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MANY HUNTERS GET THEIR DEER DURING SEASON

An average deer season is nearing its close, with an average number of Schleicherites bringing home their deer. Among the local hunters whose deer were handled at the Eldorado Ice or Frozen Foods are:

V. Henderson, 11 point, in Brewster Co.; Hal Whitten, 8 point buck in Culberson Co.; Lewis Whitten, 8 point buck, Culberson Co.; L. L. Baker, 6 point buck, Culberson Co.; Will Whitten, 6 point buck, Culberson Co.; Morris Whitten; B. F. Blaylock, Schleicher Co.; R. J. Englert, Bexar Co.; Mrs. R. J. Englert, Bexar Co.; Robert Nixon, 6 point buck, in New Mexico; Jess Thompson, 8 point, Schleicher Co.; Ben Hext, Sutton Co.;

Ed Hicks, Montell, Tex.; Don Severns, 8 point buck, Schleicher Co.; Jack Hext; John Powell, 8 point buck, Edwards Co.; Sam Henderson, 8 point buck, Schleicher Co.; Will Isaacs, 10 point, Isaacs ranch; Delbert Taylor, 7 point, Sutton Co.; Tom Henderson, 6 point buck, Schleicher Co.; Palmer West, 8 point buck; H. S. Blakeway, 6 point buck; Jerry Pennington, Schleicher Co.; E. I. Conroe, 8 point buck, Schleicher Co.; Albert Schulz, 8 point buck, Sutton Co.; Gerald Harris; W. A. Schuller, 10 point buck in Sutton Co.; L. B. Sheffield, 4 point buck, Schleicher Co.;

S. E. Green, 6 point buck, Schleicher Co.; C. H. Starnes, 10 point buck, Sutton Co.; J. E. Hill, Presidio Co., 3 point; Jack Jones, 4 point buck, Presidio Co.; Eldon McAngus, 10 point buck, Terrell Co.;

Sam Calhoun, 8 point buck, Culberson Co.; Bobby Calhoun, 15 point buck, Culberson Co.; Ben Morris, 8 point buck, Culberson Co.; R. A. Nixon, 6 point buck, Eddy Co.; W. M. Patterson, 5 point buck, Schleicher Co.;

Chas. Moorehouse, 5 point buck, Schleicher Co.; Tom Enochs, 6 point buck, Schleicher Co.; J. S. McNeely, 6 point buck, Schleicher Co.; Bobby Blain, 11 point buck Schleicher Co.; Tom Enochs, 9 point buck, Schleicher Co.;

Clifford Schooley, 7 point buck Schleicher Co.; Skeet Mace, 6 point buck, Schleicher; Tom McGill, 8 point buck, Rocksprings; Fred L. Speck, 8 point buck, Edwards Co.; H. L. Graves, 12 point buck, Culberson Co.; W. G. Godwin, 6 point buck, Culberson Co.; Billy Frank Meador, 6 point buck, Culberson Co.; Bill McWhorter, 12 point buck, Culberson Co.; Jack Shugart, 9 point buck, Valentine, Tex.;

Jimmie Danford, 10 point buck, Presidio Co.; Horace Linticum, 11 point buck, Presidio Co.; Jo Ed Hill, 6 point buck, Presidio Co.; Tom Henderson, 4 point buck, Brewster.

Many other successful Schleicher hunters dressed their own deer and their names could not be obtained.

McBURNETT SUSTAINS ARM AMPUTATION

C. C. McBurnett, well known San Angeloan, who owns ranching interests in this county, was reported to be doing fairly well, following an operation Monday morning for the removal of his right arm.

The operation was the result of a malignancy which followed an accident two years ago, when McBurnett threw a rock and snapped the bone in his right arm. San Angelo surgeons amputated the arm at the shoulder.

LIONS CLUB MEETS

Members of the Lions Club heard from committee members Wednesday when they met for their usual luncheon at the Eldo Hotel.

Rev. Jim Hays, co-chairman of the Christmas Cheer committee asked co-operation in obtaining names of underprivileged families, and reported that good used toys can be used.

C. A. Reynolds reported on the progress of the new Christoval Lions Club which Eldorado is sponsoring. The new club will have its charter night in January.

Frank Prochaska expressed appreciation for four U. S. flags which the Lions recently donated to the new Boy Scout Dens.

Visitors were Hugh Childress of Ozona, and John Hays of East Texas, a brother of Rev. Jim Hays.

SCHWOBEL WINS 3rd PRIZE IN BROWN U. MATH TEST

Leonard Schwobel, whose home is in New York City, and a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis of Eldorado, was announced as third-place winner of the Brown University Mathematical Entrance prizes. The examinations were held October 23.

William E. Blumberg of College Station was first place winner.

Mr. Schwobel is the husband of the former Jewel Davis of Eldorado. The family moved from Chicago to Austin last fall where he is taking a course in electrical engineering at the University, and is a member of the Phi Eta Sigma fraternity.

SIX BUSINESS HOUSES VISITED BY BURGLARS

Knob knockers were busy in Eldorado Sunday night and entered six business houses, damaging a number of cash registers and carrying off what cash they contained. The smallest loss was a handful of pennies and the largest was several hundred dollars.

1. Parker Motor Co. had the largest loss, with an expensive cash register damaged and an office safe wrecked. Over \$300 in cash was stolen.

2. Furr's Eldorado Motor Co. had the front door lock broken, but the cash drawer had been emptied by the proprietor and the drawer had been left open.

3. Eldorado Wool Co., feed store—no loss except a handful of pennies. Robbers entered through an office window.

4. Clark & Mund Texaco station—Cash register damaged when drawer was forced open with an iron bar, about \$15 in cash taken.

5. Elder Oil Co.—expensive type cash register damaged, and around \$95 in cash taken.

6. West Texas Woolen Mill: Cash register damaged and about \$45 in cash removed.

It is assumed that the robberies were all the work of one gang. Several business houses in Christoval were entered the same night. The following night robberies were attempted in Sonora. A number of officers have been making investigations.

Mrs. W. W. Sammons Buried At Brady

Funeral services for Mrs. W. W. Sammons, mother of Mrs. J. O. Willoughby of Eldorado, were held at Brady Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 1 from the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel. Rev. Walter Whichard officiated and burial was in the Brady cemetery.

Mrs. Sammons, a former resident of Brady, who had made her home here for the past several years, died Tuesday at Tulsa, Okla.

Survivors include four sons, James B. of Van Horn, A. B. of Ft. Worth, C. Sammons of Corpus Christi, and T. R. of Rogue River, Ore., and three daughters, Mrs. F. M. Hardin of Weatherford, Mrs. J. O. Willoughby of Eldorado, and Mrs. Frank P. Cole of Tulsa, Okla. Seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Palbearers were F. M. Hardin, J. O. Willoughby, W. N. White, Ed Willoughby, Clarence Snyder and Frank P. Cole.

Friends here who attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Baugh and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Runge.

LUNCH ROOM RECEIVES NEW COOKING STOVE

The Eldorado school lunch room has received delivery on a new gas stove, which arrived here Tuesday. The stove, which is double size, has two large ovens and ten burners, and has been badly needed by the workers.

The stove, which has a black finish, will be installed where the two old stoves have been located. It is hoped that one of the stoves may be kept, and installed in place of a hot plate, to provide plenty of cooking space for any number of people.

The new stove will insure adequate service to the growing number of lunch room customers. Mrs. F. D. Schooley and Mrs. E. W. Craig are the cooks.

—The Success, \$2.00 per year.

Santa To Visit Eldorado Saturday Night With Candy For All Children

GOOD CROWD SEES MINSTREL TUESDAY NIGHT

A good crowd was present for the negro minstrel, sponsored by the senior class, which was presented Tuesday night in the high school auditorium. Miss Gloria Henshaw, senior sponsor; and the eight mothers were in general charge of the production.

Sammie Whitten was interlocator, assisted by David Allen, Donald Dannheim, and Wayne Davis.

The all-'black' cast was assembled from the whole county. Acts included songs by the Eldorado Quartet, composed of Nolen McDonald, Ervin Mund, Mrs. Gus Love and C. F. Jones; other songs by Riedale West and Jimmie Carroll, Arthur Tree, and L. M. McMurry; tap dancing by a trio composed of Lola Beth Ballew, Billie Lockhart and Suzy Linticum; and solo taps by Barbara West and Mrs. James McDonald.

Jigs were performed by Nolen McDonald, A. G. Clark, and Gus Love. Mrs. Jack Kerr played the musical saw; and a high school instrumental group composed of Lewis Wilson, Katheryn Hall, Jack Mund, George Ochsner, and Jimmie Morgan played several numbers.

Among those who accompanied the various acts were Edgar Spencer, violin, and Nolen McDonald, guitar; Mrs. Frank Van Horn, violin, and L. M. McMurry, piano; and Mary Lee Gunstead, piano.

Martha Dell Williams gave a reading in the Negro dialect; Gus Love gave an impersonation of a Negro woman phoning the doctor for her ailing husband.

The senior class cleared about \$90 on the evening's entertainment.

MEN'S BROTHERHOOD ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

New officers were elected at the regular meeting of the Methodist Men's Brotherhood last night, with Elmer Peters chosen new president. Other officers were R. J. Alexander, chosen vice president, and W. A. Schuller, retained as secretary-treasurer.

Gordon Griggs and Rev. Roy Shilling are the program committee for the next meeting. A program from the high school was presented to the group. C. F. Jones and Miss Lucille Farmer introduced an instrumental group, a duet, and the girls' sextet.

Campbell White, superintendent of the Barnhart oil refinery and an old friend of Rev. Shilling, was a guest. Dinner was served to about 50.

CAROLS TO BE BROADCAST

Christmas carols will be broadcast over a loudspeaker which has been attached to the organ at the Methodist Church, and can be heard by townspeople at various times throughout the Christmas season. The loudspeaker, which is located in the belfry of the church, was installed by church members.

BAND PARENTS TO MEET

The Band Parents Club will hold their regular meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock at the Band Hall. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schooley spent the week end in San Antonio. While there, Schooley had a regular physical checkup for wounds received while in the army. They stayed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McRae and report a very pleasant visit.

Clarence Davis went to Little Rock, Ark., recently to meet his wife who was returning from Indiana where she had been visiting her mother.

Truett Stanford returned home Friday night from Chicago where he attended the International Livestock Expedition. Stanford, who was gone a week, reports a good meeting, and delightful weather for the entire trip.

RAYMOND MITTEL COMES HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Raymond Mittel, son of the Henry Mittels, who has been in a San Angelo hospital since Oct. 22, when he received a broken leg in a football game, was brought home Saturday, and is doing as well as can be expected, relatives report. He will be in a wheel chair for two weeks after which he will be able to use crutches. A seventh grader in junior high school, Raymond expects to return to school after the holidays.

Jackson Well To Be Tested This Week

The Skelly Oil Co. wildcat on the Mary L. Jackson place, near the old Opp well, is attracting considerable attention since it started flowing during the night, Friday night of last week on a drill stem test.

Casing has been set, and it is probable that the acidizing will take place Friday. It may be several days, it is reported, before actual production can be estimated. Storage tanks were erected on the location this week.

Location is 2310 from W. and 1650 from N, sec. 41-LL-TORR, 2-3-4 miles northwest of Eldorado.

If oil is brought in in paying quantities it is probable that other tests will be made. Schleicherites attach considerable significance to the fact that the Jackson wildcat is near Eldorado and that it would open a new field a long distance from the Koy-Page wells, and that it may create activity on smaller tracts of land.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roach visited over the week end in Mertzon and enjoyed birthday dinner with their son, Eldred Roach, who is employed on the Sonny Noelke ranch. Their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bailey and two children of Ozona also joined the group for dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Roach also visited with the Sam Chaneyns and the George De Longs while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Powell and daughter, Pamela of Stockton Calif., and Gene Powell of Oakland Calif., visited Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Powell's grandmother, Mrs. G. A. Neill, and other relatives here. Pamela, who will be a year old Dec. 24, is Mrs. Neill's only great-grandchild, and it was her first visit with her great-grandmother.

Week end guests in the Truett Stanford home included Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Allsup and their daughter, Mrs. Milton Harper and baby, all of San Antonio.

Mrs. Clovis Taylor was shopping in San Angelo Monday and also visited at the hospital with Wayne McGill, who underwent surgery last week.

Wayne McGill, son of the Tom McGills, is reported to be doing nicely in a San Angelo hospital after undergoing surgery last week. His mother is in San Angelo with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Cavness of Ozona visited Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Otta-berry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Runge and daughter Mae visited in Houston recently with his mother, who was 80 years old on Nov. 26. All of the children were present for Mrs. Runge's birthday celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson are visiting from Thursday until Saturday of this week with their daughters in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Mittel and son, Gail visited in Sonora Sunday with his mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Clem Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Biggs and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brazeal of San Angelo, who were present for the Bailey Ranch Church services Sunday, were guests in the home of the Archie Mittels.

According to word received by Lions Club officials here yesterday, Old Santa Claus himself will make a visit to children of Schleicher County at 6:15 p. m., Saturday, December 11th—that's the day after tomorrow.

A battery of committee members are now at work preparing a suitable place where the Old Saint can make a fitting appearance—it will be at the top of the courthouse—and will be punctuated with a brilliant display of lights, which will be turned on at the moment the old boy arrives. Santa will shower the crowd with candy—and it is important that all children of the town and county be present at that very time—6:15 p. m. Saturday.

Soil Conservation District News

Applications for district assistance in planning a well rounded soil and water conservation program on 9,495 acres of farm and range land was approved by the Supervisors of the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District in their regular December board meeting at Eldorado.

Farmers and ranchers making applications with the district were Martin and Martin, William L. McWhorter, and H. Leslie Jones.

A good cover and reserve of grass on his Jog section pasture is going to enable C. L. McMillan, co-operator with the District, to carry his yearling ewes through the winter in good shape.

In spite of an abnormal year McMillan has good growth on side oats grama, hairy grama, buffalo and curly mesquite on this pasture which he deferred for a few weeks this fall. Benefit to soil condition and protection from rapid runoff and erosion is evident.

Co-operators of the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District are taking advantage of the continuing drought by constructing level terraces on their farmland to conserve soil and moisture.

Since large equipment is not available to everyone at present, farmers are building terraces with one-way plows, small tracers, and whirlwind tractor operated by the farmer's own tractor power.

Farmers who have had terraces constructed on their farmland with a caterpillar tractor and grader include: W. A. Blaylock, M. J. Wade and William Jarrett.

Glenn McDonald has constructed approximately 2.0 miles of level wide base terraces on Marvin McDonald's farmland one mile south of Kaffir school house. Glenn constructed the terraces with a farm tractor and whirlwind terracer. The terraces were constructed to a 24" t. base width and 18 inches unsettled height.

Co-operators of the District who are constructing terraces with their farm tractors and disk plows include: M. L. Potter, W. H. Joiner and William Jarrett. Although this work is fairly slow good terraces can be constructed with a medium or large farm tractor and one-way or disk plow.

The level closed end terraces being constructed by co-operators of the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District are one of the practices included in a well rounded soil and water conservation plan. Terraces constructed or maintained now will mean more soil and water saved when it does rain.

PTA TO MEET

"The Home—A Unit for the Development of Self Expression" is the theme for the meeting of the Parent Teachers Association on Tuesday evening, Dec. 14 at 7:30 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Miss Lucille Farmer and Mrs. John Koschak will be sponsors for the Christmas program, which will be followed by a social hour. All members and visitors are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith are moving this week to San Angelo and will be at home at 329 Spaulding St. Smith has been a resident of Eldorado for many years. Their rock veneer home located on the San Angelo highway has been sold to his daughter, Mrs. Edwin McCollum of Alpine.

Basketball Season Begins With Two Eldorado Victories

Two basketball games here last Thursday night resulted in two victories for Eldorado, the opponents being Eldorado and Junction.

The B. team played first and won over Junction by a 27-9 score. Glynn Biggs was high-point man with 9 points. Those on the B team who played during the game were James Alexander, Joe Ed Spencer, Glynn Biggs, E. H. Nixon, Sammie Whitten, George Ochsner, Durwood Rutland, and Jack Mund.

The A team beat Junction by a score of 25-16. Gordon Hamm was high-point man with 9 points; Bill Jones and Chester Biggs made 8 points each. Eldorado was ahead all the way.

A team players were Bill Jones, Gordon Hamm, Chester Biggs, Jimmie Woodward, Glynn Biggs, Buddy Baker, David Allen, Harlan McAlpine, and Sammie Whitten. Bud Hopkins is coach for the two teams.

Gerald Hicks, who has been unable to play football or basketball for some time because of a knee injury, will probably be able to be back on the team by the first of the year.

Junior Team Wins

The junior team, which is made up of seventh and eighth grade boys, played in Sonora Tuesday night and won their game by the score of 33-17. Wilson Humphrey, high point man, made 8 points, and Winfield Fry and Billie Cheek made six points each. McKee of Sonora also made 8 points.

All of the boys on the junior team played during the game. They include: Bill Bearce, Billie Cheek, Wilson Humphrey, Winfield Fry, Elton Harris, Jimmie Conner, Leon Williams, Arnold Clark, Truett Stanford, McDale Farrington, Jack Stanford, Frank Estes, and George Spinks. Vernon Phillips is manager.

Coming Games

The A and B teams will go to Junction this Friday night for a return game. The B team will play at 7:00, with the A team following. It is hoped that a number of Eldorado boosters will be able to witness the game.

There will be no basketball game next week, due to the number of Christmas activities at the school. The next game will be at Barnhart, on Monday night, Dec. 20.

The first game following the Christmas holidays will be with Barnhart, on Jan. 4. Barnhart has a good team in spite of the fact that there are only six boys in their high school.

AND NOTHING BUT A DURNED OWL!

Nobody knows it any better than a group of Eldorado boys, that you aren't supposed to use lights and hunt things — after dark. But coming out of a pasture in Sutton county at dusk, they spied an old owl, turned a spotlight on it and knocked it out with a 22. The next moment the car was surrounded by several game wardens and a JP, and the outcome was a \$61 fine apiece.

It was hard luck — just shooting an old owl on the spur of the moment—and we won't even mention the men's names, since one of them will be our new high sheriff pretty soon.

WRIGHT'S

The Right Place to Shop

CREAMY 3 LB. CARTON
CRUSTENE 85c

RINSO FLAKES	LIFEBUOY HAND SOAP
1 LARGE ----- 28c	2 REGULAR ----- 18c
1 REGULAR ----- 5c	1 REGULAR ----- 5c
33c	23c

BRIGHT & EARLY POUND
COFFEE 39c

PURE CANE 10 POUNDS
SUGAR 89c

COCKTAIL — SUGAR POUND
CUBES 11c

KIMBELL'S 2 NO. 303 CANS
Blackeyed Peas 23c

HUNT'S CAN
Tomato Sauce 9c

THRIFTY 2 NO. 303 CANS
CREAM PEAS 35c

HONOR BRAND CAN
PEACH HALVES 15c

AUNT JEMIMA
READY-MIX 
 BOX ----- 19c

AUNT JEMIMA RAG DOLL
 Send 25¢ and one pkg. TOP AUNT JEMIMA PANCAKES or BUCKWHEATS AUNT JEMIMA, BOX 9, CHICAGO 77
 BOX 18c

AUNT JEMIMA 25 LBS.
FLOUR 1.99

CELLO BAG POUND
WALNUTS. 39c

★ Fruits and Vegetables ★

LETTUCE - POUND 9c

ORANGES — 5 LB. BAG 18c

YELLOW ONIONS — LB. 4½c

CABBAGE — POUND 3½c

CARROTS — 2 BUNCHES 9c

SPINACH—10 oz. Cello Bag 20c

★★ Market Department ★★

WILSON'S HAWKEYE POUND
BACON 57c

WILSON'S SUGAR CURED POUND
Bacon Squares 40c

SEMI-BONELESS POUND
PORK ROAST 49c

BEEF RIBS, LB. 39c

SWIFT'S PREMIUM POUND
Veal Cutlets 89c

KRAFT'S AMERICAN POUND
CHEESE 49c

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie West, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll White and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Linthicum attended a square dance at the Country Club in Big Lake recently. NEW shipment of privet hedge just received. —Eldorado Flower Shop phone 24141.

L. E. Lloyd, who recently bought a cotton picking machine, has been using it to finish his cotton picking for the season, and reports that he likes it very much. Although it wastes some cotton, Lloyd believes it will prove to be cheaper than hiring labor for the picking. He has been able to pick up most of the waste cotton. He expects to finish his cotton picking this week.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE
 Notice is hereby given that the School Board will receive sealed bids on the following school property for sale. Bids will be opened at the regular school board meeting Monday night, December 13.
 1. 20' x 24' frame Kaffir School Building
 2. 18' x 30' sheet iron car shed at Kaffir school
 3. 12' Samson Windmill rods, and approx. 350 feet 2" pipe at Bailey Ranch School.
 4. Windmill tank and 10' tower at Bailey Ranch School
 5. Sheet Iron Mexican School Building at Bailey Ranch School, 18' x 24'.
 6. Frame Cliff School Building.
 7. 10' Aeromotor Mill Pipe and Rods at Cliff School.
 The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids may be mailed or handed to Leslie Baker, assistant secretary.
 (47-48-49-50c)

ANY person found hunting on my premises will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. —Mrs. Myrtle Williams. (50 pd)

NO HUNTING on my place this year. My place is known as Hin-yard Ranch east of Eldorado. —W. R. Nicks. (51 pd)

NO HUNTING or trespassing on land controlled by me, including Otto Williams land and Sam Williams Estate. —Otto Williams. 51*

NO HUNTING, trapping or trespassing of any kind on lands owned or operated by the undersigned. —W. F. Wilson. *toJan1

FOR SALE or trade: new house, 3 rooms and bath, corner lot, paved street. 1 1936 Chevrolet 2-door sedan in good condition. Also used Crosley refrigerator. Call at Taylor's Welding Shop. tfc

HAVE Hammer feed mill for sale. Used very little. Reasonable price. —Archie Mittel, phone 21056. 2tc

For Sale Or Trade

1947 Ford Sedan Coupe
 1940 Chev. Sedan Coupe
 1940 Mercury tudor
 1936 Ford Tudor
 All Clean
 We buy, sell or trade cars.

**Charlie Trigg
 Motors**

GIVE the Success for Christmas. \$2 per year, 52 issues. If they are not on our list they'd enjoy receiving the home town news. Card will be mailed from this office, announcing the gift.

GOOD used tricycle for sale (large size). See Mrs. Wyndell Hall. 1tpd

CHRISTMAS novelties, centerpieces, vases, pot plants now in stock. Come in and look them over. You are always welcome. —Eldorado Flower Shop.

SEWING and buttonholes. Phone 22061. —Mrs. Farris Nixon. * to Dec. 30.

BABY SITTING, 50c per hour. —Rosa M. Owens, call 22171 week days, Saturdays and Sunday see Mrs. Rosa Owens. 1tpd

BABY SITTING, 50c per hour. Call Patsy Jones, phone 23991. 1tpd

FOUR kittens need good homes. Will give one to anyone who will give it a good home. —See Mr. or Mrs. Palmer West. 1tc

FOR SALE: My 1941 Oldsmobile. Can be seen at Jones Motor Co. —Geo. R. Long. 1tpd

NEW shipment of privet hedge just received. —Eldorado Flower Shop, phone 24141.

APARTMENT for rent. One block west of First Baptist Church. Phone 24921. —Mrs. F. G. Clark. 1*

CHRISTMAS cards, a few left. All Burgoyne cards. —Success Office.

Luncheon Tuesday

The Daughters of the American Revolution, Eldorado chapter, observed their annual Christmas meeting with a luncheon at the City Cafe Tuesday, followed by a program at the home of Mrs. Ed Hill.

Christmas decorations were used on the tables, including berries, leaves, candles and place cards, and a turkey dinner was served to the group.

The program opened with the Christmas story, and a poem by Mrs. Joab Campbell. Mrs. Luke Thompson, leader, gave "Christmas Customs in Foreign Lands", and Mrs. J. M. Hays sang "Silent Night".

OES MEETS MONDAY

Mrs. Edgar Spencer will have charge of the Christmas program when the Eldorado Chapter OES holds its regular meeting Monday evening, Dec. 13 at 7:00 p. m.

Instead of the usual exchange of gifts, all members are asked to bring Christmas wrapped gifts to be sent to the OES Home at Arlington where they will be distributed to the elderly ladies who occupy the home.

FIRST BAPTIST NEWS

Mrs. F. B. Calcote led the monthly Bible study when the WMU met Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church with 21 present. Topic of the program was Stewardship of Service.

Mrs. Clyde Galbreath met with the Sunbeams for their Christmas program. The children brought gifts to be distributed at the Latin-American Mission Christmas tree.

The Junior GA's presented their Christmas program and those taking part were Jackie Sparks, Donna Beth McCormick, Becky Mund, Betty Dean Creach, Geneva Taliafero, and Doris Sparks. There were 8 members present and the sponsor, Mrs. J. M. Hays.

Mrs. Taliafero met with the RA's for their regular program on ranks. Mrs. W. T. Whitten and Mrs. E. W. Mund served refreshments to the above groups.

METHODIST NEWS

The WSCS met at the Methodist Church Monday for their regular monthly Yearbook program with Mrs. W. T. Huber as leader. Topic of the Christmas program was "They Offered Him Gifts". Several Christmas songs were used in the program.

A business meeting was held, and plans were made for the annual Christmas party to be held next Monday afternoon, Dec. 13 at 3:00 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Roy Shilling. All three circles will be included in the party. Mrs. Wiley Hight and Mrs. Luke Thompson served refreshments to 15.

HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Gleaners Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church were entertained with a Christmas luncheon in the home of Mrs. John Stigler Wednesday.

Following luncheon, get acquainted games were played, a reading given by Mrs. Fred Watson, and an inspirational message "The Wise Men" by Mrs. J. M. Hays.

BAILEY RANCH WMU

The Bailey Ranch WMU met at the church Thursday, Dec. 2, at 10:00 a. m. for an all-day meeting observing the season of prayer for the Lottie Moon offering. Mrs. Archie Mittel, program chairman, led the lesson on Christmas in other lands, after which the offering was taken.

The Bailey Ranch church also took a Lottie Moon offering at the church services Sunday, and report a total of over \$100 from the Bailey ranch membership.

Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. H. J. Morehouse and family are now living at Moffett Field, Calif., where he was transferred from Albuquerque N. M. Mrs. Morehouse is a daughter of the D. E. DeLong.

Edda Lou Meador and Mary Katherine Hurn of San Angelo spent the week end here with Edda Lou's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Meador, Jr.

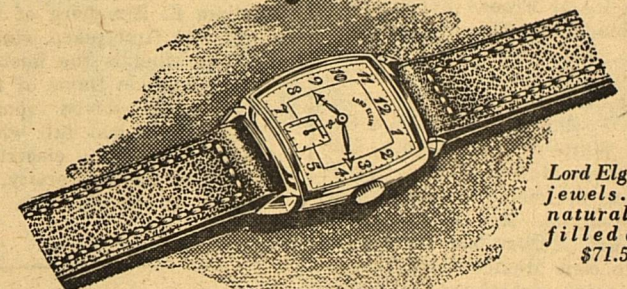
Fred Watson attended the Grand Lodge meeting of the Masonic organization in Ft. Worth on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Eldorado News Stand

In R. A. Evans Building
 Magazine Subscription Agency; Nylon Hose Cigarettes, Tobacco, Candy Cold Drinks—School Supplies Razor Blades Daily Papers—Magazines Fireworks—Novelties
 Mr. & Mrs. E. T. Turnbow

AT
**E. K. Bauer
 JEWELER**

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 the Elgin gift tradition!

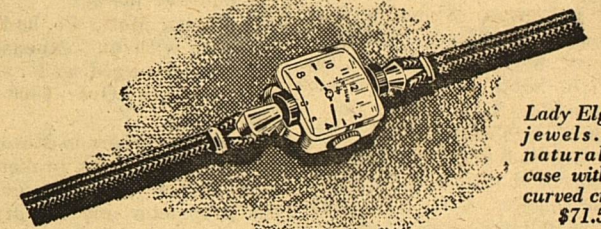


Lord Elgin. 21 jewels. 14K natural gold filled case. \$71.50*

Elgins—with the miracle
DuraPower Mainspring**

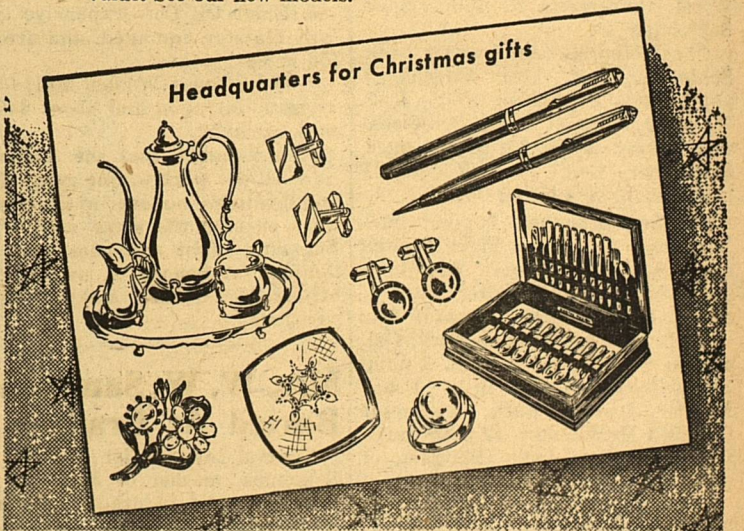
*All prices include Federal Tax

**Patent Pending



Lady Elgin 19 jewels. 14K natural gold case with high curved crystal. \$71.50*

This new Elgin Mainspring eliminates 99% of watch repairs due to steel mainspring failures. That's because it won't rust and holds its springiness for lasting accuracy. Combined with Elgin beauty and famed star-timed accuracy it makes Elgin Watches an outstanding value. See our new models.



Headquarters for Christmas gifts



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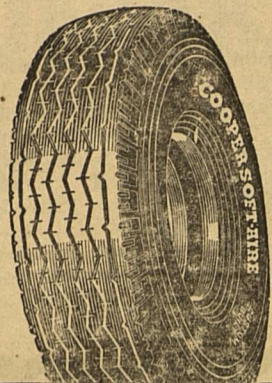
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An all-women's day will be held Dec. 19, to which an invitation is extended to white women in the community. The goal of \$100 to be applied on the building has been set. The pastor, Rev. Adkins, leaves for Brownwood this week to spend a few days and will return before the third Sunday, Dec. 19.

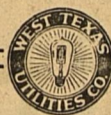
The congregation enjoyed having Rev. King and T. K. Jones visit the church Sunday afternoon. Rev. King preached, using as his subject "Is it well with thee?"

Each auxiliary member is asked to give \$5 to help raise the \$100 needed. The rally closes Dec. 19.

Water Davis returned last Thursday from a week's visit in Austin with his daughters, Mrs. Leonard Schwobel and family, Mrs. Bill Cowan and family, and his son J. W., who attends the University. He also visited his mother and other relatives at San Marcos.

Mrs. T. A. Smith left Monday to visit for several days with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Wisdom, in Baton Rouge. Mrs. Wisdom was recently able to leave a hospital there after a serious illness and will probably be able to return to her home in Asher, Okla., before long. Mrs. Smith is visiting her mother while Mr. Smith is working for a week in Big Lake.

Mrs. Ira Locklear is visiting this week in San Saba with her mother.



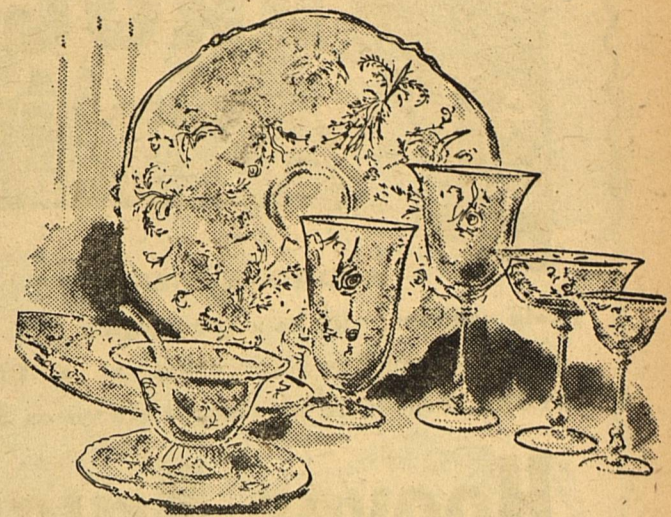
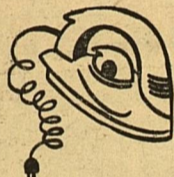
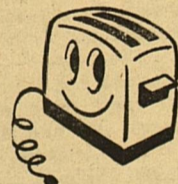
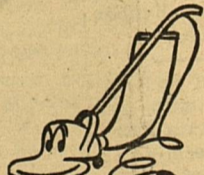
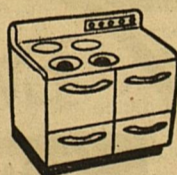
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A large number of friends called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Atkins Sunday afternoon to honor them on their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Members of the family and friends assisted them in entertaining.

Guests were greeted at the door by the hosts, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Haywood T. Bird, their grandson and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Horn, Jr. and daughter, Judy La Verne, all of San Angelo, and their niece, Mrs. Hallie Barker of Dallas.

The tea table in the dining room was laid with a lace cloth over gold and centered with a rectangular arrangement with mums and fern at either end, and in the center an archway and trellis with a miniature bride and groom at the foot and the figure "50" in gold at the top. The centerpiece was flanked by tall gold tapers. Mixed white, yellow and bronze flowers were used in the rooms to complete the decorations.

White cake squares were decorated with yellow rosebuds and served with mints, nuts, coffee and tea. Napkins were inscribed with "Dora Lee and Alfred, 1898-1948", in gold.

Alternating at the tea table were Mrs. Mabel Parker, Mrs. Keno Ogden, Mrs. W. T. Parker, Mrs. H. T. Finley and Mrs. V. G. Tisdale. Mrs. Reuben Dickens presided at the guest register. Members of the house party wore corsages of gladiolus and carnations.

Mrs. Atkins wore a grey crepe dress with silver buttons and her corsage was a purple orchid, a gift of her son-in-law.

Included on the program was a song "Love's Old Sweet Song" by Mrs. E. W. Brooks, and a song "A Tree in the Meadow" by Mrs. W. N. Ramsay with Mrs. Ogden as accompanist. Miss Mary Lee Gunstead accompanied Riedale West, who sang "Buttons and Bows". The Rev. Roy B. Shilling offered prayer.

Approximately 150 guests called and those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Dameron of Sonora; Mrs. Betty Tubb, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tubb and son, Mack Arthur of Robert Lee; and Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Womack of San Angelo.

MYF HAS HAYRIDE

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship entertained Saturday evening with a hayride and weiner roast with E. H. Topliffe furnishing the wagon and hay. The group rode to the Roadside Park where a bonfire was built; roasted weiners were served with buns, potato chips, olives, hot chocolate and cake.

Following supper, an ancient Indian ceremony was observed around the bonfire, and the party dismissed with the song "Blest Be the Tie". After returning to town, the group did some caroling, visiting several shut-ins.

Twenty-one young people were present, and seven adults attended including Rev. and Mrs. Roy Shilling, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Griggs, Mrs. S. D. Harper, Mrs. Reuben Dickens and E. H. Topliffe.

Wanda Lee Williams of San Angelo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Estes.

Wayne Dickens, who received a broken ankle in an accident recently, was brought home last Thursday morning from a San Angelo hospital, and is reported to be doing fine.



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Jeff Enochs, Ed and Earl Hicks returned Monday morning from a hunting trip below Sonora. Enochs kills an 8-point buck and Ed Hicks a 10-point buck.

Cecil Childers, formerly of San Saba, who has been visiting here with his brother, Edwin Childer and family, expects to be joined in a few days by his wife and two small children, and the family will make their home here. Mr. Childers is to be employed by Cooper Gas Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Edens returned Sunday night from Big Spring where they attended a family reunion at the home of Mr. Edens' sister, Mrs. R. E. Martin. A brother, Frank Edens and wife of Arizona was also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Graves of Laredo visited last Wednesday and Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Graves.

Mrs. C. F. Griffith and son, R. B. and her daughter, Glynita spent the week end at Balmorhea visiting with Mrs. Griffith's sister, Mrs. Alvin George and family.

Mrs. Mollie Williams has returned home after spending several days in Houston with her niece, Mrs. J. O. Harper and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thigpen and three sons of San Angelo visited here Sunday with his brother, Houston Thigpen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carter spent one day hunting on the Cardwell ranch near Junction last week, but report no luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis visited over the week end at Junction with her sister, Mrs. Nelson and family and a brother, Bob McKinney and family; and at Junction with Mr. Davis's two brothers and their families.

Mrs. Richard Cheatham was brought home Tuesday from a San Angelo hospital where she underwent surgery for the removal of a goiter last Thursday morning. Her condition is reported as good.

Mrs. R. J. Alexander expects to return home Thursday from Poyte where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Parks, Sr. for the past two weeks, and convalescing from a recent operation.

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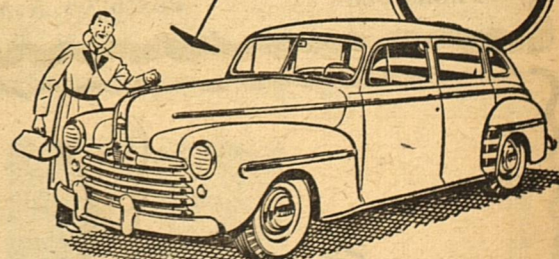
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Crosby — St. Clair Wedding Plans Announced At Tea

To announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Lillian Kathleen, to Lt. Eugene Christian St. Clair, Mrs. Lillian Crosby entertained Saturday afternoon with a tea from 3 to 5 o'clock at her home.

The wedding will take place December 28, 50th anniversary of the bride's paternal grandparents.

A white and gold theme was carried out in the decorations with the lace covered table centered with an arrangement of mixed white flowers, including gladioli, candytuft, 'mums and fern, and flanked by double candelabra holding tall white tapers. White satin streamers across the centerpiece were inscribed in gold with "Delia and Gratton, 1898-1948", and "Kat and Gene, Dec. 28, 1948". Napkins were inscribed with "Kat and Gene", also in gold. White cake squares decorated with lilies were served with nuts, coffee and tea.

White tapers on the buffet and bouquets of white flowers in the living room completed the decorations.

The lace cloth used on the table was a wedding present at the marriage of the bride's paternal grandparents, and the silver service used was a wedding present of her maternal grandparents.

Mrs. Crosby and her daughter were assisted in greeting guests by Mrs. Mary Coupe, and alternating at the tea table were Mrs. Joe M. Christian, Mrs. Van McCormick, Mrs. Luke Thompson and Mrs. Lewis Ballew. Miss Pauline Jones and Mrs. E. C. Peters alternated at the guest register.

Miss Crosby, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Crosby of Eldorado and J. Crosby of San Angelo, is a graduate of Eldorado High School and received her degree from the University of Texas. Lt. St. Clair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Taylor St. Clair of San Antonio, attended Corpus Christi College, Texas A&M College and the University of Texas. He served with the U. S. Air Forces during the war and was recalled to Air Force duty in July, 1948.

Sunday visitors in the Eddie Peel home were Minister Bill McDaniel and wife and daughter of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Muncie Potter. McDaniel delivered two sermons Sunday at the West Side Church of Christ.

Delbert Taylor and Earl Parker were hunting recently in the county and brought home a large gobbler.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stallcup and daughter Carol Ann of Ft. Worth spent the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Powell. Others present for Thanksgiving dinner were Mrs. JohnRae, the Powells' daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ray; and the Powells' niece, Mrs. Earl Troop and son Kerry, all of San Angelo.

Visitors in the C. A. Reynolds home Sunday were Mrs. Reynolds' sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lennon Hill and son Jerry of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Hill and two children of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blasdel and two daughters of Menard visited recently in the W. W. Williams and Sandy Donaldson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Z. Padgett will leave next week for Hot Springs, N. Mex., to spend the winter.

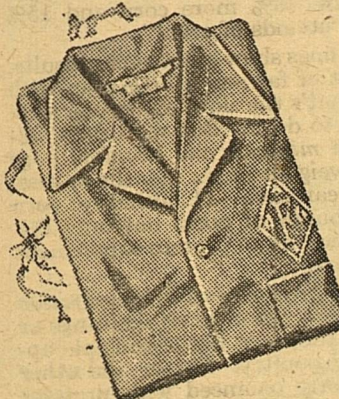
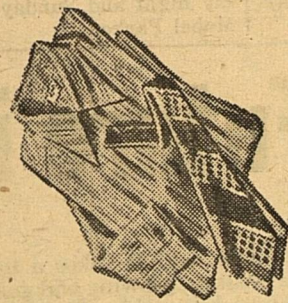
Minister L. W. Hayhurst and two other ministers of Raymondville had breakfast Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Peel. The ministers were en route to a revival meeting which they were conducting, and are old friends of the Peels.

Katharine Davis of Sonora spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Ora Davis.

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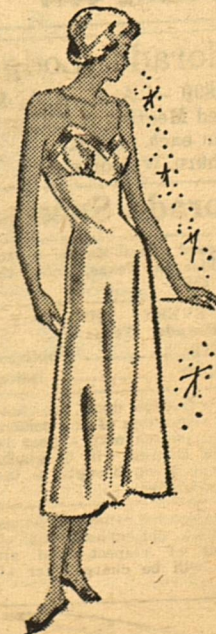
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The children played games and were given favors of whistling balloons. Refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream was served to Earl Dean and James Parker, Frankie Nell Blaylock, Bennie Doty, Claude, Peggy and Barbara Spencer, Vicki Lou Carroll, Wanda and Wayne Blaylock, Celia Ann McDuff, Roy Lyn and Velton Taylor, Lynda McGinnes, Dwight McDonald, Paula Jo Mace, and several mothers.

PRESBYTERIAN NEWS

The Presbyterian choir began practice Wednesday night on music for the Christmas season.

The Covenant was the subject of the Bible lesson from Exodus when the Auxiliary met Monday at the church. Mrs. Edwin Jackson was leader for the session. It was decided for each member to bring a basket or box containing fruit or other food to the next meeting, and these will be distributed to the shut-ins for Christmas. Plans were made for the Auxiliary's Christmas party on Dec. 20. Nine members were present.

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitley of Rocksprings spent the week end with the Jess Thompsons.

Mrs. H. F. Webb had as supper guests Sunday night her son, O. C. Webb and wife, and Mrs. Vida Friess, all of Ozona.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Padgett and Diane of Sterling City spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stanford and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McAngus of Kerrville are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Aaron Steward, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Taylor spent the week end in Bronte with her father, S. T. Gregory.

Rev. F. E. King will be guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Junior Woman's Club tonight at the home of Mrs. Joe Ed Hill. His topic will be "History of the Bible".

Mr. and Mrs. John Hays of Cameron and their son-in-law, Joe Gibbons of San Antonio, visited this week with Hays' brother, Rev. J. M. Hays, and Mrs. Hays, here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Westbrook and family of Miles visited here with her mother, Mrs. M. M. Reynolds, and attended re-burial services Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Westbrook's brother, Sgt. Raymond Reynolds.

Billy Frank Meador, Vera Faye Biggs, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stephens were hunting on the Russell-Spencer-Lewis ranch recently but had no luck.

Maxine Yardley of Fort Worth is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Yardley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Templeton of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll on the Ed Willoughby ranch Sunday. The women are sisters.

Mrs. A. E. Prugel and Nancy of Sonora spent several days here last week with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Sdale.

Mrs. Robert Milligan has received word here that her brother, Marvin Black, who was very seriously injured in a tractor accident in Clovis, N. M. recently, is very much improved. Mrs. Milligan's mother, who lives in Clovis and who has been ill, is also improving.

Mrs. Wiley Logan and Mrs. Harvey Skinner and daughter Sandra of Sonora had Sunday dinner in the home of Mrs. Bertha Wilson and Mrs. Mary Johnston.

Duncan Wilson and three friends of Texas University spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. O. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tubb and son, Mack Arthur, and Mrs. Betty Tubb of Robert Lee visited Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Mabel Parker.

Martha Ellen Topliffe has been taking treatments in San Angelo for a kidney infection complicated by chicken pox.

Mrs. H. F. Webb spent the week end in Harper with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Farris, who has been ill, and with her brothers there, J. L. and G. R. Bierschwale. Her sister is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinnes and son Floyd spent Sunday in Eden with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lowe and family.

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John Powell entertained recently with a buffet supper at the home of his parents, the D. M. Powells. Present were George Graham, Ella Ann Matney, Bobby Smith, Alta Jackson, Brookie Broome, and Margery Majors, all of San Angelo, and Judy and John Powell. After supper the group attended a dance in Sonora.

Pauline Nixon, daughter of the Robert Nixons and a student at San Angelo Business College, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scherz of Sonora spent Sunday here with her parents, the L. D. Ochsners.

Mrs. Will Isaacs has been on the sick list.

Miss Constance Spence of San Angelo visited over the week end at the J. F. Runge ranch.

Jewel Brister of San Angelo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Damron.

O. L. Woodward has been attending the TS&GRA meeting at San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Yaseen of San Angelo spent the week end here.

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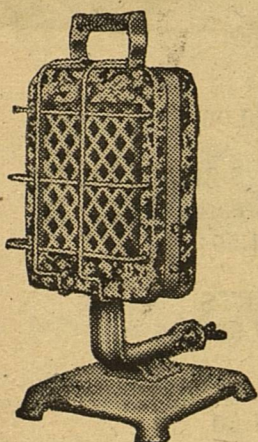
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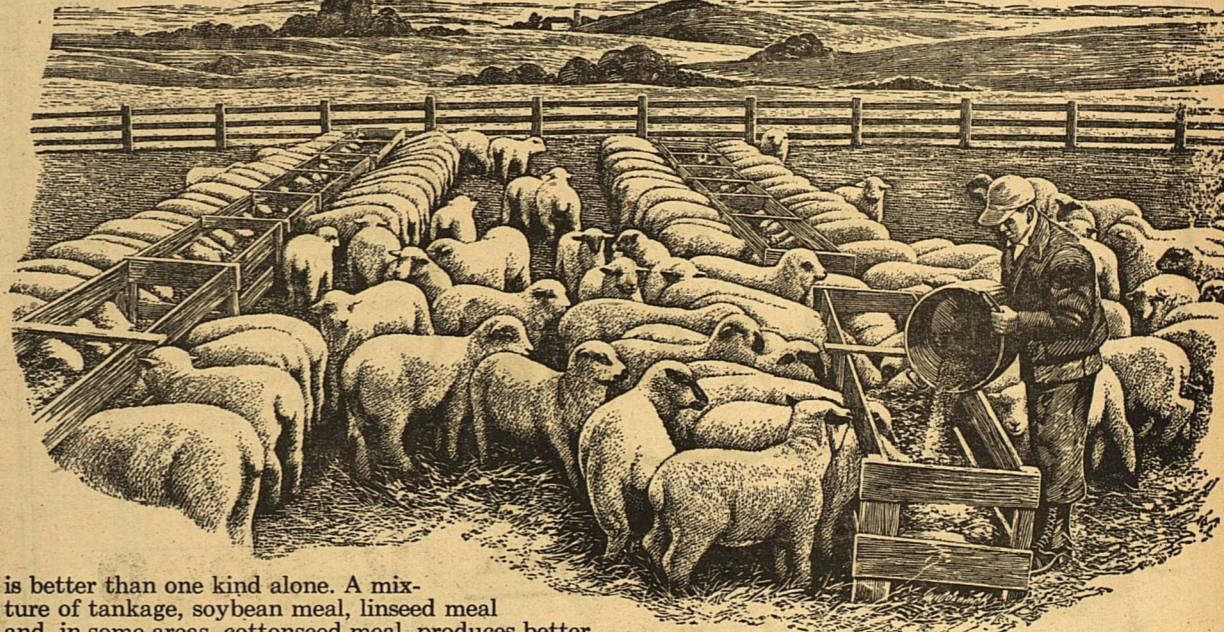
Their Future is in the Balance

Meat animals are what they eat! It takes a balanced ration to keep them healthy, growing and gaining. Successful livestock men know this. Hundreds of controlled feeding experiments prove it. Morrison, the great feeding authority, states—"Lambs on unbalanced rations require 46% more corn and 15% more hay for each 100 pounds of gain!"

Balanced rations for hogs show spectacular results. Anyone can make a lot of fat and a little lean with corn and water. But that's the slow, expensive way. It takes a pile of corn to do it. But with corn balanced with proteins and minerals and vitamins hogs can be fed to market weights in six months or less. Think of the corn you can save—11 bushels of corn alone will make 100 pounds of pork, but only 6 1/2 bushels of corn plus 35 pounds of protein supplement will do the same job faster.

Scores of feeding trials prove that a balanced ration pays with steers and lambs, whether on the range or in the feedlot. In fact, the same basic principle applies to all livestock and poultry. Forage and other homegrown feeds, properly balanced with proteins and minerals, make more and better meat pounds at less cost.

Continuous research affords new and exciting means of using available materials in improved rations for livestock. At first, tankage alone was used to add protein to hog rations. It did a good job. Then research proved that a combination of proteins



is better than one kind alone. A mixture of tankage, soybean meal, linseed meal and, in some areas, cottonseed meal, produces better quality pork even faster. This improvement in rations makes for more efficient and economical use of proteins. But what about vitamins and minerals? Here, too, many advancements in techniques of supplying these nutrients have been made. Dehydrated alfalfa, milk solids, vitamin oils, and some synthetic sources provide essential vitamins and other factors. Mineral balance is necessary, too. Salt, the universal need, supplies sodium and chlorine. Steamed bone meal supplies calcium and phosphorus, and other major minerals. With these, alert research men now are combining other known essential elements, such as cobalt, manganese, iron, iodine, copper, and magnesium, to turn slow gainers into fast gainers.

Soda Bill Sez:
You can't make money last unless you make it first!
What America needs is less soiled conversation and more soil conservation.

How good are you kids at knowing the names of the animals used to help you play games?



In baseball, what part of a steer do you wear? Why, the glove has a padding that's made from its hair!

In what game would you say the pig best fits in? Yes, football, that's right—the ball's called a "pigskin"!

And the last time you walloped a tennis ball—wham! Did you know that the racket strings came from a—lamb?

By-products that meat packers save every day increase livestock values, make stockmen more pay.

Martha Logan's Recipe for BAKED HAM SLICE

Cover a 2-inch-thick slice of ham with honey or orange marmalade. Add 1 cup water or fruit juice. Bake in a covered pan in a slow oven (325° F.) about 25 to 30 minutes per pound (about 2 hours).

Quotes of the Month

It's cheaper to warm water with fuel in the tank heater than with corn in a steer.
E. T. Robbins, University of Illinois

For proper nutrition of brood sows, feed good quality alfalfa hay liberally, ground or otherwise. Use at least 15% in mixed rations for sow, or self-feed the hay in a rack.
Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station

A flock of 300 hens will consume 17 tons of water annually. If possible to install, running water in a laying house will save a lot of walking, carrying and plain hard work.
M. A. Seaton, Kansas State College

A phosphorus supplement fed to ewes in amounts to satisfy their requirements would increase their vitality, help maintain their weight during the winter, and increase the percentage lamb crop.
Farm and Home Science, Utah

First Calves Forecast Production

by Marvin Koger, Animal Husbandman
New Mexico A. & M. Experiment Station



Want to estimate efficiency of calf production in your cow herd? The cow's first calf tells more than her good looks. In a New Mexico study, we took the weaning weights of first calves weaned by three-year-old cows. These weights were compared with the weaning weights of calves raised by these same cows in the next four years. Cows and calves were placed in five groups (according to the weaning weight of first calves). Here's the 5-year record:

Groups	Average First Calf Weight From 3-Year-Old Cows	Average Calf Weights From Same Cows for Next 4 Years
Group 1	321 pounds	404 pounds
Group 2	349 pounds	417 pounds
Group 3	383 pounds	430 pounds
Group 4	409 pounds	443 pounds
Group 5	441 pounds	456 pounds

Considering only the two extremes, Group One and Group Five, it was shown that breeding stock picked from Group One could be expected to produce, for the next four years, calves that had a yearly average weaning weight of only 404 pounds. But those picked from Group Five should produce calves with a yearly average weaning weight of 456 pounds, 52 pounds more than Group One.

These figures show that later calves are apt to be a repeat performance of the cow's first calf. Cows doing poorly their first calving year continued to produce the lightest group of calves. They were poor risks. Culling cows with light, scrubby first calves would be well repaid in greater profit through more efficient production.

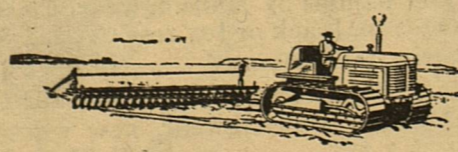
If you would like a full report on this experiment, write to New Mexico A. & M. Experiment Station, State College, N. M.

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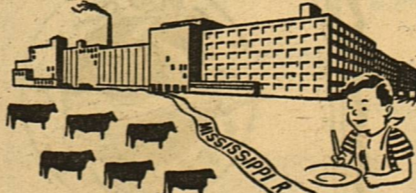
This large tractor is especially designed to handle the big and heavy jobs—easily, efficiently, economically.



This little tractor is good when used for its proper purposes. But it is not built to pull such a heavy plow.

It's the same way with business, including the meat-packing business. There's need for all kinds and sizes of packing plants—large ones as well as small ones. Two-thirds of the livestock is produced west of the Mississippi River. Two-thirds of the meat is eaten east of it. Bringing meat and meat-eaters together is a big job!

That's where the "big tractor" proves its worth. The country needs nation-wide meat packers like Swift & Company. For with processing plants located where most of the livestock is raised, we can help bridge the gap between western range and feedlots and the kitchen range. It is an important job, filling the vital needs of producers and consumers. As we have served them over the years, we have grown. And as we have grown, so also our ability to serve has grown.



P. M. Jarvis
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Vice-President,
Swift & Company

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kelly of Eden visited a short time in the Allen Kuykendall home Sunday afternoon.

Among out of town relatives present for the re-burial services for Sgt. Raymond R. Reynolds last week were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. LePage of Mission, and Osmand LePage of Temple, cousins of Mrs. Reynolds.

The Carroll Whites and Horace Linthicums visited Sunday afternoon in Sonora with Mr. and Mrs. Lea Allison, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Linthicum.

George Long, who sustained a heart attack recently, was brought home Sunday from a San Angelo hospital. He is reported to be doing well, but will have to remain in bed for a 30-day period of rest.

J. T. Jackson Jr., J. E. Hill and Marion Wade spent several days last week quail hunting at Carizzo Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill of Sonora visited Sunday evening with his mother, Mrs. G. A. Neill.

Mrs. Charles Jureck and two sons spent the week end with the Ello Wildes and the Nick Jurecks.

Cecil Newlin left last Saturday for his home in Minneapolis, Minn. after visiting his father, E. E. Newlin, who has been ill, and other relatives.

E. E. Newlin was brought home Sunday from a San Angelo hospital where he has been for the past few weeks after suffering a heart attack. He is able to be up most of the time, and is getting along nicely, relatives state. Mr. and Mrs. Newlin, who live on a farm in the county, have rooms in town at the home of Mrs. Jess Bradshaw, where they will be for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collins, from their ranch southeast of Sonora, visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Mattie Bruton.

Miss Loyce Higgins of San Angelo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Huber.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Powers, Jr. and daughter, Lynda of Alpine visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Doyle and family. Other relatives for dinner included G. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Lum Davis and Jan, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis.

Mrs. Hallie Barker of Dallas visited for several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Atkins. Mrs. Barker is a niece of Mrs. Atkins.

Mrs. Cora Putman has returned home from a San Angelo hospital where she received treatment for a heart condition for some time. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Isaacs of Austin visited Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Isaacs.

Edwin Jackson made a business trip to Bertram and Austin last week.

Mrs. Richard Cheatham is doing fine at her home here, after an operation for removal of a goiter, which she underwent last week at a San Angelo hospital. She was released from the hospital Tuesday, and spent the night with Mrs. Bill McSwain in San Angelo. Mrs. McSwain accompanied her home Wednesday, and will visit here for several days in the Cheatham home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Andrews spent the week end shopping in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Cathey of San Angelo spent Sunday with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. O'Harrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Ramsey spent Friday night in San Angelo with their daughter, Mrs. John Koschak and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryant and son, Dennis Earl of Sweetwater and Mrs. Sidney Rogge and daughter, Kara Lynn of Sonora spent the week end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bryant.

Mrs. Aubrey Baugh of Marfa visited from Thursday to Sunday with relatives and friends here while Mr. Baugh made a business trip to Houston.

NEW shipment of privet hedge just received. —Eldorado Flower Shop, phone 24141.

Mrs. H. T. Bird and Mrs. Robert E. Horn, Jr. and Judy of San Angelo visited Tuesday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Atkins.

Mrs. W. H. McClatchey visited over the week end in San Angelo with relatives.

Troop 1 of the Brownies elected officers Thursday, Dec. 8. President: Penny Childers, vice president: Ellen Wheeler, secretary, Connie Jauge, treasurer, Yvonne Logan and reporter, Janelle Turnbow.

Six girl Scouts, with Louise Kuykendall as leader, met Wednesday afternoon. They papered a box for a waste paper container, and made plans for a Christmas party for Dec. 15.

Mrs. Howard Belcher, who was operated on recently, has been quite ill at her home here this week, but relatives state that her condition is showing some improvement. Her sister, Mrs. Howard Stephenson of Menard, visited her this week. Cadet Keith Yates of Barksdale Field, Shreveport, La. was a recent guest of Edda Lou Meador at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Meador, Jr.

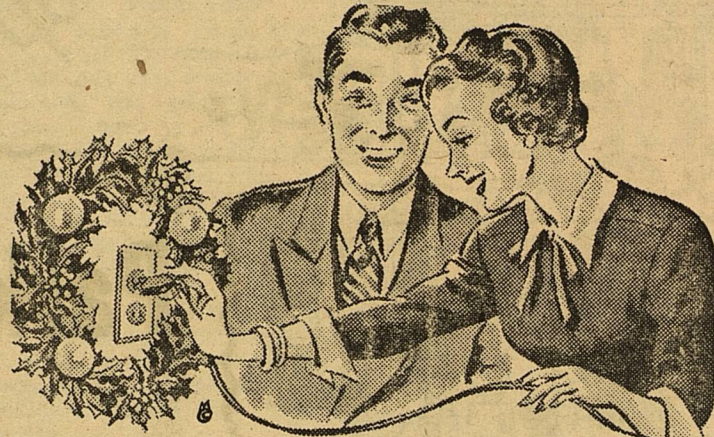
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Halbert, Miss Lee Halbert and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halbert and two children visited over the week end at Rodgers with Mr. Halbert's sister, Mrs. C. P. Wills and family. Jack and his family also attended a football game at Cameron between Cameron and the Coach Bynum's team from New Braunfels. Jack, a former Eldorado Eagle, played football when Bynum was coach for the Eagles here.

Ora (Jiggs) Davis, who is employed by the Houdaille-Hershey Corp. in Detroit, Mich. will arrive Saturday night to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ora Davis.

Mrs. C. L. Meador Jr. and Mrs. Frank Meador returned last Thursday from a several days visit in Dallas with relatives. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meador and baby home, who visited here during the Thanksgiving holidays.

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to express our appreciation for the cards, flowers and other expressions of kindness on the occasion of re-burial services for our son and brother, Sgt. Raymond Reynolds. We also wish to thank you for all your expressions of sympathy since we learned of his death 4½ years ago. You have helped us more than you know to bear our sorrow. God bless each of you, is our prayer.
—Mrs. M. M. Reynolds and family.

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Christmas
By
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Her
Something
Electrical —



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Sunbeam Shavemaster
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- 26 in. Boys Bicycle.

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Cover.
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- Electric Waffle Iron
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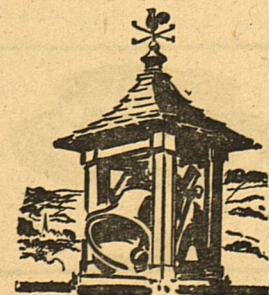


Beginning Saturday, Dec. 11, a box will be on the counter with a box of cards near by. Come in, write your name on a card and drop it in the box. Each name only one time. All chances are FREE. You have a chance to win.

Select Your Christmas Gifts NOW!

John Stigler

Jeweler



FOR WHOM THE BELL..

The first question people ask is, "Did he leave his family provided for?" Of course a man's first responsibility is to his family—a wife and children should be adequately provided for.

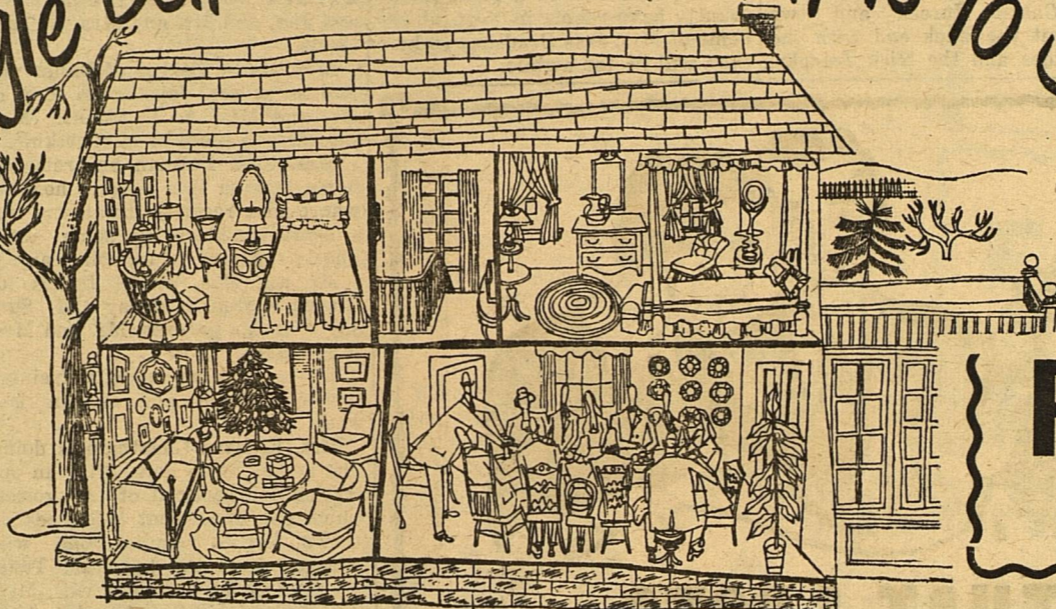
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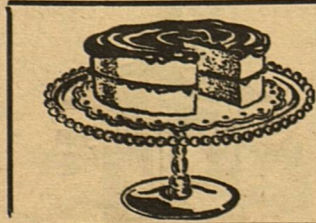
Red & White—Admiration—Folgers—Delmonte 1 Lb.
COFFEE 51c

SUGAR Pure Cane 10 Lb. Bag **87c**

Red & White 5 Lbs. 10 Lbs. 25 Lbs.
FLOUR 49c 98c 1.69

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Red & White Tall Can
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R & W Fancy Cling Peaches, No. 2 1/2 Can 31c

Del Monte Prepared Prunes No. 303 Jar 11c

R & W Fruit Cocktail No. 2 1/2 Size 43c

Diced Pears No. 2 1/2 Size 29c

Pie Apples No. 2 Can 23c

Christmas Candies Pound 29c

Fresh Cocoanuts Each 19c

Georgia Pecans 4 Lb. Mesh Bag 1.49



Fresh Shelled Pieces Pecans, Pound 57c

Dromedary Pitted Dates — Package 23c

Bakers Shredded Cocoanut, Package 17c

Marshmallows R & W — 10 Oz. 21c

Maraschino Cherries 8 Oz. Bottle 33c

Baby Walnuts 1 Lb. Cello Bag 39c

White House Apple Sauce No. 2 Can 23c

R & W Pumpkin No. 2 Can 15c

Gebhards Deviled Ham Per Can 15c

Fancy Grated Tuna — Can 49c

Town House Cookies Package 27c

Ginger Bread Man Cookies — Package 19c

Salad Wafers 1 Lb. Box 25c

Sunspun Salad Dressing — Pint 34c

Home Killed Baby Beef

Steak, tender 7-cut Lb. 69c

Rib Roast, Plate style Lb. 39c

Bacon Sugar Cured Squares, Lb. 35c

Hams - Wilsons Picnics, Lb. 49c

Pork Chops - Pound 49c

Bacon, Lakeview Sliced Lb. 49c

