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MILITARY STAFF ARE EXPECTED AT ANGELO SHOW

Members of the United Nations Military Staff Committee are expected to visit San Angelo as guests to the 16th annual Fat Stock Show and Rodeo March 3-6.

Replies to invitations dispatched last month are being received by the San Angelo Chamber of Commerce. Several of the high military officials have already accepted.

The group of officials will be flown from their Lake Success headquarters to San Angelo by special plane. Directors and a special committee from the Chamber of Commerce are arranging special entertainment for their visit. The officials will review the opening day parade from a special stand on Twohig and Chadbourne streets.

Governor Beauford Jester, Brigadier Gen. Bob Landry, military aide to President Truman, and a number of area commanding generals of the army air force have been invited to attend the four-day bronco-busting festivity.

Many Class Events Take Money For Talon Queen Race

Students from the four classes of Eldorado High School have been quite busy this week, as the race for Talon queen got under way. Interested parents and friends have also been kept busy assisting with, and attending, events which will conclude with the coronation of the queen on the night of Feb. 25.

Among events sponsored earlier this week were a cake walk and barn dance, by the sophomore class; an amateur hour sponsored by the Juniors, and a supper, sponsored by the seniors. Among other events scheduled so far are a 42 party, sponsored by the Junior class at 7:30 p. m. tonight (Thursday) in the band hall. The Seniors may serve lunch to the Junction band Saturday and are planning a Tom Thumb wedding for next Tuesday evening at 7:00 at the auditorium.

NO RELIEF IN SIGHT ON TEACHER SHORTAGE

Schoolhouses in 1953 may be bulging with students but lacking in teachers, a survey of elementary teaching positions in Texas by a University of Texas graduate student indicates.

Hollis A. Moore, Jr., who is assistant to Dean L. D. Haskew of the College of Education, found there will be a shortage of more than 20,000 teachers by 1953.

He drew his figures from the Bureau of Vital Statistics and elementary enrollment data in the State Department of Education.

His survey showed Texas schools will require 29,844 new elementary teachers in the five-year period, 1949-50 through 1953-54, to replace experienced teachers who leave the classroom, and to provide additional teachers for each 30 pupils due to increased enrollment. Less than 2,000 elementary teaching certificates of all kinds were issued in 1947-48 and if this production rate continues, the shortage is inevitable, he emphasized.

CITY OFFICIAL AT A&M WATER WORKS SCHOOL

Lum Burk, Eldorado water works superintendent, attended the 31st annual short course for water and sewer officials from Monday to Thursday at A&M. He made the trip with J. P. Burden of San Angelo and W. D. Cooper and James Semler of Ozona.

BAND CLINIC

The public is urged to attend the band clinic here Saturday at the school house. The clinic will be an all-day meeting with Eldorado and Junction participating.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Duncan and sons, Sherrill and Dan Gandy of Calif Creek visited over the week end with Mr. Duncan's sister, Mrs. Fred Furr and family. The group were joined on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Savola Bolt and daughter, Nelva, who were guests dinner.

FIREMEN EXTINGUISH BLAZE AT BEARCE'S

Firemen were called out at about 6:00 this morning to extinguish a blaze in a second floor room of the Bearce apartment house. Timely response made by firemen to the early morning call was responsible for confining the blaze to one room. Insurance was carried on the house.

The fire, thought to have originated in the clothes closet, did considerable damage to the room and water damaged the ceilings of the rooms below. Occupants of the apartment were Tom Dempsey Taylor Welding employee, and his family.

Plans Under Way For Angelo Show

A number of Eldorado people will be on hand as spectators, and Schleicher County 4-H boys will exhibit livestock, in the annual San Angelo Fat Stock Show and Rodeo March 3-6.

The 4-H boys, under leadership of County Agent W. G. Godwin, will exhibit three calves, four Corriedale breeding sheep and fat lambs in the show.

It is estimated that 1,500 head of prize livestock will be on exhibition. Entry deadline for livestock is February 15.

Everett Colborn of Dublin will produce the Rodeo which will be held each afternoon.

The show will get under way on March 3 with a Grand Opening Parade through San Angelo streets at 10:30 a. m.

Lions Club To Greet San Angelo Boosters

At the regular meeting of the Lions Club Wednesday, it was announced that a delegation of boosters made up of Lions Club members and Rotarians from San Angelo will be in Eldorado Tuesday morning, Feb. 22 at 10:00 to boost the annual Fat Stock Show and Rodeo. Plans were made for a greeting committee from the local club to meet the two bus loads of boosters at the edge of town, and escort them into the city where they will be served coffee.

Members of the Boy Scout committee announced that a new building for the Boy Scouts has been recently purchased from the War Assets Administration and will be moved from Mathis Field soon to a new location near the present building. Members of the Club who are free to do so will meet at 4 p. m. today (Thursday) for voluntary service in digging the holes for the foundation of the new building.

New members introduced were Paul Craig and Frank Clark and visitors were Mr. Shaughnessy and Mr. Mills.

Seniors To Present Old Time Western Here Next Month

An old-time Western, "An Arizona Cowboy", is the play chosen by the Senior class, to be presented to local audiences on the evenings of March 25th and 26th. Miss Gloria Henshaw, senior sponsor, is director, with Betty Sue Williams as assistant.

The four-act western comedy has two scenes, both outdoors. The first scene takes place outside the front door of the Palace Hotel in Purple Dog, Arizona, and the second scene is inside a cave in that vicinity.

The cast started rehearsals Monday. Those in the play include:

Farley Gant, the sheriff: David Allen

Paul Quillian, his partner: Donald Dannheim

Duke Blackshear, the villain: Buddy Baker

Hezekiah Bugg, the biggest liar in Arizona: Harlan McAlpine

Yow Kee, a Chinaman: Wayne McGill

Big Elk, an Indian: Wayne Davis

Grizzly Grimm, the bad man of the West: Kumlur Mund

Marguerite, who owns a ranch: Pat Humphrey

Mrs. Bugg: Mimi McAngus

Coralie, the duke's sister: Joyce Ann Van Horn

Fawn Afraid, an Indian maiden: Ebba Ann Finley

Young'un, age 16: Frances Williams

Eldorado Divide Soil Conservation District News

Nick Jurecek, a cooperator with the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District, is continuing to make good progress in the construction of all terraces needed on his farmland. Nick is constructing the level wide base terraces with a whirlwind terracer he constructed.

A well rounded soil and water conservation plan on Nick's place was approved by the District Supervisors, Dec. 6, 1946. Jurecek was assisted by Soil Conservation Service Technicians assisting the district in the planning of a well rounded soil conservation plan.

Realizing that the conservation practices planned on his place were of no benefit unless applied, Jurecek has been steadily applying all practices planned.

Some of the conservation practices planned on Jurecek's farmland such as contour farming and crop residue management were comparatively simple to apply, as compared with the construction of level wide base terraces. Jurecek was undecided as to how he would construct the level broad base terraces when his plan was developed.

After seeing a whirlwind terracer in operation he proceeded to build one. An old sulky breaking plow frame, a truck transmission, a one ton truck differential, gin conveyer auger, universal joints, and a safety trip hitch were some of the major things used in the construction of the whirlwind. The cost of parts used plus welding and work totals \$165.50.

Jurecek has made good use of "the whirlwind" by constructing approximately four miles of level broad base terraces in 1948. He plans to complete the remaining six miles needed on his farmland this year. Jurecek states that it takes him approximately a day and a half to construct a mile of level terraces to the 15 inch settled height and 24 foot base width.

Jurecek states that conservation farming has already paid off for him in that cotton he farmed on the contour in 1948 made about 1/2 bale per acre; and a field not contoured made only 1/4 bale per acre.

With a system of properly designed and properly constructed terraces in combination with the other soil and water conservation practices such as crop residue management and contour farming, Jurecek states "I will hold the water above the terraces where it falls." In addition to holding the water where it falls he will prevent the seven lakes on his place from filling with every rain.

Booster Caravan From San Angelo Here Next Tuesday

From fifty to sixty business executives from San Angelo will be in Eldorado with a booster caravan at 10:10 a. m. Tuesday, Feb. 22.

Trips were arranged by the trade extension committee of the Board of City Development to boost the San Angelo Fat Stock Show and Rodeo March 3-6. Businessmen will represent Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions and Optimist Clubs of San Angelo.

The caravan will visit the following cities in West Texas: Eldorado, Christoval at 9:30 a. m.; Eldorado at 10:10; Sonora at 11:05; Ozona at 2:05, and Del Rio at 5:00.

Wednesday, Rocksprings, Junction, Menard and Eden. A second caravan will visit Bronte, Abilene, Sweetwater, Colorado City and Robert Lee.

Credit Ass'n Has Regular Meeting

Directors of the Retail Merchants Association of Eldorado held their regular monthly meeting at one o'clock Thursday, Feb. 10 at the RMA office. Present for the meeting were Ray Hudgens, President, Ernestine Hext, Manager, Ed Hill, J. H. Mace, W. M. Patterson and E. H. Coulter, directors.

The directors voted to request their manager and president to attend the Convention of District 2 Retail Credit Executives of Texas and Texas Retail Credit Bureau Managers to be held at the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo on Feb. 19 and 20. All local merchants who are members of the Association are urged to attend the business meeting on Sunday.

More than ever before the credit granters today are seeking information which will help them to meet the problems facing them. There should, therefore, be real interest in this meeting, and it should be well attended.

You as merchant members will have an opportunity to discuss current problems with other merchants and bureau managers in this district. For further information please contact your bureau manager.

WELFARE BOARD TO MEET

All members are urged to attend the meeting of the Welfare Board at 7:30 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 19 at the First Baptist Church. Officers will be elected, and plans made for the work of the county board at this initial meeting, and members of the Lions Club steering committee are especially anxious that all representatives of the civic organizations be present.

ATTEND FUNERAL AT LIBERTY HILL

S. L. Stanord and J. F. Kinser went to Liberty Hill Tuesday and on Wednesday attended the funeral of I. I. (Pomp) Simmons, age about 74, brother-in-law of Mr. Stanford, and father of C. D. Simmons, comptroller and vice president of Texas State U. Mr. Kinser, an old friend of the deceased, assisted with the Masonic rites at the funeral, and visited a brother near Florence, Mr. Simmons' first wife was Ida, sister of Mr. Stanford, who died when her two children were very young.

Mr. Simmons worked at the carpenter trade here about 20 years ago.

REA LINES NEAR JUNO ARE STAKED

Engineers are staking the lines, and contractors are clearing right of way on part of Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op's section C, near Juno.

This new REA line, measuring 145 miles, will be served by the Sonora sub-station. Staking and clearing will require about two weeks more of labor. This part of section C will be built by contract labor.

Two new REA members who recently received current are Calvin Bounds, on Mrs. A. H. Green's place, and Chan Whitten.

Joe Bailey Montgomery is a new REA employee, succeeding Tom Enochs, who is now a telephone lineman.

DAUGHDRILL LAND SOLD

L. E. Lacy of Miles has closed a deal for purchase of 910.9 acres of Concho Co. school land; 832.35 acres out of League 2 and 78.55 acres out of the middle part of the J. W. Johnson Survey 14, Frank Meador making the deal as agent for Nannie Wood Daughdrill, price \$40 per acre.

Jack Neill Has Iceland Position

John L. (Jack) Neill, Jr., son of the J. L. Neills, has accepted a position as field engineer for the Lockheed Overseas Service Corp. and will leave within a few days for his new duties at the air base in Keflavick, Iceland. Neill, who is a senior student at the College of Mines located in El Paso, has been granted a year's leave of absence from the school to accept the position. He will go by air to New York where the group of employees will receive a week's instruction and outline of plans, before continuing the trip by air to Keflavick.

Neill arrived Saturday for a visit with his parents, and was delayed in returning to El Paso Tuesday as he had intended, by a severe case of flu. Mrs. Neill will remain in El Paso where she is employed during her husband's absence.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Betty Tubb and A. M. Tubb of Robert Lee and Mrs. Mabel Parker of Eldorado attended funeral services in Houston last Friday for their sister and aunt, Mrs. J. W. Morrison, who died Wednesday morning. The group left Thursday morning and returned home Saturday. Mrs. Parker's father, J. L. Tubb of San Angelo, has also been quite ill at his home, following a heart attack which he suffered last week. This is the third attack which Mr. Tubb, who is 75 years of age has suffered. Mrs. Parker visited with her father Sunday afternoon, and will return later in the week for another visit with him.

PADGETTS MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. C. Z. Padgett have sold their residence to Gus Love who will rent it to Bill Mund. The Loves expect to move to the house which Munds vacated. The Padgetts are moving away from Eldorado, and will probably return to Hot Springs, N. Mex. for awhile before settling permanently.

Terry Ray Holliday, who has been visiting here for the past month or more with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Scarbrough, returned to his home Monday, accompanied by his grandmother.

SCHOOL BUYS COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM UNIT

Purchasing of two GMC's, re-electing of principals and coaches, okaying of a centralized radio and communications system, and swearing in of a new board member were high points in the school board meeting Feb. 14, when the board met in regular session.

Gordon Griggs was reelected high school principal, and Wyndell Hall was reelected principal of the grammar school. Ted Kirby, football coach, and Herman Hopkins, basketball coach, were also reelected. The election of other teachers will take place at a later date in the spring.

Jim O'Harrow of the Rudd community qualified and was sworn in as school trustee to finish the unexpired term of Horace Linthicum, who recently resigned. He is a prominent Schleicher County rancher and has had previous experience as a trustee, having served on the board of Loftin no. 4 common school district for many years.

Centralized radio and communications system will be installed in the elementary school, as a result of vote taken by the board. The PTA paid \$500 toward the cost of the unit, and the district will assume payment of the remainder.

The centralized radio and communication system is to be installed beginning March 1, as the result of a bid submitted by Southwest Equipment Co. of San Antonio. It will serve the elementary classrooms, the office, the gym, and the school auditorium.

The communications system will make it possible for school heads to talk to individual classrooms or to all classrooms at the same time, to make announcements to the classrooms or to receive messages from the rooms. It is an RCA unit, with radio. Programs may be broadcast to each room or to all rooms at the same time, or a program may be recorded and played at a later date.

At the board meeting, trustees issued a purchase order to Jones Motor Co. on a basis of bids for two GMC Suburban Carryalls, one to be used to replace the 1940 station wagon which is now being used as a school bus, and the other to be operated on a new route to serve school patrons in the east part of the county. Delivery on the Carryalls is expected by March 1.

The school needs two school bus drivers and anyone interested may contact Supt. C. A. Reynolds.

The usual bills for January were approved and pictures of trustees were made for the school annual.

Eldorado band students are looking forward to hearing the Sul Ross band and orchestra when it appears here for a concert at 3:00 p. m. Feb. 23. John Carrio, the director, is a former Eldorado high school band director. The public is invited to the concert, which will be free.

It is understood that the concert will be about half band music, and about half lighter popular numbers by the dance orchestra.

Eldorado Included In Spring Itinerary Of Sul Ross Band

The annual spring tour of the Sul Ross State College Lobo Band will include eight concerts in seven Southwest Texas towns, including Eldorado, during a five-day trip. Under the direction of John Carrio, the Lobo Band will present a series of symphonic, classical and popular concerts at the schools on the itinerary.

Concert appearance will be made in Eldorado on Feb. 23 at 5 p. m., and at Del Rio, Bracketville, Eagle Pass, Carrizo Springs, Sonora and Iraan. In addition, the Sul Ross musicians will participate in the Eagle Pass Washington's Birthday celebration parade with 19 other bands on Feb. 22, 9:30 a. m.

Featured soloists of the tour will include Jean Cartney, Iraan sophomore, cornetist; and Jimmy Hill, Weslaco freshman, cornetist.

Shirley, daughter of the Vernon Carrolls, received treatment at a local clinic Monday for a cut just below her knee from a tin coffee can. The wound required three stitches, and she was also given the lockjaw serum.

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Personal News Items

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Butterfield and daughter will spend the week end in Texarkana.

The Albert and Floyd McGinnes families visited Sunday with the Walter Lowes at Eden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mace and daughters spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mace at Ft. Worth.

Miss Pauline Jones has been quite ill this week after having two wisdom teeth pulled. Her parents took her to San Angelo Wednesday for further treatment.

Mrs. M. Joseph and son Ralph of San Antonio visited over the week end with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Dena White.

A number of Eldoradoans attended the basket ball game at the Community Gym in San Angelo Monday night in which they saw the Ellis Parts Team with Eldorado's Coach Herman Hopkins as one of the outstanding players, win a victory over the famed House of David bearded team.

ATTEND CONVENTION OF DISTRICT BANKERS

J. E. Hill, vice president of the First National Bank, his wife, and W. O. Alexander, vice president and cashier, were among those who attended the annual convention of the Texas Bankers' Association Wednesday at San Angelo. About 600 people attended the meeting, representing banks from large and small towns of the district. Speakers pointed out that in their opinion the war and post war prosperity was petering out.

Mrs. Johnston, 77, Honored At Supper

Honoring Mrs. Mary Ann Johnston on her 77th birthday, members of the family entertained Tuesday evening with a supper at her home. Mrs. Johnston, whose birthday is on Feb. 22, was presented with a set of silverware from the family. Those present were Mrs. Bertha Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Grover L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Edmiston and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lynn of San Angelo visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Mrs. F. B. Calcote led the Bible Study on Vessels Unto Honor when the WMU met Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. There were 27 members present.

A study course on the Junior Sunday School work for officers and teachers of the Junior Department was concluded last Thursday evening when the group were entertained with a dinner in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Hays. Mrs. Hays was teacher for the course of study. Those present included 16 officers and teachers, their wives and husbands.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hays, D. C. Hill and Miss John Alexander attended a meeting of the Concho Valley Workers Association of the First Baptist Church at Immanuel Baptist Church in San Angelo Tuesday.

Women of the church will be hosts at the annual banquet for members of the Eldorado Senior Class Friday evening. The George Washington theme will be carried out in the decorations and menu.

Mrs. Hodges Hostess To 42 Club

The Merry Makers 42 Club met last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. N. G. Hodges for their regular meeting. The resignation of Mrs. H. H. Hooker was accepted, and Mrs. Bob Anderson was elected to membership.

Refreshments of hot rolls, congealed fruit salad, caramel nut squares, coffee and tea were served to 10 members and two visitors, Mrs. Palmer West and Mrs. Ben Biggs. Dale West and Ann Ballwe were also refreshment guests.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. A. Griffin on Feb. 24.

Fifth Grade Students Appear At PTA

Members of the fifth grade under the direction of Miss Ina Mae Lightsey presented a program of songs, readings and piano selections at the regular meeting of the Parent Teachers Association Tuesday afternoon in the school auditorium.

Mrs. C. A. Reynolds, first vice-president, had charge of the business session in which it was voted to donate \$10 to the Eldorado Public Library and to donate \$500 toward the installation of an inter-communication system in the elementary school building. Mrs. Edwin Jackson, Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. L. D. Christian were appointed on the nominating committee, and Mrs. J. E. Spencer was named to represent the PTA on the Welfare Board. The secretary announced that the sixth grade and the 10th grade won the attendance awards for January.

Mrs. Arthur Mund gave a talk on Founder's Day. At the social hour, birthday cake, coffee and tea were served.

LYDIA CIRCLE MEETS

The Lydia Circle of the Methodist WSCS met last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. O. Graf, with Mrs. S. D. Harper in charge. The devotional was given by Mrs. Walter Taylor and Mrs. Roy Shilling led in prayer. Mrs. Stanley Gaynor gave the study on China. Refreshments were served to 13. It was voted to change the meeting day from Thursday to Wednesday.

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Mrs. Henry Mund is recovering from a slight heart attack which she sustained last week end. She is getting along fairly well.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hinton of Hobbs, N. M. visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nixon over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Taylor were in San Angelo Sunday afternoon visiting his mother.

Mrs. Frank Clark and daughter were visitors in Waco over the week end.

R. A. Tisdale, brother of V. G. Tisdale of this county, is reported to be much improved in a San Angelo hospital.

Mrs. L. V. Hicks returned to her home at Portales, N. M. after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Wagley and new baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinnis spent Sunday in Menard with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown of San Angelo and Mrs. G. L. McLaughlin of Andrews visited from Saturday until Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. W. F. Edmiston.

Mrs. Henry Mund, who has been ill at her home this week, is reported to be improving some.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogge and daughter Kara Lynn sustained only very slight injuries when their car overturned on the highway between Eldorado and Sonora Sunday morning. They were on their way to Rowena, when their car slid on the wet pavement and turned over several times. The car was almost completely demolished. Mr. Rogge had a small cut on his head, Mrs. Rogge had a few bruises and cuts on her legs, and Kara Lynn had a scratch on her head from the accident. Mrs. Rogge is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bryant of Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Ramsey visited last week in Abilene with relatives and returned home Saturday.

A. J. Roach was taken to St. Johns Hospital in San Angelo recently after he became quite ill at his home here. He is much improved. Mrs. Roach has been with him.

Mrs. John M. Smith and John Jr. returned to their home at Centralia, Ill., Sunday after a visit here with their daughter and sister, Mrs. L. M. Sayles and new baby son.

Jimmy Danford and Billy Frank Meador were visiting friends in Abilene during the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Darrell Tapley of Brownwood spent the week end with the S. L. Stanfords.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McDaniels of Andrews spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Delbert Edmiston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Taylor and two boys spent the week end in Coleman with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thomas.

S. J. (Uncle Sid) Boothe, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is showing a slight improvement. He spent several days in a San Angelo hospital recently undergoing treatment for pleurisy.

Mrs. C. E. Sloane and Mrs. Esther McPherson of Sonora were Eldorado visitors Monday.

Washington News Letter

By Congressman O. C. Fisher

A Few Bills Pass

Last week the House took bold and decisive steps to bring about the long-overdue reorganization of Government agencies, passed a three-year extension of the Reciprocal Trade program, and moved to exclude 1949 planting from consideration in making up cotton acreage allotments for 1950, when that time comes.

The reorganization measure permits the President to make use of the Hoover Report in proposed streamlining of the Executive agencies. A year ago Congress passed a resolution setting up a joint commission to make the study of needed changes designed to eliminate overlapping functions and remove unnecessary boards and bureaus. The President appointed former President Hoover to head that commission. The bill passed last week gives the President the authority to take initial steps to put the Hoover report into effect.

This reform is badly needed. In the last 20 years, our Government has grown from about 350 agencies to over 1800 bureaus and agencies. Under this cumbersome hodge-podge, vast, expensive overlapping of functions has grown up. Some are illustrated with the salmon on the Columbia River. When the salmon swim up the Columbia out of the State of Washington, they are, at different stages, under the jurisdiction of 12 different federal agencies, and have to be looked after accordingly. The Department of Agriculture, the Department of Interior, the Department of Commerce, the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, and the various Columbia River development authorities—all look after them. Poor fish, some one added. Poor taxpayer.

Reciprocal Trade Bill

By a vote of 319 to 69, the House approved a three-year extension of the reciprocal trade program. An attempt to retain one feature of the 1948 extension act was defeated. This has required the Tariff Commission to furnish the President reports setting forth the lowest import rates which could be set on a product in a reciprocal agreement without imperiling an American industry engaged in making that or a competitive item. I voted to retain that provision, but it was struck out by a vote of 167 to 119. The reciprocal program is a very good thing, as I see it, when it is prudently administered. But it can be harmful when the well-being of our own industries is ignored.

Take Argentine coarse wool, for example, which since the war has been dumped into this country in large quantities, largely because a reciprocal agreement lets it in almost duty-free. As a result, Argentine wool growers have prospered while our competitive mohair growers have been virtually crowded out of their own domestic market which they have taken half a century to build up. Perhaps if the law at the time had required the Tariff Commission to investigate such effect in advance, the concession to Argentina would not have been so liberal and the resulting effect so disastrous.

NBC Broadcast Friday Night

At the invitation of the National Broadcasting Company, I will be interviewed on an NBC network program on Friday night, Feb. 18 from 9:45 to 10 o'clock Texas time. You are invited to listen in. The subject will be the Taft-Hartley labor law and the possible effect on the public if it should be repealed.

Henry Mittel of Eldorado, freshman student at Texas A&M, has been elected custodian of the A&M Freshman Radio Club. The post corresponds to president.

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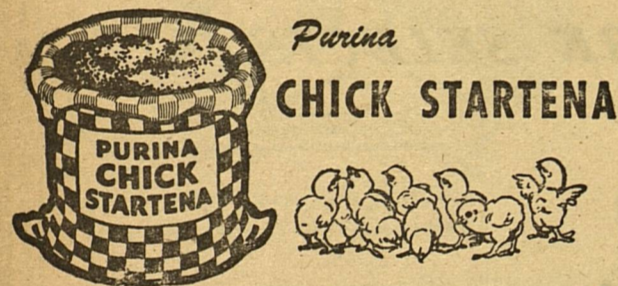
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Mrs. Floyd McGinnes Honored at Shower

Mrs. Floyd McGinnes, a recent bride, was honored at a shower at the First Methodist Church last Friday afternoon, with members of the Dorcas Circle of the WSCS as hostesses.

The Valentine theme was carried out in decorations and refreshments. Large red hearts connected by red and white streamers were on the wall above the sofa where the honoree sat, and crepe paper hearts decorated the tables holding the gifts.

Mrs. Roy McGinnes served the cake, which was made in the shape of a heart, iced in white and decorated with cinnamon candies. Mrs. Albert McGinnes poured the coffee from the table, laid with a red and white cloth and centered with white candles. Mints, napkins and favors all carried out the Valentine theme.

Mrs. Reuben Dickens gave a reading, "Once I Was a Bachelor" and Mrs. Wiley Hight directed a game. Miss Mary Lee Gunstead played piano music during the tea hour.

Assisting the honoree in opening the numerous gifts were her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sam McGinnes, and her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Elton McGinnes and Mrs. Albert McGinnes. Mrs. Elton McGinnes also presided at the bride's book.

Party Is Planned By Junior Club

Plans were made for a party, to be given the night of the next meeting, when the Junior Womens Club met last Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Jack Jones. Mrs. S. E. Jones Jr. was co-hostess.

The club party, to be held in the home of Miss Danell Baker on the evening of Feb. 24, will consist of a covered dish supper and table games. Mrs. Grover Lee Johnson was elected to membership in the club.

Mrs. L. D. Ochsner gave an interesting review of the book "Shannon's Way" by A. J. Cronin for the program.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostesses to about 15 members and one guest, Mrs. Ochsner.

Mrs. Carl Stevens Entertains Team

Honoring a group of girls whose baseball team won honors at a baseball tournament in 1947, Mrs. Carl Stevens entertained Saturday evening with a Valentine buffet supper in her home.

The Valentine motif was used in the decorations throughout the house and in the menu. Following supper, the group spent the evening playing games of hearts. Those present included Patsy Taylor, Mary Sproul, Greta Mund, Ebba Gene Blaylock, Myrta Bob Harper, Gordon Hamm, Billy Ray Jones, Glynn Biggs, Gerald Hicks, Mrs. Archie Mittel, Margo Mittel and the hostess.

Mrs. Rutha Boyer and Mrs. Howard Belcher and children visited Sunday in Christoval with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clarence Rumpy and family.

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Entertainment consisted of dancing and playing "Tripoli" and dominoes. Those present in addition to crew members and their families were Russell Horn, George Conover, George Fincher, and Bill Heffernan, who are on the Field Research Service located in Dallas. Guests from Eldorado were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudgens.

A Presto cooker was presented by the crew to Floyd McGinnes and his bride.

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

The "Greatest Story Ever Told" by Oursler, a story of the life of Jesus, has been added to the Eldorado Public Library. The volume is a Young Peoples Guild book. Other books donated recently by Mrs. Luke Robinson include "Why Japan Was Strong" by Patric; "The Lure of Alaska" by Franck; "Speaking Frankly" by Byrnes; "The Time for Decision" by Welles; and "Chinese Wit and Humor" by Kao.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

Mrs. Joe Edens gave the Bible lesson on The Message of the Epistles when the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. A. Griffin. Mrs. Bert Page opened the program with prayer and Mrs. Leslie Baker and Mrs. Sam Oglesby gave the Bible readings. Mrs. Page gave an article on "Gospel in a World Afraid."

The Valentine motif was carried out in the refreshments which were served to eleven.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Doyle moved this week to one of the Ray Jones rent houses. They formerly lived in an apartment at the home of Mrs. L. R. Damron.

Luke Thompson, Jr. Honored at Tech

Luke Thompson, Jr. of Eldorado, was among 34 men awarded Texas Tech football letters for the 1948 season. Presentation by Dr. J. William Davis, chairman of the Tech athletic council, was made during a student convocation.

Thompson lettered in 1944, 1947 and 1948 at end for Texas Tech, serving in the Navy, mostly in the Pacific, during seasons when he did not letter. Last season he was one of the outstanding wingmen of the Border conference.

BAILEY RANCH WMU

The Bailey Ranch WMU met last Thursday afternoon at the church, with Mrs. Edgar Spencer, president, in charge of the business. It was decided to fill a duffel bag to send overseas, with the Sunbeams and RA's to assist. Plans were made for the box which will be sent to Buckner's Orphans Home within the next month.

Highlight of the meeting was the letter read which was received by the group from Rev. Hugo Alnis, who had been the recipient of a CARE box sent by the WMU to Germany. Rev. Alnis wrote a very interesting letter thanking them for the box. He is pastor of the Latvian Baptist Church of Augsburg, Germany, in the displaced persons' camp.

Mrs. Archie Mittel was in charge of the program entitled "Christ the Answer in City Streets". A round table discussion on the subject was held.

Miss Lula Mae Green, hostess, served orange bread, cookies, tea sandwiches, tea and coffee to seven members.

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V. G. Tisdale Has 75th Birthday

V. G. Tisdale was honored on his 75th birthday Sunday with a birthday dinner at his home. Those present in addition to the honoree and his wife were Mrs. Pat Tinning and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ballew and daughter, and Mrs. Luke Thompson.

The highlight of the dinner was the coconut cake, baked by Mrs. Tisdale, which she has made for each of Mr. Tisdale's birthdays for over 40 years. The honoree received a number of gifts and greeting cards from relatives and friends in this area.

Mrs. Henry Mittel is expected to come home soon from the hospital where she has been for some time. After a stay here, she will return to the hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland of San Angelo visited their daughter, Mrs. Alvin Farris here Sunday. Weldon Holland, Mrs. Farris' brother, is visiting her here this week.

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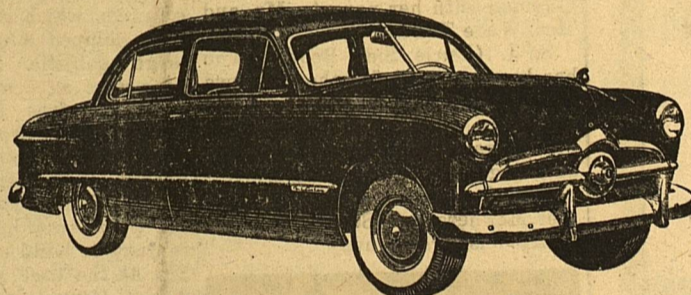
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Personal News Items

Mrs. Will Faught of Lampasas, who has been ill in a Temple hospital, is reported to be improving. She is the mother of Mrs. H. A. Beik, Milton and Bob Faught, all of this county.

Mrs. J. M. Christian has been ill with the 'flu this week.

W. T. Huber was brought home Monday from a San Angelo hospital where she underwent surgery recently. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. O. R. Young and daughter, Judy Ray of San Angelo visited over the week end with her brother, Houston Thigpen and family.

Mrs. C. G. Brooks left Tuesday for Big Spring where she planned to spend the remainder of the week with Mr. and Mrs. John D. Griffin.

Clyde Roberts of McCamey spent Sunday and Monday with his mother, Mrs. O. C. Roberts and his brother Jess and family in Schleicher County. He was accompanied by his daughter Clara, 8th grade student, who visited school Monday. He stated that their daughter Betty Grace Bullion will graduate from TSCW in August, with a major in library science, and that his wife is convalescing from an operation.

Jack Etheredge and Patton Enochs have bought a barn from from Keno Ogden, and had the building moved from its former location on the old Robinson lots, to a location between their homes. The building will be reconstructed into a two-car garage for the two families.

Donna Beth McCormick has the measles.

PAUL E. PAGE, MISS HUCKABY WED IN DALLAS

Miss Lucy Margaret Huckaby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huckaby of Dallas, and Paul Eugene Page, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Page of Eldorado, were married at 8:00 o'clock p. m. on Feb. 12, in a double-ring ceremony at University Park Methodist Church in Dallas. Rev. Lance Webb pastor, officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white satin gown with a marquisette yoke, long fitted sleeves extending to points over the hands, a fitted bodice, and a full gathered skirt worn over hoops. The double bustle swept down to form a train.

Her veil of illusion extended from a satin bonnet trimmed with orange blossoms. She carried a white prayer book topped with white camellias, satin and stephanotis.

The bride's attendants were Miss Joan Moffitt of Dallas, maid of honor, Mrs. H. W. Rutherford of Corpus Christi, matron of honor Mrs. R. A. DeSalme of Dallas and Mrs. Joe Bruce Kinnear of Jasper bridesmaids. They wore satin dresses of American Beauty and pink the bride's chosen colors, fashioned with Elizabethan collars, basque bodices and full gathered skirts over hoops. They wore matching gauntlets of satin, tiaras of carnations, and carried bouquets of the same.

William Mizell of Ennis was best man. Groomsmen and ushers were C. B. Cranfill of Crane, Geo. Finley of Eldorado, Doak Walker of Dallas, Dick McKissack of Dallas, Kyle Rote of San Antonio, Joe Etheridge of Kermit and Gene Hol of Dawson.

The church was decorated with fern and white candles at the altar, and white flowers, candles and satin ribbon along the aisle.

The wedding reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Travis Enochs and Mrs. Robert Claxton presided at the bride's cake, Mrs. E. L. Inabrett and Miss Betty Jameson were at the punch bowl, and Mrs. Frank Payne and Miss Sara Maloney were at the guest book.

When the couple left on a week's trip to San Antonio the bride was wearing a navy gabardine suit with navy and pink accessories.

The bride is a graduate of Highland Park High School and attended SMU where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. The bridegroom is a graduate of Eldorado High School and SMU where he received his degree on January 31. He is a member of Blue Key, Cycen Fjodor, and "M" Association.

Those who attended the wedding from Eldorado included Mrs. Bert Page, Wilson Page, Mrs. Sam Jones Sr., Mrs. H. T. Finley, Rev. and Mrs. F. E. King, and Mrs. F. B. Gunn. Others who attended who are known in this community included Mrs. R. A. King, Mrs. Georgia Brittain and Bunch King Brittain, all of Austin.

METHODIST NEWS

The meeting of the Eldorado, Sonora sub-district of the Methodist Youth Fellowship was held in Ozona Sunday afternoon with Judy White, president, in charge.

At the business session, the nominating committee was appointed to elect new officers at the spring meeting which will be held in Sonora the first Sunday in April. Reports from officers and committees were given, and the Eldorado group received the award for having the largest attendance present.

The program opened with the worship service by the Eldorado MYF with Sue Shilling as leader. The theme for the afternoon was Brotherhood, and following the devotional, Mrs. Edward White of Ozona gave a talk on China. After adjournment, the group were shown through the new church under construction, and the hostess MYF served refreshments. Those attending from Eldorado were Sue Shilling, Mary Yvonne Griggs, Patsy Taylor, Myrta Bob Harper, Lilla Jean Ellington, Jonnie Lee and Carol Lynn Dickens, Lewis and Corinne Wilson, Gordon Hamm Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griggs, Mrs. S. D. Harper and Mrs. Reuben Dickens.

WSOS Circle I met Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church for the Bible Study with Mrs. J. E. Tisdale and Mrs. Lewis Wilson leading the program on 'The Newness of Life.' Mrs. Luke Thompson, hostess, served refreshments to 10 members.

Family Night will be held at the church on Wednesday evening, Feb 23 at 7:00 p. m., with the Wesleyan Guild as sponsors. Following supper, recreation and an out of town speaker will be included on the program. The church membership and friends are invited to attend.

Mrs. Richard Cheatham, who underwent surgery in a San Angelo hospital recently, returned home Friday, and is getting along nicely. She spent last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bill McSwane in San Angelo.

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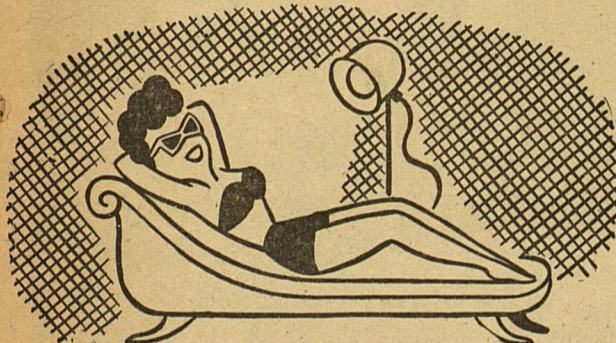


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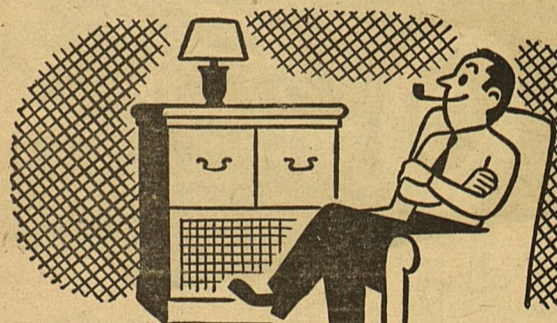
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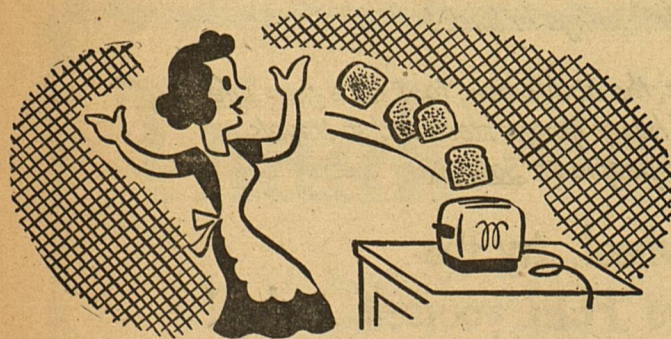
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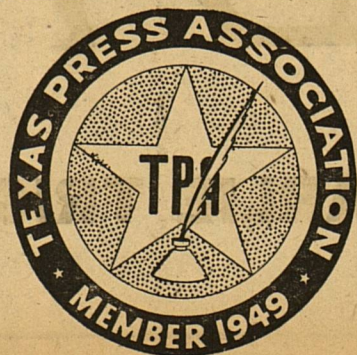
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Participating in the program were Rev. Horace King of Ozona, Rev. M. C. Dean of San Angelo, Will Jackson of San Antonio, Rev. W. H. Marshall of Sonora, Rev. Harrell of Rocksprings and Rev. Roy Shilling of Eldorado.

Rev. Marshall, who was in general charge of the program, introduced the visiting delegations. Prayers were offered by Rev. Shilling and Rev. Howell.

Rev. Dean, first speaker, cited instances in which other religions made high demands of their members and stressed the importance of the local churches, members of which must carry out the various phases of the Advance program.

Rev. King talked on the Week of Dedication, and emphasized prayer, witnessing, reaching of the unsaved, and dedication of the individual to the work. He pointed out four G's which would put the program over: God consciousness, God responsiveness, Giving of Selves and Gathering together. He explained the free will offering which will be taken during Dedication week.

Bill Jackson of San Antonio, a leading layman in the state, and president of the powerful San Antonio Council of Churches, comprising 65 churches representing 14 denominations, presented the lay-

man's part in the program. He pointed out the need of conviction strong enough to be felt throughout the world.

The four-year Advance project is the second phase of Methodism's evangelistic program—the first the Crusade for Christ, being completed last year with substantial gains in mission efforts, spiritual growth, and membership.

Local News Items

A. D. Richey, who has been in the Veterans' Hospital at San Antonio for some time, arrived here last Wednesday for a visit of several weeks. He is staying at the Eldo Hotel, and is to return to San Antonio on March 1. He states that he is feeling somewhat better and has gained a little weight.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Ratliff and daughter Carolyn went to Dallas and Greenville during the weekend. Mr. Ratliff returned home Tuesday and Carolyn, who is recovering from a recent illness but who cannot yet return to school, and Mrs. Ratliff remained in Greenville for a longer visit.

Mrs. J. C. Crosby of San Angelo spent Monday with her parents, the A. T. Wrights.

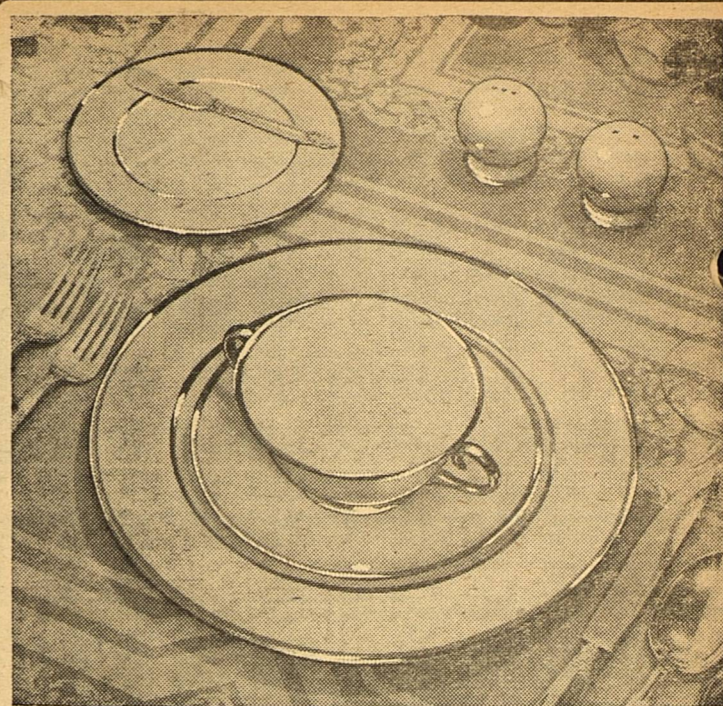
Mrs. J. M. Wyatt of San Angelo spent the week end with her son, W. F. Wyatt and family here.

Rev. Roy Shilling left Wednesday for Waco where he is attending a several days' training session for youth workers.

Joe Bailey Montgomery and Mrs. Jack Montgomery and boys spent the week end in San Antonio. Joe Bailey attended to business matters while there, and Mrs. Montgomery visited friends.

Mrs. N. J. Yearout of Hobbs, N. M. visited her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Nixon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Taylor spent the week end in Lubbock with friends.



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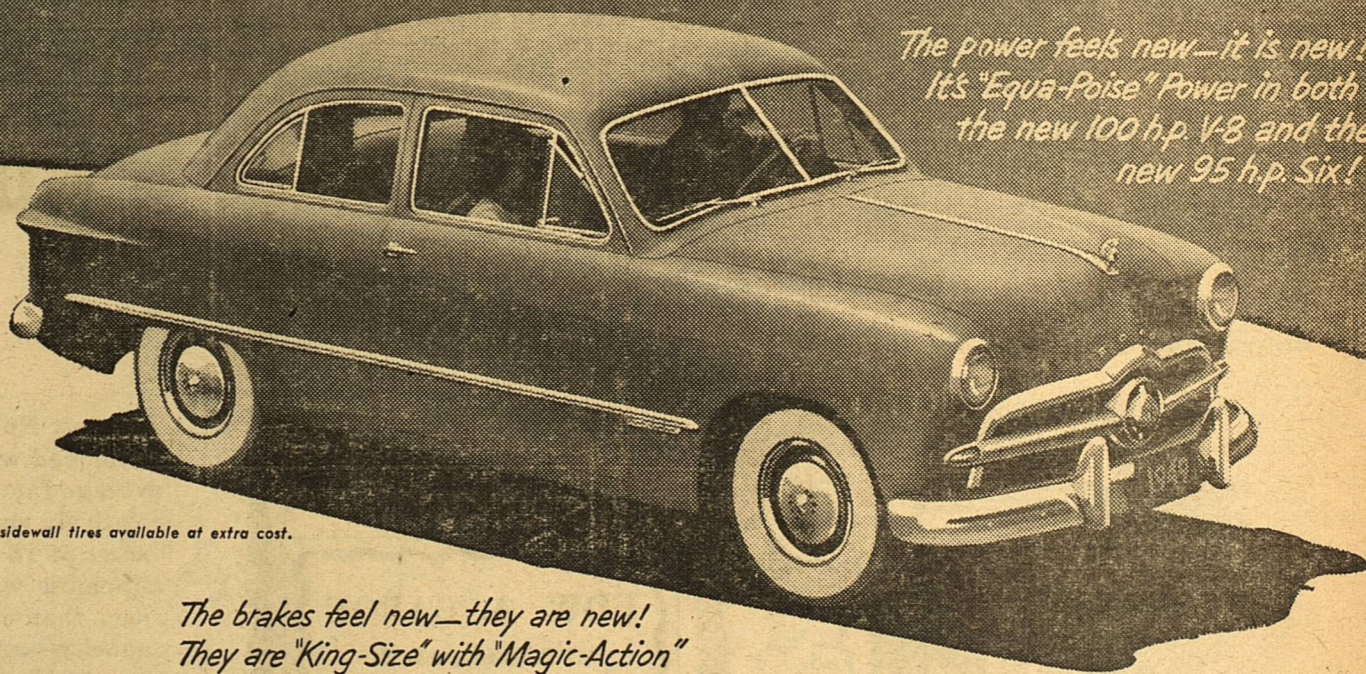
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Mrs. Van Horn Gives Party For Mother

Mrs. Frank Van Horn entertained Saturday, Feb. 12 from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. honoring her mother, Mrs. Fannie Fury on her 79th birthday anniversary. Gifts were received from Mes. K. Cheek, Mattie Cozzens, C. C. West, J. D. Ramsey, A. T. Wright, A. L. Jones, O. E. Conner, H. O. Graf and Myrtle Williams, and refreshments of birthday cake, coffee and tea were served.

Hays Is Speaker At OES Meeting

The Rev. J. M. Hays had charge of the program when Men's Night was observed Monday evening at the regular meeting of the Eldorado Chapter OES. Rev. Hays gave an interesting talk, both humorous and serious, on various phases of the Order.

The Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments and members of the social committee, W. A. Schuller, J. H. Mace and R. J. Alexander lent atmosphere to the theme with Valentine aprons and caps of red and white crepe paper.

Sandwiches, cookies, mints and coffee were served to approximately 30 members and one guest, Mrs. Roy B. Shilling.

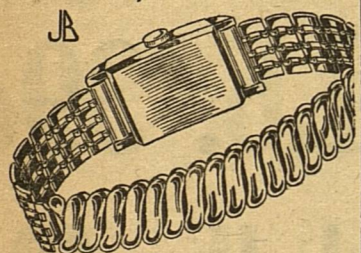
SLAM BRIDGE CLUB

Several guests were included when Mrs. E. C. Peters entertained the Slam Bridge Club in her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Jack Hext won high club, and Mrs. Pat Finley won high guest. Refreshments were served to 9 members and Mes. Finley, Luke Thompson, Ray Hudgens, Edward Meador, and Lillian Crosby, guests.

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SQUARE DANCE PARTY MONDAY AT KA-BAR

The Pioneer Square Dance Club of Eldorado were hosts to the Ranchero Club of Sonora, with a Valentine party at the Ka-Bar in Sonora Monday night. Present were about forty couples from the two clubs.

TELEPHONE CREWS MEND BROKEN WIRES

All telephone poles broken during the recent ice storm have been replaced, and crews are going ahead with stringing of wire. With continuation of good weather all phones should be in working order again in a week or two, state company officials.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE MEETS

Mrs. W. R. Bearce entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club last week at her home with Mrs. Leslie Baker winning high score and Mrs. Sam Oglesby, bingo. Refreshments were served to 11 members.

V. T. McMullen of Lubbock visited Friday with his sister, Mrs. O. L. Woodward. He owns a flower shop in Lubbock.

The four children of the H. A. Belk family are recovering this week from the measles.

George H. Neill of Sonora visited last Thursday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. G. A. Neill.

New measles cases include Judy Wyatt, Gail Mittel, and Martha Dell Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bailey of Ozona spent Sunday with Mrs. A. K. Bailey here.

Bill Matteson, recent graduate of Texas University, was a week end visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Coulter. He left Sunday for San Antonio where he started work Monday in the advertising department at Joske's.

Rev. and Mrs. Jim Hays will spend from Monday through Wednesday at Brownwood, attending sessions of District 16 Central Texas Bible Conference, comprising 11 counties and about 220 Baptist churches.

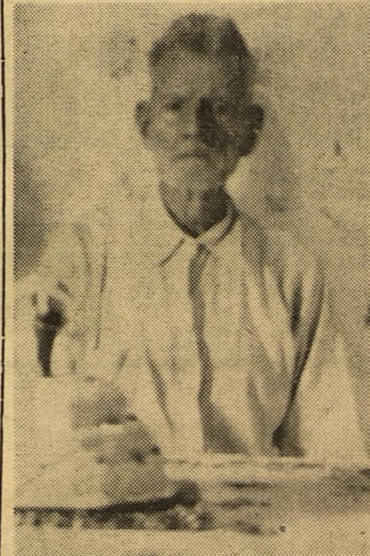
Mrs. Edwin Jackson, vice-president of the Sixth District of the PTA, was guest speaker at the Founder's Day Silver Tea at the Sonora PTA Tuesday afternoon and again at the Sonora Latin-American PTA meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Jackson and her husband, who accompanied her to Sonora, also visited and had lunch with Katharine Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frieble and daughter, Marianne attended funeral services in San Angelo Tuesday afternoon for Mr. Frieble's step-father, William Sheffield, 76 Mr. Sheffield, a building contractor and realtor, died suddenly Sunday afternoon in Brady.

Mrs. J. A. Whitten is reported to be improving in a San Angelo hospital where she was taken after becoming quite ill at her home Sunday morning. Members of the family have been with her part of the time.

Rev. and Mrs. F. E. King and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jackson spent the week end in Fort Worth where the two men took part in the installation of the Rev. Will King, son of the F. E. Kings, as pastor of the North Ft. Worth Presbyterian Church, Sunday at 7:30 p. M. Rev. King, pastor, and Mr. Jackson, an elder of the local church, were appointed by the Presbytery as part of the commission to install the pastor, who recently moved to Ft. Worth from Weslaco. The group returned home Monday.

J. E. ESTES, OLDEST RESIDENT OF SCHLEICHER COUNTY, IS STILL FAIRLY ACTIVE AT AGE OF 97



J. E. Estes

J. E. Estes, retired farmer, thought to be Schleicher County's oldest resident, passed another milestone in his long life when he celebrated his 97th birthday Thursday.

Several of his children served a birthday dinner at the couple's home Sunday, at which he was presented with a number of gifts. Attending were the honoree and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stanford, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Estes and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wood, Mrs. Odie Harris and two children, Rev. Darrell Tapley and wife and Mrs. G. A. Neill of Eldorado; and Mrs. Jess Padgett and daughter Diane of Sterling City.

Because of his advanced age, Mr. Estes' birthdays have been of increasing importance to residents of Schleicher County, and all were also interested in the celebration held in June, 1946, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Estes on their 61st wedding anniversary. Mrs. Estes, who is much younger than her husband, will be 82 in April. The couple live in a small cottage on the Stanford place.

Mr. Estes' sight and hearing, though failing, are not completely gone, and he is able to be about the house most of the time.

During the years of Mr. Estes' childhood, spent in his native state of Illinois, he became aware of the growing tension between north and south, and remembers vividly the period of the Civil War, though he was too young to take active part in the conflict. After the war he came to Texas and until he was 80 years old he farmed and raised stock in the South and Southwest. He has lived at various times in Arkansas and New Mexico, and other places in Texas in addition to Schleicher County. His wife is the former Novella Johnson whom he married in San Antonio on June 11, 1885.

He is a member of the Missionary Baptist Church and joined the Masonic Lodge many years ago. Of the ten children born to Mr. and Mrs. Estes, seven are living: Martin, Eldorado; Mrs. D. D. Gay Ruston, La.; Mrs. J. L. Lackey Cove, Ark.; Mrs. S. L. Stanford of Eldorado; Charlie of Cove, Ark.; and Mrs. Jess I. Padgett and Clyde Estes of Eldorado. The couple lost three grown children, Perry Estes, Mrs. R. E. Wright, and Viola, first wife of J. L. Lackey. There are also a large number of grand children and great grand children.

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Mrs. Will Loveless and four daughters of Eden visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Butler.

Mary Lee Roe of San Angelo spent the week end with Joyce Ann Van Horn.

A. T. Wright has bought a new Plymouth sedan.

Calvin Bounds has rented Mrs. A. H. Green's farm in the Alexander community for a year, and the family moved Tuesday to the place.

The Joab Campbells have recently bought a new Chrysler deluxe sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. King and daughter Diane attended the wedding of Mr. King's brother, Billie D. King and Miss Charlene Cook at 6:00 p. m. Saturday at Gorman. They returned by Abilene and visited with relatives there Sunday.

R. N. McDonald made a business trip to Dallas this week.

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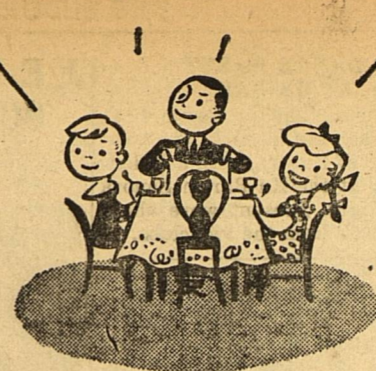
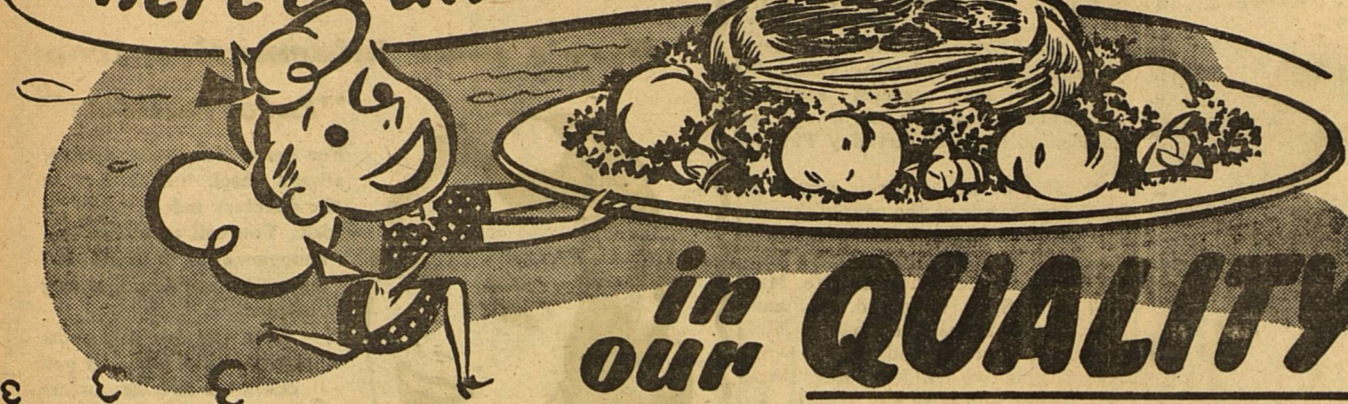
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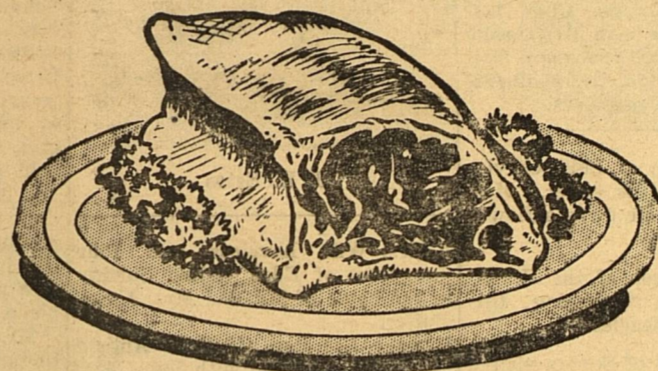
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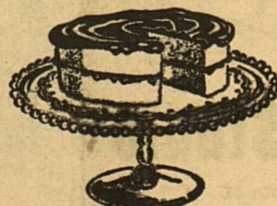
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