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## Eastland Braced For Big Homecoming Fri.

### WHAT'S...



### COOKING?

By NORMAN WRIGHT  
"I am not afraid of tomorrow, for I have seen yesterday, and I love today."  
—William Allen White

Once upon a time during the late World War II, we were the officer in charge of Company Funds at Headquarters Battery, 89th Field Artillery Battalion, 5th Regiment, Fort George G. Meade, Md.

As custodian of the Company Funds it was our duty to pay all company bills promptly and take advantage of all discounts offered for payments on or before certain dates.

One day it was learned through the Army grapevine that an auditor was making the rounds checking company books, and we sat up several nights in a row getting our letter-perfect and ship-shape for the gentleman to look over.

However, the auditor found one screaming error in our books where we had neglected to pay one small bill by the 10th of the month and had therefore missed an opportunity to take a discount amounting to three cents.

We immediately took three cents out of our pocket and were preparing to correct the matter right then by dropping the money into a cigar box where we kept a few dollars petty cash for making change for the Coke machine, etc., but the auditor told us we could not do that, and would hear about the matter later.

Within due time a letter in five copies came through channels from the office of the Commanding General ordering us to reply by indorsement as to why we did not pay such and such a bill on such and such a day and thereby take advantage of the customary 2 per cent discount as required by Army Regulations which, in this case, amounted to three cents.

What Ranger's sister city of Eastland bills as Texas Biggest School Homecoming of 1957 promises to be just exactly that as more than 1000 ex-students have actually registered and every hotel room and motor court in the city has been sold out for weeks. Jim Golden, who has been in charge of registrations says, "It looks like we have only begun."

It is expected that the overflow will also fill hotels and motels in Ranger and Cisco by the time they all get through checking in.

Terrell Coleman, general chairman of the Homecoming, says that exes are registered from almost every state in the union and almost every town in Texas. They're even coming from Europe, Asia, the Middle East and the Arctic and Antarctic Zones as rooms have actually been reserved for people from those areas.

Almost every class has some sort of a celebration planned for its own group and in addition to that a golf tournament will be held at Lakeside Country Club to get things started Friday.

Early Saturday evening a barbecue has been scheduled for City Park and more than 1000 tickets have already been sold for that.

## Even T. C. Wylie Says It's Rained Enough, But More Predicted

Even T. C. Wylie, whom the Times loves to refer to as the He-Coon of the Goober Industry in Eastland County, has finally admitted that it has rained enough, and somebody is going to have to call off the dogs.

Owner of Ranger Peanut Company, Wylie is in as close touch with the peanut business as anybody anywhere in this section of the peanut country, and he says those things are going to have to get in the ground sometime during this month, and by July 10 at least, if they are going to do their best.

Wylie says, however, that "two weeks of warm, clear weather ought to put the ground in excellent shape so that farmers can get to work. The biggest part of them have not even got out their fertilizers yet."

## Drink More Milk In June, Local Dairy Men Say

Marshall Berry of Carbon, secretary-treasurer of the Eastland County Dairy Association, in company with B. S. Dudley Jr., vocational agriculture teacher of Ranger High School, were visitors in this office last week and called attention to the fact that June is Dairy Month in Texas, and all over the nation for that matter.

The Eastland County Dairy Association represents a large number of farmers that sell thousands of dollars worth of products annually in the area, and much of the business success of this section depends directly on how the dairy farmers are getting along.

Berry said "If dairy farmers are getting a good price for their milk it is felt in every store in the county — if they're getting a bad price, the stores also feel that."

Berry explained that all of the milk in the local milk shed which consists of 22 counties is bought and processed by two big dairies in Abilene, Borden and Foremost. "Naturally, the more milk and milk products these two companies sell, the better it is for us Eastland County dairy farmers because we are paid more for our product, which is raw milk," he said.

Berry explained if Borden and Foremost ran low in their sales of Grade A Homogenized Milk, which is used for drinking, the milk is processed into cheese, ice cream and powdered milk, and the price paid the farmers drops accordingly. "We've got to sell lots of drinking milk," he said.

The secretary-treasurer urged that during "Dairy Month" everybody should make it a practice to drink more milk, as nothing in the world could be better for a person.

A. F. Beck of Morton Valley, is president of the Eastland County Dairy Association.



## Mental Health Dinner Tonight At College

Seven-thirty this evening is the time set for the Mental Health Dinner Program to get under way at Ranger Junior College Cafeteria. The program is being sponsored by the Texas Society for Mental Health, the Eastland County P-T-A and other Ranger organizations.

Peacock said reservations have been made from almost every town in the county, and if there are any last-minute persons wishing to attend the program, Peacock said it was possible a few extra plates would be available for which tickets have not been sold.

Providing the discussion tonight will be four top members of the faculty of Abilene Christian College including Dr. Paul Southern, head of the Bible Department, Dr. Max Leach, head of the Psychology Department, and Dr. Orval Filbeck and William Fryer, psychology professors.

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## Funds to Be Used for Building New Kitchen Annex At Teen Town Hdq.

Members of the Teen Town Mothers Club will hold one of the biggest Bake Sales of the year Wednesday at Worth Food Mart for the purpose of raising money to build a kitchen annex on the Teen Town Headquarters building near Willows Park.

Mrs. David D. Pickrell, president of the Teen Town Mothers, said all of them would greatly appreciate it if Ranger housewives would anticipate their baking needs for the week and plan to fill them at the Bake Sale Wednesday.

The Mothers met at Teen Town Monday for the purpose of planning the sale, and an intensive telephone campaign has been carried on with some 139 members of the club, asking them to prepare some kind of offering for the sale so that the variety would be as big and nice as possible.

There will be many wonderful cakes and pies of almost every description included in the sale, and possibly a lot of other items that will prove irresistible to people who love nice desserts.

Mrs. Pickrell said it is possible that all of the Teen Town Mothers were not contacted, and they are all asked to prepare something for the sale anyway, and take it to Worth's early Wednesday morning. Anybody else in town who will be good enough to bake a cake or a pie and put it in the sale are most welcome to do so.

Activities at Teen Town will be bigger next school year than ever before because more youngsters will be eligible for membership. This year's sixth graders, who will be in Junior High School next year, have been straining at the leash to join Teen Town and they will be eligible when the next term of school starts.

Heretofore, when events have been planned for Teen Town, the Mothers have prepared all the delicacies at home that were used for refreshments, and have hauled them to Teen Town in their cars. This has proved to be very unsatisfactory, because they are always late.

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EDITOR'S NOTE: In order to help teen-agers in Ranger find jobs during the summertime, the Times will run three times a week, 10 or 15 times, any advertisement similar to the above brought in to us by Ranger Teen-Agers. If any firms in Ranger can use any of these young people during the summer, if only for part time, please get in touch with them.

## Phony Policeman Operating In Eastland Area

Eastland Police Chief Ray Laney today advised the public to be on the alert for a phony policeman operating in the Eastland, Ranger and Cisco areas.

The "cop" driving a 1955 red and white Chrysler, has been stopping people on the highway, without identifying himself, and giving tickets for alleged traffic violations.

In some instances, the people have been advised that if they will settle the violation on the spot, it will cost them less, Laney said. The incident first came to light when the wife of an Eastland policeman was apprehended in the vicinity of Breckenridge and given a ticket for "speeding." She was told that for \$5 the case would be dropped.

According to Chief Laney, the license number of the car driven by the would-be policeman begins with the letters "E.N." and is registered in the name of a Fort Worth man.

In case of another incident of this sort Laney requests that the Police department be notified immediately.

Indians Beat Yanks Giants Conquer Dodgers, Maybe After first announcing the Little Leaguers would not play Monday night, the official score-keeper failed to show up and a new score-keeper was commandeered as a substitute, keeping the tallys on a piece of unofficial scrap paper.

The official score-keeper and the Times went over the unofficial score card Tuesday morning and got a different result every time the runs were counted.

From all indications the Indians beat the Yankees and the Giants beat the Dodgers because the apparent winners seemed to get more of one kind of mark than the other. It looked like the Indians 10 and the Yankees 7, and the Giants 13 and the Dodgers 6, but we wouldn't guarantee it.

Old Employee Visits Times C. F. Underwood of Midland, an old time employee of the Times, visited the plant last Friday afternoon. Long time residents of Ranger may remember Underwood who was circulation manager of the Times back during the roaring days of 1920-26.

Underwood is now executive assistant to the publisher of the Reporter - Telegram at Midland, one of the fastest growing regions in the west.

Teen-Age Jobs Wanted JOB WANTED: Typing or general office work. Valdictorian of 1957 Senior Class, Linda Shaffer. Phone 857. (6-2-57)

JOB WANTED: General office work 1 year at RJC, 2 1/2 years typing, 2 years shorthand, 1 semester office machines, 1 year bookkeeping. Elpidia Gonzales. Phone 436. (6-2-57)

JOB WANTED: General office work, 1 year at RJC, 3 years typing, 2 years shorthand, 1 semester office machines, 1 year bookkeeping. Kaye Vaughn. Phone 943. (6-4-57)

JOB WANTED: Part time or full time. 1957 Senior, Morris Baker. Phone 330. (6-6-57).

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## Anti-Insanity Shots Will Find Endless Uses When Developed

The cure-all of the century may be on the horizon. We jump to this fanciful conclusion after reading that new experiments are under way which have as their goal the development of anti-insanity shots.

The use of such a shot could be endless. The vaccine could take the place of the one-for-the-road that crazy drivers take before they kill and maim people. It could also substitute for the cigarette smoked in bed.

The application of the serum could contribute great good to the cause of government, if it were prescribed for officials before they advocate deficit spending, additional welfare programs, or aid to foreign countries which will probably not back us up in the event of aggression by the Soviet Union.

Add to the list of people who could benefit from a needle loaded with an anti-insanity preparation:

The guy who comes in and makes himself comfortable for a long visit when you're busy.

Communists and fellow travelers.

Those who don't bother to get polio shots and dog owners who think it is cruel to give their pets rabies vaccine.

Unfortunately, the injections on which the research is now being done probably would not be able to cure all these forms of insanity. The envisioned shot, the American Psychiatric Assn. was told, would be used to treat schizophrenia with regular injections—similar to the way diabetes is controlled.

Maybe the board of experts speaking at the Mental Health Dinner Program at Ranger Junior College tonight will have more to say on this subject. But when, as and if they ever invent an Anti-Insanity vaccine, we want a shot quick. Maybe that's what's been ailing us all this time and we're just now finding out about it since Mental Health is becoming such a popular subject. Once upon a time we judged a man's success by the number of ulcers he had. Now it's becoming smart and fashionable to have mental ailments.

## CLASSIFIED

All Classified Ads Must Be Paid For in Advance.

### MISC. FOR SALE - HELP WANTED

**FOR SALE:** Goodyear tires and batteries, reasonable prices. I will meet or better any nationally advertised price by any major company. See Pat Thomas, Sinclair Agent, Phone 91.

**FOR SALE:** Baby Car Bed. Will convert into Baby car seat. Like new. \$5.00. Call 210-W.

**CHRISTIANITY AND MENTAL HEALTH,** a wonderful book by Dr. Max Leach, head of the Psychology Department of Abilene Christian College. Buy it for your own library, or as a gift. Copies available at the Ranger Times. \$3.00.

**SAVE ON PAINT and Wall Paper.** Jack Williams, Hwy. 80 East.

**FISH BAIT:** Big Jumbo Reds. Phone 527-J. Buster Shugart, Caddo Road.

### AUTOS FOR SALE



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### LOST & FOUND -

**LOST:** Green parakeet. Band on leg. Reward offered. Call 298-W.

### MISC. WANTED -

**WANTED:** Sewing and ironing. Mrs. Tillman Fonville, 300 Riddle Ave.

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**FOR RENT:** Five room modern house, 1029 Vitalious. Phone 272-W.

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### REAL ESTATE -

**FOR SALE:** Newly decorated five room home, 204 S. Oaklawn, Hillcrest Addition. See after 5.

**NICE home for sale,** 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors, close in, on paved Street. Shown by appointment. C. E. May Insurance and Real Estate.

### SPECIAL NOTICES

**MASONIC NOTICE** Stated meeting Ranger Masonic Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., 7:30 p. m., Thursday, June 6. All members urged to attend. Visitors welcome. Election of officers, also examinations in all Degrees. Robert Baily, W. M. T. C. Weaver, Sec.



A-IC AND MRS. JOE M. JARRETT (Canaris Photo)

## Miss Evelyn Jordan Wed To A-IC Joe M. Jarrett

Miss Evelyn Jordan and A-IC Joe M. Jarrett were married at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 25, in the Carol Ann Hill Memorial Chapel.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ina Jordan of Eastland. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Osage K. Jarrett, Rev. R. Smith performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride's only attendant was Mrs. Harry Jordan. The best man was Raymond Scroggins of Palestine, Tex.

## Brides Shape New Patterns For Living

What a bride does in preparing for her wedding and her married life is a lot more important than her whispered "I do," at least to the unsentimental folk who chart her whims, wishes, tastes and ideas as carefully as the weathermen chart the path of a tropical hurricane.

For today's bride has become a powerful and important factor in forming and influencing tastes and trends in many areas of modern living, according to the Jewelry Industry Council.

One reason for this is because there are a lot more of her—more than 1,600,000 young women will marry this year, the Council reports. Another reason is that her average age is 23, old enough to know her own mind. She is no shy little violet. Rather she is an intelligent, self-reliant young woman who has held a job in 71 per cent of the cases and who plans to continue working, either full or part time, in the majority of the marriages, the Council reports.

Add it all together and she emerges as a figure of practical as well as romantic importance—a bellwether force in predicting the tastes and trends that will effect many patterns of modern living. An she has changed her thinking quite dramatically on several points.

She is definitely concerned with beauty in her new home and surroundings. She is still a hard-headed realist about the practical aspects of homemaking, but her swing away from the stark utilitarian approach of other years has set off a few small revolutions in the lives of those devoted to supplying her needs.

She has rejoined her grandmother in her pleasure and pride in the fine silver, the china, the lovely decorative pieces—the touches of beauty that lend so much to everyday living.

These items have gone to the top of her "ideal gift list," replacing the big, practical home-making items she has most wanted in other years, say industry's researchers.

The explanation for this believes the Council, is that the bride's own earning power, as a supplement to the young bridegroom's has made it possible for young couples to select and buy many of these practical items themselves, rather than depending on gift list to produce them.

## Carbon Singing Set for Sunday

CARBON Singers will be host of singers in this area Sunday at the Methodist Church. The old time all-day singing and dinner on the grounds will begin at 11:15 a.m. with basket lunch at 12:30. "We are going to have lots of visiting singers from other counties and localities," H. A. Tyrone, president, said, "and we invite you to be our guest on this day."

## ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Warford and Linda attended the wedding of Freda Warford and Johnny Barefield in Breckenridge Sunday. Linda was one of the bride's attendants.

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## Mrs. Collings' Father Killed In Train Crash

W. G. Lowery, father of Mrs. Bill Collings of Eastland, was killed instantly this morning when a train struck the car he was driving to work in Electra.

Mr. Lowery was an employee of the Magnolia Oil Co. He had visited here a number of times. Mr. and Mrs. Collings left immediately after receiving word of the accident for Electra where services are pending.

## WEEKEND GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Summers had a weekend-end guests Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Summers of Dallas.

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## STATIONED IN SEATTLE

Sonny Blanton is now serving with the U. S. Army in Seattle, Washington. His wife, Peggy, is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Russell.

## SPEND WEEK IN MIDLAND

Mrs. T. J. Fuller and Mrs. A. W. Warford and Linda spent last week in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fuller.

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## VISITS IN LLANO AND SAN SABA

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brashears and Ronnie and Mrs. Elsie Brashears spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Slawson of San Saba and with Mrs. L. J. Myrea of Llano.

## VISITS IN COLEMAN

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Reeves of Fort Worth visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Patterson. They all visited Saturday in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Mosley.

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### Circle No. 4 Members Named At First Methodist

Circle No. 4 of the WSCS of the Methodist Church, with Mrs. James Townzen as leader, will meet June 10th in the home of Mrs. C. E. May Jr. at 9:30 a.m.

### Child Welfare Has Meeting

The Child Welfare Club met in the home of Mrs. Bob Earnest Wednesday afternoon for their monthly business meeting. Reports were made by the secretary, treasurer and the investigation chairman, Mrs. C. E. May.

### Women's Activities

**June 4**  
The Order of the Eastern Star will have an open installation of officers Tuesday, June 4, at 8 in the Masonic Hall. All members, their families, and friends are cordially invited.

**June 6**  
The Martha Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church will meet Thursday noon at the church for the last luncheon until Fall. All members and friends of the class are urged to attend.

**Postponed**  
The meeting of the Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church has been postponed until next week, Thursday.

### HOSPITAL NEWS



New patients in the West Texas Clinic are: Mrs. Bob Wymer, Ranger; Mrs. Ida Morris, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Brackett and Leslie Eugene, El Paso; Richard J. Trinea, Eldorado, Ark.; Charles Byars, El Paso.

New patients in the Ranger General Hospital are: Joe Shugart, Ft. Worth, surgical; John Ivy, Ranger, medical; T. S. Pitman, Gordon, medical; J. F. Williams, Eastland, medical.

**RETURNS HOME**  
Mr. and Mrs. Felton McGraw and three boys have left for their home in Torrance, Calif., after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl McGraw.



### Miss Margie Abbott And A-3C Roger Frochlich Are Engaged

Miss Margie Abbott and A-3C Roger Frochlich are engaged. The engagement was announced by Mrs. Roscoe Abbott of Eastland. Miss Abbott is employed by Ray Drug in Abilene. A definite wedding date has not yet been set.

**WEEKEND GUESTS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Stanton and son, David, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fawcett over the weekend.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Millard Stone of Amarillo, visited last week with Mrs. P. C. Long and Clayton Long.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jones this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Samrall of McCombs and Mrs. Jack Story and Nan of Arlington. Mr. Jones celebrated his 85th birthday Saturday, June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Putnam are in Houston for an indefinite stay with their son, Albert Keller. Mrs. Little is also visiting in Houston, she is an aunt of Mr. Keller's.

W. T. Casey and Dave Stagner left Monday for Falcon Dam on a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Higdon and son, Stephen of Pampa, visited Mr. Higdon's mother, Mrs. James Higdon this past week, also R. M. Thompson, son-in-law of Mrs. Higdon's was here for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw of Odessa, are visiting Mrs. Shaw's mother, Mrs. Katie White.

Mrs. Bell Hatfield is visiting her sons in West Texas.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore over the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Truman Reece of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Patterson of Ranger; Mrs. Cynthia Massenberg of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Grafton and children of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Moore and children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Altom of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs.

### PERSONALS

Frank Altom of Abilene. **VISITS IN RANGER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Merry and Charles Jerden, all of Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Anable Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

**VISITS IN BIG SPRING**  
Mrs. Edward Willingham is visiting her brother in Big Spring.

**GUESTS FROM MIDLAND**  
Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weekes of Midland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Willingham over the weekend.

**HERE FROM PLAINO**  
Harold and Annette Stroud of Plalno are visiting with the T. J. Spindles and the J. F. Warrens.

**VISITS FROM BROWNSVILLE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Garland Harris of Brownsville are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Caraway. They came Saturday and will be here until Tuesday.

**VISITS OVER WEEKEND**  
Mary and Bob Mars and their daughter, Twanna, visited Mrs. Mars's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elder, over the weekend.

**WEEKEND GUEST**  
Sterling Thames of Fort Worth visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Needham over the weekend.

**VISITING FROM AUSTIN**  
Mrs. G. D. Slawson and children Harold and Joyce Ann of Austin are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Brashears and Ronnie.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

### Lone Star Ladies Club Meets Friday

The Lone Star Ladies Club met Friday afternoon at the Community Club House with 16 members present. A night party was planned for the members and their families.

Mrs. S. T. Williams won the '42' prize and Mrs. R. W. Gordon won the bridge prize. Mrs. Sam Kirkpatrick resigned as president and Mrs. Archie Robinson was elected.

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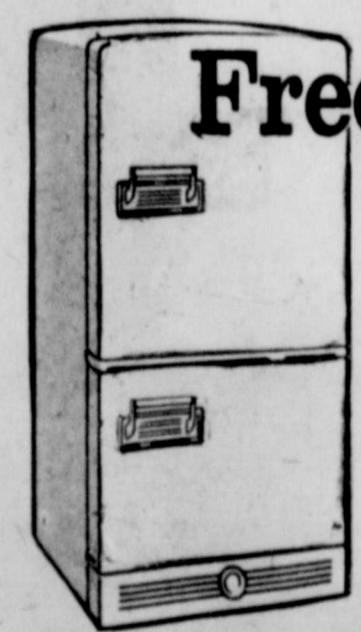
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- Silver Bride and Groom
- Spiral Stork, pink
- All colors square napkins

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of course we imprint names if desired

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### What's Cooking—

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than "Contents noted and forwarded." But whatever they said, they had to say it in five copies and attach.

To make a long story short, that letter traveled backwards and for-

wards one whole summer and winter until along at the last, Division Message Center had assigned one driver and a three-quarter ton weapons carrier truck to do nothing but transport that one document as it made its rounds over Fort George G. Meade between us and the Commanding General. Incidentally, it was also a Texan,

named Potter.

We hate to think of all the time and money wasted on that one trivial three-cent transaction, and the worse part about the whole matter was, we never did find a way in Army Regulations where we could take three cents from our pocket and reimburse the Company Fund, and that's a bill we still owe the Government.

After some six or seven months of hauling that letter around, we were finally cussed out, in five copies, for being negligent in the matter of paying company bills, after which everybody got on with the war, but not until we had all sent the letter back through channels one more time with the final indorsement "Contents noted", in five copies.

We mention this incident because we were reminded of it the other day as all the talk went on in Washington about military spending and waste of man-power. We imagine it is the same old Army today as it was 12 years ago, in 1945, but it costs more to mess around foolishly today than it did then—a whole lot more.

Don't forget the Mental Health Dinner Program at the cafeteria tonight at 7:30. You will thoroughly enjoy hearing the experts talk about your mental ailments. We have been assured that during a person's lifetime, one out of every five will suffer a mental ailment serious enough to require treatment, and that five out of every five of us suffer some sort of mental ailment all the blessed time.

All of this used to be hush-hush business but has been brought out into the open with the advent of modern psychiatry and people are beginning to pay more attention to their mental health. It is a good thing for everybody.

Once upon a time the subject of venereal disease was something that was never mentioned in public. Finally, during the war, there was so much of it the authorities brought the subject out from under the rug and began to discuss it freely and openly until today the disease is much easier to cure than a bad cold.

Perfectly sound people have mental ailments — every last one of them, of us, we should say. Knowing what they are and how to do something about them is a valuable bit of information that we all should know.

By attending the Mental Health Dinner Program tonight, we will know much more about ourselves when it is over than we do right now.

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### You Who Own Real Estate—

... and have never filed the deed for record should do so at once for your own protection and safety. This also applies to every other important instrument pertaining to your title to land. We have seen good titles fouled up and costly law suits made mandatory just because important title instruments, like deeds, were not filed promptly. Don't blame us if you get caught—for we are urging you now to send all your unrecorded title documents to the County Clerk's Office today.

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FOLLOW THE SIGNS—Safety first gets a novel twist in Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii, as a pair of U.S. Marines become moving traffic signs leading a column of troops marching along the road. The traffic warning panels alert approaching vehicles to the oncoming men.

### Vets May Have New Home Loan Eligibility Due

Sale of a veteran's GI-purchased home because of a new and better job in a different city may entitle him to new GI loan eligibility, even though the job change was voluntary. Mr. Scott B. Harrington, manager of the Veterans Administration Regional Office in Dallas, Texas, said today.

"Better job" was defined by Mr. Harrington as being one that would increase the veteran's income or provide him with greater opportunity for advancement.

Restoration of GI loan eligibility formerly was made only if the job change or transfer to another city was involuntary or beyond the veteran's control.

The new ruling, Mr. Harrington said, also applies to veterans moving to a different city following retirement.

However, no GI loan entitlement can be restored unless the VA is relieved of liability on the old loan. This generally is accomplished by payment of the loan in full, either by the veteran or the new purchaser.

Other circumstances under which a veteran may be entitled to a new GI loan eligibility are when the property:

1. Was taken by a governmental agency for public use;
2. Was destroyed by natural hazard; or,
3. Was disposed of for compelling reasons of health or other specified reasons beyond control of the veteran.

TRADE WITH YOUR HOMETOWN MERCHANTS

### Funds—

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running out of refreshments and more are needed. When out-of-town students visit Teen Town following home football games, a kitchen in which the mothers can work preparing sandwiches and refreshments on the spot, is a No. 1 necessity.

The Mothers Club has spotted two or three small buildings which they think can be obtained at a reasonable price and moved to Teen Town. They need money for purchasing the building, for moving it onto the premises, for hooking it on to the main building and for equipping it. This is the purpose of the Bake Sale and everybody is asked to please come by and buy something. Every item will be worth the money, and something that most people will be buying before the week is over, anyway.

The sale will begin when Worth Food Mart opens and will continue until everything is sold out.

### Mental Health—

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former congressman from this district, will be toastmaster.

Following the evening meal which will be prepared and served by the college, the program will get under way with the showing of two color films dealing with Mental Health. These two films will form the basis of the discussions which will follow, and members of the audience will be invited to participate in a question and answer period.

Good mental health is becoming the concern of more and more people today as it is being realized that a person does not have to be in a mental institution to have

### Dolores Tanner Gets MA Degree

Dolores Tanner of Eastland is among the 158 University of Texas students who received masters' degrees Saturday.

A master of fine arts degree in drama was the degree received by the Eastland woman. She was one of four to receive the degree.

### New Oil Trays Staked Near Here

Irish Drilling Co. of Eastland has staked a regular field, try eight miles northeast of Eastland in Stephens County on a 60-acre lease.

It is the No. 1 J. B. Morton. Location is 1100 feet from the south line and 600 feet from the east line of Section 128, HT&RRR Survey.

Proposed depth is 2450 feet with rotary.

### ATTENDS RECITAL

Mrs. H. G. Borch and Mrs. A. V. Eberhart attended the dance recital of Myra and Mary Robinson in Bowie last week.

mental ailments. Finding out what the most common ones are, and how to do something about them, is the interest of everyone, and the program tonight is designed to be one of the most helpful to come to Ranger in many a day.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE EACH SUNDAY

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