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The Ohio Oil Company No. 1 P. McIntosh, deep wildcat in South-Central Schleicher County, has been spudded and is now drilling below 495 feet in lime, sand and shale. The prospector is slated to go to around 7,200 feet to explore the Ellenburger.

Drill site is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 22, block 9, TW&NG survey. That makes it seven miles south and west of the Page field. The prospector is being drilled on a solid block of 11 sections on which Ohio has the lease, on the McIntosh and Davis ranches.

Placid Oil Company No. 1 Jackson, wildcat in South Schleicher County six miles south and one mile east of the Page-Strawn field, is bottomed at 6,553 feet in the Ellenburger waiting for orders.

The last reported operation from the exploration was a drillstem test in the Ellenburger from 6,447 to 6,553 feet. Tool was open for 30 minutes. Recovery was 30 feet of mud with no shows. Prior to the above test, operator recovered 1,870 feet of sulphur water on a drillstem try from 5,540-70 feet. The Ellenburger was topped at 6,447 feet. No elevation was reported.

Location of the prospector is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 67, block K, GH&SA survey. Contracted destination is 6,500 feet.

In the Huldale area of North-Central Schleicher County, Ohio No. 1 Thomson is waiting on cement after setting intermediate casing at 626 feet.

It is an east offset to Delta Gulf's discovery well, and 467 feet from south and west lines of section 81, block TT, TC survey.

Another Huldale operation, American Republics No. 1 Thomson, is drilling below 1,795 feet in lime. Its location is 467 feet from north and west lines of section 82, block TT, TC survey.

Hiawatha Oil & Gas Company No. 1 J. Forrest Runge, wildcat in North-Central Schleicher County is drilling below 4,913 feet in shale. Location is at the center of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 66, block M, GH & SA survey.

### CITY DADS ADOPT NEW ORDINANCE ON FIREWORKS

The Eldorado City Council, casting around for a fireworks ordinance that would have teeth in it and be consistent, recently adopted a new ordinance dealing with this problem.

The wording of the new ordinance has been approved by the League of Texas Municipalities, and appears on another page of this paper.

Under the new ordinance it will be unlawful to shoot fireworks within the city—it will also be unlawful to SELL them. There are some provisions in the new law, of course, but generally speaking it is going to be pretty hard for anyone to shoot firecrackers in Eldorado from here on out.

### Post Script

The new highway running west to the county line continues on its way toward completion. A long stretch through Henry Speck's place is nearly ready for the coats underlying the topping, and by Sunday the bed had been cut through out into Ford Oglesby's place. A few more miles remain before they reach the county line, where this project stops and another is to meet it coming from the other way.

Farmers and ranchers in the neighborhood are already using the road, which is caliche up to the point where the Reynolds road branches off.

In a Minnesota weekly which we recently picked up we noted a news item to the effect that someone had raised a stalk of cotton as a pot plant.

Work is proceeding rapidly on the new cutoff road at the T. K. Jones crossing. The new route for the road eliminates the dangerous curves on which many motorists have had accidents, and proceeds straight ahead. Fences have already been moved back and work on the road bed is under way.

The new route of the road will provide the T. K. Joneses with a better front yard and a better view from their ranch residence, in addition to eliminating the dangerous curves.

Mrs. Frank Bradley is entertaining the "42" Club today at her home.

### Two From Eldorado Called For Physical

Selectees to report for Physical Examination at San Antonio, Texas, January 22, 1951.

Eldorado: Harold Wayne Grelle, Eugene Vernon Gibson, Jr.  
Junction: Harold Morgan, Robert William Davis, Jimmie Hugh Watson, Rufe Murray Holland, James Henry Smith, Clifford Ferdinand Hamer, Jr., Errol Willie Laramore, James Ray Cox, Vernon Claud Dutton, Bernardino Torres, John Lester Phillips.

Ozona: Marshall Lee Sweeten, Robert Lyon Bissett, Sam Stephen Perner Jr., Frank Martin Parr, Ted Shannon Mankin, Bill Bryan Melton, Rosendo Rebelez Ortiz, Donivan Ray Cozby, Ezekiel Don Cooke Jr., David Gene Franks, Ira Eugene Kirkpatrick, Jose V. Rodriguez, Romulo L. Vela, Rafael Morales Cardenas.

Rocksprings: Johnny Frank Connell, Gilberto Andrade Altamirano, Federico Ruvio Ramirez, Vernon Wayne Cummings.

Sonora: James Rector Cusenbary, Billie Dee Drennan, Jack Jolly Henderson, Oscar Lovis Brown, Frank Rodriguez Flores, Jesus Gomez, Roberto Rodriguez Mata, Hayden Herman Barker, Hilberto Gandar Avila.

### Ten-Year Average Rainfall In District Totals 18.1 Inches

The uncertainty of rainfall for the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District is established by rainfall records received from different parts of the district.

Rainfall records over a period of some 40 years shows that we have always had wet and dry years in this part of the country, and that it rains as much now as it did years ago. It's true we are passing through a dry cycle at this time, but they also had the same conditions during past years.

Rainfall records show that we need to hold the rainfall where it falls, and should operate on it instead of trying to operate on an expected rainfall a big part of the time.

Records of rainfall for the district during the past ten years are as follows:

1941	19.4
1942	22.3
1943	14.4
1944	13.6
1945	13.8
1946	15.5
1947	13.6
1948	16.8
1949	27.6
1950	14.6

Total average for ten year period, 18.1.

District supervisors are Forrest Runge, chairman; Ernest Foster, Knickerbocker, secretary; B. E. Moore, Archie Mittel, Ford Boulware, Christoval.

### New Operators For Lions' Skating Rink

A new plan of operating the skating rink was approved at yesterday's meeting of the Eldorado Lions Club. Clovis Taylor and Orval Ramsey have taken over the project and will operate it on a 50% commission basis, it was stated. The rink will continue to be open from 6 until 10 o'clock Tuesday and Saturday nights, and admission will be 35c.

Plans were also made at the meeting to promote a home talent play for a money-raising project. Lion President J. H. Mace will appoint a general committee later to work out plans.

A. H. Walker, range specialist from the Texas A&M College extension service, spoke to the group and showed some slides. Mr. Walker is a former county agent from Menard County.

January is the regular membership drive month and Lion Mace appointed Ray Tisdale and W. M. Patterson Jr. as team captains to conduct the drive. The entire membership roster was divided between the two teams. Secretary John Stigler reported that present membership of the club is 92.

### Lumber Is Delivered At Football Stadium

Lumber for the new football stadium has been delivered and will be put in place probably this week. The lumber, which is a specially seasoned material suitable for stadium seats, did not arrive in time to take care of the 1950 football crowds, but the steel grandstand was erected in September and addition of the wooden seats will complete the unit, well ahead of the coming sports season.

The lumber is being unloaded today, it is understood.

### FIRE DAMAGE IN PAST YEAR IS VERY LIGHT

According to report submitted by fire marshal Roy Andrews, there were 51 fire calls in 1950 in the county, and 42 in the city.

Of these only three involved loss sufficient to collect damages. These were: Eldorado School District, \$1101.09 for damage to the Mexican school building during the latter part of the year, this being the largest of the losses; Mrs. W. E. Eaton apartment, \$8.75 for loss caused by a water heater; Sam Oglesby, \$12.50 for loss caused by a short in an electric door bell.

The Eldorado Fire Department, of which Roy Andrews is fire marshal and Palmer West, chief, thank the general public for their support during 1950, and ask for the continued operation of the general public during the new year.

### New Furniture For Methodist Pulpit Is Bought In Waco

Cecil Meador has bought new pulpit furniture for the Methodist Church as a memorial for his mother, Mrs. Mattie Meador, a member, who died recently.

At a recent meeting of the board of stewards, the gift was accepted, and Rev. Roy Shilling, Lawrence Steen, Mrs. S. D. Harper and Sam McGinnes were appointed as a purchasing committee to select the furniture.

Rev. Shilling and Mr. Steen made a buying trip to Dallas and Waco last week, and selected the furniture at the latter place. Delivery is promised in 90 days and expected by about March 1.

The pieces included are pulpit, communion table, and two four-foot altar pews, all in the finest oak, to blend with the finish of the organ and the new piano. A bronze plaque on the side of the pulpit will convey the information that the furniture is given in memory of Mrs. Meador.

On the same trip the men selected new office furniture for the pastor's study, and the book cases have been re-arranged to accommodate the new desk and office chair. Immediate delivery was made on these.

### TO PLAN '51 SCHEDULE

Superintendent C. A. Reynolds and Coach Ted Kirby are to attend a meeting tonight at Sonora of the district executive committee, to work out a schedule for the football season for next year.

### Gridmen Take Honors; School Has Mid-Term, See Film, Magician

Six boys from Eldorado High school were among those honored with all-district honors at a banquet given in Ozona Monday night, school men announced this week.

First team honors were awarded to Gerald Hicks, Roger Sofge, Truman Biggs, and Joe Ed Spencer. Named to the Second team were E. H. Nixon and John Phillips. They were presented certificates attesting to honors earned during the football season just passed. Coaches Kirby, Hopkins, Waldrum, and Prin. Jack Black accompanied the boys to Ozona.

Students are already preparing for Mid-Term exams this coming Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 17-18. New classes reconvene Friday.

"The Last Date" was the title of a safety film shown to high school students Jan. 4 by Highway Patrolman Leon Wilson.

Bobo the Magician and Company entertained students at the local school Monday afternoon at 2:45. He was sponsored by Southern School Assemblies.

### Street Near School To Be Closed Off

As a safety measure for school children, the city council, in regular session Tuesday night, acceded to the school's request to close the street on the south side of the school house. It will be remembered that this street was temporarily closed off during the construction of the new buildings, and the school has now been permitted to close it off permanently.

The permanent fencing will run toward the Schrank property. At the corner of the block near the band hall there will be a cable which can be removed in case the area is needed for parking at a night program.

A resolution of thanks was authorized to the owners of Thomson T. Circle Ranch, for their furnishing of caliche, free of charge, on the street caliche project, which is now practically completed. Also, the council went on record thanking the commissioners' court for the use of county equipment, and to Edgar Spencer, retiring commissioner, for the time and effort he devoted to the work.

The council also passed a new ordinance regulating sale and shooting of fire works in Eldorado, a copy of which appears elsewhere in this paper.

## New County Administration Takes Over Here Monday

### OLD BUSINESS AND OLD YEAR ARE CLOSED OUT BY THE RETIRING COURT

The old commissioners court met in regular session Monday and closed out their year's work in a meeting that lasted from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at which time the new men were sworn in and launched upon their duties.

Among the acts of the retiring board was the execution of an oil and gas lease in Gaines county.

By an agreement between both old and new courts, the proposed road to the Huldale oil field was authorized. According to the agreements made the road will run east from Highway 277 at a point near Lavelle Meckel's. It will be built on a 50-foot right-of-way for which easements have been secured.

It will run on a line separating land belonging to Will Blaylock and Mrs. Frankie Thompson. Several oil companies will co-operate in the building of the road, and the route chosen is the shortest and most direct route to the new field.

One of the difficulties encountered on this route is a steep bluff calling for expensive excavation. The oil companies have agreed to blast open this cut—at a cost to them of over \$4,000. The county will do all the grading and topping.

Other last minute acts of the old board was the approval of the Treasurer's quarterly statement, and reporting all county officers (except sheriff) on a fee basis.

The new board, after being installed continued in session. It consists of E. W. Craig, new county judge; and A. J. Halbert, new commissioner from Precinct No. 1; H. A. Belk, new commissioner from Precinct 4; and two old commissioners, Grat Edmiston, Precinct 2; and Carrol White, Precinct 4.

Another new face in the court house family is that of Van McCormick who has been appointed deputy in the sheriff and tax collector's office. Mr. McCormick is not new to this work, having served at this job a number of years ago. Mrs. Kenneth Cheek has been installed as clerk in the judge's office.

New Court On Job  
Taking up where the old court left off, the new court transacted a considerable amount of routine business in session Monday after-

noon and all day Tuesday. This included approving of bonds and swearing in all of the official family.

There was a general discussion of road work, and it is understood that county equipment will be moving without delay to the new authorized oil field road, which is located in Precinct No. 1. Out in Belk's precinct there is still some caliche to do on school bus routes, and this work is to get under way at once. Another job which was discussed was the Bailey Ranch road, which needs to be widened and rebuilt. This is a major job which will receive attention some time this year.

The board authorized the installation of a two-way radio system in the sheriff's car in order to provide a more efficient law enforcement system. It was pointed out that all adjoining counties already have such systems, and without it, Schleicher was "breaking the chain." It will also save the expense of a lot of long distance telephone calls.

On Tuesday representatives appeared before the board from the firm of Prichard & Abbot, tax evaluating engineers from Fort Worth. In view of the growing oil industry in this county, the board hired the firm for the purpose of helping on the rendition of oil values.

On Tuesday afternoon the subject of salaries was taken up, and a cost-of-living increase for all county officers was discussed and adopted.

Judge Craig states that he is highly pleased with the start made by his new commissioners court. Everyone seems to be anxious to work for the betterment of the county, and we are looking forward to a real good year, he declared.

### Youth Is Killed In Korean Battle

Mrs. W. J. Humphrey received word Sunday evening of the death of her brother, C. R. Wilson, 26, in Korea December 30.

He was reared in Rochelle and was graduated from Rochelle High School. He served in the Navy in World War II, and later reenlisted, this time serving in the Army. He had been in the regular army over a year.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson of El Paso, two brothers and five sisters.

## Eight Teams Coming Here For 12th Annual Rangelands Tournament

Tomorrow and Saturday will see basketball teams from Rocksprings, Sonora, Iraan, San Angelo, Big Lake and Del Rio converge on the local school for the 12th Annual Eldorado High School Boys Tournament.

The final games will be played Saturday night. The consolation final will be at 7 o'clock and the Championship tilt is set for 8:30.

School men state that admission for any of the four sessions will be 50c for adults and 25c for students, and for all four sessions, \$1.50 and 75c.

The Eagles team is all set to participate beginning at 9 Saturday morning when they meet Iraan. Newly elected co-captains are Joe Ed Spencer and Glenn Biggs.

The Eagles are entering the tournament with a winning streak earlier in the week to back them up. Last Friday they won two games with Del Rio. In the "A" game the score was 42-39. Glenn Biggs led the scoring for Eldorado with 17 points. Hicks made 13. Hernandez scored 14 for Del Rio.

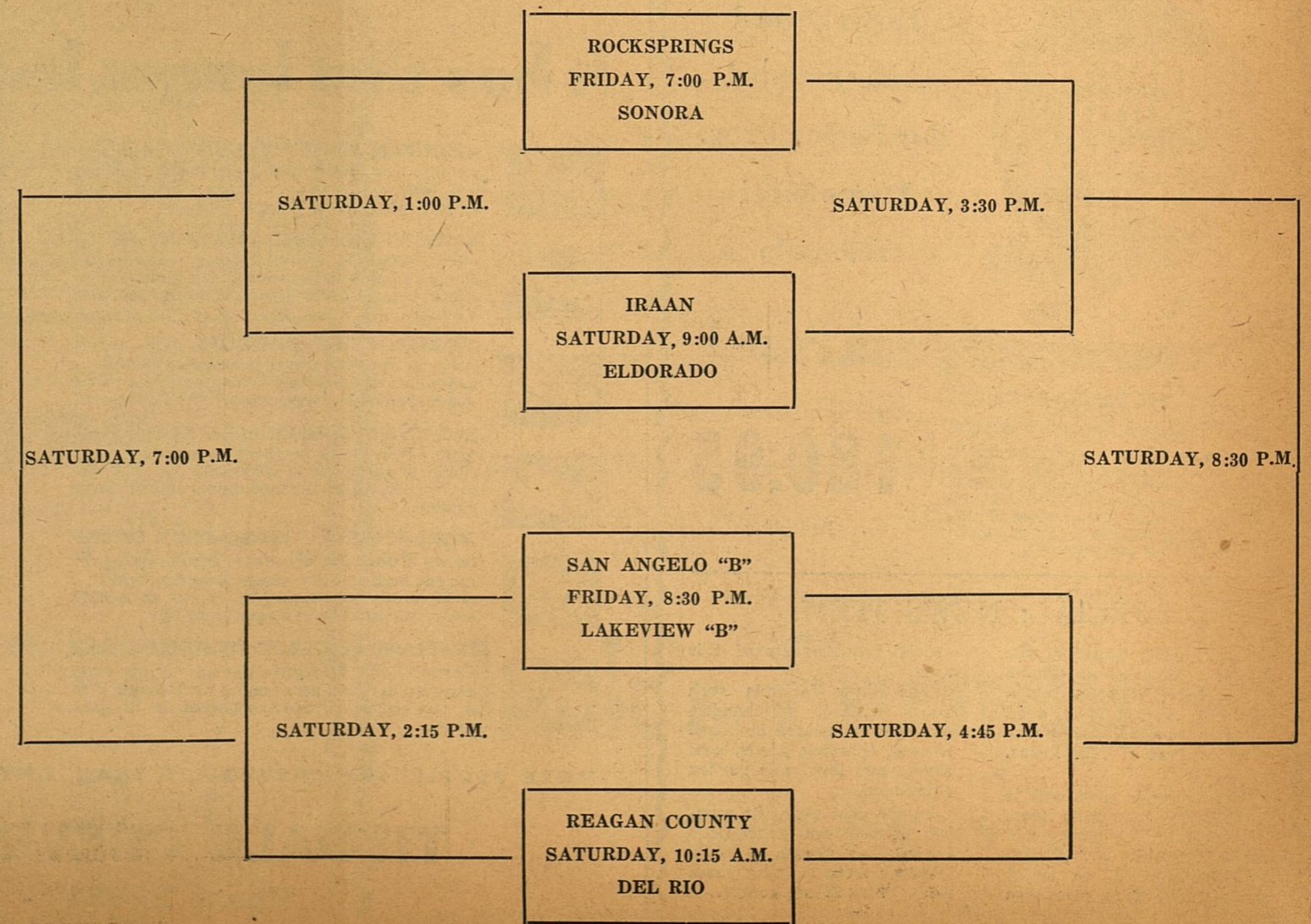
In the "B" game the Eagles won

by a score of 36-13. Jimmy Woodward took 14 points.

Tuesday night in the first district ball game the Eagles defeated Rocksprings 72-26. Fifteen Eagles participated with Hicks taking 24 points and Joe Ed Spencer 15. Rocksprings 7th and 8th grade teams handed the Eagles the losing end of a 24-9 tally.

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#### News From Our Neighbors

##### Large Panther Killed

One of the largest panthers seen in this part of the country was killed by Ranger Forrest G. Hardin on the John Ammons ranch 30 miles south of Sanderson late Saturday.

Hardin and Game Warden W. A. Gentry set a trap for the animal after having sighted his tracks and found where he had slaughtered sheep. The cat measured eight feet and nine inches from tip to tip and weighed approximately 200 pounds, according to Hardin. He was caught in a No. 14 trap by the right hind foot.

Hardin is having the animal's hide tanned and made into a rug. Signs of other cats have been seen in that section of the country and much damage is being done by the predators.—Sanderson Times.

##### New Post Office For Stockton

After numerous delays in getting approval of site and building, and trimming construction costs to a figure which would permit construction at a price the Postoffice Department could pay, work started this week on a new building for the Fort Stockton Postoffice.

The first instrument filed in 1951 in the office of the Pecos County Clerk, Bennie Bell Sullivan, went on record Monday (although it was officially a holiday the office was opened briefly). The instrument

was a material and mechanic's lien against the building, and cleared the path for immediate construction by C. L. Cunningham, Midland contractor who also has other projects underway here.—Fort Stockton Pioneer.

##### Bank Pays Dividend

The directors of the First National Bank here met December 28 and declared a 20% dividend to holders of the original stock of \$60,000.00. The stock was increased the latter part of the year to 6100,000.00. A bonus of 10% of the salaries was aid to the bank's employees.

The bank had deposits on December 30 of \$3,303,933.15.—Sterling City News Record.

##### Boots Given to Boys Ranch

Earl Hodges and the Junior Rodeo association gave 12 pairs of shopmade boots to Boys Ranch, Alvin G. Davis, association president, revealed this week.

The boots will be presented to members of the Ranch rodeo team, Cal Farley, director, told Davis.—Post Dispatch.

##### Edenites Have Safe Holidays

The record toll of holiday tragedies over the nation, in which Texas had the dubious distinction of leading the list, missed residents of this area. So far as is known, no person from this county has been involved in any accident of any kind during the holidays, at least none of sufficient seriousness to be reported, in spite of the fact that

traffic was the heaviest ever seen for a similar period of time. Thus, it is to be assumed that repeated warnings to be cautious are bearing the desired results locally.—Eden Echo.

##### Couple Are "Smoked Out"

Did the smoke do it? Perhaps Mr. Tom Houston thinks so any way. Last Tuesday Mr. Houston was burning brush around his place when several car loads of the ladies from the Church of Christ drove up. "Did you see the smoke and think there was a fire here?" he asked.

The smoke really didn't have anything to do with it, for the ladies had somehow learned that January 2, 1951, was the Golden Wedding anniversary for the Tom Houstons. The shower was a complete surprise for them and they received many nice gifts.—Mertzon Weekly Star.

**Construction at All-Time High**  
Construction in Brownfield in 1950 set an all-time record as \$2,117,225 in building permits were issued.

In September, the total permits assed the million-dollar mark for the first time in the city's history. Within slightly over three months, a second million was added to the record figure.

The total is a reflection of the prosperity which has upped building over the Plains area to new levels.

In Brownfield, the skyrocketing increase is traceable in part to the oil boom which has made Terry county the most prominent new production center on the South Plains.—Brownfield News.

##### Enterprise In New Home

This week the Enterprise finished their moving job and, though still not quite arranged, are ready for business again. The equipment from the Standard Printing Company in Abilene has been moved to Bronte and from now on the newspaper and all of the job printing work will be done here.

The new location is the Bridges building between C. R. Smith Dry Goods and Keeney Variety Store, and is located on the north side of Main Street. The office will be open every day from eight until five p.m. in the future.—Bronte Enterprise.

Methodist WSCS Circle No. 1 met at the church Monday for a business session which five attend-

ed. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Joiner of the Eldorado News Stand, have moved to a furnished apartment at Doc's Courts.

—Tomato plants from best seed available, ready about April 1—remember us when you need them. Mrs. O. L. Woodward.

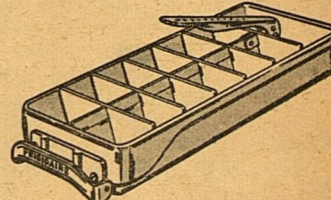
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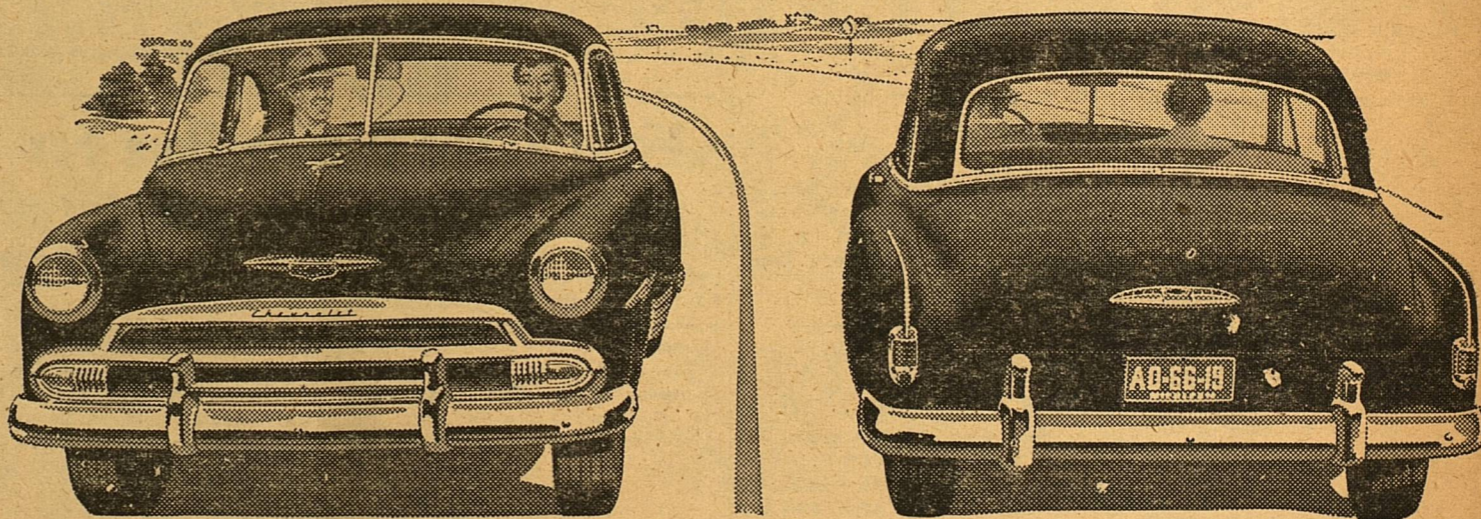
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#### SPECIAL: NEWS ITEM:

Roy Phelps, owner of the Western Auto Associate Store here, is attending a Western Auto spring and summer merchandise preview in Fort Worth, Texas, today.

The Eldorado merchant is looking over some 2500 items scheduled for the spring and summer trade. Mr. Phelps said he planned to select stock designed to meet the

special requirements of this area.

The show features such warm weather merchandise as fishing tackle, outboard motors, sporting goods, seat covers and lawn and garden equipment.

In the past year, the number of Western Auto store owners has grown to 2,800. Western Auto supplies them from 16 wholesale houses.

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**Smaller Percentage  
Of State Tax Money  
Needed For Schools**

AUSTIN—One-half cent less of each state tax dollar went to support Texas' public-schools last year than in 1939-40 despite the tremendous strides made in the school system since the Gilmer-Aikin laws went into effect.

"Not only has Texas climbed from very low on the national ladder to near the top in public school education in the first year under the Gilmer-Aikin program, but the state accomplished what amounted to a near-revolution in education without taking a bigger bite out of each tax dollar," Dr. Mortimer Brown, president of the Texas State Teachers Association, pointed out here today.

"In 1939-40 the public school support totaled 30.31 cents of each state dollar expended. During the last school year the schools' share of that dollar was 29.67, or exactly .54 of a cent less.

"At the same time, enrollment greatly increased, the number of teachers employed went much higher and the average daily attendance skyrocketed.

"The average daily attendance jumped in one year 35,708 under the new school program. Too, it is pertinent to point out that every child in Texas is guaranteed the opportunity of having 175 days of actual instruction per year.

There are now 49,628 classroom teachers in Texas schools, Dr. Brown pointed out. That is 4,225 more than in 1939-40.

"That makes for better education of our children," Dr. Brown commented. "Classes are now smaller, allowing for more individual instruction.

"Too, there were only 156 supervisors, counsellors and special services personnel, such as nurses, available in 1939-40. Now there are 2,181."

Charles H. Tennyson, executive secretary of the Teachers Association, commented that until the Gilmer-Aikin program gave Texas a position near the top in the national education field, a proportionate share of the state dollar was not going to the schools.

"We are delighted to find that the vastly-improved school system, and I believe everyone will agree that our schools are far superior to those of such a short time ago as 1948-49, is taking less of the state dollar," he said.

The total cost of state government during the 1949-50 fiscal year was \$527,252,453. Of that amount, \$156,430,559 went to the vast network of schools.

A total of \$145,350,068 was used by the per capita apportionment, the supplementing foundation program and for administration, Tennyson reported.

Textbook costs and distribution accounted for \$3,410,723. The free lunch program cost \$3,758,361. The State Commission for the blind used \$117,006. Vocational education cost \$3,794,401, of which \$2,018,657 was federal funds, Tennyson said.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll are clearing off their lot in preparation for delivery of a house which they will improve and remodel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tisdale of Eden and Mrs. Joe Tisdale of San Angelo visited recently with Mrs. Virge Tisdale.

Mrs. H. H. Hooker is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nims near Laredo.

Mrs. Bob Evans is still in Houston visiting her daughter.

Everyone welcome at the Eldorado News Stand. Come in and get acquainted with the new proprietors, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Joiner.

Mrs. Blanche Barney of Fort Worth is here visiting her daughter Mrs. Jack Jones and her family.

June Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richard Jones has been sick with flu.

Petalware and Italian Imported pottery. Nice for gifts and prizes, at Eldorado News Stand.

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1 Mahogany Finish Desk and Chair	49.50	35.00
3 Plastic Platform Rockers and Ottomans—Figured Designs	49.50	35.00
Entire Stock of Hassocks—1-3 off.		
6 High Back Rockers—3 colors	19.95	15.00
5 Low Back Rockers—3 colors	17.95	12.50
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LOST in Eldorado Thursday, large silk kerchief, rose design with black border. Mrs. Ethel Etheredge. 1c

## CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank doctors, nurses, and friends for their kindness during my recent stay in the hospital. I appreciate everything you did for me.

J. C. Whiteley 1tc

## Personal News Items

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkerson have bought the Martin Estes house in the east part of town and have moved there. They own and operate the City Cafe.

Lester Early and his family left Monday for Arizona because of the death of Mrs. Early's father. They had been there earlier, came back to Texas to attend his funeral at Leakey, then returned to Arizona, where they are transacting business and having work done on their car which they had had to leave there.

## TEA FOR MRS. KINNAMON

Mrs. H. T. Finley entertained at her home last Thursday afternoon with a tea honoring Mrs. Ernest Kinnamon of Dallas. She was assisted by Mrs. Sam E. Jones, Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. Tom K. Jones. Those present were: Mrs. Ernest Kinnamon, Marsha and Judy Kinnamon of Dallas, Mrs. Bert Page, Mrs. Robert Page, Mrs. James Page, Mary Ann and Martha Sue Page, Mrs. Thomas Richard Jones and Rickie and Linda Jones, Mrs. John Williams, Martha Dell Williams, Mrs. Lewis Whitten, Mrs. Cleve T. Jones Sr., of Sonora, Ebba Ann Finley, Mr. Thomas K. Jones.

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## 4-H CLUBS TO EXHIBIT LAMBS IN SAN ANTONIO FEB. 17

Forty fat fine wool lambs, 20 crossbred lambs and 20 Southdown lambs are to be exhibited in San Antonio livestock exposition. 162 show lambs are to be exhibited to the public at the local 4-H Club barn Jan. 27. In addition 45 commercial lambs will be exhibited.

All lambs taken to San Antonio will be shown and exhibited, then sold. Sixty show lambs left behind in the feeding barn will be shown at San Angelo March 1.

## 13,361 Acres Range Improvement Is Made In District In 1950

Range improvement during the past year on 13,361 acres in the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District was disclosed by a recent report of accomplishments to the Soil Conservation Service.

Considerable acreages of range improvement have been established during previous years but this is the first time this 13,361 acres has been reported as being applied. Acreages of range improvement shown in previous years are shown as being maintained.

Range management played a big part in getting this acreage applied. Farmers and ranchers have found that we can't depend on rainfall altogether to give us desired range improvement. It is true that we receive some range improvement during a year of increased rainfall, but unless there is a good system of management behind that improvement it will be lost the following year because the chances are pretty good that the next year's rainfall will be less than the preceding year. In other words rainfall in this locality is too uncertain from year to year to depend upon rain and rain alone to give the improvement we should receive on our rangeland.

The report also showed that 8 conservation plans were developed totaling 24,309 acres, and eight applications which totaled 42,848 acres were made to the district for assistance in planning a well rounded soil and water conservation program on the land.

Other conservation practices reported for the first time as being applied in the district during the past year included 1,320 acres contour farming, 372 cover crops, 1,832 acres crop residue management, 337 acres seeding of range, 67 miles of terraces constructed, and 4 miles of field diversions.

## PTA TO MEET

PTA meets Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 in the high school auditorium. Supt. C. A. Reynolds and Thelma Ellington have charge of program on health.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ringle have returned from a trip to Albuquerque, N. M., where they visited Cecil Ringle who has been ill.

—We have a complete stock of groceries, also fresh meats and vegetables. Doc's Place

Ben Christian, brother of J. B. Christian, died at 4:00 Tuesday morning at Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Christian of Eldorado left Sunday to be at his bedside, and Driscoll and Joe Muller Christian drove Tuesday to Evant where graveside rites were held.

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Clovis Taylor is building an addition to the rear of his residence.

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## Local Livestock Date Set; Gray to Judge

Meeting of the county 4-H Club council was held Jan. 9 with the following present: Ed Hill, president; Gus Love, secretary; John Williams, Jess Koy, and W. G. Godwin, county agent.

Members voted to have the Schleicher County Livestock Show at the 4-H feeding barn Saturday, Jan. 27. Men's Division judging will begin at 9 a.m., 4-H division judging, at 1:30 p.m.

The following were selected to be in charge: superintendent of show, Gus Love; ring master, Truett Stanford; judge, J. A. Gray, sheep and goat specialist from the Extension Service; entries and rules classification, Gus Love and Truett Stanford; premiums and finance, Edwin Jackson, chairman, Jess Koy, John Williams.

Conditions of the show are as follows:

1. Each boy is entitled to show two lambs in each single class.
2. Lambs with wool that is longer on their sides than over top of shoulders, back or hips, are ineligible.
3. All lambs must be still carrying their milk teeth.
4. All lambs must bear an ear identification tag.
5. Refusal to co-operate with the superintendent or ringmaster is immediate disqualification from the show.
6. Second place lambs will be eligible to compete for reserve champions.
7. No southdown lambs will compete for champion or reserve champion lamb.

## Classifications

Class No. 1: Fat fine lambs that weigh under 105 lbs.

Class No. 2: Fat fine wool lambs weighing over 105 lbs.

Class No. 3: Crossbred lambs weighing under 110 lbs.

Class No. 4: Crossbred lambs weighing over 110 lbs.

Class No. 5: Champion lambs—premium \$10.

Class No. 6: Reserve champion lamb, \$5.

Class No. 7: Fat mutton breeds (southdowns).

Classes 1 through 4 each carries the following premium money for each class: 1st, \$10; 2nd, \$8; 3rd, \$6; 4th, \$5; 5th, \$4; 6th, \$3; 7th, \$2; 8th, \$2; 9th, \$2; 10th, \$2; 11th through 20th, \$1. Ribbons for the first ten places.

Class No. 7 carries \$20 premium money as follows: 1st, \$5; 2nd, \$4; 3rd, \$3; 4th, \$2; 5th through 10th, \$1. Ribbons for 1st ten places. Total premium money, \$251.

Men's Breeding Sheep Division

Rambouillet: Class 101, ram lamb; Class 102, two-tooth ram; Class 103, aged ram; Class 104, ewe lamb; Class 105, two-tooth ewe; Class 106, aged ewe. Ribbons for first three places.

Corriedale: Class 201, ram lamb; Class 202, two-tooth ram; Class 203, aged ram; Class 204, ewe lamb; Class 205, two-tooth ewe; Class 206, aged ewe. Ribbons for first three places.

Harvey Dannheim was taken ill in his sleep Tuesday night, was moved Wednesday morning to the Holcomb Clinic where he remained for 24 hours, then was taken this morning to San Antonio, to the doctor who treated him over two years ago when he had a cerebral blood clot. He was accompanied to San Antonio today by Milton Faught, Victor Sauer and Mrs. Harvey Dannheim, who left the county this morning with him. He was very ill Tuesday night, but has been resting easier since yesterday.

Mrs. Edgar Sauer and her new son Hyman Dale accompanied Edgar and Mrs. Otto Sauer home from a San Angelo hospital Wednesday and they are doing well. Mrs. Sauer's mother will come soon from Greenville as soon as she recovers from an attack of flu.

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Cut-Rite Wax Paper, 125 ft.	25c
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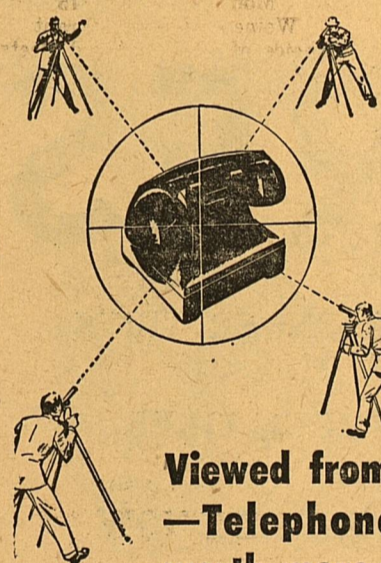
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BANANAS—POUND 12c

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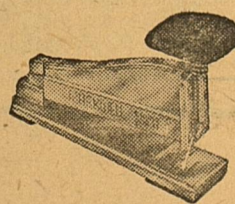


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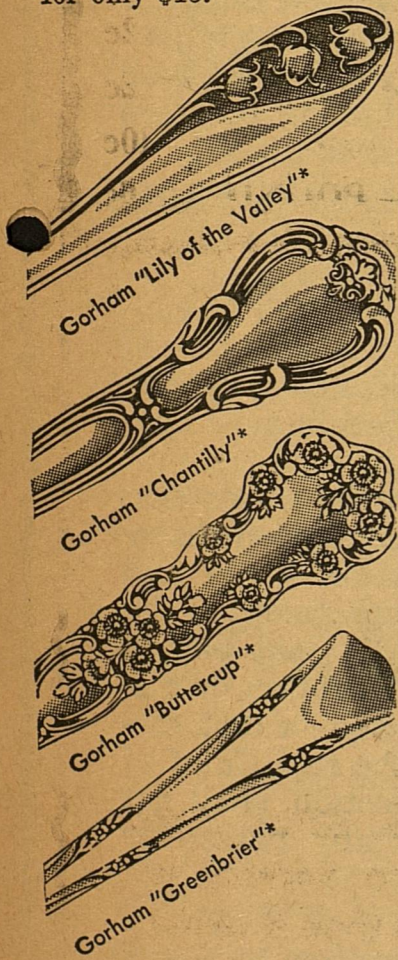
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**Cub Scouts Present Indian Meeting**

All dens of the Eldorado Cub Scouts met in the Methodist Church basement Monday night for their regular meeting. Each den has been studying Indians and that theme dominated the meeting, which was held around a simulated campfire.

The Cubs told of Indian life through pantomime, dance, songs, and many wore Indian headgear. Cubmaster Grover Lee Johnson presented each Cub with a new registration card.

The meeting was closed with the Cub promise and motto. The group is planning a Blue and Gold Banquet sometime in February, it was stated.

**Fellowship Program Scheduled At Night At Methodist Church**

A new evening fellowship program is announced for the night services at the Methodist Church, as the result of plans made at a recent meeting of the Board of Education.

At 6:00 a sandwich supper which the members themselves will bring will be served together in the church dining room. At 6:30, there will be evening classes grouped in five divisions, adult, young people, intermediate, kindergarten, and nursery. The classwork will consist for the first six weeks of the discipline, to be taught by the pastor.

At 7:00 there will be a song service, reading of scripture, altar call, and showing of a film, and dismissal will be at 8:00.

**ATTEND REUNION**

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lewis of Brownwood, formerly of this city, had as their guests during the holidays, their children and their families: Mrs. Austin Crump and four children of Austin, Mrs. Tom Wilson and baby of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mounce and two children of McCamey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis, El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lewis and three children of Sonora, Rev. and Mrs. Gene Lewis and four children of Ozark, Missouri. Rev. Lewis brought the Christmas Eve message Sunday morning at the Roboth Baptist Church. Bro. Lewis is well known in West Texas, having been in charge of several churches before being called into the mission work. Unable to attend the family reunion was a daughter, Mrs. Vern Kinsel and two children of Prano, Utah.

**Eldorado School Cafeteria Menus**

- Monday, January 15**  
Weiners and Sauerkraut  
Choice of Two. Butered Beets  
Mashed Potatoes Green Beans  
Bread Butter  
Milk
- Tuesday, January 16**  
Hamburgers Potato Salad  
Peach Halves  
Peanut Butter Cookies  
Milk
- Wednesday, January 17**  
Roast Beef Gravy  
Potatoes or Sweet Potatoes  
English Peas  
Hot Rolls Butter  
Milk
- Thursday, January 18**  
Tamales and Chili  
Buttered Rice  
Tossed Vegetable Salad  
Baked Red Beans  
Crackers Butter  
Milk
- Friday, January 19**  
Choice of Spaghetti with Meat  
or Smothered Liver  
Whole Kernel Corn or Hominy  
Buttered Spinach  
Cornbread Butter  
Milk

**All-District Players Including EHS Boys, Honored At Banquet**

Four Eldorado football boys, their coaches, and High School Principal Black went to Ozona Monday night, to attend a banquet sponsored by the Ozona Lions, and given in honor of the all-district football team.

Certificates were presented to the boys, and gold footballs to the coaches.

Included among the boys honored were the four all-district boys from Eldorado, Truman Biggs, Roger Sofge, J. E. Spencer and Gerald Hicks.

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET**

The women of the church met Monday afternoon in the Presbyterian church rooms in regular session. The program on World Missions was directed by Mrs. J. A. Griffin. The devotional was given by Rev. F. E. King. His subject was "Consecration" based on the 17th and 18th chapters of John. The supplementary survey article was given by Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. Arthur Mund. Mrs. Sam Jones served refreshments to eight members.

**Selective Service Plans To Register Doctors, Dentists**

State Selective Service headquarters expects about 7,500 doctors, dentists and veterinarians to register under provisions of the medical draft law on January 15.

Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director, estimated that about 10 times the number registered in October will register in January.

The State Selective Service director said that his estimate was based on information received from Major General Lewis B. Hershey, national director, and Mr. Todd Bates, executive secretary of the state advisory committee created under the medical draft law.

All physicians, dentists, and veterinarians who have not reached their fiftieth birthday on January 15, except members of the regular or reserve components of the armed services, are required to register on January 15.

Also exempted from this January registration, General Wakefield pointed out, are those physicians, dentists and veterinarians who registered under the medical draft law on October 16.

Less than 750 physicians, dentists, and veterinarians registered in compliance with the law on October 16. This figure exceeded state Selective Service expectations, General Wakefield said. Only those educated at government expense or who were deferred to complete medical training were required to register in October.

There are approximately 10,000 doctors, dentists and veterinarians in Texas. When the January registration is complete, about 8,250 of them are expected to be on local board records, General Wakefield said.

All doctors, dentists and veterinarians required to register in this county, will register at the Sutton County courthouse, Selective Service office, Sonora, Texas, January 15, between the hours of 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

**HOSPITAL IS REGISTERED**

The Holcomb Clinic has been accepted for registration in the State Hospital Assn., according to word received recently, and will receive a certificate to that effect. Additional equipment for the hospital is on order.

For San Angelo and Fort Worth papers come to the Eldorado News Stand.

Mrs. L. O. Tomlinson of San Angelo has been visiting recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baker.

**BAND HALL REBUILT**

The band hall is being completely rebuilt, to provide better practicing and meeting facilities for the school band. The location is the old Scout Hall, on which storage rooms have been added at the front, and the roof raised and rebuilt over the main room of the building. Refinishing of the interior will complete the renovating project which is in charge of the Logans.

Chewing Gum, Candies, and knick-knacks at the Eldorado News Stand (Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Joiner, proprietors).

**JANITORS ASSIGNED WORK IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS**

Ed Hicks having resigned as one of the school custodians, Paul Pena has been assigned to take care of the elementary school and Bob Bena of the High School, according to action taken by the school board in regular session Monday night.

Want the latest magazines? 25c Bantam books? You'll find them at the Eldorado News Stand.

The W. O. Alexanders had as weekend guests their son Forrest of Amarillo, and another son L. J. and his family of San Angelo.

**SQUARE DANCE NOTICE**

Everyone interested in square dancing be at the Memorial Hall Friday night, Jan. 12 at 8:00 o'clock. If you don't know how to dance we will teach you how.

Kiddies: Get your B-B's and jacks and balls at the Eldorado News Stand.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Sproul and daughter of San Angelo have moved to Menard, where Carrol is associated with his uncle, Bob Sproul, in his grocery store. He had been attending SAC until this month.

**SEE IT SATURDAY**

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Arvella Barber and T. A. Grable of San Angelo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cress, who live in the sexton's house at the cemetery.

Charlie McLaughlin and son Junior made a business and sightseeing trip during the weekend to Gonzales, Corpus Christi, Goliad and Austin.

Mrs. George Williams is making plans to dispose of her hatchery, and is nursing, at present being employed as night nurse for Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hill.

Mrs. Fannie Fury, who is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Van Horn, is improved after her recent illness. Her home is in Christoval.

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ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	935,491.54
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed .....	1,267,898.83
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	72,928.87
5. Corporate stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) .....	4,500.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$3,286.85 overdrafts) .....	417,276.26
7. Bank premises owned \$10,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$6,553.40 (Bank premises owned are subject to \$None liens not assumed by bank) .....	14,000.00
<b>12. TOTAL ASSETS .....</b>	<b>2,712,095.50</b>
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	2,288,705.73
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations .....	7,000.00
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) .....	2,394.22
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	139,922.11
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)..	14,011.68
<b>19. TOTAL DEPOSITS .....</b>	<b>2,452,033.74</b>
<b>24. TOTAL LIABILITIES .....</b>	<b>2,452,033.74</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$75,000.00 .....	75,000.00
26. Surplus .....	75,000.00
27. Undivided profits .....	110,061.76
<b>29. Total Capital Accounts .....</b>	<b>260,061.76</b>
<b>30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts .....</b>	<b>2,712,095.50</b>
MEMORANDA	
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes .....	80,000.00
32. (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of .....	98.70

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I, W. O. Alexander, Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. O. ALEXANDER, V. P. and Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
6th day of January, 1951.  
Danell McCormack, Notary Public  
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Never quite got the hang of how to play chess myself, but I'll say this for the game—it started one of the strongest friendships I know of: between Dad Wilson in our town and a fellow in Sudbury, England.

The two of them have never met or seen each other—but for eight or nine years they've been playing chess by mail together. Dad puzzles over the Englishman's latest letter, takes a couple of days to think it over, and then airmails a chart of his next move.

Dad always thinks best with a mellow glass of beer beside his chessboard. And the fellow in England writes that he does the same. "Almost as if we were in the same room," says Dad contentedly.

From where I sit, you can talk about diplomacy and foreign policy, but it's often little friendly things—like a game of chess or a glass of beer—that can make for tolerance and understanding . . . between people of different nations, between folks here at home!

Joe Marsh

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**Washington News  
Letter**

By Congressman O. C. Fisher

In a completely renovated chamber, the House of Representatives met last week to begin a grim new session, beset with rumblings of war and ominous developments around the world.

The 81st Congress had concluded an historic session late the evening before. For the first time in history the Congress met and worked all day on New Year's Day, disposing of bills that had then become ready for the final touches before the session's end.

The 1950 session voted a \$40 billion, plus, preparedness budget. Immediately following the intervention, by the President's order, in Korea, the Congress last summer passed a mobilization law giving authority for wage and price freezes and controls and proceeded with an unprecedented peacetime order for a powerful army, navy and air force, with additional guns, planes and equipment. A tax bill was passed to help pay the added cost. Even before the Korean action, a \$15 billion defense budget had been voted.

Ironically, these efforts to make America strong were condemned alike by the Communists in their annual convention in Madison Square Garden and by certain disgruntled die-hards who could see no good in the Congressional temper that passed laws to mobilize America's resources to meet the onslaught of communist aggression and possibly thereby stay the hand of Soviet imperialism.

The party-line complexion of the new Congress is considerably changed from the out-going one. The House now has 234 Democrats, 199 Republicans, 1 Democrat-Liberal, and one Independent. Thus, the majority control has dropped in the House from 92 in the last session to 35 at present. In the Senate the Democratic majority dropped from 12 to 2.

Incidentally, the 82nd Congress has 9 women members compared with 10 in the preceding Congress. All walks of life are represented, including preachers, teachers, labor leaders, businessmen, farmers, newspaper publishers, lawyers, soldiers, writers, Marines, Navy men, dentists and physicians. The youngest member is 27-year-old Patrick J. Hillings, Democrat, of California, and the oldest is venerable Robert Doughton of North Carolina, now 87, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee.

Our reverses in Korea have added to the widespread demands for the removal by the President, of Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, and for a revamped foreign policy. Certainly, it seems to me, no man should be Secretary of State or hold any other high policy-making post in our government who does not have the confidence of most of the American people.

There is no panacea for the solution of world problems where communist aggression, dictated from Moscow, is breaking out or threatening at many spots along the borders of Communist-dominated countries. It does seem that we cannot afford to commit ourselves to a foot-soldier war inside China where more than 350 million people live and where the Kremlin-controlled government has no concern about the lives of its soldiers.

But we can use our own methods and choose our own (and not the enemy's) strategy if we are to fight fire with fire in the Far East. Chiang Kai-shek has under his control in Formosa a half million Nationalist soldiers. We can supply him with guns, bombs, planes and equipment and encourage and thereby assist the Nationalists to bomb and terrorize Communist factories, transportation, and supply lines inside China.

And we can encourage the mobilization of a high Japanese army, whose existence alone would have a sobering effect in the Orient. Moreover, we can proceed with any practical method of making use of the large pool of Germans in the western zones, for joint service with the Eisenhower-directed international army now in the making. This can be done without yielding such control that could result in the resurgence of German militarism.

And, in the meantime, we must proceed to mobilize our manpower and resources in a preparedness program at home that can make our potential enemies stop, look and listen before risking a war against a strong, united and powerful America.

Mrs. R. D. McKee is employed at the Carroll Laundry as ironer.

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**Fireworks  
Ordinance  
Eldorado 1950**

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE SALE AND DISCHARGE OF FIREWORKS, TORPEDOES, ROCKETS, ETC., WITHIN THE CITY OF ELDORADO, REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELDORADO, TEXAS:

Section 1. No person, firm, company, corporation or association shall cast, throw or fire any squib, rocket, cracker, torpedo, grenade, gun, revolver, pistol, cap or cartridge, or other combustible fireworks of any kind in the City of Eldorado.

Section 2. No person, firm, company, corporation or association shall exhibit or have in his possession, with intent to give away or sell or offer for sale or sell, within the City of Eldorado, any squib, rocket, cracker, torpedo, grenade, gun, revolver, pistol, cap or cartridge, or other combustible fireworks of any kind in the City of Eldorado, provided, however, that this section shall not apply to the sale of any such article or articles by wholesalers to each other or to the sale of any such article or articles at wholesale to merchants conducting business entirely without the City of Eldorado, or to the sale by wholesalers for private or public demonstration as hereinafter provided.

Section 3. Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed to apply to the sale, storage or use of railroad track torpedoes, or other signalling devices used by railroads, nor to the sale, storage or use of flashlight composition by photographers or dealers in photographic supplies or prevent any public or private demonstration or display of fireworks of any kind if conducted under proper police supervision after application made and permit issued by the Chief of the Fire Department of the City of Eldorado for such demonstration. Said permit shall not be granted unless such demonstration or display shall be of such a character, and so located, discharged or fired, as in the opinion of the said Chief of the Fire Department after proper inspection, shall not be hazardous to property or endanger any person or persons.

Section 4. Any person, firm, corporation, company or association who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, or suffer or allow the same to be violated, shall upon conviction therefor be subject to a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

Section 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 6. In view of the fact that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate protection and preservation of the public health, safety and general welfare, it becomes necessary that this ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage and it is accordingly so ordained

The above Ordinance was duly passed by the City Council on the 14th Day of November A. D., 1950, at a regular meeting, at the regular meeting place.

Witness our hands and seal this 14th Day of November A. D. 1950.

A. J. ATKINS,  
Secretary.

J. C. RATLIFF,  
Mayor.

**Draft Quota Is Set For March at 4,145**

AUSTIN — Induction of 4,145 men for March was received by state Selective Service headquarters today, Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, director of Selective Service for Texas, announced.

The call, Texas' part of a national quota for 80,000, compares with a state quota of 4,137 for February and 4,142 for January. The March call brings the number of men called for since the beginning of the conflict in Korea to 22,912.

Calls by month have been as follows: September, 2,513; October, 2,514; November, 3,453; December, 2,008; January, 4,142; February, 4,137; and March, 4,145. There is no indication yet as to size of the April call.

Local board quotas for the March call will not be made up until the latter part of January or the early part of February, the state Selective Service director said. Quotas and calls section of state headquarters must figure local board quotas, giving credit for enlistments from each area.

The men called up for the March quota will be furnished for the Army, as well as those for January and February. All those called up in 1950 were furnished for the Army. So far only the Army has requested manpower under the Selective Service Act.

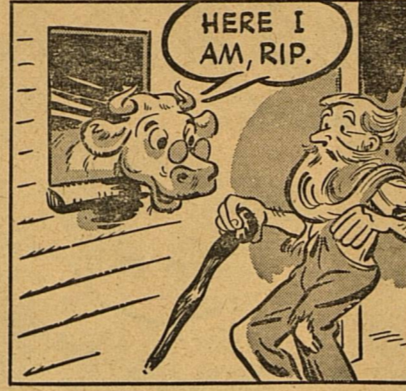
Calls are made by the Secretary of Defense on the director of Selective Service in Washington, who allots quotas to the states on the basis of federal draft law regulations, giving credits for enlistments of men from the states.

The state draft directors under these same regulations assign quotas to their respective local boards.

General Wakefield expressed confidence that "Texas will be able to fill the March quota. So far we haven't failed the country," he said.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Sauer and Mrs. Otto Sauer visited Mrs. Edgar Sauer and new baby at a San Angelo hospital Friday.

Bessie Gerald and Ruth Ann Thigpen, children of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Thigpen, have been on the sick list.

Mrs. C. S. Chick of Winters and Mrs. H. R. Leach and son Mitchell of Abilene visited Mrs. W. E. Baker and Ruth over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Joiner, new proprietors of the Eldorado News Stand, were on a buying trip to San Angelo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson have returned from a trip, leaving Eldorado Friday and returning Monday. They stopped at Fredericksburg for Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Otis and went on to Houston, where the men attended a safety school for Shell employees. They returned via Fredericksburg and San Angelo. While in Houston they visited Ollie Alexander, Jr., at the hospital.

The L. W. Chrestmans have returned from a several-day visit in Wichita Falls and Burkburnett.

**Juri Thanks People For Christmas Here**

Juri Nou, one of Estonia's displaced persons, resident of the United States over a year and now a student at McMurry, in Abilene, writes the following letter of thanks to Eldorado Methodists who entertained him during the Christmas vacation:

When a couple of weeks before Christmas my roommate at McMurry, Roy Jr., asked me to spend the Christmas vacation with him in Eldorado, it all seemed to me a little fantastic way to express his good will. I could not realize it to be possible, that I could spend ten days among the people who do not know anything about me, and about whom I did not know anything. I could not understand why people should be interested in somebody they had never heard about. I did not want to make any trouble to the people who, without doubt, had enough troubles of their own. Therefore, although appreciating Roy's invitation, I found it impossible to accept it. But Roy and Rev. and Mrs. Shilling, whom I had met before, kept insisting on my coming, and since I really did not have any place to go, I finally agreed to face my "unknown future."

Now, after the holidays are over, I can say that it was one of the best steps I have ever taken. It enabled me to learn to know so many fine people of Eldorado, and it gave me an idea of ranch life in Mr. and Mrs. R. Fowler's ranch, where I spent a whole week. Before it I had only heard and read stories about the life in ranch, and therefore the practical experience opened to me an entire new world.

I found a wonderful reception in ever home I went. And before I knew it, I had made many friends. I have the proofs of those friendships still with me, for the people literally poured me over with Christmas presents, so I received more presents than ever before in my life. Even the people I was briefly introduced to on the street had enough good will and time to remember me with a present. It made me feel a little bit guilty, for I knew that I really did not deserve the attention I was given. More important than the material value of everything I received was the impression the people made with their friendly conduct and their willingness to share. It was a real surprise and hard to understand at first, since for so many years I had met only people who were busy with their own troubles, who did not care a bit what happened to their next door neighbor.

I am very happy that I had the opportunity to spend my vacation at Eldorado and I owe so much to the people who helped to make Christmas 1950 one of the nicest in my life. The memories of it will be hard to forget and they will always offer a comparison with the Christmases I had only some years before Communist and Nazi rule. May these lines express my deep gratitude toward the people, who, as Roy Jr. said, are the best people in the world. I know, now, how right he was in his statement.

Juri Nou

—Tomato plants from best seed available, ready about April 1—remember us when you need them. Mrs. O. L. Woodward.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Edsel of San Angelo visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll.

Mrs. Henry Mund is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sprawls and Mrs. E. B. Anthony of Canyon visited the women's brother, W. H. Wagley and Mrs. Wagley on their way to Rockport on the coast.

Mrs. L. Wheeler has been on the sick list for several weeks and is confined to her home most of the time.

Mrs. A. G. Clark had major surgery Monday at Holcomb Clinic and is doing well.

Mrs. Orval Ramsey is a new employee in the office of Charlie Trigg Motors.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wheeler are making plans to sell their residence in Eldorado and move to San Angelo where they will buy a residence and make their home. They expect to enroll Ellen in a San Angelo school, and Mr. Wheeler will find employment there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Locklear returned Monday from a trip to New Mexico.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Mattie Bruton Friday night were her niece and nephew, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Bounds of San Antonio. They were on their way to Plainview where he will be an instructor in Wayland College.

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1/4 Pound ..... 29c  
1/2 Pound ..... 58c  
1 Pound ..... 1.09

**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**  
By Mary Lee Taylor

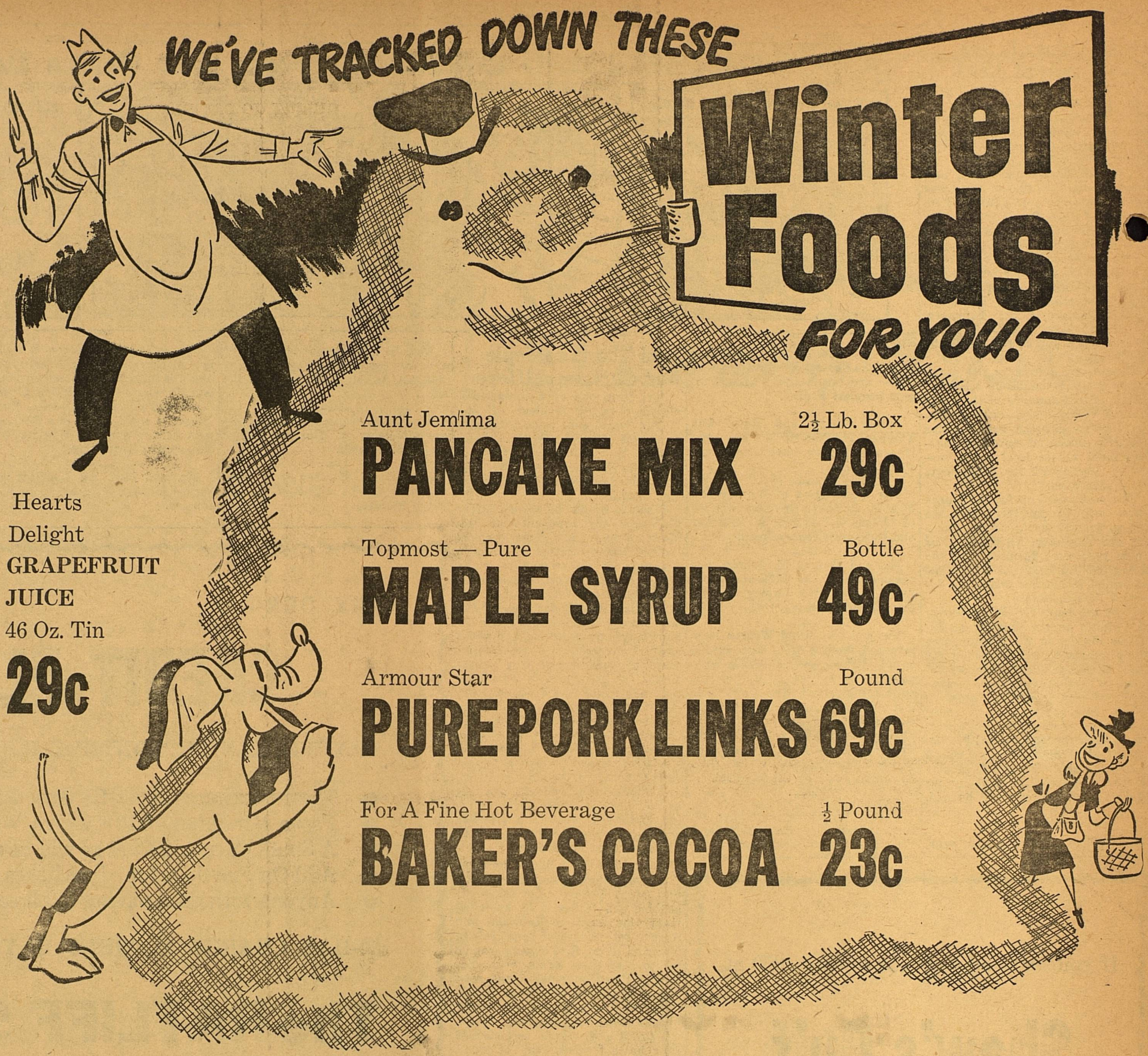
**Brown Onion Soup**

1 cup finely cut onion    few grains pepper  
2 tablespoons butter    2 1/2 cups water  
2 tablespoons flour    1 1/4 cups Pet Milk  
1 1/4 teaspoons salt

Cook onion slowly in butter until light brown. Blend in flour, salt and pepper. Stir in water. Heat to boiling, stirring all the time. Boil 5 min., stirring now and then, or until onions are tender. Then stir in milk. Heat until steaming hot, but do not boil. Serve hot. Makes 4 servings.

*You Will Need:*  
**Pet Milk, Onions, Flour.**

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Armour Star Pound  
**PURE PORK LINKS 69c**

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**BAKER'S COCOA 23c**

**7-Cut Steak, Lb. 69c**

**Beef Roast 67c**    Chuck From Baby Beef

**Pork Roast, Loin Ends, Lb. 59c**

Center Cut Pound    Pace Pound  
**Pork Chops 59c**    **FRANKS 39c**

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Oscar Mayer, in bar-b-q sauce tall  
**WEINERS 59c**

Sunspun—tall cans 3 for  
**Pork & Beans 35c**

Wolf Brand Can  
**TAMALES 29c**

R&W No. 2 1/2 Can  
**KRAUT 15c**

Ashley Can of 30  
**Tortillas 69c**

Alaska Red Sockeye Tall Can  
**SALMON 89c**

Wolf Brand No. 2 Can  
**CHILI 69c**

Chum Tall Can  
**SALMON 75c**

Ashley Enchilada No. 1 Can  
**SAUCE 18c**

R&W Fancy 14 Oz. Bottle  
**CATSUP 23c**

Ashley No. 1 Can  
**Mashed Beans 23c**

R&W Fancy No. 2 Can  
**SPINACH 17c**

R&W Prepared Tall Can  
**Spaghetti 15c**

Our Value No. 2 Can  
**Green Beans 17c**


Goblin No. 2 1/2 Can  
**HOMINY 15c**

Mustard or Turnip No. 2 Can  
**GREENS 12 1/2c**

Imperial Cane 10 Pounds  
**SUGAR 89c**

Red & White 3 Pound Tin  
**Shortening 93c**

Admiration Pound  
**Coffee 85c**

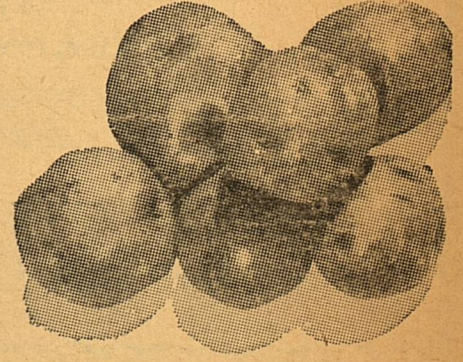


**Fresh VEGETABLES**

**Rutubaga Turnips, Lb. 7 1/2c**

**NEW TEXAS POTATOES**  
**Pound 7 1/2c**

**SNAPPY GREEN BEANS**  
**Pound 23c**



Eldorado 2 For  
**AVACADOS 29c**

Large Bunches Bunch  
**CARROTS 5c**

Baby Yellow Pound  
**SQUASH 23c**