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## Annual REA Meeting Set For Monday

### Saturday, August 19 Is Designated Date for Annexation Vote

Much interest is being shown by residents of Schleicher County residents in the proposed annexation of Mayer 1 and 2, Adams, Cliff, Bailey and Kaffir common schools with the Eldorado Independent School, the purpose of annexation being to provide better teachers and teaching facilities and better equipment for the entire county.

Order for an annexation election has been posted in Schleicher's voting boxes, the date to be August 19. The Election was called and the date set at a recent meeting of the County school board. If the election carries another election must be called to set a uniform tax rate.

Establishing of the new set-up would call for transportation facilities. The new school district would provide money for transportation until the busses are available, which it is hoped will be soon.

#### Q's and A's

The following may explain the questions which are heard oftenest in regard to annexation:

Q. Who is eligible to vote in the Annexation Election?

A. Anyone in the county who has a poll tax or exemption.

Q. Will the tax rate be set at this election?

A. No. A tax election will be called if this annexation election carries — to set the uniform tax rate.

Q. What will be the property tax rate?

A. The tax rate is limited by law to a maximum of \$1 per \$100 valuation.

Q. What time will school open each morning?

A. This will be worked out by school officials to furnish a satisfactory schedule.

Q. How will trustees for the new district be chosen?

A. The trustees of the Independent district will remain in office to serve the new district until the first Saturday in April, when a new board will be elected by qualified voters from the district at large.

Q. What students are eligible to ride the bus?

A. All students living 2½ miles or more from school will be transported by bus.

## Opening of Schools Set For September 3

The Eldorado schools will open the first week in September, it is announced today by Supt. Reynolds.

Opening exercises will be Tuesday morning, Sept. 3, followed by general registration. On Monday Sept. 2, there will be a faculty meeting for the purpose of instruction and explanation of duties, and this will be followed by high school registration Monday afternoon.

Two vacancies on the faculty have been filled, announces Supt. Reynolds. Dorothy Mae Maxfield of Arp, a May, 1946 graduate of Howard Payne College will teach Commercial. Mrs. Ernest Hill will return to teach mathematics in the

### County Fire Truck Awarded Schleicher

At the regular meeting of the Lions Club Wednesday, W. M. Patterson, secretary, announced that in a call to the Army Surplus depot, he was informed that Eldorado had been awarded the county fire truck, and its arrival is expected in a very short time.

Plans for the annual Lamb Sale sponsored by the Lions' Club and the PTA, which will be held on Aug. 14, were discussed with H. T. Finley, as representative from the club, giving a report of the meeting with the PTA Executive Board held last Saturday, and Mrs. Palmer West, treasurer, giving the report as representative from the PTA Executive Board. Other PTA representatives present for the luncheon and meeting were Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. Reuben Dickens.

Jimmie West, president, gave a report on the District Meeting and banquet held at Ballinger last Friday evening attended by five Lions and their wives from the Eldorado club.

Other visitors introduced included Boyd Lovelace, WTU manager at Sonora, who extended an invitation to the club to attend the Hill Country Firemen's Convention at Sonora, Aug. 13; Judge George T. Wilson of San Angelo, who spoke of Eldorado as his "favorite community and made up of outstanding citizens"; and Wendall Hall, new principal of the Elementary school, who expressed his delight at being in Eldorado as a part of this community and his willingness to cooperate with both teachers and patrons of the school.

The following livestock deals were reported this week by Tom Smith, Schleicher County livestock dealer: Bought a bunch of Spanish goats from Dan Adams and 200 Spanish goats from S. D. Harper; Sold mohair from 400 goats; shipped 200 goats to Edwin McCollum at Alpine; shipped another load of goats to San Antonio; and will weigh up 400 lambs for Jim Hoover Friday.

### DIAL EQUIPMENT EXPECTED SOON

Work of installing new dial equipment in the dial building, completed recently in Eldorado, may start in a week or two, reports Manager C. C. McLaughlin, who further states that this work will require 60 to 90 days after material is on location.

Crew members from San Angelo have been working on moving of a telephone line along the Mertzon road, widening of highway necessitating moving back of the telephone poles. Another crew working last week in Schleicher County built a rural tapline in the east part of the county in the Henderson-Koy locality.

No crews are at work here today, but two are expected in Schleicher County next week.

The annual meeting of the members of the Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op, will be held in the District Court Room in the Schleicher County Courthouse Monday, registration to start at 4:00 p. m.

The group will assemble at the opening hour, and soon afterward, probably at 4:30, the meeting will be called to order for annual reports by Manager Don McCormick and Treasurer T. W. Johnson, and election of directors.

The nominating committee, it is understood, is Jack Ratliff, L. Moore, and Chester Kenley.

After the election and any other business which may come up for discussion, there will be a free barbecue for members and their families at the courthouse. After the barbecue the group will go to the McWhorter building to see the display of electric appliances which will be open to members from 6:00 to 8:00 p. m. and to the general public from 8:00 to 11:00 p. m.

### ANOTHER GASSER IS BROUGHT IN AT J. I. KING'S

Outstanding oil development of the past week is bringing in of a gasser, estimated to produce about 7,000,000 cubic feet at a depth of 3800, on the John Irvin King ranch, 2 3/4 miles over the Schleicher County line in Sutton County. Drilling will continue another 500 or 600 feet in S. P. Roberts' Drilling Company's quest for oil.

The well is situated in Section 26, Block K, GH and SH Railroad Company Survey. Of the four wells put down in this area within the past several years, a total of three have made gasses— one on the King Ranch, and two on George Allison land nearby.

Globe Oil and Refining Co. are re-acidizing Tom R. Henderson No. 1, located 1½ miles from Cooper No. 1 producer. The well is already a proved gasser, shut in for lack of outlet.

Koy No. 2 is going on toward contract depth of 6,000 feet, which may be reached within the coming few days.

Reports indicate that excellent oil showings at expected depths will be tested out, when contract drilling depth has been reached, and crews may have time to test out what seem to be pay formations.

### FIREMEN TO ATTEND HILL COUNTRY MEET

The Eldorado Volunteer Fire Boys held practice Tuesday and Wednesday evening getting in shape for the Hill Country Firemen's Association which will meet at Sonora, Tuesday, Aug. 13. Local men under the leadership of Chiefs J. H. Mace and Lionell Ballew expect to enter the hose races, and have spent much time in practice for the event.

Teams picked by Mace and Ballew compete with one under Chief Palmer West in practice, and at the convention, these leaders will pick the best men from the group to vie with other teams in the Association.

James Chandler and wife of Brookshire, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prochaska. Mr. Chandler is a Shell engineer.

### POLIO VICTIM IS TRANSFERRED TO WARM SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Alexander have been notified by the Naval Hospital authorities at the Corpus Christi Naval Base, that their son, W. O. Alexander, Jr. S. 1-c, who is paralyzed from the effects of polio, will be transferred the last of this week, to Warm Springs, Georgia, for further treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander plan to visit their son on Friday of this week.

Ollie was in the Iron Lung for sixty-three days, and although he had been ill for nearly three months when his twentieth birthday arrived recently, it was one of his happiest birthdays, for on that day sixty-seven friends remembered him with cards and letters of greeting. All through his illness he has maintained a high degree of cheerfulness and courage, which has been inspired by the interest and sympathy and encouraging messages of friends, and this attitude during his illness has been a chief factor in his recovery. He was very fortunate to have the constant attention of kind and sympathetic doctors and nurses who took a personal interest in his welfare. For all of this, he and his family are very grateful.

### AAA ANNOUNCES FINAL DATE FOR CONTOUR REPORT

August 15th has been set by the County Committee as the final date for reporting performance on the 1946 practice No. 17 Contour Farming Row Crops. This practice consists of planting and cultivating row crops following the contour as determined by a level or following Terraces.

Under provisions of the 1946 ACP program, it was necessary for the producer to receive prior written approval of the County Committee before the institution of the practice. Those producers not receiving this approval cannot qualify.

Please bring your notice of approval to local AAA office and report this practice by August 15.

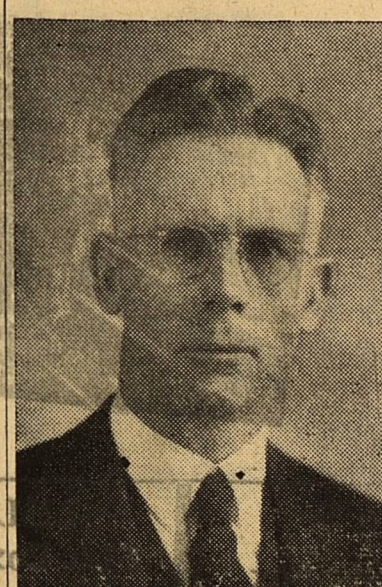
### BACK FROM VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Will Doyle and son, Ray; and Miss Maxine Yardley returned Sunday night from Lampasas where they visited a few days with Mrs. Doyle's sister. They were met there by their daughter, Hazel, of San Antonio, and all camped and attended the Primitive Baptist Association. The meeting was well attended and lots of good accomplished, according to the Doyles.

Ray had the pleasure of meeting several of his cousins who were in various parts of the war theater, some of whom he had not seen five years.

## Biggest Lamb Sale In County's History Scheduled Sept. 14

### REVIVAL CONTINUES



Rev. G. B. McCreary

The Rev. G. B. McCreary of Bronx is conducting a revival service this week at the Methodist Church. An Army Chaplain for three years, Rev. McCreary is bringing inspiring messages both at the morning and evening services, which have an especial appeal to young people.

An able song leader, he is also leading song services using many of the old time gospel hymns.

You are invited to attend these services the remainder of the week at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. The revival will close Sunday night, Aug. 11.

### SHELL PICNIC IS HELD AT CHRISTOVAL PARK

Swimming, boating and other attractions offered at the Christoval Park followed by a supper of barbecued chevon and other good food, provided entertainment for Shell employees and their families at the annual outing of the Shell Safety Chapter No. 17, last Saturday afternoon at Christoval.

This chapter is made up of three stations, including Big Lake Menard and Eldorado, although no representatives were present from Menard this year. For the last three years, the event has been held at Christoval due to its central location.

A good attendance was noted in spite of the fact that a number of the engineers are on their vacations at present.

### NEW RECRUITING OFFICE OPENED AT SONORA

The United States Army Recruiting Main Station which is located in Room 319, Bedell Building, 118 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas is opening a permanent sub-station for Recruiting purposes in Sonora in the near future. This sub-station will take care of all recruiting activities in the surrounding towns of Ozona, Eldorado, Sonora and Camp Allison.

First Sgt. Jim Walker will be in charge of this Recruiting Station and the office will be located in the Court House at Sonora.

### CORRIEDALE ASSOCIATION TO HAVE MEETING

The Texas Corriedale Association of which T. C. Stanford is secretary will meet Thursday night, tonight, at 8:00 at the St. Angelus Hotel, San Angelo.

Lilburn Hazelwood has employment as secretary to Bill Whitten, Humble wholesaler.

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**Taylor Receives  
His Naval Discharge**

Norris Lee Taylor, son of Mrs. Tom Smith, was discharged July 26, at the Separation Center at Terminal Island, San Pedro Calif.  
He enlisted in the Navy Jan. 30, 1943 at Carlsbad, N. M. He served on the USS Platte from August, 1943 to June, 1944, on the USS Newberry from Oct., 1944 to Nov., 1945, and the USS O'Brien from January to April 16, 1946.  
He has been stationed at Ocean-side, Calif., in the United States, and participated in battles on Gilbert, Marshall, Truk, Hollandia, New Guinea, Saipan, Iwo Jima and Okinawa.  
He has ribbons and medals from the Asiatic Pacific, seven stars, American Theater and Victory Medal. He has the Purple Heart for wounds received at Iwo Jima in Feb., 1945.  
Young Taylor, who was 21 on July 27, is a graduate of Carlsbad, N. M., high school, and saw twenty-nine months of service overseas.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the kind deeds and expressions of sympathy from all our neighbors and many friends during the recent illness and death of our wife, mother, and grandmother.  
Dr. H. Z. Pennington and family.  
C. A. (Singie) Butler of Ballinger visited here Monday with his family.  
Captain and Mrs. Peyton Cain have returned from San Antonio where Captain Cain received his discharge from the army. He is to teach in the Eldorado Public School this fall. The Cains are moving this week to their apartment in Eldorado.  
Stanley Wallace and Harold Lord of Avero spent the weekend with their cousin, Mrs. G. W. Johnson.

**Pointer Discharged**

W. A. Pointer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Pointer, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones, received his discharge from the Medical Corps of the U. S. Navy on July 27 at Camp Wallace, Houston. He was last stationed at the U. S. Naval Hospital in Dallas, and served before that time at Corpus Christi. A graduate of the EHS, he entered the service in March, 1945.  
He was accompanied home by Thomas Moreny of Dallas, who has also received his discharge from the Navy, and will visit here for a few days.

**Thompson Discharged**

Luke (Bubba) Thompson, Jr., received his discharge from the U. S. Navy August 3 at Camp Wallace, Houston, and is at home with his mother, Mrs. Luke Thompson, Sr. A 1944 graduate of the EHS, Luke, Jr. attended Texas Tech a while, entering the service in January, 1945. He has served since that time on board ship and in the states.

Mrs. Elton McGinnes has returned to her home here after having her tonsils removed in San Angelo.

Miss Iris Brooks visited with home folks at Tennyson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Butler, Fred and Grace visited at Ballinger Sunday with their son and brother, C. A. Butler.

Mrs. W. B. Cobb has gone to Port Arthur for a visit of several weeks with relatives.

Mary Lee Gunstead has completed her summer work as a graduate student at Eastman School of Music, Rochester, New York, and is taking a trip to Northern Minnesota before returning home. She will teach again at Canyon this fall.

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Willie Bureson, assisted by several relatives, opened a cement tile business in Eldorado Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Isaacs and son, Lyndon and Bob Bradley went to Lubbock Tuesday for the purpose of getting rooms for the boys who will attend Texas Tech this fall.

Conn Isaacs of Big Spring spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Isaacs, Sr. He was en route to the coaching school for athletic directors at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Elmer C. Peters will leave this week end for her home in Oco-

nomowoc, Wis., after spending several weeks visiting here with her mother, Mrs. Luke Thompson.

Mrs. George Woods went to San Angelo Monday for medical examination, returning home the same day.

Mrs. West Pool left Sunday for her home at Girvin after spending the past few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Eldon Turnbow who is recovering from a recent operation.

Mrs. Marvin McDonald has returned to her home here from a San Angelo hospital where she underwent surgery recently. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Luke Thompson, Jr., recently discharged from the Navy, will attend school at Texas Tech this fall.

F. B. Calcote has had a granary moved from his farm east of town to his new place located on the south highway.

Mr. and Mrs. James Chandler of Brookshire left Tuesday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Prochaska. Mr. Chandler is an engineer with the Shell Pipe Line Co. at Brookshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davidson visited in San Angelo Wednesday with his mother, Mrs. George Davidson, and his sisters, and attended a tea honoring Miss Rachel Lynch of New York, who is a former friend of the Davidson family.

Major and Mrs. George P. Hoffman and son, Mike of San Antonio are visiting for a few days with his sister, Mrs. Kenneth Cheek and family, and with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hoffman.

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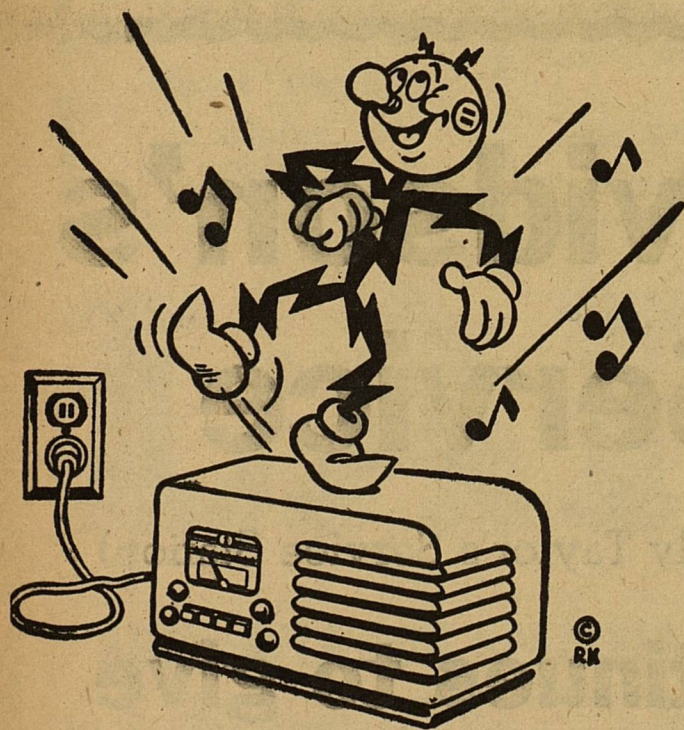
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PLUMBING AND FIXTURES

# History of Local REA Since Its Organization

## LT. MONTGOMERY RELATES STORY OF GERMAN TRIP

In a recent letter to her parents, Lt. Kathryn Montgomery related the story of visiting some interesting points in Germany: a trip down the Rhine River on board the palatial yacht of Adolph Hitler; a visit to the old university of Heidelberg; and a three day pass to Salzburg, Austria.

She said, "I came down with two nurses from Wisconsin. We arrived at about eleven in the morning. One of the nurses had a Col. friend stationed in Salzburg, who met us at the train and took us to his home for breakfast. Then his chauffeur took us for a drive to see the city and brought us over here to Berchtesgaden. Being in luck we were billeted in the best hotel here, which is probably one of the nicest in Europe.

"In the afternoon we went by bus up in the mountains to a big S. S. Camp and Hitler Youth Camp. Hitler's and Goering's homes were once here but everything was bombed flat. Then came the hair-raising jeep ride up the steep winding roads to the Eagle's Nest, which was built on top of a 5,900 foot mountain. The last 400 feet we went up by elevator. At the top is a cement and marble house, which Hitler used to entertain guests and hold secret conferences. The French took all the furniture, but the building is intact. From this peak I could see Switzerland, Bavaria, Austria, and Germany. It is really lovely, but the height is appalling.

The jeep ride down was a nerve test. It was straight down, around hairpin curves, tunnels, etc. but our driver was good. This day ended with dinner at which we had excellent service and dancing.

"Next morning we arose at 8:00 and had breakfast. We were then driven up in the mountains to Heintzerse Lake which is very lovely. We walked around the lake and came to a small village from which we climbed up a mountain to Weinbach Canyon which, next to Carlsbad Caverns, is the most beautiful piece of nature that I have ever seen. We walked through the canyon on footbridges. The waterfalls were about 500 feet high in places, falling right over the tops of mountains to a river that roars so loudly you can scarcely hear your own voice. It was gorgeous.

After a rest there this afternoon and another wonderful dinner we left for Salzburg in the evening and Frankfurt the next day."

A cablegram this week advised that Kathryn will sail for the States on August 19.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roach and Mrs. T. J. Bailey and children have returned from a family reunion at Gatesville.

Mrs. Allie Garrett left Sunday for Richland Springs to attend the funeral of Clinton Holcomb, a cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilson and family and Mrs. L. T. Wilson spent several days last week at Devil's River Lake fishing.

Actual organization of the Southwest Texas Electric Co-Operative has represented years of work, not the least of which has been contacting of potential users, who promised to become members, and high ranking REA officials, who had authority to give the go-ahead signal. Those who know the inside story of the Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op admit that without the persistence of these early organizers the tale might have had a far different ending.

The Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op was organized and chartered in June 1941, by the following incorporators: E. C. Hill, P. K. McIntosh, F. B. Gunn, T. W. Johnson, W. R. Bearce, E. B. Willoughby and J. Forrest Runge.

After many out of town trips made these men and meeting with REA officials on numerous occasions, the REA agreed to make the loan necessary to build the lines, but before the loan could be made the war was on and everything was stopped until 1944.

The members were again signed on the animal units they owned, and the applications were accepted and the loan made in December 1944. The office was set up and a manager secured in January, 1945.

Contract was let in February, 1945, to Taylor Construction Co., of Taylor, Texas, to erect 202 miles of line to serve 141 members and an amendment was added to the contract to add 44 miles of line to serve 52 more members, bringing the total mileage to 246, and the membership on these lines to 193. In spite of shortages, which have delayed construction work at many points along the way, the first wire was strung in November, 1945, and first lines energized January 5, 1946.

Jerry Pennington, West Texas Utility manager, whose company supplies current for REA, threw the switch which energized the first section. The first member who received current was Ernest Hill, who has had much part in promoting REA here; second was L. T. Wilson; third, Jack Ratliff; and fourth, P. K. McIntosh with two meters.

By August 1, 1946, 188 miles of lines had been energized serving 138 members, with several members on the lines not connected on account of shortage of house wiring material. All poles are set that present contract calls for, but the contractor can not get delivery on wire to finish the job on the remaining 58 miles.

The Co-Operative has application on file in Washington, D. C., to build 253 additional miles of line to serve 168 members. Approval on this application is expected at an early date.

### WEDNESDAY BRIDGE

Mrs. Kenneth Cheek entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club, Aug. 1 in her home. Mrs. Pat Finley was awarded high score and Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin won the bingo. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Finley, Sam Oglesby, Leslie Baker, Jack Shugart, W. R. Bearce, Edward Meador, Carroll White, McLaughlin, C. A. Reynolds, and the hostess.

## Announcing the Opening of Boyer's Electric Shop

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Study of a list of local REA users already receiving current reveals the fact that these names represent practically every type of rural establishment, from school house to ranch office, from ranch averaging 100% native pasture to farm, almost 100% in cultivation.

Energying has proceeded in spurts, as lines were gradually finished and houses wired for receiving current—and customers, in groups of from 2 to 50 users at a time, have celebrated the arrival of electricity, over a period of several months.

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- Joe B. Edens — Eldorado
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- Mrs. T. F. Green — Eldorado
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- Dee Love — Eldorado
- B. H. Luedecke — Eldorado
- W. G. McAlpine — Eldorado
- Ross McAngus — Eldorado
- Hugh McAngus — Eldorado
- C. C. McBurnett — San Angelo
- Rex McCormick — Eldorado
- Ira McDonald — Eldorado
- Marvin McDonald — Eldorado
- J. L. McElroy — Eldorado
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- R. D. McKee — Eldorado
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- Robert Milligan — Eldorado
- Arch Mittel — Eldorado
- Mrs. Annie R. Miller — Eldorado
- B. E. Moore — Eldorado
- Lawrence Moore — Eldorado
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- A. J. Roach — Eldorado
- R. J. Nixon — Eldorado
- Paul Nixon — Eldorado
- J. F. Oglesby — Eldorado
- E. C. Parker — Eldorado
- Ward Parks — Eldorado
- W. G. Powell — Eldorado
- Mrs. Ada S. Rae — Eldorado
- E. F. Ramsel — Eldorado
- Jack Ratliff — Eldorado
- Reynolds School — Eldorado
- E. M. Reynolds — Eldorado

- Mrs. Hallie M. Reynolds — Eldorado
- C. M. Reynolds — Eldorado
- Jim Tom Roach — Eldorado
- W. B. Roberts — Eldorado
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- Luke Stephens — Eldorado
- A. J. Stevens — Eldorado
- W. J. Steward — Eldorado
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- O. Sudduth — Eldorado
- W. W. Sudduth — Eldorado
- C. B. Sudduth — Eldorado
- A. P. Thigpen — Eldorado
- Thad A. Thomson, Jr. — Eldorado

- V. G. Tisdale — Eldorado
- Joe Tisdale — Eldorado
- Frank J. Valis — Eldorado
- O. W. Wade — Eldorado
- Jack Wade — Eldorado
- Mrs. C. C. West — Eldorado
- Morris Whitten — Eldorado
- J. Tom Williams — Eldorado
- James Williams — Eldorado
- B. T. Williams — Eldorado
- John Williams — Eldorado
- Ray W. Willoughby — Eldorado
- Ed Willoughby — Eldorado
- J. O. Willoughby — Eldorado
- L. T. Wilson — Eldorado
- James Page — Eldorado
- Tom Young — Eldorado
- A. G. Taylor — Eldorado
- H. M. Freund — Eldorado

Sutton, Menard, and possibly parts of other counties.

### PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

Mrs. Bert Page was leader for the Bible Study from the 14th to the 21st chapters of Isaiah when the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Edwin Jackson gave the devotional.

During the business session, a letter was written to Mrs. J. A. Carriker, and the District news letter was read to the members.

There were nine members present.

Jess Bradshaw underwent an operation Tuesday in a Temple hospital.

## Clovis Taylor Extends Thanks

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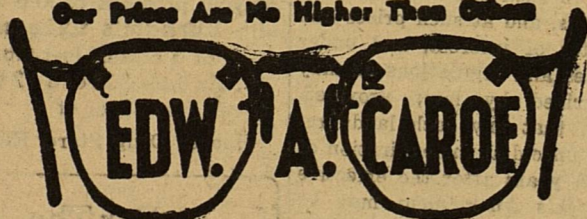
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KEEP THEM



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Mrs. Frank Webb, who has been visiting the past month at Ozona with her son, Oran Webb, is spending a few days on the E. H. Dannheim ranch before returning to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jarrett of San Angelo are the parents of a son born in a San Angelo hospital, August 1. The baby has been named William III. Mr. Jarrett is a nephew of Mrs. Joe B. Edens, of Eldorado, and Mrs. Jarrett is the former Sara Ann Chapple of Christoval.

Mrs. Joe B. Edens left Wednesday to attend the Presbyterian Encampment at Kerrville. Mrs. Edens, who is the State Synodical treasurer, will be gone a week.

Mrs. W. F. Edmiston visited last week at Junction with her grandson E. W. Williamson and wife, and with a cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Will Caviness.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pittman of Tahoka were guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Britton.

Ruthie Dee Harris of the Cliff community is visiting in town with Billie Jo Jeffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sauer, Irene, Gertrude and William and Mrs. Thomas Beckett and daughter, Carol Jane, attended the Primitive Baptist encampment at Lampasas this past week end. The Sauer's have just recently returned from a vacation trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll and children of San Angelo visited here Sunday.

C. C. Stevenson was injured and his daughter sustained facial cuts in a car accident South of Sonora Thursday, the accident occurring when the Stevenson car was forced off the highway by a passing car.

Jimmy Lloyd has returned to his home at Ft. Stockton after a visit here with Buddy Baker in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baker. He was accompanied home by Buddy, who will remain for a visit of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Powers and baby daughter of Alpine were week end guests of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Doyle and other relatives.

Mrs. W. B. Cobb has returned from a visit with her sister at Bronte.

Miss Joyce Hunter of Santa Anna was a week end guest of Emily Ann Harper in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Harper.

Mrs. J. L. Neill and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John McLeod of Pontotoc are spending a ten-day vacation with relatives at Lubbock, Pampa and Las Animas, Colo.

Jo Ann Calhoun of Christoval spent several days this week visiting on the farm with her grandfather, George Dickens.

Mrs. Bertha Wilson and Tommie Lee spent Sunday in Christoval and attended a reunion of the Wallace family from Mullin, who were childhood friends of Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mittel attended a dinner party last Friday night in San Angelo, given by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bradford in honor of Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Dunlap of Waco.

G. M. Coulter, accompanied by his son, Dick, a high school senior of Oklahoma City, arrived here Monday afternoon to visit his brother, E. H. Coulter.

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**BAILEY RANCH REVIVAL**

The Bailey Ranch Baptist Church will begin a revival Sunday August 11. Pastor W. I. Taylor of Big Lake will do the preaching. You are invited.

W. A. Knight, pastor

Tinsy Spurgers left Saturday for Midland where she will join her uncle, Luke Spurgers and family, and from there the group will go on to Los Angeles, Calif., for a three-weeks visit with the Luke Spurgers, daughter, Peggy Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Baggett and family have moved to Station A where Mr. Baggett is employed with the Humble Pipe Line Company.

GET CHARCOAL and barbecue grills for home or picnic use at Cameron's.

**SUCCESS WANT ADS**

FOR SALE— 250 bushels of seed wheat at \$2.25 per bushel; 50 bushels of oats at \$1.00 per bushel— Mrs. Dena White. 2\*

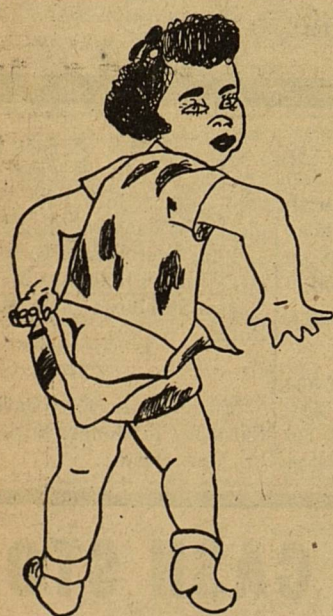
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Will have one bedroom for rent on Aug. 16. Also two other rooms available now. —Mrs. Mattie Cozens. 1\*

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**UPTOWN LAUNDRY**

**JONES MANAGES DAVIDSON GULF SERVICE STATION**

Change in management of the Gulf Station owned by Roy Davidson is announced this week by the men concerned with the deal. C. F. Jones, station attendant, who has been employed at the Gulf during the past month is new manager. He will re-arrange his hours when school opens, as he will be band instructor in the Eldorado schools, according to arrangements made with the local board and superintendent early in the summer.

Mr. Jones announces that the station will continue to carry Gulf products and accessories, and to do washing and greasing.

Clovis Taylor, former Gulf Manager states that he expects to be open again for business in another location.

**1st Baptist W. M. U. Meets on Monday**

Mrs. W. N. Ramsey gave the review on the book "Stewardship in the Life of Women" when the WMU met Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Ramsey opened the program with a devotional.

Mrs. J. M. Hays gave an interesting report on the Pasiano Encampment which she attended last week, giving the highlights of the meeting, telling in particular of the talk by an Italian girl described as "Miss Italy," who is over here in the interest of her people.

There were approximately 22 present.

**ENTERTAIN WITH LAWN PARTY**

Mrs. E. W. Mund and Mrs. Tom Smith entertained Tuesday evening with a yard party at the Tom Smith home. Outdoor games were played and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Louise Kuykendall, Jerry Blaylock, Katherine Davis, Louise Burk, Grace Butler, Bonnie Dean and Vera Fay Biggs, Frankie and Mary Thompson, Jane Mund, Wanda Dannheim, Bubba Nicks of Ft. Stockton, George Graf, Billy Whitley, Donald Ray Dannheim, Sonny Stanford, Charles Henry Mund, Jeanette Wheeler, Norris Taylor, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Mund and Beccy and Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

**NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY**

New books ready for checking out at the Eldorado Public Library this week are: "Diddie, Dump and Tott," by Pynelle; "The Sleeping Beauty," donated by Mrs. Tom Henderson; "The Strange Woman" by Phelps, donated by Mrs. Pendley, Hemphill-Wells Book Shop; "Case of the Drowsy Mosquito," and "Case of the Black Eyed Blonde," by Gardner, donated by Mrs. Grace O'Harrow.

Earnestine Clark, incoming high school freshman, is employed part time at Mrs. N. G. Hodges' cafe.

W. A. Pointer, who has received his discharge from service and has been at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Pointer, has gone to McCamey to visit.

**BOYER IS OWNER OF NEW RADIO REPAIR BUSINESS**

H. Ray Boyer, son of Mrs. Rutha Boyer, has opened a radio repair and appliance service shop in the building northeast of the West Texas Utilities location known locally as El Cacti. The building and lot are owned by Mrs. Hugh Harzke.

Mr. Boyer is well known in Schleicher County where he was reared, and where he has done radio and electrical repair work in the past. He comes to Eldorado from San Angelo where he has done repair work for Gunter's and Sears'.

He recently returned from buying trips to San Antonio and Dallas where he purchased repair supplies.

He was in Eldorado Wednesday returning to San Angelo to move his household goods to a Boyer house which he will occupy. His family consists of wife, and a daughter, Ila Jean and a son, Larry Dean, both of school age.

**RECENT BRIDE IS HONOREE AT GIFT TEA**

Honoring Mrs. Sidney Rogge, the former Miss Betty Jo Bryant, Misses Sarah Hill and Elizabeth Graves and Mrs. Elmer C. Peters entertained with a gift tea from 4:00 to 6:00 p. m. Saturday afternoon, Aug. 8 in the home of Mrs. J. E. Hill.

Guests were greeted by Miss Hill and Mrs. Peters. Mrs. Morris Whitten was at the bride's book, and Miss Graves and Mrs. Jo Ed Hill alternated in serving punch and angel cake squares from the lace covered table decorated with two bowls of colorful zinnias.

Bowls of zinnias and sweet peas were used about the reception rooms. Sharing honors with Mrs. Rogge were her mother, Mrs. E. R. Bryant, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. F. A. Rogge of Rowena.

Approximately 75 guests were registered.

**Methodist W. M. S. Meets on Monday**

"A Call — Laborers for Peace" was the subject of the Yearbook program when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. E. Tisdale.

Mrs. Ben Hext was leader for the program which opened with the hymn, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." The Call to Worship was read by the leader, and Mrs. J. F. Isaacs gave the scripture lesson. Others on the program were Mrs. Reuben Dickens and Mrs. Luke Thompson.

Mrs. S. D. Harper conducted a short business session.

Mrs. J. F. Isaacs was hostess and served refreshments of ice cream and cookies to those mentioned above and Mmes. Ben Isaacs, F. B. Faust, L. Wheeler, Keno Ogden, and Miss Tom Smith.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to express our deepest gratitude to all those who so generously aided and sympathized with us during the illness and death of our loved one.

May God's richest blessings be yours is our prayer.

Mrs. Ed Finnigan  
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Finnigan  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hext 1\*

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Griffin are the parents of a daughter born Monday, Aug. 5 at their home here. The baby weighed eight pounds and has been named Joan Dale. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Griffin.

Judy Carol is the name given to the daughter born July 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Deaton of Wyandotte, Okla. The baby weighed 8 pounds. Mrs. Deaton is the former Cleo Spurgers and the maternal grandmother is Mrs. Nettie Spurgers of this place. Mr. Deaton, since his discharge from the Army, is manager of a service station at Wyandotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burleson and baby son, Jerry Lynn of Ft. Stockton visited recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Logan and family attended the annual Goodall family reunion at Roosevelt Sunday. They report a large crowd present, and plenty of barbecue and other good food. Present among the relatives were between 8 and 10 discharged service men, all grandsons of Mrs. Goodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brown and family of Tulsa, Okla., visited recently in the J. C. Crosby home.

Mrs. J. C. Crosby, who has been in Temple for the past few weeks, with her father, Fred Hattie, who is ill, has returned home. June and Jane Craig spent last week in Temple, and accompanied Mrs. Crosby home. Mr. Hattie's condition is reported to be about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Furr of Highlands, and Mrs. Orville Bolt and daughter of Sonora are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Savola Bolt.

Mrs. E. W. Mund and Beccy visited last week at Ft. Stockton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stewardson. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Mund's nephew, Bubba Nix, who will visit here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore moved Monday into their new home which they purchased recently from F. B. Alexander.

Mrs. W. E. Perry has returned to her home at Brady after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore. Another daughter, Mrs. J. T. Hodges of Seymour is visiting this week with her parents, and sister, Mrs. Edgar Spencer.

Mrs. W. M. Hord and baby son of Miami, Fla., and Mrs. H. R. Leach and son, Mitchell of Abilene are visiting here with their mother, Mrs. C. S. Chick. Mrs. Hord plans to be here about a month. Buster Chick of Winters, was also a visitor here Sunday with his mother and sisters.

Cpl. Joe B. Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Montgomery is now stationed at Camp Polk, La., where he is taking basic medical training.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson have returned home from a two-weeks vacation spent visiting with relatives at Austin, San Antonio, and New Braunfels.

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**Mrs. Sellman Observes Her 81st Birthday**

Mrs. Nannie Sellman, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Humphrey, celebrated her 81st birthday Tuesday, August 6. Ice cream and cake were served during the afternoon by Mrs. Humphrey to friends who called including Mrs. Joe B. Edens, Mrs. C. J. Tribble, Mrs. G. A. Neill and Carol Lynn Dickens.

A family picnic was served out of doors in the evening with those present including Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Humphrey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Humphrey and Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Humphrey and the honoree.

NEW correspondence notes, box of 36 for 75c.—Success office.

**BAILEY REVIVAL**

The Rev. Willis Taylor of Big Lake will lead in a revival meeting at Bailey Ranch Baptist Church beginning Aug. 11 through Aug. 18th. There will be both morning and evening services. The public is invited.

**FARM SOLD**

W. T. (Pete) Parker, of Eldorado's Red and White Grocery, has bought a 195-acre farm from M. B. Holland, possession to be given this fall.

The farm, located in Bailey Ranch community, has 112 acres in cultivation and the rest in grass, a house, well and REA services.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith will leave Monday for a vacation trip to Colorado.

**RODEO AT OZONA OFFERS BIG ATTRACTION**

Rodeo fans of West Texas will see some of the top hands in the roping business in action in the two-day show planned at Ozona Saturday and Sunday, August 17 and 18. The celebration is sponsored by the Crockett County Fair Association and is one of the oldest summer events in this area.

This year's show will feature calf roping, team tying, cutting horse contests, girls' flag races, girls' barrel races, boys' calf riding, boys' calf riding, and a number of special matched ropings between outstanding calf ropers of the area. A \$500 Gray Trailer is being offered as a prize to the winner of the best two-day time in the various girls' events.

Dances on the big open-air platform at the fair grounds, Friday and Saturday evenings, August 16 and 17, are expected to draw large crowds. Harrison's Texans of San Angelo will furnish the music.

Katherine Calcote, father and friends went on a week end fishing trip to Devil's River this past week and the results were good. The girls obtained good sun tans.

Mrs. L. T. Barber and Beatrice Wright of San Angelo spent last week visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wright, returning to San Angelo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Royster and Mr. and Mrs. Ford Oglesby and family are on a fishing trip in Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gray of Anthony, N. M. are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore and other relatives.

Mrs. Julian Morehouse and sons, Jeff and Jay left Thursday (today) for their home at Dallas after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. DeLong. Mrs. Morehouse will join her husband before he reports for reassignment with the U. S. Navy at New Orleans, La. next Tuesday. A Lt. Commander at the time of his discharge, Morehouse has re-enlisted in the Navy with the same commission granted him.

Roy H. Martin, a brother of C. L. Martin, is building a residence located in the northeast part of town.

GET CHARCOAL and barbecue grills for home or picnic use at Cameron's.

Georgia Raye Dickens spent several days this past week visiting with her grandfather, George Dickens in the Reynolds community.

Mrs. George Dickens returned home Wednesday from a week's visit at Austin, Driftwood, and San Marcos with relatives.

Mrs. George Williams has returned home from a two weeks visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Neill, and new baby, Johelen at College Station.

**Mrs. Crain's Brother Killed in Accident**

Funeral services for Marion Clinton Holcomb, 43, brother of Mrs. R. T. Crain of Eldorado, were held Monday afternoon at Richland Springs, following his death in a Temple hospital Saturday night as a result of injuries received late Friday when he was thrown from the top of a house being moved just outside of Richland Springs. Mr. Holcomb received a skull fracture and a broken hip in the accident which also claimed the life of Tooter Bolinger, 32, of Richland Springs, who died instantly.

Mr. Holcomb was riding on top of the house to aid in keeping it from touching telephone wires, when a car collided with the house throwing him to the ground.

Also injured in the collision were two hitchhikers, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Calley of San Angelo, and Joe Crain and Mrs. Martha B. Echert Christian. Mr. and Mrs. Talley have been dismissed by physicians after treatment but both Crain and Mrs. Christian remain in a serious condition.

Holcomb, who had extensive orchard holdings in the Richland Springs area, is survived by the widow; three children, Powell, Marian Ruth and Jackie; the mother, Mrs. H. C. Holcomb of Richland Springs; and a sister, Mrs. R. T. Crain of Eldorado.

**TO THE VOTERS OF SCHLEICHER COUNTY**

As I did not have an opponent in the July 27th primary election, I feel that my four terms of service in the office of County Judge have been satisfactory to the constituency of this county. I sincerely thank each of you who voted in the above primary for your expression of confidence, and wish to reassure each of you that I will never betray that confidence.

The present Commissioners Court and the next Commissioners Court will be confronted with several projects that have to do with better things for the people of this county. Visit with us when this court meets, as I can assure you that every member of this court solicits your advice and cooperation.

C. L. Meador, Jr., County Judge Schleicher County, Texas

**TO THE VOTERS OF SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS**

I wish to express my appreciation for your continued support and vote of confidence in the July primary.

The fact that I did not have an opponent will be regarded by me as a personal recommendation, and I hereby pledge my entire effort and ability to the making of a more efficient County and District Clerk.

Your splendid cooperation in the past has been a source of both pleasure and satisfaction, and your continued confidence is earnestly desired.

H. T. Finley, County Clerk Schleicher County, Texas

**FUNDAMENTAL BAPTISTS HAVE ALL DAY MEETING**

Rev. L. T. Grantham of Abilene Rev. Lawson of Ballinger and Rev. Earl Killingsworth from the Delmar Baptist Church, San Angelo, were visiting speakers at the Fundamental Baptist Church's "Day of Fellowship" here, Tuesday, Aug. 6.

An exceptionally good crowd was present for the meeting which opened at 11:00 a. m., including several visitors from San Angelo. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

Rev. D. I. Miller, local pastor, was in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. Vernie Logan and children of Sonora are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Otterberry.

Messrs. and Mmes. Carroll White, L. B. Burk, Joe Wagley, W. M. Patterson and Jimmie West attended a banquet and District Lions meet at Ballinger last Friday evening.

Mrs. E. F. Noland of Topeka, Kansas, is making an indefinite visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones. Mrs. Noland accompanied the Joneses home from Kansas following funeral services for Mr. Noland, 48, who was killed in a car accident recently near Topeka.

**Frozen Foods**

**GROCERY**

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**A Limited Supply of Cured Pork Hams, Shoulders and Loins**

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**LARD --- 1 Pound to Customer**

Adams Orange Juice No. 2 Can	<b>23c</b>
Grape Fruit Juice 46 Oz	<b>40c</b>
Del Monte COFFEE, pound	<b>32c</b>
Del Monte PUMPKIN, No. 2 1/2 can	<b>15c</b>
Phillips PORK & BEANS	<b>20c</b>
PUREX Per Gallon	<b>47c</b>

**Eldorado**

**Lots For Sale**

I have decided to sell one or more lots out of Block 18 gin property. If you are interested see A. D. Richey. Terms will be given with part payment and balance monthly payments with interest at 5 per cent.

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Look our prices over — You may save on your purchases. We have one of the most complete stocks of groceries in West Texas to select from. You will be served with a smile in a friendly manner. No bill too large for us to fill. No bill too small to be appreciated.

If we please you, tell others; if not, tell us. Come to see us.

Mrs. George B. Moore and her daughter, Miss Selby Moore of San Antonio are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brooks. Miss Moore will spend Friday night on the DeLong ranch with Mrs. Ralph Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Sellers are the parents of a son born Sunday, Aug. 4, in a San Angelo hospital. The baby weighed five pounds and has been named Ernest Howard III. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Payne Robinson and Mrs. C. H. Butler.

Mrs. R. E. Wright of Santa Anna is visiting here with her sister, Mrs. Jess Padgett and family, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cathey visited Saturday in Menard with her mother, Mrs. Sutton.

**WRIGHT'S CASH STORE**

Prices are steadily advancing on most items, even those under OPA regulations. Beef cattle sold Wednesday for \$26.50 live weight; consequently, fresh meat will and must be higher. Coffee is to advance in a few days according to OPA. Flour has already advanced, as have lard and cooking fats. These prices are beyond the control of the merchant in most cases.

We appreciate your past business and will continue to add our post war profit to all items we sell. Many items are post war priced plus a tax. This tax will be with us for some time to come.

We carry a line of white, black, and colored threads, nice line of buttons and shoe laces, sewing needles, crochet needles, sewing machine needles, and machine oil. Also bobby pins, hair nets, combs and pins.

If your shopping place does not have what you want, try us. We have one of the best assortments of gifts in the city. Take time to inquire of the things needed. It is a pleasure to show our wares.

When production increases, you will find a more complete stock in this store.

**Congratulations**

**REA**

We are glad to have had a part in the development of REA here, as electrical contractors for house wiring.

Visit our display of electrical products at the REA show Monday.

**Topliffe Gas & Electric Service**