

**STATE IS READY FOR ELECTION NOVEMBER 8**

Election supplies have been received here and all is in readiness for the Nov. 8 elections, at which amendments will receive consideration from the voters.

In Schleicher county voters will cast their votes at the following boxes:

- Courthouse—1.
- Schoolhouse—1A.
- Mayer—2.
- Adams—3.
- Vermont—4.
- Cliff—8.
- Reynolds—9.

The old Alexander box and the Reynolds box have been combined, and voters in these communities will vote at Reynolds. In the east end of the county those who formerly voted at Ft. McKavett will vote at the John I. King place (Mayer No. 2) these two boxes having been combined.

**Eagles To Play Ozona Saturday Night At Ozona Stadium**

The Eldorado Eagles will play Ozona at the Ozona stadium Saturday night beginning at 8:00. Starting lineup will probably be: C. Biggs LE; Woodward LT; Spencer LG; Waddell C; T. Biggs RG; Phillips RT; Sofe RE; Alexander QB; Nixon FB; Bill Jones or Bobby Galbreath LG; Dean Clark RH.

Concluding games for the season will be: Big Lake here November 1, Friday afternoon, probably at 2:30, and Junction there Nov. 18, Friday, at 7:30. Both games are conference games.

Sammie Whittan, who was injured in the Menard game, will not be able to play for the rest of the season.

Since the local team plays Saturday night, a number of football fans are expected to take in other games on Friday night. Friday night Sonora plays in Iraan, Junction plays in Big Lake, and Menard plays in Mason.

**Band To Perform**

The high school band and pep squad will participate in a marching formation with the Ozona band at the game Saturday night, rather than perform a separate routine. Ozona will crown its football queen at the half, and the two bands will do a mass formation.

Joyce Burk, local drum major, will lead both bands during coronation ceremony. The band and pep squad will leave for Ozona early so they may rehearse the formation there.

The local band will also go to Ozona a week from Saturday, November 12, to take part in the homecoming activities there.

Ozona and Sonora football teams will play Saturday night, and during the afternoon there will be a marching contest for bands in this district, in which the Eagle band will compete. The contest will be preceded by a big free barbecue for the band members. Trophies will be awarded to the top three bands.

**Junior Football Dates Are Postponed**

The dates for the last two junior football games, both to be played with Junction, have been postponed a week.

The junior team will play in Junction next Thursday night, November 10, at 7:30. Junction will come here a week later, November 17, for the last game, at 7:30.

**OLNEY FIRM IS LOW BIDDER ON SECTION C3**

A bid of \$278 per mile for the 128-mile REA line in Sutton, Crockett, and Val Verde counties was officially approved, according to a telegram received by Southwest Texas Electric Co-Op manager Don McCormick, Tuesday morning.

Directors opened the bids in the Eldorado office on October 21. Of the five firms bidding, the low bidder was Willis and Hinders of Olney, at \$278 per mile.

It is expected that work will start soon on this line which will be known as Section C3.

**8th Grade Students Give Assembly Play**

Eighth grade students presented the program when the local school had assembly last Friday. They gave "Lorna Loon's Fate" or "Kidnapped in a Tater Sack."

The production was given in the form of a pantomime with Jerry Johnson as reader. The all-male cast included:

- Mrs. Lummax, the mother—Mickey McCown
- Lorna Loon, the heroine—Raymond Mittel
- Imogene, little sister—Billy Gene Edmiston
- Bob Dare, the hero—Myrl Suddoth
- Frank Goodnix, the villain—Lynn Griffin

All of the boys playing female characters wore dressed appropriately and wore wigs. Other class members helped backstage during the play. Miss Knowla Stewart is sponsor for the class.

# Eldorado Success

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## Plans Shaping Up For Lions Auction Nov. 12

The Lions spent most of their business session Wednesday in discussion of plans for their Auction Sale, which will take place November 12 in Eldorado.

The auction will start at 3:00 p. m.

The auction will feature wearing apparel, household items, and all kinds of other merchandise which is being donated by Eldorado and other West Texas merchants.

Farmers and ranchers are also invited to donate livestock or any other item and to bring it in Friday or Saturday before the sale.

Col. Roberts, commander of Goodfellow Field, is sending six planes here to put on an air show during the afternoon.

There will be free entertainment during the afternoon and evening including a cake walk, bingo, carnival, automobile race, bike races, sack races, and clowns.

Proceeds will be used for community betterment.

## Eldorado Negro Killed In Cotton Field Shooting

An Eldorado negro was killed instantly and his son-in-law surrendered to authorities immediately afterward in a cotton field tragedy Monday near Lamesa.

The victim was Reuben Moore, and the arrested man is Andrew Jackson, estranged husband of Moore's daughter "Red". Members of the picking crew who witnessed the shooting state that only one shot was fired, and that they do not know what caused the trouble.

Moore's age at the time of his death was 41 years, 7 months and 20 days. He was born in Gonzales County, was married to the former Alma News in Caldwell County, and moved here with his family in 1937. He worked at various times in cotton fields, and as an employee of Ernest Finnigan and the Dave DeLongis.

Of the 11 children born to the couple nine survive; of these several are under school age. Surviving also is the wife.

A truckload of Eldorado negroes had been picking cotton near Lamesa about two weeks. After the shooting, five members of the victim's family drove to Lamesa and accompanied the body back to Eldorado.

Jackson is lodged in jail in Stamford and his trial is expected to be held in that county.

Funeral services for the deceased were held from the family home Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. Roy Shilling officiating, and interment was made here.

## Local School Band Plans Holiday Music For Christmas Season

The school band is making plans for the approaching Christmas season, according to C. F. Jones, band director. He has ordered Christmas music, and has planned to have a Christmas concert some time during the holidays.

An ensemble, made up of pupils in the Bailey Ranch community, are at work on music for a Christmas program at the Bailey Ranch church.

All band members, from seventh grade through high school, have bought copies for their instrument of an easy march book. The large number of identical copies will enable a 75-piece band to perform at once. The music can be used when a visiting band is here, so the two bands can play together, or can be used when the Eldorado high school and grade school bands are performing together.

Several band students have bought new instruments. They include: Mary Lou Alexander, Wanda Joe Owens, Arnold Clark and Ronnie Mittel, clarinets; John Alexander, alto saxophone; Raymond Mittel and Frank Prochaska, cornets; and Rita Ann Elder, oboe.

## Afternoon Game Set For Armistice Day, Big Crowd Expected

Ranch country folks will have something to go to on Armistice Day in Eldorado.

The Big Lake-Eldorado game, originally scheduled to be played under lights, has been set for 2:30 p. m., Nov. 11. Supt. Reynolds confirmed these plans by telephone this morning and all arrangements are made.

School will be in session up until time for the game.

It is understood that most businessmen, who usually close on Armistice Day, will be able to take in the event. A large crowd is expected.

## NEW TISDALE HOUSE NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Ray Tisdale has started construction of a six-room frame house on a 90-foot lot between the Jack Hext and Arthur Mund residences. The three-bedroom house will have a breezeway and attached garage. The family have been occupying the Davidson apartment since they moved to Eldorado from Ballinger.

Among the 43 University of Texas co-eds who have been elected to the Reagan Literary Society is Mary Lillian Ellington of Eldorado.

## PTA CARNIVAL BRINGS IN TOTAL OF OVER \$300

A total of over \$500 was taken in at the PTA carnival Saturday night in the community building. Of this amount the Juniors and Seniors will keep the amount those classes made, and the remainder probably about \$350 or more, will be added to the PTA treasury.

## Former Residents Dies In San Angelo

H. M. McGlothling, 66, former Eldorado resident, died at 2:15 Sunday morning at San Angelo after several days' illness.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Cox Funeral Home, with Rev. Ray Johnson and the Rev. B. H. Bohmfalk officiating. Burial was made in Belvedere Cemetery.

He was born in Gonzales County Dec. 23, 1882. In 1906 he married Miss Jessie Glass at Nixon. He was a member of the Methodist church.

He moved to Barnhart to work for Gulf, and was employed for some time there and in Big Lake. He is survived by his wife, two sons, two daughters, two brothers and two sisters.

Tom Johnson of this city was named as one of the pallbearers. He and his wife, and Mrs. G. A. Neill and Neill Dickens were among the Schleicher County people who attended the funeral.

## Local Man Maintains He Is Very Much Alive

"Hey, what's going on down there?" asked Mrs. R. H. Blaylock, phoning to relatives here Tuesday evening from San Angelo.

"Where's R. H.?"

"He's right here beside me!"

This conversation climaxed an afternoon of excitement in Eldorado occasioned by a telephone report that R. H. and a companion had been found dead in a car in Ozona!

The error was straightened out several hours later when Blaylock and his wife had been located in San Angelo, where they were visiting, and the corpse had been inspected at Ozona by local relatives.

The news was telephoned to Eldorado early in the afternoon, and Frank Blaylock and son Billy Frank started for Ozona immediately to check the story and identify their relatives.

Before they were admitted to view the body they doubted, from

## FIRE BOYS BOOK SANTA CLAUS AND REINDEERS

The Eldorado Fire Department announce that they have booked Santa Claus and his live reindeers to appear in Eldorado at 3:00 Christmas Eve. Santa will bring his reindeer here to pull his sled, through the streets of this city and distribute candy to the children of the county.

Fire boys point out that Santa will have real home grown white whiskers and that his real reindeers will travel in refrigerated vehicles, as they are used to the climate of the Frozen North.

Since there is some expense connected with the bringing of Saint Nick to Eldorado the fire boys are planning to take up a collection to pay for the trip. Lions will pay for Santa's candy.

It is understood that Santa will jingle a large number of sleigh bells, which will be a novelty here.

All Schleicher County families are urged to put a ring around the date — Dec. 24 — and to plan to be present.

## Schleicher's Two Gins Exceed 4,000 Total In Today's Reports

Schleicher county gins are still running around the clock, and the totals for the two have passed the 4,000 mark.

Moore and Sons report today a total of 1840 at 8:00 a. m. Mikeska was ginning at 2452 at that hour.

Gayle Woodward has been ill this week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Woodward, and is a first grade student.

## Miss Kathryn Hall Weds Billy Whitley

Miss Kathryn Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wyndell Hall, was married Sunday morning at Los Cruces, N. M., to Billy Whitley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitley of Rocksprings. The couple returned to Eldorado Sunday evening.

The bride is a member of the senior class. She is a senior cheer leader in the pep squad, member of the school sextette, is clarinetist in the contest band and the ensemble, is 1949 football queen, and was class favorite in her freshman and junior years. She received her grade schooling at Richmond, Calif., and was in the eighth grade at Washington, Okla., moving here the following summer when her father accepted the principalship of the Eldorado grammar school.

The groom received his schooling here. He was a four-year letterman in football, and a four-year band man. After his graduation from the Eldorado high school in 1948 he attended Sul Ross one term, and in April, 1949, joined the Air Force and is stationed at Randolph Field, San Antonio, where he is in the headquarters office.

The groom has returned to San Antonio after a two weeks' furlough. The bride resumed her school work here, and will continue to make her home with her parents and graduate with her class.

## Books Presented To Eldorado School

The school library has received a gift of books from Mrs. C. C. McBurnett and Virginia Blackman, in memory of H. R. Jack.

One of the books is "Treasury of the Familiar", edited by Ralph Woods, with foreword by John Kieran. This is an anthology of poetry and familiar prose selections. The other is "World Famous Paintings" edited by Rockwell Kent, containing notes on painters and their works, and also 100 beautiful full-page color plates.

Mrs. Ernie Bauer regularly presents to the school the New York Times, the Christian Science Monitor with its magazine section, and the New Yorker and other magazines.

## W. E. AND RAY BRUTON BUY COTTON STRIPPER

W. E. Bruton and his son, Ray Bruton, have bought a new John Deere cotton stripper. They expect to be able to use it before long, as soon as the frost strips off the cotton leaves.

Ray Bruton has joined the list of cotton growers who are employing Mexican nationals in their cotton fields. He went to Eagle Pass last week and brought back 35 braceros.

## NEW FORDS SOLD

New Ford passenger cars were sold recently by Charlie Trigg Motors to: Mrs. Lewis Whitten, W. L. Kinser, Gordon A. Moore of Laredo, Mrs. Lionel Ballew, Lawson Drilling Co. of Tulsa, Okla., L. E. Lloyd, Dee Love, and Cde Alexander of San Angelo. They sold a new Mercury to Ello Wilde, and a new pickup to G. C. ("Son") Allison of Sonora.

## Next Week Named Welfare Week By Schleicher Ass'n

Welfare week has been announced for Nov. 7 through 12, according to Schleicher County Welfare Association president W. G. Godwin. The date was set at the last directors' meeting, held during the summer.

During next week the organization will conduct a drive for funds, the drive to be held in November of each year.

Letters are being sent out to families in the county, urging them to support the organization in its work. Contributions should be mailed to Mrs. J. E. Spencer, secretary.

Next Saturday, Nov. 12, will be Welfare Day for the county.

The Schleicher County Welfare Association is a non-profit organization which takes care of cases of need in this county. Directors of the organization are representatives elected from local clubs, civic groups, lodges, and other groups here.

All Schleicher county residents are urged to support the Welfare Association and to contribute during its annual financial drive.

## Two New Oil Tanks At Shell Station Are Being Painted

As soon as the paint is dry, which will be in a few days, the new Shell tank will be put into operation at their Schleicher county station. The painters, who are from Palestine, Texas, are now painting the new Republic tank.

Shell has already received 35,000 barrels of oil from Republic through the new four-inch pipe line to the Susan Peak field.

## Cubs Organize For New Cub Year

Organization of the Cubs into dens, assignment of den mothers to packs, and other similar activities are receiving the attention of cub leaders, as they make plans to start the new year's work.

Grover Lee Johnson is the new cubmaster. Some of the older Cubs will graduate into Scout work this month also.

## Grades To Present Christmas Cantata

The first three grades of the Eldorado school will present "She Didn't Believe", a Christmas cantata.

Miss Lucille Farmer, music teacher, and Mrs. Erwin, physical ed teacher, will direct the cantata, assisted by the home room teachers in the three grades. The five sections comprising the first three grades will participate.

E. H. Coulter, who sustained a light stroke over two weeks ago, is able to be up part of the time. He became ill again in the store this week, but is reported today to be somewhat improved.

## Texas Trophy Winners



Four contestants from Texas brought home trophies from Plymouth Motor Corp.'s Third International Model Plane contest at Detroit. They competed against 535 of the world's leading model flyers who were invited to the meet because of their outstanding records. From left, are: Caesar Fulton, 14, of McAllen; David Wilson, 22, Fort Worth; H. B. Heberling, assistant general sales manager of Plymouth, who congratulated the Texans on their victories; Jim Clem, 25, Mesquite; and Joe R. Williams, 22, of Houston.

Luke Robinson, Jess Koy and Virge Tisdale have completed delivery on the Aberdeen-Angus calves which they have sold to Sparks Rust of Del Rio.

Mrs. J. L. Holcomb of Vian, Okla. visited here several days with her sons, Dr. Mickey Holcomb and Dr. Ferrin Holcomb, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol White visited Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shaver at Evant from Thursday through Sunday.

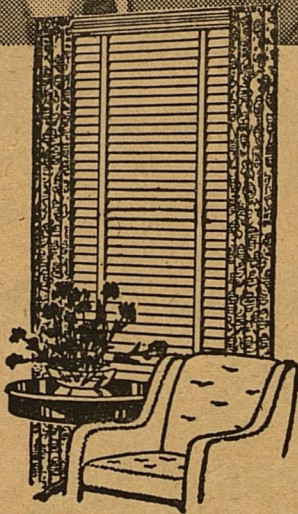
Mr. and Mrs. Owen Fry spent the day Sunday with the Harry Templetons on the Halbert ranch near Sonora.

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**Ft. Worth Stock Show Offers Higher Prizes In Bull Competition**

Premiums for the carload and pen division of Hereford bulls have been increased to \$2,000 and a new division of Aberdeen-Angus competition — pens of three bulls — has been added for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, Jan. 27 through Feb. 5. Premiums for Aberdeen-Angus bulls have been increased to \$1,100.

The carload and pen division of Hereford bulls, open also to Polled Herefords, consists of carload, 12 yearling bulls; carload, 15 senior bull calves; and carload, 15 junior bull calves, with of course champion and reserve champion carloads being chosen. Pens are five yearling bulls, five senior bull calves and five junior bull calves, with champion and reserve champion pens being named.

Animals in the Hereford carload classes are not eligible for the pen classes and vice versa.

The Hereford auction will start at 2 p. m. Jan. 31. The Polled Hereford auction begins at 2 p. m. Feb. 1. Brahmans will be judged on Jan. 30. This breed entered competition in Fort Worth for the first time last year.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY**

The FBF Class of the Methodist Church had a Halloween party last Wednesday evening in the church basement, which was decorated for the occasion. The group played 42 and were served pumpkin pie, ice cream, and coffee and cocoa. Mrs. W. G. Godwin was head of the committee which was in charge of arrangements. There were about 25 adults and a number of children present.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Riley visited in Brownfield during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Davis and new son, Michael Lewis. The baby is the first grandchild of the Rileys.

Mrs. P. W. Hazelwood and Mrs. Laymon Hazelwood had as dinner guests Sunday Mrs. Clyde Galbreath, Mrs. Frank Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hazelwood and Mr. and Mrs. Libburn Hazelwood.

**Rural Telephone Bill Passed By Congress**

Five years after it was first proposed, a rural telephone bill, passed in the last hours of the first session of the 86th Congress, was signed by President Truman on October 28.

Authored by Sen. Lister Hill (Ala.) and Rep. W. R. Poage (Tex.), the bill permits the Rural Electrification Administration to make loans, similar to those now being made for rural electric lines, for the construction of rural telephone facilities.

Congress has authorized 25 million dollars for loans during the present fiscal year, which ends June 30. Written into the law is a provision that during the first year no loans to new companies can be considered until all applications from existing companies already serving in the same area receive final action.

Judging by testimony from small independent companies and mutuals, when Congress was gathering testimony on the rural telephone situation, the need of the small existing companies for loans is so great that there seems slight chance that any new companies will be able to secure loans during the coming months, unless the existing companies are slow in making applications.

Although the loans are being made by the REA and rural electric co-ops vigorously supported the bill since telephone service makes maintenance of electric service easier, at this time it does not seem likely that the rural electric systems themselves will build rural lines.

It is possible, however, that in some sparsely populated rural areas where economy is of the utmost importance that some organizational arrangement whereby use of the same poles for electric and telephone service can be made. Such joint-use arrangements have been made in the past between rural electric systems and telephone companies.

American Telephone and Telegraph, along with a few of the larger independent companies, bitterly fought the Hill-Poage bill in Congress on the grounds that it would mean subsidized competi-

tion to them. Proponents of the bill pointed out that it permits loans only in areas where adequate telephone service does not exist or is not planned for the near future and that the loans do not mean subsidization, since they must be repaid with interest.

Mrs. Jack Jones and son Kirk and Mrs. Bud Hopkins and daughter Mary have returned to their homes here Thursday after visiting their parents in Fort Worth. Mrs. G. L. Jackson and son David and Mrs. Fred Barney, sister and mother of Mrs. Jones, accompanied them here and remained for a several-days visit in the Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Payne and three children of Denver City are now Eldorado residents. He is working at station A. They are at home in a Cozzens apartment. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Westbrook and two children, formerly of Junction, are also in a Cozzens apartment. Westbrook is a Charlie Trigg Motors employee.

Mrs. Cressman, who has been quite ill in a San Angelo hospital, has returned to Eldorado. The Cressmans are living in the A. K. Bailey apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Isaacs and Kenneth spent the week end in Austin.

**DAR Studies Lesson On World Peace**

The DAR met in the Memorial building club room Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Joab Campbell presiding in the absence of Mrs. John Alexander. Mrs. May Tisdale opened the meeting by reading the 47th psalm and offering a prayer on Thanksgiving. After the salute to the flag and singing of the Star Spangled Banner, Mrs. Ernest Hill read a paper on "Our State in World Peace," written by Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview.

Roll call was "What I can do for world peace." Mrs. Jim Hays and Mrs. John Luedecke, hostesses, served coffee, tea, sandwiches, nuts and angel food cake from a table covered with a linen cloth which Mrs. Luedecke's son had sent from Japan. Pink and yellow chrysanthemums were the table decorations.

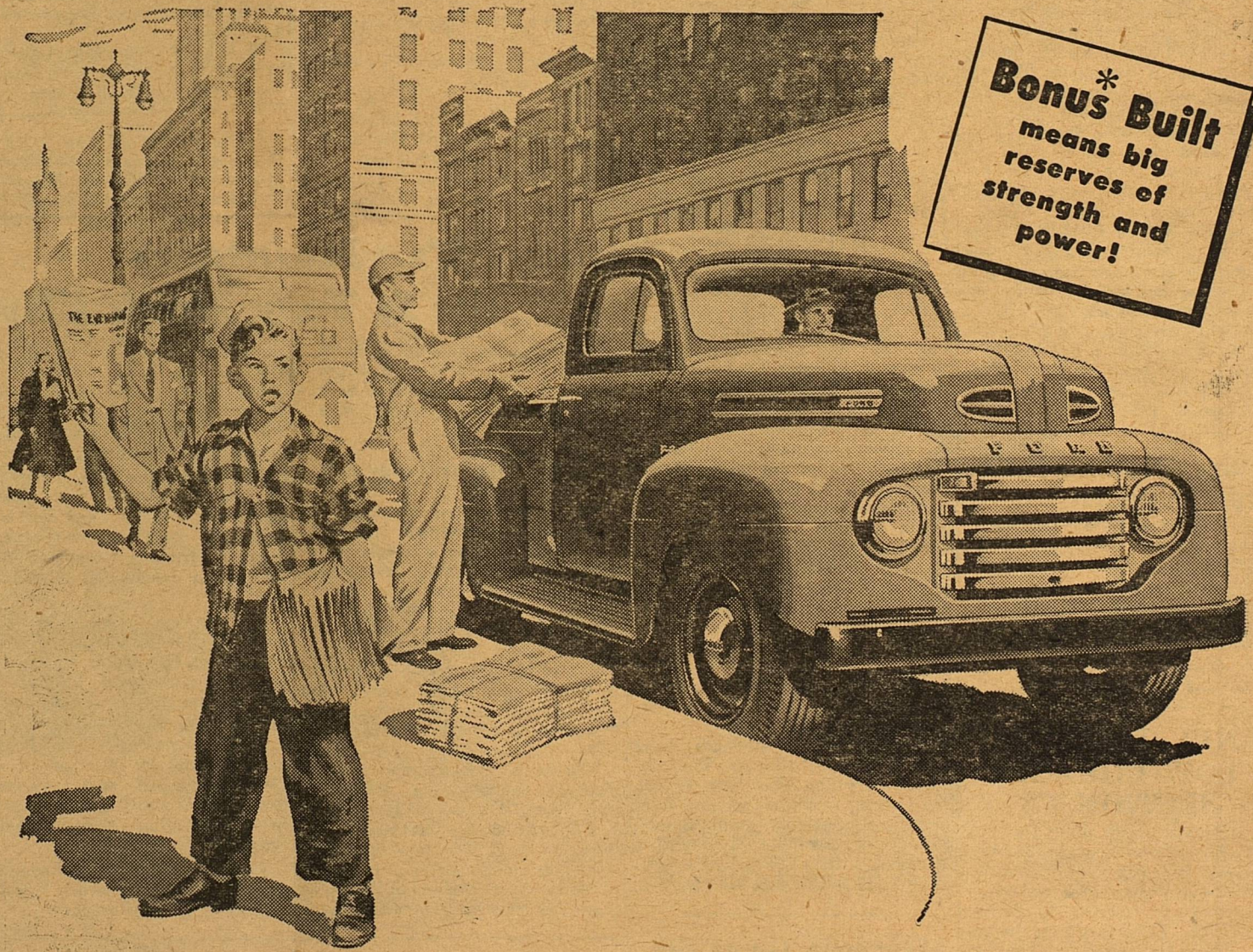
Present were Meses, Joab Campbell, Virge Tisdale, Ed Hill, Elizabeth Powell, Luke Thompson, Bailey Montgomery, Ernest Hill, Carl McWhorter, May Tisdale, Joe B. Edens and L. M. Hoover.

Mrs. H. C. Alsmann and daughter Ruth of Portales, N. M. were week end guests in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joe T. Logan. The group spent Saturday in the Marvin Logan home.

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## Shaw's Gulf

Jelly Henderson of Odessa was in Eldorado Tuesday.

Mrs. B. K. Cheek left Tuesday for Menard to visit her brother, Rev. Price Garrett, who makes his home with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sproul there. Mrs. Sproul has gone to Brady to be with her sister, who is seriously ill in a hospital there.

Mrs. Martin McHorse is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joe Nixon, in Menard for two weeks.

Wallace Joiner began work Tuesday on the DCO Wilson ranch.

Lola Beth Ballew visited recently with her sister Patsy at the university, Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Templeton and daughter Betty Jo of San Angelo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carroll. The women are sisters.

Billy Whitley has returned to San Antonio after spending his furlough at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Casey and children spent the week end in Barksdale.

Gordon Griggs, high school principal, moved Monday from the Galbraith rent house to the Enos Hill place east of the school house. Mr. Hill has moved to the home of his sister Mrs. Conner.

Mrs. C. A. Graves returned Sunday from a week's visit in Lubbock with the Bob Bradleys.

Rev. and Mrs. Jim Hays and Miss John Alexander are in El Paso attending the Southern Baptist convention. Miss Alexander is also visiting her brother, Dr. M. L. Alexander and family, at Canutillo, near El Paso.

The floor of the Carroll Laundry has received a new coat of paint.

Mrs. W. F. Parrent, Mrs. H. H. Stovall, Mrs. Skeet Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin visited Thursday in Stacy. On Friday they went on to Junction and spent the day with relatives. Mrs. Stovall, who has been visiting her father, John Griffin, and other relatives, has returned to her home in Fresno, Calif.

Mrs. J. B. Parker of Winnsboro is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. B. Gunn.

Bill Matteson of San Antonio spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. E. H. Coulter.

Mr. and Mrs. Savola Bolt visited in Mason Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bolt.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith of San Antonio spent the week end with the Ray Bruton family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cathey spent the day at Menard Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sutton.

Mrs. L. T. Dannheim spent the day in San Angelo Sunday with her sister, Mrs. G. A. Gage.

Ernestine Nicks of Pasadena visited her aunt, Mrs. W. F. Edmiston, Sunday morning.

W. B. Roberts and Harvey Dannheim have returned from a week's trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Y. Robinson had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hennett and Mr. and Mrs. George Nall of San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Tull Welch of Waco.

Otto Sauer has bought a new Dodge.

## LOOPHOLES in the Law

By WILL WILSON

Past President, Texas District and County Attorneys Association



(Editor's Note: This is one of a series of short case histories, all taken from court records, showing how legal loopholes often enable criminals to escape punishment in Texas. Will Wilson is chairman of a special steering committee of the State Bar, which is working for revision of the antiquated criminal code and code of criminal procedure in order to eliminate these loopholes.)

Old John had a little money saved up and was a kindly old fellow. When Slicker Pete came along with a hard luck story, Old John lent him a hundred dollars. It would be just for a few days, Slicker Pete said. He promised to pay Old John back at the end of the week. Sure enough, when the week ended, Pete wrote out a check to the old gentleman.

But when Old John went to cash the check, he found that Pete not

only did not have a hundred dollars in the bank—he didn't even have an account there. It was a worthless check, pure and simple, given willfully and intentionally.

But when Slicker Pete was arrested and then prosecuted for passing a worthless check, he was acquitted.

WHY? The laws of Texas require that for a person to be found guilty of passing a "hot check" he must have received something of value AT THE TIME the check was given. Pete had received the "something of value"—that is, the hundred dollars—several days before he gave Old John the check.

The State Bar of Texas is working to close such loopholes in the law so that honest citizens will not be so easily victimized by crooks. The outworn Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure now used in Texas are sorely in need of revision.

### SQUARE DANCE NOTICE

The square dance club will meet Monday night at the memorial building at 7:30.

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 CRANBERRIES — POUND 15c  
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 YAMS — POUND 6 1/2c

THE STATE OF TEXAS )  
 COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER )  
 On this the 31st day of October, A. D. 1949, there came on and was held a Special Term of the Commissioners' Court of Schleicher County, Texas, at the County Court House in Eldorado, Texas, with the following members of said Court present, to-wit:  
 Hon. C. L. Meador, Jr., County Judge, Presiding; J. E. Spencer, Commissioner Precinct No. One; L. G. Edmiston, Commissioner Precinct No. Two; Carol White, Commissioner Precinct No. Three; L. Moore, Commissioner Precinct No. Four; H. T. Finley, County Clerk; E. H. Sweatt, Sheriff when the following, among other, proceedings were had, to-wit:  
 There came on for consideration, the proposition of executing an oil, gas and mineral lease on the minerals in and under Labor Nos. 4, 5, 15, and W 1/2 16, League 283, Schleicher County school land in Gaines County, Texas, all of which are owned by Schleicher County, Texas.  
 On motion of Commissioner Carol White seconded by Commissioner J. E. Spencer, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, to-wit:

ed, to-wit:  
 THAT THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT advertise and receive bids for an oil, gas and mineral lease on said land on November 28, 1949, next in accordance with the terms and provisions of the following notice, and the County Clerk of this County is hereby instructed and authorized to cause to be published for three issues, in a newspaper of general circulation in this county, and also in Gaines County, Texas, where the land is located, and said publication, and all other acts in connection herewith, be in full conformity to, and covered by Article 5400A of the Revised Statutes of Texas for the year 1925. Said notice is as follows:

NOTICE FOR BIDS OF MINERAL LEASE  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners' Court of Schleicher County, Texas, will receive and consider bids at ten o'clock A. M. on November 28, 1949, at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the City of Eldorado, Texas, for an oil, gas and mineral lease and/or leases on the following described land, to-wit:

Labor Nos. 4, 5, 15 and W 1/2 16, League 283 Schleicher County School land in Gaines County, Texas, containing 619.92 acres, more or less.  
 Schleicher County, in behalf of its public free school land, owning all of the minerals in and under the above described land; said bid to be on a lease or leases for not longer than a period of ten years from date of execution and approval thereof, and Lessor shall retain at least one-eighth (1-8th) of the royalty to Schleicher County. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
 GIVEN under my hand and seal of office this the 31st day of October, A. D. 1949.

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

Gives U. S. Land  
 Costa Rica has recently given our government 10,000 acres for planting of cinchona trees, the bark of which produces quinine. After 25 years the development will be turned over to Costa Rica.

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RESIDENCE for sale: 5 room stucco house with bath, near Primitive Baptist Church. Priced worth the money. —Martin Estes. (42-43-44pd)

HOUSE for rent or for sale. See or call Mrs. Dick Bearce, tel. 24291 or 24531. If interested in buying write W. L. Brown, 2511 Harris Blvd., Austin, Texas. (41-tfc)

LOST: Eastern Star ring Saturday night, somewhere between Red and White and court house. Return to Mrs. Marvin McDonald. 1tc

FOR SALE: Frigidaire. See it at Doyle's Station. 1tc

NO HUNTING on my place this year. My place is known as the Hinyard ranch, east of Eldorado. —W. R. Nicks. (51pd)

LOST—Monday, spare wheel and tire from Dodge pickup, somewhere between Nixon's and Ford Oglesby's—O. L. Woodward. 1tc

NO HUNTING allowed on my property.—Grat Edmiston. (44tfc)

3-ROOM furnished apartment for rent. Inquire at Elder Station. 1pd

SPECIAL sale: 20 gallon natural gas hot water heaters, \$45. —Foxworth Galbraith Lbr. Co. 1tc

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### Notice To Bidders

Schleicher county is asking for sealed bids on the fencing of the first 3 miles of a highway project west from Eldorado on the Ozona road.

These bids must be submitted on a cost-per-mile basis for the tearing down and rebuilding of fences on each side of this new road. Bids will be received at any time prior to the next regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on November 14, 1949, at which time all bids received will be opened.

Schleicher county reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids submitted.  
 —C. L. Meador, Jr., Co. Judge Schleicher County, Tex. 5tc

Eldorado Lodge  
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Gold Mining  
 Gold production in California during 1944 was the smallest since 1848, the year James W. Marshall discovered the ore at Sutter's Mill. The total was 113,500 fine ounces, valued at \$3,972,000.

Pony Express Record  
 The record run of the Pony Express to California was made in March, 1861, when the inaugural address of President Lincoln was carried through in 7 days and 17 hours.

Freezing of Milk  
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### Thanksgiving Menu Featuring Pork Roast Is Different And Delicious

Soon the kitchen will be humming with extra activity, as preparation of the Thanksgiving dinner gets under way. And now is the time for homemakers to give serious consideration to their holiday menu. A handsome pork roast is something different and delicious. The rich flavor of pork fits perfectly with plentiful fall harvested fruits and vegetables.

Among the choices of pork roasts ideal for the holiday feast there is the ever popular center cut loin roast. Other equally flavorsome, but perhaps less well known, roasts are the sirloin roasts and the blade loin roasts. The sirloin roast is cut from the ham-end of the loin and contains the hip bone while the blade loin roast is cut from the shoulder end of the loin and, as the name implies, contains the blade bone.

For perfection in cooking any one of these roasts, the meat is

placed fat side up on a rack in an open roasting pan. A meat thermometer will register the exact degree of doneness to serve roast at its best. The thermometer is inserted in the thickest section of the meat so that the bulb is neither resting in fat nor on bone. No water is added. The pan is left uncovered and basting is not necessary. The meat is roasted in a 350 degree oven until the thermometer registers 185 degrees F. Allow about 30 minutes per pound roasting time.

To carry out the holiday touch, the tender roast can be served with golden brown potatoes. A flavor-right combination includes creamed onions sprinkled with a touch of nutmeg. Crisp assorted relishes add desired crunchiness and color. A jellied cranberry salad with bits of orange adds a festive touch. Of course, hot homemade rolls should be included.

### School Cafeteria Kitchen Equipment Bids Are Accepted

The Eldorado school has accepted the bid of Southwestern Specialty Co. for kitchen equipment for the new school, at a figure of \$7,759, which may be revised downward.

When completed the school cafeteria will be one of the finest in the southwest for schools of this size. Bids were taken for the kitchen equipment at the time building bids were received, but the board took advantage of the 30-day period allowed for consideration and did not take final action until recently. It is possible, state school officials, to effect some savings on the figures by making some revisions in the plan.

The kitchen and cafeteria equipment will include regular cafeteria counter, with slide rail, warmers, trays for drinks, salads, etc., ice cream compartment and other appointments, as used in commercial cafeterias. Stainless steel will be used wherever practical.

Other kitchen equipment will include a pot sink for handling of larger cooking vessels; vegetable peeler and vegetable sink; two cooks' tables equipped with such conveniences as meat cutter; a commercial type of mixer; baker's oven and table; electric dish washer; Salvajor (disposal unit); large ice box for refrigeration; and water cooler. The kitchen is about 28 x 24 feet.

The cook stove and Thurmaduke will be moved from the present kitchen and used in the new cafeteria. The new kitchen and cafeteria will be attractive, convenient, and modern in every respect.

Mrs. Lyman Hardin of San Angelo visited from Friday to Wednesday in the homes of her cousins, Mrs. Allie Sweatt and Mrs. J. B. Christian.

### Roots of Culture Good Taste THEN and NOW

HARVEST THANKSGIVINGS ARE AS OLD AS HARVESTS  
 INCAS OF ANCIENT PERU OBSERVED THANKSGIVING WITH GIFTS OF SHEEP TO THE GOD MAYZ, FROM WHOSE NAME COMES OUR WORD, "MAIZE" OR CORN.  
 CENTURIES BEFORE THE PILGRIM FATHERS, THE IROQUOIS INDIANS CELEBRATED HARVEST THANKSGIVING WITH DANCING AND PRAYER TO THE GREAT SPIRIT.

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# Shoes For Children Big Problem As Family Leaves For Venezuela

How many pairs of shoes will three growing children need in two years? That's the big problem Mr. and Mrs. Edwin T. Johnson had to solve last week as they prepared to leave Kermit for their home in Puerto La Cruz, Venezuela.

Mr. Johnson is superintendent of the pipeline division of the Texas Company in Venezuela, and he and his family have just completed a 60-day vacation in the states. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Bill) Reneau of Kermit.

Mr. Johnson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Johnson of Eldorado, was reared here and has many friends in this county. The following account of the family's preparations for their stay in Venezuela appeared in the Winkler County News, published in Kermit, where the Johnsons did their packing.

"The cost of imported goods is so high in Venezuela and locally manufactured goods are so inferior, that we try to take everything we'll need with us," Mr. Johnson said Saturday as he painted numbers and shipping instructions on the big wooden boxes of supplies. "Of course, it's difficult to figure out just what we'll need," he said, "but the toughest job is trying to get the right kinds and sizes of shoes for the kids. We think we've made the right selections, but time will tell."

The three children are Elaine, a freshman in high school; Tommy, a fifth grader; and Denny, in his first year of grade school.

The cost of good products in Venezuela, the Johnsons said, is at least three times as high as in the states, with some items, such as cigarettes, costing about seven times as much.

"Import duties on foreign goods are so high there is little anyone can do about inflated prices. High duties are an attempt to force the use of Venezuela's own goods, but most of the better manufactured products available there are from the United States or Great Britain. Even our food is mostly imported; about the only Venezuelan products we eat are the fine tropical fruits which are so abundant," Johnson said.

Johnson has been with the Texas company for 22 years and has lived and worked in varied types of country and climate. He first worked at Wichita Falls and Electra, Texas, where he met and married Mary Dean Reneau.

From Electra, the Johnsons went to Montana, living there for 13 years, most of the time at Cutbank near the Canadian border in the

Glacier Park region.

The Johnsons have lived in Puerto La Cruz—translated into English it's Port of the Cross—two years, and this summer's trip was their first back to the States. They are allowed 60 days vacation every two years, and this time it was mostly spent in Texas. Mr. Johnson attended his parents' fiftieth wedding anniversary in Eldorado in August, and since that time he and his family have been living in Kermit, where the children have been attending school.

The Johnson family left Kermit Saturday for New Orleans, where they boarded Alcoa's Corsair on Oct. 28 for the nine-day trip home. The Corsair is a large excursion liner which travels between North and South America through the Caribbean Sea.

"Parts of Venezuela, especially the interior, aren't at all enjoyable, but the area where we live is beautiful and has a marvelous climate," Johnson said.

"Puerto La Cruz is on the east coast on the Caribbean not far from the island of Trinidad. From our house we can see the island of Margarita where most of the world's commercial pearls are obtained."

"The Puerto La Cruz area is much like the California coast. We have marvelous places to swim, fish, and go sailing. We also have excellent hunting inland, but cannot use anything but shotguns because authorities are afraid rifles might get into the hands of revolutionists. While hunting, however, you can shoot any animal you can see and there are no bag limits."

Puerto La Cruz has a population of about 15,000 and most of the buildings are small native huts. There are now about 700 Americans in the town, but this number is growing rapidly. Two large refineries are being constructed near the town, one by Sinclair and one by the Texas and Gulf companies. Johnson's job is to move the oil from the jungles to the port refineries for shipment to all parts of the world.

The oil companies provide a school, through the freshman year of high school, for the American children, and students in all grades are required to study Spanish.

"Each company has a camp complete within itself, and residents are given furnished homes and all utilities at a low cost. All the companies give cost of living allowances in addition to salaries. These allowances are based on the difference in cost of food and clothing between the U. S. and Venezuela," Johnson said.

Because of great distances, and poor roads, most inter-city travel in Venezuela is by air. Travel time between Puerto La Cruz and the capital city of Caracas is one hour by plane and 15 hours by auto in good weather. When the weather is bad the trip may take two days by auto.

"All in all, we live very much the same as we would in the states," Johnson concluded. "We eat about the same things, we dress the same way, and we have most of the same forms of recreation. Softball, baseball and the movies are all quite popular. There is one big difference between Kermit and Puerto La Cruz, however—down there we don't have any football."

## CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my heartfelt thanks to my friends for the many cards, flowers and visits during my illness and operation. I appreciate your kindness and thoughtfulness more than I can say.  
—Mrs. John West.

## Ore Deposits

The United States has sufficient unmined iron ore to last several hundred years.

## Sabotage in Its Origin

Because the French used to throw their wooden shoes (sabots) into machinery, the word sabotage was coined.

## Sponge Felt

If you have black or blue felt and it needs a good cleaning, sponge it with a teaspoon of ammonia mixed with half a cup of cold tea.

## U. S. Battleship

An American battleship sucks in and breathes out enough air every 24 hours to equal half her own weight or 48,000 tons.

## Remove Marks

The black marks caused on waxed linoleum by rubber heels are easily removed with a rag which has been dampened with turpentine.

## Processed Lambs

The first carload of lambs ever to be processed in a Wyoming packing house, left Casper, Wyo., this summer for a large Chicago meat distributing plant.

## Sewing Machines

Sewing machines that are kept well cleaned and oiled will last for generations.

## Check Farm Wiring, Says A&M Expert

The electrical wiring on many farms is obsolete so far as safety and economical use of power is concerned. Farmsteads that were wired a number of years ago just weren't wired to handle the modern-day electrical loads, says W. S. Allen, agricultural engineer-buildings of Texas A&M.

A few years ago the chief use of electricity on the farm were for lights, perhaps an electric pump motor and a few household appliances. It is different today. Farmers are using large motors to elevate grain, to operate pressure water systems, and literally dozens of smaller motors and appliances to make their work faster and easier around the farmstead. There are chicken and pig brooders, cream separators, milking machines and milk coolers, lights all over the place and in the home many new appliances and machines have been added with little thought given to modernizing the wiring system.

Allen suggests that you make a few simple checks for the purpose of determining whether or not some new wiring on your place would be in order. The lights and electrical equipment are good indicators — just watch them. Lights dim when the refrigerator or pump motor kicks on. The fluorescent light in the kitchen may go completely out. Radio volume decreases when other equipment is on; the cream separator motor doesn't seem to have its usual pep; the electric range doesn't heat as fast at chore time and electric motors stall and get hot. These are danger signals.

If these situations exist on your farm, says Allen, chances are very good that your wiring is inadequate. For the equipment you are using, the wires from the transformer to the equipment are too long, too small or both.

In addition to the low voltage which causes dim lights, loss of power and loss of time in waiting for electrical elements to heat, electricity furnished by inadequate wiring costs more money, says Allen, and a rewiring job would pay. The use of larger wire and a shorter span between the transformer and the meter have often resulted in considerable savings to the farmer.

You should remember that you pay for the energy lost in all wires on your side of the transformer. You don't pay directly for the energy lost in heating the wires between the transformer and the meter, but you make up for it in the inefficiencies of your lighting, heating and power equipment.

Allen points out that it is possible that some of the trouble might be caused from low voltage carried in the distribution line and if this is the case rewiring wouldn't help. New equipment has come along so far that most electric users just haven't stopped to think about what is happening to their wiring system, but Allen says, if you have observed the danger signals, it's time to find the cause.

## HOLCOMB CLINIC NEWS

Aaron Steward, appendectomy Monday.

Mrs. Erlinda Cuellar of Harlingen, major surgery.

Rudolph Minor, tonsillectomy today.

Mrs. John West, minor surgery.

Born, Sunday, a son named John Edwin Jr. to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burrus of Hamilton. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burrus.

Fire boys were called out at 1:00 Tuesday morning to put out a fire in Mikeska Gin.

The home economics girls attended a district meeting Saturday in Winters, 32 girls and their sponsors making the trip.

The Menard Square Dance Club entertained the local square dance club with a dance Wednesday night. A covered dish supper was served. Among those attending from here were Doug Yates, Mrs. Happy Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol White, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudgens, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie West, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lee Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Love, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nixon.

## Mild Onion

The large Italian red onion is the mildest, sweetest onion grown in America, according to the department of agriculture.

## Chinese Peach

In China the peach has always been associated with long life and immortality and therefore appears in many old Chinese works of art.

## Cooking Fish

When cooking fish in a baking dish, line dish with oiled paper. Fish can be lifted out on paper, and dish will be easy to clean.

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**Junior Club Meets With Mrs. Hill**

Mrs. Jo Ed Hill entertained the Junior Woman's Club in her home last Thursday night. Mrs. Hill, Miss Danell Baker and Mrs. Marvin McAngus presented a program on family finances.

Three new members were introduced, Miss Katherine Davis, Mrs. Glenn Parker and Mrs. Jack Hext. Two other new members were unable to be present. During the business session the group discussed club projects for the year.

Pecan pie and coffee were served to fifteen members.

**BROOKSES ARE HONORED AT FAREWELL PARTY**

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Brooks were honored with a surprise farewell party by members of the Presbyterian church after services Sunday night. Cake and coffee was served. The honorees were presented with a gift of a large salad bowl, six individual bowls and a serving fork and spoon. Brooks, who is a Magnolia Seismograph employee, is being transferred soon.

John Harper of Hamilton spent several days with his brother, S. D. Harper and family.

**Book Review and Tea For Baptist Groups Given Here Monday**

Women of the Bailey Ranch WMU were guests when the First Baptist WMU met Monday at the church for a book review and tea.

The room was decorated in the WMU colors, orchid and white. Baskets of orchid chrysanthemums were placed about the room. The refreshment table, which was laid with a white linen cloth, was centered with a bouquet of orchid 'mums flanked by white candles. The phrase "1888-1949 WMU" was inscribed on the decorated cake.

Mrs. Edgar Spencer, Mrs. John Stigler, Mrs. J. B. Montgomery and Mrs. Weldon Davis reviewed the book, Mrs. Roy Davidson opened the meeting and Mrs. A. E. Kent and Mrs. Weidon Davis led in prayer.

Small corsages, made of orchid 'mums, were given as favors and were pinned on the members by Mrs. Walter Roy Davidson. Larger corsages, also made of orchid 'mums, were given to those who reviewed the book and served at the table. All of the corsages were fastened with ribbon bearing the phrase "WMU 1888".

Mrs. Bennie Doty cut the cake, which was served with mints and nuts, and Mrs. Joe Wagley poured tea and coffee.

The group brought gifts to be mailed to Mrs. Will George of Carlsbad, district young people's leader, whose house burned recently.

There were about 42 present.

**Blaylock Honored At Surprise Dinner**

W. A. Blaylock was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blaylock. Dinner and birthday cake was served to the group, and the honoree received a number of gifts.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Copple and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lackey and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blaylock, all of Robert Lee; Mrs. Hattie Blaylock, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blaylock and children, Mrs. W. A. Blaylock and Judy and Ebba, Grete Mund, the honoree and the hosts.

The Eldorado Success — \$2.00 year

**TWO CHURCHES TO SPONSOR JOINT PRAYER SERVICE**

The Presbyterian and Methodist congregations will participate in a World Community Prayer Service Friday night at 7:00 at the Presbyterian church. Theme for the program will be "Peace Is Possible."

The group will also collect "Pieces for Peace", consisting of yard goods of various kinds suitable for making clothing, and this material will be shipped overseas to the needy.

**Mrs. Wilson Page Honored At Gift Tea**

Mrs. Wilson Page, a recent bride, was honored at a gift tea Saturday afternoon in the basement of the Presbyterian church. The Presbyterian Auxiliary were hostesses.

Mrs. Bert Page, Mrs. Oscar Brown of Orient and the honoree received guests at the door, and Mrs. Georgia Brittain was at the register.

The table was laid with a cream colored cut work cloth, centered with a bouquet of giant yellow and white chrysanthemums. The cake, which was iced in white and decorated with rosebuds, was served with orange punch. Bouquets of yellow and white chrysanthemums and pink roses were used as decorations throughout the room.

Miss Lucille Farmer sang several numbers, and accompanied the high school sextette, composed of Mary Thompson, Jerry Henderson, Lola Beth Ballew, Kathryn Hall, Laura Holcomb and Myrta Bob Harper. Mrs. James Page and Miss Mary Lee Gunstead played during the tea hours.

Mrs. Sam E. Jones Sr., Mrs. Sam E. Jones Jr., Mrs. R. A. King and Mrs. R. J. Page served cake and poured punch during the afternoon.

**Finnigans Entertain Night 42 Club**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Finnigan entertained the Night 42 Club in their home last Wednesday night. There were twelve members and four guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hext and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McAngus, present. The house was decorated in the Hallowe'en theme and cake and coffee were served.

**Mrs. Carr Honored At Farewell Coffee**

Mrs. John Stigler entertained with a coffee Saturday morning for Mrs. Aris Carr, who moved to San Angelo Sunday. Sweet rolls and coffee were served to Mrs. Leonard Bailey, Mrs. Glenn Parker, Mrs. R. J. Page, Mrs. James Page and children, Mary Lee Gunstead, and Mrs. Carr and daughter Pam.

The hostess presented the honoree with a gift of crystal as a going-away gift.

Mrs. Carr and daughter moved to San Angelo Sunday, joining Mr. Carr who moved there two weeks ago. They are at home in a house in the Goodfellow addition, and Carr has joined the staff at Sears.

**METHODIST DAY OF PRAYER**

The Methodist WSCS and Wesleyan Guild met at the church Monday night in observance of a day of prayer. Five programs were given, and a covered dish supper was served. There were about twenty-five present.

**PRESBYTERIANS OBSERVE HOME MISSIONS WEEK**

In observance of the week of prayer and self denial for home missions, women of the Presbyterian church have held a series of prayer services during this week. On Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Bert Page was in charge of the service, with Mrs. F. E. King in charge Monday afternoon and Mrs. Edwin Jackson Tuesday afternoon.

Today, Thursday, the group are meeting at noon for luncheon, after which Mrs. Joe Edens will present a book review.

**Mrs. Alvin Marsden Is Shower Honoree**

Mrs. Alvin Marsden was honored at a stork shower last Friday afternoon in the memorial building. Mrs. Fred Riley, Mrs. Jerome Mitchell, and Mrs. Alvin Farris were hostesses.

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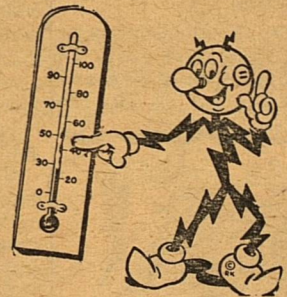
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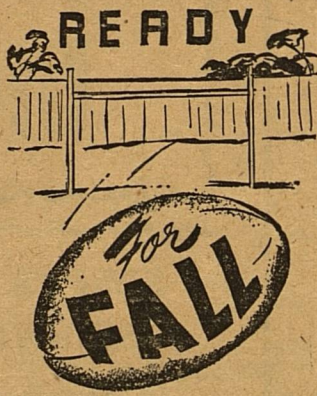
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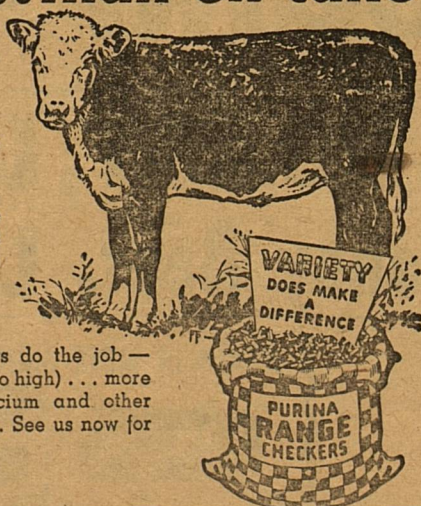
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**Reagan SCD Favored**

About 45 ranchmen favored the organization of a soil conservation district for Reagan County when they met at the courthouse Tuesday morning to attend a hearing concerning the proposed organization. It is hoped that the district will be formed in time for the ranchmen to benefit from the first appropriation which is scheduled to begin next July. Following the hearing, the Reagan county Lions were hosts to the ranchmen at a barbecue. About 90 members and visitors were present. —Big Lake Wildcat.

**Mertzon Girl Is Champion**

Amy McGilravy of Mertzon is the world's all-round champion cowgirl. The title was bestowed upon her at Corpus Christi on Saturday night, Oct. 16, during the concluding performance of the All Girl Rodeo held there Oct. 12-15, inclusive. —Mertzon Weekly Star.

**Junction To Be Convention Site**

Junction was selected as the site of the May 1950 meeting by delegates to the convention of the 21st District of the American Legion and Auxiliary Saturday and Sunday in Coleman.

The invitation was issued by Lewis Fleming, Burt M. Fleming Post Commander, who stated that local hotels and tourist courts had assured the local post that accommodations would be adequate for the conclave. —Junction Eagle.

**Ozona Auction Is Success**

Another spectacular success was chalked up by the Ozona Lions Club with its second annual auction sale staged last Thursday afternoon at the Crockett County fair grounds. —Ozona Stockman.

**Ozonas Have New Hospital**

Between 150 and 160 Ozonans visited their new hospital on the top floor of the former Methodist church building Wednesday after-

noon and almost all of them were loud in their praise of the beauty of the interior and the convenience and completeness of the facilities. —Ozona Stockman.

**Judging Team Wins**

A Texas Tech Wool Judging Team took first place in the American Royal Wool Judging contests in Kansas City, Missouri, last week. This team was composed of Ewing F. McEntire and William C. Davis of Sterling City, Buddy Winter of Lamesa and James Waddell of Sweetwater. William C. Davis won high individual honors in this contest. —Sterling City News-Record.

**Menard School Election Set**

The Menard Independent School District Board met last Tuesday night, October 25, and set the date for the School Bond Election. The election will be held on Saturday, November 5, at which time the voters of Menard County will decide on whether bonds will be issued in the amount of \$335,000 for the building of a new high school. The old high school building burned in September, 1948, and since that time the grammar school has had to house both grammar and high school students. Part of the classes are also meeting in the courthouse.

The election will cover three propositions, as follows: Issuance of bonds in the amount of \$335,000; assumption by the district of bonded indebtedness recently incurred by annexation of outlying districts; and would set the school tax rate here at \$1.35 on the \$100 valuation. —Menard News.

**Terrill Has 250 Braceros**

It is reported that approximately 250 braceros have been contracted for ranch work in Terrill County under the new plan legalizing the working of alien labor, making available labor for ranchmen who have previously been handicapped in getting suitable and sufficient labor. This will include about 90 per cent of the ranches in the county, it is estimated. —Sanderson Times.

**Wins at State Fair**

Winner of the first place premium award in the Junior Sheep Show, Fat Lamb Fine Wool division of the Junior Livestock Show of the 1949 State Fair of Texas was an animal entered by William Leatherwood of Eden.

**Coke County Game Protected**

Game Warden Jim White was in Robert Lee this week and again warned that Coke county is closed against deer, turkey and quail for the next four years. Since steps are being taken to build up the supply of wild game in the county, the law will be fully enforced. A

game warden is to be stationed in Coke county during the approaching hunting season. —Robert Lee Observer.

**Dam West Texas or West Texas Is Damned**

Abilene—Formation of a West Texas domestic water association composed of the directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be the leading item on the agenda for the 32nd annual WTCC directors meeting to be held in Fort Worth Nov. 22. Official call for the meeting has just been made by President John D. Mitchell of Odessa.

Business meeting will begin 1:30 p. m. in the Worth Hotel ball room where this and other matters important to the welfare of West Texas will be discussed. At a meeting of the executive board in Abilene Sept. 26, it was decided to submit the formation of the domestic water group to the board for

final consideration.

Purpose of the proposed association would be fostering local districts or authorities to bring about construction of multi-city dams to serve the needs of drought stricken West Texas towns, according to Manager D. A. Bandeen.

After the business meeting the annual banquet, to be held at the Texas Hotel, will be addressed by Secretary J. A. Krug of the Department of Interior, Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth Star-Telegram publisher, will be master of ceremonies.

Theme of the Fort Worth meeting will be water, with a slogan of Dam West Texas or West Texas is Damned.

A campaign to build attendance to the banquet now is underway under direction of Max Bentley, organization director. Local directors and chamber managers have been enlisted to build attendance from each West Texas city.

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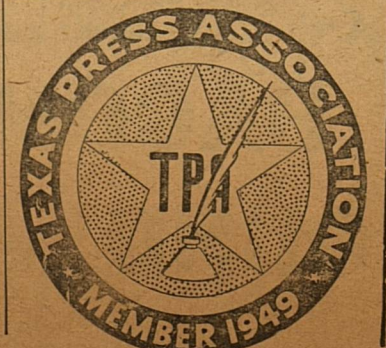
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