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Nance Damage Suit Trial Due Monday

SPECIAL PETIT PANEL OF 79 MEN CALLED FOR \$100,000 SUIT IN DISTRICT COURT

Admits Murder of Six-Year-Old



Theodore Hilies, 19, confessed to Michigan State Police that he murdered George Counter, 6. George's tiny body was found mutilated and partly burned on an ash heap in a Detroit basement. (NEA Telephoto.)

A special petit panel of 79 Eastland County residents has been summoned for Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock, for selection of a jury to hear a 91st District Court civil suit styled Patsy Nance and others against Wesley Isenhower, both of Cisco, asking a judgment of \$100,000 in damages.

Judge George L. Davenport will be on the bench for the damage suit, which resulted from a traffic accident between two automobiles at Cisco in November, 1947.

A previous trial of the case in October, 1948, resulted in a "hung" jury.

Press reports at the time of the accident indicated Miss Nance was an occupant of a vehicle being operated by Mary Poe of Cisco, which was involved in a collision with a vehicle operated by Isenhower, a student at Texas A. & M. College. Miss Nance was hospitalized as a result of the accident, according to the plaintiff's petition.

Representing the plaintiff are Turner & Seaberry of Eastland and Willard White of Cisco. McMahon, Springer & Smart of Abilene and Conner & Conner of Eastland, are counsel for the defense.

Named to the jury panel were: Eli F. Rushing, J. B. Caudle, O. O. Mickle, V. H. Carter, A. M. Mc Bee, Ben Mathews, Charles Butler, V. W. Chambliss, J. A. Doyle, H. F. Duncan, Marvin Hood, J. H. Parker, W. E. Brasher, Jess Seibert, C. C. Street and James W. Young, Eastland; T. O. Friday, J. H. Tidwell, W. R. Burleson, R. A. Brown and R. E. Adams, Deedemona; W. W. Harris, W. E. Woodruff, John Nunally, K. E. House, G. M. Walker, J. C. Howard and B. H. Westerman, Rising Star; J. A. Holloway, H. J. Lane, R. H. Reed, A. E. Guy, I. S. Ford, Rufus Beene, J. J. Barron, B. B. Poe, M. L. Maynard, and E. J. Capers, Carbon.

F. A. Elson, Ted E. Underwood, T. A. Thompson, J. C. McCauley, James Wright, W. D. Harper, and W. J. Duke, Gorman; W. C. Campbell, T. D. Stewart, Wyatt Jacobs, L. E. Gray, Earl Brown, John W. Love, Lee Dockery, Bruce R. Harris, W. H. Clarke, W. W. Anderson, S. A. Hightower, and Audrey Carvey, Ranger; Jack D. Lauderdale, Harry Donica, Bill Mitcham, Sterling Brunwright, H. C. Nix, W. W. Magness, O. E. Qualls, K. N. Greer, W. L. Pippen, R. F. Walton, J. M. Sauls, C. C. Cooper, J. W. Childress, Lane Gilmore, Cisco.

B. J. Elliott, C. J. Langlitz, J. F. Moseley, E. E. Sharp and Z. W. Cook, Olden.

County 4-H Club Boy To Get Gilt

An Eastland County 4-H Club boy will receive a registered Duroc Jersey gilt on April 29, due to the efforts of the Lone Star Gas Company and M. E. Fry, Cisco ranchman, it was announced by W. E. Steele, Jr., assistant county agent.

T. E. Warden, Lone Star Gas Company, and Fry made the project possible and are presenting six gilts to the F.F.A. and 4-H Club boys of Eastland County. F.F.A. boys from Cisco, Rising Star, Carbon and Gorman are to receive pigs also.

The pigs were purchased from a 4-H Club boy in Menard County. Each boy receiving a gilt pig will agree to return one in the spring of 1950 for another boy. The club boy to receive the pig has not been decided.

More "Lonely Heart" Slayings



All dressed up for the first time since her arrest, Mrs. Inez Brennan, the Dover, Delaware, woman who is being held in connection with "Lonely Hearts" slayings of two widowers, is escorted by Detective Winfield Cochran, of Delaware State Police, to Dover Barracks to be fingerprinted and photographed for the first time. (NEA Telephoto.)

An Eastland dairy judging team of four 4-H club boys will compete in a bi-district contest Wednesday, April 27, at Stephenville, it was announced by Assistant County Agent Ed Steele, Jr.

Members of the team are: Edwin Aaron, Guy Warden, Garry Miller and Buddy Aaron.

Districts No. 8 and 4 will be represented in the contest.

Films Of Canada Shown At School

Color films of the western and central part of Canada were screened by Mrs. James Horton, for an assembly program of Eastland Junior High School students Friday morning.

The films were made last summer during a tour made by Mr. and Mrs. Horton.

The reaction of the students to the beautiful nature scenes was favorable.

Revival Starts At Olden Church

A revival will start Sunday, April 24, at the Olden Baptist Church, with the Rev. H. T. Connolly as evangelist, it was announced by the Rev. Clifford Nelson, pastor.

Services will be held twice daily at 10 A. M. and 8 P. M. The public is invited.

If the farmer gave away his milk, it would cost the consumer 12 cents a quart delivered to the door, federal experts estimate.

Civil Appeals Court Makes Weekly Report

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District during the past week:

Affirmed: (Judge Cecil C. Collings) Tom Morrison, et ux, vs. A. B. Swain, et al., Throckmorton. Reformed and Affirmed—(Judge Grissom) Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. vs. Pete Crown, Taylor.

Dismissed—Robert C. Scott vs. J. B. Bowen, et ux, Mitchell.

Motions submitted—Robert C. Scott vs. J. B. Bowen, et ux, appellee's motion to dismiss appeal. J. R. Fleming, et al., vs. J. Doss Miller, agreed motion for extension of time for filing briefs.

General Office Service Co. vs. Elmo Letbetter, appellee's motion for extension of time in which to file briefs.

Bernard Caffey vs. Aetna Casualty & Surety Co., appellant's motion for rehearing.

Motions granted—Robert C. Scott vs. J. B. Bowen, et ux, appellee's motion to dismiss appeal.

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Motion overruled—Bernard Caffey vs. Aetna Casualty & Surety Co., appellant's motion for rehearing.

Says Next War To Be Amphibious

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., April 23 (UP)—A Marine General predicted today that in event of another war the United States would wage the greatest amphibious campaign in history against islands ringing the Eurasian land mass.

In a speech prepared for delivery to the Reserve Officers Association, Maj. Gen. M. H. Silverthorn said that "for the present and foreseeable future the advance base problem is and will be an amphibious problem" in event of war.

He said that neither ships nor planes have yet obtained the range needed to strike "powerful blows against the enemy while operating exclusively from bases on the American continent or from bases we can count on having in our possession."

"Since Eurasia is a vast land mass and a possible area of future operations," he said, "it has been suggested by many persons that the importance of amphibious warfare will be slight."

Farm Bureau Has Meeting At Rising Star

Raymond McElrath of Coman, state director of District 7 of the Farm Bureau, said farm people need to get together and work out their problems, in an address at Rising Star Thursday evening to members of the Eastland County Farm Bureau.

McElrath pointed out that farmers know best what their problems are and should organize to help one another.

McElrath is a farmer and rancher, McElrath was speaking from experience. He said that Eastland County had 2,400 farmers, which if organized would be strength enough to accomplish any goal they would strive to attain.

A group of musicians entertaining the members were: Jerry Walker, Bobbie Roberts, Roy Don Hickman and Mrs. Charles Starr all of Rising Star, and Byrl Blackwell of the Cheaney Community sang several popular songs, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Starr.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Grieger of Eastland accompanied Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Freeman, and Mr. and Mrs. John Love of Ranger to the meeting.

Minstrel Show Gives Final Performance

The second and last performance of the 1949 minstrel, sponsored by the Eastland Quarterback Club, was presented Friday evening in the high school auditorium to a capacity audience, Jack Chamberlain, president, stated.

Presented both Thursday and Friday evening, the minstrel drew a "packed house" for the performances.

Immediately following the Friday evening show, a reception was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain, honoring the cast and those assisting in the presentation.

Some sales had not been reported up to Saturday morning and Chamberlain said it would be Monday before a complete financial report could be announced.

Europe is producing only three per cent less food than it did before the war, but its population has increased about ten per cent.

Commercial airlines now are flying the North Atlantic 246 times a week, the latest industry figures reveal.

Swallowing The Bait (AN EDITORIAL)

It has been aptly stated, "nothing can take the place of the printed word."

When The Eastland Daily Telegram comes into your home, you are receiving a permanent record of the day's events—presented in an attractive and readable style as possible. In your Daily Telegram you receive a hometown product available for reference as many times as needed to refresh your memory on the news and advertising values offered.

Dedicated to service, your newspaper—The Eastland Daily Telegram—needs and is deserving of your support and patronage. Just as your schools and churches are what you—the public make them—the same is true of your daily newspaper. Not many communities the size of Eastland have a daily newspaper. This has been made possible through your co-operation. The fact that you do have one should be a source of pride.

From time to time, in fact only this week, an out-of-town promoter offered a small amount of publicity with the idea in mind of securing a large amount of advertising dollars. Whether the promoter is representing radio, direct-by-mail, catalogues or other mediums, it might be well to stop and consider before swallowing the bait—hook, line and sinker. The same kind of instance could apply locally as well.

Certainly you would not expect your daily newspaper to publish all of its news about some other community and boost it to the detriment of Eastland. Nor would you expect your daily newspaper to solicit advertising from other communities that would compete with local merchants. However, shouldn't your newspaper reasonably expect you—not to give your news and advertising to some other medium. If great benefit could be derived from such actions, it would be a different matter.

As it is, it boils down to this: "Don't bite the hand that's feeding you."

With a spirit of co-operation, a unity of purpose, and every shoulder to the wheel, Eastland can and will continue to go forward.

First Baptist Church Completes Plans For Two Weeks Revival

Plans have been completed for a church membership loyalty revival at the First Baptist Church of Eastland, April 24-May 1, it was announced by the pastor Rev. L. M. Chapman, who will do the preaching. Services will be at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. when regular hours will be observed.

The Rev. Chapman is expecting an attendance of 300 for the Monday evening, April 25, service. The number attending each night will be counted, with an attendance goal of 600 set for the conclusion of the revival.

Marking the second revival that Rev. Chapman has conducted since becoming pastor of the church 18 months ago, the 16 sermons will be based on Paul's letter, First Corinthians.

A native of Fort Worth, Rev. Chapman attended Baylor University at Waco, and was graduated from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky. Prior to coming here, he was pastor at Palacios, Columbus, and of the Wooster Church in Baytown. Leading the singing will be L. C. Gayle, educational director of the First Baptist Church at Freeport. Until recently, he held a similar position at Childress. He is a graduate of Baylor University and the Baptist Seminary of Fort Worth.

The public is invited to attend.

Social Security Representative To Be In Eastland

E. Glen McNatt, field representative of the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration, will be at the Army recruiting office in Eastland at 10 a. m. Thursday, April 28. Persons wishing assistance with retirement claims or death claims under the Social Security Act, should call at that time for necessary help and information.

In a statement released today, McNatt reminds employers that their regular quarterly social security tax returns are due in the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, Dallas, Texas, during the month of April. These returns cover wages paid during the three-month period ending March 31, 1949.

Such returns should be filed by each employer who had one or more persons working for him during the quarter. Certain special types of work, however, such as farm work, work for governmental agencies, and work of domestic servants in private homes, are not included under the social security system; reports are not filed by employers on earnings or employees doing these types of work.

CONSUMERS CREDIT CONTROLS TO RELAX NEXT WEDNESDAY

WASHINGTON, April 23 (UP)—Consumer credit controls will be relaxed again next Wednesday in the third anti-recession move this spring by the Federal Reserve Board.

Down payments on all major controlled items except automobiles will be reduced from 15 to 10 percent, and the time allowed to pay the balance will be extended from 21 to 24 months. Automobile down payments will remain at one-third of the purchase price.

Under the new regulations, any purchase of less than \$100 will be exempt, compared with a previous \$50 limit.

The board announced the change last night. It expressed confidence that the new rules will not result in any revival of inflationary pressures.

The board early last month made its first relaxation of consumer credit controls, cutting down payments from 20 to 15 per cent and extending the installment period from 15 and 18 months to 21.

Three weeks later, the board trimmed the required down payment on stock market purchases from 75 per cent to 50 per cent. Board chairman Thomas B. Mc-



Rev. L. M. Chapman



L. C. Gayle

Discovery Well For Eastland Co. Completed

Realler Production Co. of Dallas has completed the No. 1 Leeman Underwood, 990 feet from the south and 330 from the west line of the Underwood 160 acre tract in section 44 bloc 2 ETRR survey. Permit is for 2,995 feet with rotary.

The well pumped 70 barrels of 40 gravity oil in 24 hours from 228 perforations at 2,446-2,500 feet, on official gauge. It had been drilled to 2,530. Location is 330 feet south and east of the southeast corner of George Click survey in section 44 block 2, ETRR survey.

Drilling will start in about a week on a north offset to the discovery well in relation to the Realler Production Co. No. 2 Leeman Underwood, 990 feet from the south and 330 from the west line of the Underwood 160 acre tract in section 44 bloc 2 ETRR survey. Permit is for 2,995 feet with rotary.

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Cabe said the latest order reflects "current trends in employment and business." The amount of consumer credit outstanding, about \$8,000,000,000 (B), was not excessive in relation to the national income, he said.

However, if the new relaxation of controls results in a big upturn in consumer credit, causing inflation, he promised that the board would "act promptly to meet the situation."

The board's authority to govern consumer credit expires June 30. Congress has taken no action on President Truman's recommendation that it be extended.

If it is not extended, retailers will be able to write their own down payment and installment rules as they did before and after World War II. Credit controls were revived by the 80th Congress last summer during its special session.

Major items affected by the board's action in addition to automobiles, include washing machines, radios, refrigerators, stoves, dish washers, home freezers, ironers, room air conditioning equipment, television sets, phonographs, sewing machines, vacuum cleaners, furniture and rugs.

Going Forward With Eastland
By Bob Moore

One week ago this scribe arrived in Eastland. While it's doubtful if our arrival had anything to do with the fine rains the community and trade territory has received the past week, both the moisture and the writer received a cordial welcome from citizens.

Most editors and many reporters are inclined and expected to write a personal column. "Going Forward With Eastland" is a continuation of a column this scribe originated one year ago, with the exception of the word "Eastland" instead of "Kermit". You readers (and I hope I have them) will find discourse in this space on a little of everything, but the main purpose will be to boost Eastland from a business and civic standpoint. It is not our nature to stand back or hesitate to speak an opinion on any subject. While it may be necessary sometimes to "gently step on some toes", all of it will be in a sincere and kindly effort to help achieve the common goal of a bigger and better community. We prefer to give an orchid of praise to persons for a job well done, and from what we have seen of Eastland and the persons we met, there will be much more to commend than to criticize.

One of the first things noticed about Eastland was the cleanliness of the city. The general tidiness and neat appearance is something that many communities could and should model after. Another "feather in Eastland's cap" is the many modern buildings and facilities—the courthouse, city hall, schools, churches, businesses, city park, homes, library and swimming pool—to mention a few. Officials report that crime is practically extinct and dozens have come by "to meet the new editor"—testifying to the friendliness of Eastland folks. In brief, all in all, Eastland appears to be a good community in which to live.

An orchid to Mrs. Marene Johnson and the cast for the fine 1949 minstrel. While the show is always good, old-timers say this was the best one yet. On behalf of the Quarterback Club, sponsors, thanks to all of your splendid patronage. When you see those Mavericks out on the field this fall, you will have the satisfaction of having done your part to provide the boys with the best equipment and facilities available.

The entire community was shocked and saddened by the sudden death of Curtis Hertig, pioneer resident and secretary of the School Board and Rotary Club. While this scribe did not know him personally, the record stands of his service and devotion to duty. His passing marks a loss to the community of a good and conscientious citizen.

Here and there: Tommy Velasco, Eastland High School senior and all-round athlete, planning to attend Texas Technological College at Lubbock this fall. Boyce House, former editor of this paper and noted author, will have a new volume on the bookstands soon entitled "City of Flaming Adventure", a history of San Antonio.

Anytime you have an item you would like to have in "Going Forward", it would be very much appreciated. Just call, write, or come by the office with the item. Especially, do we want to hear from the farmers and ranchers in the trade vicinity. If you know of anything amusing, interesting, or something to "get off your chest", let us hear from you.

License Examiner Is On Vacation

E. G. Galloway, drivers license examiner for Eastland, will be on vacation next week and his office at the City Hall will be closed. The office will reopen May 2.

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★ EDITORIALS ★

WASHINGTON, (NEA) —The Washington leg men—unsung journalistic hero in this land of columnists, commentators and pundits—were honored Saturday night, April 23, when five reporters received the Peter Edson awards of \$100 each for excellence in reporting and writing during 1948. The awards were presented at the banquet concluding the annual meeting of the American Society of Newspaper Editors.

Edson, Washington columnist for NEA Service, won this year's \$500 Raymond Clapper award for distinguished reporting and immediately split it up into five prizes, for Washington leg men. His announced purpose was to give greater recognition to the Washington reporters covering beats and working on assignments. He also wished to show how unfair was a recent magazine article which dubbed the Washington press corp "armchair correspondents."

Those who received the Edson awards from President Erwin Canham of the ASNE were:

Ray Cromley, Wall Street Journal, for "American Scientists in Revolt." Cromley, arrested by the Japs in Tokyo on Pearl Harbor day, was repatriated and served in China as a lieutenant-colonel in the Army. After the war he rejoined the Wall Street Journal as far eastern correspondent and came to Washington in 1948 as a reporter on military and scientific affairs.

Jerry Klutz, Washington Post, for a dispatch on red tape in the Army and Veterans Administration. He writes a column "The Federal Diary" and a bi-weekly newsletter for government workers outside Washington.

Richard L. Strout, Christian Science Monitor, for a feature story on the average man in Washington. He served as a 2nd Lieutenant of Infantry in World War I and began his newspaper career with the Sheffield, England, Independent in 1919. He was with the Boston Post before joining the Monitor in 1921.

Nicholas Blatchford, Washington Daily News, for an assignment feature on the comedy of the post-election errors of the pollsters and others. Blatchford, formerly Harvard oarsman, worked his way up from copy boy to feature writer, with three years out serving with the Army in Newfoundland.

Jim Daniel, Denver Rocky Mountain News, for a series on lobbies trying to force the 80th Congress to pass laws permitting basing point charges after they had been outlawed by the Supreme Court. Daniel was assigned to this story by his editor, Jack Foster, who backed his efforts despite pressure from cement, sugar beet and steel interests. Daniel served overseas with OWI and formerly was city editor of the Washington Daily News.

NEWS FROM Desdemona

Desdemona, April 22 — Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riggs had as guest for the Easter week-end all their children, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Fox of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hooper and Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman Lingleville.

Wayne Baker, who is an employe of A & P Food Store of Ft. Worth, was home to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Baker, last week-end.

Mrs. Aleck Parks, who has been a patient in the Blackwell Hospital at Gorman for several days, suffering from an eye infection, is home and reported "doing nicely."

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Citern of Kamoy visited with friends and relatives here this past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown had all of their children home for the week-end. They are: Alice and Margie of Fort Worth, and Robert Brown of John Tarleton Junior College at Stephenville.

Miss Tex Smith and her brothers, Rhone and Frank Smith of Victor, visited Sunday with M. J. Keith and family.

British Reveal Plans For Master Air Transport

WASHINGTON, April 23 (UP)—British officials today took the wraps off one of the secret weapons with which they hope to challenge American dominance in world air transport—and fairly soon.

Looking far beyond conventional U. S. luxury planes, the Brit-

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Moore and children of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lewis.

Mrs. Rosa Abel, who had been visiting with her children in Oil Center, N. M. and Goldsmith, returned home this week with her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Walker, husband and little son, Roger.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lemaster of Fort Worth visited this week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemaster.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Frank Leazer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold, who is ill at Sluton, is reported "doing nicely."

ish DeHavilland Aircraft Co., is coming up with the D. H. 106 Comet, a jet-propelled swept-back wing transport designed to carry 36 passengers at 500 miles an hour in the smooth air at 40,000 feet. The first of 16 Comets should take the air this year. Passengers will be riding in them on world routes sometime in 1952, according to the British Information Services, a government agency.

If the Comet will do all its makers say, the United States will be

lucky if it can meet the British challenge by 1955. This conclusion is based on a United Press survey of American aircraft manufacturers and airlines.

U. S. executives are generally agreed that this country could not

develop a jet airliner under five years even if work started immediately. And no work is known to have started as yet. Private industry hasn't the money, and the government has not agreed to underwrite development costs.

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Daylight Saving In Effect Sunday

WASHINGTON, April 23 (UP)—Daylight saving time goes into effect tomorrow morning for about 50,000,000 persons in many sections throughout the nation. The fast time schedule will continue until Sept. 25.

Most areas going on daylight time make the shift officially at 2 A. M.

Many sections of the south, mid-west and far west, especially rural areas, are sticking to standard time this year, however.

Long-distance railroads, airlines and busses will continue to operate on standard time. But some transportation firms are changing their commuter schedules to conform with daylight time.

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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By United Press
EDINBURG, April 23 (UP)—Business firms were to close from 4 to 4:30 P. M. today in respect to D. E. Hollingsworth, president of the First State Bank and Trust Company, who died yesterday.

Hollingsworth was widely known in Lower Rio Grande Valley banking, civic and fraternal circles. Cause of death was listed as a perforated intestine.

LAREDO, April 23 (UP)—Sponsors of the "Streets of Laredo" Fiesta said yesterday that Noah Armstrong, 97, of Coleman, is the leading candidate in the search for the oldest living ex-Texas Ranger.

If Armstrong wins the title, he will be brought here for the May 15-16 fiesta.

MATAMORAS, Mexico, April 23 (UP)—President Miguel Aleman was on his way back to Mexico City today after a tour through Northern Mexico border towns.

The chief executive inaugurated the recently complete Matamoros-Victor highway yesterday.

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Harry G. Taylor, who lost both legs in a railway accident while working as a switchman last June, was elected Alderman last April 5 by an overwhelming vote.

He was named Mayor Pro Tempore yesterday.

ODESSA, April 23 (UP)—A formal protest over placement of names on the April 5 election ballot was filed yesterday by E. M. Farris, unsuccessful city council candidate.

Farris said his name should appear first because he filed for office ahead of other candidates.

WICHITA FALLS, April 23 (UP)—Frank Wood, 43, will become city manager here within a few days.

Wood was appointed by the City Council yesterday, at an annual salary of \$9,000. He formerly served with the Federal Public Housing Authority and the Home Owners Loan Corporation in both Dallas and Fort Worth.

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Church... Society ... Clubs

MRS. DON PARKER Society Editor
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Don Smith Elected President Of Newly-Formed Junior Music Club

Eastland's newest club is the recently organized, Dragoo Junior Music Club, whose officers were elected in the home of Mrs. F. L. Dragoo, sponsor.

The following constitution was adopted. The articles follow:
1. The name of this organization shall be the Junior Music Club. Mrs. F. L. Dragoo shall be the sponsor.

The object shall be to promote and develop the musical talent of its members.

2. The annual club dues shall be twenty-five cents. Any member absent without legitimate excuse shall pay a fine of twenty-five cents.

3. The officers of this club shall consist of a president, vice president, recording secretary, treasurer, critic, parliamentarian, and reporter.

4. Officers shall be elected twice a year, October and March. By-Laws: The regular meetings of this club shall be the second Thursday of October, December, February, April, and May.

The club song shall be, "Our Country", music arranged from Mozart.

The club flower shall be the bluebonnet.

Charter members are Stanley Blevins, Sylvia Frances Brummett, Karen Castleberry, Carol Ann Hill, Barbara Hightower, Harlan Herring, Linda Linkenboger, Virginia Ray McCord, Elleen McClain, Deanna Rose, Don Smith, Juan Jay Smith, Golda Skiles, Sara Jane Thompson, and Mary Ann Toombs.

President elected was Don Smith; vice-president, Virginia McCord; secretary, Carol Ann Hill; treasurer, Harlan Herring; critic, Jane Thompson; parliamentarian, Deanna Rose; reporter, Barbara Hightower.

CIRCLE TO MEET
The Turner Circle of the First Methodist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Cyrus B. Frost, 712 West Moss Street, Monday at 3 p. m.

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He will be accompanied by Miss Lois Jenke of Abilene, concert pianist.

Tickets are available now and may be had by contacting Music Club members, or Mrs. T. E. Richardson, president.

Miss Judy Witt Honored With Birthday Party

Mrs. Lorene Witt recently entertained a group of children in her home, 298 East Hill Street, honoring her little daughter, Judy on her fifth birthday.

Spring flowers were used for decorations and outdoor games were played. Birthday cake and ice cream was served to Jan and Sandy Taylor, Lyndell Garrett, Mainelle and Billy Cole, Beverly Sue and Brenda Lou Hooser of San Angelo, and Johnnie Bigby.

Abilene friends unable to attend, but sending gifts were Brenda Moats, Donald Ray Smith, and Mrs. Blanch McCarty and Mr. and Mrs. Fannie Hager of East-

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their cards, kind words of consolation, and all the other expressions of sympathy at the recent loss of our loved one, Fred Teatsworth Lompoc, California. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Teatsworth

land.
The honoree is the niece of Miss Eunice Nall and the granddaughter of N. J. Nall of Abilene.

Sermon Topic Is Announced For First Methodist

Rev. J. M. Bond, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Eastland, will have as his sermon topic Sunday morning, "The Holy Bible".

A World Service will be held in the Sunday School, with all classes requested to make a special offering. Youth meetings will be at regular hours.

The Board of Stewards will meet Monday night at 7:45 o'clock, in an important session.

Stork Wins Out
COLUMBUS, Ind. (UP)—For the first time in its 15 years of operation, the King taxi company raced a stork. Mrs. Carmine Dipippo gave birth to a daughter in a taxicab enroute to the county hospital.

County HD Clubs Hold Flower Show

Miss Rosie McCoy, Home Demonstration agent of Eastland County, conducted a training meeting in flower arrangement, Friday afternoon in the Commissioner's court room in the Court House.

Apparently fifty arrangements of roses, iris, bluebonnets, corn flowers, indian paintbrush, pansies and lilac, some combined with spirea, were on display.

Those attending were representatives of the Home Demonstrations Club in the County. Each club was invited to send two leaders at the school, who will return to their clubs and demonstrate with them a demonstration and teach the art learned in the school.

Present were Mrs. D. W. Rogers and Miss Leona Perrin of the Salem Club, Mrs. D. Ball and Mrs. A. T. Gorr of the Lake Cisco Club, Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth and Mrs. Ernest Schaefer of the Word Club, Mrs. Charles Mahaffey, Mrs. K. F. Kirk and Mrs. J. F. Mosley of the Colony Club, Mrs. W. D. Harper, Mrs. Henry Capers, and Mrs. D. J. Jobe of the Bass Lake Club, Mrs. W. G. Tate and Mrs. C. W. Halty of the Howard Club, Mrs. M. W. Greiger, and Mrs. T. E. Wilson of the Flatwood Club.

Friendship Club Holds Meeting

The Friendship Sewing Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. J. Killough, 608 South Daugherty.

The group spent the afternoon sewing and visiting and a refreshment plate of strawberry ice cream and ice box cookies was served to Mesdames C. H. McBee, E. L. Daffern, Clyde Mayo, Bill Jessop, Burkhead, Clara Wingate Carl Timmons, Raymond Webb and the hostess.

The next meeting of the group will be in the home of Mrs. Burkhead, South Daugherty Street.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Beard and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beard of Dallas are here at the bedside of Mrs. J. A. Beard, who has been critically ill at her home, but was reported to be improving Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beard are also visiting in the home of Mrs. Beard's mother, Mrs. May Harrison.

Mrs. Edgar Altom accompanied by Mrs. Parks Poe and little daughter, Janice Kay, and Gay Hickman attended the birthday party of Mrs. Altom's little grandson, Prince Altom in Cisco Friday evening. It was the sixth birthday of the little Altom boy.

Mrs. John Osborne and daughters Miss Jane Osborne are in Dallas today where they will attend the funeral.

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tend the opera.
Mrs. Ruby Steans of El Paso spent the night here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Vermillion, enroute to Dallas to attend the opera and will return for a longer visit with her parents, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Calvert of El Paso were the guests here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Altom, Friday. Mrs. Calvert is the niece of Mr. Altom.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hodges spent Thursday in Stamford visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Bell, and Mr. Bell in Stamford. Mr. Hodges has just returned home from a three weeks business trip in South Texas.

Mr. Edgar Elmore and son, Gordon of Archer City, and Mr. J. W. Elmore of Ft. Worth visited the first of the week with their sisters in Eastland, Mrs. W. S. Barber and Mrs. R. O. Durden and Mr. Durden. Mr. J. W. Elmore remained for an extended visit.

Miss Emily Long of Midland was a recent guest here in the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. Milburn S. Long, 514 South Hill Crest Street.

Judge and Mrs. Milburn McCarty of Washington, D. C., have been visiting in Eastland this week. While here, they were the dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Richardson.

Mrs. C. W. Pettitt returned home

with her daughter, Mrs. Boyd Meeks of Slaton last week end and has been her guest all this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Geem and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Butler visited in Crane this week with Mrs. Van Geem and Mr. Butler's sister, Mrs. R. L. Maynard and family.

Mr. J. D. Barton, who has been ill at his home for the past several weeks was reported by friends to be in a serious condition, but is able to have guests.

Cat Adopts Squirrels
WACO, Tex. (UP)—Midnight, a black cat, is mothering two orphaned squirrels. Midnight's own kitten died but she promptly adopted two just-born squirrels which had been abandoned by their true mother.

Rain Making Not Easy

WILMINGTON, O. (UP)—The cloud physics project which has been in operation at the Air Force base for the past year has been transferred to the McClellan base at Sacramento, Cal., but will keep its analysis headquarters here. The project included the seeding of clouds to determine if it is possible to make rain. The Air Force reported it had little success.

bigger when young than as a tadpole. The tadpole of an odd South American frog, notes the National Geographic Society, grows to be more than 10 inches long. It then starts shrinking, until it is only two to two and a half inches long when full grown.

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Morton Valle News Items

Mrs. G. W. Tankersley went to San Antonio, Saturday, to join her husband, Cpl. G. W. Tankersley of Camp Hood, for a week's visit. Corporal Tankersley is there for the annual parade of flowers. Little Phillip Stanley stayed at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Burton Tankersley, until his mother returned at the end of the week.

Visitors in the Arvill Sherrill

home Sunday were her mother and brother Mrs. Reimer and Jimmie Reimer of Dallas, and Dolores Williamson of Eastland.

Visitors in the J. C. Carter home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Noel Vandiver and Miss Janette Vandiver of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carter, Sue and Paul of Eastland; Luther Carter, Joel and Danny Tankersley.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Calhoun and Miss Buela Harlin of Tulsa Okla., spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harbin and Doretta.

Pvt. Paul Tankersley visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sturm in Breckenridge, Wednesday night.

Visitors in the W. E. Tankersley home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Proffitt and Connie of Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Sturm of Breckenridge; Rhea Moore of Eastland; and Mrs. D. B. Tankersley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson received word Monday morning that their son, S. L. Williamson was in the West Texas Clinic in Ranger.

Visitors in the L. J. Baggett home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rains of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Langford of Acker.

Mrs. Jessie Reik of Lubbock is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Trott.

J. B. and Gracie Tankersley, five-year-old twins of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley, have the measles.

Joe Stewart is in Dallas with

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"JUST LIKE MOMMY'S"—only smaller in size, is this Mother's Day duplicate corsage for mother and daughter, guaranteed to delight both recipients. For double designs, keep it simple, urges Florists' Telegraph Delivery stylist Alyn Wayne—and here she shows how with white carnations and iris.

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his little daughter, Jacquelin, where she is undergoing an operation to fix the pallet of her mouth.

Richard Tankersley went to Arlington, Wednesday night to visit his son-in-law Charlie Brazil, who is in the hospital there.

Bobby Gene Harrison, student in Technological College at Lubbock, spent Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison and brother, Max.

Ralph Wheat, student in Texas A. & M. College at College Station, spent the past week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Matthews.

Keifer Butler, formerly of this community, visited friends here and attended revival services at the Harmony Baptist Church, Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Baggett is home from Kennedale, after undergoing treatment there for the past week.

Paul Tankersley is home on a delay en route from Camp Chaffee, Ark. to El Paso, where he will be stationed.

Evangelist Bill Herrod's family of Dallas spent Sunday visiting with him here. Herrod is holding a revival at the Harmony Baptist church.

June Bone spent the week-end in Marlow, Okla., visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Rankin are the proud parents of a baby boy born Monday morning at 6:45 o'clock in a Ranger hospital. The boy has been named Bruce Frost.

S. W. Dempsey, father of Mrs. A. E. Beck and T. L. Wheat, was carried to the hospital Saturday night for treatment and was re-

Leader Doubtful Of Chances For Health Program

WASHINGTON, April 23.—(UP)—Senate Republican leader Kenneth S. Wherry of Nebraska said today President Truman's national health program "means the complete regimentation of the American people."

"In my opinion, not even this Congress will pass it," he said.

Even the most ardent backers of the \$6,000,000,000-a-year program did not appear very confident about its chances. Nevertheless, they were getting ready to battle for the bill which they will introduce in the Senate Monday to carry out Mr. Truman's proposals.

Observers, however, said there is little chance that the Senate will act on any health bill until next year.

In his message to Congress yesterday, the President outlined a four-point program featuring compulsory health insurance to provide prepaid medical and hospital care for almost all Americans. The insurance scheme would be financed in part by a

three per cent payroll tax paid half by employers and half by employees.

Mr. Truman also recommended increased federal funds to help medical school train more doctors, to build more hospitals and to aid states in public health and disease prevention work.

Sen. Robert A. Taft, R., Ohio, joined Wherry in criticizing the President's plan. He said Mr. Truman had tried "to sugar-coat the plan to socialize and nationalize medicine."

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Area OIL News

By Buena Van Winkle

The Jay and Parker Company are drilling ahead at 1,250 feet on their No. 2 T. N. Watt. They are carrying a load of water which they ran into about 50 feet back up the hole, but they are hopeful that it will not get heavier—eliminating underreaming.

F. D. Glass No. 1 B. A. Hirst is drilling at 2,200 feet.

McClung No. 1 Miller Estate is drilling at 2,100 feet. The location is north of Hannibal, which is about 11 miles northeast of Stephenville.

McClung No. 1 Jones, near Clairette (east of Dublin), have almost completed moving in machinery and rig, but the weather is holding up operations, with surface not set to date. R. H. Patterson is the contractor—moving his rig from the Skelley cleanout

job, where he had a rig for several months.

Skeeter and Curry No. 3 R. S. Sanders have moved a rig in, with the weather also holding up their operations.

The Commercial Production No. 1 Harvey Parker will be perforated and treated sometime this weekend. This well has been WOC the allotted 72 hours Thursday.

Roy Gaines of Commercial Production has finished the Perry tract, which is the east 80 acres of the Johnny Burns farm and the O. C. Reid tract. Both pieces of acreage are to the south of Kirk Field and considered promising.

The Jay and Parker Company No. 2 T. N. Watt is drilling at 1,200 and shut down because of rain. The Parker boys said they were glad to let the rain have right of way, because they are still peanut farmers—whatever their oil wells do.

F. D. Glass No. 1 B. A. Hirst is drilling at 2,100 feet. Skeeter and Curry No. 1 Harvey Parker is still WOC, but will be ready to be treated within a few days.

More than 5,000 elk were killed by hunters in Idaho in 1947.

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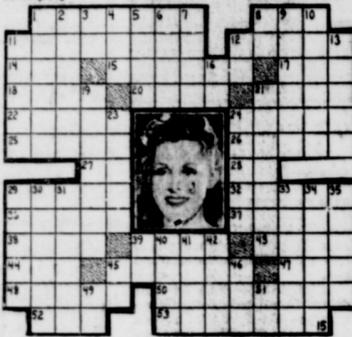
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Wichita Falls Walks As Bus Drivers Quit

WICHITA FALLS, April 23 — (UP)—Hundreds of workers hitched hiked and walked to work today as Union Bus drivers went on strike in support of wage demands.

The members of the Amalgamated Association of Street, Elec-

tric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL) voted at 1 A. M. today to walk out.

Their demand for a 7 1-2 cent hourly wage boost to \$1.00 per hour was turned down by the transit company after the Wichita Falls City Council refused the company's request Friday for hikes in fares.

The proposed fares were four tokens for 30 cents, or ten cents per individual ride.

During 1948 American ate an average of more than an egg per day—a total of 338.

NEWS FROM LACASA

Mrs. J. T. McCleskey gave an Easter Party Friday afternoon honoring her grandchildren, Linda Clay of Fort Worth and Bill Bonner of Ranger, who have been visiting them. Guests enjoyed an Easter egg hunt, refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to Mrs. Alec Lambrough, Mrs. B. S. Lambrough, Gary and Samy of Wayland, Mrs. V. L. Jones and Kathy, Mrs. Comer Clay, mother of Linda, the hostess, and honorees.

Mrs. Maude Wimberly and Mr. and Mrs. Don Brady of West Texas visited relatives here last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Tally and boys of Asperment visited friends here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson and Mrs. A. G. Ketchersid and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Jones and Kathy Friday.

Milton Heffley of Crosbyton visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Bargeley over the week-end.

Mrs. V. L. Jones and Kathy visited Don Bradford Monday.

A. N. Bradford Jr. of East Texas visited with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bradford over the week-end.

Mrs. J. P. Herrington and son, Mike, visited Mrs. Forna Ames in Ranger over the week-end.

Tommie Guess of Ranger, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Guess of

Lacasa is in the West Texas Hospital in Ranger. He was injured while working on an oil well.

Mrs. Forna Ames of Ranger is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Herrington and family.

Sue Graham of Ranger is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. McNabb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ketchersid and Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Jones and Kathy visited Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dempsey Thursday night.

Defendant Runs Amuck And Bites Court Attendants

LUBBOCK, April 23 (UP)—Courtroom attendants were nursing bites today after Richard W. McGee, a defendant in a murder trial, ran amuck in 72nd Dis-

trict Court. McGee, charged with slaying of R. L. Allston, Lubbock grocery executive, caused pandemonium in the courtroom yesterday when he leaped to his feet and went into action.

The 24-year-old defendant led off the outburst with a scream loud enough to be heard outside the courtroom. It brought the entire audience to its feet.

Chief Deputy Sheriff George Eubank was first to reach the young man. He dodged a chair that was thrown in his path and then tried to get his arms around McGee.

Defense Attorney E. A. Simpson of Amarillo tried to grab an arm. But he retreated after McGee bit him on the hand.

Deputy Sheriff Earl Horton also was bitten in the 10-minute scuffle which ended with McGee being handcuffed and fettered with leg chains.

Five officers then carried him out of the courtroom. Officers said McGee used al-

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