## THE MERKEL MAIL


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WRITH TEXAS

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Richard Clark McNeill, 7 , of Luf-
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ected president of the United States

| BULKY BALLOT | ELI BROOKS, 78, |
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| FACES VOTERS | OF BLARR AREA, |
| NEXTTUESDAY | PASSES AWAY | FACING ROBY THIS WEEK,

BADGERS SEEK VENGEANGE
FOR LAST YEAR'S DEFEAT

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| For 58 Years; Wife and Six Children Survive. $\qquad$ | BE STAGED HERE NOVEMBER 9-10 | With Roscoe; Merkel Has Fif-ty-Fifty Record, But Detersined to Win. |
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## THFBOOK

## 64 BRUCE ${ }^{\circ}$ BARTON

MARK TRAVELS WITH SAUL.
Saul's conversion was instantaneous, yet its development was
most interesting. Instead of arresting any one in Damascus, he at once announced his change of convictions, and had to escape from For three years he retis definite plan. He would go back to Jerusalem to be welcomed by the disciples, who would naturally choose him as their leader, and so a grand plan, but it met with bitter disappointment. When he ara grand plan, but it met with bitter disappointment. When he ar-
rived in Jerusalem the disciples were afraid of him and, even after he had been vouched for by Barnabas, gave him a very grudging
Rebuffed but still ardent, he went to his old home in Tarsus, a
Greek city, where he had been born, a Jew but with full right of Greek city, where he had been born, a Jew but with full right of
Roman citizenship, a fact of which he was immensely proud and of which he took full advantage. For a while he had little to do. Then Barnabas, a discoverer of men greater than himself, the discoverer
of Mark, went to Tarsus and invited Saul to come to Antioch. of Mark, went to Tarsus and invited Saul to come to Antioch.
After a very successful work in Antioch, Barnabas and Saul pro After a very successful work in Antioch, Barnabas and Saul pro-
posed to visit the old home of Barnabas in the island of Cyprus, and posed to visit the old home of Barnabas in the island of Cyprus, and
to preach as they went. This they did, and took with them Mark, who was a nephew of Barnabas. In Cyprus they had great success
and established a friendship with the Roman governor, Sergius and established a friendship with the Roman governor, Sergius
Paulus. Saul, named for the Old Testament king, now changed his Paulus. Saul, named for the Old Testament king, now changed his
name to Paulus, probably after this governor. From Cyprus they went into the nearer regions of Asia Minor
And now an occasion of irritation arose. Barnabas was the leader
of this journey, but Saul everywhere became the more prominent

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& \text { character. Barabas was evidently a tall impressive man; Paul } \\
& \text { much smaller, more active, and nervous. In one place on the main- }
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$$ land they were received with such honor that there was a proposal

And they called Barnabas, Jupiter; and Saul, Mercur-
ius, because he was the chief speaker. was the really great man, but Saul was takie, and Saul did not like Mark, who finally left the two older men and went back to Jesusa-
lem. In due time Saul and Barnabas followed, and both at Antioch tour. the calm was about to be broken.


# THE BADGER WEEKLY 


 Jessie Margoret Berry.
Jessie Margaret is attractive. in-
dostrious and dependable. Because of
her friendly ways she has many her friendly ways - she has many
friends in school. She does her best
daily toward that high goal set in her
life, and we all hope she reaches it.
Keep your present spirit up. Jessie

| NOODLE NEWS | families were shopping in Abilene <br> Saturday evening and also attended a |
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| The farmers of this community are |  |
| show. |  |
| Last week-end closed the first six |  |

DELINQUENT TAXES
The City of Merkel and the Merkel Independent School District offer you the following plan for paying your delinquent taxes

If Paid in November
Principal Plus $14 \%$
If Paid in December
Principal Plus 15\%
After January 1, 1935, no further deductions will be made. So you are requested to pay now and save the differtage of same as petitions are being prepared to tile additional suits in the nea rfuture.

JOB E. CHILDERS, Attorney.

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## FARMERS STATE BANK

 IN MERKEL*) Clowe Busimes October 14, 1984.

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Fiuhnt \& Due From Banks $\$ 69 p$ t5.49
U. S. Gov't Bonds. $\quad 11,000.00$ $\begin{array}{lr}\text { Bills of Ex. Cotton } & 12,705.70 \\ \text { Cotton 12e Govt Loan } & 27,737.18\end{array}$ Cotton 12e Gov't Loan -- $27,737.18$
TOTAL AVAILABLE CASH 120,458.37


Deposits in this bank are insured by the monner and to the extent provided under the terms of the Banking Aet of 19ss, eovering - Includes proceeds of $835,000.00$ deben ticm which debenturres are subordinated to the

## FARMERS STATE BANK IN MERKEL

OFFICERS- C. M. Largent, President; W. L. Diltz, Cash DIRECTORS-C. M. Largent, W. W. Toombs, J. A. Patter son, Jr., W. L. Diltz.


# Starts Monday Night <br> Doors open 7 p. m. Show starts 8 p. m 

 Auspices of Fire Department foritsNEW TENT-USUAL SHOW LOT Merkel, Texas

## Opening Play

"HUMAN BUZZARDS"
Feature Vaudevilie With the
WOLFE TWINS and IRENE In Person HEINIE ROGERS' 9-PIECE ORCHESTRA

PRICE: CHILDREN 10c-ADULTS 20c

## FREE TICKETS

This Coupon with 20 cents will admit One Lady and Gentleman or two ladies Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.

You buy insurance to protect what you have. You need dependable insurance. We sell it. Let's get together.

## W. O. BONEY <br> MERKEL, TEXAS

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Come in today; let us check your battery and wiring FREE. Ask your neighbor about Hi-Volt's-he hal one. tires, tubes, batteries and accessories repair service

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PEAS, good tender, No. 2 cans, 2 for
TOMATOES, No. 2 cans 3 cans

KRAUT, No. 2 1-2 can,
Stokely, can 15c
BEANS, No. 2 can, green $\frac{2 \text { cans }}{\text { PUMPKIN, No. } 2 \text { can }}$
per can
10 c
RAISINS, 2 lb. pkg. Market Day $+18 c$
PRUNES, nice dried 2 lb . pkg. 22c
DATES, 8 oz. pitted, pkg. 15c POST TOASTIES, lge pkg 10c


MERKEL'S MOST COMPLETE FOOD STORE


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