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Attend Trades Day In Eastland, June 6th

T-P SUNSHINE SINGERS TO HOLD CONVENTION HERE JUNE 11-12

B. W. Patterson Announces For District Judge

B. W. Patterson makes his announcement as candidate for the office of judge of the 88th district court of Eastland county.

Mr. Patterson is well known throughout the entire county. He has lived among us here in Eastland for some time, and has taken an active part in civic affairs, and has made many friends here.

His personal announcement follows: To the Citizens of Eastland County: Son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Patterson, I was reared in Eastland County, educated in Cisco Public schools, Baylor University and University of Texas, graduating from the Law Department of the last named institution, and for more than thirty years have been, and still am actively engaged in the practice of law in State and Federal Courts of our Country.

I wish to be judge of the 88th District Court of this County. In announcing my candidacy I realize, not only the honor, but the grave responsibility that comes to a district judge. The certainty of a speedy and unprejudiced trial according to the laws of our country is necessary to a contented and patriotic citizenship. To accomplish this I believe that the judge should be well learned in the law and be able to apply it promptly to the facts presented in his court; not a partisan, but have a high sense of fairness to all; and he should have executive ability to dispatch business so as to avoid unnecessary delay in trials and needless expense to the county and state, but at the same time to have regard for the right of every person to a complete and impartial hearing of his cause. I do not presume to possess all these qualifications to a perfect degree, but do feel that my age, training and experience have reasonably thus fitted me for this service.

For political preferences shown me by the people of Eastland county in the past I am truly grateful, and will deeply appreciate this further honor. I solicit my friends and other citizens of this county to give me their support and vote for judge of the 88th district court with the positive assurance on my part that I will do my very best to be an able and righteous judge and to conduct the court with all reasonable diligence, dispatch and economy.

BURETTE W. PATTERSON.

McCarty Will Represent City

Milburn McCarty, attorney and chairman of the highway committee of the local Chamber of Commerce, was authorized by the board of directors Thursday to represent Eastland in the current Bankhead highway question.

The action was taken Thursday morning, when the directors held a regular meeting in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. Several other matters of routine business were transacted.

Baseball Game At Cisco Sun.

Cisco, June 3.—The Cisco-Red Sox will play the Fort Worth All Stars at Chesley Field, Sunday, June 5, at 3:30. This will be the first time these two teams have met this season.

These teams played several hot games last summer and with both teams equally as strong this season this game should be an interesting one. Ladies will be admitted free.

The T-P Sunshine Singing Convention will hold its 8th annual two-day session in Eastland June 11-12. Meetings will be held in the high school auditorium, and the singing of old gospel songs will be featured.

The convention will open Saturday at 10 a. m. Afternoon and evening sessions will be held, and an all-day meeting will be conducted Sunday. Noted singers from other states, as well as from all over Texas, will be present. The leading song book companies in the South will send their best quartets and other singers as representatives.

Five or six thousand people are expected. Committees are at work on arrangements for accommodations of as many of the guests as possible. Large numbers will be taken into the homes of Eastland citizens. Eastland is said to have been highly advertised at previous meetings of the convention, and as a consequence an unusually large attendance is expected. The convention was organized in Eastland seven years ago. Its annual meeting is held on the second Sunday in June and the Saturday preceding.

Loraine, Texas, May 27. — T. H. Westbrook, President of the T and P Singing Convention, announced here today that he is expecting one of the largest crowds ever to attend a singing convention to be at Eastland the second Saturday and Sunday in June. The convention will open at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, June 11 and will continue through Sunday, June 12.

Eastland is preparing to take care of one of the largest crowds ever to attend a singing convention, according to Mr. Westbrook. They are expecting singers to be present from all parts of Texas, many of whom will be among the best singers of the country.

The T and P Singing Association includes all towns along the Texas and Pacific railway from Texarkana to El Paso and is considered the largest singing organization in the world.

V. F. W. Had Good Meeting Wednesday

The local post of the veterans of Foreign Wars met Wednesday night in the Knights of Pythias Hall with fifteen members present.

The veterans have only recently been organized here, and a good meeting was held this week. Much interest is being shown in the organization, and plans for its work are rapidly being laid.

An urgent invitation is extended to all veterans who have seen foreign service to attend the meeting next Wednesday night.

Local Attorney Chosen Elector

Eastland will furnish the presidential elector from this district. Milburn McCarty, local attorney, was selected at the state Democratic convention at Houston recently as presidential elector from the 17th Congressional district. The electors will meet in Austin in January to vote on the United States president.

One elector from each Congressional District and five selected at large compose the electoral group. After the November election, the electors representing the winning party will meet in Austin on the second Monday in January to cast the vote of the state.

This is a distinct honor and has been conferred upon one of Eastland's outstanding citizens. Mr. McCarty has been a silent but very effective worker, bringing much credit and favorable publicity to our entire county as well as to our city.

NOTICE!

The Record announces the location of their new home, 207 South Lamar Street, the building formerly occupied by the Bills Tailoring Company. We will move into our new location tomorrow, Saturday, June 4th.

The building has been rearranged and redecorated throughout, and is much larger than our old building. This, with the convenient location, enables us to offer our patrons a still better service.

This opportunity is taken to thank our many readers and advertisers, who are entirely responsible for the progress the Record has made during the year and one half it has been in existence here in Eastland.

On March 20, 1931, there was no weekly paper in Eastland, and the owners of the Eastland Printing Company, V. O. Hatcher and Earl T. Williams, seeing the need of such a publication, published the first issue of the Record, delivering it free to everyone in Eastland trade area, something never undertaken here before or since. The Record also took up a new angle of news—home news, personals, happenings in our immediate locality—and have carried more such news to its readers FREE than any other paper ever gave Eastland readers.

The Record is not owned, governed or operated by anyone other than the two above named owners, and has been free at all times to carry the news to its readers untainted or unchanged. This will continue to be the policy of the Record.

Again we thank our readers for mentioning the Record so freely when purchasing advertised merchandise. It is of great assistance when the advertiser knows that you appreciate his efforts to keep you in touch with the new styles, quality and prices.

The public is cordially invited to visit our plant at any time. We are never too busy to welcome you.

Memorial Day Observed Here

Memorial Day was observed here Monday with grave decorations, programs and flag displays.

Dr. H. B. Tanner and Mr. Ed T. Cox adorned the graves of soldiers Sunday afternoon with flags, the Camp Fire Girls placing flowers over them Monday morning. Flags were displayed over the city, on cars, residences and in front of business houses. Those on public building were flown at half mast until noon, when they were raised to the top.

The unveiling of a monument at the grave of Horace H. Gray, Confederate veteran, was the principal feature of a program held at Eastland cemetery at 10 o'clock Monday morning. Mrs. Ollie Foster, daughter of Gray, was present for the ceremony. Taps was sounded by Raymond Lovett, Boy Scout bugler.

A floral wreath was cast on the waters of Lake Eastland Monday at 2:00 p. m. in memory of sailors who died at sea. A prayer was said by Rev. Geo. W. Shearer, who also made a short talk. Dr. Tanner's Memorial address follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen: We have gathered here this afternoon to continue the observance of Memorial Day. This morning flags were placed over, and flowers scattered upon the graves of the soldiers who were buried.

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Commission To Continue Work On Highway 89

The Highway Commission has not abandoned its plans to build the Weatherford-Thurber cut-off from Highway No. 1, but will proceed with it when legal tangles are solved. This was shown by an item of \$4,859 for its maintenance department to be used for clearing and grubbing the first seventeen and one-quarter miles of the cut-off, known as Highway No. 89, from Weatherford west to Palo Pinto County line. The right of way will be cleared and made ready for the grading and drainage structures of the Unit No. 1 construction.

A temporary injunction is pending in Palo Pinto County preventing the commission from building the cut-off. It is set for hearing June 6. If and when it is dissolved, the commission will be in a position to go ahead with the forty-mile cut-off, to cost \$1,000,000 and which will reduce the east and west distance by fourteen miles and avoid many curves and grades on Highway No. 1 west of Weatherford. The counties are to provide only the right of way; the commission paying all construction costs. Mineral Wells and other places adjacent to the eliminated section of Highway No. 1 have protested against it.

WATCH YOUR STEP

YOU MAY BE THE PERSON TO RECEIVE

The Free Credit Slip

Old folk, young folk, everyone alike, watch your step. Look over the list below and see if you are among those receiving a free credit slip this week.

The free credit slips which are to be given are worth 50c each, to apply on office supplies, want ads, job printing, or display advertising, but will not be redeemed for cash.

Here's a free chance for the housewife to rent that vacant room, sell that extra piece of furniture or have calling cards printed.

RECORD WANT ADS BRING BETTER RESULTS

If the gentleman who is so thrilled because his wife is coming home that he cleaned house all day Sunday will call he will receive a credit slip.

If the young lady clerk in a local store who went to so much trouble to supply her customer with the exact article she wanted and then the customer had already bought, will call she will receive a credit slip.

If the gentleman who can take old roosters and serve them at family reunions for hens and pullets will call he will be given a credit slip.

If the lady who went back the second time for flowers, but insisted on paying for them, will call she will receive a credit slip.

If the young lady who so obligingly called her boss home Thursday afternoon will call she will be given a credit slip.



T. L. COOPER
Candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Collector.

Dancer and Reader Entertain at Club

The Rotary Club held its regular noon luncheon in the roof garden of the Connellee Hotel Monday.

Little Misses Elizabeth Ann and Mary Jane Harrell presented an interesting program of dancing and reading. A solo dance by Elizabeth Ann and reading by Mary Jane were greatly enjoyed by members of the club. Mrs. S. W. Kitley accompanied them at the piano.

Frank V. Williams and J. M. Armstrong had charge of the program. Jim Horton and Leslie Gray will arrange the program for next Monday's meeting.

HIGHWAY CUT-OFF HEARING SET FOR MONDAY AT MINERAL WELLS

Eastland Home Is Destroyed By Fire

The residence of Frank Robason, 607 South Bassett, was practically destroyed by fire Sunday morning. Three alarms were turned in before the fire was completely put out.

The first alarm came about 2 o'clock Sunday morning, during an electrical storm and heavy rain. The other two came at 3 and about 4:30.

Lion "Cubs" Are Honored Tuesday

The regular weekly meeting of the Eastland Lions Club for Tuesday, May 31, had previously been designated as Lions Cub Day. The members with sons of their own brought them to the club as guests and in addition the boys of the Senior Class of the Eastland high school were guests for the day.

The guest list included the following: Robert McGlamery, S. J. Arthur, Jr., Ed Pritchard, Lewis Bargsley, R. S. Harris, L. J. Lambert, Jr., Carl Harper, Ernest Jones, Jr., Rob Roy Sparr, Bob Stire, Carl Garrett, James Simmons, Happy Hightower, D. L. Childress, Truett Fulcher, Conard Reaves, James H. Boggus, George McWilliams, and Judge George L. Davenport.

After the luncheon Happy Hightower was called upon as a representative of the Senior class. He expressed the appreciation of the boys present for the invitation extended by the club and thanked the members for their interest in the boys of the town.

George McWilliams, who was the recipient of the Lions Club medal as the best all-round student in the High School this past year, expressed his appreciation of the honor conferred upon him.

Judge Davenport spoke to the boys and the club members along the lines of good citizenship in his usually pleasing manner. He emphasized the

EASTLAND'S FIRST MONDAY PROMISES TO BE BIG ONE

The committee in charge of Eastland's FIRST MONDAY, which is to be held Monday, June 6, announces ready, and word from all over the county indicates a big crowd is also ready and waiting.

The merchants of Eastland have done their bit also. Page 7 of this issue is a solid page of first Monday bargains offered by the various stores.

These special offers, as well as the racing and riding, are just that many more reasons why you should attend.

It's an all day program filled with fun and amusement that you should not miss.

Conventions To Meet In Chicago

The Republican and Democratic National Conventions will be held in Chicago this month, the Republicans meeting there June 14 and the Democrats June 25.

Both conventions will be held in the same city and in the same hall, a fact that is said to be most unusual.

F. A. Blankenbecker, of Cisco, is a delegate to the Republican Convention from this district. O. P. Newberry, of Gorman, is alternate at large, and D. G. Hunt, Jr., of Eastland is alternate for this district.

Will St. John, of Cisco, is delegate from this district to the Democratic Convention.

Delegates were elected May 23 at state conventions, the Democrats meeting at Houston and the Republicans at Mineral Wells.

Hearing on the Bankhead Highway Cut-off Case Has Been Set for Monday, June 6, at Mineral Wells.

Judge Sam Russell, of the Palo Pinto district, has granted a temporary restraining order stopping all work on highway 89, which is the road from the foot of Ranger Mountain to Weatherford, and a more direct route from this section to Fort Worth. He has set the case for hearing for Monday, June 6, at which time it will be determined whether a temporary injunction will be granted.

A number of meetings has been held recently by parties upholding both sides of the question. Mineral Wells and a few other towns supposed to be affected by the cut-off are bitterly opposing its construction. Towns in this section and beyond, as well as those through which the new road will pass, are attempting to influence the building of the more direct route to Fort Worth and Dallas.

The highway department will be represented in the case Monday by the attorney general department, which will have associated with it judges W. J. Oxford of Stephenville, F. D. Wright of Cisco, and Milburn McCarty of Eastland. The opposition will be represented by the law firm of Ritchie & Ritchie and other lawyers of Mineral Wells.

Indications are that many from Eastland will attend the hearing at Mineral Wells.

needs of a high type of citizenship in times like the present.

District Governor Horace Condy closed the program with a very fitting address on the subject of "Lionism." He emphasized the Lions code of ethics and the Objectives of Lionism. He also expressed the interest of the club in the boys of Eastland.

The committee on nominations made their report on nominations for club officers for the coming year.

Lion Secretary McGlamery reported the braces ready to fit on little Miss Vera Mae Little. She will be taken to the Scottish Rite Hospital on Wednesday for the fitting. With the aid of these braces it is hoped she will soon be able to walk.

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YOUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEEDS YOU

He said, "I received one, but I thought it was just an advertisement, and I threw it away."

A group of citizens recently called at the Chamber of Commerce and asked that a meeting be called. Dr. Tanner at once invested \$1.00 in postal cards and printed them on the mimeograph, and in response to the one hundred cards which were mailed out, six responded.

Upon meeting one party on the street, the doctor was asked about calling a meeting and he promptly replied that one hundred cards were mailed, whereupon the gentlemen replied that he threw it into the waste basket, thinking it was another ad of some kind.

The incident has two morals. First, get behind your Chamber of Commerce—it is working for you constantly. Second, use newspaper space for advertising purposes—it really beats direct by mail and costs much less.

"STATIC"



By J. L. Cottingham.

Little Jack Lewis showed up the other morning in dirty khakis, bitterly complaining because he had to walk twenty miles of pipe line. The day before he had worked on a tubing gang under the inexperienced supervision of Bill Hyer—he is beginning to believe that life is a little tough. Little Jack has a flair for narrative and someday he will make his mark in the short story game but that won't be for another fifteen years or so. Meantime, he is getting the training he needs for if you are going to paint life, you have to see it—as other men do.

Oscar Wilson and E. C. Satterwhite were playing pool up at the fire boys dormitory. It began to get dark and Oscar, to show how smart he was, turned on the lights but he got the fire siren switch. When the siren started to squall, Oscar decided to leave and Satterwhite thought maybe something was wrong so he went too. They knocked three people down getting out of the city hall and almost started a riot. Their wives ought to either go around with them or hire a nurse to keep them out of places where they do not belong.

The paper office is going to move. Hatcher picked out a place next door to Ben Hamner so as to save ambulance fees when he passes out. Grady Pipkin, Hoyt Davis and Monte Hays must be there for the same reason. Groceries ought to be cheap in that neighborhood because Ben's customer's don't use them.

I guess Johnny Burke is due to leave us soon. Burke has been quite an addition to our town. He has more brains than Hoyt Davis even if Hoyt could be cut up into five complete Burkes—except for the black shoes—Hoyt wears yaller.

F. O. Hunter has been seen less around the square—probably he is catching up on his sleep. Doughtie should tell our famous local columnist how to spell his name. I know he does not care about being labeled "Dowdy" in the public prints. The blonde waitress refused to tell us where her vaccination mark was and Jack Hapeman was shocked at hearing her asked such a question.

Tom Harris is a candidate for a job—so his card says. He has had some cards printed stating his honorable intentions in the same way the politicians do. Maybe it will work. I believe it was Barnum said it paid to advertise or did he say there is a filling station born every minute?

I am holding up the presses now and I can't think of a thing except that I am sleepy—that ought to be news.

Mrs. I Wolf has another dress—it may be a new one and it may not. Mrs. Dave Wolf has a new expression. She says, "I am exhausted," in-

stead of, "I am tired." Well, she has passed her fortieth birthday, so she is due a rest. Dec Williams also complains of being tired—looks like merchants would have time to rest these days.

Frank Castleberry has resigned as mayor—he ought to return that trot line before he goes out of office. The Liars Club are talking fish now. Jim Harrell never shows up any more and should be disqualified as president. A man has to keep practicing to be an accomplished liar. I think Tom Bendy should have that job—if he gets beat in the constable race. Hammond is really not worthy. He can lie but he has too little idea of the dramatic and his hearers frequently go to sleep. Pentecost fancies himself as a humorist. Red Peters has retired from the club. Briggs Owen is trying to tell the truth and should be expelled.

Mrs. Kimbrell asked me who was the girl in the green dress I saw talking to Curtis? She ought not to have asked me that—I did not tell on her when I saw her taking dinner with one of our popular druggists. John Turner has a dog who walks as sedately and deliberately as John does. Miss Jessie Lee Ligon has a new permanent. Miss Valera Hargus has a new dress. Mrs. Jim Atcheley has a new tooth brush and Joe Weaver's bull dog has a new set of fleas.

TESTS DISPROVE DROUGHT CLAIMS MADE FOR "GROHOMA"

U. S. Department of Agriculture Finds Widely Exploited Crop No Better Than Ordinary Grain Sorghums In Series of Comparative Tests.

Grohoma, widely advertised as a "wonder crop" of the southwest, is only an ordinary grain sorghum, the U. S. Department of Agriculture says in renewing a warning it issued last year in regard to false claims made by some seed sellers and growers.

The new crop was developed in Oklahoma a few years ago and is being widely exploited again this year as drought-resistant and high yielding. In reality, it is less drought-resistant than many other grain sorghums and yields less in a majority of instances, comparative trials made by the department and State Agricultural experiment stations or two years show.

The field trials of the department and cooperating workers show that Grohoma has no extraordinary merit and that it is usually less productive than most of the adopted local varieties. These tests indicate that seedmen and growers are not warranted in asking prices for seed higher than those for other grain sorghums. On the strength of exaggerated claims, Grohoma seed is being offered at from 3 to 25 cents a pound, with as much as \$2 a pound being asked in some instances. Grain sorghum seed ordinarily sells at not more than 2 to 6 cents a pound.

ON TEXAS FARMS

A Wood county farmer who has been in the habit of borrowing \$80 to \$100 at the bank every spring applied for only \$15 this year. Asked the reason he said he had lots of feed, and the "canning woman" had taught his wife how to can and saved him lots of money.

Mrs. J. B. Morrison, a Kent county garden demonstrator, has solved the problem of rats in her vegetable hot bed. She dissolves a few strychnine crystals in fruit jar lids placed at each end of the bed. The rats die before leaving.

Small strawberry patches pay, according to Mrs. C. C. Burrows, Wichita county home demonstration club woman, who sold 60 gallons of berries in April at 60 cents per gallon from a plot 18 by 35 feet started with 275 plants three years ago.

Eighteen Guadalupe county families have been helped to can 1070 containers of meat by Mrs. Alvin Schultz of the Cibola Home Demonstration Club. This is in line with state plans which encourage those benefited by Extension work to extend the benefits to others.

Sugar beet production to supplement heavy grain rations of cows and other livestock is planned by farmers and 4-H club boys in Hale county this year, the county agent reports.

Interest in pecan improvement has increased more rapidly in Gillespie county since budded trees now bearing have produced nuts that sell for 20 cents per pound compared to 3 or 4 cents per pound for natives, says the county agent. County judge Usener who has prepared budding cloth for demonstrators every year for six years has exhausted his year's supply of 30,000 cloths.

Not Too Late For Sowing Sudan Grass

College Station—A timely reminder that it's not too late to plant sudan grass for summer pasture is given by E. A. Miller, agronomist in the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. Calling attention to the fact that the value of this crop for grazing has been proven in thousands of demonstrations, and that it is the summer and fall stand-by of most dairy and livestock demonstrators, Mr. Miller suggests that it be drilled in 2 to 3 foot rows at the rate of about 10 to 15 pounds per acre. It may be planted as late as July 1st with fairly good results most years, he says, although April or early May is a more desirable time. Grazing should not begin until the grass is 15 to 18 inches high.

BETTER SIRUP

Sugarcane sirup of greatly improved and more uniform quality can be produced by a method worked out by C. F. Walton, Jr., and E. K. Ventre, of the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, United States Department of Agriculture, in experiments made in Florida and Mississippi. The method involves the addition of a small proportion of decolorizing carbon direct to sugarcane juice in the farm evaporator.

It is estimated that nearly half the total production of both cane and sorgo sirup made on American farms is of inferior quality, selling at a price at least 20 per cent lower than the high-grade sirup, and that an increase in the value of such sirup would result from the application of the method devised. On the basis of the 1930-31 average wholesale price of low grade cane sirup in Georgia, which was approximately 28 cents per gallon, the increase in price would amount to about 7 cents.

Eighty-nine per cent of the corn grown in the United States is fed to live-stock, an exhibit on the subject prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture says. This corn constitutes 25 per cent of the entire sustenance of our livestock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

The lesson-sermon subject in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, May 29, was "Ancient and Modern Necromancy. Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."

Proverbs 14:22 furnished the golden text: "Do they not err that devise evil? but mercy and truth shall be to them that devise good."

Included in the lesson-sermon was the following verse from the Bible (Revelation 12:10): "And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night."

The service also embraced these citations from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—pages 223, 380:

"Marvels, calamities, and sin will much more abound as truth urges upon mortals its resisted claims; but the awful darning of sin destroys sin, and foreshadows the triumph of truth. . . Nothing but the power of Truth can prevent the fear of error, and prove dominion over error."

Mrs. Derrell Koffman, of Pampa, is visiting here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wingate.

ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode



"DISAPPEARING LAKE" near Rome, Italy DISAPPEARED COMPLETELY FOR 24 HOURS... IN A GAME WITH CHICAGO, THE N.Y. GIANTS SCORED 5 RUNS—ALL HOMERS! —1930—

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SEABERRY SPEAKS AT BIBLE CLASS MEETING

The 9:49 Men's Bible Class lecture was delivered Sunday by Virgil Seaberry in the absence of the regular teacher, Judge J. E. Hickman. Miss Oneita Russell read.

Mr. Seaberry's subject on the relationship between father and son, stressing the dreams and ambition of youth, was impressively presented. Miss Russell, teacher of expression in the local high school the past nine months, ably read Edgar A. Guest's "A Heap o' Living."

The song service was led by A. E. Herring and accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Joe Gibson.

Several visitors were introduced. Members and visitors present were: A. L. Agate, G. L. Maynard, J. M. Knox, L. W. Ferguson, W. O. Butler, J. W. Harrell, Morris Shelton, A. E. Herring, Mack O'Neal, T. A. Shanley, J. S. Butler, R. R. Hardwick, T. M. Johnson, Leroy Patterson, C. L. Anderson, T. J. Amis, W.

F. Creiger, W. B. Harris, Rob Roy Sparr, Geo. Brogden, Jr., Carl P. Springer, Mrs. W. F. Austin, Fort Worth, J. C. Patterson, W. H. Mullings, T. M. Collie, F. L. Drago, W. C. Campbell, J. A. Watzan, R. C. Ruffner, Walter Gray, T. V. Seaberry, Ted Ferguson, W. W. Kelly, Jep Little, M. L. Keasler, Jno. W. Turner, Geo. Brogden, Frank Judkins, Jno. D. Seale, G. Pipkins, D. C. Hawley, J. W. Turner, J. M. Sherrill, Dr. H. B. Tanner, Jack Muirhead, A. W. Wright, C. B. Wellman, H. B. Mays, June Kimble, W. E. Coleman, Noble Gray, Abilene, R. B. Braly, Elan Reaves, O. L. Duckett, H. C. Davis, G. O. Reynolds, H. T. Burgess, B. M. Collie, Joseph M. Perkins, N. A. Moore, D. L. Kinnaird, Ward Mullings, N. N. Rosenquest, Russell Hill, Tom Amis, W. F. Davenport, Erle Mayo, W. F. Lowe, Weatherford, P. L. Crossley, W. B. Collie, J. C. Pargin, P. N. Cook, Leslie Cook, James Hill, Joe A. Gibson, Opal Harrell, Bernice Johnson, Maifred Hale, Oneita Russell, Mrs. J. A. Gibson.

METHODIST CIRCLE HAS SOCIAL MEETING

The A. F. K. circle of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met in a social meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Earl Woody, with Mrs. Neal Moore and Mrs. T. M. Collie as co-hostesses.

The program was opened with a song, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee." The devotional was led by Mrs. Iola Mitchell, who presented the sixth chapter of "The Open Gate to Prayer." Stewardship was presented by Mrs. Ed Willman and the bulletin news by Mrs. M. H. Kelly.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. Willman. Minutes were read by Mrs. Mitchell. Announcement was made of the Guest Day social to be held next Monday at the church, when every lady in the church is invited. Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, of Ranger, will speak. The district meeting for June 17 was also announced. All circles of the society will hold a picnic for the June Social.

The social hour was conducted by Mrs. J. C. Stephen. In observance of Memorial Day, a pantomime of old war time songs was given, after which two delightful written contests were enjoyed. Mrs. M. H. Kelly received a dainty handkerchief made by the hostess, Mrs. Woody.

Refreshments of pineapple mint ice and lady fingers were served. The plates were adorned with individual corsages of sweet peas tied with orchid ribbon.

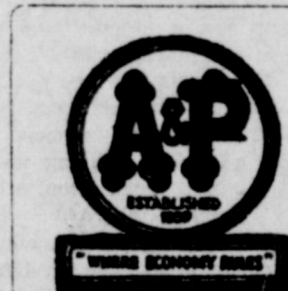
Those present were Meses. Geo. W. Shearer, Ed Graham, J. A. Elliott, Iola Mitchell, Ruth Horton, M. H. Kelly, T. J. Haley, Ed Willman, W. W. Kelly, Elizabeth Pettit, L. C. Britain, R. E. Sikes, M. E. Lawrence, J. C. Stephen, Chas. Fagg, B. M. Collie and the hostesses, Meses. Woody, Moore and Collie.

RABBIT RAISERS TO MEET TONIGHT

The Eastland-County Rabbit Club will hold a meeting tonight at 8:00 o'clock in the office of the county demonstration agent in the courthouse.

An attempt has been made, according to members of the club, to get in touch with every rabbit raiser in this section, but a number could not be reached. Anyone interested is invited to be present.

K. C. Jones, of Ranger, was a visitor in Eastland, Monday



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In fact all your table needs before making your purchases. Plan to come to your A&P Store FIRST and you will save time as well as money.

OLD MUNICH MALT	3 Lb. Can	33c
Post Toasties or Kellogg's Corn Flakes	2 Lge. Pkgs.	19c
Iona Brand PEARS	2 Large Cans	29c
8 O'Clock COFFEE "The Highest Quality Santos"	3 Lbs.	50c
Sultana Brand Peanut Butter	1 Lb. Jar 12c 2 Lb. Jar	23c
Sultana Brand APPLE BUTTER	25 Oz. Jar	17c

ORANGES MED. SIZE	LETTUCE FIRM HEADS	APPLES WINESAPS
Doz. 23c	Each 5c	2 Doz. 29c
WESSON OIL	BREAD GRANDMOTHER'S	CORN MEAL
PINTS 23c	Reg. Loaf 5c	24 Lb. Sack 35c
QUARTS 45c		

MEAT SPECIALS

SLICED BREAKFAST BACON	Pound	12c
FANCY DRESSED FRYERS	2 Pound Average	25c
FANCY VEAL ROUND STEAK	Pound	21c
DRY SALT BACON	Pound	7c
SLICED BOILED HAM	Pound	29c
PORK STEAK or ROAST	Pound	10c
SEVEN STEAK or ROAST	Pound	12c
CENTER SLICES CURED HAM	Pound	19c
CURED HAMS, Skinned, End Cuts, 3 - 8 Lb. Avg.		10c

Be Particular About Your FACE POWDER



You should be particular about your face powder. A heavy coating, a "powdery" appearance is objectionable. Your powder should be of sufficient fineness to impart a velvety film that the skin will retain and just light enough to dust on evenly and smoothly. Agnes Sorel Face Powder has these qualities, in addition to an odor which blends with any perfume you use.

Agnes Sorel Face Powder is one of the six Agnes Sorel essentials to complexion care. sold only at the—

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OF COURSE
Eastland Texas

Agents Discover Counterfeit Bills

Bogus \$5 bills, believed to be part of some counterfeited by a Chicago gang and circulated throughout the country, have shown up in Ft. Worth and in Dallas. Secret service agents received 14 of them from Fort Worth banks yesterday and 12 more from Dallas banks.

Five of those found in Fort Worth

were deposited at a bank there by a department store. The counterfeiters are regarded as the best imitations of real currency found in circulation in many years.

Except from being a little too crinkling and poorly shaded, the counterfeiters are hard to detect. The bills, purported to be issues of the First National Banks of Toledo, Jefferson and St. Louis. Different serial numbers are used, but numbers on all bills discovered in Fort Worth began with the letters "FO" and ended with "A".

The picture of Abraham Lincoln on the face of the bill is darker on the left to right shoulder over the head than on real money, while the rest of the face of the bill is a little too light.

One teller who received a number of them, described the bills as being as heavy as a genuine bill would be after powder had been spilled on it in a woman's purse.

The backs of the counterfeits are also good, except that they are too dark near the left corner of the picture of the Lincoln Memorial and that the center is also dark.

Signatures on the bogus bills are heavier than those on real money, but no attempt was made to use the correct names of the bank officers.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday, June 5

The Rev. D. Pryde Gillis, of Lansing, Michigan, will preach at the morning service. The congregation and friends of the church are especially requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pope and small daughter, of Cross Plains, visited in Eastland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Wood and family of Cisco, were in this city Wednesday.

Poultry - Rabbits WANTED

Bring us your Chincilla and White Rabbits, also Poultry. TEXAS FARM PRODUCTS COMPANY S. Seaman Next Prairie Bldg.



- FANCY QUEEN OLIVES
Quart Jar 32c
MOTHER HUBBARD PICKLES
QUART, Sour 27c
QUART, Sweet 32c

STRAWBERRIES Aromas Quart 15c

- LETTUCE Hard Heads 5c
LARGE TREE RIPENED LEMONS Dozen 24c
HOME GROWN GREEN BEANS 3 Lbs. 10c
Home Grown NEW POTATOES Uniform Lge. Size Lh. 3c
- Marshmallows 4 oz. pkg. 5c
FANCY LARGE CANTELOUPES Each 10c
SIZE 252 ORANGES 2 Dozen 35c

- ARMOUR'S VERIBEST VIENNA SAUSAGE 3 Cans 23c
ARMOURS—VERY TASTY POTTED MEAT 3 Cans 10c
DELICIA Sandwich Spread Can 8c
GOLD MEDAL Mayonnaise 8 oz. jar 14c
- LATONIA CLUB Ginger Ale 2 Bottles 25c
GRAPE JUICE, Pint 15c
WHITE SWAN, Quart 29c
OLIVES 3 1/2 OZ. QUEEN 10c
3 1/2 OZ. STUFFED 12c
FANCY WHOLE—SOUR or SWEET PICKLES Picnic Jar 12c
Libby's Pinks 12c
Rosedale Reds 15c

- SUGAR 10 LB. BAG HOLLY 25 lb. bag \$1.05 42c
WHITE FAWN FLOUR 48 LBS. 24 Lbs. 39c 69c

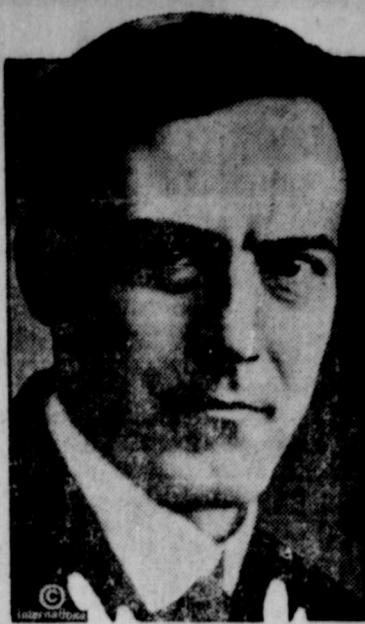
QUAKER OATS Quick or Regular 20 Oz. Pkg. 10c

BANQUET PEACHES
Large Can 15c
2 No 1 tall cans 23c
LIBBY'S FANCY PINEAPPLE
3 Buffet Cans 23c

OLD GOLD CORN
2 No. 2. Cans 15c
BORDEN'S MILK TEXAS PRODUCT
1 Large Can or 2 Small Cans 5c

- FINEST COUNTRY GENTLEMAN STOKLEY'S CORN No. 2 Can 10c
CALUMET Baking Powder 1 lb. Can 23c
PINTO BEANS 6 Lbs. 13c
PRUNES 3 Lbs. 17c
COMPOUND All Kinds 8 Lb. Pail 59c
QUALITY MEATS
SLICED BACON Decker's 1 Lb. Pkg. 13c
CHEESE Wisconsin or Longhorn Pound 17c
Baby Beef SEVEN ROAST The kind you like to eat Lb. 12c
Sugar Cured BACON In the Piece 13c
CHUCK ROAST Baby Beef 8c
Good Fat TEW MRA 8c
WRITING PAPER 1 25c
DRY STARCH 6c

Pulpit to Politics



Rev. Harry Oscar Stevens has resigned his Presbyterian pastorate in Philip, S. D., to run for governor of South Dakota on the ticket of the Liberty party. Mr. Stevens proposes constitutional changes to lodge all legislation with the people through popular vote, with the Supreme court passing on constitutionality before submission to a vote. He proposes to eliminate legislators, with the people enacting laws direct.

Boy Scouts Will Meet Here Tues.

A Boy Scout Council Meeting will be held at the City Park here Tuesday night, June 7, at 7 o'clock, according to Scout Executive Guy N. Quirl, of Brownwood, who was in Eastland Thursday completing arrangements for the meeting.

Representatives from Stephens, Eastland, Brown, Erath, Comanche, Mills, San Saba, and Lampasas counties will be present. An attendance of 30 or 40 is expected.

A chicken barbecue will begin the meeting.

With plenty of low-priced feed hens are producing more than half their usual quota of eggs these days. However, there are fewer hens and pullets in farm flocks as compared with a year ago, and consequently smaller egg production per farm flock according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The number of hens per farm flock on May 1 is reported as being the smallest on that date in eight years, hens and pullets per farm flock being placed at 74.2 birds, as compared with 75.7 on May 1, 1931, and 79.6 on May 1, 1930. Production per hen, at the rate of 55.6 eggs per 100 birds on May 1, was less than the unusually high figure of 56.2 on May 1 a year ago, but greater than the five-year May 1 average of 54.9 eggs.

The bureau reports that the average number of chicks of this year's hatching in farm flocks on May 1, was about the same as hatchings last year, but 10 per cent less than the five-year average on that date. Farm prices of eggs on April 15 were the lowest in the bureau's 23-year record for that date, and farm prices of chickens the lowest in 17 years, but it pointed out that there has been a relatively larger decline in prices of poultry feed.

In rotation and tillage experiments carried on for 21 years at the United States field station at San Antonio, Texas, following and green manuring, two ordinarily accepted practices in soil improvement, did not increase yields sufficiently to make them practicable. These experiments, which covered the period 1909-1929, were made to determine the best crops for the region, south-central Texas, where the soil is heavy black clay loam but not as heavy as the typical black lands of Texas. Oats are not satisfactory as a hay and grain crop, but are valuable for pasture; corn, milo, forage sorghum, and Sudan grass yield satisfactorily; leonard fields to prevent rain run-off is not of practical value; early plowing is desirable; and early preparation of ground for corn and cotton increases yields of these crops. Because of diseases and pests, cotton has been practically a failure at this station for the last several years.—The Official Record.

Mrs. Sally Bishop and Mrs. Bobby Wood, of Gorman, were visitors in Eastland Monday.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Lamar and Plummer Streets, Sunday service 11 a. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Testimonial meetings, Wednesday evenings at 8 p. m. Reading room open Tuesdays and Fridays 2 to 5 p. m. All are welcome.

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Day or Night

Stolen Goods Are Recovered

Goods stolen several weeks ago from various places in the state have been recovered near here this week by Sheriff Virge Foster and his force. One arrest has been made and three stolen cars returned to their owners.

Goods of various descriptions, alleged to have been stolen by several boys, were recovered in and around Olden, some of which was concealed in houses and part hidden in the woods and brush near the town. The first part of the goods was discovered Sunday morning, and a greater portion was found Wednesday afternoon. Officers believe that there is still more yet to be located.

Safes were burglarized at Ibez, Lorraine, and Olden. The boys are said to have entered a blacksmith shop at Olden, where they took tools to break into the T. & P. Depot, robbing the safe there. The safe in the depot at Lorraine was also burglarized.

One Eastland county boy was arrested this week and turned over to officials at Colorado City, where he was taken Thursday.

An automobile stolen at Kerens was returned to its owner.

Two cars stolen this week in Cisco by other parties were recovered by Sheriff Foster and Deputy Woods and returned to their owners, Mr. Brewer and Mr. Elliott, both of Cisco.

SPRING TONIC

Eggs are better than any spring tonic, says the bureau of home economics, United States Department of Agriculture. They are rich in iron for the formation of good red blood, vitamins that promote growth and assist in bone formation, and protein for body building and repair. One specialist in child nutrition says that one egg a day in the young child's diet is a means of preventing rickets, and most authorities agree that every child over two years old should have a whole egg every day if possible.

MUSHROOMS

Do not depend on so-called tests for distinguishing between poisonous United States Department of Agriculture. It is not true that only poisonous will tarnish a silver coin placed in the utensil in which they are cooked, or that they will become edible if soaked or boiled in salt water. Neither are mushrooms that peel readily always edible. Insects on mushrooms are no guide to their edibility—insects infest both poisonous and edible mushrooms. It is not safe, says the department, to eat young, unopened "buttons" as it is difficult to distinguish between poisonous and edible mushrooms in the early stages.

BANKERS KNOW VALUE OF SOIL-EROSION CONTROL

The value of controlling run-off water to prevent soil wash on rolling cultivated lands is recognized by financial interests engaged in loaning money in farmlands, reports the United States Department of Agriculture. Two federal farm loan banks require that all rolling land upon which they make loans be terraced. One of them employs an engineer to check over farms on which it has loans, to see that all terraces are properly built and maintained.

During the last year three large insurance companies have employed engineers to direct the work of controlling erosion on farms that these companies have taken over, which not only indicates a realization of the benefits of controlling run-off water but also suggests that it may be difficult to obtain long-time loans on farms where no effort is made to prevent soil washing away.

SUMMER AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK REPORTS ANNOUNCED

To aid farmers in planning production and marketing a series of summer "outlook" reports has been scheduled for issue in July, August, and September by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Poultry and egg producers will be told July 25 the outlook to that industry during the following months as affected by the current and projected production and demand conditions.

The following attended the district convention of the Woodman Circle held at the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells Thursday: Misses Gwendolyn Jones and Lillie Williams, Misses J. M. Wilcox, C. N. Nichols, Virge Foster, F. A. Jones and W. C. Marlow.

duction and marketing.

Ten year ago it would have been impossible thus to guide farmers in their business operations because the basic statistical data were not then available; more can be done now because the bureau has gradually accumulated during the years much material needed in such a service.

Turns Kitchen Into Chili Factory

Houston—More than 2,000 cans of chili have been sold by Mrs. Roy J. Loucks since she learned to can her product in tin at a demonstration given by Miss Opal Roberson, Harris County home demonstration agent. Mrs. Loucks says that her kitchen has become a chili factory and that more equipment is needed for her rapidly increasing business. Her customers at present include six large retail stores in Houston, lunch counters, and several neighbors.

Down Goes Cost of Living

Cooper—It only cost an average of \$4.84 to feed their families in February, 55 Delta county home demonstration club members have reported. Mrs. W. D. Hollan of the Klondike community reports that \$3.50 fed her family of six and that "we really had something to eat." Mrs. M. S. Young, of Enloe community spent \$1.55 for food for her family of three. This economy plan was made possible by well-stocked pantries, according to Miss Laura Morgan (county home demonstration agent. "It is interesting to note," she writes, "that every one of the 55 women was serving a raw fruit."

Surplus Milk Makes Good American Cheese

Seymour—Having made 300 pounds of American cheese which she sold for \$60.00, Mrs. Lee Howe of the Hashknife Club holds the record as cheese-maker in Baylor county. She now has on hand 148 pounds of cheese curing, and recently conceived the idea of making pimento cheese for which she is finding ready sale.

Cheese making has become popular in Baylor county, reports Miss Ester Mae Wade, county home demonstration agent, since the women have found that it costs little to make, and is a means of marketing their surplus milk for which there is practically no sale.

Mrs. Hill of Cisco visited in Eastland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, who reside near Cisco, were visitors in Eastland Monday.

The two small sons of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Harris have been quite ill recently, but are improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Childress made a trip to Sweetwater Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Ramey is attending a district meeting of home demonstration agents in Ruidoso, New Mexico, this week.

Mrs. Childress and daughter, of Miles, have been visiting here in the home of their son and brother, D. L. Childress, and family. They left this week for Fort Worth, where they will visit before returning home.

Guy N. Quirl, Boy Scout Executive of Brownwood and formerly of Eastland, was a visitor in Eastland Thursday on official business.

Fred D. Hale, of Fort Worth, is a visitor this week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boggus.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Clepper, of Caddo, were visitors in Eastland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tanner and little daughter, Nanette Lawe, of Tyler, are visiting Mr. Tanner's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Tanner.

Mrs. Lester Foster, employee of Wolf's, is enjoying a two weeks vacation.

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J. T. Cooper and J. C. Brewer, who are on leave in October, visited in Eastland during the week-end.

Mrs. Clyde F. ... returned to her home here Tuesday ... at a Ranger hospital, where she ... undergoing an operation ... She is ... improving nicely.

Miss Opal ... returned from Ranger ... attending ... Cal ...

GABBY GERTIE



"One word can cause a Scotchman more grief than a sentence if the word is 'Fine.'"

Turkey Luck Is Management

College Station—A relatively new system of turkey sanitation known as "The Four-Leaf Clover Plan" has been outlined or Texas turkey demonstrators by Paul A. Cunyus, assistant poultry husbandman in the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. It is especially adapted to confinement reared flocks and aims chiefly at eliminating pin worms which carry the blackhead disease.

In the suggested plan about 150 to 175 poults are brooded in an ordinary 52-inch size hover place in a 12x12 house which has the small exit doors in each corner. After the first week the poults are allowed to run outside part of the day but are confined to a small area enclosed by a piece of wire netting stretched around one corner of the house. Each week a new corner is fitted up and in four weeks the house is moved to fresh pasture leaving a four-leaf clover design behind. At nine weeks old the poults are said to be ready for the range and past most of the danger of death from blackhead. The plan is described in a new Extension Service circular C-91 obtainable from county and

THE ROMANCE OF YOUTH

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Emeritus Dean of Men,
University of Illinois.



I was thirteen when the narrow-gauge railroad between West Lebanon, Ind., and Havana, Ill., was built. I say Havana, Ill., though the construction was never completed farther than Leroy. I believe, it was a project which was to revolutionize agriculture in that part of the state in which I lived, and it gave all us children a thrill.

We traveled very little in those days. When we did go it was afoot or horseback, or in a farm wagon. I had never seen inside a railway coach when I was thirteen, but I had ambitions to do so. Ed Bailey and Taylor Curtis and I used to climb to the roof of the barn and watch the train, a little more than a mile away, creeping along the narrow track, or pulling up the grade which took it over the glacial moraine toward the East and out of sight. That train spelled romance to us! We were not going to be farmers dragging our feet behind a plow or a harrow; not we! We were going to be engineers racing our trains along at 15, or 20 miles an hour.

I ran onto Billy a few days ago as I was coming home at noontime. Billy had been our neighbor a few years before and then had passed out of our domestic life for a time. Now here he was again, healthy and rosy and thirteen.

"Where do you live now?" I asked, and he told me.

"Are you going to school?" He was in the seventh grade, as a normal boy of his age, should have been, and his chances of flunking or passing his examinations for promotion were about fifty-fifty.

"But I'm not going to college," he confided to me.

"No?" I said in an interrogatory tone of voice.

"I'm going to an aviation school. It isn't any more dangerous flying now than it is running an automobile.

"It's awful good pay, too!"

I remembered that an engineer got one hundred dollars a month when I contemplated taking up that profession. It seemed a lot of money.

I didn't try to dissuade Billy. What is education as compared with the romance and the thrill of sailing through the air at a hundred miles an hour or more? The romance of youth!

home demonstration agents.

Follow Now For Fall Alfalfa

College Station—Many farmers are withholding from cultivation small acreages of extra good land this spring to prepare it for fall alfalfa sowing in demonstrations with county agents, it is pointed out by E. A. Miller, agronomist in the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. "The best way to get ready for alfalfa is to flat-break good, well drained land in the spring, preferably in creek or river bottoms, and let it lie fallow all summer except for an occasional harrowing to kill weeds," he says. "This stores moisture and secures a firm seed bed which is very important. From September to November is the best time to sow the crop."

Miss Gustafson Is Honored on Birthday

Miss Ila Dee Gustafson was honored on her birthday Wednesday night of last week when her sister-in-law, Mrs. L. A. Gustafson, entertained at her home in Cisco with a dinner and theater party.

A five-course dinner was served, after which the guests were entertained at a Cisco theater.

Miss Floy O'Neill and Mrs. Tolley Bonds attended from Eastland. Other guests were Miss Faye Latson, Mrs. Jack Pippen, Jr., Mrs. R. B. Gustafson, and the honoree, Miss Gustafson.

McCULLOUGH'S WILL RETURN FROM SCHOOL

Mrs. Marshall McCullough, supervisor of the art department in St. Genevieve-of-the-Pines, a girl's school in Asheville, North Carolina, is expected to arrive at her home here Saturday, according to her husband, Marshall McCullough, local attorney.

She will be driven through in her car by Lewis Gregg of Ranger, who has been attending school in Virginia.

Marshall McCullough, Jr., is also expected to arrive Friday or Saturday from Austin, where he has been attending the University of Texas.

Still Seized Near Scranton

A still and twenty gallons of whiskey were captured south of Scranton Monday by sheriff Virge Foster and his deputies.

The still was brought in to the courthouse here about noon Monday. One arrest was made.

Another still was captured Tuesday between Eastland and Ranger, just south of Olden.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. CHILDRESS

The Church of Christ Ladies Bible class met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. L. Childress on South Dixie street.

Song, "The Unclouded Day," was led by Mrs. Boggus. Opening prayer was led by Mrs. Guy Sherrill. The lesson on Paul's second missionary journey was taught by Mrs. Herring. Dismissal prayer was led by Mrs. Boggus.

Refreshments of pie topped with whipped cream and ice tea were served to Meses. Teatsorth, Duke, Copeland, Fehl, Graham, Reagan, Lawrence, Robason, Crossley, Sherrill, Herring, and the hostess, Mrs. Childress.

The next meeting of the class will be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jimmy Graham.

MRS. KALLENBERGER NEW CITY ASSISTANT

Mrs. Ralph Kallenberger is new assistant secretary at the City Hall here. She assumed her duties Wednesday. Mrs. Kallenberger, formerly Miss Martha Frances Thomas, is a former employee of the city, having worked in this same position several months ago.

MR. FRANK LOVETT UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mr. Frank Lovett, who underwent a major operation at the Payne Hospital here Monday morning, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. Lovett is an outstanding citizen of Eastland, being active in civic and church affairs. He has a large circle of friends here who are wishing him a rapid recovery.

MR. JOBE BETTER AFTER OPERATION

Mr. D. J. Jobe, office deputy sheriff, is reported to be improving nicely since undergoing an operation at a Gorman hospital Monday.

Mr. Jobe has a host of friends in Eastland who are glad to know that he is recovering, and are hoping that he will soon be back at his duties in the courthouse.

Veterans Demand Action on Bonus

The Bonus Expeditionary Force, composed of World War veterans from over the entire United States, has settled down in Washington to await action of Congress on the payment of their bonus.

It is estimated that 1,300 former soldiers are already there, with other forces enroute to the capital. They are being set up in true military style. It is said that they plan to stay until they receive action on the bonus bill.

Word comes from San Antonio that the "Lone Star Bonus Expedition" will leave there at sunrise Friday, hiking to Washington to urge payment of the bonus. Their route will lead through Austin, Waco and Fort Worth. J. E. McClain, commander of Travis Post No. 76, American Legion, of Austin, stated that his post was having no official connection with the movement, although it favored immediate cash payment of the bonus. A group from Austin is expected to join the San Antonio force there, however.

A group of 500 ex-service men has been organized in Fort Worth, and are expected to leave there in an attempt to beat the San Antonio expedition to Washington.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Notice of Intention to Marry
Glen Branum, Cisco, and Miss Mildred Jordan, Cisco.

L. E. Mooke, Gorman, and Miss Frances Oldham, Gorman.

Marriage Licenses Issued
J. T. Collie and Mrs. Edith Blackwell.

W. E. Ramsey and Miss Leota Davis.

Ray W. Fesmire and Miss Thelma Rutledge.

Glen Branum and Miss Mildred Jordan.

Suits Filed in 88th District Court
Farm & Home Savings & Loan Association of Missouri vs. R. Q. Evans, et al, notes and foreclosure and attachment.

In Re: Liquidation vs. Texas State Bank, Eastland, to pay dividend.

Suits Filed in 91st District Court
Cisco Independent School District

vs. L. E. Dudley, et al, mandamus, injunction and damages.

Owen Ed Rose, by next friend, R. C. Roland, vs. Texas Electric Service Company, damages.

E. E. Barnes, et al, vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Company, damages.

In Re: Liquidation vs. Texas State Bank, Eastland, sell C. A. Wilson note.

In Re: Liquidation vs. Texas State Bank, Eastland, sell a Morse pump, 1450 feet 2 inch pipe, 2 Franklin engines, 1927 model Fordson tractor and one electric blower.

In Re: Liquidation vs. Peoples State Bank, Ranger, close liquidation.

Burton Lingo Company vs. Jno. M. Gholson, et al, sut on account.

Miss Kardatzke Warner Graduate

Commencement exercises were held at Warner Memorial University Monday morning when Miss Lucille Kardatzke, only graduate of the university, received her Bachelor of Arts degree.

Rev. Geo. W. Shearer, pastor of Eastland Methodist church, delivered the commencement address, and Dr. J. T. Wilson, president of the university, gave the farewell address.

The following program was presented: Processional, Misses Grace Bailey and Mildred McDowell.

Invocation, Rev. J. W. Batdorf.

Violin solo, Miss Evelyn Long, accompanied by Miss Wilda Drago.

Commencement address, Rev. Geo. W. Shearer.

Presentation of diploma.

Violin solo, Miss Evelyn Long.

Farewell address, Dr. Wilson.

Selection, University Ladies Quartet.

Benediction, Dean Bailey.

Miss Bernice Johnson has returned to her home here to spend the summer. Miss Johnson has been a student the past year in Weatherford Junior College. She is specializing in music.

Mrs. R. S. Harris and daughter, Mrs. John Miller, and Mr. Miller, motored to Terrell Sunday to visit Mr. Harris, who is working there.

Mrs. James Gaham is visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Dr. Wilson Spoke At Warner Rally

The Warner Memorial University rally was well attended Sunday night, when a number of the churches of the city united with the Church of God for a service held in the open air tabernacle just south of the Methodist church.

Dr. J. T. Wilson, president of the university, delivered the principal address, informing the people of Eastland of the new course of work that is being offered at the school. The college will open next fall as a fully affiliated junior college. Thirty pupils from Eastland are needed to carry out the new work, and the opportunities offered by this home town school were pointed out by the speaker.

Vocal and instrumental music was furnished by Warner students.

Open House Is Held By Pythians

Open house was held by the Knights of Pythias of Eastland in the lodge hall Tuesday night.

The program was prepared by the knights, and everyone present complimented the knights on their ability in arranging an entertaining program.

The program committee was composed of Dr. R. C. Ferguson, chairman, assisted by Jake Ross and Tom Lovelace.

About seventy-five knights and sisters, with some visitors, were present. The reason for the small attendance was attributed to so many competitive meetings, according to Dr. Ferguson, including the Methodist revival, open house meeting at the Masonic lodge, two picture shows and a skating rink.

The program, as carried out, was as follows:

1. Piano Solo, Gloria Reed.
2. Memorial Day Reading, Tom Lovelace.
3. Vocal Solo, Virginia Ferguson.
4. Dialogue Skit, Karl K. White, and Herbert Reed.
5. Violin Solo, Ruth Reed, Accompanist, Gloria Reed.
6. Piano Solo, Jane Ferguson.
7. Address, Hon. J. W. Cockrill, of Gorman.
8. Piano Solo, Olivet Killough.

Political Announcements

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

District Clerk:
W. H. (Bill) McDONALD (Re-election)
P. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY

Sheriff:
VIRGE FOSTER, (Re-election)

Judge, 88th District Court:
FRANK SPARKS
BURETTE W. PATTERSON

County Judge:
CLYRE L. GARRETT (Re-election)

Representative, 107th Flatorial Dist.
B. L. RUSSELL, JR.

Tax Collector:
T. L. COOPER.
Re-election, Second Term.

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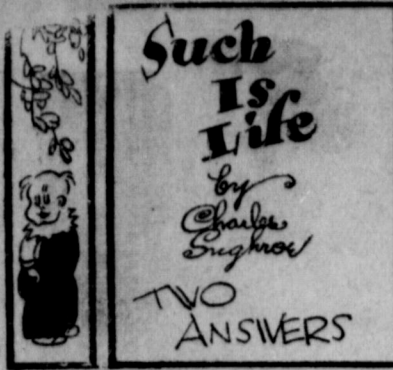


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A shirtmaker frock in cotton shirting is a cool choice for summer hours on the golf course.

Methodist Revival Is Being Conducted

The Methodist revival is now in progress, with Rev. L. J. Power delivering the sermons. Services are held in the open air tabernacle south of the church. Members of other churches and the entire citizenship of Eastland are invited to attend the services.

The following program will be observed at the morning hour Sunday:

- Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
- Prelude, Mrs. Gibson.
- Call to worship, choir.
- Hymn No. 408, "Lead on O King Eternal."
- Prayer, pastor.
- Responsive reading, Psalm No. 116.
- Gloria Patri.
- Offertory, Mrs. Gibson.
- Special, choir.
- Sermon, Rev. L. J. Power.
- Hymn No. 677, "Savior Like a Shepherd."
- Benediction.
- Postlude, Mrs. Gibson.

Evening Service, 8 p. m.
Have you been attending the meeting? Have you invited someone to the services? Let our young people suspend all other social programs during the revival. The community needs your service. You need the meeting.

Sister of Local Man Died Monday

Mrs. Lottie Bolt, 31, sister of J. M. Smith of Eastland, died in a Fort Worth hospital Monday afternoon at 6:15, and was buried at her home in Granbury Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

She was laid by the side of her son, 14, who died just two months ago. She is survived by her husband, Seth Bolt, and two young daughters, 9 and 11 years of age, also by two brothers, J. M. Smith of Eastland and Elmer Smith of El Campo, one sister, Mrs. Borches of Houston, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Smith of Bay City. Mr. Smith returned Wednesday from Granbury, where he attended the funeral. He has many friends in Eastland who are sorry to learn of the death of his sister.

Mrs. Williams Is Honored at Shower

Miss Ione Rains was hostess Thursday night of last week at a bridge party and miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Barry Williams, who until her recent marriage was Miss Ruth O'Neill.

The honoree was surprised with a number of beautiful gifts, which were presented to her before the bridge games. Brick ice cream and wafers were served.

Those attending were Misses Bessie Marlow, Hassie Graham, Mona Pritchard, Floy O'Neill, Nell Caton, Evelyn Peterson, Ione Rains, hostess, and Mrs. Williams, honoree.

Big Merchandise Shoot Held Here

The merchandise shoot held Sunday afternoon by the local gun club was well attended, about forty shooters from Eastland, Ranger and Breckenridge taking part. No high scores were turned in.

Jim Horton was high over all on the entire program. Jimmy Summers, of Ranger, won the pistol events, with a score of 94x100. Tom Harris, of Eastland, won high honors in rifle with a score of 47x50.

Roy Allen, a class B shooter, turned in high score on the skeet events. Allen's shooting was the surprise of the evening. Ordinarily not breaking over 15x25, Roy "got hot" and broke 45x50, beating Eastland's two class A. shooters.

Gayland Poe won the secret prize for low score on the entire program. The prize package was opened and turned out to be a can of malt.

Prize winners with their scores are as follows:

Pistol, Class A	
Jimmy Summers, Ranger	94x100
L. D. Brown, Breckenridge	92x100
Pistol, Class B	
Jack Roach, Ranger	89x100
Tom Harris, Eastland	81x100
Rifle, Class A	
Tom Harris, Eastland	47x50
Jack Roach, Ranger	46x50
Won shoot-off with Peters, Eastland	
Rifle, Class B	
Jimmie Summers, Ranger	45x50
Veon Howard, Eastland	42x50
Skeet, Class A	
Jim Horton, Eastland	43x50
Gayland Poe, Eastland	41x50
Horace Horton, Eastland	20x25
Skeet, Class B	
Roy Allen, Eastland	45x50
H. B. Tanner, Eastland	30x50
Sam Butler, Eastland	17x25

Swimming Pool Season Opened

Cisco's big outdoor concrete swimming pool, largest of its type in the world, was opened to the public for the first time this season Saturday, May 28. The formal opening took place Thursday, June 2, when an all-day program was held, featured by the presence of candidates for state offices, a number to whom had been invited.

The pool, under the management of Edgar E. Butts, is expected this year to enjoy its most popular season, following reorganization of the company, a material reduction in swimming rates and a general improvement in the facilities available there. It is admirably located for an outing with large groves developed into parks where picnickers will find every convenience for an enjoyable outing free of charge. Barbecue pits, with free wood, running water and electric lights, sewage facilities, tables, benches, play ground equipment, and so forth, are located in these cool groves only a few steps from the big pool. Lake Cisco is just above. A sporty golf course is also nearby.

A beach pajama parade, "Hard Times" tacky parade, swimming and diving contests, music and a great variety of other features were included in the program. Mayors of the various cities about Cisco were invited as guests of the company and as judges of the revues. Contestants were guests of the company for the day.

An invitation was broadcast over this section for citizens to visit Cisco on opening day and throughout the entire season.

Car Is Wrecked Near City Hall

A collision near the City Hall about 2:30 Monday afternoon wrecked one car and slightly damaged another. A sedan going east on Commerce street crashed into a coupe going north on Daugherty, crushing the left front wheel, fenders, and side of the coupe.

Both cars were driven by women, and several children were in the cars but none were injured.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cash, of Comanche, Mr. John Cash, Jr., of Coleman, and Mrs. Port Cash, of Hamilton, were visitors Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Oneill.

Frank G. Bender Buried in Gorman

Frank G. Bender, brother of Earl Bender of this city, died suddenly at his home in Phenix, Arizona, Wednesday of last week and was buried in Gorman Monday at 5 p. m.

Funeral services were conducted in the Gorman Baptist church, with the pastor, Rev. Roden, in charge.

The deceased formerly lived in Gorman, having been a railroad man there

for several years, and was well known in this section. He is survived by five children, his wife having died several years ago during the flu epidemic; also by two brothers, Earl Bender of this city and Ivy C. Bender of Houston, who was present for the funeral, and by two sisters, Mrs. Joe Edmunson of Carbon and Mrs. W. M. Gleason of Lone Wolf, Oklahoma.

Eastland people who attended the funeral were Judge and Mrs. Funderburk, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, Mrs. May Harrison, Miss Sybil Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barton, Frank Sparks and B. M. Collie.

Mr. Bender's many friends in Eastland sympathize with him over the death of his brother.

W. M. S. PROGRAM FOR NEXT MONDAY

The following program will be observed by the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society Monday, when they will meet at the church at 3 o'clock.

- Opening Song, "Footprints of Jesus"
- Prayer, Mrs. B. E. McGlamery.
- Devotional, Mr. W. P. Leslie.
- Special Music.

Introductory, Mrs. Frank Crowell. Address, Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, of Ranger.

Special numbers by 9:49 Bible Class Quartet. Social hour and refreshments. This meeting will honor new members and visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Williams, of Gorman, spent the week end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. O'Neill.

Mrs. B. E. McGlamery spent Tuesday at the home of her parents in Gorman.

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Awards Are Made To Four Students

Awards to the best all-round students in each of the Eastland schools were made Thursday night of last week at the graduating exercises of the high school seniors.

Mildred McGlamery of South Ward, Nan Mickle of West Ward, Clara June Kimble of Junior High, and George McWilliams of senior high received the medals.

The students were selected according to scholarship, conduct, character and general personal attributes, the most representative student in each school being awarded a medal bearing his name.

Frank Stokes and R. E. Sikes, representing the South Ward and West Ward Parent-Teacher Associations respectively, presented the awards to little Misses McGlamery and Mickle. The Rotary and Lions Clubs, represented respectively by Sid Pitzer and L. E. McGlamery, awarded medals to Miss Kimble and Mr. McWilliams. Mildred McGlamery is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McGlamery.

She is eleven years old and has just completed the fifth grade.

Nan Mickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Mickle, is ten years of age and has completed the fourth grade.

Clara June Kimble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. June Kimble, completed the seventh grade this year. She received the award on her thirteenth birthday.

George McWilliams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McWilliams. He is a member of the 1932 graduating class, and received this additional honor shortly before being presented with his diploma.

JOE THOMAS COOK IS UNIVERSITY GRADUATE

An announcement of the University of Texas graduation exercises was received at the Record office this week from Joe Thomas Cook.

Joe is one of the best known boys in Eastland, having lived here a number of years and being active in the newspaper business. He was valedictorian of his high school graduating class, and has since been prominent in university activities. He was editor of the Daily Texan, university newspaper, during the past year.

Joe's many friends in Eastland are happy to know of his success.

THINK THIS OVER

The cost of 310 city governments in 1930 was 66.4 per cent greater than the cost of all of the 48 state governments and 2.8 per cent more than the cost of the Federal government, according to announcement of Census Bureau, May 13, 1932.

WHAT SHALL WE USE FOR MONEY?

An increasing volume of expert opinion holds that it is possible to stabilize silver and still avoid inflation. As the commercial machinery of the world grows more complicated and higher-g geared, gold is less and less able to keep it going. Under present conditions, whole nations, with tremendous populations, are unable to buy in this and other countries, simply because their money metal, silver, has lost most of its purchasing power.

What the ratio should be between gold and silver can be decided by investigation. But this much is becoming apparent to the average citizen—when the bulk of gold is held by two countries, France and the United States, and when silver is selling at unprecedentedly low levels, we are headed for international chaos. Bring silver "back" would be a long step toward the permanent solution of the difficulties now perplexing all the great nations.

The fact that the situation is serious is the outstanding reason for its having the unbiased and unselfish consideration of the best minds in the leading countries of the world.

Texas Region Has No. 1 Corn

From Texas A & M comes this bit of interesting information:

The only Number One corn to be found in the United States comes from a region around San Antonio in Southwest Texas, R. R. Lancaster, district agent reported Federal grain inspectors as saying at the second annual grain grading schools held in that territory late in January. E. A. Miller, extension agronomist and R. R. Reppert, extension entomologist, joined men of the Federal Hay and Grain Inspection Service in helping county agents at San Antonio, Hondo, Floresville and Gonzales hold these one-day schools. Whether due to the schools or something else, Mr. Lancaster reports that the cars of Number 1 Corn shipped out of that territory were doubled the first year after farmers and dealers learned in the first schools held what makes for high grade in corn.

The trouble farmers are having just now in realizing substantial premiums on Number One corn sold is in the mixed color of the corn offered dealers, Mr. Lancaster states. Color varies from farm to farm, making it hard for dealers to load a car of uniform color Number One corn. County agents are working on this and he hopes that the day will come when the Number One fine corn of the Southwest will be one of the great assets of the region.

Memorial Day

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ied in the earth.

This afternoon we will honor the memory of those who fought the battles of their country on ships and upon losing their lives their bodies were consigned to the "waters of the deep."

Some of these naval heroes sleep in marble cities of the dead; some in old fields and quiet lovely places; some lie in unknown graves. But many, oh so many, were buried at sea. It is to these heroic dead who lie at the bottom of the oceans that we pay tribute at this particular moment.

They gave their all. Today we give our very little. Life was as precious to them as it is to us. They gave their lives in defense of their country; for principals vital to liberty. Happy is a nation in which a grateful people honor their patriotic dead. At this time we cast a wreath and scatter flowers in the water in grateful memory of their sacrifice.

We of our day have seen the flag of our country carried by our sailors to all parts of the world bearing a message of Liberty, Equality and Freedom. Many of these soldiers of the sea lost their lives in this undertaking. We as beneficiaries of their supreme sacrifice pay a loving tribute to their memory by casting fragrant flowers on the water in appreciation of what they did.

To those of our Sailors, Marines Soldiers and War Nurses who lost their lives at sea, and lie buried, wrapped in the mantle of the deep, we cast a wreath of flowers in their memory, and say, "Sleep in peace, Beloved Heroes, until the day break and the shadows pass away."

ON TEXAS FARMS

Living at home in Childress county has been extended to include making your own mattresses. Shown the method by the home demonstration agent, farm women are busy making \$15 mattresses for an average cost of \$2 New cotton and the best grade of feather ticking are used.

Grocery bills of 4-H pantry demonstrators in Kaufman county have been running from 95 cents to \$2.25 per month the last winter. All year round gardens that supplied from 5 to 10 varieties of fresh vegetables helped.

Four-H club girls in Victoria county raised from 12 to 15 different varieties in their gardens the past winter. Sales of fresh vegetables more than paid the seed and other costs, leaving the vegetables used at home clear gain.

Helped by the county agent, 112 farmers in San Augustine county terraced 3100 acres of land in 1931. The commissioner's court furnished 12 levels to farmers who are trained to lay out terrace lines. One man cut the cost of construction from \$2.50 per acre, using teams, to 50 cents per acre, using county road grading machinery.

Denton wheat and Nortex oats, both products of the Denton Experiment Sub-Station, have outyielded ordinary varieties in Dallas county in recent years. About 7 and 11 bushels respectively, the county agent says. A new method of grain growing, a combination of pure line wheat, oat and barley seed for distribution to farmers for the last year.

College Station—When the sap comes up in the spring and the bark begins to slip, it's time to start small native pecan trees on a useful career of producing large and soft-shelled nuts, says J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist in the Extension Service of Texas A & M College. In early spring when the tree is at the height of its vigor it is quite easy to graft buds of good varieties into the small seedlings that abound in and around creek bottoms, he says, and by taking care of the new tops and thinning out underbrush and scrub trees a paying pecan bottom can be developed in just a few years.

Older, larger trees should be topped back in dormant winter season and buds inserted in the resulting sucker sprouts along in the summer, but the small trees are best improved in early spring, Mr. Rosborough states. Varieties recommended for Central Texas include Success, Delmas, Eastern Schley, Burkett, Texas Prolific, and Alexander; for East Texas Success, Moore, Stuart, Eastern Schley, Moneymaker and Delmas; and for West Texas Halbert, Texas Prolific, Western Schley, Burkett and Onliwon.

Calling attention to the fact that county agents have started thousands of farmers to budding native pecan trees during the last fifteen years, Mr. Rosborough cites annual report records from 500 demonstration groves in more than 30 counties to show that their owners netted an average of \$36.15 per acre in 1931. The average yield per acre was 532 pounds, the cost per acre \$22.58, and the average price received slightly above 11 cents per pound.

OVERPRODUCTION AND FARM PRODUCT PRICES

Production is tumbling and has been for years, says C. R. Arnold, Ohio Extension Farm Management Specialist.

We hear so much about oversupply of farm products that most of us are led to believe that a tremendous increase in the production of crops and livestock has occurred in this country during the last few years, and caused this price decline. Overproduction, to the layman, is considered increased production. It is interesting to look at some of our major products and see whether this is true.

Corn and Potato Prices Decline Let us consider corn. Our foreign trade in corn is almost negligible since we seldom export or import more than 1 per cent of our total supply. Therefore our price is not influenced greatly by foreign production. The price of corn has declined in spite of the fact that the average production of corn in the United States during the last three years is the lowest for any three-year period for 30 years.

If we interpret overproduction as increased production, it does not explain the decline in corn prices. The same is true of potatoes, another crop which is not influenced by foreign trade. The average production of potatoes in the United States during the last three years is lower than for any three-year period since the war but the December 1931 farm price of 43 cents was the lowest for 25 years. With a smaller crop than four years ago, our price is 50 per cent lower. Ordinarily a larger crop of potatoes means a lower price per bushel but this does not hold true during the last two or three years when the general price level of most all commodities has been declining.

Applies To Livestock Too We would also have considerable difficulty proving that our decline in livestock prices during the last couple of years is due to over-production, if again, we interpret overproduction as increased production. The average price of hogs in Chicago on January 13, 1932, was just \$4.00 per cwt., the lowest price for 30 years. If we compare this with the price of \$7.65 on the same date a year ago, \$9.65 two years ago, and \$12.05 five years ago, we realize the drastic drop in hog prices. The number of hogs slaughtered under federal inspection, which is the best indication of pork supplies, during the past year was less than the average number during the first five years, or the last ten years. We know that hog prices are influenced by the market receipts any day during any year. At the present time the price is higher or lower than it would otherwise be if the number of hogs being marketed was greater or less. However, it is hard to explain the recent extensive drop in hog prices through increased supplies in this country, or through the fact, if we wish to call it that.

The number of hogs slaughtered under federal inspection in 1931 was 1,000,000, the lowest since 1924. The average price of hogs in Chicago in 1931 was \$4.00 per cwt., the lowest since 1902. The price of hogs in 1931 was \$4.00 per cwt., the lowest since 1902. The price of hogs in 1931 was \$4.00 per cwt., the lowest since 1902.

Detroit Police Have a Bee Squad



This is the age of specialists, and the Detroit police department is no exception. The "Bee Squad," comprising Patrolmen Louis Oberle and Harold Rowe, is on duty day and night for just such an emergency as arose in a pantry household the other day, when a swarm of bees collected in a garden and threatened to raise bumps on a citizen's countenance. Out went Oberle and Rowe with their trusty weapons, shears, wash tub and a piece of cloth to cover the tub. First they located the queen and put her in the tub, then clipped off the twigs on which the bees were clustered and dropped them in with the queen, where they were satisfied to stay as long as "Her Highness" was there. The bees were then presented to a bee-lover. Oberle and Rowe both come from small towns where they kept bees and studied them, and are the only men in the department summoned on such cases.

during the last two or three years of drastic price decline has been large but production of all crops and all livestock products and of others has been low. When we combine the total production in the United States compare them on an index basis, we find that the total production of all agricultural products of the United States has shown a tendency to decline since 1926, even though the population of the country increased about 8 per cent since the decline in production began. Increased Production Not The Reason

It is well to remember that supply is usually one of the most important factors influencing the price of a certain commodity but it is not always safe to assume that a drastic price decline such as we have just experienced is all caused by an increased supply or increased production of farm products. The average farm price of all farm products in the United States in December 1931 was 32 per cent lower than a year earlier and 48 per cent below the same month five years ago, while total agricultural production in this country has not varied 5 per cent, surely we cannot say that this is the result of increased production by farmers.

The wholesale price level of all commodities in the United States in November, 1931 (the latest figures available), was 21 per cent lower than a year earlier and 34 per cent lower than five years earlier. Prices of

things farmers buy in December were 15 per cent lower than a year ago and 21 per cent lower than in December 1926. It is true that farm product prices have declined more than the prices of products which farmers buy but it is also doubtful if this fact can be attributed to increased production. Raw products, which include most agricultural commodities, are usually among the first to decline in periods of generally raising prices, and among the first to fall when the general level of all prices is trending downward.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Plumlee and little daughter, Dorothy Dell, of Pioneer, were visitors in Eastland Wednesday.

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1 LB. FRESH TOMATOES All For	19c
3 LB. NEW POTATOES	19c
3 LB. CABBAGE	19c
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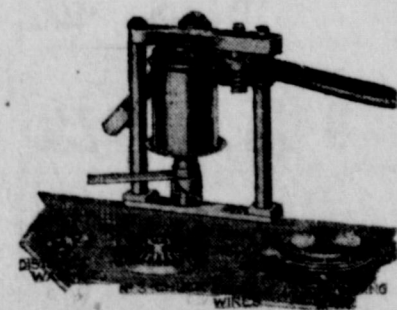


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City Directory Is Now For Sale

The Church of God and Warner Memorial University are selling the new city directory of Eastland. You will be solicited within the next few days, and if you do not have one of these books, look it over—you will find that it is complete and contains information that will be useful to you every day of the year. There are more than 1700 listings of families and adults over 21 years of age.

It is an attractive book and will be worth many times its price in time, worry and money. Don't put it away in your desk or home, but leave it where it can be thumbed at will. Several merchants have reported that they have already received their money's worth in information about their customers. Buy one—all money will remain in Eastland. It is an Eastland product.

MRS. CHAMBERS IS ILL

Mrs. J. W. Chambers, 114 N. Oak St., who has been in ill health for several months, is reported to be no better. It has been feared the past few weeks that her condition is growing worse.

Mrs. Chambers has been under the care of doctors at Baylor hospital in Dallas since last February. The many friends of the family are hoping that her condition will soon be improved.

Miss Winnie Snider returned Sunday from a two week's vacation which she spent at her home in Weatherford.

POTPOURRI

Roving Congress

Congress met in nine different cities between December 30, 1776 and June, 1790. Frequent changes were necessary during the Revolution because of the proximity of British troops. Congress met successively in Baltimore, Philadelphia, Lancaster, York, Princeton, Annapolis, Trenton, New York, and Washington. Many think that a similar touring policy today would be worth while.

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El Paso Furnishes 1000 Vet Marchers

Late news gives El Paso as the gathering point of about 1000 ex-service men who plan to join in the march on Washington, D. C., to aid in making a plea for the payment of the soldier's bonus.

This group planned to leave El Paso Wednesday night.

B. B. Lovelady and Will Sebring headed the El Paso veterans. Harry Wilson, commander of the Hatch, N. M., Veterans of Foreign War Post, accompanied by two members of his staff, arrived in El Paso by laundry truck to arrange for the gathering of the remainder of the forces.

Various newspapers carry accounts of marchers from various parts of the country making their way to the Nation's Capital.

It is estimated that about 2000 are now in Washington and as many more are on their way there.

Reports from Washington are to the effect that those gathered there are very orderly but intend to stay until the bonus is paid, however the District of Columbia officials say that unless Congress arranges to foot the bills their stay will be short.

MR. H. J. TANNER AND FAMILY RETURN

Mr. H. J. Tanner and family returned this week from Tyler, where they have made their home the past several months, and will be located at 325 South Oak Lawn in Hillcrest.

Mr. Tanner is the son of Dr. H. B. Tanner, secretary of our local Chamber of Commerce. Eastland people are delighted to have them again in our midst.

MASONIC MEETING

Monday night, June 6, Rev. M. C. Franklin, candidate for M. M. Degree, Thursday night, June 9, stated meeting and election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ewing, formerly of Eastland but more recently of Fort Worth, have returned here to take over the Texland Hotel. They formerly were in charge of the Eastland Hotel.

Karl K. White, Jr., and Jack Moseley are spending the week-end with friends at A. & M. and the University of Texas.

Community Chorus Is Organized Here

A group of Eastland citizens met at the Methodist church Monday night for the purpose of organizing a Community chorus.

Mrs. W. P. Palm was appointed to select a committee to work with her in nominating officers for the organization. Miss Wilda Drago is director.

Every person in Eastland is given a cordial invitation to join the chorus, since it is to be a civic organization, and members are hoping to make the project profitable not only to the individuals who take part but to the community as a whole. Young people are especially urged to take part. Those of high school and college age will be given a prominent part in the chorus.

The next meeting will be held at the Methodist church Monday evening at 7 o'clock, at which time the nominating committee will report. The hour has been temporarily moved up on account of the Methodist revival. Members plan to meet and to adjourn exactly on time. Those who were present last Monday night were Judge and Mrs. B. W. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Art H. Johnson, Mr. John Knox, and Mmes. W. E. Stallter, P. B. Bittle, F. L. Drago, W. P. Palm, Joseph M. Perkins, Thos. J. Haley, Ed Willman, Geo. W. Shearer, Chas. C. Robey.

Ruling on School Heads Contested

The latest ruling on the question of whether county school superintendents should be candidates for re-election this year is being contested in Travis County, as shown Wednesday when I. W. Popham, of Austin, filed suit in district court to force the chairman of the County Democratic Executive Committee to place his name on the ballot for that office.

The suit was brought to test validity of the rulings of Attorney General Allred and the State Democratic Executive Committee that superintendents elected in 1930 were elected to serve four-year terms and would not be required to stand for re-election at the coming primaries.

J. M. Patterson, chairman of the county executive committee refused to accept Popham's filing. The suit was

Track Sensation



Ralph (Rabolt) Metcalf, a negro sophomore in Marquette university, Milwaukee, is expected by some coaches and track authorities to be a sensational performer in the 1932 Olympic games. He is a 100-yard runner and twice this year has equaled the accepted world's record of 9.5 seconds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Marlow spent Friday and Saturday at Temple, where Mr. Marlow's brother-in-law, O. L. Starr, underwent a serious operation. His condition is improved somewhat, but no hope is held for his recovery.

In the nature of a mandamus to compel Patterson to accept Popham's application.

UNIVERSITY STUDENT RETURNS TO HOME HERE

Everette Grisham, son of Judge and Mrs. R. N. Grisham, arrived Thursday from Austin, where he has just completed his sophomore year in the University of Texas. He plans to make a study of law.

Everette is also a violin student in Westmoreland College, San Antonio, where he is studying under the famous master, Carl Vindth.

DRYING UP THE SPRINGS OF EMPLOYMENT

In discussing the question of how taxes bear down on the business man the San Francisco Chronicle recently conducted an investigation which showed that while the average person does not know what relation his taxes bear to his net income, carefully managed business concerns know to a penny what tax load they are carrying.

A San Francisco merchandising house in 1931 paid 63 per cent of its net income in taxes. A large farmer paid 30 per cent, and on some of his land which produced an income of \$5 an acre, he paid \$25 dollars an acre in taxes. Another nationally known farming concern in the state paid 84-1-2 per cent of its net income in taxes, with an outlook for no net income this year but with taxes just as high.

The Chronicle says these are not extreme cases and then cites an insurance company which paid between 35 and 40 per cent, one of the big oil companies paid 30 per cent and a big butter and egg man dug up 32 per cent of his net earnings.

Anyone who imagines that soaking an industry from 30 to 80 per cent of its net income in taxes, doesn't soak the laboring man, should think again. Such taxation simply means fewer jobs, for it dries up the sources of revenue which create employment.

Miss Orlena Davenport left Wednesday afternoon for Decatur, where she will spend several days visiting friends. She will go from there to Vernon to spend the remainder of a two week's vacation in the home of her parents, returning here about June 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shirley, of Pioneer, brought their three children here for medical treatment Monday.



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