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Communists Ram 20 Miles Into Allied Line

Annual Ranch Day Set For Saturday

Final preparations were being made Friday morning for Eastland's annual Ranch Day which will be observed Saturday.

Lights were being placed on the South side of the courthouse square by the Texas Electric Company for the benefit of square dancers who will be in action beginning at 9 p.m.

Bands from various surrounding cities are expected to be on hand to play during the day and participate in a parade at 3 p.m. The parade will be in observance of Armed Forces day and a number of organizations and two National Guard units are expected to participate.

Also as part of the Armed Forces day, a squadron of B-45 jet bombers will make an appearance over the city at 2:02 p.m. weather conditions permitting.

Everyone is urged to appear in cowboy regalia for the day. A jail will be set up in front of the Lyric Theatre for the day with Curtis Koen acting as sheriff. Deputies have not been announced. Fines paid to get out of jail will go to the band funds.

A ducking stool will be placed on the west side of the square and ladies of the Band Boosters will operate a food booth at the southwest corner of the square beginning at 11 a.m.

The square dance will climax the day. A number of square dancers from Gordon, Abilene, Brownwood, Breckenridge and other cities are expected to attend and participate. Charge will be \$1 per couple, all proceeds going to the support of the band.

Red And White Battle Tonight

The battle of the Reds and Whites is set at 8 p.m. as the curtain rings down on Eastland High School's 1951 Spring gridiron practice.

Coaches Wendell Siebert and Ed Hooker will each have a team as the 1951 edition of the Mavericks give fans a preview of their wares.

Augmenting the squads will be three seniors who will not be back for competition next fall, Doug King, John Burleson and James Freeman.

Coach Siebert has the White squad and Hooker is coaching the Reds.

The teams named as their captains, Derrel Black for the Red team and Larry Miller for the White.

A close battle, with several scores, is in prospect, but the game may be hampered by wet weather and grounds.

Early Friday Rainfall Light

Eastland had a disappointing total of .2 inches of rain Friday morning, but hopes were still high for more moisture before the clouds fade away.

After three or so days of cloudy weather and anxious looking at the skies by local citizens, rain finally fell Friday morning bringing the hope that this was the much needed "good one."

But the rain did not last but a short time and citizens were still looking hopefully at the sky later in the morning.

THE WEATHER

By United Press

EAST TEXAS — Considerable cloudiness, a few scattered thundershowers in West portion this afternoon and in North and West tonight and Saturday. No important change in temperature. Moderate to fresh southeasterly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy a few scattered thundershowers in Panhandle, South Plains and East of the Pecos Valley this afternoon or tonight. Saturday partly cloudy, no important change in temperature.

For Good Used Cars
(Trade-ins on the New Olds)
Oldsmobile Motor Company, Eastland

Cisco Church Gets Record Lease Bonus

A cash bonus of more than \$2,000 per acre, largest paid for an oil lease in Eastland county in more than 32 years, was paid to the Wesley Methodist Church of Cisco for 4.55 acres of land in the Bankline-Owens field by H. S. Fleishman of Tyler after a drilling permit had been approved in Austin and Washington.

A bonus of \$10,000 was paid for the land. The church had a net of \$7,500 in cash after paying expenses of obtaining the drilling permit, including attorney's fees.

Rev. Chief Warden, pastor of the church and former EHS coach said the deal had been pending for several weeks.

The well will be drilled by Fleishman as his No. 1 Wesley Methodist Church in the old Bedford Chapel church yard which has been owned by the church since 1885. Location is in Section 49, Block 4, H&TC Survey, and it adjoins flush production on Bankline Oil Company's A. V. Clark lease, about four miles northeast of Eastland. Permit is 4,500 feet with rotary.

Church officials said a decision will be made soon as to how the money will be used. They said that the church has a debt of \$1,900 and needs a new parsonage. The church will receive a one-eighth royalty from the well in addition to the bonus payment. Rev. Leslie Seymour, superintendent of Cisco District Methodist churches, assisted church officials in clearing title to the property.

In other oil activity in the county, P. S. Kendrick and R. G. Piper of Abilene have completed the No. 1 W. E. Higgins, et al, wildcat seven miles southeast of Eastland.

The well gauged 12.69 barrels of gravity oil and 10 percent water in 24 hours pumping from open hole at 1,439 to 44 feet.

JERSEY ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION IS AVAILABLE HERE

The Jersey bull, Estella D. Benedictine of R. V., better known to North Texas dairymen as J-2, has sired 10,000 calves by artificial insemination. This bull has been in service at the North Texas Artificial Breeding Farm in Dallas. Dairymen in Eastland county have many calves from J-2.

This bull has a large number of artificial heifers in production many milking as high as 5 gallons of milk with their first calf.

J-2 has 7 Superior Sires in his pedigree and has really demonstrated that he can transmit production and type.

His daughters on D. H. I. A. are producing more than their dam's production.

You may have the service of this bull and others equally as good for a small fee by calling 605-W Cisco, County artificial breeding association.

Not Friendly At All
MILWAUKEE (UP)—A Milwaukee man enrolled in a "How to Make Friends and Influence People" course. On his first night in class someone stole his new \$20 hat.



SENSATIONAL HUDDLE—Sen. Tom Connally (D. Tex.), left, Chairman Sen. Richard B. Russell (D. Ga.), center, and Sen. Alexander Wiley (R. Wisc.), confer just before the joint Senate Armed Services-Foreign Relations committee went into closed session in Washington to vote on whether to try to force General Omar Bradley to answer questions on his personal conversations with President Truman on MacArthur's dismissal. (NEA Telephoto).

Truman Says He Considered Firing MacArthur For A Year

WASHINGTON, May 18 (UP)—Stunned Senators said today the MacArthur investigation might just as well begin all over in view of President Truman's statement that he considered firing the general for a year.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, himself, was at a loss to explain Truman's statement. He said he was astonished to the point of "incredulity."

Truman told his news conference yesterday that he had considered dismissing the former Pacific Commander for about a year before he fired him on April 11. He said he made up his mind when MacArthur served a peace ultimatum on the Chinese Reds on March 24.

MacArthur reported in New York that the action on his part "would only be regarded as supplementary to and in full support of any political move toward peace unless an agreement was in contemplation on the enemy's own terms."

These seemed to be harsh words in light of the Administration's avowed attempts to secure peace "without appeasement" in Korea.

The investigation by the Senate Armed Services - Foreign Relations Committee, its bipartisan surface harmony already broken, appeared headed for more stormy sessions.

For two-weeks a 26-man committee has diligently questioned MacArthur, Defense Secretary George C. Marshall and Gen. Omar N. Bradley about events immediately preceding MacArthur's discharge. Truman's statement bordered the lawmakers to a surprised halt.

Sen. Styles Bridges, R., N. H., said that Truman had opened up "an entirely new avenue" for investigation and that it looked as though "long standing personal differences" between the Chief Executive and MacArthur accounted for the firing.

Sen. Bourke B. Hickenlooper, R., Ia., called the latest developments in the boiling controversy "fantastic" in view of the "fantasy" of top secret conferences which surrounded and immediately preceded the actual dismissal.

Sen. Walter F. George, D., Ga., believed it meant "prolonging" the inquiry and "going back over all of it again to see what the president is talking about."

Although Truman didn't elaborate on his troubles of the past year with MacArthur, it appeared that United States policy regarding Formosa may have been the pinch came.

In December, 1949, then Army Under-Secretary Tracy S. Voorhees and Lt. Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther visited MacArthur in Tokyo. MacArthur, it was reported, told them in no uncertain terms that Formosa should be kept in Chinese Nationalist—not Communist—hands.

But Jan. 5, 1950, Truman blew the whistle by stating that the United States would take on military action, direct or indirect, to keep Nationalist Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek in control there.

Five months later—in June—after the outbreak of the Korean fighting, Truman ordered the U. S. 7th Fleet to neutralize Formosa, thus preventing the Reds from grabbing the island and the Nationalists from engaging in counter-thrusts against the mainland.

The President did pinpoint MacArthur's late August, 1950, letter to the national convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars as one occasion when he considered he needed a new commander.

In the letter MacArthur outlined a policy which cut sharply across the administration position on Formosa.

Truman ordered MacArthur to withdraw the letter; but it appeared in print nevertheless.

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Variety Show Set At Gorman

The Gorman Quarterback Club is sponsoring a "Variety Show" at 8 p.m. Friday at the Gorman High School gym.

On the program will be a quartet from Brownwood, a Gorman string band, Desdemona String band, a number of individual acts, soloists, pianists and other groups.

Proceeds from the show will go to the athletic program of Gorman High School. Admission will be 25c and 9c. Everyone is invited to attend the show.

Methodist To Build Modern Pastorate

Final approval on the building of a new modern 3 bedroom pastorate for the First Methodist Church was given by the Church conference at a meeting this week.

The building committee was instructed to go ahead with plans for a structure at a cost not to exceed \$18,000.

Members of the building committee are: Neil Moore, Grady Pipkin, treasurer; Dr. R. C. Ferguson, Robert Vaughan and Frank Crowell.

The new building will be constructed on the present location. The present parsonage will be sold as a unit, or will be torn down and used as material.

Plans call for a structure with external walls of brick or some other permanent material to eliminate upkeep costs as much as possible. The present parsonage site has been in use since 1886, it was reported. Parts of the original parsonage reportedly were used in the present structure in a former re-building project.

Rev. J. Morris Bailey is pastor of the church.

The plan for a new pastorate was first approved by the Finance Committee, then by the Church Board of Stewards, the Quarterly conference and finally this week by the Church Conference.

Piano Recital Set At Olden

Mrs. Travis Hilliard will present her piano pupils in recital Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Methodist Church in Olden.

Following is the program which will be presented: "The Contented Bird," by Rowe, played by Carm Jean Hardin, "The Big Brass Singer," Rolfe, played by Betty Weaver; "Dark Shadows," Carleton; played by Joyce Rae Fox; "Bells of St. Mary," Adams; played by Sue Day.

"Hanging Gardens," Davies, played by Charlene Rogers; "Parade of the Cub Scouts," Heller, played by Wilma De Edwards; "The Pearly Dew Drops," Berbeck; played by Virginia Caraway; "Mickey," Rolfe, played by Elizabeth Alford; "The Sheppard Boy," Wilson, played by Doris Day; "Spring Song," Mendelsohn, played by Jean Weaver; a duet, "Prelude No. 3," Rochmaninoff, played by Betty Vaughn and Thelma Ann Edwards; "Glowworm," Luicke, played by Wilma Elliott; "Polonaise," (military), Chopin, played by Thelma Ann Edwards and "Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2" Listz, played by Betty Vaughn.

Federal Authorities Move In To End Teen-Age Narcotic Use

DENVER, May 18 (UP)—Federal authorities moved in today to stop teen-agers in Colorado, New Mexico and Texas from using sleeping pills and wine spiked with gasoline to produce "thrill jags."

Peddlers of the sleeping pills—known as "roof balls," "red birds," "yellow jackets" or "blue heavens"—even circulated among school children, Wendell Vincent, Regional Chief of the Federal Food and Drug Administration, said.

He said the "hot spots" in Texas for sale of sleeping pills to juveniles were in Lubbock, Amarillo and Dallas.

"Drug stores are making dope addicts out of a lot of our children and people in all walks of life," Vincent charged.

"We have a number of criminal cases prepared and under investigation against some of the biggest, best-known drug stores in Denver, and in Amarillo and Sweetwater, Texas," Vincent said.

In the New York, the American Legion also announced plans to do something about teen-age drug addiction.

Irving Geist, chairman of the Legion's Tide of Toys program, said a nationwide campaign against the use of narcotics would be launched with a two-day conference in New York June 9 and 10.

Geist said the Legion's campaign would include registration of drug addicts at the organization of 17,500 posts across the country.

Capt. Leonard Nevin, of the Police Juvenile Bureau, said he has evidence the "cocktail" was widely used by teenagers in downtown neighborhoods.

"The boys get a fifth of wine, add the gasoline and from eight to 12 can get hopped up on one bottle," Nevin said. "I've warned them that it will eat out the lining of their stomachs."

"This witch's brew is being apped up by the same kids who used to get a jag on benzedrine inhalators," Nevin said.

He told of one 14-year-old boy, recently picked up for drunkenness, who admitted he had been drinking the gasoline-wine cocktail.

"Of all the mixtures hit upon by Denver teen-agers, this is the most lethal from a cheap jag," Nevin said.

The sleeping pill fad was revealed in Denver when a young school teacher collapsed in her classroom. Upon reviving she told of the barbiturate traffic.

Allied Armored Relief Columns Race Northward To Aid Buddies

By Earnest Hoherecht

United Press Staff Correspondent
TOKYO, May 18 (UP)—Chinese Communist hordes charging across the bodies of their own dead rammed 20 miles into Allied lines in Eastern Korea today and threatened to encircle two Allied divisions, one American and one South Korean.

At last reports Friday night the American division was fighting South in a rearguard action against overwhelming Chinese Communist forces closing in from three sides. Allied armored relief columns were racing north to aid the endangered division.

Heavily censored dispatches said the South Korean division was endangered southeast of Inje in the area where the Reds made the first major breakthrough of their 1,000,000-man offensive.

Allied troops abandoned their last foothold in North Korea and pulled back the entire Eastern half of their line to seal off the Communist breakthrough.

The Reds established a roadblock on the Hyon-Hongchon road far behind the lines, apparently on the escape route for some of the endangered Allied units.

Th fury of the Communist attack gained momentum during the day but Allied officers were confident it ultimately would be stopped despite the Red breakthrough.

Ladies Golf Meet Slated This Week-end

The first Annual all-City Golf Tournament will be held at the Eastland Lakeside Country Club, Saturday and Sunday.

Qualifying will end Friday with nine-hole math play to start Saturday.

About 30 entrants are expected for the event which will be restricted to ladies of Eastland only.

Nine hole match play will be employed in all except the final matches which will be 18 holes.

All entrants in the tourney will receive a prize. Entrance fee is \$3.

A picnic supper is planned for Friday at 7:30 p.m. for all entrants and their husbands.

Anyone who is interested may enter the tournament by posting their score by Friday night and paying the entrance fee.

The number of flights in the meet will depend upon the number of entrants. All ladies who are interested in golf are urged to compete in the meet.

TRAINING UNION ZONE MEETING SET FOR SUNDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the East Zone of the Cisco Association Training Union will be held Sunday, May 20 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist church, Eastland.

President Loyd M. Chapman will be in charge of the program which will continue for one hour. A good attendance is anticipated.

The program will consist of reports, special musical numbers and an address by a state Training Union worker.



Mrs. A. E. Barkley

Nazarene Revival Is Continuing

Revival services are continuing at the Church of the Nazarene in Eastland with Evangelist and Mrs. Arthur E. Barkley in charge.

Rev. Barkley does the preaching and also plays the trumpet and does chalk work while singing words fitting to the picture.

Mrs. Barkley plays the piano and the accordion in addition to giving readings nightly. A special teen-age service is conducted at 7:15 p.m. by Mrs. Barkley. Regular services begin at 7:45 p.m.

The revival is scheduled to last through Sunday, May 27. Everyone is invited to attend.

Bruce Thomas Is New Pastor Of N. Lamar Baptist

Rev. Bruce Thomas has accepted a call to the pastorate of the North Lamar Baptist church, A. J. Blewins, Sr., chairman of the Board of Deacons of the church, has announced.

A call was extended to Rev. Thomas at a Wednesday night meeting at the church. The call was accepted Thursday night.

Residing in Gorman, Rev. Thomas has been serving as pastor of a church at Downing and at Oliver Springs. He is married and he and Mrs. Thomas have two children.

Rev. Thomas will be in the pulpit at the Eastland church, Sunday, May 20. Everyone is invited to attend all services of the church.

BULLETIN

FORT WORTH, May 18 (UP)—Fort Worth entered its 40th day today without a traffic fatality.

Police records showed the toll this year stands three under the number at the same time in 1950. Since the first of this year, 14 persons have died in city traffic accidents.

"ROCKET AHEAD"
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The Gold Mannequin

By Myles Connolly

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THE windows of "Jean Paul," topflight New York designer, offered a bright defiance to the chill, drizzly March day. The hats on their chaste pedestals were like flower and birds, from a summer garden, and the saucy mannequins in their smart spring prints looked, if you were not too exacting, very much like debutantes on parade.

It was a brave front the windows put up. There was no question about that. But upstairs, in the apartment on the fourth floor where the owners of the shop lived, there was anything but brightness and bravery.

Mr. Paul Panciera, elegant, urbane, paced the deep carpet of the luxurious living room, nervously fingering his thin black moustache. His partner and chief model, Jean Roland, lounged listlessly in a great chair, her long, slender body limp and careless.

"It can't be," Mr. Panciera said. "It just simply can't happen to us."

"But it has," the girl said emptily. "We're broke."

"Please don't put it that way, precious," Mr. Panciera's fine sensibilities were hurt. "It sounds so common, so plebeian."

"We're bankrupt, then. Does that sound better?"

"Dear, dear," Mr. Panciera was distraught. "Why must we have to have money?"

"It's lovely stuff," the girl drew her body together, getting ready to rise. "Nice to have around. Nice to spend. Nice any way you look at it."

"You are so materialistic, my sweet," Mr. Panciera complained.

"Darn tootin' I am." The girl rose languidly to her feet. "I'm going over to Cochet's and get my old job back."

MR. PANCIERA was alarmed. "No, no. You're not going to walk out on me, are you?"

"Not!" She was cool, offhand. "Cochet's been calling for weeks now. He's offering me \$30 an hour to model for him."

"But here you're a member of our firm," Mr. Panciera interrupted.

She laughed softly. "A member of the firm and broke. Excuse me, bankrupt."

"Dear, dear," Mr. Panciera moaned again. "Even our conversation has become common. What has happened to us? What has happened to our destiny? I don't understand it."

"I do. As a designer, Paul, you are a delightful conversationalist. You haven't sketched an idea in six months that anyone would look twice at except when it was on me, and then they weren't looking at the dress. You're just a plain, ordinary flop, my love."



Jean Roland was the top model in Manhattan, an arresting young woman with a tall, slender body, haloed with silvered blonde hair.

Mr. Panciera shook his head sadly. "How I hate honesty," he said.

THE girl went into the back of the apartment, returned with a top coat. Mr. Panciera, in distress, faced her.

"This can't be, Jean," he said again. "This just simply can't be. It's completely too crude for people like you and me."

As he spoke the door buzzer sounded. Mr. Panciera went to the door, opened it. An office girl stood there with a large Manila envelope in her hand.

"This just came special delivery, registered," she said. "I thought it might be important."

Mr. Panciera shrugged, took the envelope. "Nothing is important any more."

He closed the door and, looking at the envelope turned back to Jean. "Special delivery, registered. Well, somebody must still love us."

"Another way of sending a bill probably," Jean was not interested.

Mr. Panciera read aloud the return address on the envelope. "Teresa, General Delivery, Cedarbrook, New York. It's nothing. Nothing. Just another nitwit who thinks we run a mail order house."

He sighed, tossed the envelope unopened on to a table. "I thought perhaps it was destiny buzzing at the door just now."

"I think you'll hear the sheriff buzzing first," Jean went to the door. "So long, my love."

She smiled her cool little smile, waved and went out.

IT had been a beautiful dream for Mr. Panciera, this gown shop. It had for Jean, too. And it must in fairness be said the dream was not altogether without foundation.

Jean Roland was the top model in Manhattan, an arresting young woman with a tall, slender body haloed with silvered blonde hair, a sort of gray-and-gold effect, artificially created.

Her face was petite and child-like and her skin luminous, as if it were translucent, and she had a prettily spoiled mouth and drowsy dark brown eyes. If you looked detachedly into those eyes, which was hard to do and not often done, you could see they were cool and quite old, much older certainly than her young vibrant body.

But, whatever you thought of the eyes, you had to admit she was striking. She could look—and had looked in many advertising pictures and fashion magazine illustrations—the high school graduate, the college prom girl, the debutante, the young wife, the seductress, and the cool, smart woman of the world.

She would appear a dozen times in the issue of one magazine, and few, outside of the trade, knew it was one and the same girl.

Her gift was to be what the designer desired—innocent or evil, naive or sophisticated, cool or tender, girlish or mature. She could be any woman she was asked to be, provided only that the woman be lovelily looking.

(To Be Continued)

WASHINGTON COLUMN

No Scales Exist by Which Korea's Cost Can Be Weighed

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—How much has the Korean war cost? Lyle S. Garlock, acting assistant secretary and comptroller of the Department of Defense, says it's impossible to tell, and he should know. How do you measure the cost of the 70,000 American casualties, for instance? Or how do you estimate the life and property damage in Korea? Questions like these indicate the imponderables in trying to make any calculations.

There is only one rough figure that might be used on the cost of the first year's war in Korea. In the government's fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, Department of Defense spent 13½ billion dollars. For the year ending June 30, 1951, expenditures will be about 19½ billion. Make a simple subtraction and the answer comes out six billion dollars for the first year, if you charge all the increased defense effort to the Korean war.

As for making any specific accounting on what it takes to run the Korean campaign, however, Defense officials say it can't be done. Books can't be kept on war the way they are in business.

IT takes an estimated 210 days for supplies to flow through the pipeline from the United States to the Korean battle front. In between are U. S. warehouse stocks, reserves kept at ports of embarkation on the Pacific coast, goods in transit by slow freighter, supplies at ports of debarkation and dumps behind the lines. Are the supplies to be charged off as a war cost when they enter the pipeline, or only when they are expended at the front?

Defense officials know how many tons of supplies they have shipped to the Korean front, but beyond that they lose count. They know what pay and subsistence comes to for the six U. S. Army and one Marine divisions, the Air Force and Navy personnel in the Pacific theater. This is more than a third of present U. S. Army combat strength, though much less that fraction for Navy and Air.

But this is only a beginning of the outlay. There are ten South Korean divisions which are wholly equipped and maintained by U. S. supplies. British Commonwealth, Turkish, Greek, French, Thai and other United Nations contingents also draw most of their supplies from the U. S. pipeline. This aid is furnished on a reimbursable basis, however, and it's the job of the State Department to collect for whatever is furnished.

For next year, the Department of Defense budget requested by President Truman totals \$60 billion. Actual expenses will be about \$40 billion, or double the present year's rate. By comparison, the 1942 budget was \$94 billion and expenditures were \$23 billion.

THIS 1952 budget is terribly late in being submitted to the Congress. Appropriations Committee hearings beginning this week can't possibly be concluded and the bill passed by Congress before the fiscal year begins on July 1. Some kind of stop-gap legislation will have to be passed to give the armed forces spending money till the bill is finally approved and signed by the President.

Reason for the delay is that the Defense budget had to be completely recalculated in December. This was after the Chinese Communists entered the Korean war. It created a new world situation which made all past military estimates obsolete.

A team of some 45 Defense Department fiscal experts worked double time for two months, whipping the new budget in shape for submission to Congress on May 1. It had no more than been completed when President Truman called for a new review to cut back expenditures where procurement was proceeding too rapidly.

Assuming that the war does not spread beyond Korea, Department of Defense estimates that the 1953 military budget will be under \$60 billion, though spending will be over next year's \$40 billion. The leveling off period should begin in 1954.

Del Rio Man Is Highjacked

UVALDE, May 17 (UP)—A bruised and battered Del Rio businessman told officers here today he had been beaten and robbed of \$260 by four men who forced his car off the road eight miles west of San Antonio on highway 90.

R. E. Doughty, manager of a service station tourist court in Del Rio, said four thugs in two cars forced him to stop, yanked open the door of his car and attacked him.

One sped away to the east, the other west, following the robbery, Doughty said, the victim

brother of District Judge Ross Doughty of Uvalde, obtained license number of one car and Rangers said it was a Lubbock County tag.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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NEWS FROM Desdemona

Mrs. G. N. Burns of McGregor and Mr. Jake Rogers of Odessa visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rogers, Mothers day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lazar and daughter Beverly of Sundown visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Armed.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore had all their children present for Mother's day.

Among the visitors over the week-end in the Major Keith home were Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilcoxson and Bernard of Odessa; Mrs. J. M. Partain, mother of Mrs. Keith; Mrs. Ina Jones of Eastland, a sister; Mr. and Mrs. Alf Keith of Clairette and Mrs. Middle Eoff of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harrell of California visited Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Genoway.

Mrs. H. O. Harrell and daughter of Eleno, Okla., is visiting for

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several days with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Genoway.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pauls and daughter of Kansas are spending their vacation with relatives here.

Mrs. Anna Torpley of Wink is here visiting with friends and Mrs. Lema Macon who is ill.

Mrs. Iva Buchan had her children home for Mother's day.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Craig left this week for their home after spending their vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nance and children spent Mother's day with his mother, Mrs. G. F. Selby, at Hillsboro.

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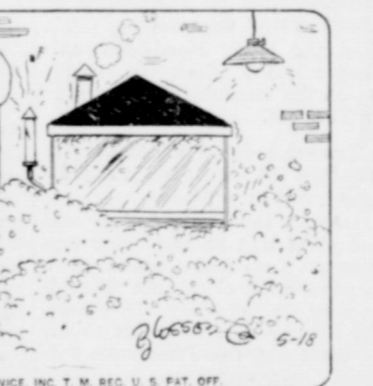
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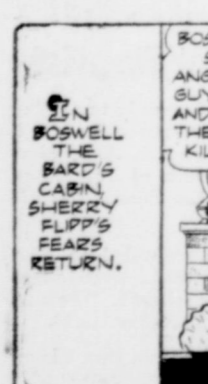
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By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane



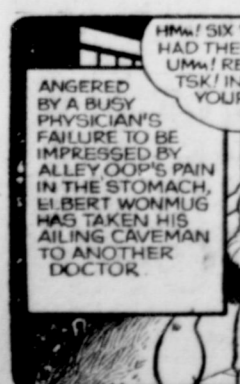
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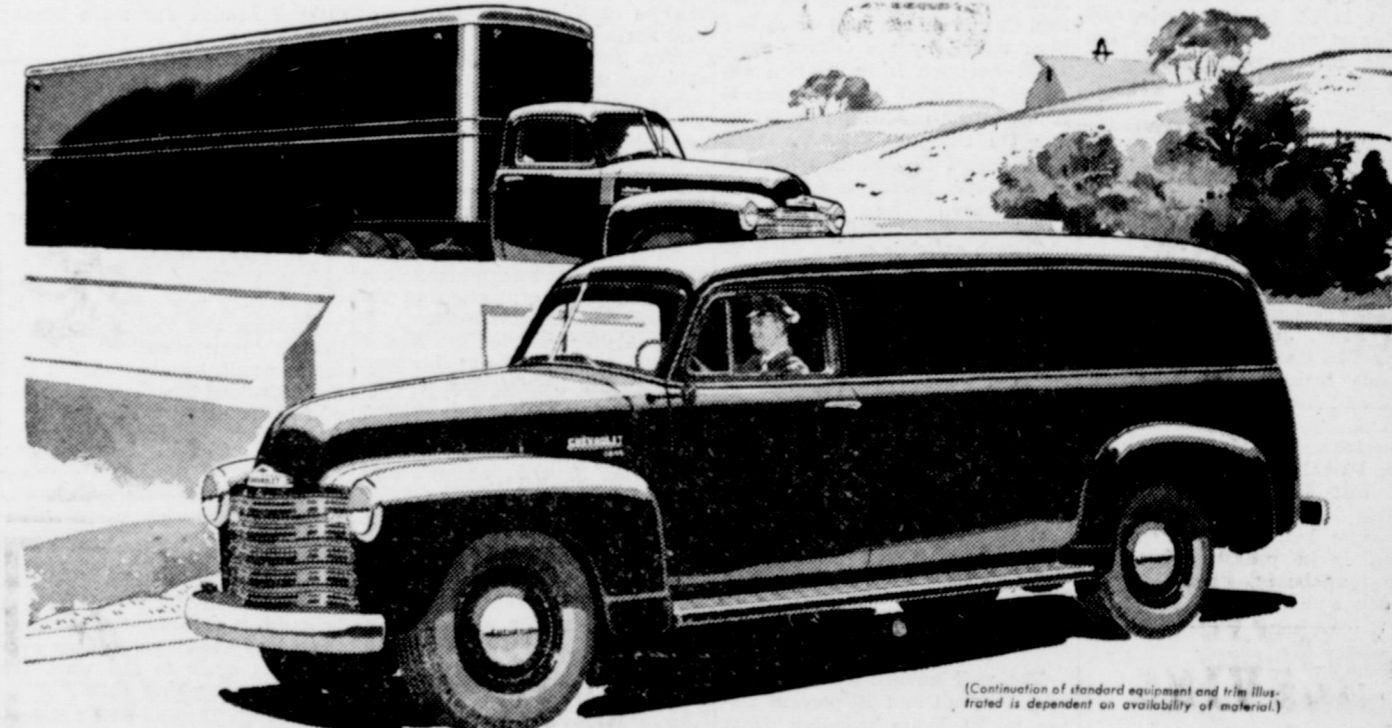
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NOTICE: Called meeting of Eastland Masonic Lodge 467, Saturday night, May 19, 7:30 p.m. for examinations in E.A. and F.C. degrees. All Masons are invited to be present.
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JERSEYS BOUNCE TO HIS MOO-O-O-D MOOSIC—Claude Holmes' contented cows give out with a mellow bellow when he plays the cello in his barn at Brighton, O. Holmes farms 138 acres, but manages to find time to play cello in the Wellington (O.) community orchestra. Holmes practices in the barn because the cows like music. "It keeps them contented," he says. "They like Wagner best."

Ex-Convict Tincy Eggleston Investigated By Grand Jury

FORT WORTH, May 17 (UP)—A Grand Jury investigation was begun today into a travel brawl involving a Fort Worth gambler who escaped death the same day as one of two airmen he is charged with beating.
Witnesses were called by Fort Worth's regular Grand Jury as it started a probe of a travel brawl March 17 involving ex-convict Leroy (Tincy) Eggleston and Corp. Calvin Martin and his twin brother, Sgt. Alvin Martin.
Calvin Martin parachuted to safety last Nov. 22 from a crippled B-36 that crashed near Clearburne. He landed only seven miles from the country home of Eggleston, who the same day escaped death by a matter of minutes.
Eggleston found a nitroglycerin bomb wired to his automobile. He discovered it shortly after Fort Worth Gambler Nelson Harris and his wife were blown to bits by a similar bomb attached to their car.
Eggleston, who faces two charges of assault to murder as a result of the tavern fight, said he was merely trying to protect a lady's honor when the airmen used profanity in her presence. He said the trouble started when he politely asked the airmen to refrain.
Both airmen were injured in the fracas that followed, and authorities said there were indications the brothers had been pistol whipped on the head. Eggleston denied he used a gun in the beating, and arresting officers said they found none on him.

Glen Rose Man Free On Bond

GLEN ROSE, May 18 (UP)—Oran Page, 31-year-old service station operator, was freed on \$2,000 bond today after being charged with murder in the shooting death of his uncle, Tom Page, 48, of Concord, last night.
Somerville County Deputy Sheriff Gene Williams said the nephew signed a statement concerning the shooting, saying it followed an argument at Oran's Service Station near Nemo.
The elder Page was killed when struck in the head by three bullets from a .22 caliber rifle.
The accused man said he and his family had been threatened by the elder Page, who he said had been drinking.

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Detroit Hood Is Slain In Gangland Style

DETROIT, May 18 (UP)—A wholesale jeweler, who pleaded guilty to receiving stolen property and turned government witness against a notorious Chicago fence ring was slain in gangland style today.
Albert Schwartz, 43, who was scheduled to "sing" about the ring's operations, was shot twice in the head and once in the hand when he parked his car in his garage.
His killers apparently had waited for him to return with his wife from a card game at a friend's home, and then cut him down as he parked the car about 3:00 a.m.

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School Girl Chosen Queen

WICHITA FALLS, May 18 (UP)—Pette brown haired Carolyn Etheridge of Nocona was named last night as Queen of the Second Annual National Wheat Harvest here, hauling in over a hundred prizes valued at several thousand dollars.
Carolyn, 16-year-old high school freshman and drum majorette, won the title over 27 other contestants representing Texas and Oklahoma wheat belt cities.
Pat Henderson of Wichita Falls was selected as duchess and will accompany Carolyn on an expense-paid trip to Hollywood for a screen test.
The queen and duchess were chosen by six radio and motion picture stars here for the festival.

Plan Party For Newsmen

ATHENS, May 17 (UP)—A Lake Trinidad party for 200 of Texas' best known businessmen, newspapermen and political figures is being planned as an aside to the 16th Annual Old Fiddlers' Contest and Reunion here May 25.
During the day-long Fiddle-Jamboree, distinguished visitors will be honored by the Athens Chamber of Commerce at the Lakeside barbecue party.
The annual Fiddle Contest, which will be recorded for a future Voice of America Broadcast, will feature such performers as E. L. Brewer, 87, of Arlington, President of the Texas Fiddlers' Association and the dean of the Southwest's old-time fiddlers.

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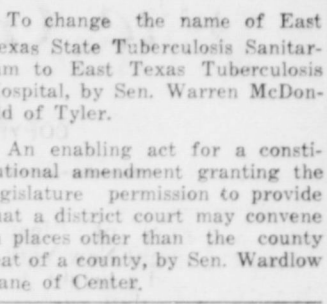
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Texas Received Six New Laws

AUSTIN, May 18 (UP)—Texas had six new laws today.
Gov. Allan Shivers signed yesterday the following bills, all effective immediately.
To trim the cost of an interstate fishing license on Lake Texoma from \$5 to \$2.50, by Rep. D. B. Hardeman of Denison.
To revise the formula under which state aid is provided for School Bus Transportation, by Sen. A. M. Olkin, Jr., of Paris.
To extend preference to Veterans of the Korean War and their widows and children for state employment, by Rep. Doyle Willis of Fort Worth.
To permit deaf and blind children to enter public schools under the program for "exceptional children," which includes physically handicapped and other children, by Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas.

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Woman's Page

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Royal Service Program Given At Circle Meetings Of Baptists

Members of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met this week in Circle groups.

Mrs. H. T. Weaver was hostess to members of the Blanche Groves Circle Monday afternoon at her home, 803 South Seaman Street.

Mrs. J. L. Brashears, chairman presided and welcomed two visitors, Mmes. W. P. Weaver of De Leon, house guest of the hostess and Mrs. Warren Chapman.

Mrs. Frank Sayre, president announced the meeting Tuesday of the Worker's conference in Cisco.

Hymns were sung and the Royal Service program was presented with Mmes. Gene Rhodes, Bill Starkery, Eldon Anderson, Roy Rushing, Parks Poe, J. F. Wil-

liams, C. A. Ranney and Miss Sue Naylor representing the WMU in the different foreign countries.

Mrs. Frank Sayre gave the devotional from Matthew 27, 53-61;

Announcement was made of the next meeting in the home of Mrs. Gene Rhodes. Refreshments were served to Mmes. I. C. Inzer, Poe, Sayre, H. T. Pentecost, H. F. Vermillion, Claude Bell, Rhodes, Starkey, Rushing, Ranney, Brashears Williams, J. C. Allison, Anderson, T. M. Watts, Miss Susie Naylor, the guests, Mrs. Weaver and Mrs. Chapman by the hostess, Mrs. Weaver.

Members of the Lottie Moon Circle met Monday afternoon at



FRIEND OF THE BRIDE—An extraordinary guest at the wedding of Ada Teague and Jim Tubb, above, at the Falmer village church near Brighton, England, was "Vee-Vee," a cow. "Vee-Vee," a very special pet of the bride's, was elegantly dressed in a large white satin collar and bow. After the ceremony, she went along with other guests to Ada's cottage for the reception.

Mrs. J. E. French Installed As New President Of Music Study Club At Final Meeting

Mrs. J. E. French was installed president of the Music Study Club Wednesday evening at the final meeting of the season at the Woman's Club.

Mrs. T. E. Richardson was the installing officer and installed Mrs. D. L. Houle, vice-president, Mrs. H. M. Hart, second vice president, Mrs. H. C. Westfall, recording secretary, Mrs. A. F. Taylor, corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. L. Carpenter, treasurer, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, parliamentarian, Mrs. W. E. Brashier, critic, Mrs. A. E. Corbell, historian, Mrs. Don Parker, reporter, Mrs. F. L. Drago, choral director, Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird, pianist.

Mrs. Corbell greeted the guests on arrival and each drew a number from the basket, which corresponded with a number on a package, used in the fun fest following the business meeting. Packages contained clothing into which each member dressed and assembled in the club room. Mrs. Brashier, retired president was attired in a baseball uniform, Mrs. Westfall wore the uniform of a WAC and Mrs. Art Johnson was attired as a tight rope walker. Each had to perform and make a speech on their occupation.

Others of the group were dressed for a mock wedding, with Mrs. Carl Johnson, whose 25th wedding anniversary was Wednesday, as the bride. Her daughter, Mrs. John Beatty of Fort Worth, served as the minister. Mrs. A. F. Taylor was the bride's father, and Miss Margie Van Hoose was the groom. Mrs. R. L. Richardson attired as an angel furnished heavenly piano music for the wedding and accom-

panied the trio, composed of Mmes. A. H. Johnson, Ruth Poe Herring, and French.

Mrs. Johnson, the bride was presented with a pot plant. Following the wedding cake and coffee was served informally.

Hostesses were Mmes. A. H. Johnson, Hubert Westfall, E. A. Cushman, Brashier and Corbell. Others present were Mmes. Houle, Herring, Carpenter, French, Taylor, Beatty, Richardson, and Miss Van Hoose.

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Nothing too Good For Soldiers

LYNDON, Kan. (UP)—The luck of S-Sgt. Kenneth Cossel amazed his comrades at Topeka's Forbes Air Force base.

When Cossel couldn't find anything big enough for his family of seven in Topeka, he drove to Lyndon, 21 miles south of the Kansas capital. Lyndon has a population of 2,000.

Here he found, right off, a 3-bedroom unfurnished house for \$45 a month. Then he tried to buy a cheap stove but a plumber who handles gas ranges made him take an expensive model, free, for as long as the sergeant is stationed at Forbes.

Later a merchant let him have a TV set for \$5 a month. The merchant said he thought the sergeant's five children would enjoy it.

When he got his breath, Cossel, a native of Belleville, Kan., and veteran of World War II with service in Burma, told his soldier friends. Now Lyndon has other service families, and the town says they're all welcome.

the church with Mrs. J. W. Wallace, chairman, presiding.

Routine business was disposed of and reports heard. Mrs. Mary Crosby gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. L. J. Lambert gave the devotional and lead in the Bible reading.

Mrs. T. D. Wheat and Mrs. Herbert Lubke gave parts on the Royal Service program.

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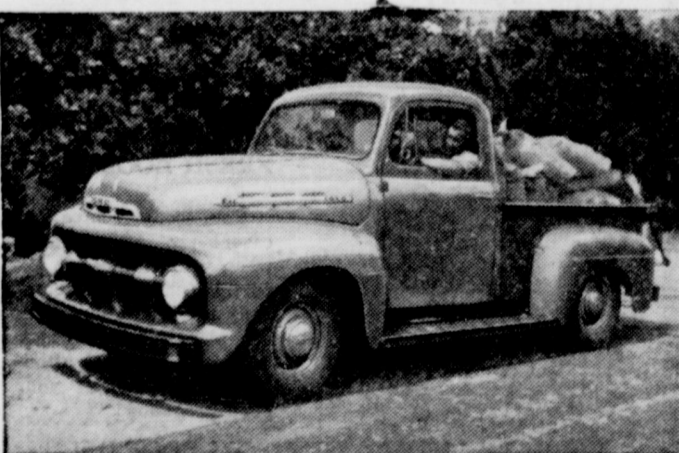


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