

It is a pretty good practice for a person to take at least thirty minutes off every day or two and get off to himself and think.

They say that many a man who used to be known for his deeds is now known by his mortgages.

Nothing can keep this old town from making the best town in this section but its own citizens. Some of them, however, seem to be working hard at the job.

Spain is said to be slowly recovering from a very lengthy attack of the Bourbonic plague.

Gales of laughter are recommended for blowing away dark clouds.

Program for 4th of July Shoot

Much interest is being shown in the 4th of July shoot being planned by the Eastland American Legion Gun Club. A splendid program has been arranged. The shoot will be open to all shooters in rifle, skeet, and trap events. A new feature of this shoot will be the dividing of all shooters into class A and class B, truly giving each one an equal chance at the prizes. Following is the program that has been arranged:

Rifle 200 yards, prone position. Two classes. Money prizes. Entrance fee for class A shooters: \$2.50 each event. \$2.00 of this goes in pot and is divided 49 per cent, 30 per cent, 20 per cent, 10 per cent.

Entrance fee for class B shooters: \$1.50 each event. \$1.00 of this goes in pot and is divided 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent. Club retains the 50c to cover expenses.

Five events—10 shots each. Class A—Average 44 out of 50 or above. Class B—Average 43 out of 50 or below.

Skeet Four events—25 targets in each event. Class A—Average 18 and above; entrance fee \$2.00. Class B—Average 17 and below; entrance fee \$1.00.

All entrance fee money goes to winners in four places 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

Trap Four events—25 targets in each event. Class A—Average 20 and above; entrance fee, .200. Class B—Average 19 and below; entrance fee, \$1.00.

All entrance fee money goes to winners in four places, 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

Junior Event Open to all boys not over 15 years old. Five prizes. One prize to five high scores, 10 shots at 75 feet, off hand, .22 rifle. No entrance fees. Each boy furnishes own ammunition. Starts promptly at 3:00 o'clock.

Women's Events Five prizes. One prize to five high scores, 10 shots at 75 feet, off hand. Any rifle. No entrance fees.

All clay targets 2 cents each. Shells for sale on grounds. Practice hours from 8 a. m. to 10 a. m. Main events start at 10 a. m. and extend until dark.

The entrance fee in rifle events is compulsory—in shotgun events optional. Shooters can enter for any or all events.

Shooters will be classified according to known ability. Management reserves right to change any classification upon complaint of three shooters.

MAN HELD BY RANGER POLICE

One man was held Wednesday for questioning in connection with the hijacking of W. H. Trescott last week.

No charges had been filed by police and the man had made no statement. It was not known what disposition would be made of him until after he had been questioned by police, who said they did not know whether he knew anything about the hijacking.

One man was arrested the latter part of last week and was released on bond of \$1,500 to await action of the grand jury.

ART EXHIBIT AT BRECK The "Le Petite" Art Club of Breckenridge, Texas, will have an exhibit of some 66 canvasses, many of them original, in the Taylor Building, 225 West Walker St., Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, which will be open to the public, free of charge. The hours will be from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. The subjects cover a wide range and many original Texas Bluebonnets will be displayed. The Rev. Herbert G. Markley, Presbyterian minister is president of this club.

DIRECTORY RECEIVED A new 1931 directory of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, has been received at the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, Dr. H. B. Tanner, secretary, announces.

Events of Week Around W. M. U.

Considerable progress has been made on the University campus during the last few weeks. Three of the male students have been working since the close of school cutting down the scrubby bushes and pruning the most desirable trees. Many improvements are to be made before the opening of school in September.

Many of the instructors are away during the summer months. However, Dean E. O. Bailey is expected to return in a couple of weeks from a much needed rest. Dr. J. T. Wilson, president of W. M. U., is attending the International Camp Meeting of the Church of God, at Anderson, Indiana. Dr. Wilson is one of the main speakers at this meeting.

Professor Irvin Parker, wife, and young son, arrived in Eastland about two weeks ago to take up his duties at the W. M. U. as instructor of Natural Sciences, Miss Mildred McDowell and Professor Barnett are looking after the office in the absence of the President and Dean. Professor Ward has been interviewing the graduates of Eastland High school and the neighboring high schools. He finds that several are making plans to enter W. M. U. in September.

It is expected that the enrollment of students will be considerably larger this year. Prospects are very encouraging. It is suggested that all who expect to enter W. M. U. in the fall make application as soon as possible.

Texas Editors To Meet Next In Mineral Wells

SAN ANGELO, June 18.—Mineral Wells was selected as the 1932 convention city and R. L. Scott of the Free Press, De Leon, was elevated to the presidency Saturday morning in the closing session of the three-day convention here of the Texas Press Association.

Lowry Martin of Corsicana was named to the vice presidency vacated by Scott to accept the chief executive's post.

Sam P. Harben of Richardson was renominated secretary for this twenty-fourth year and B. F. Harigel of LaGrange was reappointed treasurer.

The executive committee, composed of three representatives of the weekly press, two of the daily, and one of Texas periodicals, includes Harry Hornsby of Uvalde, M. B. Smith of Farmersville, and H. H. Jackson of Coleman in the weekly division; M. B. Hanks of Abilene and J. Lee Greer of Denison in the daily, and Joe Kempton of the periodicals.

The new apportionment of the executive committee among the publications group was approved in a constitutional amendment voted Saturday. An increase in dues also was provided.

Port Arthur, Mineral Wells and College Station competed for the next convention. Cleburne, which had been in the race, withdrew in favor of Mineral Wells and served notice of another request for the 1933 convention.

Resolutions passed included the endorsement for the Texas centennial project which would be staged in 1936 if a constitutional amendment is passed; endorsement of the five-hour program of Progressive Texans, Inc., sponsored by the three regional chambers of commerce, and declared the editors in favor of a revision in highway financing plans to secure a connected system of paved highways throughout the State.

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Eastland to Be Host to Singers At Next Meeting

Eastland was chosen as the next meeting place of the T-P Sunshine Singing convention at the annual meeting Saturday and Sunday in Gorman. Big Spring was the only other application for the meeting and the vote to meet in Eastland was finally made unanimous. The next meeting will be held in June.

The convention was organized and the first meeting was held in Eastland about seven years ago. Eastland entertained the convention one time since.

This convention is one of the largest from the standpoint of territory covered and the number of people attending, in the state. It takes in more than 20 counties and attendance for the past several years has run into the thousands at each meeting. The crowd at Gorman Sunday filled the large Church of God auditorium to overflowing and was estimated at around 4,000.

A large delegation from Eastland, including J. C. Day, secretary of the Eastland Retail Merchants' association, attended the meeting. Mr. Day addressed the convention and invited the next convention to meet in Eastland.

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JAMBOREE OF BOY SCOUTS BIG SUCCESS

Troop 6, of Eastland took first place at the Boy Scout Jamboree last Saturday, with Troop 15, of Rising Star for second, and Troop 3, Eastland, placed for third. Scouts from Breckenridge, Cisco, Rising Star, Gorman, Carbon and Eastland participated in the contests.

A big camp fire was held Friday night with Homer Brelsford, Jr., president of the Oil Belt council, giving the boys a rousing welcome talk. Several visitors had words of encouragement to give the scouts. Then they had contests, stunts, challenges, etc., under the direction of H. B. Tanner who acted as camp fire chief. It looked like it was going to rain all night, which worried some of the leaders, but the scouts seemed to take it much better after they once got to sleep.

A beautiful camp ground in the forks of the Leon River about one and a half miles east of Eastland was used for the Jamboree, through the courtesy of Mrs. Joe B. Truly. The scouts gave three big HOWS for this privilege.

Saturday morning witnessed a real sight when the scouts began to make their breakfast camp fires. Camp fire-wood, hot cakes and that bacon smell, made the scout remember the 13 scout law (made by the scouts) 'A Scout is Hungry.'

The contests started at 9 o'clock and a noon lunch was given by the council. Drinks were given by Wayne Jones, manager, of the Coca Cola company.

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Thomas Davis On Trial This Week

Thomas Davis, Eastland county youth, went on trial Thursday morning in Judge Elzo Been's 88th district court on a charge of murder in connection with the slaying of Leon Shook in Sept. 1928. At noon Thursday three jurors had been selected and it appeared sure that the jury would be completed Thursday. Three days was expected to be consumed in trying the case. A special venire of 100 men were summoned from which to select the jury.

Davis and Clyde Thompson were indicted on charges of murder in connection with the slaying of Leon Shook, brother of Leon killed at the same time Leon was killed. Thompson stood trial twice and each time received the death penalty. He also was given a sanity hearing and was found sane by the jury. He was sentenced to die in the electric chair and is now under a reprieve granted by Governor Sterling. Davis was sentenced to death in

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### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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### "GYP SHEETS" VS. LEGITIMATE PUBLICATIONS

Like other epidemics that hit the country ever so often the "gyp sheet" artist comes along every few years. He always hits the town where he can find a local fight on and where he has an opportunity to build up around some fancied hatred of other institutions or on manufactured prejudice.

Not only do these kind of promoters set up in opposition to regularly established newspapers in the town, but some of them—sometimes it is the same fellow—is one of these fly-by-night merchants who does nothing else but collect bankrupt and fire damaged stocks of merchandise over the country moves them into a town and by making a great noise draws a lot of people into his store and sells them merchandise and makes them believe they are getting bargains. We have never yet seen a bargain come out of one of these fly-by-night stores. They just simply do not have them. They are a cheap outfit to start with and what they sell is cheap.

The surprising thing is that merchants, many times the leading merchants of the town, fall for these "gyp schemes." We say they are "gyp sheets" because they are. They know the public will not tolerate them unless they have news in them. Therefore they put in a few local items, some stale farm news, a few church and social items—just enough to fool the readers; for the merchant they have another line. They tell him they are circulating their "newspaper" free; that the time has come when newspapers should not charge for the services they render the readers—and in their case it is true for they render no service—that they are the only medium that covers the territory completely, when it could be ascertained with little trouble that they only print a few hundred copies of each edition and pass them around. Check up at the post office and see how much these "sheets" are paying to your postmaster.

These promoters usually harp on the fact that they are loyal to the town and trade at home. Nine times out of ten if you sell one of them anything you have to cut the price half in two to interest him and then cut it two or three more times before you see them. We have never seen one yet that wouldn't go out of town to buy if he could save a dime. We know of one who built his home just outside the city limits in order to avoid paying city taxes on it and then told the people he was a home owner in the city.

Where they "gyp" the merchants is that they print and circulate and charge the advertisers newspaper rates for it. There are a number of these "gyp sheets" being put out in the Oilbelt at this time. The operators are charging advertisers, we have been informed, 50 cents per inch and by feeding the merchant a lot of bunk get them in in groups—they couldn't handle the situation in any other way—and give them a good skinning. We say skinning because that is just what they do. If the advertiser in these "gyp sheets" will take time to do a little figuring and thinking for himself he will find that any well equipped printing establishment can print and circulate most any of these sheets at half the price the merchants contribute to them and still make a little profit. The Weekly Chronicle can produce any "sheet" of this kind that has been published in Eastland or any of the nearby towns within a year at half the price it has cost the advertisers and make money on it. Where the advertiser gets hooked on these deals is that the promoter gets him all steamed up and sells him newspaper space when he is only delivering "circular."

This is a free country. Men have a right to print "gyp sheets" if they want to and advertisers have a right to pay them two prices for their space if they want to. But the consuming public also has some rights. No merchant has a right to expect his customers to stay with him and buy his goods when he is not putting forth every effort to sell them to him at as cheap a price as possible.

Another thought; if the average advertiser will look closely into the inner workings of these "gyp sheets" they will usually find that there is some individual advertiser who is "daddy" the enterprise. In other words he can always be depended upon for copy—

and to boost the game along, and who believes otherwise than that this "daddy" gets the long end of the deal so far as advertisers are concerned.

### LEST YOU FORGET

Lest you forget we want to again remind you that the Weekly Chronicle is your newspaper. And when we say your newspaper we mean the people of Eastland and the remainder of the county as well.

We are here to help you fight your battles, regardless of what they are, if they are such as can be fought out in the newspapers. We are here to further your interests in every way possible.

The Weekly Chronicle is not being built on manufactured prejudices against any person or institution. Eastland has had entirely too much of that.

Remember that we want your news items, social, church, fraternal and others. Also we would remind you of the fact that no newspaper, unless it has unlimited means, can run without an income from its advertising columns so we ask that you make it a point to trade as much as possible with the business interests who patronize your newspaper.

### DON'T BE MISLED

Mr. Laboring Man of Eastland, don't be misled. This newspaper and its publisher is for you; we have always been for you and will continue to be.

The Weekly Chronicle, despite the false reports put out by "gyp sheets" is the only newspaper in Eastland that is printed and published entirely with Eastland labor. The news is gathered, the type is set and the press work is done solely by Eastland labor—men and women who live and spend their wages in Eastland.

And another thing, we are not dictated to by anyone. We believe that a lot of work in Eastland is being given to outsiders and transients that should be let to local labor. For instance almost every day we see outsiders repainting or repairing buildings when the work could just as well be done by local labor to whom it justly belongs.

### WE APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION

The Weekly Chronicle greatly appreciates the splendid cooperation it is receiving from the pastors, heads of church organizations and individual church members of Eastland as well as others in gathering news for the paper.

Also we appreciate the co-operation of the business firms of Eastland who have become advertisers in the paper. We believe the Weekly Chronicle is unquestionably the best advertising medium in the county. We are sure it is the best medium for Eastland advertisers, as it covers their trade territory more thoroughly than any other medium.

### ARE YOU SHOOTING FAIR?

Mr. Merchant, when you want a clean-up campaign of any kind in the city you go to the regularly established newspapers of the town who have some influence and ask them to foster such a campaign. For a purpose of this kind you would not rely on a "circular" or "gyp sheet." If your church was putting on a drive for funds with which to lift a church debt; if the Boy Scouts had to have financial assistance; if your band, which is always a valuable asset to any town, had to have help, you would not go to the "circular" then is it fair that only when you want advertising you go to the "circular" and "gyp sheet"? Think it over; that is what your customers are doing and they are going to answer the question for you if you do not answer it first and that answer is going to be, "We want the regularly established and legitimate newspaper."

### ARE WE A BUNCH OF COMMERCIAL COWARDS?

Dr. H. E. Tanner, efficient secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, spoke his mind, as he frequently does, before a group of Eastland business men assembled recently to discuss matters vitally important to the commercial advancement of Eastland.

Dr. Tanner, in his direct and forceful way, said: "Gentlemen, if you are afraid of competition or if you feel and admit to yourself that you are unable to meet the competition of merchants in other towns, you had as well hang erebe on your doors and get out for your competitor you will have with you always. It is just as impossible for you to keep the people of Eastland from going to other towns to see what their merchants are offering—and buying from them for that matter—as it would be for you to force them to look at show windows on only one side of the streets in your own town. The only thing you can do is to meet this competition and draw trade from the other fellow while he is drawing it from you."

### THE CITY'S SANITARY PROBLEMS

Some of the streets of Eastland are dirty and others are filthy. Only a few—a very few—are as clean as they should be. We have no complaint to make at anyone just now. We understand conditions are such that those in charge are handicapped in doing their work. Our only purpose in referring to the matter at this time is to try and impress upon the minds of the citizens that everyone should put forth their very best efforts to help keep the trash and rubbish off the streets. We can all help. Let's do it.

## Social News

### Attended Sweetwater Convention

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Turner accompanied by Fletcher Nelson and Miss Opal Hunt, left Thursday morning for the Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. District Baptist Convention, in Sweetwater. The one day meeting covered 24 or more counties in Texas. Eastland county people who appeared on the program were Rev. H. H. Stephens, of Ranger, and Rev. C. S. James of Cisco. The prominent State B. Y. P. U. and Sunday School leaders who took part on the program were T. C. Gardner, State B. Y. P. U. secretary, and G. S. Hopkins, State Sunday School secretary.

### Swim and Picnic Enjoyed Wednesday

Edna Clark entertained Wednesday afternoon with a swimming party at Lake Olden. After a delightful swim the little guests enjoyed a delicious picnic supper. Those present were Alma Williams, Lucie Bell Smith, Alice Jones, Ann Clark, Jerry Russell, Eleanor Ruth Ferguson and the little hostess.

### Full Scholarship Awarded Ellen Ayers Rice

Ellen Ayers Rice, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Rice of Gordon, last week was awarded the full scholarship from the Drago studio, in recognition of her splendid work. At the age of three Ellen Ayers chose the violin as her instrument and shortly before her sixth birthday began study under her present teacher, Miss Wilda Drago.

With her unusual talent she could not do the work she does without her desire and pleasure in hard practice and the wonderful instruction she receives from her teacher, Miss Drago.

She has appeared on many programs in Eastland. She played on the all-state junior fine arts program during the State Federation of Music Clubs Convention in Temple this year. She also appeared on the program of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce annual banquet in December and the Choral Club recital during National Music Week.

### Shower Given For Mrs. Earl Imer

Members of the St. Francis Altar Society complimented Mrs. Earl Imer with a shower, Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Paul Brown, at 8:00 o'clock.

Delicious refreshments of fruit punch and ice cream and cake were served to Mrs. Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilkins, Miss Maloney, Mrs. Francis Leary, John Leary, Mrs. Frank Bida, Mrs. Lemmertz, William Graham, Nora Wilkins, George Wilkins, Mrs. Jelks, Rev. Collins, Mrs. Paul Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Imer.

### North Zone W. M. S. Met Thursday In Cisco

The North Zone Woman's Missionary Society met in Cisco Thursday, June 18, at 10:00 a. m. Mrs. S. P. Boone, of Ranger, presided over the meeting. Mrs. C. F. Schaedel, returned missionary from Africa, gave a very interesting talk.

### Monthly Workers Meeting Met Tuesday

The Monthly Workers meeting of the Cisco Baptist Association met Tuesday in Rising Star. A very enjoyable program was rendered. Interesting talks were made by Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Turner of Eastland. Reports of the revivals in the larger churches were made. The revivals which have been held this year have been very successful. Plans were made for revivals to be held in the churches of smaller communities during the summer. A large crowd attended the meeting.

### Breckenridge Young People's Forum Presented Program

The Breckenridge Young People's Forum gave a splendid program at the union services which were held here Sunday night at the Methodist tabernacle. Mr. and Mrs. Russell B. Jones, formerly of Eastland, were the organizers of the forum. About 20 members accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jones, appeared on the program.

### Miss Wilda Drago to Spend Vacation In California

Miss Wilda Drago, talented violinist and piano instructor will not go to Europe this summer as planned. Her coach in Europe has advised her to wait until the European conditions change. Miss Drago will teach a six week's summer course. At the end of the term she will leave for California for a vacation until time to begin her fall term.

Miss Grace Butler of Georgetown who won second place in the State Federation of Music Club Convention in Temple this year, will study with Miss Drago in her summer course.

Mrs. Drago says that she has a hard time keeping her daughter here as so many colleges and cities offer her such wonderful opportunities. Miss Drago is a lover of her home and parents and prefers staying in Eastland as she says Eastland has so many talented artists.

### Thorny Crop

Little Willie had gone to bring the kittens in. His father, hearing a shrill meowing, called out: "Don't hurt the kittens, Willie!" "Oh, no," said Willie, "I'm carrying them very carefully by the stems!"

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Johnson and boys motored to Abilene Sunday to take J. C. Hargrove Jr., home after a week's visit with Jack and Billie Johnson, who will spend the week in Abilene.

Mrs. Bettie Bowie and daughter Miss Bessie of Hico are here visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Frank Robinson. Mrs. Bowie is recovering from a serious illness.

Miss Odell Bently of Gernym is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jones.

Mrs. C. H. McBees visited her sister, Mrs. C. Burns, at Goree last week-end.

Mrs. O. Hooks of Lone Star Camp No. 2 was an Eastland visitor last week-end.

Misses Gwendolyn Jones, Beth Judkins and Fannie Wolf, accompanied by Mrs. Ora B. Jones, attended the Grand Assembly of the Rainbow Girls at San Antonio last week.

Billie Jones, son of Mrs. Ora B. Jones has returned from Brownwood where he spent two weeks visiting his uncle, Dr. Albert Duffer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hawley and children of Odessa are visiting Mrs. Hawley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith.

Paul Brown was a business visitor in Midland this week.

Howard Matthews, wife and baby of Ranger, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Hub" Matthews last week-end.

Jess Barnett has returned from the East Texas oil fields.

Editor W. L. Garner and wife of Strawn visited their son, Carl Garner of the Weekly Chronicle, Sunday.

Mrs. Bryan Brelsford left Tuesday for Tyler where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brelsford. She will also visit in Dallas before returning home.

Mrs. Geo. Davison, who has been spending the past several weeks with her husband in East Texas, was here this week.

Miss Jaunita Cross of Austin has returned home after a visit to Miss Charlyne Harrison.

Elmer Seagan of Hamlin is visiting his aunt, Mrs. H. S. Cowser, of Hillcrest.

Miss Margaret Belle Wynn is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Seagan, in Hamlin.

Bobbie Cowser is visiting relatives in Hamlin.

Little Miss Ouida Jane Harbin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Harbin, who recently underwent an appendicitis operation, is again at home.

Miss Virginia Neil Little is in Dallas for a several weeks visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Edith Matchat of San Antonio is visiting in the Dave Wolf home.

T. A. Jones is visiting his brother, Thebert Jones, who lives on a ranch near Brownwood.

Mrs. Robert Goodman of El Paso is visiting friends and relatives here. Also she will visit her mother, Mrs. P. L. Parker at Breckenridge, before returning home.

Mrs. Mae Stevens of Dallas has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Harold Lobough, of this city.

Mrs. Harold Lobough expects to leave soon for Kentucky where she will spend most of the summer visiting relatives.

Mrs. Francis Jones and Mrs. Joe Stephen accompanied their mother, Mrs. W. G. Buhl, on her return home to Abilene Tuesday.

Mrs. N. W. Ellis of Midland was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Paul Brown.

Mrs. C. A. Baines has returned from Odessa where she visited her son, J. M. Baines, and family.

Mrs. A. S. Cross and son, Jim, have returned to their home in Austin after a visit here to Mrs. Cross' mother, Mrs. C. A. Baines.

Coy Thompson, wife and little daughter of Abilene, were here this week on business and visiting their parents, L. H. Thompson and wife, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brashears.

Irvin F. Parker, wife and baby of Fuquay Springs, N. C., have arrived in Eastland and will make this city their home. Mr. Parker will be a member of the faculty of Warner Memorial University. He will teach science.

Mrs. R. E. Thexton, enroute from Oklahoma to her home in Gilas Bend, Arizona, stopped here Thursday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. O. H. Doss.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brelsford Jr., are moving out of the Sam Semple home where they have resided since their home was damaged by fire some weeks ago. Mrs.

Brelsford will visit her mother, Mrs. Gates in Gorman, while remodeling of their home is being completed.

Mrs. Sam Semple of Tyler was a guest of Mrs. John M. Mouser this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Martin of the States Oil Corporation, have moved to Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Owen left Wednesday afternoon to spend several days with relatives in Fort Worth.

Miss Rosalyn Coleman, who has been attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. D. Parker. She will return in a few days to her home in Vernon.

Judge Shropshire of Weatherford was here this week attending court.

J. Lee Cearley, Cisco attorney, was a business visitor in the city the first of the week.

R. B. Braly has gone to Silverton, where he has work.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite are visiting relatives in Crockett.

Hubert Toombs is attending the druggists convention in Dallas this week.

Miss Pauline Strickland of San Antonio arrived Wednesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. O. C. Funderburk. She expects to be in the city several weeks.

Geo. Harrell of Hamlin was in Eastland Wednesday. Mr. Harrell and family lived for a number of years here where he was connected with the Texas State Bank.

Miss Merle Tierer visited this week in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Jarbo and two children, Jimmie and Jerry, are spending their vacation in Oklahoma.

Samuel Butler has returned from a business trip to St. Louis.

Miss Rosalie Leslie, daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. P. Leslie, will leave soon with a party of friends for an extended visit to the "Dude" ranches.

H. M. Keeling, former Eastland

newspaper man, but who now is traveling out of Dallas, was a visitor at the Weekly Chronicle office Wednesday. Mr. Keeling had not been in Eastland for several years. Eastland, he said, was holding up much better than many other towns over the state.

Miss Blanche L. Tanner arrived in Eastland Monday from her home in Seattle, Washington, to spend the summer with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Tanner. Miss Tanner is principal of two of the public schools of Seattle.

A. J. Dunca, president of the Texas Electric Service Company, was here Wednesday from Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Davis went to Ranger Sunday morning to attend the funeral of the infant of Roy McCleskey and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chapman of Memphis, Texas, where Mr. Chapman is employed as manager of the Hanna-Pope Dry Goods company, are in Eastland for a few days visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Moore. Coming by the way of Spur, they picked up Mrs. M. W. Chapman, the mother of Mrs. Moore and Mr. Chapman and brought her on to Eastland where she will stay until the Chapmans return from Dallas for a few days of business and pleasure.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dabney and family of Eastland were in Ranger last evening visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cox on Elm street.

**FIRE DOES LITTLE DAMAGE**  
Fire partly destroyed a small house on Ray street, Ranger, Monday night about 10 o'clock, but the department put out the blaze with very little damage.

The building was being used to store furniture. Two or three mattresses were damaged by the fire and the building was slightly burned.

Eastland was favored Wednesday with a visit from J. C. Spencer, secretary of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, who was in town attending to business.

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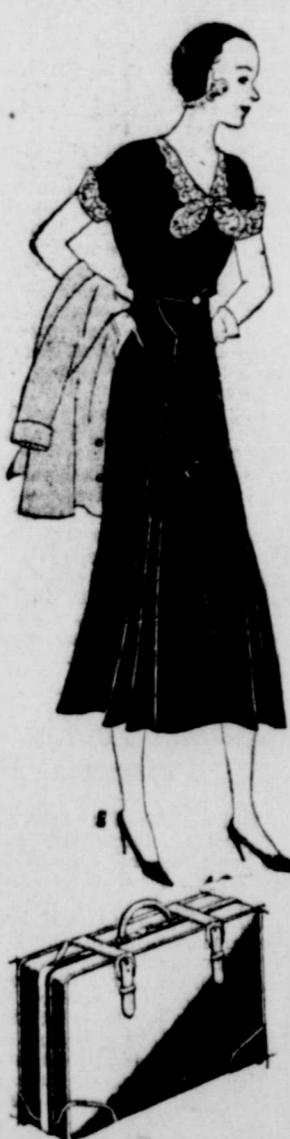
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The Sin of Causing Others to Stumble



Text: Romans 15:13-23.

Let us not therefore judge one another any more; but judge this rather, that no man put a stumblingblock or an occasion to fall in his brother's way.

I know, and am persuaded by the Lord Jesus, that there is nothing unclean in itself; but to him that esteemeth any thing to be unclean, to him it is unclean.

But if thy brother be grieved with thy meat, now walkest thou not charitably. Destroy not him with thy meat, for whom Christ died.

For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.

For he that in these things serveth Christ is acceptable to God, and approved of men.

Let us therefore follow after the things which make for peace, and things wherewith one may edify another.

For meat destroy not the work of God. All things indeed are pure; but it is evil for that man who eateth with offence.

It is good neither to eat flesh, nor to drink wine, nor any thing whereby thy brother stumbleth, or is offended, or is made weak.

Hast thou faith? Have it to thyself before God. Happy is he that condemneth not himself in that thing which he alloweth.

And he that doubteth is damned if he eat, because he eateth not of faith: for whatsoever is not of faith is sin.

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for June 21. The Sin of Causing Others to Stumble. Romans 14:13-23.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D., Editor of The Congregationalist.

In our lesson Paul presents what would seem upon the surface to be two conflicting principles, or rather he presents principles in the presence of what might seem to be conflicting attitudes. He says that we are not to judge one another in matters of formal conduct, and the logic of this rule would seem to be that each man should act according to the dictates of his own conscience without reference to what he thinks of others or what others think of him.

But Paul immediately goes on to point out that though we are not to judge others there is a sense in which we may live above this plane of judgment in not putting occasion of offense in our brother's way.

I have often doubted how far Paul would uphold this rule in our modern life. Sometimes I think that we have taken advantage of Paul's rule to encourage a carping and critical spirit which Paul himself condemned. In developing strict attitudes concerning things that are not wrong in themselves we have been in danger of making concessions to weakness and of according far too much power to critical and censorious people who are not really weak but who like to find fault with others.

There are times when it would seem we should say to men and women "Live your life upon its own basis. Do not be influenced simply by what others are doing, but realizing that God will give you guidance and help plan and do for yourself what you believe to be right."

One thing is certain, that in the present world we need strong conscientious characters who do not fear the criticisms of their fellow men, who do not hesitate to do what they believe to be right, and who are not unduly hesitant in refraining from courses of action that they would follow were it not for the fear of their censorious brethren.

But having said this, one must recognize also that a situation much like that which confronted Paul is always found where problems of conduct arise. One of the most acute problems concerning these early Christians was that of eating meat offered to idols. When such an offering was made the carcass was not entirely consumed, and the unconsumed portions were sold in the shambles or market stalls. Probably it was just as good meat as other meat. There were some Christians who, recognizing this, bought it for food, but others said, "It has been offered to idols, therefore, we cannot eat it."

Scoffed at Idols.

The Christians of strong mind said, "An idol is nothing. The offering of the food did not in any way affect its character. Why should we recognize at all the fact that it has even been offered to idols?" So they ate it with a good conscience. But their weaker brethren could not quite see it in that light, and probably there were those outside of Christian circles altogether who regarded the eating of the meat offered to idols as inconsistent with Christian profession.

Now toward this situation Paul took rather a practical and common sense attitude. He seemed to agree on the whole with those who said that the idol was nothing, that the meat was good for food to those who ate it without questioning, but he saw, also, that there was the problem of nurturing these weaker brethren and bringing them to a position of strength.

Paul did this by asserting definitely the Christian principles of liberty, and by interpreting the wisdom of a practical action in the presence of those principles. The trouble is that so often in adjusting matters of this kind and in trying to adapt ourselves to the position of the weaker brother we reduce the principles themselves to weakness and make the liberty of Christ really of no effect.

The Practical Side. A lesson like this is to be studied as much in the light of its large principle as in the light of its lesser application in practical experience. When men allow narrowness and prejudice and smallness of view to rule their conduct instead of living upon the plane of high principle and magnanimity toward their fellow men, in thought and in action, the cause of true religion suffers; even Christianity itself becomes a matter of rules and regulations and negotiations, rather than a matter of a free spirit manifesting itself in largeness of aspiration for right living and for services in the spirit of love.

It makes a great deal of difference whether we interpret Christianity in its affirmative glory or limit it to a matter of negation and restraint. Where the spirit of the Lord is there is liberty. We should never forget that, but we should always remember that the liberty is the spirit of the Lord.

HONEY USEFUL IN RADIATOR

Honey is a year round friend of the motorist. In the winter it provides a good anti-freeze solution for the radiator, and in the summer it helps to keep the radiator cool, since it has a higher boiling point than water.

This rather unusual use of honey is not uncommon in the West, according to J. I. Hambleton, but specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. In mountainous countries where motors naturally overheat, and in dry regions where water along the roadside is scarce, honey is particularly useful in radiators. One man is known to have used the same solution in his radiator for seven or eight years.

While there are advantages in having honey in the radiator water, there are likewise disadvantages. Honey will pass through openings too small for water. This means that gaskets and radiator hose connections on a car must be very tight if honey is to be used. Otherwise the honey might leak into the cylinders and cause serious damage.

Jo Earl Utz, Gaynell Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. John Gladden motored to Fort Worth Sunday.

G. E. Knight and wife of Tahoka were here this week attending court. The Knights formerly lived here, but had not been in the city for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robason and daughter, Miss Imogene, attended the convention of bus owners and operators held this week in Fort Worth.

Little Joe Gibson of Rising Star is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. B. Braly.

Churches

SPECIAL B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

An exceptionally interesting Bible Study Program was rendered by Senior B. Y. P. U. members Sunday evening in the beautifully decorated "upper room" of the Baptist church. The spacious room was filled almost to its capacity, with young people of the church and also several visitors.

The room arranged appropriately to give the appearance of a home scene, made the service exceedingly impressive and attractive. Brief inspirational subjects were discussed by Miss Opal Hunt, the enthusiastic president; Virgil Murphy, Ruth May, Eva Lois Gold, Fay Thomas, Kate Wood, W. Jackson and Misses Irene Williams and Merle Crockett.

The Rev. W. T. Turner, pastor gave some words of encouragement to the B. Y. P. U. complimenting the program and praising his young people in their church activities. Another extraordinary program is planned for next Sunday evening at seven o'clock, and a cordial invitation is extended to all young people to be present for the occasion.

This Baptist Young People's Union is truly a training service of the church and here is where the abilities are discovered and developed according to 2nd Timothy 2:15: "We study that we may serve." Come and see!

B. Y. P. U. means: Back Your Pastor Up, not "Be Your Pastor's Undertaker."

Reporter.

BAPTIST CHURCH

W. T. Turner, Pastor

The pastor is planning a series of summertime Sunday night sermons which will be of special interest. The services begin at 8:00 o'clock and continue for one hour only. Our Sunday night services have been well attended the last two summers, and the indications are we will have an increase of attendance this summer.

Our morning services begin at 10:45 and close at 11:45 during the summer months. We have had nine additions to the church since June 1st, and expect others this Sunday. Let all of our people plan to see that the usual summertime slump does not reach us this summer.

The Sunday School meets at 9:45 a. m. We had 336 present last Sunday. While this shows a falling off from the large attendance of March and April it was an increase of sixty nine over the same date last year and a new record for a summer Sunday of same date in any year.

B. Y. P. U.'s meet at 7:00 p. m. Prayer service on Wednesday night.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH

June 21st, Mass at 10 a. m. This is the Fourth Sunday after Pentecost and the gospel is from St. Luke V 1-11. This gospel deals with Christ teaching the multitudes and then telling Simon Peter and the other fishermen to launch out into the deep, and let down their nets and the result a very great draught of fishes. Then Simon Peter fell down on his knees saying: "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." Though Peter and his companions labored all night they caught no fish but with the direct assistance of Christ their nets were not able to hold all they caught. This shows us that when in trouble, doubt and difficulties we ought to have recourse to prayer and ask God's help and if what we ask is for our spiritual welfare God will grant our request. Often, like children, we ask for what is not good for us, and God like a good father refuses our requests. Let us not be discouraged. Our prayers are always heard though not always granted. Pray therefore always by offering to God all our thoughts, words, and actions during the day and all will become a prayer for our benefit. (Rev.) M. Collins.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

217 S. Daugherty St.

An unusually large number came to church last Sunday morning bringing with them baskets filled with good things to eat. Immediately after the services members and friends went in a body to the recreation park where the luncheon was spread and served. This occasion was planned to furnish the members opportunity of becoming better acquainted and the hour was enjoyed by all. We cordially invite you to be in our services this Sunday.

Sunday school begins at 9:45 a. m. Judge Allen D. Dabney and Dan L. Childress are the directors of this work and classes with thoroughly competent teachers have been provided for every age. At 11:30 a. m. the minister, W. E. Moore, will deliver a 20 minute talk. Subject: "The Church—God's Field." The evening service will begin at 8:15 o'clock. Remember "The fellowship of the church is the best fellowship in the world." Come and be with us.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., B. E. McGlamery, Supt. Preaching 11 a. m. by pastor, Epworth League, 7 p. m. Preaching on lawn at 8 p. m. W. M. S. Monday, 3:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8:15 p. m. Choir rehearsal 8 p. m. Thursday.

Miss Alice Sutton of Houston is visiting the William H. Taylor family. Miss Sutton arrived for the Taylor-McEwen wedding and will be joined later by her mother.

Cisco Personals

Mrs. H. V. Culver of Houston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kilborn.

Mrs. E. Cumer and Miss Eldora Cumer of DeLeon were guests of Mrs. R. L. Wilson the past weekend.

Mrs. Leonard Surles has returned from a short visit in Stephenville.

Mrs. Chas. Trammell and her mother and sister left this morning for a visit in Granbury.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Calhoun of McCamey are in Cisco for an extended stay.

Miss Mary Katherine Higdon of Abilene spent Sunday with relatives here.

John Aycock of Sweetwater was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Jim McCohee and daughters of Fort Worth are visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Louise Simon was a visitor in Abilene today.

Mrs. John Hart of Scranton was a visitor here yesterday.

W. D. Evans, W. F. Evans, and David Pierce are spending today in Dallas.

Mrs. W. W. Donohue and children left yesterday for a visit in Corsicana.

Mrs. Gene Johnson of Pampa visited friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Homer Brooks of Moran was a visitor here yesterday.

O. B. Pierce left yesterday on a business trip to San Angelo and Kerrville.

Mrs. Ann Bishop and Miss Ollie Bishop were visitors in Hamlin Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Kemp and children of Eastland were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Linder were visitors in Abilene yesterday.

Mrs. Laura Williams of Comanche is visiting relatives in Cisco.

Miss Athelyn Looney was a visitor in Ranger yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mayhew have returned from a trip to Gatesville.

H. S. Dossert of Dallas was a visitor in the city this morning.

Miss Olga Fay Ford has returned from a visit in San Angelo.

Mrs. R. O. Lee and Mrs. Edward Lee returned yesterday from Fort Worth.

Phil Berry of Stanton is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berry.

Francis Hester and Joe Edwards of Stephenville visited friends in Cisco yesterday.

Curt Kandleman of Houston has returned home after a short stay here.

Miss Ruby Hutton has returned to her home after a short visit with friends and relatives in Cisco.

Miss Carl Vesta Smith of Ranger was a visitor here yesterday.

Louis Fleck has returned to Kilgore after a visit here.

C. E. Kennemer and W. P. Kennemer of Dallas are guests of their niece, Mrs. H. H. Bettis.

John St. John, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Will St. John, Humboldt, who has been ill, was reported better today.

Richard Dix Is Seen In New Role At Lyric Sunday

A new Yancey Cravat as left the turbulent prairies of Oklahoma and stalks the streets of New York's lower East Side! "Cimarron" has etched its empirical sweep on the pages of screen history and in its place Richard Dix has given a new characterization. His Jim Donovan of "Young Donovan's Kid" can stand beside his former self, Yancey Cravat, and suffer nothing by comparison.

The other night at a little theatre not far from Hollywood, a preview audience was held breathless by the range of Dix's portrayal in his latest Radio Picture triumph. But "triumph" is really a weak word for what Dix does. He romps, he strides, he sweeps, he covers himself with the glory of one of the finest acting performances this correspondent has ever seen.

"Young Donovan's Kid" steps out the pages of Rex Beach's fiery novel "Big Brother." It has to do with an East Side gangster of the pre-war period, who, because he is given a seven year old waif to foster, decides he will go straight and give up the bad life. He gets a job in a steel mill, but the children's court takes his waif-charge away. He becomes implicated in crime again and the story goes into a whirlwind of action, shot through with dramatic events that keeps one gripping his seat.

Jackie Cooper, that little boy of "Skippy" fame, how they applauded him! He, tough little waif and product of wrong environment, it is seen with Dix is responsible for more handkerchiefs up to the

eyes and more throat-catching than any Camille ever had. He's a fine little trouper. He loves Dix, that is obvious. When a kid player can worship his star, that picture is MADE.

Jests For Fun

Stop, Thief. Wiseacre—"Haven't I always ways given you my salary check the first of every month?" Mrs. Wiseacre—"Yes, but you never told me you got paid on the first and fifteenth, you embezzler!"

New-Style Judgment Day. Talk about excitement. To make the people look up. Wait till Gabriel trumpets. On a nation-wide hook-up.

House-Broken. "And has she made him a good wife?" "I don't know. But I do know she has made made a very good husband."

Hunting the Snark. Out in Hollywood they pick a title and then make a play for it. The same system is used by some American heiresses when they go abroad.

Collecting Himself. Waiter—"Mr. Brown left his umbrella again. I believe he'd leave his head if it were loose." Manager—"I dare say you're right. I heard him say only yesterday he was going to Switzerland for his lungs."

More Truth. Visitor—"Well, Joe, how do you like your new little sister?" Joe—"Oh, she's all right, I guess; but there are lots of things we needed worse."

A Real Scare. The farmer from the next village was boasting about the effectiveness of his new scarecrow. "Since I put it up," he said, "no bird has ventured within half a mile of the field. You fellows can't beat that." The "locals" however, were not to be outdone.

"I can beat it," announced old Farmer Roberts. "Last week I put up a scarecrow which frightened the birds so much that one of them brought back two potatoes it had stolen."

Moonlight on the Meat. Heir—"Do you like romantic old ruins?" Heiress—"If they'd only stop asking to marry me."

When Worst Comes to Worst. The little boy was gazing pensively at a gooseberry bush. "What's the matter, darling?" asked his mother. "Have gooseberries any legs, haven't, of course they haven't," said the mother. The boy's look became more pensive than ever. "Then I guess I must have swallowed a caterpillar," he said.

Playing Safe. "Mr. Missouri why does the State of Missouri stand at the head of mole-raising in this country?" "Because the other end is too dangerous sir."

To the "Edinburgh Revue"? Husband—"Dear, you can't go to the theater in your old cloak, can you?" Wife hopefully: "Certainly not, dearest." Husband: "Just what I thought, so I have only bought one ticket."

TALKING ABOUT US (Continued from page 1) it over.—S. M. Sellers, Rising Star Record.

Eastland Weekly Reestablished. Frank A. Jones, veteran newspaper man of Eastland county has reestablished the Weekly Chronicle of Eastland county, a pioneer paper which was originally established in 1887. Mr. Jones has been in Eastland since 1911, until recently being editor of the Eastland Telegram—Abilene Morning News.

New Weekly at Eastland. Volume 1, number 1, of the Weekly Chronicle, published in Eastland by our good friend, Frank A. Jones, has reached our desk and is a commendable paper. It is filled with local news and will be a credit to any town. Mr. Jones is a veteran newspaper man of Eastland, having been editor of the Weekly Chronicle before the boom days, then assuming the editorship of the Daily Telegram. He is now of the opinion that a weekly paper is needed in Eastland and has reestablished the Weekly Chronicle, which was originally started in 1887. We predict success for this paper under the capable hands of Frank Jones.—W. L. Garner, The Strawn Tribune.

Nelson Candy Co. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. Candy, Cigarettes and Tobacco. 304 White St. Call Cecil Nelson

Warning NEMIR'S DOORS OPEN AND PRICES ARE LOWER THAN EVER. We still have about half of our stock left, and selling at below cost prices will continue until only the bare walls remain. Don't buy a thing in dry goods, shoes etc., until you try Nemir's first. YOU'LL SAVE PLENTY MONEY NEMIR'S

Legionnaires Of 5th District To Meet In Lubbock. LUBBOCK, June 17.—A number of state and division officials of the American Legion will be in Lubbock Saturday and Sunday, June 20 and 21, for the 5th division convention of the Legion, Glen Hess, post commander of the Allen Brothers post here, states. State commander, Hal Branen of Laredo, will be here and will appear on the program. "Ozro" Cox of Corsicana, past state commander will be here and will appear on the program. Other officials who will be here include: Bob Whiteaker, Austin department adjutant, for the State of Texas; Emmett C. Cox, San Angelo, executive committeeman, 16th district; V. Earl Earp, Sweetwater, executive committeeman, 17th district; Dr. R. A. Webb, Pampa, executive committeeman, 18th district, and others. It Means Well. We heard again that a Bostonian was showing a visiting Briton around. "This is Bunker Hill monument—where Warren fell, you know." The visitor surveyed the lofty shaft thoughtfully, and then said: "Nasty tall! Killed him of course?" Pass the Ketchup. "Some people would kick anywhere but in a football game," snorted the restaurant proprietor. "I can't see what them epicures has got to complain about with this soup." "They wouldn't have no grouch coming, sir," explained the waiter tactfully "if only the cook would admit its soup. He says it's coffee."

Bargains! Garden Hose \$3.75 Guaranteed, 50 ft. 5-8 in. Chicken Feed \$2.00 (Maize Chops) Per 100 Lbs. Water Cooler \$3.75 6 Gal. White Enameled Water Cooler \$2.98 4 Gal. White Enameled Camp Cots \$2.45 (White Covers) Good Weight Camp Cots \$3.57 Extra Heavy Dutch Ovens \$1.25 With Covers, 9 in. 2 Gal. Churns 45c 3 Gal. Churns 60c 4 Gal. Churns 75c MICKLE Hardware & Furniture Co. "Ask Your Neighbors—They Know" 400-406 West Main Phone 70

News From Eastland County Farms

BY JIM MOSS, FIELD EDITOR

We found virtually all of the farmers in the rural districts we visited this week very busy, but not too busy to talk to us about things in which they, as well as the rest of us, are vitally interested—that of making the best of present conditions and making a living.

Most everyone now concedes that in this county we have got to go back to the soil and depend upon the producer on the farm. The farmer, stockman, and poultryman, we find is willing to do his part. All that he asks is a fair deal and a helping hand when it is needed and when he is entitled to it.

Following are some short interviews had with farmers:

J. D. "Dug" Barton, former sheriff of Eastland county, until recently lived in Eastland. He is now living on a well improved farm he recently purchased on the Carbon-Eastland highway, three miles south of Eastland. On this farm he has just completed a new, modern home. He has a nice young orchard and four paper shell pecan trees of which he is very proud.

Mr. Barton planted one-half acre of Irish potatoes. He has dug about half of the crop and from the amount harvested has sold 1028 pounds. He expects to get at least 2,800 pounds from the one-half acre. He also has 2 acres in melons that are looking good.

S. N. Coon, Flatwood, Eastland Rt. 1, Mr. Coon, in addition to having a good farm and a crop of feed, has 250 Tompkin Ever-Lay Brown Leghorn hens. He has modern chicken houses with gas piped in to use in keeping the baby chicks warm. He now has 300 baby chicks. All chicken pens are well fenced and a 24x26 laying house has cement floors.

Mr. Coon has a flock of 75 young turkeys that are growing off well. 75 acres have been planted to peanuts, grain sorghums and peas. Three-fourths of an acre is planted to blackberries which are fine. Also two acres planted in sweet potatoes are doing well.

Mr. Coon stated that anything he had planted could be eaten either by his livestock or himself and family.

G. W. Herring, Eastland Rt. No. 1, Mr. Herring has a flock of 175 White Leghorn hens of which he is very proud. He has 18 acres in corn, has a nice young orchard of peaches, plums, apricots and cherries. Also he has one acre in blackberries. The fruit, with the exception of the blackberries, was killed by the late freeze. Mr. Herring said he had sold 300 gallons of blackberries and would have at least 150 gallons more for sale. He also has a splendid grape vineyard on his farm. He has four acres planted to watermelons. The farm home, and in fact the entire place, showed signs of good care. Mr. Herring has taken the premium on Irish potatoes at the Flatwood community fair for the past two years.

J. L. Noble, Eastland Rt. 1, Pleasant Valley, John Noble, former sheriff of Eastland county, came to this county in 1889. He now lives on his farm where he has a fine peach orchard. He is not doing much farming. He has a drove of 20 horses and mules on his place.

T. J. Hale, Carbon Rt. 2, Pleasant Hill, The recent hail damaged Mr. Hale's crop to a great extent. He has 15 acres in corn which is coming out, however. In this corn every third row is planted in peas. Three teams were at work on the farm. Cotton, which was hailed out to a half stand, is growing slowly. Feed crops were looking good. Mr. Hale has a nice flock of chickens, including 100 fryers. He also has plenty of hogs, something rather scarce on the farms this year, and some young mules.

J. C. Sims, Carbon Rt. 1, Pleasant Hill, Mr. Sims has a nice, modern farm home, a fine young orchard with peas planted between the rows of trees. Prospects for all kinds of crops are good. He has one acre planted to watermelons. Plenty of hogs for meat and all kinds of truck.

W. J. Pease, Cisco, Rt. 2, Pleasant Hill, Mr. Pease has a good well improved farm on which he has been living for 36 years. He has a good farm home. He has 5 chicken houses into which water is piped and has 275 White Leghorn hens. He sells infertile eggs. He has a flock of 65 turkeys. Crops on the place are good but late.

He is milking three fine cows and has 10 good shoats, which are being grown into meat hogs. Plenty of canned fruit left over from last year is in the cellar and the family is now engaged in canning fresh vegetables and beef. Also they have an ample supply

of home-made lard. Mr. Pease used commercial fertilizer under his corn this year and has an unusually good crop. He does not raise cotton.

(Editor's Note—The field editor may be found in some portion of the county during the week. The purpose in sending him out is to try and help the farmer and their co-operation is solicited.)

Zone Missionary Meeting Is Held

The South Zone of the Cisco District Missionary Society met at the Methodist church in Desdemona Wednesday morning, June 17 at ten o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the pastor of the Desdemona church, Rev. Mr. Walker, who introduced Mrs. W. E. Barron of Desdemona, the new secretary of the Cisco District.

Mrs. Barron announced the opening song, "Footsteps of Jesus," after which Mrs. Bert McGlamery the new Zone Leader, was presented and the routine of business was taken up. Mrs. J. E. Walker Jr., of Gorman, was elected secretary. Mrs. Z. L. Howell of Carbon, O. O. Mickle of Eastland and M. F. Allen of Gorman were appointed as a committee on resolutions.

"Take Time to Be Holy" was sung, after which Mrs. McGlamery gave a devotional on the theme "Stewardship, a Partnership with God." Gracious words of welcome were given by Mrs. Joe Borden, president of the Desdemona auxiliary and response was made by Mrs. Hickman of Eastland. Roll was called and delegates and visitors from Bunyan, Carbon, De Leon, Dublin, Eastland, Gorman and Desdemona were introduced.

The A.B.C.'s of the Corsicana meeting" was the subject of a most interesting report of the recent annual meeting and was given by Mrs. J. E. Hickman of Eastland, former District Secretary. A beautiful solo, "Is Jesus Satisfied with Me," was sung by Mrs. A. M. Allen of De Leon. An inspiring message was brought by the District Secretary, Mrs. Barron, in regard to the plans of work for the year.

The guest of honor, Mrs. C. F. Schaedel of Gorman, a returned missionary from Africa, was introduced and the morning session was closed with prayer by Rev. S. J. Rucker of De Leon. A bountiful lunch was spread and enjoyed by all present. The Desdemona women furnished feed drinks and delicious ice cream during the long noon period.

The afternoon session was opened at 1:30 by singing "True Hearted, Whole Hearted." A spiritual life cultivation period was directed by Mrs. M. F. Allen of Gorman and proved most beneficial. Mrs. S. J. Rucker, assisted by women from the De Leon auxiliary, presented an unusual demonstration in the form of a Missionary Standard Training School. Classes in journalism, methods and management were conducted and many interesting and vitally important items of information were brought out. Mrs. Allen of De Leon sang "Beautiful Garden of Prayer."

Announcement was made by Mrs. Barron in regard to the leadership school at Mount Sequoyah in July. Mrs. McGlamery made a talk in behalf of work with the boys and girls world friendship clubs.

The high point of the day was reached when Mrs. Schaedel brought her wonderful, soul-stirring message concerning the condition of women in Africa. So vividly did she recount her experiences that the audience sat spell-bound, and at the conclusion of her address, called for more, so she graciously told of her and Mr. Schaedel's courtship and their wedding in the heart of Africa.

Rising Star was selected as the place for the next zone meeting. The meeting was closed with a consecration service conducted by Rev. George W. Shearer. About 75 delegates and visitors were in attendance.

Ranger Personals

Mrs. C. E. Maddocks has returned home following a three week visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Rich and husband, of Kyle. Mrs. Maddocks was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Rich, who will visit here this week.

Mrs. Esker Curtis has returned from a visit spent in Vernon. Mrs. A. H. Baker and family have returned from a visit to Longview.

Mrs. O. L. Forgy of San Antonio is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mitchell, and family.

Harry F. Wheatley is a business visitor in Fort Worth today.

Dr. T. O. Morris and children left this week for Oklahoma City, where Dr. Morris will take a post graduate course in the Carver School of Chiropractic.

For the Unemployed, Mistress—"I don't like to have to keep complaining, Mary, but I do wish you would realize that when master leaves his shoes outside the bedroom door it means that he wants them cleaned."

Maid—"Oh, does it? And what does it mean when he leaves them outside the front door?"

TODAY IS "JUNETEENTH" The colored folks of Eastland county are celebrating Juneteenth today with a picnic at Lake Cisco.

Cheaney

CHEANEY, June 18.—Crops are doing fine after the recent good rains. The hail did some damage. Some of the crops are coming out. "Grandmother" Perrin is still very ill. John Parish and wife are at her bedside.

Bud Dobson of Frederick, Okla. was called to his mother's bedside at Gorman last week. Mrs. Dobson was buried last Sunday at Gorman and now Bud is with his wife at the bedside of Mrs. Perrin.

O. S. Melton is reported on the sick list.

Lum Love and wife of Ranger spent the night Tuesday at "Grandma" Perrin's.

R. E. Harper and Jess Blackwell are attending court in Eastland.

Webster Akers and family have moved to the Sarah Stephens place. Many of our farmers are digging Irish potatoes this week.

The Hunter school house and teacherage is being moved to the old Hunter school grounds.

Kenneth Campbell and wife of Phoenix, Arizona, are visiting his father at Hunter.

Mrs. Forest Miller of Cisco, Mrs. C. C. McFadden, and Mrs. R. H. Yeager spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Pence.

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Delbert Hughes and wife visited Jim Liles and wife Sunday.

Yellow Mound

YELLOW MOUND, June 18.—Farmers have begun threshing grain. The grain is the best we have had for several years.

Miss Inez Carter and Newt Carter of Colorado City visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter and other relatives here this past week.

Mrs. Robert Tucker of Cisco visited her sister, Mrs. L. O. Langlitz last Thursday.

Miss Opal Mac Hearn is in Abilene attending school at Simmons University.

Mrs. Roy Allen of Nimrod visited her sister, Mrs. Jessie Carter Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Duncan is ill but is some better.

Bill Greer and family of Vernon are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Greer.

Mrs. Brown from Scranton visited her sister, Mrs. B. H. Greer, recently.

Pueblo

Rev. L. A. Thompson filled his regular appointments here Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Elam of the Bluff Branch community were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pence and family.

Herbert Calloway, Billie Joe and Charlie Bob McFadden were the Sunday guests of Bill and Edgar Pence.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Miller and son of Cisco and Mrs. C. C. McFadden and Children of the Bluff Branch community were the Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Yeager.

Travis Manning, Dalmas Harris, Don Hallmark, and Lance Miller spent Sunday afternoon with Bill Pence.

Chester Allen is very ill with appendicitis.

Misses Dorothy Knight of Eastland, Nell Dean and Elizabeth McFadden and Mae Miller spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Eunice and Bertha Pence.

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Dothan

Rev. Foster of Atwell preached here Sunday morning.

Bun Short underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Eastland sanitarium last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carey and children of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones Sunday and Sunday night.

Bill Kelley of Putnam attended singing here Sunday night.

Mrs. Curtis Evans of Brownwood is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carl McCarver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reagan of Rising Star visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Pippen of Oklahoma City are visiting in Dothan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hazelwood of Hawley and Miss Pearl Donaway of A. C. spent Sunday visiting relatives here.

The hail last Thursday afternoon did slight damage to a few of the crops here.

The grasshoppers continue to do considerable damage.

Bluff Branch

The farmers of this community are busy cutting their grain.

Mrs. Nettie Yeager spent Saturday night with her son, Barne Yeager.

Mrs. Ferman Moore is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Wink.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Nelms spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Elam spent Tuesday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Elam.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wink spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Wink.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hays spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Agnew.

Mrs. A. L. Huntington and children have returned from Russellville, Arkansas, where they have been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Lem.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wood and children Ovella and Buel, and J. D. Thames spent the weekend in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Charlie McFadden and children visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Yeager.

R. B. Thames spent Sunday with Elder Booth.

Edmond Nelms spent Sunday with Houston Wink.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Elam spent Sunday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Elam.

Floyd Thames spent Saturday night with his cousin, Jessie Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Thames spent the week end at Atwell.

Misses Mammie and Doris Nelms called in the home of their sister, Mrs. Jasper Elam Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Thames spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Bill Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thames spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Simmons.

Mrs. L. R. Nelms and Mrs. Jasper Elam called in the home of Mrs. Wink Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Barne Yeager spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nell Pippen.

Mrs. Martha Elam of Saint Joseph spent last week with her son, B. F. Elam.

Lee Yeager and Lawrence Hallmark spent Sunday afternoon with Reuben Coats.

Mrs. Ebb Booth and son Donald, spent Sunday afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Irvin Pippen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pippen visited awhile in the home of her sister, Mrs. Jasper Elam.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon McClelland spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Nettie Yeager.

Misses Irma and Della Mae Thames spent Saturday afternoon with Lois and Mamie Nelms.

Putnam

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bannister of Parks spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wallace and family.

Mrs. Wiley Clinton left Saturday for a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. Willis in Arlington.

Miss Frances Sprawls of Scranton spent the weekend with Miss Louise Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaskin and family returned last week from a visit with relatives in Rotan, Meadows and Jayton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon spent a few days last week in Fort Worth and also visited Mrs. Taylor Brandon in Canton.

Miss Myrtle McCool entertained a few of her friends with a party in her home last Saturday evening. All kinds of enjoyable games were played and fun and laughter continued until a late hour. Those present for this occasion were: Misses Louise Peck, Frances Sprawls, Fleda Belle Wallace, Edwina Wingo Kathleen Green, Messrs. Buel Everett, Alvin Hespel, Wright Smith, Rudolph Morton and the hostess, Miss McCool.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Overton and son, Kenneth and Miss Eunice Overton of Thorp Springs spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Overton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett and Mrs. A. B. Everett visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Everett and family Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Nordyke and sons, were Cottonwood visitors Saturday morning.

Mrs. Jim Harris of Oplin, a sister of Mrs. A. B. Everett of Putnam was buried in Baird Friday afternoon. Those from Putnam attending the funeral were: Jack Everett, Mrs. W. Everett, Thelma and W. P. Everett, Mrs. C. R. Nordyke, Mrs. J. G. Overton, Mr. W. A. Everett, Mrs. A. B. Everett and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Cottonwood.

Bedford

The farmers have started threshing their grain. The grain is fine this year. Better than it has been for several years, which is very pleasing to all.

There was a good crowd at Sunday school Sunday morning but there could have been more. Come next Sunday and bring some one with you.

Mrs. Juanita Massengale was the Sunday guest of Daisy Evans.

Weaver and Junior Nicholas spent the weekend near Mineral Wells with their great-grandmother.

Mrs. E. D. Archer was honored by the gathering of all her children Sunday. Those there were Mr. and Mrs. Liman Evans and son, Orval; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caryale and children of Bedford; Mrs. Henry Warren and daughter, Oneil, of Odessa, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. John Hibbert of Dora, Texas. This is the first time all the children have met together in about three years. Mrs. Warren and Mrs. Hibbert are spending this week with their mother.

Misses Nina and Jewel Smith entertained company from Eastland Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. A. Matthews her son James and daughter Jane spent the weekend near Mineral Wells with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. C. E. Broadfield.

Mrs. Lyman Evans has been ill for the last three weeks but is improving some now. We wish her a speedy recovery.

There will be church at Bedford Sunday afternoon June 28 please don't forget.

Mrs. R. A. Walker and her two daughters, Miss Alene Walker and Mrs. Knez Kinnard of Vernon, drove to Lancaster Monday to visit Mrs. Walker's mother who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bedford attended the singing convention at Gorman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. David and four children of Independence, Kansas, left for their home Thursday morning after a two weeks vacation which they spent here and at Gorman and Cisco. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ashburn and at Gorman they visited Mr. David's parents and other relatives and at Cisco they visited Mr. and Mrs. Oney, Mrs. David, Mrs. Ashburn and Mrs. Oney are sisters, the only ones left of the family of Mr. and Mrs. George Harris who were pioneer settlers of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seals were among the number of Desdemona people who attended the singing convention at Gorman Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Krapp attended the singing convention at Gorman Sunday. It was estimated that there were five thousand people in attendance and many noted singers from all parts of Texas and from some other states were present.

Miss Elsie Kirby of Greenville is here to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. H. H. Roe.

Sherrod Stover who attended the Technological Institute at Lubbock the past year came in Saturday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stover. He expects to spend the summer in New Mexico with an uncle.

Jim Dillon and family attended the singing at Gorman Sunday.

Reich

The farmers are all busy since the rain stopped, stirring the ground which was packed by the heavy rains.

The children's day program at Reich was well presented. Mrs. Wright of Scranton addressed the children.

Mrs. Gorman Pollard and children left Sunday to spend the summer with her uncle who lives in Jones county.

A Reich made a business trip to Breckenridge Tuesday morning.

J. L. Bisbee attended the funeral services for W. E. McWhorter Wednesday afternoon.

A Reich's children from near home and adjoining communities spent Sunday with their parents to celebrate their father's birthday who was 74 years old Saturday.

Stella Grace Hazelwood spent Saturday night with Bertha Mae Bisbee.

Mrs. W. B. Bennett and daughters, Lottie Mae and Lois and Louise McDougle of Eastland visited in the J. L. Bisbee home Sunday afternoon.

Saturday as Ernest Morris was backing his car out he ran over his little two-year-old boy. He rushed him to the doctor where the child was found to be slightly bruised.

The trustees of this school district are having the roof of the school house patched.

Jim Dillon and family attended the singing at Gorman Sunday.

Bluff Branch

Several from Putnam attended church services held by Don. H. Morris at the Union school house Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fiddy Coffey of Cottonwood were Putnam visitors Sunday afternoon.

Medames Katie Richardson and Susan Blair, of Cisco, spent Thursday in the home of Mrs. Richardson's sister, Mrs. J. S. Yeager and family.

Mrs. Mary Thomson and son, Pierce Thomson, of Cisco, have returned to Putnam to spend the summer.

The farmers in this vicinity are about through harvesting their grain and threshing begins with all crops making a good yield. Wheat is making an average of about 20 bushels to the acre, oats from 30 to 50 bushels, and barley about 50 bushels. Threshing will be in full blast by the first of the week.

Mrs. Amanda Autrey of Holdenville, Okla., attended the funeral of her nephew, J. P. Wingo, in Putnam this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wylie and son, R. J. Wylie, Miss Katy Lee Wylie and Ralph Wylie of Hart community visited Mr. and Mrs. Ascue Dodd and family Sunday.

Miss Opal Hespel is spending a few days in Hart community with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Warren.

Miss Velma Eubank left last week for Los Angeles, California, where she will attend the University there this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wamba of Baird, visited Mrs. Walter Francisco Sunday afternoon.

Medames R. L. Clinton, W. D. Clinton and Miss Ora Clinton were Abilene visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Dr. Griggs of Baird was a Putnam visitor Friday.

Miss Jackie E

### Agricultural Extension News Of Interest to the Farmers

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#### Vegetable Canning

Vegetables are classed among the most important of the so-called protective foods and should make up a very large and important part of everyone's daily food supply throughout the entire year if robust health is to be enjoyed, preserved, and protected. A pantry well filled during the summer with a variety of wholesome canned, preserved, stored fruits and vegetables fresh from the home garden, will contribute much toward maintaining the health and happiness of the family during the winter months.

From acid vegetables such as beans, peas, carrots, corn, okra, squash and others should be canned in tin sealed air tight and cooked under pressure. The general method for canning vegetables is given here: A good rule to follow vegetables is "one hour from the garden to the can." The best of products should be canned. Wash all products, peel or scrape if the peeling is to be removed, cut and blanch. By blanching is meant putting the product in hot water for five minutes to shrink and set color. Remove from the blanching water and fill cans to within one half inch of the top, cover with boiling water, add 1 teaspoon salt to number 3 can and seal and process immediately under pressure, 40 minutes at 15 pounds. Vegetables can be canned successfully in glass, but the heat weakens the rubbers used in sealing the jar and the product is more apt to spoil.

#### Kraut

Shred cabbage, pack into jar, add 1 tablespoon salt to quart and cover with water. Set lid on jar and let stand for three days, then seal. The method for making kraut and packing in jars or kegs to ferment may be found in Farmers Bulletin No. 1438, "Making Fermented Pickles," and a copy will be sent you from College Station, Extension Service, by requesting same.

**Irish Peas Make Money and Freshen Food for Winter Months**  
Mrs. Scott Nobles, 411 Panty demonstrator of the Carlson Home Demonstration Club, finds English peas make money for her. The garden used in the demonstration is 300 feet long and three rows of English peas have furnished enough to can 60 No. 2 cans and 8 No. 3 cans, valued at \$25.09; she has sold 10 lbs. of peas at 5c per pound, 50c, and still has thirty pounds in the garden, valued at 5c per pound making a total of \$27.00 made on three rows English peas, 300 feet long.

**String Beans and Irish Potatoes**  
make a good dish when both are fresh. The same is true with the canned product. When canning your string beans add several Irish potatoes to the can and you will have both fresh the year round. Scrape the potatoes, and boil for ten minutes, place in can with beans and process 10 minutes at 15 pounds pressure. Remove from cooker at the end of the time and put can in cold water for ten minutes.

**New Method of Preserving Blackberries and Dewberries**  
The berry crop may be large enough that you are tiring of preserving the berries by canning, making jelly or jam. The following method of making berry juice to be used as a beverage has proved successful:  
1 gallon berries, 2 oz. Tartaric acid, 1 pint boiling water, sugar (see directions below).  
Pour boiling water over the berries. Let stand 24 hours. Drain in jelly bag. For every pint of juice add 1 pint of sugar. Add acid and stir until sugar and acid have dissolved. Pour in sterilized jars, screw tops on loosely. Put a false bottom in a vessel or bucket deep enough to hold the jars in bucket. Fill up to within one or two inches of the top with water and let simmer 20 minutes. Screw tops on jars as tightly as possible and keep in a cool place. Berry acid is to be used as a foundation for summer drinks. Use 2 to 4 tablespoons (or to taste) to a glass and fill with water and ice.

#### Living Room Improvement

The living room improvement started in June 1929 and completed the first of May, 1931. One hundred and ninety-three of the two hundred and fifty club members have made some improvement in the living room during that time. The amount spent for the improvement varies from 15c to \$50.00. Fifteen women have made complete improvements in the rooms, these women acting as demonstrators for their clubs. The other one hundred and eighty-eight have cooperated with the demonstrators in the work. One club completed one hundred percent and sent in reports, the Grapevine club. The total amount spent in the improvement work by the demonstrators was \$479.97 and the operators spent \$2875.86, making a total amount spent by all \$3355.83. This money was raised by selling produce from the gardens, poultry, dairy and canned products. One living room was improved, using the money received at county and state fairs as well as on canned products and eggs. This living room cost \$23 and won first place in the county and also first place in district three, which is made up of thirteen counties. The room is in the state contest and will be judged by Miss Mildred Horton, State

Home Demonstration Agent, sometime during June. The winner of the county and district contest is Miss Hallie Hill, Sipe Springs, Texas, route No. 2, member of the Okra Home Demonstration Club. Miss Hill changed the location of the family living room, where here could be a fire during the winter months and more light and ventilation for the year round. The room was paneled, woodwork and floor refinished, curtains (made of natural theatrical gauze) added, tufted reupholstered with feed sacks dyed a golden brown, a desk made of two one by twelve boards and part of an old dresser, a radiator made of an old washstand, a waste paper basket and magazine rack made of the inside of the drawers of the dresser. This work was all done by Miss Hill with the exception of the paneled of the room and refinishing some of the woodwork.

#### American Cheese

The low price for milk and butter fat has been the cause of the women finding another way of using the milk at home and furnishing another milk product for the family. Fourteen demonstrations have been given in making American Cheese since February and twenty three communities have been reached. The following results have been reported by club members:

825 pounds American Cheese made, cost of making including the price of butter fat and rennet and color used to make cheese—\$50.99. Allowing 25c per pound for the cheese, gives value of \$206.25. Value of product minus the cost leaves \$155.26 profit made. Five gallons of milk contains 2.15 lbs. butter fat at 12c per pound, making 25c value. Rennet and color for making five gallons milk, 5c. Total cost of making 30c. Makes five pounds cheese at 25c, or \$1.25, less 30c leaves 95c profit per five gallons of milk. The cheese produced is of good quality and the women are using it in preparing new dishes, combining with other foods they have on hand. Many lunches are prepared by the rural women and the cheese helps solve part of the lunch problem.

#### Beef Canning

Beef canning season closed the first of May. During the hot months it is best to spend the time canning fruits and vegetables and let the beef wait. The beef must be thoroughly cooled before canning and kept cool until cooked and put in the can and this is almost impossible during June, July, August and September. The summary of the canning in the County from October first 1929 to April gives the number of beavers canned and profit made by canning.

176 beaves canned averaging 82 No. 3 cans, \$14,432.  
14,432 No. 2 cans at 60c, \$8,659.20; hides averaged 57c, \$98.92. Total \$8,758.12.  
Cost of cans, \$646.75.  
Average price offered for beef on foot \$12.85, \$2248.75.  
\$5,862.62 profit or an average of \$33.31 per beef.

### Eastland County Woman Wins In Room Contests

District winners in the fourth state-wide improved living room contest have been announced by Mrs. Bernice Clayton, home improvement specialist in the extension service, Texas A. and M. College and the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The contest is conducted annually by the home demonstration agents of Texas in cooperation with farm publication, the Semi-Weekly Farm News, of Dallas. The contest this year involved 873 farm women in 86 counties. At least ten times that number of neighbors made partial improvements. Judging was by district home demonstration agents who exchanged districts for the judging.

The contest was divided into two classes. Class 1 included those making improvements that cost less than \$50; class 2, in excess of that amount. First place district winners in each class will be judged during the next few weeks by Miss Mildred Horton, state home demonstration agent, for announcement of state winners at the farmers short course at Texas A. and M. college, July 27 to Aug. 1. District and state prizes are given by the farm publication. District winners were as follows:

District 3 (West Texas): Class 1—First, Miss Hallie Hill, Sipe Springs, Eastland county; second, Mrs. Bascom Hargroves, Maryne, Nolan county; third, Mrs. Dave Leatherwood, Big Spring, Howard county; fourth, Miss Clara Johnson, Cranfills Gap, Bosque county. Class 2—First, Mrs. R. B. Bernhausen, Riesel, McLennan county; second, Miss Zotie Scott, Sweetwater, Nolan county; third, Mrs. W. C. Rogers, Big Spring, Howard county; fourth, Mrs. Dorey Martin, Talpa, Coleman county.

**How Mommer Feels About It**  
"Mommer, what becomes of an automobile when it gets too old to run any more?"  
"Why, somebody sells it to your pa, dearie, for a used car good as new."

### Negro Held After Alleged Threats On Man With Knife

Willie Walton, negro, was being held in the Ranger jail Saturday after being arrested by Ranger officers. It is alleged that Walton had threatened a man with a knife, though he denies that he had a knife with him at the time. No charge had been filed Saturday.

### B. Bishop is Given Two Years On Guilty Plea

B. Bishop entered a plea of guilty in 19 cases, 16 of them charging theft and three charging burglary, in Judge George L. Davignon's 91st district court Saturday. He waived a jury and the case was tried before the court. He was found guilty and sentence of two years in each case was imposed. The sentences, however, was allowed by the court to run concurrently, making it possible for Bishop to serve his entire time in two years.

### Traps Bees In Vacuum Cleaner

SEATTLE.—Vacuum cleaners may be indispensable for cleaning rugs, but their most valuable asset, in the opinion of M. D. Schuster, is the ability to capture swarms of bees.

Mrs. Schuster returned home after visiting a friend, and found her living room occupied by bees. They floated noisily about the room, covered the chairs and draperies, or angrily bumped their heads against the windows and ceiling.

Mrs. Schuster never had much experience with bees, so she slammed the door shut and retired to the kitchen, where she devoted the afternoon to planning some means of attack.

#### Begins Vacuum Attack

When her husband returned home and found no meal awaiting him, and his living room full of bees, he went into action with the first thing he could lay his hands on. It happened to be the vacuum cleaner.

He advanced into the living room with the cleaner buzzing upside down. Perhaps the bees heard a familiar note in that humming sound. For one by one, and then in large groups, they began flying toward the suction point. As they approached within a few inches, they were drawn into the mouth of the vacuum, and hurled into the bag. Soon there were only a few remaining at large in the room, and Mrs. Schuster, her courage returned, attacked them with a fly swatter.

Schuster took the vacuum into the back yard, disconnected the bag, and hastily retreated, letting the survivors emerge as best they could.

### All Commercial Trucks Under Licensing Laws

AUSTIN, Tex., June 18.—All commercial trucks on which goods are hauled for pay were brought under state regulation by the new motor truck license bill, recently approved. This bill, House 335, relates to regulation and rates, which its companion, House 336, affects load and size of trucks. The license law is administered by the railroad commission; the size and load law by the highway patrol.

Truck operators are segregated into three groups by the licensing law.

1. Present Class A permit holders. These will be granted new license without fee for this year, and allowed to retain present route. The new classification will be known simply as common carrier trucks. New applicants for these permits must secure certificates of convenience and necessity, and must pay the initial \$10 per year per truck required of all others except the first year of Class A carry-overs.

2. Old Class B truck permit holders will be allowed until July 6 to apply for new contract carrier permits. They will be allowed to operate until Sept. 1 under present permits. If they ask for common carrier rights, they must secure certificates of convenience and necessity, and must pay the \$10 license fee per truck, as well as in future.

3. Special commodity haulers. These will require state license, and will be subject to the same \$10 annual license fee on each truck. All three groups must pay \$1 for the license plates to be furnished by the railroad commission each year.

All must have insurance in effect. A new departure will be the requirement that every operator of every truck under state regulation must take a state examination and secure a driver's license. The license will cost \$1 a year. Regulations will be drawn up to restrict use of one permit for another class of service.

#### NEW COPS AT RANGER

Chief of Police Jim Ingram of the Ranger police department was breaking in two new patrolmen Monday night. The new men are Guy Pledger and Jack Roach, who are replacing Patrolmen Wolf and Bratton.

The two officers were appointed to fill the vacancies made by the resignation of the two patrolmen who left the force due to a disagreement.

### Eastland County Members of Noted Family Attend Reunion

Cisco, Eastland and Ranger members of the Harkrider family attended the second annual reunion of the family in Fort Worth Sunday. One hundred and thirty-seven members of the family were present. Those attending from Eastland were Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Harkrider, Mrs. Jop Little and daughter, Miss Virginia Neil, and James Harkrider and wife.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram carried the following news story in its Monday morning edition. One hundred thirty-seven members of the Harkrider family, who are able to trace authentically their family history back to 1801, when John Harkrider was born in Germany, assembled from three States for their second annual reunion in Trinity Park yesterday.

Late in the afternoon they said goodbye and returned to their respective homes in 21 towns of Texas, Louisiana and Missouri. Descendants representing the sixth generation were present. They are the two small children of Mrs. Dovie McPherson Crawford, Grapevine. The first known generation of this lineage began with the union of John and Eunice Harkrider, who were married in Virginia in 1825. The husband emigrated from Germany when he was 15.

To this union Eliza Jane Harkrider was born in Tennessee in 1828. She married a man by the name of Starling, and their oldest child, Mrs. Josephine McPherson, 86, Grapevine, was present yesterday. The latter's son, Tom McPherson, is the father of Mrs. Crawford, who was present with her two small children.

All those present were related, but many of them do not know what relation they are. Whether the family is of German origin or Holland Dutch was a question under discussion. It is the general belief that the original members of the family originated in Germany and not Holland.

This interesting question of nationality arose when Mrs. Lee E. Scarborough, wife of the president of the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, produced a letter from J. C. Harkrider of Bristol, Va., who wrote to Mrs. Scarborough for information on her forefathers as an aid in his work of tracing his family tree. Harkrider explained in his letter that he had been unable to trace Mrs. Scarborough's connections with the Dutch who took up land grants in Virginia in the early days.

The writer pointed out that he had traced one family from Johannes Herrgeorder, who settled in Philadelphia from Amsterdam, Holland, in 1746. His sons, John, Conrad, Jacob, Isaac and David, settled in Virginia. John became a captain in the American Army during the Revolutionary War. The writer cited that the name gradually was anglicized into the modern spelling and that Johannes spelled it Hargrader after he moved from his native land.

#### Palo Pinto Chosen

Mrs. Eva Mae Danielson, Kansas City, Mo., who doubts that the family had a Dutch origin, explained that her grandfather, John Harkrider, moved from Alabama to Arkansas in 1861 and that after the Civil War the family moved to Texas, settling in the eastern portion of the State. She said her history shows that her grandfather came from Germany when he was 15 and that the original name was Harkrider.

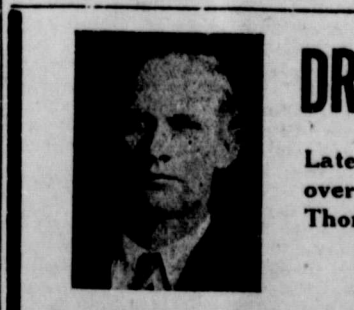
F. A. Harkrider, Fort Worth, who assisted in entertaining the out-of-town visitors here yesterday, declared his father, E. Harkrider, settled in Dallas county 73 years ago.

Mrs. George L. Paxton Sr., Abilene, mother of the wife of former Governor Dan Moody, and F. A. Harkrider are first cousins. Mrs. Paxton brought to the reunion a cotton counterpane, about 100

### Weekly Paper "Hero" In a Woman's Novel

COLUMBIA, Mo.—The Columbia Herald, for years known as "the model small-town weekly" is the "hero" of a new book by Mrs. Walter Williams, wife of the president of the University of Missouri.

Williams edited this paper before leaving newspaper work to become the founder of the Missouri school of journalism. Among newspapermen who received their early training on this country paper were Eugene Field, Joutel Shouse, Homer Croy, Carl Crow of the Shanghai Evening Post, and Charles G. Ross, Washington correspondent of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.



### DR. F. H. NAGILLER

Late of San Antonio has taken over the practice of Dr. L. H. Thompson in Eastland.

Dr. Nagiller is a graduate of the Texas Chiropractic College and uses Dr. Bloom's Simplex Method. He has also had seven months of hospital work.  
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# ENTIRELY CONCERNING WOMEN

**Economy for Cake-Makers**  
When making boiled icing, I find that there is often more than I need, especially if the cake is small and requires little icing. I seal the remaining icing in a jar and put it in the refrigerator, where it keeps indefinitely. When needed, it may be easily applied to the cake or cookies by the addition of a small amount of hot water.—Mrs. W. E. M.

**Identified**  
Neighbor: "Jones, do you know that woman across the street?"  
Jones: "She certainly looks familiar. Let me see. It's my wife's new dress, my daughter's best hat, and my mother-in-law's parasol. Sure I know her. It's our cook."

**Fried Cucumbers**  
Pare young slender cucumbers and cut in rather thick lengthwise strips. Chill in ice water while making a batter of a cup of flour sifted with scant teaspoon baking powder, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper. Add a cup of milk and a well-beaten egg. Drain cucumber slices, dip one by one in the batter and fry light brown in deep fat.

**For Needleworkers**  
The following arrangement of embroidery thread is a great time saver: Put the thread between the pages of a small magazine or notebook using a separate page for each shade. Let small end of each skein protrude from the magazine, so as to make it easy to locate the desired color. The colors may be arranged in rainbow order, making it doubly easy to find the right color.

**Kings' Polish**  
A Chinese had a toothache and phoned a dentist for an appointment.  
"Two-thirty all right?" asked the doctor.  
"Yes," replied the Celestial.  
"Tooth hurts, all right. What time I come?"

**Another Use for Stale Bread**  
When cooking hash or stew or anything that requires a thickening of flour, place one or more pieces of stale bread on top of the hash while cooking and on removing from fire, beat it into the hash. This makes a perfect thickening with no trouble and does not stick to the kettle or give the raw flour taste that is sometimes noticeable in flour-thickened foods.

**Longer Life for Washcloths**  
When your washcloths are becoming worn, stitch two together on the machine and their lives will be doubled.

**Culinary Art**  
"Does your bride know anything about cooking?"  
"Well, I heard her telephoning her mother this morning to ask whether she had to use soft water for soft-boiled eggs."

**A Necessity**  
Mother: "Where did you get your chewing gum, Betty?"  
Betty: "I bought it on my way to Sunday school."  
Mother: "Why Betty, you know Mother does not like you to buy chewing gum on Sunday."  
Betty: "But Mother, I had to. Daddy gave me a dime before I went and I had to spend a nickel so I'd have a nickel for Sunday school."

**Wedding Cake Bonbons**  
1 lb sugar, 1 heaping tablespoon butter, 1-4 cup cold water, 1-2 cup finely chopped walnuts, 1 tablespoon coconut, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 tablespoon each candied citron candied pineapple, candied lemon peel, candied orange peel, figs, dates, seeded raisins and candied cherries, all chopped fine.  
Cook sugar, butter and water to soft ball. Add nuts and fruits, beat until creamy, add vanilla. Form into balls or pat flat in tin powdered with confectioner's sugar to inch depth, and cut in squares. The balls should be sized of hickory nuts and can be rolled in sugar or coated with chocolate.

**For Corks That Stick**  
Rub glycerine or vaseline over the corks on bottles containing glue, polishes, cements and other sticky substances, so that there will be no difficulty in removing them.

**Home Carpentry**  
Very often wood veneer loosens from furniture. It is an easy matter to apply glue to the back of this loosened section and press it back into place. Any glue that oozes to the surface may be wiped off with a damp cloth.

**Birthday Cake Decorations**  
While the icing is soft on the little one's birthday cake, press into the side a procession of animal crackers. The creamy color of the crackers shows up against the pink, white or chocolate icing. When cutting the cake, give each child an animal. Also, instead of candles, try using sticks of candy. They look as pretty as the candles and there is no danger of fire.

**The Wonders of Nature**  
A party of tourists were enjoying the wonders of the Grand Canyon. A passing native was asked by a member of the party: "What caused this terrible gorge?"  
"Wal, they say a Scotchman lost his golf ball down a gopher hole here one day."

**Something Missing**  
A little girl visiting at our home saw a bowl of cat-tails on the table. She asked what they were. My mother told her that they were cat-tails and asked her if she had never seen any before. The puzzled little girl answered, "No, not without the cat."

## Proselytizing Found In Penn High School Circles

BETHLEHEM, Pa.—Proselytized athletes are creeping into high school circles, according to an investigation made of Bethlehem High school athletic conditions by the Pennsylvania interscholastic athletic association.  
The survey showed that several residents of Bethlehem arranged

for the transfer of a promising athlete from Catawauqua High school to Bethlehem High on the promise that they would pay all the expenses incidental to his coming to the Bethlehem school and would place him in a good college upon graduation.  
The investigator, Edmund Wicht, secretary of the state organization, named Joseph Supera as the athlete in question.  
Wicht, however, held that the school authorities were not responsible.

## Social News

### Martha Stewart and Belle Bennett Circles Met Monday

The Martha Stewart and Belle Bennett circles of the Methodist Missionary society, met in joint session Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the church. "He Is So Precious to Me" was sung as the opening song.

Mrs. Ed F. Wilman presided over a short business session. Mrs. Kelly was elected corresponding secretary to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite.

Mrs. T. L. Fagg reported that she is sending a box to the good-will industries soon and asked for supplies for same.

Announcement was made of the zone meeting at Desdemona next Wednesday. A number of ladies signified their intention of going.

Mrs. Fred Davenport conducted a short devotional after which Mrs. J. J. Mickle led in prayer. Mrs. W. P. Leslie, Bible teacher for the afternoon, brought a very interesting lesson which was given from the book, "A Great Soul at Sea," on Jeremiah, the thinker. The presentation was very interesting. Mrs. J. E. Hickman closed the meeting with prayer.

Those attending were: Mmes. W. F. Davenport, Ed Wilman, Hawley, Kelly, Hearn, Leslie, Hickman, T. J. Haley, Turner Collier, Bob Jones, T. L. Fagg, Hart, J. J. Mickle, Newman, Tom O'Steen, D. J. Jobe, Wayne Jones, C. G. Stubblefield, and Mrs. Frank A. Jones, a new member.

### Sunday School Party Is Postponed

The party which was announced to be held for members of the Young People's department of the Methodist Sunday school Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of the teacher, Mrs. J. E. Hickman, has been indefinitely postponed.

### Martha Dorcas Class Party Was Held Thursday

Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Methodist church the Martha Dorcas Class party was held. Mrs. W. C. Marlow was hostess with Mrs. O. O. Mickle, Mrs. Jode Odum, Mrs. Karl K. White and Mrs. McEwen co-hostesses.

### Church of Christ Woman's Bible Class Met Monday Afternoon

Monday afternoon the Church of Christ Woman's Bible class met at 3 o'clock, at the church. The meeting opened with the song, "More Like Jesus," led by Mrs. C. F. Fehl. Mrs. W. E. Moore led the prayer. The lesson, on the building of Jericho, was taught by Mrs. L. Herring.

The meeting closed with prayer led by Mrs. Guy Sherrill.  
Those present were: Mmes. L. J. Carter, Bud Coplen, C. F. Fehl, R. B. Reagan, E. E. Robinson, W. E. Moore, E. R. O'Rourke, Guy Sherrill, L. L. Hanna, L. Herring, M. A. Walker, James Graham, and J. R. Crossley.

The next meeting will be held Monday afternoon, June 22.

### Picnic Enjoyed Sunday At Recreation Park

The basket lunch last Sunday at the Eastland Recreation park was thoroughly enjoyed by 70 or 75 members and visitors of the Church of Christ. The ones who intended going on the outing came to the regular Sunday morning services with baskets packed and ready to go.

After a wonderful meal aided by the appetite that comes only on an occasion of that kind a variety of amusements for the grownups and games for the youngsters were staged and kept the crowd interested until the middle of the afternoon, when the picnickers returned to their homes.

### Sunday School Class Meets at 9:45 O'clock

Members of the Young People's department of the Methodist Sunday school who have been away to college the past year are cordially invited to attend the class meetings each Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

### Mrs. T. M. Johnson Entertained Susan Steele Bible Class Thursday Afternoon

Despite the threatening storm clouds and intermittent downpours, quite a number of ladies went to the home of Mrs. T. M. Johnson, Thursday afternoon, for a meeting of the Susan Steele Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school. The meeting was postponed from Thursday, June 4, to June 11, on account of the revival meeting of the Methodist church.

The meeting opened with the devotional which was led by the class president, Hymn—"Take the Name of Jesus with You." Prayer, Mrs. Iola Mitchell. Scripture reading, Matthew 5-1-20. Hymn, "Bless Be the Tie." Prayer, Mrs. Joe J. Mickle. Mrs. Iola Mitchell, was appointed first vice president and Mrs. Sam Day Sr. was appointed second vice president of the class. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Several interesting reports were made by the class officers and the standing committees. Many trays and bouquets were reported to have been given to the sick and shut-ins. A large number of visits were reported as having been made and meals having been given to the hungry, and clothes to the needy. An interesting letter to the class, written by a former member, Mrs. Joe B. Steele, now residing in Ringling, Okla., was read and greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Ed Graham offered a prayer for the former class members now residing in

other cities. Miss Berniece Johnson, talented daughter of the hostess, rendered several beautiful piano selections. An interesting feature of the afternoon was the combination letter written to Mrs. Steele, in which each member present wrote one sentence.

The social hour was spent in pleasant conversation. The refreshment course consisted of delicious ice cream and rainbow cake. Each plate was adorned with a bouquet of sweet peas and fern.

Those enjoying the hospitable occasion were: Mmes. R. F. Jones, M. Braly, Sam Day Sr., Ida Jones, M. Dulin, W. A. Cathey, L. A. Barton, J. J. Mickle, Iola Mitchell, Mae Harrison, and guests, Mmes. G. W. Shearer, Ed Graham, Hugh Owen, and Misses Berniece Johnson, Maurine Davenport and hostesses.

### Jeanne Johnston To Be Presented in Recital

Mrs. A. F. Taylor will present Jeanne Johnston in a piano recital, Friday evening, June 19, at 8:15 o'clock, in the Sunday school classroom of the Methodist Church.

Jeanne, who is only 10 years old for three years, was winner of second places in hymn playing in the State Federation of Music Clubs at Abilene in 1930 and at Temple in 1931, each time competing with 14 and 15 year old students. Jeanne will give the following program: "Little Prelude," Bach; "Secrets of the Attic," Beach; "Minuet in G," Beethoven; "Melody of Love," G. E. Beethoven; "Trinkle Weed," Bliss; "Lavender and Lace," Paldie; "Minuet in G," Paderewski; "Barcarolle," Offenbach; "Navajo Warrior," Reid; "A Rose in My Garden," Ray Mildred Hearn and Jeanne Johnston. Annie Jane Taylor will give a group of musical readings. Marjory Murphy and Sybil Patterson will present "In the Attic."

The public is cordially invited to attend.

### McEwen-Taylor Wedding Is Solemnized

Before a background and altar of plumosa fern and white feverfew, both sides of which were marked by high baskets of pink gladioli and candleabra with tall ivory tapers, the marriage ceremony was read on Wednesday evening, by Rev. G. W. Shearer, for Miss Harriett Glidden Taylor and Mr. Lloyd Howen McEwen of Columbus, O.

The entire house was in candle light, when to the strains of Traumerie, played by Miss Frances Cunningham, the two ribbon bearers, little Daphne Ann Bloodworth, who wore a dainty frock of green and James Cunningham in a white suit, carried wide pink satin ribbons, which formed the aisle through which the bride and groom entered unattended to the altar, while the bridal march from Lohengrin was softly played.

The bride's gown was fashioned of blue net and crepe allique and she carried a lovely shower bouquet of pink roses and white calla lilies.

She also carried a hand-drawn handkerchief which her mother had worn at her wedding.

Only intimate friends of the bride were guests at the ceremony.

The couple left for a short trip and will return to Eastland before leaving for San Antonio, and the Gulf where they will spend several days. They will then spend several days at home in Columbus, O., where the groom is engaged in the newspaper business with the Columbus Dispatch.

The marriage is the culmination of a romance begun soon after Mr. and Mrs. McEwen's entrance to college, both of them being of the class of 1930 at Ohio State University. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and he of Theta Xi fraternity.

Many lovely affairs were given this past week for Mrs. McEwen. Miss Jane Connelley entertained on Monday with a theatre party and a tea and shower afterwards at the Connelley home. Miss Mary McCarty gave a slumber party. Miss Elizabeth Davenport, Miss Valera Hargus and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth entertained at the latter's home on Wednesday with a miscellaneous shower and bridge party. Mrs. William K. Hyer gave a beautiful luncheon on Thursday to 12 of the bride's friends and Miss Elizabeth Garrett a dinner party on Saturday night.

### Woman's Missionary Society Meets

The W. M. S. met at the church Monday, June 15 for Mission study. Circle 3 had charge of the Missionary program. "Youth and Christ's Program" was the Mission theme. Mrs. Springer presided during the afternoon in the absence of Mrs. Clyde Garrett. The song, "O Zion Haste," was the opening song. Mrs. W. D. R. Owen led in prayer that we may help our young people give their best to the Master. Mrs. Nora Andrews gave a brief discussion on "Christ's Program Appears to Youth," and "Youth Needs Christ's Program."

"Christ's Program Needs Youth," Mrs. W. D. R. Owen. "Let Others See Jesus in You," was rendered as a duet by Mrs. Don Brewer and Mrs. A. J. Campbell, accompanied by Mrs. W. T. Turner.

"Youth Responds to Christ's Program," Mrs. A. J. Campbell. "Our Jewels," Mrs. Don Brewer. Song, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations," Mrs. Lindsay led in prayer that we may be faithful in the training of our young people. "Flashing Out Their Light," Mrs. L. V. Simmonds. "A Story of Three Girls," Mrs. Carl Springer.

Announcement was made that the Workers Conference would meet at Rising Star June 16th. Rev. W. T. Turner dismissed the meeting by prayer that we may make it possible for youth to an-

swer the calls of God.  
Those present: Mesdames S. C. Walker, J. B. Overton, W. D. R. Owen, Carl Springer, Nora Andrews, Lemaster (Mrs. Don Brewer's mother), Fritchard, Lindsay, Crouch, Braly, Williams, A. Steele, in which each member present wrote one sentence.

**Mrs. Williams Entertains With Birthday Dinner**  
Mrs. Ollie Williams entertained Tuesday with a birthday dinner in honor of B. H. Neil, on his 84th birthday, and for Claude Williams, on his 12th birthday.

**Swim and Picnic Enjoyed At Bass Lake**  
A swimming party and picnic was given Tuesday evening at Bass Lake, in honor of Miss Eloise Norman, Memphis, Texas.

After a delightful swim, a picnic supper was enjoyed.

Those present were: Miss Eloise Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kilgough, Hamilton McRae, Mrs. Earl Thompson, Arl Williams and Miss Geraldine Dabney.

**Mr. and Mrs. McEwen Complimented With Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Howen McEwen who were married Wednesday evening, were entertained Saturday evening with a dinner by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Mouser.

Mr. and Mrs. McEwen left Thursday for their home in Columbus, Ohio.

**Tyler Visitor Complimented Monday Evening**  
Mr. and Mrs. John Mouser en-

tertained Mrs. Sam Semple of Tyler with a picnic and swimming party, Monday evening at Trianon Park, Olden.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Loftin Witcher, Mrs. Sam Semple, Arthur Mouser of Missouri, nephew of Mr. Mouser, John Albin Mouser, Mary Helen Armstrong, Ann Witcher and host and hostess.

**Jeanne Johnston To Give Recital**  
Mrs. A. F. Taylor will present Jeanne Johnston in a piano recital, Friday evening, June 19, at 8:15 o'clock, in the basement of the Methodist Church. Jeanne is the ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnston. She has studied music only three years and will give a forty-five minute program. Jeanne has been the winner of second place in hymn playing in the State Federation of Music Clubs for the past two years, competing against fifteen year old girls. She will be assisted by Marjory Murphy and Annie Jane Taylor.

The public is cordially invited to be present.

**Camp Fire Girls Enjoy Swimming Party**  
Wednesday afternoon at 4:00

o'clock, the Camp Fire Girls met at the Methodist church, for the regular weekly meeting. After the business session the girls went from the church to Olden where a swimming party was held.  
Those who attended were: Joan Johnson, Carolyn Cox, Carolyn Doss, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, Margaret Fry, Erline Harvey, Jean Kitley, Faynette Campbell, Eleanor Ruth Ferguson and two new members, Katherine and Jo Earl Utz, and the guardian, Mrs. Tom Harrell.

### Birthday Party Given Wednesday

Julia Elizabeth Brown, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown, was entertained Wednesday, by her mother, with a party on her 4th birthday. Many games and contests were enjoyed by the little guests. Vari-colored balloons were given as favors.

Pink and white angel food cake was served to the following guests: Sue and Annette Bender, Amy Ruth P'Pool, Patsy Sparks, Ben Sparks, Jeanette Smith, Eloise and Con-Johnson, Virginia Ferguson, Kathleen Collier, Mary Jo Collier, Mary Elizabeth Carlisle, Betty Bohning, Robert Paul Shaw, Jane Ferguson and the little honoree.

## LYRIC

ATTRACTIONS FOR WEEK STARTING SATURDAY, JUNE 19th

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| <p>SATURDAY ONLY</p> <p><b>Lew Ayres</b></p> <p>IN "UP FOR MURDER"</p> <p>BARGAIN MATINEE FROM 1 TO 6 P. M.</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">10c</p> | <p>SUNDAY - MONDAY</p> <p>Power of Cimarron - Glory of Skippy - in One Great Human Drama</p> <p><b>Richard Dix</b></p> <p><b>Jackie Cooper</b></p> <p>Co-Starring in "Young Donovan's Kid"</p> <p>Story by Rex Beach</p> | <p>Tuesday-Wednesday</p> <p><b>LAWYER'S SECRET</b></p> <p>WITH Clive Brook, Charles Rogers, Richard Arlen, Fay Wray</p> |
| <p>Don't fail to see our Saturday Specials on fruits and vegetables, etc.</p>   | <p>Thursday-Friday</p> <p><b>Mitzi Green</b></p> <p><b>Jackie Searle</b></p> <p>IN <b>Forbidden Adventure</b></p>  |   |

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### Supreme Court Sets a Record In Cases Tried

WASHINGTON. — When the United States supreme court adjourned for its summer recess it not only had decided many intricate questions of law, but had established a new record in the number of cases handled.

The constantly growing calendar of the court was cleared as far as it is possible to do so under its method of procedure and no cases were held over after argument for decision next fall.

While lacking some of the sensational questions presented in previous years the court handed down many rulings which cleared up the legalistic chaos existing on many points of law.

**Industrial Rulings**  
The industry the court gave decisions on the trade practices employed in the oil business, delivering several rulings on the radio industry, particularly in its ruling on the Langmuir patents, defined how far the motion picture industry could go in eliminating certain irregularities in the trade, and decided a wide variety of tax cases.

Probably of most general interest were its rulings on prohibition, capped by its reiteration of the validity of the 18th Amendment in the Clark case. In addition to passing on many criminal convictions for violations of the nation's most controversial law, the court also went further in defining its stand on the laws governing search and seizure and the forfeiture of property.

**Personal Liability**  
Scarcely less interesting were the court's ruling on several cases involving personal liability, the chief of which served to bring out with great emphasis a point that had been largely overlooked before. This was the new alignment of the court with the so-called liberals on several occasions in the majority.

This new tendency was not strong enough to permit the liberals to write the court's opinion in the cases of the two conscientious objectors who sought citizenship, Miss Marie Averill Bland and Professor Douglas Clyde Macintosh. But it did serve to carry the court in the Indiana chain-store tax case and in other cases involving state's rights.

In the one instance where it had a chance to express itself on a labor question the court ruled emphatically in favor of the labor forces when it found that the Arkansas full-train and full-switching crew laws were still valid.

**Criminal Decisions**  
In the realm of criminal jurisprudence the court passed on but few of the numerous cases presented. This may be explained in part by the frequently remarked tendency of well-to-do malefactors to obtain a delay in the execution of their jail sentences by appealing.

Where there has been a decided threat to the constitutional right of the individual the court has apparently not hesitated to protect even the poor criminal. This is perhaps best illustrated in the appeal of Alfred Scott Aldredge, convicted slayer of a white policeman in Washington.

The court not only reviewed Aldredge's conviction but gave him a new trial after Chief Justice Hughes in heated terms denounced the refusal of the trial judge to ask prospective jurors if they had any racial prejudice.

### Mexico Prepares To Receive World Newspapermen

(By Trens Agency)

MEXICO CITY, June 17.—Official and private Mexico has organized itself effectively for the purpose of receiving in royal manner the two thousand and more representatives of the newspapermen of the earth who will gather in this city for the World (Regional) Press Congress, which will open in this city on August 10th, next.

At a great meeting held in the immense hall of the Bank of Mexico, with seating accommodation for a small army, over two hundred people, representing all branches of official life of the republic, discussed in general terms the forthcoming congress and elected a central organization committee and several sub-committees the duties of which will reside in the undertaking of the vast amount of preparation involved in the reception and entertainment of these visiting journalists and their families who are assembling here from all parts of the world.

At this meeting, which was held under the presidency of Mr. Alberto Mascareñas, Director General of the Bank of Mexico, President Pascual Ortiz Rubio was officially represented by his private secretary, Mr. Crisoforo Ibanez, and every branch of the Federal Government and of the city authorities, as well as the Chambers of Commerce and the local and foreign press were strongly represented by specially chosen delegates.

Mascareñas delivered a high-interesting and instructive address, touching the matters the meeting had assembled to discuss after a general exchange of views on the questions he had raised, the committees were voted and formed as under; and from the names appearing in these lists the dominating idea will be gathered of the importance Mexico is attaching to the Congress and of the measure of the country's determination to leave nothing undone to make the Congress an out-

### Chicago's 1933 Exposition Opens First Exhibit



Fort Dearborn and modern Chicago. Hedrich-Blessing Studio.

Two years before the formal opening of A Century of Progress—Chicago's 1933 World's Fair—the first exposition building has been thrown open to the public.

It is Fort Dearborn, an exact replica of Chicago's birthplace—the log stronghold built in 1803 by Captain John Whistler and burned to the ground by savage Redskins on August 15, 1812, after the evacuating garrison had been massacred.

Silhouetted against the skyscrapers of modern Chicago, Fort Dearborn offers a romantic contrast to life today.

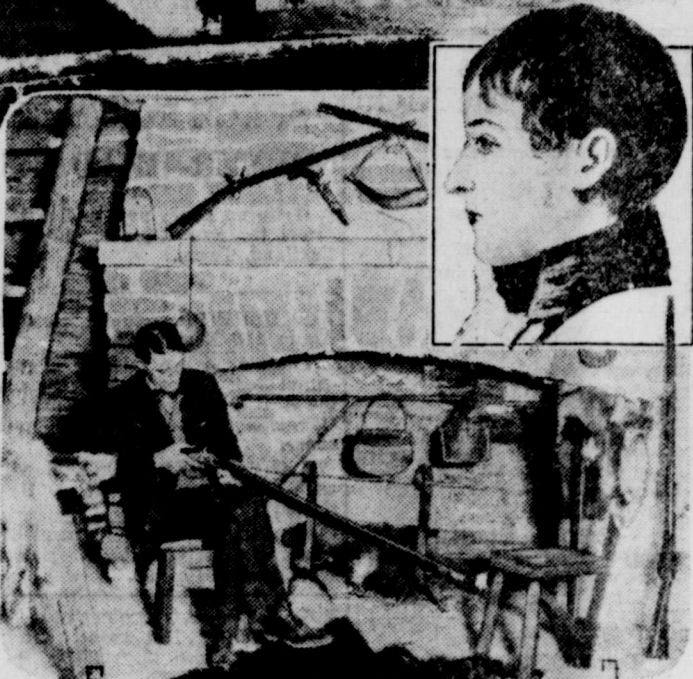
From the top of a tall pole in the center of the parade ground flies a flag bearing fifteen stars and fifteen stripes.

At diagonal corners of the fort, log blockhouses frown down upon the narrow enclosure between inner and outer stockades and menace the prospective foe with brass French cannon which saw service in the War of 1812.

Ancient flint-lock muskets, dueling pistols and powder horns

hang on the rough, hand-adzed walls and above the heavy, masonry fireplaces.

It is a fascinating reproduction



John Manson, great grandson of Captain Whistler, in barack. Inset is Lieut. Swearingen, who led troops to site of original fort.

of frontier life at the beginning of the marvelous century whose culmination the world will celebrate in Chicago in 1933.

### "TEXANS, LET'S SAVE TEXAS"

(An editorial that appeared in Mexia Daily News June 7 and is reprinted verbatim here.)

A great general stood contemplating a victorious march of his armies. All about him were bleeding and dying men, the flower of youth of his land strewn over the battlefield. The cries of dying men echoed the noise of cannon and rifle.

The general stood in silence. He was deeply moved. "You have led us to a great victory," one of his lieutenants comforted him.

"Victory! Victory!" the general cried, his voice shaken with emotion. "Another victory like it and we are wiped out!"

He had won a costly victory. Anti-prorationists of East Texas have won a victory. What a glorious victory! Bankruptcy, unemployment, bread line, abandoned oil fields, havoc and disaster—glorious victory.

While injunctions tie the hands of the law and the greed and ignorance of some East Texas operators flood the markets with low-priced oil, defying proration and orderly marketing rules, let us look at the picture in other fields.

Hundreds of oil fields are being abandoned in established fields. Oil workers are being added to the unemployment lists by the hundreds. Leases which formerly employed 100 men now operate with 10 and still their owners lose money. Oil companies, large and small, are threatened with bankruptcy, and oil stocks are being lowered to unbelievable prices. Royalty owners, thousands of them are finding their monthly checks smaller and finally fail to arrive.

Counties that have voted bonds to keep up with a prosperity and progress the people believed was reasonably certain, find their oil valuations tumbled to almost nothing. The bonds and the improvements are still here, the valuation is not. There is but one alternative—raising the rate that the farmer and the home owner must pay. Even with that raise, county forces are being cut to minimum, adding thousands of others to the unemployed group. Public bond holders are not certain of their interest. Drastic readjustments are being made.

Calamity has come to the once proud towns of Texas, through a convention that could have been prevented and can yet be alleviated to a certain extent.

What a victory for East Texas anti-prorationists!

Now let us look at the East Texas oil field. A drilling campaign in the largest oil pool in the world. Oil workers making the smallest pay in the history of the industry. Truckmen being paid in oil. Royalty owners selling their heritage for one-tenth of what they should get. Leases a drug on the market.

The anti-prorationists wanted a market, and unlimited production. They got it, and how!

East Texas' splendid oil pool could have made thousands of millionaires out of the land owners and operators. Towns in East Texas could have seen continued prosperity for 20 years with orderly marketing of oil. They could have taken less oil, and more gold out of the ground, and at the same time allowed other sections of Texas and the Southwest to continue to live and exist.

Even had they stayed within proration limits made recently, they could have gotten just as much money, and more, for half as much oil as they are now producing. But, no. They wanted competitive buying, and unlimited production.

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### Ho, Hum, It's Time to Yawn Now!



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spent Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Milan Morgan. The Women's Club met with Mrs. Claude Hill Wednesday afternoon. After the business session ice cream and cake was served to the following: Mesdames John Smith, Eugene Hill, Ott Adams, Alton Claborn, Delia Adams, Harve Carter, Tommy Cullwell and Homer Claborn; Misses Doyle Claborn, Hallie Hill, and Ruth Ramey. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bryant of Eastland spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Martin.

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STAFF, June 12.—L. B. Bourland was a business visitor in Eastland Friday. Mrs. Russell Griffin and children were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hazard of the Pleasant Grove community Friday and Saturday. L. E. Davenport of Ranger was a business visitor in this community recently. Mr. and Mrs. Elmo White of Fort Worth were the week-end visitors of Mr. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White, and attended Sunday school and preaching at Staff. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston were business visitors in Eastland Saturday. Rev. L. A. Thompson and family of the Pleasant Grove community attended church at Staff Sunday morning, and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Duncan. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson of Waco were callers in the M. O. Hazard home recently.

Flatwood

FLATWOOD, June 16.—Flatwood was well represented at the singing at Gorman Sunday. Mrs. Allen from May, was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Foster Sunday. Brice Webb of Colorado was a visitor of "Uncle" Pete Webb Sunday. Miss Mabel Reeves of Cisco visited her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Foster last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Evelid Evans visited Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Reese, Saturday. Perry Pittman, from Breckenridge, visited his brother, J. H. Pittman, Sunday afternoon. Glens Gene Parker of Westover is visiting her sister, Mrs. DeWoody, this week.

Grandview

GRANDVIEW, June 18. Health is pretty good in this community at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Odell Bethany and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. Bethany's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brightwell. Several from here attended the big singing at Gorman Sunday and all reported good singing. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lamb spent Friday with Mrs. Lamb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Prestidge. J. T. Brightwell, who was kicked by a horse Thursday morning, is reported to be better at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Westmoreland and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stinson of Desdemona. Mr. and Mrs. Odie Brightwell and children of Desdemona, spent Friday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brightwell. The Grandview children are now practicing on a play which will be announced later. Elvie Wilson and John Brightwell attended the play at Kokomo Friday night. Singing every first and third Sunday nights. Everybody come and bring someone with you.

Lone Cedar

LONE CEDAR, June 18.—The rain which fell recently is helping the crops very much. Ada Terry, Loyd Pardon and Aubrey Anderson, visited in the home of Bertha Lee Taylor, Sunday. Gene and Thurman Donawho of Cross Roads were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Terry Sunday. There is B. Y. P. U. services here every Sunday night, prayer-meeting every Thursday night, Sunday school every Sunday and church every second and fourth Sundays. Mrs. Moreland, wife of Pastor Moreland of Lone Cedar, is ill. Mrs. Hogans, who has been sick for some time, died Friday morning. She was buried Saturday. The sympathy of our citizens goes out to the sorrowing relatives. Aubrey Anderson, who has been at Slydell, came home Saturday night. He returned Monday morning. "Grandpa" Hart of Eastland was a recent visitor in the home of W. W. Terry and family. The B. Y. P. U. meeting last week was well attended and enjoyed by all. There is singing here every Friday night. Everyone is invited to come and take part. If you do not care to sing come anyway, as good listeners are also welcome. Doyle Williams and Robert Alford were guests of Ada Lee Taylor and Ada Terry Wednesday. Bertha Lee Taylor and Ada Terry plan to visit their aunt in Breckenridge soon. Several from here are attending and enjoying the revival being conducted at Eastland by the Capps Sisters.

No Credit Revenue Officer: "Sonny, I'll give you five dollars if you'll show me where the still is!" Kentucky Pride: "All right! Where is the five dollars?" R. O.: "I'll give that to you when we come back." K. P.: "No, you better give it to me now, mister—you ain't coming back."

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| COCOANUT     | One-Fourth Lb.                  | 29c    |
| ZEE TISSUE   | 750 sheets                      | 5c     |
| SUGAR        | 10 Lbs., Cloth Bag              | 54c    |
| CIGARETTES   | 2 for                           | 25c    |

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| VEAL CHOPS | Pound                | 15c |

### Slips That Pass In The Night

**Strong Language**  
Chairman Nye was informed of the letter of the .08(cmfwpfwp) bishop.—Chicago Tribune.

**Chicago Abili**  
Not responsible for deaths incurred by any one but myself. Valentine W., 2218 S. Kolm Ave.—Personal in the Chicago Daily News.

**Complicated Case**  
BERLIN—Professor Hans Guenther of University of Jena shot and killed and slightly wounded by unidentified youth.—Los Angeles Record.

**She'd Need to Be**  
Wanted—Woman for maternity and housekeeping on small farm. Must be reasonable.—Galston (Pa.) paper.

**Beats Floyd Gibbons**  
Next Sunday evening Dr. C. A. Richardson will deliver four Sunday morning sermons.—Boulder (Colo.) church program.

**Modern Miracle**  
Inmates of the buildings fled and, while a few monks and priests were eaten there were few casualties among them.—Madrid dispatch in the Charlotte Evening News.

**Free and Clear**  
W. W., who recently sold his business interests in Hartford, together with his family, returned this week to his farm near Cromwell.—Hartford (Ky.) paper.

**Low Price of Grief**  
We have decided to reduce our charge for an obituary notice from .05 to .02 a word. We hope that this reduction will be the means of making this column used more by our church people.—Notice in Virginia Churchman.

**Give Kidnaps Their Due**  
All of us are familiar with the fact that the kidnaps are essential to life. But few of us actually appreciate the nitric mechanism involved in the daily working of these parts of the anatomy.—Rochester Journal.

**Human Holocaust**  
Gladewater, Tex.—An incipient forest fire drew workmen today, from the task of mastering a burning gusher which had killed nine men and destroyed oil statisticians estimated in value up to \$200,000.—Hibbing (Minn.) paper.

**Youth Plus**  
"Modern China is a young man's country, and the ancient conception that great age connotes wisdom is a thing of the past," declared Gen. P. H. Whang, General Whang exemplifies the new order of things. He is 6 years old, but looks 10 years younger.—Vancouver Daily Sun.

**Old One Bobs Up Again**  
"Which travels faster—heat or cold?" "Heat, because you can catch cold easily."

**Hotty-Toity!**  
Hubby—You didn't have a rag on your back when I married you. Wife—Anyway, I've plenty of them now.

**Sue Him**  
"There goes the man who swindled me out of fifty grand." "Yeah?" "Yeah. He wouldn't let his daughter marry me."

**Voice of the Tempter**  
Small Boy—I don't think the gentleman next door knows much about music. Mother—Why? Well, he told me this morning to cut my drum open and see what was inside it.

**New Racket**  
A father said to his young daughter, aged eight, "What are you going to be when you grow up." "I'm going to be either an artist or a dancer," she answered, "because I don't think I'll be much good at this mother business!"

**Flank Attack**  
The camp counselor was explaining the rules of a new game. "If the enemy calls your number from his side of the battlefield," she said, "you must be a 'dead man' immediately. Drop just where you are and lie still." Ten minutes later, came an agonized whisper from the youngest camper: "Please, may I move now? I'm a dead man, but I'm on an ant hill!"

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**Star Part Comes Easiest**  
"May I be a preacher when I grow up?" asked the small boy. "Of course you may, my pet, if you want to," his mother replied.

"Yes I do, I s'pose I've got to go to church all my life, anyway, and it's a good deal harder to sit still than to stand up and holler."

**Birthstones**  
For laundresses, the soapstone; For architects, the cornerstone; For cooks, the puddingstone; For soldiers, the bloodstone; For politicians, the blarneystone; For borrowers, the touchstone; For policemen, the pavingstone; For stock brokers, the curbstone; For shoemakers, the cobblestone; For burglars, the keystone; For tourists, the Yellowstone; For beauties, the peachstone; For motorists, the milestone; For lovers, the moonstone; For pedestrians the tombstone; For editors the grindstone.



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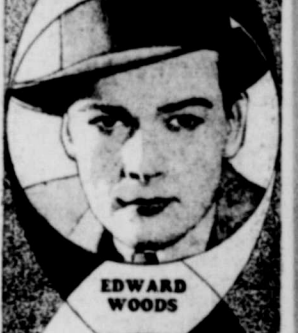
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