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## Yes, We Have Bananas—In Black Market



Two OPA agents who impersonated fruit peddlers sit atop a wagon load of bananas which they say they bought in the black market in Chicago. It is the belief of the OPA's enforcement attorney that the Chicago black market has been operated as a nation-wide outlet for a market established by a Miami, Fla. barber. (NEA Telephoto).

## Hollywood Firm To Locate Plant In Eastland

The Hollywood-Maxwell Company, manufacturers of brassieres, of Hollywood, California, will locate a plant in Eastland, it was announced this week. Representatives of the company have been in Eastland for several days in connection with the deal. The plant will be the 13th for the company but the first one in Texas. They will employ about 75 women in the Eastland plant.

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce, through lease contract with the Masonic lodge, secured the ground floor of the Masonic Temple located at West Olive and Mulberry and will construct a 30x40 foot addition. The present building is 40x95 feet. The building will also have to be remodeled inside.

It is understood that the Hollywood-Maxwell agreement with the Chamber of Commerce calls for a five year lease on the building and a five-year renewal option.

## Representatives To State 4-H Round-Up Return

George McBee of Carbon and W. T. Eaton of Ranger, the two boys who represented the boy 4-H Clubs of Eastland County in the State 4-H Round-Up at Texas A&M College, returned home Friday evening, reporting a very interesting, enjoyable and educational trip, states N. R. Watkins, Ass't County Agricultural Agent.

While at A&M these boys had fun, fellowship and educational tours and discussions, for three days, with boys and girls from all other counties in Texas. All the boys and girls who attended the Round-Up are outstanding club members in 4-H Club work in their respective counties.

George McBee has done outstanding work with dairy cattle, hogs, gardens and corn. W. T. Eaton has done likewise with dairy cattle, hogs and small grain.

J. M. Cooper, County Agric. Agent and N. R. Watkins, Ass't County Agric. Agent, accompanied the 4-H Club boys on this trip and while at A&M attended a state conference for County Agric. Agents.

## FORMER RESIDENT CITED FOR WORK AS CORRESPONDENT

Milburn McCarty, former Eastland resident and who now is an advertising executive in New York City, is being cited by Marine General A. A. McGriff recently for his work as a Marine Corps combat correspondent on Okinawa.

The commendation mentioned the work of McCarty, then a second lieutenant, in "courageously incurring many risks rather than accept second-hand accounts of battle action." The commendation recalled that McCarty accompanied assault troops in amphibious operations against Naha airfield and the Oroku Peninsula. McCarty is vice president of Douglas Leigh, Inc., in New York.

**LIVESTOCK**  
FORT WORTH — Cattle 1500, calves 1000. Moderately active. Steady. Common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 12.00-16.00, choice 530 lb. yearlings 18.00. Good and choice fat calves 14.00-16.25.

## LOCAL SPORTS

The 1946 football season in Eastland opened with a bang the morning of Sept. 2nd at 8:30 a.m. when 46 boys reported to coaches Little and Harvey.

Very little time was lost getting on the field and down to business as equipment had been issued Sept. 1st. Coaches Little and Harvey gave eleven letter men returning from which to build a team. Co-Captain Herbert Baker, Center; Guards W. Lambert and B. Johnson; Co-Captain Bill Braslier, Bill Eddleman, Bobbie Blair, Jimmie Matthews and Johnnie Hicks in the backfield.

From the looks of the determination and fight shown on the field the first few workouts, it is by no means a cinch that all the above names mentioned will be on the starting line-up come September 13th when Eastland Mavericks meet the Winters Blizzards. There are several squad men from last year that don't like the idea of seeing the game from the bench and are dealing out a rough type of play, hoping to move someone over for the starting berth.

Such boys as Lusk, Hardiman, Burk, Amis, McFarland, Chamberlain, Kuykendall, Milton Hunt, Jimmy Doss, and others are out there making potential starters set up and take notice.

The real scrap has developed by the vacant spot in the line up not having a letter man to fill the other tackle slot. Pat Crawford, Jack Kelly and Winfred Ward are putting up the show for this position and from the coaches standpoint it can very easily be either of the three boys that gets the nod when the date for the first game comes up.

With eleven lettermen back it seems that the Coaches should be wearing a big smile but not so with Coach Little, he states that the team is quite light although fast. "We have a tough schedule and too many coaches in the district have us slated for their teams to beat. You know what that means, they will be out to beat us if they lose all the rest of the games." He finally gave in to a bit of talk interesting to hear from the standpoint of a fan, "I think we will be able to give the customers their money's worth and we will be in there after a win."

Just string along with the boys this year and from the standpoint of one observing the practice they mean business and you shouldn't be disappointed.

A Maverick Fan.

## RUST FAMILY HOLDS EASTLAND REUNION

R. L. Rust, of Eastland and his family had a reunion Sunday and Monday. The following were present: Mrs. Irene Conway and husband, G. B. Conway, their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Hanna and baby daughter Connie all of San Antonio; Clifford B. Rust, Eastland; Mrs. Robbie Lee Mann and husband, A. E. Mann, children, Meridel and Jerry of Austin; B. J. Rust and wife, Oleta, children, Wanda and B. J. Jr., of Eastland. They spent a portion of the time, fishing and hunting on his farm near Eastland.

The strongest and most powerful looking lions are the least ferocious. It is usually the old animals without sufficient agility to kill wild creatures that are confirmed man-eaters.

## Gaines To Build New Building For Auto Parts Store

Milton Gaines of Eastland Auto Parts announced this week that he had closed a deal for the purchase of lots Nos. 10, 11 and 12 at the corner of South Seaman and Oliver streets where he will begin the erection of a 50x100 foot building to house his business. The structure will be of concrete, tile and steel, he said. Plans have been drawn and work is to start immediately on the building.

Eastland Auto Parts is now located on East Main street in a two-story brick building owned by Gaines. The new building is to afford more space for Mr. Gaines' growing business.

Mr. Gaines also stated that he has just purchased \$9,000 worth of new equipment for his repair department, which he expects to have by the time the new building is completed.

## MANAGERS OF SOFT BALL TEAMS HONOR GIRLS WITH DANCE

As a finality to the 1946 softball season Managers James Harkrider, E. J. Pryor, and Billy Collins honored the high school girls softball team and their guests with a dance at the Roof Garden of the Connellee Hotel, Tuesday night, Sept. 3rd. During the intermission, the team presented Don C. Hill with a "Thank You" gift in appreciation of his donating the roof garden for the dance.

Refreshments were served to: Misses Betty Pickens, Betty Gay Allen, Nancy Linn Harkrider, Betty Ann Bumpass, Shirley Frazier, Betty Ann Harkrider, Wanda Williams, Patsy Rushing, Prudy Hardeman, Veeda Merle Sneed, Barbara Martin, Betty Shipley, Jackie Williams, Joyce Pearson, Gay Nelle Whitley, Caroline Enas, Betty Overby, Bobbie Shero, Joyce Armstrong, Betty Ferguson and a d. Messrs. Jimmy Matthews, Bobby Blair, Wayne Lambert, Bill Eddleman, Dan Collie, Dick Sparks, D. A. Amos, Jack Turner, Marvin Nash, Lewis Crossley, Bill Cooper, Steen Herring, Pat Crawford, Bill Arther and Jackie Chamberlain.

Chaperons were: Mr. and Mrs. James Harkrider, Mr. and Mrs. Bill J. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Hill, E. J. Pryor and Jimmy Colder.

## CLARENCE R. FRYAR IS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED WHILE DOVE HUNTING

Clarence Roger Fryar, 56, was found dead early Tuesday morning with a gunshot wound just below the heart, three miles north of Cisco on the Cisco-Freckenridge highway where he had gone alone to hunt doves.

Justice of the Peace Henry Stulblefield of Cisco returned a verdict of accidental death.

Funeral services were held at Thomas Funeral Home in Cisco Wednesday afternoon followed by interment in Oakwood cemetery, Cisco.

The deceased, who came to Cisco about six months ago from Stehenville, is survived by his widow, a daughter, Mrs. A. J. Sanders of Cisco; two sons, J. H. Sanders of Fort Worth and Alvin of Toledo.

More than 25,000,000 homes in the United States are wired for electric service.

## MAN KILLED IN ACCIDENT NEAR OLDEX

Pat Manley Handley, 14, of Ward county was instantly killed Tuesday morning about 7:30 o'clock when he fell from a truck on a curve in the West edge of Oldex.

According to reports of the accident, Handley and his sister were riding in the trailer of a truck driven by their father, Young Handley, steered to the back of the trailer as a sign, just as the truck started around the curve.

He fell from the truck and landed on his head. It was stated that the truck was traveling about 30 miles an hour. The group was enroute to Oldex.

Officers who investigated were informed that Pvt. Handley was on a 30 day furlough and had been stationed at an army camp in Arkansas.

## Last Rites For Mr. Newnham Held Thursday

Funeral services for Benjamin Prady Newnham of Route 3, Ranger were conducted Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the New Hope church with Rev. W. R. Ivy officiating. Interment was in the Macedonia cemetery with Morris Funeral Home of Ranger in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Newnham who died at his home Wednesday was born in Dallas county March 27, 1874 and had resided in the vicinity of Ranger for 60 years.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. B. Newnham of Route 3, Ranger; three sons, C. W. Newnham of Ranger, Truman Newnham of Ranger and B. M. Newnham of Caddo; one daughter, Miss Hazel Newnham of Ranger; three sisters, Mrs. W. R. Millhall of Snyder, Mrs. Addie Ashmore of Iva and Mrs. Allie Jackson of Hatherton. Three grandchildren also survive.

## Sheriff - Elect Named Deputy By Sheriff Hart

Sheriff John Hart announced that J. B. Williams has been made a deputy sheriff to fill a vacancy in that department.

Williams, who is sheriff-elect of Eastland County, having recently been nominated for the office in the second Democratic primary, will take up his duties with the sheriff's office and will do field work.

Williams has been making his home in Gorman but is moving his family to Eastland.

## O. C. WARD OPENS WATCH REPAIR SHOP; BUYS A HOME

O. C. Ward, with his family, who moved to Eastland and bought a home, 305 North Oak Street, has opened a watch repair shop in the Fisher Candy shop.

Ward, a native of Comanche County, is a graduate of Tupins School of Horology and has been in the repair business since 1939. Prior to that time, was with the Missouri Pacific and Southern Railway, was an inspector for H. L. Cohenour and company of Orange for seven years.

Ward believes in giving the good and prompt service and invites the public to give him a trial in watch repair and ring sizing.

## BAPTIST TO BEGIN REVIVAL SUNDAY AT CORINTH CHURCH

Beginning Sunday, September 8, there will be a revival meeting at Corinth Baptist church. Rev. Nugent Baldree will do the preaching and services Sunday will be at 11:00 a.m. Evening services will be at 7:30 while weekday morning services will be at 10:00 a.m.

Corinth church is located a short distance north of the Eastland Cisco highway about mid-way between Eastland and Cisco.

**23 ENLIST HERE**  
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## Last Rites For Mr. S. C. Mahoney Held Wednesday

Funeral services for S. C. Mahoney were conducted at the Morris Funeral Chapel Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Jasper C. Masseur and Rev. David C. Ham in charge of the services. Interment was in the Lingleville cemetery.

Mr. Mahoney died about noon Tuesday of injuries received when pipe he was helping to unload at the J. E. Matthews Pipe yard rolled off the truck, striking the deceased. He had resided in Ranger for the past 19 years and was a member of the Baptist church. He was born March 27, 1866.

Survivors are his wife of Ranger, three sons, Carl Mahoney of Ft. Worth, Royce Mahoney of Detroit, R. C. Mahoney of Nacogdoches; three daughters, Mrs. Frank Fox of Monroe, La., and Mrs. C. H. McGinnis of Plainview; and the following brothers and sisters, Gary Mahoney, Mrs. Ben Strocker of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Gae Greenleaf of Austin, Mrs. S. T. Manning of Waco and Mrs. Irene Stockton of Kermit.

Pallbearers were Bernice Willingham, Edward Willingham, Bruce Harris, Bill Britain, Monroe Blackwell and Dick Blackwell.

## Mrs. Marquardt Is New County H-D Agent

Mrs. Helen Marquardt, assistant county home demonstration agent will succeed Miss Myra Tankersley as Eastland County Home Demonstration Agent, September 15th. Miss Tankersley has been transferred to Taylor County as demonstration agent, succeeding Miss Grace Patterson, who resigned to be married soon. Miss Tankersley has been in Dallas several years here and has been very capable and well liked by Eastland County people.

Mrs. Marquardt, formerly Miss Helen Childress, is very competent and was here in the H. D. office before her marriage.

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Capt. Hall also revealed that the Abilene main station of which Eastland is a part, was the only station in the Dallas district to meet the quota set by headquarters.

## Dedication Of New Football Field Sept. 9

The new Maverick Field dedication set for September 5 has been postponed to Monday, September 9th on account of the heavy rains. The football field equipped with a new lighting system, sponsored by the Quarterback Club, of which Conard Reaves is president, will be formally dedicated and the Eastland band directed by E. J. Pryor will give a concert.

## BUYS HOTEL BUILDING

The three-story brick Alhambra Hotel located at 306 South Seaman streets, and which, for many years had been operated by Mrs. Ida Morris, has been purchased by Mrs. Morris from the owner, Tillman Stubblefield of Mount Pleasant and formerly of Eastland.

## PASTOR RETURNS

Rev. Orville Filbeck, pastor of the Church of Christ, returned Friday, from Springfield, Missouri his home, where he has been the past month. Rev. Filbeck has been ill and underwent surgery, while away. His brother, Carl, accompanied him home for a visit.

## SAD TALE OF A SHIRT

PHOENIX, Ariz. (UP)—William H. Hall took himself "to the cleaners" when he delivered a bundle of his soiled shirts to the laundry. He remembered too late that he left nine \$100 bills in the pocket of one of the shirts. Police helped him find the shirts. But the pocket was empty.

## NEIL DAY TO FILL ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR JOB

In a meeting held Saturday, members of the Commissioners Court of Eastland county appointed Neil Day as county tax assessor-collector to fill out the unexpired term of Clyde Karkalits who resigned the position, effective September 1.

On the same day in a meeting of the county Democratic Executive Committee, Day was unanimously selected as the nominee for the office and his name will be placed on the ballot for the November general election.

At the committee meeting, with 39 out of 27 present chairman present, Oscar Lyerle, county chairman, presided and read the resignation of Karkalits and the request that he not be certified as the nominee for the office. Karkalits had been nominated for the office in the July primary.

In the executive session the recent election votes were canvassed and applications for the office of tax collector called for. Paul Farrow of Ranger was the only other applicant besides Day. In a secret ballot Day received the majority of the votes for the office and then the vote was made unanimous by the committee.

## T. W. Sutherland Dies In Dallas Hospital Wed.

Friends were advised today of the death in Dallas of T. W. (Tom) Sutherland, former head of the production department of the Lone Star Producing Company.

Mr. Sutherland, father of Paul Sutherland of Strawn, died in a Dallas hospital Wednesday afternoon and funeral arrangements were pending word from relatives in Pennsylvania.

He was retired from the service of the Lone Star several years ago and superintendency of the production department was taken over by L. T. Potter. He had made his home in Strawn and Dallas.

## 4-H Judging team Preparing For Contests at Waco

The Eastland County 4-H Club judging team, composed of W. T. Eaton, Frank and George Robinson, of Ranger with Buddy Cravens of Eastland as alternate is practicing in preparation for entering the State Junior Dairy Judging contests to be held in Waco, Texas, on September 6, 1946.

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## Dallas Court Case Gives Man Election Majority

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Judge Tom L. Eschcamp of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals cast a particular satisfaction out of the result of the State Democratic Primary runoff election in Dallas County.

Dallas County is not the home county of the judge nor of his opponent. But it was the scene of the now celebrated "Gregg Case," which was cited by Beauchamp's opponent as a reason why the judge should give way to another judge.

Dallas County presumably would be more cognizant of the case than any other county and Beauchamp rolled up a big plurality there.

How far the fact that the defendant in that case profited by a hung jury on retrial influenced the Dallas vote can only be guessed. Many people, doubtless, felt that the former conviction, set aside by Judge Beauchamp's ruling, may have saved an innocent man from the electric chair.

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Harold Patterson, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Patterson, 215 N. Weaver (State Oil Camp) received a bad hand injury Monday while playing with a dynamite cap. He applied a lighted match to the cap, which exploded, injuring his right eye and his left hand. He was given emergency treatment at the Eastland Hospital and carried to Harris Methodist Memorial Hospital, Fort Worth, where they had to remove the middle finger, index finger and the thumb to the first joint hoping to save the rest of the fingers unless infection should set in.

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## Spokesman Says Greece Victim Of War Nerves

LAKE SUCCESS, N.J. (UP)—Vassili Dendramis, spokesman for Greece, today charged before the United Nations Security Council that his land was a victim of a war of nerves carried on by former Axis satellites.

Dendramis charged, in reply to Ukraine allegations that Greece and Britain were threatening Balkan peace, that it was "other countries" which caused the threat. He aimed his heaviest artillery against Albania and Bulgaria.

He charged that Albania was engaged in war like maneuvers toward Greece and said Soviet engineers had built a highway in Yugoslavia pointed toward the Greek frontier.

## Family Wears Parachute That Saved His Life

DETROIT (UP)—Ray Brooks, air forces veteran, hopes his parachute brings members of his family as much luck as it brought him. Everyone in the Brooks family has worn some part of the chute that saved Ray's life when he bailed out of a blazing transport plane over Fatogne.

His infant daughter, Hope Gaye was christened in a dress, cape and hood made from white nylon taken from the chute.

Another daughter, Phyllis Joyce, has a nylon gown fashioned from the same source.

Ray's wife, Dolores, said only a small piece was left, so "I just made some, well — unmentionables."

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## Victory For Greek Monarch



King George of Greece, victor in the recent Greek election, right, smiles broadly as he is congratulated by M. Basil Mostras, member of the Greek Embassy staff. (NEA Telephoto Radio From London).

## REV. DUNSON TO GO TO NEW CHURCH

Rev. Wallace N. Dunson, for the past two years pastor of the First Methodist church in Ranger, has been assigned to the Methodist church in Belton and stated today that he expects to leave next Wednesday or Thursday for his new charge. He will fill his pulpit in Ranger at both services Sunday.

A number of pre-conference changes were made by the bishop's cabinet of the Central Texas Conference with Bishop A. Frank Smith and the 19 district superintendents at the conference attending.

Following are the changes announced:

Rev. J. W. Morgan of Seguin was transferred from the Southwest Texas Conference to the First Church at Georgetown. The vacancy there was created several months ago when Rev. Jackson C. Oglesby was transferred from Georgetown to Huisano after the death of the Hillsboro pastor, Rev. R. Otis Sory.

Rev. Leslie A. Boone from Brownwood to First Methodist Church at Temple, and Rev. Roy A. Langston from Temple to Brownwood.

Rev. Wallace N. Dunson from Ranger to Belton, and Rev. Claude P. Jones from Belton to Ranger.

Rev. C. Y. Butler from Rising Star to Meridian; Rev. Clyde W. Pittman from Sparks Memorial Methodist Church, Waco, to Rising Star; Rev. E. L. McCord from Meridian to Sparks Memorial Church, Waco.

The changes are effective Sept. 15, with the pastors in their new pulpits on that date.

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## \* EDITORIALS By James Thrasher

### PLEASE THE AUDIENCE

Up to now the Paris peace conference has been neither very hopeful nor very edifying. There are rebukes and charges of insult among the big powers. There are adamant stands and insistent demands by smaller nations. Yet there is reason to believe, without being Pollyanna-ish, that things maybe aren't quite as bad as they seem.

We read a lit about what this one or that one, victor and vanquished alike, will or won't do. Even the weakest and most hopeless country represented seems to have power to add to the delay and confusion. But one may suspect that some of the loudest talk is directed toward the gallery.

These delegates have an audience to please. They may be representatives of a political party hopeful of retaining power, or of a government which has a precarious popular backing, or a nation hyper-conscious of its prestige in world matters. But whatever the situation, they know that the folks back home are watching them, and that they had better look good. So they ask for the maximum, and perhaps a piece of the moon besides.

This technique resembles that of union or company officers who, in negotiating a new contract, start out with impossible demands or implausible objections. They know they haven't a chance of getting what they ask or of refusing what is asked of them. But they also know that when they arrive at an agreement the rank and file or the stockholders will be convinced that they put up a stirring fight and got no worse than a draw.

The real work of the Paris representatives, as of the collective bargainers and, in many instances, of the members of Congress, will be done behind closed doors. The idea of open convenants openly arrived at is admirable, but it can be very embarrassing to the participants to an agreement.

If it were really known how a nation's representative sometimes arrives at a settlement of his country's demands, there might be serious political repercussions back home.

The people of a country whose attention is focused on a spokesman at any important international conference must have the assurance that their man is in there making the best possible fight for the best possible terms. Hence a good deal of window dressing, and a good many apprehensive movements for the spectators.

This is not to say that the Paris conference doesn't have many critical decisions to make and many fateful crises to avoid. It is only to suggest that some of the most trying dilemmas of the present will undoubtedly be settled by reasonable compromise, and soon be forgotten.

### Get Our Way

By J. R. Williams



## Records Show Indians Bought Land from Whites

**WATERFORD, N. Y. (UP)**—Many lives have been written about the sale of land by the Indians, including the \$24 bargain for Manhattan island.

Just recently, however, the first known incident where land was purchased from white settlers by

Indians was uncovered by the Rev. Thomas Glassman of Fonda, N.Y. Father Glassman returning from a trip to historical archives of London, Rome and Belgium, reported that a sale of land was made to the Schaghticoke tribe in 1861 near Waterford.

The purchase was made, records show, to secure a shelf of shale which jotted out of the Hudson River, offering a natural bridge for crossing. The Schaghticoke bought the bridge to shorten their trip to New England.

## C'mon, Everybody, Pray For Rain!



## PORTLAND CALLS FOR PIED PIPER AS RATS INVADE CITY

**PORTLAND, Me. (UP)**—The largest city in Maine is becoming a modern Hamelin as it wages a one-year war against an army of verminous rats which has swept in from Portland's waterfront. The six-foot-wide city's population is about 25 per cent, according to health department officials. In an interview, Portland's chief sanitary inspector, Wm. Bunting, estimated there were more than 100,000 rats in this city of 60,000 persons and that the horde was increasing at a "terrifying" rate.

Bunting said he had fought the advance of the rats for five years. "I'm losing the fight," he added. He said the sharp-toothed invaders averaged nine to 14 inches in length, and had proven more than a match for the city's cats. "Rats," he reported and turned loose an almost desperate effort to block the rats, had become verminous and were breeding with the rodents.

Have wrought in Portland by

what the U. S. Public Health Service describes as "the most dangerous animal enemy of man," is appalling.

Bunting said despite frantic country measures, one large food establishment recently was forced out of business because of rat infestation. Health authorities closed another. A third firm lost more than 4,000 pounds of flour in a single night to the marauders.

The predatory rodents are most concentrated in the city's shopping area, but health authorities said legions of rats are fanning out to engulf some of the "best" residential districts.

Inspector Bunting told reporters several thousand dollars worth of electrical wiring had been destroyed by the rats and there had been occasions when the rodents' razor-sharp teeth had gnawed into gas and water pipes in search of food.

Bunting said the rats actually worked in teams, forming "pyramids" by leaping on each other

back to reach and strip suspension hooks in meat storage houses. He cited an instance where a large supply of chickens, hung several feet above the ground, had disappeared overnight.

Portland's piglet, Bunting added, is a grim warning to other cities. He said a commercial firm manufacturing electric eye traps recently estimated rats were causing more than \$2,500,000,000 damage annually throughout the nation.

Meanwhile, the greatest danger of the rat invasion was in the health menace, according to city officials.

### NEWS FROM Carbo

**CARBO, Tex. Set. 3**—F. M. Wood and Miss Ruth Wood have gone to Dallas and Royce for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Fannie Bridges accompanied them as far as Fort Worth for a visit with her grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Yarbrough and daughter, of Arlington, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baker.

A. M. Claborn, of Sundown, spent Labor Day week end with his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Schriener, of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield.

Mrs. T. E. Robertson went to Georgetown, Thursday.

Mrs. Fite of San Angelo, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carland Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Vaughn of Eastland, visited Mrs. J. W. Vaughn, Sunday.

Mrs. Mertie Wilson, of Albany spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. George Clark and Mr. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, of Big Spring, returned to their home, Monday after a visit with his other, Fate Brown and family.

Ted Medford, who has received a discharge after service in the 4th Pacific, arrived home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Driver, of Dallas, were here on business this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Canton T. Goech of Corsicana spent the holidays with her father, H. R. Gilbert and Mrs. Gilbert. Mr. Goech will assume the position of registrar of the newly formed Navarro Junior College, this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Herring, of Stamford, spent the week end with relatives here.

Miss Bess Thurman has gone to Orange to resume her duties as teacher in the school.

Mrs. W. F. Hale was a business visitor in Cisco and Breckenridge Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Foster, Joan and Edith, have returned from a trip to California and Nevada.

## RADIO SET-UP LINKS FARMS TO PHONES

By James Thron  
**United Press Staff Correspondent DENVER (UP)**—Telephone service to millions of America's outlying farms was a step closer to reality when the winged voice of radio and the ordinary telephone were united in nearby Cheyenne Wells, Colo.

In the first experiment of its kind anywhere in the world, the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Co., has employed both their waves and direct telephone wires to link eight distant ranch homes into a phone switchboard. And it isn't very different from the set-up "Uncle Ab" used to have on his farm—anyone can listen in by picking up the receiver.

The families' radio-phone circuit—a Bell System device to extend telephone service to families living in remote, sparsely settled areas—was directed into Cheyenne Wells' regular phone exchange. Living from 10 to 20 miles from telephone and power lines, the families nonetheless may telephone east to New York, west to San Francisco or any place else in the world. Here's how it works: power to operate the radio-phone is obtained from their home electric plants.

Wind power with a gasoline engine standby is used by three of the ranches to keep their batteries charged, and a fourth ranch uses gasoline power altogether for this purpose.

To make a call, the subscriber moves a switch-key, causing a shortwave radio impulse to reach the operator. From that point on, the service continues in the usual manner. Rates charged the radio-phone users are identical with those charged subscribers to the Bell System's usual service, except by direct radio to Cheyenne Wells, the other four by stringing wire lines (less than 5 miles in length) from one of the nearby ranches having radio-phone equipment. By means of this hook-up, the telephones were formed into an eight-station "party line."

Equipment at each of the four ranches includes a receiver, a transmitter, a telephone and two Four of the ranches were contained. The transmitters, of ten watts voltage each, and the receivers are enclosed in steel cabinets out of sight. The antennas were mounted on poles at each of the ranch buildings.

In explaining the selection of Cheyenne Wells for its radio-phone experiment, the M. S. T. & T. said the topography—typical flat ranch country—was especially suited for the tests. However, they pointed out, service is not necessarily limited to this area. Results of the experiment will determine what redesigning is necessary in the Bell System equipment, and how soon the radio-phone may be extended to every "village, hamlet and farm."

## Wed On Armistice Day, Fight Was On

**CHICAGO (UP)**—Armistice Day, 1944, was no day of peace for Mrs. Eleanor Fridge, 23, she testified in divorce court. "That was the day she got married," she said. "I've been fighting ever since."

Health director Albert D. Foster. "Rats are known to carry bubonic plague, typhus fever, trichinosis, infectious jaundice and food poisoning," Foster said.

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## Thompson Trophy Winners



Winners of the two divisions of the Thompson Trophy race in the National Air Races in Cleveland, Ohio, Maj. G. E. Lundquist, Chicago, left, and Alvin "Tex" Johnston, Niagara Falls, N.Y., right, hold the coveted trophy between them. Lundquist won the jet division of the race with a speed of 515.85 miles an hour while Johnston was the winner in the conventionally powered plane division with a speed of 373.99 miles an hour. (NEA Telephoto).

## He Talks—They Say



Meet Ben, the famous talking dog of Royston, England, who is reported to speak intelligibly, although his vocabulary seems to be limited to "I want some." And if one is to be limited to three words, what better three could there be? Ben, pet of Alfred Brissenden, is pictured watching a friend pour tea, and, presumably, saying "I want some."

she said. "Decree granted," the judge ruled.

Neon Sign Lights Up Pigeon COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (UP)—A pigeon burned to death here in spite of the efforts of firemen to save it. The hapless bird flew onto a neon sign and its feathers caught fire.

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# COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgements, Orders, Etc.

### INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:

C. M. Askew to E. A. Fields, Jr. warranty deed.

Lequon W. Aldredge to W. B. Enson, warranty deed.

G. E. Watson to E. E. Gentry, warranty deed.

Geo. V. Brasler to Charlie Stacy, Jr., warranty deed.

E. D. Boehman to Mrs. L. M. Wittie, warranty deed.

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Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Ham Walker, release of lien.

Bettie Chambliss to Federal Land Bank, Houston, agreement.

City of Ranger to Ella Dreinhof White, warranty deed.

Addie Cubwell to Carl Burns, warranty deed.

E. M. Carter to Calvin Z. Roady, release of vendor's lien.

City of Rising Star to C. C. Rutherford, warranty deed.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Joe G. Williams, release of deed of trust.

City of Cisco to Charlie Cofer, special warranty deed.

M. D. Dean to H. C. Fridge, Jr., warranty deed.

Eastland National Bank to Richard F. McClung, release of lien.

S. G. Evett to O. L. Wilson, warranty deed.

First State Bank, Rising Star to M. G. Joyce, transfer of lien.

H. C. Fridge, Jr. to First State Bank, Rising Star, deed of trust.

Elizabeth Freyschlag to Home Hudson, warranty deed.

First Federal S&L Assn. to Robert L. Allen, release of deed of trust.

H. L. Francis to J. A. Gober, warranty deed.

J. A. Gober to H. L. Francis, deed of trust.

Elba Ham to R. H. Ashmore, warranty deed.

Albert Hill to Thomas B. Piburn, warranty deed.

Lucie E. Harrell to N. A. Brown, special warranty deed.

B. H. Hutton to Mrs. Ina Cawley, warranty deed.

R. W. Higginbotham, Jr. to City of Rising Star, agreement.

E. W. Kimble to S. S. Powers, release of vendor's lien.

Dr. E. W. Kimble to A. H. Bibby, lease contract.

Kattie Keathley to C. M. Caldwell, warranty deed.

W. G. Kirk to Weldon Glasgow, special warranty deed.

Juanita S. Lyon to Lucie E. Harrell, warranty deed.

G. N. Mahaney to C. S. Surles, deed of trust.

J. F. McWilliams to Madolyn Wanda Sone, quit claim deed.

S. E. Price to W. A. Hallum, warranty deed.

H. E. Pye, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship.

S. S. Powers to A. H. Hibby, warranty deed.

Fannie Parraek to John Dossett, warranty deed.

W. H. Phillips to H. S. Phillips, deed.

F. W. Roberts to Della M. Seale, release of vendor's lien.

F. W. Roberts to J. D. Sandefor, Jr., oil and gas lease.

Charles Rutherford to Alma Burns, warranty deed.

Jesse F. Richardson to L. King, warranty deed.

Robert W. Russell to J. W. Clark, release of oil and gas lease.

Robert W. Russell to Laura E. Murrell, release of oil and gas lease.

Harry B. Sone et ux to Neat Lewis, warranty deed.

J. W. Sewell to J. D. Sandefor, Jr., correction oil and gas lease.

C. L. (Dick) Starr to R. L. Parsons, release of vendor's lien.

E. V. Stacy to C. H. Stacy, warranty deed.

C. S. Surles to State Reserve Life Insurance Co., transfer of lien.

Rebecca Sublett to T. S. Standfield, oil and gas lease.

R. B. Spencer & Co., v. Clyde Benham, abstract of judgement.

J. M. Smith to Leonard W. Allredge, Jr., warranty deed.

Dave Steele to L. D. Yancey, warranty deed.

H. H. Tompkins to Ace Luzzas, warranty deed.

H. S. Wilson to C. L. Starr, release of vendor's lien.

W. F. Watson to Mrs. Joe W. Gray, warranty deed.

Mattie Ware to John Steele, warranty deed.

R. G. Warren to W. F. Barton, warranty deed.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week:

Aaron Crawley to Joyce Laverne Brown, Rising Star.

Herman Schaefer to Dore Freda Wende, Nimrod.

John R. La Forge to Mrs. Hazel Simpson, Breckenridge.

James Eugene Crenshaw to Loretta Griffith, Gorman.

Linden A. Williams to Annie Bell Baldersee, Eastland.

Paul Price Jr. to Mona Jean Boggs, Cisco.

Leslie Dean Bond to Ketta Lee Barton, Eastland.

Wm. E. Bettis to Rae Nell McMillan, Gorman.

M. B. Murray to Garnette Bentley, Grand Falls.

Francis Joy Brock to Betty Darlene Murphy, Eastland.

M. H. Johnson to Mrs. Ruby Lasater, Cisco.

### SUITS FILED

The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:

Bertha Brown v. Lindon L. Brown, divorce.

S. G. Batterson v. Lone Star Peanut Company, debt on salary.

Jetty Wright v. Inita Wright, divorce.

### ORDERS and JUDGEMENTS

The following orders and judgements were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:

Joyce Hanson v. R. E. Hanson, judgement.

Mary Bell Johnson v. Tony Volney Johnson, judgement.

Chester F. Ervin v. Elsie Ervin, order of dismissal.

Omni Arledge Preslar v. A. A. Preslar, order of dismissal.

Fausteen Nollis v. D. L. Nollis, judgement.

Aubrey L. Armstrong v. R. Gray, judgement.

City of Cisco v. T. J. Smith, et al., order confirming sale of real estate.

City of Cisco et al v. R. B. Braley, judgement.

**Goldenrod Says Cold Weather**  
CASHMERE, Wash. (UP)—Old timers here have predicted early cold weather. "Any time the goldenrod blooms before Aug. 1, you can look for an early winter," said one oldster. This year the goldenrod bloomed about July 4.

—READ THE CLASSIFIEDS—

**Chicken Trouble in Hood**  
ASTORIA, Ore. (UP)—Elmer Maunula decided it was time to take his automobile to the garage for a grease job when he heard squeaks and other noises coming from the motor. A mechanic lifted the motor hood and into his face flew a half-grown squawking chicken.

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## Expect 80,000 To Attend Opera At Prague Fair

PRAGUE (UP)—Smetana's opera "The Battered Bride" will be performed for 80,000 spectators at Prague's Masaryk Stadium during the Prague sample fair, Sept. 15-25, to raise funds for Czechoslovakia charities.

Organizers of the production said they believed they could make the stadium the largest open-air theater in Europe. The famous Vienna outdoor opera seats 20,000. Scene designers said they were planning a broad two-level stage representing a village square and designed to melt into the natural background of a wooded hill rising above the stadium walls.

## I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By Boyce House

One of the most eloquent speeches in the history of American politics was the speech of James A. Garfield nominating John Sherman for president. An excerpt follows:

I have witnessed the extraordinary scene of this convention with deep solicitude. Nothing touches my heart more quickly than a tribute of honor to a great and noble character; but as I sit in my seat and witness this demonstration, this assemblage seemed to me a human ocean in tempest.

I have seen the sea lashed into fury and tossed into spray, and its grandeur moves the soul of the dullest man; but I remember that it is not the billows, but the calm level of the sea from which all heights and depths are measured. When the storm has passed and the hour of calm settles on the ocean, when the sunlight bathes its peaceful surface, then the astronomer and surveyor take the level from which they measure all terrestrial heights and depths.

Gentlemen of the convention, your present temper may not mark the healthful pulse of our people. When your enthusiasm has passed, when the emotions of this hour have subsided, we shall find below the storm and passion, that calm level of public opinion from which the thoughts of a mighty people are to be measured and by which final action will be determined.

where fifteen thousand men and women are gathered in this brilliant circle. Not here in this brilliant circle of the Republic to be decreed for the next four years. Not here where I see the enthusiastic faces of seven hundred and fifty-six delegates waiting to cast their lots into the urn and determine the choice of the Republic, but by four millions of Republican fire-sides, where the thoughtful voters are seated, with the calm thoughts inspired by love of home and country, with the history of the past, hopes of the future, and reverence for the great men who have adorned and blessed our nation in days gone by, burning in their hearts,—the God prepares the verdict which will determine the wisdom of our work tonight. Not in Chicago, in the heat of June, but at the ballot boxes of the Republic, in the quiet of November, after the silence of deliberative judgment, will this question be settled.

## NEWS FROM Cheaney

Mr. and Mrs. J. Linckswell and little daughter, Bettie Jean, of New Mexico are in Cheaney for a visit with relatives.

Alton Perrin of Houston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perrin.

Mrs. L. A. Kimbrough and son, Harlon, who just recently received his discharge from the Navy,

have returned to their home in Big Spring after a visit in Cheaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Miller were called to Menard Sunday because of the death of Mr. Miller's mother.

Ann and Sue Weekes of Comanche have returned to their home after a visit with their aunts, Mrs. B. B. Freeman and Mrs. A. H. Dean.

Frank Butler of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. George Stuard of Ft. Worth visited in the home of Mr. Butler's brother, Joe Butler, last week.

Mrs. Eva Underwood has been the guest of her grandson, Aiton Underwood, and family.

Mrs. Frank Weekes, Mrs. Joe E. Weekes and Miss Bettie Weekes of Ranger visited in the E. E. Freeman home Tuesday.

## Pipe Available For Veterans

McGREGOR, Texas. (UP)—Priority claimants many now buy some vitally needed 12-inch cast iron pipe to aid in overcoming the veterans housing shortage problem.

Approximately 8,000 feet of the pipe have been removed from the ground at the Bluebonnet Ordnance Plant here and the War Assets Administration is offering it for sale at \$2.25 per foot "as is, where is."

## Gift House Completed for Blind Vet



George Marquette, contractor, left, helps Jim Sanders, Houston blind vet, right, drive the last nail into his gift house which had been completed in the record time of three days in Houston, Texas. Watching Sanders, from left to right, are H. A. Hood, Adj. DAV; Sanders' daughter, Willie Mae; and construction officials J. L. Bryant, O. W. Rogers, and A. E. Gadberrry. (NEA Telephoto).

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# Classified Ads

ROOMS FOR RENT — Mrs. Stalter 409 Daugherty, telephone 328. See me for button holes.

WANTED — Someone to wash or iron at our home laundry, 308 N. Walnut. Phone 212.

WET WASH — Rough dry and finish work Tom's Help-U-Self Laundry, 106 E. Plummer Street.

FOR SALE — Cottonwood school house, Dist. No. 18 Eastland county. Send all sealed bids to office of county school supd. Eastland, Texas, before 10:30 a. m. Sept. 2, 1946. The county school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

FOR SALE — 101 Disc for Farm-All tractor. Also planter. Both new. C. M. Williams, 6 miles west Eastland, on Highway 80.

FOR SALE — 30 acres good peanut land, fenced and has good well of water. Located near Kokomo, W. L. Henning, Rt. No. 2.

FOR SALE — Six room duplex apartment, 2 baths and 2 screened porches. Call at 602 West Commerce.

FOR RENT — 2 room unfurnished apartment to adults, 305 N. Oak Street.

FOR SALE — 29 model A Ford. Good condition, \$225.00. Also odd fruit jars. S. S. Williams, Box 491, Phone 572-J.

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FAGG and JONES 310 Exchange Bldg.

WANTED: A middle age couple to live in my home and board me. Must have good references. Fred Davidson, 403 North Green St.

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FOR SALE — Brand new Amphibious Jeep, 650 miles on engine 5 good tires. Four-wheel drive. Low range drive. Automatic bilge pumps, winch, anchor and boat hooks. Gets 18 miles to the gallon. Ideal vehicle for the farmer, sportsman, or outdoor man. Originally cost the Government \$2200.00. Really a bargain at \$850. Contact James Dabney, Eastland, Texas.

FOR SALE — Eight 50x100 foot lots (21 to 28) inclusive. Block 1 — North addition in Olden. W. W. Sepler, Baird, Texas.

FOR SALE — GOOD USED FURNITURE. — 4 pc. bed room suite Walnut with center drawer guides, in good condition. Full spring construction. Heavy duty tapestry cover. \$69.50. 2 pc. living rm. suite, in fair condition. Extra heavy frame and springs. \$39.50. The dining rm. suite, walnut, leg-table with red-leather chair. \$69.50. 6 pc. dinette, serving table, refrigerator top table, and four chairs. \$19.50. Kitchen cabinet, metal-top table \$9.95. Kerosene stove, in excellent condition. \$24.50. Look For These Bargains At WILLY-WILLYS FURNITURE MART

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FOR SALE — Sewing machine parts for all makes. Button hole attachments for all make machines. W. W. Jarrett, Jonesboro, Texas. P. O. Box 124, Phone 73.

WANTED — Carpenter work. Repairs, 413 S. Seaman.

FOR SALE — Smith's Humble service station, East Main a n d Bassett. See J. W. Smith.

WANTED — Ironing, 410 S. Ostrum.

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FOR SALE — 1 lot, 803 block, South Daugherty. Information, Murphy Place, Cisco Highway.

WANTED — Want to buy second hand bicycles. Jim Horton Tire Service, Eastland.

FOR SALE — 176 acres 6 miles south Cisco on Rising Star Highway, 130 in cultivation, rest grass land; eight acres hog-wired with tank; two tanks in all; six-room house, with three porches, three closets, bath room, big barn, small barn, granary, wash house, blacksmith shop, two good wells, windmill; two-acre orchard, berries. Also eighty acres, 37 in cultivation; three-room house, barn, good well. See Henry Stroebel, 710 E. Twenty-second Street, Cisco, Texas.

FOR SALE — 1 lot, 803 block, South Daugherty. Information, Murphy Place, Cisco Highway.

NEWS FROM Morton Valley

MORTON VALLEY, Sept. 4 — Mrs. H. C. Pounds has returned home from a visit to Andrews, where she visited her son, Billy. She also visited Brother Clyde Smith and R. W. Smith, of Odessa and Luther Smith of Crane.

Roy Dunlap, son of Mr. a n d Mrs. W. R. Dunlap, Superintendent of the Morton Valley School, received his discharge from the Marines and arrived home August 27th.

Annie Belle Balderee, of Morton Valley, and Linden A. Williams of Ranger, were united in matrimony Sunday September 1 at 8 p. m., in the First Baptist church of Ranger. Those present were the bride's parents, Mary Lee Balderee, Mrs. T. L. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Addie Williams, all of Ranger. Mr. Williams was recently in the U.S. Navy. The Rev. David C. Ham, pastor of the church, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Maynard have returned home from a visit in Carlsbad and a tour through the Cavern.

Rev. and Mrs. Cecil McBeth and family of Meridian visited in this community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley and family, visited their daughter, Dorothy Jean in Abilene Friday, where she is attending school.

Mrs. W. E. Tankersley and her twins, J. B. and Gracie, attended the annual breakfast of the Missionary Society of the First Christian Church in Eastland Tuesday morning.

Charles Brockman, Jr., of Freeport, is visiting his parents, prior to entering T.C.U. September 16.

NEWS FROM Gorman (By Special Correspondent)

GORMAN, Sept. 3 — Word was received early Wednesday morning of the death of the former Esta Lee Daniels, of Monahans. She was the daughter of W. G. Daniels of Gorman and sister of Mrs. M. F. Boston, Mrs. Zelpha Wood and Mrs. Pearl Swancy. The body will be brought to Gorman for funeral services and burial, possibly Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Hooker had as their guests over the week-end the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hooker and Pat, of Ft. Worth.

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Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kinson and his mother and Lila Gene Kinson all of Moran, and Mrs. V. e. Calvane and son Jack, of Sherman.

Miss Gerry Walker and Mrs. M. H. Smith of Dallas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ellison, who spent the week-end here, were accompanied by their home in San Antonio by P. S. Fullig, who will visit his daughters there.

The Elm Home Demonstration Club members, Mdns. H. L. Capers, Mary Jobe, Eula Meador, Andy Kinney, Dave Herper, Polly Barron and little Sharon Capers went to Carlsbad Caverns over the week-end.

Miss Rae Nell McMillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McMillan and Bill Bettis, son of Mrs. Ehel Harrell, were married Sunday, September 1 in a double ring ceremony performed by Bro. Henry at the Baptist parsonage. After a wedding trip to New Mexico they will be at home in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Trossard of Longview spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Underwood.

Jack Powers of Beaumont, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Willie Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Greer of San Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Greer, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thomason visited in the home of his father, R. L. Thomason, Sunday night. They live in Kingsville.

Chas. Davis, grandson of S. W. Roberts, was injured in what is said to have been an automobile accident Monday morning when he was run over by a truck driven by Wit Pittman of the Rucker Community. The child received a broken leg and had bad bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Haile, who were injured in an automobile accident Saturday evening were taken to Austin Wednesday morning for special treatment. Both received broken and fractured knee caps. His mother, Mrs. Laura Haile who received a broken leg and other injuries in the same accident is resting fairly well at the Blackwell hospital in Gorman.

Miss Margaret Jackson of Denton visited her parents over the week-end.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Onie Anderson over the week-end were: Mrs. A. M. Anderson and granddaughter Shirley Ann Blanchard of San Angelo, Mrs. L. B. Morvell of Cisco and Holbert Walker of Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ferrill of San Antonio visited his sisters, Mrs. Clyde Pulley and Mrs. Mae Greer Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Marvin Blair will undergo major surgery Thursday in Temple Six Gorman citizens went to Temple Tuesday to give blood donations for transfusions which the doctors say she must have. Her husband and her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Wallas and brother, Lt. Bill Parr also are at her bedside.

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NEWS FROM RANGER

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson have returned from a visit in Steubenville, Ohio, where they were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. H. Binyan and her family. They were accompanied on the trip by their son, Leon Henderson of Clinton, Oklahoma.

Mrs. J. Way Larson had as her guests for the week end, her daughter, Miss Jane Harmon a student at T.C.U. in Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland and two sons, also of Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dockery had as their guests during the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Whittle of Crisham and Mr. Dockery's nephew, Homer Dockery, of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Wheelis have returned to their home in Houston after spending the week-end with Mrs. Wheelis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weekes.

Miss Phyllis Marilyn Clemmer of Abilene is here for a visit with relatives and friends before going to Houston where she will enroll in Rice Institute.

Miss Betty F. Weekes has gone to Norman, Oklahoma, to be with her sister, Mrs. James R. Hester who underwent major surgery Wednesday morning.

Mrs. E. V. Bennett, the former Miss Mary Thompson of Ranger has returned to her home in Grand Forks, North Dakota, after a visit with relatives and friends. She expects to join her husband, Lt. Bennett, in Germany as soon as passage can be arranged.

Mrs. Blanche Murray is in Corpus Christi for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Farrell Smith and her family. She was accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hotman of Ft. Worth.

Miss Martha Louise Grandstaff of Weatherford is the guest of Miss Rosemary Bruce.

Mayor J. J. Kelly, E. T. Eubank, L. R. Pearson, R. V. Galloway, all of Ranger and Frank Sparks of Eastland transacted business in Dallas Wednesday.

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Mrs. John Brown has returned to her home in Abilene after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram and Mr. and Mrs. Avis Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gay and Miss Winifred Gordon, have returned from Beaumont where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. William Westcott and Mr. Paul Derr.

Henry Schultz of Abilene transacted business in Ranger, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eubank have had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Eubank and daughter, Geraldine of McAllen, Mrs. L. M. Thomas of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Phippen and daughter, Patsy of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eubank have returned from a week end visit in Waco. They were accompanied home by their son, Buddy Eubank, who had been visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hartnett have returned to Weatherford after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. Crawford. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Ruby Lee Roberts who will visit her parents in Weatherford during the holidays.

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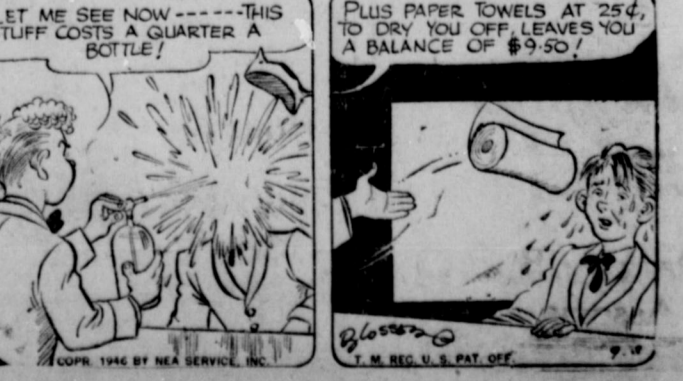
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**Dulin-Daniel Post No. 70**  
**AMERICAN LEGION**  
**BOB BURKETT, Post Commander**  
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Bill Jessop, Post Advisor of our Legion, sponsored Senior Scout Post reports his boys' and self had a wonderful trip to the Philmont Scout ranch near Cimarron, New Mexico. Bill stated there were 60 Scouts from all over the nation registered at the camp. Texas however had the greatest number of Scouts in attendance during the camping season. This National Boy Scout Camp, containing 127,000 acres was a gift by Mr. Waite Phillips to the Boy Scouts of America. Mr. Jessop stated also that Mr. Phillips had donated the Philmont building in Tulsa to the maintenance of Philmont Scout ranch. The head camp is at the Philmont Ranch and there are five other camps for various groups who went out from the central camp. The program of activities arranged for the boys included hikes, horseback riding and mountain climbing. With pack horses carrying their camping gear and with a guide they hit the mountain trail for one of the outcamps, the boys prepared their food, even to the extent of making biscuits. From an elevation of 7,000 feet at the head camp to elevations of 12,500 to such named places as Clear Creek Mountain, Crater Mountain and Eagle Nest Mountain gave the boys plenty of opportunity to try their legs and lungs at mountain climbing. The Scouts stopped at Taos, New Mex., and visited the largest Indian pueblo city in the world. The pueblos, forerunners of the modern apartment buildings, were built by Indians hundreds of years ago and are still occupied, many of the Scouts had their cameras and took a good number of pictures of the Indians, but it was necessary to pay a small fee for this privilege to the Indians to pose and unless this fee was paid the Indians would cover their faces to prevent pictures being taken, other interesting stops were made at Santa Fe and the Carlsbad Cavern. The Boys and Mr. Jessop are very enthusiastic about their trip, which they sum-up as a wonderful vacation and was instructive as well as enjoyable. The Scouts thru their Post Advisor are very grateful to the Legion for the \$150.00 gift which helped to make the trip possible.

Daddy and Mrs. Geo. I. Lane spent the week-end at Valley Mills visiting relatives.

Miss Marjorie Hatcher, daughter of Mrs. V. O. Hatcher, our Unit Secretary, left Labor Day for Stephenville where she will enter college. Miss Hatcher will specialize in music and voice.

The Blue Jays of Jesuit High School, New Orleans, won the American Legion junior baseball championship by defeating the favored Trenton N. J. team in the final game by a 3-1 score.

An oil field worker went into a drug store and after looking around carefully, said to the clerk, "Say, I want you to fix me up a great big dose of castor oil so it won't taste." "Sure," the clerk replied, "but it will take a little time. Would you have a cup

of coffee until I get it ready?" About ten minutes later the worker called the clerk, "Say, what about the shot of castor oil I asked for?" "Oh that," the clerk grinned. "You drank it in the coffee." "Coffee He—" the worker shouted, "streaking for the door, I wanted that for my foreman."

Many G.I.'s report that during the war they put so much of a certain item in their food many of the boys have been starting their letters to their sweethearts "Dear Friend."

Doctor to Blonde: "You've got acute appendicitis."  
 Blonde to Doctor: "Fresh eh? I came up here to be examined, not admired."

Mrs. Jones: "Two of my daughters are working girls."  
 Mrs. Smith: "Huh? Two of mine are working men."

Unit President, Mrs. Earl Francis and Mrs. J. H. Safley are in Galveston attending the American Legion convention as delegates from our auxiliary.

Down in some parts of Georgia it is rumored the Klan organization will be enlarged into a J-K-L combination so as to include Kooks, Kikes, Catholics and Kluckers.

Ole Johnson who came directly from the forests in Sweden and saw a picture show for the first time on a visit into town in Minnesota, was asked if he had a good time. "You just bet Ay had a gude time," he said, "An' would you believe me? Ay went in vun place where dey squirt pictures on de wall!"

Past president of the state auxiliary, Mrs. Howard Hudgins, Buddy Hudgins, past fourth division commander and son, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walker and left early Monday morning for Austin from there they drove to Galveston to attend the Legion convention. The Hudgins expect to attend the National Legion convention in San Francisco the latter part of this month.

Edgar Afford arrived home Tuesday morning from the Hawaiian Islands and was discharged from the Navy in forty-eight hours after reaching the states.

We of the Legion are proud that our post's 1st vice commander has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Clyde Karkalitis, tax assessor-collector, who resigned to accept a position with the Cisco school system. Buddy Neil Day has also been certified as the nominee for this office in the general election.

The Legion took no part in the elections in compliance with our by-laws as an organization, we however are glad the electorate deemed our World War II buddies worthy of their consideration to the extent that four new county officials are veterans and we have the greatest confidence that these men will vindicate the trust

reposed in them.  
 Buddy Bob Hansford and Mrs. Hansford of Ranger, stopped in Eastland to visit friends. The Hansfords were enroute to the American Legion state convention at Galveston. Bob is a delegate from the 17th district.

Unit Treasurer, Mrs. Earl Lowry was called to Norman, Oklahoma to the bedside of her father, who suffered a slight stroke. The Post and Unit members express a wish for the speedy recovery of Mrs. Lowry's father.

These are towns in the United States: Ash, Kans.; Odear, Me.; Toudy, Miss.; Fiven, Tenn.; Kay, O.; Shoo Fla.; Carpet, Tex.

Men are peculiar, just as women have long suspected. For instance, a fellow who hadn't kissed his wife in five years, shot a fellow who did.

We help others when we go ahead, and we are helped when others go ahead, that's why we should always take a constructive view of things.

Buddy Marcus Grieger has been removed from our local hospital to his Flatwood farm home and is reported to be rapidly improving, and is expected to be back in his shop soon. His father has been pinch hitting for Marcus during his illness and he's doing a nice job too.

Post Commander Burkett and Unit 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Burkett left Monday evening for Galveston to attend the American Legion state convention. Buddy Burkett is our Post delegate.

Most of the shadows of this life are caused by standing in our own sunshine. Build castles in the air, then put foundations under them.

Our first meeting of the month was well attended, with fifty members present, in the absence of post commander Burkett, Dick Chamberlain presided at the meeting and initiation of Frank Stephenson, W. B. Norton, Clyde Anderson, Edward Clark, Arnold Butler and J. L. Owens. Mr. Bill Jessop reported on the recent trip made by our Senior Scout post to the Philmont National Boy Scout Ranch near Cimarron, New Mex.

Buddy Herbert Seago was present to kill the Kitty, so it continues to grow. Doctor C. H. Caton, a charter member of the post and a member continuously since its inception, made a few well received remarks for the good of the Legion. Service Officer Tanner, also a charter member of the post, stated his office had completed twenty-five or more terminal leave applications and had notarized forty or fifty additional applications, he offered his services further to all veterans applying for terminal leave pay. Post Commander Parker on behalf of the publishers of the Eastland County servicemens record book, presented the Legion a copy for the use of the post in token of

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Our next meeting date is September 18th at which time we will have a full report of our state convention by our delegate and post commander Burkett.

portunity to learn while serving and a continuation of education after separation.

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The new pay scale recently put into effect makes the Army pay, with its other allowances and services, more than the average civilian job.

For further information as applicable to individual cases, all interested persons are invited to contact the U. S. Army Recruiting Offices, Chapter of Commerce, in Ranger. There is no obligation and information will be cheerfully supplied.

**NEWS FROM Olden**

OLDEN, Tex., Sept. 3—Homer Bond and family of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bond and family over the week end.

Mrs. Clara Sims left Friday of last week for her school in El Paso.

Mrs. Jen Blackwell and her daughter, Belva with Miss Echols, of the Staff community were guests of the Larstons and were visitors at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Miss Peggy Landreth returned home Monday from a visit in Abilene.

T. F. Kelley was a visitor in the Simer home last week.

Mrs. Mary Bryant returned home after visiting her brother Scott Coker of Midland.

Mrs. Ruth Chancellor has gone to Kingsville to spend the fall and winter with her brother in law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chancellor.

**JEWELER GOT THE RING**  
 FALLS CITY, Neb. (UP) — A 16-year-old girl and her 25-year-old suitor called off their engagement. A quarter developed over the \$75 diamond ring. Sheriff Vern Atkins induced the girl to return the ring, but the suitor didn't get it. The jeweler claimed there was \$26 due on it. The jeweler got the ring.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Joe Stephens and sons, Stanley and Rodney spent last week in Dallas visiting Mrs. F. M. Jones and family.

Lubbock Monday, where she will attend Texas Tech.

Captain and Mrs. D. A. Jones, of Long Beach, California, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roper, the past week-end.

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Bob Harrison, son of Mrs. R. H. Harrison, is employed with the Highway Department. He hopes to return to school another year.

Mrs. Lula Crone, Worth Matron of the Eastern Star, announces an initiation Monday, 8 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Obera Todd and son, Bob, by have moved to Abilene. Mrs. Todd is employed with the J. C. Fenney Store and Bobby will attend Hardin - Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Roper, of Houston, visited his brother, J. L. Roper and Mrs. Roper the past week-end.

Mrs. Albin Lay, of Cochoma, was a guest of Mrs. W. M. Jessop, Sunday.

Jack Burkhead, of Pyote, visited his mother, Mrs. Eunice Burkhead and his sister, Mrs. W. M. Jessop this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Strickland residing in Breckenridge several years, have sold their home in Breckenridge and have returned to Eastland and at present are living at the Alhambra Hotel.

Mrs. J. E. Harkrider and Mrs. Riggie Henderson, of Cisco, were in Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Garrett, of Houston, were here for the past week-end. Mrs. Garrett remained over with her parents, Mr. a n d

The International Sunday School Lesson for Sept. 8

Jesus and Sincerity of Speech

Scripture: Exodus 20:16; Proverbs 26:23-28; Matthew 26:69-75

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D.

TRUTH-LOVING people who abhor every form of dishonesty and deceit and are scrupulously fair to others find it hard to conceive of people who not only deliberately lie and cheat, but deliberately seek to injure others by their lying and cheating.

The existence of commandments, laws, and codes is in itself evidence of wrong-doing. There would have been no sense in commanding people not to do something that "nobody" was doing.

When Moses commanded that there should be no bearing of false witness against one's neighbor, one can be sure that even in that small, closely-knit community of ancient Israel there were corrupt creatures who were willing to lie against their neighbors for their own advantage.

THE commandment was not sufficient to suppress such malevolence; among the Proverbs are the words of our lesson concerning "burning lips" and a "wicked heart," with hate and dissembling. And all through the ages, among all peoples, there has been this hate and dissembling on the part of some.

In our own time we have seen such hatred, false witness, and dissembling developed into a philosophy and practice, corrupting and perverting a whole nation, plunging the world into war, and bringing upon the guilty nation absolute ruin.

Ruin is the ordained fate of liars and perjurers. "Whoso diggeth a pit shall fall therein; and he that rolleth a stone, it will return upon him."

THE last Scripture portion of this lesson is the story of Peter's denial of his Master when he was accused by the young girl as he sat in the outer room of the high priest's palace.

Peter's act was that of a man caught unawares. If he had been a coward or an ill-intentioned man, he would not have been in the palace at all; and his real character was shown when, having denied his Lord, he went out and wept bitterly.

Lying for one's safety or advantage, evil as it is, is considerably removed from lying to the disadvantage or injury of another. But lying and dissembling are inherently evil.

Paul was right when he said that "speaking the truth in love" is the Christian way, and the only Christian way.

Mrs. F. H. Ferrell for a few days visit.

Miss Beth Gilbreath employed at Brownwood spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. a n d Mrs. J. R. Gilbreath.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lambert visited their daughter, Mrs. Fred Scott and family in Cisco, Monday

Carl Johnson, wife and daughter Dorothy, visited several days in the valley this week.

James Watson, manager of Oakley's Grocery, has bought the home of Mrs. Edna Hatcher, in Hillcrest, on the highway, Mr s. Watson and their sons, were here first of this week looking over the home. They plan to move here soon from Odessa. One son is a senior in High School.

Mrs. Edna Hatcher has bought a Duplex, 309 White street and plans to reside there. Miss Marjorie Hatcher left Monday to attend John Tarleton College.

Mrs. M. L. Poole spent the past week-end with her husband, who is attending O.S.C. at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Miss Gwendolyn Jones, food preservation specialist with A&M College, visited with her mother Mrs. Ora B. Jones, Saturday night and left Sunday afternoon for College Station. Miss Jones will go to Washington, D.C., the first of October as a delegate to a convention from A&M College.

Mrs. Ora B. Jones, 511 South Seaman, had the following children visit her Sunday: Billy Jones and family, Mrs. T. B. Scott a n d daughter, Miss Meta Ann of Ranger and Mrs. Scott's son a n d wife, John Thomas, of Lubbock, Theibert Jones and family near Ranger, Miss Meta Scott is a mem-

ber of the High School faculty of Ranger.

Mrs. Jessie Burton of Waco, was a recent visitor of her sister, Mrs. Ida Morris, 306 S. Seaman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Eddleman returned first of the week from a vacation trip to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Barber attended the homecoming at Eolian, Sunday and visited with Mrs. Barber's parents, Robert Chalker and wife, near Eolian. They were joined in the visit by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Chalker of Abilene, formerly of Eastland.

Miss Emile Jean Grissom, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Clyde Grissom, 1911 Seaman, will leave September 19th for New Orleans, where she will attend Sophie Newcomb School.

Gerald Evetts of Olden, will enter A&M College. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Evetts.

Mrs. D. O. Trigg accompanied her daughter, Dorothy to Stephenville Monday, where she had a tonsilectomy. They returned home Tuesday and Dorothy was doing fine.

Miss Margaret Trigg and Miss Dorothy Trigg will return to North Texas State College in Denton next week.

Miss Julia Brown, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown, will leave Monday to attend North Texas State College, Denton.

Miss Lauda Monroe, of Santa Monica, California, who is employed in the large Sears Roebuck Store in Los Angeles, has spent her month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Monroe and her brother, Raymond, of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fagy were in the Dallas Market buying merchandise for the Eastland Furniture Store this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin left Thursday for Donna, where Mr. Martin is employed as fruit inspector.

Dr. and Mrs. Eob Gray, their daughter, Allison and son Robert, of Austin returned to their home Thursday morning after a visit with Dr. Gray's sisters, Mrs. May Harrison, Mrs. Maud Brady, and Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite. Dr. Gray is a member of the State University faculty. Allison and Robert spent several weeks with their aunts, and Mr. and Mrs. Gray while here a few days.

NEWS FROM Desdemona

(try Special Correspondent)

DESDEMONA, Tex. Sept. 5 — Louis Weir and Miss Ada Beard, of Ft. Worth, visited with his sister, Mrs. K. C. Kouice Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Lizzie Winegar and son, Thurston and wife visited with her brother, George Brazell and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burrow, of

Mexia, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Robbins enroute to visit her brother, Ralph Robbins in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Forrest have returned from a business trip to New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Joiner visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kouice, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams and Mrs. Tom Griffin, of Staff made a visit among friends Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Curry, of Carlton, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Browning Sunday.

Mrs. S. T. Feak and sister, Ava and husband visited their father, J. N. Luke over the week end.

Mrs. W. A. Sabut was able to return home Saturday from the German Hospital, where she received treatment for a few days. Miss Dorothy Williams has been a visitor at Odessa the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Feak were visitors in German, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stanley, of DeLeon, spent the week end at the home of J. C. Feak.

More than 6,500 brides of American servicemen have left Australia to make their homes in the United States, taking with them nearly 3,000 children.

The total number of sheep in Wyoming, as of Jan. 1, 1946, was estimated at 2,911,000.

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# SOCIETY - CLUBS - CHURCHES



Miss Lila Anne Love, above, daughter of W. V. Love, County Clerk and granddaughter of Mrs. Minnie Love, of Eastland, graduated September 3rd at Harris Memorial Methodist Hospital School of Nursing in Fort Worth. The graduation exercises were at the First Methodist Church, Fort Worth.

### MARTHA DORCAS CLASS MONTHLY PARTY HELD AT AMMER HOME

The Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist Church, monthly party was hosted by Mrs. Jack Ammer, Mrs. Roy Stokes, Mrs. Guy Quinn, Sr., and Mrs. James Watson, at the Ammer home, Leon Plant, Friday, August 30 at 7 p.m. Mrs. E. S. Perdue presided over the business, Mrs. W. A. Martin gave the devotional, Love Divine from the 13th chapter of First Corinthians and read a paper on "Love of Your Fellowman". Mrs. Ina Bean gave "ten rules for ruling old people." Mrs. W. B. Harris, secretary, gave a report of finances, new members a n d visitors. Announcement of t h e annual bazaar to be the last of November in the basement of the church was made. Mrs. O. M. White, chairman of the nominating committee, presented t h e state of New Officers, as follows: Teachers, Mrs. W. P. Leslie a n d Mrs. H. W. Mullings; President, Mrs. J. H. Parker, 1st vice president, Mrs. Roy Stokes, 2nd vice president, Mrs. George Cross; Secretary and treasurer, Mrs. George Wright; reporter, Mrs. F. A. Jones; Pianist, Mrs. Charlie Joe Owen; Assistant pianist, Mrs. George Lane; Song leader, Mrs. C. E. Owen; Historians, Mrs. R. E. Sikes and Guy Quinn, Sr.

Plans were made to have devotionals each Sunday morning before the lesson is given. Distribution of the Sweetheart gifts were made and revealed and new names were drawn for a new quarter.

The hostesses were assisted by Melba Watson in serving, peanut butter sandwiches, pink cookies and frosted punch. The house was decorated with large zinnias.

Those attending were: Mrs. J. L. Cottingham, Mrs. W. A. Martin, Mrs. C. E. Owen, Mrs. W. P. Leslie, Mrs. W. H. Mullinger, Mrs. J. H. Parker, Mrs. R. E. Sikes, Mrs. Lou Carbell, Mrs. A. M. Allen, Mrs. Eunice Burkhead, Mrs. Wm. Jessup, Mrs. O. O. Mickle, Mrs. Ina Bean, Mrs. Ora Jones, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, Mrs. Ella Ligon, Mrs. Hubert Jones, Mrs. Ruby McDonald, Mrs. O. M. White, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. Ruby McDonald, Mrs. B. O. Harrell, Mrs. George Cross and Mrs. F. A. Jones, Mrs. J. W. Ford, Mrs. E. S. Perdue and Mrs. W. B. Harris. Mrs. Lou Cummings and Melba Watson were visitors.

### METHODIST W.S.C.S. TO MEET MONDAY AT CHURCH

Mrs. N. P. McCarney, secretary of the W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church announces the society will meet Monday at the church at 3 p. m. Mrs. Ina Bean will be the leader of the year book program.

### FRANCIS HARRIS AND HENRY FRANKLIN CLYMER ARE WED IN DOUBLE RING CEREMONY

The wedding of Miss Frances Harris, daughter of G. H. Harris, 914 S. Bassett and Henry Franklin Clymer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Clymer of Kokomo, Indiana was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gayland S. Poe, 506 South Seaman September 2, 7:30 p.m. Rev. Weems S. Dykes pastor of t h e First Christian Church, officiated in the double ring ceremony. The wedding music was played by the bride's niece Gay Poe.

The bride's costume was London Fog Blue raw silk with brown accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias. Mrs. Bill Bagley, sister of the bride, of Breckenridge, was her attendant. Her costume was a dusty pink sheer wool with brown accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Garland S. Poe, brother-in-law was the bridegroom's attendant.

The home was decorated with tall white floor baskets of pink gladioluses. A reception followed the wedding. Mrs. J. R. Gilkey presided over the beautiful white bride's book. The dining table was laid with a white linen madras cloth, white candles in crystal holders and three tiered white wedding cake decorated with pink roses, hearts and lilies of the valley, surrounded with pink satin streamers and pink carnations. Mrs. Poe assisted by Miss Margaret Lanier cut the cake and Miss Hazel Harrell laded the punch from a cut glass bowl. Mints were served in silver compotes.

The couple left for a trip to Ft. Worth and Dallas. Mrs. Clymer's going away costume was a tulle wool suit with short jacket worn with dark brown blouse and wide swede belt. They will make their home in Chalmers, Indiana.

The bride is a graduate of Eastland High School and has been employed in the County Tax Assessor's office.

The bridegroom attended Perdue University Indiana and served three years in the U.S. Armed Forces.

Only close friends and the family attended the wedding.

### CIVIC LEAGUE AND GARDEN CLUB TO OPEN SEASON WITH LUNCHEON

The Civic League and Garden Club will open their 1946-47 Club year with a luncheon at the Connelley Hotel Roof Garden, October 9th.

The club meets the second Tuesday each month at the Woman's Club.

—READ THE CLASSIFIEDS—

### WOMAN'S COUNCIL OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OPENS NEW YEAR'S PROGRAM

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church opened their new year's program "The Christian and Race", Tuesday September 3, with a coffee in t h e annex of the church, hosted by Mrs. Curtis Koen, and Mrs. Cyrus Miller. The foursome tables were centered with roses and arrangements of large zinnias decorated the fellowship room. Mrs. N. L. Smitham gave the invocation.

A breakfast of coffee, cinnamon rolls and fruit salad was served. Crystal was used throughout the serving.

Mrs. Koen, president, opened the meeting and Mrs. T. L. Cooper was program leader. Mrs. W. Q. Verner sang, "My Task" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. E. L. Witttrup. Mrs. J. C. Carothers read a group of "Poems of Service". Mrs. T. A. Bandy gave the devotional "Making God's New World" which is the devotional theme for the first six months' worship. Mrs. Bandy gave the benediction. Mrs. Koen presented the Year Books and talked on the programs a n d the year's work.

The Society has four circles. Mrs. Cyrus Miller and Mrs. Neil Day, chairman of No. 1; Mrs. Carl Angstadt and Mrs. B. Johnson have circle No. 11; Mrs. Eugene Day and Mrs. T. L. Cooper, No. 111; and Mrs. Fred Maxey is chairman of the 4th Circle composed of teachers and business women. World Fellowship programs will be the first Monday of the month, 7:30 p.m. at the church. Educational programs will be on the 3rd Mondays in the Church homes at 3 p.m. Mrs. R. L. Carpenter is the program chairman. Mrs. J. H. Cason is chairman of Christian Service programs and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley is hostess chairman. The Church fellowship suppers are the First Thursdays each month. Circles alternating in serving.

Members of the Executive Board are as follows: President, Mrs. s. Curtis Koen; vice president, Mrs. L. E. Huckabay; secretary, Mrs. J. A. Beard; Chairman Hospitality committee, Mrs. N. L. Smitham; Mrs. 'ell Day and Mrs. Smitham are chairman of visitation of sick and calling committee. Mrs. J. R. Gilbreath is chairman of t h e Church property and the dining room. Publicity, Mrs. J. A. Beard; World Call, secretary, Mrs. C. A. Peterson. Litivative Mrs. T. L. Cooper. Projects, Mrs. J. B. Johnson.

Those present at the coffee were: Mrs. L. E. Huckabay, Mrs. L. E. McGraw, Mrs. Jack Meek, Mrs. Chester McCleskey, Mrs. s. Curtis Kone, Mrs. George Groeclose, Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, Mrs. Jerry McCollough, Mrs. Jack Meek, Mrs. Ewing Baker, Mrs. D. J. Flensy, Mrs. J. R. Gilbreath, Mrs. E. L. Witttrup, Eugene Day, Mrs. E. E. Wood, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, Mrs. J. F. Collins, Mrs. J. C. Carothers, Miss Sallie Day, Mrs. N. T. Johnson, Mrs. N. L. Smitham, Mrs. W. Q. Verner, and visitors, Mrs. F. A. Jones and Mrs. Don Parker.

### REITA BARTON AND LESLIE DEAN BOND EXCHANGE VOWS IN CHURCH CEREMONY

The marriage of Miss Reita Barton and Leslie Dean Bond, was solemnized August 30, at 6 p.m., at the Church of Christ, with W. E. Moore, minister of the church, officiating.

Miss Glynn Castleberry sang "Because", and "Believe Me If A L I Those Endearing Young Charms".

The bride wore a light blue suit with brown accessories and an orchid corsage. Miss Doris Bond, maid of honor, wore a pink suit with black accessories. Best man was June Bond, of Eastland. Ushers were Earnest Jones, a n d Robert Childress, of Eastland.

The couple left for Lubbock, where they will reside at 2418 Main. The bridegroom will attend Texas Tech. Mrs. Bond was employed with the Ration Board for several years and before her marriage was employed with the Texas Electric Service. She is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Barton, of Eastland. Bond served in the Army Air Force from 1943 to 1946. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bond.

When 90 to 95 per cent of the onion stems have broken over naturally, the crop is ready to be harvested.

### BETTY DARLENE MURPHY, FRANCIS J. BROCK, ARE MARRIED IN CHURCH CEREMONY, TUESDAY

Miss Betty Darlene Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Murphy, 118 N. Walnut and Francis J. Brock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brock, 301 North Ammerman, were married Tuesday September 3rd, 6:30 p.m. at the Baptist church. Rev. Fred H. Porter, pastor officiated in the double ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Harvard E. Murphy, of Abilene, wore a gray wool jersey dress with aqua accessories, black hat and shoes, and carried a white Bible topped with gardenias. Miss Fatsy Sparks, maid of honor, wore a fuchsia dress and a corsage of white carnations. Howard M. Brock was best man, Rudolph Little, and Robert McFarland were ushers. Mrs. Donald Kinnaird, at the organ, played the wedding music and throughout the ceremony. The church was decorated with tall baskets of white gladioluses and fern.

The couple left for a wedding trip to Waco and Houston. They will make their home at College Station and the bridegroom will attend A&M College, where he will be a senior.

The bride attended Hardin Simmons University, was seated at Spur and graduated from Seymour High School and before her marriage was employed in County Tax Collectors Office, has lived in Eastland three years. The bridegroom is a graduate of Eastland High School, 1940 Class, attended John Tarleton College two years a n d was attending A&M College when he was enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corps. He received his wings January 1944 at Pampa Army Air Base. Brock served in the Pacific with the 35th Bomber Group, 71st Squadron in New Guinea and the Philippines, was awarded t h e Purple Heart and several Air Medals.

Those attending the wedding from out-of-town were: Mr. and L. E. Huckabay; secretary, Mrs. J. A. Beard; Chairman Hospitality committee, Mrs. N. L. Smitham; Mrs. 'ell Day and Mrs. Smitham are chairman of visitation of sick and calling committee. Mrs. J. R. Gilbreath is chairman of t h e Church property and the dining room. Publicity, Mrs. J. A. Beard; World Call, secretary, Mrs. C. A. Peterson. Litivative Mrs. T. L. Cooper. Projects, Mrs. J. B. Johnson.

### ZETA PI CHAPTER OF BETA SIGMA PHI GIVES DANCE FOR HUSBANDS

The Zeta Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi had their formal pledge ritual, followed by a dance for their husbands at the American Legion Hall, August 27th at 8 p.m.

Mrs. A. H. Johnson, assisted by Mrs. Conard Reaves, presided during the ritual ceremony to install the following pledges to Mrs. s. Arthur Ernest, Mrs. Harry Blackwell, Mrs. Gene McGehee, Mrs. R. D. Estes, Jr., Mrs. John Little, Mrs. Pat Miller, Mrs. Jack Gourley, Mrs. D. E. Fittman, Mrs. R. L. Spelcher and Mrs. M. H. Perry. On completion of the ritual the following officers were installed: Director, Mrs. A. H. Johnson; President, Mrs. Arthur Ernest; vice-president, Mrs. Pat Miller; Recording secretary, Mrs. Jack Gourley; Corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. D. Estes, Jr.; Treasurer, Mrs. R. D. Estes, Jr.

The hall was decorated in the sorority's colors, black and gold and their flower, the talisman roses. Candles formed a background for the Beta Sigma Phi Crest.

Refreshments of cold drinks, sandwiches and cookies were served intermittently during the evening.

The first meeting is to be at the Woman's Club Tuesday, September 10 at 3 p.m.

### TWENTY MEMBERS PRESENT AT MARTHA DORCAS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SUNDAY

Mrs. A. M. Allen led the song service for the Martha Dorcas Class of Methodist church Sunday morning September 1st.

Mrs. George Cross gave the devotional and Mrs. W. P. Leslie gave the lesson. Twenty members and one returned member, Mrs. Claude Strickland were present.

Mrs. W. M. Jessop, chairman, announces the leaders for September devotionals as follows: 8th Mrs. B. O. Harrell; 22nd Mrs. R. E. Townsend; 29th Mrs. W. H. Mullings.



Above are the members of Zeta Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, recently organized here. They are, left to right, Mrs. Conard Reaves, Mrs. Don Chamberlain, Mrs. Eugene McGehee, Mrs. Milton Perry, Mrs. Pat Miller, Mrs. A. H. Johnson, Center; Mrs. Arthur Ernest, Mrs. Jack Gourley, Mrs. D. E. Pittman, Mrs. Rodney Spencer, Mrs. R. D. Ester, Jr.

### BETTY MAE JONES, WARREN RAY PRYOR UNITED IN RITES AT HOME OF THE BRIDE

The wedding of Miss Betty Mae Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest H. Jones, and Warren Ray Pryor, son of Mrs. Ethel Pryor and the late Ben Pryor, was solemnized Saturday August 31, 7:30 p.m. at the home of t h e bride's parents, Hillcrest. T h e ceremony was before an improvised altar of greenery, tall baskets of white gladioluses and 14 tall white tapers, which were lighted by Earnest Jones, Jr., brother of the bride. Miss Martha June Morehart played the piano wedding music and accompanied Mrs. Pat Miller, who sang, "Because". Rev. John Wesley Ford, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated in t h e double ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a light blue two piece wool dress and brown accessories. Her corsage was white carnations. Bridesmaid, Miss Delores Rushing, wore a blue crepe dress and a corsage of pink carnations. E. J. Pryor was best man for his brother.

A reception followed the wedding at the home. The two tiered white wedding cake was cut by the bride and served by her mother. Pink carnations decorated the table around the cake. Miss Rushing laded the punch. The couple left for a week-end wedding trip and will live at the Lamar Apartments.

The bride and groom both attended the Eastland schools, of which they are graduates. T h e bride attended John Tarleton and a business college in Ft. Worth, and is employed with Sharples Oil Company. The groom served nearly four years in the Seabees and in the Pacific, is now employed by a local transfer co. Only the families were present for the wedding.

### GLEANERS' CLASS OF BAPTIST CHURCH HAS PICNIC AT CITY PARK

The Gleaners Class of the Baptist Church had a picnic at t h e City Park Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Ward and daughter Katrina, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Butler a n d Brenda, Mr. D. E. Pittman and son, Mrs. Glenn Armstrong and son, Ronney and Harold, Mrs. N. R. Watkins, Mrs. J. D. Harvey and daughter, Sylvia and Paula Dee, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. L. Barber and son, Bobbie.

Shields should be kept over revolving power take-off shafts on farm machinery. Many accidents occur when machines are left unprotected.

### Rev. Martin To Conduct Holy Communion Sun.

It was announced today that Rev. John Quincy Martin of Mineral Wells will be at the Trinity Episcopal Church in Eastland Sunday to conduct Holy Communion.

The service will be held at 10:00 a. m. on the roof of the Connelley Hotel and all members are urged to attend.

### W.M.U. OF BAPTIST CHURCH HAS REGULAR MEETING ON TUESDAY, LAST

Mrs. Pat Crawford, president of the W.M.U. of the Baptist church gave the devotional on "Security in God". Tuesday at the regular meeting 3:30 p.m. A committee for the Women's banquet was appointed. Mrs. F. H. Porter gave the closing prayer.

Those present were Mesdames Pat Crawford, L. C. Inzer, N. R. Watkins, O. C. Ward, G. M. Dillard, L. L. McMillan, W. H. Kuykendall, A. M. McBee, J. H. Hart, Chas. Butler, F. H. Porter, L. E. Barber and Miss Ida Chandler.

### Hospital News

Mrs. Lester Collie, Eastland, medical.

Mrs. J. W. Patterson, Hamlin, surgical.

Mrs. N. Gentry, Eastland, medical.

Mrs. Ella Green, Breckenridge, discharged, medical.

Ross Hancock, medical, discharged.

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### BETTY MAE JONES IS HONOREE AT GIFT TEA

Miss Betty Mae Jones was the honoree of a gift tea Thursday 29th, from 7 to 9 p. m. at the Woman's Club before her marriage August 31 to Warren Ray Pryor. Mrs. Guy Parker and Mrs. Cross received the guests presenting to Mrs. E. H. Jones, and daughter, the honoree, Mrs. Ethel Pryor, mother of the groom, Miss Delores Rushing and Mrs. Richard Allen. Mrs. Crowell presided at the bride's book.

Hostesses were Mrs. Leroy Patterson, Mrs. Jack Ammer, Mrs. Guy Parker, Mrs. Frank Crowell, Mrs. H. J. Rushing, Mrs. George Cross, Mrs. Richard Allen, Mrs. W. B. Harris, Miss Dolores Rushing.

Others in the house party were, Misses Ellen Mae Gue, Beth Rhineman, Cathlene Colie, Katherine Cornelius, Jeanne Crossley and Julia Brown.

Mrs. Pat Miller played piano music and sang during the calling hours. Miss Julia Brown, at the piano, accompanied Mrs. Miller during the vocal numbers. Mrs. W. B. Harris poured punch.

The table covered with a white linen cut work cloth was centered with a huge crystal bowl of rose colored zinnias. Rose colored cookies and mixed nuts were served from the table. The entire club room was decorated rose and pink zinnias.

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