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Eastland-Ranger Clash On Tap Friday

Ranger Mayor Taken By Death Thursday

Lee Dockery, Mayor of Ranger died this morning as he was being rushed to Dallas on an emergency run — after he had suffered an attack at his home at 8 a. m.

Mr. Dockery was being rushed to the Veterans Hospital in Dallas for emergency treatment. The ambulance got only as far as Strawn before he died. He had first been treated at the West Clinic in Ranger. He passed away at 11:25 today.

Funeral services will be held 10:30 a. m. Saturday morning at the First Methodist Church in Ranger with Rev. R. Herman Boyd, pastor, officiating. A definite time for services has not been set, awaiting arrival of relatives.

Mr. Dockery was born Dec. 9, 1892 in Fairfield. He will be buried in Fairfield following the Ranger rites. A member of the Methodist Church, he had served

in W. W. I and had been veterans service officer in Eastland County for 13 years. Mr. Dockery had been a member of the Masonic lodge for 43 years and was serving his second term as mayor of Ranger at the time of his death. He was a retired Community Public Service Co. executive, and had been with the company for 37 years when he retired. He was manager at the Ranger office at the time of his retirement two years ago.

Survivors include his wife; two brothers, George Dockery of Corsicana, and Ernest Dockery of Houston; and one sister, Miss Mattie Dockery of Dallas.

Scranton Man Gets Promotion

BAMBERG, GERMANY—Donald W. Starr, son of R. F. Starr, Scranton, recently was promoted to specialist third class in Germany, where he is a member of the 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment.

An administrative chief clerk in the regiment's Company D, Starr entered the Army in January 1955 and arrived in Europe the following August.

He is a 1954 graduate of Scranton High School.

Carbon Opens District Battle Thursday Night

CARBON — Carbon's Wolverines play host to Muller here Thursday night in a district game.

The Wolverines will open their bid for the district title in the game, which was moved up to fill a previous open date.

Kickoff time is 7:30.

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The Eastland County Sheriff's posse barn dance, featuring a name band, will be held Saturday night beginning at 8 p. m. in the American Legion Hall in Eastland. Proceeds will go to help pay the costs of the County Livestock Show.

Saturday is the last day to get voting exemptions from the Tax Assessor-Collector.

County commissioners will hold their regular first-Monday meeting here Oct. 8.

Coe Owen Garrett has been released on bond pending an appeal hearing of his conviction for aggravated assault in 91st District Court.

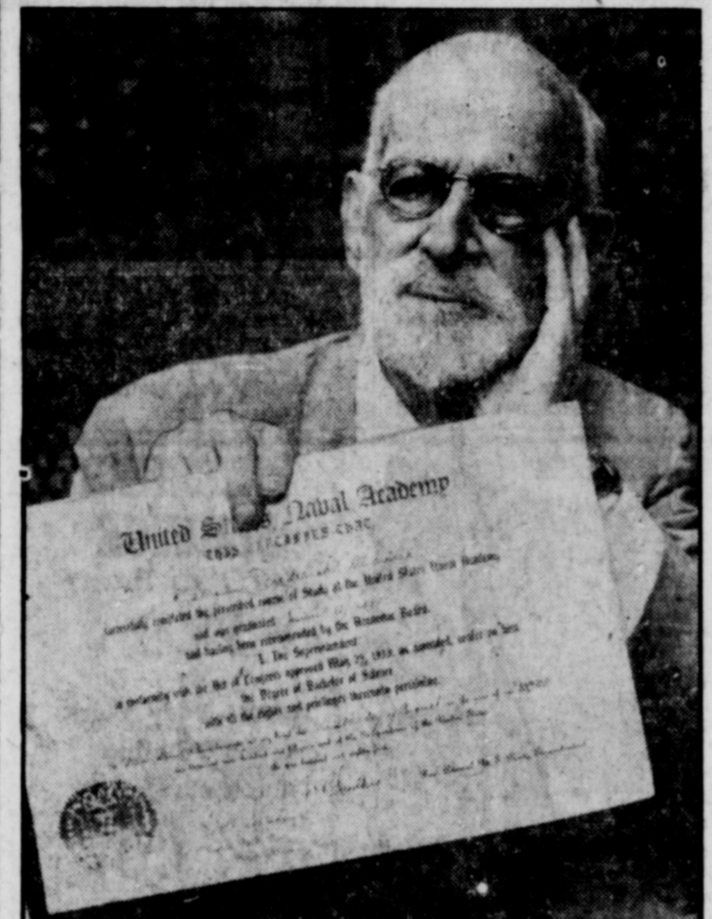
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COUNTY LIVESTOCK BARBECUE TICKETS ARE ON SALE HERE

Tickets to the annual barbecue and meeting of the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Association will be held at the old airport on Wednesday, Oct. 10 are available from all FFA boys over the county as well as from the directors of the organization, according to Don Hart of Eastland, secretary.

The barbecue and annual meeting draws a large crowd not only from Eastland but also from adjoining counties.

Committees for the affair were named some time ago by Boyd Hilley of Gorman, president of the organization for the past two years. They include: Don Hart and Pete Tindall, tickets; Sig Faircloth and Pete Tindall, meat; Howard Smith, cold drinks and coffee; Wes Harris and J. M. Coover, beer; Judge M. S. Long, hot-to salad; Tindall, wood for barbecue; Herb Tanner, purchasing; Jack Baker, Tindall, Bernard Hanna and Waverly Massingale, serving of food; Carl Johnson and Herb Tanner, loud speak-



BETTER LATE THAN NEVER—Dr. William Frederick Durand, oldest living graduate of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., displays evidence of the honor he has been awaiting for 70 years—his diploma. When he graduated second in his class in 1880, Dr. Durand received no diploma, as the Academy at that time did not present them to the graduating classes. The custom has since changed, and the 97-year-old doctor of engineering finally received his degree in appropriate ceremonies in his home in New York City.

Lions Governor Spells Out Meaning of Lionism

Lions District 2-E Governor Lester E. Brooks of Iowa Park Tuesday spelled out to Eastland Lions what Lionism means to him.

"You could say that 'L' stands for lengthening our arms of service," he declared.

"Let's let 'I' stand for increase in stature."

"O' for Orientation."

"N' for new man."

"And 'S' for solving problems."

"Perhaps," the district governor, exclaimed, "we should let 'S' stand for saving the world, for that is our biggest task."

Juniors Lose 14-6 Thriller To DeLeon 11

DeLeon Junior High took a hard earned 14-6 victory over the Eastland Junior High Dogies here Tuesday night in the opening game of the year for the locals.

The Dogies looked good despite the loss, and Coach Jack Hoffman had praise for his charges.

DeLeon scored first on a four yard plunge in the initial period of play. The Kittens then ran over their extra point try to move ahead 7-6.

Still in the first quarter, Eastland Quarterback James Lewis, who was an offensive standout all night, crashed over from the two on a quarterback sneak. The try from placement was not good however, and the visitors still enjoyed a 7-6 margin.

DeLeon led the game down in the third period when their halfback raced 65 yards after sliding off tackle. The Kittens again ran over the extra point try.

Halfback Clifton Slate drew special recognition from Coach Hoffman for a fine offensive game. End Bill McCleskey was credited with a good offensive and defensive showing and Guard Bill Jones was pointed out for defensive work.

He blamed this mainly on poor indoctrination, and pointed out that although four new clubs had been organized in the district in the past year, the district showed a gain of only two members.

The success of keeping or losing members "depends on individual members," he asserted. He pointed out that old Lions should do more to make new members feel welcomed at all meetings. He condemned clubs which amount to nothing more than a group of small gatherings.

"Lionism just doesn't take on fellows we bring into the club," he declared, and then gave ways he thought local Lions could improve their club. He suggested that Lions sit by a different member each week, and compete for the honor of sitting by new members.

Brooks praised Eastland and Texas Lions for their sponsorship of the Lions Crippled Children's camp at Kerrville. Local Lions contribute \$3 a member yearly to the camp.

He told of visiting the camp and hearing the children pray. "You can't help but want to do more," he told club members, "when you sit and watch those little children with their crippled bodies, and listen to them praying, thanking God for the Lions of Texas."

This was the Governor's second official visit to the local club. He installed officers earlier this year.

Tuesday night he and Garrett were in Brownwood where they presented the new Brownwood club with their charter.

Mrs. Vickers Is Taken by Death Early Thursday

Funeral services are pending for Mrs. W. C. Vickers, 67, who died this morning at 12:01 a. m. in her residence at 611 S. Seaman Street in Eastland.

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She was an active member of the Baptist Church, the Delphin Club, and the Music Study Club. She is survived by two children, Norma Frances Vickers of Eastland and a son Richard of Oklahoma City, Okla. Her husband preceded her in death in 1945.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by Hamner Funeral Home.

EHS Homecoming Meet Set Sunday

Eastland Homecoming planners will meet Sunday to draft the complete plans for the EHS' Exes reunion next June. They will meet at the high school building at 2 p. m.

"The meeting is expected to be a junior homecoming as many exes from out of town will be here," a spokesman said. "Delegations from Ft. Worth, Waco and Dallas are planning to attend."

Partly cloudy weather, with a slight possibility of rain in the Eastland county forecast. No important temperature changes are predicted, with temperatures to rise to the lower 90's.

Probable Line-Ups

Eastland	Wt.	Pos.	Wt.	Ranger
Dale Slatton	170	Right End	175	Jerry Cantrell
Wayne Durham	185	Right Tackle	175	Gene Bagwell
Neil Pogue	150	Right Guard	165	Jerry Bradford
Jim Phillips	152	Center	190	John Hagaman
Lupe Herrera	170	Left Guard	150	Dan Cruse
Carl Freeze	175	Left Tackle	165	Charles Bonney
Dick Corbell	160	Left End	160	Boone Yarbrough
Harvey Lewis	158	Quarterback	155	Paul Hinds
Jimmy Martin	170	Right Half	130	Lee King
Bill Upchurch	145	Left Half	125	Jerry Basham
Saul Pullman	165	Fullback	155	David Wharton

Increased Activity In Drilling Is Noted

Five new oil tries in Eastland county have been staked. In addition, several others have been approved in adjoining counties.

In the Jo Kiel Caddo field six miles southwest of Cisco on a 320 acre lease. The No. 1 R. H. Dunning "B" spots 990 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the west line of Section 81, Block 3, H&T survey. Proposed depth is 2900 feet and operator is the KLB Oil Corp. of Wichita Falls.

The same operator has staked the No. 2 R. H. Dunning "B" 2310 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the west line in the same section. Proposed depth is also 2900 feet.

The No. 1 J. J. Hamilton is another KLB try in the same field. It spots 330 feet from the south and east lines of Section 91, Block 3, H&T Survey on a 160 acre lease. Proposed depth is the same.

The No. 3 R. H. Dunning "B" locates 1560 feet from the north line and 990 feet from the west line of Section 81, Block 3, H&T Survey. Proposed depth is 2900 feet.

The fifth county try is the No. 1 C. C. Barker being drilled by Harding Brothers of Dallas. The proposed 2000 foot try is located 330 feet from the south line and 990 feet from the west line of Section 126, H&T Survey, five miles north of Olden on a 160 acre lease.

In Palo Pinto county, George J. Morgan of Strawn has staked the No. 1-C Strawn Coal Co. 4650 feet from the north line and 3600 feet from the east line of the A. Ashworth Survey, three miles north of Strawn on a 1177 acre lease. Proposed depth is 3400 feet.

A Stephens county try is the No. 3 Britton - Delong being drilled by Ira - Lee Drilling Co. of Lubbock. Proposed depth is 4500 feet, and location is in the E. DeLong Survey A-973, a mile southeast of Eliasville.

County Men To Hunt Antelope

Four Eastland men and one from Ranger left today for Marfa where they will hunt antelope.

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Commenting on the significance of National Letter Writing Week, Mrs. Johnson pointed out that each year since 1938 this event

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Traditional Battle Rates As Toss-Up

Throw away your season records, throw away your average weights, throw away the predictions and guesses of sportswriters, for this is the game when none of those things count. Ranger's Bulldogs Friday will play host to the Eastland Mavericks in the 35th consecutive meeting of the two Eastland county elevens.

The Eastland-Ranger game has for years been one of the most spirited contests played in Texas' Interscholastic League. Down through the years the game has always been "The Game" as far as both teams were concerned. A win over Eastland means a good season for the Dogs, and it works the same way the other way around.

Kickoff time at Bulldog Stadium is scheduled for 8 p. m. A capacity crowd is expected to be on hand.

If you are one of those fans who must know the records of the two teams, here are some points of interest that may send you hurrying for a scratch pad.

The two teams will come into the tilt with not too impressive records. Eastland has won two games and lost the same number. The Bulldogs lost three in a row before hitting the W column last week.

Eastland opened the 1956 season with a heartbreaking 26-27

Farm Bureau Has Committees In Each Community

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Heading the Eastland drive will be Cullen Rogers and Don Kincaid. The Ranger drive will be headed by Melvin Adams and P. T. Smith.

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George Crawford Is Indicted For Wife's Murder

A 91st District Court grand jury this week returned a murder with malice indictment against George Turkey Crawford in connection with the shooting death of Crawford's wife Sept. 19 in Eastland.

The 39-year-old Eastland Negro remains in Eastland county jail, where he has been refused bond.

His wife, Lilly Pearl, 26, died shortly after arrival at the Eastland Memorial Hospital. She was shot six times in the back, according to officers.

District Attorney Joe Nuesse says he will ask the death penalty.

Bids On FM Road Surfacing Asked

The State this week called for bids on approximately five miles of surfacing work in Eastland county.

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Moore... ABOUT Eastland By Virgil E. Moore

The failure of many Texas towns and cities to provide their own water may cost you even more money in taxes.

Ed Felder, executive secretary of the Texas Water Resources Committee in an article written for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce publication, "West Texas Today," says, "On the basis of 76 cities throughout the state being unable to build water supplies due to the lack of funds, the State Water Resources Committee has decided to recommend to the coming Legislature a financial assistance plan similar to the one proposed to the last Legislature."

That one stumps us. It appears that cities like Eastland and Ranger, with enough foresight and plain old guts, who have gone out on the limb and borrowed money — not from somebody's tax money either — will now have the opportunity to help build other cities in Texas a water supply, and thus kill one of our biggest industrial drawing cards.

It may sound cold blooded to Mr. Felder, the State Water Resources Committee and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, but frankly, we think that if Eastland and Ranger, facing the difficulty that the two cities do, can build a fine lake like Lake Leon (which will supply both of the cities' needs until some 100,000 persons are using the lake) then the rest of towns and cities can do the same thing. It seems that it is getting to the point that it is better to wait around for someone to get the sack off your head and find an answer yourself.

The Committee report says that the state "will lend the credit of the State behind the State Bonds instead of levy a tax to back them up." That sounds like another of these something for nothing deals to us.

Got one more record to give away on that Elvis Presley deal. Add "Love Me Tender" and "Any Way You Want Me That's How I Will Be" to that list of other 14 recordings we are trying to give away. Gonna end this contest this coming Tuesday and announce the winner next Thursday. So if you (Continued on Page Two)

Methodist Church Finance Report Is Due Saturday

The First Methodist Church committee which has been collecting money to pay off the church building indebtedness will meet Saturday morning at the church at 9 a. m.

Everyone interested has been asked to come. Coffee will be served. This is to be the final report.

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CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 4.874 miles of Gr., Str., Base & Surf. from end present FM 2214, S.E. to int. FM 571, 12.9 mi. S. of Ranger on Highway No. FM 2214, covered by R 1697-2-2, in Eastland County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., Oct. 18, 1956, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

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.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Plans and specifications available at the office of Gordon L. Smith, Resident Engineer Eastland, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

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OCTOBER 1, 1956

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland.
Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared O. H. Dick, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is business manager of the Eastland Telegram and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a tri-weekly), the circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of Postal Laws and Regulations:
That the names and addresses of publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager are:
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Business Manager—O. H. Dick
2. That the owners are:
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3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are: Walter Murray, Mineral Wells, Texas; Blanche Murray, Ranger, Texas.
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5. That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the 12 months preceding the date shown above is 2830.
O. H. Dick, Business Manager
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1 day of October, 1956.
John T. Goode
Notary Public, Eastland County, Texas
My commission expires June 1, 1957.

Moore About -

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want these records you had better write in today and explain why in the world you would want 'em. That's all there is to it.

Well, Friday is the big day. It's the day Eastland will journey to Ranger to take on the Bulldogs. The game should be a good one and it looks like Moore About will have to eat a bag of marbles if the locals lose. We get over Ranger pretty often, and the talk over there this week hasn't been whether or not the Dogs can beat Eastland (they think that's in the bag), but whether or not Ranger can keep the Mavs from scoring for another year.

It has been five years since Eastland even scored a touchdown against a Ranger eleven, and during that time Ranger has never scored less than 13. Last year the Dogs managed a 21-0 win. This year we will climb way out on a limb and offer to print a story praising Ranger if Eastland doesn't win the game.

Thanks to J. C. Kuykendall out at the Texas Electric Lion plant for helping us bring our rainfall records up to date. We now have a complete month by month rundown for rainfall here dating back to 1911.

Concerning that story on those fellows going antelope hunting: We were asked to say that if you want some antelope meat just telephone 868 or 427.

Lester E. Brooks, district Lions Club governor, told a couple of good ones Tuesday when he spoke to Eastland Lions.

Brooks said a fellow walked into a bar one day and told the bartender he would bet him \$50 he could identify any drink he could mix for him, and him blindfolded. The bartender took him up on it and wrapped a tight blindfold around his eyes.

He mixed five different drinks and the better quickly told him what was in each one. About ready to give up, the bartender poured a glass full of water and put it before the man. Finally the drinker

scratched his head and admitted he didn't know what the stuff was. Then he jerked off the blindfold and snarled, "But I can tell you right now that the stuff won't sell."

While Lions were still enjoying that one, Brooks told about the two drunks who were walking down the railroad track. "These are the tallest stairs I ever got on," moaned the first. The second drunk agreed, but quickly added, "But its these low handrails that are killing me."

See you Friday at the game, and afterwards at the victory rally.

Hospital News

Patients in the Eastland Memorial Hospital are:
Mrs. Novie Pafford, medical
Miss Elvora Phelps, surgical
Mrs. Olga Reich, Cisco, medical
Mrs. Hubert Jones, medical
Mrs. Verna McBride, Breckenridge, medical
Mrs. Myrtle Seabourn, surgical
C. M. Oakley, medical
Miss Beulah Speer, medical
Carl Jones, medical
Dismissed were: Mrs. M. P. Herling and A. V. Clark.
Patients in the Ranger General Hospital from Eastland are:
John McMinn, medical
Lucille East, medical
Mrs. O. J. Chrestman, surgical

Eastland Band To Visit Fair For Festival

The Eastland High School Band is one of outstanding Texas high school bands, choruses, and orchestras chosen to take part in the ninth annual Music Festival, Oct. 9 at the 1956 State Fair of Texas. Almost continuous concerts will be presented during the day at three locations on the fairgrounds. In the evening, the more than 4,500 young musicians will take part in a brilliant, free Cotton Bowl spectacle. The program will be climaxed by a dazzling fireworks display.
"Mr. President, U.S.A." will be the theme of the mass musical performance in the Cotton Bowl at 8 p.m. Old and new patriotic marches, choral numbers, popular and semi-classical tunes will be presented during the program.
Further honoring Texas Schools, Oct. 9 will also be Texas Public Schools Day.
The Music Festival is sponsored by the Texas Music Educators Association and the State Fair.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Lee M. Dobney, Sr. acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings.

National-

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has been observed as a reminder of the real meaning of a personal letter.
Emphasizing the traditional sanctity of the letter mail, the postmaster reminded Eastland residents that one of the basic American Freedoms is the uncensored transmission of their first class mail. It is the most valuable possession of the citizens of a free country.
"We all know the human import-

ance of letter writing," she said, "the way in which it holds scattered families together, of giving comfort and love and news to all the people of the land. But its value is immeasurably greater than that. Its implications are almost infinite."
"We in America have the privilege of uncensored and unlimited means of communication. With this in mind, I urge all local citizens to join me in this national celebration. Let's make National Letter Writing Week for 1956 the greatest ever."

DIXIE Drive-In
EASTLAND RANGER HIGHWAY

Box Office Opens 7:00
Show Starts 7:15
Box Office Closes 9:15

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY, OCT. 3-4

20th Century-Fox presents a masterpiece of Mystery and Deduction
VAN JOHNSON - VERA MILES
23 Paces to Baker Street
Starring **Cecil Parker**
Produced by HENRY EPHRON
Directed by HENRY HATHAWAY
Screenplay by NIGEL BALCHIN
PLUS: Color Cartoon

FRIDAY - SATURDAY, OCT. 5 - 6

This was the day he'd either live up to his name - or be buried under it!
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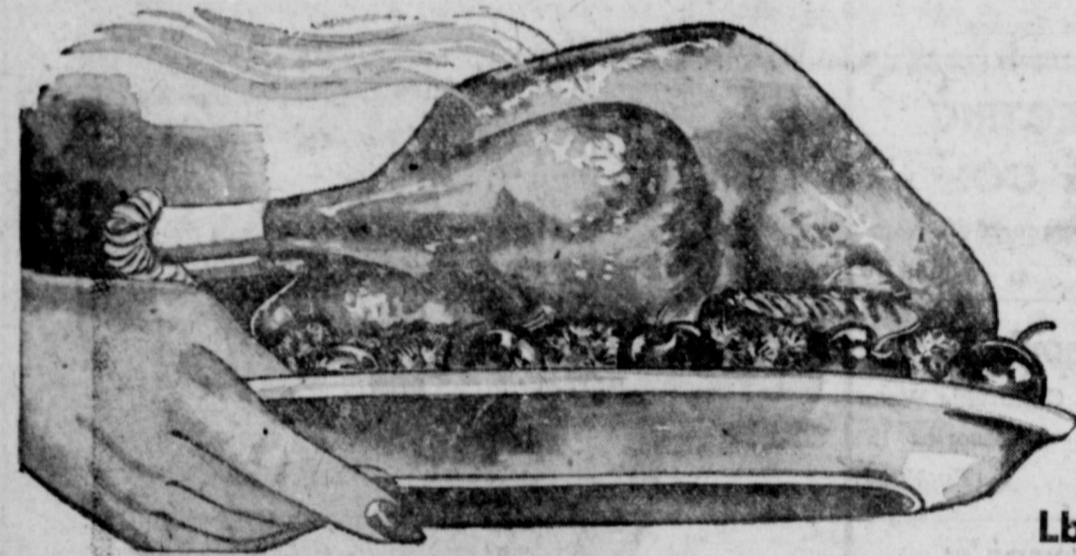
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BEANS & POTATOES ALMA	No. 303 Can	15 c
PORK & BEANS VAN CAMP	No. 2 Can	19 c
POWDER PEAS HOME FOLK	No. 300 Can	13 c
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			ASSORTED FLAVORS		
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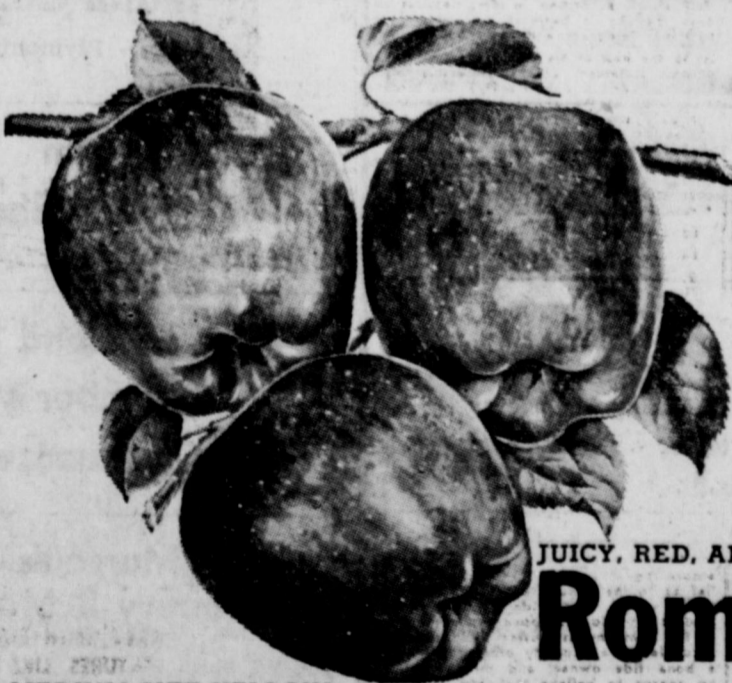
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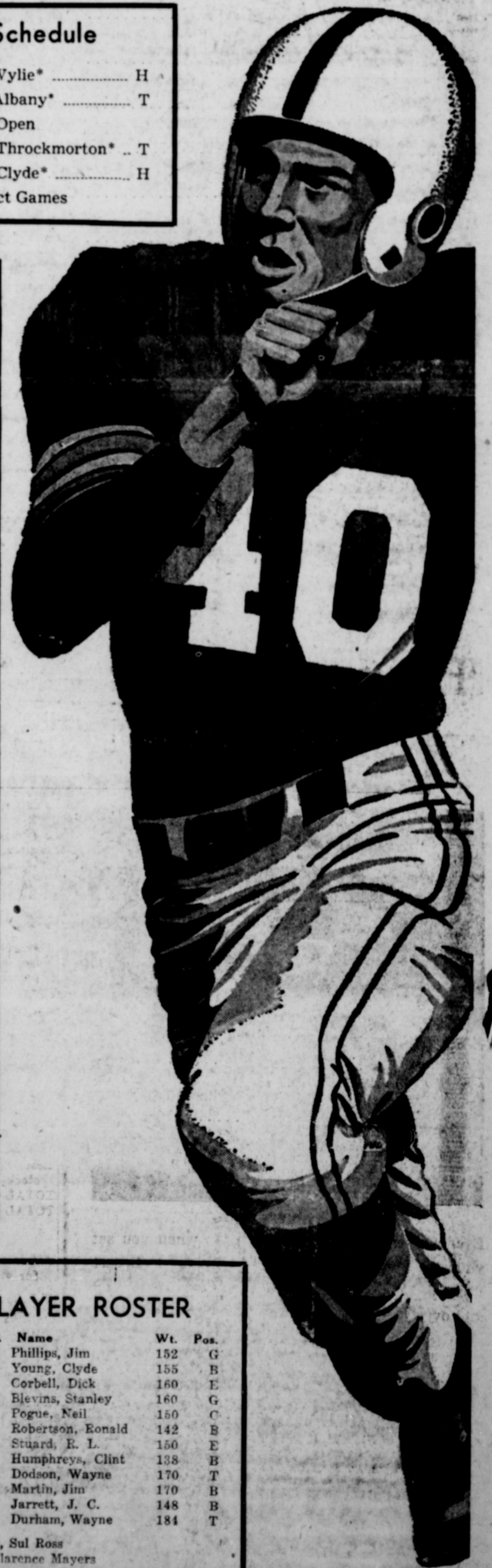
RANGER

GAME TO BE PLAYED THERE

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THIS IS THE YEAR WHEN THE MAVERICKS SHOULD REALLY GO!
LET'S GET BEHIND THEM - STAY BEHIND THEM - AND SHOVE!

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Sept. 14	Dublin 0, Mavs 39	Oct. 26	Albany*	T
Sept. 21	DeLeon 7, Mavs 26	Nov. 2	Open	
Sept. 28	Cross Plains 7, Mavs 6	Nov. 9	Throckmorton* ..	T
Oct. 5	Ranger	Nov. 16	Clyde*	H
Oct. 12	Gorman		*District Games	



Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bourland and Family
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East Main Street

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Phone 86 200 E. Commerce

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405 1/2 S. Seaman Phone 436

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214 S. Neblett Phone 785

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No.	Name	Wt.	Pos.	No.	Name	Wt.	Pos.
10	Hollis, Larry	138	B	22	Phillips, Jim	152	G
11	Turner, Duard	168	T	23	Young, Clyde	155	B
12	Slatton, Dale	170	E	24	Corbell, Dick	160	E
13	Herrera, Lupe	170	G	25	Blevins, Stanley	160	G
14	Freese, Carl	175	T	26	Pogus, Neil	150	C
15	McMahan, John	150	E	27	Robertson, Ronald	142	B
16	Pullman, Saul	165	B	28	Stuard, E. L.	150	E
17	Cox, P. A.	141	B	29	Humphreys, Clint	138	B
18	Tucker, Fred	198	C	30	Dodson, Wayne	170	T
19	Arthur, Knick	151	G	31	Martin, Jim	170	B
20	Upchurch, Bill	145	B	32	Jarrett, J. C.	148	B
21	Lewis, Harvey	158	B	33	Durham, Wayne	184	T

Coaches: Carol Shelton, Baylor—Jon Tate, Sul Ross
Managers: Elmo McAllister, Perry Miller, Clarence Mayers

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302 W. Main Phone 208

ATTENDED BALL GAME

Bobby Love and Corky Brown attended the Clyde and Baird football game Friday night in Baird. While there they also visited with Brown's sister.

VISITED DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pittman and Anne visited their daughter, Jeanne Pittman in Belton Sunday. Jeanne is a freshman student at Mary Hardin Baylor there.

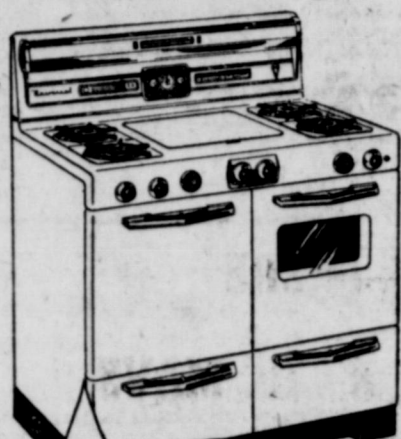
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Annual Fire Loss Is Dreadful Toll

A long, long time ago a fellow named Nero is said to have sat by the fiddle while the city of Rome, then the center of civilization, burned to ashes around him. Nero evidently set quite a precedent, for today a lot of people are still fiddling around while the nation's fire loss annually takes a dreadful toll.

More than 1200 homes in the United States will burn today—and another 1200 will burn every day of the year—affecting the lives of more than 4000 persons each day. In addition, an estimated 105 factories, 116 stores, 14 schools, eight churches, five theatres and four hospitals can expect to battle flames each day.

What is the total tab for these fires, a shocking portion of which are caused by pure carelessness? It amounts to more than two million dollars a day. And worse, an average of 33 lives are lost and 65 other persons are injured or disfigured every day because of fire.

But, frightening as these statistics are, a lot of communities are awakening to the problem not just during national fire prevention week, which will be observed Oct. 7-13 this year—but every day of the week all year long.

Wausau, which for two consecutive years won the title of "Safest City in America"—in the National Safety Council's annual traffic contest, was for a number of years among the highest per capita—in fire loss in the country. Today Wausau is one of the lowest per capita in fire loss and its steady progress in the field of fire prevention was climaxed this year with a first place award for five protection in its population class in a national chamber of commerce citation.

Last year every possible resource of the city was tapped in the concentrated anti-fire crusade, with every man, woman and child receiving constant exposure to fire prevention messages during the drive.

Here are a few of the things which Wausau did to bring home to its citizens the need for increased watchfulness against fire:

A "fire marshal's home report," consisting of a check list of prominent fire hazards was distributed from Fire Chief Wilbur Potzold's

headquarters to 4000 homes—and 3600 completed forms were returned by Wausau home owners!

Housewives in 1825 homes asked for, and received, fire department inspections of their homes. This year they expect to carry on "surprise" inspections in the home.

The schools pitched in with fire prevention demonstrations in the classrooms, and the fire department staged first aid classes for housewives—which played to capacity audiences. Special classes also were held for baby sitters.

Local ministers cooperated fully and many of them based a number of sermons on the theme of community cooperation in the drive against the peril of fire (not the brimstone kind).

Special classes in fire prevention were arranged for hospital nurses, 4-H groups, scouts and other organizations. A fire safety poster and essay contest was staged in the local schools during fire prevention week in May.

Of vital importance to the success of the drive was the cooperation given by the local press, radio and television which covered and reported all the major activities in Wausau's war on fire.

Captain E. I. Smith, 3604th STURON Luke AFB, ARIZ., was a recent guest in the home of his aunt and grandmother, Mrs. Roy Rushing and Mrs. E. E. Williams.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK

of Eastland, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on September 26, 1956 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section §211, U. S. revised statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,267,275.88
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,185,200.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	181,348.06
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$960.69 overdrafts)	1,180,057.76
Bank premises owned \$13,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$13,597.99	27,097.99
(Bank premises owned are subject to NONE liens not assumed by bank)	
Other assets	121.15
TOTAL ASSETS	3,844,100.84

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnership, and corporations	2,822,193.27
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	54,050.81
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	468,462.73
Deposit of banks	236,002.68
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	22,547.12
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,603,256.61
TOTAL LIABILITIES	NONE

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	89,595.07
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	51,249.16
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	240,844.23
TOTAL LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	3,844,100.84

MEMORANDA
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 779,000.00

I, David Fry, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
DAVID FRY, Cashier

CORRECT—ATTEST:
H. T. WILSON
RUSSELL HILL
J. A. BEARD

(SEAL)

State of Texas, County of Eastland, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1956, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
JAMES REID, Notary Public
My commission expires June 1, 1957

Sale ON FRANCISCAN WARE
16 PIECE STARTER SETS
MONTH OF OCTOBER ONLY



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16 Piece Starter Set
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For Month of October

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UNCLE BEN'S RICE 14-OZ. PKG. (LONG GRAIN).....	19¢
IONA TOMATOES 2 NO. 303 CANS	25¢
IONA CUT GREEN BEANS NO. 303 CAN	10¢
ZEE TISSUE Family Size 4 ROLLS	35¢
JEWEL SHORT'N 3 LB. TIN	71¢
SANITARY NAPKINS MODESS PKG. OF 48	1.23
PUREX DRY BLEACH Beads O' Bleach 33 OZ. PKG.	65¢
MILK AMPLIFIER BOSCO 12-OZ. JAR.....	35¢
MARGARINE ALLSWEET 1-LB. CTN.....	28¢
Borax 20-Mule Team 5-lb. Pkg.	75¢
Boraxo 8-oz. Can (POWDERED HAND SOAP)	19¢
NABISCO OREO COOKIES 7 1/4-Oz. Bag	25¢
NABISCO SWISS CREME COOKIES 10 1/4-Oz. Bag	37¢
A&P VIRGINIA PEANUTS 3 7 1/4-OZ. CANS	\$1.00

GREEN BEANS DEL MONTE 16-oz. CUT STYLE..... Can	19¢
Green Peas DEL MONTE EARLY-GARDEN..... 16-oz. Cans	2 35¢
Golden Corn DEL MONTE CREAM STYLE..... 16-oz. Cans	2 29¢
Pineapple Juice DEL MONTE..... 46-oz. Can	25¢
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A bunch of us were standing around talking the other day, and the talk got around to politics like it usually does. Some of the boys said they'd voted for Ike in '52 and were going to do it again; some of them said they'd always voted the Democratic ticket straight and always expected to—you know how it goes around a little Texas town.

One fellow said something that made the rest of us stop and think. He said he was a Democrat, sure—always had been, and his father and grandfather before him. And he always felt like he had to vote for the best Democrat in the race, which he was going to do this year.

"And that means," he said, "that I'll have to cast my vote for Ike Eisenhower. He's a better Democrat, by my definition of a Democrat, than that other fellow ever will be."

And besides that, he said, Ike kept his promises to Texas and Texas ought to return the favor by keeping Ike.

You know, he might have had something there. "Gratitude" is one of the greatest words in the English language, and we all like to think of ourselves as being grateful when people do something for us. Like I heard a man say one time: "Texans are people who never forget anything that is done TO them—or FOR them." That's the way we think of ourselves, and it's about right.

This Eisenhower man pointed out that Ike promised to give the Tideland back to Texas, and he kept that promise; he promised to do his best to close out Mr. Truman's war in Korea, and he kept

that promise, and he promised to give us a government in Washington that we could be proud of, because it was clean and honest and efficient—and, in this man's opinion, he had kept that promise.

"I know you're reading and hearing a lot of stuff to the contrary," he told us, "coming from Brother Stevenson and Brother Kefauver and the rest of the politicians on the other side. That's politics for you. Everybody expects them to jump on Ike every way they can, and I guess they'll keep on doing it right up to Nov. 6. But the American people are smarter than some politicians give them credit for being, and before they vote they're going to sit down and ask themselves this question:

"Remembering 1952, when our boys were dying in Korea and the newspapers were full of talk about mink coats and Communists and corruption in Washington—now be honest about it: If you could, would you go back to 1952 and start over with Adlai Stevenson instead of Dwight D. Eisenhower?"

This man said he wouldn't, and come to think of it, I wouldn't either. As a matter of fact, I think Ike has made us one of the best presidents we ever had. If we had to go to war, I'd certainly rather have him at the head of our government than any other living American. But even more importantly—I'm convinced he is the best man to keep up OUT of war.

That's why I still like Ike—better than ever!

Yours truly,
Tex

(Pub. adv. paid for by Texas Democrats for Eisenhower, Weldon Hall, Director.)

Women's Activities

Las Leales Club Opens Season With 'Now is the Time' Theme

"Now is the Time" was the theme carried out at the opening meeting of the Las Leales Club Monday night in the Woman's Club.

Highlight of the program was brought by Mrs. James Horton when she showed beautiful color slides of the recent trip she and Mr. Horton made to South America.

Decorations throughout the club house were of a travel motif with the registration table centered with a small ship.

The T-shaped tables were laid with white cloths and featured a blue ribbon down the middle, representing the ocean. This was dotted with ceramic sail boats. The speaker's table held a travel clock showing the sailing time. On either side of the clock was a miniature airplane. Served at the dessert party were salad, olives, crackers and iced tea. Small airplanes anchored in gum drops were presented as favors.

Mrs. Hubert Westfall, chairman of the yearbook committee presented the club's yearbooks and expressed her appreciation to those who helped make the books possible. "Now is the Time" is the course of study outlined by the club for the entire year.

Mrs. Anna Grace Bumpass, club president, expressed her delight in serving with the group and how happy she was that the time had come for the club to re-assemble. She also urged the support of the members throughout the year.

Hostesses for the evening were Meses. Hubert Westfall, Eldress Gattis, Rudolph Little, Bumpass and Homer Smith.

Others present were Meses. Myrtle Anderson, Ella Birmingham, W. E. Brasher, Wayne Catton, Opal Cross, O. H. Dick, D. E. Frazer, H. L. Hassell, E. S. McAlister, Don Parker, Wendell Siebert, Thura Taylor, J. C. Whitley and James Horton, and Meses Verna Johnson and Jessie Lee Ligon.



Mrs. Anna Grace Bumpass president

Sororities to Sponsor Annual Fashion Show

The two Eastland chapters of Beta Sigma Phi will present their annual Fall Fashion Show Thursday October 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the Majestic Theater.

The latest fall fashions from Altman's Style Shop and Anderson's will be modeled by local women. Among the lines shown will be evening apparel, sports wear, street and party dresses and suits, hats, accessories and children's wear.

"Autumn Leaves" starring Joan Crawford will be the feature picture for the evening.

Tickets are one dollar and may be bought from any member of Beta Sigma Phi or at the door. A door prize will be given from each store.

New Members Are Honored By Auxiliary

New members of the Hospital Auxiliary were honored Friday morning with a coffee in the home of Mrs. Jack Frost.

Honorees were Meses. Herb Tanner, Clint McCain, F. H. Lund, Virgil Moore, Bob King, Neil Hurt, Clyde Grissom, F. W. Graham, J. A. Jarret, Ira Inzer and Johnny Aaron.

Mrs. Samuel Butler presided over the business session at which time plans were made for the Auxiliary Thrift Sale to be held November 2 and 3 in the Pullman building. Various committees were named for the sale.

A discussion was held concerning the hospital grounds and it was reported that the east grounds now had a good stand of grass.

Mrs. Grace Reed, superintendent of the Eastland Memorial Hospital, spoke to the group and mentioned outlining a definite emergency program. Ten members volunteered to be on the emergency crew if there should ever be a need for one.

Refreshments of coffee, Cokes, fruit juice, cookies and corn chips were served to those attending.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday, October 4
7 p.m. — Mrs. A. W. McBee will be hostess to the Evangel Class of the First Baptist Church in her home, 402 South Dixie for a Mexican supper and business meeting.

Monday, October 8
7:30 p.m. — Mrs. M. H. Perry will be hostess to the Xi Alpha Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in her home, 510 South Dixie.

Tuesday, October 9
7:30 p.m. — The Zeta Pi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet in the home of Mrs. Les Strawn.

Wednesday, October 10
12 noon — The Annual Opening Luncheon of the Civic League and Garden Club will be held in the Roof Garden of the Connellee Hotel. Dean Trent Root of Southern Methodist University will be the speaker.

Thursday, October 11
7:30 p.m. — The Annual Fall Fashion Show sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi will be held in the Majestic Theater. Feature show will be "Autumn Leaves" with Joan Crawford.

7:30 p.m. — Members of the Alpha Delphian Club will meet in the Woman's Club for a tea honoring the past presidents of the club.



If you look the world over, you'll never find so much good entertainment and spectacular fun as you'll find at the 1956 State Fair of Texas. This year's extravaganza, October 6 through 21, will present a kaleidoscopic program of sparkling entertainment, fashion shows, football games, livestock shows, agricultural and industrial exhibits, contests and special events, youth activities and carnival merry-making. There's something wonderful for everybody at this festival of fun!

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And the big name talent: ELVIS PRESLEY on October 11, LOUIS ARMSTRONG on October 15, THE SPORTSMEN and ROGER WILLIAMS on October 16, VICTOR BORGE on October 20, FIESTA MEXICANA on October 9.

The fabulous sights: an ESPERANZA OF LIGHT, PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK SHOW, a GALLERY OF PRESIDENTS in the Art Museum, amazing EXHIBITS in the Automobile Show, Electric Show, Gas Show, Women's Building, Food Show, Farm Implement Exhibits, Agriculture Show.

Not to mention free band concerts, aerial acts and free shows at the INTERNATIONAL CENTER with exhibits of thirteen foreign countries, free MAGIC SHOW, PLANETARIUM.

Naturally, I'll be there to greet you... and to introduce you to my new pet Hereford. He's only 12 feet tall, but he's mighty cute.

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Mrs. Neil Day Entertains CWF Group Monday

Group No. 3 of the First Christian Church met in the home of their chairman, Mrs. Neil Day, Monday for a call meeting.

Mrs. Leonard Huckabay opened the meeting with prayer after which Mrs. R. L. Carpenter presented the devotional on "Howdy Neighbor" and "The Indian Way of Life."

Mrs. Day presided over a short business session. The lesson, "Saul Became King" was given by Mrs.

Huckabay followed by a social hour.

A delicious dessert plate was served to the following members: Meses. Dixie Williamson, Henry Farrell, Leonard Huckabay, R. L. Carpenter, Curtis Young and son, Gary and the hostess, Mrs. Day.

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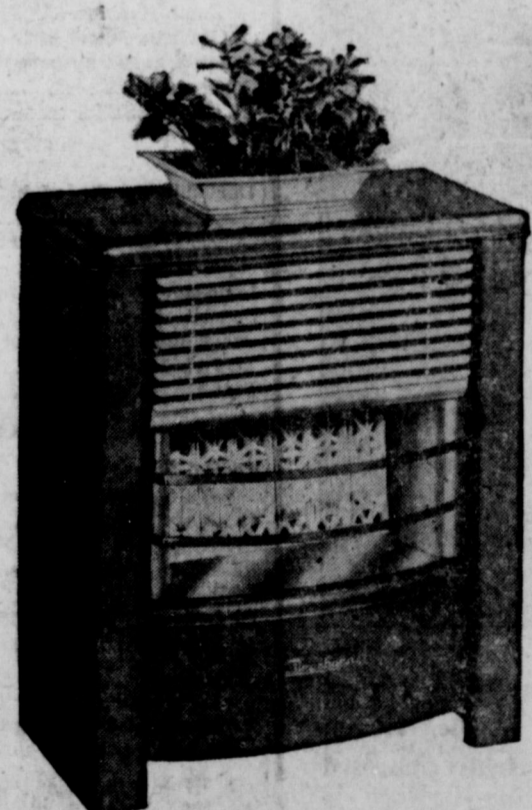
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Receiving the guests were the honorees, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones of Clovis, New Mexico, their niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Poscomb Landrith of Waco and Mrs. Leon Bourland. Mrs. J. C. Allison registered the guests.

Others in the house party were Mes. Clarence Cornelius, Odie Knox, Marene Johnson, J. O. Earnest, Martha Hubbard and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woods.

Assisting in serving the white and gold cake and frosted orange punch were Misses Dixie Day, Sandy Taylor and Betty Bourland. A fan shaped arrangement of bronze and yellow mums centered the table.

Rural Youth Day Oct. 6 at Fair

More than 100,000 farm boys and girls from every section of Texas will be guests of the State fair of Texas on Rural Youth day, Saturday, Oct. 6, Ray W. Wilson, manager of the fair's youth activities department, has announced. This is the opening day of the 1956 fair.

"The youngsters will begin arriving long before daylight at state fair park, in what probably is the largest annual mass movement of youth in the Southwest," Wilson said.

"They will arrive in almost every conceivable type of motor vehicle, from giant house trailers and school buses to private cars and pickup trucks. More than 60,000 of them will be luncheon guests of Dallas businessmen at the fair's annual rural youth picnic."

Wilson said county and home demonstration agents and vocational agriculture teachers were requesting record numbers of passes for their 4-H club, Future

Farmer and Future Homemak charges.

Dallas businessmen annual underwrite the expenses of the gigantic rural youth picnic. The year a \$31,000 budget is being raised through the Dallas chamber of commerce. W. W. Overton, Jr. president of the chamber, is director of the program.

Rural Youth day this year will be preceded on Friday evening Oct. 5, with the annual Home Award dinner in the Crystal ball room of the Baker hotel. The dinner will honor 44 of the state's outstanding 4-H club boys and girls, Future Farmers and Future Homemakers.

Youth activities constitute a major division of the State fair operation. More than 2000 youngsters will have entries in the fair junior livestock and poultry shows, which are scheduled throughout the 16 days of the fair.

High point of interest of the junior shows lies in the auction whose total gross reaches upward toward \$180,000. Sales scheduled for the 1956 state fair include: steers on Oct. 19; all lambs and pigs, Oct. 20; market turkeys, Oct. 10, and broilers, Oct. 16.

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We cannot fully express with words our deep appreciation for the loving kindness shown us by our many friends at the loss of our darling baby.

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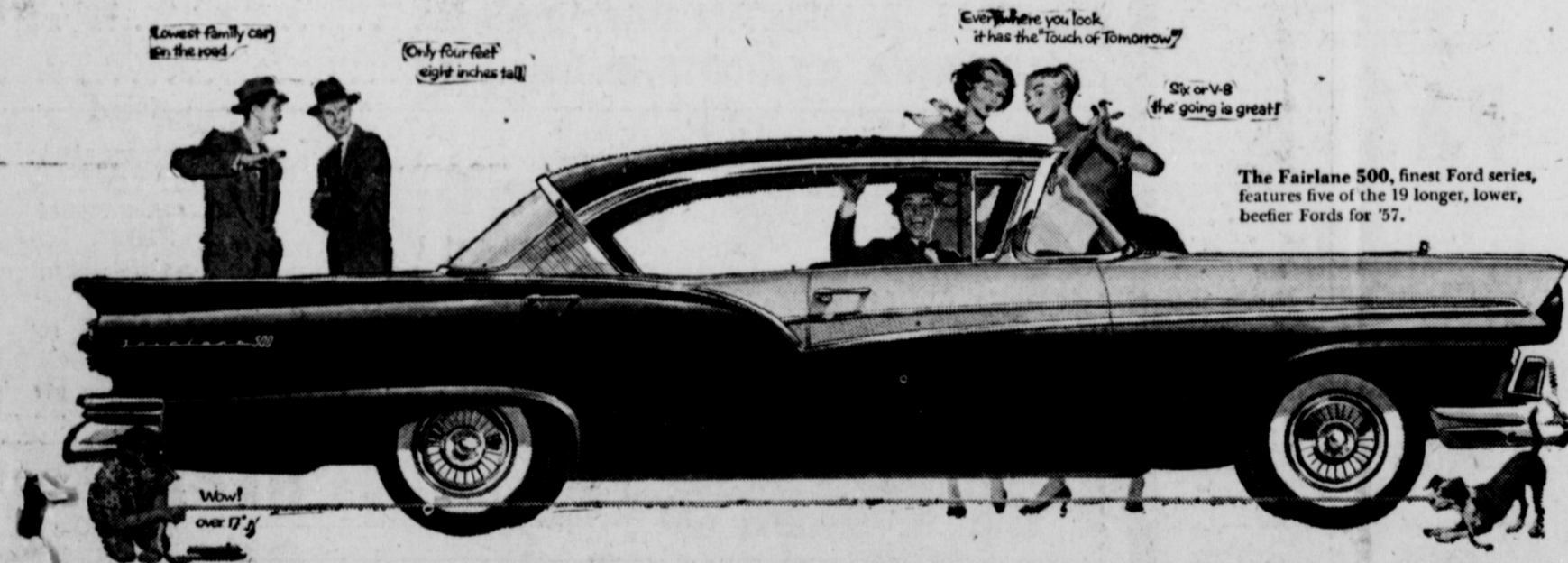


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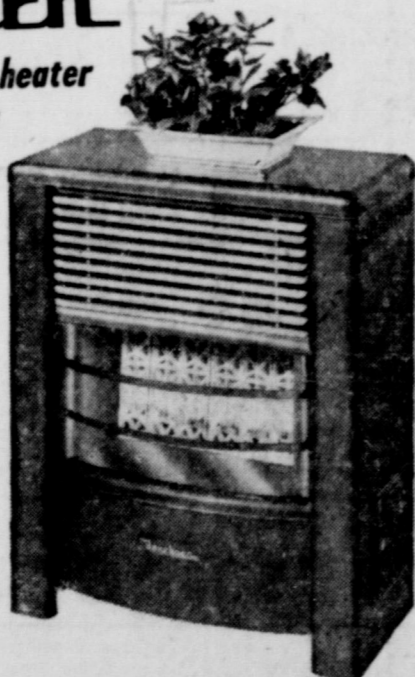
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