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ABOUT
Eastland

By Virgil E. Moore

Suppose Eastland has as many odd pets as any town. Jean Rager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rager, has one that will be hard to top though. It's a baby possum. Jean's dad found her pet in the woods, along with the mama and seven other babies, and brought it home to her.

Saturday is the day for precinct conventions. You hear a lot of talk about your duty to vote, but little about your duty to attend and take part in the precinct and county conventions. It is your duty, and we want to urge you to take part. Be honestly state that we don't care if you're a Shivers man or a Johnson man. Just be down there so that the majority can rule.

E. E. McAllister celebrates his birthday today and J. E. Freese and Shelley Siebert will have their day Friday. Congratulations will also be in order for David Massengale and Clifton B. Steidum Saturday, according to the Band Boosters' Birthday calendar.

We recently received a copy of Dr. Sidney L. Miller's new book, "Tomorrow In West Texas," compliments of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Dr. Miller, after many surveys, predicted a great future for this area. It's good reading.

Have you ever seen a more beneficial rain? Don't believe we can remember a rain that amounted to more than four inches that didn't do any more damage than the one we were blessed with earlier this week.

We got a kick out of watching the fishermen and boat owners heading for the lake early Tuesday morning. We would like to see some of these old boys trying to get their lines out of the lake now. Lots of 'em are way down there.

Got some more pups! Don't know exactly what the deal is, but it looks like all the pups in town are brown and white and black and white. This time we have five six week old pups lined up. They belong to Mrs. R. O. Duncan, who is willing to give them away if you will just call 741-J.

E. E. McAllister, head of the Soil Conservation Service here, was one of those persons who headed for Stephenville this week when word of the big rain came. Mac owns a farm down that way, and from what he says about it, the rain was not over emphasized.

Understand Eastland Rotarians, the Civic League and Garden Club and the Thursday Club are considering backing a program to place street markers up in the city. A Rotary Committee has come up with a good economical plan, and it is expected to be submitted to the City Commission soon. Rotarians propose buying forms and making the markers here. Sounds good to us.

Seeing of Lake Leon, as we did earlier, did you ever see so much traffic before on the lake road. The road dried out faster than it ever will again.

Seems like we can't even give away free movie tickets. What's the score, don't you people want 'em bad enough to even pick up. Listed somewhere in today's paper (look down at the bottom of the stories in the corners) are four names and addresses. If your name is listed, it means you can get a free movie ticket by calling 601 or 648 in the next 24 hours. And if we should happen to mention your name twice in today's column, well it's a free ticket right away. If your name is not listed in the phone book, and you want a chance at a free ticket, just drop us your name and address.

That's about it for now. See you Sunday.

Former Olden Man Dies At Dallas Wed.

Richard E. Dean, brother-in-law of Claude Renfro of Olden, passed away Wednesday in Dallas. Mr. Dean was a resident of Olden. (Continued on Page 6)



FAMED 'RESCUE STREET' of the Federal Civil Defense Administration's Olney, Md., rescue school, a \$200,000 collection of carefully-designed ruins similar to the various structures civil defense rescue workers would face back home in extricable victims of bombings. Up to 70 students are checked out on the built-in obstacles during each week or two-week course.

Little Leaguers To Register Saturday

Explanation of Classification Given By Board

The Eastland County Draft Board is receiving many telephone calls these days from men who want to know what "IV-A" means, Jewell Reeves, clerk, said today. Because of a recent amendment in Selective Service regulations, more than 100,000 Texans are eligible for a change in classification. Nearly all of them are exempt from further military service unless Congress and the President change the law in the future. "That is what the classification IV-A means," Colonel Morris Schwartz, state draft director, says. "It means that, under present law, individuals receiving it have completed service and are exempt from further service." The individuals receiving the IV-A classification were formerly classified in Class I-C (Discharge) and Class I-C (Reserve). These two draft classifications are now abolished.

Fifteen Year Old Players To Organize Today

All 15-year old Senior Teen-Age League baseball players are reminded of the meeting this afternoon (Thursday) at 5:30 at Firemen's Field for the purpose of organizing the ball club. Team Managers James Smith and Clyde Manning ask that their parents cooperate in seeing that their youngsters attend this meeting. Attention is also called to the meeting Monday afternoon of next week of the Junior Teen-Age Team. This meeting has been set by Manager Gene Townsend for the purpose of organizing the ball club. Time has been set at 5:30 p.m.

Explanation of Classification Given By Board

Little Leaguers will hold their first meeting of the year here Saturday morning at 10 a.m. That's the word from James Wright, League president. Wright said that all boys up to 12 years old should report to the new Little League field at 10 a.m. sharp to register. He also announced that the Spring Round-up would get underway May 14 and last three days, giving the managers a chance to look over the players. Thursday, May 17 the big players' auction will be held, when managers will "buy" their teams. Parents of the boys were urged to begin getting their birth certificates ready. Wright said that this year the first game each night will begin at 6:30 p.m. and the second game will follow. No inning will ever start after 9 p.m. First game of the year will match the Bulldogs against the Medics and the same night the Comets will play the Lions. Wright said hopes are that four major league teams can be organized and in addition, four minor league clubs, giving all boys a chance to participate. M. G. Cartwright will manage the Lions, Bud Lovelace the Bulldogs, Roland Koch the Medics and Jerry Carter the Comets.

Eastland Native Buried Saturday In Abernathy

Funeral services for Mrs. Ethel C. Ingram, 69, a native of Eastland County, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Abernathy First Baptist Church with Rev. Joe B. Griffin, pastor, officiating. Mrs. Ingram was born March 22, 1887 and married Henry Ingram in Eastland County on April 25, 1909. Mrs. Ingram was living in Abernathy at the time of her death. Survivors include four sons, (Continued on Page 8)

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The Quarterback Club's talent show has been postponed, but will be given at a later date, it was announced this week. Reason for postponement was the unusually heavy social calendar.

The Sabanna Valley Game Preserve Association will meet May 8 at 7:30 at the Center Point community house, five miles south of Carbon, Berry Greenwood, secretary, announced today.

Date for the Olden High School Baccalaureate service has been changed from May 27 to May 30. The service will be held at 11 a.m.

The Senior autobiography tea, scheduled for Sunday, has been postponed because of illness of one of the mothers.

Eastland High Grads Praised By Dr. Ashton

Dr. Price Ashton, president of Ranger Junior College, told members of the Lions Club Tuesday that graduates of Eastland High School were among the highest type of students they received at RJC and were "thoroughly prepared to do college work in any school in the state."

Eastland Lions To Attend 2-E District Meet

Six Eastland Lions are expected to attend the District 2-E convention in Mineral Wells Saturday, H. R. (Pop) Garrett, who will head the delegation, said today. Delegates will take part in electing a new district governor, a new international director and the next convention city. The program includes a golf tournament, luncheon, Governor's banquet and Governor's ball.

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Precinct Conventions Will Be Held Saturday

Fight Between Two Factors Looms Here

Eastland Countians will have an opportunity to voice their opinion Saturday of who they think is right — Governor Allan Shivers or Sen. Lyndon Johnson — when 25 precinct conventions are held beginning at 2 p.m.

There is probably more interest in Saturday's precinct conventions than there has been in any past election year. The reason for the unusual interest is the determined fight between the Governor and Senator for control of the state Democratic delegation to the national convention. This will be the first of three important conventions. The County Convention will be held next Tuesday afternoon and the State convention is scheduled for May 22 in Dallas.

During the 1954 conventions, Shivers' supporters were successful in sending a block vote in the Governor's favor to the State convention.

More Showers Possible Today, Friday Morning

More showers have been forecast for this area tonight and Friday morning after 20 inches early Wednesday morning brought the total rainfall to 5.62 inches since Sunday night.

The heavy downpour marked the heaviest precipitation in this area since an 11-inch flood struck the area last May.

Heavy rains in the area put Lake Leon on an eight foot rise bringing the lake to a depth of 74 feet and eight inches, the highest point it has ever reached. The lake water level stood at 66.3 before the surging waters began pouring in Tuesday morning. Showers expected here would be caused by moist air from the Gulf of Mexico overrunning cooler air aloft.

Lake Leon, now four inches below its capacity mark is now not expected to fill completely. Ab Richardson, warden at the lake, said that no additional water seemed to be pouring in this morning. "It looks pretty still," he said.

vention. There were some precincts which favored Yarbrough, however, and Johnson is expected to be stronger than Yarbrough was two years ago.

In Eastland precinct elections will be held in the District courtroom at the courthouse and at City Hall. Precinct 1 convention place will be at the courthouse with A. J. Blevins Jr., as chairman. Precinct 2 voters will meet at City Hall where H. L. Hassell is chairman.

In Ranger Precinct 3, H. V. Davenport chairman, will meet at City Hall and Precinct 4's convention will be held at Young School. A. H. Powell is chairman of Precinct 4.

Other precincts to hold conventions include Precinct 5, W. R. Huestis, chairman, Cisco; Precinct 6, Fred Grist, Cisco; Precinct 7, Raymond Gray, Rising Star; Precinct 8, M. L. Shook, Rising Star; Precinct 9, Doss Alexander, Pioneer; Precinct 10, John Love, Alameda; Precinct 11, John C. Donaldson, Kokomo; Precinct 12, W. H. Collins, Carbon; Precinct 13, T. S. Ross, Gorman; Precinct 14, J. T. Poe, Long Branch; Precinct 15, P. O. Burns, Okra; Precinct 16, Arthur Bailey, Seranton; Precinct 17, Ed Townsend, Nimrod.

Precinct 18, T. B. Marlow, Olden; Precinct 19, D. L. Dunnaway, Dothan; Precinct 20, Johnnie Gerhardt, Romney; Precinct 21, R. M. Tucker, Pleasant Hill; Precinct 22, Wayne White, Staff; Precinct 23, Joe Weise, Cook; Precinct 24, L. E. Clark, Desdemona; Precinct 25, W. E. Lusk, Sabanno.



CAMPAIGN KICKERS — Loretta Jonkers, above, models some of the many donkey-design items with which Democratic headquarters in Washington, D.C., is inundated. Novelty manufacturers seek approval of gimmicks for this year's political nominating conventions.

Area Coach Named Member 'Century Club'

Coach Wilmer Donahoo of Desdemona High School has been named an award winner and member of Bike Web Century Club for his record of 259 victories in basketball.

The honorary organization is open to any college or high school coach whose athletic teams have won 100 or more contests in any sport.

William Matthei, coach at Bayview High School, Milwaukee, received the first award. He qualified by coaching cross country teams that had won more than a total of 100 meets.

Matthei originally suggested the idea of the Century Club in a letter to Sports Trail, a monthly newsletter edited by Arch Ward, sports editor of the Chicago Tribune, and published by the Kike Web Co.

It was Matthei's hope that perhaps some unknown coach who had done an outstanding job in school sports might get a justly deserved break from this type of recognition.

The Century Club Award, a framed certificate, is presented to any qualifying coach whose record is submitted to Sports Trail in care of Bike Web Co., 309 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago 6, Ill.

Aaron Loses 40 Head of Sheep To Flood Water

This week's heavy rain cost at least one area rancher stock. Johnny Aaron reported 40 head of sheep lost when the south fork of the Leon River went out of its banks and inundated his entire bordering pasture. Aaron saved about 60 or 70 head by boat, but couldn't get out the remainder in time.

He said the water was the highest it has been since he has owned the land, 16 years.

Weather FREYTSCHLAG INSURANCE AGENCY No. Side Square Phone 178 Presents the Weather Report

Clear to partly cloudy and slightly warmer Thursday and Friday except possible showers Thursday night and Friday morning. High Thursday near 80. Low Thursday night 60. High Friday near 90.

Leg Of Dallas Cloud Seeding Operation Located In County

A simple appearing machine installed in a cabinet like metal chest no more than three feet tall may have caused the recent heavy rainfall in this area.

The machine, located at the D. C. Robinson Texaco Service Station on U. S. Highway 80 West in Ranger, called a silver iodide generator, has been stationed in this area by the Water Resources

Development Corporation in Denver.

Purpose of the machine is to provide rainfall in the Fort Worth and Dallas areas, but Pat Wade, serviceman for the area, says that the machine cannot help but benefit this area as the unit cannot make the clouds depart with their moisture in any certain area.

Mrs. Robinson explained that

the 1/12 horsepower one phase, 115 volt motor is started with charcoal and kerosene. Fumes and smoke form the silver iodide and is supposed to saturate rain clouds, denying their moisture from them.

Machines in the area are started when the operators are notified by telephone to begin operation from the corporation's headquarters in Denver. Weather conditions and direction of the wind set the pattern as to which machines will be turned on.

Other machines have been set up at Stephenville, Valley Mills, Ennis, Greenville, Graham, Olney, Wauridka and Ardmore and Durant, Okla., a map of the area (Continued on Page 6)

Lake Leon's Full - Almost

The last of heavy rains which practically flooded this area during the first part of the week pushed swift waters up to within four inches of completely filling Lake Leon.

Lake Leon began filling fast after 1 a.m. Tuesday morning when flood gates at the Texas Electric Power Plant Lake were opened to dispose of surging water.

However, the lake was not expected to go any higher now unless additional rains fall today or Friday.

Even though the lake lacks four inches of water of reaching the capacity mark, very little can be added without the lake having to dispose of water through the overflow which has up-to-date never been used since the lake was constructed.

The filling up of the lake com-

pletes the dreams of leaders of both of the cities.

The project, costing \$1,500,000, was planned and built by the two Eastland County cities without financial aid of any nature from either state or federal sources. The lake supplies both cities with an adequate supply of water — both for today's needs, and future needs.

From the bed of the Leon River to the top of the dam is 87 feet. The dam is 1,500 feet long and has a retaining wall making a total of 5,000 feet. The lake's capacity is 28,000 acre feet of water and it covers 1,800 acres of land.

Lake Leon was named by Mrs. Bob Young of Baird, who received a \$100 cash prize for submitting the name judged best by Ranger and Eastland judges.

Money to build the dam was raised in a joint bond election in the two cities April 22, 1952. The election came after the State Legislature approved a bill creating the Eastland County Water Supply District. The bill was signed by the late Gov. Beauford Jes-

ter on May 29, 1949.

Actual work on the dam began Feb. 15, 1953. Work was completed early in August of 1954.

Combined spillway capacity is 206,000 second-feet. Yield during annum is 7100 acre feet and capacity of the lake at the pump station is 3,500,000 gallons a day. Capacity of raw water line to the filter plant is 3,500,000 and rated capacity of the filter plant is 2,300,000 gallons daily. Overload capacity of the filter plant is 3,500,000 gallons a day.

With the lake full, residents of Staff — who at one time feared the lake would cut them off from both Eastland and Ranger — are enjoying a minor boom. A special appropriation for \$125,000 by the State Highway Commission for a new bridge across the lake gave the township new hope. The old

bridge leading to Staff is now completely inundated.

Engineers have estimated that the lake will supply the water needs of 100,000 people adequately.

Perhaps Boyce House best described the setting for Lake Leon when he said the new lake "... is scenic — rugged, boulder-strewn hills; clumps of post-oak, pecan and mesquite trees; and in the woods and thickets are to be found squirrels, mocking birds, armadillos and perhaps a wolf or two."

Lake Leon has made the entire area fishing conscious. Hundreds and thousands of bass, catfish and other fish were stocked in the lake even before the completion of the dam, and fishing was not allowed until September 1, 1955.

Actually it took only two good rains to fill the lake to its capacity, which proved the watershed is more than adequate to keep the lake full. Strangely enough the two big rains came almost a year apart, in May of this year and May of 1955. Yes, Lake Leon is full!



BEST HELP AVAILABLE — You couldn't hire this top mechanic for love or money. He's Walter Reuther, AFL-CIO vice president, at work on a news photographer's car at Logan Airport, Boston, Mass. The long-time chief of automom's labor forces pursued on his trip home from India to locate and fasten a loose wire on the harried lensman.

Herrington Eyes Precinct 1 Commission Race

W. J. (Bill) Herrington today announced his candidacy for County Commissioner, Precinct 1. Herrington was born and raised in the Precinct 1 area and lived in the vicinity with the exception of the time that he was in the grocery business at Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Herrington now reside at 220 East Main here after returning here from Rising Star. Herrington said that he would make a formal announcement later.

He formerly served as County Tax Assessor-Collector.

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"STOLE" THE SHOW—Polka-dotted stole which doubles at each end as an elbow-length glove has captured buyers' eyes at recent showings in Paris, France.

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Women's Activities

Coronation Service for Girls' WMU Auxiliary Is Held Monday

A coronation service for the Girls' Auxiliary to the Womens Missionary Union of Cisco Baptist Association was held Monday night at First Baptist Church, Breckenridge.

Mrs. Ralph Perkins of Ranger, Association Womens Missionary Union president opened the meeting and introduced the Association Young People's leader, Mrs. James Fleming of Eastland. Mrs. Roger Butler, Carbon, led the congregation in singing "O Zion Haste," and Rev. Butler led in prayer. Mrs. C. A. Baker of Breckenridge gave a welcome and Miss Janelle Morgan sang a solo "Give of Your Best to the Master."

Mrs. Fleming presented the newly elected state Girls' Auxiliary Secretary, Mrs. Tex Culp, formerly of Cisco who presided during the recognition service. Forty-five "Maidens" came in single file down the aisles of the church to stand on the stage which was decorated with huge silver stars, white candles and baskets of white gladioli and stock. Mrs. Culp called on the girls to quote portions of their memory work. Six counselors then came forward to award to each girl a green felt octagon, the emblem given for the completion of the work for "Maiden."

Fourteen "Ladies-In-Waiting" were presented to receive the white star to be placed upon the green octagon signifying completion of their work. Six "Princesses" came forward to present scriptures and missionary information and to receive the gold felt GA monogram.

Fifteen girls were crowned "Queen" in a beautiful ceremony, each being presented individually, answering a question from her work, and being crowned with a

sparkling crown by Mrs. Culp. Each "Queen" was preceded down the aisle by a charming little flower girl.

Two "Honor Queens" were presented to receive gold GA pins bearing the date 1956.

Three girls were presented to receive the honor, "Queen with Scepter." After each had quoted from memory work, she received a scepter wrapped in GA colors of green and white and tipped with a sparkle star.

One "Queen Regent" was honored and was presented a green silk cape, signifying completion of her work.

Rev. Calvin Bailey of Ranger led the prayer of dedication. Those participating in the ceremony from Eastland were as follows:

- Maidens: Kay Poe, Martha Jane McMurtry, Mary Ann Manning, Donna Ford, Janet Kimbler, Sharon Sayre, Linda Butler.
- Ladies-In-Waiting: Sue Koch, Patricia Liles, Nora Butler.
- Princess: Jana Eldridge.
- Counselors: Mrs. Gene Rhodes, Mrs. Harvey Kimbler.
- Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Manning, Mrs. C. E. McMurtry, Jana Beth McMurtry, Mr. and Mrs. Parks Poe, Mrs. Roland Koch, Mrs. Gayle Bowen, Mrs. Ola Eldredge, Mrs. Sarah Thornton, Mrs. Jim Hardwick, Andrea Rhodes, Yvonne Green, and Mr. and Mrs. Artie Liles.

Mrs. Joseph Perkins will attend the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs 58th Annual convention to be held at the Hotel Baker in Dallas, May 7-10. Mrs. Perkins will have part in the program Tuesday, May 8. She has recently returned from conventions in Richmond, Virginia and Columbus, Ohio.

Church of God Young People Enjoy Dinner

Food, music, fellowship and recreation provided an enjoyable time to a number of young people Wednesday night at the fellowship dinner given at the dining hall on the old Warner College grounds.

Some highlights from the evening were as follows: Several songs were led by Miss Gladys Green with Linda Hallenbeck at the organ. After prayer, which was led by Orvil Johnson, the Young People's Class of the Church of God presented their teacher, Miss Gladys Green, with a birthday gift.

A movie on "Drunk Driving" was shown. It's theme was the often heard, "If you drink don't drink — If you drink don't drive." The picture was followed by a recreational hour in which the young people participated in volleyball, dart throwing, table tennis, shuffle board, ring throwing, and bowling.

Young people of all ages are invited to attend the recreational hour each Wednesday evening after the night service which begins at 7 p.m. at the Church of God, corner of Valley and Lamar.

Olden Chapter Of FFA Hold Annual Banquet

April 28, the Olden Chapter of Future Farmers of America held their Father and Son Banquet in the Education Building of the Baptist Church. Barbecue and all the trimmings was furnished and prepared by Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reese and served by Home Ec girls and Mrs. Copeland.

The banquet was attended by members and their Dads, Mr. Lee Williamson, Honorary Chapter Farmer, Don Hart of Texas Electric, Miss Jean Weaver, Chapter Sweetheart, Mr. O. H. Dick of the Eastland Telegram, and Mr. G. P. Copeland, the advisor. A program of work report was given by Gary Woods and a report on the club's accomplishments was given by Kenneth Reese, chapter vice president. Charles Hutto, presented Don Hart with an Honorary Chapter Farmer Degree. Other awards presented at the banquet were: Dairy Farming, Stanley Cook; Soil and Water Conservation, Charles Hutto; Farm Electrification, Ray Lowmire; Farm Safety, Gary Woods, Farm Mechanics and Star Farmer, Kenneth Reese. Certificate of Merit for Dairy Farming, Don Fox; Farm Shop, Steve Fox and Wayne Benson; Swine Production, J. A. C. Hilliard; Scholarship, Jimmy Everett, and Sheep Production, Ray Rodgers.

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 - 2 tablespoons light corn syrup
- Combine vanilla wafer crumbs, coconut, 3 cups of the sugar, the nuts, and instant cocoa mix in bowl. Mix well. Add wine and corn syrup and mix until all ingredients are moistened. Let stand about 10 minutes. Shape into balls and roll in remaining sugar. Or form into two 12-inch rolls, roll in remaining sugar, and cut in 1/2-inch slices. Serve as either candies or cookies. Make about 50 balls or slices.

Cisco Girl Becomes Bride of Drew Dan Jackson of Carbon Recently

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Dan Jackson are at home at 1211 West 12th Street in Cisco following their wedding April 14 at the First Baptist Church in Cisco. Rev. Charles Wood, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with baskets of white gladioli and the traditional wedding candelabra.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Donham of Cisco are the parents of the bride and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Jackson of Route 1, Carbon.

Mrs. A. L. Thomas, organist, played the traditional wedding marches and accompanied Miss Linda Pirtle as she sang "Through The Years," and "Believe Me." The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length dress of ice blue silk fashioned with fitted bodice. The bodice was accented with a rounding neckline with a white linen collar edged in an embroidered motif. The skirt was attached to the waist with soft pleats. Her accessories were of white and she carried a bouquet of white dutch iris atop a white Bible, a gift from the YWA.

Mrs. W. T. Donham, Jr., of Cisco, sister-in-law of the bride, and Bobby Joe Jackson of Odessa, brother of the groom, attended the couple. Mrs. Donham wore a street length dress of blue antique taffeta and a corsage of white carnations.

Ushers were W. T. Donham, Jr., and James Donham, both of Cisco and brothers of the bride. Candles were lighted preceding the ceremony by Jean Donham of Ballinger, sister of the bride, and Linda Jackson of Carbon, niece of the groom. They wore dresses of white organdy and wristlets of blue carnations. A reception was held following the ceremony in the basement of the church. The couple were assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. W. F. Collins, their parents,

and their attendants. Betty Jackson, sister of the groom, registered the guests. Charlotte Collins ladeled the punch and Mrs. Charles Wood served the tiered wedding cake. Other members of the house party were Mrs. Earl Mayhew, Mrs. Bill Lee, Mrs. C. L. Webb, Marie Borst, Linda Pirtle, Linda Bennie, Maedean Collins, Marita Webb, Paula Booth, Mrs. W. L. Hussey, Mrs. E. H. Cheves, Mrs. M. F. Underwood, and Mrs. Henry Fry.

Flatwood H. D. Club Hears Talk By Mrs. Hart

Mrs. Minnie Mae Hart gave a program on "Family Planning and Spending" at a meeting recently of the Flatwood Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. Clint McCain.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. W. M. Grieger, president, and Mrs. Bell Bennett, secretary, read the minutes. Mrs. Ethel Harbin moved the club give three dollars to the cancer fund drive. Plans were discussed to organize a club chorus. Present were Meses. Greiger, Harbin, Annie Palmer, Bennett, Beulah Turner, Hart, Eastland County Home Demonstration agent, Lillian Boone, a visitor, and the hostess, Mrs. McCain.

Local Dancers Are Invited To Cisco Festival

Local square dancers have been invited to attend the Cisco Fiesta Square dance to be held at the Cisco Country Club Saturday beginning at 8 p.m. The dance is to be sponsored by the newly organized Cisco Square Dance Club which is making all of the arrangements. Music will be furnished by the Cisco Square Dance Band and Marshall Flippo of Abilene is to act as master of ceremonies.

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School Calendar

- May
- First Week — Methodist Breakfast for Seniors
 - Friday, May 4 — Cisco Fiesta
 - Saturday, May 5 — State Meet
 - Monday, May 7 — A&M Movie
 - Wednesday, May 9 — Methodist breakfast for seniors.
 - Friday, May 11 — Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom

- Sunday, May 13 — Mother's Day
- Friday, May 18 — Ice Cream Supper for Seniors
- Thursday, May 24 — Slave Breakfast for Seniors and Juniors
- Friday, May 25 — Final Practice for Baccalaureate (wear Caps and Gowns)
- Sunday, May 27 — Baccalaureate
- Tuesday and Wednesday, May 29-30 — Finals
- Friday, June 1 — Final Practice for Commencement (Cap and Gown)
- Graduation Exercises
- Mother's Party after Graduation



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munity Friday of the passing of Mrs. Clemmie Ingram of Abernathy Thursday night.

Mrs. Ingram was born and reared in this community and has a host of friends here and relatives in Eastland who mourn her passing.

Mrs. T. E. Pope accompanied by her guest, Mrs. L. H. Brown from Houston, visited with Mrs. Pope's cousin, Buford Webb in Eastland Monday. They also visited in Ranger with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brashears.

A. E. Fox was an Eastland visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duncan had as their guests on Sunday their son Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Duncan of Bryan and their daughter Mrs. G. O. Simmons and Mr. Simmons from Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fauth and family of Eastland.

Mrs. Perry Elliott and Wilma from Olden were the guests Sunday afternoon of their aunt Mrs. M. O. Hazard and Mr. Hazard.

Mrs. Billy Highsmith and Carolyn Sue, of Ranger, visited the B. A. Highsmith's recently.

T. E. Pope went to Stamford Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Frank Scott.

Mrs. Bonnie Boykin and Gene and Mrs. Anson Little and children from Dallas were visiting over the weekend with Mrs. Boykin's and Mrs. Little's parents, the J. W. Mounce.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hazard accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Jack Cole, were visiting in Stephenville Thursday.

Mrs. Zona Griffin, who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Adams of Desdemona, is now in Big Lake where she is visiting with another daughter, Mrs. Bill Munn.

The rain this week has been wonderful and the farmers and ranchers seem very grateful.

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FELLOW across the desk from us says that one of the big TV giveaways shows should hire the boss as master of ceremonies and save all that prize money. You can't outguess him.

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We were glued to the television for most of a recent evening. Our



three-year-old left a piece of taffy in the easy chair.

Smallest particle of a substance isn't necessarily a molecule. In the case of the coffee shop around the corner, it's the amount of tuna which is incorporated in each of the tuna salad sandwiches served there.

We'd like to visit the places the cameraman visits to take the pictures which appear in travel folders of places to visit



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NEWS FROM STAFF
By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Jimmy Little was in the Gorman Hospital the early part of last week suffering with an infected hand. We are glad to be able to report him much improved and able to be on the job again.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard went to Eckenridge Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett and Lavell, from Kokomo, were guests in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little Saturday afternoon.

T. E. Pope attended preaching services at Merriman Church

Sunday evening.

Mrs. Juanita Snow, Mrs. Etta Layton and Mrs. Marieta Groom and two young daughters from Morton, arrived Wednesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker, Thursday Mrs. Parker accompanied them to Brownwood where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and Don.

The L. M. Miller family, from Abilene, were the guests of the C. L. Hendersons Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Cisco Thursday.

Mrs. L. H. Brown of Houston, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope, from Sunday to Wednesday afternoon.

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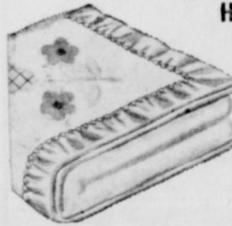
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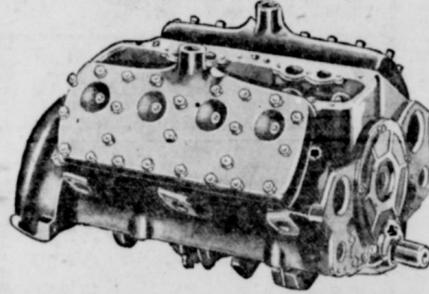
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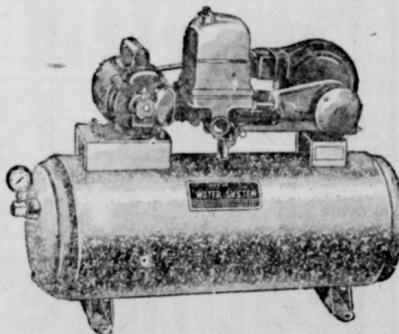
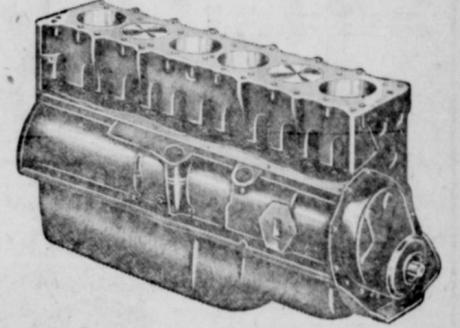


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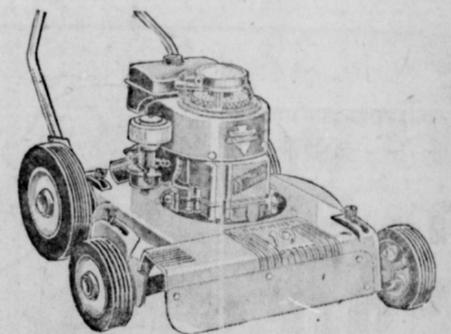
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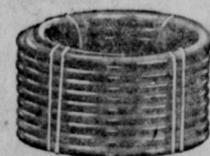
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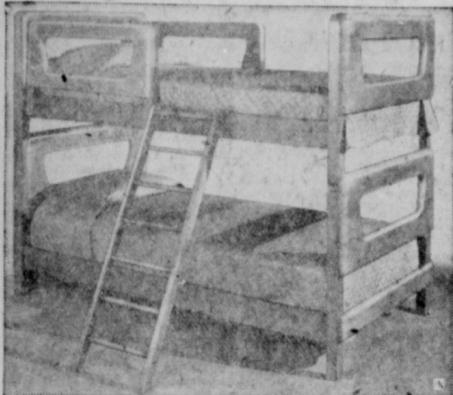
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College Spring Training Starts With Experience, Depth Short

Spring football training at Ranger Junior College opened Wednesday following a 24-hour delay because of a soaked playing field.

Newly appointed coach Tom Hestand had 22 prospects answering the first call with others expected here in the next two weeks. Several ticklish problems still exist with the first day of practice for Hestand and Assistant Coach A. P. Thomas.

Backfield material is fairly deep but nearly all positions on the line are being manned by inexperienced personnel. In most cases there is no depth.

Some of the local gridders have been transferred from their regular position to fill other gaps, created this year by graduation and transfers.

Hestand, however, may get a boost from four new prospects, Joe Bob Allen, a halfback from Whiteface, Robert Odell a Monahans halfback and two ends, Keith Hodo from Quannah and Owen Mobley from Seymour.

The overall lineup shaped up something like this:

Ends: Jim Mangum a 215-pound starter will be back for service and Dan Mitchell, 185, who was hurt early last season will again seek a starting berth.

Tackles: Only Eddie Joe Jones, 230-pounds and a letterman during the last season, has become fairly certain to start at one of the tackle slots. Charles Scott, at 185-

pounds could see a lot more action if he added more weight.

Guards: Teddy Henderson, a letterman last year, will be back in the fall semester but took a semester vacation and is not working with the team during spring training. He could draw help from Harry Ballew or Lionel Crisp, a transfer from McMurry College.

Centers: Buddy Hightower has been moved from the end to fill the vacant pivot spot. Lloyd Truenbeck will be his understudy.

Quarterbacks: Lonnie Woods, J. D. Hanson and Harold McCurry will all be seeking the field general's slot.

Halfbacks: The problem here is more pleasant. With four candidates vying for a starting position here, the halfback jobs could be settled with a toss of a coin. James Kennedy and Ronald Darnell, both returning lettermen and D. O. N. Davis, and Phillip Stovall, squadman held over from last year could make the decision a difficult chore.

Also, Hanson, Wood and McCurry, all lettermen could alternate at halfback when not piloting the squad. In fact, if a suitable quarterback is attained by next season, probably both Hanson and Wood would be shifted to halfback permanently, giving the Rangers two of the fastest running mates in the league.

Fullbacks: John Butler, a returning letterman is the only squadman tried at the position,

but his support may come from Jack Rutledge, a mid-term student from Crystal City. Hanson, also ran some at the fullback position last season.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday, May 3
3 p.m. — The Thursday Afternoon Club will have a seated tea in the home of Mrs. Donald L. Kinaird.

Friday, May 4
8 p.m. — The Olden Senior class will present a play titled "The Atomic Blonde" in the Olden Gymnasium.

Saturday, May 5
10 a.m. — Mrs. Larry Kinard will be in charge of the Story Hour at the Woman's Club for children ages three through the fifth grade.

May 4
The Friendship Class of the First Methodist Church will have a picnic Friday night at the City Park. The picnic will be at 6 p.m. and everyone is asked to bring a basket lunch and dishes for their family.

Sunday, May 6
2:30 - 5:30 p.m. — Senior Autobiography Open House at Miss Verna Johnson's, 201 South Oak. The seniors of Eastland High School will be host and hostess to their mothers.

STRICTLY FRESH

MORE certain than the budding crocus as a sign of spring is the blooming idiot. He goes forth in shirtsleeves to court pneumonia under the weak March sun.

If the Easter bunny leaves chocolate eggs in the easy chair again this year, daddy is going



to have hasenpfeffer for supper Easter evening.

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"I will not ask to be excused from jury service except in an emergency.

"On my oath I will well and truly try each case before me, and a true verdict render under the law given me by the judge and the evidence at the trial without fear, favor, or hope of reward.

"I will listen closely, with open mind to all of the testimony, instructions, and arguments. I will not make up my mind until all the facts are in and the judge has instructed the jury on the law.

"I will search for the truth regardless of wealth or poverty, friendship or enmity, of any party or witnesses.

"To someone my decision may mean the difference between freedom or imprisonment, poverty or wealth.

"Justice, once but a dream, is a reality when I, as a juror, do my full duty. No act of mine shall bring shame to our system of liberty under law."

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Letters To Editor

Editor's Note: The Telegram is glad to print letters to the editor. Letters must be signed, however. Names will be withheld if requested, but will be made available to anyone who requests the information.

Shane is dead — victim of a dog poisoner's potion. And, in the hearts of every man, woman and child, who knew and loved him, there is a strong tug of sadness; plus, a deep resentment toward the breed of human beings, who indulge in the heartless, merciless pastime, known as dog poisoning.

Merciless, indeed, because they are disregarding the fact, that a small child could be their victim.

Shane was not, just another dog — he was obviously a pure bred German Shepherd, a breed well known for their almost human intelligence.

Shane's first appearance in our neighborhood, was one rainy

morning, about five o'clock, he was found guarding the morning paper in our yard. He insisted on coming right in with the paper, wisely giving himself a good shaking to leave the excess moisture outside. He proved to be a pleasant visitor, and his beaming intelligence, beamed appreciation, when I loaded out a good morning handout.

With the coming of dawn, children's voices in the neighborhood, called to his outstanding characteristic — a generous amount of love and understanding, and a wholesome enjoyment of the companionship of all children. We have learned that he was forever welcomed by families with small children, wherever he went; one man often opened the gate and called him in to play with his children.

Back to our first meeting with Shane. When such a friendly and wise, certainly handsome old fellow, showed every evidence of intending to set stakes in our neighborhood, we set about trying to learn to whom he really belonged. From our postman, we learned that Shane had been at the Veltos Moser home on Bassett, for some time.

A boy, who know the Moser children, called and told them, that their dog was visiting in our area. They came for him, but he was soon back with us. When The Mosers moved to their home, East of town, Shane left them and, with their consent, became the treasured possession of a lad across the way, who had just lost his dog.

Any of us would have gladly called Shane, my dog, but, this young fellow, needed him most. And, he was the prized possession of our whole neighborhood. His heart was big — his flare for collecting staunch friends wherever he happened to be — made him our dog.

Because, it seemed, no one knew much about him, "whence he came" his young master named him Shane, taking this suitable name from the Allan Ladd movie — Shane. If you remember, Allan, as the star was called Shane, and he also came from "whence."

From the Mosers and others, as best as we can trace the path that brought him to us; he had stayed for quite a time at Bell-Hurst East of town. Finally, a friendly Eastland citizen, saw him by the Highway, trying to hitch a ride. Secma he came on into town, then went back to see if he was still there. He was, and gratefully accepted his benefactor's lift into town. However, he soon found a friendly haven, if briefly, with the Mosers, where there were children to play with.

There are many incidents, which proved his outstanding grasp of almost human intelligence, and his great, capacity for love of people, both young and old. I shall relate, just one.

He often called at the door of an invalid lady, who lived up street, and barked. Her attendant would turn him in. He was a friendly visitor (with access to

Johnson Plays Shivers In TV Speech

Senator Johnson said Tuesday night in a statewide televised speech originating from Dallas that Allan Shivers "seems obsessed with the delusion that someone is closing in on him."

He also called the Texas governor, "frightened, frustrated and fearful."

The Senate majority leader said, "I do not know what is closing in on him unless it is his own conscience. I have not closed in on him."

Speaking of the accounting of the Texas insurance scandals and the Veterans Land Board charges, Johnson said, "This is an accounting that Allan Shivers does not owe to me personally but to the people of Texas."

"Governor Shivers asks me where I stand on states rights. Governor Shivers saw me stand on the floor of the Senate and lead the fight for a bill to free the oil and gas industry of this state from federal regulation. We passed the bill. It would be law today if Allan Shivers had persuaded his candidate for president— Dwight D. Eisenhower — to sign it instead of vetoing it."

In this particular situation, the iodide crystals are supposed to do their job. They are effective at the temperatures where natural nuclei are not. Thus they induce a greater percentage of precipitation to fall from the clouds.

It is generally understood that silver iodide alone will not produce precipitation. The silver iodide generator alone cannot make it rain. Precipitation cannot be produced from a cloud or storm unless it is going to rain or snow naturally.

Silver iodide crystals introduced properly into the clouds will only serve to increase what precipitation will fall naturally.

Ordinarily, the local generator will not affect the weather in the immediate locality of the machine since the crystals must rise up into clouds and since they are carried along by the wind, it may be many

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(Continued From Page One) shows. Some others, unlisted, have also been placed recently.

As the silver iodide fumes fan out from any of the given areas, they are pushed by the wind toward the Dallas area where they form in their heaviest concentration.

Basically, the principle of the operation is this: Silver iodide crystals have the peculiar chemical property of being able to collect minute particles of water vapor around them at certain temperatures, well below the freezing mark, thus forming a tiny ice crystal. As the crystal continues to collect these tiny water droplets it grows in size. When the ice crystal thus formed becomes sufficiently large it begins to fall of its own weight and in falling, it gathers more water particles until it becomes a snowflake. Otherwise it melts and falls the rest of the way as a raindrop.

Nature produces precipitation in exactly the same way except that in nature, dust, soil particles and salt particles act as the nuclei or water vapor collecting agent. These natural particles will produce ice crystals only in extremely cold temperatures, therefore there is a range of temperature in the atmosphere where even though there is plenty of dust and salt particles available no ice crystals can form.

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miles from the generator before they finally become effective.

Before the project is started in any given region, a complete study is made of the area including terrain, historical weather, rainfall normals and patterns, streamflow and other items. This study, made by specialists in each of these fields, gives an idea of what to expect if an attempt at the cloud seeding operations is made.

It tells, on the average, how many and what types of storms will influence the area, what type of generators will be required in order to effectively seed almost every known of storm affecting the area along with other averages.

Tests show that each generator will cover an area from 30 to 45 degrees wide. Naturally, the further away from the generator the silver iodide crystals are carried, the less dense they will be until finally the crystals will be so far apart as to have very limited effect.

Basically, a heavy concentration of silver iodide is needed to produce best results.

Reason for the far spacing of the generators is that sufficient time has to be allowed for the crystals to rise to the altitude above the freezing level where they will become effective. If the temperature is below freezing on the ground then the silver iodide crystals will become effective very quickly and as soon as they reach the clouds. On the other hand, if the freezing level is near 10,000 feet, it may take the crystals one or two hours to reach the clouds.

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Former Area Minister Dies At Breckenridge

Funeral services for Rev. George W. Thomas, 70, former pastor in several cities throughout this area, were held Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. at the Shelton Avenue Baptist Mission in Breckenridge.

Rev. Thomas was pastor of the mission until he succumbed following a heart attack Sunday in Breckenridge.

During his years of preaching he pastored at churches in Ranger, Caddo, Houston Heights at Houston, Anson, Crystal Falls, Bee Branch, Veals Creek, Ivan, Eolian, Necessity, Trent, Cross Plains, Goodnight, Spur, Bluff Dale, Lipan, Purvis, Peacock, Lockett, Acuff, Carbon and three pastorate in Breckenridge.

A Baptist minister for 49 years, Rev. Thomas died at Stephens Hospital at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon following the attack an hour earlier at his home.

Services were conducted by Rev. H. H. McBride who was assisted by Max Lasater. Burial followed in Breckenridge Cemetery.

Born June 2, 1886, in Hamilton County, he began his ministry in 1907. He was ordained at Harpersville Church.

A graduate, magna cum laude, of Hardin-Simmons University, in 1915, he married the former Minnie Barefield in Ranger that year and entered the Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth. He was graduated with a T. H. M. degree in 1921. After his seminary study he was pastor of the

First Baptist Church of Breckenridge. While here he also founded the Second Baptist Church which is now known as the Galvary Baptist Church.

Breckenridge had been his home for 41 years. For many years he pastored several churches at one time, beginning in the years before his graduation from college. He was secretary of the Cisco Assn. of Baptist Churches.

Survivors include the widow of Breckenridge; two daughters, Mrs. Nevis Patterson of Lubbock and Mrs. Jack Standlee of Wichita Falls; two sons, George Jr. of Lafayette, La.; and Barefield of Denver, Colo.; 10 grandchildren; three brothers, Homer of Breckenridge, Willie of Graham and Jessie of Houston.

Former -

(Continued from Page One) en for a number of years and was employed by the Magnolia Petroleum Co.

He is survived by one son, William R. Dean of Shreveport, La.; one daughter, Mrs. Margie Dixon of Shafter, Calif.; one brother, Kirby Dean of Bakersfield, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. George Gilliam, of Duke, Okla.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Lamar & Smith Funeral Chapel in Dallas. Graveside services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the Evergreen Cemetery in Ranger.

Killingworth Funeral Home will be in charge of local arrangements.



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DAN KRALIS

Candidate for
UNITED STATES CONGRESS,
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE

17th Congressional District, Democratic Ticket

Abolishment of The Evil Progressive Income Tax

Open Letter to the Merchant, Working Man, Barber, Doctor, Lawyer, Professional Man

In my opening announcement, I proposed abolishment of the progressive income tax. I suggested its replacement with a flat rate on income plus a Federal sales tax. Not only will this form of tax encourage greater investment, greater risk, harder work, and larger incomes for all — it would increase tax collections by the government.

The replacement of the income tax is practical both economically and politically. Unless such a program is enacted in time, the progressive income tax will fulfill the prophecies of Karl Marx by destroying the free capitalist system.

The present tax law sets a top limit on what any man or woman can earn by work, by risk, by inspiration. So I propose to substitute a flat rate tax on incomes of from 10 to 15 or even 22 1/2 percent. I suggest that the present system of exemptions be retained and increased to \$1,500 for each person. Thus a family of four with \$6,000 income would pay no income tax.

The Gallup Poll shows that the American people believe such a tax system would be fair for all income groups.

The history of the taxation proves that when you reduce taxes you end up with increased revenue. I will tell you more about this before July 28th.

This is because people try to earn more, risk more, work harder because they can keep more. But in the process of earning more, they pay bigger taxes even at lower rates.

This can be supplemented also with a Federal Sales Tax on everything sold at retail except food, rent, housing. This would make the low income group exempt from income taxes they paid by controlling their spending on fancy clothes, fur coats, perfumes, etc.

The wealthy tax payer would pay higher taxes even at the same rate because he will spend more. But he has the same choice as his low income neighbor. He can reduce his own taxes by buying a \$2,000 car instead of a \$10,000 car. If he wants to live up and spend his big income, he pays higher and higher taxes for what he buys.

All of the low income people will pay little or no taxes. Nobody will have to fill out the complex and annoying tax forms now used. No agent will come knocking on your door two or three years later with a demand for more tax with interest plus penalties.

This would end the system that causes Americans to refrain from working harder, earning more, and risking more because the more they earn, work, or risk, the higher their tax rate goes.

We also will have a right to do as we please with our money. Now we are slaves to an income tax law that can take 100% of our income if the government desires and give it all away to our foreign friends. I will have much more to tell you about this before July 28th.

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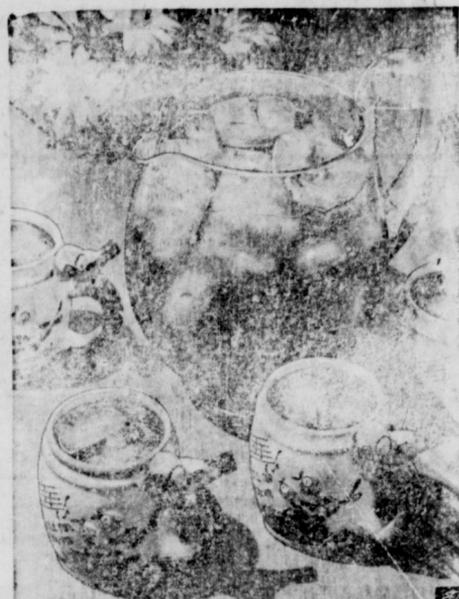
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In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

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For Dist. Judge
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For Sheriff
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For County Attorney
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For Assessor-Collector
J. C. Allison
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Eastland High —

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 To give an example of how the institutions of higher learning were growing, Dr. Ashton cited his own school, pointing out that in 1953 Ranger Junior College had 189 students, a faculty of 12, and operated on \$93,000. This year the school has 670 registered students, 593 of whom are full time, a faculty of 32, and an operating budget of \$237,000.
 Richard Cox was program chairman and introduced Dr. Ashton. Lion President Harold Reese presided.

Miss Geniva Mayers Is United In Marriage With Doyle T. Hudson

Eastland —

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Paul V. of Dalhart, Hubert O. of Moriarity, N.M., Thomas M. of Petersburg and B. J. of Abernathy; one daughter, Mrs. J. I. Speer of New Dean; two brothers, J. A. Brashear of Baird and M. L. Brashear of Acuff; one foster brother, Rev. Jack D. Wester of Normangee; 13 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.
 Burial was in Idalou Cemetery.

Miss Geniva Mayers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mayers, Horton Valley, became the bride of Doyle Thomas Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hudson, Route 1, Throckmorton in a ceremony performed April 26 at 8:30 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shankle in Throckmorton. Rev. Jim Hudson, brother of the bridegroom, officiated.

Mrs. Mary Marie Shankle was the bride's only attendant and Bill Frank Shankle served as best man. The bride wore a white street length dress with white accessories and her corsage was of white and red carnations.

Mrs. Hudson is a senior at Eastland High School where she is a member of the Sub-Deb Club. Hudson, a graduate of Throckmorton High School, attended Ranger Junior College where he was elected Sophomore Class favorite.

The bride will continue living with her parents until school is out June 1 after which time the couple will make their home in Throckmorton.

Freddie Miller Is President of Church Group

The Junior High class of the First Christian Church meeting at the regular class time last Sunday elected their new officers to serve until September. Miss Linda Huckabay, past president, presided at the business meeting. Those elected were: Freddie Miller, president; Jerome "Tubby" Freese, vice president; Martin Day, secretary-treasurer; and John Gaines, social chairman.

The pastor of the church, Roy M. Turner, has been serving as teacher of the class for the past few Sundays introducing the new material with the intriguing title: "Who Am I?" All Junior High Youth not attending other church schools in the community are invited to attend.

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Science City Planned Near San Antonio

Plans for a \$50 million Science City being built on 3,000 acres on the outskirts of San Antonio were announced recently by Dr. Harold Vagtborg, president of Southwest Research Institute and Southwest Foundation for Research and Education. The development includes research facilities, residential and recreational areas. It will be centered around the two institutions which at present employ over 600 people and operate on an annual budget of \$5 1-2 million.

"We are building a community of science for the benefit of all," Vagtborg said. "We are providing for industry to set up their advanced research facilities in the atmosphere of creativity which has been established by our two institutions which make up Southwest Research Center. We are also providing an ideal community to surround these research facilities." Forty large plots have been set aside within the grounds of Science City for industrial research laboratories and high level, technical manufacturing units. Laboratories will be built to meet specific industrial needs and will be available on a long term lease basis or companies may lease the land and build their own laboratories. Dr. Vagtborg pointed out that this was an opportunity for industries to extend their facilities in the Southwest and take advantage of the climate, low taxes and utility costs as well as locate in a state which has no individual or corporate income or sales taxes. It was announced that one such laboratory is under construction and negotiations are underway for several others.

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ment program is underway at Southwest Research Center. This will include joint use facilities which will be available to workers in the industrial research laboratories. These joint use facilities include an auditorium, a new building for the technical library a swimming pool, a cafeteria, a golf course, a club house and a riding stable.

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of your wife and children — those nearest to you. But it won't hurt anything to put "contingent beneficiaries" in your will in case something happens to thwart your first intentions. Review your will every year or so to see if it meets the new things that have come up, or arrange with your lawyer to write in "contingent beneficiaries" — those who will receive your property if your first beneficiaries should die before you do. You may long ago have had your son provided for in your will, but what about those lovely grandchildren he and his wife have presented to you since you wrote the will? What would happen to them if things go wrong and your son should die before you? Or take your widowed sister and her children now. Suppose you and your immediate family should be wiped out: Would you want your property to go equally to her and to your well-heeled bachelor brother? Or would you prefer to leave your brother some token of your affection, and then really take care of your sister? You may be impatient with the law's long memory. Such things never happen, you think, but the court records are full of plans which failed. And so the law has ways in which you can provide for "what happens — if." One way is the device of contingent beneficiaries in your will and insurance policies. (This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

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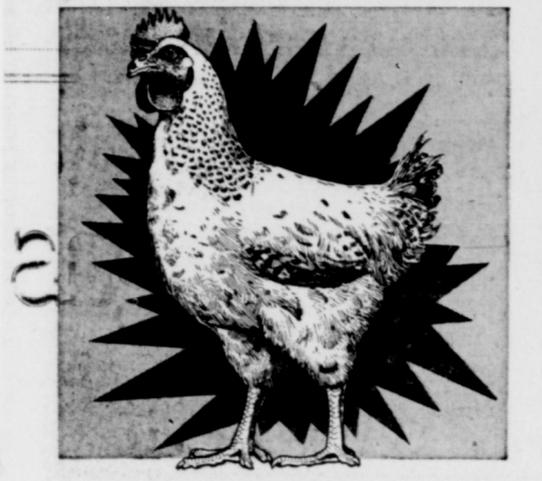
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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS
 Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed.
 Court Judgments, Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

E. W. Anderson to G. Blair Montague, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Carl Angstadt to R. G. Huffman, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Frank E. Aycock to L. G. Ball, warranty deed.
 Rufus Been to First National Bank, Gorman, deed of trust.
 F. F. Bradley to W. J. Worsham, assignment.
 Roebrt Bosworth to J. C. Day, deed of trust.
 Marvin C. Bradstetter to Ruby C. Petty, warranty deed.
 J. W. Buckner to George Ruthertford, warranty deed.
 Billie D. Beck to United States of America, deed of trust.
 Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Larry Griffith, release of MML.
 Eugene R. Damron to W. A. Garrett, MML.
 Dublin National Bank to E. W. Harris, transfer of deed of trust.
 R. H. Dunning to Elizabeth McCracken, warranty deed.
 J. C. Day to Robert Bosworth, warranty deed.
 First State Bank, Abilene to City National Bank, Wichita Falls, assignment of deed of trust.
 First Federal S & L Assn. to Lillie Sheppard, release of deed of trust.
 Jenna May Flewelen to B. A. Tunnell, quit claim deed.
 First Bancredit Corp. to D. Lewis, release of MML.
 First National Bank, Houston to Laura Shook, release of oil and gas lease.
 First National Bank, Dallas to American Aggregate Company, Inc., release of deed of trust.
 First National Bank, Cisco to Clarence C. Pippen, release of deed of trust.
 First Baptist Church, Ranger to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.
 J. C. Grace to T. J. Hyatt, warranty deed.

E. M. Grimes to O Dillingham, deed of trust.
 J. B. Goble to H. H. Shultz, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Glendon L. Hamilton to R. G. Huffman, warranty deed.
 R. G. Huffman to W. H. Hoffmann, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Humble Oil & Refining Company to Buffalo Oil Co., amend. to oil and gas lease.
 Boyd Hilley to A. N. Mahan, transfer of vendor's lien.
 S. D. Johnson to Evelyn Crawford, MD.
 Charles W. Kieser to The Public, declaration of interest.
 Marvin W. Lewis to First State Bank, Abilene, deed of trust.
 Lavena Lightfoot to Minta A. Meroney, release of vendor's lien.
 S. W. Loper to A. N. Mahan, transfer of vendor's lien.
 L. P. Murphy to Ernest E. Kitchen, warranty deed.
 Elizabeth McCracken to First National Bank, Cisco, deed of trust.
 James McCormick to E. M. Kinnison, warranty deed.
 Gladys A. Pitman to J. D. Eckert, release of deed of trust.
 A. L. Poynor to Premier Oil Ref. Co., right of way.
 Clarence C. Pippen to R. H. Dunning, warranty deed.
 E. E. Parker to J. B. Goble, oil and gas lease.
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 Donald H. Russell to Truman C. Brown, warranty deed.
 Sid Roberts to Myron A. Smith, assignment of oil and gas lease.
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 T. J. Rester to R. G. Huffman, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 J. E. Spencer to J. G. Medford, quit claim deed.
 Hazel Sullivan to J. C. Day, warranty deed.
 Lillian B. Sparr to A. C. Hallmark, warranty deed.
 Lewis C. Thomas to Grace Reeves Thomas, warranty deed.
 Curtis Thompson to E. B. Stovall, warranty deed.
 United States v. Tri-Cities Broadcasting Co., notice of tax lien.
 United States v. Eugene Baker, notice of tax lien.
 E. H. Webb to The Public, proof of heirship.
 Belton Whitehead to L. D. Ingram, warranty deed.
 John L. Ward to J. W. Ward, release of vendor's lien.
 J. W. Ward to The Public, proof of heirship.
 Opal D. Ward to W. D. Gattis, warranty deed.
 Mrs. Katrina L. Wood dba Bluebonnet Van Lines, to The Public, affidavit of assumed name.
 Estate of Joseph M. Weaver to R. B. Pipkin, warranty deed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
 John Robert Gray and Virginia Beth Scott.

SUITS FILED
 91st District Court
 Frankie Jo Faber v. Truvin J. Faber, divorce.
 Jane Graves v. Carl E. Graves, Jr., divorce.
 Valley Steel Products Company v. E. W. Griffin, debt.

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS
 91st District Court
 Zeola Gould v. Harry Edward Gould, order.
 Tommy B. McCoy v. S. L. Cook, et al, order of dismissal.

AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

By OMAR BURLESON
 17th District, Texas

WASHINGTON, D.C. — An article in the May issue of "Harper's" Magazine by Hugh Russell Fraser carries the title of "Texans Don't Know Any Better."

What the article actually does is "man" the large city newspapers of Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Fort Worth for not carrying more news originating outside the State of Texas.

Mr. Fraser is fairly complimentary towards The Beaumont Enterprise and The Corpus Christi Caller, which papers he says "give a fair amount of intelligent and balanced coverage of national and international news."

The author indicates that Texans are pretty narrow in their thinking and that the large daily newspapers seemingly consider that any news outside the state is "junk."

For instance he says that The Houston Chronicle boasts that the paper "is served by seven worldwide news services." He says that they should add, "We throw away 93 percent of all the wire news which pours into our office from the four corners of the earth."

Mr. Fraser ends his article with this suggestion: "For those Texans who refuse to put up with this state of affairs any longer, I can suggest a simple remedy. Let them subscribe to The Daily Star of Toronto, Canada. It carries more news about the United States than either The Dallas News or The Houston Chronicle, the great papers of their own state."

This writer is more complimentary to the weekly papers in the state and cities several examples of good reporting.

The article and other recent publications such as "Giant" don't set very well with us Texans. I

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suppose we just don't like to be criticized too much, which may be some reason for criticism.

This administration, like all other administrations before it and probably like any future administration, is aware that this is election year. The big politicians on the national scene are also aware that the minority groups in the big cities make the difference in winning and losing an election.

While party faithfuls in both parties are loyally supporting their candidates, those who figure they have the most to gain shift from one to the other as expediency requires.

The politicians are always hanging out a life, fully equipped with hook, bait, and sinker. Perhaps the biggest one out at the time is the administration's so-called Civil Rights proposals which I mentioned in last week's column.

The House Judiciary Committee has now approved the President's recommendations, and should it pass the Congress, it is another step for the Federal Government to dip into states' rights.

May 6-12 is designated as Soil Stewardship Week. The Stamford American credits the following poem to the district office of the California Creek Soil Conservation District, of which I am a member:

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 To stay in place, and not leave behind
 Bare fields and rows of sandy dunes,
 Nor dirty cities, and mournful tunes.
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 As a place to work, and a place to dwell.

He fed you and nurtured you with motherly care.
 He gave you guardians, and none to spare.
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MY STAND ON INTEGRATION

THE RACE PROBLEM: There is no race problem. The majority of White and Negro people wish to be left alone. Social fusion must be left to time and man's destiny and the will of God. This unholy wedlock forced upon two different races by north-eastern left-bank radicals will serve to no advantage, to the comfort of the South, and to the delight of the Communists. Society must have free choice in determining its social pattern. The time and decision, if ever, will be the result of philosophic thought resulting from social evolution and God's will, and not a materialistic command by several jurists who have violated states rights in rendering a decision that once again activates the word "nullification" and pits white man against black man while a few evil men promulgate racial hatred to serve self-interested groups.

The White people and the Colored people of the 17th Congressional District wish to be left alone and resent interference by the Federal Government and intellectual "do gooders." This is a problem for Texas and Texans. In fact, there was no problem at all until outsiders, who would have us give up our states rights, took it upon themselves to tell us through the Supreme Court how to run our affairs. How long are we going to allow the Federal Government to usurp the power of the state? How long will it be before the name of a state will be just a name — nothing else? Let us stop this ever increasing encroachment upon our individual freedom now at the polls. Tomorrow will be too late.

There are no race problems in the 17th Congressional District and Texas. Interference by the Federal government into the affairs of the people of Texas can mean only one thing — Bloodshed, nullification, and civil war in the sense that political withdrawal from those who advocate a centralized government at the expense of the people's freedom can no longer be considered representatives of an America built for the people and by the people and governed by the states. Racial fraternization must be left up to the choice of the individual. No man-made law on God's earth can compel two racial groups as a whole to immediately intermingle and join each other in a fraternity of social relationship. The White people do not desire this. The Colored people do not desire this.

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Around the Town At Olden
By Mrs. Dick Yielding

On Saturday of last week the ladies of the Baptist Church prepared and served lunch to the men who were working on the new parsonage. The work will be completed this week and the new pastor, Carrol Herring and family will move into it on Friday or Saturday.

Several people from Olden attended the play at the high school auditorium in Ranger last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks, who have recently moved to Olden to make their home, visited in Rising Star Sunday with her sister Mrs. J. W. Smith. They celebrated Mrs. Smith's birthday with a dinner in which about 40 people attended. Sunday evening late Mr. A. B. Eaves, Miss Sara Hendricks, and Mr. Halmard, all from Kokomo visited in the Hendricks home here.

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Mrs. Dick Yielding spent last Thursday in Mineral Wells with her daughter Melba and family.

A large crowd from Olden attended a series of lectures at the Church of Christ at Cheaney last week.

Brother Bill Windham of Abilene filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday. Sunday evening a pianist and song leader were there.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Supulver Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts and Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Supulver and family from Abilene.

Mrs. Viola Groves enjoyed having her children Mr. and Mrs. Lewil Heinemann and children from Midland spend the weekend with her. Also Mr. and Mrs. James Hendricks and son of Cisco and the Bruce Pipkins of Eastland.

The Olden FFA Chapter's father and son banquet was held Saturday evening in the educational building of the Baptist Church.

On Wednesday evening of last week, the house that Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Anderson had recently moved into was demolished completely by fire, the family losing their entire belongings. High school boys immediately got together with cars and pick-ups and in a short time had made up several loads of useful items including money contributions for the family.



SCREEN TEST—Droplets of rain water, caught in the mesh of a screen, act as tiny lenses to produce the film-strip-like sequences, above. Blank white square at left is one in which no droplet lodged. Photographer Clarence Leino, of West Allis, Wis., made the picture at ultraclose range. "Screen star" is his wife, La Verne.

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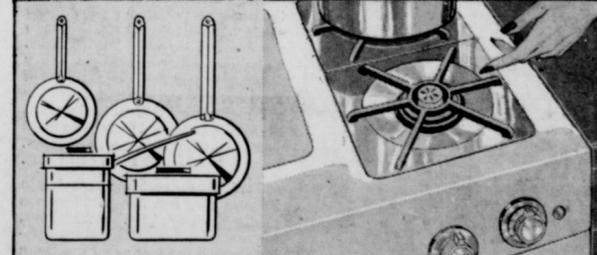
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The Oil & Gas Problem In Our District
—Open Letter to All the People Who Depend on the Oil Business in the 17th Congressional District

There are no rich braggard oil men in the 17th Congressional District. They are all struggling producers. I, personally, am not a rich oil man. I am not even a producer, but I understand the problems of the oil and gas producer. I am a consultant. I think all the oil men in this district would make good candidates. They are humble, sensible, and gracious. This district of ours depends on the 27½% depletion allowance more than any other district in the nation. In fact, we should have 40% depletion allowance instead of 27½%. With the ever growing move by Eastern self-interest groups toward reducing the depletion allowance to 15% or even less, the whole economy of the 17th Congressional District is being placed in jeopardy. A large portion of our district's population depend directly on some phase of the oil business. A reduction in the depletion allowance will cause drilling contractors to go bankrupt, throwing hundreds of families into debt and without livelihood. Risk money will vanish. Marginal oil operators will be forced to shut their wells down. Service companies will go broke. Independent geologists and engineers will be out of work. Landowners, farmers, and ranchers will be without money from lease rentals and bonuses. Landowners will not get their lands tested. It is a certainty that foreign oil imports will increase and the independent oil operator will be squeezed out of business. The 17th Congressional District, composed of Taylor, Jones, Eastland, Stephens, Comanche, Palo Pinto, Erath, Nolan, Fisher, Hamilton, Callahan and Shackelford counties, is the independent oil man's territory. Small fields and marginal production is the mainstay of our district's economy. Farmers and ranchers depend on oil royalties when there is no rain and when the market is low on crops and cattle. Merchants depend on the oil man's payroll, and the oil man in this district depends on the depletion allowance and control of foreign oil imports. Lowering the depletion allowance means only one thing to we, the people of the 17th Congressional District—a depression in the middle of abundance, with hundreds of thousands of barrels of oil laying untapped and unused while our foreign friends grow richer and richer on the oil brought into this country while we are growing poorer and poorer in our district.

It is axiomatic that with every continuing depletion of domestic reserves, greater risks, higher exploration costs, we need more depletion allowance, not less. We need vigorous representation in Congress, someone who can represent the best interests of the people of the 17th Congressional District and who will not be pigeon-holed. I offer you that representation, and rest assured that the case of the people of the 17th Congressional District against self-interest groups and intellectual do nothings will be presented forcefully.

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HE TUNES WINNERS—Mechanic A. J. Watson, of Glendale, Calif., buttons up what he hopes will be the winning car in the annual 500-mile Memorial Day classic of motordom at Indianapolis, Ind. Last year's winning car, also prepared for the track by Watson, is directly behind the "8-ball." The vehicles are sisters under the hood. Each is powered by a 270-cubic-inch, four-cylinder engine. Both cars will be entered in this year's race.

Reduction In Child Pedestrian Toll Urged

"Parents, teach your children how to stay safe in traffic!" That was the advice of Mr. E. C. McFadden of Dallas, Vice President, Employers' Casualty Company, and President of Texas Safety Association, to parents who are concerned about the heavy child pedestrian death toll. Mr. McFadden made the suggestion today as he discussed parents' responsibility in the current child pedestrian safety program which is being conducted by the Texas Safety Association, the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Parents probably have the prime responsibility for their children's safety in traffic because they have the care of the youngsters in their most formative years," Mr. McFadden said. "Long before a child reaches school age he has been out in traffic with his parents, and the kind of safety training they have given him will great-

ly affect his traffic attitudes." In discussing a child's early training, Mr. McFadden said that example is of great importance. A child is likely to do what he sees his parents do even if it conflicts with what the parents teach. "Parents who cross streets only at intersections, wait for the signal light and look both ways and for turning traffic teach a lasting safety lesson," he said.

Mr. McFadden also stressed the necessity for full cooperation between parents, schools and traffic officials in teaching safe traffic habits to children of school age. He advised parents to find out what the school is teaching the children and then to see that the instruction in the home supplements the school training.

"Be careful of your children when they're at play, too," Mr. McFadden said. "See that they play only in approved play areas—not in the street—and teach them how to use roller skates, tricycles, bicycles, scooters and other outdoor toys safely. Above all, impress them with the fact that safety rules must be given the same respect and obedience as other rules of conduct learned at home and in the school."

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How I Stand on The Farm Problem

Open Letter to Farmers and Ranchers

As I stated in my announcement, the farmer and rancher are getting a raw deal. All we have had is conversation. All this fancy talk about parity means nothing to us. Anything less than 100% parity means the money you get for your crops and cattle is not as good as the money the rest of the people are getting for their services and products. It amounts to this: If you had to trade your \$100 that you received for your crops and cattle on a barter basis, your \$100 would get only \$50 worth of other materials or perhaps as much as \$84 depending on the type of crops. It is still less than you deserve. Why should you be discriminated against? We hear all this conversation about surpluses and soil banks. What else can we expect when big money interests move in and take over the little farms and initiate big commercial ventures producing big surpluses and squeezing you, the little man, out?

How do you think the soil bank is going to effect you folks with a thousand acres or less? You know what. You will be getting poorer and poorer. There are statements being made that if you cannot make a living, it means you are not intelligent enough to farm and ranch and you better get out of the business. What would they have you do? Give up the soil that is yours? Shoot yourselves? Collectivization is taking place right now. You are being given the one-two treatment.

Your income has dropped 35% in the past eight years while the national income has raised 40%. No one has done anything but give you conversation.

Overproduction is not the only reason for your price troubles. Overproduction is caused by big commercial farming ventures owned by Eastern absentee owners who would have the man on the farm get out of the business because he is a nuisance and leave all the gravy to them.

You are faced with rising costs of what you buy and lowering prices for what you sell. This squeeze is pinching you bottom and top — it has a hand in all of your pockets.

No one cares what happens to the farmer and rancher in the 17th Congressional District. They won't care about the hazards you face, the drouth, the disease, and insects. The whole nation should share the risk of your gamble.

Your crops and cattle go to market seasonally. There is always a glut at this time—so why shouldn't the price be shared by all who eat the food. Besides, don't you tear your hair out when you see the price spread between what you sell and what the consumer pays?

After the war, industry was helped tax-wise by the government to convert from cannons, guns, and tanks to peace time production. What could you, the farmer, do? Convert to monkey wrenches?

No one thought of giving you a real fair deal. Instead, big commercial promoters moved in and took over the situation producing surpluses and depressing prices squeezing you all out one at a time. Everybody is getting fat but you farmers and ranchers.

You are tired of politicians giving you conversation. You are tired of government agricultural experts and economists telling you about small farm inefficiency and it is alright for the big farm to gobble up the little farm. They will tell you to go to the city and get a job and let the big boys run the big company farms. They will tell you if you are a little farmer, you have no business farming. We are all little farmers in the 17th Congressional District.

Your tax dollars went to our foreign friends, and these foreign friends are now competing against you. You can't even sell your surpluses abroad. You have to give it away — and then they won't take it because your tax dollars have made the rich foreigners richer and they don't want their own markets depressed.

God gave you the earth to farm. Regardless of how small of a farmer you are or how big, if you are doing your own farming, you deserve a break.

You should be allowed tax free income and the big corporation and commercial absentee ownership farms should engage in a soil bank program without compensation for the idle acreage, while the smaller farmer should be allowed unlimited production. The definition of a small farmer to be calculated by the number of acres, geographical location, and products produced. All of the above conditions to match 100% parity. No fancy talk is necessary. Round up the experts and tell them to come up with a solution. At the same time, keep the government from getting its hooks into you. Keep the bureaucrats from running your lives. Don't sell yourself down the river to this group. Don't let them give you the same old story dressed up in a different suit.

The farmer and rancher in our 17th Congressional District cannot benefit by producing fewer crops and cattle to make up for the reduced cash position. This unfair situation must be solved and the economist and politician cannot tell you it's tough luck and you better get out of business if you cannot make the grade.

It is about time the farmer and rancher get rid of those politicians who give you nothing but conversation. We people in the 17th Congressional District must speak out for ourselves. We must safeguard our rights, liberties, and freedom. The ball must start rolling from somewhere. God willing, we can start right here in our own district.

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