

MEETING TO STIMULATE TRADE CALLED

Fire Menaces Oklahoma City Gusher Saturday

TERRILL URGES MERGING STATE DEPARTMENTS

AYS FUNDS INADEQUATE FOR NEEDS

Commissioner Will Not Seek To Head Agricultural Department Again.

By United Press. AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 1.—An effort to consolidate the state agriculture department work with that of the fish, game and oyster department, the board of water engineers, state reclamation department, state livestock sanitary board, much feed, forestry and experimental work of A. & M. College in one state department was made at the January session of the legislature.

George B. Terrill, retiring commissioner of agriculture, recommended such a consolidation in his annual report filed for perusal of Governor Moody upon his return to Austin.

stabbing Of Banker Solved By Police

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—The fatal stabbing of Courtney R. Merrill, Chicago banker, was solved today, police said because a 19-year-old girl forced her sweetheart of another youth to confess to the crime.

WEATHER

Eastland and vicinity—Fair and warmer. East Texas—Increasing cloudiness Sunday, becoming unsettled in extreme south and warmer in east and south Sunday.

U. S. MAILS

(Mail for Fort Worth or beyond 6:00 a. m.) Daily West—12:00 M. Daily East—1:18 P. M. Airmail—Night planes 4:18 P. M. Day planes 8:30 P. M.

College Queen Of Southwest



Envious eyes of co-eds throughout the southwest are focused on Alice McPhetridge, above, of the University of Arkansas, who was crowned college queen at the southwestern all-college ball at Dallas, Tex., recently. She is a member of Tri Delta Sorority.

Famous Sheriff Dies Saturday In South Texas

By United Press. EDINBURG, Tex., Nov. 1.—Death today brought to a close the colorful career of Sheriff A. Y. Baker, banker, political leader, public official, financier and landowner.

The Hidalgo county sheriff died at his palatial home here at 1 a. m. He suffered a stroke of apoplexy at noon Friday while attending a meeting of the board of directors of Hidalgo county water district No. 12 at Lynn a few miles north of here.

He was 55 years old. Baker returned to the Valley from San Antonio a few days ago to confer with the water district officials in connection with their plans to start construction of the irrigation system which includes within its 69,000 acres much property he owned.

Coming to Hidalgo county in 1896 as a member of the Texas Rangers, he was one of the pioneers of this section.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 1.—Trial of Mrs. Pearl O'Loughlin, charged with murdering her 10-year-old stepdaughter, Leona, today was set for Nov. 24 in district court here.

Telegram Has 296 Calls For Football Score

Two hundred and ninety six telephone calls were received by the Eastland Telegram Friday afternoon between 3:40 and 6:00 o'clock asking for the score of the Eastland-Abilene football game. Four of these calls were by long distance, one coming from Breckenridge, one from Cisco, one from Ranger and one from Olden.

The most common of the many exclamations that greeted the news that Eastland was leading by a score of 6 to 0 at the end of the third quarter were: "Whoopee," "Atta Boy," "Good Night," "Oh, Boy," "E-yow," "Well I'll be darned," and "They're sure playing."

The prize of the lot was probably pulled by a member of the Telegram staff who was out of the office and called in to see how the score was going. "Nothing to nothing at the end of the half," he was told. "Which half, the first?" he asked.

Hardwick And Butler Purchase Grocery Business

J. S. Butler and R. R. Hardwick have purchased the grocery business at 1001 West Commerce street formerly conducted by W. E. Downing and will continue the business. They also purchased the store building and Mr. Downing's residence.

Many Attending 9:49 Bible Class

Seventy men were present last Sunday morning at the Nine Forty-Nine Bible class at the First Methodist church, and it is expected that a much larger number will be present today.

Vessel Reported Sunk In Lake

SAULTE STE. MARIE, Mich., Nov. 1.—The Tree line freighter Ashbay, carrying a crew of 25 men was feared today to have gone down in Lake Superior with all hands when no trace of the vessel, overdue here nearly three days, was found by the coast guard cutter Seminole.

OIL WELL IS SAVED FROM DESTRUCTION

Fires Still Continue Near Enough To Endanger Lives Of All Who Go Near Well.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 1.—The wild Morgan oil gusher which has threatened the entire city for the past two days by spraying oil over the city, was temporarily saved from destruction late today when a thousand workmen and National Guardsmen extinguished a waste oil fire that spread to within a few yards of the roaring gusher.

Colonel Turner Roark, commander of the National Guard, issued a warning for all city residents to stay at home. He issued the following warning to the residents of the community: "You take your life in your hands when you come into the eastern part of the city."

A Proclamation

Pledged to a program of usefulness and service to the community, state and nation, the American Legion today enjoys the full confidence of the American public. Ever since it has been organized the Legion has exerted its best effort in the behalf of good citizenship and in the building for a greater and better America.

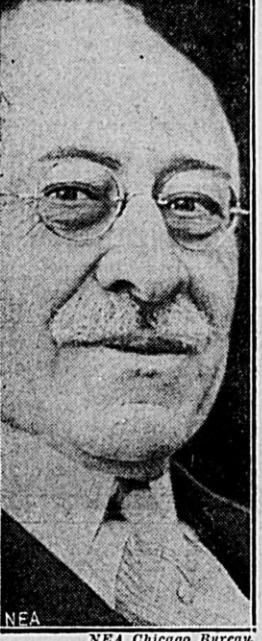
Another Blow To Depression

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Nov. 1.—During the business depression, the Montclair theater guild has announced only comedies will be presented by its players. All serious dramas have been cancelled.

"Little Plank" Is Much Larger Than It Sounded Like

DALLAS, Nov. 1.—The "little plank" that Sam Smith of west Dallas dropped from a two story building as a Halloween prank expanded to sizeable proportions in police court here today.

'Wealth Is Luck,' Says Rosenwald



NEA Chicago Bureau. "Ninety-five per cent of my success has been due to luck; there's many a poor man who is really smarter than a millionaire," says Julius Rosenwald, Chicago merchant prince whose wealth is estimated at more than \$200,000,000. He is shown here in his latest photo.

DO-X Starts On First Lap Of Her Flight

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Germany. The Dornier flying boat DO-X was expected today to start for Amsterdam on the first lap of its flight to the United States.

Woman Killed In Car-Buggy Crash At Night

KOSSE, Tex., Nov. 1.—Meeting a buggy drawn by two mules, as it topped a hill, a small coupe crashed into it on state highway 14 near here last night, resulting in the death of one person and injuries to four.

Permit Issued To A Refinery

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 1.—A permit has been issued by the secretary of state for operation in Texas of the Del Rio Refining Company. The corporation with \$200,000 capital stock is chartered in Delaware.

Telegram Has A Birthday

With this issue of the Telegram is passed the seventh milestone of its existence, having been established on Nov. 1, 1923.

Beginning in a rented small one-room office without any printing equipment which made it necessary to have the paper printed in a neighboring town and with only a pony news service, the Telegram has progressed until today it occupies its own two-story brick building, and has a complete, modern newspaper and job printing plant second to none in this section of the country.

Two Cent Fare Now In Effect

Effective November 1st, the Texas and Pacific Railway will authorize one way coach fares, daily which will be based on two cents per mile, and which are approximately 45 per cent less than their regular one way fares.

Colonel Woods Urges Buying

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Restoration of normal, effective buying was urged by Col. Arthur Woods, chairman of the president's emergency committee on employment as an aid to solution of the unemployment problem.

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WATERTOWN, Mass., Nov. 1.—Watertown stuffed goose, which did for Watertown what beer once accomplished for Milwaukee was a threatened institution today in consequence of an investigation by the state humane society.

Radio Features

SUNDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES. Convright 1930, by United Press. WEAF NBC Network 6:30 p. m. CST—Major Bowes and Family.

He Signs All of Your Money



NEA Washington Bureau. Maybe you never saw this man's face before, but his signature has passed through your hands many, many times. Why? Because he is W. O. Woods, treasurer of the United States, whose signature, with that of Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellon, appears on all paper money issued by the United States.

Two Trains Crash Headon Near Chicago

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Two trains were wrecked, several persons hurt and \$120,000 damage done today when locomotives crashed headon at slow speed in South Chicago.

"Breakfast In Bed" For Geese Is Protested

WATERTOWN, Mass., Nov. 1.—The geese are closely confined and filled with specially prepared noodles. Instead of being allowed to swallow the noodles at will, the geese are subjected to forced feeding by whole families of goose raisers working in shifts day and night as the holiday season draws near.

TO BE HELD MONDAY AT C. C. OFFICE

Program For Each Saturday Until Christmas Is Being Urged To Bring Trade To Town.

Citizens of Eastland, especially the business men, are invited to attend a meeting to be held Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the chamber of commerce rooms for the purpose of devising ways and means for stimulating trade in Eastland.

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THE COURTHOUSE IS FOR THE PUBLIC

Frequently the Telegram is asked why the Eastland county courthouse is not kept open week-day nights and Sunday afternoons, and we have time and again asked the same question, in answer.

EASTLAND AND THE RURAL COMMUNITIES

The people of the rural communities of Eastland county have shown conclusively that they like the idea of Eastland being the "community center" for the entire county.

While we are asking the people of the Eastland trade territory to do their buying in Eastland we should also give some thought to the matter of markets for the products grown by the people of the rural communities.

How Much Do You Know?

- Answers to Yesterday's Questions. (1) The post-impresionist's school. (2) Because it is coal. (3) Landing face for immigrants in New York harbor. (4) Helen Wills. (5) Polo.

JUST FOR FUN

Within the Law. Traffic Cop: "Let me see your license." Tourist: "Marriage, car, driver's, campfire fishing, or hunting? Open the license trunk, Maria."

way in the state for some time, and should be brought down to the county and to the towns in the county. Eastland should lead in this movement in Eastland county.

IT'S A HARD JOB

One of the hardest jobs a newspaper man gets up against is to write "boost" articles for his town and community when a great number of the business firms of that town and community use every conceivable means, including out of town publications, "graft advertising schemes," etc., to the exclusion of his newspaper to advertise their business.

EASTLAND'S POPULATION GROWS

Information gathered by the local chamber of commerce shows that there is scarcely a day passes that one or more families do not move to Eastland to make their home. This does not include people who do not establish homes.

WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO?

J. C. Day, manager of the Eastland Retail Merchants' association for some time has been working on a program having for its purpose the opening of new roads into Eastland from the surrounding communities and the improvement of roads already in existence.

This work should be done. Also there is other work that should be done. Every rural community in the Eastland trade territory should be connected with Eastland by direct telephone service.

LET'S HAVE YOUR OPINION

The Telegram has what it calls a "Letters From Readers" column in which it is glad to publish, without comment, signed letters from readers on current topics of interest to Eastland and Eastland county.

In our opinion citizens who are interested in their town should, if they feel so inclined, discuss such matters through the columns of the local newspaper.

RAILROAD UNIONS FAVOR SHORT DAY

Representatives of all railroad labor groups in the United States and Canada will attend the Chicago conference Nov. 12 to launch a movement to bring about a six hour working day in American rail transportation industry.

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Miss Grace Bailey, director of the school of music and Mrs. Lenora Reynolds, professor of voice, both of Warner Memorial University are giving a concert November 7th, 1930 at the Methodist Church at 8 o'clock.



Last Quarter, Two Minutes To Play, And—!

control, but quite unaffected mentally. They are receiving psychopaths treatment in the institutions and some of the cases are responding.

Potpourri BY GAD

Everything is running so smoothly in this town and everyone is so nice and courteous that it is really a hard job to find something to "gripe" about.

Recently the plumbers warned the people that they should inspect the plumbing in their houses as freezes are coming that will cause much damage and expense if leaks are not repaired in advance.

Saw some boots on display in front of a store one day that were covered with dust and cobwebs. There was nothing wrong with the boots except the dust and cobwebs.

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Musical Reading, "Cremona" by Dean Turner. Group 4—Miss Bailey. Dance of the Gnomes, Franz Liszt.

The Lark, Balakirew. Group 5—Mrs. Reynolds. The Echo, Ernest Newton. Pale Moon, Frederic Knight Logan.

Allen Given a 15 Year Term In Murder Case

LAREDO, Tex., Nov. 1.—Changing pleas of not guilty to guilty, Jack Allen was assessed 15 years in the penitentiary for the killing of Munio "Shorty" Devallina in the Escobas oil field of Zapata county in district court here today.

A Proclamation

Now, therefore, I, Perry Sayles, Chairman, City Commission of the City of Eastland do hereby proclaim the week beginning November 4 and ending on Armistice Day, November 11, as American Legion Week.

WASHINGTON LETTER

His principal embarrassment traced back to a statement he had made in the early days of the rebellion. It was a belittling professional statement and it promised plenty of "bloodshed."

affixed. Done in the City of Eastland his 30th day of October, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand and Nine Hundred and 30.

Fort Worth Livestock

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Markets

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—A rally near the close today brought the majority of stocks above the previous close on the New York Stock Exchange.

U. S. Steel led the recovery, rising more than a point net, Radio Corporation, Westinghouse Electric, Eastman Kodak, Bethlehem Steel United Aircraft and International Nickel were among the many issues following its example.

Closing Selected New York Stocks. Am. Pwr. & Light 55. Am. Tel. & Tel. 195. Anaconda 35.37.

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Capital and Surplus \$132,500. TEXAS STATE BANK. Strong—Conservative—Reliable.

Advertisement for 'NCE UPON A TIME' featuring a man in a suit and a woman in a dress.

Advertisement for 'OIL NEWS' with a portrait of a man and text about oil production.

Advertisement for '666' medicine, claiming to relieve a headache or neuralgia in 30 minutes.

Advertisement for 'Accident Insurance' provided by 'TED FERGUSON, AGENT'.

Advertisement for 'NEW FALL DRESSES AND COATS' from 'J. C. PENNEY CO.'.

Advertisement for 'TOM'S TRANSFER CRATING - PACKING STORAGE'.

Advertisement for 'FIRESTONE TIRES' and 'HALL TIRE CO.'.

Large advertisement for 'TEXAS STATE BANK' with financial figures and bank details.



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THIS BEAUTIFUL WALKING,
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FREE!

NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY

WHY NOT SECURE A FEW SUBSCRIPTIONS TO OUR PAPER IN YOUR LEISURE
AND LET SANTA BRING IT TO YOUR LITTLE GIRL AT CHRISTMAS

—Subscribers may be taken any place in Eastland county—only a few hours work is necessary. Don't wait until the dolls are all gone.

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ORDER BLANKS—ALL THAT IS NECESSARY IS TO SECURE

3 NEW ONE YEAR SUBSCRIBERS

OR

6 NEW 3 MONTHS SUBSCRIBERS

OR

10 NEW 1 MONTH SUBSCRIBERS

SEE THESE BEAUTIFUL DOLLS IN THE WINDOWS OF
L. C. BURR & CO.—PRESLARS—UNITED DRY GOODS—WOLF'S

CALL IN PERSON AT THE OFFICE OF

Eastland Telegram

School And Social Activities At Warner Memorial University

Freshmen Have Party... Freshmen class sponsored a flower party for the students...

Campus Notes... Sunday, Oct. 26, the boys from the dormitory ate dinner at the home of Mrs. Mathern...

Pep Squad Organized... The pep squad of W. M. U. was organized Wednesday, October 22...

Personal Sketches... Lester Cross... From—Beitry, Assyria. Age—About eighteen.

Prof. Reynolds and Mr. Larabee Take Trip... Eighteen rabbits met their end in the Stacy hills when Professor Reynolds and Dennis Larabee took to the gun...

Chorus Organized... On Sunday afternoon, Sept. 21 a number of students and faculty members of Warner Memorial University...

Prayer Meetings... On Thursday, Oct. 20, the students in the girls dormitory assembled in the girls' room for a prayer meeting...

Chapel Notes... Judge Clyde Garrett spoke to the student body Friday, Oct. 21. His subject was "The City of Service" or "Bearing One Another's Burdens"...

College Alphabet... A—Away above average. B—Barely above average. C—Common grade. D—Depression (for pupil). E—Excitement (in Dean's office). F—Flunk.

Chapel Schedule for November... Miss Irene Smith, Monday 3. Miss Frances Ward, Wednesday 5th.

big end of a fifty three to eleven score. The Stags, although not played in every way, fought bravely...

Friday, Oct. 24 the Stags encountered the Flatwoods community team at the high school gymnasium. The Stags lost the fray thirty five to twenty five.

West Ward... The Parent Teachers Association of West Ward School has purchased a new duplicator for use in school.

School News... VIRGINIA NEIL LITTLE... High School... Miss Russell presented a number of her Dramatic club members Thursday afternoon at chapel...

South Ward... The grades of South Ward have been observing Halloween this week by making posters and giving little plays appropriate for Halloween.

Abilene football game which was scheduled for Friday, Miss Simer and Mrs. Beard, pep squad sponsors presented a burlesque Thursday afternoon in chapel.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Oct. 31—The 67-foot speedboat Pueblo of Bridgeport was captured off Block Island today carrying 800 cases of alleged liquor.

Right here, let us give three cheers for our Eastland football boys. Boys we have confidence in you, we believe in you, we are behind you.

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Buzzards Find Flying Field For Dallas Sailplane Club

DALLAS Tex.—Buzzards teaching their young to fly located the new Dallas Sailplane association flying field.

The field is located about six miles from Dallas, a quarter of a mile of the Fort Worth road on the Mountain Creek road on what is known as Killarney hill.

The hill rises about 200 feet from the valley and faces the prevailing winds, he said, "and the flat surface below gives the beginners ideal place to learn and then to sail without our having to move the plane."

The two Bowlus type sailplanes the expected in Dallas soon. W. Hawley Bowlus, designer and builder of the planes, and the world's champion sailplane pilot, will be in Dallas about October 12 to open the field for the city and will instruct the first group of students.

BEEVILLE, Tex., Oct. 31.—An old-fashioned spelling match was on the program of the Bee county fair today as the exhibit opened its second day. Yesterday was old settlers' day.

WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

Denton Starts a Drive Against Poultry Thieves

DENTON, Oct. 29.—A decided drive against poultry thieves was started at the reorganization meeting here of the Denton County Turkey Growers Association.

The purpose of the Denton County Turkey Growers Association is to promote the turkey raising industry and to give information to members which will lead to the production of A-1 turkeys in Denton county.

To give thieves notice, the Association passed a resolution asking each member to post a sign on his property stating that his birds are tattooed and a slogan "we raise our turkeys for the market and not for thieves," was adopted.

Persons interested in the organization of similar associations may secure copies of the constitution and by-laws of the Denton organization by writing to the secretary.

ROYAL TRAIN IS FIRED ON AT STATION... LONDON, Oct. 31.—An exchange telegraph dispatch from Sofia today said an unidentified person fired shots at the royal train bearing King Boris and his bride, the former Princess Giovanna of Italy, through Bulgaria to the capital.

The shots were fired at the station of Manole, near Philippopolis. One of the royal guards was wounded in the foot.

Philippopolis is about 85 miles east and slightly south of Sofia. The royal train reached Sofia this morning from Burgas, on the Black sea, where the bridal couple landed in the yacht erdmund after a trip from Italy.

The Bulgarian king's sister and brother and high government officials were on the train.

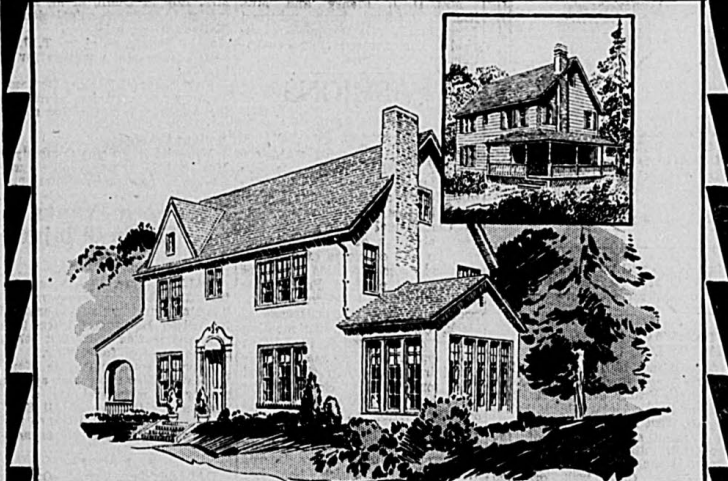
Woman's Death Is Called Suicide... DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 31.—Death by gunshot wounds, suicidal, was the coroner's verdict of the death of Mrs. Julia Thurmond who was found dead yesterday at the tightly closed bathroom of her home.

She was found by two of her daughters with a revolver lying near her body, a pistol bullet in her head and a gas jet open in the room.

BROWN BUILT SHOES For Men, Women and Children... United Dry Goods Stores, Inc. Eastland, Texas

Next Door to Post Office... WOLF'S For the Woman Who Cares

THIS IS A GOOD YEAR TO BUILD ECONOMICALLY



Making Homes Modern is Often Simple and Inexpensive

- Everyone likes a good-looking home. Remodeling a home that has grown shabby is often very simple and inexpensive. A change made here and there frequently is the only difference between an old house and a modern home.
- A new stucco exterior — repairs to the roof — a sanitary, watertight basement — a new sun parlor or sleeping porch — a concrete sidewalk — just two or three improvements like these will often make a home up-to-date.
- NOW is a good time to make improvements. Ask your building material dealer, architect or contractor to help you with suggestions for remodeling.

Atlas Cement is made at Waco — by Texas workers — of Texas materials. Along with other economical quality products, your building material dealer can quickly furnish you either Atlas portland cement (gray) or non-staining Atlas White portland cement. Ask for Atlas cements.

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The new General Dual-Balloon tire gives full rein to modern motor power. Internal friction, a cause of lost power in tires that was discovered and conquered by General years ago, is now reduced to the very minimum.

So perfectly has General developed its super-fly construction in the Dual-Balloon that by reducing rolling resistance it effects a very noticeable saving in gasoline consumption and adds to motor power.

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In every way, the new Dual-Balloon meets the spirit of modern speed and hair-line stops which call for tire treads capable of gripping and holding without fail. This grinding wear is tough on the tire that is not built to withstand it. It means tricky going for a car equipped with tires that are worn prematurely "bald." Safety requires the Dual-Balloon's permanency of non-skid that lasts season after season—and its reserve quality through and through, to take the shock of all emergencies in driving.

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