Mr. Main worked for Cities Service Oil Company from 1951 to 1959. He transferred to the El Dorado, Kansas branch in 1956. He became a partner in the AMA Oilfield Development Company in 1959. Eventually, the business became AMA Electric Company, Inc. and he became President and sole owner. Mr. Main served in the Marine Corps during WWII. He served as Mayor of El Dorado from 1972-1979. It was during his tenure as Mayor that construction of the El Dorado Lake began.