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ELDORADO, SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS

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Widespread Damage In Wake of Ice Storm Here SAVINGS BONDS

A destructive ice storm covering of the new line when the storm ractically all of Southwest Texas came. The San Angelo company practically all of Southwest Texas struck here early this week, causing serious damage to Schleicher County's new county-wide dial and Big Lake. system, crippling communications

between points throughout West Texas, putting all REA lines from the central office here out of commission, damaging trees and shrubs and causing livestock shrinkage.

Much of the ice melted during last night, and the fog is heavy today, with no rain, which may mean that the worst of the storm is over. During the storm about half an inch of rain fell.

Conditions were ideal for this catastrophe: a fine mist falling, with temperature hovering around 30 degree

Telephone Lines Down

Probably the most far-reaching damage has been done to the new dial telephone system, which has served the entire county since its completion late last fall.

A few items serve to show how serious the damage has been. A lead line in Glendale went down Wednesday, crippling service there. The Rudd community, long without satisfactory service of any kind until the new line came through, is isolated, several large new pole having gone down, two or three of them obstructing the road unti they were removed. Juice was killed in main electric lines a number of times Wednesday, when REA and telephone lines went down to provide a jumbled mass of wreck age, causing danger to life and to the main dial equipment.

Lines in the Mexican community are also out.

A few freakish events were of interest to passers-by. At the cemetery several poles were turned in their holes, with cross pieces pointing in the wrong direction!

Wednesday long distance lines were in operation to Sonora and for a short time to San Angelo. Today all toll lines are out. Many individual drops, especially in the business district, have been re paired.

While the local telephone crew is working at present on long distance lines, they will begin on Schleicher county telephone lines as soon as the ice melts. It is expected that crews from San Angelo will be sent help on the repairing of th

suffers more serious damage in some other places, such as Eden **Telegraph Wires Down** L. D. Ochsner reports that he has

not been able to send telegrams since Monday about noon, since all telegraph wires leading out of San Angelo are down. He has been handling emergency telegrams by short wave. Crews are working on the lines, but it will be some time before service is back to normal. Passenger train service is about normal. Since passenger trains move according to regular timetables, their scheduled trips have not been interrupted. But freight

trains, and other trains which must move according to telegraphed instructions, have been hampered graph wires, and freight service Retail Merchants reatly due to the breakage of tels very uncertain and in some cases Elect Directors completely stopped.

Condition of Stock

County Agent W. G. Godwin reports that stock in the county is in he long drouth and the recent ice usually has several cold snaps during the course of a winter. All ranchers who had not yet

begun feeding have been forced to tine Hext. start, and those who have already been feeding their stock have had to increase the amount, he said. There is little lambing yet.

Since the weather has moderated and the ice is thawing, stock will come through with little damage. Small grain is the only crop in the ground at present and the moisture will benefit it.

Seismic Crew Indoors

The Magnolia Seismic crew, which has been working in this area, have been forced to stop work for several days because of the on newcomer reports and the exmuddy condition of pastures. With | tension of credit in general. normal care, the ice does not hurt their heavy trucks and other equipment, but these trucks are very damaging to wet pastures scantily covered with grass. During the storm, the men have been busy re-

ground hardens, they will go out ciation, duties of members, etc.

SCHLEICHER BUYS LARGE AMOUNT OF NEW DAUGHTER

The people of Schleicher County bought \$63,765.50 worth of U.S. Savings Bonds during 1948, accord ing to a year-end report by Harry Owens of Dallas, state director for Savings Bonds, to C. L. Meador, Jr., County Savings Bonds chair man. During the same period, the people of Texas bought \$196,448,-

587.50 worth of these securities. Mr. Owens said that Texans now own more than \$1.5 billion worth of Savings Bonds which earned \$42,372,000 in interest during the vear.

There are more Savings Bonds in the hands of the people today than ever before. Almost 70 per cent of all bonds ever issued are still in the possession of their original owners. The sale of Series E bonds in Texas alone during 1948 was over four million dollars more than for 1947.

For This Year

The Retail Merchants Association of Eldorado met at the Eldopretty good condition, considering rado Hotel for a luncheon on Mon day, January 10, with the following storm. Most ranchers are prepared members present: Ray Hudgens, for bad weather during the next J. H. Mace, Ed Hill, W. M. Pattersix weeks, since Schleicher County son, E. H. Coulter, John Stigler Jerry Pennington, Jack Ratliff, Arthur Harms, Jack Hext, Charlie Trigg, Carrol Ratliff and Ernes-

> The meeting was called to order after lunch by President Carrol Ratliff. Officers for the year 1949 were elected by secret ballot. Directors for the new year are Ray Hudgens, Ed Hill, J. H. Mace, E. H. Coulter and W. M. Patterson, who was re-elected.

> It was decided that the Association members would meet quarterly at noon with a program on Credit provided by the secretary manager.

Open forum discussion was held

Immediately after the adjourn ment of the above meeting, the di rectors met and elected Ray Hudgens as president of the association for the year 1949. Ernestine Hext was re-elected secretary-manpairing and maintaining equip-ment. When the ice thaws and the of credit, advantages of the asso-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Totzke Eldorado are parents of a daughter born in a San Angelo hospital Totzke is engineer for the Magno-

lia Seismic crew here, and the couple live in one of the Crosby apartments. The baby was named Pastors' Retreat Linda Jean, and weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces at birth. Grandparents At Local Church are Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boyle and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Totzke, all of Minneapolis, Minn. The wives of Magnolia Seismic

men located here gave Mrs. Totzke a shower at the home of Mrs. R. M. Nugent Saturday, and presented her with a bassinet as a gift from the group. Cake and coffee was served. The group played san-pan during the afternoon.

ANNUAL 4-H **CLUB SHOW** HERE SATURDAY

The annual 4-H Club Show will be held Saturday, January 15, 1949 in the vicinity of Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Company at 1:00 . m. If the weather is too disagreeable for the outdoor pens, the show will be postponed to the following Saturday.

Jim Martin will exhibit two Hereford steers. Charles Jackson program. will exhibit three Aberdeen-Angus At Mor steers. Both boys are experienced feeders and have good calves. What boy or what breed will wind will be a close judging affair. The calves are good.

Jack Stanford and Truett Kent Stanford will exhibit registered Corriedale buck and ewe lambs. Fat lambs will be exhibited by David Powell. The club boys are also inviting

the ranchers to exhibit any animals which they would like to show to the public.

Charles Jackson and Jim Martin will exhibit two calves in the Houston Fat Stock Show Feb. 2. The ewes will be exhibited in the San Angelo Fat Stock Show in March. Three calves will be exhibited in San Angelo in March.

M. H. Badger, County Agent of brought the closing message. Tom Green county, will judge the show. A total of \$157 will be given as prizes out of the club fund. The money was raised earlier by rafflng a calf.

RE-BURIAL SERVICES

FOR MRS. PAGE'S BROTHER

Rangelands Tournament ter born in a San Angelo hospital at 4:57 p. m. Sunday, Jan. 9. Mr. At Gym This Week End

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This Week End

The Eldorado Methodist Church pasitors' retreat Monday and Tuesday. In spite of inclement weather 21 of the district's 33 churches were epresented at the meeting.

Plans for participation in the Methodist Church's "Advance for Christ and His Church" program were discussed and it was announced that seven sub-district rallies will be held during February, at which further plans for the new four-year program will be made. The meetings are scheduled for the Methodist churches in Rankin Sonora, Menard, Brady, Mason Del Rio and Trinity in San Angelo. The Rev. I. O. Donaldson, pastor of Trinity in San Angelo, discussed a larger committment to the faith, to the ministry, to the church and to the missions, as one of the two major phases of the advance

At Monday afternoon's meeting, the advance in giving was discussed Rev. Ed H. Lovelace of Sterling

Discussing other phases of the advance program were Rev. Ross Welch of Robert Lee, Rev. Horace King of Ozona, and Rev. Ben H. Bohmfalk of San Angelo, followed by general discussion.

Rev. Grady Peters of Eden spoke at Monday night's services to which the general public was in-A feature of the program

was the all-pastors' choir. Tuesday morning, Rev. J. B. Jordan of Junction led the morning devotions, Rev. Fred Bruchs led a registered Corriedale bucks and general discussion, Rev. Harold S Goodenough of Del Rio talked on the congregation's acceptances of finances, and Rev. Ray Johnson of First Methodist, San Angelo

> Women of the hostess church served supper to the group on Monday evening.

Ed Willoughby of San Angelo visited Friday with Mrs. Frank Webb and other old friends here.

Coaches Bud Hopkins and Ted Kirby, and Supt. C. A. Reynolds are completing plans this week for the annual Rangelands Basket-

ball Tournament, to be held here this week end. Lake View, who has won the first place trophy for the was host when pastors of the San last two years, will defend its title Angelo District met for the annual against seven teams from this area.

In addition to first place, second place, and consolation trophies to be given, there will also be individual awards for the all-tournament team.

Ozona and Menard open the tournament with a game at 7:15 Friday night, followed by Eldorado and Sonora at 8:30. Lake View and Rocksprings will play at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, and at 10:15 the final first-round game will be played between the San Angelo Kittens and Del Rio.

Play-offs will include the Lake liew-Rochsprings winner against the Eldorado-Sonora winner at 3:15 Saturday afternoon, and the Ozona-Menard winner against the Del Rio-Kitten winner at 4:30.

Consolation play will include the Lake View-Rocksprings loser against the Eldorado-Sonora loser at 11:30 Saturday morning, and the Ozona-Menard loser against the Del Rio-Kitten loser at 2:00 Saturday afternoon.

Consolation final is at 7:15 and the final for championship at 8:30 Saturday night.

Tickets for the entire tournament are on sale for \$1.50, or tickets for each individual game may

be purchased at the door. The Eldorado Home Economics Club will entertain the visiting coaches and school officials at a luncheon Saturday at 1:00.

Basketball Team Loses District Game

In the first district game of the season, the Eldorado basketball eam lost to the Ozona team in Ozona last Friday night. The team and the junior team, who also played against Ozona teams, were defeated during the same evening. The A team lost by a 34-25

core, with Hamm and Jones as high point men with 8 points each. Milton and A. Hoover of Ozona made 7 points each.

lines. Since every town in this area is having trouble with broken lines, it will be some time before service is back to normal.

A welcome visitor here is Rober Cluff, factory representative, who with his wife and daughter have returned for what Mr. Cluff thought would be a routine inspection of the Eldorado and Sonora systems. He installed the dial office equipment a few months ago.

Small "kinks" in the new dial system had practically all been ironed out, and the local office had settled down to routine operation

into the field again, they state. School Is Little Affected Attendance at school was cut

slightly by the inclement weather. On Tuesday the station wagon failed to make its run to Rudd and on Wednesday several other busses failed to run also. As the electricity was off intermittently, the furnace was off part of the time, but the buildings remained comfortably warm. One inconvenience all week

has been the fact that the automatic clock which controls the school's signal system has failed to run.

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was held. It was decided that the directors would meet each month. The next meeting will be Thursday, February 10, at one o'clock at the Retail Merchants office.

Jamie Alleen is the name given Bob Page of Eldorado. The Pages to the new daughter born Dec. 30 left here Wednesday to attend the to M-Sgt. and Mrs. James Manning services. of Sacremento, Calif. The baby,

who is their second daughter, weighed 7 pounds, 15 oz. Mrs. Lizzie McAngus of Eldorado is the home in Eldorado, and the E. W. maternal grandmother. Mrs. Man- Perry family, who have been living ning is the former Chrystelle Mc-Angus.

The remains of Bernard Brittain. FOUR OF A KIND! vho was killed in the Battle of the

Bulge in Europe in World War II, Anyone interested in raising thoroughbred milk goats in a have been returned to the United big way should contact Paul States, and re-burial services will be held Friday afternoon in Center. Phillips, who on the strength of his record seems to be the Texas. He was a brother of Mrs. city's leading goat breeder! Phillips' Nubian nanny has presented her proud owner

with quadruplets -all nannies! He reports that mother and Mrs. R. H. Blaylock, Sr. of Rothe four kids, bedded down on bert Lee is moving this week to her hay in the Phillips barn, are doing fine. The largest weighs in the Blaylock house, are moving 6 pounds and the others about to the Wallace Joiner rent house. 4 each.

The B team was beat by Sonora 42-22, and the junior team 9-6.

BAND PARENTS NOTICE

The Band Parents meeting. scheduled for tonight, has been postponed due to bad weather, and will be held next Tuesday night at 7:30 at the band hall. The program will consist of selections by the band students.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Talley of Texon visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McGinnes. The two men are former school friends.



On the 10th day of June, 1946, W. C. Rutherford and William B. an election for an additional bond inal issue is the only outstanding on file in this office. It is my opin- money first authorized would go and if it is the will of the majority and if it is the will of the majority and if it is the will of the majority of the majority and if it is the will of the majority of the majority and if it is the will of the majority of t the Commissioners Court of Schleicher County, Texas, was presented in the amount of \$93,767.00 and with a petition signed by D. C. O. \$87,191.00 respectively. Of course Wilson and 81 other qualified pro- these bids had to be rejected and perty taxpaying voters of this this Court was undecided at that County asking that an election be time as whether to order an addiheld to determine whether or not tional bond issue in the amount of bonds of said County be issued in necessary funds to complete this the sum of \$50,000.00 for the pur- project, or to take the original pose of erecting a community amount of funds on hand and probuilding to be dedicated to the ceed with construction on the memory of Veterans of World War | building under the supervision of I and II, with the proposition that the Commissioners Court and prorecreational facilities for the ceed as far as we could on the children of this county also be included in this project. Subsequently an election was ordered, and held on June 29, 1946, which carried with a majority of almost two to one in favor of the issuance of Memorial Building which started these bonds and the construction in March, 1948. of this project.

money voted for this purpose. The latter course was decided upon and at its regular meeting on February 9, 1948 an order was passed to proceed with the construction of the

In compliance with the policy of

Upon completion of the bond this Commissioners Court in keepissue and as soon as government restrictions were lifted the Coming the public informed at all times with proceedings of this Court, I missioners Court asked for bids on deem it our duty to explain to you the construction of said project how your mandate has been car-As prices of material and labor had ried out with reference to the advanced considerably since this funds voted for the above project pairing the present Court House original fund, and to complete the are Against same strike out the pendent on your guidance. election was held, only two bids and to explain to you why this which was built in 1923 at a cost recreational center according to were submitted, being the bids of Court deemed it necessary to call of \$60,000.00. \$2000.00 of the orig- plans and specifications which are will of the majority as far as the

the first project, repairing the Court House and improving grounds of same.

The Memorial Building is almost completed with a balance of cash on hand as of this date of approximatel \$3000.00. There are, however, many minor details involved in the completion of any building and it s impossible to estimate, accurat ely, the exact cost at this time. It is likely to exceed the funds on hand in the amount of \$500.00 or \$1000.00. There is a balance of considerable building material left on

hand which can be used in contination of this project. According to notice of bond el-

ection published in this week's issue of the Eldorado Success, 3 propositions are submitted to the voters of this County. Proposition no. 1 is for or against the issuance of Court House Bonds in the amount of \$15,000.00.

This money is being asked for by the Court for the purpose of re-

order to preserve this building for the use and benefit of the public for many years to come, and to avoid necessity of a further bond

issue for a new Court House. remaining outstanding bonds. in this county. There is enough money on hand in

the Court House Sinking Fund as of this date to take care of the old original obligation when due.

THIS PROPOSITION WILL NOT COST THE TAXPAYER ONE PENNY MORE IN TAXES In fact this levy will more than take care of both issues and will be reduced to an amount which will exactly pay the interest and retire the bonds as they mature. Proposition No. 2 is the authori-

zation of an issue of \$25,000.00 for the completion of the main build-

and is due and payable in 1950. It completed on less money than we that this project be discontinued, is the opinion of this Court that are asking for, in which case we there is nothing further to be done this is a necessary expenditure in would not issue the total amount of about the matter.

bonds unless they were needed. THIS PROPOSITION WILL NOT INCREASE TAXES ONE CENT MORE THAN WE ARE LEVYING NOW TO TAKE CARE OF THE At the present time there is a FIRST ISSUE, due to our increase levy of 7 cents to retire the above in valuations from oil developments

> Proposition No. 3 is for the authority to levy 5 cents on the \$100.00 property valuation as provided in Article 6081e, Vernon's Civil Statutes, and is the only proposition in Schleicher County will be proud of the three submitted that will of. When completed, this building cost the taxpayers. We are asking will be instrumental in securing for this money for the purpose of programs that are educational and maintaining these buildings and entertaining for young and old grounds. Practically every county alike, and will be a meeting place in Texas has already voted and are for all of the people of this county. using this levy.

The above three propositions are strictly a yes or no proposition. If County, go to the polls on Saturday, you are For the proposition strike January 15th and vote your sentiing, in case there is a deficit in the out the word Against, and if you ments. This Court is entirely deword For. We have carried out the

As a taxpayer and one who is deeply interested in the welfare of the young people of this County, I shall vote for the issuance of funds to complete the entire recreational set-up according to plans. My .dea is that good clean entertainment for our young folks might be instrumental in keeping down juvenile delinquency to a certain extent in this County. We have a building almost completed which everyone

If you desire to continue a prog-

ram of improvement for Schleicher

-Sincerely, C. L. Meador, Jr.,



Bob Barker left Saturday night ill He made the trip by bus. Mr. in the Peel home one night last Barker is a driller for Western week were the W. C. Pressleys Drilling Co.

babies of Edna are visiting here with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Reuben Englert and family. San Angelo over the week end with her cousin, Mrs. V. C. Baker and

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cathey returned home Monday from a week home. end visit with relatives at Brady and Menard.

Vicki Lou spent Sunday in San and Mrs. E. R. Bryant. elo visiting the C. H. Edsalls. Russell Donaldson has

Mrs. A. R. Parker and her mofor Duncan, Okla., upon receipt of ther, Mrs. St. Clair, had Sunday word that his mother was seriously dinner with the Eddie Peels.Guests Roy Andrews. and the T. C. Bradleys of San An-Mrs. William B. Curlee and two gelo, who played 42 with the Peels. Jonnie Lee Dickens visited in family, and in the J. A. Bulger

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogge and Elder's Station. Kara Lynn of Sonora visited Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll and day evening with her parents, Mr. furnished house on paving. Electric refrigerator, garage. Call 91471.

THE ELDORADO SUCCESS, ELDORADO, SCHLEICHER CO., TEXAS

1-3 Down 1935 Ford Pickup

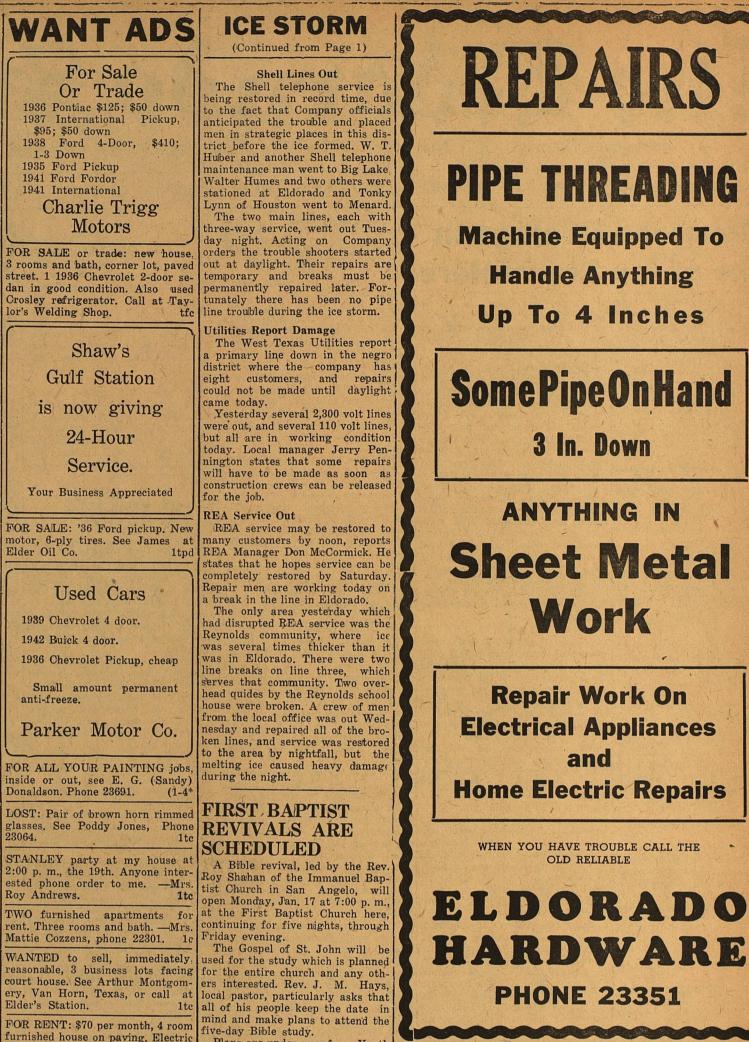
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1949



Herman Wayne and Jimmy spent the day with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitely here. Mrs. A. G. Clark has had the cast removed from her leg and is able to walk without the aid of crutches

been he sick list this week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ratliff and boys spent Sunday in San Angelo with the Curtis Smiths. Mrs. Rutha Boyer, who has been

quite ill this week at her home, is improving some.





STETHOSCOPE-ON YOUR WATCH

No haphazard watch repairing here! We don't hang your watch on a board for a week or two to check it. No, indeed! When you bring your watch in, we put it on the WatchMaster and this amazing electronic instrument prints a record telling us exactly what is wrong (see the "dad-ot", above).

We can then estimate proper charges, immediately, adding nothing by guess-work. When your watch is repaired, we check it again, assuring you of "proven" efficiency of our work .- faster, too!

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Your relatives may be widely scattered. How glad they would be for a picture, and how they would cherish



Revival to be held some time in April. More definite details and the date will be announced some time in the near future.

Plans are under way for a Youth

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Judy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Belcher, was honored on her second birthday with a party Tuesday afternoon at her home The guests played games and were given balloons as favors.

Highlight of the occasion was the pink and white birthday cake, decorated with pink rosebuds, two candles and the inscription "Happy Birthday, Judy."

Hot chocolate, ice cream and cake were served to Gary Brown Jerry Edmiston, Jodie Wagley. Frankie Nell Blaylock, Kay Peters Montie Montgomery, the honoree and the children's mothers. A number of gifts were sent.

ST. LUKE'S BAPTIST CHURCH Regular services were held Sunday morning and at 11:00 a. m. the Starlight Band entertained with a program of their own selections. At 3:30, the YWA group presented a program with the tea-cher, Mrs. B. M. Miles, and Mrs. Lillian Greenwood, Mrs. Rosetta Lozana and A. J. Jackson joining

the group. At 7:30 p. m. the Missionary sisters were in charge of a spiritual prayer service. Rev. C. H. Adkins will leave af-

ter the third Sunday to meet with the district board in Brady on Jan. 19-20, and will return before the first Sunday in February. Work on the parsonage is almost

completed. Rev. Roy B. Shilling, Methodist pastor, will be guest speaker at the church on January 16 at 3:00 p. m.

YWA meeting, Tuesday night. Prayer meeting, Wednesday night

Starlight Band, Thursday, 4p. m. Teachers' weekly meeting, Friday night.





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While we are filling up your car with that good Humble gasoline, putting in winter weight oil, and checking tires-you'll have time to do your grocery shopping.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1949

OES MEETING

Talley of Texon.

to 9 members.

8:00 a.m.

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Night program, and routine busi-

ness of the organization was con-

ducted. Refreshments were served

Mass is scheduled Sunday for

Mrs. Henry Mercer visited Sun-

LETTERS. . . From the People

time and again not to spend our | didate, was initiated into the chapmoney for a non-essential. What is ter. a non-essential? It is something

you can do without-and a swimming pool is that. Further a swimming pool is

NUISANCE. If I understand the original plans, this plan calls for a pool 25 x 75. Figure how many gallons of water it would take to fill it 3 or 3½ feet, enough for a person to swim in. What if a fire should break out and all the water in the swimming pool? What would you do for water to water

your flowers, trees and gardens? Now figure on the upkeep. When in regular use-a caretaker would

cost plenty and draining the pool regularly will also cost.

Now let's figure on this \$25,000 merly lived in town, have moved bond issue. It is to run 25 years. are living in There is \$1,000 dollars of the prin- are living in a new four-room cipal besides interest and upkeep to dig up every year for 25 long place. years, besides your other taxes. I day in Sonora with her son, Dial with John Yates. The couple left would like to ask, just when has the Mercer and family. court yard been destined for a public park?

I do not belong to the Presbyter-ian Church, but I have some friends who do. It would be an imposition to their church to build a swimming pool across the street in front of their place of worship — and with the annex they are building it will be one of the nicest churches in

And now a word for the hospital on which they have always turned me down. Just last year when I inquired of Judge Meador about a \$100,000 bond issue he said the county was about up on bond issues, that he had not figured close but he did not think it would stand more than \$30,000 more. What did they do? They raised the rendition and are asking for \$40,000 with the biggest part to build a swimming pool

And how about the court house bond? Do you not know that each county has a court house fund set aside out of the general fund for the upkeep and expense? But if they show me an absolute neces sity of a court house bond I will vote for it. But not for a \$25,000 bond to build a non-essential swimming pool in the court house yard which will take you and your grandchildren 25 years to pay for Exercise your privilege and be careful how you vote.

-Sincerely yours, Dr. H. Z. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed DeLong of San Angelo visited Sunday with his parents, the D. E. DeLongs, and their daughter, Mrs. Robert Camp-

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Williams

THE ELDORADO SUCCESS, ELDORADO, SCHLEICHER CO., TEXAS

PRESBYTERIAN NEWS

METHODIST WOMEN

A special meeting of the Eldo-rado Chapter OES was held Satur-Mrs. Keno Ogden had charge Mrs. Keno Ogden had charge of

From the reopie Here we are facing a \$40,000 bond issue. It is well to get pencil and paper and figure what it will cost to tax payers of Schleicher. First, I want to notice the \$25,000 bond and what it is for. \$26,000 bond and what it is for. \$26,000 bond and what it is for. \$27,000 bond and what it 525,000 bond and what it is for. Show program was held, with Mrs. ram were Mmes. S. D. Harper, Roy This is for a swimming pool in the court yard. We are admonished didate was initiated in the group. Marvin McDonald, new can-didate was initiated in the didate was initiated in the group. Marvin McDonald, new can-

> ram which closed with a prayer Bert Page and Mrs. J. A. Butler. by Mrs. Hight.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cheatham Foreign Missions to be held later were honored on their 26th wedding this month. A salad plate and cofanniversary Sunday with a sur- fee was served to 12 members and prise dinner with their children as one guest by the hostesses, Mrs. hosts. A feature of the dinner was Jones and Mrs. Ellen Strickland. a large decorated cake with the in-scription "Happy Anniversary." WOMAN'S CLUB NOTICE Present in addition to the honored couple and their children, Ouita, scheduled for Tuesday, was post-

at Ft. Worth during the week end.

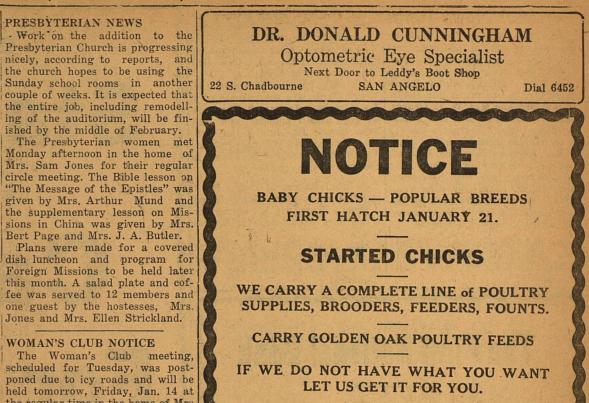
Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Evans visited visiting in Newport Beach, Calif. Monday of last week.

New Markets are Born

New products are developed, new uses are found for meat and by-products in Swift's Food Research Laboratories. Thus our "scientist-salesmen" help you find wider outlets for your livestock.



Business



Williams Hatchery Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Craig, Owners

Homemakers use more and more meat and livestock products, thanks to findings of Swift nutritionists.

Martha Logan's Recipe for

PORK AND NOODLES (Yield: 5 servings) pound ground pork 1 4-oz. package noodles egg Seasoning Flour 2 tablespoons

2 quarts boiling water 1/2 cup diced green pepper 1 cup diced cooked rutabaga

Combine pork, egg, and seasoning. Form into 1-inch balls, Roll in flour. Brown in hot fat. Boil noodles in salted water 10 minutes. Drain. Combine noodles, green pepper, and rutabaga. Place in greased 2-quart casserole. Place pork balls on top. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) about 40 minutes or until pork is well done.

- Soda Bill Sez: -

New Year's resolutions are like eggsthey're made to be broken. It's not the hours you put in, but what you put into your hours.

QUOTES OF THE MONTH-

Animals have done more to make America great than any other one thing. Directly and indirectly, animals account for about 80 per cent of the jobs in

in a Test Tube / 1/ 10 1 11

Many million head of livestock are marketed annually. Demand for meat from these animals has been increased by Swift research.

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Yes, their work means money to you ... millions! The average annual commercial slaughter for the last ten years was over 281/2 million cattle and calves. nearly 65 million hogs, and over 22 million sheep ar lambs. That's a lot of meat-and it's a lot of byproducts, too! Cowhides, pigskins, and sheepskins, by the millions, for everyday leather goods. Well over 50 million pounds of pulled wool annually for cloth and clothing. Thousands of tons of lards and soaps for home and industry. Carloads of animal feeds. Tons of hair for upholstery. The list is almost endless. Research found how to derive life-saving pharmaceuticals from animal by-products. Here numbers are important. For example, tiny glands from many thousands of animals must be saved to produce one pound of adrenalin, powerful heart stimulant. To yield one pound of crystalline insulin, vital in the treatment of diabetes, the pancreatic glands of 20,000 cattle are needed. Important, too, is albumin, tuberculosis "detector" recovered from cattle blood—and many more beneficial, all-important medicinal products derived from animal slaughter.

ben Dickens, Wiley Hight, Luke Thompson, J. E. Tisdale and D. E. Mrs. Sam Jones for their regular Approximately 50 attended, in-DeLong. cluding two visitors, Mrs. Velma DeLong of San Angelo, and H. H. A worship center was used with "The Message of the Epistles" was lighted candle, the cross, and given by Mrs. Arthur Mund and the world. Appropriate music was the supplementary lesson on Misused as a background to the prog- sions in China was given by Mrs. At the regular meeting of the OES Monday evening, Phoebe Neill had charge of the Study

dish luncheon and program for

The Woman's Club meeting, The Owen Fry family, who for-merly lived in town, have moved S. H. Cheatham. held tomorrow, Friday, Jan. 14 at Charlie Trigg expects to attend the regular time in the home of Mrs the district Ford dealers' meeting W. N. Ramsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Copeland are

several days in San Angelo with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Smith.

took their daughter, Jacquelyn to San Angelo for treatment this week end, and also visited relatives here.





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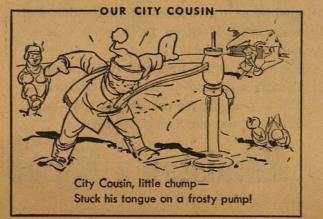
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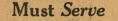
Notice of entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matters not news will be charged for at the regular rates.



Now recent research has developed an entirely new line of important chemicals from fatty acids. One chemical from fat makes clothing water-repellent. Another is a flotation agent, useful in the separation of phosphates for fertilizers. Another prolongs the life of synthetic tires by causing them to run cooler. And detergents, "soap substitutes," have been re-covered for use with hard water in the home and industry. So the list grows, from day to day.

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As you look about your own neighborhood you'll find some men who are assets to the community, others who

add nothing to community life. These good citizens may be large operators or "little fellows." You do not rate them by the size of their operations but by their characters, abilities and what they contribute to the good of the community.

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Roger H. Bray and A. U. Thor, University of Illinois

Crossbred or Fine-Wool?

by A. C. Esplin Utah State Agricultural College,

shortening

Logan, Utah Crossbreeding in Western Range herds has long been a discussion point among operators. The ad-vantages of the crossbred over fine-wool are:



1) Crossbred ewes are better A. C. Esplin mothers; 2) they are more prolific breeders; 3) they produce lighter shrinkage wool; 4) they produce high percentage combing wool; 5) they pro-duce better mutton lambs; 6) they are better rustlers on the range; and 7) they are larger sheep.

The disadvantages reported for crossbred ewes are: 1) they are shorter lived than fine-wool ewes; 2) they lose wool on brush and do not hold fleece when past 3 years of age; 3) crossbred ewe lambs must be sold as feeders and ewes bought for replacement; 4) they are more difficult to herd than fine-wool ewes; 5) they are not as hardy as finewool ewes; 6) it is impossible to maintain standards of breeding and uniform wool grades with crossbred ewes; 7) annual death losses are more than with fine-wool ewes.

This, as a whole, expresses the range operator's thinking on problems of breeds of sheep and breeding operations. Length of life, density and qual-ity of fleece, uniformity of herd, and herding in-stincts are considered by the largest number of operators.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1949

Personal News Items

Mrs. Bob Bradley of Lubbock underwent a major operation last Saturday in a Lubbock hospital. Relatives visiting with her Sunday included her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Graves, a brother and sisterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graves, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Frank Bradley. Mrs. Graves remained with her daughter for a few days. Mrs. Kenneth Love and children, formerly of Stanton, who have been visiting here with her sister Mrs. H. W. Scott and other relatives, were joined last week by Mr. Love, and the family have moved

and family.

to Tahoka to make their home. wood

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harzke of Ft. Stockton visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A Enochs. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Enochs, who will

while by Mrs. Enterns, while will visit them a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Finley of Las Vegas, N. M. are the parents of a daughter born January 3. The baby weighed over 7 pounds, and has been named Jill. She has a twovear old brother, Tip, and a sister, Judith. Fred Axtell of Christoval is the maternal grandfather.

J. Elton Rogers of Dallas is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Trigg Donnie Rae Furr is visiting for a few days with friends in Brown-

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Scott of Tus-cola visited last Thursday and Friday with their son, H. W. Scott Mrs. Jessie Clark and daughter Ginneses.

The First National Bank

OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

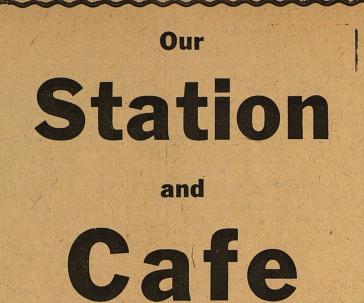
J B. Christian	President
J. E. Hill	Vice President
W. O. Alexander	Vice Pres. and Cashier
Leslie Baker	Assistant Cashier
Mrs. Jo Ed Hill	Bookkeeper
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Mr. and Mrs. Orland Harris

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lowe of Eden were week end guests of the Sam McGinneses. Other guests Sunday were all of the McGinneses' Fort Worth. Rev. Will King is the children and their families of Elnew pastor of the North Ft. Worth Presbyterian Church. lorado. Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinnes, ac-companied by Mrs. Jessie Clark Dick Aldrich, Magnolia Seismic

employee, spent the week end with and daughter Clara of Menard, his parents in Roswell, N. M. at Thursday and Friday at Bal-J. E. Bruton and family of Melnorrhea with Mr. McGinnes' sisvin visited Friday night and Saturer, Mrs. Perry Conner and Mr. day with his mother, Mrs. Mattie

Bruton.

in Uvalde.

Conner. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Yardley were in Water Valley Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Kirk-patrick and children. Mrs. Christina Mittel and Mrs. Charlie Hull of Sonora visited Sunday with their son and brother, Perry Mittel and family. Mrs. Hull,

Mrs. M. A. Anderson of Hext who had an operation recently, is and Mrs. A. H. Cox of Menard vis- up and is doing fine. ited over the week end with rela-"

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Yates and tives including Mrs. Anderson's ! brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Anderson; and Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mrs. R. B. Anderson; and Mrs. Cox's sister, Mrs. Jess Bradshaw and her nephew, O. B. Bradshaw and family. Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Bradshaw also visited in Sonora with their mother, Mrs. J. L. Kiser. J. B. Turner, Was brought home. Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mund and Mrs. Henry Mund were Sunday dinner guests in the J. F. Kinser

J. B. Turner was brought home Sunday from a San Antonio hospital where he underwent surgery last Wednesday. He is reported to be doing fine.

Mrs. Peyton Cain and children several days with another daughof Alpine visited here with her ter, Mrs. A. A. Clark and family.

Perry Mittel and family. Mrs. Hull,

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ottaberry

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barrows and

spent the week end with relatives

children brought her mother, Mrs.

Calvin Webb, to Eldorado to spend



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Lions Club Launches

Membership Drive The annual membership drive was launched at the meeting of the Lions Club Wednesday with team captains chosen for the two

groups. The membership will be divided into two sides, and heading these are Palmer West and Roy B. Shilling, captains of one team, and Ernest Finnigan and Joe Wagley, captains of the second group.

The purpose of the drive is to secure as many new members as possible, and re-instate old ones. The drive will extend through Feb. 2, the losing side to entertain the winners

Rev. Shilling led a discussion on the organization of a Welfare Board, with the Lions Club initiating the movement. If organized, the Board will consist of one member from every organization in town, and will take care of all welfare work in the community.

Lloyd Johnson was introduced as a new member, and Clovis Taylor was re-instated as a member Bill Rountree is another recent new member.

Mrs. Ben Biggs has been ill this week, but is improving some.

P. R. Robbins, Eldorado businessman, who has been ill in a San Angelo hospital for the past several days, is improving, and is expected

home today or tomorrow. L. B. Sheffield, Schleicher county ranchman, has returned home from a San Angelo hospital where he was quite ill for several days. His condition is reported to be improved

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore and granddaughters, Mary Barbara and Peggy Spencer visited Sunday in Brady with the Ashmores' daughter, Mrs. W. G. Kinnerly and weather and will be held later on family

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Williamson of Odessa spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandmother, family

Mrs. Jess Koy, who has been on the sick list, is improving at home. Unit our home recently. —The Kenneth Cheeks

Notice To Readers Another Teacher

We are anxious to keep our paper For Mexican School newsy, but with disrupted tele Because of return of Mexican phone service we do not know what

itinerant laborars, and also bethe reporting problems will be durcause local seasonal work is over for the winter, Eldorado's Latin American children are practically Please mail, bring, or send us your news. Thanks. all in school again, creating a -Publisher. crowded condition in the Mexican

chool. The first and second grades, the only grades still taught in the Laprogram on "The Home-A Pattern for Building Sound Character and Moral Values" at the regular meeting of the Parent Teachers American building, with Mrs. in W. M. Davis as teacher, must be divided, due to increased enroll-Association Tuesday, Jan. 18 at ment, states Supt. Reynolds today. He reports that a substitute teach 3:15 p. m. in the school auditorium. er will be assigned to this school All those interested are invited to attend, and new residents are es- to teach one of the grades.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Lannie Spurgers, son of Mr. and Next week, on Thursday and Mrs. Floyd Spurgers, was honored ter, and applications approved for Friday, the first semester of the last Sunday afternoon on his sec-week" for the pupils, during which aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Perry, time there will be no school-spon- were special guests.

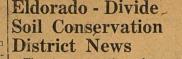
The children played games outside, and were served birthday ake, ice cream cones and animal crackers. The adults were served cake, ice cream and coffee.

ter becoming suddenly ill at her home Saturday. Mr. Ogden has AT LOCAL OFFICE C. C. McLaughlin announces that the new telephone directories are here and urges customers to call for them. The local office also announces that the business office will be closed Wednesday and Saturday Cake, ice cream and coffice. Those present included Lannie and David Spurgers, Susie Edmis-ton, Judy Belcher, Judy Davidson, Jody Wagley, Kay Peters, Frankie Nell and Steve Blaylock, Monty Montgomery, Jackie Davis, Charles David and Frank Otto Prochaska, and Line been in San Angelo with his wife. nora, Mrs. Frank Vallis and son, and Mrs. Jim Tom Roach and Tommie Jo were Sunday dinner guests of the A. J. Roaches. and Jimmie and Sanford Musgrove.

Mrs. Luke Thompson, Mrs. H. T. Gifts were received from Ricky Finley and Mrs. Lewis Ballew Jones, Gwen Neill, Buzzy and Phil have gone to Marfa to spend sev-McConmick, and Phil Montgomery. eral days with Mrs. A. L. Baugh and Mrs. J. W. Lawhon

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Minyard of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mace and Paula Jo visited from Thursday to Sunday with her parents, Mr. Mr. Mr. J. H. Minyard of Sweetwater spent the week end with her parents, the F. B. Caland Mrs. W. T. Floyd at Hedley. cotes.

Eugene, son of Mrs. Auta Mae Bobby, small son of the Barkers, has been quite ill week, but is improving. Bradshaw, was able to return school this week after illness. this



Three conservation plans, comprising 4,627 acres of the Eldoradoproving Divide farm and ranch land, one amendment to a conservation plan consisting of 120 acres, and three applications for district assistance on 4,332 acres were approved by the supervisors of the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District at their regular monthly meeting

last week. Farm and ranch plans approved y supervisors as having a well rounded soil and water conservation program include those of Wil liam L. McWhorter, Henry Mittel, and Milton Faught.

The amendment approved was on the conservation plan of M. L. Potdistrict assistance included those

Mrs. Keno Ogden is reported to

be doing well in a San Angelo hos-

pital where she underwent an emer-

gency operation Sunday. Mrs. Og-den was rushed to the hospital af-

Father Ronnie Einhaus of So-

Miss Audrey Reese of San Ansister, Mrs. Pete Ringle, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Lux entergelo spent the week end with her tained with a family dinner at their home Sunday. Relatives pres-Mrs. R. B. Anderson, who under- ent included her parents, Mr. and went medical treatment in a San Mrs. Otto Sauer, Mr. and Mrs. Angelo hospital recently, is im- Billy Jack Reynolds, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dannheim and family.

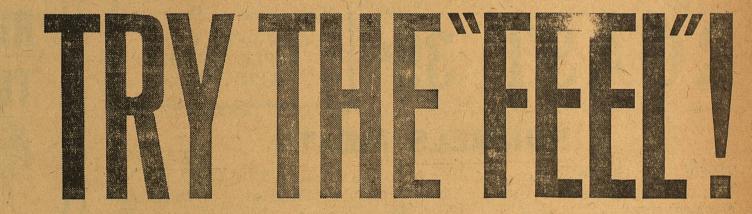
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> > steering!

CARD OF THANKS Mrs. W. F. Edmiston, Sr. Other We are extremely grateful to the guests for dinner Sunday included Eldorado Volunteer Fire Depart-Mr. and Mrs. Arch Edmiston and ment and to our neighbors for their help in extinguishing the fire in

ing the coming few weeks.

pecially urged to attend.

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in the month.

TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES AT LOCAL OFFICE

closed Wednesday and Saturday

BROTHERHOOD POSTPONED

The Methodist Men's Brother-

hood, scheduled for Wednesday

night, was postponed due to bad

Rev. Roy Shilling will sponsor a

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