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Bond Election Set For Tuesday For New School Gymnasium

Qualified tax-paying voters of the Schleicher County Rural High School district, which takes in all of Schleicher county, will go the polls Tuesday, March 19, to vote on whether or not the school district will issue \$150,000 in bonds for the erection of a new school gymnasium.

The election was called following recent presentation of a petition to the school trustees.

Election judge will be Dick Preston, who announces that the polls will open at 8:00 a. m. and

close at 7:00 p. m. Helpers will be Joe Wagley, Frank Bradley, Mrs. Jimmie McCormick, and Mrs. Elizabeth Powell. The one voting box at the Memorial building will serve all of the county, it was pointed out.

If approved by the voters the bonds will be paid off at the rate of \$15,000 a year over a ten-year period, from 1958-1967. Approval of the bonds will not necessitate an increase in taxes, school trustees point out.

Trustee Campaign Off To Slow Start

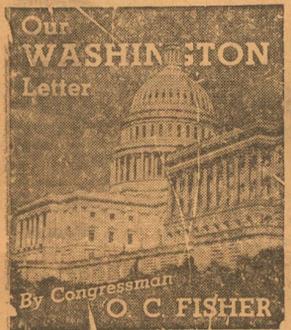
The campaign for three school trustees, which will come to a head on April 6th is still in the smoldering stage, since prospective candidates have until March 26th to file—about 12 more days.

To have their names printed on the ballot, the candidates' names must be filed at the office of County Judge Bearce on or

before March 26. Up to yesterday noon there were three names on file as follows:

Ralph W. Waldron
L. D. Mund
Jim Martin

The incumbents whose terms expire are: Kenneth Cheek, Gerald Hartgraves and Henry Moore. None of these have announced for re-election up to this time.



For the second time in two months the House last week gave solid backing to this country's warning against the threatened take-over of the oil-rich strategic Mid-East. The whopping vote also served as an answer to the protest leveled at the Resolution by Russia's Khrushchev and Red China's Chou. Observers see this move as a declaration of war on Communism in all areas.

Chances for cuts in the budget seem to improve by the day. Last week President Eisenhower did the unusual thing of suggesting that the Congress should see about some trimming of his own \$71.8 billion budget and the House Appropriations committee fired back a request that the President be more specific.

Then, the House G. O. P. Policy committee, in an attempt to grab away some of the thunder from the Democrats, called for a substantial cut. That is a good sign because it adds to the tempo of the case for budget-cutting.

The question is—where should the ax fall?

First, upwards of a billion can be saved by scuttling the proposed federal school construction aid bill. The mammoth highway construction program, which is largely self-financing, can easily be trimmed a bit. Two or three billion can be whacked from foreign aid. The

expensive and unnecessary public housing program can be eliminated. And so on. I shall support all of these moves. We should be able to reduce the budget by from three to five billion dollars.

School News

Public School week has come and gone but the fact that nearly 500 parents and citizens visited their schools during the week is important. The administration and teachers appreciate the interest you have shown.

The elementary school had a total of 445 visitors while the high school had 48. If you did not get to visit your schools during Public School week then plan to do so in the near future.

The Senior class presented skits from their play "Off the Track" in assembly Friday. Following the class presentation, Forrest Runge, supervisor of the Divide Conservation district, spoke briefly on the aspects of conservation and why it was important that the youth become interested in conservation. He also presented awards to Myrta Topliffe, Mary Jo Parker, Nancy Jo Jackson, and Janis Sofge. These girls were the winners of the essay contest sponsored by the Divide Conservation district. The title of the essays was "Youth's Stake in Conservation." Other visitors from conservation district were Ben Hext and Bill Rountree.

Dick Runge, Voy J. Mitchell, Margo Mittel, Christy Sauer, and Joy Dodd were victorious in their student council election campaigns. These officers will serve the council for the school year of 1957-58. Dick, John Meador, Luethyl Dawkins and Joy Dodd were elected to represent Eldorado at the state meeting to be held in Galveston March 28-30.

GIRL SCOUTS CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY



This is Girl Scout Week in Eldorado. More news on the Girl Scouts is on Page 2 of this issue.

Luedecke-Day Tickets Going On Sale Soon

Tickets for the big barbecue on the fourth of July, celebrating General Alvin Luedecke Day, will go on sale in Eldorado on April the first. This decision was made Tuesday evening at a joint meeting of the Barbecue committee and the finance committee. The meeting was held at the Eldorado Hardware Co., since Ernest C. Hill is the general chairman of the Luedecke Day observance.

Tickets will be one dollar each and will be on sale for a limited time. It will be necessary to stop the sale of tickets some time before the barbecue in order to obtain the necessary livestock to be barbecued. All tickets will be the same price. The barbecue will sell for one dollar per plate regardless of whether the plate is for a child or for an adult. Actually, the barbecue plate will be worth considerably more than one dollar per plate, but the finance committee are securing donations of money and livestock and food to offset the cost. So the price of the ticket will not pay the whole cost for the food; however it will help to defray the cost.

Edwin Jackson has already donated a calf for the barbecue. It is estimated that the calf will weigh 600 pounds by the time it is butchered. The barbecue committee will solicit meat at a later date. In the meantime, anyone who desires to donate a sheep or goat or calf may notify Don McCormick, chairman of the barbecue committee. W. H. Hale, assistant chairman of the finance committee, stated that 2,000 tickets for the barbecue will be printed to begin with. There will be a drive to sell tickets throughout Schleicher county.

Those present at Tuesday's meeting, in addition to Hill, Hale, and McCormick, were: W. G. Godwin, C. T. Waller, Bill Lester, Orland

Harris, Patton Enochs, C. O. Dewey, and the Rev. R. R. Heaner.

Another meeting was held last Friday night as a preliminary planning session. General Chairman Ernest Hill called together the chairmen of the various committees that he had appointed at the Memorial Building. This was in order to coordinate the functioning of all the various committees. Captain Charles A. Smith, information services officer at Goodfellow Air Base, was present to represent the military phase of the planning.

The committee chairmen present were: Charlie Trigg, Will Whitten, W. H. Hale, Jim West, Carroll Ratliff, Don McCormick, Edwin Jackson, Orval Edmiston, W. G. Godwin, Gus Love, Turk Everett, Dick Preston, and the Rev. R. R. Heaner.

LIONS CLUB

Sheriff Orval Edmiston presented the program at the Eldorado Lions Club yesterday. He introduced Texas Ranger Frank Probst of Junction, Texas. Ranger Probst showed a film about Cal Farley's Boys Ranch at Amarillo, which is the oldest boys ranch in America.

In the business session Charlie Trigg reported that money raised in the current Boy Scout fund drive had amounted to \$570 by Tuesday morning.

Orland Harris was voted in as a new member.

Joe R. Andrews introduced Miss Charleen Logan as the Lion of the Month from the high school.

The program next Wednesday will be presented by J. B. Morris of San Angelo, assistant scout executive of the Concho Valley Council. He will be introduced by Lion Charlie Trigg.

Polo Club Members Soon Florida Bound

WILDCAT SET IN NORTHEAST PART OF SCHLEICHER

The Texas Co. of Fort Worth has filed application to drill a 5,400-foot Strawn wildcat in Schleicher county, 20 miles northeast of Eldorado and 1 1/8 miles northwest of the Toenail (Strawn) field. It will be the No. 1-NCT-1 Katherine L. Harris.

Operations are to begin at once. Elevation is 2,357 feet.

Location, on a 200-acre lease, is 660 feet from the south and east lines of 64-25-H&TC, which is approximately 990 feet south of the Tom Green County line.

It is also one mile east-northeast of Cabot Carbon No. 1 Jones, a 5,901-foot failure abandoned Dec. 22, 1956. The Strawn was topped at 5,304 feet and the Ellenburger at 5,735 feet on elevation of 2,290 feet.

Post Script

Material and equipment is on order and is expected in soon by Sinclair for the addition to their Plant No. 23 at Huldale.

As reported last week the new installations will consist of a desulphurizer and a dehydrator to condition their residue gas, which is to be sold to Pioneer Gathering system. The new installations will cost about \$200,000, we have been told.

—ps—

If Sinclair can spend \$200,000, without batting an eye, for a thing called a "desulphurizer" we reckon the Schleicher County school district can afford \$150,000 for a new gym!

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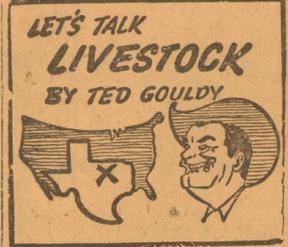
The architects who are in charge of plans for the proposed new gymnasium are preparing a drawing of it this week, according to school administrators, and it will be displayed in Ratliff's store window when it arrives.

—ps—

We keep hearing that R. H. Murray—or his associates—are due to come back and resume operations on the C. C. West section and that they also have acreage leased for a test out on the Rudd road, a mile or two from town. This is all street talk, so "don't quote me on this!"

—ps—

Wm. Cameron & Co. last week sold a portable house to a buyer in Ozona.



Livestock Prices Mostly Unchanged

Ft. Worth.—Moderate numbers of livestock were reported around the major market circle Monday, and at Fort Worth, with the result that price changes were on the upside where any changes were reported.

Some interests were talking lower on slaughter calves and on some classes of slaughter cattle, but this effort to cheapen costs of livestock was routed by midmorning. Cattle and calves held steady to both slaughter and replacement outlets.

Comparative prices: Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings \$17-20.50; common and medium \$12-17; fat cows \$12-13.50; canners and cutters \$8-12; bulls \$10-14.75; good and choice slaughter calves \$17-20; cull to medium slaughter calves \$10-16.50. Stocker steer calves \$21 down; light steer yearlings \$20 down; heavier stocker and feeder yearlings \$19.50 down; replacement cows \$10-14.

The members of the Eldorado Polo Club seem to have everything set for their big trip to Florida.

One of the last benefit activities was the cake sale last Saturday which netted \$35 and was added to the Florida fund.

Tonight (Thursday) the club has a meeting and the members are to make final plans for the trip. This meeting is set for 7:30 tonight at Shaw's Drug.

Tentative plans, reported to this paper Tuesday, call for the departure Saturday of a large truck that will carry 12 or 13 of the horses. Members will be leaving Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

The truck which leaves Saturday will be accompanied by A. G. Clark and Ollie Phillips.

Other members who are scheduled to make the trip include: Horace Linthicum, Sam Henderson, Arch Ory, Tucker Clark, Bob Skurlock, Bing Crosby, Howard Westfall, Hal Whitten, Sam A. Whitten, Rance McDonald and Louis Whitten. A number of wives will accompany their husbands but the complete list will not be known until after the meeting tonight.

The destination is New Smyrna Beach in Florida where the polo events and entertainment will take place from Thursday through Sunday.

Festivities open Thursday with dances; a fish fry on Friday, and a polo game from 7:30 to 9:00 Friday evening.

On Saturday there will be polo games at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m., a parade at 1:45 and another polo game at 3:30.

The final polo game will start at 2:00 p. m. Sunday.

'JACKETS FOR JESUS' TO BE FEATURED IN EASTSIDE REVIVAL

For the second year, Jackets for Jesus, athletes from Howard Payne college, will be featured in the spring revival at the Eastside Baptist church of Eldorado, of which Joe Dossett is pastor. Services start tomorrow, Friday, night at 7:30 and continue through Sunday night March 24.

A prayer meeting will be held each night at 7:00, it was stated, and the nursery will be open. Anyone desiring transportation to the revival should call 23711.

The services will be under the direction of the "Jackets for Jesus," which is a religious organization of Howard Payne college. Each service will start with old time singing followed with testimony from one of the boys, after which will come the preaching service of one of the "Jackets for Jesus."

This group of young men and preachers was in Eastside Baptist church last March, and were in such demand that Rev. Dossett and the church felt that they would be more than welcomed back.

There will be dinner at the Memorial Building each Sunday—both dinner and supper, and all are invited to come bring plate, and enjoy the fellowship.

Each night at 7:00 there will be a prayer meeting for all age groups, from 7:00 until time for the service to start. All are welcome to come to the prayer meetings; especially are all the pastors of other churches invited.

Eastside Baptist church was started in Eldorado in October of 1953 under the sponsorship of the First Baptist church, and was organized into a full independent church in October, 1954. Despite the drought, it has continued to grow, reaching its highest Sunday School average last month and still expanding.

The ad on the revival is on page 3 of this issue.

Graduation Speaker

Dr. Guy D. Newman, president of Howard Payne college, has accepted the invitation to speak to the graduating class in the commencement exercises to be held Friday, May 24th.

Why We Need A New Gymnasium

The purpose of this article is to explain why we need a new gymnasium. The present one is inadequate in many ways.

First, it is too small. A standard gymnasium is 94 feet by 44 feet. Our present gymnasium is approximately 78 feet by 44 feet. For the protection of the players, there should be at least six feet at each end of the court beyond the boundary lines. The present gym has only about two feet.

Another reason why we need a new gymnasium is that the present one cannot take care of all the physical education classes. It is necessary for both boys and girls in each of the three grades—fourth

fifth and sixth—to meet at the same time. Not only is this confusing, but also it limits their activities. In other words, the boys have to use one end of the court while the girls use the other. Moreover, the first three grades have no access to the gymnasium whatsoever.

A third reason for needing a new gymnasium is lack of proper dressing room facilities. In the gymnasium there are no dressing rooms for the visiting teams. It is necessary for them to use classrooms for dressing rooms. This practice necessitates the putting away of all books and other utilities belonging to the students who have those classrooms as their

home rooms.

Since there are no dressing rooms, there are no showers for the visiting teams. Furthermore, our own students are unable to take showers after their classes because they have no place to dress and no place to put their personal property.

Showers are essential to the health of the participants. If children do not bathe after exercising, they are—because of lowered resistance—more susceptible to colds or other infectious diseases.

Finally, the most visible need for a new gymnasium is the condition of the floor. During damp weather moisture collects on the

floor, causing a slippery condition that endangers the limbs of the players. A broken hip or even a broken back could result from such a fall.

When you go to the polls on March 19, vote for this project so that your children will have adequate facilities for their physical training. Remember that in World War II many of our men were rejected because of physical handicaps resulting from inadequate physical training systems in our schools. With a new gymnasium, such as we hope to get for this school, we would have a physical education program second to none.—An Interested Schleicher Resident and Voter.



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Family Cake Recipe Is Given By Girl Scouts

Celebrating their 45th birthday this week, the Girl Scouts have come up with a spice cake anyone in the family can make.

Teaching girls to cook and bake has been a major part of Girl Scout training since 1912, according to Alice Sanderson, Girl Scout home economist. Through the years, Girl Scout training has increasingly become "a family affair" and, Miss Sanderson notes, nowhere is this more true than in the kitchen.

Sooner or later, everyone in the family tries his or her hand at a new Girl Scout recipe. In honor of the Girl Scout anniversary, Miss Sanderson suggests a spice cake recipe simple enough for children and challenging enough for Mother—or even Dad.

Brownie Scouts or any seven- or eight-year-old youngster can use this recipe to make cupcakes or a plain loaf cake. Older children can try making an orange icing for the loaf cake and teen-agers can try for an elegant layer cake with maple and nut icing. The men in the family have their choice of recipes—or they can stick to their classic role as expert samplers.

Basic Spice Cake Recipe

- 1/3 cup shortening
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 3/4 cups pastry flour
- 2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon cloves
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
- 2 eggs
- 2/3 cup of milk.
- 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Melt shortening and set aside in a warm place. Fat should be melted, but not hot when it is used. Sift dry ingredients together. Combine shortening, eggs, milk and vanilla. Add to dry ingredients and stir vigorously until well mixed. Pour into two 8" layer pans, or into cupcake pans, or into an 8x12 pan or loaf pan.

Bake in moderate oven at 375 degrees for 20 to 30 minutes. Bake loaf cake at 350.

Youngsters trying their first spice cake can serve cupcakes or the loaf cake plain, or they can decorate the cake with the simplest kind of polka dot icing. After taking the cake from the oven, and while it is still hot, dot the top with semi-sweet chocolate bits. Allow the heat of the cake to melt the chocolate. Youngsters can also use the chocolate bits on cupcakes.

An orange icing should be more fun and more of a challenge for older girls in the Intermediate Scout range of 10 to 14 years old, Miss Sanderson says. Here's an uncooked orange icing for them:

Uncooked Orange Icing

- 1/4 cup margarine or butter
 - 1 egg yolk
 - 1 1/2 tablespoon undiluted frozen orange juice
 - 1/2 teaspoon grated orange rind
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1 3/4 cups of sifted confectioners' sugar
 - 1 tablespoon milk.
- First, cream shortening until fluffy. Beat in egg yolk, juice, rind and salt. Gradually add sugar and milk, beating until fluffy, and spread on cooled cake.

Teen-agers—or even Dad—can have fun making a maple and nut icing for an elegant layer cake. Only three ingredients are needed: 1 cup of maple syrup, 2 unbeaten egg whites and 1/4 cup of chopped nuts.

First cook syrup to firm-ball stage (242 degrees). Beat in a fine stream into egg whites. Continue beating until icing stiffens. It remains soft enough to frost and fill one 8" layer cake. Garnish with chopped nuts.

Interested Group Works With Girl Scouts Here

A large and interested group of workers have been at work here putting over the program in all age groups of the Girl Scouts.

The town committee has seven members, including the chairman, Mrs. Roy Phelps. Mrs. Jack Mowrey is assistant chairman. Other members are: Mrs. Jerroll Sanders, secretary, Mrs. Wesley Hayhurst, training chairman; Mrs. Bennie Harkey, finance chairman; Mrs. Carroll Ratliff, program chairman; and Mrs. Eldon Calk, reporter.

Workers with the various age groups are:

- Second grade Brownies, Mrs. Claude King, Mrs. James McDonald, and Mrs. John Coleman.
- Third, Mrs. Gene McCalla, Mrs. Pat Finley.
- Fourth, Mrs. James Page, Mrs. J. H. Mace.
- Fifth, Mrs. Elvis Parker, Mrs. Houston Thigpen.
- Sixth and older: Mrs. Curtis Short.

Howard Parker of Odessa spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Parker, and the two went to San Antonio Monday.

Local Girl Scouts Are Busy During Their Week

Girl Scout week found Eldorado Girl Scouts busily selling cookies and making plans for spring and summer activities. Proceeds from the cookies sale will be used for a day camp, leaders stated. Handicraft displays are in some downtown store windows.

The girls went caroling during the Christmas season and since then a choir has been organized which meets once a month.

A play day April 6 at Ozona will attract girls from Eldorado and other towns of the area.

This coming Sunday a bus load of Brownies and Scouts will go to San Angelo to be guests of the Business Men's Bible class. This is an annual event put on by the class. The group will have picnic lunches at noon, and return home about 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday night, March 19th, the girls will put on a special program at the P-TA meeting. Gerene Stanberry, executive director of the Frontier council, will also be on the program.

A locker was completed recently and installed in the Corral for the use of the Girl Scout troops and their leaders. It has compartments for six troops, with a separate one for the town committee. The Corral is the meeting place for most of the troops.

Eleanor Roosevelt Gives Statement on Girl Scouts

"More and more women today are playing dual roles as managers of their households and as leaders in the vital affairs of the world in which they live.

"Girl Scouting offers to young girls the kind of activities that will enable them to play both roles competently. It provides practical training in the art of homemaking, experience in working with groups in democratic fashion, appreciation of the personal responsibilities involved in good citizenship. Thru Scouting, girls of this country learn to know and understand girls of other countries, thus helping to build a foundation for international friendship.

"Girl Scouts learn to be self-reliant, to think for themselves, to make decisions, to respect another's point of view, to get along with people . . . in short, through Girl Scouting, they begin to develop maturity."—Eleanor Roosevelt.

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The Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. issued by the Congress of the United States. It was chartered by Congress in 1950. Juliette Gordon Low was more than 50 years old when she started Girl Scouting in the United States.

Girl Scout Week - 1957



When Judy, Jane and Barbara don their Girl Scout uniforms, they are not merely putting on different clothes. They are becoming part of a world-wide crusade for health, mental stimulus and good citizenship which builds character and fine womanhood. So we salute the Girl Scouts of this community and wherever they may be participating in their expertly directed movement. They have fun, bless them, and with it all they learn to use their hands, their youthful heads . . . and above all, their innocent hearts. Your girl, too, should be a happy, healthy member of the Girl Scouts!

This Girl Scout Week message is sponsored by the following Eldorado firms:

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ELDORADO WOMEN ATTEND STATE D.A.R. MEETING

The 58th annual conference of the Texas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, is in session this week in Mineral Wells Tuesday through Friday.

Members of the El Dorado chapter who are attending are Mrs. Mary D. Coupe and Mrs. W. F. Meador as delegates and Mrs. J. E. Hill as alternate. Out of town members attending are Mrs. Ernest S. Goens, sister of Mrs. Ernest Hill, who will be a delegate, Miss Betty Alexander who will be a page, and Mrs. Lois Bagley, sister of Mrs. J. E. Hill.

Hostesses for the meeting are the 16 chapters of District No. 2, one of which is the El Dorado chapter.

Registration began at 9:00 a. m. Tuesday. The "state officers' Club luncheon was at noon, followed by the national defense program at 1:45. For this program Captain Joseph Montcalva, U. S. Infantry public information officer of Camp Wolters, was the speaker. His subject was "Our Advance in Air Power." Music was furnished by the Harmonnaires of Camp Wolters. Following this program the memorial service was held at 3:15 on the roof garden.

The formal opening of the state conference and State Regents' evening was scheduled for 8:00 p. m., Tuesday in the ballroom of the Baker.

The morning and afternoon sessions Wednesday and Thursday and morning on Friday, are being devoted to the business of the organization.

The Crazy Hotel was used for the general conference luncheon at noon on Wednesday. Luncheon speaker was Ralph H. Cain, superintendent of Tamassee school, which is one of the schools owned and operated by the National Society D. A. R., for underprivileged children. His subject was "Tamassee and the Texas Friendship Cottage." At this luncheon El Dorado chapter was one of the hostess chapters, and it was for this luncheon that the El Dorado Chapter made place favors which were replicas of the Texas Friendship Cottage, with small maps of Texas made from blanket material furnished by Eldorado Woolen Mill.

At 7:30 Wednesday the conference banquet was on the west terrace, and at this banquet the Hon. Martin Dies, Congressman at Large, from Texas, was the speaker.

Thursday at noon there will be three luncheons, the Chapter Regents' Club luncheon, on the west terrace, the Junior Membership luncheon in the Orchid room, and the luncheon for the Children of the American Revolution in the Texas Room.

Friday at 7:30 a.m. will be a breakfast for the State Chairmen and Chapter Regents, followed by the business session, after which the Conference will be adjourned.

Several prominent members from over the state, who are officers in the National Society, D.A.R., will be present. Also Mrs. Earl Foster, State Regent of Oklahoma and Mrs. William E. Hicks, State Regent of Louisiana.—Reporter.

SYKES INFANT BURIED

Funeral services were held at Ballinger cemetery last Saturday morning, March 9, at 9:30, for the baby son born dead in Clinic hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Reed Sykes.

Rev. J. C. Hancock of Eldorado officiated, and Newby-Davis Funeral Home of Ballinger had charge of arrangements.

Every First Lady, beginning with Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, has served as Honorary National President of the Girl Scout organization. When her husband relinquishes the Presidency of the United States, the First Lady becomes a Past Honorary President of the Girl Scouts of the U.S.A., a title she holds for life.

Men in the Girl Scouts?

We have always liked the Girl Scouts. This week when they are celebrating their 45th birthday, we like them even better.

The reason? They have issued a call for men. Fathers, brothers, uncles, cousins of Girl Scouts, in fact, any man who is interested in helping young people become good citizens, can help.

Today, more than 2,000,000 girls in the United States are learning to be good citizens through Girl Scouting. The people teaching them are men and women in their own communities, some 670,000 public-spirited adults across the country.

Men can do many jobs in Girl Scouting. Some are council presidents. Some are on boards of directors. Many—business men, carpenters, architects—offer to be consultants and pitch in when their special experience and training are needed.

It's not every day a man can be a hero. So be heroes, men. This is Girl Scout Week.

About half of the 125,000 Girl Scout troops in the United States are associated with schools, and many of these troops are helped by P.T.A. units. About one fourth of all troops are associated with churches and other religious organizations.

Hints On Cooking For Weight Watchers

College Station.—Any weight watchers in your family? If so, you, the cook, can be a big help by planning and preparing foods to cut calories.

Here are some suggestions offered by extension foods and nutrition specialists:

Use non-fat, dry milk solids for cooking. Reconstituted dry milk

solids heated and combined with vegetable liquors are good in soup.

Keep desserts simple. Serve fresh fruits or canned and frozen fruits packed in water or juice—not syrup.

Roast or oven or pan-broil meats, poultry and fish instead of frying in fat. Avoid "breading" and use

of egg batters on foods. Trim extra fat from the meat.

Serve salad materials plain—or use low-calorie seasonings or salad dressings. These can be made with tomato juice, herbs and lemon juice or vinegar.

Prepare food without added fat, sugar or flour whenever possible.

Tempt appetites with herbs and spices instead of rich seasonings, sauces and gravies.

Serve low-calorie items for nibbling in-between meals or as appetizers. Try celery, cabbage wedges, carrot sticks, or other low-calorie vegetables or fruits.

Avoid high fat foods such as

cream, butter, gravies, sauces, potato chips, nuts, oil, pastries, rich salad dressing; sweet foods, such as cakes and cookies; rich puddings, candies, fountain drinks and sundaes, carbonated drinks and alcoholic beverages; and starchy foods, such as macaroni, dry peas and beans.

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Frances W. Grobe, clerk of Local Board No. 110, announces reclassifications of the following Schleicher county men at the board meeting of March 12:
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City Sewer Work Nearing Completion

The City Water and Sewer System improvement project is nearing completion and will be ready for use by April first. The water mains and sewer collecting system installed for the Sunset Acres (Page and Derrick) addition is completed and the city has been reimbursed 100% for this improvement. The cost of the project was \$10,533.24 (engineering and bond cost included).

People who are interested in connecting to the sewer system may obtain a permit at the City office. This permit costs only \$1.00, which includes the fee for inspection. No service will be allowed to connect to the sewer unless the actual work of making the tie-in to the sewer main is done by a plumber who has posted bond with the city. This gives you assurance that the work will be done properly. The city does not have a tapping service charge to connect to the Sewer or Water system.

Copies of the city plumbing ordinance may be obtained at the city office.

WEATHER NOTES

Hard and fast showers Sunday night brought precipitation that measured from a quarter to half an inch around Eldorado.

This Thursday morning a big dust storm is in progress, which blew in on the wings of a brisk norther. Those of use who spoke hopefully about the drouth being broken several weeks ago, are having to revise our conclusions.

WILDCAT

The wildcat on the Thomson ranch, four miles southeast of Eldorado, was drilling around 5,000 feet yesterday. Contract depth is 7,200.

New Babies

Timothy Koin is the name given to the son born March 11 in a San Marcos hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Bobo Gunn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gunn of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Littleton of Devine.

The young father is attending school at San Marcos, and the couple have one other child, Beverly Lynn.

JR. WOMAN'S CLUB

The Junior Woman's club met March 5 at the home of Mrs. Clifford Schooley for a called business meeting. Final plans for the March 23 style show were made. Tickets were distributed, and can be obtained from any club member, and at the Eldorado Style shop and the Eldorado Beauty shop.

The annual sixth grade trip which the club sponsors was also discussed. Mrs. Dan Brown has charge of the arrangements for this year.

Four new members were voted to membership in the club. They are: Mrs. Ben Harkey, Mrs. Charles Hubbard, Mrs. James Rubbush, and Miss Joan Fudge.

There were nine members present.

Mrs. Seth Ramsey has returned from a hospital in San Angelo where she spent two weeks.

Joe Ed Spencer was here over the week end. He is stationed at Fort Bliss.

Construction Permits

March construction activity in Fort Stockton came in like the proverbial lion Tuesday with the issuance of six building permits totaling \$117,000 to the Shugart and Alexander Construction Co.

Included was a \$35,000 permit for a home for Shugart and a \$25,000 permit for a 75-foot office building in the 600 block of north Main St.

The office building will be used by the construction company and part of it will be rented, said Jack Shugart, a partner in the company with Hollyce Alexander. —Fort Stockton Pioneer.

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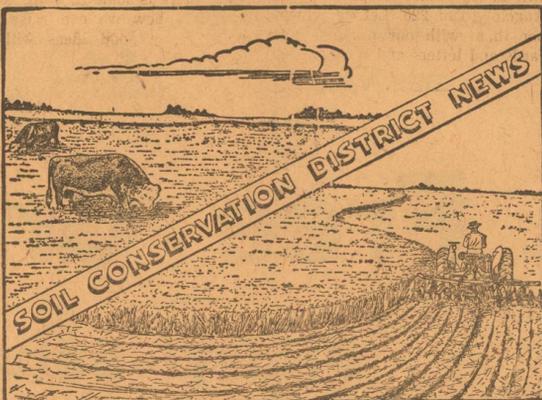
The Houston Fat Stock show produced a dramatic moment Friday, March 1 for a sorrow ridden group of Eden exhibitors when the Lone Star Brewing Company of San Antonio paid \$1250 for the Fat Lamb entry of Ronald McGuffin, 14, who lay in a Houston hospital with injuries suffered in a highway accident Sunday, February 24, enroute to Houston. —The Eden Echo.

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NAVY RECRUITER HAS NUCLEAR PROGRAM

Chief John F. Sessions, recruiter in charge of the U. S. Navy Recruiting station in San Angelo, announced today that high school graduates who can qualify can now be guaranteed training in the field of nuclear propulsion, and if selected can receive a college education while in the Navy.

For full information of the new "Nuclear Program," persons interested should contact the Navy Recruiting Service located in Room 205 in Post Office Building, San Angelo.



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Mr. Runge, chairman of the board of supervisors, assisted by Ben Hext, member of the board, during Friday's assembly program at school, presented prizes to the four contestants who won in the recent essay contest sponsored by the district in conjunction with the Fort Worth Press awards program.

The title of the essays was "Youth's Stake in Conservation." There were twenty students who wrote essays and competed for the prizes. The best four essays written according to the judges were: first place, Myrta Ann Topliffe; second place, Nancy Jackson; third place, Mary Parker; fourth place, Janis Sofge.

In making the presentation, Mr. Runge emphasized the need for the youth of our land to learn about the applicable conservation practices for our land and how to get them applied to the land. "The future of the agriculture industry in our country is in the hands of today's youth," Runge said. He also added, "we should train them, teach them, and help them to grow up as conservationists."

Water is surely the limiting factor to industrial growth in most of Texas. However, there are a number of people who do not show

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production of grass. The result has been the cycle of so-called grass inflation and grass depression. In years of above average rainfall, there is more than the usual vegetation (much of it weeds), which results in grazing of more livestock than is proper." He also went on to say that "Our drouth has been without parallel in severity, but much of its damage can be traced to overgrazing."

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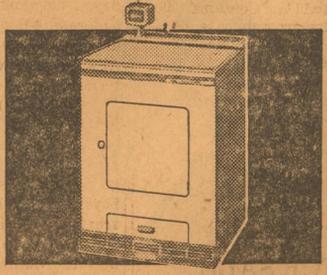


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Youth's Stake In Conservation

(Ed. note: The following essay by Myrta Ann Topliffe, was first place winner in the contest conducted here recently by Soil Conservation supervisors.)

Today's youth has a greater stake in conservation than all previous generations. Because of carelessness, thoughtlessness, waste, and misuse, the supply of many of our natural resources has become dangerously low. Our rich

heritage of forests, soil, water, minerals, and wild life must be cared for and youth must be educated to do it.

Soil and water conservation are of utmost importance if we are to have food, clothing, and water. Problems have arisen because we have over worked and misused the land. It is said that erosion has wasted one half of our top soil. Over production and over cultivation have left our soil poor and thin. Our young farmers must practice terracing, crop rotation, contour farming, gully control, and strip cropping. Fertilizers and lime must be applied if the land is to be kept in constant use.

Youth must realize that water conservation is closely connected with soil conservation. Ground covers hold moisture. Forests on watersheds and flood plains of rivers help retain water. Man made dams play an important part. They furnish controls for flood waters, hydroelectric power, and water for irrigation. Steps must be taken to prevent the depletion of our supply of ground water. Supplementary surface water must be stored, treated, and used.

Conservation of wild life is another of youth's responsibilities. We must develop a program of protection for native wildlife, and hunting and trapping must be regulated.

It is the job and responsibility of the youth to see that conservation programs are set up. It is the job of parents to teach the youth how to care for the precious land, how to make the most out of what they have, and how to use wisely the things that cannot be replenished.

activities were discussed. Among them was the barbecue which the Methodist Men are giving for all of the men of Schleicher County in April. Because of the revival meeting at the First Baptist church, it has been thought best to change the date to Monday night, April 29. This is subject to the approval of the whole club at their next meeting, which will be at 7:30 on Monday night, March 25.

At this writing Claude Meador is still in the Clinic-Hospital, room 207. Luther T. Barber, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wright, is a patient in room 424 at the Shannon hospital. And Mrs. Jud Brannan is still in St. John's hospital in San Angelo, room 226. Let us remember them with our prayers, with cards and letters and personal visits.

Presbyterian Notes
Calendar For The Week

Sunday
10:00 ----- Sunday School
11:00 ----- Morning Worship
5:30 ----- PYF
7:30 ----- Evening Worship

Monday
6:30 ----- Men's Club supper meeting

Wednesday
4:00 ----- Crusaders
4:00 ----- Choir Rehearsal

Friday
6:00 ----- PYF Rally for the Presbytery in First Church, Ft. Worth

At last Sunday night's worship service during the rain and hail, our Youth Fellowship gave us a very interesting program, sharing with us something of what they received at the meeting in San Antonio at the Synod convention. It was an inspiring report that they gave.

Next Friday the young people will go to Fort Worth for a Presbytery meeting which will keep them till noon Saturday. They are looking forward to this meeting with enthusiastic anticipation.

SINGING SCHEDULED

The Kimble-Menard county singing convention will meet in the community hall in London Sunday, March 17, at 2:00 p.m., according to the secretary, Mrs. Hugh Spinks, who also states that everyone is invited.

School Menus

Mon., March 18: Meat balls, spaghetti and tomatoes, green beans, cabbage and grapefruit salad, milk, bread, butter, canned plums.

Tues., Mar. 19: Fried steak and milk gravy, creamed potatoes, frozen lima beans, carrot, nut, apple salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, gingerbread with white sauce.

Wed., Mar. 20: Canned pork roast and gravy, baked sweet potatoes, cauliflower, corn fritters, bread, butter, milk, fruit jello.

Thurs., Mar. 21: Barbecued beef, potato salad, lettuce and tomato salad, bread, butter, milk, apricot cobbler.

Fri., Mar. 22: Tuna croquettes, noodles with cheese, frozen mustard greens, buttered beets, bread, butter, milk, ice cream sticks.

is a little hard for some young minds to get, since winning has such thorough approval in some areas.

Another joint enterprise of 4-H boys and girls will be a camp coming up on May 29, 30 and 31. Five girls and an adult leader and five boys with an adult leader, plus the extension agents are invited to go. Camp Stewart at Kerrville will furnish its facilities to take care of these girls and boys for the three learning and fun days. The privilege of going will have to be earned. The cost of the three days will be \$9.50 per person and already there is some figuring going on about how we can raise the money. Any good ideas will be welcomed.

A couple of weeks ago women of the seven home demonstration clubs met for a leader training meeting on "The Care of Living Room Fabrics and Surfaces."

Already wonderful reports are coming back from club meetings which these two women from a club are conducting. Mrs. E. N. Edmiston and Mrs. Farris Nixon did an excellent job at the Good Neighbor club last Thursday afternoon and Mrs. Leonard Lloyd and Mrs. Earl Lloyd gave the Reynolds club the same work on Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. J. Tom Williams'. During March Mrs. Bernard Carr and Mrs. Buster Gunn will give the demonstration to the Earn and Learn club; Mrs. Clifton Hancock and Mrs. Carroll Ratliff the same for the Glendale club; Mrs. Gene McCalla and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson for the Town and Country club; Mrs. W. F. Wyatt and Mrs. Edwin Childers for the Cooper Gas club; and Mrs. J. Forrest Runge and Mrs. Jim Martin for the Rudd club.

Some of the "how to" techniques being shown are cleaning slip covers and upholstery with dry suds, making fine furniture polish, make a quick inexpensive window cleaner; dustless dust cloths and broom covers. The broom covers were the hit of the training school and I think they will be with you too—an old turkish towel and 15 minutes is all it takes to make one. They are handier than a vacuum and easier to manage than a mop. They are whizzes for cleaning waxed floors, and around table and chair legs.

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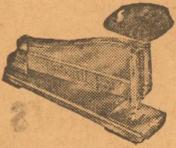
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Methodist News

The commission on Stewardship and finance met last night in the pastor's study, with Lawrence Steen, chairman, presiding. Next Wednesday evening at 7:30 the commission on Membership and evangelism will meet at 7:30.

Choir practice will be held tonight at 7 o'clock, according to Director Bob Burkart. The regular night for rehearsal has been Wednesday, but this night has been changed to Thursday to suit the convenience of everyone concerned. We need more singers tonight than we have been having, if we are to do our best job in presenting our Easter music. This Easter music will be given in a special service on the evening of Palm Sunday, April 14.

The annual conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be held next week in Corpus Christi at First Methodist church there on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. There will be several delegates from our church to attend.

Our first church membership class for children is planned for next week on Saturday morning. Please watch for a further announcement on this.

The Methodist Men cabinet met Monday evening for an hour of business. Nine men were present and Dick Bearce presided. A number of programs, projects, and ac-



COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

by Tiny Godwin

Schleicher County Agricultural Agent

THIS WEEK By Mrs. Joe Kreklow, Co. Home Demonstration Agent

This week is National 4-H Club week and is also our county 4-H Club week, too. Mr. Godwin has been busy for the last several days lining up calves for 4-H Club boys to feed to enter in the commercial division of the State Fair of Texas in October.

And since Friday is a no-school day, I am going to meet with the Eldorado 4-H girls Friday morning and the Reynolds 4-H club will meet with Linda Sauer Friday afternoon.

Due to the generally poor conditions for livestock in our vicinity there were more boys who wanted calves than there were calves to go around. Among the fortunate boys who will be feeding them out are: Bobbie Williams, D. J. Garvin, Jimmie Garvin, Duwain Sauer, Ernest K. Nimitz, Jimmie O'Harrow, Charles West, John McGregor, Danny Burk, Farris Nixon, Jodie Wagley and Danny Clayton.

These short aged steer calves will be fed commercially, must weigh at least 800 pounds by October, and less than 1150 pounds to be eligible and must grade choice

or prime to take advantage of the price ceiling set on these calves.

The name of the breeder, monthly gain of calf, records and total gain of the calf will be posted every 30 days in this feeding project. I found out all this information from Mr. Godwin this morning at our weekly office conference. An office conference is a rather high sounding name for a simple exchange and swapping of information, plans and ideas between the two extension agents, agricultural and home.

Many of our problems are the same or at least similar in nature. Right now we are training boys and girls to take part in district contests which will be held in San Angelo on April 27. It is a lot of fun to be on the campus of San Angelo college and watch these two to three hundred boys and girls competing with each other in more than two dozen contests ranging from tractor driving to public speaking. There is one thing that we both try to help the boys and girls realize, and that is: it is more important to enter a contest than it is to win. Of course that

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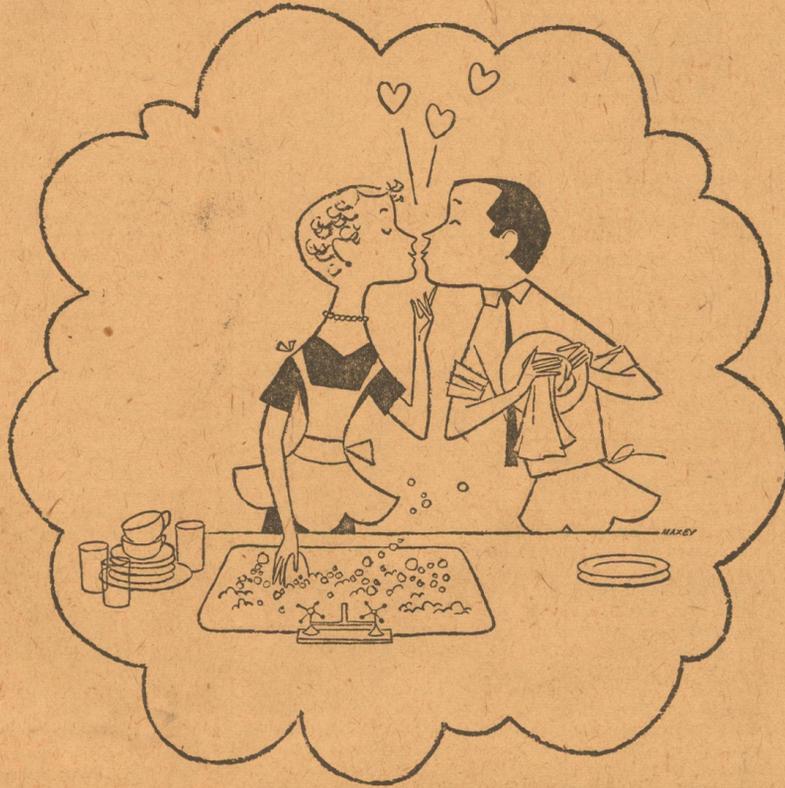
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Miss Logan has been an active member of the Talon staff, and is a member of the National Honor Society.

She recently won first place in the Senior High division with her Fire Prevention poster, in Sonora.

First Baptist News

"Man and Boy" Barbecue

Dr. Guy Newman, president of Howard Payne college, Brownwood, will be the principal speaker for the annual "Man and Boy" barbecue to be held Monday evening, March 18, 1957, at 7 p.m.

Each man is urged to attend and bring a boy. Either his own or someone's boy. This is one of the

high points in the life of our boys, says Joe R. Andrews, president of the Baptist Men's Brotherhood. He also points out that the men are not limited to just one boy; bring them all.

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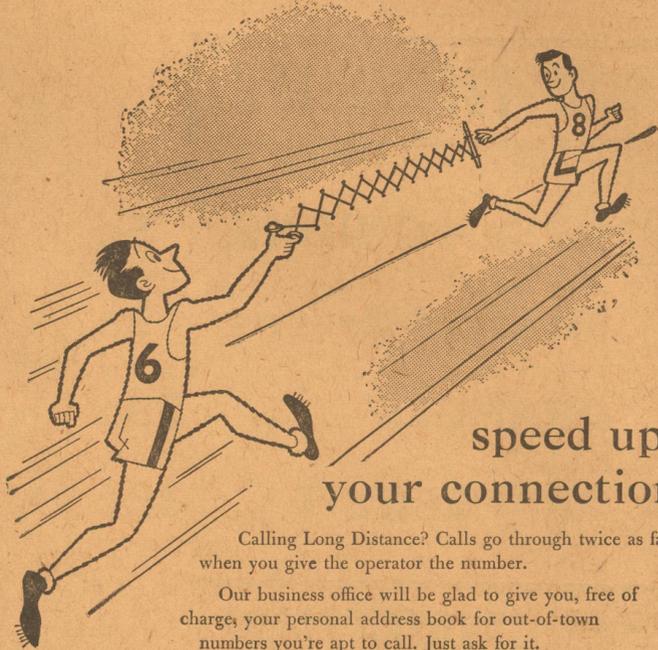
The Reynolds-Alexander Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. J. Tom Williams March 12 and the meeting was called to order by the president.

A demonstration on cleaning upholstered furniture was given by Mrs. L. E. Lloyd. Half of a chair

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There were 11 members present, with two new embers, Mrs. Albert Ray Thigpen and Mrs. Garland Hartgraves.

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WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS

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Mrs. Edwin Jackson conducted the business session.

Mrs. Joe Edens was leader of program for Texas Day. Mrs. Jackson told the origin of the Texas flag made by Joanna Trotman.

Mrs. Ogden told of the selection of site for our state capitol. Mrs. Ernest Hill talked about the taming of the Rio Grande river.

Mrs. Mittel served refreshments to 12 members and three guests. Mrs. H. Moore, Mrs. A. P. Johnson and Mrs. Jim O'Harrow.

The next meeting will be March 26. It will be a field trip to wax plant, Sinclair refinery, and the Woolen mills. Those attending are asked to meet at 2 p.m. at the Memorial Building to start. —Reporter.

LIBRARY NEWS

The commissioners gave the library a good used typewriter which was so much needed and appreciated. Miss Baker, librarian, reports two boxes of magazines were given to the colored school in December.

The 26 new readers are fine, but rumor has it that some have been living here several years and did not know we have a library. Pass the good news along.

Fifty-nine books were added, and \$19.63 collected from fines and from the rent shelf the past three months.

There were 1709 books circulated. Memorial books are given in memory of loved ones and friends, and many used books are donated, which are greatly appreciated. Visit the library.

Mmes. Mary Coupe, Luke Thompson, Ed Hill, and W. N. Ramsay are members of the library committee, representing the P-TA, with several clubs which are sponsoring it. They, with the librarian, appreciate the patronage and cooperation of the public in using and making our library better. Make this library week! —Reporter

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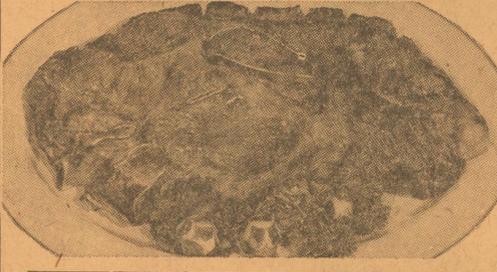
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