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### Around The Square

With Mack

Seems as though President-elect Eisenhower, has been asked to assume some of the burdens of office even before he gets on the payroll. Truman, to our surprise, after reading the hand-writing on the wall, appears to be willing to relinquish his duties, and Eisenhower is apparently ready to begin informing himself on the "inside workings" of the office.

This is not really anything unusual other than we didn't know just how Truman would take the election, whether he would demand a re-count or label the election another specie of "red herring."

We are pleased that things are to be settled in this manner. It will help us keep a steady nerve while we await the arrival of January, 20th, when Ike takes over.

And we are not going to be too exacting. We realize that the new president can't eliminate all taxes, pay the national debt and stop the Korean War in one week's time. The first great thing will be the restoring of confidence. We trust Ike and his part: record would indicate that our trust is well founded. Very few people really trust the present administration.

We don't know just who will be called in to assist Mr. Eisenhower, but we have a feeling that Democrats will not be ignored. Also we feel that those chosen will bear the most minute scrutiny. They will have reputations for honesty, truthfulness and fair play.

Regardless of what we may think of year "1952", it has been a good year in some respects. First we have had an election that will likely change the complexion of our national and international affairs. Also we have reason to think that the Korean War may be drawn to an honorable peace, and that war clouds may begin fading from view.

During the past year we have learned that America can do most anything that is reasonable, even to the extent of paying excessively high taxes, and at a time when most Americans felt that much of the money was being squandered in a useless manner.

We here in Eastland county, have demonstrated to the world that we have no idea of giving up—that we are not going to be whipped, and are not going to be.

When times were in the most critical shape we voted about 50 to 1 to go ahead and spend a million and one half dollars for a new dam and lake. Work will begin on the dam very shortly, and both Eastland and Ranger have solved the water problem for many years to come.

All of this has been done during the past year, despite the fact we have suffered the ravages of a 3-year drought.

When 1953 arrives it will find us somewhat crippled financially, for our farmers and ranchers have had to cope with the drought yet most of them are smiling as they go about their businesses and are preparing for a better day.

Our forefathers suffered from drought and disaster, and they remained to conquer. And in truth they did this without outside aid. The government, through certain agencies, has aided us to some extent.

So we are not giving up, but will enter the New Year with full confidence. This means that in the end we shall win.

The recent rain, while light in this section, will be greatly beneficial to farmers, ranchers and others. Grass will be given new life, and will help reduce feed bills.

We have no bottom season, but this may be made possible before it is time to plant another crop. Anyway we will do the best we can.

### County Observes Armistice Today

Your hometown daily went to press several hours early today—Tuesday, Nov. 11.

This is Armistice Day, 1952, and is being observed as a holiday over most of Eastland County with a majority of business firms and most all industrial and commercial establishments closed for the day.

The holiday marks the closing of World War I back on this date in 1918.

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### Richard West Added To Staff Insurance Firm

Richard West of Ranger has been added to the personnel of C. E. Maddocks & Company, 207 Main Street, insurance and real estate firm, according to an announcement Monday by Miss Marjorie Maddocks, head of the company.

West, a bookkeeper, joined the Maddocks staff Saturday after having been employed in the office of the Eastland County tax assessor and collector at Eastland for five years.

A native of Ranger, young West is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. West of Ranger. He was born on Dec. 23, 1926, attended the Ranger Public Schools and graduated from Ranger High School in 1943. West attended Ranger Junior College in 1944 and then entered the United States Navy. He completed his armed service duty late in 1946 when he was discharged as a fireman 1st class.

After attending Texas Technological College at Lubbock, West entered the employ of the county in 1947.

Unmarried, he is a member of the First Christian Church, Ranger, and also holds membership in the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars posts of Eastland.

### Work Resumed Courtyard Well

Work has been resumed on the well on the Courthouse lawn in Eastland, following a two-day delay. The well is now almost 120 feet deep and no water of any importance has been found. The bit is now in a red shale, and some people feel that once they pass through this shale an abundant supply of water may be found. However, it is pointed out that it may contain salt, which would make it worthless.

Should the well be a complete failure a No. 2 test will likely be sunk on the extreme northeast corner of the Courthouse lawn.

### Little Items Of Local Interest

Frank Maxey of Oklahoma City has been visiting his brother, Fred Maxey and wife in Eastland since Sunday. He stated that Oklahoma is as dry as Texas, but that it was raining when he left home.

Judge John Hart was called to Fort Worth Monday, to be with his son who is seriously ill at this time.

## Rangers, ASC Rebels Battle To 13-13 Tie

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And at halftime, after slamming across into paydirt again in the second end, the hard-playing Rangers were out in front 13-6.

It looked like an upset, and it kept looking like a story-booker until late in the fourth quarter—another one of those jump-to-feet, nail-chewing, nerve-wracking finishers—when the Rebels pushed over another touchdown, the tie-baby, added the point and knotted the fracas at 13-13.

The Rangers' dream crew took the return kickoff and were paydirt bound, but were halted on the enemy 28 by the final gun.

The scoreboard out only proclaimed a 13-13 tie.

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THIS SMACKS OF LOVE—Shoes in hand, Mrs. K. W. Miller, of Emporia, Kans., gives her husband a great big welcome on his arrival in San Diego, Calif., after seven months' duty in Korea. Miller is a second-class aviation ordnanceman aboard the carrier USS Philippine Sea.

### "BLOOD" DRIVE PLANS ARE MADE PUBLIC; WORKERS NAMED

With a complete assortment of cards, folders, etc., all workers in the "Blood" campaign are now ready to start actual work, stated Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag Monday. The Bloodmobile will be in Eastland on Tuesday, Nov. 25th, in the basement of the First Methodist Church, and it is up to these workers to see to it that there is a city-wide response.

A few additional workers may be added if occasion should demand, though the following have already been chosen:

Blood Donor Committees: Mrs. Homer Smith, Chr. Mrs. W. B. Barrow, Co-Chairman, Assists. Mrs.

### Eastland Men's Mother Passes This Morning

Mrs. Willie Johnson, mother of J. B. Johnson and Sam Johnson, both of Eastland, died early Tuesday in a Fort Worth hospital.

Mrs. Johnson's body was taken to Athens where funeral rites will be held at the First Methodist Church in that city Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

J. B. Johnson, owner and operator of the Modern Dry Cleaners in Eastland, announced this morning that his firm will be closed all day Wednesday in order that members of the family might attend the funeral in Athens.

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### Did You Know?



That the Eastland Steam Washateria has decided to haul their own water and this will allow them to go back to their former price for service.

Both the Sunshine Laundry and the Eastland Steam Washateria are going back to the prices asked before the water shortage. Let's hope a good rain will soon take these good people out of the red ink.

The Chamber of Commerce has been on it's toes about a big Christmas face-lifting for Eastland. The lights will soon be up again, strung from our court house as in the previous days. This illumination can be seen from afar and that's what counts. All the lamp posts are in for a new treatment, in decor—we'll save the surprise for you to see right after Thanksgiving.

That Eastland County has sent more than 500 boys to the armed forces? Do you know that we have not sent one penny this year, as yet, to the USO campaign which is so important to those boys and girls in the armed services? Eastland has a quota of \$750.00 You will soon be asked to help—Let's do our part.

Did you know that some of the boys in the front lines in Korea are giving their own blood to save the life of a wounded buddy, when they are short of the life-saving element? Let's give ours in Eastland on Nov. 24th—fill out a card today.

### Eastland Group Attending H-SU

Benny Powell Skinner, Sarita Ann Seale, Monette Scott, Norman N. Richardson, Gay Poe, Larry Eugene Miller, and Delores Williamson, all of Eastland, are among the 1450 students who are enrolled in Hardin-Simmons University this fall.

Hardin-Simmons is offering Reserve Officers' Training Corps courses for the first time this year. Freshman and sophomore male students are required to take the basic course in the branch general program. Also advanced training is offered.

Skinner, a sophomore, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Skinner, Rt. 2.

Miss Seale, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney E. Seale, 418 Fort Street, is a freshman.

Miss Scott is a sophomore, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Scott, 1315 South Seaman.

Richardson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Richardson, is a graduate student.

Miss Poe is a freshman. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gayland S. Poe, 914 South Bassett.

Miller is a freshman. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Miller, 600 West Sadosa. Miller is enrolled in the basic ROTC course.

Miss Williamson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Williamson. She is a member of the junior class, Future Teachers' Association, Life Service Band, Christian Service group, and a Cappella Choir.

### Rains Here Will Be Beneficial

Rains of a more or less general nature fell over a large portion of Texas Sunday, and while the precipitation in Eastland amounted to a little less than one inch, it came at a time when it was badly needed.

Little water was impounded in the City Lake.

The thermometer was standing at 34 degrees early Monday morning, and has been cold all day. There is some possibility for freezing temperatures tonight, though farmers and ranchers are hoping cold weather will not arrive for a few days in order to give the rainfall time to improve grazing conditions.

Ingenious time and labor-saving machinery is employed for digging tunnels on British railways the boring being done by powerful rotary teeth which excavate 25 feet of tunnel of railroad size in a day.

## Ranger Man Dies In Flaming Auto Crash

### Representative S. S. Office Be Here Thursday

A representative of the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration will be at the City Hall, Drivers License office in Eastland at 10 a.m., on Thursday, November 13 and 20. This announcement was made today by Ralph T. Fisher, manager of the Abilene office, who invited persons to call at that time who need assistance with retirement claims or death claims under the Social Security Act.

Fisher called attention to a recent change in the law that will make it possible for certain persons over the age of 75 to have their retirement payments refunded. Any worker who is 75 years of age or over, who has filed a claim for his retirement payments before April 1952, and who has continued to work in 1951 and 1952, should recheck with the social security office.

Some of these workers have previously been told that no refunding of their amounts was possible, but there is a special provision in the 1952 amendments that change this.

Persons who are 75 years of age or over may now receive their old-age and survivors insurance payments whether or not they have retired. Any such persons who have not checked up on their rights should do so as soon as possible. Even if the worker is still on his regular full-time job, he can still draw his regular monthly social security benefits.

People in this area who cannot call to see the representative at the time and place shown above may write the Social Security Administration, 308 Post Office Building, Abilene, Tex.

### Ranger Airlines Worker Sent To South America

O. R. Mills of Dallas, long-time employee of Braniff Airways, has been sent to Bolivia, South America, for emergency duty with the firm, relatives in Ranger learned recently.

Mills, the son of Mrs. Annie Mills of Ranger and brother of Mrs. John B. Boyd also of this city, is an aircraft maintenance expert for Braniff and expects to be in Bolivia only for a temporary period.

During his absence his wife and the couple's son will remain at the family home in Dallas.

### Band Boosters Are To Meet On November 18th

The Band Booster Club meeting scheduled for Tuesday night, November 11, has been changed, and will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 18, in order not to conflict with any Armistice Day programs. Also many people will be out of the city on the 11th, observing the holiday.

### Olden Takes 2 From Scranton

Olden Junior High met the Scranton "B" team in Olden Friday night. The score was 10-2 in Olden's favor, with Bill McCotter as high score man.

The girls in Olden made a score of 30 to 8 over the Scranton group. Top high score point went to Wilma Dee Edward.

### Officers Enjoy Quiet Weekend

County and city officers enjoyed a very quiet weekend, according to members of the sheriff's department. One DWI case was registered, though the arrest was made by a member of the highway patrol. A fine of fifty dollars and cost was assessed.

One drunk was fined ten dollars and cost, making a total of \$25.00.

Funeral services for Abshier Walter, Hartfield, 50-year-old Ranger resident who was burned to death early Monday morning in a highway accident 10 miles west of Weatherford on U. S. Highway 80, were scheduled to be held at the Second Baptist Church in Ranger sometime Wednesday.

Exact setting of the last rites for Hartfield, who was born in neighboring Erath County on May 6, 1902, were pending arrival of some of his kin.

Interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery and Killingsworth Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Hartfield met his death about 6 a.m. Monday when his 1951 Ford was sideswiped by a truck driven by a Negro, Willie Murphy. The driver of the big vehicle Monday was charged with negligent homicide as a result of an inquest held by Justice of the Peace Sam Borden of Weatherford.

According to reports, Hartfield's car burst into flames as a result of the mishap and he was burned so severely that the exact extent of his injuries were not known.

Hartfield, who resided at 333 Armstrong Street, had been a resident of Ranger since 1925.

He had been engaged in livestock raising since 1940.

Survivors include the widow of the home address; two daughters, Mrs. Bill Shing of Picher, Okla., and Mrs. Ralph Carpenter of Galveston; three brothers, Ray N. Hartfield of Dallas, Manuel Hartfield of Denton, and Raymond Hartfield of Alaska; four sisters, Mrs. Viola Gore of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Truman Stephenson and Mrs. Bill E. McGilvary, both of San Diego, Calif.; and Mrs. Robert Carpenter of Dallas.

He also is survived by his mother, Mrs. Vera Lou Hartfield, 805 West Main, Ranger.

### 4-H Club Boys Of Olden Given Tour By Wilson

A field trip sponsored by the Wilson Feed Store of Eastland, was enjoyed by the 14 members of the Olden 4-H Club at their monthly meeting November 4, announced Assistant County Agent Bob Williams today.

The first leg of the trip was at the farm of Johnny Aaron, where Luther Wilson, manager of the store, explained a feeding demonstration being conducted to prove that proper feeding and care will pay in feeding out beef cattle. Mr. Wilson has 41 common range calves which he plans to finish out on dry lot feeding and raise both the market value and the weight of the calves, said Williams. An example shown the boys was a cutter grade calf which could be raised to the grade of good, bringing a better price along with an increase in weight.

The second part of the trip was at the Wilson feed store, where Mr. Wilson showed the boys a demonstration comparing the weights and gains of two barrows, one on a certain ration containing grain and protein supplement and the other on straight grain. The 12 pounds and 12 days, the other only 4 pounds in 12 days.

The highlight of the trip was the contest in which the boys guessed at the production record of the hens on display at the store with each boy confident his guess will get him one of the prizes to be given away in December.

Before the boys returned to school, Mr. Wilson treated them to refreshments.

### Dewey Cox, Jr. Passes State Bar Examination

Dewey Cox, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cox, Sr., 1116 Foch St., Ranger, recently passed his State of Texas bar examination making him eligible to practice law. It recently was announced.

Young Cox, a student in the University of Texas law school, Austin, expects to receive his collegiate degree at a barrister next June.

A former registrar of Ranger Junior College, he is a graduate of Ranger high school and also attended Ranger Junior College for two years.

### Eastland Area Hit By Frost; Warmer Today

Old Man Winter invaded the Eastland County area Monday night sending the mercury zooming down into the lower 30s and freezing upper 20s.

However, as a Tuesday morning sun beamed brightly to warm up the area and melt away the heavy frost, weather forecasters predicted a general warming up with temperatures today due to be 10 degrees higher than yesterday.

And tonight—it's due to be cold again—the mercury will ride at a level about five degrees above last night's lowest temperature of the season thus far.

The cold spell, weathermen said, is about "right on schedule" with initial killing frosts usually recorded during this mid-November period.

No rain is forecast for the area for today or tomorrow.

Welcome rains in the Eastland County area Sunday morning and intermittent drizzles through midday Sunday were gauged over Eastland County at around one inch. Some areas reported precipitation of two inches. The downpours greatly relieved parched crops and pasture lands.

### Last Rites For Rufus O. King Are Held Today

Funeral services for Rufus Oliver King, 75-year-old Ranger resident, were scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Second Baptist Church in Ranger.

The Rev. James Ward, pastor of the church, will officiate assisted by the former pastor, Rev. Jasper Masseege. Morris Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements, and interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. King, who resided at 323 Alice Street, died in a local hospital Sunday afternoon. He had been in ill health for a number of months.

A retired barber, Mr. King came to Ranger from Mexico where he was born on March 10, 1877, about 32 years ago and was well known throughout this section.

Deacons of the Second Baptist Church acted as pallbearers at the funeral.

Survivors of Mr. King include five sons, F. R. King and B. H. King of Ranger, R. O. King of Houston, R. B. King of Champlain, Ill., and H. J. King of Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Byrd Hinson of Breckenridge and Mrs. T. L. Parks of Ranger; and four sisters, Mrs. A. J. Haney of San Antonio, Mrs. W. S. Ivie of Sulphur, Okla., Mrs. N. P. Baines of Ballinger, and Mrs. R. C. Balderice of Ranger.

### Rotarians Enjoy Social Program

Rotarians are planning to attend the District Convention in Fort Worth on November 18th, and those who will represent this club were named at Monday's meeting. Several guests were present and enjoyed the program rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin.

The Pipkins spent the summer in Europe, visiting in nine countries, and while there took more than 1,000 pictures. They also had their movie camera, and Mrs. Pipkin took a number of outstanding scenes. One of the most outstanding is the one she made while riding on a bus in the Alps of Switzerland.

A number of the best shots which included, palaces, cathedrals, hotels and other prominent buildings in the various countries, were finished in technicolor, and were shown separately with the aid of a View Master.

Many beautiful scenes were found in the collection, and those present were highly pleased with the program.

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Great Demand For Tickets To Bowl Classic

Applications for tickets to the 1953 Cotton Bowl game are pouring into Dallas as the Cotton Bowl Athletic Association began accepting ticket requests for their 17th annual New Year's Day classic. The mail business indicated another heavy demand for tickets again this year, and Howard Grubb CBRA Secretary-Treasurer, said that he expected even heavier mail deliveries. There are only 25,000 tickets available for this sale, but there is still plenty of time to get an ap-

plication in the mail. All applications for tickets must be made by mail only to Cotton Bowl Athletic Association, 1129 National City Building, Dallas 1, Texas, and must be post-marked before midnight, November 4 in order to be accepted by the Cotton Bowl office.

A check and self-addressed, stamped return envelope must accompany each application. The price is \$4.80 per ticket with a 25c mailing fee to be included in the check. Tickets are limited to four per person.

Since the demand for tickets always exceeds the supply, a public drawing will be held to determine the order in which ticket applications will be filled. When the supply of tickets is exhausted, unfilled applications will be returned with the original checks.



NOT BLIND TO BEAUTY—"The Most Beautiful Blind Girl in America" will soon be selected from entrants in a contest recently sponsored by The Associated Blind, Inc. of New York. Irving M. Selis, above, president of the organization, extends best wishes to two aspirants for the title. At left is Paddy Markey, 18, of Brooklyn, N. Y. She is a lyric soprano, and has appeared on both radio and television. At right is Betty Schoonmaker, 20, of Newburgh, N. Y., who hopes to become a teacher for the blind. Purpose of the contest was to bring skills of the blind to the attention of employers.

ACCIDENTS LEADING DISEASE IN YOUNGSTERS FATALITIES

Accidents, rather than disease, constitute the greatest single threat to the lives of American youngsters, statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company pointed out today. About 6,000 children between 5 and 14 years of age are killed in accidents each year in the United States, the statisticians said. This is nearly twice the number of young lives taken by leukemia and other cancers, pneumonia and influenza, and acute poliomyelitis together.

Accidents now account for one-third of all deaths at the elementary school ages, whereas 15 years ago the proportion was only one-fifth. This relative increase reflects the more rapid gains achieved in the conquest of disease than in the control of accidents. While the fatal accident rate for these ages dropped 30 percent during the 15-year period, the mortal-

ity from disease dropped 65 percent. Motor vehicle mishaps are the leading cause of accidental death at the school ages, accounting for 59 percent of all fatal injuries last year. Of the 186 children killed by motor vehicles in this insurance experience, at least 145 were hit or run over; relatively few of the victims were passengers. The records point up the hazards children face in using streets and highways. Twenty-two of the fatally injured children were hit or run over when they ran into or played on streets or highways. About the same number were killed while crossing thoroughfares; among girls hit or run over, crossing accidents led all the rest. About 30 youngsters, nearly all boys, were killed by motor vehicles while riding bicycles.

Drownings account for 30 percent of the total accidental deaths

in this study. Reflecting their greater tendency to play away from home, nine tenths of the victims were boys. Activities of the victims at the time of the drownings included playing along the water, fishing, wading, swimming, using boats and rafts, and play-

ing on the ice. Among other causes of accidental death in this study, burns and conflagrations killed 45 children, firearms killed 29—all boys—and falls accounted for 17 deaths. Other deaths result from hanging or strangulation while playing with

ropes, belts, and the like; from walking or playing on railroad tracks; and from playing near third rails. "This study," the statisticians concluded, "clearly shows the need for intensification of safety education both in the schoolroom

and in the home. Particularly emphasis must be put on reducing motor vehicle accidents and fatalities arising out of recreational activities. Accidents—by far the leading cause of death among children—are, for the most part, preventable."

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(Pd. Adv.)

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF EASTLAND

WHEREAS by virtue of Order of Sale issued out of the 91st District Court of Eastland County, Texas, on the 7th day of November, 1952, in Cause No. 21,313, where J. J. Petty and Fannib M. Petty are plaintiffs, and Bessie Brown and Curlie Brown, jointly and severally are defendants, on a judgment rendered in said Court against defendants and in favor of the said plaintiff, for the sum of One Hundred Three & 56/100 (103.56) dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I did on the 10th day of November, 1952, at following described lots, tracts and parcels of land situated in Eastland County, Texas, as the property of Bessie Brown and Curlie Brown, jointly and severally to-wit: The East 1/2 of the following described tract of land, located and situated in Eastland County, Texas, and beginning at a tract of land deeded to G. W. Hill by E. A. Ploum on December 13, 1892; Thence West with the South Boundary Line of the said G. W. Hill tract, 756 yards for this tract; Thence North for a sufficient distance for the Northwest corner of this tract; Thence East 756 yds. to the East Boundary Line of said G. W. Hill tract; Thence South with the East Boundary Line of said G. W. Hill tract to the place of beginning, so that the West, North, East and South Boundary lines will embrace and include 160 acres of land, the same being a sub-division of the Fred Van Beuman Survey of Lands in Eastland County, Texas; and on the 2nd day of December, 1952, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day, at the courthouse door of said County, and I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Bessie Brown and Curlie Brown, jointly and severally in and to said above described property. Witness my hand this 10th day of November, 1952 J. F. Tucker Sheriff, Eastland County, Texas. By Tom Haley, Deputy.

Road Problems Be Considered

BROWNWOOD, Nov. 6 — Results of a detailed study of all phases of Texas' highway problem will be presented to interested citizens of this part of the state Thursday, November 13, by James F. Melton, manager of the Taxation and legislation department of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. This will be one of eight regional meetings sponsored by local chambers of commerce and the West Texas Chamber's Highway Policy Committee. Chairman of that committee is Virgil P. Patterson, Amarillo banker. Road needs of the various sections of West Texas and the financial and other problems that will confront the next Legislature will be discussed, said Patterson. The meeting here will open at 2 p.m. in the club room of the Brownwood Hotel. Those who plan to attend are asked to notify the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce in advance if possible. Joe B. Frey, Stephenville, WTCC vice president, will preside.

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Social Calendar

TUESDAY, NOV. 11— Zeta Pi Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Jack Germany, hostess. Home Makers Class Party, 7 p.m., Mrs. V. L. Red, Qlden, hostess. Lions Club Luncheon, 12 noon First Methodist Church, Bruce Pipkin, president. Tuesday, Nov. 11—Policemans Ball, Hotel Connellee Roof.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 12— Scale Runner Club, 3:15 p.m., Billy Ed Nash, N. Dixie St., host. Civic League & Garden Club, 3 p.m., Woman's Club, Thanksgiving Tea. Home Demonstration Achievement Day, 9:30 a.m., North Side Square, Victor Cornelius Building.

THURSDAY, NOV. 13— T.E.L. Class Luncheon. Alice Speer home, 410 E. Sadosa. Alpha Delphian Club, 3 p.m., Guest Day, Woman's Club.

MONDAY, NOV. 17— Las Leales Club at 7:30 p.m., Woman's Club. Monday, Nov. 17—Pythian Sisters, Castle Hall, 7:30 p.m. Rotary Luncheon, 12 noon, Hotel Roof. District Rotary Conference, Hotel Texas, Fort Worth.

TUESDAY, NOV. 18— West Ward PTA, 8:15 p.m., West Ward School. Lions Club Luncheon, 12 noon, First Methodist Church. Tuesday Nov. 18—Pythian Sisters and Knights Joint Roll Call, Castle Hall, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19— Music Study Club, 3:30 p.m., in the home of Mrs. C. M. Rathcal. Country Club Ladies Auxiliary sponsor dance, Legion Hall, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 19 — Ladies Auxiliary, Lakeside Country Club Dance, Legion Hall. Thursday Afternoon Study Club, 3 p.m., Woman's Club. Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY, NOV. 24— Xi Alpha Zeta Beta Sigma Phi, Mrs. Milton Fullen, hostess. Monday, Nov. 24—Pythian Sisters regular meeting Castle Hall, 7:30 p.m. Rotary and Lions Joint Luncheon, Hotel Roof, 12 noon. W. L. White and Bruce Pipkin, presidents.

TUESDAY, NOV. 25— Zeta Pi Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Bob King hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Willman are planning to spend Sunday with their son, Jim Ed, who is attending SMU this year. They will be in Dallas for the day.

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CASH CROPS NOW RECORD PART TOTAL FARM INCOME

A significant indication of the changes that have occurred in the social and economic fabric of American agriculture in recent years is the extent that cash receipts from money crops, as distinct from all other farm and non-farm income, have grown to dominate the agricultural income picture, the Institute of Life Insurance reported today. Figures compiled by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the Institute stated, show that 78 cents of every dollar of total agricultural income from all sources in 1951 came from cash receipts from crops and livestock. This is the highest such ratio on record. At the end of World War II, in 1945, the Institute continued, the proportion was 73 cents, while in 1939 it was only 62 cents. "Behind this development," the Institute said, "is the fact that cash receipts from farm marketings have quadrupled over the 1939-51 period, rising from less than \$8 billions in 1939 to nearly \$33 billions last year. This was three times the rate of growth in the period for all other income received or credited to the agricultural segment of the population, consisting of off-farm earnings and other nonfarm income, government payments, value of products raised and consumed by the farm household, and the gross rental value of farm dwellings. Changes in inventories are excluded. "A substantial part of the rise in cash receipts from marketings over the past decade can be attributed to a markedly greater volume of agricultural production, now estimated at a third or more above pre-World War II. A greater factor, however, has been the rise in farm prices, in which government support operations have played a big role. Prices received by farmers are currently about three times what they were in 1940. "The changed composition of agricultural income is suggestive of what has been happening in farm living as well as in agricultural production methods. Farming in all its branches has become a highly mechanized operation. Modern farms are increasingly dependent on machinery, motor fuel, fertilizer and other nonfarm goods and these are costly both in terms of initial investment and upkeep. Thus today every farmer must have a cash income to get along, and money crops are the answer. "Then there is the matter of taxes, which hit the farmer as well as everyone else. Federal income taxes paid by farmers in

cash receipts from farm marketings. This proportion showed no major changes for about three decades, and then declined rapidly. In 1950 and 1951 the value of home consumption was equal to only 7 per cent of cash receipts from marketings for those years, the lowest such ratio on record. "The value of home consumption last year was placed at \$2.2 billions, figured at farm prices. This sum was a billion dollars above the 1940 level; but since prices received by farmers have tripled in this period, the volume of home consumption last year was obviously considerably smaller than at the beginning of World War II. "Off-the-farm income received by farmers, largely wages and salaries from a nonfarm job or occupation, more than doubled in the last decade, rising from \$2.3 billions in 1940 to an estimated \$5 billions for 1951. Such income is important to a great many farmers, especially those at the lower end of the income scale and the ones to whom farming is a strictly part-time operation.

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### New DeSoto Is Car Of Beauty

The 1952 De Soto, a distinguishable new automobile both inside and out, will go on display at Ransburg Motor Co., Thursday, November 13.

Featuring an entirely new body the 1952 De Soto highlights beauty in every line. The new body recasting—longer wheelbase, new longer front-end fenders and a wider, lower rear deck makes the new De Soto a longer, lower, wider and heavier automobile.

Interiors of the 1952 De Soto feature handsome, new upholstery fabrics, distinctive new door panels and richly-grained instrument panel and window moldings—all in harmony with new exterior colors.

The new De Soto is offered in two great series—the Fire Dome V-8, powered by the sensational 135-horsepower Fire Dome engine—America's most powerful engine design—and the famous Powermaster Six.

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An exterior highlight of the 1952 De Soto is the massive new grille with new parking lights set at the extreme edges of the grille, underneath the headlights. A chrome frame encircles both grille and parking lights.

A styling innovation on the new De Soto are the chrome fender moldings on both front and rear fenders. These smart new moldings accent its low graceful line and add a "speed line" effect to the car.

Wheelbase of the new De Soto has been maintained at 125 1/2 inches, while overall length has been increased from 208 3/8 inches to 213 3/8 inches and overall width from 74 7/8 inches to 76 3/4 inches. The car is one inch lower, but road clearance is unchanged.

A curved, one-piece windshield combined with new, narrower corner posts provides greatly increased visibility in the new De Soto. Glass area of the windshield has been greatly increased.

A one-piece, sweep-around rear window increases rear vision while adding to the smart rear end styling.

The long, low lines of the 1952 De Soto culminate in the beautiful new rear deck which is both wider and lower. The rear deck lid is unlatched by a push-button lock and is counter-balanced for easy opening.

In addition to its striking beauty, the trunk area of the new De Soto has been increased by 44 per cent. The spare tire, mounted at a new angle, makes it easier to store luggage and there's no chance of marring the luggage on the deck lid hinges since they, too, have been relocated in out-of-the-way positions.

More Leaders Come From Low Income Group

The number of our national leaders who come from lower income families — and therefore have no private income to supplement their salaries—is on the increase, according to a recent national survey.

The result is that more and more men in public office are finding themselves in the position of Senator Richard Nixon, faced with expenses which their relatively modest salaries cannot provide.

The survey was made by Dr. C. Wright Mills, Columbia University political scientist, who dug into the financial, social and educational background of 495 of America's political leaders since 1789: Presidents and their cabinets, vice presidents, the Speakers of the House, and Supreme Court Justices. From 1789 to

### 1953 CHRYSLER FEATURES DISTINCTIVE REAR DECK



Shown is the distinctive rear deck which marks the 1953 Chrysler line. The rear fenders have long, low sweeping lines which blend into the rear doors. The long rear deck emphasizes the new over-all lowness. New this year is the "K" type outline of the rear door.

eminence as a bull market. Awards in this division are: Herefords \$2,335; Shorthorns \$2,000 and Angus \$2,000.

For open steers, \$10,745 is offered. The Junior Show—in which for the first time in many years girls, as well as boys, will compete—offers \$9,508, of which \$3,637 is for the steer division; \$2,000 dairy calves; \$1,128 lambs, \$2,008 pigs and \$645 Negro pig show.

Other allotments: dairy cattle \$5,637 (Guernseys and Holsteins \$1,679 each; Jerseys \$2,279); sheep and Angora goats \$5,598; swine \$8,525; poultry, turkeys, rabbits and pigeons (the last named being shown for the first time) \$2,500; judging contests \$2,000; herdsman prizes \$320.

With the greatest premiums the show has ever known, officials are looking forward to a highly successful exposition. The '52 show had the largest attendance in the history of the Fort Worth exposition which began in 1896 with the display of a few animals under a tree on a creek bank with boots, hats and small articles of Western jewelry as the prizes.

A record-breaking total of premiums for the 56 years history of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, will be offered at the 1953 exposition, Jan. 30, through Feb. 8, officials announce.

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The carload-and-pen division has greatly increased in interest since it was instituted several years ago and has done much to restore Fort Worth to its pre-war prominence.

Mrs. H. T. Weaver generously took her car with passengers Mrs. Dewey Webb, E. M. Grimes and Guy Robinsons, with the Senior class tripper: excursion to Waco.

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### Rest Period Is Important Need Of Dairy Cows

The dairy cow is a complicated piece of machinery and like all machines will wear out if not properly maintained. She needs six to eight weeks rest between lactation periods and a good ration during the dry period.

The dry cow has three important jobs to do during this rest period, says A. M. Meekma, assistant dairy husbandman for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. She must recover from a heavy producing period, build a calf and store up reserves for the next lactation period.

During heavy peak production, a good cow will deplete her body reserves of nutrients and minerals, says Meekma. Unless she is given sufficient rest and proper care, these body reserves may not be rebuilt and production during the next lactation period will be lowered. The health and condition of the calf will also be affected.

The problem of feeding the dry cow is practically solved if she has access to good pasture. If pasture isn't available, hay and

silage should be fed liberally, says Meekma. The amount of grain to feed will depend upon the condition of the cow but generally it is practical to feed the same grain mix to the dry cows as is fed to the milking herd.

The pay-off comes, says Meekma, with more production—often as much as 25 per cent more—during the next lactation period. Then too, a stronger better developed calf will be produced. It is Meekma's belief that every dollar spent for taking care of the dairy cow during the dry period is a wise investment and a necessity if a high herd production record is to be maintained.

Giant pumps at Grand Coulee lift water 600 feet above the Columbia River into the ancient and long-arid bed of the river, which has been sealed off to act as a reservoir for a million-acre irrigation project.

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# BEHIND THE WALLS OF TEXAS STATE HOSPITALS

By BERT KRUGER SMITH

NOTE: This is the first of a series of articles on our State Hospital System, prepared under the supervision of Dr. George W. Jackson, Medical Director of the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools, and sponsored by the Hogg Foundation for Mental Hygiene, University of Texas.

Mary L. was a pretty girl. Her dark hair was always freshly brushed, and there was an excited look that often sparkled in her eyes and made her look like a kid at a pony ride.

Her eyes had that look the day she got the job with the social service department of a Texas State Hospital. She hadn't hoped to find work the week after she graduated from college.

She sat in the kitchen the night before her job started, watching her mother roll pie crusts, tasting the sugared cherries, and talking. "I'm so excited, Mom," she said. "This is just the kind of job I wanted. I like to feel useful and helpful to people."

That's what Mary thought. It took her a month to realize that the feeling of usefulness was soon mixed with a sense of frustration. The social service department numbered eight — eight workers

and a director. Nine workers. That meant that 340 patients looked to Mary for help in working out their problems of adjustment, for aid in getting furloughed, for help in placement work after discharge.

As Mary recognized how much training was necessary to do her job well, she enrolled for several courses at the University School of Social Work. She soon learned that willingness and desire could not replace professional training.

This case load was more than the social workers could handle adequately, but Mary tried—just as all of them did. She made her little office as pretty as she could; she tried to see patients and relatives, tried to keep her records of contacts with patients, families and community agencies up to date. The one secretary used all her time writing the required histories and letters.

Mary worked with Herman R., the fellow with baby curls and football shoulders, the man whose liquor bottle had become a crutch. She was delighted the day the doctor permitted Herman to take the job she had found for him, stricken the day they brought him back from the police station too drunk to know her. And Mary blamed herself for Herman's relapse. She had known he would need encouragement on his new job, but she had not had time to keep in touch with him.

Mary wrote careful notes about Willie J., the sixteen-year-old kid whose dark eyes spoke to her of hidden fears and deep, shaking misery. In the interviews with Willie, she could see him looking at her with hope and pleading. She thought of Willie often. He was the boy to whom grown-up terrors and horrible delusions had come with the first fuzz of manly beard. When he should have been thinking

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## Summer Dream

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Laurie overheard her father the next day telling Mrs. Jenner that she had better save the table scraps to feed to Steve's hunting dog Cass.

"Has Steve gone?" Laurie asked. Her father smiled as he went back to his traveling before he answered. "Decided all of a sudden he'd take a canoe trip down the river to Cairo. Been threatening to do it for three or four summers now, but I don't know what came over him to make him jump into it so sudden like."

"How long will he be gone?" It was silly to feel so desolate at the thought of Steve's being gone.

"A week, maybe longer."

She walked the length of the garden, staring with unseeing eyes at the rose hedges. The turf was like velvet and the smell of the roses like nectar. She came back to where her father was. "Steve was furious with me last night," she admitted, "but it wasn't my fault."

"Of course it wasn't your fault that you fell asleep. Steve knew that. But the thing he was thinking of, Laurie, was that if Mrs. Jenner or someone had happened to see you leaving his house at that hour of the morning, it wouldn't have looked very good. He was thinking of you. And himself. He's well liked and respected here in Ridgeville, and you know how small towns are. Well, I don't suppose you do."

"He was probably afraid of what Evelyn Crane might think."

"My dear child," her father said. He stood up, brushing the dirt from his hands and looking at her keenly. "You sound like a jealous woman."

"I'm not jealous." "Considering the fact that you're engaged you seem singularly interested in Steve's relationship with Evelyn Crane."

"I'm not. But he had no right to

say such hateful things."

"Just what did Steve say that you resented?"

"He called me a nit-wit and a spoiled brat. He told me to go back to New York."

"Hmmm." She could see her father's mouth twitch as he patted her shoulder. "Well, I suppose Steve was upset. When he comes back he'll have forgotten all about it and so will you, and you can go on being friends. Maybe this week I can keep you entertained."

"No one needs to keep me entertained," Laurie said. "I love it here. There's something real about it. This is the way people ought to live, close to things, like you and your flowers for instance, and the river, and going swimming and fishing. I know I sound sort of incoherent. But I do love it."

"I know what you mean, Laurie," her father returned thoughtfully, "but if you lived here year after year you'd miss your cocktail parties and all that. Although Steve and Evelyn do get up to the city for all the good stage shows and sometimes the symphony concerts in the winter when the roads are good. He has pretty cultured tastes."

"Steve's wonderful." It slipped out. She hadn't meant to say it at all.

"Yes, he is." Her father went back to his work.

The week dragged. Laurie wheeled Mrs. Jenner into trying to teach her how to cook. Some of the things Laurie tried turned out pretty well and one dreadful pie had to be thrown out.

She received a cablegram from Fletcher in London that week. He missed her dreadfully, but was having an elegant time. There were letters from her mother and Mark. They wondered what Laurie found to keep her occupied in such a dead place. They were going to the mountains for a few weeks.

better record keeping as the first step on the list of 14 improvement points.

A statistical department was set up in August of 1951 and is now compiling case histories on 20,000 patients, gathering material for a comprehensive annual report. That much has been done.

Black words on a piece of paper. Important words. Words that record job placements, discharge number of patients, results of treatments.

IBM machines can speed the work process immeasurably, can free doctors, nurses and social workers for their job with patients.

Knowing all these facts, the Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools has planned

workers. And compiling the information takes man hours.

A hospital cannot plan for the future without comparative records of the past. Doctors cannot know case loads without statistics. Gathering information for weekly statistical reports takes vital time away from patients.

Before long Mary was seeing fewer and fewer patients. Routine jobs, paper work, letters and records ate up her time. She wasn't able to keep complete records, those vital notes so necessary to understanding and aiding patients.

When the director informed them that the social service department would cut their recording to the minimum, the inevitable happened. Working without good records was like trying to fight an opponent in the dark. Recordings were so sketchy that Mary couldn't even review them to help her grow professionally, to help her in helping others.

The social service department is only one bolt in the big engine of the State Hospital System. Doctors

New York! It was another world, Fletcher! Someone she had known years ago. She had actually run away from him. She was only now beginning to realize it. And one ran away from things one didn't want to face. Had Steve run away from her?

Steve returned at the end of the week, more bronzed than ever, and he seemed as glad to see Laurie as she was to see him. He came up for dinner the first night he was home and told all about the trip. Later he and Laurie sat on the front porch as though they had never spoken angry words to each other. He told her about the book he was writing.

"Evelyn's typing each chapter as I get it finished. She thinks it sounds good. Of course, she doesn't know a great deal about the Civil War. She teaches home economics, you know."

The next day Laurie rummaged in her father's library for books about the Civil War. It became important all at once that she know something about it. Steve was interested in fly-fishing too, and she found a book on that subject and tried to understand it.

She was falling in love with Steve Wysong. It should have been obvious to her from the beginning, but it hadn't been. It was so different from any other time she had thought herself in love. It wasn't kisses and moonlight and words. It was just a confused, terrifying, painful longing every time she thought of Steve or was with him. This time it was real and sure and forever. And part of her confusion and pain lay in the fact that Steve behaved only friendly. Nothing more.

The weeks went by swiftly. Too swiftly. Laurie's father showed some of his roses in a flower show at Capitol City and brought home some blue ribbons. Steve's bird dog Cass had puppies. Evelyn Crane and Johnny came out to Steve's and Laurie and her father went down to join them for a swim and a wiener roast on the big sandbar by the swimming hole.

And then one day something happened that changed everything.

(To Be Continued)

## Prize Money To Cattle Breeders

Fort Worth, Nov. 6.—The large amount offered in premiums for beef breeding cattle at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show is expected to attract a record number of entries, show officials state. Dates of the Fort Worth exposition are Jan. 30 through Feb. 8.

Beef breeding cattle will compete for \$41,155. Of this amount, \$6,335 is offered for the carload-and-pen division of bulls, appraised \$2,335 to Herefords and \$2,000 each for Shorthorns and Aberdeen-Angus.

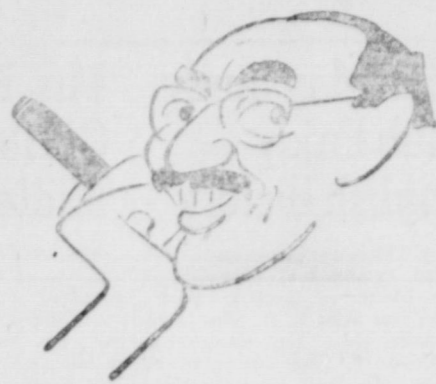
Division of the remaining \$34,800 is: Herefords \$13,800; Felled Herefords \$3,000; Shorthorns \$6,000; Aberdeen-Angus \$10,000 and Brahman \$2,000.

Half of the prize money for each breed is offered by the respective breed association and half by the show. Deadline for cattle, swine, sheep and Angora goat entries is Dec. 15.

Wymond Crowley of Gwynedd, Calif., son of Mr. O. B. Crowley, spent Saturday night in Eastland. Mr. Crowley is employed by the government and is enroute to Mass. where he will embark on a two-year tour of duty in French Morocco.

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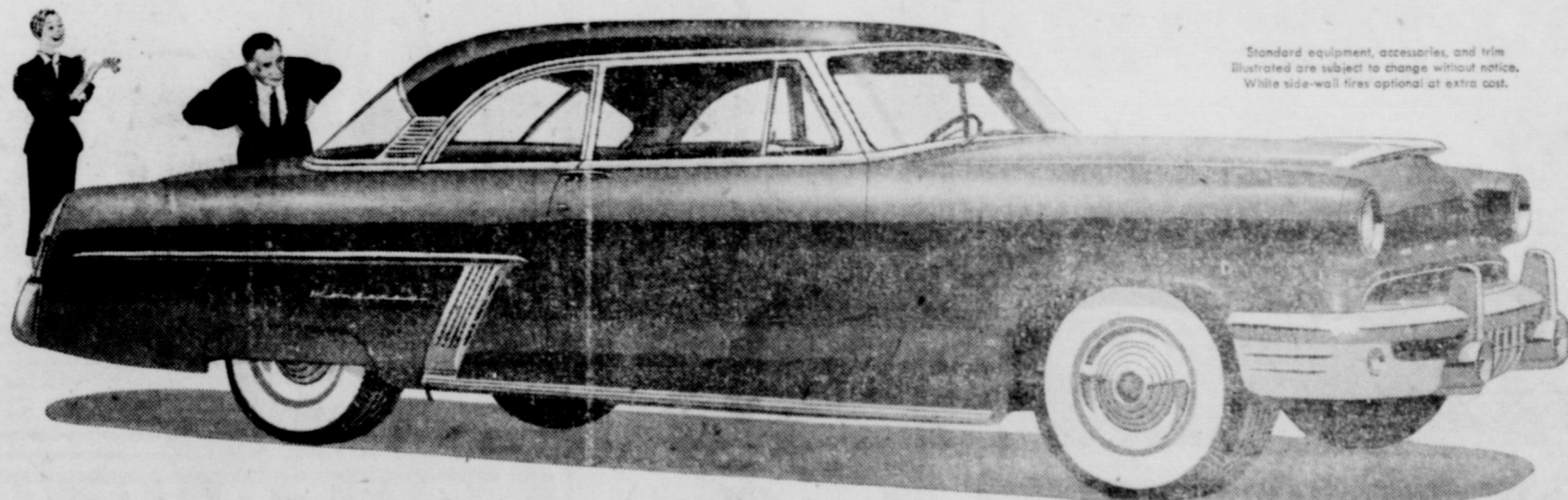
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## Thursday Study Club Enjoy English History

The Thursday Afternoon Club created an unusual program on Great Events of English History. Leader was Mrs. E. E. Sikes, who presented Mrs. Ben Hamner in discussion of The Accession of Elizabeth II. Mrs. Hamner added to the interesting facts she presented by showing a part of her collection of China cups and plates with portraits and data; the last of which she found in Canada last month in an advance cup (not to be on sale until June next year) of the Coronation of the Queen, along with one of her wedding. A King Edward plate, which is already a valuable collector item because of his short reign.

Mrs. Frank Castleberry gave a complete resume of "The Amazing Mr. Churchill," and quoted him with the lines, "Be England what she will, with all her faults, she is my country still." A loyalist which might behoove us all.

Members present were vice-president, Mrs. Iral Inzer, who presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Murrell, and Meses Cecil Collings, Frank Crowell, Fred Davenport, Harold Durham, I. C. Heck, the reporter, Meses James Horton, Hubert Jones, W. P. Leslie, W. W. Linkenhog, M. A. Treadwell, and those on the program, Meses Sikes, Hamner and Castleberry.

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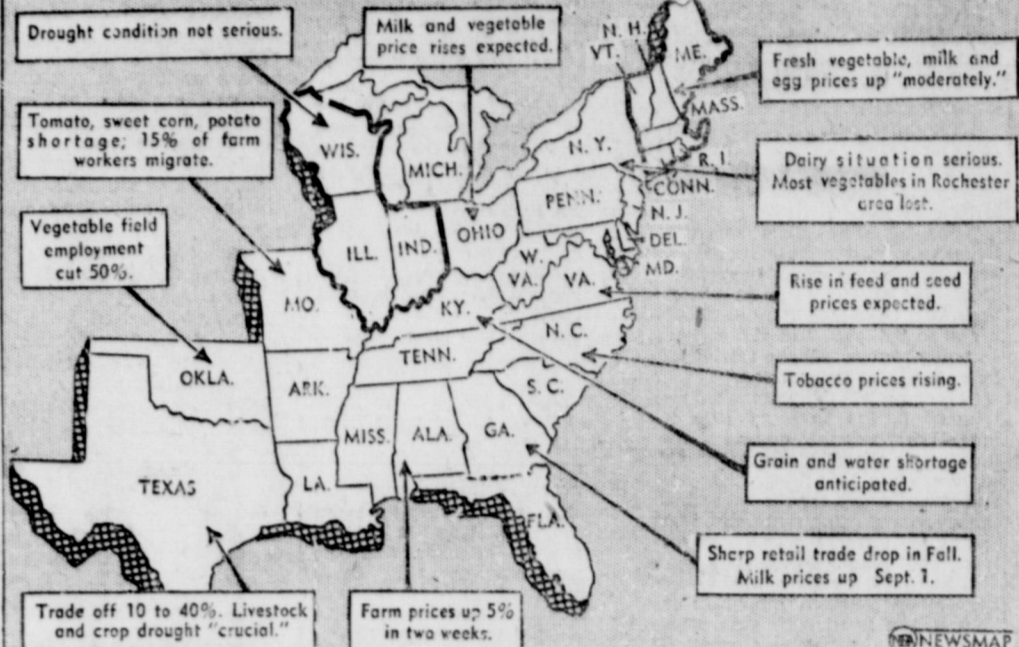
## Mrs. Pipkin One Of Honoree's At Midland Coffee

Mrs. Grady Pipkin of Eastland was one of the honored guests at a coffee 9:30 to 11:30 a. m., at the Midland Country club Tuesday Nov. 4th. Mrs. James Pipkin, one of the four hostesses, selected Mrs. Pipkin as her honored guest who took her turn at pouring with the three others selected by their hostesses.

The coffee table was a dream of culinary artistry—a huge brass and copper Samovar at each end of the long table. Six large brass trays held the dainty and colorful tidbits of fruit, melon balls, hot biscuits and sausage and cinnamon rolls. The Decor theme throughout matched that of the coffee table. Harvest colors of reds, browns and purples in fruit and flowers spurred the festive spirit of the six hundred and fifty guests of the occasion.

During the coffee the guests were entertained by the club organist, Mr. Vaudell, with his versatile performance at the organ. Mr. Vaudell performs at the Hammond with left hand and feet, while his right hand manages the Grand Piano.

Many Eastland people who have moved to Midland, were guests at the coffee, Mrs. Conard Reeves and Mrs. Julia Parker Lisman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker, Mrs. Rodney Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herber Tanner, were among them.



**DRY AS A BONE (OF CONTENTION)**—When the prolonged summer drought brought a production from Price Stabilizer Ellis Arnall that prices are about to "get out of hand," Secretary of Agriculture Charles Brannan declared it wasn't true. Making it a three-way intra-Administration controversy, Commerce Secretary Charles Sawyer said his department had made a survey and found "no widespread price increases." Highlights of the survey's findings are shown in Newsmap above. Some of Arnall's supporters feel that the survey tends to support the Price Stabilizer's contentions.

## Society Editor Is Grandmother

Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Parish of 4931 Hillside Drive, Fort Worth, announce the birth of a daughter, born at Harris Memorial Hospital, Fort Worth, Monday, November 10, at 12:30 a. m.

The infant Billye, weighed six pounds and ten and one-half ounces at birth and mother and baby are reported doing nicely.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Parker of Eastland who now are guests in the Parishes' home in Fort Worth, and paternal grandparent is Mrs. Ita Parish of Eastland.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. P. L. Parker, long-time Eastland resident, and Mrs. W. P. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Welton Stansell of Gladewater, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Parvin of Mount Home, Idaho, flew in last week to be with their father, Mr. George Parvin, who has been critically ill with a heart attack. Our last report is that Mr. Parvin is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Theos are in Fort Worth this week on a business trip.

John Davis, the first known polar explorer, reached West Greenland in 1587.

## Double Seven Club Meets

The members of the Double Seven met at the home of Betty Hagar, 4 p. m., Nov. 6.

The club planned to have a hay ride and skating party. New officers were elected: president, Hazel Spindle; vice president, Margie Lane; secretary, Ruth Justice; reporter, Lovelle Lewis. Those present were Betty Hagar, Ruth Justice, Margie Lane, Hazel Spindle, Lovelle Lewis and Joy Jumper.

Refreshments of punch, cookies, popcorn and sandwiches were served.

The next meeting will be in the home of Margie Lane.

## PERSONALS

Dan Amis and family visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Amis, and all went from here to see the Baylor-Texas game in Waco.

The Home Makers class of the First Baptist Church have postponed their party until Thursday evening, 7 p. m. in the home of Mrs. V. L. Red in Odessa.

Mrs. Frank Hightower has returned home from Hillsboro where she was called last week because of her mother's illness. She brought her mother, Mrs. Ollie Nance back with her to be here until she completely recuperates.

## Double Seven Club Meets

Mrs. Arthur Murrell has returned from Monahan where she visited her daughter and family the James Brunners. She reports having seen many Eastland people who now live there but still long for the old home town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Wooster, of Beloit, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Sims of Ocala and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Webb of Mexico, all sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Simms, were visitors in Eastland the past week.

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## Hollywood Film Shop

HOLLYWOOD (UP)—It's being rumored around the film city that Steve Cochran has found a new love—but she isn't a Hollywood glamour queen.

Cochran has discovered flying! The dark-haired leading man took his first flying lesson recently and now frequently takes a back seat to airplanes.

He's even neglecting his sail boat, the Blackie Daw, in favor of zooming through the clouds with a flying instructor.

"There's nothing like it," says Cochran, who is currently starring in Warner Brothers' "Back to Broadway."

"When I was a kid, I thought there was nothing finer than bicycling. When I got my first automobile, I thought I was really beginning to live. Then I became a sail-boat enthusiast."

Will Buy Plane

But flying, he says, is the "supreme thrill."

As soon as he can fly well enough and learn navigation and air regulations, he plans to buy his own plane and "fly all over the West" between pictures.

"Commercial aviation has always bored me so I'd generally just drive somewhere or go sailing in the Blackie Daw," he said. "But this is going to be a lot more exciting."

Cochran said he plans to keep the Blackie Daw, but he admits it may be some time before he gets around to scraping the barnacles off her.

"I guess Cochran is a fly boy from now on," he added.

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