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## Possible Producer on O'Harrow's Brightens Schleicher Oil Picture

An indicated new field opener on Mrs. Grace O'Harrow's ranch claims the spotlight this week, as operators work to bring in the new wildcat as a producer.

The indicated strike is 2 1/2 miles southeast of the Butler Drilling field, and 3 1/2 miles south of the Toenail (Strawn) field.

The test is Ashmun & Hilliard Ltd., Midland, and Fortune Drilling Corp., San Angelo, No. 1 Mrs. Grace O'Harrow. It is on the J. H. O'Harrow tract in 69-H-GH&H survey, 19 miles northeast of Eldorado.

The test logged additional pay section in Strawn Reef, and oil was recovered on a drill-stem test from 5385-5400 feet. Recovery was 40 feet of gas-cut mud, 170 feet of clean oil, and 40 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut mud. 30-minute shut-in pressure was 1800 pounds.

A previous drill-stem test was taken between 5372-5385 feet. The Strawn reef was tentatively topped at 5372 feet.

Casing is being run to test the Strawn. If this fails to make a well, the operator will test the Canyon.

The test is waiting on cement after setting 5 1/2-inch tubing at 5438 feet.

### Drilling Depths

Humble 1 Meador, 5885 feet, lime and shale.

Steerwell 1 Montgomery, 4925 feet in shale. On drill-stem test of one hour and 15 minutes recovery was 480 feet of drilling mud. Flowing pressure, 70-120-lbs; 15-minute shut-in pressure, 1090-lb; hydrostatic pressure, 2390-lbs.

Standard 1 Thomson, near Eldorado—no shows—bottomed at 6511 feet, drill-stem test between 6459-511 feet in Strawn lime. On core taken between 6461-486-ft., recovery was 24 1/2 feet lime, one of which was fractured; no porosity, fractures or shows in 21 feet.

## GRAY TO JUDGE ANNUAL COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW

J. A. Gray will judge the men's breeding sheep, 4-H and F.F.A. breeding sheep and the fat lamb division of the County Livestock Show, Saturday. Mr. Gray is a native of Wyoming, assigned to the Texas Extension Service as Extension Animal Husbandman.

Mr. Gray in the past has worked with boys and breeders in development of the sheep and goat industry and has achieved much in regulating major shows as to a standard of showing various classes of sheep. He has also served by demonstrating of flock selection to standardize wool and mohair for a better and uniform clip of wool and mohair for the individual producer as well as the industry.

Other judges of the show will be ranchmen who are active in the business.

Showmanship, best fitted lamb and the outstanding sheep exhibit will be judged by Jess Koy, Paul Page, and Gerald Hartgraves.

## MYSTERY TRUNK FOUND ON RANCH INTRIGUES VISITORS SEVERAL DAYS PAPERS PROVIDE CLUE TO OWNERSHIP

A name on a bank statement provided a valuable clue to the identity of the owner of an old trunk, which was found late last week on Pinson's Ranch.

The sheriff and his deputy have received instructions from the Morton County sheriff to ship the trunk to Big Spring. The owner is J. H. Beal, Jr., who reports that the trunk was stolen, along with two others, in November, 1954, and that this is the first one to be located.

The story goes like this: County road workmen with the bulldozer were cleaning some brush for a caliche pit when the trunk was scooped up with other debris about 100 yards from the road. Ernest Nimitz, who rents the ranch, brought the old trunk in to the office of the County Sheriff, where visitors have been having a field day looking through its contents.

Sheriff E. H. Sweatt and Deputy James Williams found the owner by following leads gained by looking through books and papers in the trunk.

And it's quite an assortment of keepsakes!

Topping the list in interest is a doctor's diploma issued to C. R. Sneed in 1821, the faded red seal on the white ribbon showing the date.

## FACULTY CHANGES ANNOUNCED FOR NEW SEMESTER

With the departure this week of Lewis Jordan who is moving to Odessa to teach in the Junior High School there, several changes were made among the teachers in the Eldorado School system by Jordan's resignation, which is effective at the close of the semester.

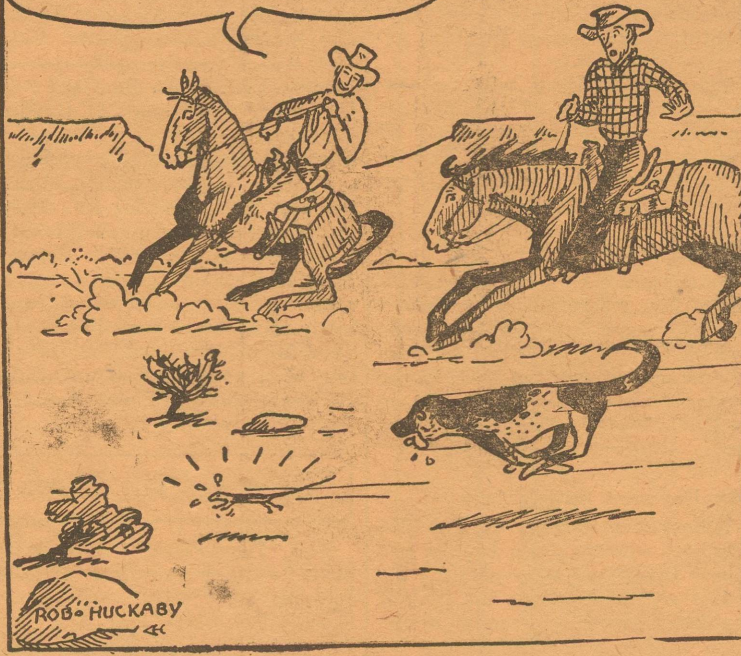
Mrs. Oliver Teele will assume her duties as teacher of public school music next week. Mrs. Teele taught public school music in the Reagan County Schools prior to schools. She has been teaching first grade.

Mrs. Ray Tisdale has been employed to teach in the first grade. Mrs. Tisdale has a B.S. degree in elementary education from McMurry College and 10 years of teaching experience.

Mrs. Bill McRae and baby of Pecos are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lum Burk, and other relatives.

## PECOS PETE BLUE BLOOD

LIKE YOU SAID, PETE, THATS A RARE DOG. FAST AS LIGHTNIN', PURE BLOODED-- NO, THERES VERY FEW DOGS THAT'LL TRAIL A LIZARD---I'LL GIVE YOU TWO BITS FOR HIM!!



## Annual County Livestock Show Opens Here Saturday Morning

### COUNTY AGENT GODWIN



W. G. Godwin, who has been helping promote stock shows here for nineteen years.

### Revaluations To Be Carried Out By City

The City Council met Tuesday night at the city hall and in addition to other business voted to set up a plan to revalue vacant lots in the residential sections of the city. This valuation will be on front-foot basis and will take into consideration the developments in the area where the lot is located. These considerations will depend on improvements in streets and accessibility of utilities and sewer.

### Former Resident Gets Man-Of-Year Award

A former Hoover Drug employe has been voted Man of the Year by his home town people at Sanger. The druggist is Ernest M. Acker who was an employe of L. M. Hoover three years, when the drug store was located in the present Eldorado Success Building, which Mr. Hoover still owns. The award was made at a meeting of the Lion's Club, after two months of voting. He has been a druggist at Sanger 12 years. He was awarded the honor because of his active participation in civic and religious activities of the city.

The 4-H and F.F.A. barn will be headquarters for the Schleicher County Livestock Show, Saturday, January 15. Four classes of fat lambs and four of registered sheep will be exhibited.

### Program

9:00 a.m. -- All Entries in place  
10:00 a.m. -- Best Fitted Animal  
10:30 a.m. -- Judging Breeding Sheep  
12:00 - 1:30 p.m. ----- Lunch  
1:30 p.m. ----- Fat Lamb Show  
3:00 p.m. ----- Presentation of Awards

### Committees

Finance: Edwin Jackson, Henry Moore, Joe Edens.  
Announcer: Gus Love.  
Bookkeeper: Gerald Hartgraves.  
Publicity: John Williams.  
Weighing: Truett Stanford.  
Presentation of Awards: Joe Andrews.

Show Committee: John Williams, Truett Stanford, Gus Love, J. E. Hill, Jess Koy, Edwin Jackson, Joe B. Edens, Henry Moore, and Edward Meador.

### Awards

Champion ram of show -- Regulation 4-H or F.F.A. Jacket by George Humphrey Motors.  
Champion ewe of show -- Regulation 4-H or F.F.A. Jacket by The Ratliff Store.  
Showmanship -- Spurclip by The National Farm Loan Association, Sonora, Texas.  
Best Fitted Lamb -- Spurclip by West Texas Woolen Mills, Inc.  
Outstanding Sheep Exhibit -- Buckle by Hollands Jewelry, San Angelo, Texas.  
Champion lamb of show -- Trophy by Nathans Jewelry, San Angelo, Texas.  
Reserve champion lamb of show -- Rosette, by Local Show Committee.  
Ribbons -- Finance Committee.

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### LIONS CLUB

The Lions Club met in regular session Wednesday noon at the Memorial building. Dick Bearce was received as a new member. The program was the presentation of awards to the 4-H Club boys with Edward Meador as master of ceremonies.

There were three guests present. They were two new commissioners, M. L. Potter and Walter Pope, and H. P. Campbell, a member of the Park City Lions Club at Dallas.

## New Court Takes Over

New and old county officers were sworn in Monday afternoon and the new court is off to a busy start as they conduct the business and familiarize themselves with their new duties.

Dick Bearce was sworn in first, then he issued order to County and District Clerk Patton Enoch to swear in the others, which included: Payne Robinson, Justice of the peace; T. P. Robinson Jr., county attorney; Mrs. Mabel Parker, county treasurer; E. H. Sweatt, Sheriff; Carrol White, M. L. Potter, John Williams and Wal-

ter Pope, commissioners. The Judge administered the oath of office to Patton Enoch, county and district clerk.

Court was still in session as this issue of the Eldorado Success went to press. First-of-the-year business will include setting of salaries and the hiring (or firing) of various employees. Minutes of business transacted will be on record soon, and will be available for publication in the next issue.

The old court was in session a half day, Monday closing out their work at noon.

### Youth Groups Of City On P-TA Program

The PTA will meet Tuesday, January 18, at 7:30 in the high school auditorium.

Forrest Runge is in charge of the program for this meeting. He will present the youth serving agencies on the program. These will include the Girl Scouts, Brownies, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and others.

Plan to attend this PTA meeting. Executive board meeting 7 p.m., general assembly 7:30.

### Five County Council Meets In San Angelo

The P.T.A. five county council met Saturday January 8, at the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo. The executive board met at 9:30, the regular session was held at 10:30, and lunch was served at 12 noon.

Those attending from here were Mrs. Palmer West, Mrs. Edwin Jackson, Mrs. Gus Love, Mrs. Pete McBurnett, Mrs. Jess Walston, Mrs. T. E. Holcomb, Mrs. Roy Phelps, Mickie and Terry Phelps, and Miss Jewel Shelton, the honored guest of the local organization.

### Den Mothers Meet With Cub Master

Nine Cub Scout den mothers and the Cub Master, Dick Preston, attended a called meeting Tuesday morning from 9 to 11 at the Memorial Building.

This meeting was called to make plans for the Cub Scout part on the PTA program January 18. Plans were completed for this program in which all the Cub Scouts will take part.

The January 20 pack meeting was also discussed. The theme of the program at this meeting will be "Railroading".

The Blue and Gold Banquet will be February 4.

### Mrs. Edwin Jackson At P-TA State Meeting Of Congress Directors

Mrs. Edwin Jackson, State vice-president, leaves this weekend for Austin where she will attend the meeting of the State Board of Managers of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers. Plans for the next State Convention will be made at this meeting, which is January 16 to 18.

One of the courtesies extended to the members of the board is a buffet luncheon at the home of Attorney-General and Mrs. Ben Shepperd.

## Achievement Awards Made To 4-H Boys Here This Week

Edward Meador made the presentation speech when seven top ranking 4-H boys received their awards at the regular meeting of the Lions' Club Wednesday. W. G. Godwin accompanied the seven boys who are:

Mike Moore, Gold Star boy, and Jimmie Whitten, Bob Steward, Ronnie Mittel, Bobbie Williams, Sonny Moore, and Dick Runge.

Mike Moore - Gold Star Boy - 1954 (Highest Award)

Mike, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, previous winner of Achievement and Meat Animal Awards, a consistent winner in Wool and Mohair Judging contests, and Plant Identification contests. He has been consistent winner in Wool Exhibits in the County and Area shows. Has been in 4-H club seven years.

Mike has a registered flock of Rambouillet ewes, has developed six (6) rams that have been sold to breeders. He has been consistent in winning at local and area shows with ewe lambs and ram lambs as well as wool.

Member of the 1954 Plant Identification Team that placed 2nd in the State. Member of the 2nd place Wool and Mohair, Plant Identification, and Livestock Judging Team; a utility team of the State.

Space or time will not permit all the placings or winnings at this time but truly a remarkable record in achieving this top award.

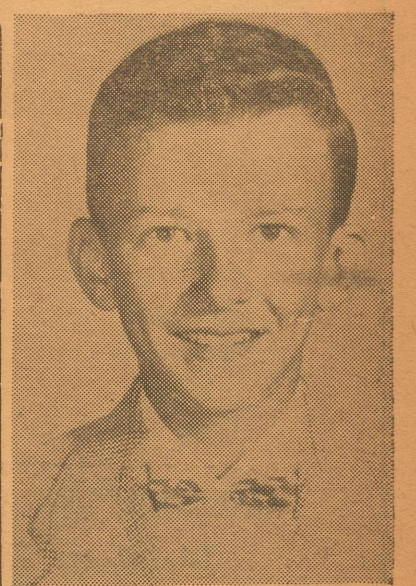
### Jimmie Whitten Leadership Award

Jimmie's Leadership Award was based on:

1. Helping plan the club program.
2. Helping other 4-H members.
3. Advising and assisting other members with demonstrations.
4. Presenting 4-H activities.
5. Assisting members with judging and scoring.
6. Representing the local club on a County, Area and State basis.

Jimmie, a member of the State Soils Judging Team 1953, member of 2nd place Plant Identification Team—in the State, member of the 2nd place Overall Team in the State in Livestock Judging, Plant Identification, Wool and Mohair.

Individual Honors:  
3rd in Plant Identification, State 1st in Livestock at Sonora.  
2nd in Mohair at Sonora.  
2nd high overall individual at Sonora.



Mike Moore, Gold Star Winner

### Bob Steward Achievement Award

Must have excelled and have an outstanding record in some phase of 4-H work.

Bob has developed outstanding ewe and buck lambs in 1954, winning 1st in ewe lambs and 1st in ram lambs at the local show. He also won 1st in ewe lambs in the area show and 5th with a ram lamb.

Bob has registered Rambouillet ewes and has developed 3 rams. Has had courses in wool and mohair and soil conservation.

### Ronnie Mittel Meat Animal Award

Ronnie Mittel has been in 4-H club nine years.

1. Gold Star Boy, 1953.
2. Achievement Award.
3. Leadership Award.
4. Danford Award.
5. Soil Conservation Award A.
6. Soil Conservation Award B.
7. Space or time does not permit to mention individual honors that have been bestowed upon Ronnie locally or from fairs or corporations, but will mention that 4-H clubbers elected him as member of the Board of Directors and as Assistant Sales Manager of the Junior Fine Wool Breeding sheep.

Ronnie has consistently developed fat calves and lambs that have placed in local and major shows for a period of 3 years or more. He has fulfilled this qualification well to win this Meat Animal Award.

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**Texas Town Cited In Magazine Article**

The positive action taken by the people of Orange, Texas, in preventing juvenile delinquency is called to national attention in the Current (January 15th) issue of The Saturday Evening Post.

It is cited by Richard Clendenen, Executive Director, and Herbert W. Beaser, Chief Counsel, of the U. S. Senate Judiciary Subcommittee to Investigate Juvenile Delinquency, in their report on the appalling upsurge of teen-age crime in this country.

In the second of five parts, of "The Shame of America," they contrast Orange's experience with that of other cities where the crime rate has risen sharply in the wake of sudden population increases and offer it as a demonstration of what can be done by an alert community.

Orange, the Post article states, had only 7500 population in 1940, but during the war it shot up to 35,000 within a single year. In other words, the vast changes that have taken place in the United States in the last fifty years were, to a certain extent, being enacted suddenly and in an extreme form in this city.

"It was perhaps because the danger was so great that it was clearly seen in advance and handled energetically by the community under the leadership of J. W. Edgar, who is now State Commissioner of Education," the co-authors say.

They outline how a child-welfare committee was formed and instead of permitting children to get into serious trouble, it moved in at the first sign of truancy or misbehavior, studied the child's problem and especially looked into conditions in his home.

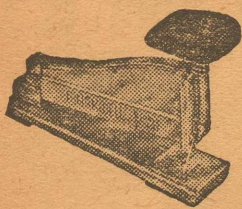
They made sure the potentially wayward child was placed in the proper study group and joined children of the proper age on the playgrounds. They organized training and recreation programs for the older boys and girls who otherwise would have left school to take well-paying jobs.

"There was very little juvenile delinquency in Orange during the period of inflated population," Clendenen and Beaser say, "and the parents as well as children were given a new concept of orderly living and family responsibility."

**NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam E. Jones Jr. entertained the Night Bridge Club with a party at the Memorial Building Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones won high, Pete Peters won travel, Mrs. Joe Ed Hill won ladies bingo and Paul Page won men's bingo. Supper was served to 22 guests.

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**News From Our Neighbors**

**Painted Rocks To Be Seen**

The famed Painted Rocks at Paint Rock will be open to the public on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 16 and 23 in cooperation with the March of Dimes drive scheduled to get underway this month.

A report from Marion Sansom, III, Paint Rock, was that the site would be open on the above mentioned afternoons so that spectators may view the marvels of the painted mysteries. —Eden Echo.

**Child Nearly Drowns**

A 2-year-old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Tatch of Menard was reported as "doing fine" by hospital physicians in Brady and Austin after nearly drowning in the irrigation ditch here Saturday.

The youngster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tatch of Austin, fell into the ditch near the Tatch home west of Menard at approximately 11:30 Saturday morning and was carried more than 350 feet down the canal before being pulled out by Melvin Swindall who had been visiting at the home of his mother west of town. —Menard News.

**Business Looking Up**

Alpine and the Big-Bend Davis Mountain area can look forward to improved business conditions during 1955, in the opinion of local civic and business leaders.

Construction projects scheduled for Alpine and Brewster County during the next 12 months include a new \$400,000 hospital, two new churches and several highway projects. In addition, several Alpine business firms plan remodeling jobs.

Quicksilver mining is being resumed in the Terlingua area and the search for uranium is being intensified. —Alpine Avalanche.

**Bank Deposits Up**

Deposits in the First National Bank of Bronte reached an all time high recently and the large amount of deposits was reported

this week when the bank made its annual year-end statement to the Comptroller of the Currency. The statement is being published on another page of this issue of The Enterprise.

A total of \$3,398,672.91 was on deposit at the end of the year. Normally the deposits run about \$2,500,000. L. T. Youngblood, president of the bank, said that the unprecedented amount of money was caused by deposits of Coke County and the Bronte Independent School District. Bond money for the construction of the new court house as well as the new Bronte elementary school is in the local till. —Bronte Enterprise.

**New Courthouse Scheduled**

Final approval of plans for the new Coke County court house was made here last Thursday. Present at the special Commissioners Court Session were members of the Citizens Planning Committee and representatives of Wyatt C. Hedrick, architect, and Harry Weaver, associate architect.

The new building will be constructed in front of the present court house, and will set back 57 feet from the street. It will be only a few feet from the old building. —Robert Lee Observer.

**Oil Activity Up**

Four rotary rigs are now drilling a few miles north of Robert Lee and more locations have been staked. Oil field activity continues to increase since the 304 barrel producer was recently bought in on F. C. Wojtek, 3 miles north of town. —Robert Lee Observer.

**Tax Payment Satisfactory**

Ninety-five percent of the 1954 Crockett county state, county and school taxes had been paid at the year's end and before the last of the early-payment discount allowance went into the limbo.

Out of the county's total tax bill of \$802,449.96, a total of \$762,605.66 had been paid into the county, state and school coffers. The remaining five percent will have to be paid during the month of January without benefit of a dis-

count. —Ozona Stockman.

**Addition For McCamey**

In a special meeting called by Mayor Olin Smith this last Monday, the City Council authorized the city surveyor, W. W. Grief, to survey the streets in the proposed new Apache addition to be developed by F. E. Covill.

The council also authorized the city water superintendent, Jim Pirkle to move the water lines, now running across the lots to the alleys in the addition. —McCamey News.

**Petition Presented**

A petition asking the County Commissioners Court to call a bond election for the purpose of building a community center will be presented to the county at its regular meeting Monday.

The petition asks that an election to vote \$75,000.00 worth of 3% bonds be called. About 200 names had been secured Wednesday. —Devil's River News.

**Atomic Energy To Be Used In Cancer Treatment At Baylor**

Atomic energy is to be put to work for the benefit of mankind at Baylor University Hospital in Dallas. Mr. Charles R. Moore, Chairman of the Dallas Executive Committee of the Baylor Board of Trustees, announced this new advance for the treatment of cancer today. Mr. Moore stated that plans have been completed for installation of a new "Theratron" Cobalt 60 Beam Cancer Therapy unit at Baylor University Hospital.

**Presbyterian News**

The Presbyterian Church will have regular services Sunday, January 16.

Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship — 5:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.

Monday at 6:30 p.m. the Men's Club will have a supper meeting.

Wednesday: Crusaders, 4 p.m.; Choir practice, 4 p.m.; Mid-week services 6:30 p.m.

**Trends In Range Management Cited**

College Station — Livestock raisers in Texas are changing their ways to get the greatest returns from the least investment.

The trend in brush control last year was toward cheaper methods which result in greater area control for each dollar spent but less percentage kill.

And, in reseeding the turn was cheaper, longer lasting methods using primarily native grass varieties.

Cattlemen are changing their management to cope with drouth and to meet demands for more livestock products, says A. H. Walker, extension range management specialist.

In a year-end summary of range work in the state, Walker says 3,974,451 acres of grassland underwent some type of land improvement during the year. He estimates that Extension Service demonstrations in range management added \$1,767,415 to income of ranchers.

The demand for livestock products has increased 10% since drouth took its grip four years ago. Ranch units have increased

in size and the number of livestock has declined in the central and western sections.

In some areas, higher livestock production and improved grazing conditions resulted from grazing livestock in combination. More efficient management, feeding and breeding of fewer livestock has brought about lower production costs, Walker adds.

**YOUTH FELLOWSHIP OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH TO ATTEND MEETING**

The young people of the Presbyterian Church will hold a youth fellowship meeting in the Fire Hall Club room at Sonora, January 16, at 3:30 p.m.

This meeting will be a regular worship service held by the youth fellowship class of the local church under the leadership of their president, Martha Dell Williams.

The public is invited to attend. A special invitation goes out to the young people of this community and Sonora.

Mrs. Walter Turnbow returned home Friday after a two weeks' stay in Haskell with her mother who is seriously ill in the hospital there.

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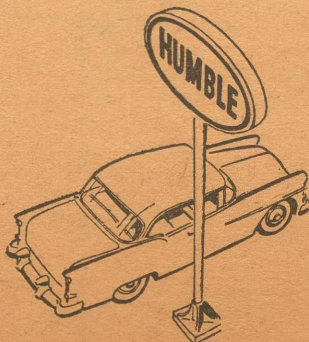
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**Wheat Growers Compete With Huge Carryover**

College Station — Wheat growers will heap their 1955 production on an estimated national carryover of some 1,000,000,000 bushels. And, as a result, the government's support program is expected to hold up the price.

Based on current prospects, carryover stocks probably will be reduced during the 1954-55 marketing year with further cuts due the following year.

John G. McHaney, extension farm economist, says total wheat supplies for the current marketing year will approach 1,884,000,000 bushels, the largest in history.

The economist expects wheat exports to rise above last year.

He says domestic consumption and exports are expected to top the 850,000,000 bushel crop in prospect for '55, making possible the reduction in carryover stocks.

Under the present farm program, wheat grown must be supported by parity between 82.5 and 90%. The national support level for the 1954 crop was \$2.24 a bushel. The support this year cannot go below \$2.06 a bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sallee of Brady spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sallee.

O. L. Woodward visited relatives in Brownwood last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lloyd attended a Broiler Growers' meeting in San Angelo last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Rumpy and Judy of Robert Lee spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Woodward.



By Vern Sanford  
Texas Press Association

Austin — Bascom Giles' quick resignation caught everyone by surprise.

He refused to take the oath of office for his new elective term as State Land Commissioner.

Giles was chairman of the Veterans Land Board, whose affairs continue under investigation by a Senate committee and three state agencies, in connection with block land sales.

Governor Allan Shivers was almost as quick in appointing Giles' successor. He named J. Earl Rudder, 44, of Brady, to the full two-year term.

Rudder resigned as a member of the State Board of Public Welfare to take the position. He was sworn in at the Governor's office, immediately elected chairman of the Veterans Land Board, and joined the other members—Governor Shivers and Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, in tightening veterans' land loan regulations.

Giles, who originated the veterans land program, said he stepped out because he thought someone else would have a better chance of getting needed changes in the veteran's land law.

Giles has been associated with the land office, in one position or another from the day he was graduated from the University. That was 34 years ago. He served 17 years as Commissioner.

Threatening Calls  
State Rangers and Department of Public Safety officials are trying to locate a telephone caller who threatened the lives of Attorney General Shepperd and State Cap-

itol Reporter Raymond Brooks.

"A bullet in the back of the head" was promised each man "if he didn't lay off the land business." Wives of both men received the calls at their homes.

Rep. Joe R. Pool of Dallas has prepared a bill having penalties up to five years imprisonment for such threats. Present law provides only a \$200 fine.

Everyone Invited

Everyone is invited to attend the Inaugural Ceremonies here on January 18.

Governor Shivers wants one and all to know that "an invitation list to an event of this kind is very hard to compile." No invitation is needed and all Texans are invited, says the Governor.

Inauguration Ceremonies are expected to draw 30,000 visitors to Austin.

When Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel was sworn in for his first term there was a record number of 55,000 on-lookers.

To Governor Shivers, however, goes the record of having served as Governor of Texas longer than any other man. He will have been in office five and a half years on January 22.

Gov. Coke Stevenson, runnerup for the honors, served five years, five months and 13 days. Shivers beat that record on December 24.

More Pay Now  
Beginning with this, the 54th regular session of the Legislature, the lawmakers draw \$25 per day. The old limit was \$10.

Pay is now limited to 120 days, however. In the past they went on half-pay indefinitely after 120 days.

An amendment approved by the voters last November granted the pay increase. It also gave the Legislature authority to increase the salary of the Constitutional officers.

At present the Governor gets \$12,000; the Attorney General \$10,000; and the Treasurer, Comptroller, Secretary of State and the Land Commissioner \$6,000 each.

It is expected that the Governor's pay will be increased by the Legislature to \$25,000 a year; the Attorney General's to around \$20,000; and the other officials to perhaps \$15,000.

Optometry Ads  
No decision was reached by the State Board of Examiners in Optometry on an application to reinstate its ban on advertising by optometrists.

Board members conducted an all-day hearing on a rule, twice adopted and twice cancelled, to limit the size of ads and to prohibit price, quality and credit ads by optometrists.

It was the old fight between advertising and the non-advertising optometrists.

Dr. N. J. Rogers of Texas State Optical gave the crowd of some 100 persons a chuckle when he told the board that too many optometrists are "blind" to the advantages of advertising.

News Briefs  
Texas' birth rate is still gaining, with 1954 showing a 4,000 increase over 1953. State Health Officer Dr. Henry A. Holle says births last year numbered over 240,000—with 1955 registrations 5,000 ahead.

Morton G. Ware, president of the Texas Legal Reserve Officials Association, says that Texas' law allowing insurance companies to be formed with \$25,000 capital should be changed . . . and the amount increased. It is not enough to give the public adequate protection in the opinion of the 70 members of the Association.

Contracts for building a \$1,000,000 tourist resort at Inks Lake, west of Austin have been signed by the State Parks Board. It also issued \$3,000,000 in bonds for this and other later projects.

A native Texan got a promotion when the University Board of Regents, meeting here, elected Dr. Dysart Holcomb, dean of engineering at Texas Tech, president of Texas Western College at El Paso. It is a branch of the University. He will take office June 15.

A law requiring compulsory treatment of narcotic addicts was declared unconstitutional by the Criminal Court of Appeals.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., currently engaged in several rate fights with cities, reports a construction budget of \$82,000,000 in Texas for the next 12 months. Last year the company spent \$80,000,000 and added 85,000 telephones.

**THE ELDORADO SUCCESS**

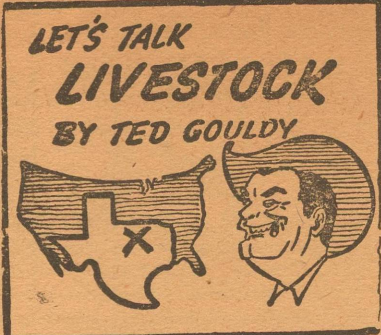
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**McLennan County Farm To Market Program**

Fort Worth — Highlight of the Monday business at Fort Worth's livestock market was the sale of the farm-to-market feeding project sponsored by business men and the Chamber of Commerce of Waco and McLennan County. 4-H and FFA boys of that county marketed their steers at prices of \$18 to \$24 per hundred.

The visit to the market by the group and sale of their calves is an annual feature at the yards. The project is one of the best in the Southwest and teaches participating young people the commercial side of the livestock finishing business. They are encouraged to keep accurate records, strive for cheap gains by using home grown roughages and pasture and to learn fundamental business principals. In many cases bank loans provide the initial capital.

**Cattle Open With Substantial Gains**

Cattle and calves were strong to 50 cents higher at Fort Worth Monday. Rain and snow over much of the territory cut the receipts in all divisions to well below normal and gave salesmen an advantage in the trade.

**Mexico Announces Import Quotas**

The Mexican government announced late last week that quotas permitting 348,000 cattle, or their beef equivalent would be permitted to the United States in '55. Detailed quotas for the year, by states, are: Chihuahua 100,000 head; Sonora 132,000; Coahuila 40,000; Durango 29,000; Camaulipas 10,000; Zacatecas 10,000; Nuevo Leon 10,000 and Northern Vera Cruz 14,000. Mexican officials point out that quotas are needed to insure a supply of beef in their own country. Average imports in years past when the border was open have been around 450,000 cattle per year.

**Sheep And Lambs Fully Steady**

Despite some weakness in the lamb trade at Corn Belt points the market at Fort Worth Monday held fully steady to strong. Again there was evidence of strong demand from midwestern feeders for fleshy to fat lambs of handy weights of around 80 to 85 pounds, where the lambs had long enough pelts credits to ship safely to the

colder climes.

Clipped and woolled fat lambs of good and choice grades drew \$18 to \$19. Feeders sold from \$17.50 downward, but buyers indicated that suitable quality and weights in load lots were quotable 50 cents or \$1 above that figure. Slaughter ewes were quoted from \$5 to \$7, and aged wethers \$7 to \$12. Yearling Muttons drew \$10 to \$16.

Lider Woodward of Brownwood spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Woodward.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McCormick were in San Antonio last Thursday and Friday on business.

Mrs. L. Moore is visiting relatives in Brownwood.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Horn last Sunday were her sister, Mrs. Mamie Smith, and her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Turn and children, all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Potter visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Potter, at Melvin last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Williams and son of Lubbock visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, and other relatives and in Rocksprings with her mother last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Page and James left Monday for Galveston where Mrs. Page will have a medical check up.

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**Report of Condition of**

**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ELDORADO**

In the State of Texas at the close of Business on December 31, 1954 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,147,071.08
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,118,187.25
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	12,000.00
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	200,000.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	4,500.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$749.57 overdrafts)	545,978.61
7. Bank premises owned \$10,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$4,902.50	14,902.50
(Bank premises owned are subject to \$None liens not assumed by bank)	
12. TOTAL ASSETS	3,042,639.44
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,371,651.84
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	2,011.50
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	374,399.07
17. Deposits of banks	3,471.26
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	6,977.33
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	2,758,511.06
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,758,511.06
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$75,000.00	75,000.00
26. Surplus	75,000.00
27. Undivided profits	134,128.38
29. Total Capital Accounts	284,128.38
30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	3,042,639.44
MEMORANDA	
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	105,000.00
32. (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	3,173.69
33. (a) Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	175,000.00
(7) Total Amount of Loans, Certificates of Interest and Obligations, or Portions Thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the U. S. Government (other than "U. S. Govt. obligations, direct and guaranteed")	175,000.00
33. (b) Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	175,000.00

I, Leslie L. Baker, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LESLIE L. BAKER, Cashier

State of Texas, County of Schleicher, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of January, 1955, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Clara J. Ochsner, Notary Public.

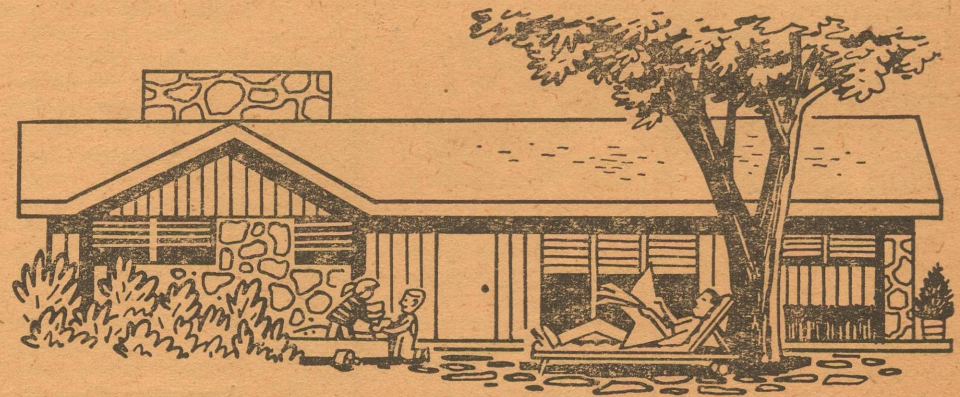
(Seal) My commission expires June 1, 1955.

Correct—Attest:  
Geo. R. Long  
W. O. Alexander  
J. E. Hill

Directors



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Stop and think, for a minute, how many electric servants you've added in the last ten years. Wonderful, work-saving appliances which have made your life easier and more enjoyable. So, even though the \*price of electric service has gone down in that time, your electric service bill may be higher. But when you think of the many things electric service does for you, twenty-four hours a day, don't you agree that it is still the biggest bargain in your family budget?

It seems like luxury. But soon she'll think of all her electric servants as necessities. As time goes on, she'll add even more.

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**West Texas Utilities Company**



# Lone Star THEATER

Thursday - Friday - Jan. 13 - 14

## The STUDENT PRINCE

CinemaScope  
Ann Blyth Edmund Purdom  
John Ericson Lewis Calhern

Saturday, January 15

## ROGUE COP

Robert Taylor - Janet Leigh

Sunday - Monday - Tuesday  
January 16 - 17 - 18

## Duel In The Jungle

Dana Andrews - Jeanne Crain  
David Farrar

Wednesday - Thursday - Friday  
January 19 - 20 - 21

## Hell And High Water

CinemaScope - Technicolor  
Richard Widmark - David Wayne  
Cameron Mitchell

Saturday, January 22

## When The Daltons Rode

Randolph Scott - Brod Crawford

SHOW TIME - 7:00 P.M.

**YOUNG Parrakeets** for sale. Also bird cages, parakeet feed, and bird cage supplies. Ideal pets for the home. Most acceptable at gifts. Phone 21701. —Mrs. E. W. Brooks tfc

**FOR SALE:** 6-room stucco house, garage. Lot 70 x 200, on highway 5 blocks east of town. Some terms. B. J. Wilkerson. Phone 25901. 52-1-2-3c

**FOR SALE:** Small two-bedroom house, good location, near school, on sewer. If interested phone 22751 or see Don West at Parker Foods. 50 4t\*

**FOR RENT:** Nice 2-bedroom house on Angelo highway. Call 24092 or see C. W. Biggs at Success office.

**FOR RENT:** 3-bedroom unfurnished house. Call 23591. 1-2-3c

**FOR RENT:** One trailer space in yard. Near school. Children welcome. Gas furnished if desired.—Mrs. Jack Elder, phone 23871. 1tc

**FOR RENT:** Billie Edens' furnished cottage. Phone 23054. 1\*

**FOR RENT:** 4-room modern house. Also garage.—Call E. W. Craig, 22941 or see C. R. Keeney. 2tfc

**GOOD Milk** for sale. Contact O. D. Cox at Hext Foods. 1\*

**FOR RENT:** 2-bedroom unfurnished house on highway. A. J. Atkins, phone 23281. chg

**FOR RENT:** New furnished house one-half block from school, reasonable rent, bills paid.—Mrs. Jack Elder, phone 23871. 1c

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our deep appreciation for every act of tender, loving kindness shown to us in our recent hour of sorrow.  
The D. C. Hill Family 1\*

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank our many friends for all the kind deeds which helped us to bear the loss of our baby. Our sincere thanks for the food, flowers, cards and other acts of kindness and to the doctors and nurses for their help.  
John and Marianne Phillips  
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Craig  
and family 1tc

**RUBBER STAMPS:** Band dating stamps & band numbering stamps; also pads, ink.—Eldorado Success.

**PERMANENT Laundry Ink** for sale at Success Office. It's poisonous, and a little bottle costs 45c. So don't be careless with it.  
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## Post Script

Construction is progressing on the East Side Baptist Church building. Workers started running the floor last Saturday and were delayed by the weather. This will be completed as soon as the weather permits and further work will be started. Joe Dossett, pastor of the church, has been ill in a San Angelo hospital but returned home Tuesday and has returned to work.

Jess Koy sent two horses to the Annual Horse Show at Ft. Stockton last Friday. Patsy K won first in her class and was grand champion. Hawk won second in the colt class.

Still in the planning stage is the new ranch home which the Jimmie Wests plan to build on their place. They had not completed their plans when this paper went to press, but they are tearing down the old house to provide the site for the new one.

The American Legion has set a new membership record, exceeding last year's high by three new members, making the total number eighty-eight.

Lewis Tisdale of Fort McKavett was in Eldorado Tuesday. He purchased a yearling bull, Woodroe Mischief 100, from the Case Ranch while here.

A little rain and a little snow fell during the weekend, bringing a little moisture to the whole county—a light precipitation to some areas, and up to nearly an inch in others. Here are a few figures:

Eldorado	4 to 5
Jimmie West	.75
W. A. Shuller	.90
Robert Nixon	.20
M. W. Jones	.68
Howard Derrick	.75
Jess Blaylock	.71
Ray Bruton	1.00

A state editor from the Fort Worth Star Telegram was in Eldorado Friday assembling information on Schleicher County, which will be played up in a spread in their paper at some future date.

## Edmiston Brothers In Hereford Association

Kansas City, Mo., (Spl) Edmiston Bros., Eldorado, Texas today was named to membership in the American Hereford Association, the world's largest purebred registry organization, with headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri. Two hundred thirty-five Hereford breeders were placed on the Association's official roster during November and December. The Association maintains active accounts for more than 80,000 breeders of registered Herefords over the nation. An average of more than five new lifetime memberships in the Association were issued each working day last year.

The Hereford Association last year recorded 552,554 purebred calves. The years total recordings were the second highest on record.

## Son of Wilson Pages Celebrates Birthday

Little Bob Page was three years old last Friday. In honor of the occasion his mother, Mrs. Wilson Page, entertained with a birthday party.

Twenty four children and a number of mothers enjoyed a hay ride into the pasture where refreshments were served around a bonfire.

Out-of-town guests here for the celebration were Bob's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, of Orient.

## Think Before You Prune

College Station — There's a reason for pruning any tree or shrub and you should think before you whack.

Are long limbs dragging the house? Want to improve the shape of the tree? Or do you desire more shade?

These are things to consider before you start with the shears, says Sadie Hatfield, extension specialist in homestead improvement.

All limbs should be pruned with the parent limbs so no stubs will remain to die, decay and harm the tree, advises Miss Hatfield. A properly made cut seldom needs paint and will heal itself.

Pruning stimulates the growth of new limbs and twigs and more leaves for shade will be the final benefit.

The specialist says to take the load off of large limbs while pruning, use a support from the ground and cut the branches three or four feet from the main trunk. An undercut on the remaining stub will prevent bark splitting when it is removed from the trunk.

Mesquite, Mimosa and other open growing trees will give more shade and protection if the top limbs are cut back three or four feet. This, however, does not mean dehorning.

An application of a complete fertilizer and watering right after pruning will condition the tree for spring growth.

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## United Church Women Select Mrs. Tisdale As 1954-5 President

At a meeting held late in December in the home of Mrs. Bert Page, the local United Church Women of National Council selected the following officers: Mrs. Ray Tisdale, president; Mrs. Edwin Jackson, vice president and program chairman; Mrs. Joe Eden and Mrs. Keno Ogden, program committee; and Mrs. Walter McGregor, secretary-treasurer.

The local unit of this council was organized about six years ago with Mrs. Luke Thompson Sr., serving as the first president.

The council has three programs a year. They are World Day of Prayer, February 28; World Fellowship in May; and World Community Day in November.

## WCSA MEETS

The Pioneer Circle was hostess at a business meeting of all circles of the Methodist Church, January 3 at the church. They also had charge of the program which was on "Family and Prayer". Cake and coffee were served.



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## REAL ESTATE TITLE PROCEDURES OUTLINED

How may a purchaser determine whether the title he is receiving in a real estate transaction is good, bad or indifferent? Although at first glance there may appear to be more than one alternative method, purchasers usually find that all roads of complete title security lead to a lawyer chosen by the prospective buyer to represent his interests.

In a previous column it was said that the Contract of Sale should state the Quality of Title to be conveyed to the purchaser. If the contract does not so state, then the seller may be obligated to sell—and the purchaser bound to buy—only whatever title the seller happens to possess, which may actually be quite defective. This may be true in spite of the fact that the seller is in possession, has a deed to the property, has been paying taxes, etc.

A real estate title is a claim of ownership or right to land and to the improvements, such as houses and other structures, located thereon. It may be partial or complete, as determined by the numerous facts in each case. If it is complete and superior to any other person's claim—if you can prove your right thereto against all the world, it is a Good Title. If, in addition, the evidence of your claim of ownership is contained in the proper public records, it is a Good Record Title. Ordinarily, only a Good Record Title is considered salable, being sometimes referred to as a Good Marketable Title.

When you buy a house, you want a title which is good, so that you and your heirs will not be troubled while enjoying the use of the premises. You also want that title to be marketable, in order that it can be sold when you are ready to sell—without the expense of perfecting title before your buyer will complete his purchase.

Having made certain that your contract of sale indicates the exact nature of the title to be conveyed to you by the seller, how do you go about assuring yourself that you will receive the specified quality of title? People have varied ideas about this matter.

Some consider themselves safe when they gain possession of an Abstract of Title or a General Warranty Deed. But an Abstract is merely an outline of public records on the tract of land—a history of the title—which anyone may purchase, regardless of ownership.

A General Warranty Deed from a responsible seller is comforting to have, but is a poor substitute for a careful title examination. True, it entitles you to sue the seller for damages caused by defects in the title. But serious title defects may not come to light until long after the seller is dead, has moved to an unknown address, or is bankrupt.

Safer procedures include your attorney's examination of the Abstract tendered by the seller, and the purchase of a Title Insurance Policy indemnifying you as the insured for the full amount of your investment. In any event you will want your attorney's advice when closing a real estate transaction.

A free pamphlet containing useful information on legal problems involved in buying a home has been prepared by Texas lawyers. To obtain a copy, print your name and address on a postcard and mail to State Bar of Texas, Austin 1, Tex.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

# Announcement

I HAVE TAKEN OVER THE FORMER BIGGS GULF STATION LOCATED NEAR THE SCHOOL, AND AM NOW ON THE JOB AS YOUR NEW GULF RETAILER.

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Candy, Cigarettes, Milk, Soft Drinks

## Joe C. (Jody) Whitten

Proprietor Of

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## Appendectomy For Nancy Jo

Mrs. Jack Elder and Nancy Jo returned home last Thursday after a stay in McCamey. Nancy Jo was visiting in McCamey when she suddenly became ill, and her illness was diagnosed as appendicitis. Since there was insufficient time to return Nancy home and her parents preferred the local surgeon to perform the operation, Dr. Jack Mowrey and Mrs. Elder were flown to McCamey by Gay Copeland. Dr. Mowrey performed the appendectomy and returned with Gay Copeland in the plane. Mrs. Elder and Nancy stayed in McCamey until Nancy was allowed to come home by car. This all took place on New Year's Day.

## TUESDAY BRIDGE

Mrs. Wilson Page entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Prize winners were Mrs. Dwight Wiedemann, high; Mrs. Paul Page, traveling, and Mrs. Joe Ed Hill, bingo.

The hostess served refreshments to eight players including two club guests, Mrs. Pat Finley and Mrs. Bob Page.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson were their two daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spurgers and three boys and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Perry and two girls, all of San Angelo.

Bob McWhorter, Palmer West and Mrs. McWhorter went to Austin Monday. Bob and Palmer were on a business trip for the fire department.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whitley and son have moved to Ozona.

Mrs. Max Henry is in Sonora hospital where she had major surgery last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Blair visited in Big Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jordan spent the week-end in Odessa and were snowed in. They returned home late Monday.

Mrs. Coralie Mebane returned home last Monday after a visit in Austin where she attended the Porter-Stieler wedding Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Neff and Nell spent the weekend in Junction.

Guests in the W. E. Bruton home last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bruton from San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Willy have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Childers. The Willys have been transferred to Goliad from Brownfield.

Mrs. Gerald Hartgraves returned home Tuesday after having surgery in San Angelo Monday.

Mrs. Mary Ann Larvin is leaving this week end for Ft. Stockton. Mrs. Larvin is an operator in Pat's Beauty Shop and has been here for several months. Her husband was transferred to Ft. Stockton several weeks ago and she is leaving to join him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilson of Claude visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Thompson Jr., and brought the Thompson children home. The children have been visiting their grandparents since Christmas.

Ellen Wheeler of San Angelo spent last week with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wheeler, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wheeler, came for her Sunday. She was accompanied by her guest, Jane Moss, of San Angelo.

Mrs. E. D. Otis of Kilgore is visiting her sister Mrs. Fred Watson.

Peggie Spencer is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. C. C. Henderson and son, Mike, plan to leave Saturday for Amarillo where they will visit another son, Capt. G. A. Henderson and his family for a few days. After a visit in Amarillo Mrs. Henderson and Mike will leave for California, where they will visit another son, J. L., and his family at Walnut Creek. Mike will begin a teaching job in the San Francisco schools at mid-term. Mrs. Henderson will visit in California for a month or more before returning home.

Mrs. H. E. Browder entertained last Sunday with a birthday dinner honoring her husband. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Haden and two boys, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Capps and children, and Mrs. Mattie Tatum all of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cheek are here from Arizona visiting his mother, Mrs. B. K. Cheek. They were called to Houston due to illness of her brother before coming here and have also visited in Austin, San Antonio, and San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Yates of San Angelo visited local relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schrader and son returned from a holiday visit with Mr. Schrader's relatives in Iowa and Mrs. Schrader's family in Minnesota.

Mrs. A. T. Wright is staying in San Angelo with her daughter, Mrs. Sug Dosse, who had surgery last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Biggs and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Biggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Looney, in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mund of Douglas, Texas, visited in Eldorado from Friday to Tuesday with Mrs. C. C. West, Mrs. Henry Hund, and other relatives.

The Doyle Easterwood family of Ozona spent the week end with the John Wests and Lenard Millers.

Mary Robinson of San Angelo was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lester.

E. B. McCowan of Abilene spent Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Love have been out of town this week due to illness of a relative.

Mrs. James Spencer is staying in Laredo with her mother who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Ewing spent the weekend in Midland with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Edburg Jr. The Ewings returned home Tuesday accompanied by Mrs. Edburg and children who are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Long of Daingerfield, Texas, spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Slone.

Jan Hunnicut of San Angelo spent the week end with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sproul.

# TEXAS

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Super Market MIXED VEGETABLES	8 oz. pkg.	19c
Super Market GREEN BEANS	8 oz. pkg.	21c
Super Market BRUSSEL SPROUTS	8 oz. pkg.	25c
Super Market FORD HOOK LIMAS	8 oz. pkg.	23c
Super Market CUT CORN	8 oz. pkg.	19c

Trellis 2 No. 303 Cans  
**PEAS . . . 29c**

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**Enchiladas 39c**

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55c Coupon In Sack	
10 POUND BAG	89c
25c Coupon In Bag	
5 POUND BOX	49c
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Schillings Pure 2-oz. Bottle  
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Maryland Club Pound  
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3 Lb Can  
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Van Camps No. 300 Can  
**CHILI 29c**

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**Grape Juice 39c**

Imperial Cane  
**Sugar 10 Lbs 69c**  
**5 Lbs 35c**

Limit 1 Sack Per Family

## TOP QUALITY Meats

Round Pound  
**STEAK . . . 72c**

Club Pound  
**STEAKS . . . 49c**

Plate Pound  
**RIBS . . . 17c**

Fresh Pound  
**GROUND BEEF 27c**

Ol Fashion 2-lb. Sack  
**SAUSAGE . . . 99c**

Chuck Pound  
**ROAST . . . 36c**

## Aladdin Notebook Paper

3 — 50c PACKAGES	\$1.00
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3 — 10c PACKAGES	25c

## 4-H Awards

(Continued From 1st. Page)

### Bobbie Williams Soil Conservation Award (Gold)

1. Must have helped his Dad to instill a conservation program on the farm.
2. Must know the best adapted grasses in this area and identify.
3. Must be able to identify soils in State of Texas.
4. Must know how to take soil samples.

High in individual in the district show in judging soils in 1954. Bobbie was member of 2nd place team in District.

### Sonny Moore Soil Conservation Award (Silver)

Sonny, member of State Soils Judging Team in 1953. Received the Meat Animal Award in 1953. Sonny knows soils and has to be able to identify soils regardless where giving the texture, permeability, depth of soil, slope, erosion, drainage, condition of land or tilth. He knows whether the land is suited for cultivation and know how this land has to be treated to remain fertile or build it up. He must know land management for both pasture and farm land and land retired from cultivation.

### Dick Runge — Danford Award "I Dare You"

In recognition of all his qualities of Leadership, of 4-H Club, Religious Activities, School Activities, County, Area, and State Activities in various fields, present you this Danford Award the book, I Dare You.

### Team Is Honored

Special recognition was given to Jim Whitten, Ronnie Mittel, Dick Runge and Mike Moore.

This team was high in the District VII Plant Identification contest and 2nd in the State at College Station, Texas.

This team also was 2nd overall team in Livestock Judging, Wool and Mohair, and Soil Conservation at the Sonora Wool and Mohair Show in 1954.

Jimmie was 3rd high individual in Plant Identification at the State. The team was high team in Livestock Judging at Sonora with Jimmie being high individual, 3rd high in mohair with Jimmie being 2nd high individual, 3rd as a team in Plant Identification, with Jimmie being 3rd high individual.

Jimmie was 2nd overall high individual. There are other members that have received honors for the 4-H club who will be recognized at future dates and completion of enterprises.

## Topliffe To Participate In State Ass'n Meeting

E. H. Topliffe of Eldorado will take part in a series of three events in Austin on Jan. 21, 22 and 23, all having important bearing on the butane industry. Mr. Topliffe, who heads Topliffe Gas & Electric Service, is a member of the board of directors of the Texas Butane Dealers Association and will attend a board meeting on the first of the three days.

On the second day he will take part officially in the association's annual mid-winter membership meeting, which is expected to draw more than 300 butane dealers from all parts of Texas. Sunday, Jan. 23, will be devoted by the association officers and members to exercises dedicating the new permanent home building just completed for the organization, Mr. Topliffe said.

The Texas Butane Dealers Association is the largest state group in the big liquefied petroleum gas industry, numbering more than five hundred members who operate in every section of the state. More than a million Texans are served by butane-propane, the Eldorado dealer said, for heating their homes and cooking their food. In addition, thousands more use butane-propane for industrial and agricultural purposes. Texas has become the leader in use of liquefied petroleum gas as motor fuel for buses, trucks, farm tractors, automobiles and warehouse trucks.

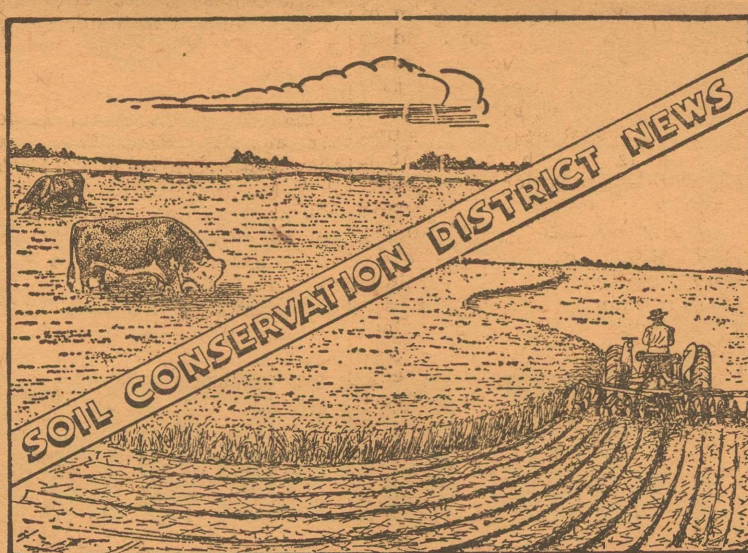
"The butane industry has grown tremendously in the last 10 years," Mr. Topliffe said, "and it faces even greater expansion. New uses for this 'magic fuel' are being discovered regularly and our state association has taken a leading part in fostering research to broaden application of butane-propane to modern living."

### G. A. GIRLS MEET

The G. A. Girls met Monday at 4:15 at the First Baptist Church. This was the Missionary meeting. The Catherine Cozzens circle served hot chocolate and cookies to 11 girls and one counselor.

Effie Parker of San Antonio, New Mexico, has been visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Parker. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Forey of Ballinger visited in the Parker home last weekend and were accompanied home by Effie Parker for a visit.

W. M. Pynes, an employee of Pan Am, has been transferred to Snyder. He is to report for work at Snyder January 17. The family will move to Snyder as soon as they find a house there.



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### 1954 SUMMARY

An increasing interest in conserving soil and water is evidenced by the number of Eldorado-Divide farmers and ranchers who practiced a soil conservation measure last year.

As stated by J. Forrest Runge, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District in the annual report of the district, "that despite all of the discouragement there is still hope left. The prolonged period of drought demonstrates conclusively that every effort be made to utilize every drop of water when it does come. The fact that such a large number of cooperators carried out a conservation practice under such adverse conditions of the past year is proof enough that interest in soil conservation is still growing".

The lack of needed moisture has greatly decreased the application of certain practices but at the same time it has caused some increases in other measures. It is felt by the Board of Supervisors that the farmers making the best crops were the ones who had applied conservation practices.

"The contour furrow is man's greatest defense against future hunger".

A total of 166 Soil Conservation District cooperators took an active part in the program by applying a conservation practice during the year. In addition to these, were old cooperators who had applied most of the water conserving practices in previous years. New conservation plans were applied on 12 farms and ranches. Among the conservation practices applied last year were: 700 acres of contour farming bring-

ing the district total to 625 miles; a mile of diversion terraces and 2,640 acres of rangeland pitted. There were 216 acres of legumes planted, and 364 acres of pasture, and 203 acres of range seeding. 400 acres of cropland was stubble mulched. On rangeland 36,215 acres were deferred and 38,000 acres properly used. In addition to this was irrigation layout work in the Tom Green county portion of the district.

With the need for soil conservation greatly increasing with each succeeding month of the drought; it is necessary that water and soil conserving practices be on the ground to hold what rainfall we do receive. When a normal season does come the cropland or rangeland must be in a condition to hold this moisture or much soil and water will be needlessly lost. A farmer or rancher with good soil conserving practices can make the effect of this drought less severe and even shorten its duration financially.

"The soft snap is one thing that doesn't grow on the farm". In this next year it is hoped that many more ranchers will see the need for deferring part of their rangeland and stocking their range so that the grass can keep ahead of the cattle to the point where there will always be a good vegetative cover on the soil.

Several new practices designed to hold the water on the land and retard runoff are being used this year. Range pitting of bare flats and the installation of water re-trading and spreading net wire diversions will be used to hold that raindrop on the land and assist in regaining its former cover of grass.

For any information or assistance regarding conservation practices contact your Soil Conservation District supervisor or the local office of the Soil Conservation Service.

"If a man farms his land to the waste of the soil or the trees, he destroys not only his own assets but the nations assets". —Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

### Attend Sonora Funeral

Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 12, at 2:30 p.m. at the Sonora Baptist Church for Mrs. O. C. Ogden with Rev. J. E. Eldridge officiating.

Mrs. Ogden died at her home Sunday night about 9:00, following a heart attack.

She was a member of the Baptist Church, Sonora Chapter of the Eastern Star, Sonora Art Club, and the American Legion Auxiliary.

Among those attending the funeral from here were Mrs. N. G. Hodges, Mrs. Robert Sproul, Mrs. E. H. Sweatt, Mrs. Palmer West, Mrs. R. A. Evans, Mrs. L. P. Haynes and Mrs. Keno Ogden.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones of Kilgore spent the weekend with Mrs. Jones' grandmother, Mrs. A. H. Green, and her aunt Miss Ethelene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hicks and Linda and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hazelwood spent Sunday at Junction.

### New Babies

Janet Kay Stires arrived at 6:50 Saturday, January 8, at the local clinic. She weighed 6 pounds and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stires of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Stires is the former Margaret Faull. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Faull of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stires of Avery. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Faull of Eldorado.

### The Military

Inductions Drop

Texas' draft quota for February will be the smallest since June, 1952. Selective Service Headquarters has called for 587 men during the month.

No men will receive pre-induction physical and mental exams during the month as draft boards have an ample backlog.

Pfc Albert L. Stanford, who is stationed in Korea, writes that he will be home in about five months.

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### New Use For Malathion, Control Fleas On Dogs

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The new phosphorus insecticide will control many DDT-resistant insects. The studies were begun to determine whether malathion might be used in sufficient strength to kill fleas and still not harm the animals.

Prof. Price says a five-tenths (.5) percent spray or four percent dust of malathion will give the longest control. A 2.5 percent spray or four percent dust will eradicate the pests in garages and other infested areas.

The entomologist adds a note of caution. Do not use malathion on the family cat. A formula containing more than two percent malathion is fatal to members of the cat family.

### School News

Eldorado was well represented at the district football banquet in Ozona Monday night. The banquet is an annual affair sponsored by the Ozona Lions Club.

Football players making the all-district teams were presented with certificates from Supt. L. B. T. Sikes of Ozona. Mr. E. A. Brodhead presented the Glasscock Sportsmanship trophy to Mr. Hatley, Ozona H. S. Principal. The administrators and coaches of each member school were recognized by Mr. Sikes.

Abe Martin, TCU Coach, stressed the importance of "hard work, respect for authority, and loyalty" as fundamentals for happiness and success. A film of the TCU-Oklahoma game was shown. Representing Eldorado were all district players Jerry Pennington, Curtis Stockton, Jim Stewart, and Herman Phillips. Others were Supt. T. E. Holcomb, Principal Joe Andrews, and Coaches W. A. Allgood, Frank Baker, C. W. Warren, and Ken McAllister.

The Senior Homemaking class took an unusual test on Monday. It was a part of the Betty Crocker search for the American Homemaker of tomorrow. Each girl was given a sealed booklet containing 145 questions which had to do with every phase of homemaking. On a separate sheet there was space for one essay answering the question "In What Ways is Homemaking more than Housekeeping?"

The winner will compete with other senior girls of the state to determine the Homemaker of Texas and the winners from each state will be judged against each other to determine the National winner. Even if there is no state winner the highest ranking girl in each school will be given a Betty Crocker Cook Book and the Homemaking Department will be given a copy also for having had contestants in the National contest.

The girls agreed that the experience would be good for them and besides it would be fun to take a test when the grade was unimportant. All the contestants hope to win one of the valuable and fabulous prizes which will be given to the winner; however the competition will be keen with many, many thousands of high school senior girls all over the United States taking the same test.

Superintendent T. E. Holcomb attended the "School Administrators Advisory Conference on Education" in Austin, January 6 and 7. This annual meeting is for the purpose of school men of Texas studying the various problems confronting them. Topics studied in this meeting were "revised requirements for Certificates of Approval", "Accreditation and Evaluation", "School Reorganization

and The Research League Report", "School Plant Problems", and "Vocational Education".

Some 1300 school administrators were in attendance for this meeting.

The FFA boys are busy getting their lambs ready for the local show which will be held Saturday. The boys will have approximately 40 lambs to exhibit. There will be classes in fat lambs, crossbred, and fine wool, and registered rams and ewes. A concession stand will be in operation.

Burnell Doyle has been elected as FFA sweetheart for the year. Burnell is a junior and is well liked by both the students and faculty.

The chapter has been studying the breeding and management of dairy cattle. Next semester the classes will begin studying poultry.

Eldorado took the opening district 6-A game from the Menard Yellow Jackets by a score of 60 to 52.

Jerry Pennington was top man in scoring with 19 points. Bill Holcomb was second with 16, and Tony Kerr with 15.

Grosse Mohler of Menard led with 19 points for his team.

The Eagles' 18 points in the second stanza proved to be the rallying quarter which was pretty responsible for the victory.

Mrs. Davis Murr and baby spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Doyle while Davis kept his appointment with the McCamey church Sunday.

Rusty Meador has been on the sick list this week.

### Thought For The Week

Ministerial Alliance

"Where Is Your Faith?"

The world moves forward on Faith; Faith in a living God, Faith in His Son, Jesus Christ as our Redeemer. Faith in the Holy Spirit to comfort, guide, and energize us. Let us ask ourselves, Where is my faith?"

A car battery loses its power if left idle. A jackknife rusts if it is not used. Silverware becomes tarnished if it is left alone. Bread molds or dries up if not used. What happens to our faith in God if we do not act on it, make use of it? We all take it for granted and use it too little, and then when an emergency arises we wonder why we go to pieces. Why? Because our faith in God is gone. It has been replaced with faith in our own ability and we find ourselves in a helpless situation.

Faith in God, like many other things: We must use it or lose it. —James L. Spencer.

Mrs. W. H. McClatchey returned home Monday after spending three weeks in Brownwood with her sister, Miss Bennie McCormick, who is ill. Mrs. McClatchey reports driving in a snow storm from Ballinger to Coleman.

John Phillips and Jack Stewart of ACC at Abilene spent last week end here with relatives.

Relatives visiting in the J. E. Estes home last week include Martin Estes of Belleville, Arkansas; Charley Estes of Castel, Oklahoma; Mrs. Judy Shultz of Austin; Mrs. Derl Wright and two children of Coleman; and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Estes of Eden. Mr. Estes who is nearly 103 years old has been seriously ill at his home here.

The Houston Thigpen family visited Sunday in Ozona with the Tom Carroll family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCoy and family visited in Brady last weekend with his father, J. A. McCoy, who has been ill for several months and is in a very serious condition.

### OES MEETS MONDAY

Chapter No. 140 of the Eastern Star met in regular session Monday night at 7:30 at the Masonic Hall.

In the absence of the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Jack Montgomery, the associate matron, Mrs. J. D. Ashmore, was in charge.

The refreshment committee, composed of Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Mrs. Ben Hext, and Mrs. Delbert Edmiston, served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore visited Sunday in San Angelo with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Terry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelper of Redwood City, California, visited last Thursday in the Will Doyle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill of Monahan visited her sister, Mrs. Will Doyle, and family last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bryant spent the weekend in Sonora with their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Rogge and children.

### Cong. Methodist

Rev. O. D. Cox, Pastor

Sunday School ----- 10:00 a.m.  
Preaching ----- 11:00 a.m.  
Young People Meeting 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Services ---- 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Services -- 7:00 p.m.

### Fundamental Baptist

Sunday School ----- 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship ----- 11 a.m.  
Young People ----- 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Services ----- 7:30 p.m.  
Youth Fellowship (Fri) -- 7 p.m.

### Rock Church of Christ

Reuben Stanley, Preacher

Sunday Morning Bible Study 9:45  
Preaching and Worship --- 10:45  
Young People's Class ----- 6:00  
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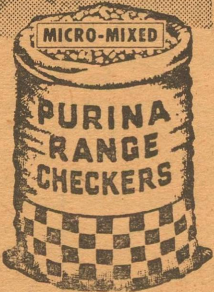
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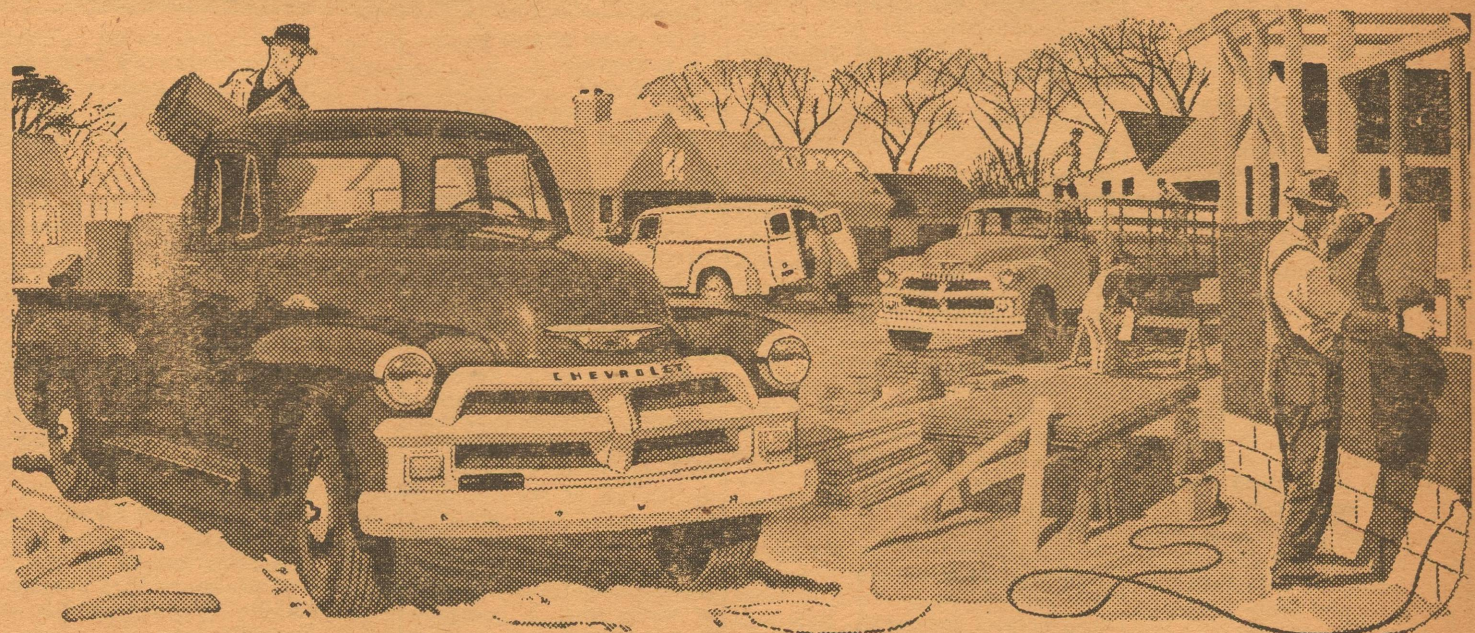
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**Woman's Club Elects One New Member**

Mrs. B. F. Cox and Mrs. Edwin Jackson were hostesses to the Woman's Club, Jan. 11, 1955, in the home of Mrs. Jackson, with 18 present, also a guest, Mrs. Arch Edmiston.

Mrs. L. L. Watson of Rudd was admitted to membership in the club.

Owing to ill health, Mrs. Stanley Gaynor resigned from the club. Her resignation was accepted with regrets, but because of her faithfulness in the past, the club voted to make her a Special Member, with privileges of an Associate Member, without obligations.

Mesdames Spencer, Nimitz and Jackson were appointed by the President to revise the Rules and Regulations of Club.

An offering for the March of Dimes will be taken at the next meeting, which will be held in the home of Mrs. Palmer West, Jan. 25th.

New officers elected for the coming year 1955-'56 were: president, Mrs. E. H. Nimitz; 1st v. president, Mrs. Carl Stevens; 2nd v. pres., Mrs. H. A. Ringle; secretary, Mrs. Arch Mittel; treasurer, Mrs. Palmer West; parliamentarian, Mrs. J. E. Spencer; historian, Mrs. Keno Ogden; club councillor, Mrs. R. J. Page.

Mrs. Keno Ogden led the program—America the Beautiful was sung and the secretary read the rules and regulations. Mrs. W. N. Ramsay reported on legislation, urging that all shall exercise the ballot. Mrs. Jackson asked that the club shall cooperate with the new officers and she read the poem "A Soliloquy". Refreshments were served.

**Glenna Edmonson Weds Dallas Salesman**

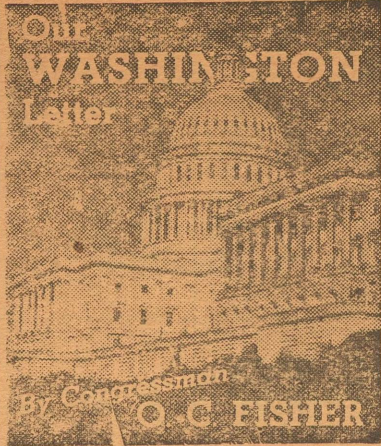
Glenna Edmonson became the bride of Billy Joe Johnson Dec. 31 in a home ceremony performed by Rev. Jack O. Crone, pastor of the Church of Christ, in Dallas.

Glenna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Edmonson of Eldorado, is head cashier for Commercial Finance in Dallas where she will continue to work.

Billy Joe is a car salesman. The couple will be at home at 839 Hains Avenue, Dallas.

**WEDDING ANNOUNCED**

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Logan announce the marriage of their daughter, Delma, and John Busby, December 30 in Arlington. The couple will live at Arlington where he is attending school.



Another year is in the making, another session of the Congress has gotten under way, and lines are being drawn for legislative battles that will take place during the next six months.

This being our first Newsletter in 1955, I want to take this opportunity to thank all my friends for their loyalty and cooperation during 1954, and to wish every one a happy, prosperous, and wet New Year. During the past Fall I made around 40 speeches over the district, and regret that conflicts and limitation of time made it impossible for me to accept a number of other invitations. I concluded my appearances at Brownwood on December 22 at an annual luncheon sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and attended by the various service clubs and county and city civic organizations. Awards were given to the two outstanding citizens for their civic work during 1954.

With Democrats back in control of the House and Senate, Southern Democrats will be in the limelight. Ahead of other states in that respect will be Texas, Tennessee, and Georgia. Veteran Sam Rayburn takes over again as Speaker of the House, with Lyndon Johnson moving into the key leadership spot in the Senate. Texans moved into chairmanships of two committees with Olin Teague of Beryan heading Veterans Affairs and Omar Burleson of Anson taking over House Administration. George Mahon, next to the top in Appropriations, becomes chairman of the subcommittee that handles all military spending. I advance a bit on the Armed Services committee.

Over in the Senate, Senator Byrd of Virginia becomes chairman of the Finance committee which handles all tariff and tax bills, with Senator George of Georgia taking over the important Foreign Relations. Senator Russell of Georgia heads the Armed Services in the Senate and Carl Vin-

son of Georgia, returns to the chairmanship of the same committee in the House. Agriculture committees are headed by Ellender of Louisiana in the Senate and Harold Cooley of North Carolina in the House.

With a number of other southerners moving up to chairmanships or ranking positions, it can be seen that influence-wise in legislative circles, the South outclasses the rest of the nation. This has happened before and is, of course, due to higher percentage of Southerners being repeatedly reelected, whereas in the North and East, where organized labor, liberal, and racial blocs often combine forces to unseat Members who resist their pressures, seniority on committees is difficult to attain. The senior member on a committee automatically becomes chairman.

Beginning on Sunday, January 16, I will make a weekly radio report over San Angelo's KGKL at 12:45 to 1 p.m. KGKL asked me to do this. Similar transcriptions can be sent to any other stations that desire to use the weekly program.

**Woolen Mill Employee Weds In San Angelo**

Mrs. Rosemary Krueger of San Angelo and Roy A. Collins were married early in January in the parsonage of the Immanuel Baptist Church in San Angelo. The Rev. Taylor Hedley performed the double-ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McMann of Midland attended the couple.

Mrs. Collins is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bristow of Vancourt. Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Smith of Brownfield are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Collins is employed by the San Angelo Standard-Times and will remain in San Angelo until about the first of June when she will move here. Mr. Collins is associated with the West Texas Woolen Mills. He has lived in Eldorado about two years.

**CIRCLE MEETS**

Circle No. 3 of the Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Page. Mrs. Jack Jones was leader for the program, and Mrs. C. W. Warren led the discussion. A salad plate was served to 13 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGill visited his mother, Mrs. A. A. McGill, in San Angelo last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kreklow attended the funeral of an uncle, Bob Miller, at May near Brownwood last Saturday.

**BAPTIST WMU**

The WMU of the First Baptist Church met Monday at 3:30 p.m. at the church, with 16 members present.

Mrs. J. B. Montgomery taught the Bible study on the subject, "The Holy Spirit".

The next meeting of the St. John's Episcopal Guild will be January 24 at the home of Mrs. Forrest Runge. Lunch will be served.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark this week are M. C. Aycock, Clarence Aycock, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Aycock all of Temple.

**TROOP 3 MEETS**

Girl Scout Troop No. 3 met Monday afternoon at the Memorial Building. The troop was divided into patrols for the year's work. This troop is composed of 14 girls.

Mrs. Mamie Henson of Kilgore visited last week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Gandy.

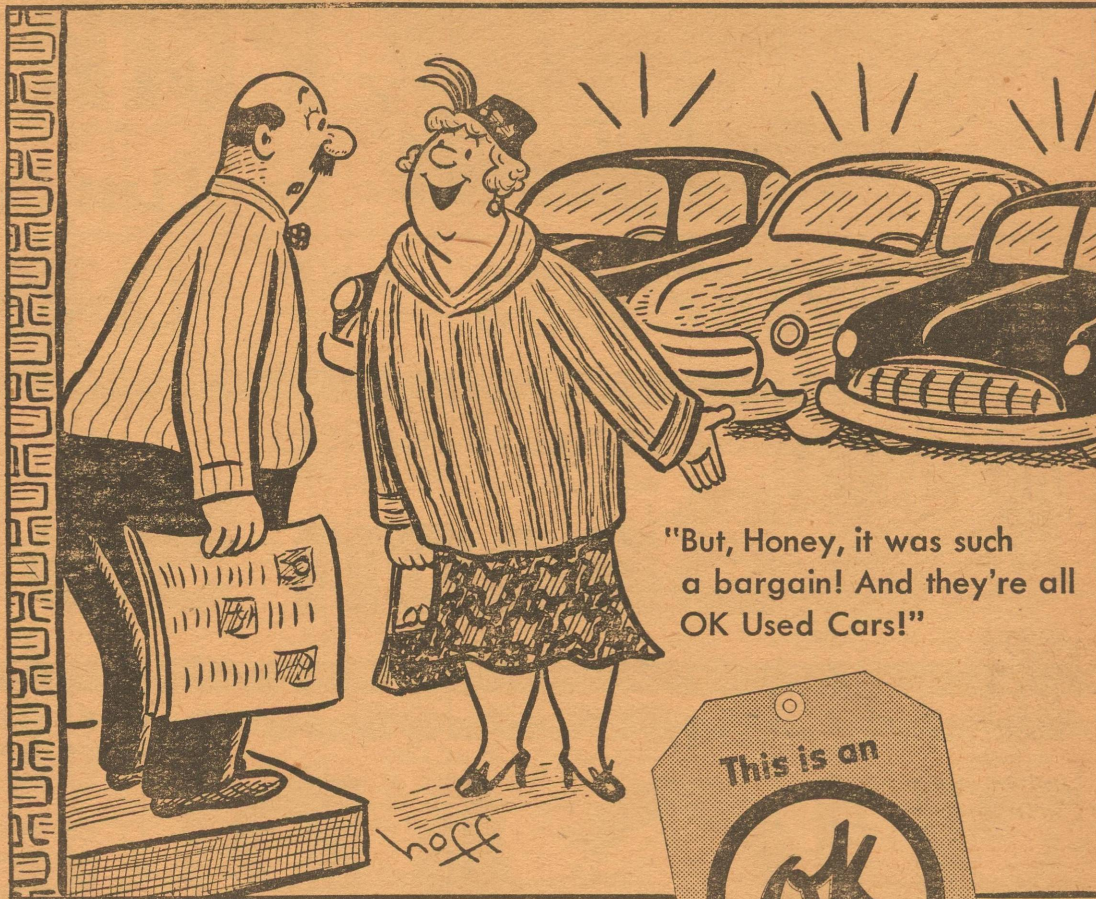
A. W. Keys attended the Pecos County Sheep Show at Ft. Stockton last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren West and baby of Salt Gap visited from Sunday to Wednesday in the Russell Sallee home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Joiner attended the Junior High School Basketball Tournament in San Angelo last weekend. Mrs. Joiner's nephew, Jerry Paul Dehninger of Abilene was a player on the winning team, North Junior High of Abilene.

"Chick" Wilkerson visited five days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkerson, and left Monday for another job at Hobbs, after working for some time at Plains.

Mrs. Jimmy Lowe of Midland spent last weekend with her father, J. C. Johnson.



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Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	4,500.00
Banking House.....	10,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures.....	4,902.50
U. S. Bonds & Securities.....	1,493,187.25
Municipal Bonds & Warrants.....	12,000.00
Cash and Due from Banks.....	1,147,071.08
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>3,042,639.44</b>
Liabilities	
Capital Stock.....	75,000.00
Surplus.....	75,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	134,128.38
Deposits.....	2,758,511.06
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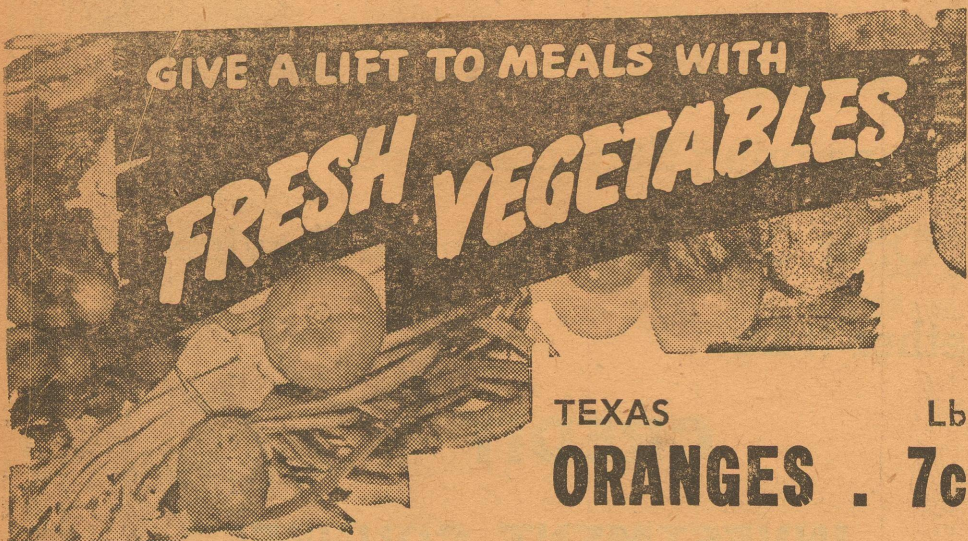


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**AVACADOS** EACH . . . **9c**

**Cello CARROTS** PKG. **9c**

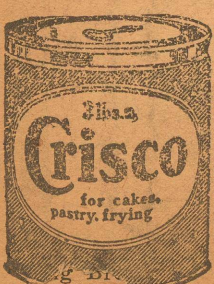
**RUTABAGAS** . Pound **7c**

**ALL** Automatic Washer Detergent **10** Pound Package **\$1.89**

**Super Suds, 2 lge boxes 35c**



**2 Lb Box . 79c**



**3** POUND CAN With Coupon Limit 1 **69<sup>c</sup>**

BANNER — IN OIL SAUSAGE 5-oz. Can 2 for <b>29c</b>	O. V. HALVES 303 Can <b>PEARS 23c</b>
SUN SPUN 303 Can <b>PIE CHERRIES 25c</b>	STEELES — NEW 303 Can <b>NEW POTATOES 10c</b>
LIBBYS STRAINED 3 For <b>BABY FOOD 25c</b>	SUN SPUN — 303 Size 2 For <b>SPINACH 29c</b>
LIBBYS Tall Can <b>PINK SALMON 59c</b>	FRANKS 1-oz. Can <b>BLACK PEPPER 19c</b>

MEALS IN MERE MINUTES WITH THRIFTY



**ARMOUR CHILI 49c**

**ARMOUR BEEF STEW 49c**

**ARMOUR CHOPPED HAM 59c**

O-So-White Bathroom **Disinfectant 89<sup>c</sup>** Quart

Scrappy 300 Can 3 For **Dog Food 25c**

Bleach **CLOROX 19c** Quart

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