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DR. M. G. HOLCOMB PLANS TO LEAVE BY JANUARY 1st

Dr. M. G. Holcomb, who has been operating the Holcomb Clinic (the former Wiedenmann hospital) and practicing medicine in Eldorado over 2½ years, will leave on January 1 to lease and operate Tegue Hospital in El Paso.

He will be general surgeon in the hospital, working with eight referring doctors.

He came to Eldorado two years ago last May to open the former Wiedenmann Clinic. A specialist in surgery, he has been doing all of the operating at the local hospital, and carrying on a general practice also. At El Paso he will spend most of his working day on surgery only.

What disposition will be made of the hospital here is not known at this time. It is understood that someone will probably lease it, and that within a short time there will be more information available for publication.

The building is owned by Dwight Wiedenmann.

SEND OFF PARTY FOR HOLCOMBS SET FOR DEC. 13

A community-wide send-off party honoring Dr. and Mrs. M. G. Holcomb will be held Thurs. night, December 13, in the Methodist Church parlors, under the sponsorship of the W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church.

While the Going-Away party will be given by the church in which they have their membership, the W.S.C.S. members urge everyone in the entire community to attend.

The Holcombs will leave the latter part of the month to take up residence in El Paso, where Dr. Holcomb has leased a hospital. The party is planned for Friday of next week.

LIONS CLUB MEETING

High School athletic coaches had charge of the program at yesterday's Lions meeting. Coach Waldrum, who was head football coach during the season just closed, thanked all who made the 1951 season such a success. He read an article by a high school football player's mother. Coach Johnson, head basketball coach, discussed the sport, and prospects for the season just beginning.

CUB SCOUTS TO HAVE CHARGE OF SKATING

At their regular meeting Monday night the Cub Scout committee made plans for reopening of the skating rink in the Memorial building. First afternoon of skating will be this Saturday afternoon. Elementary students will skate from 3:00 to 5:00; Junior high, high school, and adult age groups, 5:00 to 7:00 and 7:00 to 9:00. Admission for each two hour period will be 25c, it was stated. Proceeds will go to the Cub Scout fund.

The next Pack meeting will be December 15 in the Memorial building, leaders announce. A box of reading materials will be packed for the Gonzales polio hospital, and each Cub will bring something to be given away when the group goes caroling.

Not Endorsing Any Salesman's Products, Superintendent Says

Transient book sellers who have been representing their merchandise as recommended by school officials and teachers were rapped this week by Supt. T. E. Holcomb when the matter was brought to his attention.

"The school is not endorsing any salesman's merchandise," the superintendent emphasized. Besides himself, Mr. Holcomb said that High School Principal W. J. Fraker, Grade Principal Wyndell Hall, and Miss Jewel Shelton, librarian, as well as other teachers, had been named by book salesmen as saying that parents should buy their books for their school-age children.

Holcomb said that regardless of how good a book might be, prospective purchasers should call the school to verify any claims that it was recommended by the school.

COUNCIL OF CHURCH WOMEN TO MEET NEXT TUESDAY

The Council of Church Women will meet Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 10, at 4:00 p. m., in the Presbyterian church, Mrs. Luke Thompson announced recently. The meeting will be in observance of Human Rights day.

J. W. Davis Jr., went by plane to Pennsylvania, to visit friends for several days.



Santa Says:

We urgently remind Eldorado Merchants and shoppers: Only 15 shopping days until Xmas!

Basketball Under Way

Eldorado High school's Eagle cagers went to Iraan last Friday night for the first basketball game of the season, and both local teams dropped the scores. Iraan took the "A" game 46 to 26, and the "B" game 29 to 27.

A fair crowd turned out Tuesday night for the first home game when the Eagle "A" five trounced Junction 37 to 28. Junction started out with a 2-point lead but Eldorado soon caught up and kept the lead the rest of the game.

Wilson Humphrey scored 11 points; Cheek, 10; Nixon, 8; Edmiston, 6; and Whitten, 2. For Junction Kindrick took 11; Brite, 9; Bevans, 5; Ragsdale, 2; and McCown, 1.

In the "B" game Eldorado took the winning end of a 55 to 26 score. For Eldorado: Phillips, 15; Estes, 13; Perry, 13; Bearce, 4; Craig, 4; Barrett, 4; Stanford, 2. For Junction: Beck, 6; Tuckness, 6; Hefferman, 4; Adams, 4; Bishop, 3; Trinidad, 3.

Coach Miens Johnson reports 19 boys on the basketball squad this year. Admission to all games is 25c for school age children and 50c for adults.

School officials and Coach Johnson announced the schedule and the team as follows:

Basketball Schedule

Nov. 30; Friday, Iraan, there.
Dec. 4, Tuesday, Junction, here.
Dec. 7, Friday, Big Lake, there.
Dec. 11, Tuesday, Big Lake, here.
Dec. 14-15, Friday and Saturday, Del Rio tournament.

Jan. 4, Friday, Iraan, here (tentative).
Jan. 11-12, Friday and Saturday, Eldorado tournament.

Jan. 15, Tuesday, Open.
*Jan. 18, Ozona, there.
*Jan. 22, Junction, there.
Jan. 25-26, Ozona tournament.

*Jan. 29, Menard, here.
*Feb. 1, Sonora, here.
Feb. 5, Open.

*Feb. 8, Ozona, here.
*Feb. 12, Junction, here.
*Feb. 15, Menard, there.
*Feb. 19, Sonora, there.

*Conference games.

"A" Team Lineup

E. H. Nixon, forward.
Wilson Humphrey, center.
Bill Cheek, forward.
Frank Edmiston, guard.
Sammie Whitten, guard.

"B" Team Lineup

John Phillips, center.
Truman Biggs, forward.
Pinkney Craig, forward.
Frank Estes, guard.
Bill Bearce, guard.

Substitutes

Fred Barrett, forward.
Jerry Perry, guard.
Jack Steward, guard.
Jack Stanford, forward.
Elton Harris, guard.
Jerry Pennington, forward.
Bill Holcomb, center.
S. E. Etheridge, guard.
Vernon Phillips, forward.

TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SCALES FOR ELDORADO

A forward step for Eldorado and Schleicher County is being taken this week with delivery of public scales which will be bought by subscription.

It is estimated that purchase of the scales, also installation, paying of driveway, and building of a small office, will cost about \$7500, part of which has already been raised.

Bill McWhorter is chairman of the committee, with four others assisting, P. K. McIntosh, Jess Koy, Earl Cathey, and Ed Hill.

One or more bonded licensed public weighers will operate the scales. The location is in block 2, in Orient Heights, along the Menard Highway. A trade has been made for the necessary lots, and work on installation of the scales will undoubtedly start soon.

The scales will answer a long-felt need here. Heretofore the community has been served by stock scales only. The public scales will be used to weigh commodities which local people buy and sell—they will be convenient for Schleicher growers who want to weigh their own grain or other commodities, and will serve as a check on products, such as feed, which they buy.

Details are being worked out this week and will be announced as other decisions are being made.

Good Quality Feed Is Recommendation Of County Agent

The feeding of good quality hays and grain supplements is a very important item for consideration at present to livestock men in drought stricken areas.

It seems that vitamin E does not exist in sufficient quantities in dead drought stricken pasture grasses. The best source of vitamin E is grain. The same statement is true about vitamin A. The best source of vitamin A is alfalfa hay.

The lack of vitamins, especially E, causes a breakdown of muscle tissue and bleaching out of blood. Recent freezes have caused an outbreak in some drouth areas. Animals allowed to get into this condition are 100% death losses.

The feeding of cottonseed meal or cake will aggravate the condition once the animal is affected.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

In their regular meeting Monday night the school board agreed to require a three-week waiting period of any school child transferring here from any polio stricken area. Supt. T. E. Holcomb said this week. This decision was decided on for the protection of the other children, it was stated.

Junior High Team

Coach John Waldrum has charge of the Junior High basketball team, and reports about 15 boys participating. This team will play games at most of the same times and places as the high school cagers, it was stated.

DAUGHTER FOR LELA

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hawkins of San Angelo are the parents of a daughter born Monday, November 25, in San Angelo, at 7:00 a.m. She weighed six pounds and 12 ounces at birth and has been named Shert Anne. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks of Tennyson and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hawkins of San Angelo. The young mother is the former Lela Brooks.

Over 100 Present At House Warming For Gene Edmiston

Over 100 people called between the hours of 6:30 and 9:00 Friday night to take part in a housewarming at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Edmiston, on the new West Road. The Edmiston, who moved into their large new ranch house recently, were presented with many gifts by the visitors, who were also shown through the house by the honored couple and their son Orval and his wife.

The house was attractively decorated for the occasion in Christmas colors and holiday ornaments. Cake and coffee was served by Mrs. Arch Edmiston and Mrs. R. L. Bridgman the first hour, and Mrs. L. B. Sheffield and Mrs. H. A. Belk the second.

Mrs. Ervin Mund, Mrs. E. H. Coulter, Mrs. Clifford Schooley, and others registered the guests. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Orval Edmiston, Mrs. N. G. Hodges, Mrs. E. H. Coulter, Mrs. L. D. Mund and Mrs. Ervin Mund.

Self-Employed Must Make Application For Social Sec. Cards

Self-employed persons in a trade or business who came under Social Security for the first time on January 1, 1951, should make sure that they have a social security card, according to George D. Clark, manager of the San Angelo Social Security office. These persons will need a social security number at the time they file their first social security return, says Mr. Clark. This report will be filed in conjunction with income tax returns. The first such report from self-employed persons will be made in 1952 for the year 1951.

It is pointed out by Mr. Clark that under the terms of the amended Social Security Act, Federal old-age and survivors insurance is extended to most nonfarm and self-employed individuals who have incomes from trades or businesses which they operate either as sole owners or as partners.

Self-employed persons who have never had a social security account number card or who have lost their card are urged to secure one now in order that they may be able to file complete information with their tax return next year.

NEW BABY FOR ELLISES

Born, on December 3, at 7:15 a.m. a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ellis at Holcomb Clinic. Mr. Ellis is an Ohio Oil Co. employee. The couple have named the baby Bobbie Lynell.

POST - SCRIPT

A new mechanic at Parker Motor Company is Harland Hight of London, cousin of Wiley Hight of this city. He has moved here with his wife and two children to make his home in Eldorado.

Parker is remodeling parts department of the business, and is building partitions for an office.

Steadily increasing freight business at the Eldorado Santa Fe depot has been throwing a heavy burden on L. D. Ochsner, local depot operator. His appeals for relief were finally answered this week when Santa Fe sent an "apprentice operator" to help out here. The new man is Bob Ragsdale, who comes here from Big Lake.

The CARE for Korea campaign is over, and the sponsoring organization, the Woman's Club, is pleased with the total collected, \$149.80, and with the spirit in which the general public responded. Mrs. May Tisdale was in charge of the drive.

The dailies carry many stories these days about the dope problem among teenagers. The Woman's Club of this city, members of which have a great deal of confidence in their state Federation activities, reports that the state safety committee urges all members to be on the alert for this vice in their own communities.

Mrs. Edwin Jackson, club president, states that the local Woman's Club had brought up this question in a recent meeting, and that Mrs. Jess Walston, acting club councillor, had recently given a talk on the danger of dope addiction among the young people in which she stressed the fact that it could happen here. Several women have mentioned the fact that people seem to have the attitude that this is a city problem which could not touch a smaller community—and that very attitude itself could be a dangerous thing.

Better telephone service is always good news. The San Angelo Telephone Co. is putting in two more carrier lines from Eldorado to San Angelo, making a total of six. A crew of five men have been working out here for two weeks on this project, and the carrier lines are now being cut over for regular use on long distance calls. The additional service was made necessary by the increasing oil activity—a large number of long distance calls going out each day, especially in the mornings.

Right in the midst of the joyous season of jingle bells, etc., we are beginning to hear a number of whispers of a political nature. At least two have already declared they will announce for office at the first of the year, and it is beginning to look as though local politics will be interesting in the year of 1952—as well as state and national races.

And that brings up the question: Have you got your poll tax? If not, you have from now through the month of January to get it, so you can qualify as a voter during the interesting election of 1952.

Along toward the beginning of this year, we reported in this column how new lines had been drawn for commissioners' precincts in the county.

Under the new system starting at the first of this year, each precinct cornered in the city of Eldorado, and a new system of voting boxes was arranged. This job of redistributing was one of the acts of the old commissioners' court, which went out of office the first of the year.

Now we learn that at a recent meeting, the present commissioners' court voted to go back to the old precinct boundary lines, and that beginning Jan. 1, 1952, the old system will be restored.

Commissioner Carroll White has been working on a road from the Pat Martin ranch house in the Rudd community to the Menard Highway, a distance of four miles. He has been grading up the road bed, and will eventually put on caliche.

People are beginning to talk more about Christmas all at once. Stores are being decorated, more shoppers are in evidence, clerks are doing some gift wrapping in spare time, room mothers are running around talking about Christmas for their rooms at school—and so on.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Conner and baby of California visited here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Johnson, and other relatives recently. He also expected to visit in Kingsville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Conner.

WILDCAT STAKED IN TERRITORY WEST OF TOWN

Location has been made for a wildcat southwest of Eldorado on Section 61, block D, GC&SL r.r. survey on land belonging to J. T. Jackson Jr., et al.

Location will be 600 feet from north and east lines of Section 61, and will be on a lease owned by Stanolind. The well may be a farm-out. The land is part of the former Will Davis estate.

According to our property maps leases on a number of sections in that area will expire early in 1952, which brings up the possibility that other tests may be made as the new year advances. The location is about ten miles west and three miles south of Eldorado.

The Republic Exploration Co., is now at work making tests for Sinclair in an area about 10 to 15 miles west of Eldorado where Sinclair has leases on a solid block of about 18 sections.

There is a good deal of street talk about a proposed test to be made within a mile of the Eldorado city limits, but nothing official has come out as yet.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company completed its No. 2 W. A. Davis this week as the most prolific oiler in the Huldale, North-Pennsylvanian field of Central-North Schleicher.

It is the ninth oiler for the field and was completed for a daily flowing potential of 942 barrels of 39.2-gravity oil through a one-half-inch tubing choke.

Production in the new oiler is from open hole at 5,560-5,586 feet. The section had been treated with 500 gallons of mud acid. Flowing pressure on tubing was 375 pounds and 400 pounds on casing.

The Strawn reef lime was topped at 5,536 feet, elevation 2,160 feet. Location is 330 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 55, block M, GH&SA survey. That makes it a south offset to G. W. Strake No. 1 Runge, a completed producer.

Location south extension to the Huldale (Pennsylvanian) field in northern Schleicher County, Standard Oil Co. of Texas No. 2-2 H. F. Thomson estate has been completed for a flow of 184 barrels of oil in five hours. This was at the rate of 883.2 barrels daily.

The gauge was through a half-inch tubing choke from open hole between 5,725 feet where 7-inch casing was cemented, and 5,787 feet, the total depth. The section had been treated with 500 gals. of mud acid. Gas-oil ratio was 414-1. Flowing pressures were 625 pounds on the tubing, 275 pounds on the casing.

No. 2-2 Thomson is 2,772 from east line of section 82-T-TCRR. It is a south offset to Delta Gulf No. 3-B Thomson and 250 feet south and 2,200 feet east of Stanotex No. 2-3 Thomson, both completed producers.

Standard No. 2-1 McWhorter is awaiting rotary after drilling to total depth of 1,450 feet with cable tool.

Pan American and Taylor Refining Company No. 2 McWhorter was drilling below 2,000 feet in lime. The same operator's No. 3 Thomson spudded with cable tool and is drilling below 400 feet.

Stanotex No. 2-1 Mrs. Mary Lee Fowler was rigging up rotary, bottomed at 600 feet in lime. Ohio No. 16 H. F. Thomson estate was drilling at 3,398 feet in lime. Ohio No. 22 Thomson, south outpost to the North Huldale field, was making hole at 2,532 feet in shale and lime.

Skelly Oil Company No. 1 Davis is drilling below 2,535 feet in lime and chert.

Gray-Wolfe Company No. 1 Al P. Groebi, wildcat seven miles northeast of Eldorado was drilling below 5,792 feet in the Strawn lime after a drillstem test from 5,755 to 5,770 feet developed 30 feet of gas-cut drilling mud on the recovery. Tool was open one hour.

WORK STARTING ON WAREHOUSE AT NEW STATION

The first dirt will fly this week on the first building at the proposed new pumping station, to be known as the Bailey Station, on the large 24-inch El Rancho line, which will cross Schleicher County on its way from McCamey to the Gulf.

Surveying on the exact site for the warehouse is being done today, and actual work on the foundation is scheduled to start this week.

The warehouse will be used for storage of materials, some of which are beginning to arrive here, in preparation for completion of the line and station in 1952.

Cooking Game Meat

COLLEGE STATION—Although game meat is different in flavor from domestic meat, it can be palatable and nutritious. Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says that standard methods of cooking beef and lamb are successful for venison and antelope. Wild game should be

cooked according to the type of cut and age of the animal, she adds. For tender cuts, such as loin and shoulder, use dry heat, the specialist suggests. Season the meat with salt and pepper and place on a rack in an uncovered pan, fat side up. Do not add water and do not cover. Extra fat, such as bacon, may be added to venison or elk. Roast in a slow oven, 300 to 350 degrees Fahrenheit, allowing 25 to

30 minutes per pound. If the meat is frozen, a longer time will be needed for cooking. When frying game meat, Miss Reasonover says to first heat the frying pan until it is sizzling hot. Brown both sides of the meat, turning only once. Season when ready to turn. For thick steaks or chops, reduce heat after browning to finish cooking. Insert a rack under the meat to prevent over-cooking the meat next to the pan. Steaks, chops, or ground meat patties may be broiled on a hot, greased broiler rack about three inches from the heat. If the meat is very lean, brush with fat. When it is brown enough, season and turn. Reduce the heat and cook until done. Serve on a hot platter.

Less tender cuts, such as flank, round, rump, or shortribs, can be made tasty by braising. Miss Reasonover says the first step by this method is to brown the meat slowly on all sides in a heavy utensil. Then season with salt, pepper, herbs, spices, or vegetables. Add a little liquid in the form of water, soup stock, vegetable juice, or sour cream. Cover closely and cook at a low temperature until tender. Cooking it may be done on top of the range or in a slow oven at not over 300 degrees. Proper seasoning for wild game is important, Miss Reasonover emphasizes, especially if the "game" taste of meat is not relished. Bay leaves, thyme, marjoram, savory, parsley, chives, green pepper, celery and onion tops, garlic, cloves, sage, allspice, tomatoes, ketchup, fresh dill leaves, sliced oranges, apples, and Worcestershire sauce are a few suggestions. Basting wild game with pickle juice, tomato juice, orange, lemon or grapefruit juice, or sour cream enhances its flavor, the specialist adds.

New Variety Pea Named "Cream 40"

COLLEGE STATION — A new variety of Southern pea, named Cream 40, has been developed by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Foundation seed of the new variety will be distributed to growers who plan to increase them in 1952 for registered or certified seed peas.

Dr. W. H. Brittingham, professor of horticulture, developed Cream 40 from a cross between Extra Early Blackeye and a viny, mid-season commercial Cream variety. "The growth habit of Cream 40 makes it well suited for harvest," says Dr. Brittingham. "The pods are borne high above the foliage on long erect stems and are generally bunched at a single level. The moderate amount of vineness is almost entirely at the lower levels and does not interfere with harvest."

Although the Cream types are generally considered to produce the fancier processed product, Cream varieties that would compete in earliness and yield with the best Blackeye and Purple Hull varieties have not been available. Dr. Brittingham believes Cream 40 fills this need.

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40 is only one to two days later than Extra Early Blackeye in maturing 50 percent of the season's total production at the greenhouse stage of maturity.

Cream 40 was tested in 21 variety trials at nine locations over Texas during the past three years. The new variety produces higher yields and is four to six days earlier than its Cream parent.

Information on Cream 40 is given in Progress Report 1414, which is available from the Publications Office, College Station, Texas.

Gerald Harris of North Texas State College is pledging the Kappa Pi Omega fraternity, his mother, Mrs. Rance McDonald, learned here recently. He will become a member officially Saturday night. Harris is a Senior majoring in

Business Administration.

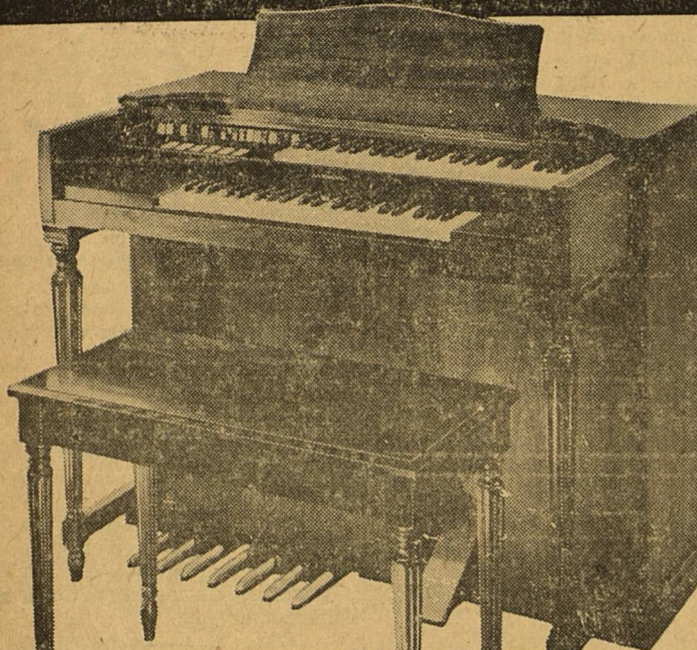
Herbert Graf has been quite ill with a kidney ailment in a San Angelo hospital, but was reported Tuesday to be somewhat improved. His brother Charles Graf and his wife of San Antonio were called during his serious illness, and are visiting him at this time.

Mrs. C. L. Martin has returned from San Angelo where she had minor surgery.

Mmes. Will Doyle, Kenneth Doyle and L. R. Damron spent the day Friday in Roby with the Milton Doyles.

Mrs. Will Doyle, who had improved after her recent illness, is on the sick list again this week.

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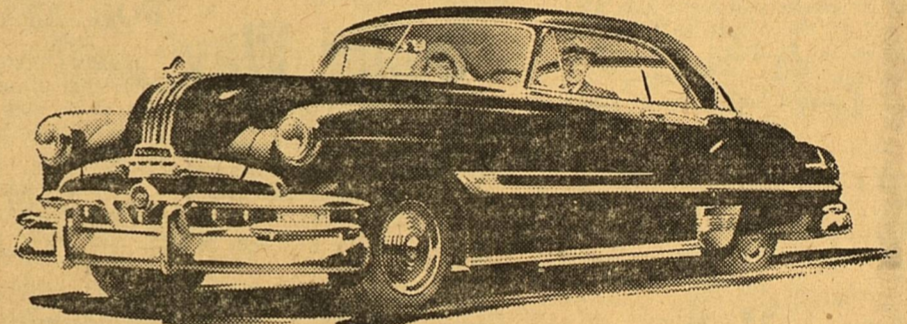
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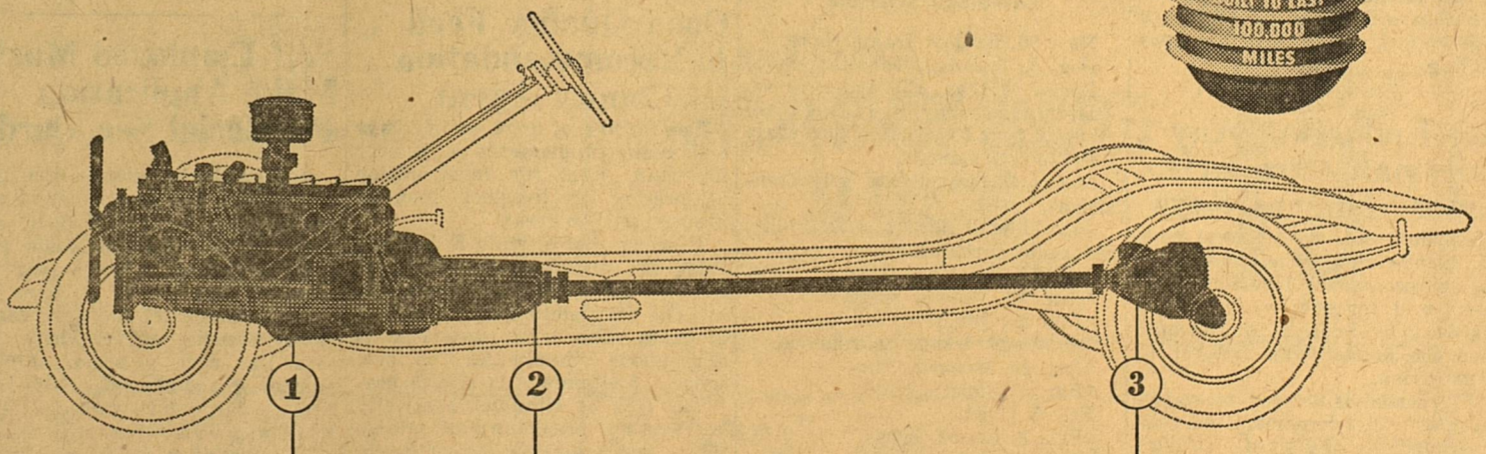
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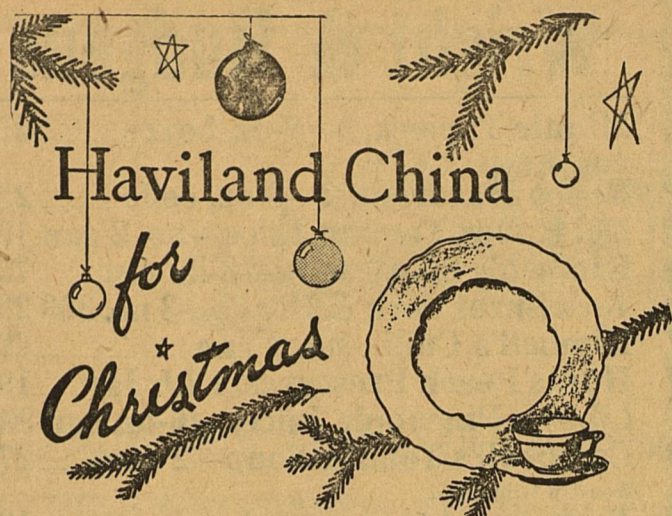
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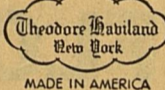
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Burkses Announce Joyce's Engagement To Joe C. Whitten

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Burk of this city announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Joyce, to Pfc. Joe Chan Whitten, of Kelly AFB, San Antonio, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Whitten of Eldorado.

Miss Burk attended SAC where she pledged Lambda Tau, and has been employed in the office of Frank Meador in this city for several months. The groom attended TCU before entering service. Both are graduates of Eldorado High school.

The wedding date is set for December 22, in the First Presbyterian Church here.

Miss Nancy Posey was injured in an accident on the McBurnett Ranch, when she fell from a horse she was riding Sunday afternoon. She had been visiting her uncle Louis Doran, who works for the McBurnetts.

Bud Davidson and family of Big Lake stopped here Friday night to visit Bud's mother, Mrs. Roy Davidson and on Saturday all went to San Angelo to visit Mrs. Laura Terrell, sister of the late Roy Davidson. Mrs. Terrell was celebrating her birthday and a group gathered there in her honor.

Miss Jane Overby spent the weekend in San Antonio with friends, returning home Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Graves returned Monday afternoon from Uvalde, where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Harrison, and her husband, who has been employed on construction of the Crystal City highway.

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DAUGHTER FOR MUSICKS

Born, a daughter, on the 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Musick of Corpus Christi. Grandparents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. Marion Owens of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. George Musick of near Colorado City, and great grandparents are Mrs. Rosa Owens of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Brazelton. The Musicks have named the new daughter Violet Kay.

Mrs. Camilla Raggio has returned from a visit in Dallas and San Antonio. In Dallas she consulted a doctor concerning a minor eye ailment, and at San Antonio she visited a friend who is seriously ill. Her son H. Leslie Jones, met her there and both returned to Schleicher County Monday night.

J. T. and John Houston of San Angelo and Ira Green of McCamey were hunting here last week, and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Love. They were joined here Sunday by Mrs. Houston of San Angelo and Mrs. Green and Mrs. Frances Farris of McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sauer of Big Spring visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sauer and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gunstead. On Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Sauer and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lee Johnson drove to Del Rio and Via Acuna.



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LOTTIE MOON XMAS PROGRAM IS PRESENTED

"Unto You a Saviour is born," was the title of the program when the WMU met in the home of Mrs. Carroll Ratliff for their annual Christmas program, Wednesday.

As the program was presented a large book was opened and for each part on the program a page was turned. Rev. Clifford Nelson brought the closing message on, "God's Gifts to us and our gifts to God." This was followed by a recorded message by Mrs. George R. Martin, Southwide WMU president.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. There were 30 present, including the Bailey Ranch WMU.

Last Monday, the various circles of the WMU had their regular meetings.

DIST. VICE-COMMANDER TO VISIT LEGION HERE TONIGHT

The local American Legion Post announces that the Texas 21st District Vice-Commander, Mr. Alfred Neffendorf, will be guest speaker at the Post's fried oyster and fried chicken supper in the Memorial building tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Neffendorf are coming from Fredericksburg to attend the family-night meeting, and all Legionnaires and their families of Post 257 are invited to attend, and also veterans of Schleicher County who are not members of the Post. The supper will be at 7:00 p.m. and will be in place of the regular December business meeting.

CLINIC NEWS

Medical cases dismissed: Mrs. Arch Orly, Cecil Meador, Mrs. Clo-tee Spear.

Herbert Graf in San Angelo for further treatment.

—ESTERBROOK Fountain Pens. \$2 at Eldorado Success.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET
The Woman's Club of Eldorado will meet on December 11 at the home of Mrs. Bert Page.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dorris and son of Iraan spent Monday evening and Monday night with Mrs. Dorris' mother, Mrs. Emma Parker.

★ The Military ★
Mrs. Ernestine Cook, the former Ernestine Clark, left Saturday morning by plane for California, to join her husband, who is in the Navy, after an extended stay here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Clark. She expects to remain there for some time.

Wilburn L. Davis, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyer, and a former Foxworth employee here, spent some time here this week visiting relatives and friends. In service three years, most of that time in Corpus Christi, Wilburn is in Balingier on two weeks' furlough before leaving for the Aleutian Islands, where he will be stationed.

Cpl. Billy Dan McAngus is home on a two-weeks furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross McAngus. He will report back to Fort Jackson, South Carolina, on December 16.

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With the Lions backing the project, the City of Eldorado and the West Texas Utilities Company are taking over a decorating project for the city.

The project includes lighting and decorating on the courthouse and probably other places in the business district.

Only a short time remains for the buying season before Christmas, and the men are hoping to get the project completed very soon.

Honeymooners Here For Week's Visit

Here on their honeymoon trip are Jack L. Gillett of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and his bride, the former Elsie Calcote, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Calcote of this city.

The couple were married in a formal ceremony in the First Baptist Church in Klamath Falls on November 25. They arrived in Eldorado Friday and expect to stay a week here.

The bride was reared in Eldorado and has been employed in Klamath Falls. The groom is a building contractor there, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gillett.

Mrs. Gillett had not been home since she was called here two years ago because of the illness of her father.

REGISTERED CATTLE BRING GOOD PRICE

The 82 head of registered cattle sold like hot cakes at San Angelo Wednesday, and all bulls stayed in the state. The Moores of Schleicher County sold 25 of the 82. Sol Kelly of Sonora was the heaviest bidder and went home with 22 new bulls in his herd.

The average price paid was \$1192.

Bridal Shower Held for Mrs. Glasscock

Honoring Mrs. Roy Brown Glasscock of Big Lake, the former Fern Cheatham, the WMU of the First Baptist Church entertained with a bridal shower Tuesday afternoon from 3:00 to 5:00 at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Cheek.

Hostesses were Mrs. Truett Stanford, Mrs. Cheek, Mrs. Carrol Ratliff, Mrs. Perry Mittel, Mrs. Fred Watson, Mrs. J. H. Mace, Fay McAlpine, Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Miss John Alexander, and Mrs. Ben Biggs.

Mrs. Ouita Smith registered guests, and several of the hostesses served. The serving table was covered with a green lace cloth. Christmas candles decorated with gold flanked an arrangement of Christmas baubles with which the table was centered, and a decorated tree added the Christmas touch to the buffet, as did also Santa over the fireplace, and Christmas decorations on the front door of the reception room.

Present in the house party in addition to the honoree, and her mother Mrs. Richard Cheatham, were Mrs. Glasscock of Sonora, and Mrs. Bill McSwain of San Angelo. Mrs. John Stigler played piano music during the tea hours.

WSCS MEETS

The WSCS of the Methodist Church met Monday afternoon for a Christmas program, all circles attending. Twenty-three were present. The Christmas theme was carried out in the decorations and refreshments.

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COUPLE ARE WED

Albert Ray Thigpen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thigpen of this city, was married in a large church wedding at 10:00 a.m. November 23, in the Catholic Church at Hondo, to Miss Elizabeth Rieber of Hondo, the resident priest, the Rev. Anthony Constantino, officiating at the nuptial mass. The bride wore traditional white satin.

The bride was attended by Arlene Rieber, her sister of Hondo, maid of honor; Mrs. Hayden Lewis of San Angelo, the groom's sister, and Olga Marie Rieber.

The double-ring ceremony was used. The bride carried a white orchid on a white prayer book. The bride's three attendants wore orchid, green and white, and their flowers were white pompoms and asters.

The groom's attendants were his brother Earl Thigpen of Odessa, Gerald Batto and James Tschirhart.

Flower girls were Betty Jean Batto of San Antonio and Theresa Batto of Bandera. The ring bearer was Ricky Bato of Hondo. Ushers were Chas. Batto, Jr., of San Antonio and John Henry Batto, Bandera.

A large reception was held at the parish house following the ceremony, after which the couple left on a honeymoon trip to New Orleans.

The couple returned to Schleicher County last week and have gone to housekeeping in the Ross Parker house in the Reynolds Community. The groom is farming in that neighborhood. He spent a number of months in service.

The bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thigpen, attended the wedding from here.

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- Kimbell's Chili—no. 2 can 69c
- Hunts Peach Preserves, 1 Lb Jar 19c
- Libby's Pineapple Juice—46-oz. can 39c
- Campbell's Tomato Soup—2 cans 27c
- Won-Up Grapefruit Juice, 3—5 3-4 ounce cans 19c
- Green and white
- Hart Brand Lima Beans—can 16c
- Quaker Oats—1-lb.-4-oz. box 19c
- Hershey's Plain or Almond Bars 24 95c
- Ches-ets Toilet Tissue—3 rolls 25c
- Super Suds—lge. box with coupon 19c
- Lux Toilet Soap—bath size, 3 for 49c
- Kim Dog Food—3 cans 25c
- Camp Fire Vienna Sausage—3 cans 29c
- Aunt Jemima Pancake Mix—small 19c
- Kuner's Dill Pickles—quart 39c
- P & G Soap—3 bars 28c
- Hearts Delight Sliced Peaches—2 1/2 34c

Aunt Jemima 25 Pounds
FLOUR 2.15

Graysons Pound
Margarine 25c

VEGETABLES
YELLOW ONIONS—Pound 6c
BANANAS—Pound 12c
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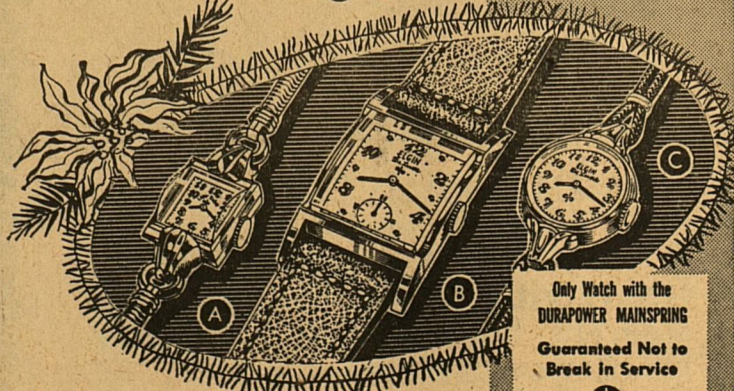
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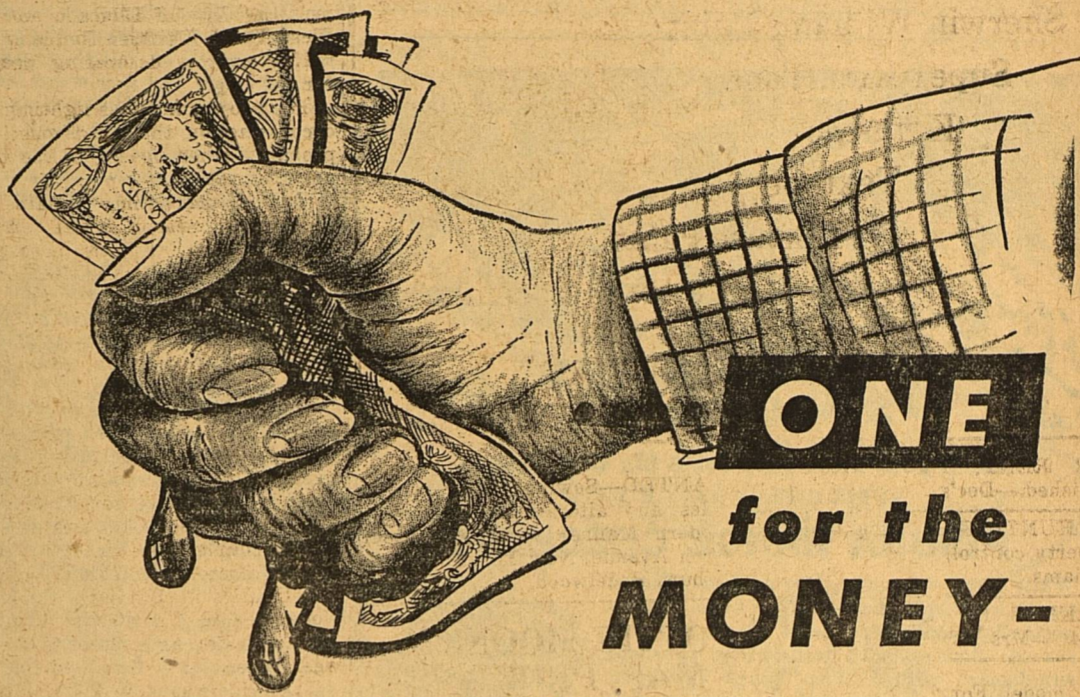
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First Baptist News

Attendance was up Sunday: 207 in Sunday School and 70 in Training Union. The Primaries received the orchids for Sunday with a grade of 78. With 35 on roll they had 28 in attendance. The Beginners led in average attendance. With 27 on roll they had 30 present. They are pushing the walls out in their department. But soon we are hoping to have more space between the walls.

We had a wonderful week last week in our Mission Emphasis. We had an average attendance of 15 R. A.'s and G. A.'s each afternoon studying their mission book, "The Keys to Brazil." Then each evening at 7:00 we had the privilege of hearing our returned missionaries. Thursday evening Miss Blanche Groves brought a soul stirring message that gripped and challenged our hearts. About 150 appreciative people heard her. The offering to our missionaries was \$66.92.

Don't forget that our offering for our orphanages closes this Sunday, December 9. Our goal for our three orphanages is \$600. Let us reach or achieve that goal for the glory of Christ in this most worthy offering. One of our homes alone turned down 400 applications because they did not have the room. Let us give our best.

The choir is working hard on their Christmas music. The definite date and hour will be set soon. Watch the bulletin and this page for the announcement. This year the choir will present the beautiful "The Nativity." Miss Farmer urges each member of the choir that is to sing in this program to make every rehearsal possible.

We welcome into the fellowship of our church Mr. Wallace Joiner. We have a place for each one. If you are a missionary Baptist living in our midst we welcome you to consider our church for your church home. We still feel that there is no better gift you could give Christ for Christmas than to give your loyal support to the church of your choice. Let us make this a Christmas for Christ and truly Christ for Christmas.

Our goal in Sunday school for December is 188. By departments they are: General officers, 4; Adults 52, Young People 11, Intermediates 29, Juniors 33, Primaries 24, Beginners 23, and Nursery 12. Everyone met or exceeded their goal the first Sunday in December except the adults. They fell one under. Each department can reach this goal if we will work.

All organizations or classes that wish to use the basement for Christmas programs check with Brother Nelson and get your date on the calendar that there will be no conflicts. BYKOTA class has the basement for Tuesday evening, December 18. The Junior department has it for Monday night December 17. The Primaries have it for Sunday afternoon December 16. Get your date in as soon as possible.

The pastor will preach at the morning hour on the subject, "The Meaning of the Cross." His subject for the evening will be, "Spirit Filled Christians at Work." We issue a cordial invitation to be in any or all of these services.

Don McCormick, manager of the Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op and Forrest Runge, one of the directors, spent several days in Galveston where they attended the regional REA meeting.

Cattle Feeding Study Conducted At Spur

COLLEGE STATION — Practically equal gains were obtained with solvent-processed and hydraulic-processed cottonseed meals as protein supplements in the 1950-51 cattle feeding studies at the Spur Experiment Station.

P. T. Marion, assistant animal husbandman at the Spur station, reports that gains obtained with whole cotton seed in this experiment were too expensive for economical feeding, when cotton seed was valued at \$90.50 per ton.

A greater net return was obtained from feeding steers four pounds of cottonseed meal and four pounds of sorghum grain daily than from feeding two pounds of cottonseed meal and six pounds of grain. The steers fed four pounds of cottonseed meal gained one-fifth of a pound more weight per head daily.

The addition of four pounds of alfalfa hay to rations containing cottonseed meal, sorghum grain and sumac silage increased the steer gains and net returns over rations fed without alfalfa hay.

Daily gains of steers were lowered 0.32 pound by the addition of one-half of a pound of granulated salt per steer to the daily ration. Other than lower gain and a decline in appetite during the last 28 days of feeding, no ill effects were apparent from the high salt intake.

Progress Report 1402, which gives these results, is available from the Publications Office, College Station, Texas.

Cecil C. Newlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newlin, has been visiting relatives and friends in Eldorado this past week. Cecil has recently been appointed by his company in Minneapolis as their field sales manager in charge of sales production in all of their branch offices throughout the middle west states. His employer, Zeo-Ran Sales Co., are manufacturers and distributors of the Zeo-Ran domestic water softeners. Cecil plans to spend a week or two at the San Angelo office and will go from there to their Chicago office before returning to Minneapolis where he will spend the Christmas holidays with his two sons and friends.



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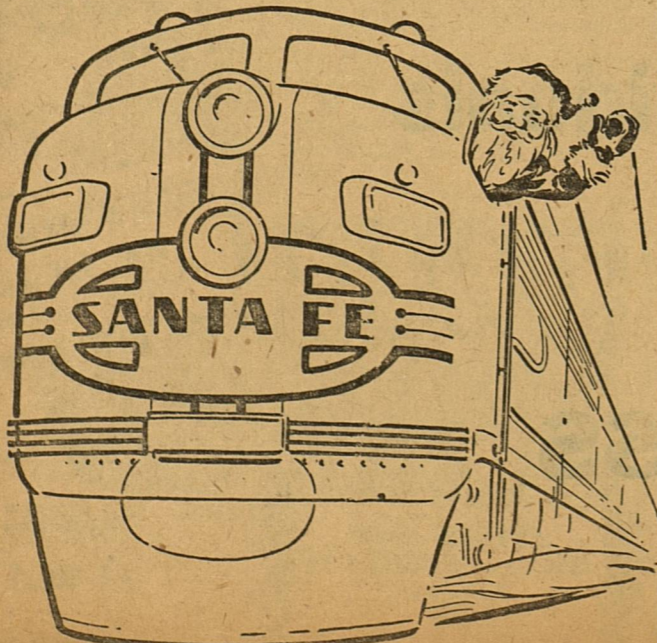
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News From Our Neighbors

Huge Buck Killed

Up to this morning only 347 deer had been checked in at Mason Ice and Storage Company, well below former years, but that number included what is said to be one of the largest bucks ever killed in Mason County.

This was a 10-pointer dressing 140 pounds, the pride and joy of one Marshall Jenkins of Lott, Texas, who made the kill on the Lamar Thaxton ranch last Thursday.

"I don't recall a larger local deer ever being brought into this plant," Ernest Henrich, manager, says. —Mason County News.

Vote For Roads

The property taxpayers of Upton County went to the polls last Saturday and gave a thumping 12 to 1 approval for the million dollar road building program into the fast-developing oil fields in various sections of Upton County.

The tabulation on the balloting showed 196 for the proposal and

only 16 against.

The turnout for the election was lighter than expected, but was probably caused by the Thanksgiving holidays falling on the weekend. Many voters were out of the county, either visiting over the holidays or hunting. —McCamey News.

Eldorado Road Next Project

In Irion County a farm-to-market road from end of FM 915, 7.5 miles southeast of Mertzon south to Schleicher County line, a distance of approximately 6.0 miles, is hereby designated subject to the availability of funds in the Farm-to-Market Road Fund of the State Highway department.

Just when actual construction of this road is to begin is not revealed by the State. We understand most of the right-of-way has been granted and some survey and location of caliche pits been done. —The Mertzon Star.

10 Persons Submit Bids On Ranch

J. M. Treadwell's offer of \$105,650 for the 1,408.3 acre estate of Mina James was declared successful when the sealed bids were opened here Monday.

A total of ten persons bid on the land which is in the northeast corner of Schleicher county. Besides Treadwell, the included Melvin Rogers of Menard \$65; G. G. Stewart, \$35.15; W. G. Nichalopoulos, San Angelo, \$45.50; R. F. Carmichael, Jr., Brady, \$50; Carl H. Dunn, Fort Worth, \$52.50; L. B. Sheffield, Eldorado, \$40; R. M. Bean, Menard, \$53; Pete Speck, Menard, \$41.05; and D. C. and C. L. Atkins, Christoval, \$40.

Henry Vanderstucken of Menard is administrator of the estate. —Menard News.

Seeking Addresses

Local Selective Service Board No. 121, located at McCamey and serving Upton, Reagan and Crane counties, is seeking the addresses of 16 men who have failed to report their new addresses, according to Mrs. Mae R. Williams, clerk of the board. Mrs. Williams stated that if these men are not found in the immediate future they will be reported as delinquent to the United States Attorney General. —Big Lake Wildcat.

A Big One

One of the biggest beef carcasses weighed here in recent times was a four-year-old Hereford cow, which pulled down for the scales at the Kimble Dressing Plant at 760 pounds dressed.

The animal was raised by John Guthrie on his Edwards County ranch near the Kimble line. Forty pounds of inside fat were removed from the inside of the carcass, which measured eight feet from tip to tip. —Junction Eagle.

Job Open

An open competitive examination to fill the vacancy in the position of postmaster in Ozona has been announced by the United States Civil Service Commission at the request of the Postmaster General. —The Ozona Stockman.

Deer Scarce

There was still plenty of room in the Sonora Food Locker for deer and turkey. Although a few have killed in the county and a few blacktail deer have been brought in, the number is very small compared to what it was two and three years ago. —Devil's River News, Sonora.

Bracero Labor

Representatives from the Texas Employment Service, San Angelo, will meet with the ranchers of Terrell, Brewster and Pecos Counties on the afternoon of December 4 and the morning of December 5 in the county court house in Sanderson.

The purpose of the meeting is to permit any rancher who wishes to do so to make application for ranch laborers as was permitted by agreement with the government of Mexico recently. —The Sanderson Times.

HOLCOMB CLINIC NEWS

Patients in the clinic:

Mrs. E. B. Parker of Christoval, major surgery.

Mrs. Leonard Lloyd, surgery.

Mrs. Jack Elder, minor surgery Tuesday.

Mrs. A. E. Atkinson, major surgery Monday.

Mrs. Ellis, and infant daughter, born Monday.

Lewis Hippolito, heart trouble.

Nancy Posey, sent to San Angelo for consultation—injured in fall from horse, had hemorrhage in her right side, and kidney injury, but is expected to recover without surgery.

Mrs. Rutha Boyer and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hefferman and children visited relatives in Coke County Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Russell of Ozona visited last week end here with the latter's mother, Mrs. Ora Davis.

Mrs. F. B. Calcote has returned from a visit in Big Lake with her daughter Doris, Mrs. S. D. Stevens and her family, and brought back Duane, one of Doris's twins, for an indefinite stay here.

Among those from here attending the TCU-SMU game at Fort Worth last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Hill, the Jack Jones family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Page, and Jim Lucas. H. T. Finley accompanied the Pages and visited his son George Stanley during the week end at Dallas.

BILL LEWIS HUMPHREY ON TEXAS WESTERN TEAM

Bill Lewis Humphrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Humphrey of Eldorado, a Junior this year at Texas Western College in El Paso, is a forward this year on the Miners basketball team, the college has announced. At 6' 7" Humphrey is listed as the tallest man on the

squad. He will play at both forward and center.

He is a graduate of Eldorado High school and played freshman ball at North Texas State. He also attended Sul Ross college before transferring to Texas Western.

ESTERBROOK fountain pens, \$2. —At the Success office.

The Childers family visited several times recently in the Brady hospital with Mr. Childers' father, D. J. Childers of Rochelle, age 69, whose right side is paralyzed since he injured himself in a fall over three weeks ago. He farmed while he lived in Schleicher County, but at the time of the accident he had retired from active work.



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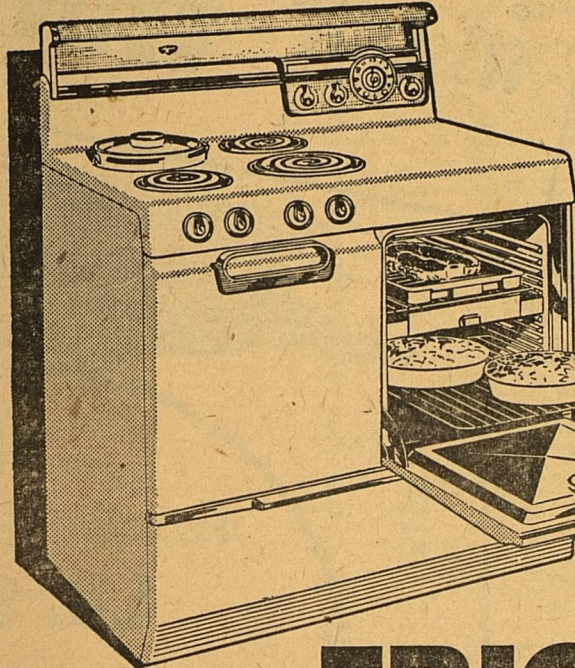
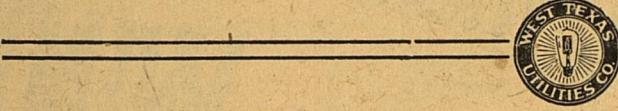
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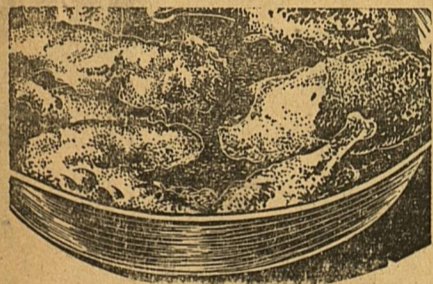
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