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## Unemployment, the Problem Overshadowing All

Nothing, not wars or rumors of wars abroad, not domestic party politics and bickerings, nothing is so important to the United States as unemployment.

This is the one central fact on which every thought ought to center today. About 11,000,000 potential wage-earners are unable to find work. As long as this remains true, it is wasted breath to talk in terms of budget-balancing, return to normalcy, and all such catchwords.

Yet there is no reason whatever to yield to despair. This is a problem that will be faced and met by some planned means or by some natural processes of development not yet evident. But it must and will be met.

Many people fail to recognize the essence of the problem. The unemployed today represent almost exactly the increase in the working population since 1929. There are employed today in non-agricultural industries 33,000,000 workers. In 1929, at the very peak of prosperity, employment was only 35,300,000. In other words, a return to the "prosperity" of 1929 would scarcely make a dent in today's unemployment.

Employment today is 6,750,000 above the low of March, 1933, and even 360,000 above March, 1938. Increases like that only tend to get back to levels which must be exceeded if we are to have real prosperity. Nevertheless, they do show progress.

Today there is work for almost 7,000,000 more than there was in 1933. But the working population has increased much faster. To have a 1929 level of prosperity, we would have to employ today not 35,300,000 workers as then, but perhaps 45,000,000.

This problem is common to all the world. Pointing to Germany and Italy and saying "No unemployment there," is no answer. Picture the result if the United States suddenly clapped 2,000,000 men into the standing army, stepped up industry and agriculture to feed and equip these men, themselves suddenly withdrawn from production. Two million would be about in proportion to the 1,000,000 Germany has constantly under arms. Three out of four men thus enrolled would leave a vacant job behind, to be filled by others. All industry, all agriculture would feel the stimulus. Such a move might well "solve" unemployment for us, as for much of Europe.

But such a "solution" is no solution. We do not want it. Brains, research, imagination, daring, vision, the broadest kind of patriotism and devotion, good-will, determination, and faith that together we can work out our problem—those are the things necessary to the solution.

Those things America still has. Nothing must hamper full play for these qualities, in which alone lies our salvation.

### Washington Letter

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be established at Puerto Rico. The wide-mouth harbor at San Juan is to be converted into a base to rival such strongholds as Gibraltar, Singapore, and Heligoland. Congress has authorized expenditure of \$9,300,000 by the Navy at Puerto Rico, over the next three years.

**Aid to Business**—With the President's request for a supplemental appropriation of \$225,000 for the Department of Commerce, the first step toward making this Department an aid to business, was taken. The first will enlarge the Secretary's personal staff, which will later lead to the establishment of the Bureau of Industrial Economics.

### I Give You Texas

By **BOYCE HOUSE**  
Random reflections regarding Old Mexico:

Two Spanish words are almost all that the traveler needs—"Caunto?" which means "How much?" and "Gracias," which means "Thanks."

Incidentally, when this pilgrim brought his Spanish into action for the first time since high school days, several in our Lions group who did not speak the language said, "Your Spanish is so good that we can understand it"—rather a doubtful compliment.

Prices are quite reasonable in Mexico City. A heaping bowl of the largest and most luscious strawberries you ever ate, with a pitcher of cream so rich it will hardly pour, costs eight cents in American money in La Reforma Hotel coffee shop; and you can obtain a large glass of thick, pulpy, flavormore orange juice (not diluted and syruped as in our drug stores) for a dime. A daily newspaper is seven centavos (about a cent and a half) and there is an English language section but the news therein is of a rather miscellaneous, not to say, sketchy nature. A shine is 15 centavos.

In fact, prices that were at

times almost absurdly low nearly caused one member of the group embarrassment. As he and a lady left La Reforma for the dinner-dance tendered by the Mexico City Lions, a street vendor offered a bouquet of gardenias. In the United States (so I have heard) gardenias are a dollar each. He purchased the flowers and his companion, who was bare-headed, placed them in her hair; it looked as though a cluster of white butterflies had alighted there. All evening, she thanked him for the bouquet. (She did not speak English—the flowers cost 50 centavos or 10 cents, American money.)

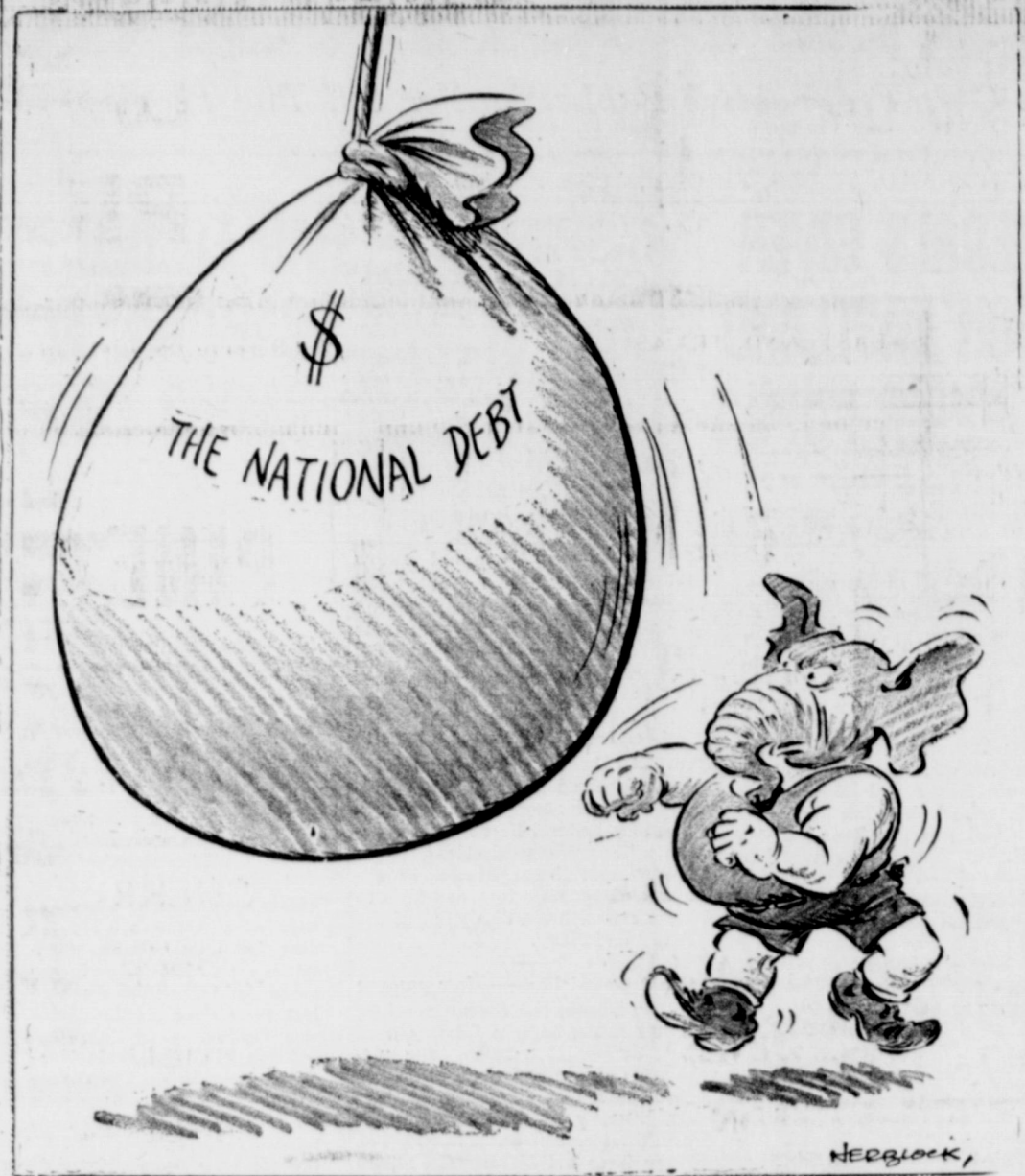
The American in Mexico City, if he makes the trip by automobile, would be wise to leave his car in storage and use a taxi. The fares are low: 20 cents for short distances; but the main reason for this advice is the terrific speed at which the automobiles travel. Cars dash along the Paseo de la Reforma at 50 miles an hour, miraculously missing dozens of other autos, moving nearly as wildly, at the cross streets. It seems incredible that a machine could go through such heavy traffic at such speed for even one block without a terrible smash-up, yet this observer did not see a single collision.

The bull-fighters see how close they can let a bull's horns come without being struck—and pedestrians engage in a similar pastime with the automobiles. It is difficult, however, for a visitor to feel nonchalant when a car misses his hip-pocket by two inches while another, from the opposite direction, nearly trims his whiskers.

Buses (which have supplanted street cars) have doors on both sides—which was a good thing for one citizen who, hotly pressed by an auto, put on a sprint and leaped on to a bus through a door on the side that doesn't have one in the United States, just in time to keep from being hit by the automobile. I shall always believe that he hadn't intended to get on the bus but did so for the same reason that Erer Rabbit climbed a tree when he was chased by Brer Fox—he was just "obleged" to.

At the beautiful Floating Islands, a young Mexican selling hand carved leather billfolds call-

## Working Out for 1940



ed me "Mr. House." How he knew my name puzzled me until I recollected that each member of our group had his (or her) name typed on a large badge.

As we stood in the shadow of the ancient, awe-inspiring Pyramid of the Sun, a car radio started playing a song and the tune was "Pop-Eye, the Sailor Man."

It would have been quite a job for Senator Tom Connally in 1940 if he had had to explain why there was a loophole in his not-

oil law whereby a man of influence and prominence avoided trial because of a technicality—so the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court reversing a lower court and holding that Renee Alfred, Jr., brother of former Governor (and present Federal Judge) James V. Alfred, must stand trial is a ruling that will help Connally next summer. He can stand some help.

## NYA Woodshop Makes Fixtures for Use in Courthouse

The Ranger National Youth Administration woodshop at Ranger has been turning out some furniture for the county, to be used in the courthouse at Eastland, and for the city office in Ranger.

Prize piece of the lot is a typewriter desk for the County Attorney's office, which is made of selected hardwoods. Because hardwood was used, instead of white pine or veneer, the desk is the most attractive piece of furniture yet made in the shop. It has all the appearance of a factory-built desk, but is put together throughout with screws, which makes it more substantial.

Other fixtures made recently for the courthouse include six wooden filing cabinets of four drawers each. A bookkeeping desk for the tax department of the City of Ranger, built to specifications to hold the large tax records, has also been completed and delivered recently.

These office fixtures have been built in addition to the numerous small items built daily for use of various county, city and relief offices. Material for the fixtures are furnished by the agency having the work done and the labor is furnished by the NYA shop.

## Registering Vital Statistics Is Old

Contrary to popular belief, states Justice of Peace E. E. Wood, Eastland, vital statistics laws have been known for three centuries in this country.

Justice Wood, registrar of deaths and births for the Eastland justice precinct rural area, said today that it is now three centuries since first laws on vital statistics were written in early American colonies.

He said the grand assembly of Virginia passed laws in 1632 for registration of vital statistics. In those days ministers served as registrars of vital statistics.

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## INSTRUMENTS FILED WITH CLERK LISTED

Instruments filed for record the past week in the office of County Clerk R. V. Galloway include the following:

Lois Blocker to public, certified copy of judgment removing disabilities and certified copy of affidavit; A. A. Gardner to Scott Gardner, oil payment contract; City of Ranger to C. M. Campbell et ux, warranty deed; Mrs. Sallie Clark to R. Falls, warranty deed; P. C. Doehring to Percy J. Brown, warranty deed; W. J. Dobbs to Walter J. McCorkle, trustee, royalty deed; George Greer to Alcoa Oil Company, five assignments of oil leases.

W. Ross Hodges et al vs. Frona Ames et al, abstract of judgment; Macie Hyatt et ux to E. A. Beskow, warranty deed; T. F. Hodges to Danziger Oil and Gas Company, mineral deed; Bertha Harris et al to Jay Koonce, trustee, deed of trust; King Candy Company vs. S. P. Crawley, abstract of judgment; Lone Star Gas Company to Mrs. Lula B. Gray, release of oil and gas; Mina Laffoon et vir to Cyrus Miller, warranty deed; Lone Star Gas Company to W. C. McCleskey et ux, release of oil and gas.

Metropolitan Building and Loan Association to Effie Jane Moore et al, release of deed of trust; Edward R. Maher et ux to Security National Fire Insurance Company, correction deed; W. E. Meredith to Frank Macey, assignment of oil and gas lease; North American Petroleum Company, Ltd., to Jackson Palmer, mineral deed; J. Z. Phillips et ux to W. E. Meredith, oil and gas lease, Mrs. Lily Purdy et al to Charley Day, warranty deed.

Walter Rawlins to E. E. Taves, two interest certificates; Lon T. Stewart to Scott and White Hospital assignment; O. J. Tarver et ux to J. R. Thomas, warranty deed; O. Walker to Jack Henderson, warranty deed; L. H. Welch, trustee, to S. Blocker, correction deed; C. L. Wann to L. R. Pearson, assignment; Annie E. Waldrop to C. L. Mahoney, assignment of oil and gas; Letha Weir to W. E. Reid, warranty deed.

## Sam E. Rosenberg To Train Boys In Crop Judging Work

Sam E. Rosenberg, assistant county agent, announced Monday that training of 4-H youths to be selected for a crops judging team will begin this week.

Three members will compose the team which will compete in state-wide competition at the annual boys' and girls' 4-H short course at College Station July 5-7.

The following youths have requested Rosenberg that they be included on the team and will receive training preparatory to selection of the three highest youths in the work:

Winfred and Lewis Treadway of Kokomo, Burley Saint of Desdemona, L. C. Love of Alameda, Elmo Franklin of Gorman, Bobby Moore of Morton Valley, Marvin Dupuy of Alameda, Johnnie Wheat of Colony, Clifton Thompson of Kokomo, Clive Murray of New Hope.

## County Council to Meet June 14th in Session at Eastland

A meeting of the Eastland County Home Demonstration Council will be held Wednesday, June 14, at Eastland, according to announcement today by Ruth Ramey, county home agent.

In addition to members of the council, girls' 4-H club sponsors and representatives of girls' clubs are invited, Miss Ramey said.

A recreation program will be held from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. and the business session of the council begins at 2 p. m. Plans for attending the annual women's short course July 12-14 at College Station and a state home demonstration meeting in September will be discussed.

Mrs. Owen Hinman of Ranger is chairman of the county council.

## Eastland Boy On T. C. U. Grid List

Billy Jones of Eastland is included in Texas Christian University's 1939 tentative football squad list, a notice received Saturday from Fort Worth disclosed.

Jones will be a candidate for a guard position, weighs 195 pounds and is five feet nine inches in height, is 20 years of age and a sophomore, the notice stated.

He played on the high school team at Eastland formerly.

An Ohio trial was postponed because a woman juror gave birth to twins. Which reaffirms the old jury duty.

**Weekly Progress**  
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**LYRIC**  
Eastland, Texas  
TODAY - SATURDAY  
LORETTA YOUNG  
DON AMECHE  
HENRY FONDA  
"Alexander Graham Bell"

SUNDAY - MONDAY  
CLAUDETTE COLBERT  
JAMES STEWART  
"IT'S A WONDERFUL WORLD"

Tuesday - Wednesday  
ROBERT MONTGOMERY  
ROSALIND RUSSELL  
"FAST and LOOSE"

Thursday - 15c  
DOUGLAS (Wrongway)  
"FLYING IRISHMAN"

FRI. - SAT.  
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"TEX RITTER"  
"WHERE the BUFFALO"

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• Trimatic Tone Control  
• Custom Fit Dash Mountings

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Widmar's Squat Refrigerator Bottle  
**GRAPE JUICE** PINTS..... 15c  
QUARTS..... 27c

**Sour PICKLES** 48 Oz. Jar ..... 19c  
**SAUSAGE** 3 Cans ..... 19c  
**SALAD DRESSING** PLYMOUTH Richer, Smoother Creamier—Qt. .... 25c

**SALADS** POTATO Can 10c Chicken Can 39c  
SALMON Can 23c TUNA Can 23c  
**CORNERED BEEF** South American—Can ..... 19c

**PAPER PLATES** ..... Pkg. 10c  
**PAPER FORKS** ..... Pkg. 10c  
**PAPER SPOONS** ..... Pkg. 10c  
**PAPER CUPS** ..... Pkg. 10c  
**PEANUT BUTTER** Qt. Jar ..... 25c

**WHEAT KING FLOUR** 6 Lb. Bag 20c 48 Lb. Bag \$1.15  
12 Lb. Bag 34c  
24 Lb. Bag 59c

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**CHERRIES** "Make a Pie"  
3 Cans ..... 37c

PRUNE JUICE ..... 3 Cans 25c  
LIBBY'S ASPARAGUS .. 2 Picnic Cans 27c  
AMERICAN SARDINES ..... Can 5c  
LIBBY'S RED SALMON ..... Tall Cans 19c

CHERRY JUICE ..... Can 10c  
WHITE HOUSE APPLE SAUCE ..... 2 Cans 19c  
DRIED PEACHES .... 2 Lbs. 25c  
DRIED APRICOTS ..... Lb. 17c



HAPPY VALE  
**PEAS** 2 No. 303 Cans 17c

LIBBY'S Golden Bantam  
**CORN** Home Style, Whole Kernel  
2 Cans 23c

CAMAY  
**SOAP** 2 Bars 11c

LIBBY'S FRUIT COCKTAIL, Tall Can 12½c  
Heinz CATSUP, Large Bottle 19c  
**DREFT** LARGE PACKAGE 22c  
**SEM TISSUE** 3 Rolls 25c  
**GLOVES** HEAVY CANVAS PAIR 10c

1 Bar Crystal White SOAP  
1 25c SIZE SUPER SUDS 30c VALUE 23c  
**POST BRAN** Pkg. 9c  
**CRAPENUT FLAKES** Pkg. 9c  
PIPKIN'S BEST  
**FLOUR** 24 LB. BAG 69c

**COFFEE** PLYMOUTH THE TASTE TELLS Fresh Ground As You Buy It  
2 POUNDS 29c  
PIGGLY WIGGLY MOUNTAIN GROWN "The Best Yet"  
PER POUND..... 19c

**BLISS** Pound Can ... 19c  
**FOLGERS** Pound Can ... 26c



FRESH  
**PINEAPPLES** 5 to 6 Lb. Average 2 For 25c

PER GREEN  
**CRA** Per Pound 10c  
**ANKIST LEMONS** Dozen 15c  
GREEN  
**CABBAGE** Per Lb. .... 3c  
FIRM PINK  
**TOMATOES** 2 Pounds 15c  
**CARROTS** } 3 bch 10c  
**DISHES** }  
**LETS** }  
CROP VALENCIA  
**RANGES** 2 Doz. 35c

NEW  
**POTATOES** 10 Lbs. 19c  
FRESH GREEN  
**CORN** 6 Ears .. 15c  
YELLOW BERMUDA  
**ONIONS** 3 Lbs. ... 10c

**CRISO** 3 LB. CAN ..... 51c

**CRACKERS** Slightly Salted 2 Lb. Box ..... 13c

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**BACON** CORN KING ..... LB. 28c  
Sugar Cured, Sliced Here .. Lb. 19c  
**STEW MEAT** ..... LB.  
**GROUND MEAT** ..... LB. **lb. 15c**  
**PORK LIVER** ..... LB.



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Center Cuts ..... lb. 35c  
**ROAST** Baby Beef ..... 18c  
Seven—Lb. ....  
**HENS** Per Lb. .... 17c  
**FRYERS** Per Lb. .... 22c  
**CHEESE** Full Cream Long Horn—Lb. 20c

**OLEO** 2 Pounds ..... 25c  
HEAVY SUGAR CURED  
**BACON** In Piece Pound ..... 15c  
ASSORTED LUNCH  
**LOAVES** Per Lb. .... 25c  
**PORK ROAST** ..... Lb. 17c  
**CHOPS** ..... Lb. 23c  
DRY SALT  
**BACON** End Cuts Lb. .... 9c

IMPERIAL PURE CANE  
**SUGAR** 10 LB. BAG ..... 47c  
**COMPOUND** 8 LB. CARTON ..... 75c

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BESSIE TAYLOR, Editor

Recital Well Attended
First Night of Presentation
Mrs. A. F. Taylor presents the second portion of her recital tonight at 8 o'clock in the High school auditorium.

Gwynne Hibbert.
Pixies Drill — Brown, Charles Lucas.
Sonatine — Clements, Barbara Patterson.

The presentation Thursday evening was well received with an enthusiastic interest shown throughout the performance.
Those presented Thursday were: Bonnie Lou Hart, Helen Lucas, Charles Perry, Colonel Don Brubaker, Volma Baggett, Joelle Coffman, and Mary Hearne.

Reading, "The Good Boy", Clifton Riek (pupil of Mrs. Womack).
Jubilee March—Wellman, Doris Hennessee, Emma Lee Hart.

Charles Lucas, voice student of Victor B. Acres of Fort Worth, was presented in a vocal selection. He was accompanied by Helen Lucas.

Alone — Woods, Beulah Mae Herndon.
Tumble Weed—Bliss, Brooks Bilbert.

Others presented were: Joe Jane Nix, Billy Brasher, Verberce Jackson, Virginia Ann Creamer, Melba Wood, L. Y. Morris, Barbara Patterson, Gladeene Womack, Doris Hennessee, Jack Coffman, Madge Hatcher, Julia Brown, Caroline Robinson.

Serenade to a French Doll—Heller; Under the Willows—Williams, Betty Jones.
Valse Caprice—Hoffmann, Anna Jane Taylor.

The program listed for tonight: Navajo Warriors—Reed, Emma Lee Hart.
Getting Washed — Selected; Skinning the Cat—Bilbro, Betty Joe Coghlan.

The Story of a Song—Cox, Melba Wood, accompanist Joelle Coffman.
Valse Chromatique — Godard, Johnny Lou Hart.

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BACON, Dutch Kitchen, 1 lb. pkg. . . . . 23c
BACON, Sugar Cured Squares . . . . . Lb. 17c
BACON, No. 1 Dry Salt Sides . . . . . Lb. 12 1/2c
BOLOGNA and JOWLS . . . . . Lb. 10c
BABY BEEF ROAST, Choice Cuts . . . . . Lb. 18c
BABY BEEF STEAK, Loin, T-Bone or Chops Lb. 25c
BABY BEEF CHUCK, or Seven Steak . . . . . Lb. 19c
Pen Fattened FRYERS, fresh dressed . . . . Lb. 23c
GROUND MEAT or rib stew meat . . . . . Lb. 15c
HOT BARBECUE, cooked daily . . . . . Lb. 30c
ASSORTED LUNCH MEATS and CHEESE!

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Market Located in A. & P. Store

Advertisement for Eastland Furniture Co. featuring a 'JANUARY CLEARANCE' and 'IMPORTANT Announcement'. The ad describes the firm's history as Tyson Furniture Company and lists various furniture items like sofas, beds, and tables. It includes a price list for 'MOTHERS CLUB MEETS' and 'MARATHON TIRES'.

EASTLAND MAN SIGNS PROFESSIONAL CONTRACT



Above is Larrell Tully, an Eastland product, who Saturday signed a contract to play professional ball with the Detroit Lions. Tully, who played on the Eastland High School football team before enrolling at East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce, was considered the finest all-around athlete ever to enroll in the East Texas city.

A large number of parents and friends were present and expressed enjoyment of the presentation. The program opened with a playlet, "The Passing of Winter," presented by the following: Clifton Reik, Conner Van Hoy, Elmarie Gustafson, Frances Richardson, Earl Ann Williams, Peggy Frost, Betty Ann Bumpass, Patricia Tyson, Laverne Cornelius, Audrey Faye Brown, Joe Wayne Lanier, Johnnie Collins, Helen Jean Simmonds, Gladeene Womack and Marjorie Hatcher.

DANCE! TO THE MUSIC OF THE MUSICAL RAMBLERS

SATURDAY NIGHT at the AMERICAN LEGION HALL RANGER Sponsored by Wade Massengale

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Advertisement for Lucas Service Station, featuring Goodyear tires and a 'LUCAS SERVICE STATION' logo. Includes address and phone number.

Air Conditioning Units Installed At Modern Plant Here

Installation of a modern cooling and air conditioning system has been completed at the Modern Dry Cleaners and Dyers, according to J. B. Johnson and R. A. P'Poole, owners.

The cooling and air conditioning system at the Modern is in two units and utilizes the washed air principle. The system was installed by George Harper of Eastland.

Operators of the Modern declare that they believe the system will increase employe efficiency in addition to providing customers comfort while in the plant.

County's Dead In War Recalled By Listing of Names

While there were no special programs in Eastland on Tuesday, Memorial Day, the large plaque on the first floor in the county courthouse serves as a reminder of the Eastland county residents who fought in the World War.

Those receiving fatal injuries from the county were: Clyde A. Aycock, Edgar A. Bailey, Carl Barnes, Robert M. Bishop, Reid Beon, Francis M. Bryan, John W. Butts, Heber W. Daniels, Lewis A. Dulin, Ernest C. Dunnam, Chas. E. Ferguson, Add Ware Gentry, Lennie Gleason, Roy Graves, Leonard Grisham, Leslie Monroe Groves, J. B. Herring, Alvin Maudney, Silas Ponder, Lee Miller, Ray R. Murray, Frank McCoy, Henry O. McGraw, Dennis Perdue, Ernest F. Pettit, Payton C. Ramsey, William N. Ross, Charles E. Smith, Thomas D. Smith, Finis E. Walker, J. Bruce Waller, Fritz Wende, James B. Wright.

\$50 Is Netted In Poppy Sales

Henry Pullman, commander of the American Legion post at Eastland, reported Monday that Poppy Day sales receipts Saturday netted \$56.

Eastland Pastor Aiding in Revival Meet at Granbury

Rev. P. W. Walker, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Eastland, this week is assisting in a revival at the Methodist Church in Granbury.

Eastland Reporter Returns to 91st

Herbert Reed, shorthand reporter for 91st district court at Eastland, has returned from Abilene and San Angelo, where last week he reported in the 42nd and 51st district courts, respectively.

Eastland Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephen have moved from North Lamar street to 101 South Lens street. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen and their sons this week were visitors in Abilene, where they attended graduation among the graduates was Joe Bull, brother of Mrs. Stephen.

Oil, Gas Forms at C. of C. Office

H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, Monday advised oil operators and others that Railroad Commission forms may be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Since the Railroad Commission office at Eastland had been closed for several months forms were not kept for operators. The commission forms at the office are those for application to drill and deepen, to plug, acidize or shoot and others issued by the state agency.

Abilene is headquarters for the commission in this district.

Grocery Store Is Shaken By Wind

High winds early Sunday morning jarred the J. S. Butler grocery store in Eastland from its foundation, it was reported Monday.

Fred C. Hardin Buys Furniture From W. O. Tyson

Fred C. Hardin, until recently of Austin, announced today the purchase of the W. O. Tyson Furniture store which he will operate under the name of Eastland Furniture Store. The store is located at 310 West Main street.

Hardin in recent years has been associated with printing and publishing industry several years. He comes to Eastland also with many years of merchandising experience.

"I can truly say," commented Hardin, "that Eastland appears to be the best town in this section." He added that he had visited many towns in West Texas with the view of establishment of a furniture store but that Eastland, he observed, offered the best opportunity.

Hardin stated that quality merchandise will be offered for sale at prices consistent with sound business practices. He plans expansion of the stock and improvements. Should there be items not in stock wanted by customers then Hardin will secure them, he said.

Woman Sustains A Broken Leg In A Fall On Sunday

Mrs. Curtis Kimbrell was recovering Monday in Payne Hospital at Eastland from a broken leg injury.

The accident occurred early Sunday morning at the Kimbrell home north of Eastland when she left a storm cellar after wind and rain.

Landon Is Sure of Party Victory

BUUFFALO, N. Y., June 1.—Alf Landon, 1936 republican presidential nominee, predicted today that "any candidate" for president named by the republican party in 1940 would win.

Landon made the prediction while enroute on a visit through western and northern New York. He declined to comment on the move to obtain the republican presidential nomination for district attorney Thomas Dewey of New York. He reiterated, however that he had "definitely" removed himself from the race.

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Miss Louise Karkalits, for the past several years connected in Eastland business circles, has accepted a position with the L. C. Burr Department store as cashier and floor department.

County Farm Debt Adjustment Group To Meet June 8th

Problems of debt-distressed farmers whose harvesting machinery may be in danger of foreclosure and who otherwise are not in financial condition to bear expenses of harvesting or carrying on their summer's operations will be considered at the monthly meeting of the Eastland County farm debt adjustment committee.

The group meets Thursday, June 8th at 3 P. M., at the Eastland County FSA office.

"While the committee has no money to lend, it possibly can work out agreements with farmers' creditors preventing interference with harvesting operations," said Geo. L. Lane, rural supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, which agency has charge of this week.

The committee, he explained, will work out a repayment schedule which the farmer can meet and which is fair to all creditors, saving them expenses of collection and litigation. Services of the committee are free and confidential. Committeemen are Felix Boland, Scranton; W. R. (Bill) Usery, Carbon; and Dick Weekes, Ranger.

Townsend Plan Is Decisively Defeated In a House Vote

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The house today, in a record roll call vote, defeated, by a large majority, the Townsend Plan for payment of \$200 monthly pensions to the aged.

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