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## Heavy Voter Turn-Out Expected In Saturday's Election

## Grads to Receive Diplomas in Commencement Monday <br> Is $A \$ 450,000$ Bond Too Big? <br> \author{ $= \pm$ 

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The 35 members of the Senior class-just back
from their trip Iast week to Ruidosa, New Mexico, and EI
Paso-have a busy week end of activities coming up Paso have a busy week end of activities coming up
before they receive their diplomas in the Commencement Exercises Monday night.

Today, Thursday, they are rehearsing at 3:00 p.m. in the school auditorium for graduation exercises.
There will be an ice cream supper for them at $7: 00$ p.m. today at the Guy Whitaker residence.

Saturday morning at $9: 30$, Miss Dana Owens serving a brunch the Senior girls.
Sunday at $5: 30$ p.m., there will be a party at the
James Page residence in Sunset Acres for the Seniors. James Page residence in Sunset Acres for the Seniors.
Baccalaureate will be at $8: 00$ p.m. in the school auditorium with most local churches dispensing with their own
services that night. The Rev. D. C. Salter, pastor of the services that night. The Rev. D. C. Salter, pastor of the
First Methodist church, will be Baccalaureate speaker.

Commencement will be Monday evening at 8:00 in the school auditorium. Dr. Guy Newman, president of The graduation dance will follow in the Memorial Build ing, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wagley will give the class a breakfast following the danc


GORDON SCHRANK
High Boy-Ave. 89.675

MARTHA SUE PAGE
Salutatorian - Ave. 92.257 Martha Sue has been in band,
choral, speech, F.H.A., science,
National Homor, Student Council


Awards Program Sot Monday, 8:05 A.M.
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over the past 22 years and see how
much money this county has hor-ruwed and paid back. According to
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figures provided by the county figures provided by the county
treasurer's office the total amount
is $\$ 448,000$ ! treasurer's offic
is $\$ 448,000$ !
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and is followed by bond issucs and warrants down to 1962 .
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1956 Swimming Pool --
1959 Fire Equipment
1962 Angelo Highway --


Went Up-NoI Down! In 1945 county tax valuations
totaled $\$ 4,225,545$.
By 1960, due to oil development,
the total had gone beyond 16 milthe total had gone beyond 16 mil-
lion and stood at $\$ 16,102,173$.
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ffice by $5: 00$ p.m. Tuesday, indications are that a record turn-out of qualified voters will cast ballots Saturday in the $\$ 450,000$ hospital bond election-a proposition that has been widely publicized and discussed for the past eight months.
At 2:00 p.m., Monday, the absentee total stood at
112 which was one-third of all ballots cast in January 1966 in a school bond. Total number of ballots cast in that 1966 in a school bond. Total number of ballots cast in that
election was 332 , and estimates now are that three times election was 332, and estimates now are that three times
that number may vote Saturday. The school bonds carried 264 to 68-a ratio of four to one.

Some of the hospital supporters are optimistically
ting that the hospital deal will also carry by that predicting that the hospital deal will also carry by that
same ratio. Others are of the opinion that it will be close. One hour after the polls close at 7:00 p.m., Saturday, we should know the answer. Results will be posted in the window of the Success office.


> Eagle Drive-In Theater To Re-Open Friday Delbert and Imogene Edmiston
are re-opening their popular Eagle Drive-In Theater for the coming isummer, this Friday.
"Alvarez Kelly" will be the
opening attraction, and the scheopening attraction, and the sche-
dule of other movies and other
information is given elsewhere in information is given elsewhere in
this Success issue. One-Car Accident North of Town Tuesday
Who's Extravagent? Mrs. Marrin McDonald and Mrs.
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$\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { Army Nurse Verna A. Lux re- } \\ & \text { ceived new assignment to Germany. } \\ & \text { Johnny Griffith was moving from } \\ & \text { here to Breckenridge, Texas. } \\ & \text { FIVE YEARS AGO }\end{aligned}\right.$
 would move in the future to a
new building.
Alton Roy Mitchell enlisted in the Air Force and was taking ba-
sic training at Lackland Air Base,
San Antonio The '62 Senior class were to re-
ceive their diplomas. Genelle Ed-
miston was valedictorian. Judy
Ind miston was valedictorian. Judy
Hext salutatorian, and Jim Runge
high boy. Buren Whitten was class
president.
Surveying started on the mew Surveying started on the new
highway north of Eldorado to the
Tom Green county line (S. Angelo Hwy.). and Mrs. Leslie Baker Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baker
tended the Bankers Convention i
Galveston. Galveston.
The first services were held in
the new Catholic church, the new Catholic chay Angelo highway.
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May 19, 1955 Mrs. Carrol
White's mother, Mrs. Lula Shaver Wied at Brady, at the alae of 67
dit
Joe H. Foy of San Angelo was
to be Commencement spalk to be Commencement speaker here
T. E. Holcomb was school superin T. E. Hol
tendent.

The American Legion gave Good
Citizenship Awards to Martha Dell
Williams and Ronnie Williams and Ronnie Mittel of th
Senior class. Kenineth McAllister, 6th grade; and
Jeanie Mund and Dan Mittel, 3 th grade. Bull Holcomb was given th Sportsmanship Award.
Denny Phelps was honored on
his 3rd birthday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Miller enter-
 District may levy a tax rate of not more than 75 c on the $\$ 100$ valuation, that the interest rate on the bonds shall not exceed years, these are statutory limitations and it should not be supposed that a Board of Directors of seven Schleicher County residents will ever
approach these limits. The annual bond debt service requirements for the proposed $\$ 450,000$ bond issue will run from $\$ 30,000$ to $\$ 34,000$ annually, depending on whether the Directors issue 25 year or 20 year
bonds, requiring a tax rate of from $\$ 0.19$ to $\$ 0.21$ on the total County bonds, requiring a tax rate of from $\$ 0.19$ to $\$ 0.21$ on the total county
Valuations of roughly $\$ 17,000,000$. The District valuations are to be
the same as the County valuations, a fortunate requirement since the
School District valuations on ranch lands are one-third higher than the County's.
Although no one can speak for the District Board of Directors
until after they are appointed following the election if it carries, it is
to be expected that they will set a tax rate for the first year of about
( 1966 County 1966 Co. \&
$\$ 0.30$ on the $\$ 100$ valuation. On this assumption, the Hospital District
Tax will compare with the 1966 County and State Tax as follows:
Probable
Property
Hospital

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| Clas | Valuations | te Tax | \% | Tax@30c |
| Owned by Schleicher |  |  |  |  |
| Residents who are the only ones to vote | \$2,925,7 | \$52,300 | 17.4\% | \$8,800 |


| 406 non-resident owners |  |  |  |  |
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| not eligible to vote------ | $2,281,031$ | 40,800 | $13.6 \%$ | 6,800 |
| oil, gas and royalty |  |  |  |  |


| Railroad, bus and truck | $8,606,510$ | 153,800 | $51.1 \%$ | 25,800 |
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| lines | 175,420 | 3,200 | $1.0 \%$ | 500 |


$\square$ | oil and gas pipe lines ---- |
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| TOTALS |
| From the above it is szen that the proposed Hospital District Tax |

may be about one-sixth of the 1966 County \& State Tax. Since the
School District Tax amounted to $\$ 330,000$ in 1966 , the taxpayers of
Schleicher County can expect that if the bond issue is voted, the Hos-

## and School District taxes for 1960. Surely this is not too high a price o pay to obtain a doctor and medical facilities for this community.


Sursly not an overwhelming burden.
The resident taxpayers of this County have the unusual oppor
tunity of obtaining a $\$ 450,000$ medical facility for a cost to them1966 Schleicher County tax records. This statement is presented in
this newspaper for the consideration of the resident taxpayers who willvote in the special election on May 20th. The views expressed are thoseof T. R. Spence, who has paid for this advertisement
Notice of the Names of Persons
Ap dormant according to the pro-
Apearing as the Owners of Un-
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viseclaimed Amounts Held Ey: The El than seven (7) years.
First National Bank, Eldorado,
The unclaimed amount dutFirst National Bank, Eldorado,
Texas. $\begin{aligned} & \text { The unclaimed amounts due the } \\ & \text { depositors or owners listed herein } \\ & \text { will be paid upor pros of owner }\end{aligned}$
This notice is given and publish-
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the State of Texas, in an effiort tolhe state of Texas, in an effort to to mtors or owners of amounts in ac- conserva
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## Item No of This Report

Bank Money Order
Senorita Ruma Dabila Moreno
Eldorado, Texas

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DRIVE - IN THEATRE -Show Will Start At Dark-
-One Showis O.ty, EEach Night-

Alvarez Kelly

Walk, Don't Run

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Seniors Back From Trip To Ruidosa, El Paso discriving at ind thi buidual the servivaniors kits
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anter a g a bor of apples furrished by
a group of oap townspople. The
survival kits included sandwiches
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dit.
The first stoo of the Senior Spe-
cial was at Fort Stockton's Ramada Inn for supper. Boarding the bus again, the trip to Carlsbad was
resume. On arrival, many of the
girls took an unexpected din girimed. ook an arrival, many of of the
the motel pool. The die text in
the a tour through Carlshad Marnerns
was taken. On completion of the
tour, the Senior Special tour, the Senior sppecial headed
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fo picio apicnic. After the pienic, the
Special was bund for Ruidosa, Upon arrival at Ruidosa, the Sen-
iors checked into the Capparrel
 nearly all recreational facilities
were closed. Having nothing to do
he Seniors and their spons the Seniors and their sponsors de-
cided to go to El Paso. Within 20 minutes the seniors wire packed The Red roway to El Paso was
Thosen as the Seniors' home for the next two
days. Activities in El Paso includ. ed swimming until the late hours
of the night, bowling, riding the skylift, shopping, going to the
horse races, and going to the




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members of the Joiner family are
with him. NOTICE TO BIDDERS
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## GRIFFIN'S GULF SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Griffin and Family


OPEN IS THE WAY To you who are graduating this Spring we say, "Congratulations on your achieve ment." The way is open to you for even greater success and it is our hope and prayer you will always set your goals high in the great horizons of life.

Best Wishes, Grads!
MR. \& MRS. JOHN STIGLER
and family

Ken Thomas, who will coach
Little League here this summer,
has announced his schedule, and
team rosters.
Safe," will be shown in the Hish
School Auditorium at $7: 30$ p.m. All managers and playyers, both Minor
League and Little Leal League and Little League, are en-
couraged to attend. Anyone else interested is welcome.
Games start on Tuesda and the following is schedule:
June 6 -White June 6 -White Sox vs. Tigers
6-Red Sox vs. Cougars
$8-$ Cougars vs. Whis ${ }^{8-\text { Cougars vs. White Sox }}$ 9-Tigers vs. Red Sox
12-Cougars vs. Tigers 13-White Sox v. Red Sox ${ }^{*} 16$ - Red Sox vs. Tigers ${ }_{20-\text { Cigers }}^{19-\text { vs. White Sox }}$ ${ }^{20-\text { Tigers vs. Red Sox }}$ *23-White Sox vs. Red ${ }^{24-A L L}$ STAR GAME. 27-Tigers vs. White Sox
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$30-$ Tigers vs. Red So July 6-Tigers vs. Cougars, 6:00 6 -Red Sox vs. White Sox *7-Cougars vs. Red Sox
10-White Sox vs. Tigers 11-White Sox vs. Cougars 13-Tigers vs. Red Sox *14-Tigers vs. Cougars July $21-22-23$-Invitational Little League Tournament.
*Minor League Game at 6:00.
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David Haynes, John Oglesby, Billy Donaldson, Archie Posey, Gary Collins, Jamey Daniels, Randy Ro Tigers-Mike Manning, John Ros-
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Leslie Craig Red Sox-Timmy Farris, Benjie ny Powell, Mark Bland, Gene Nix
nn, Lynn Mertz, Mort Mertz On, Lynn Mertz, Mort Mertz, Gary
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Adams, and Jim Bob Edmiston. Minor League Roster-1967
Adam Fay, Alvaro Rojas, Leslie
Hill, Lay Holley Hill, Jay Holley, Charles Bla
Jimmy Bosmans, Larry Day, Jo
Campbell, Lynn Campbell, Lynn Whitaker,
Sides, Michael Redwin,

## Chrisly Moore

Receives Honors
ation, M.M.U.U., held its annual award banquet about two weks ago and
Christy Moore of Eldorado took the majority of honors. She was given a plaque for ac-
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participation participation points in all intra-
mural events. She then was award.
ed a trophy for ed a trophy for being named to
the All-Star Volleyball team and a the All-Star Volleyball team and a
trophy for the All-Star Basketball
team trophy for the All-Star Basketball
team.
The most coveted award is a large Sportsmanship trophy which
Christy won. The team on which Christy won. The team on which
she played won both the basketball
and voieybaill t team and vo eyball team championships.
So Christy So, Christy, who had a nice tro-
phy collection from her Eldorado phy collection from her Eldorado
High School days, now has a
plaque and three plaque and three trophies to add
to it. It is good to see our local young people continue to
as they go on to college as they go on to college.
DRAFT RE-CLASSIFICATIONS
ANNUUCED FOR THIS COUN
Following is ANNOUNCED FOR THIS COUNTY
Following is a list of the Sch leicher County registrants cla
fied at the Local Board Tuesday, May 9th:
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fied at Tuesday, May 9th:
Donald $R$ Dannheim
Willi Willie E. Luedecke
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Robert Robert A. Halbert
Samuel Vasquez
Phillip B. Montgom Samuel Vasquez--.--
Phillip B. Montgomery
Jim K. Jones $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Jim K. Jones } \\ \text { Robert M. DeLong }\end{array}\right.$ $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { Frances W. Grobe, Clerk of the } \\ & \text { Draft Board, announced the }\end{aligned}\right.$ $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { Draft Board, announced that all } \\ 1957 \\ \text { ning on shenool graduates plang college for the } \\ \text { ning }\end{array}\right.$ ning on entering colleges for the

1967 Fall semester, should write $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { a letter to the board office in Son } \\ \text { ora advising the names of the col } \\ \text { leges they plan to attend. }\end{array}\right.$ | Misses Mary Lynn McGinnes of |
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| San Angelo and Lynda McGinne | who teaches in New Mexico, and

the Floyd MeGinnes family of Cros byton visited here family of Cros John
John Lowe has re
Fred Riley's houses.

## To the People of Schleicher County

First, the steering committee has throughout this project tended to present misleading information to the public and has ignored facts. The people should have been presented all the true facts, letting the voters have this benefit in making a decision. A committee should have been formed to survey a number of similar hospitals and report to the people its findings concerning costs, cost of operation, required and available personnel, tax structure, and, in general, their success. This vital information would have been unfavorable. Just a few years ago the Commissioners Court contacted approximately 16 similar hospitals and learned that almost without exception all operated at a large financial loss. This information is at the court house, but no mention has ever been made of it.

Second, the steering committee has constantly played up the small tax cost of this hospital as if it were the only taxes that Schleicher County will have. Quite the contrary. Taxes are already high in Schleicher County. By contrast, Crockett County is 8 c per acre, Sutton County is $16 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{c}$ per acre and Schleicher County is 18 c per acre. These figures are for grazing land and include State, County and School taxes. Cultivated land in Schleicher County is $32 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{c}$ per acre. The hospital bill calls for 75 c per $\$ 100.00$ valuation, not 25 c or 35 c as some would lead you to believe. According to the valuation of property on the tax rolls at the present time the oil companies are paying more than their pro rata share of taxes in comparison to other property owners in Schleicher County. When taxes are continuously voted on oil properties at little cost to other property owners there could be forced on Schleicher County tax payers an increase in their own valuation.

Third, it has been publicized that two young doctors have agreed to move to Eldorado and operate this hospital. Do we have firm commitments on this fact? Do we have commitments that they will stay in Schleicher County? It has been said that these two doctors will operate the hospital and therefore it shouldn't be any worry to the tax payer should it operate at a financial loss. Does anyone believe that these doctors, or any others, will operate at a loss? They will either leave, or the district will have to subsidize its operations. Within a few years, the tax structure could well have to be doubled. We do need medical facilities and we do need a doctor in our County, but a $\$ 450,000.00$ hospital does not guarantee medical facilities and does not guarantee the services of a doctor. Ask some of our neighboring communities

Fourth, this is not time to embark upon such a costly enterprise without much serious consideration. It will be a debt we, as taxpayers of Schleicher County, will all have to pay be ginning this year, regardless of whether the hospital continues to operate or whether we have a doctor or not.

VOTE AGAINST THE HOSPITAL DISTRICT
(This Ad Paid For By Resident Taxpayers of Schleicher County)


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