership for Humble Oil & Refinery products, according to an official statement issued Monday by Hazelwood Brothers, well-known filling station operators, and who formerly were distributors of Phillips 66 products.

J. F. (Jimmie) West, who, for some time has been Humble distributor has relinquished his connections with the company to become actively engaged in ranch operations. H. L. Hazelwood has acquired the dealership for the Humble products, and the Hazelwood Brothers, composed of H. L. and L. V. Hazelwood will continue to operate their station, handling all Humble office work and accounts at the station at Main and Mills Street instead of at the warehouse, making it convenient for their customers. A wholesale pump will be maintained at the station, also, for the convenience of those who desire this service.

A formal announcement appears elsewhere in this paper.

HOME FOR LEAVE



A. J. Burk, Jr., C 3/c, arrived Tuesday for a 15-day leave to be spent here with his relatives. He has recently returned to Camp Endicott, R. I. following duty in the European theatre, where he has been on two occasions.

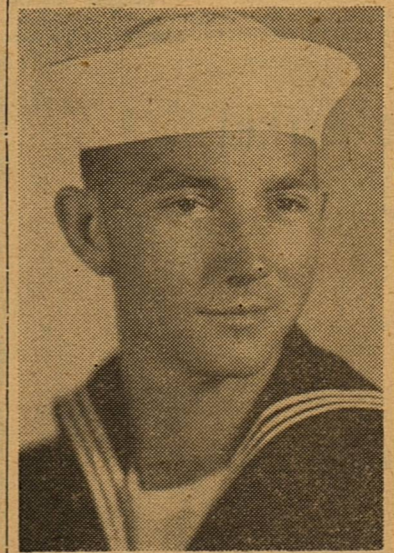
Here From Pacific



Alvin Farris, Ptr. 2zc, arrived in Eldorado this week to spend several weeks with his wife, Mrs. Ruby Nell and with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Farris and other relatives and friends.

Seaman Farris has been serving somewhere in the South Pacific for some 22 months.

Visiting Parents



Raymond Rodgers, Yeoman 3/c of Philadelphia, Pa. is here for several days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers. Yeoman Rodgers enjoyed a very pleasant trip enroute home via Chicago and other eastern points. He expects to visit with a sister, Miss La Verse of Paris before returning to his duties. He has been over seas approximately 15 months.

Another son, Pvt. John Edwin Rodgers and wife spent one day last week in the parent's home. He is stationed near Detroit, Mich.

POPPY SALE TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 4 ON LOCAL STREETS

Poppies made by the World War One and Two veterans hospitalized at Legion near Kerrville, will again be sold this year by members of the American Legion Auxiliary on November 4 on the streets of Eldorado, commemorating Armistice Day one week hence.

In 1921 when the American Legion Auxiliary was organized, its first official act was to make the poppy its official flower. Each year since, the auxiliary has conducted a nationwide poppy sale, either on Memorial Day or on Armistice Day. Last year more than 18,000,000 poppies were sold through the national organization.

Poppies used for this sale are manufactured by disabled veterans in government hospitals. Throughout the entire year, the veterans are given profitable employment shaping the little red flowers. Each man is paid a penny a poppy and the remuneration received by the auxiliary goes into a rehabilitation and child welfare fund to be used for the needs of disabled veterans and their families, most of the funds spent locally.

Occupational therapy departments in the hospital recognize the poppy work as having high therapeutic value. Physicians commend the program for its splendid psychological effect it has on mental cases.

Highway To Angelo Yields Another Traffic Accident This Week

The highway from Eldorado to San Angelo was the scene of another accident this week involving another Schleicher county vehicle, when Luke Stephens, farmer, who resides in the Reynolds community while en route to San Angelo was slightly injured and his Chevrolet pick-up was almost completely demolished when it struck a bridge on what is known as the 15-mile hill out of Christoval.

The mishap occurred about mid-morning Tuesday. Cause of the accident had not been determined at press time, but relatives were of the opinion that Stephens must have become sleepy, as he had worked all the night before, and for a split-second let the vehicle get out of control it striking the concrete banister of a bridge and turned over and slid several times.

Stephens was given medical attention at a San Angelo hospital Tuesday and returned to his home that night, and is reported to be resting well.

High School Honor Roll For First Six Weeks Announced

The following are students of Eldorado High School who are reported as having made an average of 90 or better in four or more academic subjects for the first six-week period.

Freshmen: Emily Ann Harper, Marcelaine Patterson, Juanita Williams.

Sophomores: Margaret Hicks, Bill Lewis Humphrey, Floyd McGinnis, Howard Mittel, Joy Winters, Frankie Thompson.

Juniors: Wanda Dannheim, Mary Lillian Ellington, Louise Green.

Seniors: Katherine Davis, Donald Gholston, Clara Lloyd Ochsner, Paul Page.

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What A World War I Veteran Saw While In France

The following is a letter received by Mrs. W. H. McClatchey from her brother, Corp. Carl S. McCormick during his stay at a rest camp after the Armistice had been signed at the close of World War I. It is being reprinted for its extreme interest.

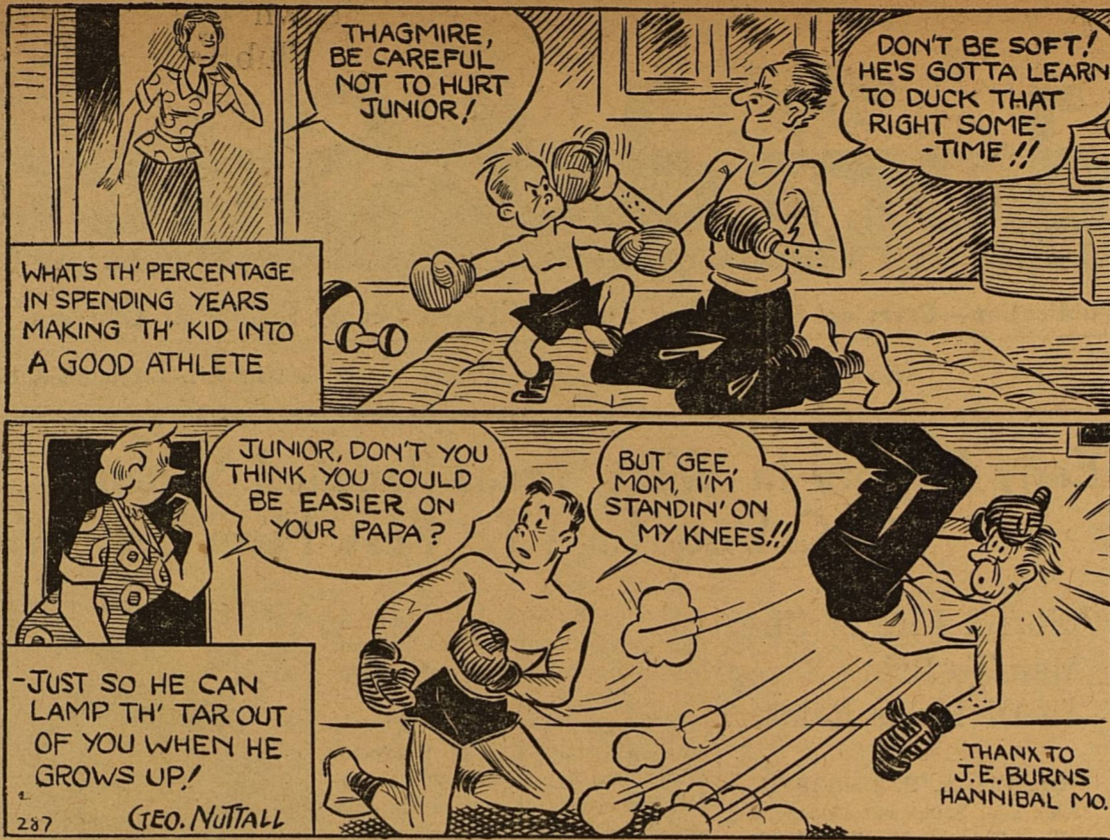
Axles Bains, France,
Mar. 6, 1919.

Dear Sister:

Will write to let you know I am at Axles Bains in France, on a 7 day leave at Uncle Sam's expense. We are at the finest hotel and my bill is four bucks per day but I should worry, my old Uncle has opened up his heart to show the soldiers a good time while we are here.

There is some fine scenery here. This place is situated in the foothills of the Alps. You can see snow capped mountains all around and I am going up on them while here. I went through the museum this morning in the celebrated castle of Diana, (the Diana spoken of in the Bible.) Saw all kinds of statues and pieces of crockery, implements of war as far back as history dates. Some things so ancient they have no knowledge of age. Saw an old Egyptian mummy made by the Egyptians 5000 years ago. Also saw the old Roman baths used about the time of Christ. They were built underground with furnaces along the sides to heat the water. The water was about three feet deep and the place 10 to 15 feet wide by 40 or 50 feet long.

IT NEVER FAILS



Conservation Corner

By Nan Brown



PAJAMBOREE!

Brand new and different is the ensemble known as Sleepackage. One pair of regular tommie pajamas, a pair of short pajamas, consisting of bra and shorts and one tommiecoat, make up this gift kit. The five pieces in the ensemble come in matching and contrasting colors—all interchangeable to form a variety of sleepy-time costumes. The fabric is a new satin of extraordinary fineness. It's not too early to start thinking about Christmas gifts, and imagine how delighted any woman would be with this so practical and flattering sleep set that can be worn so many different ways.

TEMPLE OF FASHION

Teen-age fashion news this fall comes directly from the youngsters themselves. The nation-wide teentimers "Design and Name It" contest, in which 40,000 youthful designers participated, has awarded first prize—a \$250 war bond—to 17-year-old Marion Sweet of Hollywood, California. Shirley Temple, now sweet 16 and the nation's Number One teentimer, is shown here modeling the winning dress—a smooth school or date affair with swinging skirt, high round neck and bands of colorful applique felt. Made up in long-wearing labtex jiminy flannel, this prize design known as "Coke-ette" can serve as backbone of any on-the-beam high school wardrobe.



DIDEE HINT

Since stream-lining is the order of the day, the bright minds of the diaper industry have come up with a startling new idea. Officials of the National Institute of Diaper Services have perfected the kite-fold. First you will remember came the triangular fold giving rise to all the three-cornered pants jokes. Recently the square fold has been in vogue. Now the kite-fold makes it possible to use a small diaper on a large baby with maximum coverage—thus conserving fabric and storage space. Starting with a 27-inch square, fold the four corners in so that they overlap at the center. Then pin the diaper on your bouncing baby, using one pin at each side.

TIB AND TOCK

Conservation and gifts for children rarely go together, but an unusual new story-drawing book for youngsters comes under the heading because it serves a two-fold purpose. "The House That Tib and Tock Built," published by the House of Little Books in New York City, is a running story in catchy rhyme illustrated with easy-to-copy pictures. The youngster copies the drawings as the story unfolds—and learns thereby how to draw a house starting with a single upside-down V or how to make a streamlined auto from two circles.

Thus the book takes the place of a crayon book and a story book. It's both combined, saving precious paper for the war. For Christmas, birthday or any gift occasion, it's the perfect present—offering both entertainment and instructions.

DOTS AND DASHES

Breeding of precious chinchilla pelts in the U. S. will soon bring the price of this luxury fur into ordinary pocket-book range, according to current Click Magazine. Furrier I. J. Fox has already made up first All-American chinchilla greatcoat.—New venida hair cream of oil and lanolin to give hair live and radiant look can be used by men and women.—A conservation aid—s-t-r-e-t-c-h your wardrobe with a new blouse in high tones of fuchsia, purple or shocking pink. Joan Kenley reveals vivid blouse colors compliment suits of navy, black, brown, gray or beige.—Mrs. Dewey Janet, Sr. of 4701 Haines Road, St. Petersburg, Fla., sends in this month's conservation tip. Waxed paper from bread wrappings unwanted in salvage drives is valuable for lining baking pans and cookie sheets. Cut waxed paper to fit pans and save shortening ordinarily used in greasing. Do you have a timely conservation tip? Send to Feature Bureau, Newsweek Building, New York City, 18, N. Y. Receive \$10 if your hint is printed.

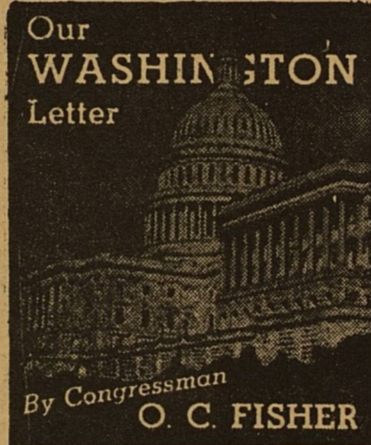
The modern baths there now are fed by hot water springs millions of gallons pouring out daily just about the right temperature for bathing. Also saw Pierpont Morgan's bath room, think I shall take a bath in it. This is all free to the soldiers. In fact, this is watering place for millionaires from all over the world. We are in the finest hotels and have access to all of the famous casinos.

Well sis this is great. Uncle Sam is keeping up his rep as having the best fed and best cared for soldiers in the world. All the soldiers that have seen active service on the front have seen a living Hell but are now seeing things that rich people pay thousands to see. Well I must close. Will write more in a few days.

Your brother,
Cpl. Carl F. McCormick

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When a number of us recently went from London to Normandy, we flew across the chanel and landed at the Army's new air field, taken from the Germans, a few miles from the main invasion beach.

There we were met by Colonel Leland B. Kuhre, Commander of that beach area, who said he would like to go to the beaches with us. We went there in jeeps, and saw the spot where the Americans first landed and where they met with the strongest enemy resistance.

Hundreds of the German forts and pill boxes are there now, apparently just as they were left by the fleeing Nazis. Some of the forts were blasted by our bombers and warships. Here and there in an abandoned fort may be seen a German uniform or overcoat, tramped against the ground. Scattered about are shells and shell fragments, and huge bomb craters.

Near the main beach, and just under the skirting cliffs, is a concrete fort with a Nazi 4-inch gun protruding.

"I don't know why they quit firing that gun at us," an officer commented, who landed there on D-day. "When we captured the fort the gun was in good shape and had plenty of shells. I suppose it got too hot for them and they ran." That fort was used by Colonel Kuhre for headquarters for several days after the landings. He is an Army engineer and supervised much of the unloading of supply ships during the critical first days of the invasion.

It has been officially disclosed that more than a million tons of supplies went over those beaches during the first hundred days after invasion began, and in addition hundreds of thousands of troops landed there. For 21 days after D-day, Colonel Kuhre did not remove his clothes one time, and thousands of his men worked day and night to supply a great invasion army without even having a harbor from which to unload.

I heard an officer say that he saw an American Red Cross nurse on the beaches on the day following D-day. Those nurses have done a magnificent job, working with the medical staff.

A few miles inland and down the beach toward Cherbourg we passed a new cemetery with acres and acres of white crosses. We stopped there and walked through the cemetery roadway.

"The first to fall are buried nearer the beach," Colonel Talley, Commander of the Normandy area

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told us.

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I saw a few of those graves with a fresh flower or a wilted bouquet on them. I asked the officer in charge of the cemetery who put them there.

"Every day," he explained, "a few French peasant women come here on bicycles, usually one at a time, and walk out and put a bunch of roses or flowers on some grave of someone they never knew, then pause a moment, silently get on their bicycles and peddle away. They know only that these are American graves."

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Girl Scouts To Have Day Camp Outing At Christoval Sat.

Mothers and friends of Girl Scouts and Brownies will cooperate with active leaders to help the girls enjoy a day camp at Christoval Saturday of this week.

The groups are to meet at the Scout Lodge Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock for assembling and will go from there to the Christoval site.

All parents and others interested are invited to accompany the delegation and all are requested to take plate, cup and spoon.

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Large Radishes Grown In V. Garden

To prove further the fertility of Schleicher county soil, Mrs. Zida Williams produced more evidence Monday when she brought two radishes to the Success office. One weighed 14 ounces and the other 8 ounces. Both radishes were firm and free from peth and in good, edible condition.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

We have re-opened a laundry in the Bearce Building located behind the building formerly occupied by the City Grocery. We will do laundry and finish work. Your business will be appreciated. Mrs. Alice Parrent. Mrs. Juanita Oglesby. (1c)

Miss Pauline Jones spent last week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones.

CHURCH GROUP ATTEND MEET IN SAN ANGELO

Some thirteen members of the Eldorado Presbyterian Church attended District Conference Number Three of the Brownwood Presbytery, held in San Angelo, Thursday of last week.

The Reverend John A. Carriker, local pastor, appeared on the morning session of the program, as did Mrs. John Williams, who made a president's report. The Reverend Carriker spoke on evangelism.

In the afternoon, Mrs. F. B. Gunn spoke on "A Challenge to Keep", while Mrs. Carriker lead in prayer.

Among those attending from Eldorado were the Rev. and Mrs. Carriker and son, Jack, Mmes. John Williams, Sam Jones, Bert Page, Robert Page, S. M. Oglesby, L. L. Baker, Cora Lee Mebane, C. C. West, Sallie Murchison, and the district chairman, Mrs. F. B. Gunn.

The locals report a splendid meeting.

Mrs. Sam Calhoun and children of Christoval spent last Sunday visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dickens.

Hat Making And Remodeling Shown By Agent At Club

Making new hats and remodeling old hats was the demonstration given by Miss Virginia Ryan, agent, when the Cliff Home Demonstration Club met Oct. 12, for an all-day meeting in the home of Mrs. C. E. Corbell.

At the business session, the following officers for the coming year were elected: President, Mrs. C. E. Corbell; vice-president, Mrs. E. M. Roberts; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. I. Padgett; reporter, Mrs. Padgett; delegates, Mrs. Robert Milligan and Mrs. Odis Harris; parliamentarian, Mrs. Milligan; chairman of recreation, Mrs. Harris, and social committee, Mmes. Roberts, Harris and Joe Tisdale.

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her bargains for her a husband, but the girl is usually about 18 to 21 years of age before she marries. Then she becomes the husband's property. Should he die she is inherited along with the rest of the estate, and the inheritor thus acquires another wife, which, of course, makes him happy . . . and he will publicly acknowledge it.

The natives are very honest because of their decided superstitious natures. If a man has produce to sell (there are no stores in African cities each person sells his wares) he merely places an evil spirit in the form of a small image by his wares together with a small container to hold money for the purchases. The owner may go his way and those buying his goods will put the exact and correct change in the container and all goods not purchased will be intact when he returns.

BANKING A RACKET

If a person should borrow money, say a hundred dollars, he would have to pay something like 90 percent interest on the loan, and also the borrower must work one day a week for the loaner without pay to assure him that he will not run away. If for any reason the borrower cannot repay the loan he forfeits a member of his family to his creditor without pay and clothing until the debt, interest and back interest is paid, which results in families becoming slaves for generations.

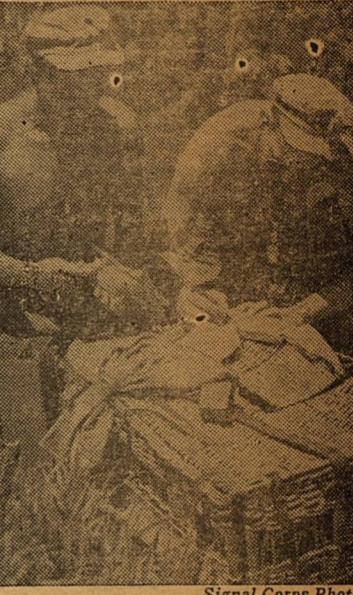
GOOD, DANGEROUS HUNTING

Quail is plentiful, in fact, they are a pest to farmers and may be killed by the scores. The birds greatly resemble the Texas Bob Whites, the visitor pointed out.

The most dangerous animal in Africa is not the lion, nor the tiger, the leopard, nor the elephant, but is the buffalo. He is short and stock, a tough, fleet fellow and hard to kill. A hunter, unaccustomed to them, may shoot one, and likely will fail to kill the beast that will turn and flee in the opposite direction, only to circle around and like a bood hound pick up the nimrod's trail, track him down and attack him from the rear unexpectedly—and that will be the end of the hunter.

"In Africa, I doubt that should any of you have a relative forced down in a plane, but what he would

WAR BONDS in Action



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see someone who can speak the English language and care for him as so many of the natives speak the language so well," concluded Doctor Donath.

Also appearing on the program was Ernest Dickey, Jr., Pharmacist Mate, who is here on leave. Dickey told of many experience, and passed around a piece of shrapnel taken from a wounded man. He also showed pictures taken in a theatre of war that were very interesting to the group.

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Here's the way to do it! Cross out the New Deal electors on the Democratic ticket. Cross out the other parties. But leave the Texas Regulars!

Loyal Democrats—here's the way to stay Democrats—and vote the New Deal OUT! Good Southern Republicans, and all you loyal Texans who have no party flag—we invite you to rally under the banner of the Texas Regulars—rally to the ticket that will win!

It's time for a change! Time to forget you're a Republican or a Democrat. Time only to remember that you are a Texan. An American. That you love your country and want it to stay just like it is.

Can it be free Texans believe one man is indispensable to the

future of our country? Can it be free Texans believe one man should stay in power for 16 years? Can Texans, Democrats, believe our great Party should be run by alien-born Sidney Hillman, by Communist ex-convict Browder, by the big city political bosses who would sell out the South for the Harlem negro vote?

But we must stick together! Remember, we vote by states—unless we WIN in Texas—every last vote we cast is LOST!

Join with us, you good Republicans! Join with us, you Independents—join a great crusade! We'll march to the polls together. We'll strike down the New Deal Communism that raises its terrible shadow over America. Vote with us—we'll lick the New Deal in Texas—and we'll keep America FREE!

TEXAS REGULARS

Let's Beat Roosevelt!

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

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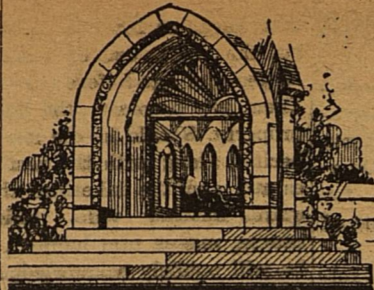
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Solomon's Women's Wear

San Angelo, Texas

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Neill this week are Mrs. W. T. Conner and Mrs. John McLeod, of Pontotoc, mother and sister respectively of Mrs. Neill. Also here were Mr. and Mrs. Wilford McLeod and son, Bill, of Station B, of near Junction. Mr. McLeod is a nephew of Mrs. Neill's.

AT THE CHURCHES



METHODIST CHURCH
F. B. Faust, Pastor

Meeting temporarily in high school auditorium.
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
M.Y.F. 7:30 p. m.
Union Service, Presbyterian Church 8:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

John A. Carriker, Pastor
Sunday School 10: A. M.
Junior Sermon 10:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
A Remembrance Service for those on the Service Roll of the church has been arranged. The pastor will bring a message and there will be special music. The Service flag will be dedicated. All members of the families of those on the Service Roll have been invited. The names of the men will be read, and a member of their family will pin a star on the flag.
Presbytery's District Young Peoples' Rally at 2:30 P. M. The Theme will be, "Jesus' World Community". The meeting will be in charge of Miss Dorothy Abernathy who is Young Peoples' Worker for Brownwood Presbytery. Young people from other churches will bring their picnic lunches. The meeting will close with a Vesper Service about 5 o'clock.
Union Meeting at 8 P. M. with Rev. F. B. Faust bringing the message.

BIGGS PURCHASES LAWHON PLACE ON SONORA HIGHWAY

Real estate transactions reported this week was the purchase by Clyde Biggs of San Angelo from J. W. Lawhon of Marfa, the Lawhon place located on the Sonora highway a short distance from Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Biggs have rented the place, they related this week, and are to move there as soon as the house has been redecorated.

It was on Christmas night in 1776 that General George Washington and his small army crossed the Delaware River at McKonkey's Ferry, near Trenton, N. J., to win the battle that revived the hopes of American independence.



EDWARD JAMIESON
Edward Jamieson is one of the country's leading correspondents included in the tour of Texas being planned November 13 to 19. He represents the Houston Chronicle, the Dallas Times Herald, the Fort Worth Star Telegram, the Wichita Falls and the Amarillo News Globe in Texas, as well as several other important papers in other parts of the country. Jamieson is in the Bascom Timmons bureau in Washington as chief correspondent.
Sponsoring the trip, with the theme being industrialization of the south, are The General Tire & Rubber company, the Ford Motor company, U. S. Steel corporation, Humble Oil company and Dow Chemical company.

WAR BONDS in Action



Signal Corps Photo
Out of a transport, into the early grey dawn and down behind the enemy lines in France goes this paratrooper. An American boy, willing to give his all that freedom may remain ours. Support him and his buddies by doing all you can at home—by buying War Bonds regularly.
U. S. Treasury Department

Mrs. L. L. Baker was called to Dallas Thursday to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Bertha Shugart who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Keng and little daughter, Jan, have moved to Sonora to make their home. The family were to have moved to Ozona but housing conditions necessitated the change in plans.

16-color water color sets and colored chalks are among the many school supplies at the Success Office.

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Church—
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age before the recent fire. Those in charge expressed hope that the edifice would be ready to house its congregation by the latter part of the month.

PARSONAGE SITE IS PURCHASED BY TRUSTEES

Climaxing plans that have been in discussion and consideration for many months by the church body, trustees of the church this week announced the purchase of a building site for a parsonage to care for the church minister and family. The present parsonage has been unsuitable for some time and is in a location where, during a lengthy wet spell, the minister would be unable to get a vehicle in and out to attend to business, hold funerals, visit, and transport supplies to the parsonage.
A large lot was purchased from the townsite on the highway just south of the church. The property adjoins the church lots and will be near the downtown district and on paved sidewalk and street.
No definite date has been set for construction of the dwelling, but the project was approved by the WPB several months ago when it was presented to the San Antonio office by a committee. Tentative plans are to use the present parsonage structure in the new building when it is constructed.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Buie visited last week in the home of her mother, Mrs. Dora Oliver. Mrs. Buie returned to Austin last Friday, where she is employed, and Mr. Buie remained for a while to continue his duties with the Shell company.

SUCCESS WANT ADS

FOR SALE: 186 three- and four-year-old bred ewes; 120 older ones; 126 three- and four-year old ewes not bred; 40 older ones; 47 two-year-old ewes not bred. These ewes will pay for themselves in a year's time. Will show and sell any group or all together. THAD A. THOMPSON RANCH. Telephone 002. (1c)

WANTED: Piano to rent or care for. See Mrs. W. R. Humble, Eldorado, Texas. (1p)

WITH THE MEN IN SERVICE



Mrs. Myrl Fitzhugh, who is residing at Garden City, notifies this publication that her husband, Pfc. Harold M. Fitzhugh is now stationed in France, where he has been since July 25.
Private First Class and Mrs. Fitzhugh are former residents of this city, while he was vocational agriculture instructor in the school and she was employed in the Tripple A office.

Ray Jones, MOMM 1/c, who has been here on a leave with his wife will leave Nov. 8 for reassignment with the Naval Forces. The Seabee and Mrs. Jones have just returned from a weeks visit in Norman, Okla., with their son, Claud F. Jones, also in service, and who is in training there.

Mrs. Howard Stephenson has been informed that her husband has recently been promoted to Sergeant. Mrs. Stephenson and son Max reside in Eldorado.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of extending our appreciation for the many deeds of kindness and words of sympathy rendered during the recent illness and death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Tishia Ratliff. Also, for the beautiful floral offerings.
May God bless each of you in our prayer.
Edward Ratliff MOMM 2/c and Wife.
Sgt. and Mrs. H. H. Ratliff and Bobby. (1p)

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter of Odessa returned to their home Saturday of last week following a short visit here with Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dickens and other relatives.

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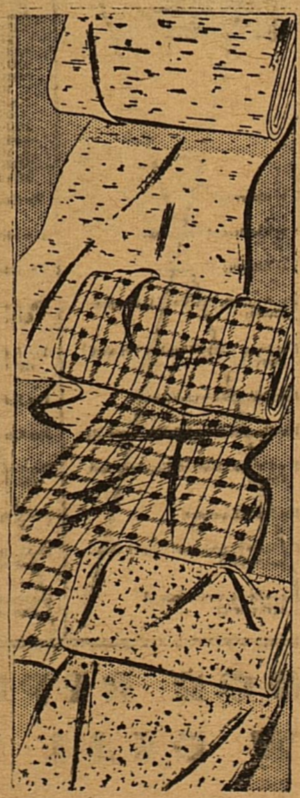
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In The Matter of The Quarterly Report
—OF—

Mrs. Mabel Parker

Treasurer Schleicher County, Texas

IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT, SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS,

OCTOBER 9TH TERM, 1944.

On this 9th day of October A. D. 1944, in Regular Session of the Commissioners' Court of Schleicher County, Texas, came on for examination the Quarterly Report of Mrs. Mabel Parker, Treasurer of Schleicher County, Texas, for the period beginning on the 1st day of July A. D. 1944, and ending on the 30th day of September A. D. 1944, filed herein on the 9th day of October A. D. 1944, and the same having been compared and examined by the Court, and found to be correct, IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Court that the same be and is hereby approved, and it appearing to the Court that during said time the said County Treasurer had received for account and credit of and paid out of each of the several County funds, the amount set forth, and leaving balance to each of said funds, as follows, to-wit:

Amount balance to credit of Jury Fund as per last report	1,396.53
Amount received since last report	17.60
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	1,414.13
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	133.65
Leaving and showing to credit of Jury Fund on September 30th, 1944, a balance of	1,280.48
Amount to credit Rd. & Bridge Fund No. 1 as per last report	2,097.64
Amount received since last report	141.22
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	2,238.86
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	697.15
Leaving and showing to credit of Road and Bridge Fund No. 1, on September 30, 1944, a balance of	30.97
Amt. to credit of Rd. & Bridge Fund No. 2 as per last report	2,213.53
Amount received since last report	830.62
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	3,044.15
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	697.15
Leaving and showing to credit of Road & Bridge Fund No. 2, on September 30, 1944, a balance of	2,347.00
Amt. to credit of Rd. & Bridge Fund No. 3 as per last report	4,057.04
Amount received since last report	70.62
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	4,127.66
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	470.26
Leaving and showing to credit R. & B. Fund No. 3, on September 30th, 1944, a balance of	3,657.40
Amt. to credit of Rd. & Bridge Fund No. 4 as per last report	932.83
Amount received since last report	70.62
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	1,003.45
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	973.90
Leaving and showing to credit R. & B. Fund No. 4, on September 30th, 1944, a balance of	29.55
Amount balance to credit of General Fund as per last report	9,613.58
Amount received since last report	219.87
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	9,833.45
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	2,095.35
Leaving and showing to credit of General Fund on September 30th, 1944, a balance of	7,738.10
Amt. bal. to credit of Rd. Bond Int. Fund as per last report	107.48
Amount received since last report	15.45
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	122.93
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	None
Leaving and showing to credit of Road and Bridge Interest Fund on September 30th, 1944, a balance of	122.93
Amt. bal. to credit of Court House Int. Fund as per last report	3,979.45
Amount received since last report	87.95
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	4,067.40
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	1.49
Leaving and showing to credit of Court House Interest Fund September 30th, 1944, a balance of	4,065.91
Amount balance to credit of Permanent Improvement Fund as per last report	2,551.87
Amount received since last report	219.43
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	2,771.30
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	1,509.74
Leaving and showing to credit of Permanent Improvement Fund, September 30th, 1944, a balance of	1,261.56
Amt. bal. to credit of Rd. Warrants Fund as per last report	3,411.63
Amount received since last report	125.14
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	3,536.77
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	246.10
Leaving and showing to credit of Road Warrants Fund September 30th, 1944, a balance of	3,290.67
Amount balance to credit of Road & Bridge Special Fund as per last report	92.78
Amount received since last report	107.35
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	200.13
Amount paid out and disbursed since last report	2.01
Leaving and showing to credit of Road & Bridge Special Fund September 30th, 1944, a balance of	198.12

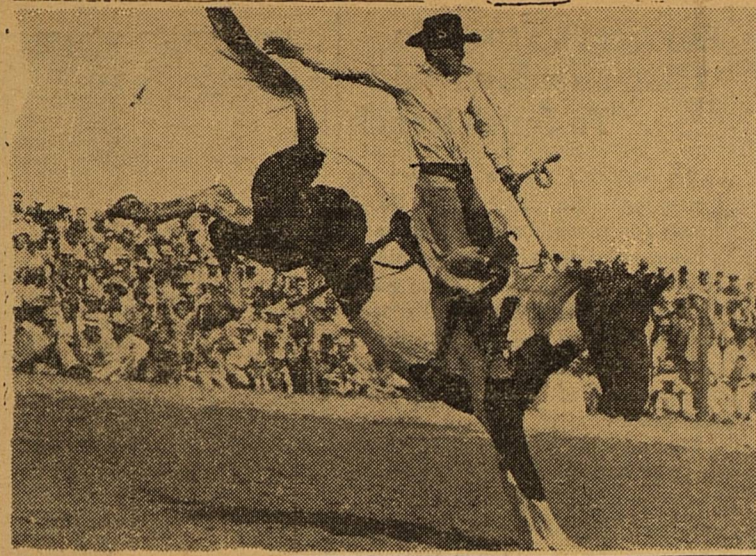
And that said amounts were received and paid out of each of the respective funds since the filing of the preceding Quarterly Reports of said County Treasurer, and during the period above stated, and that the said separate amounts as therein shown are correct. IT IS THEREFORE FURTHER ORDERED by the Court, that the said detailed report be, and the same is hereby, in all things approved, and the Clerk of this Court is hereby ordered to enter the said report, together with this order, upon the Minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Schleicher County, Texas, and that proper credits be made in the accounts of the County Treasurer in accordance with this order.

Witness our hands, this 9th day of October A. D., 1944.

C. L. MEADOR, JR., County Judge.

C. A. GRAVES, Commissioner Prec. No. 1
JNO. I. KING, Commissioner Prec. No. 2
PAT MARTIN, Commissioner Prec. No. 3
J. A. ENOCHS, Commissioner Prec. No. 4

Rodeo To Be Attraction At
Hereford Exposition; 4-H
Clubs To Be Special Guests



Some of the wildest and toughest broncos, bulls and steers will match their strength with the skill of world champion riders and bulldoggers at the Texas State Championship Rodeo at Dallas, Nov. 11-19, in connection with the Greater

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 3.—Carloads of cattle began rolling into the State Fair Grounds this week at Dallas for the Greater Pan-American Hereford Exposition to make up an entry list of 495 head, the largest aggregation of registered animals shown anywhere in the Western Hemisphere this year.

This grand finale of the 1944 show circuit will be held Nov. 11-19, not only topping everything that has gone before in number of animals, and quality, but also in the 20,000 premium list.

Fifty-one of the entries have been made by Four-H Club members. These young exhibitors will be the guests of the exposition throughout the entire show. In addition to these youngsters, invitations have been issued through the county agents to all the Four-H Club members in all of the 252 counties of Texas to be special guests on the opening day. Responses being received by Jack S. Story, chairman of the Four-H Club committee indicate that between 2,000 and 3,000 of the boys and girls will be present. Special entertainment is being planned in their honor.

A. and M. College is making arrangements to bring the entire cadet corps of 2,000 members to Dallas on November 11 which is Armistice Day and also the occasion for the A. and M.-Southern Methodist University football game so that all those interested in animal husbandry may also view the Hereford show.

Pablo Risso of Uruguay, one of the largest Hereford breeders in the world who has been winning championships in South America with his bulls imported from the United States, has arrived in this country to serve as judge.

A conservative estimate of the value of the animals on the entry list is placed at more than \$1,000,000.

In connection with the exhibition, which is sponsored by the Texas Hereford Association, the Texas State Championship Rodeo will put on a nine-day show with performances each night and on

Pan-American Hereford Exposition. Shown here is Louis Brooks of Sweetwater, champion cowboy of the world, on Amos. Brooks won championships of both the National Rodeo Association of the World and of the Rodeo Association of America.

Sunday afternoons.

Four major competitions will be held during the rodeo with numerous nationally famous specialty attractions. These contests, open to all comers, whether professional or amateur, include calf roping, bronco riding, bull dogging and bull riding. Purses of \$7,500 have been provided which, with entry fees, will bring the prize money up to about \$10,000.

Tucson, Arizona, is the only walled city that ever existed on the North American continent.

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in Action



Signal Corps Photo

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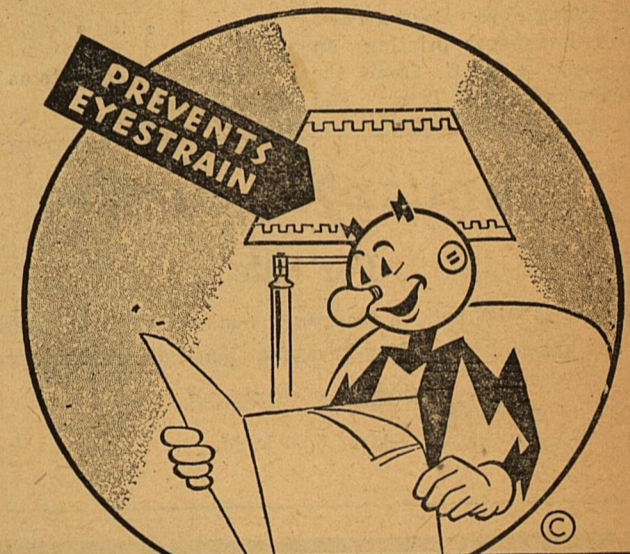
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West Texas Utilities
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Meditations —

(Continued from Page One)
 one will vote just like we are planning to do — just as we please.
 However, we are amused at some of the literature and even paid political advertisements that have come to our attention. The Texas Regulars are denouncing F.D.R. and urging the support of Democrats and "Good Republicans" alike, while the Democrats are putting out something like the following which came from the peanut-growing country:
 The Republicans for twelve long years
 Have shed their coats and skins
 and tears
 To tell their comrades how they feel
 Regarding Roosevelt's New Deal.
 For twelve long years they plead
 for votes
 But never mention nine cent oats
 They say this New Deal stuff is rotten
 But never mention four-cent cotton.

For twelve long years they've wept aloud
 And cursed this money-spending crowd
 They say of liberty we are shorn
 But not a breath of twelve-cent corn.

For twelve long years they've been at sea
 And now they come to you and me
 And offer us as bait for votes
 More three-cent steers and nine-cent oats.

For twelve long years they fume and fret,
 Hammer and slander the New Deal set.
 They say to all, "What a cheat,"
 But forget to talk of two-bit wheat.

They offer as in days of old,
 A crown of thorns—a Cross of gold
 Move gilded promises. Can you beat 'em?
 Well, one thing sure. You can't eat 'em.

Not so long ago this column had something to say about a Paris (France) newspaper printing an article about a WAC from the "half-savage State of Texas" and

The Premium Won't Break You
 —The Loss May!

Boy Scout Troop To Hike Monday Night To Jones Ranch

Scoutmaster Amos Shiver is preparing the Eldorado Scout Troop for a combination hike and weiner roast next Monday night, November 6. The troop is to meet at the Scout Lodge at 7:00 o'clock and proceed to the T. K. Jones ranch. The outing will be under the direction of Fred L. Speck, hikemaster.

The regular Monday night troop meeting will be held at the camp fire after supper with Bill Breedlove in charge of the program. All Scouts of Troop 18 are welcome and urged to attend this and all of their troop activities, Scoutmaster Shiver emphasized.

now here comes literature saying that it should make good propaganda for the Republicans. Mrs. Dewey comes from the "half-savage State of Texas," and the White House has had a wild woman from New York long enough. Why not try a half-savage from Texas?"

It all reminds us of an incident when we were a small boy. In company with our father we were attending a murder trial. Two attorneys were bemoaning each other and it appeared as if they were about to murder each other. The court recessed, and a few minutes later we went into a drug store, and there stood the two attorneys enjoying a smoke and refreshments together and planning a fishing trip for themselves and party. But when they returned to the courtroom they really "put on the act", calling each other prevaricators and hoodlums and in all appearance about to come to blows in front of the judge and jury.

A privilege . . . vote as you see fit. But vote!

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 ELDORADO, TEXAS



Shown above are some of the early Schleicher County officials. Others shown are J. A. Whitten, County Judge; F. C. Bates, County Clerk; Henry Mills, Sheriff and

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 of the sheep and trouble soon developed. Mr. Doty was given three days to pack his belonging, quit camp and "head East." He defied the threats, however, and stayed on and later helped other sheepmen to become established near him.

Things went well for a while. By 1882 he had built a picket house and corrals at his Ten Mile Headquarter's place (now located on the J. Forest Runge Ranch between Eldorado and Christoval.)

Grass and water were plentiful until drought set in, and the water hole once thought to be permanent dried up. Well drillers at Fort Concho laughed at the idea of putting down a well and asked a preposterous price for even moving a rig on the site; so Doty ordered a drill of his own from Fort Scott, Ark., went to Abilene to the nearest railroad to receive it, and within eight days struck good, clear water at a shallow depth, thus bringing in the first well on that vast expanse of then called "dry, worthless" land south of the two Concho Rivers. The well is still in use on the Runge Ranch.

Opposition from cattlemen and lack of surface water were not the only hazards he faced. Coyotes ate the sheep and prairie fires destroyed the grass. In 1884 a fire swept the Divide Country and burned all grass from Dove Creek to the very banks of the Concho Rivers. Doty soon sold out and had no holdings in this area until 1886. He recalled the first election held in Schleicher County at the Point Breeze Ranch. A total of 23 votes were cast — only one favoring prohibition in the state-wide prohibition election of 1887.

Mr. Doty worked as sheep boss on the Point Breeze Ranch for Col. W. L. Black, and helped to stretch the first barbed wire fence ever to be erected between the Conchos and the Mexican border.

plant and tannery. Goats were slaughtered, packed in cans labeled "Roast Mutton" and shipped to Chicago. Colonel Black was the first man to buy land in the county.

Next Mr. Doty invested his savings in erecting a store. It what is now known as Christoval. Business thrived. A post office became necessary. He asked that it be named "Alice" in honor of his fiancée, Miss Alice Pancost; but Texas already boasted an "Alice." He submitted the name "Christoval" offered school land in West Texas for sale to the public at one dollar an acre, a colorful land rush resulted. He served as timekeeper. Excitement ran high. Fertile black land sold for a dollar an acre with forty years to pay for it. Postal authorities made a mistake in spelling however, and christened the town "Christoval," and such it is to this day.

On June 3, 1889, he married Miss Pancost and moved to Knickerbocker to manage a 1,500-acre irrigated farm, the first of its kind in this area. In 1896 he and Mrs. Doty came to Schleicher County to enter the cattle business.

Three children were born to this union: Jane, who died at birth; Laura May, who died when a small child; and Annie Marie, who is now Mrs. Stephen Perner.

Schleicher County was organized in 1901 and Mr. Doty was elected its first tax assessor. While in office he made the first complete set of abstracts for land owners in the county.

When in 1901 the Texas Legislature in 1909 Doty began work as a bookkeeper for the First National Bank which at the time was only two years old. Later he ranched again, engaged in real estate business, the grocery business and was for many years justice of peace at Eldorado, where his common sense, spirit of friendliness and fair play made him many friends. He was always active in church work. He spent his last years with his

Tax Collector; P. H. McCormick, County Treasurer; F. C. Bates, Sr. Justice of Peace. E. B. Cozzens, Lawyer; and Joab Campbell, Lawyer. The picture was made in 1902.

daughter and her family in Crockett County. His was an active, colorful life, and he died wealthy in terms of friends and friendship, for to have known the man was to have loved him.

Mrs. W. A. Russell returned this week from an extended visit in Oklahoma, Ft. Worth and Brady with relatives.

Mrs. Helen Lawrence is in Beaumont this week visiting with her husband, Merchant Marine Joe Lawrence.

Miss Lou Ella Parrent, who is employed as bookkeeper for Western Union at Sweetwater, spent the past week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parrent and other relatives.

Call Service Men News to 77

APPRECIATION NOTICE
 We wish to thank the merchants and every one who donated merchandise and in other way assist toward helping make the Hall Carnival at Bailey Ranch School success last Friday night.
 The Bailey Ranch Home Demonstration Club. (1c)

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Showing last times today
 Walter Wagner Presents
 Loretta YOUNG
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Ladies Courageous
 With A Cast of Others

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 Dave O'Brien
 James Newill
 in

Guns of The Law

Sunday - Monday
 Rosalind Brien
 RUSSELL AHERNE

IRVING CUMMINGS'
 What A Woman
 with
 Willard Parker

Tuesday - Wednesday
 SUPER SCREEN EXCITEMENT
 John Garfield & Maureen O'Hara
 The Fallen Sparrow

Thursday-Friday
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 A Columbia Picture

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Large size with built-in features including electric refrigerator and gas cook stove. May be seen at Ben Isaacs home, or see

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NEW CLOSING HOURS

Beginning Monday, Nov. 6th, this store will start closing at 6:30 p. m. instead of 7:00 p. m. The days are becoming shorter and we ask our customers to do their shopping before night, as it is almost dark at 6:30 o'clock, and our help need to be at home before dark.

BRICK CHILI in cans 30c
 CHILI, Van Camp's 33c
 BRICK CHILI 30c
 HONEY, 8-ozs 18c
 HONEY, 1-2 gallon \$1.30
 HONEY SYRUP, 1-2 gallon 50c
 TOMATO PUREE 6c
 HEINZ CATSUP 27c
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DAIRY RATION 18% \$3.65
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Our Meat Department has plenty of the best Beef, Pork, Sausage, Lunch Meats, including Ham and some Bacon.

WE WANT
 Your Eggs, Baby Beef and Hogs

Please note our new closing hour.