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All Set for Barbecue & Lamb Sale Here Sept. 15

Seven P. T. A. women were present when the Lions' Club met at the Eldo Hotel yesterday and members of the two organizations declared that every one of them was moving along nicely for the Annual Barbecue and Lamb Sale to be held here on Saturday, Sept. 15.

The annual affair is staged jointly by the two clubs, and yesterday's meeting brought out the fact that all committees have been appointed, and all are at work. Lions Pennington and Fenigan reported for the Lions' Club and Mrs. S. D. Harper reported on the progress made by the P. T. A.

The barbecue will be held on the court house grounds at about noon, and will be followed by the Lamb Sale during the afternoon. Other entertainment will include concession stands, cake-walk, bingo, and a water show by the firemen in the evening. A fine sheep and Brahma calf have been donated to the P. T. A. and will be given away to the buyer of the lucky ticket.

P. T. A. members present at the meeting yesterday were Mmes. Ed White, Edwin Jackson, John Williams, Perry Mittel, Jerry Pennington, S. D. Harper and Chester Wheeler.

Other guests at the Lions' dinner were: V. J. Stewart, new school principal, and Wallace Joiner, ex-service man; both of whom spoke briefly before the meeting adjourned.

Destructive Storm Damages Coast Area

A terrific storm, said to be one of the most destructive storms in Gulf Coast history, causing an enormous task of rehabilitation and relief, attacked a 300-mile stretch of East Texas coastal area on August 28, and blew itself out. Crop damage and city destruction ran to millions.

Throughout the stricken area, the Red Cross worked, feeding and caring for thousands of persons. In Bay City alone, inland town of 6,000 about 60 miles southwest of Houston, 1,500 citizens looked to the humanitarian organization for aid. Bay City, where the 135-mile-per-hour hurricane raged with full fury, was still cut off from outside communications.

Aid was rushed to the area and officials began one of the most inclusive tasks of rehabilitation the Gulf country has ever known.

Mr and Mrs. Herbert White and little son of Yuma, Ariz., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Dena White, and his sister, Mrs. Marian Joseph and family of San Antonio. Mrs. W. F. Edmiston returned last week from a two weeks visit with relatives at Andrews.

PIANOS

Grands, Spinets, Uprights. Just a few left out of last car.

Buy now as they will be higher when the season opens this fall.

Edwards Piano Exchange

3 East Avenue K,
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Nice Rainfall Is Welcome

Schleicher County ranchmen, farmers and business men are jubilant over a general rain, ranging in amount from nearly two inches at Runge's down to .4 inch at Bailey Ranch. The rain fell gently over a period of about 15 hours, beginning late Wednesday afternoon and stopping at about daylight Thursday morning.

In the city of Eldorado, the rain measured 1.29 inches, according to the city's official rain gauge, and on the Jack Ratliff 1 1/2 miles east of town 1 1/2 inches was reported. Bailey Ranch, which has received less rain than most of Schleicher county all year, again almost "missed the boat," with a total of only .40 inches. At the Forrest Runge ranch the official rain report was 1.8 inches. Other official gauges could not be contacted by phone this (Thursday) morning, as the Success goes to press.

Ranges, feed crops, and possibly cotton, will all be greatly benefited by the rain, which breaks a long late-summer drought.

Observe Labor Day Monday

The two Eldorado lumber yards will be closed Monday in observance of Labor Day. Closed also will be the bank and the post office. It is expected that other business houses will remain open unless someone suddenly decides to go fishing. Monday being school opening day, it is expected that there will be a crowd in the business district of Eldorado.

Ft. Worth Barber Buys Davis Shop

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore and daughter Mrs. Barney Janet May of Ft. Worth, have moved to Eldorado, where Mr. Ashmore has bought the Davis Barber Shop, located in the Red & White building. They are living in the Spencer house.

Mr. Ashmore has been employed in a bomber plant at Fort Worth, and is one of a large number of employees who have been laid off recently. His home was originally in Coleman Co., at Rockwood. The family are not strangers here, as Edgar Spencer, who lives on a ranch near Eldorado, is a son-in-law of the Ashmores. They are members of the Baptist Church.

ADVOCATE PURCHASE OF SECOND FIRE TRUCK

The City of Eldorado will make an effort to purchase the Army's fire truck which has been stationed here for several years, and which will be moved away with the closing of this station. At the Lions Club meeting Wednesday it was brought out that the Army is selling equipment of this kind, and since the city needs a second fire truck, a committee was instructed to try to make the purchase.

Crain Gin Damaged By Destructive Fire

Fire of unknown origin caused several thousand dollars' worth of damage to the Crain gin Thursday night, so badly gutting the interior of the main building that the business will probably not be in running condition this ginning season.

The appraiser announces an \$8,000 fire loss, and the manager has not decided whether to reopen the gin at all or not.

Origin of the fire is not known but Manager and Owner R. T. Crain states that it may have caught from some fire in a bale ginned the preceding afternoon. The firemen were called out during the night to extinguish the blaze, and saved the property from being a total loss.

The fire was confined to the main building, in which much of the ginning equipment is located. As this type of equipment is not easy to replace, and there is shortage of labor, the rebuilding of the plant will require so much time that there is little probability that the gin will be ready for operation this year. A major problem with the management will be locating of gin machinery to replace pieces of equipment which were damaged beyond repair.

PTA Makes Plans For Opening Social

All who are interested in Eldorado school are invited to attend the get-acquainted meeting sponsored by the P. T. A. on the night of September 11, at 8:30. The meeting will be held in the school gymnasium, with the executive board in charge of arrangements. This will be the first P. T. A. meeting of the school year. Mrs. Edwin Jackson is new P. T. A. president.

Headquarters Here for Large R. E. A. District Is Promised

Work on the REA project which will serve this area is continuing, and many poles have been set and houses have been wired in preparation for stretching of wires. Service will not be available until wire can be secured, which, it is hoped by officials, MAY be by November 1st.

It is expected that the local office will be the center of a system comprising all of Schleicher County, the southern part of Tom Green, Irion County, Crockett, the northern part of Valverde, nearly all of Sutton, and western Menard. This unit is known as the Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative.

The construction of this project represents culmination of about seven years of work on the part of businessmen and ranchmen. On January 1, 1945, the REA in Eldorado had an application with the Applications and Loans Division for \$150,000.00 for the construction of 192 miles of line. In January the loan was completed and a total of 146 customers was to be served on this unit. Contract was let on this 192 miles and construction started in the latter part of February. Since then the entire right-of-way has been surveyed, about 65 percent of it cleared, and better than 70 miles of poles are in the air.

Not stopping with this, the board continued to take new applications, and soon applied for and obtained an additional loan of \$90,000.00 to take care of an

Detached Service To Close Office Here

The Detached Service Group from the San Angelo Army Air Field stationed here for the past two years, is closing down this week and the six soldiers on duty here, will report back Friday to their field at San Angelo for further orders.

Firemen Answer Two Local Calls

The local Fire Department answered two calls early this week. A grass fire which broke out behind the house occupied by the Tom Hendersons in the new addition, about 11:30 a. m., Sunday morning, was quickly extinguished, by the two trucks.

Little damage was reported in a fire at the Tom Jones ranch home on the San Angelo highway Monday afternoon, resulting from the explosion of a gas hot water tank.

LEASES HOTEL

D. C. Royster has leased the Eldo Hotel and this week assumed management of the business, succeeding Marvin Shafer, who has moved to San Angelo. The hotel is located in the Mrs. C. L. Meador building.

CALL FOR DRESSES!

Dresses in the surgical dressing room in the fire station must be called for at once, as the apartment has been rented. Someone will be on duty there for a limited time. There will probably be no more work of this type, so please call for dresses at once.

Mrs. Ed Hill
Chairman Red Cross
Miss Mary Lee Gunstead of McCamey visited here last week end with her parents.

School Bell Monday Opens New Term Here

The opening exercises for the Eldorado Public Schools will be held in the high school auditorium Monday, Sept. 3 at 9:30 a. m. A short program will be presented, the new teachers will be introduced and announcements will be made at that time. Grade pupils will go to their respective rooms for registration and books after the general assembly and regular classes will begin Tuesday morning.

Registration for high school students will start Saturday, Sept. 1 at 1:00 p. m., in the high school building. The schedule for high school registration is as follows:

10:30 a. m. Saturday: All high school seniors meet in the high school study hall.

1:00 p. m. Monday, Sept. 3: all junior students meet in the high school study hall.

1:00 p. m. Monday, Sept. 3, all sophomore students meet in high school study hall.

3:00 p. m. Monday, Sept. 3, all freshmen meet in the high school auditorium.

Students are requested to meet for registration only at the hour designated for each class.

All new students go to the principal's office for assignment. Old book cards must be presented in order to secure books.

The faculty will be:

High School
A. R. Vance, principal & coach.
Miss Jewel Shelton, library and English.

Miss Lucile Rumsey, home making and supervisor of cafeteria.

Miss Earline McFall, mathematics.

Miss Doris Johnston, girls physical education.

Ludell Wroe, English & speech.

Mrs. James Page, high school chorus.

Miss Oma Ford, Spanish and history.

Grade School

B. J. Stewart, principal and arithmetic.

Miss Thelma Ellington, first grade.

Mrs. Ruth Prince, second grade

Mrs. Bennie Watson, third.

Mrs. Payne Robinson, fourth.

Miss Ina Mae Lightsey, fifth.

Miss Doris Johnston, sixth grade and physical education.

Miss Annie Herbert, seventh grade and social studies.

Mrs. Kenneth Cheek, eighth grade and language arts.

Mrs. James Page, public school music.

Another Resignation

Lydia Mireles, who was elected to teach in the Mexican school, has resigned. As a commercial teacher has not yet been found, this makes two vacancies on the faculty.

Reynolds Teacher

The teacher employed for the Reynolds school has resigned and Mrs. F. G. Clark of Eldorado, widow of a Methodist pastor and a teacher of a number of years of experience, has been elected to teach the school. She will move to the community and make her home in the teacherage.

Opening Time

School will open each day at 9:20. Lunch will be at 12:30, and dismissal for the day at 4:45. This will be changed when war time is eliminated.

Football Practice

Coach A. R. Vance has announced that football practice will begin at 5:00 p. m., Monday, Sept. 3. At that time suits and full football equipment will be issued. Coach Vance states that he is anxious to have all boys out for practice from the very opening day.

The first game of the season, with Big Lake, will be about a week after school opens.

New Books

Three new books have been donated to the Eldorado Public Library recently in memory of Lt. David E. DeLong. They include "An Airman's Letter to His Mother" donated by Mr. and Mrs. Lionell Ballew; "Journey Into America" by Peattie, donated by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wheeler; and "Sunward I've Climbed" by Hagedon, donated by Mrs. J. W. Pendley of San Angelo. "Pastoral" by Nevil Shute, has been donated by Mrs. May Montgomery Wear of San Angelo in memory of her sister, Mrs. Jessie M. Abbott mother of Mrs. Aubrey Baugh.

A nice selection of second-hand books have also been donated by Mrs. Helen Lawrence.

Negro Building Repaired

Work on the Negro school building is under way. Painting and general repair work on interior and exterior, and enlargement of the building, will provide better accommodations for the increased enrollment.

Lunchroom to Operate

The lunchroom in the school will again be in operation. Much new material has been added, facilitating handling of a large number of customers. Many fruits and vegetables have been canned under sponsorship of the PTA.

Richey Building Sold for Food Locker

John B. Stribling, of the Frozen Food Company at San Angelo, has bought the large building at the rear of the Hoover Drug Store, known as the Richey building, as a location for his frozen food locker, machinery for which is reported to have been shipped from the factory. The deal is official except for approval of title and final papers.

The building was constructed by the late Finis Keele, for the Richey Grocery. The Richeys later bought the building. It has been used for storage rooms for the R. E. A., and houses the Eldorado Beauty Shop. Because of the fact that the building is well constructed with steel arches and beams, and because the location provides excellent parking facilities, the business building will be well suited for the purpose.

Mrs. Gordon Stewart of Junction and Damon White of San Saba visited Monday in the home of their brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Carrol White. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. White home from Mertzon where the group attended a family reunion over the week end at the home of another sister, Mrs. Clifton Brooks, of Mertzon.

Mrs. Frances Simms of Baton Rouge, La., visited here last week with her aunts, Misses Dora and Emma Riley.

Coats

Preferred

Top coats in Fall's hit parade of fashions. The shortie that goes with everything. The doll-waist coat that slim beauties like to tie tightly around their waists. And the boy coat . . . long may it reign! In bright shades . . . navy and black.

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Humble to Start 4 New Gas Projects

Authorization of four gas conservation projects costing \$3,500,000 and designed to conserve for productive use 56,000,000 cubic ft. of natural gas daily was announced by Humble Oil & Refining Company today. The projects involve five fields in the Gulf Coast. They are West Clear Lake, Friendswood, Anahuac, and Lovell Lake Fields in Texas and the North Crowley field in Louisiana. Humble will construct two natural gasoline plants, one at West Clear Lake and the other at Anahuac, and install compressors at Lovell Lake and North Crowley.

These projects represent an expansion of the Humble Company's gas conservation program which has been carried on for a number of years. The most important project by Humble last year was the installation of equipment at the Tomball field to conserve 8,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily by compressing it for gas lift and delivery to gas lines. The shortage of critical materials during the war has prevented the development of other projects previously. The gas which the West Clear Lake and Anahuac plants will process is that which is being currently produced with the oil from the fields the plants will serve. Completion of these projects will make possible full utilization of all the gas produced with oil in these fields.

Mrs. George Monteith and Peggy Rose Barbee visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eden, who returned Monday to their home at Big Spring.

BAPTIST SUNBEAMS MEET MONDAY AT CHURCH

The Sunbeams of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at 4:00 at the church with Mrs. Clyde Galbreath and Mrs. Leslie Galbreath as hostesses. Refreshments were served by Mrs. John Alexander and Mrs. Joab Campbell to Pearl Burleson, Pat Perry, Wilma Burleson, Jerry Perry, Ralph Taylor, Becca Mund, and Norma Jean Alexander.

VICTORY 4-H CLUB

"Purses and beanies or hats may be made from scraps of material," stated Mrs. Fannie L. Pittman, County Home Demonstration Agent, when the Victory

4-H Club girls met regular session in the home of Earnestine Clark. "You will be surprised how a small piece of material of almost any kind can turn out to be a nice purse or beanie," she continued. The girls also brought their sewing boxes and something to sew.

The president re-appointed two members of the exhibit committee. The members decided to vote for a new name for the club. Mrs. A. G. Clark served refreshments to visitors: Mrs. Edwin Childress and children, nine members and Mrs. Fannie L. Pittman. The next meeting will be in the home of Willie Ruth Isaacs on September 2 at 3:00 p. m.—Georgia Raye Dickens, reporter.

THE METHODIST CHURCH Labor Day

Morning Worship at 11:00 o'clock. Sermon "Immortality of Labor" The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

At the evening hour "Know your Bible."

On Sunday, September 9th, Rally Day will be observed. Every one invited to the Sunday school.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held on Thursday, Sept. 13 at 8:00 o'clock. Reverend F. H. Hamner will preside. At this meeting reports of the year's work will be made. Recommendations will also be made for the coming year's work. There will be election of officers for 1945-46.

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Schleicher Women Make Dress Forms

In 1944 Miss Virginia Ryan, who was Home Demonstration Agent at that time, gave the forms to each Home Demonstration Club of the County. There are now between forty-five and fifty dress forms in Schleicher County. The majority of the women who have these forms have found them of great value in fitting clothing for their wardrobes.

The three club women of the county who have made the greatest number of dress forms for other club women and non-club members are: Mrs. Gordie Alexander, Mrs. Ray Alexander, and Mrs. Palmer West. Mrs. Gordie Alexander has made seventeen dress forms and Mrs. Ray Alexander fifteen. Mrs. Palmer West has made eight. Mrs. Fred Watson helped Mrs. Gordie Alexander in the making of six of those she has made. Mrs. Ray Alexander also received some help from a few club members with the first two she made. Mrs. Ray Alexander made her ten year old daughter, Mary Lou, a dress form in the fall of 1944 and she used it continually during the past school year for fitting dresses for Mary Lou while she attended school. Since Mary Lou has out grown the first form, Mrs. Alexander made a new one for her in July of this year. Mary Lou's dress form was on display in the Hoover Drug Store window in the Country Woman's Club exhibit during the week of July 22 to 28. Mrs. Alexander says that she would not do without a dress form for Mary Lou as she has found it of such value in sewing.

There are several other women who have made from two to six dress forms. All of these forms have not remained in Schleicher County as several have been made for ladies who were visiting in the county and saw one of the forms and were so pleased with it that they had one made during their visit here.

On June 20th Mrs. Ray Alexander and Mrs. Marion Wade made a form for Mrs. Pittman, the agent. Mrs. Pittman has had excellent results in fitting dresses on this form. Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Pittman's sister at Eola, has made three dresses for Mrs. Pittman and has used the dress form entirely for the fitting of the dresses. When the dresses were received on tried on, they were found to fit well. Often a lady who works and does not have time to do her own sewing, can leave her dress form with her dressmaker and save the time and effort of going to for fittings. The dressmaker could also save time as she would not be delayed in her work while she was waiting for a person to come for a fitting.

Some commercial firms make excellent dress forms, but they are more expensive than many of the women feel they can't afford to pay. The prices range from twenty to thirty dollars. Since the war began and there has been such shortage of labor, a person

could only get a dress form made in the larger cities.

The club women who have made these forms have estimated that it takes about 8 1/2 hours to complete a dress form. This time includes the making of the form, placing the seam lines on the form, placing the form on the stand, and shellacing the entire form. There is about \$2.25 worth of material used in completing the form. Since the work is difficult enough, the women feel that the labor used in making these is worth seventy-five cents an hour. Considering seventy-five cents an hour labor, the cost of labor would be \$6.37. The total cost of the form would be \$8.62. Since the commercial forms cost approximately \$25.00, there is a saving of \$16.38. The majority of the forms made by the club women were made for friends and neighbors, and the ladies did not charge for their labor. In this instance there would be a saving of \$22.75.

AWARDED SILVER STAR FOR HEROIC ACTION IN AIR FLIGHT

Staff Sergeant Abram Millar, son of Mrs. Cora Millar, and nephew of Verge and Joe Tisdale of this city, was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action, in a ceremony at his base in England June 15. The citation, issued on orders of Major General Kepner of the Eighth Air Forces, reads:

"Abram A. Millar, 18177220, Staff Sergeant (then Sergeant), Army Air Forces, United States Army. For gallantry in action while serving as Toggler of a Flying Fortress over Germany, 10 January 1945. On the bomb-run, intense and accurate flak was encountered and Sgt. Millar was severely wounded. Simultaneously two (2) engines were knocked out and the plane went into a steep dive, throwing him to the floor. Although dazed and bleeding, Sergeant Millar, with great presence of mind, tripped the toggle switch with his foot, releasing the bombs and enabling the pilot to right the plane. He then assisted the navigator, refusing proffered first aid until they were safely out of enemy territory. The fortitude, pertinacity, and self-possession displayed by Sergeant Millar on this occasion are in keeping with the finest traditions of the Army Air Forces. He entered military service from Texas."

The action referred to occurred over Cologne, Germany. The pilot was able to bring the ship to a landing in a small French town about 27 miles from Lille, in the northeastern part of France. Sgt. Millar had a severe leg wound, and was hospitalized at Lille for two weeks, then moved back to an American hospital in England for two and a half months, since then he has rejoined his unit, the 305th Bomb Group, 365th Bomb Squadron.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Finley and Ebba Ann spent the week end at Stanton with their son George Stanley Finley.

New Barber

I have bought the W. M. Davis Barber Shop in the Red & White building and am now open for business 6 days a week!

Your patronage will be greatly appreciated.

J. D. ASHMORE
OWNER

SUCCESS WANT ADS

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms with two closets. Price \$15.—Mrs. F. G. Clark, Phone 174. *

NOTICE

There will be a hearing of the 1945-46 budget for the Eldorado Independent School District on Tuesday night, Sept. 4, in the grade school office.

FOR SALE—Electric washing machine, in A-1 condition, \$50.—See Mrs. Jack Elder. 1tc

SEVERAL houses for sale priced right! Anyone interested in buying a residence in Eldorado see us. Also anyone having houses to sell or rent, list with—R. A. Evans Commission Co., or Bud Kerr. 31-3tc

FOR SALE—20 registered Rambouillet ewe lambs, \$15 per head —John Williams. 31-32*

NOTICE

The WSCS has the agency for The Friendly Flower Shop of San Angelo. When in need of flowers your order would be greatly appreciated. Phone Mrs. Johnny Isaacs, No. 181 or any member of the society. 3tc

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to those who sent flowers, cards and letters, or in any way gave comfort and cheer to me in my recent illness.—Mrs. Mary A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Hext and baby son, Gary, left Tuesday for LaMarque where he will be employed as coach and instructor in the public school there. Two former residents of this place, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Williamson are also to teach at LaMarque; Mr. Williamson as high school principal and Mrs. Williamson as Home Ec instructor. Mr. Williamson was formerly superintendent in the school here.

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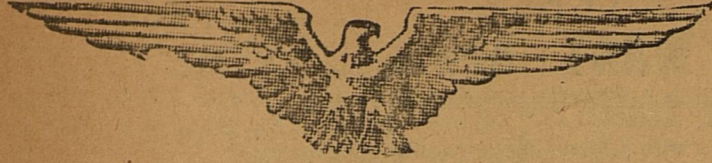
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Jerry Pennington, local manager of the West Texas Utilities Company, was informed Tuesday morning in a telephone call from his mother, Mrs. V. L. Pennington of San Angelo, that his brother, Irvin L. Pennington was found safe in the Hotan Prison Camp in Mukden, Manchuria. The young man was transferred to this camp from the Philippines after his capture following the fall of Corregidor.

The information that he was safe was received by Mrs. Pennington in a telegram from the War Department Tuesday morning. Last word received from Irvin, who is now 24 years old, was fourteen months ago when he was heard over a broadcast. The only direct word received from him was through a card shortly after his capture.

The young man, who entered the service in July 1940, has been a prisoner for three years, three months and 22 days.

It isn't every day that one receives telephone calls from Rome, Italy, so naturally the Frank Bradley's were excited when they were informed last Thursday noon that their son, Bob, was calling from that far-away ancient city of Italy.

It was 12:30 p. m., when Bob talked to his parents and a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Ballew, but he informed them that it was 8:00 p. m., where he was. Mrs. Ballew stated that they could hear him perfectly but that he could not hear them so well.

A Sergeant with the 46th Air Service Squadron stationed in Rosignano, Italy, Bob has been overseas three years. Two other brothers are also overseas. T/Sgt. F. M. (Pancho) Bradley is with the 37th Fighter Squadron and has been in Europe since February 1943. Tom Bradley, EM 3/c is with the Hedron Fleet Air Wing in Africa. In a recent letter to his parents, he stated that he had just enjoyed a visit to the Rock of Gibraltar.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Wilson, Sr., of Christoval, are anxiously awaiting the return of a son, Leroy, who has been in prison camp on a small island off Japan. They last heard from him in February of this year.

Hope for the safety of the service man, who has been a prisoner since the fall of Corregidor and who was one of those to make the death march of Bataan, was revived recently when a son, Billy, was flown into San Francisco from Okinawa, where he had been with the First Marine Division. He phoned his parents and assured them of his belief that Leroy was safe.

A third son in the service, Lt. Max Wilson, Jr., now visiting with his parents, was a bomb disposal officer with his unit which served in the European theatre. It was his duty to disarm many sea mines pulled to the beaches of Cherbourg after that city was taken.

Wilson, whose father is highway section foreman at Christoval, said he had poured out a lot of cold sweat over the gadgets designed to deal death and destruction. It was a job where a man could ill afford to make a mistake, he stated.

Cpl. William W. Jarrett arrived Tuesday of last week and will spend a thirty-day furlough in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Joe Edens, with his brother, Abe, and other

relatives. Cpl. Jarrett has just returned from overseas where he served for two years as a member of a ground crew with the Eighth Air Force. Cpl. Jarrett entered the service in May, 1942.

The first service man from Schleicher County to land on foreign soil, Sgt. Alfredo Ramon, is home again. Sgt. Ramon arrived back in Eldorado early last week from the Pacific area where he served three years and four months. He is wearing service stars for five major campaigns and is also the proud owner of the Presidential citation. The invasions in which he participated were the Philippines, Buna, New Guinea, Luzon, and the Papon Islands. Sgt. Ramon is the son of Lion and Celca Ramon and the brother of Senora Marianna Lopez.

Army discharges recorded in the County Clerk's office during July and August include: Joe and Jack Hext; Wilbert Faull; Wallace Joiner; William Faught; R. H. Blaylock, Walter C. Davis, Edgar Sauer, Marvin Mirike, Chester Wesley, Domingo Cortez, Milton J. McGlaun, Alfredo B. Ramon, Bruce Luedecke and Thelmer Osteen. The latter two received their discharges in 1943, but have only recently been recorded. Raymond C. Smith is the only Navy discharge recorded at this time.

Harmon Field, Guam—A bronze service star has been awarded to Technical Sgt. Granville Kerr, Eldorado, Texas, for participation in the Western Pacific campaign, according to Colonel O. F. Carlson, commanding officer of the Guam Air Depot.

A bombsight and autopilot mechanic, Sgt. Kerr entered the service on November 4, 1940, and arrived at Guam with an aircraft repair squadron early in November, 1944. He has received the meritorious unit citation badge, the Asiatic-Pacific theatre of operations ribbon and the American Defense Service ribbon.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kerr, live at Eldorado. Brothers in service include Master Sergeant Louis E., with the Marines, and Sergeant James T. Kerr, Army Air Forces.

Miami Beach, Fla.—T. Sgt. Delbert E. Edmiston, 22, of Eldorado, Texas, has arrived at Army Air Forces redistribution station No. 2 in Miami Beach for reassignment processing after completing a tour of duty outside the continental United States.

Sgt. Edmiston was a B-24 engineer-gunner in the European theatre. He is the son of the Frank A. Edmiston, of Route 1, Eldorado.

Jack Whitley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack R. Whitley of Eldorado, has completed his training at Concho Field in San Angelo, and received his bombardier's wings and commission on the 15th. Present at his graduation were his wife and son of Sonora, and his parents, and his brothers, Billy and Buddy Whitley, of Eldorado. He is at home this week on furlough with Eldorado relatives.

Major Lester Hodges of New York has been here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Van O'Harrow, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thompson, and other Eldorado relatives and friends. He formerly lived in Eldorado and attended school here.

Chaplain and Mrs. C. T. Aly and son and daughter left Thursday for San Antonio, where he is connected with Brooks General Hospital. During their stay in Eldorado they were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Galbraith.

Chief Petty Officer Edward E. Newlin, Jr., of San Angelo, has received his discharge from the Sea Bees, having landed last week in San Francisco. He is a brother of Mrs. E. H. Sweatt.

Mrs. Geo. Skornicki has returned from a week's visit with her husband at Salt Lake City. He left Sunday for a point of embarkation in preparation for shipping out for oversea duty, after 2 1-2 years in service. In his absence Mrs. Skornicki will make her home in Eldorado with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Parrent.

T/4 Sgt. R. H. Blaylock, Jr., of the 235 QM Mobile Bn., has recently been honorably discharged and has returned home after four years in the Service. He has been overseas three years, taking part in the invasion of North Africa and with the 5th Army's 36th division, on through the battles of Algeria, French Morocco, Tunisia, Naples, Foggia, Rome, Arno, Northern Appennines, and the Po Valley. He was awarded the E.A.M.E campaign medal with six bronze battle stars, the bronze arrowhead and the American defense medal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blaylock Sr., formerly of Eldorado, who now reside in Coke county. A brother, W. A. Blaylock, lives at Eldorado.

Cpl. Clarence (Pete) Rampy who is stationed at Gore Field, Great Falls, Montana, is here for a ten day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rampy.

Sgt. Albert D. McGinnes, who arrived from the European theatre Tuesday of last week, and Mrs. McGinnes, are visiting this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinnes. Mrs. McGinnes has been residing in San Angelo. After a 30-day furlough, the Sergeant will report to El Paso for further orders.

Graduates With High Rank

Bobby L. Barber, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wright, and former Eldorado High School student, graduated with a rank of 30 out of 500 last week, his average being 93.9. As an honor student he was privileged to choose his location, and he selected the U. S. Naval Hospital at Norman, Okla. He is a seaman first class, with the medical corps.

Receives Discharge

Coxswain and Mrs. R. C. Smith arrived home from Sun Valley, Idaho last week. Mr. Smith was discharged from the U. S. Naval Hospital at Sun Valley on August 14th, after serving three years and a few months in the U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Betty Ohlhausen of Portales, N. M., is visiting with her brother, J. C. Whitley and family of Eldorado.

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Shower Is Held at Hazelwood Home

Honoring Mrs. Gordon McDonald, a shower was held at the home of Mrs. Vernon Hazelwood Saturday afternoon, with Mrs. Roy Andrews, Mrs. Clyde Galbreath, Mrs. Laymon Hazelwood, Mrs. Vernon Hazelwood, and Mrs. Leslie Galbreath as co-hostesses. After the games, which were directed by Mrs. Andrews, about 75 gifts were presented to the honoree. The house was decorated with vases of flowers. Refreshments consisted of lemonade and cake.

What's Going On In Reconversion

The fight over the price you'll have to pay for things like refrigerators and washing machines started full blast recently. It's OPA versus the nation's storekeepers. OPA wants prices on the new peacetime goods set at what they were in 1942. Storekeepers want higher ones.

And here was the rest of the country's fast-changing picture:

Butter—Points are coming down Sept. 2 from 16 to 12.

Soldiers—The Army's set to lower its discharge points from 85 to 80.

Rubber—Suddenly available for rubber toys, kitchen tools, floor mats.

Used Cars—Prices have started falling. The average drop is \$25 a car.

Toys—This Christmas pretty much like last Christmas. Tin's scarce.

Black markets—Beginning to fade in used cars and chickens.

Bath towels—Any size is all right to make now. Controls came off.

RETURNING FROM MICHIGAN MUSIC CAMP

Nancy Louise Kasselbaum is returning home from the National Music at Interlochen, Michigan, having completed the eight weeks of training in music, the allied arts, and summer sports under the supervision of nationally known instructors. She was one of 650 students enrolled for the eighteenth season of camp. Nancy, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Kasselbaum of Route 2, Glen Haven Farm, was enrolled in the high school division. She was a member of the choir and played flute in the National High School Orchestra.

Miss Mildred Mund, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mund is visiting this week in Austin before she leaves for Beville where she is employed in the public school system. Miss Mund has taught there for the past two years.

Mrs. Clyde Roberts went to McCamey Sunday to get her husband who is employed there. She was accompanied by Mrs. W. J. Humphrey and children who visited with Mr. Humphrey until Tuesday. Mr. Roberts returned to McCamey Wednesday.

Tommy Lee Wilson is back at her job as bookkeeper for the Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company, after a two-weeks' rest following a tonsillectomy.

Eddie Gail and Mary Nell Roach of Houston are visiting this week with their father, Eldred Roach and with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roach

Jack Foxworth of the Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Co., called on Manager J. H. Mace Sunday afternoon on his way through Eldorado.

Mrs. Daniel Burows and son Dan Nathan of Nordheim have returned home after spending 3 weeks with her brother Bill Word and mother, Mrs. W. R. Word.

S. L. Stanford was called to Austin this week to be at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Theodore Spencer, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eden were in San Angelo Monday.



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ORANGE JUICE CAKE By Mrs. Mabel Parker

- 2 cups sifted cake flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1-4 teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons grated orange rind
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1-2 cup shortening
- 1 1-4 cups sugar
- 2 egg yolks, unbeaten
- 2-3 cup orange juice
- 2 egg whites

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt and sift together three times. Add orange rind and vanilla to shortening and cream well; Add 1 cup of sugar gradually and cream together until light and fluffy. Add 1-4 of the flour and mix well. Add egg yolks to orange juice and beat slightly to break up yolks; add to creamed mixture, alternately with remaining flour, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Beat egg whites until foamy, add remaining 1-4 cup sugar gradually, and continue beating until stiff. Add to batter and beat very thoroughly. Turn into two 8-inch layer pans, which have been greased and lightly floured. Bake in moderate oven 375 degrees 25 minutes or until done. Spread quick orange frosting between layers.

ORANGE-LEMON FROSTING

- 1 tablespoon orange rind
 - 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon rind
 - 2 tablespoons lemon juice
 - 4 tablespoons melted butter
 - 3 cups powdered sugar
- Cream butter, add sugar (sifted) gradually, and cream. Add grated rind. Beat and cream. If too soft, add more sugar. Spread between layers and put on top of cold cake. Put in refrigerator for a few minutes.

(NOTE: Please send in your favorite recipe for this column)

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We wish to thank the fire boys and all others who helped us in any way during and after the fire which damaged our gin. As we cannot see each in person we take this method of expressing our sincere appreciation to each and all.
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Mrs. Sam Oglesby led a discussion on "What shall we do for the boys when they come home," when the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Monday afternoon in the church rooms. Mrs. Edwin Jackson gave the devotional which was followed by sentence prayers. Mrs. Douglas Mebane was hostess and served a refreshment plate to 12 members and one guest.

MERTZON CELEBRATION

Everyone is invited to attend the Labor Day Celebration at the Spring Creek Arena, in Mertzon, Sept. 2 and 3. Invitations sent through the mail to friends read: "The war is over, so let's all come and have a Labor Day Celebration at the Spring Creek Arena at Mertzon, Texas, Sept. 2 & 3. Bring your bed roll if you like and stay on the creek. Barbecue dinner Monday, 3rd. Two matched ropings, Kay Black vs Tom Powers; Hollia Pace vs Lewis Powers. Jack-pot roping, \$25.00 added. Levi Garrett with his trained pony and trick mule. Events for the girls. Dance at Oak Grove Monday night."—Jimmie Nutt, sponsor and S. T. Brister.

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**Ready-Mades Require
Careful Selection**

by Mrs. Fannie L. Pittman
Co. Home Dem. Agent

If a new ready-made is on the must list for the fall wardrobe, shop with an appraising eye. There are several points to take into consideration when buying a ready made dress. One of the first things to consider is whether the design and lines of the dress are suitable to your particular figure and whether the coloring is suited to your personal coloring. Another important point to consider is whether the color will fit into your wardrobe. Before purchasing any dress, always ask yourself this question: "Does this dress add to my personal appearance and does it give me that feeling of being well dressed?" This same question will apply to a cotton dress as well as a woolen or silk.

When trying on ready made dresses, look at the shoulder seams to see if they fall in the proper line and look at the grain of the material to see that the material is not cut off grain. Be sure to examine seams, hem, and waist line to see if there is enough cloth to allow for needed changes or for possible shrinkage if the dress will be laundered. Stand in front of a mirror and look at the side seams of the dress to see that they fall in a straight line from the under arm seam.

Whether a dress is to be altered at the store or at home, avoid buying one that requires complicated changes. If a dress that fits throughout cannot be found, it is usually best to buy one that fits the upper part of the body. The skirt is less difficult to alter. Some ready made dresses are very difficult to alter, and clothing is too scarce to warrant gambling on a misfit that may go unworn.

Remember that if seams are let out, the previous stitching line will show on some materials such as jersey. Many misfits cannot be remedied. A narrow sleeve cap or back cannot be satisfactorily enlarged unless there are unusually wide seam allowances, because skimpy shoulder seams

soon tear out. In altering, rip no more than necessary. Clip the machine stitching between places to be changed. Remove stitching carefully to avoid pulling or tearing the cloth. Press the edges of opened seams, being careful not to stretch them.

Many ready-made dresses need to have zippers added to replace the buttoned placket they have. Often the belt will need to be shortened and the hem adjusted. To shorten a belt, mark the correct length and remove extra length from buckle end.

If the hem is uneven, first make sure that the waistline and hip line have been properly fitted before trying to mark the length. When marking the hem, wear the same kind of shoes that will usually be worn with the dress. Have someone measure with a ruler, desired distance from the floor. If the skirt is to be shortened, even off the turned up part to about 1 1/2 to 2 inches all around.

Instructions for making special alterations on ready-made dresses such as shortening the girdle pleats, are included in the bulletin, "Fitting Dresses", available free from U. S. Department D. C.

Wagner-Smith

Wedding vows were read at 6:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, August 24, for Miss Herlie Mae Wagner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wagner of San Angelo, and Cpl. Jack L. Smith, son of Whit Smith of Eldorado.

The Rev. A. C. Donath, pastor of the First Baptist Church read the single ring ceremony in his home. Wedding attendants were: Mrs. Robrt L. Wilson, sister of the groom, Odell Wagner, brother of the bride, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Duncan also of San Angelo.

The bride is a graduate of the Christoval High School, and attended the Jolly Beauty School at San Angelo. She has been employed in Fort Stockton for the past seven months.

Cpl. Smith entered the service Dec. 10, 1941, and served three years and four months in the Pacific area. After a 30-day furlough, he will report for further orders at Camp Crowder, Mo.

The couple left immediately following the ceremony for a honeymoon trip at Fort Worth.

Willard W. Newlin and wife of Austin were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Newlin.

**PTA Submits
Cake Walk Recipes**

Yes, we know that sugar is rationed, but have you tried any of the sugarless cake recipes yet? Members of the Parent Teachers Association ask that you try any one of the following recipes, and there will be no excuse for your not being able to bake a cake when committee members call on you for the Cake Walk to be held in connection with the annual Lamb Sale sponsored by the Lions Club and PTA., Saturday, September 15.

Mrs. Perry Mittel is chairman of the cake committee and she especially recommends the Karo Cake which she has tried a number of times and reports it to be a "never-fail recipe." Mrs. W. C. Sproul submits the first three recipes and advises that they are "sugar-saving" and simple to make.

Spice Cake

2 cups sifted cake flour
2 tsp. baking powder.
1/4 tsp. salt.
1-4 ginger.
1-3 cup fat or butter.
1 cup sugar.
2 tbsps molasses.
1-4 tsp. mace.
1-4 tsp. allspice.
1-2 tsp. nutmeg.
3-4 tsp. cloves.
3-4 tsp. cinnamon.
2 eggs, unbeaten.
3-4 cup milk.

Sift flour, measure, add salt and spices, sift three times. Cream fat and sugar. Add eggs, beating well after each addition. Add molasses. Add flour alternately with milk. Beat well. Bake in two pans in moderate oven.

Sugarless Devils Food Cake

1-3 cup shortening.
1 cup Karo, white.
1 egg,
1-2 tsp. salt.
2 cups flour.
1 cup buttermilk .
1 rounding tsp. soda.
1 tsp. vanilla.
4 tbsps cocoa (sifted with last of flour) or 2 sp. chocolate melted.

Cream shortening and Karo together, add egg and beat well. Mix soda and buttermilk and add alternately with dry ingredients. Add vanilla and chocolate or cocoa. Place in greased pan and bake at 325 degrees.

Honey Apple Sauce Cake

1-3 cup fat.
2 cups flour.
1 tsp. nutmeg.

1 cup seeded raisins.
3-4 cup honey.
1 tsp. soda.
1-2 tsp. cinnamon.
1-4 cup nuts.
1 cup applesauce.
1-4 tsp. cloves.
1-4 tsp. salt.

Cream fat and honey well. Add applesauce, flour, spices, salt and soda sifted together. (Raisins can be added before the flour is mixed in, thereby flouring them). Add nuts, beat well and bake about 1 hour in moderate oven. This cake can be made several days before needed.

The Karo Cake

1-2 cup shortening.
1-2 cup sugar.
1 cup Karo, blue or red label
3 egg yolks.
3 cups sifted cake flour.
4 tsp baking powder.
1-2 tsp. salt.
1 tsp. vanilla.
1 cup milk.
3 egg whites.

Cream shortening, add sugar and one-half of the Karo gradually and cream until fluffy. Add egg yolks, one at a time, and beat well. Sift dry ingredients alternately with milk, stirring well after each addition. Add vanilla. Beat egg whites until stiff, add remaining Karo gradually, beating until a stiff meringue is formed, fold into batter until well blended. Bake in two layers in moderate oven. Frost as desired.

**Selective Service
Boards To Continue**

Commenting upon the continued induction of men for the armed forces and the consequent resignation of some Texas local boards, General J. Watt Page, State Selective Service Director, said Friday that "as a matter of fact, the number of local boards who have asked that their resignations be accepted is so small as to be almost negligible . . . only four out of 351 boards."

"Naturally," General Page said, "they are all tired after five years of arduous service. As board members they have done one of the most patriotic jobs in the annals of our country. In addition to being non-compensated, they have neglected their own business. In many cases they have lost money and friends of long standing, and have been subjected to all manner of abuse . . . these men without decorations. They can never be fully repaid for their contribution to the winning of the

Second World War. Their only remuneration is contained within their hearts and souls in the knowledge that they have served fearlessly, tirelessly and honestly for their country. No man can do more. But their service is not yet completed, even though the shooting war is over.

"Millions of our boys are overseas and have been there and in combat for several years. Certainly, they should now be allowed to come home to their families. For example, I haven't seen my boy for more than three years. Now, 'my boy' is simply representative of hundreds and hundreds of thousands of other fathers and mothers and wives with men long in the service. The government is strenuously trying to return these men. In fact, right here in Texas the official reports of discharges which we are receiving at Selective Service Headquarters now total close to 1,000 notices per day. The Army, the Navy, the Marine Corps and the Coast Guard cannot keep this up unless, of course, we can send able-bodied men overseas to replace those who should now be sent home.

"Surely, in this democratic country of ours, it is expected that every man shall participate in its wars. A great many of our young men in the 18 through 25 group have been deferred for several years for one reason or another. These young men have been on good salaries. They have been able to sleep in good beds and have good food. They have had almost complete security with little or no jeopardy of life or limb. Why should not these young men now take up the gun and 'stand guard' for a while?"

"That is why we must for the present continue to issue calls for the induction of men. The calls are small . . . about 50,000 per month for the nation . . . but as President Truman has pointed out, they are still necessary. That is why most of the local boards are 'standing by their guns' and not resigning. The boys over there didn't lay down their guns until it was all over."

CO. AGENT RETURNS

County Agent Jack Welch has returned from Houston and Dallas, after having been away from his office for some time while his son Jackie was receiving medical attention. To date the doctors have done no more for the boy than to make examinations, but he is much improved, Mr. Welch states. Jackie and his mother have gone to Weatherford to remain for awhile with Mrs. Welch's parents.

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