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Holiday Church Activities

Churches of Eldorado are beginning to complete plans for observance of the Christmas holiday season. While it is impossible at this early date to assemble complete information from the churches, the following events are announced this week:

Methodist

On the night of the 21st the children's division of the Methodist Church will present a program, the various classes participating. There will be a tree and candy for the children.

Next Monday night is Adult Night for the Men's Brotherhood. There will be a chili-tamale supper for the adults of the church. Each person attending will bring a gift not to exceed fifty cents in cost. There will be a nursery for the children, with an attendant in charge.

The annual WSCS Christmas party will be held Monday afternoon of next week, in the church parlors. Mrs. Luke Thompson is in charge of the Christmas program which will be presented, and there will be gift exchange from the tree.

The Dorcas Circle will have their own Christmas party also on the 17th, at the home of Mrs. Albert McGinnes.

The MYF had a Christmas party Wednesday night at the church, at which they packed a box for charity.

First Baptist

News concerning coming Christmas events in the First Baptist church will be found in Rev. Clifford Nelson's church column elsewhere in this issue. Highlights in the Christmas season will be the young people's and children's musical program next Sunday night, and the regular Christmas program of music the following Sunday night by the adult choir. Practice on both has been under way for some time.

Fundamental Baptist

While plans for the Christmas season at the Fundamental Baptist Church have not been announced, there will be gifts for the children of the church, states Rev. F. H. Pryor, the pastor.

Other plans for Christmas are in the making, and will be announced as church members and pastors work out the details and dates.

Presbyterian

On Sunday evening, the 21st, at about six o'clock, the Junior and Senior choirs of the Presbyterian Church will take part in the candle-lighting service at the church, in which the members will participate. The Joy Gift will be presented at that time.

On Monday ,the 22nd, the Junior choir will assist with the program which will be presented in connection with the tree.

An all-church dinner and evening Christmas party is scheduled for Wednesday night of next week in the church dining room. The dinner will be followed by games.

During Christmas week the organists of the city will take turns playing Christmas carols over the loudspeaker system.

Episcopal Guild

The Eldorado Guild of the Episcopal Church will have their Christmas party next Monday at the home of Mrs. P. F. Case. The group will leave the post office promptly at 11:45 a.m.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Attending funeral services in Ft. Worth this week for Master Sergeant Melton H. Smith, were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Oglesby and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Farris. Sergeant Smith was a nephew of Mrs. Oglesby. He died of cerebral hemorrhage Thursday morning on his way to work at Carswell AFB in Ft. Worth.

During the war Sgt. Smith was overseas and saw action in Africa, Sicily, Italy, Germany, and other places.

His mother, Mrs. O. M. Smith of Brownwood, is a sister of Mrs. Oglesby.

WILSONS TO CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING WITH BIG OPEN HOUSE

Celebrating fifty years of wedded life, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wilson will hold Open House at their home on the afternoon of December 21. Friends are urged to remember the date and call some time between the hours of 2:00 and 4:30 p.m.

NEW FORDS GO ON DISPLAY TOMORROW AT TRIGG MOTORS

The 1953 Ford—marking the 50th anniversary of the Ford Motor company, will go on display in 6400 Ford dealerships across the country tomorrow, Friday, December 12. The new models will be introduced without any increase in present prices. Two cars will be on display at Trigg Motors, Eldorado Ford dealer.

A massive new grille with a center spinner characteristic of reecnt Ford design and a low, road-hugging look, advance the modern Ford styling. And an outstanding improvement in suspension, termed the "miracle ride," heads a list of mechanical improvements.

L. D. Crusoe, vice president of Ford Motor Company and general manager of Ford Division, said: "The 1953 Ford is a worthy successor to all the millions of cars this company has built since the late Henry Ford organized it in June, 1903.

To designate the 1953 Ford as the 50th Anniversary car, a medallion has been placed on the top of the steering column in combination with a new half-circle horn ring. Around the Ford crest in the center of the emblem are the words: "50th Anniversary—1903-1953."

Pontiac Announces Reduction In Prices

Pontiac, first General Motors Division to unveil its 1953 cars, this week announced price reductions up to $100 on certain models with no price increase on any models in the line, in spite of an entirely new and larger body, longer wheelbase, completely new interiors and a long list of new mechanical and engineering features.

This announcement was made by R. M. Critchfield, General Manager of Pontiac Motor Division. The new 1953 models went on display Saturday at the Eldorado Motor Co.

Pontiac list prices for 1953 start at $1788.36 for the Chieftain Special Six, two-door sedan. Pontiac's DeLuxe Chieftain Eight, four-door sedan, which is expected to account for about 50% of next year's volume, carries a list price of $2009.51. Price reductions on Station Wagons run from $28 to slightly in excess of $100.

All 1953 Pontiacs will be offered with either a six or eight-cylinder engine with GM Hydra-Matic Drive and Power Steering optional.

District Meeting of West Texas Chamber of Commerce Is Dec. 19th

SAN ANGELO—Members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce of District 9 will meet in the St. Angelus Hotel here Friday, Dec. 19, at 7 p.m., according to an announcement from WTCC headquarters in Abilene by R. Wright Armstrong, president.

Approval of the 1952-53 program of services and activities and the year's budget, and election of a district vice president will be the major items listed for action.

President Armstrong and Fred H. Husbands, general manager, will discuss the program of work adopted by the executive board in a meeting in Ft. Worth Nov. 21.

Towns of District 9 that are affiliated with the WTCC are Ballinger, Bronte, Eden, Eldorado, Fredericksburg, Junction, Kerrville, Menard, Rocksprings, San Angelo, Sonora and Winters.

The district includes the counties of Sterling, Coke, Runnels, Irion, Tom Green, Concho, Schleicher, Menard, Sutton, Kimble, Edwards, Real and Kerr.

ENTERS RIFLERY CLUB

AUSTIN—Lola Beth Ballew of Eldorado is a new member of the Riflery Club at the University of Texas. The club is one of eleven activities clubs sponsored by the department of physical training for women.

Miss Ballew, a freshman in the College of Arts and Sciences, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Ballew. She is a member of Gamma Phi Beta social sorority.

PTA CHRISTMAS MEETING FEATURES CHRISTMAS MUSIC

The Parent-Teacher Association will have as the principal program numbers at their December meeting a varied selection of Christmas music in story and song—the presentation of the High School chorus, the grade school chorus, and the school band. The meeting will be next Tuesday night, December 16, at 7:30.

A large attendance of school patrons is expected at this Christmas program. The public is cordially invited and urged to attend this meeting.

December School Events

Christmas Events

Supt. T. E. Holcomb announces that the Christmas holidays will begin at 3:00 p.m. on the 23rd of December and extend to the 5th of January. Parents and students are asked to cooperate with this schedule. The two days being taught Christmas week will enable two spring holidays provided in the school calendar.

A Christmas party for the four high school grades will be held in the auditorium of the Memorial Building on Monday night, December 22, and separate Christmas parties will be held at other locations for the 7th and 8th grades. There will be a Christmas tree, a Christmas program, and exchange of gifts at each party.

Grades 1, 2, and 3 will have a joint Christmas party at 1:30 on the afternoon of the 23rd. At the same hour, grades 4, 5, and 6 will have individual room parties.

The elementary school band and chorus expect to take part in the annual spring program.

Eagle Notes

A combined high school chorus, a grade school chorus, and the band will be presented in a Christmas program of story and song in the high school auditorium, December 16, Tuesday, at 7:30 p.m. as the December P. T. A. program.

Basketball Starts

The 1952-53 basketball season opened last Friday night with the A and B teams playing in Iraan. The Eldorado B team beat the B team of Iraan 36 to 28 with Jerry Perry being the highpoint man for the night with ten points. Ramsey with 9 points was the high point man for the B team of Iraan.

The Iraan A team just nosed out Eldorado A team by 2 points, the score 43-41. The game was tied up in the last few seconds of the game. Iraan made a long shot just before the whistle blew thus giving them the game. Wilson Humphrey of Eldorado was the high scorer of the night with 15 points. Henry and Hale of Iraan were next with 11 points each.

On Tuesday night this week the Eagles again met the Iraan Braves here in Eldorado. This time the Eagles were the winners in both the B and the A games. In the B game they won 48-37 with Jerry Perry of Eldorado being the high point man with 18 points. Nixon of Iraan was the high point man with 13 points. The Eagles won the A game by a score of 51-35, with Wilson Humphrey being the high point man with 24 points. Madden and Belcher were high point men for Iraan with 8 points each.

Let's boost our basketball team this year by attending the games. Schedule posters have been distributed over the town. Watch for the dates, especially of the home games, and come on out and root for the Eagles.

Girls' Basketball

The Eldorado basketball girls attended a tournament in Sonora December 5th and 6th. Friday afternoon the girls were defeated by Del Rio 47-6. In this game the girls met with hard luck when Barbara West was kicked and received two broken bones in her leg and a torn ligament.

The girls returned to Sonora Saturday morning to play Junction in the consolation bracket. They held the Junction team 5 to 10 until the half after which they were overpowered 23 to 7.

In the finals Saturday night Sonora won over Lakeview, and in the consolation bracket Mertzon beat Junction for the consolation championship.

The Eldorado basketball girls are Barbara West, Juanita Phillips, Lola Menees, Carolyn Ratliff, Colleen Hicks, and Esther Jones (forwards); Jane Belk May Runge, Fae Davis, Mary Lou Alexander, Trudy Gaynor, and Gainell Belk (guards).

This is the first year the girls have played basketball. They will probably give a much better showing later in the season.

"Miss Eldorado" Crowned

Miss Esther Jones, a Junior of the high school, was recognized as "Miss Eldorado High School" in a formal ceremony Thursday afternoon in the High School Auditorium. Carolyn Ratliff played "Pomp and Circumstance" as the favorites marched down the aisle and were announced by S. E. Etheredge, the master of ceremonies for the occasion. The favorites from each class are Ann Henderson and Harold Lloyd, Freshmen; Colleen Hicks and Bill Holcomb, Sophomores; Esther Jones and Lynn Griffin, Juniors; and Retha Nell Lloyd and Wilson Humphrey, Seniors.

Billy Kenneth Cheek, a Senior this year, was voted the most popular boy. He presented Esther Jones with a bouquet of red roses. Mr. Holcomb presented her with a bracelet inscribed with "Miss E. H. S." and her name.

After the ceremony the student body was entertained with a special piano number "Stumbling" by Bob Ratliff and a toe dance by Dale West and Ann Ballew. The program closed with the sextette singing "Once In A While."

Junior Hi Basketball

Junior Hi players include: Harold Anglin, Tony Cheatham, Toby Dickens, Charles Griffin, Ronnie Kerr, David Kuykendall, John Edward Meador, Mike Moore, Johnny Ohlenburg, Herman Phillips, Dick Runge, George Sofge, Curtis Stockton, Cecil Walston, Jimmie Whiteen, Clyde Wilkerson.

These practice games have been played:

HS Scrubs 14, Junior 34.

HS C team 78, Junior 24.

Sixth grade 8, Juniors 22.

Boys from the sixth grade composing the team are: Mania Pena, Thomas Barclay, Dan Mittel, Abe Sanskey, Farris Nixon, and James Gillaspie.

Coach Waldrum is coaching all of these teams.

The Eldorado Eagles won the Edgar Glasscock Sportsmanship trophy for the 1952 Football season which was given by Edgar Glasscock of Sonora to be awarded annually to the team receiving this honor. This trophy was awarded by secret ballot of the coaches of the district. It will be received by Eldorado on the night of the All-District Banquet given in Ozona by the Ozona Lions Club on January 5, 1953 and will remain in the trophy case in the high school for the remainder of this year. This honor was shared by Ozona and Eden last year. Principal speaker will be Sammy Baugh, All American, and one of TCU's all time greats.

At a meeting of the coaches Dec. 10 in Menard, the Eldorado Eagles of 1952 placed one man on the first defensive team chosen by coaches of District 6-A in a meeting last week. Jimmy Doyle, outstanding defensive guard, was unanimous for that position. Other boys who were praised by the coaches were Jerry Perry, Jerry Pennington, Pinkney Craig and Frank Edmiston.

The Menard Yellowjackets dominated the all-district berths with six boys on the first team (offensive and defensive) and two on the second team.

Junction placed five on the first team and none on the second.

Ozona placed four boys on the first team and three on the second.

Sonora placed four on the first team and one on the second.

Eden placed one on the first team and four on the second.

PRYOR IN SAN ANGELO

The Rev. F. H. Pryor was in San Angelo Tuesday attending an all-day Fellowship meteing of the West Texas District. Speakers from Detroit, the state of Missouri, and other places were present. A number of local church members accompanied the pastor to San Angelo and also attended the meeting.

Rev. Pryor's brother, Lt. Roy T. Pryor of San Marcos, is leaving on the 15th with his family for Okinawa, where he will be stationed. He has visited here a number of times in the Fundamental Baptist parsonage with Rev. Pryor and his family.

Mrs. R. W. King spent the past week in Brady with Desmond and family. They brought her home Sunday and visited at the E. G. Donaldson home.

NEW BABIES

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. James of San Angelo Saturday morning, a son weighing 8 pounds and 9 ozs., who has been named William Martin. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Martin Estes of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. James of Brownwood. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Estes of Eldorado and Bob James of Zephyr, Texas.

Born, December 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sauer, in Clinic Hospital in San Angelo, a son weighing eight pounds and 11 ounces and named Norris Eric. The new baby has a brother, Hyman Dale, age nearly two. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sauer of Schleicher County and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Reeves of Greenville; a great grandmother is Mrs. Hannah Baethge of Doss.

Post Script

The Eldorado Success will print the third paper of the month on Thursday as usual, next week. Then on the following week, the annual greeting paper will come off the press, probably about two days early—the afternoon or night of the 23rd, we hope. It will carry as much Christmas news as we can assemble in five days—and will be the last issue of the year.

Throughout the holiday season we are anxious to get all of the Christmas and New Year's news if possible, and will appreciate the cooperation of the public in phoning us if we haven't contacted you.

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Some are already decorating their homes and businesses in preparation for the holidays; the Junior Woman's Club and the Lions are offering prizes for the best decorations, which has helped to stimulate interest in holiday decorating.

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Finley and Page this week were remodeling the building they purchased recently from Jack Ratliff. Ceiling are being lowered and Celotex paneling is being put on. The interior will be partitioned into office spaces, which will include one for the new owners.

Ratliff used the building in connection with his furniture business which he closed out last week. Previous to that time the building housed Wheeler grocery.

FUNERAL AT BROWNWOOD

Funeral services were held in Brownwood Monday afternoon for Mrs. B. J. Woodward, 82, mother of O. L. Woodward of Eldorado. Mrs. Woodward died Saturday following a brief illness.

Those attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Pat McAlpine.

Mrs. Woodward is survived by five sons and three daughters. Interment was made in Greenlee cemetery.

Pallbearers were grandsons: M. H. and Burl Woodward of Eldorado, Bobby Kington, Raymond Kington and Billy Powell of Brownwood, and Martin Laudermilk of Fort Worth.

ATTEND MENARD FUNERAL

John Clark of Menard, age 63, father of Mrs. W. S. Carrell of this county, died Sunday night at 11:00 at Clinic Hospital in San Angelo. He had been visiting in the Carrell home and was rushed to the hospital Sunday when he was taken suddenly ill with a stroke.

Funeral services were held at Monard Tuesday afternoon at 2:00, conducted by Roland Fry of Junction, assisted by Quentin Dunn of Eldorado and Marshall Davis of San Angelo. Among those from here attending the funeral were the W. S. Carrell family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinnes, Houston Thigpen, Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Dunn and probably others.

Surviving are his wife, four daughters, one son, ten grandchildren, and a brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Childers of Los Angeles, California, are here on a ten-day visit with Jack's brother Edwin and her family. Other guests in the home, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Sudduth and baby, who have been here during the illness of Mrs. Sudduth's mother, Mrs. Childers, have returned to their home in Monahans.

David Dewey Griffin has made port near San Diego, and expects to be home next week on a 14-day leave.

Two More Wildcats Spotted

Schleicher County this week gained two more wildcat locations.

Carter & Carter of San Antonio will drill the testers, both to test for production in the Ellenburger.

No. 1 J. F. Webster will be dug 330 feet from north and east lines of the southeast quarter of section 1, block 8, TW&NG survey and 25 miles east of Eldorado.

Their No. 2 Webster will be dug 2½ miles due south of No. 1 Webster. Site is 660 feet from north and east lines of survey No. 1, block A-1, and 25 miles east of Eldorado.

Other wildcats announced recently for this county are:

1. Humble to drill an 8000 ft. test on the Olivia Spencer section about 15 miles southwest of Eldorado.
2. Sinclair to drill a wildcat in Schleicher county about 4 miles east of Brushy Top. Operations are unedr way.
3. J. Ralph Stewart, a confirmation wildcat near the No. 1 Jeff Harkey well in northern Schleicher.
4. L. E. Scherck, a 6000 foot wildcat on the D. C. O. Wilson ranch, about 12 miles southeast of Eldorado.

Humble To Drill Hulldale Stepout

Humble Oil and Refining Co. has filed application to drill its 1 Annie May Brooks ¼-mile west and slightly south of Sinclair 1 Dwight McClatchey, recently completed 1-mile extender to the Hulldale (Pennsylvanian) field in Schleicher County.

The test will be drilled with rotary to 6,100 feet. Drilling will begin immediately.

Location, on a 3,520-acre tract, is 550 from the south and 750 feet from the east lines of 83-LL.

Sinclair 1 Dwight McClatchey was completed for a daily calculated potential of 1,623 barrels of 42 corrected gravity oil, with a gas-oil ratio of 420-1.

Black & Rodman No. 1 T. R. Henderson, east central Schleicher County exploration, one mile south east of the Page field is bottomed at 5633 feet in Strawn lime and has set 5½ inch casing on bottom. After the pipe is securely cemented operators will perforate and test and try to complete an oil well.

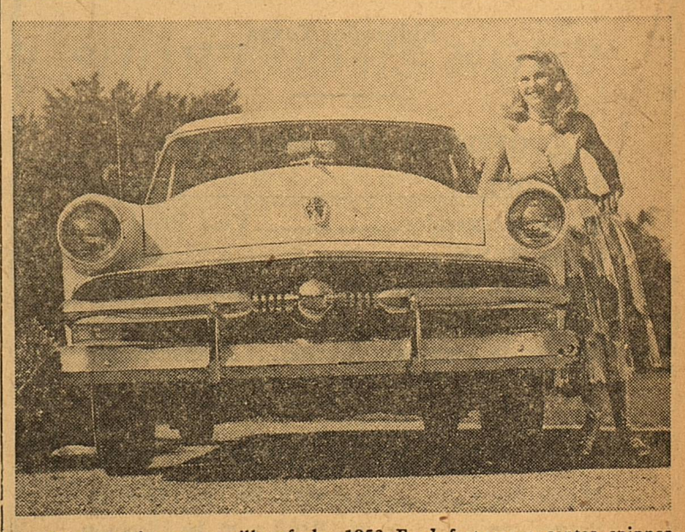
It showed good possibilities of production in a drillstem test at 5623-33 feet. Tool was open four hours. Recovery was three and one-helf stands of oil and one and one-half stands of drilling mud. There were no signs of formation water. Gas surfaced in 40 minutes after the tool was open for the test.

Alex W. Head and John L. Welsh J.., No. 1 B. M. Boyd, wildcat in Schleicher, was making hole below 4560 feet.

Weiner No. 1-13 Williams, another Schleicher wildcat, was drilling below 580 feet in lime and shale

Sinclair No. 1-101 University, 25 miles west of Eldorado, was drilling below 6,952 feet in lime and shale.

The W. A. Blaylocks have as a guest in their home this week their daughter Jerry, who is here on a month's vacation. A student nurse at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, Jerry has another year in training before she graduates.



The massive new grille of the 1953 Ford features a center spinner characteristic of Ford design and a low, road-hugging look which advances the trend in car styling Ford first introduced five years ago. Oblong parking lights are set low to enable the streamlined center bar to wrap around the front fenders and add to the lower, wider appearance.

First Baptist News

Concho Valley Baptist Association will have its monthly workers conference here at the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening December 16. The W. M. S. and Board meetings will be at 5:30 p.m. Evening meal will be served at 6:30 by the host, the First Baptist church. The evening program will begin at 7:30 p.m. The theme of the program is missions. Dr. James B. Leavell pastor of the First Baptist church of San Angelo, will present pictures of our work in Alaska. Dr. Leavell has just returned from a tour of Alaska. Everyone is given a cordial invitation to be present for this fine program.

Monday evening December 15 the Men's Brotherhood will have their regular monthly meeting. The evening meal will be served in the banquet room at 7:00 p.m. Following a brief business meeting one of our own men, T. P. Robinson Jr., will bring our message. This is a fine meal and program already arranged for. We issue a very earnest invitation to all of our men of the church to be present.

We were happy to have the Mission Band from Howard Payne college to bring our services Sunday morning. At the training union hour we were privileged to witness the presentation of their fine mission play. While here and on the way they presented their play at Menard, helped with the morning services at Christoval, and were at our Latin American Mission here. All of these fine young people are mission volunteers.

In spite of the much sickness in our membership we still continue to have good attendance. We had 211 in Sunday school and 175 in Training Union Sunday. Many of our classes and departments have accepted their goal for subscribing our budget and we feel that by V Day which is January 4 we will go over the top in our budget subscription drive. We trust that each person will prayerfully take and fill out a stewardship card. Let us go forward for God.

Keep these departmental dates in mind for Christmas programs: The Juniors will begin with their tree and program Saturday evening December 13 at 7:00 p.m. The Adult department Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. December 19. The Primary department Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. and the Beginner department at 4:00 p.m. December 21. If any other department is planning a Christmas program be sure and clear the date and time through the church calendar to avoid all conflicts.

Sunday evening at 7:30 the youth and Cherub choirs will present their Christmas program of music and a play. We issue each of you a cordial welcome to be present for this fine program. Then on Sunday evening December 21 the Adult Choir will present their Christmas music. As in past seasons they have a splendid Christmas cantata to be presented. Watch this article for exact hour. An earnest invitation is issued to all to be present with us these next two Sunday evenings for wonderful Christmas programs.

The Primary Department won the orchids Sunday with a grade of 73. Close second was the Junior Department with a grade of 72. The over all grade for our Sunday School Sunday was 58.5.

Jess Koy is undergoing treatment in Clinic Hospital in San Angelo.

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Notice of entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matters not news will be charged for at the regular rates.

Notice

Beginning January 1, 1953, I will be in my office all day Wednesdays and will be absent on Thursday afternoons.

We will close completely Wednesday noon, Dec. 24, 1952, for Christmas.

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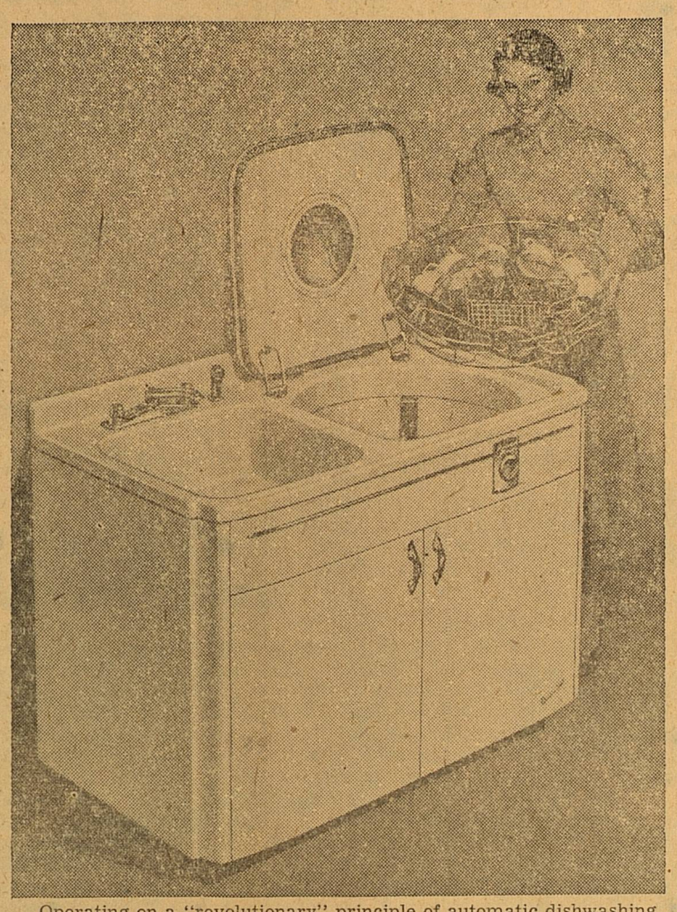
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Range Notes

By W. G. Godwin

Pink Boll Worm Shows An Increase In 1952

The ping boll worm actually showed an increase in Schleicher county. To every bushel basket of trash going through the Eldorado Gin 29 boll worms were present. This compares with 9 to every bushel basket in 1951. This count may not be alarming but farmers should take notice and do what they can to prevent a further increase. That can be done by early plowing under of cotton stalks and destroying trash in fence rows. Then too, transporting cotton to gins, and the careful handling of seed will have to be done in the coming years during ginning season.

Approximately 170 bales of cotton was ginned in the county in 1952.

A Few Facts About Grass

We think of the atomic bomb as having enormous energy. It has as much as 20,000 tons of TNT. Yet in a single sunny day 700 acres of grass may store up an equal total of energy. This is energy that does not destroy. It builds. Translated to meat and milk and eggs or eaten by you as a cereal, one pound of pasture grass has what it takes to enable you to climb a stairway for two minutes, saw wood for 30 minutes or walk for one and one-half hours. Grass converts the energy from the sun and supplies fuel for our human machinery.

Also, grass supplies the material for rebuilding our bodies. It reaches deep in the soil and draws out what it takes to manufacture proteins. The timing may not be accurate but the idea is sound in the belief that your body builds or renews itself once in every seven years. This continuous job is done from protein, and protein comes first of all from grasses.

As you begin soil conservation in real earnest in the years to come after the most severe drouth of all times, remember that grass holds water and fights floods a thousand times more effectively than all the dams ever built. Grassland holds the soil one hundred times better than cultivated fields. Grass protects the land from water and wind. Grass builds the soil. Great stuff—common, universal, trampled grass!

John Ingalls said: "Grass bears no blazonry of bloom to charm the senses with fragrance or splendor, but its homely hue is more enchanting than the lily or the rose. It yields no fruit in earth or air and yet, should its harvest fail a single year, famine would depopulate the earth."

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Mrs. Rutha Boyer is visiting in San Angelo with her daughter Mrs. Howard Belcher and family.

—Select a Christmas gift that will be everlasting—electrical gifts will fill the bill. Buy them at Boyer Electric.

Postmaster Brooks Lists Rates On Cards

"Each year's Christmas business gets bigger," states Postmaster E. W. Brooks, who, with his assistants, are unusually busy as the Christmas business nears its peak.

Postmaster Brooks lists misunderstandings concerning the postal rates on Christmas cards as one of his biggest headaches. There is a difference in rate on sealed and unsealed cards, and he gives the following information concerning postage required on both:

The postage rate on UNSEALED Christmas cards, if no written message is enclosed, is two cents. This rate applies for both local and out of town addresses.

If SEALED or if written messages are enclosed they take first class postage, which is local two cents, and on routes or out of town is three cents.

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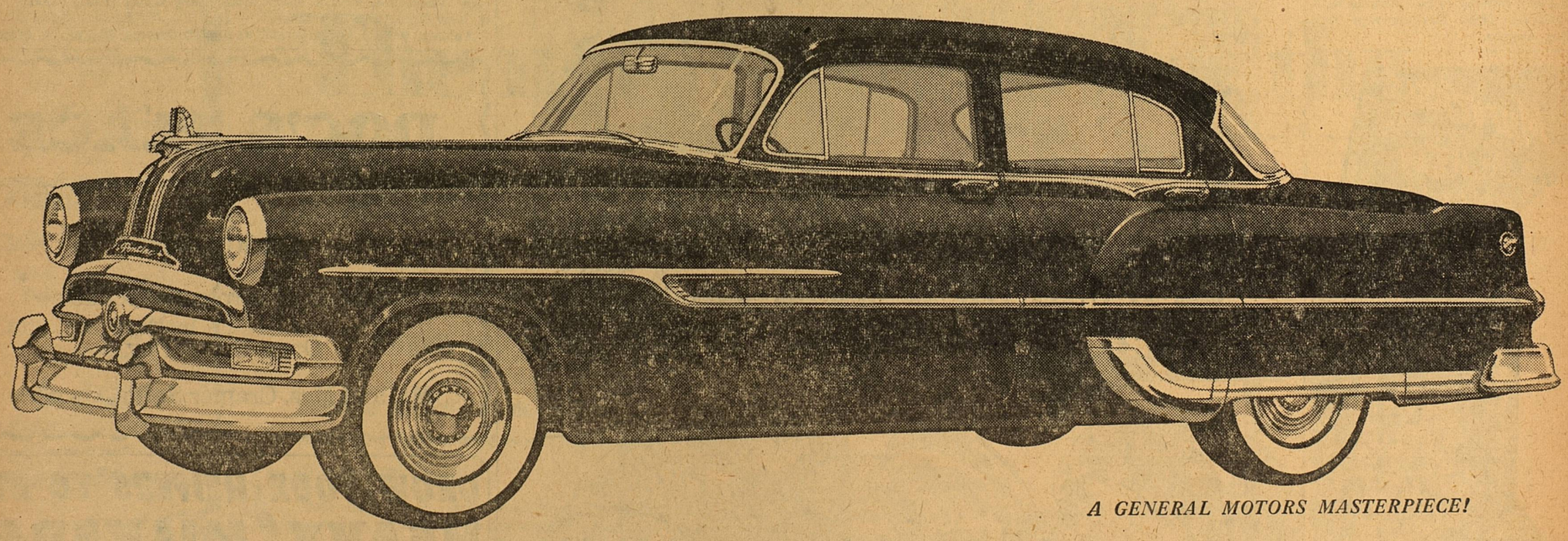
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RAWLEIGH dealer wanted immediately to establish own retail business. Vitamins, Foods, Extracts, Insecticides, DDT, nearby. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXL-1540-195, Memphis, Tenn. 1t*

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—CHRISTMAS plants are now here. Poinsettias, azaleas, cycleman and begonnias. Select now while stock is complete. Eldorado Flower Shop.

WHAT ARE your plans for 1953? A good Rawleigh business is hard to beat. Opening in Schleicher county. Write at once to Rawleigh's, Dept. TXL-1540-254, Memphis, Tennessee. 52*

—Select a Christmas gift that will be everlasting—electrical gifts will fill the bill. Buy them at Boyer Electric.

FOR SALE: One electric cement mixer; 2 rubber-tired wheel barrows; One 8-in. table saw with 1HP motor.—Mrs. R. W. King.
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W. F. Faught 1t*

ESTERBROOK FOUNTAIN pens, $2.30 — Eldorado Success.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS

The State of Texas)
County of Schleicher)

Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Commissioners Court of Schleicher County, Texas, to pass an order on the 12th day of January, 1953, authorizing the issuance of Schleicher County Road and Bridge Warrants in an amount not to exceed $10,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four (4%) per cent per annum, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, with a maximum maturity not later than fifteen (15) years from their date, for the purpose of evidencing indebtedness to be incurred in constructing permanent road and bridge improvements in said County including claims for labor, material, equipment and supplies, and purchasing necessary right-of-way for public roads in the County and incidental expenses in connection therewith.

Given Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners Court on the 8th day of December, 1952.

E. W. CRAIG,
County Judge, Schleicher County, Texas.

(Dec 11-18)

The Ira Glasscock family spent the day Sunday in San Angelo with relatives from Breckenridge and San Angelo.

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Thursday, Friday, December 11-12
YOUNG AS YOU FEEL
—First Run—
Thelma Ritter Monty Wooly

Saturday, December 13
BAD BOY
Audie Murphy Jane Wyatt
Lloyd Nolan

Sunday, Monday, December 14-15
THE WILD NORTH
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Thursday, Friday, December 18-19
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Saturday, December 20
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—In Color—
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Woman's Club Meets For Christmas Program

Eldorado Woman's Club held their December meeting at the Methodist Church parlor on Tuesday. The program stressed the Christmas theme and refreshments were served from a decorated tea table. Centerpiece was of sprays and Christmas tree ornaments. Mrs. Jackson poured tea and coffee and Mrs. V. G. Tisdale served fruitcake.

Seventeen members and two guests heard the Christmas program under the direction of Mrs. Walter Ramsay. The high school sextette under Miss Farmer's direction sang an arrangement of carols and O Holy Night. The sextette is composed of Carolyn Ratliff, Barbara West, Janice Cales, Gaynell Belk, May Runge and Mary Lou Alexander.

Rev. Clifford Nelson of the First Baptist church was guest speaker. His subject was the message of the shepherds. Rev. Nelson pointed out that our concept of Christmas changes as we grow older and that as we mature we should strive to recapture the spirit of giving and sharing at Christmas. The shepherds saw the star, heard the angels, and believed their promise. Then went forth and spread the word.

The best gift we can give Christ is ourselves and the next best is some gift to a needy person.

Mr. Nelson also said that Christ gave us a Christmas card—For inasmuch as ye have done it to the least of these, ye have done it to me. He closed with the prayer that Christ would be the honored guest at all our Christmas festivities.

Hostesses were Mrs. Keno Ogden and Mrs. J. E. Tisdale. Hostess next meeting will be Mrs. J. E. Spencer. —Reporter.

WITH U. S. FORCES IN AUSTRIA—Army Cpl. Billy D. McAngus, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ross McAngus, Route 1, Eldorado Texas, has returned to his home station in Austria after 10 days in the field during "Exercise Frosty," a recent Army maneuver.

Conducted in the Salzkammergut mountains of Austria, the exercise was designed to train U. S. Army units in the actual terrain they are guarding.

Guests of the H. W. Hunts and the Jerry Shotts Monday were old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burns, of Colorado City.

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Mens Handkerchiefs, extra nice ------- 49c
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Other nice Christmas presents—Jackets for small children, Blue jeans for little folks, Ladies Hose and Mens Ties and Socks. Other goods to arrive next week.

Orders taken for Christmas turkeys or hens up to December 20. Already dressed.

We still have a few Christmas trees, Lights, cards—if you wish to remember a special friend.

We still have plenty of everything for your Christmas baking. When you need groceries we have all items at a saving price. No item sacrificed at the expense of another.

The People Reproved:

And I also have given you cleaness of teeth in all your cities, and want of bread in all your places, yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord; and also have I withholden the rain from you, when there was yet three months yet to the harvest, and I caused it to rain upon one city, and caused it not to rain upon another city; one piece was rained upon, and the piece whereupon it rained not withered.—Amos 4:6-7.

"A Bargain in Every Purchase Is Our Motto"

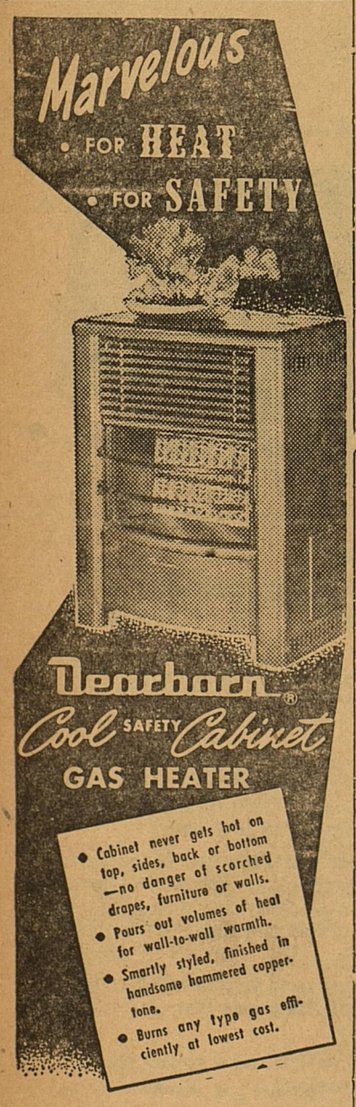
SN Aubrey Jarrett arrived here Saturday to visit for about a week with his brother William and his family in Schleicher county. Aubrey, who has been in service nearly seven years, has been stationed for five and a half months in the Phillipines and before that was in Japan about two years. After his visit here he will spend the remainder of his 28-day leave in Knoxville, Tennessee, with a sister and in New York with a brother.

Aubrey, who is not married, attended public school in Eldorado before entering service.

Crew 10-M, under command of A/C Maj. Floyd E. Barnes, was selected as the outstanding crew in graduating class 52-M in Randolph's B29 crew training program.

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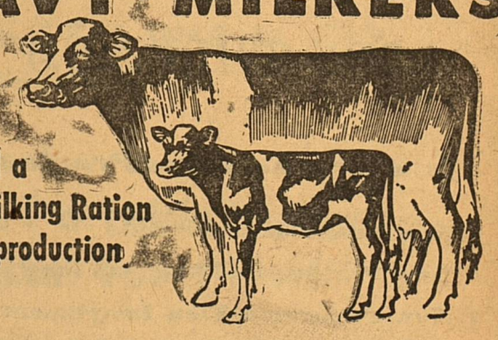
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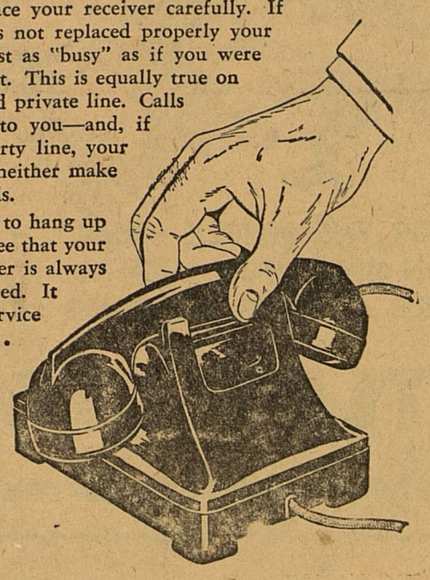
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O E S Honors Visitors At Monday Meeting

The Eldorado Chapter O. E. S. 146 honored Mrs. Estelle Harral, Deputy Grand Matron, District V, Section II, with a dinner on her official visit to Eldorado Monday night at a regular meeting. Accompanying Mrs. Harral to Eldorado was Mrs. Ben Frazio, Rankin.

Members elected were Mr. and Mrs. George Cales and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rountree.

The program "Obligation Night" was presented with Mrs. E. C. Hill at piano and Mrs. W. T. Parker soloist. A Christmas tree and yuletide decorations were prominent.

Members and visitors contributed money to fill "Santa's Sock," with which blankets from the Eldorado Woolen Mill will be sent as a Christmas gift to members of the O. E. S. home in Arlington.

Each year the Eldorado Chapter presents gifts to the home at the (Christmas) December meeting.

Committees to plan and carry out were regular hostesses and the social committee headed by Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Associate Matron.

Committee members were: Mrs. J. D. Ashmore, Mrs. W. C. Mund, Mrs. Fred Watson, Mrs. T. H. Alexander, Mrs. Glen McDonald. Mrs. Frank Spencer, member, was reported to be very ill.

The Chapter will participate in the Fraternal visit of the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Garlitz, Fort Worth, on the night of Jan. 6th in Sonora, and the school of instruction in McCamey Jan. 5th.

Eldorado officers filling stations at the McCamey meeting will be Mrs. Palmer West, Palmer West, Mrs. J. E. Spencer and Mrs. Nan Montgomery. There will be others who will go to McCamey.

An honorary membership was presented Mrs. Harral from the Eldorado Chapter, along with other courtesies.

Guests were: Mrs. Estelle Harral, Rankin; Mrs. Fay Reece, Worthy Matron, Big Lake; Mrs. Courtney, Secretary, Big Lake; Mrs. Ben Frazier, Rankin Chapter; Mrs. Oliver Teele, Ft. McKavett Chapter; Mrs. Phoebe Neill of San Angelo. —Reporter.

METHODIST WSCS MEETING

Dorcas Circle of the WSCS met on the 3rd, eight members and three visitors attending. Mrs. Doyle Morton and Mrs. H. W. Hunt led the lesson on human rights.

Last week the entire WSCS met at the church for a joint meeting of the circles. The Lydia Circle had charge of the program.

Mrs. Jerry Shotts and daughter and Mrs. Rose Doyle left this week for Tyler, where they expect to attend Mrs. Shott's father's wedding.

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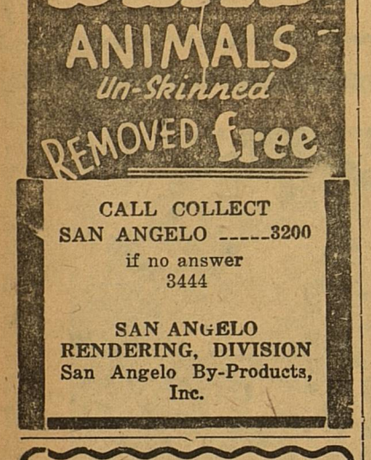
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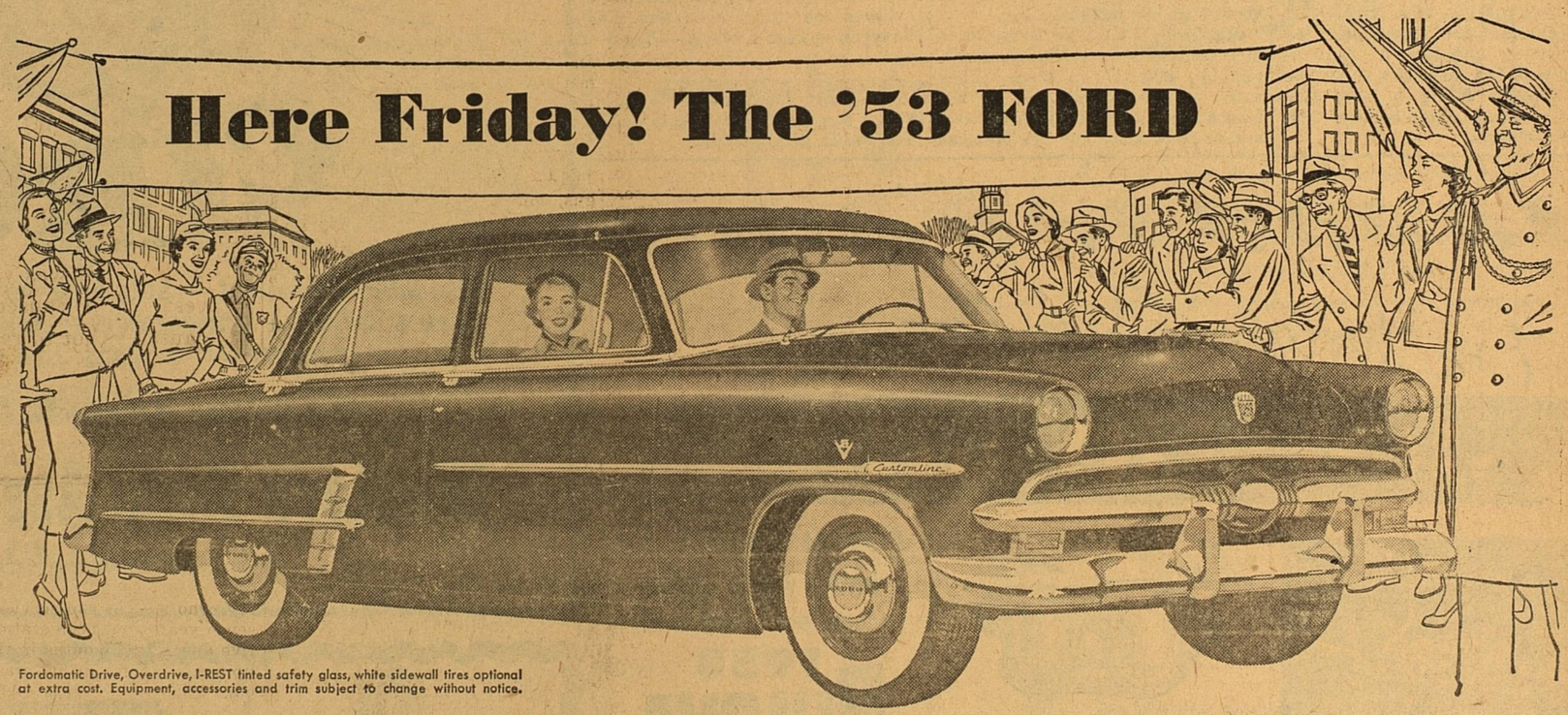
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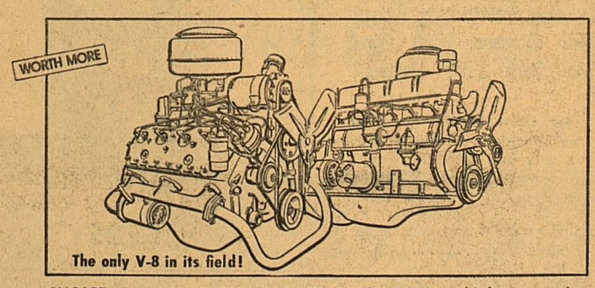
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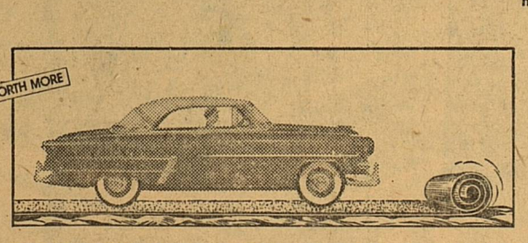
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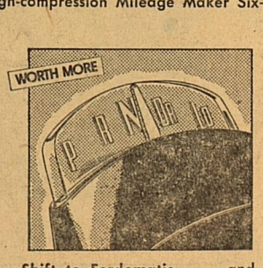
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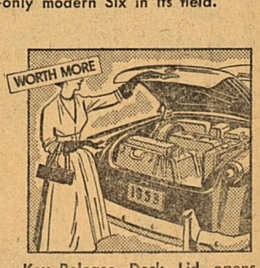
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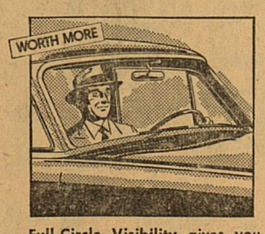
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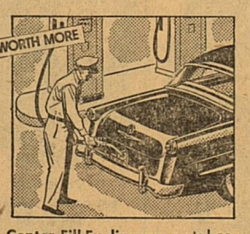
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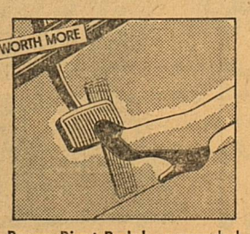
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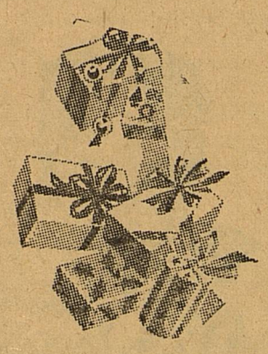
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FIRST BAPTIST CIRCLES
(Last Week)

The Mabelle Taylor Circle No. 1 of the First Baptist church met with Mrs. Ray Jones with eight members present, Mrs. Archie Mittel bringing the lesson, the last chapter of "Scattered Abroad." Each took the name of a child from the Beeville Home to send gifts for Christmas. Next hostess: Mrs. T. W. Johnson.

Mrs. Mattie Cozzens was hostess to Circle No. 2, ten members attending and Mrs. Clifford Nelson reviewing the study book. Mrs. C. O. Dewey was scheduled to be hostess at the next meeting.

Jay Circle, Circle No. 3, met with nine visitors and two members attending, also 11 children. They voted to pay the gas bill for the month for a needy Latin American, and to pack a box for the Mexican orphanage. Mrs. Ross DeLozier to be next hostess.

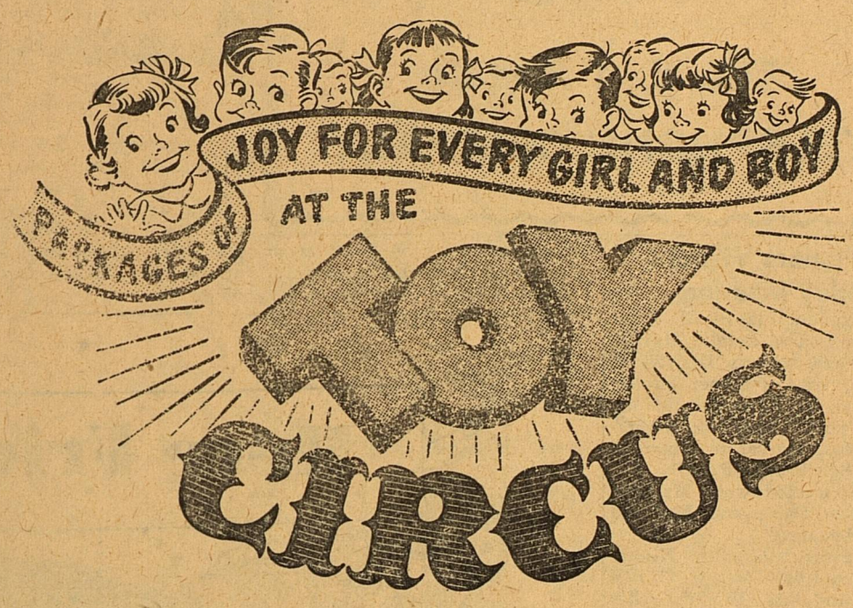
Circle four, the Elizabeth Truly Circle, met with 11 present. Mrs. Enoch being hostess. Mrs. Ramsay reviewed the study book. Mrs. Ed Finnegan is next hostess. —Reporter.

Mrs. Frank Newman and Frances of San Angelo visited Sunday with Mrs. W. H. McClatchey.



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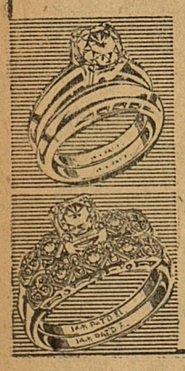


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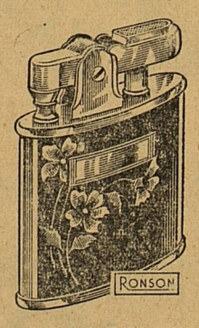
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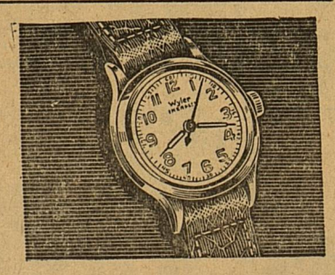
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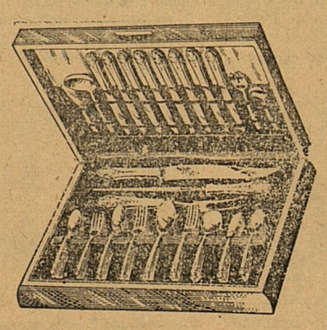
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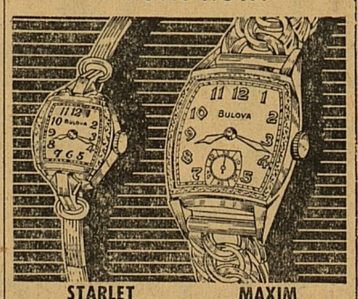


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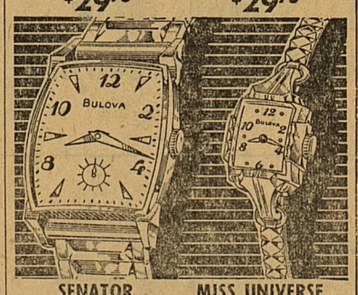
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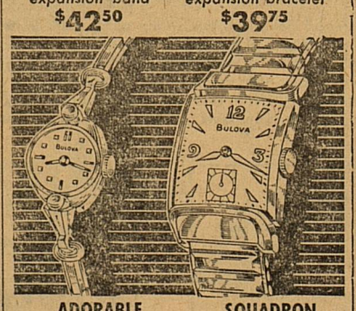
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H. A. Belks Announce Daughter's Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Belk of Schleicher County announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jane, to James Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Alexander, December 20 at the home of Mr .and Mrs. Claude Alexander.

Guests at the wedding will be only the families and close friends of the young people. The officiating pastor will be Rev. Roy Shilling of Big Lake. Jerry Thompson will attend the groom as best man, and Gaynell Belk, sister of the bride-elect, will be her only attendant.

Miss Belk is a Senior in Eldorado High School and James is a sophomore at SAC, San Angelo.

Thomerson-Morgan

Diane Thomerson and Jimmy Morgan were married in a home ceremony December 5 at the bride's home. Present were the immediate families and relatives.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thomerson of Christoval. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morgan of Eldorado.

Attendants were Helen Morgan, sister of the groom, and Lilburn Hazelwood, brother-in-law of the groom.

After a short wedding trip they will be at home in Fort Worth where the groom is employed.

A reception was given immediately after the ceremony.

Mrs. C. W. Kendrick, who spent ten days here visiting her sister, Mrs. Ora Davis, left Monday afternoon for her home at Greenville, Mississippi. The two women spent the weekend in Ozona with Mrs. Davis' daughter Mrs. Bud Russell and her family.

—Select a Christmas gift that will be everlasting—electrical gifts will fill the bill. Buy them at Boyer Electric.

Mrs. M. J. Cunningham of McCamey has been visiting here while M. J. was conducting a Church of Christ revival in Shawnee, Oklahoma. M. J. came in Monday night, and he and Betty returned home to McCamey Tuesday morning.

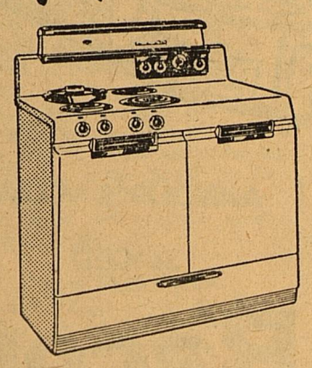
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Faull were their children, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Daniel and Peggy Jo Daniel of Houston, and Pvt. and Mrs. H. O. Atkinson, here on furlough, H. O. having completed his training at Fort Leonard Wood and being notified to report at Seattle on the 8th.

—CHRISTMAS plants are now here. Poinsettias, azaleas, cycleman and begonnias. Select now while stock is complete. Eldorado Flower Shop.



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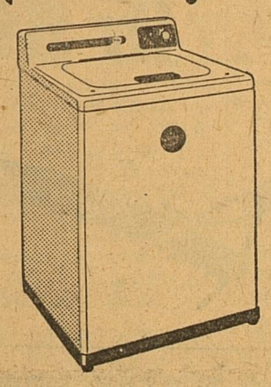
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tisdale visited last week end with Mr. Tisdale's relatives in Tuscola.

The condition of Mrs. Frank Spencer, who is quite ill, remains the same.

The Quentin Dunn family moved Wednesday from an Otto Mund house to a Martin rent house.



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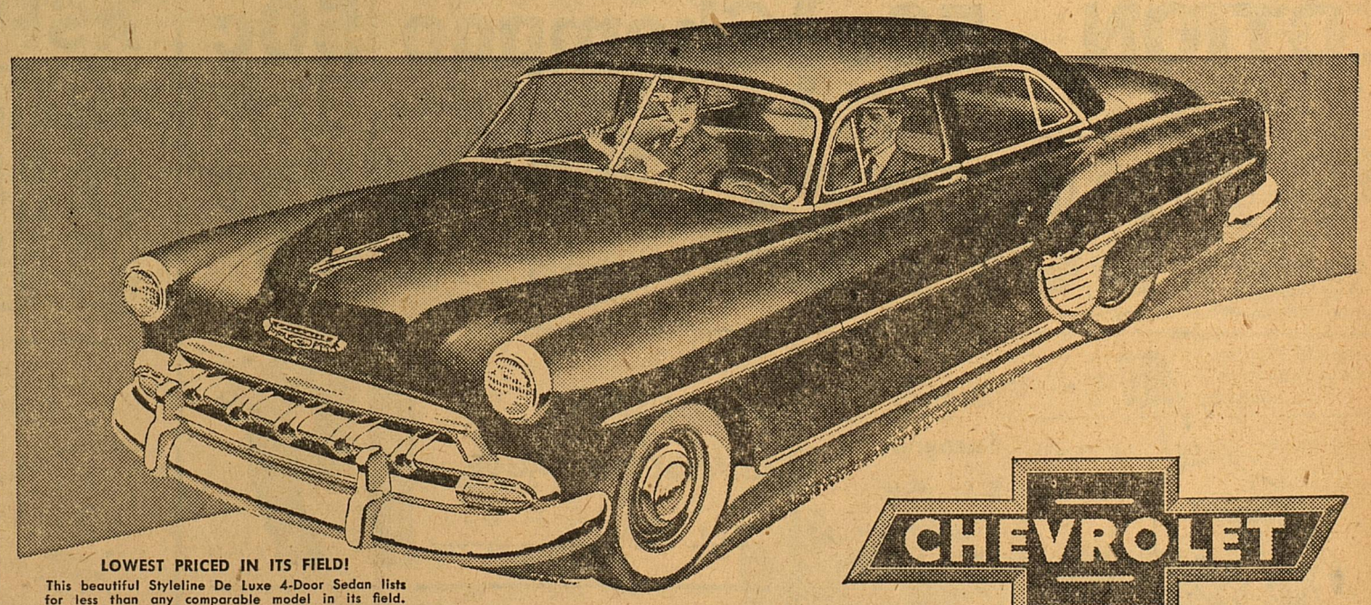
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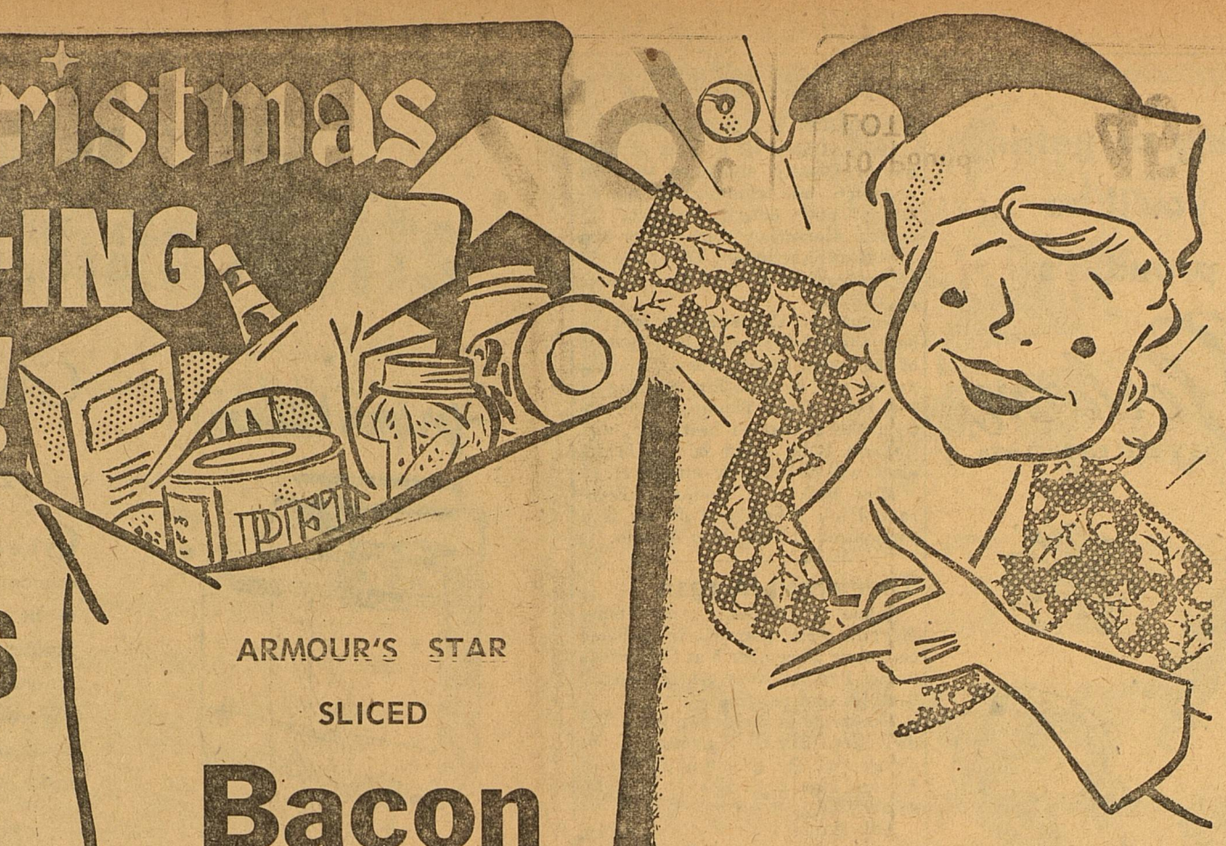
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HOLIDAY MIX — POUND — 10 Lb Lots—Lb.
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SPECIAL SALE POUND **79c**



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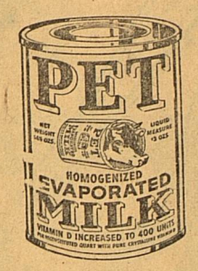
One Box Lemon My-T-Fine

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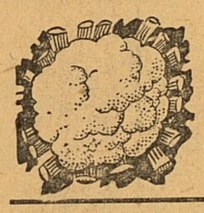
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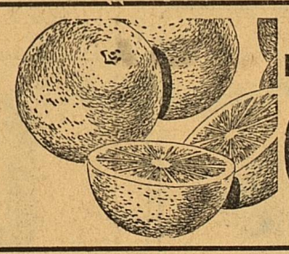
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Cauliflower 10c

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